Governor Wants to Close Fort In March

by Doris Cherry

ROUNDHOUSE REPORT, STATE CAPITOL, SANTA FE--Lincoln County must scramble to prepare a proposal for a viable use for Fort Stanton, or the governor will fulfill his promise to close it in March.

Lincoln County leaders met with Governor Gary Johnson in his office in the state capitol building, on Thursday,

January 26. Gov. Johnson

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said he was not "looking to Valdez echoed the governor abandon the facility." Instead, about the closure. "According the governor wants the facili- to the governor Fort Stanton ty to be used on a contract will not be used as a state basis with the private sector facility," Valdez said. Then for long term nursing care. Valdez announced that a While he agreed to look at a three phase lay off plan for viable proposal for an alterna- the 202 Fort Stanton employtive use of the facility, he was ees will be ready by Monday, also pessimistic any such Jan. 30. Valdez related how proposal could be offered to Sen. President Pro Tempore him before the end of the Manny Aragon, D-Albuquerque also wants to close the

Secretary of Health Alex facility, but yet did not want the facility this year. Goverto impact on the workers or community.

Senator Pete Campos, (D) whose district includes Lincoln County, Representatives Dub Williams, R-Lincoln, Paul Taylor, D-Dona Ana and Barbara Casey, D-Roswell all support keeping the facility open. Taylor and Casey serve on the Legislative Finance Committee which recommended \$5 million for operation of

nor Johnson wants to fund it \$500,000 for a skeleton maintenance crew after the facility is closed.

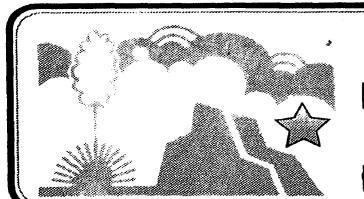
Lincoln County Commission chairman Monroy Montes said the commission totally agrees with the phase out of the developmentally disabled patients at the hospital. He then requested the state to provide operating funds for two more years, to give time

to develop the facility's next use. But Johnson was not inclined to support two years of funding.

Some of the options presented to the governor were a psychiatric hospital, boot camp or detention facility for juvenile offenders a veterans hospital.

The governor was most (SEE PAGE 2)





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LINCOLN COUNTY leaders met with Gov. Gary Johnson Jan. 26 about the Fort Stanton situation. Despite several suggestions the governor remained pessimistic that any could be implemented before the end of March, the date he has targeted to close the facility, which employs 202 people. Front row, I-r: Gov. Johnson. State Representative Dub Williams, health secretary Alex Valdez, and Lincoln County Commissioner Monroy Montes, back row Bob Nys, Linda Wallace, and Lincoln County Manager Carolin Cooney.

School Board Elections In Lincoln County On Tuesday

School board members will be elected in the five school districts in Lincoln County during the school board elections Tuesday, Feb. 7.

Corona School ballots will also include the question of whether the school district should impose the two mill levy for property tax years from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Voters 1995, 1996 and 1997. The two mill levy would not be an additional tax but would be an extension of the two mill levy that is currently in place and will expire at the end of property tax year 1994.

The money would be used for capital improvements, which include erecting, remodeling, making additions to, providing equipment for and furnishing school buildings, purchasing or improving school grounds, maintenance

of public school buildings and public school grounds exclusive of salary expenses of the district, and purchasing activity vehicles for transporting students to extracurricular school activities.

The poll for the school board elections will be open must be registered to be able to vote in their school district. **School Board Candidates:** Capitan School district can-

didates: Position 3: Edmund A.

Jones, Freda L. McSwane and Jody D. Roberts. Position 4: Beverly Payne.

Position 5: James R. Hobbs, Herbert L. Bridges, Thomas J. Sidwell, John L. Fish and Greg G. Holguin.

Polls for the Capitan School election will be at the Lincoln County Fair Building. Carrizozo School district

candidates: Position 1: Larue Wetzel and Joseph (Jody) Ventura Jr. Position 2: Gary A.

Hightower. Position 5: Patricia Vega and Steve P. Harkey.

Carrizozo School election polls will be at Carrizozo School in the administration building.

Corona School district candidates:

Position 1: Nicky Huey, James F. Bagley, and Catherine J. Perez-Muniz.

Position 4: Ricky L. Huey, Eddy L. May and Richard L.

Corona School election polls will be at Corona Village Hall. (SEE PAGE 2)

Construction People Object To Ruidoso Grade Requirements

Code enforcement of a grade issue will be taken at a twelve percent grade requirement for all Ruidoso lots brought construction people to the Village of Ruidoso regular council meeting Jan. 31.

Construction people voiced their opinions about what is perceived to be an unreasonable grade requirement. Fur-

special meeting to be held Feb. 6, after a workshop also

scheduled for Feb. 6. After some professional and informative presentations, citizen input and council discussion regarding the Convention and Visitor's Bureau (CVB) Ad Hoc Committee ther action on the 12 percent presentation requesting au-

thorization of Request for Proposals (RFP), the Council unanimously approved the actions which will result in Request for Proposals. The authorization included four of eight recommendations which were provided in a letter presented to the Council from Bill Chance, chairman of the Lodger's Tax Committee.

Councilors approved scheduling a public hearing on amending standards for Fixed Base Operators and airport tenants at Sierra Blanca Regional Airport (SBRA.) The hearing will be held Feb. 28 and is proposed ordinance 95-02. Mayor Jerry G. Shaw (SEE PAGE 12)

Mescalero Apache Tribe Casts NO Vote To Nuclear Storage

The question of whether spent nuclear fuel rods will be stored in Lincoln County in New Mexico was answered when the Tribal members voted against the venture.

Results of the election held Tuesday were 490 against

and 362 in favor. According to published reports, voter turnout was the

highest in recent history. An official statement is to be issued soon.

Legal And Illegal **Dumping Defined**

The Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA) held a regular meeting on January 26 in Ruidoso Downs. Eight of the fourteen agenda items were routine making for a short meeting.

LCSWA Manager Joe Lewandowski provided a manager's report which included a copy of an order granting a 20 year permit for a solid waste transfer station located in Ruidoso.

Lewandowski also provided a copy of a two page letter that had been mailed to contractors which clarified "legal" and "illegal" dump sites and gave information on the improved services LCSWA now provides.

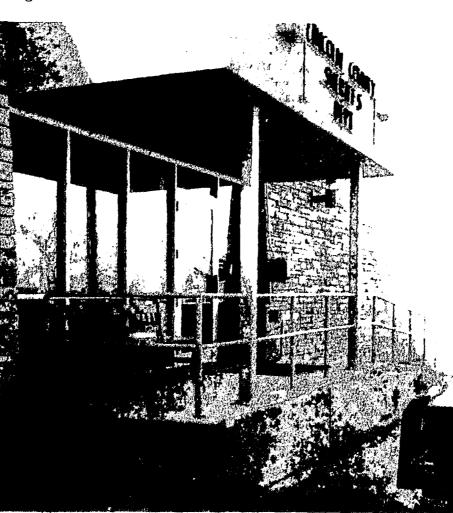
Legal sites for disposal of contractor or commercial waste are Capitan Landfill, Gavilan Canyon transfer station, recycling center in Ruidoso Downs, and services paid for by the company such as clean up service, roll-offs,

Illegal sites are in any dumpster the contractor is not

paying for, in any residential dumpster even if the person is paying a residential fee because the residential fee is only for waste from the home, not construction or commercial waste, and next to any container or in an illegal dump site.

LCSWA has purchased rolloff containers and truck for construction sites or cleanups. Lewandowski's letter stated the service provided by LCSWA is 40 to 60 percent cheaper than the service provided by haulers out of Alamogordo.

Lewandowski sought authority from the board to present amendments to the ordinances of the entities serviced by LCSWA to allow the hiring of a solid waste code enforcement officer and/or delegate individuals in LCSWA to those duties This is a next step in pursuing a priority of code enforcement mentioned in the 11 Jan 95 letter to contractors which states in part "Enforcement is (OEB PAGE 12)



ACCESS TO THE LINCOLN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE In the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo may meet ADA standards but does not meet the requirements for people with knee or hip problems unable to walk up ramps. The ramp to the right, the only access to the door at the sheriff's office, is at a steep incline, probably too steep for a person in a wheelchair unless the person has help. There are no steps leading into the sheriff's office for those who can walk up steps.

Campos Bill Would Fund Area Projects

SANTA FE, N.M.--Senator Pete Campos has introduced legislation that, if approved, would provide \$53.3 million for public works projects in his Senate district, which includes San Miguel, Guadalupe, De Baca and Lincoln counties.

The projects have been placed in one bill to highlight the fact that the roughly 37,500 people of Senate District 8 have similar infrastructure concerns that revolve around education, health and safety, and recreation, Campos said. Improving all three areas will improve the general quality of life, Campos said.

Campos urged the residents of the 10,500-square-mile district to come together in a collective effort to support needed infrastructure for rural communities.

These are all meaningful projects that have been requested by community leaders to enhance the quality of life in Lincoln, De Baca, Guadalupe and San Miguel

counties, "Campos said. "The need to provide a better living environment throughout all of New Mexico is becoming increasingly important. A systematic replacement process for our aging infrastructure requires a sound local and state partnership.'

Campos added, "I will continue to use every avenue available to strengthen New Mexico's infrastructure foundation, which I consider to be a key to a strong economic

Highlights of Campos' proposed legislation include:

* An appropriation of \$1.8 million to build an indoor arena at the Glencoe Rural Events Center (former Sales Barn) in Lincoln County.

* More than \$1.1 million to wastewater system repairs in Ruidoso; more than \$220,000 for the purchase of water rights and water system improvements in Ruidoso Downs; \$300,000 for a water project in Corona; and

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receptive to the suggestion of a detention facility for middle school age juveniles, offered by Rep. Williams. He said that Fort Stanton could be a facility that would provide intervention for middle school aged offenders, instead of sending them to Springer from which they graduate to the state penitentiary.

The governor said repeatedly that he was "wide open" to suggestions, and agreed with some of those offered. 'Those are viable options, but I don't see them occurring on such a short fuse," he said. Johnson was also skeptical of whether

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the existing staff at Fort Stanton could be retrained within that time frame.

Campos said he will work closely with the administration to identify alternatives for the facility and he was to meet with cabinet secretaries Monday.

Fort Stanton employees Carmen Burch and Shannon Brazel said the buildings do not need much renovation, and employees already deal with people with behavior problems. Brazel pointed out that Fort Stanton is a desirable location. "Our place at Fort Stanton, people have freedom. It's a nice place to be." Brazel said.

Montes said that the families living at Fort Stanton would be a plus in a juvenile detention facility, by giving troubled youth a family structure they are missing.

"It would be a mutual benefit to the state and county, Montes said. "Don't turn your back on our future and our children."

Johnson did not disagree with Montes, but again said that making it happen at Fort Stanton was the problem.

Sen. Campos asked if the governor would consider a proposal if a viable one is developed and offered.

"I have a wide open mind." the governor said. "But I honestly don't see that a proposal will come out and meet the needs in this amount of time.'

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Johnson pointed out the court decree to move all DD patients out of Fort Stanton into community settings. "The decree came down. While we want to work this through, at some point you all knew there was going to be this pain.

Burch responded that since 1993 Fort Stanton was aware of the plans for the DD patients, and the state's plan to converting the hospital to a long term nursing care facility with renovations of buildings and retraining of staff. "We found there is a need for people with behavior problems needing long term medical care, which the private sector will not accept, and Las Vegas is full," Burch said.

Montes asked the governor what message he could take back to his county. "That \$250,00 bi-weekly will no longer be spent by the state?"

"Right," Johnson answered. "It will close, but we'll work with all involved to lessen the impact. I'm wide open to finding a use in another capacity."

Johnson said that he will look at any proposal which shows a need and is not a duplication of services already offered. He said that a location for a high security juvenile "boot camp" lock up has been pinpointed for an unused facility in Los Lunas.

The governor said that he has not budgeted any money for such a boot camp at this time however.

Commissioner L. Ray Nunley said that Fort Stanton has plenty of room for such a facility, 1,300 acres. Montes said that the offenders could be used as a work force, to pay for their keep, and to avoid "warehousing" the troubled youth. Montes went on to say that the facility could be expanded to house more than 150 youth.

"Lincoln County wants to make a commitment and be a

part of guidance for the youth. Fort Stanton employee Wilma Webb said that the Fort has a farm, greenhouse, ceramics and wood shops which could be used for youth programs. "The juveniles could have animals, and cows to milk," she said.

Montes said that a juvenile facility at Fort Stanton would not duplicate Springer. "Troubled youth need a push in the right direction," Montes said. "In Springer they get a degree to the penitentiary or the welfare system."

Johnson was concerned about how the buildings and staff at Fort Stanton would meet federal regulations for such juvenile facilities. "Maybe that is viable," he said.

Montes said that the employees are in a "panic mode" because the closure affects theirs and their families' lives.

"Already 10-20 have decided not to seek re-employment," Montes said. 'There are already casualties."

Governor Johnson dismissed the group and they left without any real answers. The group did know that they will have to work fast to come up with a proposal the governor

will consider. Capitan School Board members Tom Trost, Beverly Payne, and Jack King, and school superintendent Diana Billingsley were at the meeting, along with county commissioner Bill Schwettman and county Republican party official Bob Nys.

Billingsley said Lincoln County has a lot to do fast for some type of plan.

Schwettman said that the county is working with the Southeastern New Mexico Econômic Development District (SNMEDD) on the problem. "Not much capital funding is needed for the facility," Schweitman said. The facility has been undergoing remodeling of cottages to meet the requirements of a long term medical care facility. "I talked (Jan. 26) and he knows this." Schwettman said.

Billingsley said that the closure will impact on Capitan Schools, as will the current lawsuit filed by several middle-sized school districts to require a revision of the school funding formula. "Capitan now gets extra money for being a small school, if the funding formula is changed we could lose some of our programs," Billingsley said.

Lincoln County residents can write the governor at Hon. Governor Gary Johnson, State Capitol Building, Santa Fe, NM 87501.

School Board **Elections**

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Hondo School district candi-

Position 1: Curtis P. McTeigue and Jimmy R. Aragon.

Position 3: Judith (Diane) Romero and Antonio Archuleta.

Position 4: Frank L. Sisperos, Victoria E. Sanchez and T. Michael Henderson. Position 5: Billy J. Brady

and Lucinda Loveless. Polls for the Hondo School election will be at Hondo School.

Ruidoso School district candidates:

Position 1: Susan P. Randle. Kent W. Beatty and Susan Marie Lutterman. Position 2: Karen J. Ander-

son, James S. Stover and Doyle C. Howell, Position 3: Darlene S. Hart,

Ronnie L. Hemphill, Danny B. Garcia and Dawna R. Reyes.

Ruidoso School election will be held at the Ruidoso Civic Events Center, 😘

Campos Bill Would

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\$500.000 for water storage line improvements and Capitan.

* A total of \$14.2 million worth of projects at Highlands University, including \$3.9 million to renovate the Douglas School, \$1.5 million to renovate and remodel the Shields Science Building and about \$2.3 million to bring various campus buildings, including the Sala de Madrid Student Center into compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

* About \$1.2 million to build a fine arts and technology center, upgrade the electrical system and renovate the running track at Santa Rosa High School.

* A \$500,000 appropriation to renovate several of the Fort Sumner Municipal Schools' buildings.

* An appropriation of more than \$600,000 to build a wetland wastewater treatment facility for Vaughn.

* Nearly \$8.2 million worth of projects at Luna Vocational-Technical Institute, including \$2 million to bring the campus buildings into compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

* More than \$4.6 million for improvements to the wastewater treatment plant in Las Vegas.

* A \$3 million appropriation to build a new high school in the West Las Vegas School district.

Campos said he will be forming a Senete District 8 consortium that brings community leaders together to identify and discuss area infrastructure needs and to progress with a vision for Senete District 8.

Editor's Note: The capital sutlay legislation, Senate Bill 8, should be on file at each with the governor Wednesday county clerk's office.



LINCOLN COUNTY TREASURER Joan Park (sitting) introduces her chief deputy treasurer Joyce M. Cox. Joyce has lived in Capitan for 22 years and previously worked at First National Bank in Ruidoso, and Camp Sierra Blanca in the accounting office as well as keeping books for her husband's business. Her husband Kenneth is a building contractor. They have four children; Kari Hess is married and lives in Albuquerque, Stacy Reynolds is married and lives in Ruldoso. Kelly is a sonpomore at NMSU, and Keith is a junior at Capitan High School. They also have one grand daughter. Joyce looks forward to her new position and hopes to serve the public well. In her spare time she likes to read and garden.

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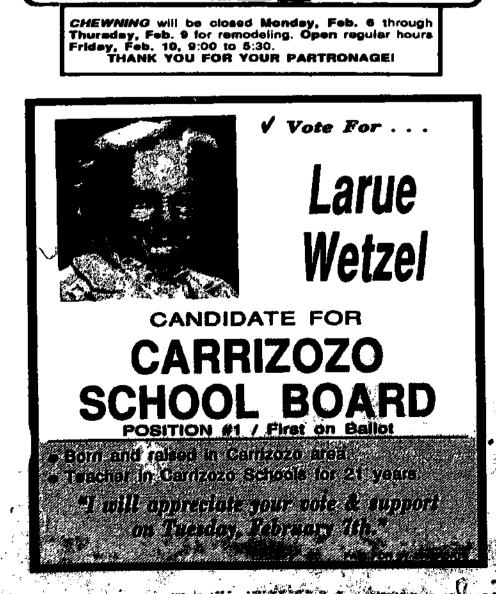
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TODAY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2 -Early voting for school board elections continues through Monday. Feb. 6.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2 -Free adult basic education classes 5 to 8 p.m. in Capitan

High School room 109.

The fifth meeting of the parenting seminar, Resolving Conflict With Teenagers and Pre-Teens will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. in room 113 at Capitan High School. The topic will be Communication That Really Works Everyone interested is welcome to attend.

-Meet the school board candidates at Carrizozo School board room at 6 p.m., sponsored by Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce. Public invited to attend.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8 ---Blood Drive at Lincoln County Medical Center 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in education annex west of hospital.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6 -Republican Party of Lincoln County First Monday meeting at 6 p.m. at Alto Lakes Golf & Country Club. Call Jinny Vigil at 653-4609 or Bev Nys at 258-4372 for reservations. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

—School Board elections held in all five school districts in Lincoln County. Polls open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m

-Lincoln County Commissioners meet at 9 a.m. at the Ruidoso Convention and Civic Events Center. Public hearings will be held for proposed amendments to the subdivision regulations, zoning ordinance, and assessments for road front footage.

—Free adult basic education classes 5 to 8 p.m. in Carrizozo High School room 6.

55 Alive-Mature Course Set

The 55 Alive/Mature Drivg course will be given in uidoso at the Gateway hurch of Christ Feb. 21 and 2 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. both days. The course is sponpred by the American Assocition of Retired Persons

The course fee is \$8.00 for

each participant. Registration. closes Friday, Feb. 17. Contact Wayne and Mollie Mason at Box 100, Capitan, NM 88316 or phone 505-354-2666 for more information.

Participants must attend " both days to be awarded a certificate of completion.

Blood Drive Will Be Held At LCMC Tomorrow, Feb. 3

United Blood Services of El Paso will conduct a blood gently needed due to a shortdtive at Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso tomorrow, Feb. 3 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the education annex west of the hospital.

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Ruidoso Little Theater Play To Begin 16th

Ruidoso Little Theater's contrary, clever and witty exfirst production of the '95 season, "Mary, Mary", is in rehearsal for the February 16 opening. Co-directors of the romantic comedy written by Jean Kerr, star of screen and stage, are Elizabeth Burgin and Ron Bergeron.

The cast includes Delen McLoren who plays Mary, the

wife of Bob, Steve Norbury. His tax attorney, Heather Davisson, has called Mary to help with his sticky tax returns. Stagger Lee Pittman, Bob's handsome film star friend who falls in love with Mary, and Shannon Gray, playing the rich, young health nut whom Bob is on the verge of marrying, finish out the

play's love triangle. The play will run for four consecutive weeks beginning on Thursday, Feb. 16 with the Altrusa benefit. Altrusa members will be selling tickets for the opening. Those tickets will only be good for that first

> Continuing performances will be Feb. 17 and 18 and

Thursday through Saturday, February 23, 24 and 25; March 2, 3, 4 and March 9, 10. and 11. Tickets are \$7 for adults and \$5 for seniors and students under 12.

Season tickets are also available. Reservations may be made by calling the Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce at 257-7395.

ENMR Membership Meeting Will Be Held In Ft. Sumner April 1

Ft. Sumner, New Mexico will be the site of the 1995 **ENMR Telephone Cooperative** Annual Membership Meeting. The meeting will begin on Saturday, April 1 with member registration at 9:00 A.M. The business part of the meeting starts at 10:00 A.M. sharp. All ENMR Telephone Cooperative members are invited and encouraged to attend. Members are those who receive telephone service from ENMR Telephone Cooperative.

Highlights of this year's meeting include reports from officers, directors, and committees; the election of four board of directors positions; and the introduction of the 1995 ENMR Education Foundation Scholarship winners. Also, all registered members in attendance will be eligible for doorprizes to be given away at the meeting's close. A catered lunch will be provided after the meeting.

Board of Directors positions up for election at the meeting are Position #8 - covering the Clayton, Nara Visa, and Roy exchanges, currently represented by Bill Freeman of Clayton, NM; Position #9 covering the Anton Chico. Conchas Dam, El Valle, Mosquero, Santa Rosa, and Trementina exchanges, currently represented by Gilbert Ortiz of Villanueva, NM; Position #10 - covering the Anton

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Justin Sisneros Wins Hondo Spelling Bee

Hondo Schools Spelling Bee was held on January 30, 1995 in the school library.

Spelling bee winner was Justin Sisneros. He is 13 years) oldbiard and tahbiasth grade. He is the son of Frank and Donna Sisneros. His hobbies are sports and building model airplanes. He would like to someday be a fighter

The first runner up was Malesa Munoz. She is 12 years old and in the 6th grade. She is the daughter of Armando Guillerimina Munoz.

The second runner up was A'Lysia Gauna. She is 10 years old and in the 4th grade. She is the daughter of Graciela Gauna.

Justin Sisneros will go on to compete at the El Paso Herald-Post Spelling Bee which is to be held on March 28-30.

BERNADETTE ZAMORA

Prayer vigil for Bernadette Zamora, 70, of Carrizozo was Jan. 27 at Santa Rita's Catholic Church in Carrizozo where the funeral mass was Jan. 28. Officiating was the Rev. Dave Bergs. Burial followed at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Cemetery in Carrizozo.

Mrs. Zamora died Jan. 23 at Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. She was born May 15, 1924 at Ancho and had lived in Carrizozo all her life. She was a member of Santa Rita's Catholic Church and was a homemaker.

She is survived by four sons daughters in law: Ted and Christine Zamora, Ruben and Carol Zamora, Nazario and Mary Lee Zamora and Lee Roy and Frances Zamora, all of Carrizozo; Three daugh-ters and sons in law: Juanita and Everisto Bace, and Sally and David Bace, both of Carrizoso, and Princilla and Ray Romo of Roswell; a broth-or and his wife Rito Zamora Sr. and Julia of Carrisozo; 28 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

Arrangements were under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel of Ruidoso.



From the Edition's Desk

Governor's Advisors?

By Ruth Hammond

Governor Gary Johnson may be trying to run the state of New Mexico the same way he ran his private company but there is one major difference. It is safe to assume that when he was running his successful private company he relied on people who were educated in his business to give him good advice. If he had accepted advice from the man off the street his business might have been less than successful, if not a failure.

The state of New Mexico should be allowed the same courtesy.

Gov. Johnson required in his business. Gov. Johnson should not only accept advice from experts in the field of the matter he is considering but Gov. Johnson should DEMAND expert advice.

The Fort Stanton situation is a prime example that Gov. Johnson is ignoring the experts and relying on the advice of a few people who don't know what they are talking about.

Gov. Johnson is apparently unaware that the state of New

Mexico paid big bucks to do a study to determine what the best use would be for Fort Stanton after the facility stopped being a hospital and training school for persons with developmental disabilites. Many man hours, and woman hours too for that matter, went into the study. It was only after long and careful deliberation that the team recommended the state use Fort Stanton as a facility for geriatric patients and people with brain damage. It was determined that Fort Stanton could provide long term care to a segment of the population that was not being served, and desperately need the service. The state agreed

Now Gov. Johnson has taken it on himself to loudly announce the state does not want to be in the long term care business. Did he make this decision after listening to his chosen few advisors who are unaware that the state did make the choice to be in the long term care business? Or did he decide that making money for the state is more important than human lives'

Gov. Johnson should never have need of a geriatric facility, not with the money he has made in private business, and not if he accepts only expert personal financial advice. But that doesn't mean that everyone in New Mexico has that much money at their disposal. That doesn't mean that everyone in New Mexico can afford private care for their loved ones. And that doesn't mean that Gov. Johnson should expect everyone in New Mexico to be as independently wealthy as he is.
It has been reported Gov. Johnson has selected a "few" people

as his advisors. It was not announced if any of these advisors have experience in government. It was not announced if any o these advisors are less than wealthy. It was not announced if any of these advisors GIVE A DAMN about the people.

Maybe Gov. Johnson does not have a family member who has Alzheimers, and maybe Gov. Johnson does not have a family member with developmental disabilites but that does not excuse him from the responsibility of making certain the state provides

the best care possible for these people.

When Hitler decided to eliminate the disabled, (they were called defectives at that time) and when Hitler decided to kill the Jews he did it with the explanation that the world would be a better place with only the superior race existing.

Now New Mexico has a governor and a select few advisors who may not be taking action as extreme as Hitler did but in the end, when the elderly and retarded have been excluded, just what difference will there be between the two doctrines?

Gov. Johnson should take a long look at himself and decide if he really wants to help the state and people of New Mexico or if he just wants to ignore the very people who elected him. Gov. Johnson should take a long look at himself and decide if the best way to help people is to eliminate them.



EDITOR-Good For You, Governor Johnson"

I'm so proud to know a Republican cares about our poor underprivileged criminals. At last, maybe they can have better living conditions. Lets drop their good time-better not give them incentive to leave early and who knows maybe it will even develop into grants for college educations, as well as permanent housing and care.

Cut off funding for these old people; you know, the ones that are unable to work any more. The ones that are sick, dying, alone, and unable to care for themselves. Next, you bet—cut off aid to the mentally ill, because it only stands to reason without help, they'll be able to kill a few people, (or themselves), and be cared for instead by your new prison program too. We don't have to worry about the Developmentally Disabled people—now having been mainstreamed, several of them (many more to come), are now enjoying the prison system. PRISONS ARE THE NEW WAY TO GO. WHO SAYS PRISONS DON'T WORK!!! YEA REPUBLICANS, OUR TAX DOLLARS ARE AT WORK!!! I LIKE SIMPLE SOLUTIONS!!!

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Thanks again Governor Johnson,

J. CANO. Capitan.

EDFTOR-The letter in your January 26, 1995 edition from Ursula Goss was very well stated. She shares my opinion, and has prompted my letter.

My husband, Bill, and I have had several years' experience in caring for the disabled in the People Care group homes in Roswell. We've worked as volunteers for five years trying to make our own contribution in a small way. We have learned a lot, particularly about politics in New Mexicol But we have also learned about the needs of many disabled poor people.

We used our own savings to buy the homes, remodeled them with an "Affordable Loan"—and have pleaded for help from the State Mental Health Division ever since. Other families and friends helped with loans, too, in order to meet all the State Licensing requirements, Federal ADA Laws, and

City safety and fire codes. We now answer to sleven different regulatory agencies, including the LR.S.!

We remain undaunted, continuing to struggle to provide decent, homelike, supervised homes for ten adults with mendecent, homenke, supervised homes for ten situits with men-tal illness. (Two are veterans.) At present, People Care is receiving \$1.85 per person, per day, from the Mental Health Division, with this meager amount to end on June 30. We are dependent on United Way of Chaves County, churches, car-ing individuals, and our own fundraising efforts. Roswell Ser-toms Club gave us \$6,000 for our large, beautiful kitchen in the Three Gables home at 800 N. Richardson, and have

THY OTHER ENDS ARE! INSESSION **GOV. JOHNSON EXPLAINING FORT** BARRU STANTON CLOSURE de The Capitol

IM GOIN' OUT T'FIND

A BUNCH OF HORSES I KNOW WHERE

TH'HEADS FROM

SANTA FE--Gov. Gary Johnson decided not to draw any battle lines around the Legislature's "feed bill."

Earlier in the day on which he signed the measure funding the Legislature's expenses for the coming year, Democrat leaders said they were hearing rumors that Johnson would use his line-item veto power to slash some of this session's proposed expendi-

But later in the day, Johnson signed House Bill 1 intact. some 18 hours before his three-day deadline. And thus the first major battle of the session was averted.

At about the same time as Democratic legislative leaders were claiming information about at least a partial veto of their bill, former Gov. Toney Anaya was being interviewed on a local radio station.

When asked for his advice to the governor, Anaya said Johnson should think carefully about whether this is a fight he wants to pick. During his term as governor, Anaya vetoed the legislative feed bill three times one session. His relations with the Republicancontrolled legislature never recovered.

Whether he listened to Anaya's counsel or that of his own advisors, Johnson was wise to avoid this battle. He could have claimed that the 18.8 percent increase over the last 60-day session two years ago was beyond the parameters he has set for executive agency increases.

But legislative leaders could have argued that total increases for all state government over the same two year period increased by more than 18.8 percent. In addition it's only an 11.3 percent increase over last year's 30-day session.

The main reason for Johnson to stay out of a battle over legislative expenditures, however, is that he can claim no expertise on the operation of a legislature. There's no sense slashing the budget of another branch of government unless he wants similar treatment for his own budget request.

A veto of the legislature's first bill passed would have signalled Johnson's intent to fight about everything and could have led to quick retallation against some of his nominees for cabinet posi-

In addition, the feed bill has lawmakers and all their staff on edge until it is passed and signed. Until that happens legislators don't get their first par diem allotments and staffers don't get their first pay-

Johnson will have plenty of other issues about which to be drawing lines in the sand. He has put his foot down firmly against any further funding for the New Mexico Hispanic Cultural Center, a project begun last year. And the taxcut issue is sure to draw a lot

by Jay Mille

In fact the governor may veto the second bill to be sent to him by the legislature. Senate Bill 1 appropriates \$7 million, to the Gadsden Public Schools, along the border south of Las Cruces.

Gadsden is faced with tremendous growth problems, coupled with a very low tax base. Constructing buildings to house all its students has been an increasing problem. Two years ago the legislature decided to address Gadsden's problem by appropriating money to the district outside the normal process of allocating a large pot of money to a council that divides it among the state's schools based on

the where greatest needs exist.

Then-Gov. Bruce King vetoed the appropriation because it circumvented the system. Last year, despite help from the Public School Critical Capital Outlay Council, the district's needs had grown to the point that few disagreed a special appropriation was needed. But a lastminute oversight left the appropriation out of the legislature's big pork barrel bill.

When the mistake was discovered within minutes of the '94 Legislature's adjournment, Senate leaders promised Gadsden's appropriation would be the first bill they introduced this year.

It was, but a new governor is taking the same position as former Gov. King. Johnson says he especially doesn't want to start going around established systems so early in the session.

The bill is on a fast track to the Governor's Office, so the stage is set.

Student Financial Aid Info Is Available February 13-17

The week of February 12-18 has been declared Financial : Awareness Week. In conjunction with this declaration, New Mexico Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators will sponsor a toll free hotline available to New Mexico residents. The line will be open from Monday, February 13 through Friday, February 17, 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. The toll free number is 1-800-890-3371.

We encourage any one who has questions, high school or college students, parents or

other interested individuals to call the toll free number. We can provide information on all types of aid (grants, work and loans), the filing process, deadlines and application procedures. Financial aid administrators from around the state will be answering the phone lines.



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Balancing Federal Budget Will Take 3 Work But Is Not **Impossible**

The new Republican con-161 gressional majority has set all difficult task for itself balanches ing the budget by the years 2002 without raising taxes of 3 reducing Social Security and national defense. Tob navsayers, it's an impossible goal. But on closer look, it may be do-able after all:

by PHILIP C. CLARKE

Critics have called the GOP plan to balance the budget fuzzy" or "hypocritical," one requiring "draconian" cuts in spending. Some have claimed a that balancing the budget? while cutting taxes and protecting social "entitlements". and defense would require spending cuts of at least 30% in the remaining government programs. Others have argued? that the planned cuts would total some \$1.2 trillion over the next seven years. Spend²¹ ing reductions of such magnitude may indeed seem incredit ! ble. But a recent report in Investor's Business Daily, puth" the numbers into context, showing that it's not so "im'?! possible" after all.

Using official budget data, the report shows that federal spending actually can continue to increase at an annuals rate of 3% over the next seven years and still produce a budget surplus by the year 2002;10 The reason is that the econd my continues to grow at an greater rate, producing ever larger tax revenues. So, to get a balanced budget, all law makers have to do is slow down the rate of growth in federal spending. Although Social Security, defense and interest on the debt - which can't be cut - account for half of total federal disbursements there's still plenty of spendings that can be cut. In fact, over the next seven years, Uncle Sam will shell out more than \$7 trillion for so-called discre tionary programs, if current trends continue.

According to the Congression nal Budget Office, balancing the budget gradually over the next seven years without raising taxes will require approximately \$1.2 trillion in spending cuts, or about 14% the current "discretionary". programs. Which, as the Investor's Business Daily reported says, is pretty much in line with what many large corpo rations have been doing to streamline their operations and make their businesses more competitive. In fact, says Christopher Gopal, a partner, at the consulting firm of Ernst and Young, "many of the larger companies have exceeded that level of cuts through combination of re-engineering and restructuring."

For corporations, this often, means , not only laying off. some workers, but also re thinking the entire business operation from the ground up. And this is just what reformminded Republicans have been promising for government operations, Ironically, in this respect, President Clinton now seems to be trying to outdo the GOP reformers. But most Republicans are looking for still bigger cutbacks House Majority Leader Dick Armey (R-TX) said recently that he has "a long list" of programs and agencies hed like to see eliminated.

There certainly is no short age of ideas. The Regitage Foundation, for example, has proposed cutting \$609 billion in federal spending over five years by among other things killing subsidies for Amtrald public television, arts an

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For the Love of Gregory

Editor's Note: This column relates a five-year-old's conversations with his grandmother.

You are What You Eat

I spent three weeks away for the Christmas holidays. When I came back home, I called Gregory and asked him to come over, because I had a gift for him.

When he walked in the door, he said, "I hope this present isn't snacks."

"Why not?" I asked astounded. "I thought you were the snack eating champion of this district."

"Oh brother, Queen Mother. Leave it to you to bring that barrassment up. I bet you toleberbody in town that I'm a little pig. Why don't you jut get me a trough. Then you can just slop it full a goodies eber day." He buried his head in his arms on the table. "I'm so shamed!"

"A little humility is good for yeu," I said. "But why don't you want any snacks?" Because I'm on a diet,

thats why!" "A diet? What on earth for," I asked.

You just habe to hear the whole orful truf, don't you, Queen Mother. You just can't let it rest, can you? You're just gonna go on an' on bout it 'til I spill my guts. Alright, I'll talk! I can't stan' any more a this torture! I'm on a diet 'cause I can't get a single pair a my bluejeans buttoned!

There now. It's out in the open. Now you know. Now the whole world will know. I'm fat! Are you happy now, Queen Mother? Oh woe is me." And he buried his head

again.
"I know this idea is probably way out of reason, but why don't you just buy bigger

bluejeans?"
"I 'spected that from you.
That's whut all fat people do. They just keep on buyin' bigger an' bigger clothes'til theres not any left. Then they are doomed to walk aroun' the streets wrapped up in a giant beach towel!"

"Well get a colorful one," I sáid. "Maybe with tropical birds all over it. Or flowers. Red ones. Flowers are always in style."

Can it, Queen Mother. An'

now that I think bout it, I bet you got a few beach towels in your closet!"

"Me? Nay, I say. I'm as skinny as a rail."

"Hmmp. If they used you on a track, the train would derail. An' after lookin' at eberbody in this fambly, I got more than a sneakin' 'spicion that fat is 'herited. Eberwhere' I look people got pounds

hangin' off all ober them. So I guess I'm just doomed." Well, break out the beach

towels!" I said. "Oh brother, I'll never hear the end a this.'

"On a more serious note, Gregory, you aren't fat. You are just a growing boy. But being fat doesn't make you or any one a bad person. No more so than having freckles, or wearing glasses, or being deaf, blind, or crippled. And there are a lot of people like that, too. Everyone in the world looks and acts different. And that's a good thing. It wouldn't be a very exciting world if everyone was exactly the same."

He sat with his chin propped in his hands, thinking. Then he said "I 'spose it would be pretty borin' alright. It would be kinda like eberbody habin' the same name, only worser. You would never be able to find your mom in the mall if you got lost, cause all the morns would look the same. An' your friends would look the same, so you wouldn't know who your best friend wuz. An' what if you didn't like one person? Well then really, you wouldn't like anybudy. 'Cause eberone would be the same. Boy, a kid like me could berry quickly get real confused. Sheesh. Queen Mother, it would be a disaster."

"Or worser!" I said.

"Well, I'm gonna start bein' nice to all the people, no matter what they look like. I'm just gonna be glad they look all different. But there is somethin' I'm confused 'bout. Animals look the same. I mean, if you've seen one monkey, you've seen 'em all. How do they tell who their moms an' friends are?"

"I was afraid you would ask that Gregory. How about if we save that for another day."

Balancing Federal

(Continued from Page 4)

entertainment, ending highway demonstration projects and killing community develoffment block grants. Other groups have created similar lists, including the Congressional Budget Office. Each year it produces a 300-plusplage volume of some 200

budget-cutting proposals. When it comes to tackling entitlement programs like Social Security and Medicare, however, the going gets tougher Last year, a bipartisan commission set up by Presi-

WE NEED MORE GOOD RANCHES TO SELL John J. Kirchhoff

dent Clinton to study this issue failed to agree on any entitlement cuts. Still, as the Investor's Business Daily notes, many entitlement programs have been greatly expanded in recent years. Cutting back on just these additions, it says, "would save substantial sums of money." Also, the "Earned Income Tax Credit" has seen its cost double since 1990 because of expanded benefits and eligibility enacted under President Bush and Clinton. Unless checked, these costs will double again in the next three

Clearly, if the federal budget is ever to be balanced, the time to start toward the goal

To all the wonderful people for all their concem, prayers, calls, visits, beautiful cards, and flowers while I was in the hospital. It really makes your day when you know that someone is thinking about you.

Thank Yea

I didn't send Holiday Greeting cards so I am taking this opportunity to wish you a "Very Hap-py and Prosperous 1995", I want you to know how much I miss you.

I love you all, Cecilia Ortiz

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Greetings from house by the side of the road to your house. 🤄

Happy birthday to you. Happy birthday to you. Happy birthday dear Dorothy, Happy birthdey to you. Happy birthday to you Dorothy Smith and we wish you many, many more of them. Capitan owes you a debt of gratitude for all the time and hours you spent doing things for us and trying to make Capitan a better place.

Some of the good things that have happened have been due to your diligence and endeavor, so the tip of our hats to you Dorothy and a lot of thank yous and may God bless you and keep you.

Please pardon me while I take a bit of time to boast about my lovely granddaughter. Katherine Maureen Anderson, better known as Katie Anderson, daughter of Dr. Patricia M. Sullivan and Jace Anderson of Omaha, Nebraska, won a Bronze Medal in the Skiing competition in Aspen, Colorado two weeks ago. She competed with young folks who were all older than she. The winner of the Gold Medal was a 12 year old boy from Argentina and the winner of the Silver Medal was a ten year old boy from Australia. And my Katie is just an eight year old girl from Omaha, Nebraska. Congratulations Katie. I cannot put into words how proud I am of you and your Uncle Tom is mighty proud of you also.

NOTICE! Feb. 8 is the monthly meeting of the Capitan Association for Fami ly and Community Education (Extension Club).

Place-Zia Senior Citizen Center, Capitan at 9:30 a.m. Program-Home Health

Presenter-Verna Adams of Home Health Care.

Hostesses-Lou Tivis and lith Malcolm. Crafts-Jo Blazer, decorative

towel and washcloth, if desired. If you wish to see these towels and list of supplies. come to the Zia Senior Citizen's Center. Capitan. The towels and lists are on the wall. But come before the meeting so that you will have the necessary supplies.

Congratulations to Stormy Trost on his promotion to Lance Corporal in the Marine Corps. My eldest son Terrence P. Sullivan also enlisted in the Marines when he was fresh out of high school and he also was a Lance Corporal before he left the service. Stormy is a very fine young man and has been one of my favorite folks since I moved to Capitan 13 years ago. Stormy is the son of Tom and Ruby Trost of Capitan and is now stationed in Camp Hansen in Okinawa, Japan. Stormy graduated from Capitan High School in 1992 and entered the Marines in 1993. Congratulations Stormy and the next time I see you, I will expect another hug.

Guy and Linda Payne of Portales were house guests of Beverly Payne over the weekend. Linda celebrated her birthday on Jan. 30. Congratulations Linda. January 30 is also a most memorable date for me also. I celebrated, or whatever you want to call it when you are all alone, the telephone doesn't ring and no one knocks on your door and it is your 57th wedding anni-

versary. It brought back a lot of memories and I had plenty of alone time to reminisce. Reminiscening took me back to the wedding itself, which was almost a disaster. Now in the rethinking and the relat-ing it is hilarious that at the time I couldn't believe all that was happening right up to the

my old time we said our I do's. Do you wanna hear this? Well, here goes.

I was a secretary to the Director of the State Income Division in the state of Iowa and my husband was a salesman for the Burroughs Adding Machine Company. He came into our office one day trying to sell new typewriters, the first electric typewriter on the market and was explaining all its wonders and my concentration was on him not on the machine. He was six feet tall, had dark brown hair and I know he was a wonderful dancer. I had viewed him dancing with another girl at one of the Capitolian parties at the Fort Des Moines Hotel, our monthly get together for all state employees. The first time I saw him was when he was talking to the receptionist in the State House, I was working up on the third floor of the State Capitol and when we took our breaks, we sometimes just walked out into the rotunda and peered down the two floors to the first floor. When I saw this Adonis I was impressed. So as soon as he left and I could make my getaway I dashed like a "hit and run driver" for the stairs and almost tripped going down them to ask the receptionist who the good looking guy was. "Why," she said, "That is Loretta Sullivan's younger brother from Ottumwa. Loretta Sullivan was the private secretary to the Superintendent of Banking and one of those exclusive secretaries that were in the inner circle right. The Governor. I then did to all calculating to see if I knew anyone that might just happen to know of someone that just might know Loretta Sullivan. Incidentally Loretta Sullivan was one of the most beautiful woman that I have ever met) beautiful to look at and certainly eautiful to know. Luck w with me on the following Sunday after church. As I was descending the steps of St. Augustine's church, Loretta Sullivan and her brother Paul were waiting. I started to walk on by, but Loretta called to me. It seemed that Paul had noticed me and had asked her to find out about me and so I could have saved myself a lot of "wear and tear" if I had iust been content to let nature take its course. But that was never one of my strong suits. letting nature take its course. I always had to give nature a boost. We dated, we danced, we fell in love and had set our wedding date for June. His boss had other plans. He was selected to go to Detroit, Michigan, for a six weeks training course in the full line of Burroughs Office Machines and to be given a territory when he returned. He said he

left. Well we set January 30th for the big day and we had to be married in Shenandoah, lows. There was only one Catholic Church in the county and it was in Shenandosh. My parents had taken positions at the State Hospital in Clarinds, Iows and that was 30 miles from Shenandosh. Naturally I wanted to be married where my folks could attend and give me away, so to speak. We had a couple of our friends, Cecella Hombostel and Ed Siebers that were to drive from Des

was not going off to Detroit

and leave me behind SINGLE.

He did not trust my not dat-

ing behind his back. (Later

when he would retell the

entire episode, he would re-

late that I would not let him

go to Detroit without being

married to him.) Whichever,

perhaps it was a bit of both of

us that wanted to get the

"hitching" behind us when he

Moines and stand up with us. My roommate at the time was the daughter of the Superintendent of the State Hospital and I went home with her on Friday evening, we drove down from Des Moines, and Paul was to drive over on Saturday afternoon with his parents and his sister Cecelia from Ottumwa. What is that old adage about the best laid plans, of mice and men? Well you ain't heard nuthin' yet, as the saying goes. Saturday, Jan. 29th southern Iowa had one of the worst snow storms in its history. Roads were closed, cars simply could not navigate and warnings were out not to try. Paul called me and said they had started out three times and could not get past a slight hill. Too slick. He had checked and the only transportation in the direction of south by southeast from Ottumwa, Iowa, was a freight train that arrived inn Villisca. Iowa at two o'clock on Sunday morning. (Our wedding was scheduled for 9 o'clock on Sunday morning in Shenandoah, Iowa, just the opposite direction from Villisca, Iowa. The only solution was for my friend Elsa and I to meet him in Villisca at 1:30 in the morning. We could make it. The roads weren't quite so bad down that far south or southeast, I should say. That did not give too much of a spread between getting the bridegroom, getting a few winks of sleep and getting to the church on time, 30 miles away, now did it?

Well another paragraph and time for you all to take a deep breath. I have only begun this saga. This was a wedding for the book.

Finally at 4:30 a.m. the freight came chugging in to the station. Paul stepped off the train from the caboose where he had a decent place to sit, with my flowers in one and and his suitcase in the other. He handed me my wedding bouquet with apology. "Honey I asked them to put the corsage where it would be cool and not wilt. They thought I meant real cool and they put it out on the back observation platform and they froze. "O.K." I returned, what was one more disappointment anyway? We

trekked back to Clarinda where we deposited Paul and his suitcase with a friend of Elsa's with the strong reminder that the wedding was at 9 and it was 30 miles away. "Don't worry" he countered, "I'll make it. I've made it this far." He had a point. He then added that we shouldn't expect Ed and Cecelia, my bridesmaid and his best man to make it. To myself I am a thinkin', don't know if I can either. I was so tired and looked anything but a lovely bride to be. The next morning, after about three hours sleep we arrived at the door where we had just deposited Paul three hours earlier. My father went to the door and there was no response to his knock? There was also no response to his pounding. We then dashed down to the oil company where Elsa's friend had his business and he gave us a key and when my father finally got inside the house, there was no sound except my intended bridegroom's snoring. 🔌

Well, we did make it to the

church, late of course, and we did have our attendants, believe it or not. Halfway through the service someone gave me a sharp poke in the back and it was the friends from Des Moines. They had put on chains and made it through. (I felt that I was about to be put in chains myself.) Well after a wedding breakfast served by Elsa's parents in their quarters back in Clarinda, saying our good? bye's to my parents, giving thanks to my host and hostess. Ed and Cecelia said they would take us as far as Centerville on their way back to Des Moines and we could catch the local train the next noon. Do any of you not know what a local is? It is one of those puddle jumpers that creeps along and stops at every cross roads between creeps. The train was packed and I do mean packed. We were not the only stranded folks out in the territory that were 'sans' automobiles. And of course, no one had a reservation. A reservation was unheard of and we just took our chances on getting a seat. And where do you think the bride and groom finally found

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recently provided our residents with a washer/dryer and stove unit for the "Carriage House." But for food and staffing, we are "on our own." Just a small subsidy from the State for each disabled person would make a big difference in the qual-

Ursula was right. Our veterans, our elderly, and our disabled deserve better care in New Mexico. Unless housing and care can be provided by the private sector (believe me, I know that this is impossible, since the income of the disabled is not sufficient to pay for the care they need!), the State must come forward with a viable alternative. Otherwise, these neglected people will end up on the streets, in jail, or in the State Mental Hospital—a much more costly alternative for the taxpayers of New Mexico. Many lack the family support that most of us

take for granted.

If anyone out there wishes to help with People Care, Inc. (a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization), you may contact us at home in Ruidoso, at (505) 257-7601, or you may stop by the homes where we often work, at 800 N. Richardson Ave., Roswell. Many caring people have made this project possible. You probably know that our residents were not eligible for Ft. Stanton placement, since they are classifed "mentally ill." In fact, since they didn't participate in the lawsuit against the State, they have been left with few alternatives. It looks as if the only way to receive help in New Mexico is by "court order." And this seems to override common sense solutions.

P.S. My phone is (505) 257-7601. I think you may know of our on-going efforts-You have helped in the past.

> FRANCES M. JONES. Ruidoso.

EDITOR-Your legislator needs to know that recycling is important to you. THE CONSUMER, and to New Mexico's I strongly encourage everyone who wants to promote

recycling, and solve our solid waste problems in New Mexico. to contact hers or his local legislator by calling the New Mexico State Capitol Building switchboard at (505) 986-4600, and asking for the legislator's office. Tell your legislator to support the Beverage Container Recycling Act.

The Beverage Container Recycling Act which I am introducing into the New Mexico House of Representatives will benefit taxpayers, and recycling programs throughout the state. By taking the beverage containers out of the waste stream, it reduces the enormous cost to dump solid waste at the landfill. Reducige the amount of solid waste also extends the life of landfills, which currently in New Mexico have less

than a 10-year life expectancy.

Under the Act, beverage producers will contribute 7 cents per container to a fund, from which customers will be redeemed at 5 cents a container with a qualifying recycler. Recyclers will receive the 7 cents per container, to cover the redemption and Agents for their handling. Grocery and liquor stores will not be required to handle the containers to be recycled. The containers will be redeemed at a certified recycling center to assure that the materials get back into the recycling loop.

The Act provides an exemption for beverage producers which use refillable and reusable containers.

Several organizations, including the League of Women

Voters, and 25 municipalities have endorsed the bill, and its concept.

The Beverage Container Recycling Act will put money back into the pockets of New Mexico consumers. I strongly urge you to call your legislator and express your support of the Beverage Container Recycling Act today.

> E. SHIRLEY BACA; D-Dona Ana-Dist. 35 State Capitol Building Santa Fe, N.M. 87503.

Carrizozo School News'

New Mexico High School the exam. competency exam for 10th graders will be held Feb. 6, 7 and 8. The exam will be given in a different two-hour block each day.

The purpose of the exam is to test the level of general knowledge and skills gained by students in their school career. The state has mandated that a student may not receive a high school diploma without passing all parts of

Sophomores are encouraged to be present and prepared with plenty of rest the night before each test block.

Blossom and Beau activities will be held next week, Feb. 6-9. A pep rally will be held Thursday, balloting for Blossom and Beau will be held during 7th hour, and there will be a Spirit Banner contest for the junior and senior high classes.

Thank You'l

For all the people who didn't receive our personal thanks, we would like to express our sincere gratitude for all the flowers, prayers, food, and donations, during our loss of our beloved mother. Thanks again to all.

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Newsstand and **Subscription Prices** Will Go Up February 9th

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THE NEWSSTAND

Sheriff's Report

The following information was taken from dispatch sheets in the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office in the courthouse in Carrizozo:

Jan. 24: NCIC entry was made.

9:00 a.m. an ambulance was equested in Capitan for an 86 year old female who fell and needs an ambulance who will accept her insurance. Fort Stanton ambulance transported the patient to the hospital in Roswell.

10:18 a.m. an officer requested in reference to shop lifting last date. A deputy responded.

6:57 p.m. Ruidoso Downs Police advised a liquid line was broken at Ikard-Newsom bulk plant on Highway 70 east of Ruidoso Downs. The district manager was on the scene and asked for a deputy at the gate of plant to prevent entry. No fire support was needed at that time. Sheriff's deputies and Glencoe Fire Department responded and other fired departments were on stand by.

6.53 p.m. State Police in Roswell advised a passing motorist called regarding a stalled vehicle on the roadway of Highway 70 at mile marker 303 1 2 without lights. A deputy responded, the vehicle had a flat tire, was off the roadway, all was 10-4.

Jan. 25: 4:40 p.m. a wall fire was reported in Carrizozo on 12th St. Carrizozo Fire Department responded.

7:56 p.m.two prisoners were in custody near Corona on arrest warrants.

Jan. 26: 12:01 a.m. three young boys. wearing grungy clothes and baseball caps knocked at a residence and wanted to use phone. Person who answered door would not let them in. They gave the man a number to call, it was a pizza place. A deputy and state police responded and searched for the juveniles.

9:48 a.m. an ambulance was requested in Nogal. Carrizozo Ambulance responded.

9:52 a.m. an ambulance was requested at Carrizozo Clinic to transport a patient to Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) in Ruidoso.

5:55 p.m. a rollover was reported east of Corona involving three juveniles. Subject (a) were transported to hospital in Roswell by ambulance.

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7:17 p.m. a vehicle rolled was requested at Ski Apache.

and hit a dumpster in Capitan. The vehicle was on fire and the driver was trapped inside. Capitan Fire Department personnel extricated the subject. Capitan Ambulance transported the patient to LCMC. Sheriff's deputies and Capitan Police responded.

7:50 p.m. an ambulance was requested in San Patricio for a 63 year old male diabetic. Hondo Ambulance transported the patient to LCMC and back to his residence.

Jan, 27: 8:09 a.m. someone stole the bell from the tower administration building at Fort Stanton and stole gas. The

matter was turned over to

State Police because it was on state property.

12:00 noon a gas skip was reported at Fina in Carrizozo. Deputy made contact with subject and had prisoner in

custody. 1:00 p.m. papers were served on a court order/child custody, exchange of custody.

7:06 p.m. a gas skip was reported at the Shell station in Capitan.

9:56 p.m. an accident with no injuries was reported, hit and run. Citation was issued by Capitan Police.

10:00 p.m. criminal damage was reported. Lead pellets were thrown through victims window. Deputy and Ruidoso Police responded.

Jan. 28: 12:56 a.m. calling party advised a 25 year old female had overdosed on 10-11 pills threefour minutes prior to call. Patient is conscious and breathing ok. Capitan police advised the subject was in an accident with no injuries earlier, will go to scene. At 1:09 Capitan police advised subject is coherent and conscious. At 1:15 a.m. Capitan police advised subject was becoming drowsy. Fort Stanton Ambulance transported patient to LCMC.

ed a two-car accident with injuries 15 to 20 miles north of Carrizozo on Highway 54. Deputy advised it was a convoy, only one car involved. Carrizozo ambulance, deputy, and state police responded. Patient refused medical treatment.

10:58 a.m. an ambulance was requested at Ski Apache. Med I transported patient to

12:05 p.m. an ambulance

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Med II transported patient to. LCMC.

2:34 p.m. a one-vehicle rollover was reported with no injuries. Deputies responded.

2:49 p.m. pit bulls that have. previously attacked livestock, owners notified to tie up dogs, dogs reported loose again, San Patricio area. Deputy assigned.

3:50 p.m. a three-wheel vehicle was reported stolen. Deputy responded.

4:08 p.m. prisoner was in custody on Highway 70, brought to sheriff's office.

5:18 p.m. warrant was being served in Ruidoso. 10:54 p.m. a fire in a yard on E Ave. in Carrizozo was

reported. Carrizozo Fire Department responded. Jan. 29:

12:05 a.m. disturbance was reported at Allsup's in Carrizozo. A subject appeared very drink, came in store and threw candy all over the store. Was driving a silver car, had a large dog. Deputy and Carrizozo Police responded, and were in pursuit of vehicle, headed back out of town. At :11 a.m. deputy reported they are off the road going towards a ranch, one subject ran off, in back yard of a house, now he's gone, may have crossed street. can't see him anymore. Two adults were arrested. A juve-

nile was taken into custody and transported to Otero County Jail.

10:22 .m. deputies asked to help subject recover personal property from residence in Alto area.

10:54 a.m. breaking and entering was reported in Alpine Village. Windows were broken and items were missing. Home Service Assoc. checked the residence and discovered the broken win-

12:48 p.m. a fire was reported at the north end of E St. and Drexel in Carrizozo. It was a trash fire at the location. Carrizozo Fire Department responded.

1:14 p.m. an ambulance was requested at Ski Apache for a 25 year old male with a concussion, breathing and conscious. Ambulance transported patient to LCMC.

2:37 p.m. dogs were reported loose in a campground. 5:52 p.m. stolen items were reported at Hale Lake area. Deputy took a report.

Jan. 30: 2:29 p.m. welfare check was made on person in Ruidoso area. Person was not located.

7:35 p.m. burglary was reported. Subject exited residence as person entered. Deputy responded, Ruidoso Downs police backed up.

Gincoln Count

The following people were booked into, or released from, the Lincoln County Detention Center in the courthouse in Carrizozo:

> RELEASED: Jan. 9:

John Christopher Archibeque, 31, released to

Jan. 11:

John J. Lopez, 33, Los Lunas: arrested Jan. 4 on DWI 4th, driving on revoked license: released on orders from Judge Dean.

Jan. 12: Charles D. Dixon Jr., 30, Ruidoso: arrested Nov. 24 for receiving stolen property and probation violation. Released on orders from Judge Dean.

Manuel Linares, 20, CSB, arrested Dec. 27, released to New Mexico Corrections.

Paul Anthony Torres, 29, Socorro, arrested Dec. 27; released to New Mexico Correc-

Jan. 13: Guearero Thomas Holguin Rey, 18, arrested Nov. 7 on aggravated assault 4th degree felony, negligent use of a deadly weapon, minor in possession; released to Border Patrol.

Jack W. Russell, 35, Angus, arrested Nov. 23 on assault, battery, domestic violence; committed to 360 days by Judge Butts, released to Las Cruces Treatment by Judge Dean.

Bobby J. Rainey, 48, Ruidoso, arrested Jan. 1 for probation violation; transported to New Mexico Corrections in Grants.

Jan. 16:

Don W. Walser, 29, Los Lunas: attempted larceny of a firearm; sentenced to 30 days by Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr.

Jan. 17: Todd Dentler, 24, Ruidoso: parole violation; No bond.

Jan. 20: Muricio Munoz, 25, Glenwood, CO: failure to appear; Judge Dean set bond at \$300. Posted bond Jan. 20 and released.

Jan. 21: Lawrence M. Warren, 25, Albuquerque; failure to appear; \$500 bond set by Judge

Jan. 23: Douglas Davis, 31,

Mescalero: DWI bedimming of lights, no insurance, possess sion of marijuana: sentenced to 72 hours by Ruidoso Municipal Judge Lines.

Michael Hansen, 25, Las Cruces: 3 counts distribution of marijuana, 2 counts conspiracy to distribute marijuana: arrested on warrant for Judge Dean, \$25,000 bond set no 10 percent.

David Lynn George, 36, Panama City, Florida; protective custody 12 hours; released Jan. 24

Jan. 25: Richard McGuire, 38, Santa Fe: hold for Santa Fe on warrant: released to Santa Fe Jan. 26.

Dale G. Halleen, 32, Los Lunas; parole violation; hold for Utah warrant.

Darrel Thomson, 38, Capitan; DWI 2nd, negligent use of a firearm, warrant out of Chavez County; \$1,000 bond. Released Jan. 26, posted cash bond.

Jan. 26: Gabriel Sanchez, 80,

Capitan; DWI, reckless driving, no seat belt; \$900 bond: released Jan. 27 on release order by Judge Dean. Jan. 27:

Luis Fernandez, 35, Capitan; two warrants out of Chavez County, hold for Roswell, open container, no driver's license, no insurance, theft under \$100. Benny McNutt, 43, Ruidoso;

probation violation; No bond. Jan. 28:

Louis A. Davila, 27 Ruidoso; DWI 1st: sentenced to 48 hours by Judge Dean: released Jan. 29, time served,

Wayne Rocky Brakebill, 33, Portales; Sierra County warrant; \$100 bond: released Jan. 28, posted bond.

Jack Kinglsey, 24, Ruidoso; Valencia County warrant; \$446 Bond: released Jan. 29, posted bond. Jan. 29;

David Brown, 23, Carlsbad; protective custody; No bond: held for 12 hours and re-Jan. 30:

Louis Rossire, 41, California: escapa from Camp Sierra Blanca; hold for court Freddie Paiz, 21, Ruidoso; probation violation: No bond:

aggravated battery. Nick Raymond Gonzales,

20, Ruidoso; probation violation, No bond; shooting from motor vehicle, aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, reckless driving, bond set at \$50,000, No ten percent.

Jan. 31: Robert Foyt, 55, Ruidoso; DWI 2nd; sentenced to 7 days by Judge Butts.

Kevin Jefferson, 25, Ruidoso Downs; probation violation. No bond.

Victor Baca Jr., 21, Ruidoso; shooting from a vehicle, aggravated assault, 3 counts, negligent use of a firearm.

Bond set at \$20,000 cash. - RELEASED:

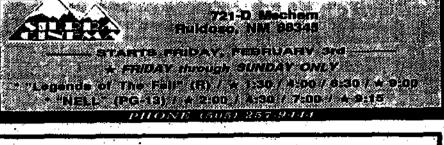
Jan. 17:

Adam Salcido, 29, Camp Sierra Blanca (CSB)/Roswell: arrested Jan. 15: released to CSB.

LeRoy Phillip Bryant, 34, CSB/Clovis: arrested Jan. 15; released to CSB.

Amy Everidge, 27, arrested Dec. 20; DWI 2nd, possession marijuana, careless driving, probation violation: sentenced to 30 days; released, time served.

Gary W. Lemmons, 41, Ruidoso; arrested Dec. 14; domestic violence and proba-(SEE PAGE 9)



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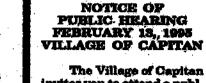
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two seats side by side? Right next to the men's restroom and I swear every male on that doggoned train had to empty his bladder every five minutes. And every doggoned male that came trit-trotting back to that blasted rest room gave me the once-over, naturally because that handsome hunk that I just linked up with for life was slouched down in his seat by the window, his collar loosened, his tie askew, and snoring and snorting like a steam engine. When I had poked him to shut him up, it was better to just let him alone than to witness his reaction to my poking. I sat and wondered, what could possibly be ahead with such a beginning? As I looked up sidewise at him, my husband,

that I usually thought of as a Greek God, suddenly looked just like a doggoned Greek! And now how did your wedding turn out? After talking to Darlene yesterday and Netta today, they have some stories that will top mine. Do not know if they will share them, though but how about it girls? We can all use a good laugh.

So yesterday between a few tears now and then, suddenly I would burst out laughing. Now it is hysterical. Then it was traumatic.

And if you have read this far, have a happy week and remember that sometimes yesterday's biggest problems can become today's biggest jokes. Adios and have a good



The Village of Capitan invites you to attend a public hearing on February 13, 1995 at 6:80 p.m. at the Village Hall Bldg., 114 Lincoln Ave., Capitan, New Mexico. The purpose of the public hearing will be to discuss program performance, past use of funds and make available to the public its community development and housing needs including the needs of low and moderate income families and the ectivities to be undertaken to meet such needs.

The Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program was established under Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, in order to assist communities in providing essential community facilities, providing decent housing for residents, promoting economic development and maintaining a suitable living environ-

ment. The State of New Mexico estimated the 1994 appropriation of 14,000,000 to be distributed statewide on a competitive basis.

State and national objectives of the CDBG Program require that assistance be made available for activities that address at least one of the following:

(1). An activity identifled as principally benefiting persons of low and moderate income:

(2). Aid in the prevention and elimination of slums and blight.

(3). Meet other community development needs of recent origin having a particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health and welfare of the community where other financial resources are not available to meet such needs. Applications are lim-

ited to a maximum of \$400,000, except for planning applications which have a limit of \$25,000.

Eligible activities and categories will be described.

All interested parties are invited to attend, to submit project ideas to provide supporting data and testimony and other pertinent information.

With sufficient notice, a translator will be provided for non-English speaking residents.

/w DEBORAH CUMMINS. Clerk-Treasurer, CMC, Village of Capitan.

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NOTICIA DE **JUNTA PUBLICA** FEBRERO 18, 1995 EN CAPITAN

La placita de Capitan los envita a atendes una junta publica en Febrero 13. 1995 a las 6:30 p.m. en el Village Hall, 114 Lincoln Ave., Capitan, New Mexico. Esta junta es para discutis el programa de performe, el uso de fondos en el pasado y eserio saber al publico de la nececidad de casas pura la gente de bajo y moderados salarios, yo lo que debemos hacer para ayudas a esta gente.

El Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) programa fue establesido sobre el Title 1 del Developmento acto de casas en la communidad para asistir a gente de la Comunidad Con las facicilidades necesarias para oltonor casas decentes para los residentes y para mantenor buen enviremento para su bien estas. El estado de Nuevo Mexico propuso en 1994 apropio \$14,000,000 para distribuir par todo el estado.

Los objectivos de programa CDBG regite que baiga asistencia de esto:

(1). Un actividad que identifique principalmente para beneficiar a personas de bajo y moderado dineros. (2). Ayuda para eliminer slums y blight.

(3). Ayudar con otros developmentas que sean necesarios para evitar serios y imediatos tretos pará su calud y bien estas un la

Les applicationes son limitados al maximo de \$400,000, homas las applicasiones del plaro tienen limite de \$25,000.

Todos los actividades y categorias seran explicadas en la junta. Todos los residentes interesados en este programa este envitados para atender esta junta, Necesitamos sus ideas y

supporte en este programa: Con suficiente noticia tendremos un interpete para la gente que no habla

/ DEBORAH CUMMINE. Clerk-Treasurer, CMC, Village of Capitan.

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KATIE ANDERSON

ENMR Membership Meeting

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Chico, Conchas Dam, El Valle, Mosquero, Santa Rosa, and Trementina exchanges, currently represented by Gilbert Gutierrez of Santa Rosa, NM; and Position #12 - covering the Corona, Bingham, and Vaughn exchanges, currently represented by Shafie Hindi of Duran, NM. ENMR Board of Director members are elected to three year terms and are nominated for election by a nominating committee made up of ENMR Cooperative members or by a petition from the members.

Over the past two years, the ENMR Education Foundation has awarded over \$14,000 in scholarship money to 26 students in the ENMR Service area. Scholarship money is derived from abandoned and donated Capital Credits from the members. Winners and applicants are in the immediate family of or are dependents of an ENMR Telephone Cooperative Member. Applications for the scholarships can be obtained from local High School Guidance Offices.

Further details on the Membership Meeting can be obtained by contacting ENMR Telephone Cooperative at P.O. Drawer 1947, Clovis, NM, 88102-1947 or by calling (505) 389-5100 or 1-800-432-2369 in New Mexico.

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Detention Center Report

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tion violation: release order by arrested Dec. 15: released to Magistrate Judge Bill Butts.

· Jan. 18:

Ricardo Arreola, 18, Ruidoso Downs; arrested Jan. 13: receiving stolen property: posted bond.

Gary Gowdy, 41, arrested Jan. 4; DWI, careless driving, suspended drivers license: release order by Judge Dean.

Jan. 20: Jerome A. Gonzales, 32.

CSB; arrested Jan. 6: released lo CSB. - 🦠 Orlando L. Gabaldon, 47, .. CSB: arrested Jan. 11: reeased to New Mexico Correc-

Mignel Estrads, 42, Ruidoso Downs; arrested Nov. 28, 1994; DWI, careless, speeding, possession drug paraphernalis, no insurance; release order Judge Butts Gregory Norville, 28, CBB;

Jan. 21: Shannon Yoder. 37. Ruidoso; arrested Jan. 15: DWI: released, time served.

Craig Sullivan, 32, arrested Jan. 15; driving suspended license, DWI 2nd aggravated: release order by Judge Dean.

Jan. 24: Jory A. Pereau, 37, Ruidoso; arrested Sept. 10, 1994; probation violation, felony DWI; \$20,000 bond; released order by Judge Persons..

Jan. 27: Michael Hansen, 25, Las Cruces; arrested Jan. 23; 3 counts distribution of marijusna, 2 counts conspiracy to distribute marijuana; release order by Judge Dean.

Don W. Walser, 29, Los Lunes, arrested Jan. 16, attempted larceny of a firearm; Felensed, time served,



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Live, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true. and correct to the best offmy (our knowledge and belief. SIGNATURE OF OFFICERIS) ANTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT AREA CODE/PHONE NO West 1 Progradent State Tocoby (/Pres & Cashier 505.257.4063)
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ELECTION PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Sections 1-22-1 through 1-22-19 N.M.S.A. 1978 may be cited as the "School Election Law".

AND WHEREAS, under and by virtue of Article 22, School Election Law, provision is made for the holding of School District Elections throughout the State of New Mexico and in each County and each School District

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby proclaimed and public notice given of a School District Election to be held in the Capitan School District #28, on Tuesday, February 7, 1995, between the hours of seven o'clock A.M. and seven o'clock P.M. on said day, in the manner provided by law for holding such election. This School District Election shall be held for the purpose whereby voters may vote upon the duly certified candidates to the positions bereinefter named.

SCHOOL BOARD POSITION Position No. 3

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Position No. 4 year term Position No. 5 4 year term

Thomas J. Sidwell John L. Fish Greg G. Holguin

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Judges of Election and the Clerks of Election have been appointed in said School District and public notice is hereby given of the place designated where the said election is to be held:

CAPITAN MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #28

CONSOLIDATED POLLING PLACE: LINCOLN COUNTY FAIR BUILDING

Presiding Judge: Bertle J. Beavers Election Judge: Mona Jean McEuen Election Judge: Tootle Fouratt Election Clerk: Sally Brown Election Clerk: Doris Pounds

Election Clerk: Vicke Autrey

CONSOLIDATED ABSENTER/EARLY VOTING PRECINCT: LINCOLN COUNTY COURTHOUSE

Presiding Judge: Edith Dobbins Election Judge: Yeabel Hernandez Election Judge: Anna Belle Burrow Election Clerk: Suzanne Saucedo Election Clerk: Carolene Emmons

MARTHA McKNIGHT PROCTOR LINCOLN COUNTY CLERK

DONE under my hand and seal this 23rd day of January, 1995.

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PROCLAMACION DE ELECCION

PORCUANTO, secciones 1-22-1 y 1-22-19 N.M.S.A. 1978 puede ser liamado "Ley de Eleccion de Escuela". Y POR, cuanto debajo y por vitud de atrículo 22, ley de eleccion de escuela provision esta hecho para detener Elecciones de distrito de escuela por todo del Estado de Nuevo Mexico, y en Cada Condado y en Cada Distrito de

AHORA POR ESTO, sera proclamado y por esta noticia publica dande de la eleccion de distrito de escuela que sera detenida en la Capitan School District #28, en distrito de escuela consolidado en martes, dia 7 de Febrero, 1995, entre medio de las horas de 7:00 A.M. y 7:00 P.M. de tal dia, en la manera provinido por ley para detener tal eleccion. Eleccion de distrito de escuela tiene que hacer detenido por proposito porlo cuel las votantes pueden votar sobre candidates certificado debidamente por las posiciones despues mentionado.

POSICION Posicion No. 3		TERMINO 4 anos	CANDIDATO LEGMUND A. Jones
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Posicion No. 4 Posicion No. 5		4 anos 4 anos	Beverly A. Payne James R. Hobbs
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CAPITAN MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #28

LUGAR DE VOTACION CONSOLIDADO: LINCOLN COUNTY FAIR BUILDING

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MARTHA McKNIGHT PROCTOR ESCRIBANA DE CONDADO LINCOLN

MI FIRMA Y el gran sello del Condado Lincoln, Nuevo Mexico.

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Sections 1-22-1 through 1-22-19 N.M.S.A. 1978 may be cited as the "School Election Law". AND WHEREAS, under and by virtue of Article 22, School Election Law, provision is made for the holding of School District Elections throughout the State of New Mexico and in each County and each School District

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby proclaimed and public notice given of a School District Election to be held in the Carrizozo School District #7, on Tuesday, February 7, 1995, between the hours of seven o'clock A.M. and seven o'clock P.M. on said day, in the manner provided by law for holding such election. This School District Election shall be held for the purpose whereby voters may vote upon the duly certified candidates to the positions hereinafter named.

CANDIDATES NAME SCHOOL BOARD POSITION term of office Position No. 1 LaRue L. Wetzel Joseph Ventura, Jr. Gary A. Hightower Position No. 2 4 year term Patricia L. Vega Position No. 5 Steve P. Harkey

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CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #7

CONSOLIDATED POLLING PLACE: CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS, OFFICE OF THE BUPERINTENDENT

Presiding Judge: Carol B. Wilson Election Judge: Zillah Ruth Watson Election Judge: Maxine Fay LaMay Election Clerk: Cheryl R. Smith Election Clerk: Juanita Vallejos

CONSOLIDATED ABSENTER/RARLY VOTING PRECINCY, LINCOLN COUNTY COURTHOUSE Prosiding Judge: Edith Dobbins

Election Judge: Ysabel Hernandes Election Judge: Anna Belle Burrow Election Clerk: Buzannes Saucedo Election Clerk: Carolane Emmons

MARTHA MAUNIGHT PROCTOR LINCOLN COUNTY CLERK

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LUGAR DE VOTACION CONSOLIDADO: CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS, OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

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INVITATION

TO BID The Analla Barragan Community Ditch and the Barragan West Ditch. requests sealed bids for work to be done to repair flood damage to the diversion structures. Specifications and information can be obtained from Kenneth Nosker, HC66 Box 32, San Patricio, N.M. 88348; Telephone Number 653-4557. Bids will be received at Nosker Packing Company, at Mile Marker 276.5 on or before 11:00 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 11, 1995. Analla Barra-

show me trip will be on Feb. 👚 8th at 11:00 a.m.

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MEETING NOTICE

The Lincoln Historic Preservation Board will hold a regularly scheduled Board meeting on Thursday, February 9, 1995, beginning at 7:00 P.M. The meeting is open to the public, and will be held at the Dr. Wood's Annex in Lincoln. Agenda is available 24 gan Ditch and Barragan hours prior to the meeting. West Ditch reserves the Auxiliary aides are availright to reject any or all able upon request; please bids. Area contractors will contact Martha Guevara at 648-2385 at least 48 hours be given preference. The

in advance of the meeting to make any necessary arrangements. CAROLIN A. COONEY,

Lincoln County Manager. Published in The Lin-

coln County News on February 2, 1988.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO NO. PB-85-02 IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF EDNA B. JOHNSON, Deceased. NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

The undersigned is Personal Representative of this estate and creditors of the estate must present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

> BOBBIE JETER. Box 2644 Ruidoso, N.M. 88345

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"Church Directory"

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First Baptist Church	
HAYDEN SMITH, pastor 314 10th Ave, 648-2968 (church) or 648-2107	
Sunday School	•
Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)	
JOHNIE L. JOHNSON, pastor Corner of C Ave. & Thirteenth, 648-2186 Sunday School	
Santa Rita Catholic Community	
FR. DAVE BERGS, pastor 213 Birch, 648-2853 SATURDAY:	
Capitan Sacred Heart	
Capitan Sacred Heart	
Church of Christ	•
PAUL WETZEL, minister Ave. C at 12th, 848-2996 Sunday School	
St. Matthias Episcopal Church	
REV. ROBERT BATTON Corner of E Ave. & Sixth, 1-258-4144 Holy Eucharist	
Spirit of Life Apostolic Pentecostal Tabernacle	:
ALLAN M. MILLER, pastor 209 Lincoln Ave, Capitan, NM 354-2025	
Tuesday Bible Study	
United Methodist Churches	
TOMMY JARED, pastor Trinity - Garrizozo	
Floy's Giff Gallery & Flowers	i de

1000 D. Ave., 648-2893/648-2846 Sunday School (All Ages) 10:00 am Worship Service..... 11:10 am Choir Practice (Wednesday)...... 6:30 pm United Methodist 2nd Sunday..... . 8:30 am United Methodist Women Every 3rd Wednesday..... Fellowship Dinner Last Sunday of Month 12:30 pm -CAPITAN-Adult Sunday School...... 8:30 am Worship Service......9:15 am Children's Sunday School...... 9:30 am Fellowship Time...... 10:15 am Adult Sunday School...... 11:00 am Choir Practice (Tuesday) 7:00 pm Fellowship Dinner Every Third Sunday Handmaidens (Ecumenical Women's Group) 1st and 3rd Tuesday 9:30 a.m. Evangelistic Assembly REV. DR. C.L. FULTON, Pastor REV. DR. WILLIE MAE FULTON, Missions Dir. **ELDER JIM MILLER** 711 E. Ave., 648-2339 Sunday 2:30 pm

Nogal Presbyterian Church DON & MARJORIE DANIELS, co-pastors **648-2650** Adult Sunday School...... 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship..... 11:00 am Community United Presbyterian

Church of Ancho DON & MARJORIE DANIELS, co-pastors

648-2650 Sunday Morning Worship...... 9:00 a.m. Sunday School... 10:00 am

Christ Community Fellowship ED VINSON, pastor 514 Smokey Bear Blvd./Capitan

Infer-denominational Sunday School Sunday Morning Worship......

Capitan Church of Christ LESLIE EARWOOD, minister 5th & Lincoln / 336-4627 Sunday Bible Study.......... Worship Service 11:00 am Evening Worship

10:30 am

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tfn/May 5

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2mths-Dec 1-Feb. I

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tfn-Jan. 5.

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4tp-Feb. 2, 9, 16 & 23.

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FIREWOOD FOR SALE: 404 4th St., Capitan, NM. Call Gloria or Jesse at 354-4271/Don at 354-3144. Pinon-Cedar-Juniper-. Delivery available upon request. Ruidoso delivery, \$120 cord (unstacked). .

MAID NEEDED at Smokey Bear Motel in Capitan, Call 354-2253 and ask for Betty. tfn-Aug. 11.

> THERESA'S **BEAUTY SALON**

(a full service salon) Senior Citizens Discounts on Wednesdays. 20% off on Perms-Tuesdays and Wednesdays only. Call 648-2414 for Appointment.

2tc/Jan. 26&Feb. 2 REPOSSESSED: Steel Build-

ings. Must sell 2 QUONSET hut half-round arch style steel buildings. Brand new, never erected. One is 35x40. Will sell for balance owed. 1-800-465-1544. Weekdays

2tp/Jan. 26&Feb. 2

10 ACRES LOMA GRANDE. water and gas available. horses allowed \$45,000. Call Barbara Willard, Sierra Blanca Realty, 257-2576. Stc-Feb. 2, 9 & 16.

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3-MO.-Dec.22 to Mar. 22.

1992 GMC 3500 Extra Cab Dually, 38K mi., SLE pkg. V8, Auto. Transmission, PS, PB, AC, PW/PL, AM/FM Cass., tinted glass, tilt, cruise. Only \$18,625 at POVERTY MOTORS INC., 438-3317, Alamogordo, NM.

1tc-Feb. 2.

APPROXIMATELY 2 acres plus 2 br., home in Thunderbird Hills. Horses allowed. \$62,000. Call Barbara Willard. Sierra Blanca Realty. 257-2576.

> 4tc-Jan. 26: Feb. 2, 9, & 16.

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PINEYWOOD ESTATES 1/2 acre, power, water. Terms. Partial trade 6k. \$6,000.~1-800-215-0388, ext. 1671. 4tp Jan. 19 & 26:

SIXTY POUNDS AND SHIP losing, I finally found something that works after 20 years of yo-yo diets and un-successful programs. No hunger pangs, great energy, completely natural, Call Edith at (505) 354-2757 or 1-800-315-980.

4to-Jan. 19 & 26; Feb. 3 & 10.

PAST CREDIT PROBLEMS?

Keeping you from financing a car? WE CAN HELP Call LYNCH

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WE BUY USED CARS and Trucks, WHITE SANDS MOTOR CO., 725 S. White Sands, Alamogordo, N.M. 487-5221.

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8tp-Jan. 19-Mar. 9.

1991 GMC 2500, 47K mi., V8, 4 spd., PS, PB, AC, AM/FM Cass.. sliding rear window, tinted glass, tilt, cruise, bed liner. SLX pkg. Only \$12,495 at POVERTY MOTORS INC., 437-3317, Alamogordo, NM. 1tc-Feb. 2.

EMPLOYMENT NOTICE: Lincoln County is now accepting applications for a parttime ACCOUNTING CLERK in the Finance Department, Lincoln County Manager's Office, Carrizozo, New Mexico. Obtain application and job description aton the Lincoln County Manager's Office or by calling (505) 648-2385. Deadline for receipt of application is 5:00 p.m. on February 16, 1995. Lincoln County, Equal Opportunity Employer and in Compliance with ADA, Title II-A.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY Start your own business for less than \$100.00. Work for major telephone co. recruiting sales representatives and signing up personal customers. Generous commission provided. Call Jerry Hardison. (505) 585-2215. Senior Marketing Representative.

2tp-Jan. 26; Feb. 2.

STEEL BUILDINGS! Any Size! Act now for Spring Delivery! Top Quality Fantastic Price! 1-800-761-6199. 4tp-Feb. 2, 9, 16 & 23.

PRIVATE COLLECTOR interested in purchasing old firearms and western leather goods and related articles in any condition and in any number. Call Dave at 336-4545 or 258-3888.

> 4tc-Jan. 12, 19, & 26; Feb. 2.



LEGALS

CALL FOR BIDS

Hondo Valley Public Schools is receiving bids to provide a Mexican dinner at the annual Hondo Flesta on May 12 and 13. The sealed bid must be received by 3:30 p.m. on February 13, 1995 to be opened at a regular Fiesta Committee meeting on February 14, 1995,

Specifications for the services are available by contacting, Guillermo Maidonado, Flesta Chairman. P.O. Box 55, Hondo, NM 88396 or telephone 653-4411. The committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted, waive minor technicalities.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 28, 1994, Ted C. and Peggi Anderson, Box 72, Lincoln, NM 88338, filed application No. 01916-A with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change point of diversion of 16.25 acre-feet per annum of surface waters of the Rio Bonito, by ceasing its present point of diversion located in the NE% SW% of Section 12, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., and commencing the use of a river pump located in the SE% NW% of Section 12, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., for the diversion of 16.25 acre-feet per annum of surface waters of the Ric Bonito, for the continued irrigation of 5.0 acres of land located in the NE% SW% of Section 12, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M.

This application is being filed to correct the location of the point of diversion to the location shown on the proof of completion of works on file with the State Engineer.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public celfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions

shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall he in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Ehuld Martinez, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201. within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

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> INVITATION FOR BIDS

Scaled bids will be received by the Lincoln County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, P.O. Box 711 (300 Central Avenue), Carrizozo, New Mexico 88801, until 3:00 P.M., Thursday, March 23, 1995, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. Any bids received after the above date and time will be retained unopened.

BID NO. 1994-18: LEASE PURCHASE OF ONE OR MORE NEW AND UNUSED DUMP TRUCKS BID NO. 1994-19: **PURCHASE OF ONE NEW** OR USED TRUCK

TRACTOR The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will review and make their final determination during their regular commission meeting scheduled for 9:00 A.M., Tuesday, April 4,

Invitation for Bids with Specifications are available at the Office of the County Manager, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, or by calling Martha Guevara at (505) 648-2385.

CAROLIN A. COONEY, Lincoln County Manager.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY NEW MEXICO PROBATE NO. PB-95-04 ESTATE OF JOY

ROBERT COATS, Deceased. CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal rep- in Book 113, at page 1039,

resentative at P.O. Box 1532, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345, or filed with the District Court of Lincoln County, Carrizozo, New Mexico 66301.

DATED January 24,

LEE COATS, Personal Representative P.O. Box 1532 Ruidoso, N.M. 88345

OWEN RUSSELL Attorney for Personal Representative P.O. Box 1899 Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 **605-257-6**133

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MEETING NOTICE

The Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee will hold a regularly scheduled Board meeting on Tuesday, February 14, 1995, beginning at 10:00 A.M. The meeting is open to the public, and will be held at the Swiss Chalet Inn. 1451 Mechem Drive, Ruidoso. Agenda is available 24 hours prior to the meeting. Auxiliary aides are available upon request; please contact Martha Guevara at 648-2385 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting to make any necessary (Court Scal) arrangements.

CAROLIN A. COONEY, Lincoln County Manager.

Published in The Lincoln County News on February 2, 1995.

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. CV-94-108

BERKELEY FEDERAL Bank & Trust, FSB, # k/a First Federal Savings Bank of Delaware, Plaintiff,

JIM B. DAVIS, KATHRYN SUR DAVIS. a/k/a Sue Davis, J.B. ROGERS, FIRST CITY NATIONAL BANK, BUIDOSO STATE BANK, and the FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE

Defendante

NOTICE OF SUIT

TO THE ABOVE-NAMED **DEFENDANTS:**

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff filed suit in the above-entitled Court and cause against you. The general object of the suit is to foreclose a Mortgage recorded on August 5, 1983,

records of the Lincoln County Clerk, New Mexico, given to secure payment on a Promissory Note. The Mortgage covers real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, described as: J.B. Reed Tract, being a part of S/2 SE/4 of Section 15, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, June 16, 1950, and further shown by the amended plat thereof filed in said office, September 15,

Unless you enter your appearance in this action and cause on or before February 24, 1995, Judgment may be rendered against you be default. Martin Meyers, Esq., of HINKLE, COX, EATON, COFFIELD & HENSLEY, 500 Marquette N.W., Suite 800, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102, (505) 768-1500, are attorneys for the Plaintiff.

WITNESS the Honorable Richard A. Parsons, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, this 5th day of January, 1995.

DISTRICT COURT CLERK. By: ELIZABETH LUERAS. Deputy.

Published in The Lincoln County News on January 12, 19, and 26; and February 2, 1995.

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF **NEW MEXICO**

NO. PB-95-05 IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROY W. HARMAN,

Decement NOTICE TO

CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative c/o Hinkle, Cox, Eaton, Coffield & Hensley, P.O. Box 10, Roswell, New Mexico 88202, or filed with the District Court of Lincoln County, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88801.

DATED: January 27,

WILLIAM R. HARMAN.

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Proper Clothing Care In Closet Is Important

By Betty McCreight Lincoln County Home Economist.

Whether it's the start of a new year, or a new season, it's a good time to check your closet for clutter.

Inside the closet, all clothes should have plenty of room to "breathe." Don't jam suits, dresses, skirts, pants and blouses into the closet or you may find unsightly wrinkles, tucks and other undesirable styling innovations.

Pants often suffer from being incorrectly hung. Puckers occur most often int he knee areas and are caused when pants are folded across the lower bar of wire hangers. to cure this problem, hang pants on special pants hangers that suspend them from the hom. In this way, gravity helps pull the creases straight and remove minor wilnkies.

If closet space is limited, blouses and shirts can be hung on vertical shirt trees. Button each shirt or blouse before hanging. Padded hang-ars are good choices. Phey cost extra but also help prevent creasing and stretching of the aboulder area. Some

men prefer to store their shirts in drawers instead of hanging them in the closet. This practice, too, will save closet space, but practice is needed to fold the shirts properly so they don't need timeconsuming touch-up pressing.

Suit jackets and sport coats should be bung on shaped wooden hangers to preserve their shoulder fit. Use a good stiff brush to remove dirt and lint from under suit lapels, the collar and cuffs so suits look fresh longer.

Ties can be kept crisp looking by hanging them (unknotted) on a tie rack, not leaving them loose in a draw-

To prevent knit sweaters from stretching out of shape. always keep them folded and sorted in a drawer or shelf. Shake sweaters after wearing to allow the yarns to return to to allow the yarns to return to their natural shape. Fold the sweater with the algeves fucked behind the body and the bottom under the top. This keeps them almost wrin-

You may need to raise or lower the rods in your closet, either to gain more storage

space or to make clothes easier to reach. If you lower the rods, you can often add one or more extra shelves above the rods for more storage space. Rods mounted 48 inches above the floor with three or four shelves above the rod provide good storage for boys' and men's clothes. Rods mounted 60 inches above the floor with two shelves above the rod will work satisfactorily for girls' and women's clothes. Young children will be able to reach their clothes if rods are only 36 inches above the floor.

Regardless of closet size. you can prolong the life of every garment in your wardrobe if you care for clothes properly. Never store soiled clothes in a closet because dirt weakens the fibers and makes them wear out sooner. Also, unpleasant odors can spread to other clothes.

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ito Feb. 2

goes on in the world around us by TONY GENNARO Professor of Biology at Eastern NM University and Director of the Natural History Museum

Medicinal Value Of Plants

The little pills we take for our health which come in all sizes and colors may not all be produced from synthetic materials in the laboratory. In fact, one forth of those pills contain at least one natural product isolated from a plant. And, it is likely that more plants would be used for medicinal purposes if we knew more about them. However, chances to obtain such knowledge is becoming less and less likely. The reason is that demands from an increasing global population of humans are initiating a gradual disappearance of tropical rain forests. These forests contain one half the number of species of plants on this earth.

As rain forests gradually dwindle in size, so do the numbers of primitive human cultures which inhabit them. This reduction of cultures is caused by the disappearance of primitive human habitat, as well as the spread of modern technology into those cultures. Various primitive people have exploited plants for medicinal purposes for centuries, but unfortunately, written records of their uses were not established. Such information was passed down verbally from one generation to the next. Therefore, it is virtually impossible for scientists to recapture most of the medicinal practices which were used. However, this does not mean that we throw in the towel.

Two primary modes of action will enable scientists to acquire knowledge about medicinal plants. One is to lobby for means which will decrease the rate of destruction of tropical rain forests. This decrease may enable workers time to examine plant species for their medicinal value. The other is to collect information about medicinal plants from the remaining elders of primitive cultures. Either action is a difficult and lengthy task, but the effort is enhanced by knowledge already known about some medicinal plants.

Here are some examples. Drugs extracted from the periwinkle of Madagascar are used to treat leukemia and Hodgkin's disease. Drugs obtained from the Pareia of South America are important muscle relaxants. Contraceptive pills and cortisone are produced from yams grown wild in Mexico. These are all important curing agents, but medicinal plants are not restricted to use by humans.

Wildlife also uses plants for medical purposes. Chimpanzees swallow certain leaves whole. These plants have oils that apparently kill disease-causing bacteria, fungi, and parasitic worms in the digestive tract. One researcher observed the diet of a pregnant wild elephant for a year. At the end of that year, the elephant took an usually long trip toward a river bank and consumed an entire tree. Four days later, she gave birth to a healthy baby elephant. That kind of tree was never a part of her diet. Interesting enough humans use the same remedy, in that pregnant women in Kenya commonly brew a tea from the bark and leaves of the same tree to induce birth of their children. Rhesus monkeys

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eat dirt in certain areas that they live because it contains a high concentration of the active ingredients in kaopectate. These ingredients are used to treat diarrhea.

These are just a few remedies witnessed among wildlife. One wonders if humans will ever discover the many other medicinal uses of plants used by wildlife worldwide, not just from forests, but from deserts and grasslands as well.

Construction People

welcomed the new airport manager as one who had previously worked at SBRA and had been a member of the community for a number of years, as highly qualified for the job.

Village manager Gary M. Jackson reported the Grindstone water treatment plant construction is on schedule as is the Highway 48 reconstruction project. The construction on Highway 48 should begin in the fall of 1995. State grant monies for parking signs in the downtown area of Ruidoso may provide up to \$2,500 in matching funds. The name of a local person was provided as a possible vendor of these signs.

Jackson did not have enough information on the Eastern New Mexico University and public library project to provide a report. He did mention that it looks like a joint powers agreement would be required.

Bids were rejected for work to be done on the library and the Senior Citizens building.

Street renumbering for more effective response to 911 emergency calls is going into it's final phase. One citizen, who cited previous experience as an emergency response vehicle operator, said that greater confusion would result. Based on input from municipal employees, the council decided that to attempt changes to renumbering for a single complaint would result in still more complaints. The council approved the final phase of renumber-

professionally prepared audiovisual presentation to explain the mid-year budget to the public and to the council was presented using color graphs and compared "Last Year At This Time" figures with current figures to provide a basis of comparison.

The council appointed Linda

Black and Scott Miller to fill two vacant positions on the Planning and Zoning Commission and C.K. Scribbling to the vacant position on the

Arts and Film board.

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Major Shaw said she would be going to Santa Fe on Wednesday, preparing to lobby the Legislature on issues near and dear to Ruidoso. There will be a reception at the El Dorado Hotel in Santa Fe on Thursday evening. Members of the council stressed to citizens in the audience the importance of letter writing and direct participation in the political process, if possible.

Some of the issues mentioned by council members and the village manager included gaming. Fort Stanton, and grant monies.

The council also approved Resolution 95-06, expressing the historical, economic and educational importance of the Fort Stanton site to people of

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providing trash liners with a slogan and perhaps contacting such organizations as "Keep New Mexico Beautiful" and "Keep America Beautiful",

The more routine items included approval of a change to purchasing policy to align it with the state's procurement policy, approval for Lewandowski to solicit propos-

als for LCSWA's insurance needs and approval of, the mid-year budget. The next meeting of the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority will be February 21.

(Continued from Page 1) the Village of Ruidoso and to Lincoln County. The resolution tion requests an ongoing dialogue with the Governor's

office in order to come to some

reasonable terms as to the

future of Fort Stanton. Carrizozo Women's Club Annual

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one of the Authority's priorities this new year."

Lewandowski provided feedback on meetings held in Carrizozo regarding Carrizozo's disposal needs. Carrizozo Trustees decided to advertise for contract proposals for it's disposal requirements.

LCSWA attorney J. Robert Beauvais sent a letter which sought to confirm "that the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority has elected to abandon its status as a non profit corporation."

Lewandowski responded in

a letter of January 23 stating "The Authority has never operated as a corporation, instead we have operated as a governmental entity through joint powers agreement." The Board concurred with Joe's response.

New business concluded the meeting with a discussion of an "adopt a street" type of program. Ideas presented included adopting a slogan, the possibility of individual municipalities providing a central warehouse for local people to borrow such things as yard tools, the possibility of

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