

STATE SECRETARY OF GENERAL SERVICES Steven Beffort (left) listens to State Secretary of Health Alex Valdez during a meeting at Fort Stanton Monday. Concerns were voiced about security at the Fort during the time it is vacant.

County And State To Decide Fort Future

by Doris Cherry

The State of New Mexico is willing to become partners with the County of Lincoln in developing a nationwide request for proposals (rfp) for the lease of Fort Stanton.

Representatives from the Lincoln County Commission will meet with the secretaries of Health and General Services in Santa Fe on April 12, to review and make comments on a draft rfp for the long term lease of the Fort Stanton facility, which will not be limited to health care entities. The Santa Fe meeting date

was set, and the decision for the county to cooperate with the state was made toward the end of a meeting held at Fort Stanton on Monday. New Mexico Department of Health Secretary Alex Valdez and General Services (state property division) Secretary Steve Beffort and their staff met with Lincoln County Commissioners, state representative Dub Williams, state senator Pete Campos, Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District director Tony Elias, former state rep John Underwood who lobbied for the county, Carrizozo and

Capitan mayors, members of the Lincoln Historical Society, some ex-Fort Stanton employees and some concerned residents in the frigid rec hall.

Also resulting from the meeting were assurances that the historic facility will be secured during its closure and the historical artifacts will be inventoried and stored in Lincoln County.

Assurances were also given that the state tried to find jobs for the former Fort Stanton employees who were

(SEE PAGE 2)

"The Newspaper For All Of Lincoln County"

LINCOLN

"Located In The County Seat"
County News

50¢

SINCE 1905

VOLUME #90, NUMBER 13

THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1995

CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO 88301

(505) 648-2333

Ruidoso Considers Stopping Water And Sewer Services Outside Village

by Doris Cherry

In the near future, properties which lie close to the village of Ruidoso may be unable to obtain village services.

Ruidoso Village Council during its meeting Tuesday voted to develop a proposed ordinance to change village regulations to not allow extension of water and sewer services to properties outside the village. Presently, village regulations allow extensions of water to properties outside the village limits, provided water users pay twice the established water rates. However, the village regulations do not have any clearly defined rates for sewer services to properties outside the municipality.

The village Annexation Ad Hoc Committee recommended that the village council develop a policy of not allowing extension of these services

outside the corporate limits.

In comparing the tax rate for properties within the village and those without, councilor Frank Potter said that a policy statement would not suffice. Instead he called for an amendment to the village regulations.

"There is absolutely nothing to gain in serving the properties outside the village limits," said councilor Frank Potter.

Many of the county properties close to the village limits are located in hard to service areas.

Once the proposed amendment ordinance is drafted, the village council will hold a public hearing to allow residents to comment.

Future street improvements in Ruidoso will be done on a priority basis. Councilors adopted a Roadway Improvement Priority Rating Policy developed by deputy village manager Alan Briley, and street department supervisor Charley Armstrong.

"It takes the politics out of street repair," Briley said. "A lot of things were done in the past for the ones who cried the loudest."

The policy is a quantitative approach to setting priorities for improving base course or gravel streets, and paved streets. In the village there are 31 miles of base or gravel streets which create the most complaints and to which most maintenance time goes.

Under the new policy, base course or gravel streets will be maintained once every three weeks on a rotating basis, Briley said.

The goals of the policy are to classify all existing streets,

(SEE PAGE 7)



LINCOLN COUNTY ASSESSOR PATSY SERNA (center) and chief appraiser Paul Baca (left) and field appraiser Walter Hill prepare the notices of valuation that will be mailed to property owners tomorrow.

Property Notices Will Be Mailed Tomorrow

On Friday, the Lincoln County Assessor's office will mail the 1995 Notices of Valuation for 26,133 parcels of property in the county. It took 17 hours to print the notices.

The notice forms will not be changed from ones used in previous years, but some of the valuations will have changed. The assessor's office is obligated by law to re-evaluate properties every two years to reflect any development, and/or changes in the current local property market. The last evaluation was done in 1992.

Valuation of properties in Capitan and Carrizozo areas have changed little in the years since the last evaluation, unless a new home or some other major development was finished by Jan. 1 of this year. However, valuations in the Ruidoso-Alto areas have increased. This is due to the more than 100 new homes which have been built, and an increase in the market value, said county assessor Patsy Serna.

The Notice of Valuation is not a property tax bill, and does not show actual rate of tax. The notice indicates the assessed value of the property

(SEE PAGE 6)

Carrizozo Approves Drag Race Contract

by Ruth Hammond

Drag races will become a reality in Carrizozo now that the contract between the town and The Drag Club in Alamogordo has been signed.

Final contractual negotiations were held during the town council meeting Tuesday. The signed contract will allow The Drag Club to hold drag races at the airport once a month. The first race is scheduled for Easter Sunday, April 16.

The Drag Club, represented by Gordon King, first asked the town for permission to use the airport during the Feb. 14 town council meeting. Numerous meetings have been held during the six weeks, and announcement that the contract had been signed was met with applause from the audience.

The Rec Center was also discussed during the meeting. Ann Burns asked if the Rec Center would be open for the end of league season potluck and awards presentation. She was told to let the town know the date.

In other business the town approved appointing Luane Vinson as chief of police.

--Dennis Engineering is to be the engineer for the next CDBG (Community Development Block Grant) project.

Dennis Engineering was the engineer for the last two street improvement projects for the town.

--A new section to the town ordinance limiting accrual of vacation time by town employees was approved. Employees may carry over from one year

to the next no more than 20 days or 120 hours. Trustee Harold Garcia cast a nay vote to the motion to accept. Trustees Ruth Armstrong, Eileen Lovelace and Willie Silva cast yeay votes.

--The board agreed to advertise to increase the fees for construction companies using town water from the present cost of \$5.50 per thousand gallons to \$7.50 per thousand. A public hearing must be held before the ordinance can be amended to reflect the new price.

--Three golf carts will be rented by the town at a cost of \$125 per month. The carts will be available for rent at the golf course. Fees were set at \$5.00 cart rental for nine holes with a \$3.00 charge for each additional nine holes.

There will be a \$3.00 trailing fee for those who own their own golf carts. Storage will be available at the golf course for \$30.00 per month.

Green fees will be \$5.00 for the first nine holes and \$3.00 for additional nine holes. Senior citizens discounts will be \$30.00 per month per person, non-transferable.

Town foreman Faustino Gallegos said last year the town crews concentrated on the greens at the golf course and will concentrate this year on the fairways.

--The board approved reimbursing former police chief Charlie White for per diem to attend the chiefs of police association meeting in Santa Fe in February.

--Land addition of property adjoining Fred Chavez Park may be completed by June 1. This will give the park more open space in the park.

Preschool Screening Clinics To Be Held In Local Schools

Region IX Education Cooperative and local school districts have scheduled this year's kindergarten registration and preschool screening clinics. This is a mandatory registration for kindergarten children who will be 5 years old by Sept. 1, 1995, and a free developmental screening for all children birth through five years.

All children will be screened in the areas of height and weight, vision, hearing, speech and language, motor develop-

ment and dental. Preschool services are available for children who demonstrate a need for early intervention services.

The public health nurse will be on site to give immunizations. Parents bring all the children you can round up and remember to bring their shot records if immunizations are to be updated. A birth certificate is required for children registering for kindergarten.

(SEE PAGE 2)

Health Offices Encourage Childhood Immunizations

The Lincoln County Health Offices in Ruidoso and Carrizozo are encouraging immunizations in an effort to include more children in the program. The week of April 2, is National Public Health Week and the staff of the Public Health Department of Lincoln County offer services at 104 Kansas City Road in Ruidoso and in the Courthouse Annex in Carrizozo.

Any child over two months of age can receive free immu-

nizations regardless of their families income level, provided they are accompanied by a parent or guardian and bring their shot record with them. On Mondays the Ruidoso clinic offers immunizations from 8:30 until 11 a.m. on a first come, first served basis and at other times during the week by appointment. The Carrizozo office offers immunizations on Tuesdays and Thursdays by appointment.

(SEE PAGE 3)

It's Daylight Savings Time

Daylight Savings Time Begins At 2 A.M. Sunday

Spring forward is the phrase to remember Sunday when changing clocks.

Daylight savings time officially begins at 2 a.m. Sunday. Most people will change their clocks before going to bed Saturday.

County And State To Decide . . . (Continued from Page 1)

laid off on March 24, and that any rfp developed will require local employment.

The meeting started with commissioners and secretaries admittedly adversarial. Commissioners refused to accept the late June or early July date for completion of the rfp, which Valdez first offered. Valdez and Beffort said the time was needed to develop an rfp that will encompass the special needs of the historical fort, and to attract an industry that will provide a lease of up to 25 years.

A county suggestion that Lincoln and 13 other southern counties cooperate to run a youth facility, was considered a possible conflict of interest if Lincoln County participates in development of the rfp.

Unlike previous reports from Valdez's office, the rfp

will not be limited to a health-related industry, mainly because by the time the rfp is complete and advertised on a national market, Fort Stanton will be in the hands of the state general services department. "If the Dept. of Health had its way, the rfp would be tailored for health care," Valdez said. "But it's not the Dept.'s, it's owned by the state and we have to look at the overall big picture."

Interest in the facility has been expressed by at least 13 entities. Those include Health Care America, Horizon Corporation, LTD Associates, Magnolia Health System, New Mexico Children Youth and Families, Presbyterian Health Services, New Mexico Film Commission, Rebound Oklahoma (juvenile justice), Val Moro residential treatment for youth, Youth Services International and others.

Interest has also been expressed by two movie companies, who responded to an ad placed by Stan Monks of the Ruidoso Art and Film Commission.

Monks was advised that the movie companies would have to respond to the rfp like any other entity, because the Fort is owned by the state, and is

subject to procurement regulations.

The adversarial impasse between the commissioners and the secretaries was broken when Underwood spoke of the many meetings held since the governor announced the closure of the facility in early January. Underwood said the secretaries were asked to come to the meeting at the Fort to consider a partnership with the county on the rfp.

Senator Campos said the situation has been "devastating for all of us." But he also saw it as an opportunity. "The county needs to be involved with the rfp, and the selection process," he added.

Beffort finally offered to have the rfp ready by May 1, and give at least 90-120 days response time, to allow a large entity time to visit the facility and consider its cost of operation. But 120 days was seen by commissioners as too long.

Ongoing expenses for the Fort are about \$700,000 a year just for basic utilities. There are 72 structures on 1300 acres, with its own landfill, fire department, sewer and antiquated boiler. The Dept. of Health has been distributing documents which show the layout, asbestos study and physical plant, which could be expanded to include information on utility costs and so on.

Lincoln County Commission chairman Monroy Montes said the county is looking for an entity to lease the Fort that will provide many local jobs with salaries comparable to those under the state operation.

Montes also expressed concern for the employees who lost jobs on March 24. Valdez distributed a lay-off and employment accountability report for the 203 former Fort Stanton employees. Of those 51 have transferred to other positions within the Depart-

ment of Health. Nine other employees were reportedly actively seeking state employment, 13 had accepted employment with other state agencies; 18 obtained other employment; eight filing for retirement; 40 not interested in applying for positions and 64 interested in local employment.

Valdez said as soon as he learned of Gov. Gary Johnson's decision not to budget Fort Stanton as a health facility, two weeks after his appointment as secretary, he directed his staff to immediately start looking for jobs with any other state entity. Former Fort administrator Ervin Aldaz supported Valdez.

Assurances were given to Lincoln County Historical Society members who were concerned that the historical facilities and artifacts would be vandalized, and/or stolen. Valdez said new secretary of Cultural Affairs Gary Morton requested the artifacts be inventoried, then moved to a location in Lincoln County, and managed by a group with experience in dealing with such items.

Requests were also made to improve the security of the facility while it is closed. Valdez said he would have staff look into vacancies in general services to allow more security staff at the facility. Also, signs will be posted at the entrance of the Fort to keep people from trespassing.

At the end of the meeting, Fort Stanton Post Master Betty Lou Joiner suggested the governor be invited to visit Fort Stanton during the May 27 memorial ceremony at the cemetery.

Rep. Williams said the governor is expected to visit Lincoln County the first weekend in May. "I'll invite him," Williams said.

Health Offices . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

Children need to receive immunizations against eight childhood diseases including diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, haemophilus influenza type b, measles, mumps, and rubella. The Hepatitis B vaccine is also being offered and recommended although it is not required.

According to information from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control, the national immunization level among young children is about 50 percent. In New Mexico, the rate is about 65 percent which is up 50 percent from last year. Lincoln County is at about 64 percent. The state goal for immunizations for young children for 1995 is 90 percent.

Although the vaccination rates are improving many parents fail to take advantage of the free vaccine and fail to immunize their children. Before the measles vaccine was approved in 1963 an average of over 500,000 cases were reported each year and more than 400 people died from the disease each year. Vaccines are considered medicines cheapest and most powerful protectors of lives but many parents continue to be complacent about having their children vaccinated. The recent outbreak of measles in New Mexico was due to unvaccinated children.

For more information or an appointment for immunizations or to inquire about other services offered by the Public Health Department contact the Public Health Department at 648-2412 in Carrizozo and 258-3252 in Ruidoso.

Theresa Luna, R.N., and Marjorie Fraire, R.N., Public Health Nurses for Lincoln County, Millie Smith, R.N., District Immunization Nurse and all the staff at the Public Health Department welcome the opportunity to assist parents in providing timely and vital immunizations for their children.

Hondo School Baseball Field Will Be Dedicated Saturday With 1st Game

The new baseball field at Hondo High School will be dedicated Sat., April 1 at 10:30 a.m.

The first game on the new field will be the Hondo Eagles vs the Artesia JV at 11 a.m.

A homerun derby will be held after the ball game for prizes. All comers welcome.

This is the first year Hondo will compete in district baseball competition. Teams in the district are Dexter, Jal, Eunice, Loving, and Lake Arthur.

OBITUARY

MATTHEW RAYMOND McCREIGHT

Memorial services for Matthew Raymond McCreight will be held Monday, April 3 at the Church of Christ in Gallup.

He was born Nov. 10, 1966 in Pueblo, CO. He died March 26 in Seattle, WA.

He is survived by his son Matthew Edward McCreight; his son's mother Dianne Anderson-McCreight; parents Raymond and Betty McCreight of Carrizozo; two sisters, Patricia Bateman and Ruth Ann Silversteg; paternal grandfather R.C. McCreight; and maternal grandmother Loryne King.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to a memorial trust fund for his son Matthew Edward c/o Robert Rosbrough, atty., P.O. Box 1744, Gallup, NM 87305.

Preschool Screening . . .

(Con't. from P. 1)

Kindergarten registration and screening dates:

Hondo Elementary School, Friday, April 7, 9:00-12:00.

Carrizozo Elementary School, Tuesday, April 18, 9:00-12:00.

Corona Elementary School, Thursday, April 20, 10:00-12:00.

Capitan Elementary School, Friday, April 21, 9:00-12:00.

Ruidoso Nob Hill, Friday, April 28, 8:30-2:00.

If any additional information is required, please call Region IX at 257-2368, or your local school district.

IN THE SERVICE

Navy Lt. Cmdr. David L. Agold, son of Ned G. and Doris A. Agold of Ruidoso, recently participated in Operation Uphold Democracy in Haiti.

Agold, currently serving as a plans officer with Commander, U.S. Maritime Defense Zone, Atlantic, Governors Island, N.Y., participated in a successful multinational operation to enforce U.N. Security Council Resolutions which demonstrated the ability of the U.S. naval forces to serve as the cornerstone of international coalitions, while projecting a positive American image and enhancing diplomatic contacts.

Navy Fireman Apprentice Saul H. Mendez, son of Jose L. and Maria D. Mendez of Ruidoso, is more than halfway through a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific Ocean and Persian Gulf aboard the destroyer tender USS Cape Cod.

Mendez is one of more than 1,800 Sailors aboard the 645-foot-long repair ship, which departed San Diego in October. Mendez's ship can perform a wide-range of ship-board maintenance and also provide logistics support to Navy units in remote areas. Equipped with high-tech electronics repair equipment, sophisticated machine shops, and divers with underwater welding equipment, USS Cape Cod is a floating repair center. Mendez and his fellow crew members spent a month in Yokosuka, Japan, where they completed more than 2,000 repair jobs in support of Navy ships deployed to the Western Pacific Ocean.

The 1993 graduate of Ruidoso High School joined the Navy in September 1993.

My Girl Clothing
For Catalog Call
1-800-498-9411
Bus. Hrs. 8:00 to 4:00
Paula Vanover: 347-5219
Lola Harshay: 624-3294
Sunbelt Clothing You Can Afford!!!
ROSWELL, NM 88201

NEW MEXICO FINANCIAL INVESTMENT SERVICES
Wm. Ray Parrish, CFP
Judy K. Parrish, CFP, CFS
SAVING FOR RETIREMENT YOU REALLY CAN'T AFFORD TO WAIT!
Social Security and your company retirement plan will probably provide only about half the income you will need during retirement. The rest must come from personal savings. We can show you a variety of investment strategies that will help make your retirement dreams a reality. If you can't wait to retire, don't wait to start saving. Call or stop by today.
NEW MEXICO FINANCIAL INVESTMENT SERVICES
P.O. Box 2764 • 2825 Sudduth, Ruidoso, NM 86305
Credited Fund Specialist • Independent Investment Broker/Declarant
High Quality Investments
Ray and Judy Parrish, registered representatives
1-800-258-2840 / Office 257-9256 / Res. 336-9630

NAPA FARM SALE DAYS

<p>NAPA Lawn & Garden Tractor Batteries 165 CCA's Sale Price w/EXCH \$19.99 Less Mail-in Rebate - 2.00 Final Cost After Rebate \$17.99 w/EXCH. PREMIUM 735 CCA's #8273 #8224 \$24.99 w/EXCH.</p>	<p>NAPA Premium Universal Tractor Hydraulic Fluid (5 gal.) #85-405 \$19.99</p>
<p>NAPA Farm Batteries 700 CCA's 1670 1151 #7228 (Group 11A) #7238 \$59.99 w/EXCH. 18 FREE MONTHS WARRANTY</p>	<p>NAPA Waterless Hand Cleaner Easily removes oil, grease, tar and grime. (4.5 lb.) #5106 \$4.99 w/PUMICE \$5.99</p>
<p>Chain & Cable Lubricating Spray Penetrates into the core of wire or link cables to preserve flexibility and reduce wear. (16 oz.) #785 1370 \$2.99</p>	<p>WD-40 Stops squeaks, loosens rusted parts and protects metal. (1 gal.) #42004 \$9.99</p>
<p>NAPA BELDEN 208-Pc. Home/Shop Wiring Kit Contains 8 electrical tools and 200 assorted electrical parts. #770663 \$19.95</p>	<p>NAPA EVERCRAFT™ 3/4" Socket Sets 14-Pc. Set Includes 10 sockets (7/8" to 2"), ratchet, extension and metal storage box. #810-5530 \$99.99 21-Pc. Set #810-5531 \$129.99</p>

NAPA HAS AVAILABILITY ON OVER 150,000 AUTO, TRUCK AND TRACTOR PARTS AND ACCESSORIES.

Offers good for two weeks or while supplies last at this participating NAPA AUTO PARTS store.

SHIVERS SUPPLY
500 S. Central 648-2301 Carrizozo

On The Way To . . . Chewing
AND, THEY STILL KEEP COMING AFTER MORE THAN '45 Years' AND WE APPRECIATE IT!
301 W. McGaffey ROSWELL, NM
MON-SAT / 9:00-5:30
Phone: 823-5121

OPEN: 9:30 to 5:30
Robert's Apparel
900 New York / Downtown Alamogordo
New Spring Fashions Arriving Daily
For Your Easter Outfit, What Fits Your Mood — Casual or Dressy!
WE HAVE COORDINATES, DRESSES, SHORT SETS, SPRING BLOUSES and DENIMS. Bright Spring Colors / Sizes 4 - 20
SELECTED GROUPS 50% off
LAYAWAY / SR. CITIZENS DISCOUNT
837-7076

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY, APRIL 3

—Capitan Chamber of Commerce meets at 12:30 p.m. in the chamber building on 2nd St. Applications are being accepted for the annual scholarship.
 —Republican Party of Lincoln County "First Monday" dinner meeting at 6 p.m. at Cree Meadows.

TUESDAY, APRIL 4

—Lincoln County Commission meets at 9 a.m. in regular session in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7

—Preschool screening clinic at Hondo School 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

LCFCE Art Show Winners Named

Lincoln County Family and Community Education (LCFCE) Cultural Arts show was held March 18 at the Capitan Senior Citizens Center. The theme was *A Touch of Ireland*.

County council chair Helen Lock welcomed those attending the program. Presenters were Louise Babers, Irish trip; Maureen Sullivan, Irish stories; Nancy Shaver and dancers; and Helen Lock, Betty McCreight, Eva Zumwalt, and Phyllis Schlegel sang Irish songs.

Winners in the cultural arts show:

Fine Arts: Lenore Welch, Best of Lot, oil painting; Rosalie Dunlap, 1st, photo (B&W); Phyllis Schlegel, 1st, greeting cards.

Crochet: Opal Armstrong, 1st, baby blanket.

Plastic Canvas: Alice Phelps, 1st, paper towel holder; Nina Ross, 1st, picture frame.

Counted Cross Stitch: Shir-

ley Crews, Best of Lot, family tree framed.

Other Needle Work: Helen Lock, Best of Show, embroidered denim coat.

Rugs: June Hobbs, Best of Lot, latch hook.

Weaving: Bessie Jones, 2nd, table runner & place mats; Bessie Jones, 2nd, small afghan or shawl; Bessie Jones, Best of Lot, vest.

Dolls, crocheted: Lou Tivis, 1st, Indian doll; Juanita Magnone, Best of Lot, blue & white lady.

Quilting: Nina Ross, 1st, miniature wall hanging; Lucia Vega, 1st, navy pillow; Ammel Bevell, 1st, pink pillow; Ammel Bevell, 1st, hand pieced quilt; Nina Ross, 1st, hand pieced quilt; Nina Ross, 1st, tied quilt; Julia Hollis, 1st, baby elephant quilt.

Miscellaneous: Lou Tivis, Best of Lot, coiled basket; Inez Marrs, 2nd, floral wreath; Lou Tivis, 1st, towel holder; Vernabelle Pease, 2nd, kitchen towel; Vernabelle Pease, 2nd, kitchen towel clock; Bea Payton, 2nd, padded album; Alice Phelps, 1st, quillow (coverlet); Vernabelle Pease, 1st, barrette; Julia Hollis, 1st, doll pin cushion; Nina Ross, 2nd, basket (woven w/cloth); Jo Blazer, 2nd, craft carryall.

Holiday: Jo Blazer, 1st, lace angel; Jo Blazer, 2nd, Christmas stocking; Julia Hollis,

1st, snowman; Jo Blazer, 2nd, Christmas stocking; Nina Ross, 1st, wall hanging; Alice Phelps, 1st, Christmas hanging light; Jo Blazer, 1st, reindeer towel; Helen Lock, Best of Lot, shamrock sweatshirt; Jo Blazer, 1st, decorated broom.

Wearable Art: Helen Lock, 1st, applique denim coat; Jo Blazer, 2nd, applique denim jacket; Helen Lock, 1st, fused & decorated shirt; Jo Blazer, 1st, fused & decorated shirt; Alice Phelps, 1st, fused & decorated shirt; LaRue Wetzel, 1st, beaded sweatshirt; Jo Blazer, 2nd, painted cowboy shirt; Alice Phelps, 1st, painted stained glass shirt; Helen Lock, 1st, sweatshirt; Amanda

Torrez, 2nd, yo-yo necklace; Helen Lock, 1st, painted purse; Vernabelle Pease, 1st, yo-yo necklace.

Clothing (Const.): Edith Malcolm, Best of Lot, ultra suede jacket; Shirley Crews, 1st, child's dress; Edith Malcolm, 1st, dress; Nina Ross, 1st, eggshell skirt & top; Edith Malcolm, 1st, linen like skirt/jacket; Edith Malcolm, 1st, ultra suede purse; Nina Ross, 1st, jogging suit; Edith Malcolm, 1st, skirt; Edith Malcolm, 1st, yellow blouse; Nina Ross, 1st, long coat; Helen Lock, 1st, tapestry vest; Edith Malcolm, 1st, men's plaid shirt; Shirley Crews, 1st, velvet patch vest; Julia Hollis, 1st, pieced Seminole vest.

Lincoln County DETENTION CENTER REPORT

The following were booked into or released from the Lincoln County Detention Center (county jail) in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

March 20:
 John Seal, 42, Mescalero: failure to pay fines; \$547 bond set by Magistrate Judge William Butts; arrested by Ruidoso police.

Sabrina D. Wilson, 24, Rio Rancho: attempted murder; no bond set by District Judge Frank Wilson.

March 22:
 Daniel T. Hicks, 36, Carrizozo: resisting arrest, DWI 2nd: \$1,500 bond set by Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr.; arrested by Carrizozo police.

Billy Martin, 45, Ruidoso: probation violation; no bond.

Mary Moore, 39, Socorro: four counts of issuance of worthless checks, failure to appear; \$16,500 bond set by judges Butts and Dean; arrested by Lincoln County Sheriff's Office.

March 23:
 Samuel L. Zamora, 22, Carrizozo: DWI aggravated; sentenced to 72 hours by Carrizozo Municipal Judge William Meeks; released March 25 time served; arrested by Carrizozo Police.

Ruben Zamora Jr., 26, Carrizozo: breaking and entering, criminal damage to prop-

erty, domestic violence; no bond set by Judge Meeks; released March 25, time served.

March 24:
 George F. Heileman, 34, Ruidoso: contempt of court, driving with revoked license; sentenced to seven days by Butts; released March 27, time served.

Steve A. Anderson, 38, Ruidoso: DWI 2nd; sentenced to 72 hours by District Judge Richard Parsons; released March 24, time served.

William Sanchez, 44, Las Cruces: held for Camp Sierra Blanca minimum security prison; no bond.

Alan Ray (Sonny) Young, 40, Ruidoso: no bond set by Judge Wilson.

March 25:
 Hawley LaRue, 43, Capitan: DWI 1st; sentenced to 48 hours by Judge Prelo; released March 26, time served.

Kenneth Kitchens, 32, Alamogordo: held for Otero County for 30 days.

March 26:
 Peter A. Morales: driving on revoked license; \$500 bond set by Dean; released same day on orders from Dean.

March 27:
 Martin Amaya, 29, Ruidoso: driving on revoked license; sentenced to seven days by Butts.

Sharon Kitching, 41, Alamogordo: returned from New Mexico Corrections for diagnostic; no bond set by Judge Parsons.

OBITUARY

JAMES DONALD JENKINS

James Donald Jenkins, 76, long time resident of New Mexico, died March 24. He was born in Tucumcari and retired in Capitan.

He is survived by his wife Marcella Maye; three sons, Jim Jenkins and wife Paula of Deming, Joe Jenkins and wife Marla of Capitan, and Ted Jenkins of Portland, OR; sister Norma Griffin of La Jara, CO; 11 grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Mr. Jenkins was reared in California and New Mexico. He spent six years in the Navy in World War II and worked in road construction in many states in the southwest. He was a member of the SDA church in Ruidoso Downs.

A memorial service will be held in the Ruidoso Downs Church and interment will be in Capitan.

In memory of Mr. Jenkins donations may be made to the Hospice Care Unit of Lovelace Hospital in Albuquerque.

PROFESSIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

J.E. HALL, M.D.

announces the opening of his Family Practice office

Temporarily located at

125 EL PASO ROAD
 RUIDOSO, NM 88345
 (505) 257-2151

AFARI TRAVEL CENTRE

617 SUDDERTH, SUITE L RUIDOSO, NM 88345
 (505) 257-9026 1-800-658-6282

"The Oldest and Largest Travel Agency in Lincoln County!"

HOME OWNED

AIR-RAIL-TOUR
 CRUISES-CARS-HOTELS

All Services FREE To Our Customers

Springtime Savings



EFFECTIVE MARCH 26-APRIL 1, 1995
 Carrizozo & 4 Ruidoso Stores

GROCERY SPECIALS

SHURFINE FLOUR	5 LB.	89¢
ASSORTED PRINGLES		\$1.59
CHIPS	EACH	\$1.00
REG. 69¢ GRAB BAG CHEETOS OR DORITOS	2 FOR	\$1.00
ALLSUP'S SAE 30 WT. MOTOR OIL	EA.	89¢
CANADIAN BACON & EGG BISCUIT	EACH	99¢
BEEF, CHEESE & GREEN CHILI ALLSUP'S CHIMICHANGA	EACH	99¢

WILSON'S COOKED HAM OR TURKEY BREAST
 10 OZ. PKG./4X6

\$1.99

SAVE ON COCA-COLA
 12-OZ. CANS
 6-PACK

\$1.99

2 FOR \$1

m&m's

M&M ASSORTED CANDY
 REG. 58¢

2 FOR 89¢

SAVE ON ALLSUP'S MONEY ORDERS UP TO \$299.00 FOR ONLY 29¢

SHURFINE / 8-OZ. CAN TOMATO SAUCE	4/1	
SHURFINE / 16-OZ. CAN GREEN BEANS	EA.	39¢
SHURFINE / 17-OZ. CAN SWEET PEAS	EA.	39¢
SHURFINE / 32-OZ. BOTTLE TOMATO KETCHUP		99¢
DECKER / 10-OZ. PKG. FRANKS	EA.	69¢
WILSON / 12-OZ. PKG. BOLOGNA	EA.	79¢
DECKER / 12-OZ. PKG. BACON		\$1.33
PHILADELPHIA BRAND / 8-OZ. CREAM CHEESE		\$1.59

THOUGHTS

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Freeze Fouled Fort

By Ruth Hammond

Many people do not understand why the money situation at Fort Stanton looked as bad as it did. Gov. Gary Johnson saw the statistics of 26 clients being served by 202 employees with a payroll of \$200,000 every two weeks. He is a businessman and it was only natural for him to object to the costs involved.

What Gov. Johnson did NOT do was ask questions as to WHY and how long the state had operated this way. It seems that a businessman would know that the numbers were wrong and there had to be an equally wrong reason for those numbers to be wrong. There are very few businesses that could continue to operate with more being spent for fewer consumers.

Why didn't Gov. Johnson ask someone? Why didn't Gov. Johnson assert his authority as the chief official for the state and make an effort to learn the true reason for the imbalance of people being served versus the number of employees?

If Gov. Johnson had managed his private business the way he is managing the state it is almost certain he would not have had success in the private sector. According to published reports, he was successful because of the way he operated his business.

If Gov. Johnson had cared enough about the people he would have learned that previous health secretary Michael Burkhardt had put a freeze on Fort Stanton to not allow any more geriatric patients to be admitted at Fort Stanton until after all the DD clients were gone. For reasons known only to Gov. Johnson he chose to not keep Burkhardt as health secretary. Why then did Gov. Johnson not find out what Burkhardt had done?

The day before Gov. Johnson nailed the coffin lid on Lincoln County there was a call to Fort Stanton making arrangements to transfer 26 patients to the Fort as soon as the freeze was lifted. There were also many people making arrangements to have their family members admitted to Fort Stanton in order to keep them in their home county and keep them close to home. This way the family members could visit often, an important factor when faced with the task of placing an elderly relative in a nursing home type facility. Frequent visits help not only the patient being served, but helps their families make the adjustment.

Gov. Johnson refused to listen to the explanations, even though the figures showed there was a definite need for the geriatric facility at Fort Stanton. Gov. Johnson, with all his millions of dollars, could provide private nursing care if needed for one of his family members, but not all of us are millionaires.

Maybe it is because Gov. Johnson and his family will never need to use a geriatric facility that he ignored the pleas made by the people. Maybe it is because Gov. Johnson is unaware that it was only after long and careful deliberation that people had come to terms with the fact the nursing-home type care was THE best for their elderly family members. The alternative was to keep them home locked in a bedroom. Maybe Gov. Johnson IS aware and doesn't care how many elderly are locked away for their own safety and the safety of others. And he won't say.

Then again, maybe Gov. Johnson had other plans for Fort Stanton and assumed the people of Lincoln County would allow the Fort to be burned to the ground to make way for horses. Maybe Gov. Johnson had other plans for Fort Stanton and was totally unaware that the people of Lincoln County are proud of the Fort and will fight to preserve it even after it is turned into a ghost community. Maybe Gov. Johnson thought that we, the people of Lincoln County, would forget the entire situation once all the clients were removed and the workers were gone.

The freeze may have clouded the issue of the money situation but the fact remains that Gov. Johnson didn't care enough about the people to try to do the right thing for the entire state.

Does Johnson have plans for Fort?



Inside The Capitol

by Jay Miller

SANTA FE—The latest edition of the New Mexico Blue Book has just been published by the Secretary of State's Office. Once again, it is a masterpiece.

Issued every two years, the handy little book has information on the state in general, the three branches of state government, county government, Native American government, education institutions, voter information, historic sights, leisure activities, statistics and information resources.

Each edition also has its own personality. Kathy Flynn, who has compiled all three books for Secretary of State Stephanie Gonzales, has made several valuable additions. Flynn's first Blue Book featured photographs of murals from public buildings around the state. The second publication featured artwork funded by New Deal federal art programs. This edition features county courthouses from around the state.

And for the cover of the book, the secretary of state and her staff decided a picture of the Capitol would be appropriate -- not this Capitol or the previous Capitol that is now the Bataan Building. And not the often photographed Palace of the Governors, New Mexico's first Capitol, located on Santa Fe's famed plaza.

Secretary of State Stephanie Gonzales and staffer Edward Archuleta chose to use the state's second Capitol, a magnificent building that stood only six years before being burned to the ground in a fire of very suspicious origin.

Gonzales and Archuleta's search through the Museum of New Mexico photo archives turned up something I had never seen -- the architect's drawings for that second Capitol.

Obviously the building never was completed. Only one wing was built -- but that was four stories and had two impressive domes. But had the building been finished, it would have had five domes -- the middle one a magnificent 12-story design patterned after our nation's Capitol.

Flynn says the design, proposed by a Chicago architect in 1888 was intended to aid New Mexico's bid to enter the union. Evidently the thought was that if we built a traditional-looking capitol on a grand scale, Congress would be less inclined to think of us as an Indo-Hispanic territory filled with nothing but mud huts.

But Santa Feans didn't think much of the idea, says Flynn. And Albuquerqueans wanted their town to become the state capital. Amid all this

controversy, an incendiary fire that started simultaneously throughout the building, did its job quickly, especially since all the building's fire hoses had been cut.

And New Mexico's effort to become a state lingered on another 20 years.

This book review is having trouble getting past the front cover -- but despite all the helpful new information inside, the cover is the highlight for me.

Additions inside include a section on the geology of New Mexico, improved maps of legislative districts, additional voter and socioeconomic information, a telephone directory of state offices, and a listing of foreign government offices in New Mexico. This last list was compiled by international consultant Patrick McKillen of Clovis. Flynn tells me McKillen is 13 years old and has been in the business

a couple years already.

Another interesting addition is a historical lineage of New Mexico's U.S. Senate and House seats. The Senate seats are named for their first occupants Thomas B. Catron and Albert B. Fall, two of the most prominent names in our state's early political history. These lists were prepared by Dr. Dan Chavez, a former University of New Mexico professor.

Those of you who have seen a Blue Book know they are an invaluable source of information on our state, I use it more than any other piece of reference material.

If you would like to have the same information available at your fingertips, call the secretary of state's toll free number at 1-800-477-3632 or write to Office of the Secretary of State, State Capitol Room 420, Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe 87503.

Steven Spencer Reappointed To NMMI Board Of Regents

New Mexico Military Institute officials in Roswell were informed that Steven M. Spencer, of Sandia Park, has been reappointed to a six-year term on the NMMI Board of Regents by Gov. Gary Johnson, subject to the approval of the State Senate.

Spencer, who grew up on a ranch near Carrizozo, was first appointed to the board in 1989 by Gov. Gary Carruthers. He graduated from the NMMI high school in 1963 and the junior college in 1965. He also holds a Bachelor's degree in secondary education from the University of New Mexico and has done post-graduate work at the University of Kentucky.

Spencer went on active duty in 1967 and completed the Airborne and Ranger schools as well as the Armored Officer's Advanced Course and the Command and General Staff College. His stateside assignments included the Military Science Department at NMMI. He also served in Vietnam and is still a member of the U.S. Army Reserve Forces with the rank of major.

Spencer served as a member of the NMMI Alumni Association Board of Directors for nine years, three years as president. He was elected to the NMMI Hall of Fame in 1985. He served as president of the Board of Regents for a year during his first term.

Spencer is the great grandson of W.C. McDonald, first statehood governor of New Mexico. Spencer's father,

Truman A. Spencer also served as NMMI regent and president for several years.

Spencer's mother, Marion Spencer of Carrizozo, is the daughter of the late Lt. Col. John E. Selby. Selby served as the professor of military science at NMMI during the 1930s.

Arabian Horse Show April 7-9 In Alamogordo

The Trinity Arabian Horse Association will bring its 5th series of shows to the Otara County Fairgrounds in Alamogordo April 7-9. Admission is free for spectators.

On Friday and Saturday, April 7-8, there will be open Arabian shows at 8 a.m. each day with a special mini derby Saturday after the last regular class. The mini derby will feature a variety of special events.

Sunday, April 9, TAHA will offer an all-american Arabian show.

Balanced Budget Fight Sure To Be A Campaign Issue

By PHILIP C. CLARKE

Although the balanced-budget amendment failed to win Senate approval, it's certain to remain a red hot issue through next year's election campaign - and beyond.

"This is not going to go away," said Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole after the proposed Constitutional amendment failed by a single vote to win the necessary two-thirds margin for approval. Dole vowed to bring up the amendment for another vote before next year's election. "Let 'em try," said the defiant Senate Democrat leader, Tom Daschle. Whatever happens in Congress, the battle to bring government spending under control and reduce the ruinous federal deficit is going nationwide. And if Washington cannot get its act together, the states could take the lead.

Under the Constitution, two-thirds of the states may call a convention to consider amendments. Upon adoption by such a convention, any amendment still would require ratification by three-fourths of the states - a procedure never attempted. But a possible test-run is due this summer when a number of delegations are to get together for what's called a "conference of states."

Critics warn that unless any action is strictly limited to a balanced budget, it could open up a free-for-all aimed at revising or even rewriting the entire U.S. Constitution. Sponsors of the upcoming get-together are confident this won't happen at their conference. What they are counting on is overwhelming popular support for action requiring the federal government to stop spending the country into bankruptcy. Like sponsors of the failed Senate bill, they point to opinion polls showing that some 70 to 80% of the American people favor action to balance the federal budget.

Logic dictates that this should - indeed must - be done. Section 1 of the Senate Joint Resolution - the one that Dole promises to reintroduce - says it all: "Total outlays for any fiscal year shall not exceed total receipts for that fiscal year, unless three-fifths of the whole number of each House of Congress shall provide by law for a specific excess of outlays over receipts by a roll call vote." Other provisions would limit any waiver of a balanced budget to wartime emergencies. The amendment itself would take effect in the year 2002, or with the second fiscal year beginning after its ratification (by the states).

Shortly before the Senate vote in March, an AP survey found legislative leaders in 32 states predicting ratification with lawmakers in 15 other states "uncertain." But the momentum clearly was behind a balanced-budget amendment. Republican leaders in Iowa, New Jersey and Michigan were openly competing to make their state the first to

(SEE PAGE 2)

LETTERS

Open Letter to the Citizens of New Mexico—Do you really understand what occurred when Governor Gary Johnson signed the Indian Compacts? The number of calls I have received concerning this matter suggest that a large number of you are confused or more than likely misinformed, so let me tell you the rest of the story.

In 1988 the U.S. Congress passed the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act which gave Native Americans tribes the right to offer gambling on sovereign land. Though many states entered into agreements with the tribes, a few tried unsuccessfully to fight the tribes in court. In fact several federal courts have found in favor of the tribes and ordered states to either enter into compact negotiations with the tribes or have the U.S. Department of Interior negotiate the compacts for them, leaving the states to accept whatever the federal government had negotiated.

Seven years passed and New Mexico still hadn't come to any kind of an agreement with the Indians. In fact, six lawsuits were pending against the State of New Mexico, not to mention two other lawsuits which the state had already lost at a cost to the citizens of a half million dollars. The Johnson/Bradley Administration decided it was time to make a decision. Since the past administration wouldn't sign an agreement, we felt it was time, thus Governor Johnson negotiated and entered into two types of agreements—the "compacts" and the "Revenue Sharing Agreements." When Governor Johnson signed the compacts, four important things took place.

First, the lawsuits should be dropped, thus saving New Mexicans hundreds of thousands of dollars which would likely be spent in court on a losing battle.

Second, by entering into these agreements, Governor Johnson has protected every New Mexican's right to continue their current legal gaming operations and the New Mexico Legislature's right to pursue whatever course it decides in dealing with the gambling issue. Now it is as it should be, up to the citizens of New Mexico, working with the legislature and the Governor to decide if they want more or less gambling on New Mexico land.

The third important point is that by signing the compacts there will now be regulations and controls in place. The compacts identify the type of gambling to be allowed and set strict standards for the maintenance, liability insurance, and operation of all gambling facilities and equipment.

Fourth, the "Revenue Sharing Agreements" guarantee the state a portion of the profits from Indian gambling while at the same time protecting New Mexico's fraternal and charitable organizations and the horse racing industry. The revenue sharing is something extra New Mexicans received because the Indian Gambling Regulatory Act states that the Governor cannot withhold his signature on compacts for the lack of a revenue sharing agreement. The State of New Mexico could have ended up with nothing.

The reality is Native American gambling is here to stay unless the U.S. Congress repeals the 1988 Indian Gaming

(SEE PAGE 2)

Lincoln County News
 USPS 313480
 "The Lincoln County News" is published Thursdays at 309 Central Ave., Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301. Second class postage paid at Carrizozo, New Mexico. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS, P.O. Drawer 459, Carrizozo, NM 88301.
 Peter Agulla and Ruth Hammond
 P.O. BOX 20888
 ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87120

For the Love of Gregory

by Joann Rice

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

A Close Shave

Gregory came over at the crack of dawn on Saturday. I was just about to enjoy my first cup of coffee.

"What on earth do you want at this hour, Gregory? Its barely light outside."

"I had to get up early, Queen Mother, so I could shave."

"Shave," I said. "You mean shave your face?"

"A course. I had fibe a clock shadow. So I got up at fibe a clock to shave."

"I hate to ask this next question, Gregory. But whose razor did you use?"

"Razor? You're 'posed to use a razor? I jus' used a spoon handle. I put lots of soapy bubbles on my face an' raked it right off with the spoon han'le."

"I'm so glad," I sighed with relief.

"A course, Queen Mother, the spoon is jus' for practice. An' when I get real good at shabin', I'll use Mom's thingy she shaves her legs with. Then I'll get to wear little pieces of toilet paper stuck all over my face. Like Mom does on her legs. Whatta ya' think 'bout that?"

"I think not, Gregory. I suggest you keep to the old spoon handle. It's safer."

"Safer for who, Queen Mother?"

"All concerned," I said.

"Boy. Grown ups never let ya' do nothin'. Don't you think I can han'le a simple

shave? I'm not exactly a idiot, ya know."

"That is debatable, Gregory. But there are certain things children can't do that grown ups can do. One of which is shaving."

"I'm not a child, Queen Mother. Jus' the other day, Mom said I wuz a thirty year old in a child suit. So, if that's true, then I'm really a grown up. I jus' don't look like one, 'cause I am forced to walk around' in this redicleous disguise."

I leaned my weary head in my hands. "Now I've heard it all. Do you know I haven't even had one cup of coffee yet. It's too early for this nonsense."

He shrugged his shoulders. "Well, jus' habe some coffee, then. An' while you're at it, pour me a cup."

"How do you figure that?" I asked.

"Remember, this is jus' a kids suit?"

"Oh yeah," I said, "but you're still not getting any coffee."

"Well then, I'll take some pancakes, an' eggs, an' buscu'its, an' grabey."

"Fine. There's a restaurant down the block," I said.

"Good," he said getting out of his chair, "lets go. I can show off my good shabe, an' they'll prob'ly gibe me a cup of coffee."

I looked at him tiredly, "you never learn, do you?"

"Sure, Queen Mother, today I learned a val'ble lesson. Don't get caught shabin', an' drinkin' coffee if you're wearin' a kids suit."

Letters to

(Continued from Page 4)

Regulatory Act. With the signing of the compact agreements, Governor Johnson has protected all non-Native American New Mexicans' right to decide their own destiny while at the same time giving us a "Win-Win" opportunity.

WALTER BRADLEY,
Lieutenant Governor
New Mexico.

Balanced Budget Fight . . .

(Continued from Page 4)

ratify what would be the 28th Amendment to the Constitution. New Jersey's Assembly actually voted to ratify the amendment two days before it was acted on by the U.S. Senate! Said Garabed Haytaian, Republican Speaker of the Assembly: "We started this revolution to cut spending and taxes. And we can simply vote on the balanced budget again, and again, and again."

In Congress, meantime, Republican members in both Houses lost no time introducing bills requiring the limitation of federal spending to 19% of the Gross Domestic Product, or GDP, to achieve a balanced budget by the year 2002. And while President Clinton and his Democrat supporters in Congress claimed that the defeat of the GOP's proposed balanced-budget amendment in the Senate was a victory for "fiscal responsibility" and protected the viability of the Social Security program, they were soon on the defensive.

Republican politicians quickly printed up "hit lists" of the 33 Senate Democrats and lone Republican, Mark Hatfield of Oregon, who opposed the balanced-budget amendment in last month's vote. As GOP Senator Jon Kyl of Arizona vowed, "They won't be around when the amendment does take effect." And the morning after the March 2 vote, Senator Ben Nighthorse Campbell of Colorado announced at a dramatic news conference that he was switching from the Democrats to the Republicans. Campbell, who had co-sponsored the amendment propo-

al and was one of the 14 Democrats who voted in its favor, warned that unless there's an end to deficit spending, the U.S. could face an economic crisis worse than that of Mexico. The real bottom line, he said, is not saving just Social Security, but preserving the integrity of the entire economy. "If that goes bust," said the Senate's only native American member, "then nothing will be worth much of anything."

Property Notices . . .

(Con't. from P. 1)

If property owners are dissatisfied with the valuation, they can file a protest petition. "They should contact our office," Serna said, "and we'll send them a protest petition."

Dissatisfied property owners have until May 1 to file the protest petition.

When calling with problems, property owners need to have available their 1995 Notice of Valuation and last year's notice of valuation for a specific property.

Lincoln County EMS To Attend Regional Conference in Clovis

Lincoln County EMS personnel will attend the EMS Region III conference April 5-9 in Clovis.

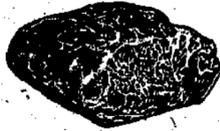
Connie Hopper, Lincoln County Emergency Services Coordinator, said 25 county EMTs will participate in the workshops to learn the latest techniques to perfect and improve their lifesaving skills.

SUPER SAVINGS!

WE GLADLY ACCEPT
FOOD STAMPS,
EBT CARDS and
WIC CHECKS

PRICES EFFECTIVE: MAR. 30 thru APR. 5, 1995
Open Mon.-Sat. 7:30-7:00 / Sun. 8:30-2:30

WE SELL
TRAVELERS EXPRESS
MONEY ORDERS
& POSTAGE STAMPS



BOSTON BUTT PORK ROAST

LB. **89¢**

BONELESS BOTTOM ROUND STEAK..... LB. **\$1.59**

BONELESS RUMP ROAST..... LB. **\$1.89**

FRYER (10 LB. BAG) LEG QUARTERS..... LB. **42¢**

PORK STEAKS..... LB. **\$1.09**

HORMEL LITTLE SIZZLERS..... 10-OZ./EA. **89¢**



SUNKIST NAVEL ORANGES

LB. **39¢**

RED DELICIOUS APPLES..... LB. **49¢**

D'ANJOU PEARS..... LB. **49¢**

YELLOW ONIONS..... LBS. **3/\$1.00**

WHITE ONIONS..... LBS. **3/\$1.00**

GRAPEFRUIT..... **4/\$1.00**

RUSSET (BAG) POTATOES..... 15-LB./EA. **\$1.49**

CRISCO SHORTENING
Reg./Butter
3 LB.

\$2.69

SPAM
12-OZ.

\$1.79

HORMEL VIENNA SAUSAGE
5-OZ.

2/\$1

KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP
32-OZ.

\$2.09

SHURFINE CUT GREEN BEANS..... 14.5-OZ. **3/99¢**

SHURFINE WHOLE OR CREAM STYLE CORN..... **3/99¢**

SHURFINE SWEET PEAS..... 15-OZ. **3/99¢**

SHURFINE MIXED VEGETABLES..... 15-OZ. **3/99¢**

SHURFINE (Creamy/Crunchy) PEANUT BUTTER..... 18-OZ. **\$1.39**

SHURFINE CRINKLE CUT FRIES..... 32-OZ. **\$1.49**

SHURFINE CORN FLAKES..... 18-OZ. **\$1.29**

RAGU SPAGHETTI SAUCE..... 30-OZ. **\$1.89**

KRAFT MACARONI & CHEESE..... 7 1/4 **59¢**

HEINZ (Assorted) GRAVY..... 12-OZ. **\$1.29**

KRAFT GRAPE JELLY..... 18-OZ. **\$1.29**

SAVERS CHOICE BLACK PEPPER..... 4-OZ. **89¢**

SAVERS CHOICE SLICED CHEESE..... **89¢**

DINTY MOORE BEEF STEW..... 24-OZ. **\$1.99**

DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE..... 15 1/4 **59¢**

SUNLIGHT DISH LIQUID..... 22-OZ. **99¢**

TIDE (Reg./w Bleach) DETERGENT..... 42-47 OZ. **\$2.99**

LAYS POTATO CHIPS..... Reg. \$1.49 **89¢**

SHURFINE APPLE JUICE
64-OZ.

\$1.19

SHURFINE GELATIN
3.5-OZ.

4/\$1

SHUR FRESH CREAM CHEESE
8-OZ.

2/\$1

PARADE TOMATO SAUCE
8-OZ.

5/\$1

SOFT N GENTLE BATH TISSUE
4 PACK

EA. **79¢**

SAVERS CHOICE PAPER TOWELS
1 COUNT

EA. **33¢**

FRESH FRUITS / VEGETABLES / USDA CHOICE MEATS

HOME OWNED and HOME OPERATED



KING'S FOOD MART

415 12th Street / Garfield / Phone 648-2321

CAPITAN NOTES

Two weeks I wrote about Amoline McIntosh, formerly of Lincoln and now of Roswell, being felled by a stroke. I am more than happy to relate that she is doing well and she even called the other night and we had a nice visit. So I thought if any of you that knew Amolene would like to brighten her day with a card or note that she is now home part of the time and the address is as follows:

Amolene McIntosh, 2002 Barberry Road, Roswell, NM 88201.

"Frances, Bessie and Leota, she said to tell all of you 'Hello' and to thank you for the notes you sent her the day we met at the County Extension Club Meeting."

The snow looks lovely and it is certainly most welcome, and do hope it will continue for a spell. We do need the moisture, and besides needing the moisture, I just love to see it snow. I have lots and lots of happy memories from the bygone days in the midwest when a big snow meant bobsled parties ending at the small town cafe or at some classmate's home. Coasting, or just tramping through the woods in the snow with some one that you liked. The sliding parties going down the hill on the back of an 'another' someone that you liked and that liked you. Better quit before I become too nostalgic. But please Dear Lord, let it snow, let it snow, let it SNOW!

Have not received any bits and pieces of local news this week, so you will have to do with make-do. I promised more about Ila Mae Scarborough Payne's autobiography and have also heard nice remarks about your story Ila Mae, so on with the sad story of your Aunt that had her children given away while she was seriously ill. She ran an ad in the newspaper, begging whoever had the kids to bring them back to her, if you remember...

"The people who had adopted Irene read the story and felt sorry for her and they brought the baby back. She never saw the boys again but was assured they had good homes. Many years later, the oldest girl, Hattie Mae, ran away from the foster family and eventually ended up in California. Her 'adoption' had proven disastrous. She had been treated as a slave and the foster father had even forced her to sleep with him. She married a nice man with money and decided to start searching for her family. She ran a big ad in the paper and before long heard that Aunt Mary was still in Ft. Worth, so she went to see her. They had a wonderful reunion and kept in close contact with each other until Aunt Mary died.

Pa liked to travel, so when the older kids started to school, it presented quite a problem. I don't remember ever going to the same school over one or two years. We

lived most of our young lives on farms and ranches, and were taught from babies to do our part of the work. Sometimes we'd have to work in the fields, picking cotton or gathering the feed in for winter, or some other tasks that had to be done, and not get to go to school til Christmas.

I never remember any of us failing to make a grade every year. Our schools were nearly always one or two-rooms in the country. Unlike so many kids, we loved school even though we were usually the "new kids". We were always accepted and took part in all activities.

One time when we had just moved to a new place, Ben and Melvin started to school. I was still too young to go. It was just a day or two before Easter. The boys were invited to an Easter egg hunt. Of course we thought it was for everybody. Mama and Papa were too busy to take us, but said I could go with the boys. I was already timid about meeting new people; afraid I wouldn't do just right or something, and this hunt really looked like 'disaster'. We found, when we got there, it was just for boys. I was so embarrassed, was sure there was no way out. I was too little to go home by myself, and some of the boys were looking pretty disturbed about such an intrusion. But the teacher, a nice young man, soon had things under control. He had it looking as though it was planned for me to be there. Everyone seemed happy and since I was the smallest one there, many would slip me 'some of the eggs they found. I won the prize for having the most eggs. Everything ended well." More next week of Ila Mae's story...

And so for another week, let me end with a bit of this and a bit of that.

Add "roadkill" to that list of words that are gaining new recognitions. Of late our Language Man had read; "Pop musicians with roadkill hair..." 'at the local roadkill restaurant.' "with nightmares of his roadkill romances..." and so on and so on. What will they come up with next?

Did you know that according to statistics that fat people rarely, if ever, commit suicide? Why the suicide rate is so low among the obese is a mystery, but that is the statistical story.

Continuing with Herbert Lee Traylor's story of DeSeo.

"By the spring of 1916, the country had begun to settle up. As one emerged from the forest, south to north from the Capitan Mountains, to the right about one half mile the Watkins family and Vassar Thompson (son-in-law to be) had settled. Dr. Johnson's place was on the east and south side against the West Mountain, and Dode Burch was where Wedge's house is now. Roy Stuart was, where the Wedge's well is, while Jim Stacey was east of the Stuart's. On the east in Bill Edgar's place were the two Ricards - Claud and John; east of them and in the mouth of 'Give a Dam Canyon' were the Peraltas, and south of Peralta's were the two McKinleys-Dan and Isidro. Where the road emerges from the forest, after crossing the cattleguard, there was no fence at that time, Dan Coore had fled and built a home to the left and north of Gilllands and the present curve. The Slaughter's were directly west from the Coores; the Gilllands and the Robinsons were north from Slaughter's; the Gardenhires were west from Robinson's; Chaco Bailey was north from where Hank Lacy's place is. The Fosters

were east of Dan Coore's Grandpa Stuart was north and west from Foster's and Roy Stuart's. The Silvas were at the head of Aragon Canyon and Eliza Leslie was between Silva's and Sellar's. In the meadows were the Sellars, our place, a Spanish fellow who lived in Arabella most of the time and was related to the Pachecos, and a fellow who lived in Ruidoso. The McKinley's were at the lower end of the meadows. North from Isidro McKinley's was Boston Wright, 'The Watkins Man.' East of Boston Wright's were the Slaaks; and on east of the Slaaks' was the Jess Isler family. West of Boston Wright was Doctor Walker. The Hares were north of our place and on the Carrizo by the Crossing. Shirley Linam was across the Carrizo from the Hares'. The Cavenaugh's were up the Carrizo from Hares', Halls, Wallaces and Decens were up from Cavenaugh's, where the spring is on the Carrizo. Several families lived there off and on, and I do not know who finally proved up on the place and received the deed to the property. Ben Leslie lived on the Carrizo, where the road to White Oaks crosses. I believe Rob Leslie filed later south of where Ben was living. A fellow by the name of Adams filed north of Shirley Lanam's and started a blacksmith shop, north of Adam's was the 'Corn Well'. Johnny Littleton lived there. On north and to the Jack's Peak area were the following families: Vance, Gault, Frambaugh, Julian, Cavanaugh, Tuckness, McCarty, Macho, Peralta, Montoya and an unknown family that raised burros.

The Jicarilla area began to be resettled later. There had been activity in the 'Hicks' much earlier, but mostly gold panning. However, I believe the filing started about the same time as 'Paradise Flats.' I remember Mrs. Stoneman, from Capitan, telling me several years ago, she remembered coming by our house while on their way to the 'Hicks'.

I can remember, after we were settled and had dug the

well, people coming by in filled up all their containers covered wagons going north to before continuing on their look for land. They usually journey, watered their animals and

(SEE PAGE 7)

SERVICE GUIDE

START FRIDAY MARCH 30
FRIDAY SATURDAY & SUNDAY ONLY
 * TOMMY BOY (PG-13) 7:15 / 9:15 / 11:15
 * MAN OF THE HOUSE (PG) 2:00 / 4:00 / 6:00
 * "OUTBREAK" (R) 8:00
PHONE (505) 257-9111

GRILL & GAMES
Now Open
CUTTER'S CORRAL
GRILL & GAME ROOM
 500 Smokey Bear Blvd., Capitan, NM
 (Across from the school)
 "Dine In or Take Out"
(505) 354-3106
 Craig & Connie Whipple

TOOL SERVICE
THE TOOL CRIB
ELECTRIC POWER TOOLS & MOTOR SERVICE
 "If it's got wires on it — bring it in."
(505) 257-4546
 2907 Sudderth Drive
 RUIDOSO, NM 88345

K.S.J. Construction Co.
 Lic. #21013
Kenneth A. Cox
 Remodel
 New Construction
 P.O. Box 538
(505) 354-2663
 Capitan, NM 88316

FINE DINING
K-BOB'S STEAKHOUSE
 A Good Steak At An Honest Price
 OPEN FROM 8:00 AM DAILY
 AT THE "V"
 RUIDOSO, NM 88345
 PH. (505) 378-4747

CARPETING & MORE
 Carpet - Vinyl - Ceramic Tile
 Formica Cabinet Tops
CARPET MARKET
 1500 Sudderth Drive
 RUIDOSO, NM 88345
 Bryan Smith - Chad Smith
257-6682

HEALTH FOODS
DESERT SKY HEALTH FOODS
 Herbs, Teas, Vitamin Supplements
 EFFECTIVE NOV. 1:
 We will be at our "NEW" Location
 2810 Sudderth / Pine-tree Square
 RUIDOSO, NM 88345
257-4969

CERAMICS & ACCESSORIES
Now Open
Mountain View Ceramics
 503 8th St. / Carrizozo
 Greenware-Bisque-Firings
 Paint Supplies & Accessories
 "Finished Products"
9am to 4pm
Mon-Sat.

OBITUARY

KENT SHANNON

Memorial service for Kent Shannon, 63, of Capitan was March 25 at LaGrone Funeral Chapel in Ruidoso. Mr. Shannon died March 22 at his home.

He was born May 30, 1931 at Brownwood, Texas to Nora and John Shannon. He served in the Navy during Korean Conflict. He was Past president of the Ruidoso Noon Lions Club. He was a member of the First Christian Church in Roswell and has served as Magistrate Judge in Roswell. He moved to Capitan in 1983 from Lubbock, Texas. He was a rancher.

He married Ruth Davis on September 15, 1983 at Capitan.

He is survived by his wife Ruth of Capitan. A son Robert Kent Shannon of Roswell and a daughter Carma Lea Ryan of Wiesbaden, Germany. Two step-daughters and one step-son. Two brothers Charley Shannon of San Angelo, Texas and Bob Shannon of Austin, Texas and six grandchildren.

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

WE NEED MORE GOOD REAL ESTATE BROKERS
John J. Kirchoff
 REAL ESTATE BROKER
 2200 Edgewood Dr. Roswell, NM 88201
 2810 Sudderth Roswell, NM 88201
 888-997-7522 888-277-0488
 EQUAL OPPORTUNITY
 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS

L&L WELL DRILLING & PUMP SERVICE
 15 SMOKEY BEAR BLVD. CAPITAN, NM

SMOKEY BEAR RESTAURANT
MOTEL and GIFT SHOP
 * COMPLETE MENU / SPECIALS DAILY *
 Reserve A Newly Remodeled Room With Us!!
SMOKEY BEAR BOULEVARD — IN MID CAPITAN

CAPITAN COUNTRY STORE
 Capitan, NM / 354-3085
LOCATED AT 226 SMOKEY BEAR BLVD.
 (EAST OF SMOKEY BEAR RESTAURANT)
OPEN: Monday thru Saturday
10:00 am to 6:00 pm

Dianna Lively Receives Old Cadet Award



DIANNA LIVELY

Dianna C. Lively, a college freshman at New Mexico Military Institute, has been named Distinguished Old Cadet in her troop for the month of March. Lively is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Lively of Capitan.

To qualify for the Distinguished Old Cadet award, a student must have a minimum grade point average of 2.5 on a scale of 4.0 and at least a B in department. He or she must have attended NMMI at least two semesters, be recommended by his or her troop commander, set an outstanding example for other members of the troop, and participate in extracurricular troop activities.

Founded in 1891, NMMI is an accredited four-year, state-supported high school and two-year junior college with a current enrollment of about 775. Scholarship endowments total more than \$1.2 million.

(505) 648-2330
VENTURA CONSTRUCTION & PLUMBING
 REMODELING / CUSTOM WOODWORK / CABINETRY
 Contractor Lic. # 052298
 P.O. Box 544 JOHN PAUL VENTURA Carrizozo, NM 88301

CABLE TV SERVICE
AMERICAN CABLE ENTERTAINMENT
 FOR SALES & SERVICE TO CARRIZOZO RESIDENTS PLEASE CALL
1-800-221-6819
 Monthly payments may be dropped off at RANCHER'S TRUE VALUE in Carrizozo.
 510 24th Street
 ALAMOGORDO, NM 88310

SMALL ENGINE REPAIR
SALES & SERVICE
 CHAIN SAWS, LAWN MOWERS, AUTO-TILLERS
 Troy-Bilt-Homelite
 Husqvarna-Crafton-Toro
 Lawnboy-Poulan
ROCKY MOUNTAIN SUPPLY
 1101 Vermont
 ALAMOGORDO, NM
 857-8278
 M-F 8-5 / SAT. 8-5

STOCKMAN'S FEED & SUPPLY
 May 30 & Hwy 246
 Capitan, NM 88316
FULL FEED LINES VET SUPPLIES
 Gary & Jo Lanning
(505) 354-3162

TIERRA VERDE
PROPERTY SPECIALISTS

P.O. Box 637
CARRIZOZO, NM 88301
(505) 648 2326
Tony and Patsy Sanchez

SERVICE GUIDE

PROFESSIONAL ELECTRICIAN

CARPENTER ELECTRIC
Lic. # 51329

PHONE
354-2448
24-HRS.

Byron Carpenter, Owner
CAPITAN, NM

NATURAL GAS

Capitan-Carrizozo
Natural Gas Assn.

"GO FIRST CLASS W/NATURAL GAS"

354-2260
P.O. Box 640
CAPITAN, NM 88316

Gifts That Say "New Mexico"

Books about the Southwest * Cards by regional artists
"Ruidoso Country" copies signed by Paul Mangan
10% Discount on nambe Tableware
THE GREAT SOUTHWEST!
2314 Sudderth, Ruidoso, NM / Ph: (505) 257-9884

Try our Famous
Green Chile Cheese Burgers

OUTPOST BAR & GRILL

- * Open Seven Days A Week
- * Family Dining
- * Full Service Liquor License

415 Central Ave.
Carrizozo, NM 88301
648-9994

Harold & Faye
Miguel, Carlos, Andres
GARCIA

DAN FENDER TIRE
1021 MECHAM DR. - RUIDOSO

- BRAKE WORK
- LAMIN & GARDEN TIRES
- SNOW TIRES & CHAINS
- WHEEL ALIGNMENT
- LARGE SELECTION OF USED TIRES
- ROAD SERVICE AVAILABLE
- SHOCKS
- PERFORMANCE TIRES
- TIRE REPAIR
- WHEEL BALANCING

258-5633

(505) 378-4752

AMERICAN OXYGEN CO., INC.
135 Hwy. 70 East / In Ruidoso
P.O. Box 3397 H.S.

Tire & Home/Office Lawn Equipment
Tax-Pack / Lawnmower Repairs

AFFORDABLE
APPLIANCES / ELECTRONICS
SERVICE
(505) 257 4147
2818 Sudderth Drive - Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345

World DISCOVERY Travel

ataa
OFFICIAL TRAVEL AGENCY

Offices in Roswell & Ruidoso, NM

Jeanne Taylor, Manager
The Paddock / RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO 88345 / 1009 Mechem Drive
(505) 258-5633 / 1-800-887-2866

THE INK WELL
FACSIMILE EQUIPMENT
Buy / Rent / Lease

314 Ninth St. Ph. 437-7360
ALAMOGORDO, NEW MEXICO

C & L LUMBER and SUPPLY INC.

"Serving All of Lincoln County"

378-4488 / 378-4322
RUIDOSO-DOWNS, NM 88346
Home Owned / Established 1958

Ruidoso Considers . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

both paved and gravel, to their current condition (poor, fair and good); establish separate rating criteria for gravel and paved streets; upgrade streets into the next highest classification; and to bring the highest priorities on the classification list to the village council in April. The council will use the list to establish budgets and schedules for construction for the upcoming fiscal year.

Street department staff will rate each roadway in the village based on its surface (dirt or gravel, paved) and such things as traffic count, available right of way, continuity, bus routes, excess maintenance grade and complaints, utilities installed in roadway, willingness of property owners to participate in improvements.

Councilors commended Briley and Armstrong for developing the policy.

A narrow Upper Canyon roadway was the subject of a request from Elbert Dubose and Nancy Wood. Dubose had been cited to court and found guilty for putting a speed bump and illegal slow sign on the 10-foot wide service road called Hummingbird Lane, which is the only access to six lots in the Flume Canyon subdivision in Upper Canyon.

Village planning administrator Cleatus Richards said

the speed bump was a hazard. But Dubose said the speed bump was necessary to slow the traffic on the narrow road.

Dubose requested the roadway be privatized, since the village had not maintained it, and neighbors had paid their own funds for gravel and other materials.

But such a change would require unanimous consent from all affected property owners, Richards said. At least one owner had objected.

Instead, the village staff offered to look at the roadway to determine if a new speed limit should be posted. To this Dubose agreed, but he disagreed when councilors wanted him to remove the speed bump and illegal signs as part of his court judgement.

But village attorney John Underwood said the court didn't order removal, only the council could do that.

Councilor J.D. James said that the village has had many requests for speed bumps, but the bumps have never been allowed because they are a safety hazard.

Councilors agreed with James, and voted unanimously to make Dubose remove the speed bump and illegal signs and directed staff to make a traffic analysis of the roadway.

Capitan Notes . . .

(Continued from Page 6)

Thank you Herbert Lee for sharing this story with our readers. So many people have told me how much they enjoyed reading your story and how many memories it brought back to them.

My dear Mother always used to come up with some old saying whenever I thought that certain days were surely going to be the end of my life forever...for instance...

"Laugh and the world laughs with you. But weep and you weep alone." The originator of that saying was poet Ella Wheeler Wilcox. And as we all know most people prefer cheery folks to gloomy folks and the cheery ones are more than likely to have company than the gloomy ones.

Just ran across another bit of old time trivia that you might savor.

Please fish or cut bait. It is telling you to hurry and make your decision, or to quit, hesitating. As you all know if you do cut bait it means no more fishing.

Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die. This tells us that we should live our lives to the fullest, because we are not always going to be around to do so. This proverb probably had its origins in the Bible.

Politics makes strange bedfellows. This last election saw a lot of changes in Washington. Just wonder how many times that old saying was said

in coffee shops across the country prior to the election. What it means is that people who would otherwise have very little in common are brought together by political interests. This saying is actually adapted from a line in one of William Shakespeare's plays, "The Tempest". A man is shipwrecked and eventually seeks shelter beside a sleeping monster. The man says, "Miserable acquaints a man with strange bedfellows."

Some uplifting thoughts for the week.

Drop a pebble in the water,
And its ripples reach out far;

And the sunbeams dancing on them

May reflect them to a star.

Give a smile to someone passing,

Thereby making his morning glad;

It may greet you in the evening

When your own heart may be sad.

Do a deed of simple kindness;

Though its end you may not see,

It may reach, like widening ripples,

Down a long eternity...

God Bless you everyone and may your week be full of happy thoughts and kind wishes toward your fellow man, even if he is not your very favorite person. Adios. See you next week I hope.

Children Invited To Participate In St. Jude's Bike-a-thon Apr. 8

Capitan School will be the site for the 1995 St. Jude's Children Hospital "Wheels for Life" bike-a-thon.

The bike-a-thon will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 8, at the school parking lot. Participating children will raise funds by having sponsors pledge at least 25 cents for every lap the child rides.

The total number of laps will be verified by an official. Participants will receive certificates or prizes depending on the amount raised for the bike-a-thon.

Karen Payton is the coordinator for the Capitan bike-a-thon. She can be reached at 354-2774 for a pledge sheet, or for more information. All pledges are tax deductible. St. Jude's Children's Re-

search Hospital in Memphis is a non-profit, tax exempt corporation whose purpose is to care for children stricken with catastrophic diseases and to conduct medical research on those diseases. Children are admitted to St. Jude Hospital without regard to race or religion.

Snake Shows Will Be Featured During Rattlesnake Roundup

The annual rattlesnake round-up will be held at the Otero County Fairgrounds in Alamogordo April 8 and 9.

Snake shows will be held during the day and a special cobra show has been scheduled. For more information call (505) 437-7118.

CORONA NEWS

The first of this week has been cold and windy, with snow flurries Tuesday.

Corona Schools are on spring break. Last week they celebrated the Cultural Arts with visits from storytellers, artists, dancers, and a drama troupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rasak have recently closed on the purchase of the Green place from the heirs of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green. Purchase price was not disclosed. It will be known as the Duke/Rasak West Camp.

Richard Cortell, a Bakersfield, CA, broker, spent the weekend as a guest at the Rasak Ranch.

Helen Kay Lindsey, State 2nd Vice President of New Mexico CowBelles, has just returned from a week of traveling around New Mexico with the group of state officers. She joined the group in Roswell Sunday afternoon and returned home Friday evening. The officers led workshops during each of the five district meetings which were held in Clayton, Capitan, Albuquerque, Deming, and Artesia.

Helen Kay's workshop included tips on "How to Gain New Members and Associate Business Members" and "The Image Under the Golden Arches". She noted that cattle producers have three markets: domestic, international, and McDonald's. Selling 16,000 head of cattle as hamburgers each week, McDonald's is an important marketer and crisis communications partner for cattlemen.

While they were in Deming, State 1st Vice President, Ruth Shannon received word that her husband, Kent, had died suddenly at their ranch home near Capitan.

Wanda Duke and Lanita Rasak represented the Crown CowBelles at the 5th District meeting in Capitan. They enjoyed the workshops and the entertainment.

Friends have received word of the death of Winston Cape which occurred only a few days after the death of his sister Norabelle Thomson. Winston, 70, former resident of Lon and graduate of Corona High School, had operated a dairy in Marion County, Arkansas for 30 years. He was a member of the Everton Arkansas Baptist Church. He

was preceded in death by his parents Fletcher E. and Mary Etta Cape, and by two brothers and two sisters. He is survived by his wife, Jo Ann of the family home, and four sons and two daughters, seven grandchildren. Two brothers; Archie Cape of Alamogordo, and Walter B. Cape of Carrizozo, and two sisters, Jessie Nell Cape of Artesia, and Mae Morris of Gentry, Arkansas.

Erdine Behunin returned this week after a visit with her new grandson in Little Rock, Ark. His name is Brandon Steven Kiefer. He has a big sister, Brittny, 5, and his parents are Steve and Alice Kiefer. He weighed 8 lbs., 12 ozs. and was born March 3. Erdine also went to Poplar Bluff, Mo., to visit another son, Kevin and Emma Kiefer and children, Justin and Megan. She was gone two weeks and had lovely weather. The trees have leaves and the grass is green back there.

Trinity Site To Be Open Sat., April 1

Trinity Site will be open to the public this Saturday, April 1. Trinity Site is where the world's first atomic bomb was exploded in 1945.

No charge is made for the tour and no reservations are necessary. Everyone should have a full tank of gas and a spare tire prior to starting the tour. Pets are allowed on leash only. No weapons or alcohol of any kind are permitted.

Tour entrance gates and times are: Alamogordo Tour, 8 a.m. depart from the Otero County Fair Grounds parking lot on U.S. 54/70. This tour will enter through the Tularosa Gate at 8:30 a.m., arrive at Trinity Site about 10 a.m. and depart Trinity Site at parking lot by caravan at 1 p.m.

Stallion Gate entrance is open 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Visitors are allowed to enter anytime during these hours. The Stallion Gate is located on U.S. 380, 12 miles east of San Antonio, N.M. and 54 miles west of Carrizozo, N.M.

YOU CAN TRUST H&R BLOCK®
THE INCOME TAX PEOPLE

- We are reasonably priced.
- We are conveniently located.
- We offer complete electronic filing services.

1400 Sudderth / In Ruidoso
1-505-257-4223

Paul's Veterinary Supply
2005 SE Main / Roswell, NM 88201
624-2123

WE SHIP UPS! **NEW EXPANDED TACK DEPARTMENT**

KEEPING YOUR ANIMALS HEALTHY SINCE 1984

A Full Line of Supplies For **CATTLE, SHEEP and HORSES**

Vaccines	Grooming & Show Supplies
Dewormers	Feed Additives
Antibiotics	Stable Supplies
Stock Tanks	Blankets, Hoods
Insecticides	Farrier Tools, Horseshoes, Nails
Instruments	Electric Fencing Supplies

LEGALS

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN
No. CV-94-90
SOVEREIGN ASSOCIATES, INC.,
Plaintiff,

vs.
WAYNE MARK HUGHES and WILLIAM J. NEWMAN,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

On April 24, 1995, at 10:00 A.M., at the front steps of the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department, 300 Central Avenue, Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, I will offer for sale and sell the below-described property to the highest bidder for cash or immediately available funds. Amounts due on the date of sale are \$7,756.20, including interest at the rate of 18.99% per annum to date of sale, plus costs of sale estimated to be approximately \$593.40.

Said sale is pursuant to a Judgment in the captioned cause filed on March 17, 1994, in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, wherein the following property was seized under a Writ of Execution by the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department:

A 1986 Ford F-250 pickup, 4x4, Vin #FTEY26Y2CKA72300

JAMES C. McSWANE,
Lincoln County Sheriff.

Published in The Lincoln County News on March 30; April 6, 13, and 20, 1995.

LEGAL NOTICE ORDINANCE 95-1

The Village of Capitan will discuss amending Ordinance 94-6 relating to water rates, and establishing Ordinance 95-1 at a public hearing on April 10, 1995 at 6:30 p.m. This ordinance will be considered for adoption at the regular meeting of the Village Board of Trustees on April 10, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Building.

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

Published in The Lincoln County News on March 23 and 30; and April 6, 1995.

LEGAL NOTICE ORDINANCE 95-2

The Village of Capitan will discuss repealing Ordinance 93-7 relating to sewer rates, and establishing Ordinance 95-2 at a public hearing on April 10, 1995 at 6:30 p.m. This ordinance will be considered for adoption at the regular meeting of the Village Board of Trustees on April 10, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Building.

/s/DEBORAH CUMMINS,
Clerk-Treasurer,

CMC
Village of Capitan.
Published in The Lincoln County News on March 23 and 30; and April 6, 1995.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will take action to amend Section 1-14 of the Town of Carrizozo Municipal Code titled: **OFFICIAL DEPOSITORY** during the Regularly Scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 11, 1995 at 6:00 p.m., City Hall Conference Room, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Copy of Amendment Section 1-14 may be inspected and read in its entirety at the Office of Town Clerk, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

CAROL SCHLARB,
TOWN CLERK,
CMC/AAE
Town of Carrizozo.

Published in The Lincoln County News on March 30, 1995.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo did adopt to enact new Section to Ordinance 91-159 on Tuesday, March 28, 1995 at 6:00 p.m., City Hall Conference Room, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301:

An Ordinance amending the Town of Carrizozo Personnel Policies and Procedures Ordinance 91-159 by enacting a New Section Titled: Vacation - Accrual Limitation. Proposed Ordinance is available for inspection at the office of the Town Clerk during normal business hours.

CAROL SCHLARB,
TOWN CLERK,
CMC/AAE
Town of Carrizozo.

Published in The Lincoln County News on March 30, 1995.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will on April 11, 1995 at 8:00 p.m., City Hall Conference Room, Carrizozo, New Mexico take action to consider to amend Section 3-3-23 D. under the Town of Carrizozo Municipal Code Ordinance 164 to increase water rates from \$5.50 per thousand to \$7.50 per thousand as follows:

Section 3-3-23 D: The following shall be charged for the use of water by Construction companies and any other business not connected to the daily use of water shall be charged \$7.50 per thousand.

CAROL SCHLARB,
TOWN CLERK,
CMC/AAE
Town of Carrizozo.

Published in The Lincoln County News on March 30, 1995.

Sheriff's Report

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

March 21:

12:36 a.m. a one vehicle rollover with injuries was reported at the intersection of Highways 380 and 70. A deputy responded and found a female complaining of back and shoulder pain. Hondo ambulance responded.

6:44 p.m. an accident was reported on Highway 48 one mile south of the bull farm. The calling party reported his daughter was run off the road by another vehicle and hit a third vehicle. Injuries were unknown. At 6:54 p.m. Capitan police advised there were no injuries, and canceled the ambulance. By 7 p.m. the officer requested the ambulance.

March 22:

8:43 a.m. an ambulance was requested at a residence on C Ave. in Carrizozo. Carrizozo ambulance responded.

7:24 p.m. an unattended death was reported at the Davis Ranch about 40 miles north of Capitan. The calling party reported he had not heard from his boss all day, and he went to check on him. He found Kent Shannon on the porch. A deputy and a medical investigator responded.

7:23 p.m. an accident without injuries was reported on Highway 380, the calling party hit a deer. New Mexico State Police were notified.

11:24 p.m. a fight was reported at a residence on 12th Street in Carrizozo. A deputy and Carrizozo police responded. By 11:44 p.m. Carrizozo police arrested a subject.

March 24:

1:44 a.m. a domestic incident was reported in Carrizozo. A deputy and Carrizozo police responded.

A caller requested an officer to make a report on stolen or removed license plate. A deputy responded.

7:54 a.m. the calling party advised that someone broke into the wood cage and stole all the wood. A report was taken.

10:16 a.m. an ambulance was requested at a store in Capitan for a woman having seizures.

11:53 a.m. a fire was reported on Highway 54 south by the railroad tracks. Carrizozo fire department responded.

A subject reported stolen property. A deputy was assigned.

Criminal damage to property was reported in the Lincoln area. The calling party requested an officer, because someone had been in their trailer and junked it.

March 25:

6:03 a.m. an ambulance was requested in Capitan for a man who was very ill. Capitan ambulance transported the patient to Lincoln

County Medical Center (LCMC) in Ruidoso.

9:43 a.m. a burglary was reported at a business at E. Ave. and Highway 380 in Carrizozo. A skill saw was taken. Carrizozo police responded.

10:14 a.m. Alto ambulance was requested at Ski Apache for a 34 year old female with possible knee injury. Alto ambulance transported the patient to LCMC.

A Carrizozo resident reported dogs killing sheep. A deputy and Carrizozo police responded.

March 26:

11:30 a.m. minor vandalism was reported at a residence in Alpine Village. Small children were playing with matches inside a house under construction. A deputy responded.

1:13 p.m. a fire alarm sounded at a house in the Alto area. Bonito fire department responded and found it was a false alarm. The owner was notified.

1:41 p.m. loose animals were reported at Hale Lake near Ruidoso Downs. The

calling party advised that a subject had not fed his mules, dogs and chickens, and they were running loose destroying other people's property. A deputy and forest service officer responded and advised that the mules were put up and the fence was to be fixed.

2:24 p.m. an ambulance was requested at a residence in Nogal Canyon where a man fell off a caterpillar and broke his leg. Carrizozo ambulance and a deputy responded.

An officer was requested to investigate a burglary. A deputy was assigned.

March 27:

10:27 a.m. telephone ha-

rrassment was reported in the upper Gavilan Canyon area. A deputy responded.

11:21 a.m. a landlord-tenant conflict was reported at a trailer park east of Ruidoso Downs. The women were advised to take their dispute to Magistrate Judge.

11:11 a.m. a dispute over property was reported at a residence on Cedar Street in Carrizozo. A deputy responded.

1:28 p.m. Lincoln County Detention Center requested a transport to the health clinic.

Ruidoso Police requested a transport of a prisoner from magistrate court. Two deputies responded.

March 28:

12:10 a.m. an open door was reported at a shop in Carrizozo. A Carrizozo police officer found the door wide open. The owner was notified. The building was secure.

WIND WALKER CONST./MECH.
Johnny & Mary Lunsford
GENERAL CONTRACTOR
NM LIC. #031642
PLUMBING-HEATING-COOLING
P.O. BOX 869 / CAPITAN, NM 88316
Tel. (505) 354-2773
FAX. (505) 354-2724

Church Directory

- CAPITAN—**
- First Baptist Church**
HAYDEN SMITH, pastor
314 10th Ave, Carrizozo, NM
648-2968 (church) or 648-2107
Sunday School..... 9:45 am
Worship Service..... 10:55 am
Sun. Evening..... Training at 8:15 pm
Evening Worship..... 7:15 pm
Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm
- Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)**
JOHNNIE L. JOHNSON, pastor
Corner of C Ave. & Thirteenth, 648-2186
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:00 am
Thursday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm
- Santa Rita Catholic Community**
FR. DAVE BERGS, pastor
213 Birch, Carrizozo, NM, 648-2853
SATURDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart..... 5:00 pm
C'zozo Santa Rita..... 6:30 pm
SUNDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart..... 9:00 am
C'zozo Santa Rita..... 11:00 am
Corona St. Theresa..... 4:00 pm
- Church of Christ**
PAUL WETZEL, minister
Ave. C at 12th, Carrizozo, NM, 648-2996
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:00 am
Evening Worship..... 8:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm
- St. Matthias Episcopal Church**
REV. ROBERT BATTON
Corner of E Ave. & 6th, Carrizozo, NM
1-258-4144
Holy Eucharist..... 9:30 am Sunday
- United Methodist Churches**
TOMMY JARED, pastor
Trinity - Carrizozo
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 Men Breakfast
2nd Sunday..... 8:30 am
United Methodist Women Every
3rd Wednesday..... 2:00 pm
Fellowship Dinner Last Sunday of Month
..... 12:30 pm
- Evangelistic Assembly**
REV. DR. C.L. FULTON, Pastor
REV. DR. WILLIE MAE FULTON, Missions Dir.
ELDER JIM MILLER
711 E. Ave., Carrizozo, NM, 648-2339
Sunday..... 2:30 pm
- Mountain Ministry Parish, Sierra Blanca Presbytery**
DON & MARJORIE DANIELS, co-pastors
648-2850
Nogal Presbyterian Church:
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
Ancho Community Presbyterian Church:
Worship..... 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
Corona Presbyterian Church:
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study & Youth Fellowship..... Wednesdays 6:00 p.m.
- Christ Community Fellowship**
ED VINSON, pastor
514 Smokey Bear Blvd./Capitan
Inter-denominational
Sunday School..... 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship..... 10:30 a.m.
- Capitan Church of Christ**
LESLIE EARWOOD, minister
5th & Lincoln / 338-4827
Sunday Bible Study..... 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship..... 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.
- Spirit of Life Apostolic Pentecostal Tabernacle**
ALLAN M. MILLER, pastor
209 Lincoln Ave, Capitan, NM
354-2025
Tuesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Sunday Evening..... 6:00 pm

THE CHURCH DIRECTORY IS SPONSORED BY

Roy's Gift Gallery & Flowers
David Posley
This Space For Rent
Bill Winkler

Leslie's Fine
Sands RV, Boat & More
Steens Insurance Agency
Linda's Laundry News

Auto Glass * Windows * Doors * Cabinets * Mirrors
* Shower Doors / We Do Window & Door Screening

Village Glass Works

COMPLETE GLASS SERVICE
COMMERCIAL and RESIDENTIAL
378-8182
Ann W. Garrett, Jon A. Junge / Lic. # 052267
280 Hwy. 70 East P.O. Box 436
RUIDOSO DOWNS, NM 88346

The Perfect Ingredient
For Easter Brunch.

15¢ **15¢**
15¢ Off a 4 lb., 5 lb. or 10 lb. bag of
Imperial Extra Fine Granulated Sugar.
200649
72100 42215

Lincoln County News

CLASSIFIED ADS

CALL: (505) 648-2333

TIDWELL MOBILE HOMES
 Your "Home owned" & "operated" manufactured housing dealer.
 Carrying
FLEETWOOD HOMES
 America's largest builder and
 OAK CREEK HOMES,
 a very elegant home
 LOW DOWN-LOW MONTHLY
 We Take Trades Too!
COME SEE US
 900 Hwy. 70 West
 ALAMOGORDO
 437-2444

GREAT SELECTION of Late Model Used Cars and Trucks. Easy financing available. **WHITESANDS MOTOR CO.**, your Dodge, Chevy, Plymouth dealer in **ALAMOGORDO**. 725 S. White Sands, Alamogordo, N.M. 497-5221.

Joyce's Junque
 "Since 1980"
 Used Furniture
 Antiques • Beds
 Sofas • Appliances
 We Buy - Sell - Trade
 OPEN: 7 Days / 9 to 6
 650 Sudderth Drive
 RUIDOSO, NM - 257-7575

WANTED: EXPERIENCED NIGHT WAITRESS, prep cook, and dishwasher. Apply in person, Smokey Bear Restaurant in Capitan.

LARGEST SELECTION of Used Trucks under \$4,000.00 in Alamogordo at **WHITESANDS MOTOR CO.**, 725 S. White Sands, Alamogordo, N.M. 497-5221.

HOME LOANS
BAD CREDIT
GOOD CREDIT
 OK
 1-800-898-4071

WANTED TO BUY ranch/land to run 80-150 cows. 354-2848.
 4t-Mar. 23 & 30;
 April 6 & 13.

AFFORDABLE ALL STEEL BUILDINGS
 E-Z ERECTION ENGINEERED
 20x20x8 \$2,490
 20x30x10 \$3,518
 30x40x12 \$5,850
 MANY OTHER SIZES
 Call For Plans and Specs.
CUSTOM BUILDING SPECIALISTS
 1-800-585-1882

RUIDOSO FORD, LINCOLN, MERCURY
 Locally Owned & Operated
 On Border of Ruidoso & Ruidoso Downs
 378-4400
FREE 30-DAY WARRANTY FINANCING WITH LOW-DOWN PAYMENT!
USED TRUCKS
 '90 CHEV. 3/4 PICKUP (4x2) Automatic
 '80 CHEV. PICKUP Butane Setup, Nice
USED CARS
 '82 FORD EXPLORER (4-Dr) Auto, 4x4
 '85 TOYOTA TERCEL Low Miles, AC
RENTAL RE-PURCHASE
 (2) 1994 FORD EXPLORER 4x4, 4-Door / SAVE \$4,000
 (3) TAURUS & SABLE 4-Dr. Loaded / SAVE \$4,500

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).
 tfn

STEEL BUILDINGS
 Why mess with the rest? Buy from the best! **ATY Steel**, 1-800-761-6199.
 3tp-Mar. 16, 23 & 30.

FOR RENT: furnished two bedroom apartment in Capitan. Call Don Jones, 354-2006.
 tfn-Jan. 5.

COLONIC WATER therapy available using the Tox-Eliminator equipment. 35 years experience. Excellent for internal cleansing programs. Located at the Center for the Healing Arts in Ruidoso. Call for appointment. 257-9082.
 4tc-Mar. 9, 16, 23 & 30.

FOR SALE or Rent: House near Carrizozo with 24+ acres. \$49,000 or \$309 monthly. Two bedroom/one bath adobe with huge sun room, well, windmill, and corral. Phone (619) 451-1137.
 4tc-Mar. 16, 23 & 30;
 Apr. 6.

TIRED OF COOKING in the City? Chef in Cook's Clothing wanted for Folk Art Hotel Dining Room. Full and part-time. Experience and maturity. At Historic Shaffer Hotel. Mountair, N.M. Applications available at front desk or call 1-800-293-2888 or 847-2888.
 4tc-Mar. 23 & 30;
 April 6 & 13.

NOTICE OF EMPLOYMENT
 Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo is now accepting applications for (2) Certified Lifeguards. Job description and applications may be obtained at City Hall. Deadline for applications is April 25, 1995 at 3:00 p.m. The Town of Carrizozo is E.O.E. in Compliance with ADA Title II-A.
 8t-Mar. 16, 23 & 30;
 April 6, 13 & 20.

PAST CREDIT PROBLEMS?
 Keeping you from financing a car?
WE CAN HELP
 Call **LYNCH**
 OR
McMASTERS
 at
378-4400

CHAPS, CUSTOM MADE with top grain, oil tanned leather, ladies' handbags and other leather products. Mimi Persson Leatherworks, Nogal. 354-2848.
 4t-Mar. 23 & 30;
 April 6 & 13.

FOR SALE: two bedroom house plus business building on 1.25 acres. A very nice piece of property. Now rented at 425 Central, Tularosa, NM. \$34,000. Also 68 Mustang V8, \$3800. Call or write 648-2520 or Box 441, Carrizozo, NM.
 2tc-Mar. 23 & 30.

Rattlesnake Roundup & Craft Fair
APRIL 8 & 9
 9 am to 5 pm
OTERO FAIRGROUNDS
 Alamogordo, NM
 Educational, Exciting, Crafts, Collectibles, Guns and More!!
WE BUY LIVE SNAKES
437-7116

THE VILLAGE OF CAPITAN is accepting applications for a full-time office clerk, \$850-\$1,000 a month salary w/benefits. Must have minimum office skills and a current NM drivers license. A job description and application can be picked up at the Village of Capitan Village Hall, 114 Lincoln Ave., P.O. Box 246, Capitan, N.M. 88316 between the hours of 8:00-4:30 Monday thru Friday. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 P.M. on April 10, 1995. The Village is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
 3tc-Mar. 23 & 30;
 April 6.

FOR SALE 5.28 ACRES on Highway 380. West of Capitan 1 1/2 mile. \$3,000 per acre. Located 3 miles north on Burch. 505-354-3001.
 2tp-Mar. 23 & 30.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE: Stacked and delivered. \$110.00 per cord. 2-cords or more \$100 ea. Ph. (505) 849-1016.
 4tp-Mar. 16, 23 & 30,
 & Apr. 6.

NOTICE OF VACANCY POSITION: School Nurse **REQUIREMENTS:** Bachelor's Degree in Nursing; or Professional Registered Nursing License; or LPN with minimum of two (2) years experience.
START DATE: 1995-96 School Year.
TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: 3-4 days per week in surrounding School Districts.
PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES: Review/Track Student Immunization records. Set up procedures for staff, students and parents as required by State Department of Education. Provide required classroom and staff training to meet health requirements. Complete necessary record keeping requirements and updates in conjunction with the Department of Health. Attend to health related issues which occur during the school day.
SALARY: Negotiable.
DEADLINE: April 24, 1995 or until filled.
TO APPLY: Send letter of interest, application, etc. to: Personnel Office, P.O. Box 99, Carrizozo, NM 88301.
 3tc-Mar. 16, 23 & 30.

THE VILLAGE OF CAPITAN is accepting applications for a full-time general laborer. \$850-\$1,000 a month salary depending on knowledge and experience, w/benefits. Must have current NM drivers license and have general knowledge of heavy equipment. Job description and applications can be picked up at the Village of Capitan, Village Hall, 114 Lincoln Ave., P.O. Box 246, Capitan, NM 88316 between the hours of 8:00-4:30 Monday thru Friday. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 P.M. on April 10, 1995. The Village is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
 3tc-Mar. 23 & 30;
 April 6.

WE BUY USED CARS and TRUCKS, WHITE SANDS MOTOR CO., 725 S. White Sands, Alamogordo, N.M. 497-5221.
 tfn

EMPLOYMENT NOTICE
 Lincoln County is now accepting applications for two or more positions of **TEMPORARY DUMP TRUCK DRIVER/LABORER** with the Lincoln County Road Department. Must have a minimum of five years experience and be able to perform minor maintenance and repair on equipment. Must also have a Class A Commercial Driver's License, with no points on their license. Obtain application at the Lincoln County Managers Office in Carrizozo or by calling 505/648-2385. Applications must be received no later than 5:00 P.M., April 7, 1995. **LINCOLN COUNTY, EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER AND IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, TITLE II-A.**
 2tc-Mar. 23 & 30.

\$158/MO. FLEETWOOD, 2 bdr/1 bath, vaulted ceilings, upgraded insulation, 5 yr. warranty and more! 5% down. 9.5% APR (ARM) 240 mos. Call 1-800-237-3701. DL00638.
 tfn-Mar. 30.

THE LINCOLN COUNTY D.W.I. Grant Program is currently seeking applicants for the position of D.W.I. Probation Officer. This individual will be responsible for helping to establish and maintain a new program of intensive, supervised probation for D.W.I. offenders. A complete list of duties can be obtained at the Lincoln County Managers Office. Qualifications include: a minimum of an associate degree in criminal justice or related field or at least five years of law enforcement experience. The successful candidate must be thoroughly familiar with the criminal justice system and be able to work closely with county, state, and local law enforcement agencies and district, magistrate and municipal courts. Experience in supervised adult probation programs is a plus as is computer literacy and bilingual abilities. For further information, contact Charlie White, D.W.I. Grant Program Director at P.O. Box 658, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, (505) 648-4100. Applications will be accepted until 5 p.m., April 10, 1995. Lincoln County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and in Compliance with ADA Requirements, Title II-A.
 2tc-Mar. 30; April 6.

MAID NEEDED at Smokey Bear Motel in Capitan. Call 354-2253 and ask for Cliff.
 tfn-Mar. 30.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE. Mixed pinon and juniper, unsplit \$70 per cord. Mixed pinon and juniper, split \$85 per cord. 354-2806.
 4tc-Mar. 30-Apr. 20.

THE LINCOLN COUNTY D.W.I. Grant Program is currently seeking a qualified person/agency to provide alcohol/drug screening/assessments on a lump sum contract basis. Anyone interested should submit a proposal to the: D.W.I. Grant Program Director, P.O. Box 658, Carrizozo, NM 88301, no later than 5 p.m., April 10, 1995. Lincoln County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and in Compliance with ADA, Title II-A.
 2tc-Mar. 30; Apr. 6.

BABYSITTING in my Capitan home. Phone 354-3115. Will accept newbarns.
 4tp-Mar. 30;
 Apr. 6, 13 & 20.

FOR SALE: Large lot for mobile home or for building on, all utilities available. \$2,500. Call 648-2820 or write P.O. Box 441, Carrizozo, NM.
 2tc-Mar. 30; Apr. 6.

FOR SALE: House near Carrizozo with 30+ acres. \$56,000. Two bedroom/one bath adobe with huge sun room, well, windmill, and corral. Phone (619) 451-1137.
 4tc-Mar. 16, 23 & 30;
 Apr. 6.

4 BEDROOMS/\$279/MO. FLEETWOOD doublewide, 2 baths, 2 living areas, 5 yr. warranty and more!!! \$1750 Down, 300 mos., 9% APR (ARM). Call 1-800-237-3701 for details. DL00638.
 tfn-Mar. 30.

LAND AND HOME. Finance your mobile home, land, garage, driveway, decks, etc. all in one loan! Special loan packages require only 5% down! Realtor on premises to assist in site selection. Call 1-800-237-3701 for details: DL00638.
 tfn-Mar. 30.

USED MOBILE HOMES. As low as 5,000. All sizes. Financing available. Call 1-800-237-3701 for details. DL00638.
 tfn-Mar. 30.

Regional Housing Authority To Meet In Roswell April 8

A regular meeting of the commissioners and board of directors of the Regional Housing Authority of Region VI, New Mexico, Inc. has been scheduled for Saturday, April 8, 10:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at the Regional Housing Authority offices, 200 W. First Street, Suite 400 Conference Room in Roswell. A copy of the meeting agenda may be obtained from the office of the Authority or by calling Region VI Housing Authority offices at 605-622-0881 during regular business hours (9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.).

Individuals with a disability in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the meeting, please contact Elaine Lara at the Region VI Housing Authority at 505-622-0881 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

For more information call the Region VI Housing Authority office at 505-622-0881.

Fun Walk/Run Will Be Held In Roswell April 8

The National nutrition month "Eat to Compete" fun walk/run will be held Saturday, April 8, in Roswell. The event is sponsored by the Southeastern New Mexico District Dietetic Association and the City of Roswell Recreation Department.

Participants may sign up for either a 2 mile walk, 3 mile run, or a 10 kilometer run. On site registration begins at Cahoon Park at 7:30 a.m. and the race begins at 9 a.m.

CLASSIFIED AD

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

I would like my ad to run (check appropriate box for number of weeks):

HERE'S WHAT I'D LIKE TO SAY			
Cost per ad / 20 words or less / per week	1	2	3
\$5.00	\$9.50	\$13.50	\$16.00
1	_____	_____	_____
2	_____	_____	_____
3	_____	_____	_____
4	_____	_____	_____
5	_____	_____	_____
6	_____	_____	_____
7	_____	_____	_____
8	_____	_____	_____
9	_____	_____	_____
10	_____	_____	_____

(ADD 10¢ PER WORD FOR EACH WORD OVER 20)

MAIL or BRING TO:
LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS
 P.O. Drawer 459 / 305 Central Ave.
 Phone (505) 848-2333
CARRIZOZO, NM 88301

COST OF AD _____
 TAX (.05878) _____
 TOTAL _____

SANDS

TELEPHONES IN ALL THE ROOMS

RV PARK & MOTEL

S. Highway 54
CARRIZOZO
 New Owners

OPEN ALL YEAR
 SPECIAL WINTER RATES
 Daily • Weekly • Monthly
 Day Rates for Trucks

CLEAN REFINISHED
 ROOMS
 Microwave and Small
 Refrigerators Available

RESERVATION LINE
 (505) 648-2820
 1-800-81SANDS (723577)

FORT STANTON FACTS & FICTION

by BETTY LOU JOINER

One by one, two by two, and now more than ever I am closing out boxes. The number has grown to 48 and by June 1, I think 15 more will be gone with maybe 10 to 15 left.

Evelyn Garvey's trailer left out last Monday. When she got to Roswell the movers hit a speed bump and tore her commode and plumbing loose, so more stress was on Evelyn. Her daughter and two granddaughters were in with her on a day or two later to make sure everything on her lot was closed out.

On Friday Daniel Zamora's trailer was leaving the Fort as I was closing out and the truck pulling it had trouble just out of Fort Stanton. They finally made it to the Chevron Station where they fixed the problem and were on their way.

Today Janet Delgado took her last load of items down to Tularosa where they are buying a house and she will be starting school. Janet told me if, and when something comes in, they will be back.

Jane Terrell was a very sad worker on Friday and Saturday as she was disposing of the beautiful plants that had been her love at the Fort. Jane is looking for land to move her trailer and hopes that a better life will be coming to the Fort soon so she can return to her love of operating the greenhouse and the farm.

On Friday Kathy Wheeler waited until the last minute to turn in her forwarding and was so sad looking I sure didn't want to take it. They have moved to Carrizozo and

commented on how the wind is blowing over there.

Carol Luna was in on Saturday with still more happy reports of liking her job in Las Vegas, but trying to work, move and having no time to rest was tiring her out. Will sure miss you Carol! Have a nice day, sister, Lora will be following Carol soon to start going to school in Las Vegas.

Other there are Hazel Bradford, Jo Townley, Carmen Burch and Joan Walthall and Shirley Kafka.

Today (Monday) we had the very sad news that Charles Kafka passed away at his home in Roswell. Shirley and family we send you all our prayers and condolences at this time. It was just a week ago that I had inquired as to how Charles was and what he was doing. Shirley said he was enjoying his retirement.

Greg Holguin was happy he got assistant administrator in T or C. Lorenza had been down there for two weeks and likes her work and the kids like school, but they are missing the Fort. Greg will be going back and forth for a while closing out and starting the new job. They are looking for a place to live there.

The final party on March 24 was a low day for everyone.

Over a hundred people were back on the Fort to fill out unemployment papers, say goodbye, enjoy Barney's cooking once more and start on with a new life. I was sad to miss the day as I wanted to take some pictures, but was almost glad not to have to say so long to all dear customers. I was in Roswell at a post office meeting.

Rosalee Patterson, Lupe Kelly, and Della Bonnell traveled together to our post office seminar at the Sally Port. I drove myself and Sherri Hobbs, Mike Currin, Tina Wilkins, Judy Henry, Rita Kezar, Tony Sanchez, Pat Parham, Pat Roark, Rita Russell, Betty Moon, were several of the other postmasters and clerks from our southern part of the state that attended the "Excellent Service" "Handle with Care" training. Thirteen different sessions will be held from March 21 to April 7 to train all the civil service employees, (clerks, OIC's and postmasters.)

Several of us enjoyed lunch and enjoyed discussing our different achievements and problems. We are very happy to have Benolyn McKibben as one of our OIC's from Claunch joining with us at these meetings and as a fellow worker. Benolyn told me that her and Johnny are grandparents again with a sweet little granddaughter named McKenzie born to Lynette on January 27th. Guess what I was talking to her about?

We are the new owners of a white 1986 Suburban. It is so nice and roomy. Hope all of the family can make a trip to Kansas soon to see Ron and Teresa. I think I would trade in my Pontiac if it would get the gas mileage, my car does. We went with several friends, (Yatze, Irene, Rusty, Chester, Chappo, Peaches, Dollar and Buggy) camping over by Sanders Canyon the day after we bought it. Pat and I slept in the back of it and was it nice.

Just like a motel room. The biscuits we cooked on the outside fire and the green chile stew sure was tasty. The only trouble was we didn't stay longer. We thought we were all alone and just after unloading the cars, who should happen by to visit but Mike Walstad and his son. Fort Stanton was enjoying the horse back rides.

Over a month ago I received a package in the mail from the U.S. Forest Service. Very curious as to what I had ordered and forgotten, I opened the package right away. I was so thrilled to read on the plaque "For your contribution to Smokey's 50th Anniversary." The letter said the plaque was given because of my part in Smokey's Special cancellations. Mike Currin also received one. When I called Dave Cummins to thank him he told me many more received different items of appreciation for their contributions. Thanks to whoever sent this my way. It means so much.

Around 70 people met at the rec center yesterday to hear the latest on the hopes that something else would come in to the Fort. All the commissioners, many of the general service people, Mr. Valdez, Mr. Dub Williams, Mr. Pete Campos and many others discussed the time limit and the way to go about the proposals for bringing in another type of business. Everything has to be done by the book and it usually takes more time than most of us would like for it to. The numbers I got out of the meeting would be the proposals would be done by May 1 and then the time limit after that could range from 60 to 120 days. Keeping our fingers crossed maybe the first of September or October we will be offering some good services to our youth of New Mexico. I have to agree with the comment made by Shannon Brazel that after everyone accepted the

idea, no state care would be coming back, that many will forget their retirement and come back to our county to work at anything, just to live here and have a job. Many were happy moving but as one said they never dreamed they would be so happy to see the lights of Carrizozo, when returning over the weekend. The maintenance crew started the watering of the lawns yesterday and it brought in the big rain showers today. Everything will be greening up but the lonesome feeling remains here with my few boxes. As Martha Proctor said at the meeting keep thinking positive and hope better things come out of all the work the commissioners and committees are doing. Wilton Howell started the meeting telling the people to please get on the ball and give us a definite date when something would happen.

Phoned Dorothy Guck today and was happy to hear that she and Mary had flown down to San Antonio, Texas, to visit Mick and his wife. They had a real good time and she wanted me to wish Kaitlyn a happy 6th birthday today.

Called Francis Shaw today and asked her if she would have a picture of the Fort Stanton post office when it was in the building by the barber shop. She had found one and asked me to come by and see it. She had several that were so interesting, and she can remember things that happened so long ago. I was nearly late to work discussing the post office then, now, and whenever, as we both worked here and in Captain at different times of our lives. Francis' house is so nice and fixed up, just perfect for her. I hope to go back soon and have her tell me more about this historical place. I was looking for the picture of the post office to have a special cancellation for the 138 years the post office has been here. Plan to do this

on the 30th of June since it has to be reported 60 days before the day. May 5th will be the actual day that the post office opened but will combine the changing of the state hospital to private care in the cancellation.

Remember the American Merchant Marine Memorial to be happening in May.

Since I'm so short of revenue hurried back to the school today. It was so good to have Kathy Dean and Ruby Trost meet me and visit about the stamps and other things. Gave the color books and cards that we will start collecting to Mrs. Johnson and was off to Francis'. A real nice wet visiting day.

Monroy Montes stopped in and visited a little while. He reported Carolin Cooney was already in Santa Fe working towards the proposals and hopefully real soon activity will be back here. Stop in and visit anytime and be sure and buy some stamps from me. Can really sell you a bunch of 29 and 3 cents ones!

Ruidoso
paint
center

Complete Paint & Sundry Needs

- Tools & Equipment
- Wallcovering
- Window Coverings
- DuPont Automotive Finishes
- Art Supplies

(505) 257-7447
1308 Sudderth Drive
RUIDOSO, NM



**"We Now Give DOUBLE
S&H GREEN STAMPS
on Thursdays"**

PRICES EFFECTIVE: MAR. 30 — APR. 5, 1995
OPEN Mon.-Sat. 8:30 to 7:00 Sun. 9:00 to 5:00

SPECTACULAR SAVINGS!

Plus S&H Green Stamps

WE NOW ACCEPT EBT CARDS and FOOD STAMPS

VIVA PAPER TOWELS	CHARMIN BATH TISSUE 4 ROLL
79¢	99¢

SHURFINE BLEACH GAL.	CUDDLES DIAPERS
89¢	\$4.99

CLOROX CLEAN-UP 32-OZ.	R.C. COLA 12 PK.
\$1.79	\$2.99

 BONELESS CHUCK ROAST
LB. \$1.39
GROUND BEEF
JUMBO PAK FRYER LEG QUARTERS
DON MARTINS PEPPERONI or COMBO PIZZA
BONELESS ARM ROAST
BONELESS ARM CHARCOAL STEAK
BONELESS BEEF STEW MEAT
FRAM RAISED RAINBOW TROUT
BONELESS CHUCK STEAK

SHUR SAVING GARLIC SALT.....	20-OZ.	99¢
VELVEETA (Reg.) ppd CHEESE.....	32-OZ.	\$3.99
ASSORTED V-8 JUICE	6-PK.	\$1.89
SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS.....	16-OZ.	89¢
CHUN KING EGG ROLLS	7 1/4-OZ.	99¢
PARKAY (QTRS.) MARGARINE.....	1-LB.	2/89¢
KRAFT SHREDDED MOZZ. or FOUN. CHEESE.....	8-OZ.	\$1.49
STRAWBERRY DESSERT CUPS.....	4.5-OZ.	79¢

 RED RIPE STRAWBERRIES	
PINT	89¢
RED FLAME SEEDLESS GRAPES	LB. 99¢
GRANNY SMITH APPLES	LB. 49¢
FRESH GREEN ONIONS	3/\$1
ROMA TOMATOES	LB. 69¢
BROCCOLI	LB. 79¢
GREEN CABBAGE	LB. 29¢
WHITE ONIONS	LB. 39¢
MINI PEELED (PKG.) CARROTS	1-LB/EA. 79¢

STURGES VENTURE

4th & Central Ave. CARRIZOZO Ph. 648 2125

