

Ruidoso Restricts All Watering With Wells

by Doris Cherry

As of July 2, residents in Ruidoso who have been watering their lawns and landscaping with private domestic wells will be in for an unpleasant surprise.

Monday, during a special meeting, Ruidoso Village Council approved an ordinance that incorporates the emergency five-phase water contingency plan now in effect, and adds a new chapter

that will regulate the use of domestic water wells for outdoor watering during severe water conditions.

Most debate during the public hearing held that night centered around the number of hours residents will be allowed to water during Phases 3 (Serious) and 4 (Severe). But what will cause most debate in days to come is the new section in the ordinance that will ban outdoor watering from domestic water wells.

The new section states: "The following water users shall be subject to this Ordinance: 1. all customers of metered water sold and supplied by the village (which includes customers living outside municipal limits but who receive municipal water) and all domestic wells within the jurisdiction of the Village of Ruidoso as authorized by two state statutes.

The new chapter in the ordinance will not prevent

residents from having domestic wells drilled, rather will govern how the water from those wells will be used, said Ruidoso village manager Gary Jackson to the village council on Tuesday.

When the new ordinance takes effect on Tuesday, July 2, Ruidosians who have domestic wells will not be allowed to use the water from those wells on their outdoor landscaping because the village is now in the Phase 5

water restriction. Those found using their wells for outdoor watering will receive one warning. After the first warning, anyone found to be using a well to do outdoor watering during the Phase 5 restrictions will be cited the same as a person who is found to be using municipally supplied water for outdoor landscaping. Fines of up to \$500 or 90 days in jail will be imposed on violators. Each day is considered a separate violation.

The section was added after village attorney John Underwood visited with the state engineer's office in Santa Fe last week. The office

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News Publish Early Next Week For July 4 Holiday

THE LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS will publish early next week. Publication will be Wednesday, July 3. This will allow **THE NEWS** to be in the mail and on the news stands before the July 4th holiday.

THE NEWS requests that all advertising and press releases be in **THE NEWS** office by 5 p.m., Monday, July 1 to be included in the July 3 edition.

Carrizozo Town Council To Meet Tonight At 6 p.m.

The Carrizozo Town Council will meet tonight, June 27 at 6 p.m. at city hall. The meeting was re-scheduled from June 25.

Agenda items include unfinished business on the golf course rates, golf course committee, insurance coverage for volunteers/list of volunteers, lodger's tax, and the recreation center.

New business includes a request by municipal judge Bill Meeks for reimbursement for mileage and per diem for the Albuquerque/Community & Governmental affairs policy committee. request for use of golf cart July 4 by the Village of Capitan, and the McDonald Park electricity contract.

Chief of Police Duane Vinson has submitted a request for approval to meet with the town attorney on the police department policies and procedures manual.

A closed session will be held for threatening and or pending litigation.

The meeting is open to the public.

The Carrizozo Board of Trustees will meet in Capitan with the Village of Capitan Board of Trustees Tuesday, July 2 at 6:30 p.m. for a closed session regarding property and litigation.

Capitan's Third Street Paving Project Begins

Repaving of Third Street in Capitan began last week with crews from Twin Mountain tearing up old pavement.

The village anticipates that Second Street, Third Street (which is scheduled to begin around July 8) and side streets will be completed sometime in September.

A village employee will contact residents on the streets for information on driveway access.



LINCOLN COUNTY COMMISSIONER L. RAY NUNLEY shakes hands with U.S. Senator Christopher Dodd, who was guest speaker at the New Mexico Democratic Convention held in Albuquerque June 22. Dodd is the National Democratic Committee chair.

Wright Is Hired As LCSWA Manager

In a special meeting held Wednesday afternoon, members of the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA) board unanimously voted to hire Jerry Wright as manager.

Wright was offered a 12 month contract at \$40,000 a year plus benefits package and vehicle allowance. Wright has been working as an interim manager for LCSWA on a contractual basis only for four months. That contract will expire July 1, at which time he will become a LCSWA employee.

The only business considered during the special meeting held at the LCSWA offices in Ruidoso Downs was a closed session to interview manager candidates. Wright told **THE NEWS** that he and another person was interviewed during the closed session. There were 13 applicants for the position.

Wright said that he is looking to develop a five year plan for LCSWA. Wright said he thinks that LCSWA is on track now to where he had

hoped it would be when he started four months ago. One exception is public image, which Wright said LCSWA does not have.

Commenting on action taken by the Ruidoso Village Council to authorize a study of the cost of solid waste collection, Wright said he thinks that Ruidoso basically wants justification for any rate increase that may be necessary to provide adequate trash services.

Capitan Residents Reminded Of Times For Outdoor Watering

Water restrictions were approved by Capitan Village Trustees at their June 10 meeting. Under the restrictions all outdoor watering must be done between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. Citations will be issued to persons who violate the restrictions. Written copies of the restrictions are available at village hall.

C'zozo Schools Will Get New Computers And Coolers By Fall

by Doris Cherry

This fall Carrizozo High School students may be accessing the Internet to do their homework.

Carrizozo Board of Education during a special meeting Monday, approved a three year bond money plan to upgrade technology, air conditioning, doors, carpeting, teachers furniture, and for necessary site improvements and architectural services.

Computer project coordinators teacher Bob Hemphill and Region 9 Education Cooperative computer consultant John Ashcroft said they hoped to have the high school computer lab and library computer upgrade in place by the start of school this fall. With the upgrade, students will be able to access vast amounts of information with CD-ROMs or through the Internet.

Rough estimates provided board members showed that \$142,000 will be set aside for new IBM compatible personal computers, interconnecting cable network for the entire school with "drops" in each classroom, library set up complete with video cabling to classrooms, board room and other locations. The project will replace the existing Apple and Macintosh computers in the high school computer lab with 20-25 IBM compatible machines at an estimated cost of \$70,000. The machines will be connected to a network server in the library which will access CD-ROMs or the Internet. Also students will be able to take advantage of private Internet servers wishing to expand into the Carrizozo area, Ashcroft said.

Also included in the technology estimate is \$5,500 to upgrade the school's old IBMs donated by Sandia labs and the older MacIntoshes for teachers' use. An estimated \$5,000 will be needed to automate the library. \$10,000 will be needed to purchase TV monitors for every classroom

(these will be interconnected to a server in the library), or fewer monitors which will be put on roll-around carts. The men also proposed to create portable mini-labs consisting of computers set up on carts.

An estimated \$4,000 will be used to purchase new software to allow students to do sophisticated word processing and desk top publishing, as well as access to CD-ROMs on history and science. Software customized for the various grade levels will be used with the elementary computers which were purchased just a year and a half ago. Hemphill also suggested the district purchase a digital camera and scanner for publications and presentations.

The plan allows for \$2,500 for satellite equipment, and purchase of VCRs to access distance learning courses.

Training on use of the new computers will be offered to teachers.

The men said once the technology is in place there is money available from such organizations as Los Alamos Labs to help connect the school to the Internet.

Hemphill said that college bound students need the upgraded technology. He said kids back from college say many professors require students to E-Mail their assignments.

The board gave unanimous (SEE PAGE 5)

Ruidoso Will Look At Collecting Own Trash

by Doris Cherry

Dissatisfied with the service received from the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority, Ruidoso Village Council authorized its staff to look into the costs of the village getting back into the solid waste collection business.

"Everyday I get calls about litter and garbage," said mayor Jerry Shaw during the regular council meeting Tuesday. "I have to tell them the village of Ruidoso is no longer in the business. Frankly, I wish we were."

Tuesday, during the regular council meeting, councilors unanimously voted to direct staff to develop a short range proposal to deal with the bagged pine needles and litter problem now, and to do a long range feasibility study of the village getting back into the solid waste collection business.

"I think the town looks worse now than it did ever when the village used to pick up trash," Shaw said.

Recently councilors held a

workshop to discuss how to deal with disposing of bagged pine needles and other litter accumulating in the village. Several options were discussed including the village hiring employees to pick up the bagged needles and other litter, subcontracting with the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA) or a private contractor for the service.

Village manager Gary Jackson said the winds this spring and citizens response to the increased fire danger by picking more needles have contributed to the problems.

But Shaw was skeptical of LCSWA, saying there has been no improvement in service even though the village raised its trash rates. "It's not for us to hire employees (to do the service)," Shaw said. "We should either be in or out of that business."

Councilors agreed, even Frank Cummins who is currently chairman of LCSWA and Robert Donaldson who is a member of LCSWA. Cummins agreed the village

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Fun For Everyone July 4th In And Around Lincoln County

Independence Day 1996 will be fun for everyone in Lincoln County, and will include a parade, rodeos, tournaments and the Carrizozo fireworks display, the only one in Lincoln County.

Festivities kick off at 7 a.m. in Capitan with the annual Smokey Bear Fun Run. The run begins at Ruidoso State Bank branch parking lot. The run course is on Highway 247 which goes north out of

Capitan.

At 10:30 a.m. is the 40th annual Smokey Bear Stampede Parade, with a theme of Smokey Bear USA. Congressman Joe Skeen will be grand marshal this year. The parade begins at the west end of Smokey Bear Blvd. (Highway 380) by Capitan School and ends at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds.

At 2 p.m. there will be open jackpot barrel racing at the

fairgrounds arena in Capitan.

The 40th Annual Smokey Bear Stampede will open with the coronation of new Lincoln County Fair Queen Angie Odom at 7 p.m. in the fairgrounds arena. A dance will begin at 9 p.m. in the exhibit hall.

Also on July 4, various activities are planned in Carrizozo.

At dusk, Carrizozo Volunteer Fire Department will

begin the annual fireworks display which has been approved by the state fire marshal and is the only display in Lincoln County. The display will be held at Carrizozo Lake at the golf course. There will be no charge to watch the display, but donations will be accepted.

Special horse races are set at Ruidoso Downs Race Track. Activities continue after July 4 in Capitan. On Friday,

July 5 open jackpot barrel racing continues at 2 p.m. and the Stampede performance will be at 7 p.m., both at the fairgrounds. On Saturday, July 6 the Old West Ranch Rodeo will begin at noon and the Stampede will begin at 7 p.m. and the dance at 9 p.m.

On Sunday, July 7, the Old West Ranch Rodeo will be held at noon, and the final Stampede performance begins at 7 p.m.

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directed him to the state statutes which allow municipalities to govern water use within their jurisdiction.

Deputy village manager Alan Briley said Tuesday, that there are 55 known wells in Ruidoso. Briley said the village will send courtesy letters to those individuals informing them of the change in the ordinance.

In response to a question from the audience whether the ordinance will affect the golf courses, Briley said the golf courses have adjudicated water rights to their wells. The water contingency plan will affect only who have domestic wells, without adjudicated water rights. Under current state law, owners of domestic wells can use up to

three acre feet a year without having to have an adjudicated (or legally defined by a court) water right. However, state law also provides that use of domestic wells within a municipality can be controlled by local ordinance.

Under the new ordinance, when the village is experiencing moderately dry times and water supplies are reduced, villagers will be allowed to water outdoors from 6-9 p.m. on limited days.

Under Phase 3 (serious), homes and businesses with odd numbered addresses will be allowed to water on each Tuesday, those with even numbered addresses will be allowed to water on each Thursday. If water conditions are Phase 4 (severe) homes and businesses with odd numbered addresses will be allowed to water on the first and third Wednesday of the month between 6-9 p.m., and homes and businesses with even numbered addresses will be allowed to water outdoor from 6-9 p.m. on the second

and fourth Wednesday of each month. Exceptions to those watering days occurs when July 4 falls during the week. No outdoor watering will be allowed that week.

In compliance with the new ordinance, no outdoor watering will be allowed next week which includes July 4. Also, the failure of the Hollywood well had exacerbated the water shortage, causing officials to declare the Phase 5 Extreme Condition with no outdoor watering allowed and indoor conservation urged.

Some residents who commented during the public hearing Monday questioned the usefulness of the twice a month watering during Phase 4, saying it was not enough to save landscaping.

The village is working to increase its supply of water. The state engineer recently made an emergency approval for the village to pump water from one of its exploratory wells at Alto Lake into the water system. The seventh exploratory well is expected to be in production by July 4 and will provide about 100 gallons per minute. Also the second filter at Grindstone Lake is underway. A new 3.5 million gallon storage tank project and the replacement of old two-inch water lines will begin sometime in the fall.

However, levels at Grindstone Lake have dropped considerably, there is no water in Alto Lake and recent rains have been too light to create any run-off, and Rio Ruidoso is nearly dry in places said Village officials.

"We just need to pull together to conserve in these times," Jackson said.

Mayor Jerry Shaw said the current administration has done more than in recent years to obtain more water. "This will not be a popular thing as many people have started drilling (private wells)," she said. "But they need to understand it's more important to have water to drink than to have a green lawn."

Because of the water conditions brought on by the continuing drought, councilors voted to suspend approvals of any new requests for new subdivisions, including replats of existing lots within the village limits while the village is in Phases 3, 4 or 5 of the Water Contingency

Plan. Councilors debated whether such an act would include properties within the one and three mile Extra Territorial Zones. Because they lacked any specific legal opinion on this, councilors decided to not include those areas at this time.

"We have no option but to halt growth," Jackson said.

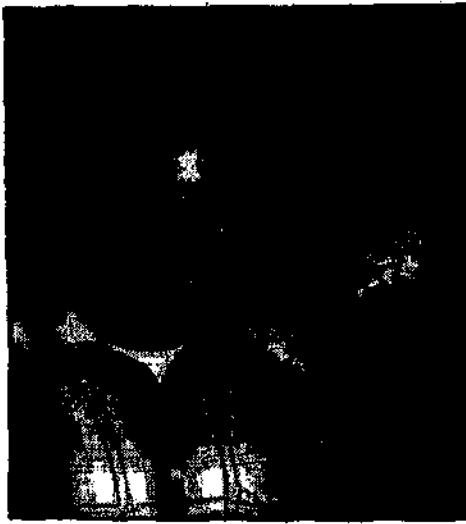
Councilors also approved a resolution which amends the 1995-96 fiscal year budget to provide for \$140,000 from the 1996-97 fiscal year budget to purchase water rights.

NM Women's Foundation Seeks Funding Proposals

The New Mexico Women's Foundation is seeking proposals for projects that benefit women and/or girls in 19 counties in the state including Lincoln County and Otero County.

Letters of project intent will be accepted for consideration by the Foundation at 1030 San Pedro NE, Albuquerque, NM 87110 until 5 p.m. July 23.

The Foundation does not fund individuals, campaigns to elect public officials or programs to promote religious activities. For grant guidelines or further information concerning the application process contact Evelyn Moffett at the New Mexico Women's Foundation at 505-268-8996.



Luis Rivera - Laurie Griego

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griego of Alamogordo announces the engagement of their daughter Laurie Griego to Luis Rivera of Amarillo, TX. Luis' parents are Luis Rivera Sr. of Newport, VA, and Miriam Rivera of Killeen, TX.

Laurie is a 1993 graduate of Capitan High School. She attended West Texas A&M University and earned a Bachelor's Degree in Nursing (BSN-RN) in 1997. She is employed at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Luis is a 1992 graduate of Killeen High School. He attended West Texas A&M University and received a degree in computer information systems in 1996. He is a 2nd Lt. in the United States Army.

The couple will be married August 3 at 3 p.m. in Santa Rita Catholic Church in Carrizozo. A reception will be held at the Carrizozo Country Club at 5 p.m.

Lincoln County Democratic Party Chair Cece Griffin Is Elected To Nat'l Convention

Lincoln County Democratic Party Chair Cece Griffin is elected to represent New Mexico at the National Democratic Convention to be held in Chicago in August.

Griffin was elected by delegates from counties in the second congressional district at the state Democratic Convention held in Albuquerque June 22.

Along with Griffin, delegates elected Dona Ana County Senator Mary Jane Garcia, Las Cruces resident Frank Berge III, Chaves County Democratic chairman Larry Hensen and Alfred J. Rucks to represent the state's second congressional district.

At the convention speakers included former Governor Bruce King, U.S. Senator Jeff Bingaman and guest speaker Senator Christopher Dodd, Democratic National Committee chairman.

During the convention members adopted the 1996 party platform that advocates families and communities; planning for the future; support for public schools; prevention of crime by strengthening families, education and opportunities; health care access for every New Mexican; creation of an atmosphere that encourages business; protection of the state's environment and development of alternative and renewable sources of energy; civil/human rights; recognition of sovereignty of the 23 resident Indian tribes; fair taxation; fair and compassionate means of balancing the federal budget; campaign reform that allows more citizens to participate as candidates; support for the arts.

Vacation Bible School Will Be Held At Anoho

Vacation Bible School will be held at Mountain Ministry Parish of Anoho Community Presbyterian Church July 8-12 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon each day.

All children are invited to attend. For more information or if you need a ride call 505-648-2850.

Ruidoso Will Look . . .

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needs to look at the cost of doing its own trash collection, but added that it is a two-fold problem. He suggested a surcharge on Ruidoso residents to deal with the pine needle and bear trash problems.

Donaldson said that a village plan to pick up needles and bear-caused trash would be a precursor to the village assuming trash collection, if the study shows it is feasible.

Councilor Leon Eggleston said he was not in favor of raising rates with the current level of service and he advocated the village look at the costs of getting back into the trash business.

Councilor Joe Gomez agreed, and added he believed the pride was no longer there. Shaw concurred. "Part of the responsibility is with the person who picks up around the dumpsters. I don't think the pride is there anymore," she said.

Former councilor and LCSWA member Al Junge spoke about the situation, and called for the council to allow LCSWA to rectify its current problems which he blamed on the lack of management. Junge asked the council to delay its decision on getting back into the trash collection business until LCSWA could hire a new manager on Wednesday. "Find out what's wrong with LCSWA," Junge said. He suggested the village give the new LCSWA manager a list of problems so he will know what he is getting into.

Junge acknowledged there are problems with LCSWA, which he helped set up about six years ago. However, Junge has been gone about three years, and returned just weeks ago. When visiting the LCSWA transfer station recently, Junge said he found it in "horrible shape. I found employees doing nothing. You can't run a business that way."

Junge said that many of the problems appear to come from the change over of managers, and lack of supervision over maintenance of trucks and transfer equipment. "Why they're missing routes is the equipment is going to hell," he said.

However, Junge cautioned the council about breaking away from LCSWA. "You better look at the contract, as there is some liability."

Junge closed his comments by urging the council to make sure LCSWA picks up everything in Ruidoso, and not on a selective basis. "See that they do it right," he said.

Shaw said Ruidoso has informed all three LCSWA managers about the problems, with few results.

Donaldson said Junge's arguments are why the council wants to look at the cost of the village assuming solid waste collection and he proposed that a professional study be done to look at every alternative. "If not we neglect our elected duty to protect citizens," he said.

Shaw said that LCSWA does not operate as a unit, rather there are disagreements between the village and county members about which entity subsidizes the LCSWA operations.

Donaldson made the motion to authorize the study for removing bags of pine needles and other litter and to do a feasibility study of the village doing its own solid waste collection. All councilors voted aye.

Councilors also: --Awarded the contract for construction of a storage shed and sun shade structures at Sierra Blanca Regional Airport to Diamond Y Construction of Roswell with the low bid of \$192,334.87.

--Approved a joint powers agreement with the state highway department for \$525,000 in grant funding for the Scenic Byways Billy the

Kid Trail, with agreement the village will provide \$132,000 in matching funds.

--Renewed its contract with the Humane Society of Lincoln County for kennel services.

--Awarded contract to James Duncan and Associates to do an Impact Fee Study relating to streets, water, sewer and waste water treatment, as required by state law. The village cannot impose impact fees on new development without such studies, and establishment of a Capital improvements advising committee. An ordinance will be drafted to establish the committee.

--Accepted the contract renewal with Local 3545 International Association of Fire Fighters and a resolution relating to PERA contributions for fire fighters.

--Okayed the annual \$1,200 agreement with Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District.

Corona FFA Attends State FFA Convention

Eight members of the Corona FFA chapter were in Las Cruces June 3-6 to attend the 68th annual State FFA Convention. Members attending were Rick Bagley, Lindsey Bonds, Shayla Marshall, Logan Marshall, John Gnatkowski, Rocky Bagley, Courtney Perez, and Andrew Bagley, and sponsors Jim Bagley, Janice Bonds, Callie Gnatkowski, and advisor Craig Painter.

Awards were presented to outstanding members and degrees were received by qualified recipients.

John Gnatkowski was awarded District V Star Greenhand, Shayla Marshall received her state FFA degree, and Lindsey Bonds received the Blue & Gold Presidents Award. The Corona FFA chapter was one of the eight chapters to receive the Superior Chapter Award.

National FFA vice-president Bill Catania from Westfield, NY and Dr. Rick Rigby from Texas A&M University addressed the convention.

Catania is a role model for FFA members with the same dreams. "When I joined FFA, I realized that leaders are ordinary people with extraordinary determination," he said. His address focused on the leadership skills developed in FFA. The leadership skills that last for a lifetime and that will carry on in any career choice.

Dr. Rigby was a true inspiration. He believes FFA is the superior youth organization.

The 68th annual state FFA convention was a complete

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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—Alcoholic Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. at Carrizozo Senior Citizens Center. Call 648-2313 for information.
—Adult singles group meets in Ruidoso at 6:30 p.m. For more information call 257-2505 or 258-3201.

THURSDAY, JUNE 27

—Public hearing at Lincoln County Fairgrounds at 4 p.m. for county commissioners to receive public input on the impact the proposed conversion of Camp Sierra Blanca into a juvenile offenders environmental camp will have on Lincoln County.
—Carrizozo Town Council meets at 6 p.m. at city hall.
—Rancho De Torres Mass at the Aldas Ranch west of Lincoln on Highway 380 at 6 p.m. followed by traditional western potluck fiesta. Meet at Sacred Heart Church in Capitan at 5:30 for directions.
—Open House at Ruidoso Downs Senior Citizens Center 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Ribbon cutting for the new kitchen will be held.

MONDAY, JULY 1

—Capitan Chamber of Commerce meets at 12:30 p.m. at the chamber building on Second Street.
—Public hearing at Alto Golf and Country Club at 5 p.m. for county commissioners to receive public input on the impact the proposed conversion of Camp Sierra Blanca into a juvenile offenders environmental camp will have on Lincoln County.
—Lincoln County Republican Party meets at 6:15 p.m. at Marie LaVeaux Restaurant in Ruidoso. Lincoln County Sheriff candidate Tom Sullivan will speak. For reservations call Genevieve Sewell at 258-5764 or Jimmie Luna at 648-2732 by noon Sat., June 29.

TUESDAY, JULY 2

—Lincoln County Commissioners meet at 9 a.m. in their chambers in the courthouse in Carrizozo for a regular session.
—Carrizozo Town Council and Capitan Village Trustees will hold a joint special meeting at 6:30 p.m. at Capitan Village Hall to hold a closed session to discuss property and litigation.
—Public hearing at Ruidoso Civic Events Center at 5 p.m. for county commissioners to receive public input on the impact the proposed conversion of Camp Sierra Blanca into a juvenile offenders environmental camp will have on Lincoln County.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

—Lincoln County News will be published this day because the July 4 holiday is on Thursday.

THURSDAY, JULY 4

—Independence Day. All public offices and banks closed. Events are planned in Capitan and Carrizozo.

FRIDAY, JULY 5

—40th Annual Smokey Bear Stampede continues through Sunday at fairgrounds in Capitan.

Hightower - Vanier Wedding In Kirksville, MO.



Mr. & Mrs. Shawn Vanier

Cheryl Elena Hightower was married May 12 to Shawn Joseph Vanier in the First Presbyterian Church in Kirksville, MO.

Cheryl's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hightower of Ancho. Her grandparents are Mrs. John A. Hightower of Ancho, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flynt of Alamogordo.

Shawn's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Vanier of Vergennes, Vermont.

Rev. Clifford Hayes performed the wedding ceremony.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a full length white satin gown with a castilian train. It featured a sweetheart neckline and was embellished with chantilly lace and pearls. She carried a bouquet of white alstroes, tulips, and dextrubiums, and purple statice with ivy interspersed. She wore a cameo pendant belonging to her grandmother Mrs. Joe Flynt.

Cheryl's sister, Mrs. Lisa Pillar of Madison, Wisconsin, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Katherine and Mollie Hightower of Ancho, sisters of the bride. The bridesmaids wore purple street length dresses with sweetheart necklines and

carried white tulips.

Scott Vanier from Virginia Beach, VA, brother of the groom, was best man. David Pillar, brother-in-law of the bride, and Gerry Plouffe, Vergennes Vermont, brother-in-law of the groom, were groomsmen. The flower girl and ring bearer were the groom's niece and nephew, Aimee and Bryan Plouffe of Vermont.

Among those attending the wedding from out of state were the parents of the bride

and groom, grandparents of the bride, and Lisa Mabrey from Virginia.

The bride is a 1996 graduate of Northeast Missouri State in Kirksville. The groom graduated from the University of Maine-Machias in 1992.

After a honeymoon at Disneyworld the couple will make their home in Las Vegas, Nevada where Shawn will be employed as a security guard and Cheryl will pursue graduate studies at UNLV in plant ecology.

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Michael Ortiz Named To Position In Fresno

Dr. J. Michael Ortiz has been appointed associate provost for academic planning and student services at California State University in Fresno, California effective Aug. 1. Ortiz is a native of Carrizozo and the son of Cecilia and the late S.M. "Sally" Ortiz of Carrizozo.

Ortiz received his baccalaureate degree in English and secondary education and his master's degree in special education at the University of New Mexico. He received his

Ph.D. in early childhood special education at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill and did post-doctoral study at Harvard University in the Institute for the Management of Lifelong Learning.

Ortiz has served as interim provost at the University of Southern Colorado in Pueblo, Colorado for the past year. Previously he was associate provost and professor of education and during 1990-93

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New Horizons Offers Scholarship Funds For College Sophomores

New Horizons Developmental Center, Inc. in Carrizozo has \$500 in scholarship funds available for individuals of at least sophomore standing at a college or university.

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New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hammond of Monett, MO announce the arrival of their son Zechariah Thomas on June 19 at 5:15 p.m.

Zack weighed 6 lbs. 11 oz and was 19 3/4 in. long. He is welcomed at home by sister Sara, age four.

Maternal grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. John Atchley of Cassville, MO. Paternal grandparents are Bud and Ruth Hammond of Carrizozo.

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THOUGHTS

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Close Fort post office?

By Ruth Hammond

Two issues have caused more than a little concern this past week. One is the announcement by postal authorities that the Fort Stanton Post Office would be closed August 1, 1996. The plan was to place cluster-type locked mail boxes at the location.

As many of you readers know, the fate of Fort Stanton has been the subject of many editorials. Several times it has been mentioned in this column that if the Fort Stanton post office is closed it will NEVER be opened again and that will mean that Fort Stanton will be removed from the maps of New Mexico.

It is tragic that the actions taken by governor Gary Johnson less than two weeks into his administration would result in our nation losing one of the oldest and best preserved pre-Civil War forts in the United States. Apparently governor Johnson doesn't care because he has not kept his promises to "have something in place at Fort Stanton by June 30, 1995." Here it is a year later and we are still waiting, and waiting, and waiting.

The Fort Stanton post office is not only one of the oldest post offices in the state, it is THE oldest post office in Lincoln County. It is more than a shame to replace it with new metallic cluster boxes and to have Fort Stanton become extinct just as certain animal species have become extinct through the years.

When the whooping crane population dwindled to 20 there was a public outcry to do something. Through constant effort and work the whooping crane has made a comeback and while the number of whooping cranes is not what it once was, there is hope that the number will continue to increase.

Maybe if there is a public outcry about losing the Fort Stanton post office before it actually happens this tragedy can be averted just as the extinction of the whooping crane was averted. It will take the voices of not only one person but many people to get the attention of the people in charge to listen and make the decision to keep the Fort Stanton post office open.

There are many ways you can help. One is to sign one of the petitions being circulated in Lincoln County. The best way is for each one of you to let the elected officials know that you want Fort Stanton post office to remain open. And you should let them know as soon as possible because things happen slowly in government. Even a short handwritten note is better than not doing anything until after the Fort Stanton post office is closed and then griping about why it happened and who did it.

Address of lawmakers to contact: U.S. Senator Pete Domenici, 328 Hart Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510; U.S. Representative Joe Skeen, 2367 Rayburn Building, Washington, D.C. 20515; State Senator Pete Campos, P.O. Drawer 449, Santa Rosa, NM 88435; State Representative Dub Williams, HC 66, Box 10, Glencoe, NM 88324. If these lawmakers hear from people maybe they will help us keep Fort Stanton on the map.

The other concern is about an incident that happened at the drag races at the Carrizozo Municipal Airport on Father's Day. It seems that several spectators, including small children, were frightened and barely escaped being injured when a local pilot decided to fly out of the airport even though notification had been obtained through the FAA to close the airport that day. The Drag Club has received permission from the Town of Carrizozo to close the airport once a month for the drag races.

The official closure signals were in place at the end of the runways but the pilot chose to taxi his plane dangerously near the crowd and took off, spewing dirt and rocks on everyone. If it had been an emergency The Drag Club would have cleared the runway within a matter of minutes. The drag races have brought much-needed revenue to Carrizozo and we can only hope this incident will not cause Carrizozo to lose the monthly drag races.

Write a letter to lawmakers today!

LETTERS to the editor

EDITOR: We would like to thank the three Forest Service Crews along with our local Fire Department who showed up at our home recently when we had a fire in a compost pile caused by spontaneous combustion. Had it not been for their quick action, this fire could have been a lot worse. These people are to be commended for their dedicated efforts. Thanks again.
JACK and CHUCK JOHNSON
Capitan, NM

EDITOR: Attention please all users of natural gas in Capitan and Carrizozo.

After attending the hearing in Santa Fe Tuesday for the Zia Natural Gas request to enlarge their franchise area I was disappointed to find nothing was resolved. But I did learn how a company with unlimited funds can harass a public utility that operates only for the good of its patrons and not for private profit. The request was just a sham.

We must keep the "Lincoln County Gas War" going to protect the elderly and low income citizens instead of lining the pockets of the private individuals and attorneys.

I have heard several remarks that Capitan Carrizozo Public Utility would be better off to sell instead of fighting. It is time to forget your negative feelings and let your council members know how you feel and thank them for not bowing to "the big money".

A company that operates for profit will naturally apply for a rate increase if they take over our Public Utility as they must show a profit for the investment they have made and incurred expenses.

I made this trip to Santa Fe at my own expense to be sure I got the correct information from the hearing. Please help protect our gas utility!
RUSSELL F. GRISWOLD
Carrizozo, NM

EDITOR: July 4, 1996, is Independence Day. If we lose our democracy, it won't be due to the government taking it away from us; it will be due to our peacefully giving it up through greed and apathy.

It is a shame that only 55.9% of the eligible American voters actually voted during the 1992 Presidential Election. There is no such thing as a democracy without voters. If you truly wish to preserve our democratic way of life, you must vote! Since apathy is a threat to our nation, are the apathetic nonvoters true patriots?

The biased voters will always vote straight-ticket. The law of averages indicates that not all of the candidates of a given party can always be the best, while those of another party can always be the worst. There are some democrats who are more republican than they are democratic, because some republicans register as democrats in their

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Inside The Capitol

by Jay Miller

SANTA FE—The standoff between White Sands Missile Range (WSMR) and the Victorio Peak treasure hunters continues.

At issue is the Army's refusal to provide the Ova Noss Family Partnership (ONFP) with a breakdown of costs for which ONFP has been regularly billed over the past four years.

General partner Terry Delonas, a grandson of Ova Noss whose husband "Doc" claimed to have discovered caverns filled with gold bars, coins, jewels and artifacts, says the reimbursements for support costs have run several times higher than the estimates they were given before beginning their exploration.

But WSMR officials dismiss the complaint saying they don't itemize bills for any group working on the base.

That's pretty amazing considering that last February the base proudly announced a new mission statement designed to make itself more customer-friendly. Brig. Gen. Jerry Laws, the range commander, said he wanted to change White Sand's elitist attitude and find a way to reduce the costs that customers are being charged so that WSMR could satisfy its customers with the most responsive, cost-effective and capable services possible.

Evidently that doesn't include itemizing bills.

Most of WSMR's customers are private companies, many of them under contract by other departments of the federal government. Since WSMR's charges are merely passed on to these other governmental agencies by the private contractors, they seemingly wouldn't care much about their bills being itemized.

But the treasure hunters operate on a slim budget with mostly volunteer labor so cost control is very important to them. They also are different from typical WSMR custom-

ers in that they are on the missile range by virtue of an act of Congress and a U.S. Army license, both of which Delonas says contain specific provisions about reimbursement of costs.

WSMR could have allowed ONFP onto the base without congressional mandate, but it wanted to be sure it could receive the reimbursement payments directly. So the partners got what the base requested through the efforts of Rep. Joe Skeen and the New Mexico congressional delegation.

During the time that ONFP was exploring on the missile range, Delonas and the other partners kept quiet about the overcharges and about evidence it kept finding that corroborated stories they had heard about illegal military excavations at the peak over a period from 1958 to 1989, because it knew it was at the mercy of the WSMR bureaucracy.

Delonas doesn't feel the fault lies with the four commanding officers he has dealt with over the years at WSMR. He says it is the staff that tell their version of the Victorio Peak story to each new commander and who have successfully kept the commanders from hearing directly from Delonas.

Now that ONFP has decided to draw the line on the excessive charges, the partners have taken their case back to Congress and may seek judicial relief. They've also begun to tell their story to the media.

With further exploration on hold, the treasure hunters are using their time to comb through old records and archives the partnership has assembled through the years from family members, from others who say they have been into the caverns, and from government documents obtained through the Freedom of Information Act.

So far the documents have yielded important informa-

tion about routes used by Doc Noss and others who ventured all the way down to the caverns. Much also has been learned about government activity in the area.

In future columns we will let you know about some of the unauthorized government explorations at the peak, along with further details on the missile range's excessive charges and the harassment ONFP has endured from the WSMR bureaucracy and from the Army's field archaeologists.

Ban On Fireworks Continues In State

The use and sale of class "C" fireworks and missiles, helicopters, rockets and stick-type rockets is banned throughout the state of New Mexico indefinitely.

New Mexico State Fire Board and state Fire Marshal issued the order on June 18 because of the extreme fire hazard associated with the continuing drought. A temporary order against fireworks had been issued in May and was to have expired by June 18. But weather forecasts of continuing drought prompted the board to order the indefinite ban.

Sale and use of class "B" fireworks (such as those for public display) will be allowed upon written approval of the state fire marshal and local fire officials.

Fireworks are always banned in the national forests. Fireworks are also banned in the village of Ruidoso, town of Carrizozo, and all of Lincoln County.

Forest and local law enforcement officials will continue to aggressively enforce the fireworks ban and the forest closures. Lincoln County sheriff's deputies will also be out in the forests on the weekends, their overtime pay reimbursed from federal forest emergency funds.

Despite scattered rain showers, closures remain in effect in the Lincoln National Forest. Lincoln County sheriff's deputy Charley Engelking, working on forest patrol, reports that most people are still complying with the closures. But in Otter County, 15 people were cited at the Highway 84 tunnel area for violating the closure.

Seventy percent of Lincoln National Forest was closed on May 20. But forest personnel believe the strong public sup-

No Outdoor Watering Allowed In Ruidoso Even If Water Comes From A Private Well

by Doris Cherry

Just when Ruidoso was holding its own, balancing the demand for water with its available supply, the Hollywood well goes down.

With the well out of service, water storage in the five million gallon tanks dropped 10 feet as villagers used 2.5 million gallons more than was being produced in the village water system. That prompted village officials to call a halt on all outdoor watering.

As of Tuesday, the village of Ruidoso went back into Phase 5 of its emergency water contingency plan which makes it a finable offense to water outdoors. Village officials made the announcement at the regular Ruidoso Council meeting Tuesday. Village manager Gary Jackson said the pump and a major valve at the Hollywood well failed. A crew is on its way from Colorado to replace the specialized valve.

Deputy manager Alan Briley said he hopes the well will be up by Monday, so the village can refill its storage tanks before the July 4 holiday weekend. The Hollywood well produces about 750,000 gallons of water a day.

"I was going to give a good report," Briley said to the council about how residents have been complying with the water conservation. "We have conserved quite a lot of water," he said. "But it's not enough with the well down."

port for the closure is now wearing thin. "People are getting tired of the closure and are beginning to creep back into the Forest," said forest service law officer Hook Murray. "Folks are anxious to resume their outdoor recreational activities."

Despite requests to re-open the forests after recent rainstorms, forest officials will keep the closures in place because the rain did not alter the extreme fire danger.

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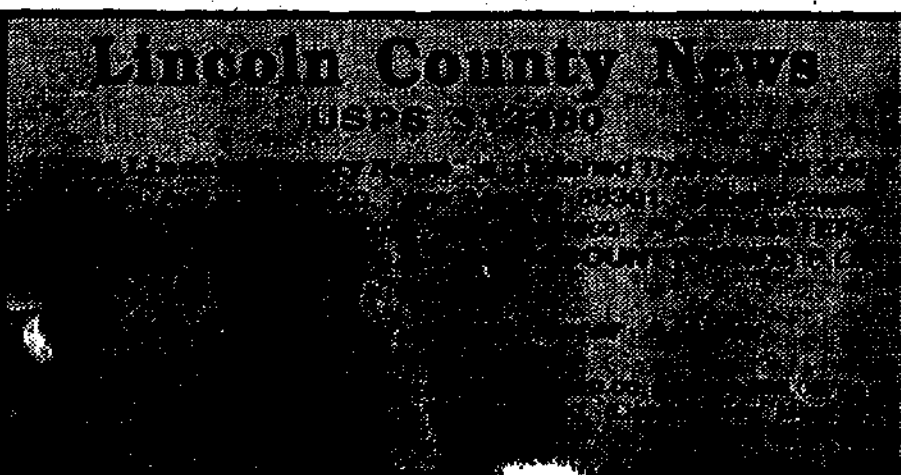
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Letters to

predominantly democratic districts. There are democrats who use the same tactics. Many win elections, in both parties, in this manner.

Cast an informed vote. We must consider the incumbents' past voting records and/or actions vice their rhetoric. Additionally, I do not consider the presentation of negative "facts" as mudslinging. Finally, be leery of the various proposals on your ballot.

Many patriots have given their lives and limbs, in order to establish and preserve our democracy; all we have to give is our time to preserve our democratic way of life. Vote often, objectively and smart!

FRANKLIN L. BOREN
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C'zozo Schools To Get . . .

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approval for Hemphill and Ashcroft to begin the computer project. Superintendent Paula Papponi said the project will fulfill the district's commitment to a better technology curriculum.

In order to keep computers, teachers and students operating well, the board approved a \$97,442.78 air-conditioning project for classrooms, computer labs, cafeteria and high school offices. The evaporative air conditioning system will be thermostat controlled, with programmable timers which will automatically turn off or on units at certain times. The roof-mounted air conditioners features recirculating pumps to reduce hard water build up, which will reduce amount of maintenance needed.

All State Mechanical of Albuquerque will install the system. Larry Kolek from All State suggested board members set aside extra funds for utilities next year, because the district's energy costs will go up with the cooling which they do not have now.

To better create an educational environment which is inviting to students, the district will install new carpeting in various rooms and in the high school halls. The high quality carpet from Collins and Ackman will be installed by Allied School and Office of Albuquerque in elementary classrooms, Manire classrooms and hall, high school hallway and two classrooms in Clegg Hall for a cost of \$43,229.92.

Michael Ortiz Named

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was dean of continuing education and director of summer school.

He has also served on the faculty and in administrative positions at Appalachian State University in North Carolina and was a research assistant and doctoral fellow in early education for children with handicaps at the Frank Porter Graham Child Development Center located at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill.

Ortiz was one of 50 candidates for the position as associate provost for academic planning and student services at California State University. He will be responsible for overseeing general education, academic program review, student recruitment and retention, enrollment planning, strategic planning and development of integrated co-curricular services for students.

Dr. Ortiz and his wife Betty have two daughters, Sumer and Megan.

Corona FFA Attend

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success. We would like to commend the 1995-96 state officers for a job well done. We are especially proud of Rick Bagley as he served as our 1995-96 State Sentinel.

We are looking forward to next year's state convention with new officers.

Courtesy Paula Corona FFA Reporter

Both All State and Allied are vendors with Cooperative Education Services which provides bidding services to school districts.

Other projects for the bond money this first year are the purchase of new teacher desks and chairs, replacement of broken and nonoperative doors which are high priority due to safety and necessary site improvements, and architectural services. Papponi said the site improvements would include replacement of cabinets and counter tops, especially in the elementary rooms, new chalk and marker boards and a trophy case.

Because the district is bonded to 96 percent capacity, the district can apply for state critical capital outlay funds to continue remodeling projects. Also the SB9 mill levy funds can be used after the district purchases a new activity bus with the money.

The board also held a closed session for personnel after which they came into open session and voted to accept the resignation of maintenance custodian Ben Bradley.

Carrizozo Municipal Court Report For May

Carrizozo Municipal Judge Bill Meeke reported the following judicial activity for May 1996:

Four warrants for arrest issued, nine orders issued for show cause and summons to appear, two summons issued, six warning letters sent, two marriages performed, and 27 cases docketed.

Financial summary for May:

Collections and assessments from all sources included \$847 total fines and fees assessed, \$1,244.96 total fines, fees, restitution, and time payments collected, with \$547 fines and fees still owed at end of May.

General fund allocations included \$565 fines allocated to general fund and \$441.86 time payments to general fund for a total \$1,006.86 total general fund collections with \$674.23 time payments still owed to general fund.

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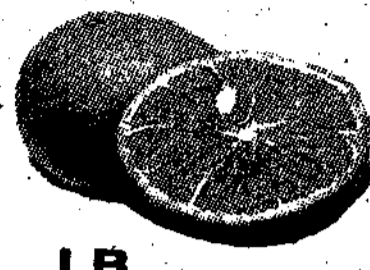
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CAPITAN NOTES



CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE E. SHIRLEY BACA visits with Capitan area resident Thelma Stephens (right) during the Lincoln County Democratic Party fundraiser held last week.

Greetings from my old house by the side of the road to your house.

I promised to give my granddaughter's dog Murphy Brown top billing in my column because Murphy Brown did herself and her owner proud in the 1996 Mutt Dog Derby in the Weiner Dog finalists held at the huge casino in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

In case you are not up on your midwest geography, Council Bluffs, Iowa and Omaha, Nebraska are separated by the Missouri River. So the racetrack which is host to numerous activities draws huge crowds from both sides of the Muddy, MO, as it is sometimes referred to.

Now, Katie's dog Murphy Brown, named for Candace Bergen's role of Murphy Brown in the television series, was certainly not a prospect for star billing when the Andersons took her in. She was the runt of the litter that Katie's baby sitter was unloading on the parents as they came to pick up their children. Needless to add that the sitter had already introduced the little ones in her care to the little four-legged critters before their respective parents arrived. Rather clever, you might think, but my daughter was not too pleased to add Murphy Brown, as she was already named by Katie, to the family roster.

But now, oh my goodness, Murphy Brown is so famous in her immediate family and in her neighborhood that even I must pay some homage to the little creature. Besides, the above was faxed to me by my special son-in-law Jace Anderson and I quote, "Murphy got eight pounds of dog food, four pig ears (whatever that is) and a big gift basket with four view box tickets to an Omaha Royals baseball game, a box of doggy treats and other goodies."

"The biggest prize was in coming in second out of a total of 40 or so dachshunds that raced throughout Saturday morning and a great memory of a fun day that cost us a little time and \$10 that went to the Council Bluffs dog shelter," signed, Jace, Trish, Katie and the second fastest dachshund in Nebraska and Iowa, Murphy Brown.

Second billing goes to Sarah Ewoldt for the following announcement:

JULY MEETING EXTENSION CLUB

The club will meet July 10th at 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Citizens Center in Capitan. Pam Miller, 4-H organizational leader, will bring the 4-H members to the meeting.

They will speak about 4-H projects they have taken and the citizenship Washington focus trip. And in the afternoon Helen Lock will be demonstrating machine applique.

Have a great time girls. Wish I was talented along those lines and I envy all the beautiful things you gals turn out.

Received a real nice note from Frankie Silva from the hospital and in case you friends of Frankie misplaced the address, here it is again. Tranquellina (Frankie) Silva, Room 143, Ward 5A, V.A. Hospital, 2100 Ridgecrest Drive, Albuquerque, NM 87108.

And thank you Frankie for the lovely note. Will try to answer this week. Seems each day gets shorter as I get older and older. But perhaps I just crowd too much into one day and then expect miracles.

Welcome home Elaine Beaudry. And don't be planning any more trips until after you get me safely deposited in Ireland and home again. That is an order!

Nice surprise the other morning. Was sitting out on the porch drinking the last cup of coffee in the pot when Bea Peyton drove by, spied me, slammed on her brakes and came in and we had a great, great visit. Bea is one of my favorite folks and we have known each other from the beginning of time. My time that is. Will never forget when she stopped one morning and found me trying to wallpaper the kitchen. "Stop right there," she ordered. "Let me go home and feed Ed and I'll be back to help you." And that she did, that she did.

There aren't many folks like that around anymore, or if there are, they are few and far between. Times have been changing and you know what? Cannot honestly say they are for the better.

Almost ran into Benny Coker this morning in my dash out of the post office as he was entering. Benny is one of those lucky people that look handsomer and younger than the last time you saw him. What is your secret Benny?

Inez Marrs was in Capitan, or I should say Ruidoso, over the weekend and I saw her at church. Think she sort of kinda missed Capitan.

Also had a nice visit with Emmett Downes and his beautiful wife. Two very delightful folks that have decided to make Ruidoso their home instead of Ireland. So

glad they did. It is certainly Ruidoso's gain and Ireland's loss.

Bob and Gerry Rice took me to church. I was all ready when Agatha, my faithful and wonderful friend, called and said the time had slipped away and there was no way she could make it. So not wanting to waste the effort and effect of getting dressed up in this ungodly hot weather, dialed Bob and Gerry and got the darned answering ma-

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chine and almost hung up when Bob said, "We'll pick you up." Friends are the greatest, aren't they?

And so for another week let me end with an old Irish blessing:

May the Saints protect ye.
An' sorrow neglect ye.
An' bad luck T' the one That doesn't respect ye.
An' the top of the morning T' all that belong T' ye.
An' long life T' yer honour;
That's the end of my song T' ye.

Traditional Irish Blessing.
What did you think of that Emmett? See you in church.

Farm Bureau Plans Program To Help in Drought Emergency

A statewide effort to assist New Mexico farm and ranch families with drought emergencies is being coordinated by the N.M. Farm and Livestock Bureau as a "family helping family" program, according to John Van Sweden, president of the organization.

The Farm Bureau has agreed to coordinate the program after requests from across the state for assistance in providing hay and supplemental feed for livestock. In an effort to expedite the effort, Farm Bureau is seeking monetary donations that will be used to purchase emergency feed for animals and to pay for transportation costs for delivering the commodities to drought stricken families.

Van Sweden said, "This will essentially be a program whereby New Mexicans can help New Mexicans through this disaster. Farm Bureau will provide the means and not one cent will be spent on administration."

Donations can be mailed to Drought Fund, N.M. Farm Bureau, 421 N. Water St., Las Cruces, NM 88001. All funds will be deposited in a special account within the N.M. Farm Bureau Foundation, a legal entity set up for such activities.

Ten years ago the N.M. Farm and Livestock Bureau coordinated a massive hay lift to drought stricken Georgia when that state was facing an emergency situation.

CORONA NEWS

Corona senior citizens had a very interesting field trip Tuesday. They saw emus and eggs, other exotic birds while visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Duke and Mrs. Jerry Rasak, also Wanda's flower garden and Lanita's roses. Fred Porter answered questions about his ostrich ranch and served punch and cookies. They ate a sack lunch at the picnic grounds, lamented the fire damage and came home by way of the Sanchez ranch.

The rains are not yet general and reports have been in amounts from zero to three inches with a little tank water in spots.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harrelson, recently of Los Alamos, have put a new Oak Creek mobile home at 640 Franklin St. Helping with getting things out of storage over the weekend were two grandsons from Los Alamos: Don Harrelson and wife Lesly, and Glendon Wheelock and friend Anne Vigil. Mrs. Harrelson's cousins, Roger and Jaclyn Oliver, Alambre, California and Dimples Cancler, Tularosa were here Monday.

Scott Mulkey and daughter Amanda, were here from Alamogordo Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Roy Owen and granddaughters, Jessica and Elizabeth Bennett spent the weekend at the ranch and enjoyed the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Huey are the parents of 7-lb. 3-oz. Christian Mikayla, born June 11 in Albuquerque. The baby has a sister, Taylor. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huey of Corona.

Bible school at the Baptist Church started Monday. Mary Jo Shafer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shafer and six teenagers from Hale Center, TX are helping.

Alva Winchester has retired again and is attending a family reunion in California. In September, he will join his sister and brother-in-law, Helen and Allen Campbell in managing Rancho Sonora, an RV park in Florence, AZ.

Bill Winchester who has been living with his younger son in Washington near the Canadian border has now moved to Oklahoma to be near his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hillger, Mesa, AZ and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hillger, Las Cruces, stopped by the Perkins Tuesday morning on their way to a business meeting in Santa Rosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradford attended a luncheon meeting Tuesday where the Alamogordo Association of Realtors recognized one of their own, Irene Price, a realtor there since 1956. The vice president and director of the board of governors of Lubbock Christian University, the mayor and several business leaders paid tribute to Miss Price. Mr. Bradford was one of the toasters representing her clients. Miss Price and Betty Dare had a dream which resulted in the nursing home. The day after the luncheon the Alamogordo paper shows a picture of a helmeted Miss Price with her spade turning over the first earth for a Good Samaritan senior apartment, a continuation of the first dream. Miss Price, a tiny lady, taught math to the University of Indiana football team at night and was one of a handful of women to receive a Ph.D. in math before WWII.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yancey attended a Roper family reunion in Tucumcari. Bernice McCord returned home with them. Then Mr. and Mrs. Troy Yancey came to take them for dinner on Father's day.

Reatha Melton Reynolds, El Paso, and daughter Roma Duncan, Shreveport, Louisiana were renewing acquaintances here and making arrangements for some improvements around family graves.

Word has been received of the death of Mildred Downing Johnson of Alamogordo May 31st. Mildred's father, O.M. Downing was a longtime SP depot agent here.

Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Fouratt and their guests, General and Mrs. Lorenzo Iannacero of Imparis, Italy visited friends in Corona. They had been on a quick trip to Santa Fe. The men have been friends who kept in touch since WWII. Victoria is a Shiatsu Therapist. She has wonderfully soft but strong hands and graciously explained her technique.

Mrs. Bill Bryan attended the Action Research Conference in Taos recently. The Corona schools have a grant for use in social studies and science.

Rebekah Bryan has returned home to Las Cruces and Cathy Bryan has left after the girls visited their father and grandmother. Cathy and Erica Bryan graduated this spring from the University of Oklahoma. Cathy will be in grad school at the University of Ohio and Erica will continue graduate

work at a California university.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Robinson, Greeley, Colorado are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Robinson.

Pauline McCloud has returned from a special vacation with her daughters and families in Bloomfield and Astec. Taunya Dix graduated from Bloomfield High School and James David Lackey from Astec. Mrs. McCloud now has seen all her grandchildren graduate from high school except for the youngest, Matthew May, now ten.

The same weekend Beth Lackey, daughter of Bonnie and James, became the bride of Will Lee. The six Lackey brothers and their spouses and some children were in attendance. They were together for the first time since the death of their mother. Wesley and Jan, Dallas; Archie and Lane, Tjeras; Daniel and Ricky, Farmington; Norman and Rita, Alamogordo; Norman and Bobbie, Cuba; and James and Bonnie, Aztec.

Hondo Valley Public Schools Honor Roll 4th Nine Weeks

First Grade:
Superintendent's: Justine Candelaria; A Honor Roll: Patrick Chavez, Pancho Ontiveros, Angelie Garcia; B Honor Roll: Maegan Parmley, Dolores Medina, Makenzy Wolfarth.

Second Grade:
A Honor Roll: Edwing Ibarra, Angelica Chavez; B Honor Roll: Fidel Hernandez, Daniel Chavez, Micah Wolfarth.

Third Grade:
A Honor Roll: E.J. Sanchez, Humberto Lerma, J.C. Yorum, Airika Perez; B Honor Roll: Clint Skeen, Jamie Garcia, Dawn Salcido.

Fourth Grade:
Superintendent's: Hannah Hagstrom; A Honor Roll: Tyler Skeen; B Honor Roll: Josephine Gutierrez, Harmony Haun, David Miranda, Samantha Gonzales.

Fifth Grade:
A Honor Roll: Jessica Candelaria, Jackie Chavez; B Honor Roll: Dominic Ortega, Sara Romero.

Sixth Grade:
A Honor Roll: Christina Sanchez, Carlos Miranda; B Honor Roll: Stefanie Archuleta, Sarah Sanchez, Kalya Gomez, Amelia Herrera, Renee Lopez, Cynthia Lucero, Shannon McNatt, C. J. McTeigue, Ashley Osborn, Fabien Sanchez, Tyler Sisneros.

Seventh Grade:
Honor Roll: Adan Lerma, Kizzy Haun, Jose Luis Ontiveros, Diego Ontiveros.

Eighth Grade:
Honor Roll: Martin Richardson, Jessica Ann Sanchez.

Ninth Grade:
Superintendent's: Bethany Sanchez, Christina Chavez, Yadira Lerma, Karla Martinez; Honor Roll: Robert DeBaca, Sandra Medina.

Tenth Grade:
Superintendent's: Adam Herrera; Honor Roll: Bismark Aguilera, Glen White.

Eleventh Grade:
Superintendent's: Cassie Garrett; Honor Roll: Tara Richardson, Michael Archuleta, Rebecca Zinn.

Twelfth Grade:
Superintendent's: Santa Ontiveros; Honor Roll: Velia Talavera.

Ruidoso High School Student Receives Awards

Dominique Rue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rue of Ruidoso Downs recently received two special FFA Awards at the State FFA Convention in Las Cruces.

Dominique received the state FFA Degree, the highest level of membership a state association can bestow on an FFA member, and the FFA Account Book Award, for having the neatest, most accurate, and comprehensive set of record books for his projects.

Dominique has been an FFA member for four years. He is actively involved in the Ruidoso High School FFA Chapter having served this past year as vice-president. He also works in the family business owned by his parents.

Dominique raises livestock to show at the Lincoln County Fair, Eastern New Mexico State Fair and the New Mexico State Fair. He currently has five pigs and three steers on feed to show this year.

To qualify for the state FFA Degree a member must have been an active member for at least two years, received the Chapter FFA Degree, completed at least 360 hours of systematic high school agri-

culture education, earned and productively invested a minimum of \$1,000 in projects, demonstrate leadership ability by serving as an officer and taking responsibility, have a satisfactory scholastic record in school, participated in at least five activities in district and state competitions, and accurately completed record books for all projects.

Dominique is involved with the agriculture mechanics program at Ruidoso High School where he constructs metal projects including feeders, grooming chutes, storage buildings, picnic tables, pick-up headache racks, and trailers. He is also enrolled in

drafting and woods classes at RHS.

Dominique is the first Ruidoso FFA member to receive an advanced FFA degree. The chapter was chartered in 1992. He will be a senior next year and plans to run for chapter president.

Dominique's FFA Advisor at Ruidoso High School is Mike Gaines who said, "One of the reasons Dominique has done well is because he has a great deal of help from his parents. They do not do his work for him, they encourage him to get involved and help along the way to ensure he has success and I give them a great deal of credit for serving as role models for others."

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CAPITAN

Adult Sunday School..... 8:30 am
Worship Service..... 9:15 am
Children's Sunday School..... 9:30 am
Fellowship Time..... 10:15 am
Adult Sunday School..... 11:00 am
Choir Practice (Tuesday)..... 7:00 pm
Fellowship Dinner Every Third Sunday
Handmaidens (Ecumenical Women's Group)
1st and 3rd Tuesday..... 9:30 a.m.

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 WINSON, 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 / 336-4627
Sunday Bible Study..... 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship..... 6:00 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

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LEGALS

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 12, 1996, Alto Lakes Water Corp., P.O. Drawer 750, Alta, NM 88312, filed application No. H-719 et al into H-373-S-5 thru S-8 (9) with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to temporarily change location of well and place of use of 100.0 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater by ceasing the diversion of said waters from the following shallow wells:

Well No.	Subdivision	Section	Township	Range
H-719	NW¼ SW¼ SE¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S	NW¼ NW¼ SW¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-2	NW¼ NW¼ SE¼	26	10S	13E
H-719-S-3	NE¼ SW¼ NE¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-4	NE¼ SW¼ NE¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-5	SE¼ SE¼ NW¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-6	SE¼ SE¼ NW¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-7	NW¼ SE¼ NW¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-8	SE¼ NE¼ NW¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-9	SE¼ NE¼ NE¼	34	10S	13E
H-719-S-10	SW¼ SW¼ NE¼	26	10S	13E
H-719-S-11	NW¼ NW¼ SE¼	26	10S	13E
H-719-S-12	NE¼ NE¼ NE¼	25	10S	13E
H-719-S-13	NW¼ NE¼ NE¼	25	10S	13E
H-719-S-14	NE¼ NE¼ NE¼	25	10S	13E
H-719-S-15	SW¼ SW¼ SW¼	24	10S	13E
H-719-S-16	SW¼ SE¼ SW¼	35	10S	13E
H-719-S-17	SE¼ SW¼ SE¼	35	10S	13E
H-719-S-18	SW¼ SW¼ SE¼	35	10S	13E

and ceasing its use for golf course/municipal uses within 2114.0 acres of land located in part of Sections 25, 26, 27, 33, 34, 35 and 36, all in Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M. Applicant proposes to commence the use of the following existing shallow wells:

Well No.	Subdivision	Section	Township	Range
H-272-S-5	NE¼ NW¼ SW¼	14	11S	13E
H-272-S-6	NW¼ NE¼ NE¼	15	11S	13E
H-272-S-7	SE¼ NE¼ SE¼	10	11S	13E
H-272-S-8	SE¼ NW¼ SW¼	14	11S	13E

for the diversion of 100.0 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater for golf course and domestic purposes within the SE¼ of Section 10 and the E¼ of Section 15, both in Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M. This is a temporary application, with all rights to revert to the move-from points of diversion on November 1, 1996.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

cc: Santa Fe
C/RRR No.: P 382 824 069

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 5, 1996, Kenneth Nosker, HC 66, Box 32, San Patricio, NM 88348, filed application No. H-48-A into No. H-48-A-A with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change location of well and place and purpose of use of 2.848 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater by ceasing the diversion of said waters from shallow wells H-48 and H-48-B, both located in the NW¼ NW¼ SW¼ of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and ceasing the irrigation of 8.89 acre of land located in part of the W¼ NW¼ SW¼, Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M. Applicant proposes to commence the use of the following shallow wells:

Well No.	Subdivision	Section	Township	Range
H-48-A-A	SW¼ NE¼ SW¼	22	10S	13E
H-48-A-A-S	NW¼ SW¼	22	10S	13E

for the diversion of up to 2.848 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater for domestic purposes in High Sierra Subdivision located in the SW¼ of Section 22, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M.

Applicant requests that a return flow credit of 50% be granted. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico

or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 5, 1996, Kenneth Nosker, HC 66, Box 32, San Patricio, NM 88348, filed application No. 02648 with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change place of use of 5.632 acre-feet per annum of surface waters of the Rio Ruidoso, presently diverted via the Storm Ditch located in the SW¼ NW¼ NE¼ of Section 5, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., by ceasing the irrigation of 1.76 acres of land located in part of the W¼ SE¼ NW¼ of Section 4, Township 11, South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and commencing the use of said 5.632 acre-feet per annum of surface waters for the irrigation of 1.76 acres of land located in part of the SE¼ NW¼ and part of the NE¼ SW¼, both in Section 4, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. CV-96-91

CANDYCE JONES GARRETT, Plaintiff,

vs.

ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS TO THAT CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT LOT 4, BLOCK 5, MID-WAY TOWNSITE, RUIDOSO, LINCOLN COUNTY, NM., Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: All unknown claimants to that certain real property located at Lot 4, Block 5, Mid-Way Townsite, Ruidoso, N.M.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there is now pending in the 12th Judicial District Court, Lincoln County Court House, Carrizozo, New Mexico, a lawsuit in which Candyyce Garrett is the Plaintiff and you are the Defendants. The general object of the suit is to terminate an easement on Lot 4, Block 5 Mid-Way Townsite, Ruidoso, New Mexico, as more particularly described in the Complaint, said easement hav-

ing been established for the purpose of maintaining an underground tank for an automotive garage. YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that unless you file a responsive pleading or motion by August 15, 1996, judgment will be rendered in this cause against you by default.

The attorney for Plaintiff is: Patricia S. Ortiz, 301 Mechem #5, Ruidoso, New Mexico, 88345, 505-257-3525. SALLY FINARELLI, Clerk of the Court
By: Marina Baca Deputy

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. CV-96-51

Div. III

GERALD WELCH, Plaintiff,

vs.

GROUP I: GLAZE M. SACRA, individually and in his capacity as PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF LELA MARTEAL SACRA, deceased; ALLEN LAND AND CATTLE, INC., a New Mexico corporation; and JOHN M. ALLEN, individually and in his capacity as PRESIDENT OF ALLEN LAND AND CATTLE, INC., a New Mexico corporation;

GROUP II: GLAZE M. SACRA, JR., SYLVIA JEAN SACRA SISSON; and ANY AND ALL SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF ALLEN LAND AND CATTLE, INC., a New Mexico corporation;

GROUP III: JOHN DOES 1 THROUGH 100 and their HEIRS, DEVISEES AND ASSIGNS;

GROUP IV: ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO PLAINTIFF, Defendants.

SECOND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO: TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED DEFENDANT AGAINST WHOM CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE IS SOUGHT TO BE OBTAINED: ALLEN LAND AND CATTLE, INC., a New Mexico corporation

GREETINGS: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that suit has been filed against you by Gerald Welch as Plaintiff in the above styled and numbered cause of action. The general object of this suit is to quiet the Plaintiff's fee simple title in the following

described real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico:

Lot 2, Block 10 of FOREST HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the amended plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, New Mexico, September 20, 1973; the physical location of which is 109 Tahoe Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico.

You are further notified that unless you enter an appearance in this cause on or before July 18, 1996, judgment will be rendered against you by default and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted to Plaintiff.

Plaintiff is represented by:

Les Griffin LEGAL SERVICES INC., P.C. 1206 Mechem Drive Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on May 30th, 1996.

SALLY FINARELLI Clerk of the District Court
By: Elizabeth Luera Deputy
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Labor Relations Board shall hold a Public Hearing beginning at 9:00 a.m., on Wednesday, July 17, 1996, at the Eastern New Mexico University Center, 709 Mechem Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico, to consider adoption of the proposed Lincoln County Labor Relations Board Rules and Regulations: Section I: GENERAL PROVISIONS Section II: REPRESENTATION PROCEEDINGS Section III: PROHIBITED PRACTICES PROCEEDINGS Section IV: IMPASSE RESOLUTION PROCEEDINGS All parties and interested citizens will have the opportunity to be heard. Copies of the proposed Rules and Regulations may be obtained from the County Manager's Office at the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo or by calling Martha Guevara at 505/648-2385.

MARTHA GUEVARA Assistant County Manager
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the Town of Carrizozo will be accepting proposals regarding Operation and Management of the Town of Carrizozo Recreation Center and/or Golf Course as follows: An individual or entity to promote and operate the Recreation Center including Bowling alley and/or Golf Course, supervising a primarily volunteer staff utilizing Town personnel and equipment on an available basis, in a non-employee status for a term of one year with options to renew.

Compensation will be as follows: \$5,000.00 dollars annual base compensation per operation, plus 50% gross revenues over \$12,000.00 dollars per operation. Proposals will be received by the Town of Carrizozo, P.O. Box 247, Carrizozo, NM 88301 on or before July 8, 1996 at 3:00 p.m., at the office of the Town Clerk. The Town of Carrizozo reserves the right to accept or reject all or any part of any proposal, waive minor technicalities and award the proposal to best serve the interest of the Town of Carrizozo. CAROL SCHLARE, CMC/AAE Town Clerk
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Project Street Improvements - 1996 Phase III at Village Hall, 114 Lincoln, P.O. Box 246, Carrizozo, NM 88316, until July 8, 1996, 1:00 p.m. at which time bids will be opened and publicly read aloud.

Complete sets of the bidding documents may be obtained at the office of the Architect/Engineer of Record, Engineers Incorporated, P.O. Box Y, Socorro, NM 87801. Prospective bidders should attend a Pre-Bid Conference which will be held at Village Hall, Village of Carrizozo on July 1, 1996 at 10:00 a.m.

This project is funded in whole or in part by a Grant from the State of New Mexico Small Cities' Community Development Block Grant Program and is subject to requirements of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development and the funding agency.

PURCHASING AGENT: DEBORAH CUMMINS, Clerk-Treasurer, CMC
Date: June 20, 1996
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NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Qualifications-based competitive sealed proposals for design professional services will be received by the Contracting Agency, Village of Carrizozo for RFP No. A-001.

The Contracting Agency is requesting proposals for professional Planning Services, for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) - Mapping Project No. 96-C-RS-1-6-Q52.

Proposals will be received at the Village of Carrizozo, P.O. Box 246, 114 Lincoln Ave., Carrizozo, NM 88316, until July 12, 1996, 10:00 a.m.

Copies of the Request for Proposals can be obtained in person at the office of the Village Clerk at 114 Lincoln Ave., Carrizozo, NM 88316 or will be mailed upon written or telephone request to Deborah Cummins at (505) 354-2247.

1. PROJECT DESCRIPTION: To incorporate onto a permanent map the Village utilities of water lines, sewer lines, fire hydrants, street lights and to set the Village limit lines to show what services are available within the Village limits.

2. SCOPE OF WORK: The Offeror shall perform the following professional services: Provide standard Basic Design Services consisting of Mapping and/or Zoning; Periodic on site observation.

PURCHASING AGENT DEBORAH CUMMINS, Clerk-Treasurer, CMC
Date: June 17, 1996.
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners shall hold Public Hearings on the following dates to receive public input on the impact the proposed conversion of Camp Sierra Blanca into a juvenile offenders environmental camp will have on Lincoln County: 4:00 p.m., Thursday, June 27, 1996, Lincoln County Fair Grounds Building, Carrizozo, NM 5:00 p.m., Monday, July 1, 1996, Alto Golf & Country Club, Alto, NM 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 2, 1996, Ruidoso Civic Events Center, Ruidoso, NM

All parties and interested citizens will have the opportunity to be heard. MONEY A. MONTES, Chairman Lincoln County Commission
Published in the Lincoln County News on June 27, 1996.

REQUEST FOR BIDS

Capitan Municipal Schools has the following item for sale: 1980 Dodge Pickup Please submit sealed bids to Capitan Municipal Schools, Attention: Diana Billingsley, Superintendent, P.O. Box 275, Capitan, New Mexico 88316, by 12:00 p.m., Thursday, July 11, 1996.

Items can be viewed by calling 364-2339 for appointment. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
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NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR BID

Competitive sealed bids will be received by the Village of Carrizozo, NM for Project No. CDBG 96-C-59-1-G-55.

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN RE THE MATTER OF ALAN LESTER, Petitioner.

NOTICE OF HEARING TO CHANGE NAME

Take notice that a hearing is now scheduled in the above referenced case on August 12, 1996, at 9:30 a.m., before the Honorable Richard A. Parsons, Sr., at the District Court in Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301. The purpose of the hearing is to seek Court approval of the change of the name of Alan Lester to Lester Thomas Grayson. Any person who objects to this change of name must appear then and there to voice his/her objection. If there are no objections, the Court may grant the change of name.

Counsel for Alan Lester is: PATRICIA S. ORTIZ 301 Mechem, #5 Ruidoso, NM 88345 (505) 257-3525
PATRICIA S. ORTIZ
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LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given pursuant to SBE 81-3, that the Board of Education of Capitan School District #23, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico will on Thursday, July 11, 1996, 6:30 p.m. M.D.T., meet in the High School Library, 150 Forest Street to present and publicly review the Student Discipline Policies pursuant to Section 10-15-1 to - 4 N.M.S.A., 1978, Open Meetings Act Resolution.

This is a public hearing and all school patrons are invited to attend. Dena at Capitan, New Mexico, this 25th day of June, 1996.

CAPITAN BOARD OF EDUCATION Beverly Payne-Caleway President
Attest: Russell Shearer Secretary
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REQUEST FOR BIDS

Capitan Municipal Schools has the following item for sale: 1980 Dodge Pickup Please submit sealed bids to Capitan Municipal Schools, Attention: Diana Billingsley, Superintendent, P.O. Box 275, Capitan, New Mexico 88316, by 12:00 p.m., Thursday, July 11, 1996.

Items can be viewed by calling 364-2339 for appointment. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
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NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR BID

Competitive sealed bids will be received by the Village of Carrizozo, NM for Project No. CDBG 96-C-59-1-G-55.

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 Superintendent's: Hannah Hagstrom; A Honor Roll: Tyler Skeen; B Honor Roll: Josephine Gutierrez, Harmony Haun, David Miranda, Samantha Gonzales.

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Sheriff's Report

Fireworks are banned in all of Lincoln County due to drought conditions and extreme fire danger.

Visitors and residents are adhering well to the restrictions and closures in the forested area of Lincoln County. The U.S. Forest Service is also providing reimbursement to Lincoln County Sheriff's deputies to patrol the forests on weekends. As a result very few citations have been issued.

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

May 17:

1:45 p.m. a woman reported her cellular phone was missing from her car. A deputy responded.

2:41 p.m. a woman requested a deputy, one responded.

5:01 p.m. an accident without injuries was reported on the rest stop between Carrizozo and Socorro on Highway 380. State police were notified.

May 18:

1:01 p.m. Ruidoso police advised of a report from Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) in Ruidoso about a dog bite in the county in the Capitan area. A deputy responded.

2:59 p.m. a 911 call was received from Lordsburg and was transferred to Lordsburg police.

4:07 p.m. an anonymous caller reported someone with a chain saw at mile marker 37. State police were notified, and later advised that the person was on private land.

4:30 p.m. a caller reported a vehicle fire on 12th Street. Carrizozo police responded and cancelled the call for the fire department because the fire was out.

4:32 p.m. a prowler was reported at a residence on 14th Street in Carrizozo. Carrizozo police responded.

5:21 p.m. a caller reported a harassment. A neighbor was name calling. Carrizozo police gave the calling party a criminal complaint.

6:02 p.m. a caller reported criminal damage/breaking and entering to a residence in Agua Fria. A gun was fired through the bedroom floor into the dryer. It was unknown who had entered the house, for the caller had found the door open upon returning home. A deputy responded.

May 19:

2:31 p.m. a caller reported a bicyclist riding in the traffic lane on Highway 70, not giving way to traffic and almost causing a head on collision. State police were notified.

2:50 p.m. a caller requested a deputy regarding a roofing scam. A deputy responded.

3:06 p.m. a caller advised of a bull on Highway 54 near Polly Flats. The owner was contacted.

3:06 p.m. a caller reported a

water line leak off Highway 54 by Polly Flats. Department of Safety in Alamogordo was notified and advised they would send someone to fix it.

5:08 p.m. a caller reported a bull in and out of an RV park south of Carrizozo on Highway 54. The deputy was advised, and the owner was called again. The deputy advised the black Angus bull was laying by the fence.

7:11 p.m. animal control was requested in the Ruidoso Downs area for some renters who abandoned a dog and a cat. A deputy responded and advised that a neighbor would assist taking the animals to the humane society the next day.

8:08 p.m. an officer advised of a vehicle in tow that was putting off sparks on Highway 54 south near Tularosa. State police were notified.

9:07 p.m. a 911 caller reported two shots fired from a high powered weapon in the Lakeshore Drive area in Alto. A deputy responded.

9:38 p.m. animal control was requested at a residence on 13th Street in Carrizozo to check on dogs that were barking all hours of the night. Carrizozo police responded.

9:58 p.m. a possible illegal campfire was reported in the Capitan area. A deputy responded.

10:23 p.m. a larceny was reported, four hubcaps were stolen off a vehicle parked at a restaurant in the Alto area. A deputy responded.

10:47 p.m. A station in Carrizozo reported damage to property, a gas spill. The pump was pulled off at the store. Carrizozo police responded and requested the fire department which also responded.

12:13 a.m. an officer advised he and a deputy were at a club in Carrizozo where there was a fight in progress. He requested an ambulance at the location and Carrizozo ambulance responded, but was refused. At 12:14 a.m. Carrizozo police requested a backup and another deputy responded. At 12:56 a.m. a deputy advised he had made an arrest.

1:57 a.m. state police reported an accident with injuries and requested a department with extrication equipment at the location at mile marker 282 on Highway 70. Hondo and Glencoe Fire Departments responded. Hondo ambulance transported the injured to LCMC.

11:03 a.m. a caller reported a possible forest fire on the north side of Carrizo Mountain, near the top. State forestry and U.S. Forest Service were advised. Two USFS units checked out the report and advised it was a small fire which the helicopter and crew were handling.

11:08 a.m. an ambulance was requested at a location west of Carrizozo to transport a person to Ruidoso Care Center. Carrizozo ambulance responded.

11:20 a.m. a 911 caller requested an ambulance at a residence on Highway Mesa Drive in Alto for a diabetic man who had passed out. Alto ambulance and Ruidoso Advanced Life Support (RALS) unit responded.

11:47 a.m. Ruidoso police requested a wrecker for a motorist who broke down about 40 miles west of Carrizozo on Highway 380. The responding wrecker made no contact with the vehicle.

3:25 p.m. a 911 caller reported a possible fire in the Sierra Vista area. USFS and Bonito fire department were notified. USFS advised it was a drilling rig.

5:05 p.m. a caller requested a vehicle identification number check in the Capitan area.

A deputy responded.

7:04 p.m. a caller reported a stalking/harassment in the Alto area. A deputy responded.

7:49 p.m. a 911 caller reported a domestic fight in progress at a location in Carrizozo. Two deputies responded.

9:07 p.m. a 911 caller reported damage to a vehicle, a broken window at a location in Alto. A deputy responded.

9:11 p.m. a gas leak was reported at a location in San Patricio. Glencoe Fire Department and the gas company were notified and responded.

May 21:

12:31 p.m. a caller reported a wolf bite at a location in Loma Grande which occurred on June 13. LCMC also called regarding the report. No contact was made with a deputy when reported on June 13.

1:20 p.m. a domestic incident was reported in the Corona area. A deputy responded.

3:07 p.m. a 911 caller reported a possible domestic at a location off Highway 70 in the Ruidoso Downs area. Two deputies responded.

3:51 p.m. a caller from El Paso reported an attempted breaking and entering at a location in the Ruidoso area. Two deputies responded and talked with Ruidoso police.

6:20 p.m. a motorist assist was requested three miles west of the Malpais on Highway 380 for an out of service vehicle. A wrecker was called in Ruidoso.

7:10 p.m. an accident without injuries was reported in the construction area of Highway 380 on the Malpais. State police and a wrecker responded.

9:03 p.m. illegal camping was reported at the apple orchard between Bonito Lake and Nogal Peak. A bus load of about 30 people were setting up camp. A deputy responded.

11:31 p.m. a 911 caller reported a semi driving dangerously in the northbound lane of Highway 54. A deputy responded and advised later that he had located the semi and all was okay.

May 22:

1:16 p.m. a caller reported a domestic in progress at a location in Carrizozo. Two Carrizozo police officers and a deputy responded and arrested a subject.

7:28 a.m. a 911 caller reported a campfire at a location just below Bonito Lake dam. A deputy responded.

8:27 a.m. the railroad reported a bull was hit by the train at a location eight miles south of Ancho. The owner was advised on his answering machine.

9:12 a.m. a caller requested an officer to do peace keeping at a location on Hull Road. Ruidoso Police were notified.

11:34 a.m. a fire-lightning strike was reported on the mountain west of Sierra Blanca. Bureau of Indian Affairs was notified.

3:57 p.m. a 911 caller requested a welfare check of a man who was laying under a one ton vehicle who was not responsive. A deputy and RALS responded.

4:40 p.m. a deputy reported a stolen vehicle on Highway 37 by Bonito. A deputy responded.

7:32 p.m. a domestic was reported at Hondo post office. A deputy responded and state police were notified.

8:11 p.m. a 911 caller reported a brush fire in Glencoe started by a power line. Glencoe and Ruidoso Downs Fire Departments responded. Otero County Electric Cooperative, state forestry and USFS were notified. Later Glencoe fire department requested a deputy to make a report because they believed the power

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FORT STANTON

Overwhelmed!! Is the only word I can think of to describe the feeling I have had after changing from Postmaster at Fort Stanton to postal clerk in Capitan. Willie Hobbs, OIC at Fort Stanton said she has the same feeling with no training and taking over as officer in charge. The smiles and good words have meant so much and to see so many of you that I hadn't seen in so long has been such an uplift. I am so disgusted as I cannot learn the boxes and where everything is soon enough to suit me. I never realized how much work difference there is in the different size of offices and my deepest feelings of admiration go out to all the clerks, especially Robin Armenta, Layne Bailey, Phyllis Zumwalt and Brenda Zumwalt. These clerks have worked so untiring and so faithfully. We think we know what they are doing until we actually do it ourselves. A great big "Good Job Girls" is all I can say.

It has been so long since I wrote my column that I may repeat myself but maybe it won't hurt to repeat a line or two.

Mike Currin was assigned the job to start the installation of NBU's at Fort Stanton over a week ago. He ordered a sixteen box unit and had Scarborough Ward of Also ready to install them as soon as they arrived on Friday. Just as he was getting them ready to go, a call from Albuquerque put a hold on this for a while. The closure of the Fort Stanton Post Office date had been set for August 1, 1996, but now Willie says hopefully that the retirees will try and save this post office. Active postal employees cannot take a part in saving any office. It has to be done by concerned citizens and retirees. Anyone wishing to voice their opinion can get in touch with Carla Briggs or Anita Sambrano at Fort Stanton, NM 88323. Reading the articles in the newspapers seems to me that the juveniles may be coming in.

LINCOLN COUNTY SHERIFF POSSE RECEIVED THE PONY EXPRESS LETTERS

Three meetings have been held to get the boxes ready to place around the county to sell the pony express ride letters. The envelopes are a work of art but the posters are going to be a great keepsake. The picture done by the Oklahoma artists is a real piece of artwork. Having a glossy finish it really has taken on a great look. We will be selling the posters for \$10.00 and the envelopes with the Legends of the West 29¢ stamp and a pony express stamp. Letters and posters will be located at many places around Capitan, Ruidoso, Carrizozo, White Oaks, and Lincoln. If you would like to order some you can contact the Sheriff Posse at Box 567 in Capitan.

Several of the trail riders have been riding the trail to find a little easier way for the rides. Progress has been made with the cooperation of several of the land owners. We all appreciate their help, for this work and ride would not be possible without their help. Dan and Blair Carter, the Ritters, and Joe and Lucille Smith have been very active with this part of the ride. Roland and Verla never stop with all activities and have been very busy with all organizations. Ruth Birdsong designed the artwork for the letter with the zia this year. Didn't get to make the tour of Lincoln last Sunday but am sure the sheriff posse

members had a good time in Old Lincoln Town. The riding group is practicing to ride in the 4th of July parade, the Carlsbad parade, and several others.

LCRC HAS PLAYDAYS

The Lincoln County playday members have had several playdays, the queen clinic and a horse show in Ruidoso at the Beaver's arena. They are selling lots of chances on the saddle and raffle off different items at the playdays. Go watch and support this fine bunch of kids and parents.

PHIL FIFER WINS SADDLE

Phil Fifer was the winner of a saddle at the team roping in Ruidoso last weekend. Good job Phil! Eddie Davis, Todd Proctor, Rusty Silva, Phil Fifer and several more from our county attended another team roping in Albuquerque this past weekend hoping to win a pickup. None of them lucked out. Miss Kersti called me on the phone and said she went to the roping in Albuquerque and had a good time playing with all the "keeds". Mom was tired and is anxiously waiting the arrival of the new addition in a short time.

RAY REED ENTERTAINS HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Hurried over to Carrizozo last Saturday to attend the historical society meeting at the Woman's Club building. Took my video and videot Ray singing his good "old time music". What stories Ray has to share with all of us.

JOINERS HAVE REUNION

Eddie Lawrence from Iowa will be arriving soon to be host to the first Joiner reunion to be held in a long time. Eddie and her three kids and their families plan to spend a week or ten days here. The reunion will be held at the symposium building on July 6th in Glencoe. Anyone wanting to visit the bunch stop in during the day and say hello. Della and David have enjoyed Ruthie and Jim Bradley from Houston along with Miss Krystyn. She wants to go the the parade in Capitan where the people all throw the candy. Ron and Teresa hope to come and be here for the reunion also. We are anxiously awaiting their visit as it has been a long time since we saw them.

Pat had been helping Grady Eldridge for a few days. He had to have the balloon surgery done to open up the arteries by his heart (sorry I don't know the technical words) and he has done great. Was out of the hospital and home working on the water lines and feeding hay within a day or two. Amazing!

Sure have enjoyed seeing lots of my little stamp friends at the post office. Come in soon and we will have the 1996 stamp cards to give away for you to collect the 1996 stamps. Please whenever possible try to get the box number on the envelopes. With the many, many names and many the same people, it is really easier to box the mail and get it in the right place. Also the Indian stamps are on sale along with the animal ones and James Dean will be on sale shortly. The Georgia O'Keefe has been a big seller. Another hint I learned at my training in Roswell was for you that fill out your own certified mail. Place the green sticker at the top of the letter just to the left of the stamp. The reason is as we tray our mail now and this way we can easily spot this mail that has special treatment. The two

weeks of training was the best two weeks I have spent in my career. I learned so much, had a great mini vacation, met another special clerk from Carlsbad and the trainer, Wendy Giles, became a dear friend.

While there in Roswell they received six new sorting machines. Wish everyone could see these work. The people only place the mail on the machines and it straightens it up, cancels it and even sorts it down to the street address. They remarked that nine jobs will be lost there due to this new machine. I cannot believe that someone can come up with these things that do all of this automatically. Unreal. Many friends were made at the post office while I was there, but it sure was good to be home and it sure is good to see all of you each day.

Thanks to everyone for the welcome back and to Mike for allowing me to work for him.

OBITUARIES

MILDRETH R. POPE

Graveside services for Mildreth R. Pope, 90, of Ruidoso were June 23, at the Angus Cemetery in Angus. Officiating was the Rev. David Jordan of First Baptist Church in Ruidoso Downs.

Mrs. Pope died June 19, at Ruidoso Care Center. She was born January 14, 1906 at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Ruidoso Downs. She had lived in the Ruidoso area for 40 years moving here from Carrizozo.

She married Herald D. Pope on October 4, 1926 at Mt. Pleasant, and he preceded her in death on March 17, 1990.

She is survived by four sons; Dick Pope of Kingsland, TX, Bob Pope of Capitan, Ross Pope of Schoolhouse, Pennsylvania, and Roger Pope of Santa Fe; 10 grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren.

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

WAYNE EDWIN DUNCAN

Memorial service for Wayne Edwin Duncan, 81, of Ruidoso was June 23, at the First Christian Church. Officiating was the Rev. Bill Kennedy.

Mr. Duncan died June 20, at Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. He was born August 22, 1914 in San Saba, TX. He graduated from Highlands University in Las Vegas, NM with a B.A. in education then received his M.A. in administration from the University of Texas, El Paso. He served as principal at Magoffin Elementary, Roberts Elementary, and El Paso High School, retiring in 1970. He had lived in Lincoln County and Ruidoso area for the past 25 years moving here from El Paso. He was a member of the First Christian Church.

He married Genevieve Brock on December 25, 1935.

He is survived by his wife Genevieve of Ruidoso; daughter Jeanette Miller and her husband Jay of Santa Fe; son Dr. Edwin Duncan and his wife Twinkle of Tyler, Tx; four grandchildren; brother Hulén Duncan of Brady, TX and a sister-in-law Vyvien Duncan of Brady, TX.

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CARRIZOZO LITTLE LEAGUE softball player Vince Verdugo swings at the ball, and misses, during a game between his team the Bobcats and the Rotwellers.



CARRIZOZO SOFTBALL PLAYER Monique Morales hits the ball during a game with the Bobcats. Monique is a member of the Carrizozo Little League Softball team the Rotwellers.

LEGALS

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo have been invited to a Joint Special Meeting with the Village of Capitan Board of Trustees to be held on Tuesday, July 2, 1996 at 6:30 p.m., Capitan City Hall, Capitan, New Mexico for Executive Session regarding Property and Litigation.

CAROL SCHLARR, CMC/AAR
Town Clerk
Town of Carrizozo
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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Case No. CV-96-81

BANK OF THE SOUTHWEST, a state banking institution, Plaintiff,

vs. JOHN LUNSFORD aka JOHNNY LUNSFORD and MARY LUNSFORD, husband and wife, and FRANK BRIONES, J/A BRIONES CONCRETE, LATH AND PLASTER, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 24th day of July, 1996, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., at the East Entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse Carrizozo, New Mexico, the undersigned Special Master will sell all of the right, title, and interest of Defendants, John Lunsford, aka Johnny Lunsford and Mary Lunsford, husband and wife, in and to hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, near Capitan, New Mexico, and is more particularly described as:

A tract of land, being a portion of the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 24, Township 8 South, Range 14 East, N.M.P.M., more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the NW corner of said Section 24 (a GLO Brass Cap in place); THENCE South 02 degrees, 10 minutes, 03 seconds West, 917.81 feet to a point in the center of an existing road;
THENCE North 72 degrees, 16 minutes, 03 seconds East, 389.4 feet;
THENCE North 54 degrees, 31 minutes East, 217.3 feet;
THENCE North 38 degrees, 53 minutes East, 428.1 feet;
THENCE North 66 degrees, 21 minutes East, 235.6 feet;
THENCE North 88 degrees, 10 minutes East, 190.7 feet;
THENCE South 54 degrees, 00 minutes East, 160.1 feet;
THENCE North 02 degrees, 15 minutes, 24 seconds East, 341.25 feet;
THENCE South 89 degrees, 47 minutes, 46 seconds West, 1321.46 feet to the Point of Beginning.

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THENCE South 54 degrees, 00 minutes East, 160.1 feet;
THENCE North 02 degrees, 15 minutes, 24 seconds East, 30.05 feet;
THENCE North 54 degrees, 00 minutes West, 152.0 feet;
THENCE South 88 degrees, 10 minutes West, 204.8 feet;
THENCE South 66 degrees, 21 minutes West, 236.53 feet;
THENCE South 38 degrees, 53 minutes West, 439.78 feet;
THENCE South 54 degrees, 31 minutes West, 210.01 feet;
THENCE South 72 degrees, 16 minutes, 03 seconds West, 376.49 feet;
THENCE South 02 degrees, 10 minutes, 03 seconds West, 26.58 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 0.92 acres more or less.

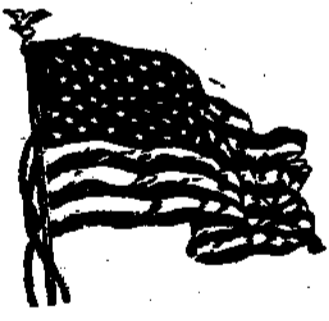
Said property may be subject to easements and restrictions of record, and is subject to ad valorem taxes for the years 1995 and 1996.

The property is located near Highway 48, and can be reached by traveling North from Capitan, New Mexico on said Highway 48, for approximately 2 1/2 miles, then turning right and going approximately 2 miles. The property is on the North side of the road.

The foregoing sale will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause, which judgment was rendered on the 4th day of June, 1996, being an action on a Promissory Note and to collect a deficiency on an SBA Loan and seeking to foreclose the Mortgage securing said Note and SBA Loan, which Mortgage encumbers the above described property. The total judgment in favor of the Plaintiff, including interest and costs and attorney's fees to the date of sale is \$68,313.90. In addition to the foregoing, the bidder at such sale will be responsible for paying all costs of sale, including the publication costs and the Special Master's fee. Any judgment creditor has the right to bid at the sale and to apply all or any part of the judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

NICK VEGA, Special Master

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HELP WANTED: Zia Senior Citizen's Centers have openings in Corona, Capitan and Ruidoso Downs Centers. The Corona opening is for a full time Site Coordinator. Capitan opening is for a part time Site Coordinator (6 hours/day). Ruidoso Downs openings are for a part time cook assistant and a part time driver, both are 4 hours/day positions. Applications and Job Descriptions are available at Zia Senior Citizen's Center, 406 Central, P.O. Box 519, Carrizozo 88301. Applications must be submitted by 4:00 p.m., July 3, 1996. Zia Senior Citizen's Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer and in compliance with ADA, Title II A. 2tc/June 20 & 27

City Lot for sale in Carrizozo. Set up for mobile home with hookups for water, sewer, and electricity Call Ruth at 648-2333

HAY FOR SALE: 648-2886. 4tc/June 6, 13, 20 & 23

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NOTICE OF VACANCY DATE OF NOTICE: June 25, 1996 POSITION: CUSTODIAN QUALIFICATIONS: Custodial Experience Required, High School Diploma or GED SALARY: ACCORDING TO DISTRICT SALARY SCHEDULE APPLICATION: Applications may be picked up at the Office of the Superintendent. PROCESS: Submit application to: To: Paula Papponi, Superintendent Carrizozo Municipal Schools P.O. Box 99 Carrizozo, NM 88301 648-2348

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: UNTIL FILLED The Carrizozo Municipal Schools is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, disability, or national origin. The district abides by all state and federal nondiscrimination and equal opportunity requirements. CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS IS A TOBACCO FREE ENVIRONMENT 1tc/June 27

FOR SALE: 4 1/2 acres next to Carrizozo Country Club, has well, power is on. Must move. Will sacrifice. No reasonable offer turned down. Call 505-648-4190. 4tc/June 6

GIGANTIC SALE Proceeds benefit Carrizozo Historical Society Building - Old Locker Plant on 12th St. in Carrizozo. Friday, June 28, 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. 1tc/June 27

FOR RENT: Large one-bedroom apartment in Capitan. \$265.00 a month, water, sewer and garbage paid. (505) 354-2008. tfn/April 18

HELP WANTED Month of work for minor repairs/custodial duties around school buildings and grounds. Contact the Superintendent's Office, Carrizozo Schools, 648-2348. 1tc/June 27

FOR SALE: Calves and milk cows for milking or raising calves. Jim Miller 648-2448. 2tp/June 27 & July 3

WANTED: Smokey Bear Restaurant in Capitan needs a cook and maid. Apply in person. tfn/May 23

MECHANIC ALL TYPES OF MECHANIC WORK: Rebuild Motors As Low As \$800.00 CALL JIM 648-9943

INFORMATION WANTED FOR RESEARCH Can anyone tell me where the "Mexican Star Bar" was located? Does anyone have a token with "Flores & Garcia" on it. Would buy it and any other merchant, trade tokens. Will pay good prices. CHRIS HARKEY P.O. Box 277 Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301 Phone 505-648-2877

FOR SALE: 15 year old Arabian gelding. Beautiful and sound. Gentle for anyone. Great beginner's horse. \$750.00. 648-2734. 1tp/June 27

METAL BUILDING and two (2) canopies available - old Texaco Station in Carrizozo. Call 1-800-554-6023. 2tp/June 20 & 27

PAST CREDIT PROBLEMS? Keeping you from financing a car? WE CAN HELP! Call LYNCH or MAYS at 378-4400

ELECTRICAL WORK NEEDED? Mobile home poles, trouble shooting, etc., Residential, Commercial, Industrial. Call New Mexico Service Electric, 354-7000. We show up. 4tp/June 13-July 3

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3 ALL STEEL BUILDINGS, repossessed, new. 40x60x14 was \$15,700, now \$8,990. 50x100x16 was \$25,900, now \$16,990. 60x140x16 was \$42,800, now \$29,560. 1-800-745-2885 1tp/June 27

FOR SALE: 1975 Travel Trailer 30 foot 5th wheel, \$3,200.00. Call 648-2832 or 648-2823. 2tc/June 27 & July 3

LOST: Carrizozo Fire Department has lost a hand held Motorola 2-Way Radio / Model MT100 16 channel. Contact LeeRoy Zamora or David LaFave if found. tfn/June 27

FOR SALE: Several 19" Magnavox Color TVs, at Crossroads Motel in Carrizozo. \$80.00 each. 1tc/June 27

Sheriff's Report

line was shot. A deputy responded. 8:27 p.m. a 911 caller reported a possible structure fire in the Palo Verde Slopes area. Smoke was coming out of a window. Ruidoso Fire Department responded and advised they made no contact with any fire. 9:44 p.m. Ruidoso police advised of a domestic in at a residence in Palo Verde Slopes. Another 911 call came to Ruidoso police from a neighbor who said someone was yelling "you broke my leg." While trying to contact the assigned deputies, Ruidoso police got another 911 call about three vehicles leaving the location at a high rate of speed. One deputy went to the residence and the other went to Ruidoso Downs police department where the subjects had gone. No domestic occurred at the residence, but a man was charged for disorderly conduct which occurred at Ruidoso Downs police department. 9:37 p.m. damage to federal property was reported at the Main Post Office in Ruidoso. The glass was broken on two or three boxes and others were open. Ruidoso police were notified. 10:09 p.m. a caller reported an incident where his son and a friend had bleach poured on them at a location on 2nd Street in Capitan. Capitan police were notified. Carrizozo police requested a wrecker at a business. A wrecker was called. May 23: 12 a.m. a 911 caller requested an ambulance at an RV park in the Alto area for a 60 year old man who was unconscious and his wife was unable to walk. Alto ambulance transported the patient to LCMC. YARD SALE: Saturday, June 29, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 607 14th Street, Carrizozo. No early birds. 1tp/June 27

12:55 a.m. a 911 caller reported a possible drunken pedestrian at a location in Carrizozo. The individual claimed he was wanted out of Texas but he was very hard to understand. Carrizozo police responded and ran a check on the man which showed negative. 10:17 a.m. a 911 caller requested animal control to pick up a female dog at a location off Highway 37. A deputy responded. 11:21 a.m. a caller reported a stolen horse trailer in the Capitan area. Capitan police were notified. 11:39 a.m. a wrecker was requested to tow a broken down van about 30 miles west of Carrizozo on Highway 380. A wrecker was called. 2:20 p.m. a deputy was requested at a location off

Highway 70 for a vehicle with a cracked windshield. A deputy responded. 6:47 p.m. a 911 caller requested a deputy at a residence in Capitan. Capitan police requested backup of three deputies at the residence, but later cancelled the backup after a deputy arrived and they checked out the area. 7:17 p.m. a deputy advised that a broken down vehicle belonged to a subject in Nogal. 10:56 p.m. a restaurant in Carrizozo advised someone broke the front door. A deputy and Carrizozo police responded. 10:58 p.m. an officer requested a wrecker to tow an abandoned vehicle at mile marker 264 on Highway 70. A wrecker and a deputy responded.

LINCOLN COUNTY Detention Center Report

The following people were booked into or released from the Lincoln County Detention Center (county jail) in the courthouse in Carrizozo: June 9: Thomas Chapman, 20, Ruidoso: AWOL from US Marine Corps, nine counts of criminal damage to property and one felony criminal damage to property; \$15,000 cash bond set by Magistrate Judge William Butts; released June 11 on orders from Butts and picked up by USMC. June 11: Robert Foyt, 57, Ruidoso: DWI 3rd, failure to appear, contempt of court; \$5,000 cash bond set by Butts. Priscilla Martin, 31, Ruidoso: probation violation; no bond set by probation officer; released June 19 on orders from officer. June 12: Toby Wilson, 35, Ruidoso: four counts of sexual assault

on a child, indecency with a child; \$60,000 bond set and held for Texas. Randal Fiveash, 42, Ruidoso Downs: held for Texas with \$35,000 cash bond; released June 18 on orders from Butts. June 14: Keith Hardin, 31, Ruidoso: probation violation; no bond set by probation officer; released June 19 on orders from probation officer. Alanso Baquera, 24, Mexico: held for border patrol; speeding, no drivers license; \$293 cash bond; released same day to border patrol. June 16: Ramon Sapulveda, 37, Corona: court commitment of seven days by Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr. for driving on revoked license; released June 22 time served. Steven Aragon, 20, Carrizozo: court commitment of 364 days by Dean for probation violation, escapes from custody of an officer. June 17: Ricardo Lopez, 45, Mesalero: DWI, driving on revoked license and failure to yield; \$6,000 cash bond set by Butts. June 19: Paul Woods, 18, Glencoe; aggravated assault; \$5,000 cash bond set by Butts. Bruce L. Adams, 38, Camp Sierra Blanca (CSB): held for CSB; released June 21 to CSB. June 20: Thomas Zima, 29, Alamogordo: disorderly conduct, 12 hour de-tox; \$500 bond set by Dean; released same day on orders from Dean. Aaron Ramos, 19, Ruidoso: probation violation; no bond. June 21: Anton Godac, 19, Ruidoso Downs: probation violation; no bond. Louis Jaurequi, 26, El Paso: robbery, aggravated battery; \$50,000 cash bond set by Butts. June 22: Arturo S. Cortez, 32, Carrizozo: battery, domestic violence; \$5,000 cash bond set by Dean; released June 24 on orders from Dean; arrested by Carrizozo Police. June 23: Timothy Abbot, 27, Marcepa, AZ: criminal damage to property; \$500 cash bond posted next day and released. The following people were released from the Lincoln County Detention Center: Gabriel Rice, 26, Capitan: booked February 18 for aggravated battery domestic; released June 23 on orders from Dean. Felix Gonzales, 36, Ruidoso Downs: booked April 18 for failure to pay fines; released

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For the Love of Gregory

by Joann Rice

Lend Me Your Ears

"Where are you, Gregory? I know you're here, so you might as well holler out, 'cause I'll find you."

"I'm back here watching this postage stamp you call a TV."

I went into the back room. You do know of course, Queen Mother, they make these things in color now. And you can get one bigger than 12 inches. Get with the program for pit's sake.

"Well, do tell. That's a revelation to me, Gregory. Where can I get one of these wonder world appliances? Tell me quick."

"On just about any street corner. Sheesh! Anyways, be quiet. I'm watching something important."

"Which cartoon is it today, oh mighty learned one?"

"It's not a cartoon. It's Jul-

ius Caesar. And it's hard enough to tell who's who and what they're saying, what with all the men wearing the same dress and talking funny."

"Oh, old Julie, huh? What's going on with him?"

"Well, he's like the ruler of Rome. That's in another world from here. And I'm at the part where they were standing around talking and Caesar was going to take all these guys to lunch. I know he was, 'cause he said, 'You eat yet, Brutus?' And Brutus stabbed Caesar with a knife. A course all the others was stabbing him too, so I guess they hadn't eat yet either. Must have been pretty lousy lunches at the palace. I can't figure out any other reason everybody would stab Caesar over a lunch. Anyway, he died and

there's been a whole bunch a talkin' which I don't understand. And now they're about to have a funeral. And this guy named Mark is going to say a speech. And this is the part the teacher told us to listen to."

"You can tell me about it later. I'll be in the palace kitchen cooking up a lousy lunch."

Later Gregory came into the kitchen, wiping his brow. "Boy, watching Shakespeare is hard work, Queen Mother."

"Didn't you like Mark Anthony's speech? Tell me about it."

"Well, he started out asking for everybody's ears. But he said it was just a loan. So I guess he was going to give them back. I kept waiting for everybody to cut off their ears, but nobody did. I was glad. There had been enough bloodshed already. Then he said he was going to bury Caesar and not pray for him because evil was after him. Then he said Caesar had good, soft bones. Then he said it was somebody's fault. He called him 'grievous'. Then he said a bunch of sarcastic stuff about Brutus and pretty much said Brutus was a liar, 'cause Caesar always filled all the general's coffins in Rome. And Mark got upset 'cause his heart was in the coffin with Caesar, but he'd go get it and be back in a minute. Well, after he got his heart back, he said he had Caesar's will. I guess he found it in the coffin with his heart. But he wasn't going to read the will. But all the people wanted to hear it. I'm glad they didn't loan Mark their ears. So Mark said for everybody to get in a circle around him and get ready to cry. Then Mark showed all the people Caesar's dead body and talked about how he died. And I came to the idea it was murder. Pure and simple. Then Mark told everybody not to get stirred up. But they did. They got real mad at

Brutus and his cronies and ran them out of town. And that's all."

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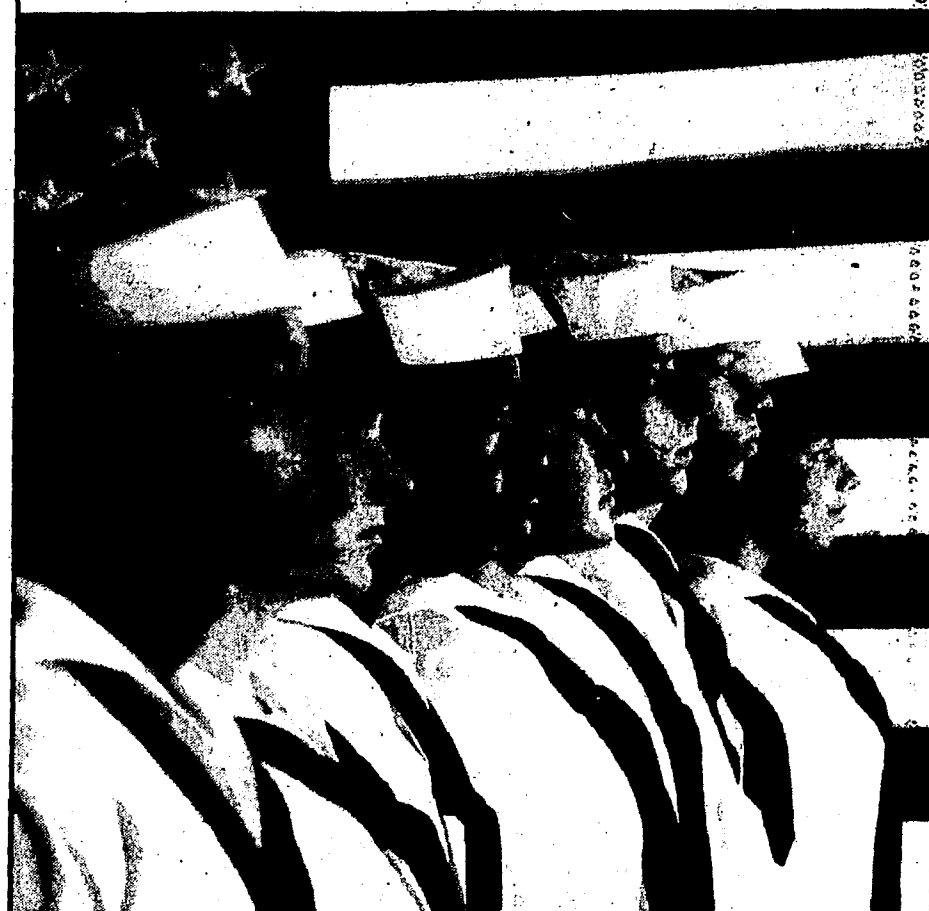
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"And what did you learn the palace. It's nothing but trouble!"

"Hmph! Don't go to lunch at

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June 19 on orders from Butts.

Joe H. Lane, 24, Carrizozo: booked May 6 for probation violation; released June 12 to be transported to the New Mexico Corrections facility in Grants.

Kim Guynn, 33, Albuquerque: booked May 14 for failure to appear hold from Otero County; released June 13 on orders from Butts and Otero Judge Prelo.

Beverly Patterson, 45, Ruidoso Downs: booked May 24 for probation violation; released June 24 on orders from district judge Richard Parsons.

Jason Reynolds, 26, Ruidoso: booked May 29 for DWI 2nd, reckless driving, no drivers license, leaving the

scene of an accident, violation of prior bond conditions; court commitment of 364 days until rehab was found; released June 20 on orders from Butts.

Gerald Miller, 46, Ruidoso: booked June 3 on 30 day court commitment from Ruidoso Downs municipal judge Harold Mansell; released June 18 on orders from Mansell.

Olgario Godinez, 31, Hondo: booked June 8 for aggravated battery; released June 18 after posting 10 percent cash bond.

Robert Martinez, 42, Texas: booked June 10 to serve five day court commitment for possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, concealing I.D.; released June 13 on orders from Dean.

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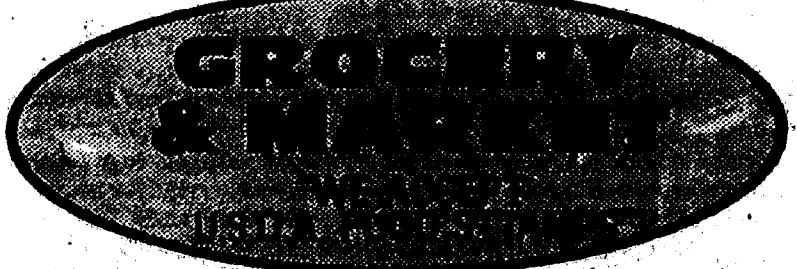
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