

Special Legislative Session Underway

by DORIS CHERRY

Changes To Voting Districts Major Job

The New Mexico State Legislature convened in special session on Tuesday, September 4 to begin the task of redefining the U.S. Congressional and state districts according to the 2000 census figures. District 56 State Repre-

sentative Dub Williams told *THE NEWS* that the feed bill, House Bill 1, that pays for the special session, was passed by the House on Wednesday, and was sent to the Senate for approval.

Several bills were introduced on Wednesday to begin the redistricting process. Since May, a special combined house and senate special redistricting committee held hearings and

meetings throughout the state, taking testimony from citizens and officials on redistricting proposals.

Williams said several bills were introduced on Wednesday. Among them were House Bill 2 that proposes Concept D for the U.S. Congressional Districts; House Bill 3 that proposes Concept C for the state House of Representatives which will change Dis-

trict 56 which Williams now holds. House Bill 4 proposes redistricting the State Board of Education districts; House Bill 5 is Concept E for Congressional Districts; House Bill 7 is for House redistricting concept B; House Bill 8 is for Concept B for congressional redistricting; House Bill 9 is Concept D for the state house redistricting; House Bill 10 is Concept 1 for the

state board of education and House Bill 11 is Concept H for congressional districts.

Williams said it appears that, in all the proposed concepts so far, District 56 will change. He said some of the concepts propose to carve the west side of Lincoln County out of District 56.

Limited committee hear-

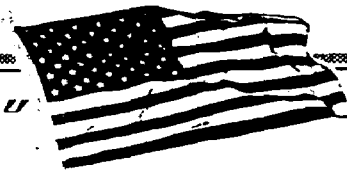
ings are being held on the bills introduced in the House and Senate. Committee schedules and floor session calendars, as well as the full text of all bills introduced, and copies of the proposed concept maps are available on the internet at NMLegislature.org.

Williams said he expects

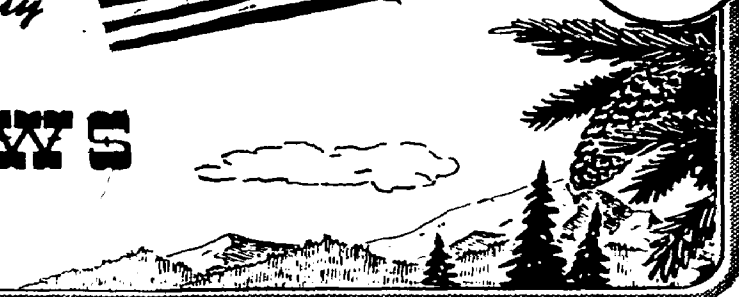
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Blood Drive Tuesday, Sept. 11 In Ruidoso

United Blood Services will conduct a blood drive from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, September 11 at the Gateway Church of Christ on Sudderth Drive in Ruidoso.

The nation's blood supply is now in a sustained shortage. Only five percent of the nation's population donates blood, yet 60 percent of Americans will at some point need blood.

Anyone 17 years old with parental consent or older, weighing at least 110 pounds, and feeling well and healthy is eligible to donate blood. Bring an ID card and a list of any medications taken in the last 30 days.

For more information or to make an appointment call Evelyn Bizzle at 258-4113.

Magistrate Court In Carrizozo To Be Closed Sept. 11-14

Lincoln County Magistrate Court, Division I in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, will be closed from noon on Tuesday, September 11 through Friday, September 14.

The closure is to allow the judge and staff to attend the mandatory Magistrate Conference.

Regular hours will resume September 17.

Capitan School Board Meets September 13

Capitan Board of Education meets at 6 p.m. Thursday, September 13 in the board room of the school administration building.

Business items on the tentative agenda are as follows:

--Reports from student senate.

--Action to award Jack O. Pogue Scholarship Recipient to Cody Montes.

--Action on 2001-02 revised increment schedule.

--Action on board policy Section VI Students-6.11.2 Alternative Credits.

--Audit exit report from superintendent Dr. Larry Miller.

--Enrollment update from Dr. Miller.

--Personnel; action on resignations and employment.

--Public comment.

--Report from CACT.

--Report from PTA.

--Executive session.



MICHAEL WILLIAMSON in his Number 20 street stock car drove one of the four stock cars in the Carrizozo Street Fair parade Monday. Williamson lives in Ruidoso but is a member of the Carrizozo Rat Pack, a group of drivers from Carrizozo.

County Hearings Set For Changes To Ordinances

by DORIS CHERRY

On September 20, in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, the Lincoln County Commissioners will hold public hearings on several ordinances that need to be updated.

At their August 16 meeting in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, county commissioners approved holding public hearing on an ordinance that updates the county Infrastructure Capital Improvements Plan (ICIP) to include the projects identified for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and other priority capital needs for the county. The ICIP is

used by the county to obtain state legislative and CDBG funding for priority projects.

The ICIP sets goals for capital improvement projects over five years, the cost of each and where funding will be obtained. The current ICIP lists new sheriff's cars as first priority. Copies of the ICIP are available from the office of the county manager in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

Another public hearing will be held on proposed revisions to the county Animal Control Ordinance. County attorney Alan Morel presented a model animal control ordinance that

he said is "extremely detailed" and calls for licensing of all dogs and cats in the county.

County commission chair Rex Wilson said he was not inclined to agree with the licensing. "My part of the county is not going to receive this well," Wilson said about the proposed ordinance. "And I don't believe it would be enforceable."

Morel said the biggest change in the proposed ordinance is the tagging of all animals. "What will we do with barn cats?" Wilson asked about the tagging. How are we going to catch them to tag them, and how

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Carrizozo Teacher Waits For Reasons

by Ruth Hammond

Carrizozo School teacher John B. Gosek was hired August 17 and 12 days later he was placed on administrative leave with pay.

The letter Gosek received from the school dated August 31 stated: You are placed on Administrative Leave with pay as of August 29, 2001. You are not to be on campus or attend school functions without my permission." The letter was signed by Rick Cogdill, school superintendent.

No reason or explanation was given for placing Gosek on Administrative Leave with pay.

Gosek was hired as high school social studies, world history, U.S. History and U.S. Government. He was also hired as assistant football coach.

Gosek resigned as assistant football coach on August 27. Even though the coaching agreement signed by Gosek and the school superintendent, states "this employment agreement may be terminated at the will of either party,



regardless of cause and without any requirement for the statement of any cause therefor..." Gosek did send a letter of resignation to Mr. Rick Cogdill, listing his reasons. Gosek alleges misconduct during practice.

When Gosek receives a letter from the school stating the reason for being placed on administrative leave with pay, Gosek will have five working days to respond. The school then has 20 to 40 days to hold a special school board meeting to meet with Gosek and make a determination.

Gosek is a member of the National Education Association (NEA) and will be represented by Henry Gonzales, UniServ Consultant with NEA.

When asked about the status of the letter placing Gosek on administrative leave with pay, school superintendent Rick Cogdill told *The NEWS* that this is a personnel matter and for that reason he could not comment. Cogdill did say, "I did not ask Mr. Gosek to resign. I did say in my opinion it would be best for Mr. Gosek to resign."

Editor's Note: It was reported in *The NEWS* last week that the school administration had asked for Gosek's resignation.

Cogdill also told *The NEWS*, "I assure everyone my concern is what is best for students."

Forest Burn Conducted In Patos Area

U.S. Forest Service has been conducting a controlled burn in the Patos Mountains east of White Oaks.

The burn involves disposal of slash piles created by a thinning project in 1997, said forest ranger Jerry Hawks.

Crews were scheduled to have completed the burn on Wednesday, September 5.



Special County Meeting Friday

by DORIS CHERRY

Private land owners in the Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs and Alto areas may get some help in making their properties more resistant to fire with a program being considered by the county.

Lincoln County Commissioners will hold a special meeting at 9 a.m. Friday, September 7 in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo to give the county manager

authority to submit an application to the New Mexico Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department, Forestry Division. The application will request the county be designated as fiscal agent and coordinator of the Homeowner and

Community Action Fuels Reduction program in Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs, Alto and to the southwest of all residential locations in the surrounding areas.

Currently, the South Cen-

tral Mountain RC&D Council is administering a fuels program in Cloudercroft that is assisting private land owners in reducing fire hazards.

At the August 28 meeting of the Ruidoso Wildland Urban Interface Group, the New Mexico State Forestry Division requested the program's administration be shifted from the RC&D to an existing government agency.

In the memo from Lincoln

County Manager Tom Stewart about the application, he states "since the area involves multi-jurisdictions, the county was the logical choice for administration."

The Wildland Urban Interface Group consists of members from the U.S. Forest Service, BIA, Ruidoso Downs, State Land Office, Ruidoso River Association, Village of Ruidoso, Village of Ruidoso Downs, RC&D,

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Special County Meeting

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Lincoln County, extension office, Sierra Contracting/composting, Glencoe Fire Department, SNMEDD, New Mexico Environment Department, Unity Center, Village of Clouderoft, and others.

The program envisioned may involve an estimated \$600,000 with the necessary match provided by landowners, Stewart indicated in his memo.

Stewart also outlines a proposed course of action. The county would hire an administrator to coordinate and arrange necessary office support under the contract. R/C&D council will assist with the transition and future administration.

State Forestry Division and the Village of Ruidoso urban forester will inspect and provide prescriptions for private landowners and

associations that apply under the program. Only projects contributing to fire hazard reduction will be approved. "Priorities must be recognized, not simply aesthetics," Stewart wrote.

Projects will be reviewed and endorsed by the Ruidoso Wildland Urban Interface Group to ensure there is cohesion of strategy. All projects underway by all agencies—Mescalero, State and Smokey Bear Ranger District, Upper Hondo, villages and others will be looked at to determine needs.

Landowners with the help from the contractor must complete the work as prescribed. State Forestry Division or the village urban forester will inspect the completed jobs and authorize payment of 50 percent of the cost by sending documentation through the county.

The county administrator will process the payment and apply for reimbursement from the federal funds.

Members of the Ruidoso Wildland Interface Group

are scheduled to attend the Friday meeting to discuss and refine the program as outlined by Stewart.

"The risk of catastrophic forest fire in and around Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs, and the Ato area are among the worst in the nation. Priority has been given to the area in the southwest of the threatened areas since the predominate wind patterns blow from that direction.

Since the area involves multi-jurisdictions, the county is the logical governmental choice for being fiscal agent and administering a cohesive strategy, using the existing "Ruidoso Wildland Urban Interface Group" expertise and recommendations for the elimination of the hazard from private lands.

Stewart recommends commissioners approve the submission of the application at an amount he will provide at the meeting.

The meeting is open to the public who may comment about the program.

No other items are listed on the tentative agenda.

Capitan Tigers Fall Hard To Ft. Sumner

Capitan varsity football team was no match for ever strong Fort Sumner as the Tigers lost 54 to 12 at a home game on Friday, August 31.

Even with a large number of seniors on the Tigers varsity, the team suffered from inexperience in both defense and offense. The Tigers were unable to score in the first half, and only rallied in the final quarter as Fort Sumner coaches sent in their bench to practice their passing game.

In scoring Fort Sumner made 28 points in the first quarter, Capitan zero. In the second quarter Fort Sumner scored two more touchdowns and earned their extra kick points. The score was Fort Sumner 42 and Capitan zero as the teams went to the locker rooms for the half time break.

Fort Sumner coaches sent in their second string of players in the second half, giving Capitan a bit of a break. But the Tigers were unable to rally until

the final quarter. With only two and a half minutes left in the game the field sprinklers suddenly came on full force, giving the Tigers a needed distraction. Tiger junior Chance Van Winkle ran 50 yards to earn Capitan's first touchdown of the game. Tigers tried to run for the extra points but it was no good.

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Short Notes

AWANA Groups Are Organizing

First Baptist Church of Carrizozo is sponsoring AWANA clubs again this year.

AWANA stands for "Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed" based on the scripture verse in 2 Timothy 2:15. AWANA, for kids aged 3 to sixth grade, meets from 6-8 p.m. each Wednesday. The first meeting will be at 6 p.m. Wednesday, September 12.

New this year is the Junior Varsity AWANA for 7th and 8th graders, will meet at 6 p.m. Wednesday, September 19, at Trinity Methodist Church.

AWANA is a non-denominational program where kids play games, memorize scripture verse and hear Bible stories. Participants have the opportunity to win many achievements.

For more information contact Hayden Smith at 648-2107.

Berle Tally To Celebrate 95th Birthday On Sept. 8

Everyone is invited to help celebrate Berle Tally's 95th birthday on Saturday, September 8.

Festivities begin at 12 noon with food, drinks, dancing and chicken roping at the Claunch bean elevator in the community of Claunch.

The dinner is a pot luck event, and participants are asked to bring a dish, ice chest with ice, card table and folding chairs. All bringing a dish are asked to bring serving utensils.

Bachelor's may bring bar items.

RVs are welcome to dry camp around the grounds. Motels are available in Carrizozo.

Musicians are asked to bring their instruments.

There is a fee for the chicken roping that will have purses for the first, second and third winners.

Organizers Berlene and Tony Scaccia and Joyce and Tommy Ansley ask that there be no gifts for Berle.

12th Judicial District Div. 3 Court Calendar

The following is a list of court cases to be heard in the 12th Judicial District Courtroom in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

Thursday, September 6:

8:30 a.m. Knowles Change of Name; CV-2001-208
TC, Thrasher v. Board of Trustees; CV-00-166 (Beauvais/Sullivan) (Sch. Conf.)

11 a.m. Yates v. Yates; CV-2001-228 (C. Hawthorne) (OTSC)

1:30 p.m. Ruidoso Ford v. Stout; CV-99-215

Friday, September 7:
No court to allow judge to attend 12th Judicial District Bench and Bar Conference in Clouderoft.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAYS
 -Lincoln County Adult Singles Group 6:30 p.m. Call 354-2635 or 258-3201 for information and location.
 -Capitan Chamber of Commerce Bingo 7 p.m.
 -Pre-school reading hour begins September 13 at Capitan Public Library. The reading hour will be held every Thursday at 1 p.m.

FRIDAYS
 -Alcoholics Anonymous big book open discussion 7-8 p.m. Capitan Senior Center. Call 354-4032 for information.

TODAY, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
 -Lincoln County Public Land Use Advisory Committee (PLUAC) and Lincoln County Ag and Rural Affairs Committee joint meeting at 9 a.m. in the Lincoln County Commissioners chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. Items on the agenda include discussion of a proposed declaration of agricultural emergency; update on the BLM access for oryx west of the Malpais; discussion of proposed United Nations Free Zone ordinance; update on the Highway 70 project from Sally Canning.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7
 -Special meeting of the Lincoln County Commission, 9 a.m. their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. The purpose of the meeting is to authorize application for state funding to conduct fuels reduction in the Ruidoso-Alto area.
 -First Friday Lecture Series, 7 p.m. at Capitan Public Library, featuring historian Ann Buffington.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9
 -4th annual Arts in the Orchard, and pie eating contest, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Coe Ranch on Highway 70 in Glencoe. Admission fee. Music, arts and crafts and food. Call Betty McCreight at 648-2311.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10
 -Capitan Chamber of Commerce, 12:30 p.m. at the chamber building on 12th Street in Capitan.
 -Keep Ruidoso Beautiful Committee 5 p.m. Ruidoso Village Hall.
 -Lincoln County-Ruidoso Extraterritorial Zoning Authority 6:30 p.m. Ruidoso Village Hall.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
 -Blood drive from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Gateway Church of Christ on Sudderth Drive in Ruidoso.
 -Ruidoso Utility Council 9:30 a.m. Ruidoso Village Hall.
 -Carrizozo Town Trustees 6 p.m.
 -Ruidoso Village Council 8:30 p.m.
 -Capitan Village Trustees 7 p.m.
 -Corona Board of Education 7 p.m. Corona Schools administration office.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
 -Carrizozo AWANA club meets 6-8 p.m. First Baptist Church in Carrizozo. Group to meet each Wednesday.

SEPTEMBER 12-16
 -Kidz Konnection Playground Project work to be held. The public is invited to come and help build the 14,000 square foot playground near the White Mountain Elementary School Complex in Ruidoso. The playground is to be built in five days. Call 336-1530 to help, or for more information.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
 -Billy the Kid Scenic Byways Committee, 12:30 p.m. Museum of the American West, Ruidoso Downs.
 -Ruidoso Arts Commission 4 p.m. Ruidoso Village Hall.
 -Capitan Board of Education 6 p.m. school administration building.
 -Corona Village Trustees, 6:30 p.m.

NMSU Student From Capitan Helps With Steam Engine Project

Reconditioning a turn-of-the-century steam engine this summer was a fascinating look back in time, said Taylor Smith of Capitan, a sophomore mechanical engineering technology student at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces.

The reconditioned engine, a 30-horsepower Murray Standard Corliss stationary steam engine that once produced power and heat on the NMSU campus, is now on display on the NMSU campus in Las Cruces.

"We were all engineering students who worked on the engine," said Smith. "We were all interested in machines, and it was interesting to look back in history this way." Several other students were involved in the project. The old engine was bought in 1912 and installed in the college's old engineering building in 1914. It is believed to have provided power for the mechanical shop and possibly to heat other buildings, wrote David Embry, graduate student in industrial engineering from Farmington who also helped with the project. Embry compiled a history of the engine for the project.

When the old engineering building was razed in 1960, the engine was scrapped. Broken into several pieces, it was moved from place to place on campus over the next 41 years. In May, college of engineering dean Jay Jordan asked that the engine be reconditioned and placed on display. Most

of the work was done in the engineering department student project center. The physics department glass shop cut and ground glass cylinders, the Physical Science Lab metal plating department nickel-plated some worn out parts and the Office of Facilities and Services masonry shop sandblasted parts that were encrusted with rust, old paint and old grease.

Because none of the students, or their professors, had ever seen a steam engine of this type in action, in June seven of the project group visited the Antique Gas and Steam Engine Museum in Vista, CA. The museum has two working Cor-

liss steam engines. The group took photos of parts that were missing from the NMSU engine.

Back in Las Cruces missing parts were modeled on computer, then made in the students project center. An electric motor was designed to turn the engine's 3,000 pound fly wheel to simulate its original movement without steam while on display.

The students said they were struck by the engine's simple, efficient design and by the craftsmanship that went into the building of it. Tolerances between some parts of the engine are one, one-thousandth of an inch.

The steam engine is on display on Frénger Mall, across from Engineering Complex III on the NMSU campus in Las Cruces.



Weather Report

The following weather forecast is based on information from the National Weather Service internet web site.

Forecast for Carrizozo, Lincoln, Hondo Valley and other lower elevations of Lincoln County:

Today, Thursday, September 6:

Partly cloudy skies with a very slight chance of afternoon showers and thunderstorms. High temperature in Carrizozo 85. Chance for precipitation 5 percent. Tonight, partly cloudy skies with a low temperature in Carrizozo of 56.

Friday, September 7: Some clouds and becoming breezy. Highs in the 80s, lows in the 50s.

Saturday & Sunday, September 8 & 9:

Partly to mostly cloudy and cooler. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the 50s.

Monday & Tuesday, September 10 & 11:

Partly cloudy and warmer. Highs in the upper 80s, lows in the mid 50s.

Forecast for Ruidoso, Capitan and other higher elevations in Lincoln County:

Today, Thursday, September 6:

Partly cloudy with a chance of afternoon showers and thunderstorms. High temperature in Ruidoso 80. Chance for precipitation 20 percent. Tonight, partly cloudy skies, with a low of 40 in Ruidoso.

Friday, September 7: Increasing cloudiness and becoming breezy. A slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Highs in 70s, lows in the 40s.

Saturday & Sunday, September 8 & 9:

Partly to mostly cloudy and cooler. A slight chance for showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the 70s in Ruidoso and low 80s in Capitan. Lows in the 40s in Ruidoso and low 50s in Capitan.

Monday & Tuesday, September 10 & 11:

Partly cloudy and warmer. Highs in the mid 70s in Ruidoso to mid 80s in Capitan. Lows in the mid 40s to low 50s.

Carrizozo Street Fair Winners Announced

Carrizozo Street Fair Committee has announced the winners of various contests held during the Carrizozo Street Fair on Labor Day, Monday, September 3.

In the Steel-man contest, men's category, first place winner was James Verdugo, second place was Carl McDaniel, third place was Anthony Beltran. In the Girl's category, Justine Beltran was first place. In the Boys' category first place was Jimmy Morris.

Winners of the bicycle decorating contest were first place boys Jaime McCarthy, first place girls Catalena Vega, and honorable mention Kersti Davis.

In the car show, first place went to Homer Clark for his VW conversion car; second place went to Beverly Gould for her 1959 Ford Galaxy Skyliner Retractable Hardtop Convertible. Third place went to Scott Atchley for his 1980 Chevy El Camino.

The best motorcycle award went to Ron Wallace for his 1976 Harley.

Nathan Chavez was the winner of the 50-50 contest taking home \$90.50.

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
 Corona Post Office 12:30 - 2:30
 Carrizozo/Otero Electric 4:00 - 6:30

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
 Carrizozo/Otero Electric 7:30 - 8:30
 Nogal Post Office 8:45 - 9:30
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FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Waiting for Tuesday

By Ruth Hammond

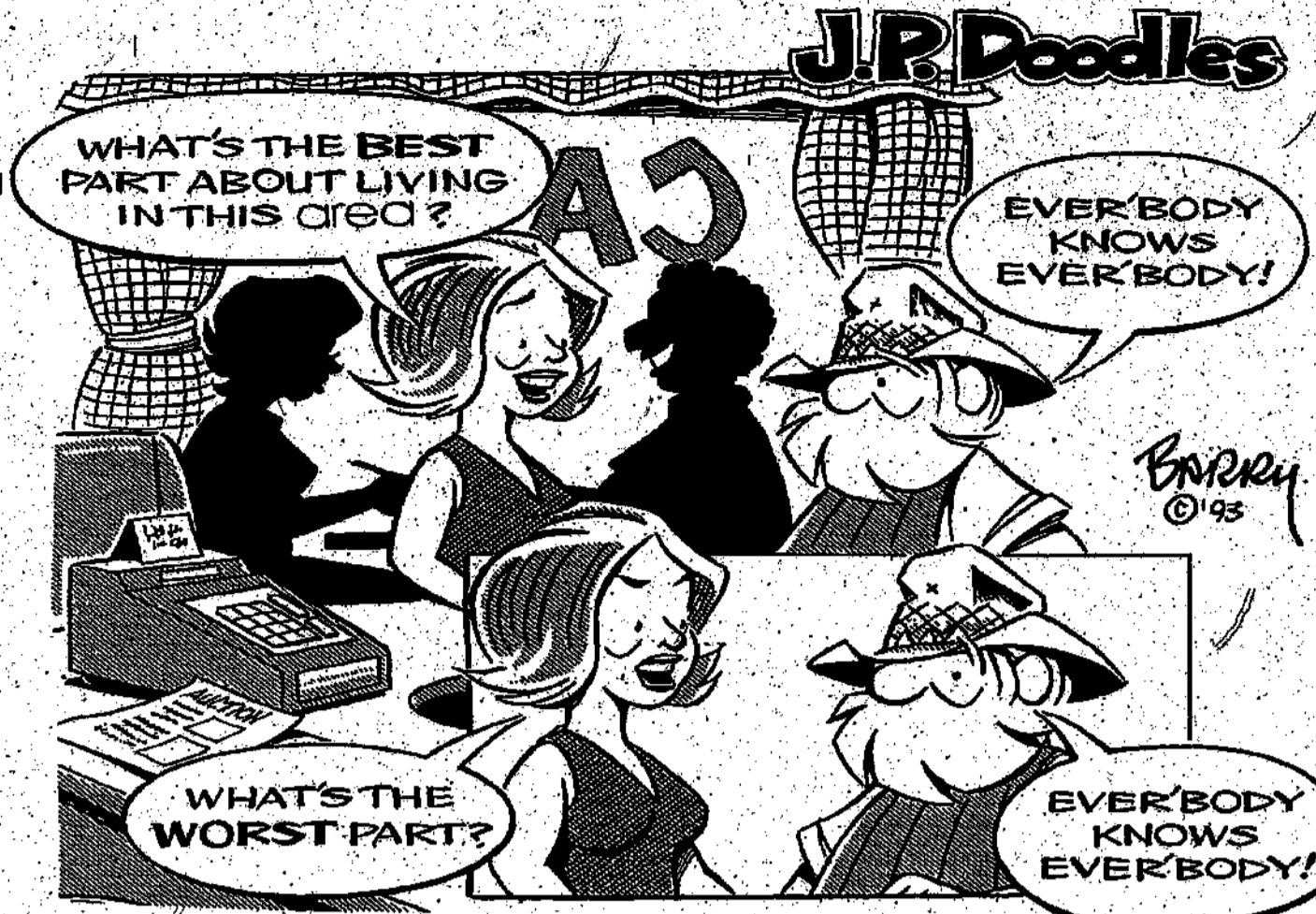
The next few weeks could be interesting, starting with the town and village council meetings Tuesday when the officials who attended the New Mexico Municipal League Conference will have an opportunity to talk about what they learned at the conference. Do you suppose anyone will actually give a report justifying why they went to the 44th annual conference? Residents have a right to know if the gross receipts tax is an endangered species and why. Residents also have a right to know who has the competitive edge in municipalization vs privatization, and what the pros and cons are on utility operations. Residents also have a right to know about jurisdictional boundaries and water quality standards, and about any other workshops offered.

Another item of interest that might be explained by the officials attending the conference could be the new ideas for small municipalities, innovative management programs and the coordinated capital outlay budget process. We would like to know that the \$215 registration fee was for something other than a golf tournament, fun run, and the night under the stars, a fun evening with all sorts of foods and activities for those attending. Yes, we do realize that many people attending conferences are there for a "paid" vacation, but we do hope that our local officials learned something that could be helpful for our local communities.

Legislative decisions about redistricting this next couple of weeks could also be of interest. Most suggestions are for State Representative District 56 to change. Some of the plans for redistricting propose to carve the west side of Lincoln County out of District 56. Does that mean the western portion of Lincoln County will be clumped in with Socorro? And what about Corona? Will it be in the district with Vaughn or Santa Rosa or what? And does it mean that the eastern portions of Lincoln County have grown enough to be a State Representative District all by itself? We have tried to keep Lincoln County unified but now it appears that state redistricting will cause our county to be carved up with a portion here and a portion there. No mention has been made as to what State Senate redistricting will do to our county. We have heard that Lincoln County may be in with Chaves County in the State Senate District and then we heard portions of Lincoln County might be in with portions of Otero County. Could be that Lincoln County will be cut into little pieces, with a piece here and a piece there.

Keeping county interests together could be difficult but it can be worked out, and we hope legislators will do their best to not split Lincoln County into bits and pieces. The job of redistricting is something that happens after every census and that is another reason it was important to make certain everyone got counted. We didn't mind being counted but we did object to the questions about how much we spent for fuel, electricity and housing, all under the guise of the information being used for Head Start programs. If someone would explain how a fuel bill could possibly be used to determine future needs for Head Start it might help. Maybe the municipal officials can tell us next Tuesday.

Lots of excitement ahead



PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS FOR THE NEW MILLENNIUM



JUDITH L. CHRISTOPHER

You Can Receive A Personal Confidential Reading Call for Appointment 257-2996

Virgo: (Aug 23 - Sept 22) A real good time to be by yourself, get things done that should have been done a long time ago. A short trip could do you good, clear your mind.

Libra: (Sept 23 - Oct 22) Listen to your own Heart, you'll be the only one who will feel it, if it gets broken (Again!) Step back and take a good look at what is going on!

Scorpio: (Oct 23 - Nov 21) Just because you have two hands & two legs, that doesn't mean you can do two things at once! You're going to run in circles and lose good energy!

Sagittarius: (Nov 22 - Dec 21) You're making a Mt. out of a Mole Hill! It's Simple... "If in Doubt...Don't!" You can kick yourself later for not taking a Chance... "Chicken?" :-)

Capricorn: (Dec 22 - Jan 19) "Oh, Yes what a wonderful life it would be, if only they would do it like ME!" You're Right...but it isn't that easy! Make your own Dreams come True.

Aquarius: (Jan 20 - Feb 18) Money? Aren't you tired of worrying about that? You are Very Smart, (Sometimes Lazy!) You can do Anything that you want to! Go For It!

Pisces: (Feb 19 - March 20) All your little Ducks are going everywhere, except where you want them to go! Sit down & enjoy the view! They will come back, soon!

Aries: (Mar 21 - April 19) Clear the way....You have to get on with your NEW Life...Don't ask Questions...Don't talk...Just do it before you lose your nerve! "GO!"

Taurus: (Apr 20 - May 20) What you THINK...is what you'll Get! Count your Blessings, instead of what you think you're losing! You'll draw to you what you THINK!!

Gemini: (May 21 - June 20) You can't have your Cake and Lose Weight too! Relax & Think about what you really want IN your Life...Not everyone else's life...YOURS!

Cancer: (June 21-July 22) Are you getting into a Rut? You're the only one who can pull yourself out of it! Take long walks & enjoy! Love, Live & Laugh a lot!

Leo: (July 23 - Aug 22) You're going to have to Give up Something, to get what you really want! Is it worth giving this up? Don't start counting the Years, they are Gone!

SANTA FE
INSIDE THE CAPITOL
BY JAY MILLER

SANTA FE - Expect some fireworks at the special session of the New Mexico Legislature.

The main topic is redistricting, which is the most crucial battle lawmakers face because it involves their political lives and deaths. We may see them also wrestle with tax cuts and pork bills - two of the dearest items to politicians' hearts. Evidently they will hold off on any leadership struggles.

We may have gotten a preview of the political-life-or-death nature of redistricting earlier this summer when Rep. Dan Foley of Roswell referred to Rep. Ron Godbey of Albuquerque as a "dead man." It got him in trouble, since death threats aren't taken lightly these days, but Foley was able to convince authorities that he was referring to Godbey's political death.

The two Republicans are on opposite sides of some major party issues, such as discussion of drugs and support of Gary Johnson and John Dendahl. Foley supports them. Godbey doesn't, which puts him on the losing side, having failed an attempt to censure Gov. Johnson for his drug positions and unsuccessfully challenging Dendahl for reelection as state GOP chairman.

As the saying goes, if you try to kill the king, you'd better not miss. Godbey missed both Johnson and Dendahl and then was unable to convince authorities that Foley was threatening his physical well-being. He now finds himself in the minority of the minority party, headed into a redistricting session.

Gov. Johnson can't be expected to defend Godbey's district with his veto pen. Dendahl is highly involved in the redistricting process. And Foley has been getting along well with House Speaker Ben Lujan. In addition, Foley's Roswell colleague, Sen. Rod Adair, is under contract to draw the GOP's proposed redistricting maps. If I were a legislator, I can't think of anyone I would less like to be right now than Rep. Godbey.

And Godbey isn't the only lawmaker who will be walking around with a target on his back during the special session. Other Republicans who supported him also need to be looking over their shoulders, especially those from slow-growing districts, such House

Republican Whip Earlene Roberts of Lovington, who seconded Godbey's nomination to challenge Dendahl. Democrats aren't safe either. Those who have been a thorn in the side of the leadership are not breathing easy right now.

Then there are the partisan congressional district proposals that would split Albuquerque. Rural lawmakers worry that could mean the big Duke City could have two or maybe all three of New Mexico's members of the U.S. House. And some Albuquerqueans worry they could end up with no representative.

And we can be sure there will be efforts to redistrict the five-member Public Regulation Commission so that three members will come from the Albuquerque-Santa Fe axis and prevent any further area-code coups.

As if all this intrigue weren't enough, Gov. Johnson and legislative leaders are huddling to see if they can reach accord on a tax cut that would set the pork

bill free. Johnson has even been reported to have used the "c" word, indicating a willingness to compromise that has never passed his lips before.

When lawmakers left Santa Fe last March, Senate Democrats were saying the battle for leadership of the body wasn't over. Three Democrats and all 18 Republicans coalesced to oust Sen. Manny Aragon and install Sen. Richard Romero as president pro tem of the body.

Undoing that deed isn't a simple matter of voting again. Other hopefuls, such as Sen. Michael Sanchez of Belen, now are in the mix. And Sen. Aragon is considering the possibility of challenging Sen. Tim Jennings of Roswell for the Democrat floor leader post. That office is elected solely by Democrats so Aragon wouldn't have to worry about Republicans raining on his parade.

But both Sanchez and Aragon say this is not the time for party infighting.

Domenici Gets FEMA \$\$ For Fire Departments

Six New Mexico fire departments have been awarded \$281,410 from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to purchase fire fighting equipment.

According to a release from Sen. Pete Domenici, FEMA awarded the funds to fire departments in Chamberino, Las Cruces

and Mesquite in Dona Ana County, Portales, Rowe in Santa Fe County and Wagon Mound in Colfax County.

The release provided no information on how fire departments can apply for the FEMA funds.

The senator's website is www.domenici.senate.gov.

NM Students Invited To Apply For Senate Program

U.S. Senators Pete Domenici and Jeff Bingaman of New Mexico, invite New Mexico high school students to apply for the 2002 United States Senate Youth Program.

rburrola@risd.k12.nm.us

Additional information can be found at the program website at: www.ussenateyouth.org.

Two outstanding New Mexico high school students will be chosen to participate in the youth leadership program March 2-9, 2002. The names of those chosen will be announced December 13.

Sept. 21 Deadline To Register For ACT

College-bound high school students must register to take the ACT entrance exam scheduled for October 27.

Postmark on the registration must be by Friday, September 21. Late registration deadline is October 5, but an additional fee is required for late registration.

Information about the ACT is available from the school counselor or students can register on-line at www.act.org.

ACT scores are accepted by nearly all colleges in the U.S. The test fee is \$24.

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the special session to last anywhere from 10 to 14 days. But redistricting the state's population into the state constitutionally set 70 House of Representatives seats and the 42 Senate seats will be a major job, Williams added.

Since legislators do not have separate office staff during the special session, messages for Williams can be left with the House of Representatives Minority Office at 505-986-4757.

Delegates will visit Capitol Hill, the White House, the Pentagon, State Department, Supreme Court and meet with federal leaders.

The program is fully funded by private funds

from the William Randolph Hearst Foundation.

Applications must be received by October 5. Interested students should contact their principal or Mr.

Ray Burrola; Principal, New Mexico Association of Secondary School Principals; Goddard High School, 701 E. Country Club Road, Roswell, NM 88201. Or call him at 505-627-4800 or email at

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Sheriff's Report

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

August 6:
8:16 p.m. verbal domestic at a location off Highway 70 east of Ruidoso Downs.

10:30 p.m. verbal domestic, the caller's estranged husband was making verbal threats. Two deputies responded.

10:44 p.m. Overdose on unknown pills reported at an RV park east of Ruidoso Downs. Ruidoso Advanced Life Support (RALS) ambulance transported the patient to Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC). A deputy also responded.

August 7:
9:07 a.m. vehicle identification number (VIN) check requested at location east of Ruidoso Downs.

11:08 a.m. threats at a business in San Patricio.

12:35 p.m. larceny at a location off mile marker 286 on Highway 70.

2:57 p.m. VIN check requested in Capitan.

3:48 p.m. VIN check at Fort Stanton.

10:49 p.m. request for ambulance for male with chest pains. RALS transported to LCMC.

August 8:
7:58 a.m. accident without injuries, a car hit a deer, on Highway 48 in Alto. State police notified.

8:30 a.m. request for ambulance for man down on D. Ave. A deputy responded and canceled the ambulance call because the man just needed help getting up.

12:12 p.m. suspicious subject on Sierra Blanca Drive. Responding deputy was unable to locate the subject.

1 p.m. stolen guns on D. Ave. in Carrizozo. Deputy responded.

3:55 p.m. request for ambulance in Lower Eagle Creek for a woman.

7:06 p.m. request for ambulance for woman bucked off horse. Carrizozo ambulance responded.

8 p.m. deputy advised he served a warrant in Ruidoso Downs.

8:03 p.m. criminal damage at mile marker 3 on Highway 37, a neighbor ran her truck through the caller's gate and cut the lock.

10:13 p.m. ambulance requested for possible stroke patient in Camelot Apartments. RALS responded but was refused.

August 9:
12:22 a.m. request for ambulance on Highland Lane. RALS transported to LCMC.

8:19 a.m. larceny on Antelope Court.

12:58 p.m. request to deliver death message to individual on Gavilan Canyon Road, the individual's mother died.

1:07 p.m. vandalism on Deer Park Drive, two security lights were shot out.

1:07 p.m. smoke/fire in Deer Park Woods. A deputy and Bonito Fire Department responded.

2:45 and 5:20 p.m. reports of threats at a business in San Patricio. A person from the state engineer's office advised that a subject was threatening to build a dam across a ditch, and if anyone comes around he will shoot them. A deputy responded.

5 p.m. one car roll over with injuries at mile marker 16 on Highway 48. Capitan ambulance transported to LCMC.

10:14 p.m. shots fired next door to the caller on Highway 48 who was concerned for his dogs. The responding deputy advised there were no shots, rather an M-80 had been given to the resident to scare off bears.

10:15 p.m. 911 hang up from Rancho Ruidoso Condos. Dispatch called back and got another hang-up, then called again and the second time a woman speaking only Spanish answered and admitted the children were playing with the phone. She was advised that 911 abuse could result in the phone service being disconnected.

August 10:
12:42 a.m. domestic in Carrizozo. The husband was drunk and throwing and breaking things. No weapons were involved. Carrizozo police notified.

3:14 a.m. request for ambulance for 66 year old woman having trouble breathing. RALS transported to LCMC after no response was received from Capitan ambulance.

5:41 p.m. panic alarm at Alto area business. At 5:47 a.m. the manager advised it was okay, he had a new employee.

6:04 a.m. request for ambulance for patient with chest pains. Med 1 transported to LCMC.

9:48 a.m. subject was going on the property in San Patricio. Three deputies were assigned.

1:43 p.m. domestic in Capitan area.

1:46 p.m. request for ambulance for hit and run accident on Highway 70 west. Med 1 transported injured to LCMC.

1:55 p.m. 911 hang up from Mesa Loop. A deputy was assigned.

9:08 p.m. request for ambulance in Capitan. RALS was requested by Capitan ambulance crew.

10:14 p.m. request for ambulance for patient with asthma attack. Carrizozo ambulance transported to Gerald Champion Memorial Hospital (GCMH) in Alamogordo.

August 11:
2:25 a.m. request for ambulance for an 11 year old who fell from a bunk bed. Med 1 responded.

8:11 a.m. tree fell on kids at West Lake Campground near Bonito Lake. RALS and two deputies responded.

1:35 p.m. motorcycles racing through Villa Madonna.

2:02 p.m. accident with injured on Highway 70 at Picacho. Med 1 and two units from Hondo Fire Department and state police responded.

5:32 p.m. request for ambulance on First Street. Capitan ambulance requested RALS.

7:43 p.m. three shots fired on Musketball in Cedar Creek.

August 12:
9:43 a.m. unwanted sub-

ject at trailer court. The caller advised that he asked his girl friend to leave and she got mad. At 10:03 a.m. the caller called back and requested no further action be taken. Dispatch advised units were already on route. At 10:09 a.m. the assigned deputy advised all was okay.

11:16 a.m. shots fired at Bonito Lake. The responding deputy advised that all was okay.

2:56 p.m. accident at mile marker 268 on Highway 70, two vehicles were off the road. RALS responded but advised there were no injuries.

3:23 p.m. 911 request for ambulance for a woman who passed out in Lincoln. Capitan ambulance responded but was refused.

7:41 p.m. breaking and entering in Fawn Ridge.

7:35 p.m. 911 request for ambulance in Capitan for a woman who couldn't feel her arms. Capitan ambulance transported to meet RALS which transported to LCMC.

7:35 p.m. 911 request for ambulance for a man with liver pain at a location off Highway 70. Hondo ambulance transported to LCMC.

8:03 p.m. 911 report of disturbance at Oak Grove Campground, teenagers with beer and loud music were causing a disturbance in the camp. The responding deputies requested Bonito Fire Department to extinguish an unattended campfire.

9:39 p.m. request for ambulance on 18th street for a man who fell. Carrizozo am-

bulance transported to GCMH.

9:54 p.m. structure fire on Chisolm Trail in Alto. The house was full of smoke and the alarm was going off. AT 10:03 p.m. Bonito Fire Department confirmed the structure was fully involved, 10 fire fighters and all units were at the scene. Two deputies, state police, Red Cross volunteers,

RALS, gas company and electric company personnel also responded.

August 13:
10:31 a.m. harassment at Highway 70 west.

2:13 p.m. traffic hazard. A stolen car with a stolen plate was on Sun Mountain Loop in Alto. Two deputies responded.

MORE NEXT WEEK

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Village of Capitan invites all interested citizens to a Public Hearing to be held at the Village Hall, 114 Lincoln Ave., Capitan, NM at 6:30 P.M. on September 11, 2001.

The purpose of the public hearing will be to discuss the 2001 Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. To advise citizens of the program objectives and receive public input on community needs and suggestions for CDBG projects.

The CDBG program is designed to meet activities, which will address one to three state and national objectives.

1.) Benefit principally low-moderate income families.

2.) Aid in the prevention or elimination of slum and blight.

3.) Meet other community development needs of recent origin which pose a serious and immediate threats to the health and welfare of the community.

All incorporated municipalities under 50,000 are eligible to apply. Applicants may apply for funding assistance for Community Infrastructure, Housing, Public Service Capital Outlay, Economic Development, Emergency Planning and Colonias.

For information contact:

Kathryn Griffin, Village Clerk
114 Lincoln Ave., Capitan, NM 88316
505-354-2247

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Church Directory



MOUNTAIN MINISTRY PARISH, SIERRA BLANCA PRESBYTERY

Nogal Presbyterian Church:
BILL SEBRING, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.

Ancho Community Presbyterian Church:
SCOTT KING, Pastor / 648-2024
Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Corona Presbyterian Church:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study and Youth Fellowship Wednesdays 6:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church
HAYDEN SMITH, Pastor
314 10th Ave., Carrizozo, NM
648-2968 (Church) or 648-2107
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
Sun. Evening Training at 6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)
JOHNIE L. JOHNSON, Pastor
Corner of C Ave. and Thirteenth, 648-2186
Children's Church 10:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Santa Rita Catholic Community
FR. DAVE BERGS, Pastor
213 Birch, Carrizozo, NM, 648-2853
SATURDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart 5:00 p.m.
Carrizozo Santa Rita 6:30 p.m.
SUNDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart 9:00 a.m.
Carrizozo Santa Rita 10:30 a.m.
Corona St. Theresa 1:00 p.m.

Church of Christ
TOM POINDEXTER, Minister 354-3135
Ave. C at 12th, Carrizozo, NM
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 1:15 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

St. Matthias Episcopal Church
REV. CANON JOHN PENN, Rector
Corner of E Ave. and Sixth, Carrizozo, NM
1-505-257-2358
Holy Eucharist Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Claunch Community Church
TONY SCACCIA, Minister
849-1402
Second Sunday of Each Month 9:00 a.m.

United Methodist Churches
JOHANNA ANDERSON, Pastor
1000 D. Ave. 848-2893 / 648-2846
Carrizozo, NM 88301
Sunday School (All Ages) 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice (Tuesday) 6:30 p.m.
United Methodist Women
Every 3rd Wednesday 2:00 p.m.
Fellowship Dinner on 4th Sunday of Month 12:30 p.m.

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

Christ Community Fellowship
ED VINSON, Pastor (Inter-denominational)
514 Smoke Bear Blvd., Capitan, NM
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Capitan Church of Christ
LESLIE EARWOOD, Minister
5th & Lincoln / 336-4827
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.

Trinity Southern Baptist Church
Phone 354-2044
Capitan (South on Hwy. 48)
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
AWANA Sunday 4:00-6:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church of Corona
CAL WEST, Pastor / 849-7975
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Fellowship Dinner 1st Sunday of Month

NOTICIA DE ALERTA AL PUBLICO SEPTIEMBRE 11, 2001, 6:30 P.M. LA CIUDAD DE VILLAGE OF CAPITAN.

La Ciudad de Village of Capitan, Nuevo Mexico tendra dos juntas el 11 de Septiembre, 2001 a las 6:30 de la tarde, las dos en el ayuntamiento situado en 114 Lincoln Ave., Capitan, Nuevo Mexico. El proposito de las juntas publicas sera para discutir el programa de Desarrollo en la Comunidad del conjunto de Donacion en Nuevo Mexico (CDBE) y para avisar a los ciudadanos de las metas del programa, la escala de actividades eligibles y otra informacion pertinente. Tambien es para obtener las opiniones de ciudadanos sobre desarrollo de la comunidad y necesidades de habitacion, particularmente las necesidades de gente con ingresos bajos y moderados.

Los objetivos estatales y nacionales de programa CDBG requieren que las actividades del proyecto cumplan con por lo menos uno de los siguientes requisitos. Beneficio para las familias de ingresos bajos y moderados; ayuda en la prevencion o eliminacion de barrios desafortunados y insalubres, y de cumplir con otras necesidades del desarrollo de la comunidad de origen reciente que poscenuna amanaza dimmediate a la salud y bienestar de la comunidad y cuando otros recursos no esten disponibles para cumplir con esas necesidades.

Las categorias de fondos eligibles encuyen infrastrura para la comunidad; Rehabilitacion de Casa; Desembolso de Capital para Servicio Publico; Planificasion, Emergencia y Colonias.

Todos los grupos interesados estan invitados a asistir y entregar sus ideas para proyectos y datos del apoyo a su testimonio.

Los residentes que no pueden atender la junta pueden enviar sus comentarios a:

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OBITUARY

WILLIAM MEEKS

Memorial services were held for William Carlisle Meeks, Sr. 72 year old Carrizozo resident, who died August 31 at Sierra Medical Center in El Paso. Meeks was born January 23, 1929 in Dexter, NM.

Meeks lived in Carrizozo for the past 11 years. He served as Carrizozo Municipal Judge for four years.

Meeks was retired from civil service at White Sands Missile Range. He was a motorcycle enthusiast.

He is survived by one son, W. Carlyle Meeks, Jr and his wife Jean of El Paso; two daughters Eileen M. Gandy and her husband John of Huntersville, NC, and Rebecca E. Phillips and her husband David of Mayhill, NM; eight grandchildren, two great grandchildren, one brother Leonard Wayne Meeks of Alamogordo; lifelong companion Bill Kerr, and ex-spouse Pauline Cloud of Alamogordo.

He was preceded in death by his parents Leonard and Catherine Sublett Meeks and one sister Calla Brantley.

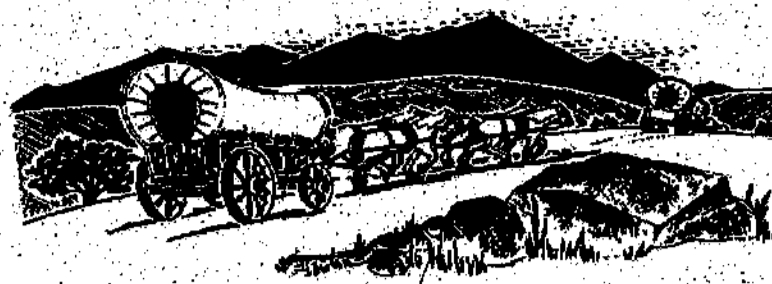
Services were held September 3 at the Sears Alamogordo Funeral Home Chapel and September 4 at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Carrizozo with Johanna Anderson officiating.

LaGrone Funeral Chapel

Jerry & Lanita Rasak

Bill Winkler

Stearns Insurance Agency



White Oaks and Jicarilla News

by Willa Lee Adkins

Lincoln was busy over the Labor Day weekend. So many were just out on their last trip before getting back to school and the everyday work. Visitors do enjoy the atmosphere of Lincoln and visiting with the residents. The LaCocina and the Wortley Hotel were quite busy.

There are changes being made in Lincoln. The fence and lilacs in front of the old school house have been removed,

the two old trees in front of the Wortley Hotel, which died, were cut down and removed over the weekend and the Dunlap's are ready to start putting the tin on the garage roof this morning (Tuesday).

There have been two home sales the past week and we will be having new neighbors. More on this as I get the information. We will miss those who will be leaving us.

Dick Kuns was in Lincoln on business in the Ruidoso area. He was a guest of his nephew, John Shrecengost.

Dr. Laurence Chaulk, DVM, Boonesville, CA visited his sister and husband, Rosalie and Ralph Dunlap. He also visited with his high school chum, Billy Pippin of Ruidoso.

The Lincoln Preservation Board held their monthly meeting last week. The Dunlaps got approval of the roof change for their garage.

Due to a conflict of interest and not enough members present, several items will be acted on at the next meeting.

The Gnatkowski's of Ancho were hosts to a Labor Day picnic at their ranch. The many friends and family enjoyed the bountiful amount of food and visiting with old friends. The children had a great time playing volleyball and just playing.

The weather is starting to feel like fall. My brother was in San Antonio when they had the heavy rainfall. He reported the aquifer there rose by 17 feet because of the heavy rainfall. It was

badly needed.

It has been nice seeing Rosina Lock have her Torreon shop open on the weekend. Her sister, Bessie Pendetegast of Oklahoma had visited her this summer for a couple of weeks. They had a great time as it had been several years since they had seen each other.

Don't forget to attend the 4th Art in the Orchard Sunday, Sept. 9. It will be held at the historic Cor Ranch near Glencoe. The hours will be 10 to 5. You will see Lincoln County artists in all fields showing off their work, demonstrating their skills, food, music, etc. One of the highlights of the day will be the pie contest at 1:30. Slices of the pies will be sold after the judging. Mmm good!

The Creative Memories chef for the three day retreat was Shelly Frost of Ramon. She prepared the most wonderful meals gourmet style. I do believe we all gained weight. Because she was cooking she was unable to do much work on her album.



Old Lincoln Town

by Rosalie Dunlap

Bob Reynierson is home and recuperating at the Birdsong residence while his home is being remodeled. Welcome home Bob.

Point of Interest: Fort Stanton Returns, February, 1880.

Co. A, 9th Cavalry Lt. Conline and 28 enlisted men on scouting duty on the Pecos River, NM since January 13, 1880. Co. G, 9th Cavalry one Sargt. and thirteen privates stationed at Tularosa, NM since January 12th, 1880. Detachment of 26 men on scouting duty on the Pecos, 1st Lt. D.H. Clark 15th infantry commanding since January 10, 1880. Co. C 15th Infantry on Garrison duty, at Mesalero Indian Agency per instructions from District Headquarters, Fort Stanton, February 29, 1880.

March 1880 Fort Stanton Record of Events:

Co. A and G 9th Cavalry, on duty in the field with troops since March 15th, 1880. Co. A and G, 9th Cavalry left post January 13, 1880, to operate against hostile Apaches on the Pecos, Guadalupe, and Sacramento Mountains, and destroyed four lodges. Returned March 3, 1880. Distance marched 520 miles, three horses died of exhaustion while enroute. Captured 16 ponies and five mules.

Diary of a Soldier Part 4:
* January 18th, Thurs., 1866: Fine day. Doctor left for California. Stewart is doctor now.

Gambling lively. I have lost nearly \$100.00. This comes from gambling. Where is the money for my education now.

* January 19th, 1866. Fine day. Rained last night. No tobacco in camp yet, boys are growling about it. Glad I don't use it.

* January 20th, Sat., 1866: Fine day. Off guard. Work as usual.

* January 21st, Sun., 1866: Some clouds. Cleared up A.M. Inspection P.M. Every thing in fair shape considering all the work we have to do.

* January 22nd, Wed., 1866: Inspection and Sutler arrived. Made adobes, all hands on battle guard.2.

* January 23rd, Tues., 1866: Inspection to day. Inspection Officer reproved the Col. for the poor condition we were in. I told him I had just come off guard duty and had been given no time to clean.

* January 24th, Wed., 1866: Fine warm day. On guard. Made adobes as usual. Teams left for Maricopa for feed and forage.

* January 25th, 1866: Fine warm day. On guard on No. one post. Made officers mad because I called out the guard for Indian Chief. But they

could do nothing. Regulation on my side.

* January 26, Fri., 1866: Off guard. Mail and Tobacco, for those who use it, arrived to day. Tobacco five dollars a pound.

* January 27th, Sat., 1866: Fine warm day. At work on the parade grounds, planting trees, etc. Luet. Bohman of K Co. threatened to tie me up by the thumbs, but he could not make it. Orderly Sergeant Anderson scolded me but I don't care. If he gets me tied up I'll be the first in regement to be tied up.

* January 28th, Sun., 1866: Fine warm day. No work. The inspector has done some good, after all. Gambling regular. Had nearly \$500.00 in money on hand, and tried to make it just \$500.00 and quit, but lost nearly all. Luck turned, here I am.

* January 29th, Mon., 1866: Warm day. All hands clearing brush from around quarters and new fort. Only \$7.00 left and my laundress is not paid. Time to gamble!!!

* January 30th, Tues., 1866: Another warm day. Off guard.

* January 31st, 1866: Hauled adobies all day, and after supper. Luet. Col. Bennett ordered us all out to burn brush, until past ten o'clock at night. If this ain't hell there is none. Hear, he heard me say, while coming home after ten p.m., that he ought to be killed.

* February 1st, 1866: Warm day. All hands cutting and oiling brush.

* February 2nd, 1866: Fine day. On guard. Most of the boys cutting brush. Capt. Sheppard of K Co., who was said to be cashiered, has returned to duty.

* February 3rd, 1866: Rainy day. Hauled wood for kitchen P.M. while on Polide. Borrowed money from Sam Howard to pay my laundress. He gave it to me for watching him.

Army News

Clare B. Worley has graduated from the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) Advanced Camp at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, WA.

After successfully completing the advanced camp and graduating from college, the cadet will be commissioned as a second lieutenant to serve in the U.S. Army, National Guard, or Reserve.

The cadet is a student at the University of Texas at Austin. Worley is the granddaughter of Jean Hammond of Ruidoso.

What nobler employment, or more valuable to the state, than that of instructing the younger generation? --Cicero

Sponsored by the People's Coalition of Lincoln County. The People's Coalition of Lincoln County is a non-profit organization comprised of children, students, parents, professional educators, business people, and concerned citizens who support Mr. John B. Gosek and believe he should be immediately reinstated at his job for the sake of the students.

In Loving Memory

Phyllis Ann Wade Schlegel
July 18, 1926 to August 24, 2000

In life I loved you dearly, in death I love you still. Its lonely without you but be patient, Dear. I'll soon be with you. Your husband.

Woody



You've just found a way to protect your money from inflation for the next 30 years.

(Almost qualifies you as a visionary.)

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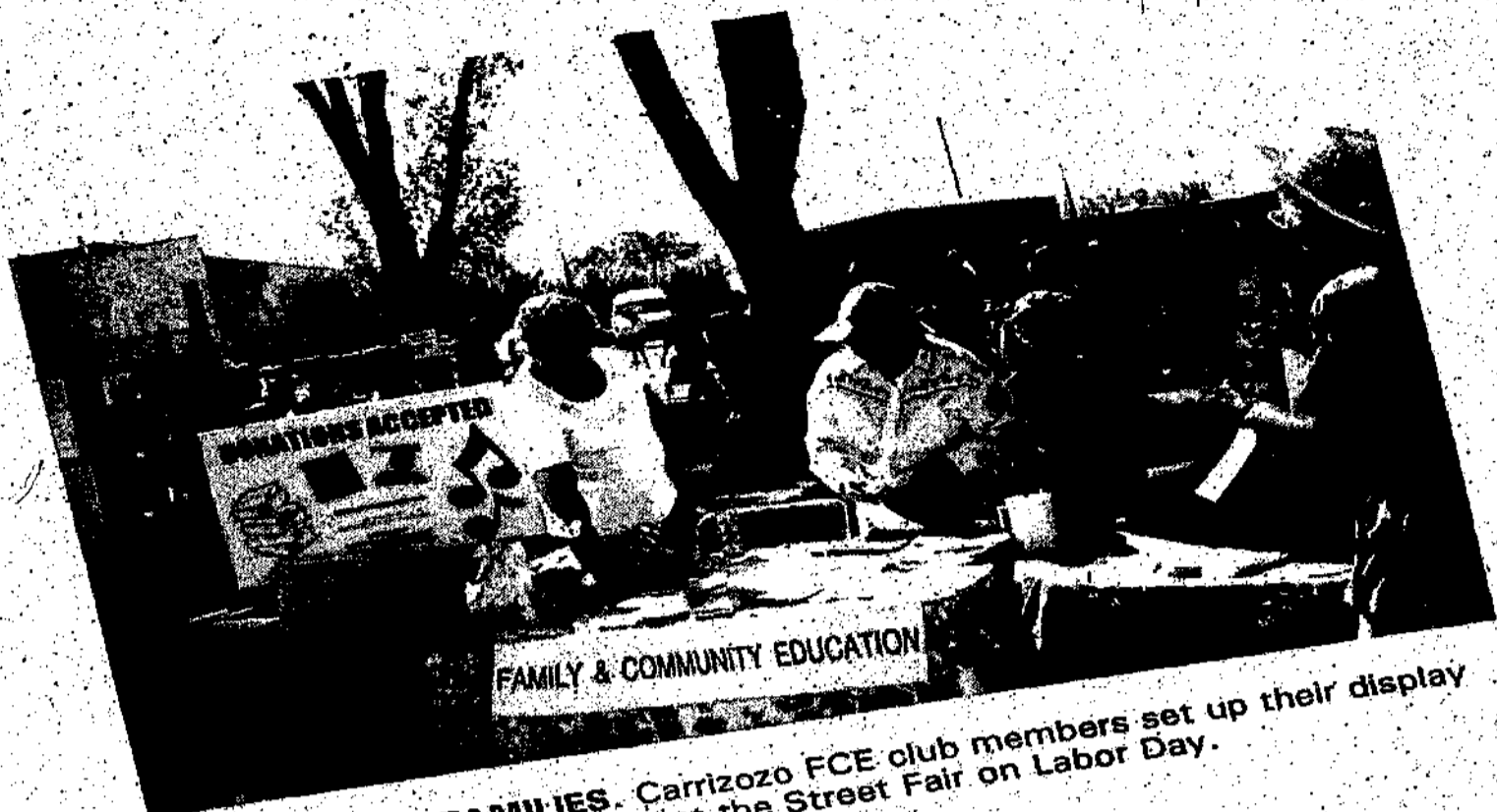
Without it, how would anybody know what to sell?

Advertising, use it!!

"HAVING FUN AT THE CARRIZOZO STREET FAIR"



PRETTY PURPLE DECORATIONS. Kersti Davis won honorable mention with her pretty purple decorated bike and matching outfit. Catalena Vega was first place in the girls bike decorating category.



EDUCATING FAMILIES. Carrizozo FCE club members set up their display of informational materials at the Street Fair on Labor Day.



SHOWING OFF THE WIFE'S CAR. Doug Gould of Ruidoso, shows off the 1959 Ford Galaxay Skyliner Retractable Hardtop Convertible owned by his wife Beverly during the street fair. The car won second place.



SLIDING FOR FUN. Still a favorite, the slide at McDonald Park got a work out on Labor Day as families enjoyed the Carrizozo Street Fair and car show festivities. Visitors were treated to fun and food booths, and music provided by various entertainers including the Wayne and LouAnn Ellison band of Ruidoso.



GO CART TRAIN. Jaime McCarthy won first place for his decorated "go cart train" which he drove in the Street Fair parade.



RACE CARS TO OLD CARS were part of the Carrizozo Labor Day Street Fair and Car Show. Shawna Richmond and Bud Clay Hammond get ready to ride Josh Hammond's #28 race car in the parade.

LEADS

LEGAL NOTICE

The Ruidoso Municipal Schools' Board of Education desires to receive bids for a Copier Machine Management Program. Specifications are available at the office of the Superintendent, Mike Gladden, 200 Horton Circle, Ruidoso, NM 88345, or by calling 505-257-4051.

Bids must be received in the office of the Superintendent by 4:00 P.M. Tuesday, September 18, 2001. Bids must be marked "BID FOR COPIER MACHINE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM". Bids will be opened and read aloud at the meeting scheduled for September 18, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. at the Central Administration Office.

Mike Gladden Superintendent Ruidoso Municipal Schools

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT No. CV-01-156 III

CHASE MANHATTAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION, A New Jersey Corporation Plaintiff,

vs. ZIMMER, and LINDA JEAN ZIMMER, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT

You are hereby notified that a civil action has been filed against you in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, by Plaintiff Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, a New Jersey Corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Chase"), in which Chase prays for foreclosure on its Note and Mortgage on real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and the property described in the claim in said cause against Defendants named above, that the said real property be sold according to law and practice of this Court to pay the lien of the Plaintiff as set forth in the complaint, and that the interest of the Defendants, and each of them, and all persons claiming under or through them and all other persons bound by these proceedings be barred and foreclosed of all rights, interest of claims to said real property, and for such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

The property involved is the real estate and improvements located at Lot 2 Antelope Trail, Nopal, New Mexico 88341, and more particularly described as:

LOT 2B OF MAGADO CREEK ESTATES SUBDIVISION, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN BY THE REPLAT OF LOT 2 OF MAGADO CREEK ESTATES SUBDIVISION, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF LINCOLN COUNTY, OCTOBER 11, 1996, CABINET F, SLIDE 548.

You are further notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance or file responsive pleadings or motions in said cause on or before September 22, 2001, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for will be granted.

The name of the attorney for Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation is Rose M. R. Little of Rose Little & Associates, P.C., 3803 Atrisco Blvd., N.W. Suite A, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87120, Telephone: (505) 833-3036.

WITNESS the Honorable Karen L. Parsons, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County this 3rd day of August, 2001.

JAN PERRY Clerk of the District Court

By: Elizabeth Ysasi, Clerk

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NOTICE OF MEETING

The Village of Capitan Board of Trustees will hold its regular Council Meeting on Tuesday, September 11th, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. A CDBG Public Hearing will be held at 6:30 p.m. (before the regular meeting). The public is invited to attend both these meetings. Agendas are available to the public after 2:00 p.m. on Friday, September 7th. For more information contact Kathryn Griffin, Village Clerk, Village of Capitan at 354-2247.

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE PROBATE COURT PROBATE NO. 1886

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MILDRED D. DOBBS, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at CARRIZOZO, New Mexico, or filed with the PROBATE COURT.

DATED: August 13, 2001.

WAYLAND E. DOBBS, Personal Representative of The Estate of MILDRED D. DOBBS, Deceased

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LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

PROJECT NO. SP 2-01 (964) PROJECT NO. BHI #020068

PROJECT NAME: Village of Corona, Street Sidewalk Improvements.

The Village of Corona Purchasing Office will open sealed bids at 2:00 p.m. on September 11, 2001, at Village of Corona, Highway 54, Main Street, Corona, New Mexico for the construction of new sidewalks, to be constructed in Corona, New Mexico. Recommendation of award will be made at the Village Trustee's Meeting to be held on September 13, 2001.

The work to be performed under this contract is located within the County of Lincoln, New Mexico. It consists of constructing new sidewalks, drive pad, drainage structure & guard rails; and miscellaneous other work to conform to the Plans, Specifications, and Contract Documents, as provided herein.

Copies of the plans and specifications, together with Contract Documents, are available for public inspection at the following locations:

- * Village of Corona, Highway 54, Main Street, Corona, NM 88318 505/849-3511
* Bohannon Huston, Inc., 425 S. Telshor Blvd., #C-103, Las Cruces, NM 88011 505/532-8670
* FW Dodge, 1615 University, NE, Albuquerque, NM 87102 505/243-2817
* FW Dodge, 7500 Viscount, #106, El Paso, TX 79925 915/778/5097
* Construction Reporter, 1609 2nd Street, Albuquerque, NM 87107 505/243/9793
* Builders News, 3435 Princeton Drive, NE Albuquerque, NM 87107 505/884/1752

Complete sets of the bidding document may be obtained at the office of the Engineer in accordance with the instruction to bidders upon depositing the sum of \$50.00 for each set of documents requested. Any bona fide bidder UPON RETURNING THE DOCUMENTS IN GOOD CONDITION WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS following the Bid Opening, will be refunded his payment.

A cashier's check, certified check or acceptable bidder's bond, payable to the Village of Corona in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid submitted, must accompany each bid as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will promptly enter into a contract and execute such bonds as may be required.

Prospective bidders should visit the project site which is located at the Village of Corona, Corona, New Mexico, at their convenience prior to the submission of any bid.

The right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive all technicalities is reserved by the Village of Corona.

Identify all bid envelopes as:

"SEALED BID - Village of Corona Sidewalk Improvements"

CATHY PEREZ, Village Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT CV-2000-217-III

THE CHASE MANHATTAN BANK, AS TRUSTEE, Plaintiff,

vs. BRUCE DUNCAN AND JEANE DUNCAN, Husband and Wife; ASSOCIATES HOME EQUITY SERVICES, INC.; GAVILAN HILLS IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC., Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, commonly known as No Street # Lot 18 Gavilan Hills, Alto, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT NUMBERED ONE (1) IN BLOCK NUMBERED THREE (3) OF LOS LUNAS ACRES, A SUBDIVISION IN LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON PLAT THEREOF FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, OCTOBER 1, 1997, IN CABINET K, AT PAGE 232.

The sale is to begin at 10:30 a.m. on October 3, 2001, on the front steps of the Lincoln County Court House, City of Carrizozo, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale and to satisfy the Judgment of The Chase Manhattan Bank, as Trustee.

The Chase Manhattan Bank, as Trustee, was awarded a judgment on August 24, 2001 in the principal sum \$180,526.77, plus outstanding interest due on the Note through May 31, 2001, in the amount of \$22,119.68 and accruing thereafter at the rate in the amount of \$66.44 per day, plus selected fees and expenses in the amount of \$1,152.31, plus attorneys fees through May 31, 2001 in the sum of \$750.00 and costs through May 31, 2001, in the sum of \$398.78, with interest on the late charges, attorney's fees and costs from date of Judgment until paid at the rate of 13.25000% per annum.

The sale is subject to a one (1) month right of redemption in favor of the Defendants as specified in the Judgment filed herein.

NICK VEGA Special Master P.O. Box 383 Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301 (505) 648-2217

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners shall hold the following Public Hearings on Thursday, September 20, 2001, to be held at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, Carrizozo, New Mexico:

Public Hearings Beginning at 9:00 A.M.

(1) Public Hearing to consider the Election of Title III Projects for the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self Determination Act of 2000. Proposed projects are \$5,000 for the White Mountain Search & Rescue and \$5,000 for a joint forest study with Otero County.

(2) Public Hearing to obtain public input on the proposed Infrastructure Capital Improvement Plan (ICIP) FY 2002 - FY 2006.

(3) Public Hearing to consider proposed Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 1992-6, Which Regulates Road Cuts; Requiring Persons to Give Notice Prior to Excavation in Rights-of-Way, etc.

Public Hearings Beginning at 1:15 P.M.

(4) Public Hearing to consider proposed Ordinance Providing for Animal Control and Repealing the Animal Control Ordinance Adopted December 9, 1980.

(5) Public Hearing to reconsider Ordinance No. 2001-11 Prohibiting Noise Caused by the Use of "Jake Brake" or Retarder to Slow a Motor Vehicle's Rate of Speed.

All parties and interested citizens will have the opportunity to be heard. Copies of the proposed ordinances may be obtained from the County Manager's Office at the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting.

MARTHA GUEVARA Assistant County Manager

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NOTICE OF MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Lincoln Historic Preservation Board will hold its regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, September 18, 2001, at 7:00 p.m., to be held at the Community Church in Lincoln, New Mexico.

Copies of the agenda for the September 18, 2001, meeting will be available at the office of the County Manager prior to said meeting.

Auxiliary aides are available upon request; please contact Martha Guevara at 648-2385 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting to make any necessary arrangements.

MARTHA GUEVARA Assistant County Manager

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Corona News

Kelly Gibbs Brewer, managing editor and native New Mexican, has been named editor of the Albuquerque Tribune, a partner in joint operating agreement with the Albuquerque Journal. She succeeds Scott Ware who has been transferred to Bremerton, Washington.

Kelly was born in Portales and attended school in Clovis and Corona. She began reporting at the Tribune as a college intern and worked as a reporter and copy editor in the mid-1980s.

She then spent two years in San Francisco as an advisor to a student newspaper. Brewer also has worked as a free-lance book editor and as a reporter with The Associated Press.

In 1990, Brewer returned to The Tribune where she served as a copy editor, news editor and assistant managing editor. She became the newspaper's managing editor 18 months ago.

After her last promotion, Kelly was invited to the E.W. Scripps Co., headquarters in Cincinnati for a "Getting to Know You" visit.

Kelly is married to Steve Brewer, mystery novel author. They have two sons, Max and Seth.

Erdine Behunin was in Capitan Friday to watch her granddaughter's from Tatum, Holly and Diana Brazil, play volleyball. The Tatum Lady Coyotes won all nine games against the Lady Tigers.

The Revival that is to be held at the First Baptist Church of Corona, will begin Sept. 23 with the morning service. There will be four evening services, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings starting at 7:00 p.m. each evening.

Jason and Charlotte Brown from Hallsville, TX are the evangelists and will bring special music and artists drawings that have surprise endings. Everyone is invited to come.

Boone and Cooper Roberts of Clovis spent the long weekend on the ranch with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hillger of Las Cruces dropped by Saturday with the Perkins on the first leg of a 30-day motor trip; They were to go to Mt. Rushmore and then go east and then perhaps go into Canada before returning home.

Mrs. Helen Porter called Saturday from Wilcox, AZ to say that her sister, Billie Jo Briggs, 66, had lost her fight with cancer. Memorial services were scheduled for Wilcox Wednesday, and a memorial service in Corona Saturday.

Water Must Be Boiled At Lone Tree Bible Ranch

Consumers of the Lone Tree Bible Ranch water supply must now boil their water.

Consumers were notified on August 31 by the New Mexico Environment Department that they should boil drinking water and all water used for cooking and dish washing for five minutes before use. They were also notified that the water supply had the presence of total and fecal coliform bacteria contamination above the maximum level allowed by the New Mexico drinking water regulations.

The contamination represents an acute bacteriological violation, according to a press release from the state environment department. People at increased risk, such as infants, young children and people with severely compromised immune systems, should seek advice from their health care providers about drinking the water.

Fecal coliform and E. coli are generally not harmful by themselves, but their presence in drinking water is serious because they are usually associated with sewage or animal wastes. The presence of these bacteria indicates the water may be contaminated with organisms that can cause disease.

The water system was to have disinfected its well, storage tank, water mains and service lines, with monitoring of the chlorine level. A test of the system was to have been conducted on September 4.

For information on the test contact Lisa Brown at 505-762-3728.

Cattle Growers Seeking Best Livestock Inspector

The New Mexico Cattle Growers Association is seeking nominations for its annual Livestock Inspector of the Year Award.

Each year the association honors a livestock inspector employed by the New Mexico Livestock Board for outstanding service to the livestock industry.

Nominations should include the name and address of the inspector, as well as a brief narrative on why the nominee is deserving of the award. Nominations should be directed to Joe Romero, PO Box 213, Velarde, NM 87582-0213 no later than November 1, 2001.

The award will be presented during the 2001 Joint Stockmen's Convention, December 6-9 in Albuquerque.

County Hearings Set

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are we going to comply with a leash law when we can't catch them?"

"This ordinance may not fit with Lincoln County," Morel responded. He said the licensing of dogs and cats could be a way to generate income to offset the cost of animal control and kennel services.

Public hearings will also be held on changes to the "Jake Brake" Ordinance passed in June to make the use of the brake legal in certain steep locations (the ordinance bans the use of the brakes county wide); and changes to the county excavation ordinance.

The time for the public hearings will be published in legal notices in *THE NEWS*. Copies of all proposed changes will be available from the office of the county manager in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo prior to the September 20 meeting.

In other business at the August 16 meeting, commissioners:

Approved a resolution that accepts the 2001-02 road cooperative agreements, and funding, between the county and the State Highway Department for the school bus project that will upgrade .9 mile of Gavilan Canyon Road with a project cost of \$53,222 with the county paying a match of \$13,305; CAP project of Gavilan Canyon Road with project cost of \$193,106 with the county paying a match of \$48,276 and the COOP project for upgrades to Gavilan, Fox Run Estates and Wolf Springs at a cost of 467,485 with the county match of \$16,871.

Approved the recommendation from the County Lodgers Tax Committee to fund \$2,520.25 for the Trailer Life RV Directory renewal. Funds come from the county lodgers tax collections imposed on all lodging establishments outside the municipalities.

Accepted the low bid of \$69,278 from Ruidoso Paving to resurface roads in Ranches of Sonterra Phase I-Altamira Court, Altamira Drive, Carrizo Court, Winterhawk Heights, Cimarron Trail and Sandesta Drive. Armstrong Construction of Roswell submitted a bid of \$88,204. The county has \$90,000 budgeted for the project.

Accepted the most responsive bid for two Durango sport utility vehicles for the sheriff's office from Sierra Blanca Motors of Ruidoso for \$27,948 each. There was \$56,000 budgeted for the vehicles.

Accepted the most responsive bid for two F-250 type 3/4 ton pick up trucks for the road department to Ruidoso Ford for \$23,145 each. There was \$49,000 budgeted for these vehicles.

Unanimously denied a request to vacate West View Road in the Highland View Subdivision (off the old dump road west of Capitan), because it could cut off access to a neighboring tract of land that is being sold off in smaller lots.

Noted to take no action on a request to exchange property for the petitioner Dee McDaniel to straighten a roadway in Nogal Townsite, because McDaniel withdrew his request.

Heard county commissioner Ray Nunley discuss the need to pay members of the county road review committee because they

are "tearing up their vehicles doing road review." Currently by state law the county can pay the road review committee members mileage and per diem. County commissioner Bill Schwettmann suggested the road review committee members be "chauffeured" by the county road supervisor.

Approved the summary review plat for the five-lot The Sanctuary Subdivision requested by developer EGT Enterprises Limited Partnership located off old Fort Stanton Road within the three mile Ruidoso planning jurisdiction.

Approved on a 4-1 vote, with county commissioner Leo Martinez voting no, the summary review plat for the five-lot The Medalion Cabins Tract Subdivision, requested by Medalion Homes of Lincoln County, Inc. The subdivision is located on Sierra Blanca Airport Road. Martinez objected because the access for the subdivision is a 20 foot private road.

Morel said there could be future concerns as the subdivision expands, because of the narrow easement. County commissioners also unanimously approved a variance for the 20 foot private easement road, which did not meet county requirements. The subdivision will also go to the Ruidoso-Lincoln County Extraterritorial Zoning Commission (ETZ) for review because it is within the Ruidoso three mile planning area.

Unanimously approved the summary review plat of the five lot The Plante Tract Subdivision located in the Sun Valley area in the Alto area. The subdivision will have a 50 foot wide private road with cul de sac. The subdivision is also subject to review and approval by the Ruidoso ETZ.

Approved submitting nominations of Ralph Dunlap, Reginald Richy, Monroy Montes and Jackie Powell to the New Mexico Acequia Commission for that commission to choose one as replacement for Betty Shrecengost.

Arts Funding Applications Are Available

New Mexico Arts, a division of the Office of Cultural Affairs, now has available application forms and guidelines for Fiscal Year 2003 funding.

There is funding for programs to take place between August 2002-July 2003 in eight categories—Artist Residency, Traditional Folk Arts Projects, Community Arts Development, Arts in Social Service, Partnerships/Arts Enterprise, Arts Projects A and B and Local Arts Councils

Application deadlines are November 1 for advanced review applications and December 12 for final applications.

New Mexico Arts is seeking qualified art professionals to serve on peer panels in March and April 2002. To apply as a panelist or to receive application forms, contact New Mexico Arts toll free at 1-800-879-4278, or download information from New Mexico Arts' website at www.nmarts.org.

FAST ACTION

Lincoln County News

CLASSIFIED ADS

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354-7000 430-5557
11tp-July 5 - Sept. 13

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
Director of Social Service for older adults, f-t with benefits. Must be a New Mexico licensed social worker, have good people, writing & management skills. Position open immediately. Send resume to: Administrator, Betty Dare Good Samaritan Center, 3101 N. Florida Ave., Alamogordo, NM 88310, or fax: 505-434-0033. EOE.
6tc/Aug. 23 - Sept. 27

NOTICE OF EMPLOYMENT
The Village of Ruidoso Downs, NM is accepting applications for the position of Communications & Detention Officer - Police Dept. Knowledge of law enforcement communications equipment and procedures is preferred. High School Diploma required. Must possess NM State Police Radio Dispatch Officer Certification or obtain within one year of hire. Starting pay range is \$8.48 - \$9.50 per hour depending on certification and experience. Excellent benefit package offered. Will be required to work various shifts, nights, weekends, holidays and emergency on-call. Assists with booking detainees, fingerprinting, searching and photographing subjects. Complete job description provided with application at Village Hall, 122 Downs Drive, Ruidoso Downs, NM or call toll free: 888-505-4422. Deadline for return of applications is Monday, Sept. 17, 2001 at 4:00 PM. EEOE.
2tc/Sept. 6 & 13

EMPLOYMENT NOTICE
Lincoln County is now accepting applications for the position of PART TIME DISPATCHER in the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department, located in Carrizozo, New Mexico. Applicant must be 18 years or over, have a high school diploma or G.E.D. and must be able to obtain a New Mexico Dispatcher Certification within one year from date of hire and N.C.I.C. Certification within six months of hire. Obtain applications at the Lincoln County Manager's Office in Carrizozo or by calling 505-648-2385. Applications must be received no later than 5:00 P.M., Monday, September 17, 2001. Lincoln County, Equal Opportunity Employer and in Compliance with ADA Requirements, Title II-A.
2tc/Sept. 6 & 13

Capitan Tigers

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Tigers made their final points with a pass play from sophomore Tommy Aldaz to junior Raymond Zamora. The extra point try was no good.

Tigers ended the game with 12 points to the Vixen 54.

Tigers will host Faith Christian from El Paso at 7:30 p.m. Friday, September 7 at Tiger Field. This is a change from the schedule which shows the Tigers traveling to El Paso. The change in location was because Faith Christian was unable to use a football field for the game, Capitan athlete director Darrel Stierwalt told *THE NEWS*.

Capitan middle school football team travels to Hagerman for a 10 a.m. game on Saturday, September 8. The middle school Tigers will host Carrizozo at home at 10 a.m. Saturday, September 15 in Capitan.

RENTALS: in Carrizozo
648-2776
648-2660 648-2233
4tc-Aug. 23-Sept. 13

FOR SALE: You want land. How about ten or more acres on paved road and walking distance from town. Level, mountain views every direction. Owner financing possible. Ask us about a land-home package. Only five parcels left.
Call the
C.O. Rominger Company
648-2900.
2tp/Aug. 3 & Sept. 6

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tfn-Aug. 2

RENTAL PROPERTIES:
1 duplex at \$40K and a triplex at \$65K. Both on large lots. They are rented at this time. Lots of potential.
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2tp/Aug. 31 & Sept. 6

FOR SALE: Two older adobe homes, both in good neighborhoods, killer views, \$36,000 each.
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2tp/Aug. 3 & Sept. 6

CAPITAN MONTHLY FLEA MARKET
September 21st & 22nd 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Inside & Outside Spaces Available. Buying or selling. C'Mon Over!
354-4321 354-4270
3tc-Sept. 6,13&20

ANNUAL YARD SALE: Capitan Public Library, Saturday, Sept. 15 8-2 Donations welcome - no clothes
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