

Mail In Lincoln County Continues To Be Slow

by DORIS CHERRY

Mail in Lincoln County continues to have delays six months after the distribution center in Carrizozo was moved to Alamogordo, a move postal officials said would improve service. But at least one county commissioner thinks it is time to just accept what has happened. For months Lincoln County Commission has dis-

cussed complaints and problems about slow mail, especially within the county. During the Lincoln County Commission meeting of March 15, held in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, county manager Tom Stewart presented letters about the postal operations move. Included was a letter from Sen. Pete Domenici, who had con-

tacted the United States Postal Service (USPS) about the operations move, and the response letter from the USPS office. County commissioners had directed Stewart to contact Sen. Domenici's office about the mail situation. Stewart read the letter from Renee A. Gadson, Government Relations Representative of the USPS that was sent to Sen. Domenici in response to the

Senator's letter on behalf of Tom Stewart, regarding local mail service. Dear Senator Domenici: "This is in response to your January 11 letter on behalf of Mr. Thomas F. Stewart of Carrizozo, regarding local mail service." "I recognize that Mr. Stewart is not in agreement with the Postal Service's decision to streamline and reduce operating costs by moving the mail sorting

operation from Carrizozo to Alamogordo. As Postal Service resources become more and more limited, our operational decisions must be sound and we must locate our facilities where the mail can be most efficiently and economically handled." "I would like to point out that the Postal Service did not cut nine jobs--there were no lost jobs as a result of this change. Some of our

employees now report to the facility in Alamogordo instead of Carrizozo, however. The Alamogordo facility houses expensive automation equipment that allows the area's mail to be efficiently processed and provides all our customers with a prompt, reliable level of service." "I am concerned to learn

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PLANT A TREE FOR ME. March is Arbor Month and to celebrate trees Capitan Head Start students received seedlings and some help from Smokey Bear and Regional State Forester Barbara Luna on Monday, March 26. Each student received a Ponderosa Pine seedling and an Ingelman Fir tree seedling from the State Forestry school program. Students planted most of the trees around the playground outside their Head Start classroom on 5th Street. The seedling program is available for schools interested in planting trees.

Eagle Creek Properties Are Annexed By Ruidoso

by DORIS CHERRY

In 30 days, the village limits of Ruidoso will extend to Eagle Creek as more than 430 acres of village owned land in the Eagle Creek area is annexed. Ruidoso Village Councilors during their meeting Tuesday, March 27, adopted an ordinance that annexes parts of Sections 32, 33 & 34, T 10 S, R 13 E and Sections 3 & 4, T 11 S, R 13 E, containing 439,306 acres.

Postal Complaints Common In 1899

"The poorest mail service in the United States has been forced upon the people of our community," reported the White Oaks Eagle newspaper in 1899.

Lincoln County Clerk Martha Proctor found an interesting report in the 1899 White Oaks newspaper describing "poor" mail service in White Oaks. Proctor provided a copy of the report to *THE NEWS*, with a chuckle, in light of current "poor" mail service in Lincoln County.

"Throughout December the service was miserable, the mail often being 5 to 10 hours late. The people of White Oaks are getting extremely tired of such conditions. The fault is traced directly to the contractors, who make their bids so low that it is impossible for them to operate the lines themselves, and therefore they are subtle to natives who are totally incapable of performing the service satisfactorily. Since Monday of this week the mails have been from 10 to 12 hours late, and passengers who happen to this connection are frequently compelled to walk into town, the teams giving out entirely several miles out. We shall certainly rejoice at the arrival of the railroad for this relief alone."

The railroad never got to White Oaks, and the town which was thriving in 1899 faded into obscurity, most of its buildings picked clean. Some people call White Oaks a ghost town, but there are several inhabitants there. Each year the White Oaks community holds its Miners Days in early June to celebrate its beginnings.

The newly annexed property will be zoned Mixed Use Planned Use Development (M-PUD).

But some who own property in the county, next to the village lands in Eagle Creek are concerned the village will want to annex their properties next.

Mayor Robert Donaldson said all of the lands to be annexed are owned by the Village of Ruidoso. "We want to annex our land," Donaldson said. "We want to get what lands we own into the village."

The 439 acres include Alto Reservoir, the Eagle Creek Ball Park Complex, and undeveloped lands along Eagle Creek that are considered village water shed. Ruidoso has rights to the water flowing in Eagle Creek, and the village also has a water well field along the creek.

"This is our watershed," Donaldson said. "It is critical we have the say about development there."

To annex these 439 acres the village had to extend its limits along the Mechem Drive/Highway 48 right of way from its northern border. The village annexed Sierra Blanca Regional Airport with the same method. Village attorney John Underwood said in his research he found the state allows a right of way to be used as a corridor for annexation.

"No private lands are being annexed," Donaldson said.

Village manager Alan Briley said another issue about annexing the lands is law enforcement and fire protection. Even though the Eagle Creek Sports Complex is owned by the village, neither village police or fire departments have jurisdiction at the ball fields, or elsewhere on the 439 acres.

A few residents discussed concerns about the annexation during the public hearing portion of the meeting. Realtor Carolyn Henson asked questions on behalf of the Eagle Creek Condos Association. She asked if the village has plans to annex any of the private lands next to the village owned properties, also does the village plan to develop the Eagle Creek lands.

Donaldson said he does not see any development occurring on the water shed lands. He said there is a

possibility of the village expanding the ball fields. "But I don't see any commercial development there," Donaldson said.

Jim Wimberly, who operates Alto Alps Condo, asked if the adjacent property owners will be asked to come into the village, and if so, will the village have to provide services. Donaldson said providing services is a condition of annexation. But no private lands will be annexed. "I'm not saying these properties will be just used for water shed forever," Donaldson added. "But they will never be a high density use."

Wimberly said he had no problem with the ball parks, but he was concerned that future councils will want to annex the private lands adjacent.

"This is all possible," Donaldson responded. "I can't say what will happen with future councils."

Wimberly said the annexation needed more thought and he asked for the count-

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Rabies Clinic In Capitan April 7

The Village of Capitan is sponsoring a rabies clinic from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, April 7 at the old fire station (at Smokey Bear Museum).

Dr. F. Rocky Washburn will give rabies immunizations to dogs and cats for a fee. Other immunizations will be available for a fee.

Village staff will be selling pet licenses for dogs and cats at the clinic.

County Democratic Convention Saturday

Democratic Party of Lincoln County is having its County Convention at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, March 31 at Cree Meadows Restaurant North 40 Room, 301 Country Club Drive in Ruidoso.

The purpose of the convention is to elect new county officers. All Democrats are invited to attend.

Breakfast can be ordered from the menu. For more information call Chay Rennick at 258-9090 or Doris Cherry at 354-2673 or 648-2333.

County Joins With Center To Promote Business Growth

by DORIS CHERRY

Lincoln County Commissioners have joined with the Small Business Development Center in order to enhance and promote business growth for small and start up businesses desiring to locate and operate in Lincoln County.

County commissioners approved a resolution creating the association with the center during their meeting March 15 in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

Eugene Simmons, director of the Small Business Development Center in Roswell made the request for the county to become involved with an advisory board for the center. He presented a draft resolution and information about the center. There are 7,000 such centers nationwide that provide education and economic development programs to small businesses. There are 18 centers in New Mexico.

The Small Business Development Center in Ros-

well serves both Chaves and Lincoln Counties. In the last quarter, the center had about 45 new clients from Lincoln County. "Not all were qualified to start a business," Simmons said. The center assists people in starting small businesses by helping them work through a business plan, then go out and find the market, cash flow and other needed information. "A lot of businesses get into cash flow problems," Simmons

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of Mr. Stewart's report that the community is experiencing delayed mail. The mail processing changes, which were implemented approximately two years ago, should not have significantly affected regular mail dispatches and deliveries. In fact, box mail is now received and in place approximately one hour earlier than before the change."

"There are a variety of causes for a delay in the delivery of a piece of mail, from incorrect addressing to transportation problems in our system. Unfortunately, without additional information about Mr. Stewart's report of delayed letters, I cannot comment specifically. To make sure such situations receive appropriate attention, when

customers receive delayed mail, we ask that they retain the envelope and record the date of delivery. This information should then be submitted to officials at the local post office, who can investigate the matter at the point of service. By examining the envelope or wrapper, they can often determine if addressing errors contributed to the delay or they can forward the envelopes to our main mail processing centers to determine if the delay is in our system. Corrective action can then be taken to prevent a recurrence of the problem."

"I have shared Mr. Stewart's comments with officials in our Albuquerque District, which has administrative jurisdiction over mail service in your area. These managers are responsible for investigating and

resolving service questions, and I have asked them to investigate these problems and take appropriate action to ensure that our Carrizozo customers receive the quality of mail they expect and deserve."

"Thank you for writing. If I may assist you with other postal issues, please let me know."
Sincerely,
Renee A. Gadsdon
Government Relations Representative

Martha Proctor said during the school board elections, an absentee ballot did not arrive in Carrizozo on time, and was received well after the election. "This is happening all the time," Proctor said.

Carrizozo resident Barbara Ward said she recently tried to send a one day express mail, and was told there was no one day express from Carrizozo. "Service to us is poor, very poor," Ward said.

Simpson asked if there was any way to get the USPS to be responsible for fines or fees charged to people because their mail was so slow.

County commission chairman Rex Wilson asked if the county could sue the postal service.

County attorney Alan Morrel said, "I'm not."

Then county commissioner Leo Martinez said he wasn't sure if all the complaints and threats of suit against the postal service "is worth it."

"Now we've got the postal

service ticked off. If my mail is late, that is the way it goes," Martinez said. "If you take on the postal service go for it, but there is no competition." He agreed he would not mind receiving restitution for late fees.

Oscura resident Jerry Carroll said if the Postal Service is really a private corporation, as postal officials said during a county commission meeting last year, then the corporation can be pursued individually, or in a class action lawsuit. "If the county attorney doesn't file suit, then someone should, cause I bet the postal service has deep pockets," Carroll added.

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Cool foggy weather shrouded the eastern half of Lincoln County for two days on Monday and Tuesday this week as the western side of the county basked in warm spring weather. On Tuesday afternoon and evening scattered rain showers fell throughout Lincoln County bringing in a spell of damp weather expected to last through the week.

The following weather forecast is based on information from the National Weather Service web site. Forecast for Carrizozo, Hondo Valley and lower elevations of the Lincoln County high plains:

Today, Thursday, March 29:

Partly cloudy with slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. West afternoon winds 10 to 20 miles per hour. Chance for precipitation 10 percent. High temperature in Carrizozo 68. Tonight, partly cloudy with isolated showers. Lows in the 30s.

Friday, March 30:
Partly cloudy with isolated showers. High in the 60s.

Saturday, March 31:
Mostly cloudy, breezy and turning cooler. Chance of showers or thunderstorms. High in the 50s, lows in the 30s.

Sunday, April 1:
Mostly cloudy with a chance of showers. High in the 60s, lows in the 20s.

Monday & Tuesday, April 2 & 3:
Partly cloudy with isolated showers. High in the 60s, lows in the 30s.

Forecast through for Ruidoso, the north Sacramento and Capitan Mountains, Capitan and higher elevations of the county:

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TODAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 29
-Lincoln County Senior Olympics bowling 1:30 p.m. Carrizozo Rec Center, singles, doubles, mixed doubles and team.

FRIDAY, MARCH 30
-Lincoln County Senior Olympics bowling 1:30 p.m. Ruidoso Bowling Center.

-Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District board of directors meeting 4 p.m. at new office location 516 Smokey Bear Blvd. in Capitan. The meeting will be in lieu of the April 5 meeting. Public is invited to attend. For information call 354-2220.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31
-Democratic Party of Lincoln County Convention, election of officers, 9:30 a.m. Cree Meadows Restaurant North 40 Room, 301 Country Club Drive, Ruidoso.

-Lincoln County Republican Party Biennial Organizational Convention, election of officers, 10 a.m. Lincoln County Commission chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

-Lincoln County Senior Olympics golf 1 p.m. The Links Golf Course in Ruidoso.

SUNDAY, APRIL 1
-Day Light Savings Time begins at 2 a.m. Move clocks forward one hour on Saturday before going to bed.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3
-Lawyer Referral for the Elderly Program, 10:30 a.m. workshop at Carrizozo Zia Senior Citizen Center.

-American Legion Post 57, 7 p.m. Capitan Senior Citizens Center.

-Lincoln County Planning Commission, 6 p.m. Lincoln County Fairgrounds office, Capitan. To continue discussion of growth planning.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4
-Public input meeting for the Fort Stanton Re-use Study, 8:30 a.m. registration, Lincoln County Commission Chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. Meeting to last until about 2:30 p.m. with break for lunch.

-Open House at the new Lincoln County Detention Center in Carrizozo, 1-4 p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5
-Kindergarten registration and preschool screening 9 a.m. to 12 noon Capitan School Cummins Gym.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6
-Kindergarten registration and preschool screening 10 a.m. to 12 noon, Hondo Valley Public Schools cafeteria.

-Disabled American Veterans Mobile Service Office visit, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Alamogordo DAV Chapter Hall, 118 Dunagan Ave. in Alamogordo.

-Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District board meeting 10 a.m. Campus Union Building, Banquet Room, ENMU-Roswell. Special guest speakers Tom Pollard and David Madrid of the New Mexico Finance Authority and Porfirio Perez, Jr. of New Mexico Surplus Property Bureau.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7
-Sierra Blanca Goat Trackers meeting 1 p.m. Christ Community Church in Capitan. For information call Cindy at 354-2848.

-Trinity Site open to public. Self tours through Stallion Gate off Highway 380, west of Carrizozo.

Nunley Extends Olive Branch To Ruidoso

by Doris Cherry

Lincoln County Commissioner L. Ray Nunley extended an olive branch of sorts to the Ruidoso Village Council, asking that the two governmental bodies get together in a retreat to discuss issues and problems including water conservation.

Nunley offered his proposal of a joint resolution done with the Village of Ruidoso to create some type of water conservation rules for future developments within the village and in the fast growing county areas in the Nogal-Capitan-Ruidoso and Hondo area.

"I'm here to discuss conservation and growth," Nunley said. "We have common problems that we need to address."

Nunley said he would like to see new county rules on water conservation that require "modified" xeriscaping (no or very low water use landscaping). He said Alto is a good example of such modified xeriscaping where property owners are allowed a small area of irrigated lawn, with the rest of landscaping to be naturalized.

"You may say that conservation and development are contradiction in terms," Nunley said. "I say it is a challenge."

Nunley also asked if the governing bodies of the county and villages of Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs and Capitan could meet in a retreat to talk about common problems of water and growth. "Without water we will have no growth," he added. Nunley said the governments need to work with the state legislature to change water laws and the state engineer's office. "We're not the only community with these problems," he added.

Donaldson said Nunley was "absolutely correct." "I think a joint resolution for mountain xeriscaping is needed," he added. Donaldson said with the rains residents should not spend lots of money to put in inappropriate blue grass that will die in the next drought.

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Donaldson thanked Nunley for the joint resolution proposal. "We have to do this," Nunley said. He also said that any water conservation rule should exempt (vegetable) gardening, while addressing commercial development. "Even if we agree to disagree, that is better than not talking at all," Nunley said.

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Ruidoso mayor Robert Donaldson, during the Ruidoso village council meeting Tuesday, March

27, said the 7,700 population figure was most likely less than the actual population of Ruidoso. "But it was a lot better than the last census."

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THOUGHTS
FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Go Directly To Jail

By Ruth Hammond

Next Wednesday you can have the opportunity to go to jail without having a number across your chest for a mug shot. Not that most people want to go to jail, except for maybe during a popular board game, but you will have the opportunity to see what the inside of an actual jail looks like. You won't be forced to wear orange prison garb with the words "Lincoln County Detention Center" across the back, and you won't have a guard watching your every move. You will get to see what an actual jail cell looks like and you can leave when you want, not when a judge says you can leave. Sound like a good idea? Maybe going to jail is not the way you want to spend an afternoon, but next Wednesday, April 4 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Open House will be held at the new Lincoln County Detention Center. The location is the Carrizozo Industrial Park, near the airport.

Even if you believed all along that the jail would be built in Carrizozo, and if you never doubted that the county jail would remain near the Lincoln County Courthouse, you might want to tour the new facility. If you were skeptical that all the talk was just to placate doubts, you really might want to tour the new facility. Regardless of what your belief was concerning the location of the new jail, there were a few of us who had doubts for a long, long time.

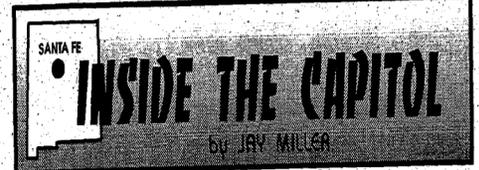
We were asked if we would believe it when the final announcement was made about the location of the new jail. We said no. We were asked if we would believe it when the first shovel of dirt was dug up starting construction. We said no. We were asked if we would believe it when the building was completely built. We said no. We said that we would believe it when the lights were turned on in the building and inmates were in the cells, or by next Wednesday when the inmates are in the cells in the new jail and we will then believe the new jail was built in Carrizozo.

Just in case you didn't know, there were many battles, both verbal and mental, before the location for the jail was determined. An early Sunday morning meeting in Ruidoso Downs, with the room being filled by Carrizozo residents, several public hearings, and many heated discussions with a tad bit of cursing or maybe a lot of cursing, and finally it was announced the jail would be built in Carrizozo. That was one of those public meetings we did not attend and we had to hear it on the way home from another county event.

Apparently some people at first did not want a jail near their home but later decided that they wouldn't mind having it in their back yard. Others waited until much too late in the decision making process to voice their opinions. We believe it all happened the way it did for a reason and if you go to the Open House Wednesday you will see why.

Instead of gloating about it being in Carrizozo, local people should be thankful. Instead of resenting it not being in their "back yard" other people should accept the matter. Lincoln County's new detention center will be open for the public to tour on Wednesday, April 4 if you want to see the new facility, on Wednesday "Go Directly To Jail!"

Mug shots not necessary



SANTA FE - Now we know the horrible truth. New Mexico's Capitol Building has deep, dark dungeons. The dirty little secret came to light during a discussion of why legislative conference committees can't be open to the public. Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Michael Sanchez explained that open conference committees would lead to secret meetings in the deepest, darkest dungeons of the Capitol that nobody will ever know about.

Well, now we know about the dungeons, at least. The next questions are who is being held down there and who has the keys. It is apparent that Sen. Shannon Robinson of Albuquerque would love to get his hands on the keys and lock up the three Democrats who combined with Republicans to unseat Sen. Manny Aragon from his top Senate spot.

The word is out that Richard Romero isn't likely to be Senate president pro tem next year. He's apt to be replaced by either Aragon or a compromise candidate. Michael Sanchez says he is very interested in the position.

Last year, Michael Sanchez's brother Raymond, who then was speaker of the House, would have loved to have locked up young Republican agitators Dan Foley of Roswell and Joe Mohorovic of Albuquerque. The two conducted highly effective guerrilla warfare against Mr. Speaker.

But this year, House Speaker Ben Lujan of Nambé has been getting along quite nicely with Foley and Mohorovic. He gave both of them such plum committee assignments that House Republican leader Ted Hobbs of Albuquerque complained. Maybe they stole the keys.

If they stole them, it probably was from Lujan, if we are to believe state GOP Chairman John Dendahl, who says the current speaker was a "huge enforcer" when he served as Democrat whip and then floor leader under Speaker Raymond Sanchez. But then, surprisingly, the House Republican leadership came to Lujan's support, saying he's a fine gentleman. What's going on here folks?

There was a sick joke floating around the Capitol early in the session about the lobbyists who depended

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Gemini (May 21 - June 20) You have choices to make. Don't take this lightly. Take the time to analyze each angle before making any decision.

Cancer (June 21 - July 22) A loved one could need your help. Give generously with no questions asked. Just trust in the fact that you're doing the right thing.

Leo (July 23 - Aug 22) Love may be a little difficult, especially when you don't know what's going on. Listen carefully and learn.

Virgo (Aug 23 - Sept 22) Your life could be smoother just because you'll make it so. Let your love flow freely. Relax and don't get into a hurry.

Libra (Sept 23 - Oct 22) A carefree attitude could get you into places a professional can't. Each person is different - handle with kid gloves.

Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov 21) Enjoy the springtime, even if it still feels a little cold. Call loved ones and rekindle lost friendships and lost love.

Sagittarius (Nov 22 - Dec 21) Take a short break... breathe deeply... get plenty of sleep because you're in for a new change. (Yes Again!) Just one of many - PREPARE!

Capricorn (Dec 22 - Jan 19) Someone is trying to get your undivided attention. You'll ask yourself, "is it worth your time?" You'll never know until you try it.

Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb 18) Don't mix business with pleasure. Divide your time equally and you won't feel like you're getting the short end of the stick.

Pisces (Feb 19 - March 20) The stars are out and they're shining bright! Why won't you be one tonight? It's your time to shine - SHINE ON!

IN THE SERVICE

Fior D. Vigil has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant in the U.S. Air Force. He is an operations resource management craftsman with the 894th Airborne Air Control Squadron at Tinker Air Force Base in Oklahoma City.

Vigil is the son of Jose A. Hernandez of Ruidoso and of Martha Ortiz of Hagerman.

County Approves Run The Mesa Race

LILLIAN LITTLETON

Mrs. Lillian Edwina Littleton, 84, of Deming and formerly of Carrizozo died Saturday, March 17 at Gila Regional Medical Center.

Visitation was on Wednesday, Mar. 21 at Baca's Funeral Chapel, followed by funeral services with Rev. John Compton, interim pastor of Santa Clara Baptist Church officiating.

She was born September 24, 1916 in Sammarcale, NM to James and Lilly (Watson) Brown. She worked for the U.S. postoffice for 16 years before working at and retiring from the Cobre Schools cafeteria. She enjoyed studying her Bible and taking care of her family.

She is survived by three sons, James Littleton and Grady Littleton of Reserve, wife Betty and wife Sharon of Silver City, and Gerald Littleton and wife Jeanette of Deming; a daughter, Margaret Monroe of Silver City; and a sister, Bessie Gilliland of California; 18 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Raymond Littleton, and four sisters.

Casket bearers were Gary Littleton, Jimmy Littleton, Wayne Littleton, Randy Littleton, Jackie Littleton, Hank Monroe. Honorary bearers were the rest of her grandchildren.

CISCO ARAGON

Memorial service for Cisco Aragon, 6, of Hondo will be Friday, March 30, at 2:00 p.m. at the Hondo School Gym with Rev. Al Lane officiating.

Cisco died Sunday, March 25, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident. He was born August 27, 1994 in Roswell and had lived in Hondo and San Jose since 1995. He was in kindergarten at the Hondo Schools.

He is survived by his mother, Maria Aragon and his father, Paul Sanchez both of Hondo; two sisters, Lanay Aragon and Zilina Sanchez of Hondo; two brothers, Hector and Mathew Horton of Albuquerque; cousins, Santana and Uzuzia Alaniz of Roswell; three uncles, Ray Aragon and wife Michelle of Amarillo, TX; Toby Sanchez Jr. of Hondo, and Sidney Trujillo and wife Sylvia of Ruidoso; five aunts, Dora Aragon of Amarillo, Angelique Alaniz and husband Rick of Roswell, Monica Keller and her husband Dewey of Ruidoso Downs, Valerie Sanchez of Ruidoso, and Jessica Sanchez of Ruidoso; great grandfather, Raymond Aragon Sr. and wife Alice of Roswell; great grandmother, Gerie Ramirez of Roswell; grandpa Raymond Aragon Jr. of San Patricio; grandparents, Toby Sanchez of Hondo and Rosa Sanchez of Ruidoso; and grandmother Betty Ramirez of Roswell.

County commissioners also approved the 2001-Mileage Certification as required by the New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Department. "Our road department certifies to the commissioners that this year's mileage is 856,466 miles," Stewart wrote in a memo to commissioners.

The state highway department had also asked for the status of the county's 911 Rural Addressing Program, Stewart said. The report on the 911 program was included in the documents forwarded to the state highway department. Mapping of all homes in the county is complete; matching names, physical addresses and phone numbers is complete; upgraded 911 equipment is currently being installed; customer service records from three telephone companies that serve Lincoln County have been submitted to the state 911 provider. The only holdup now is with Valor telephone company, which has not provided customer service records. "Once Valor Tele-

phone is finished with their records, sharing of information with the state will be improved and the program will be complete," Stewart wrote in the statement.

Commissioners also approved the resolution setting alcohol liquor dispenser permit fees of \$250 each for dispenser, retailers, canopy and restaurant licenses, \$25 for club license, \$25 per day for special permits. Commissioners also added a \$250 fee for small brewers, but that was

questioned and will be resolved at the April meeting. Adopted the 911 Rural Addressing Committee recommended street names: (off Sierra Blanca Airport Road), Meadow Farm Trail (at mile marker 1), Crapple Creek (at Cat Ranch), Alito Pines, D008-Paso Monte Road (formerly Far View, Twisted Cedar, Gascon Trail), Anisaezi (formerly Pine Point) Along Highway 48, Enchanted Forest Loop (to combine Enchanted Forest and Sierra Drives), Via Sena, Mountain Haven Trail (Pickhandle, Little Valley Trail), Fishin' Hole (at Alto Lake), Peebles Ranch Road, C022-High Road, off C022 Coyote Trail, off Coyote Trail Dome Drive. Along Highway 380 east of Capitan, Parson Ranch Road (mile marker (mm) 88), Capitan Gap Road (mm 87), Fort Stanton Road (mm 89.5), Salado Canyon Road (mm 82.2), Salazar Canyon (mm 83.8), off Salazar Canyon first right Cruz de la Jara, Berry Rough

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EDITOR: Some reason out of many why we need to get the United Nations out of Lincoln County is Border Region Area XXI (21).

This Border Area is 2000 miles long and 300 miles wide. It is not a state from Mexico or the United States but an international territory overseen by nine non-government organizations from Mexico and the United States controlled by the United Nations.

This Border Region is "NOW", even though it is unlawful.

It's intended purpose is to erase and dissolve the border between Mexico and the United States and create an "International Territory."

Our county seat of Carrizozo is 134 miles from Mexico so we are 16 miles inside this new United Nations Territory.

The United Nations Peace keeping police aka/International Police are being trained at this time in this country by our military.

Only one thing remains and that is for the President to tell the United States people that 300,000 square miles of the states of California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas that the people are no longer part of their states or the United States but citizens of this United Nations Territory.

All courts in the United States uphold all Executive Orders and treaties if they are lawful or not. Our only defense from this World government is our county commissioners and our elected Sheriff.

We have lost our Constitution and it can no longer be used in a court of law.

Remember the Federal Government owns no land other than 10 square miles in Washington, military bases and post offices.

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Eagle Creek Properties

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oil to delay its action. "What I'm hearing tonight is in conflict with what I've heard on the street," Wimberly added.

"What you hear tonight is what we are really doing," Donaldson said. "We're just annexing village owned property."

Councilor Bob Sterchi said the village is not looking to annex the private

property, unless the home owners petition for annexation. And by current policy, they would have to bring something beneficial to the village, such as water rights.

"By state law we can annex," Donaldson said. "And we could have forced annexed the private property too."

"People in the county

think Ruidoso is always up to something," Donaldson said.

"Us in the county want to work with the village," Wimberly said. "We just want to know the facts."

But, when Donaldson asked what Wimberly had heard, Wimberly had no comment except to ask if the annexation had gone to the state boundary commission. Underwood said this annexation did not have to go to a boundary commission because the properties are village owned.

Donaldson said the neighbors should not have negative impacts from this annexation. "You won't see any changes except for the village limits being posted on Eagle Creek Road."

Wimberly asked if the village was going into the land selling business. Donaldson said he did not say that the village was going to sell the land.

Councilor Bill Chance said the village could sell that land.

Councilor Linda Flack



LET'S HELP LOUIE. Capitan Head Start students help class assistant Louis Padilla dig holes to plant the trees brought by Smokey Bear and regional state forester Barbara Luna on Monday, March 26. All students in the class received trees, most of which were planted in the Head Start classroom playground. Students in the Head Start Class are Sofia Mendoza, Tammy Romero, Melissa Rossiter, Sebastian Rueda, Mikey Whipple, Tristan Hobbs, Robert Miller, Christopher Maestas, Chloe Hamm, Joseph Luna, Wesley Atkinson, Codie Williams, Jordan Deane, Collins Parks, Carlie Crain, Fantasia Dennis and Destini Taylor. Their teachers are Janie York and Gloria Griego.

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BILL SEBRING, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:30 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 8:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Carrizozo Community Church (AIG)

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 7:15 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
1-505-257-2356
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

TOM WOODARD, Pastor
1000 D. Ave. 648-2893 / 648-2846
Carrizozo, NM 88301
Sunday School (All Ages) 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:10 a.m.
Choir Practice (Tuesday) 8:30 p.m.
United Methodist Women
Every 3rd Wednesday 1:00 p.m.
Fellowship Dinner on
4th Sunday of Month 12:30 p.m.

CAPITAN:

Adult Sunday School 8:30 a.m.
Worship Service 8:15 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 9:30 a.m.

Christ Community Fellowship

ED VINSON, Pastor (Inter-denominational)
514 Smokey 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 / 338-4827
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

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Capitan (South on Hwy. 48)
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
AWANA Wednesday 6:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church of Corona

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the land the village could sell. "We will have no control over a future council," Flack added.

"I think it would be an absolute sin to sell any of this land," Donaldson said.

Sterchi said he thought people in Alto were getting nervous. "We have no intent to (annex) Alto," Sterchi added.

"Not yet," added Chance jokingly.

Eagle Creek property owner Don Romero said he lives across Highway 532 (Ski Run Road) from the property to be annexed. He was concerned how the annexation would affect his five acre tract.

Donaldson said nothing will change, since Romero's property was already within the village Extraterritorial Zone (ETZ).

Donaldson said the annexation will actually protect the properties more because the village has regulations on use of property, while the county has none. Village ordinances require the property be annexed with a zoning classification, Donaldson added. He said there are concerns for developments with the river and the water shed.

"We will have better policing now," Donaldson said. "And no hunting is allowed on village property."

Romero asked why the village designated the area as M-PUD.

Donaldson said the zoning was to make any development very restrictive. "No one is saying the village will do anything specific with the property," Donaldson said. "If so, the village will hold many public hearings. But I do not see significant development on these lands."

Sterchi asked Romero if the lights from the ball fields are a problem. Romero said they have grown accustomed to the lights.

As for the M-PUD Underwood said that zoning designation requires the council to have control over any proposed development. "This will prevent the random or helter-skelter development," Underwood said.

Chance asked if a different zone could be created. Underwood said it would take at least six months to create a new "watershed" zone. "And I'm not sure it would help, since the council has total control over the M-PUD," he added.

Donaldson said the village could have annexed 438 acres of private land adjacent to the 439 acres of village property. "As long as we were 51 percent owner of the total properties to be annexed," he added. "But

that is not our intent."

Debbie Rehfeld, who owns property in the Enchanted Mesa Subdivision, across Highway 532 from the ball parks, was concerned that the annexation would affect the restrictive covenants in her subdivision. "We fought hard to reinstate the restrictive covenants," she said.

Donaldson said the covenants will stay in place and will not be affected by the annexation. Underwood said restrictive covenants are enforceable by the private owners. When Rehfeld said she was concerned about that type of houses will be allowed on the newly annexed lands, Donaldson said that was so far down the road.

Rehfeld also said they get a lot of noise from the ball fields which are like an echo chamber. She concluded her comments by suggesting all people who have the old fashioned cycle water softeners to replace them with on-demand water softeners which use much less water.

Another audience member who did not identify himself warned the village about using the highway right of way as a corridor to annex the Eagle Creek lands. He said he came from a town that had done a

similar annexation by using a right of way that 20 years later was successfully challenged in court.

Underwood said there is precedence in New Mexico law to allow this type of annexation. "We checked that out," Donaldson said.

Briley said at the beginning of the discussion that he had contacted the State Highway Department and received a "consensus" from the department to allow the use of the right of way for the annexation. However, the village had not yet received written approval for the use of the right of way from the highway department.

"We are only annexing our land," Donaldson said again in his closing remarks. "We want control. There is no hidden agenda. And this ties the hand of future councils."

"If we annex these lands," said councilor Ron Anderson. "They will be highly restricted and regulated. It becomes more restrictive not less."

The ordinance for annexation will take effect in 30 days.



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said. "We help them with marketing and other areas to avoid this."

Simmons said the center does not do the work for the individuals, rather the center partners with them to give them technical advice.

In Lincoln County, quality

of living is the strongest asset and is attracting retired and semi-retired people.

To help the county and its residents with economic development, Simmons requested the county commission partner with the center in an advisory board.

"There will be no money involved," Simmons added.

The center is financed with state and federal funds and local contributions. The center works closely with the Eastern New Mexico University at Ruidoso Center.

County Commission chairman Rex Wilson asked Simmons if the center could provide information on a wood chip industry. "With the forest health projects we need to find a market for wood chips," Wilson said.

Simmons said Dr. Jim Miller at ENMU-Ruidoso is working with an individual, and assisted the person with a large grant application for a wood chip industry.

Before county commissioners approved the resolution making them partners with the Small Business Center in an advisory capacity, county attorney Alan Morel cautioned about the potential liabilities of being a partner. He recommended the resolution state the county formed an "association" with the center.

County commissioners approved the resolution with the word partner changed to "association."

Quick Tips To Help Deal With Allergies

More than 35 million Americans suffer from allergies. We sneeze, sniffle, and swell up because of the particles in the air we breathe, and if left untreated, these symptoms can lead to other problems like asthma. Allergy symptoms make us exhausted, but because we're congested we can't sleep unless we're sitting up. In general, we just feel awful. But there are some things we can do to ease our suffering; following are some quick tips from the American Association for Respiratory Care that will help you deal with allergies.

1. During the height of pollen season, try to stay indoors with the air conditioning on as much as possible to reduce exposure to the allergens that bother you.

2. If you must go outside during adverse conditions, try to do so only in the early morning or late evening. During midday pollen and spores are at their highest, so consider wearing a paper mask especially if you will be doing yard work.

3. Avoid common irritants like smoke, dust, smog, fumes, aerosol sprays, cold

air, and excessive humidity.

4. Keep your resistance to allergens high by eating properly and getting ample rest.

5. Help your doctor find the allergens affecting you by keeping a record of the activities and events that accompany your allergic symptoms.

6. Keep a current list of the medications and doses you are taking for your allergies.

7. Learn how each drug works and be aware of the possible side effects of each one.

8. Do not stop taking or change the dose of a drug without first contacting your doctor.

9. If you miss taking a dose of medication, take it as soon as you realize the mistake and plan to take the next dose at the recommended time interval-do not take a double dose to make up for the omitted one.

10. Check with your doctor before taking an over-the-counter remedy that might interfere with prescription drugs you are taking for your allergies.

American Association for Respiratory Care
972/243-2272

Run The Mesa Race

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Road (mm 95.9 to berry farm) and Priest Canyon Road (mm 96).

-Appointed Ralph Romero to the Extraterritorial Zoning Commission for the Village of Ruidoso Downs.

-Approved appointment of county commissioners Rick Simpson and Bill Schwettmann to the Ruidoso Downs-Lincoln County Extraterritorial Zoning Authority.

-Tabled appointment to the county lodgers tax until the April meeting.



SMOKEY BEAR VISTA point on Hwy. 48, south of Capitan is completed and ready for visitors. The vista point has paved parking with handicapped accessible sidewalks that lead to the interpretive bronze panels that tell of Smokey Bear and the Sierra Blanca mountains to the south. It also has rockwork seating areas next to the covered bulletin board that has maps of the Lincoln National Forest and other information about the area. The vista was constructed with federal grant funds obtained by the Billy the Kid Scenic byways committee.

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HOLY THURSDAY, April 12: Mass of the Last Supper.
* Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Capitan, 5:30 p.m.
* Santa Rita Catholic Church, Carrizozo, 7:00 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES, April 13:
* St. Theresa Catholic Church, Corona 3:00 p.m.
* Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Capitan, 5:30 p.m.
* Santa Rita Catholic Church, Carrizozo, 7:00 p.m.

HOLY SATURDAY EASTER VIGIL, April 14:
* Santa Rita Catholic Church, 8:00 p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY, April 15:
* San Juan Catholic Church, Lincoln, 7:30 a.m.
* Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Capitan, 9:00 a.m.
* Santa Rita Catholic Church, Carrizozo, 10:30 a.m.
* St. Theresa Catholic Church, Corona, 1:00 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF MEETING DATE

The Upper Hondo Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors will meet on Friday, March 30th, at 4:00 p.m. at the new office location, 516 Smokey Bear Blvd., Capitan. This meeting will be in lieu of the April 3rd meeting. The public is invited to attend all meetings. For further information please call 354-2220.

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IN THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. CV-2001-31

FIRST FEDERAL BANK, a federal banking corporation, f/k/a CHAVES COUNTY SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, a corporation Plaintiff,

vs. LEONOR V. DE GARZA, Defendant.

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

TO: LEONOR V. DE GARZA AND ANY OTHER CLAIMANTS IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF

GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby notified that there has been filed in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, a certain cause of action wherein, First Federal Bank is the Plaintiff, and you and each of you are the Defendant, the same being Cause No. CV-2001-31 on the Civil Docket.

The general object of said action is to foreclose Plaintiff's mortgage in and to the following described property:

Lot 18, Block 2 of WHITE MOUNTAIN ESTATES, UNIT 4, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, February 16, 1979, in Tube No. 652.

Also known as 202 Marble Drive, Ruidoso, NM 88345.

said lands being more fully described in the Complaint for Foreclosure on file herein.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance or plead herein on or before April 19, 2001, Plaintiff will make application to the Court for Judgment by default, and judgment by default will be rendered against you, and each of you, as prayed for in said Complaint.

The name of the attorneys for Plaintiff is Sanders, Bruin, Coll & Worley, P.A., P.O. Box 550, Roswell, New Mexico 88201.

WITNESS MY hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

JAN PERRY District Court Clerk

By: Darla Goar Deputy

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT No. CV-00-118

FIRST UNION NATIONAL BANK, as Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated as of June 1, 1999, relating to Fremont Home Loan Owner Trust 1999-2,

Plaintiff,

vs. JAIME N. NEWSOME and RHONDA K. NEWSOME, Defendants.

AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of April, 2001, at the hour of 9:15 a.m. the undersigned Special Master, or his designee, will, at the front entrance of the Magistrate Court, Ruidoso, New Mexico, 301 W. Highway 70, Ruidoso, New Mexico, sell all of the rights, title and interest of the above-named Defendants, in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 103 Clover Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345, and is more particularly described as follows:

Lot 15, Block 4, GREEN MEADOWS ADDITION, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the Office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, August 29, 1958.

Subject to all taxes, utility liens and other restrictions and encumbrances of record, and subject to a one (1) month right of redemption by the Defendants, the foregoing sale will be made to satisfy a foreclosure judgment rendered by this Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. First Union National Bank's judgment is \$57,679.88, and the same bears interest at 10.90% per annum, commencing on February 1, 2001, with the Court reserving entry of final judgment against said Defendant Jamie N. Newsome and Rhonda K. Newsome for the amount due after foreclosure sale, for costs and attorney's fees, plus interest as may be assessed by the Court.

First Union National Bank has the right to bid at such sale all of its judgment amount and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply for or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

The Court's decree, having duly appointed Mark A. Reeves, as its Special Master to advertise and immediately offer for sale the subject real estate and to apply the proceeds of sale, first to the costs of sale and the Special Master's fees, then to pay the above-described judgment, interest, and costs of sale, and to pay unto the registry of the Court any balance remaining to satisfy future adjudication of priority mortgage holders;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that in the event that said property is not sooner redeemed, the undersigned will as set forth above, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash or equivalent, the lands and improvements described above for the purpose of satisfying, in the adjudged order of priorities, the judgment entered in the partial final judgment and decree of foreclosure together with any additional costs and attorney's fees, costs of advertisement and publication, a reasonable receiver and Special Master's fee to be fixed by the Court. The total amount of judgment due is \$57,679.88, plus interest to and including date of sale of \$1,325.94 for a total judgment plus interest of \$59,005.82. Sale is subject to the entry of an order of the Lincoln County District Court approving the terms and conditions of this sale.

WITNESS MY HAND THIS 15th DAY OF MARCH, 2001.

MARK A. REEVES, Special Master Law Office of Mark A. Reeves P.O. Box 4251 Alamogordo, NM 88311-4251 (505) 439-0494 (505) 439-0493 Fax

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN

No. 1866

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PAULINA MANRIQUEZ, 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 (2) 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 the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, located at the following address: P.O. Box 338, Carrizozo, NM 88301.

DIMAS APODACA Personal Representative

5206 Desert San Place, NW Albuquerque, NM 87120

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN

No. 1871

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BASILIA SANCHEZ, DECEASED.

NOTICE TO KNOWN 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 (2) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or the date of mailing or other delivery of this notice, whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, located at the following address: P.O. Box 338, Carrizozo, NM 88301.

SANDRA SANCHEZ PURRINGTON Personal Representative

P.O. Box 67 Corona, NM 88318 (505) 849-1135

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ORDINANCE #99-17

It is the intention of the governing body of the Village of Corona to amend Ordinance #22, AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE VILLAGE OF CORONA WATER SYSTEM AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HERewith (SECTION 2, IN REFERENCE TO NEW CONNECT FEES), at the next regular meeting on April 12, 2001, at 6:30 p.m. at the Village Hall, Interests parties may review the Ordinance at Village Hall, Hwy. 54/Main Street, Corona, NM, Monday through Thursday, 8:00-12:00 and 1:00-5:00.

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ORDINANCE #99-18

It is the intention of the governing body of the Village of Corona to amend Ordinance #27, AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE VILLAGE OF CORONA GAS SYSTEM AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HERewith (SECTION 3, IN REFERENCE TO NEW CONNECT FEES), at the next regular meeting on April 12, 2001, at 6:30 p.m. at the Village Hall, Interests parties may review the Ordinance at Village Hall, Hwy. 54/Main Street, Corona, NM, Monday through Thursday, 8:00-12:00 and 1:00-5:00.

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN

No. 1872

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM P. RHETTA, 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 (2) 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 the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, located at the following address: 300 Central, Carrizozo, NM 88301.

DIANE RHETTA VALENCIA Personal Representative

2214 Vista Verde Drive San Jose, CA 95148 (408) 238-0475

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CAPITAN MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to 22-8-10 NMSA, 1978 that the Board of Education of Capitan School District #28, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico will meet on April 12th, 2001, 6:00 P.M. M.D.T., in the Board room of the administration building, 150 Forest Street, to present, publicly review and approve the budget for the 2001-2002 fiscal year.

This is a public hearing and all school patrons are invited to attend.

Done at Capitan, New Mexico, this 22nd day of March, 2001.

CAPITAN BOARD OF EDUCATION ERVIN ALDAZ, President

ATTEST: GRANT DEAN, Secretary

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Planning Commission will hold their regular meeting on April 3, 2001. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m. at the Lincoln County Fair Building, Corner of 5th and Lincoln, Capitan, New Mexico.

AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER
II. ROLL CALL
III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
IV. NEW BUSINESS
a.) Smart Growth Presentation - Cindy Lynch
V. OLD BUSINESS
a.) Discussion of Comprehensive Plan for areas around Fort Stanton, Sierra Blanca Airport and other corridors.
VI. STAFF REPORT
VII. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS
VIII. ADJOURN

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 5, 2001, Paul Van Gulick, P.O. Box 173, Ruidoso Downs, NM 88346, filed application No. H-1343 with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to supplement existing shallow well H-1343 located in the SW1/4NW1/4SW1/4 of Section 21, Township 11 South, Range 14 East, N.M.P.M., by using the North Hole Ditch, a tributary of the Rio Ruidoso, which has a point of diversion located in the SE1/4NE1/4SE1/4 of Section 20, Township 11 South, Range 14 East, N.M.P.M., for the continued diversion of up to 13.44 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater and supplemental surface water for the irrigation of 4.2 acres of land located in part of the S1/2NW1/4SW1/4 of Section 21, Township 11 South, Range 14 East, N.M.P.M.

The two points of diversion are located approximately four miles east of Ruidoso Downs, Lincoln County, New Mexico. 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 objections or protests shall be in writing and shall set forth specific 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, not later than ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. If no valid objection or protest is filed, the state engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state, and conservation of water within the state.

A memorial service will be held March 24 at Corona Baptist Church.

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ANTONIO H. CHAVEZ

Funeral Mass for Antonio H. Chavez, 86, of Capitan was in Sacred Heart Catholic Church March 23. Burial followed at the Capitan Cemetery with Fr. Dave Bergs officiating.

Mr. Chavez died March 20 in Albuquerque. He was born August 2, 1914 in Capitan and had lived there all of his life. He was a truck driver for the county highway department and a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

He married Anita Herrera on December 26, 1963 in Roswell.

Survivors include his wife Anita of Capitan; step-children Eustacio Chavez Jr. of Ruidoso, and Helen Richardson and her husband Robert of Socorro; his brother, Margarito Fruijillo and his wife Erma of Capitan; two sisters, Seney Schuh and her husband Margarito of Alamogordo, and Dora Garcia and her husband Louis of Dodge City, KS.

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

DORIS BRYAN-MCCARROLL

Doris Bryan-McCarroll died March 17 at Bluewater Acres after a long illness. Doris was born on April 17, 1924 outside Nocona, TX and as a young girl moved to Ancho. She spent most of her life in the Corona area where she met her husband Billy Bryan.

Billy and Doris lived and ranched for many years in the Corona area and then moved to the Estancia Valley where they farmed. After Billy's health failed they retired to Bluewater Lake, NM. Billy died in 1986.

Doris married Harold M. "Mac" McCarroll in 1978. They lived in Logan, NM until Mac's death in 1989. Doris then returned to her home at Bluewater Acres where she enjoyed her yard and garden until she suffered a massive stroke in July of 2000.

Doris was preceded in death by husbands, William F. Bryan and Harold M. McCarroll, her parents, William Daugherty Wilson and Ollie Frances Wilson, a brother, John Alvis Wilson, two sisters, Edith Joyce Dossey and Billie Myrtle Leite.

She is survived by four sisters, Helen Marie Porter of Belen, Ouida Frances Stubblefield of Monett, MO, Ima Jean Wolford of Greenville, SC, Kathryn Ellen Jones of West Pelzer, SC; three daughters, Billie Joyce Kauffman of Albuquerque, Joan Harbaugh of Bluewater Acres, Frah Bryan-Proctor of Blue Water Acres; one son, Franklin Bryan of Arlington, TX; 11 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

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Old Lincoln Town by Rosalie Dunlap

Our condolences to the family of Frank Warth of Capitan. He was their mayor at one time.

Congratulations to Gary and Dee Miller. Gary has accepted an offer to establish a military aviation museum on Luke Field on Ford Island. They will be gone two to three years.

Several Lincoln buildings are undergoing renovations / additions. The fire house and the Lincoln community church have finished their additions.

The Curry Saloon and property is being improved. The wooden fence / wagon wheels have been taken down - hope they are replaced again.

The next Lincoln project will be updating the water system. After negotiations and trimming the bid was let for the system.

Five Lincoln County FCE members attended the State FCE Mid-Year board meeting in Albuquerque, recently. They were Lou Turner, Inez Marrs, Rosalie Dunlap of the La Junta Club; Jimmy Burd and Betty McCright of Carrizozo Club.

The San Juan's Church was filled with wonderful music the past two Sundays. A week ago the choir from Holy Mount Episcopal Church of Ruidoso helped Lincoln celebrate the Lenten season with their music.

This past Sunday a group of United Methodist young people attended the services. They were from Crane, TX. They were such a great group of young people and everyone enjoyed their young voices. We are so fortunate to have so many of unannounced people attending our church.

Ralph Dunlap attended the annual New Mexico Rural Water User's Association meeting in Albuquerque last week. He had to attend several classes to

keep his certified operator certificate up-to-date. All water systems in New Mexico must have a certified operator in order to manage their systems.

The fruit trees have been blooming and several have gotten frozen. The big apricot tree at the Thomas property next door was full of blossoms but were quickly frozen.

Game and Fish Wants Opinions About Fishing NM License Regulations

The New Mexico Department of Game and Fish is seeking input on fishing regulations for the 2002 through 2005 license years.

Game Department officers will be available from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, April 17, at the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce office at 720 Sodderth Drive in Ruidoso to take input on regulations.

Anyone who would like to see changes in the state fishing regulations can express their opinions to a Game and Fish officer.

Those unable to visit during the time period may provide written input. Mail written recommendations to Shawn Denny, Department of Game and Fish, 1912 West Second St., Roswell, NM 88201.

Benefits For Disabled Veterans Explained April 6 in Alamogordo

Detailed explanations of the full range of benefits available to disabled veterans and their families will be presented at a Disabled American Veterans Mobile Service Office visit on April 6 in Alamogordo.

There will be no charge for the on-site counseling and claim filing assistance. The visit will be held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Friday, April 6, at the Chapter Hall at 119 Dunagan Ave. in Alamogordo.

Veterans and members of their families need not be DAV or DAV Auxiliary members to take advantage of this free service. Veterans should bring their Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) claim number and social security number and any other pertinent documentation to the DAV Mobile Service Office visit.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

LINCOLN COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER Has the following immediate openings:

- * Physical Therapy Assistant (full-time)
* Certified Nursing Assistant (full-time)
* Cook I (full-time)
* Dental Hygienist - Carrizozo Health Center (part-time)
* Housekeeper (full-time)
* Supply Services Aide II (full-time)
* RN/LPN (part-time)
* Registered Nurse - ICU (full-time)
* Registered Nurses - PRN - all units
* Registered Nurse - OR (full-time)
* Registered Nurse - Med/Surg (full-time)
* EMT-I and Paramedics

We offer a generous benefit package. If interested contact: Pam, Human resources Box 8000 Ruidoso, NM 88355 EOB

1tc/Mar. 29, 2001

FAST ACTION Lincoln County News CLASSIFIED ADS CALL: (505) 648-2333

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY The Village of Capitan is seeking applications for a full time police officer. Must be New Mexico Certified. Salary will be 1,600.00 per month. Uniform allowance and benefits. Must reside in Capitan. Applications are available at the Village of Capitan, P.O. Box 246 - Capitan, NM 88316. Phone: (505) 354-2247. Applications will be accepted until Friday, April 6, 2001. /s/ Kathryn Griffin Village Clerk Village of Capitan 2tc/Mar. 29 & Apr. 5

TRACTOR WORK Mowing, Excavating, Roads Built, Gravel Hauled, Water, Electric, Sewer Lines and Septic Systems Installed. Turn Key Mobil Sites Built. 354-7000 or 430-5557 8tp-March 8-April 26

CONSIGNMENTS WANTED For Art Auction May 15, La Bundo Hotel, Santa Fe. Buffalo Auction Services Gene Crouch, auctioneer 505-443-1239 http://www.angelfire.com/arb/buffalobid 2tp-March 22 & 29

CAPITAN - SALE BY OWNER Great views. 3 BR - 2 BA, 2 car garage and more. \$92,000. Also 95' 21 ft. 5th wheel. Nice. \$7,000. 120 Randle Rd. 354-9220 4tp-March 22 - April 12

SIGN UP FOR BOOTH SPACE For a "Spring Cleaning Fling" Flea Market to be held at the Lincoln County Fair Building, April 13, 14 and 15. Call 354-2273 354-4321 or 354-4270 1tc-March 29

BUILDING MATERIALS and CONSTRUCTION Two Steel Buildings, Engineer Certified. 40x40 was \$8,680, now \$4,580. 50x100 was \$17,940, now \$11,935. MUST SELL, CAN DELIVER 800-292-0111 1tp-March 29

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY The Village of Corona is accepting applications for a full time City Works Maintenance Superintendent. High School diploma or equivalent required. A screening drug test and random drug sampling are required for hire. Salary is specified by existing salary schedule and dependent upon certification and experience. Applications are available at the Co-rona Village Hall Hwy. 54/Main Street, Corona, NM 88318, (505) 849-5511, Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Applications will be accepted until position is filled. 2tc/Mar. 29 & Apr. 5

FOR SALE Sealed Bids The Upper Hondo Soil & Water Conservation District will accept sealed bids for purchase of their single wide 14' x 68' office trailer until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, March 30, 2001. Minimum bid: \$5,000.00. Trailer may be seen at 516 Smokey Bear Blvd., Capitan, NM 88316. For further information, call 354-2220. The District maintains the right to accept or reject bids. 1tc/Mar. 29

WANTED FIREWOOD: Green unsplit pine - juniper \$65 per cord. Delivered to Highway 48 & 37. Pine \$45. Verifiable source. 336-4524 2tp-March 22 & 29

BIG SCREEN TV for sale. Take on small payments. Good credit required. 1-800-398-3970 2tp-March 22 & 29

FOR RENT in Carrizozo, 2 BR partly furnished apt. 648-2776 648-2660 648-2233 2tc-March 29 & April 5

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY The City of Alamogordo is accepting applications for the following: UNTIL FILLED. * Full-time Seasonal Park Maintenance - Bonito Lake, \$6.00/hr. * Full-time Seasonal Park Ranger - Bonito Lake, \$6.00/hr. For more information, call the job line at 439-4100. EOE. 1tc/ March 22

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Maintenance and Facility Booking Position Lincoln County Fair Grounds Capitan, NM Job Description: 1. Booking of events. 2. Collection of fees and damage deposits. 3. Opening and closing the facility for booked events. 4. Stocking of cleaning supplies and paper goods. 5. In the event the facility is not left clean the deposit will go to the maintenance person. 6. Trash pick-up on grounds. (Booked events are responsible for their own grounds clean-up). 7. Arena will be ready for scheduled events. 8. Weeds and grass will be cut during the summer. 9. If any major repairs are needed (elec., plumb., structural, etc.), the board will be notified and the maintenance person will oversee. 10. Maintenance/facility person will make monthly reports to the board at the regular scheduled meetings. This position is advertised at \$500.00 per month with the Lincoln County Fair Board making the final decision on April 10, 2001. To Apply send letter of interest and resume to: Lincoln County Fair Association P.O. Box 1004 Capitan, NM 88316 If you have any questions or need any information about this position please contact: Billy Bob Shafer 849-1418 or Jerry Burchett 653-4360. 2tc/Mar. 22 & 29

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Santa Fe Opera Apprentice Artist Tour In Area In May

Area audiences will have opportunity to hear three young singers from The Santa Fe Opera in a free concert tour that will visit Alamogordo, Ruidoso and Socorro in May.

The three singers, soprano Deborah van Renterghem, tenor Michael Ryan, bass-baritone Zeffin Quinn Hollis and pianists Curt Pajer and Pedro Yanez will perform Mozart's one-act opera "Bastien and Bastienne" in the first half of their concert. The second half will include arias and duets from Carmen, Gianni Schicchi, The Barber of Seville, The Marriage of Figaro, The Daughter of the Regiment and Rigoletto and other popular selections.

Free Apprentice Artist Tour concerts to be performed in this area will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 3, at the Flickinger Center in Alamogordo, 7 p.m. Friday, May 4, at the Hubbard Museum of the Western Horse in Ruidoso Downs, and at 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 11, at Macey Center at New Mexico Tech in Socorro.

The 2001 Apprentice Artist Tour is sponsored by Phelps Dodge Foundation, The National Endowment for the Arts, and New Arts, a division of the Office of Cultural Affairs.



FEBRUARY CHARACTER COUNTS -- CARRIZOZO ELEMENTARY

FIRST ROW (from back): Casey Barela, Robert Morales, Tanner Huston, Tessa Hendricks, Matthew Vega, Kenny Vega, Mariah Vallejos, Maria Tate, Elizabeth Bingerman, Bailey Shivers, Jennifer Shafer, Troy Korocil. **SECOND ROW:** Autumn Kratovil, Jessica Ward, Jordan Hill, Joel Ferguson, Stephanie Zamora, Michelle Shivers, Katina Maldonado, Chelsea LaMay, Lauren Smith, Kyle King, Josh Burd, Kylie Gaines, Chrishanda Zamora. **THIRD ROW:** James Benson, Matthew Samora, Shayria Zamora, Jordan Vinson, Carmen Tate, Corina Morales, Raquel Pino, Lane Carter, Justin Greer, Gaby Barela, Jaime McCarthy, Catalena Vega, Marriah Ventura. **FOURTH ROW:** Gabriel New, Tori Nash, Andrea Vigil, Sierra Anaya, Timara Burd, Analicia Beltran, Arden Burd, Cody King, Joshua Vallejos Jade Roper, Casey Vega, Anna-Leah Hill, Arturo Najera, Patricio Jiron. **ABSENT:** Kathleen Schlarb, Rachel Pino, Erin Hightower, Stacia Calvert, Sara Comstock, Kendal Wilsen, Danielle Castro.

Trinity Site Open To Public April 7

Trinity Site, where the first atomic bomb was exploded in 1945, will be open to the public on Saturday, April 7.

The National Historic Landmark is open to the public twice a year on the first Saturday of April and October.

Trinity Site is located on the northern end of the 3,200 square mile White Sands Missile Range, west of Carrizozo. For the up-

coming tour there will two ways of entering the restricted missile range.

An unescorted tour begins at the Stallion Range Center, five miles south of Highway 380. The turn-off for the Stallion gate is 53 miles west of Carrizozo on Highway 380 and 12 miles east of San Antonio. The Stallion gate will be open from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Visitors arriving at the Stallion gate between those

hours will receive handouts and will be allowed to drive unescorted the 17 miles to Trinity Site. The road is paved and marked.

The second way of entering the missile range is with a caravan sponsored by the Alamogordo Chamber of Commerce. The caravan forms at the Otero County Fairgrounds in Alamogordo and leaves at 8 a.m. Visitors entering this way will travel as an es-

corted group with military police to and from Trinity Site. The drive is 170 miles round trip and there are no service station facilities on the missile range. The caravan is scheduled to leave Trinity Site at 1 p.m. for the return to Alamogordo.

Cameras are allowed at Trinity Site, but their use is strictly prohibited anywhere else on White Sands Missile Range.

Trinity Site consists of

ground zero where the atomic bomb was placed on a 100-foot steel tower and

exploded on July 16, 1945, and the McDonald Ranch house where the world's first plutonium core for a bomb was assembled. The house was restored in 1984.

For more information contact the White Sands Missile Public Affairs Office at (505) 687-1134/1700.

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