

# C'zozo School Superintendent Rehired for Another Year

by Doris Cherry

Sergio Castanon will continue to be the Carrizozo School Superintendent for another year.

Carrizozo Board of Education, January 20, unanimously voted to re-employ Castanon for the 2004-2005 school year. The vote was taken after the board returned to open session. They spent 35 minutes in

closed session discussing the superintendent's evaluation, personally identifiable information regarding a student and pending litigation.

"I am very pleased to be able to continue working with the board, and staff to bring about positive changes and improvements to Carrizozo Schools," Castanon told *THE NEWS*.

The 2004-2005 contract will be Castanon's third year

as superintendent of Carrizozo Schools. Castanon currently earns \$71,000 a year and the school board did not discuss an increase in salary because any increase will depend on the state legislature.

Castanon gives a superintendent's report each month to the school board. Tuesday Castanon updated board members on the vocational building construction that is

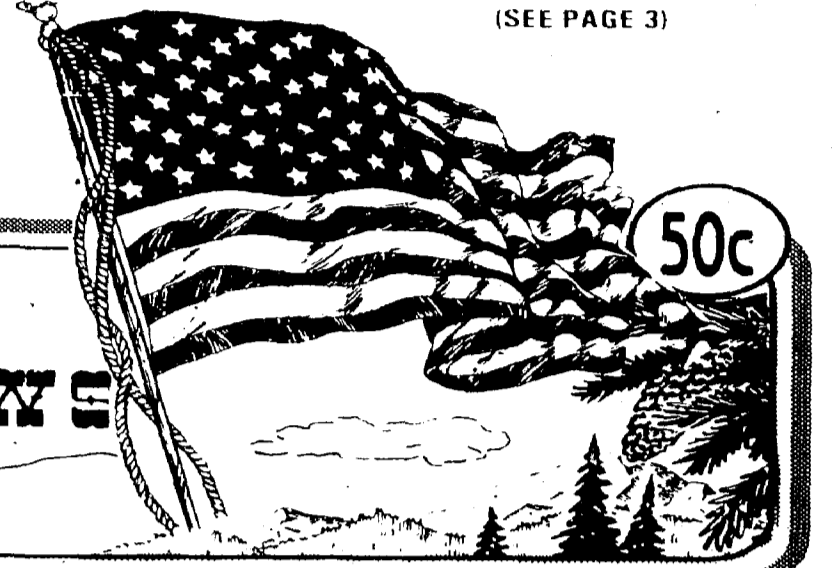
now underway. He said board members will receive updates via email from the construction company and engineering firm. Castanon said through this week the construction company is doing excavation and repacking the site for the building foundation.

The new track continues to have water retention and drainage issues. Castanon said he spoke with the com-

pany to get them to repair the problem before the school district pays the final \$10,000 construction payment. School board member Jim Grider said withholding

payment is the best way to get such a problem fixed. Thanks to a \$3,000 "Re-leaf" grant from the NRC's, Carrizozo schools will be able to purchase and have

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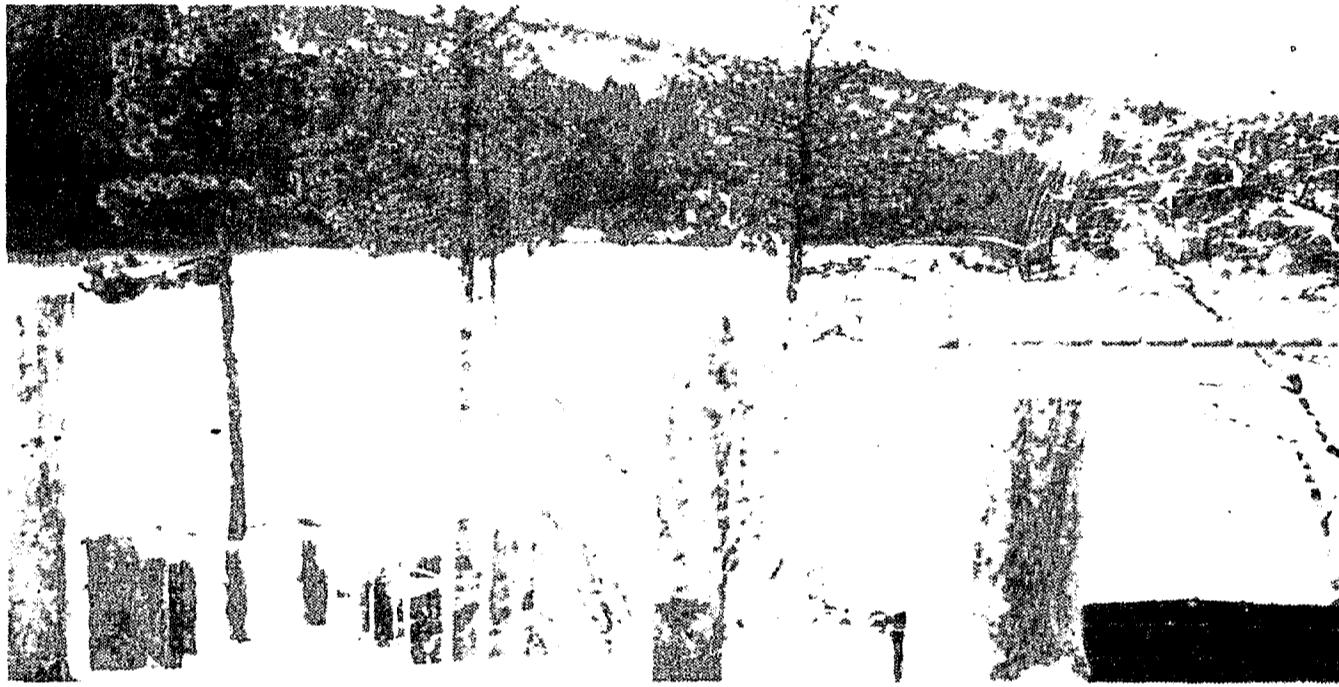
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**FROZEN SILENCE.** Ice flows on Bonito Lake remind us it is winter. When this photo was taken on Monday, the lake area was dry with little or no snow. A storm on Tuesday and Wednesday left six or more inches of new snow in the lake watershed, but more precipitation is needed to ward off water restriction in communities that get Bonito Lake water. Carrizozo, which gets water from Bonito Lake, plans to review its outdoor water use policies at the February 10 town meeting.

## Carrizozo To Review Possible Outdoor Water Restrictions

by Doris Cherry

This week's snow brought a little relief to the dry canyons above Bonito Lake. However the snow pack and rainfall on the lake watershed area remains far below average, leaving many to question how much water will be flowing into the reservoir this spring.

The Town of Carrizozo is entitled by old railroad water rights to get part of its

municipal water supply from Bonito Lake. With the lake at record low levels the town is not getting any water from the lake and the town is relying on its wells for its water supply.

Carrizozo has only 250,000 gallons of water storage. Town officials, concerned about meeting water demands this coming spring and summer, are taking another look at their water use policies.

Carrizozo Trustees at their February 10 regular meeting will review the town water use policies that include restrictions on outdoor watering, town clerk Leann Weibrecht told *THE NEWS*.

"The town already has policies about outdoor water use," Weibrecht said. "But we haven't enforced them much in the past because Bonito Lake had plenty of water in storage."

As it looks now the town will have no water from the lake for the summer peak water demands, Weibrecht added.

Discussion about outdoor water use policies came up during the Carrizozo Trustees meeting on January 13, when town maintenance supervisor Jim Payne reported on the water situation at Bonito Lake. He said the town now is not receiving water from the lake because it is so low. He said the town needs to prepare now for the hot weather peak water demands by restricting outdoor watering.

Weibrecht told *THE NEWS* that the town water supply at this time is okay. She said the town is mostly concerned because it has limited storage for its well water and it might not be able to keep up with demand when the weather warms and people begin to water their yards. "The re-

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## Capitan Election Workers Approved

by Doris Cherry

Capitan Village Trustees at their January 13 meeting approved the list of election workers for the March 2 municipal elections.

Capitan trustees Bobbi Shearer, George Tippin, John Whitaker and Leroy Montes approved the 2004 municipal election resolution that listed the names of the qualified precinct workers. The election poll workers approved are presiding election Ellen Fay Womack; election judges Edith Dobbins, Jane Livingston, Janice Cox, Robert Hellman and alternates Joyce Cox and Bill Allred.

The Capitan Municipal Election Polling place will be at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds office on Tuesday, March 2. The poll will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Voters who reside within Capitan will elect two trustees. Eight people filed to be on the ballot.

Capitan clerk Anna Gail Grassie told *THE NEWS* that on January 20, no one filed as a write in candidate. Absentee voting for the municipal election begins February 11 in the offices of the village clerk.

Also at the January 13 meeting, Capitan trustees adopted the 2004 holiday calendar that designates all holidays when the village hall will be closed. The next holiday is Presidents' Day, Monday, February 16.

Trustees approved a resolution increasing by \$21,000 the village Law Enforcement Protection Fund (LEPF) in the village budget. The LEPF money already had been received and spent by the village, and the resolution for budget increase was a bookkeeping "clean up," Grassie said.

Mary Brothers, chair of the village planning board, gave a report about the board's last meeting. She said the board wants village attorney Marc Prelo to look into changing how the village allows water taps to every 25 foot wide lot in the downtown core of the village. Prelo said he has looked at the situation and the request from the planning board.

However, Prelo said, the village by ordinance is supposed to have a water board that makes recommendations about water. "I have a copy of your water board ordinance," Prelo said. "Until you have the five member water board in place I recommend you do not go forward."

Brothers said she would be willing to serve on both the planning board and water board. The mayor said he will start looking for nominees for the water

board who will be appointed at the February meeting.

Montes said he would like to have at least one of the village water department employees on the water board to provide information about the village water system.

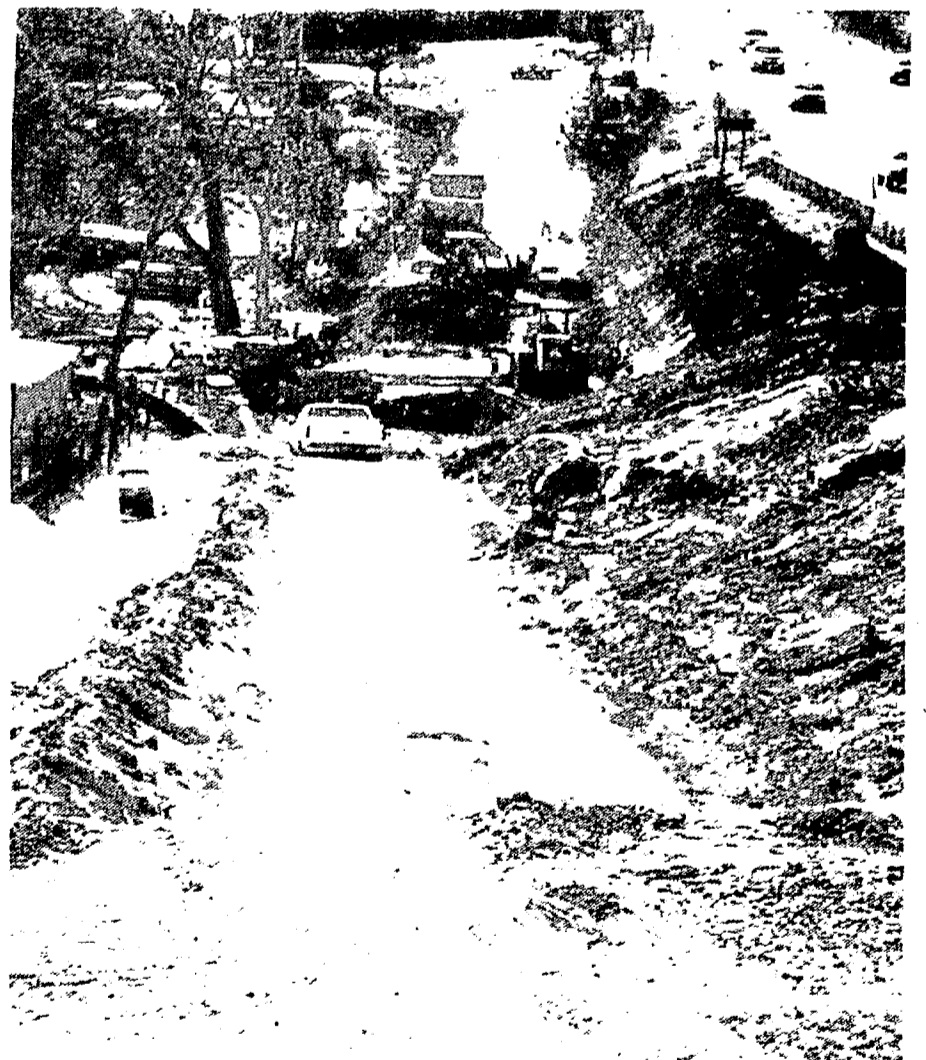
Capitan resident Ken Stone was given the go ahead to apply for a water tap on a small slice of property that was proved by survey to be within the village. Stone had approached the village previously for a water tap but was turned away because he was told his

property was outside the village.

Currently Capitan has a moratorium on allowing any new water taps to properties outside village limits until all lots within the village have water service, reminded Whitaker. Shearer said even with the moratorium several water taps have been granted to properties that were partially in the village even though the property did not have a dwelling.

"There are a number of properties that are partly in

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**BRIDGE REDO.** Crews with the NM Dept. of Transportation and W.W. Construction, Inc. do dirt work for the new bridge over Rio Bonito in Angus. The 4.1 mile long \$8.2 million highway improvement project from Hwy. 37 in Angus to Hwy. 532 Ski Run Road in Alto will be done in several phases with completion by May 2005.

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# County to Consider Jicarilla Mining District

Lincoln County Commissioners will be considering a resolution that recognizes the Jicarilla Mining District of Lincoln County. County commissioners are meeting today, Thursday, January 22, in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse. Their meeting starts at 8:30 a.m.

Item number 23 on the agenda is a resolution recognizing Jicarilla as a mining district. Jicarilla miner Jerry Fennell has tried to get the county to recognize the old mining community as a mining district in order to preserve its town buildings and the traditional customary practice of small operations mining. Fennell is in a dispute with the Lincoln National Forest, which claims Jicarilla is on forest lands. Fennell claims Jicarilla predated the national forest designation and at the least is entitled to being recognized as a mining district.

At the November 2003 county commission meeting, county commissioners directed county attorney Alan Morel to research and prepare a resolution recognizing the Jicarilla Mining District. The resolution starts with Spanish history which claims gold was

found in the early 1700s and mining was conducted in the 1740s. The area was known as the Jicarilla Mining District in the mid-1800s and was designated as Jicarilla School District #1 in the New Mexico Territory and designation as a post office in 1887.

In 1892 the Boundary Committee established Jicarilla as a mining district which was then recorded on January 23, 1893 in the official records of Lincoln County.

County commissioners will vote whether to approve or not approve the

resolution recognizing Jicarilla Mining District.

Other items county commissioners are considering at today's meeting include selection of chair and vice chair; recognition of county employees; proclamation congratulating Mark Chino and the Mescalero Apache Tribe; proclamation for Robert Brophy in honor of volunteer services to his fellow senior citizens.

County commissioners are scheduled to tour the Lincoln County Detention Center in Carrizozo at noon, for their semi-annual jail inspection.

and partly out of the village that have water taps." Shearer said. "I think he is entitled to a tap."

Whitaker said in his opinion the trustees did not have to vote on allowing the tap. "If his property is within the village he is entitled to the tap," he added.

Montes said there was no need for trustee action because applications for water taps to properties within the village are administrative matters.

"We have no need to vote," Whitaker said again. "We have rules to cover this."

Stone requested the village provide him a letter for future reference authorizing he be allowed a water tap to his property because it is within the village.

"I have a problem giving water away," Whitaker said in closing discussion about the water tap. "But if a property is in the village it is entitled to water."

Prelo suggested the village compile a history of prior water taps.

Trustees recessed at 7:20 p.m. (they started at 7 p.m.) into a closed session to discuss threatening and/or pending litigation and limited personnel matters. They invited the attorney into the session and later invited Grassie in.

Trustees returned to open session at 8:15 p.m. and attested they only discussed threatening pending litigation and limited personnel matters. Then they voted to

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advise the attorney to visit with the other attorney over the pending litigation.

Some Postal

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Alto, Capitan, Nogal, Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs post offices will continue to be open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturdays. US Postal Service District Marketing Director Margaret Romero told THE NEWS that because of security reasons she could not reveal the names of the post offices that have had collection time changes. She did say several post offices state wide were affected.

Romero recommended that postal patrons contact their local post office to check their collection times



As the Lincoln County News nears the century mark of being in existence (1905-2005), we will be randomly publishing articles that have been published in the NEWS from old files. The following article appeared in the "Lincoln County News" -- on

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Friday, April 27, 1928

## Democratic County Convention

A Democratic County Convention is hereby called to meet at Lincoln, New Mexico, May 12, 1928, at 11:30 a.m., for the purpose of selecting ten delegates to attend the State Democratic Convention at Portales, New Mexico, May 19, 1928, which State Convention will elect delegates to represent the State of New Mexico in the National Democratic Convention to be held at Houston, Texas, June 26, 1928.

The said County Convention will be composed of 97 delegates, based on the vote cast for governor in the last general election, and is apportioned to the respective precincts as follows:

Precinct	Name	No. of Dels.
1	Lincoln	7
2	San Patricio	7
3	Arabela	1
4	Picacho	4
5	Rabenton	1
6	Encinoso	2
7	Jicarilla	1
8	White Oaks	5
9	Capitan	9
10	Ruidoso	6
11	Nogal	4
12	Angus	5
13	Corona	9
14	Carrizozo	29
15	Oscuro	1
16	Ancho	4
17	Spindle	1
18	Joneta	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>97</b>

Committeemen of the several precincts are urged to call their respective primaries at a sufficiently early date that will permit the selection of a complete list of delegates to attend said county convention.

Proxies will be recognized only when held by residents of precincts from which the delegates are chosen.

F.H. Johnson, Chairman

## Democratic Primary Call

A primary of Democrats of precinct No. 14 is hereby called to meet in the court house, at Carrizozo, Saturday, May 5, 1928, at 8:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to select 29 delegates to represent said precinct in the Democratic County Convention which has been called to meet at Lincoln May 12, 1928.

Mrs. A.C. Climer,  
T.A. Spencer,  
Committeemen

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## Short Interviews Treating on Matters Pertaining To The Town and Otherwise

By M. Dorring

"Now that a woman has been elected to the office of mayor at Vaughn, New Mexico, I look for other towns in the state to do likewise," said one of our local women. "Miss Annie Foley is the name of the new mayor of Vaughn. She was formerly the town treasurer, and did so well that the voters promoted her to mayor at the recent election."

"Airports are increasing in numbers at a rapid rate," said an observer of aeronautics one day last week. "The United States now has 5,000 airports, the department of commerce declares, 231 of them lighted by beacon and flood lights. Beside there are 4,000 emergency landing fields in this country."

"We are traveling pretty fast now, but I believe things are going to be speeded up a whole lot within a short time," said a local man who keeps in touch with matters of this kind. "It is believed that a motor engine now being tested in Venice will give an airplane a theoretical speed of 625 miles an hour and an effective speed of 470 miles."

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planted 25 shade trees each 10 to 15 feet tall. The trees will be planted as a wind break for the new building once completed. Next year, the re-leaf grant will be \$5,000 and Castanon said he plans to apply for it also.

Castanon said Dick Shaw with NRCS is interested in helping the school district set up a tree farm, perhaps in the greenhouse, as a project for FFA. "We could become a Tree City, USA," Castanon added.

On Feb. 4 and 5 staff from all grades will participate in an in-service training for the "Six Traits Writing Workshop" to improve student writing skills. Training will take place after school on Feb. 4. On Feb. 5 students in grades 6 to 12 will have a half-day of class and K-5th grade elementary students will be out all day.

"Staff wanted this workshop because they feel they need to make more gains on writing," Castanon told the school board.

Enrollment is down. Castanon continued with his report. At last count taken after the holidays, enrollment was at 212 for kindergarten to 12th grade. "We lost seven students before Christmas and three more last week," he added.

"Anytime we get down toward 200 enrollment I get concerned," Castanon said.

There were no findings in the audit of the 2002-2003 school year, Castanon reported. And the district met all requirements. Castanon thanked the administration staff for their hard work on the financial record keeping and their help with the auditors.

A plastic tile floor taken from the Grizzly gym will be re-used for the weight room floor and an outdoor basketball area. Although Rio Rancho schools had paid Carrizozo schools for the tiles a few years ago, the Rio Rancho district never came for the flooring and its was put in storage. Castanon said he contacted Rio Rancho recently to advise them they will have to pay \$500 for storage of the tiles. "They said keep the floor and call it even," Castanon reported to the board.

Castanon said the custodians have offered to put down the tiles in the weight room and the outside basketball court during spring break.

The school district received a request from Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District (SNMEDD) on the potential impacts to the school if the town curtails water service in order to do water system improvements. The town has applied for a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) for

the water improvements. Grider said there should be no curtailing of water service anytime classes are being held. He suggested such work should be done in the summer when school is out.

In February the school district will be taking nominations for its Excellence of Student Achievement Awards. Any teacher, parent, community member or school board member who has contributed something to increase the academic performance of students in Carrizozo schools is eligible for nomination.

Carrizozo Schools had not planned to request funding from the 2004 state legislature. However, when Castanon attended the December 30 legislative roundtable in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo he was followed out by a state legislator (Dan Foley) who asked if there is something the district needs. Castanon said the school needs to have the street (D Ave.) repaved so it is level for play areas and to create new parking areas.

Handicapped spaces also need to be redesignated, Castanon added.

Castanon said they have put in handicapped parking spaces, but these are not well signed. Castanon told THE NEWS that on Wednesday, January 21 custodial staff repainted the handicapped parking spaces for better visibility. The school closed off the street that dissected its campus, because of safety issues for students. When the street was closed several parking spaces were eliminated.

Principal Steve Barron was unable to attend the school board meeting because he was coaching at a home game the same night. He submitted a report which stated the basketball is going strong; 73 students received the "Bravo Award" on January 7; 47 students received the Bravo Award for last fall; District spelling bee was held January 12 and Jennifer Shafer was first and Erin Hightower was runner-up.

FFA students placed second at the District 7 Parliamentary Procedure Contest held in Socorro on January 12. FFA students who participated were K.C. Hendricks, Ryan Gaines, Justus Wilson, Jake Riddle, Matt Barola and J.R. Corley. The students represented Carrizozo at the state contest on January 19 in Portales and placed 12th.

Ski Apache Ski Program begins January 27 for students in grades 3-12. The program is school sponsored and students are excused for a half day and will not be counted absent. Ski school days will be held January 27, February 3, 10 and 17. Students are responsible for their transportation to the ski area. Castanon said this is an excellent and very affordable opportunity for students to learn to ski. Information about the program will be sent home with students. February 13 is the high school Blossom and Beau basketball homecoming dance. Monday, February 16 is Presidents' Day and there will be no school for all students and staff.

Free Fridays program for qualifying students is going well, Castanon told Grider in answer to his question. Castanon said there are some concerns on how to best utilize the students who qualify for the program. "We've had no reports of kids getting into trouble on their free Friday," Castanon added. "The program has a lot of potential and the kids like it. Congratulations to those who made it."

Castanon said parents and students will be surveyed on how they like the Free Friday program. He also said the program has potential for providing students an opportunity to do commu-

nity service which is good for their college applications.

The school board also approved regular financial reports and check registers. They also approved the sale of the 1990 and 1999 activity busses for a total of \$33,000, which will be placed in the capital outlay.

construction fund. School activity buses are owned and operated by Steve Gore who contracts with the school district to provide the transportation services.

Next regular school board meeting is at 6 p.m. Tuesday, February 17.

- MONDAYS AND THURSDAYS**  
 --Carrizozo School Library open for public use, 5-7 p.m.
- FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAYS**  
 --Jalayne Spivey of the District II Office of the State Engineer is at Ruidoso Village Hall, 9 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 --Fibromyalgia Syndrome Support Group meets every third Tuesday, 6 p.m. K-Bob's in Ruidoso. Call 354-3046 for more information.
- TUESDAYS**  
 --Capitan Public Library preschool reading hour, 1 p.m.  
 --Alcoholics Anonymous, 6:30 p.m. Carrizozo First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.  
 --Crossfire Youth Group, 6:30-8 p.m. Trinity Baptist Church in Capitan. For junior and senior high school age youth.
- WEDNESDAYS**  
 --Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m. Capitan Senior Citizens Center.  
 --AWANA club for kids age 3 to 6th grade meets 6-8 p.m. First Baptist Church of Carrizozo.
- TODAY, THURSDAY, JANUARY 22**  
 --Lincoln County Commission to tour detention center at noon, as part of their regular meeting that began at 8:30 a.m. in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.  
 --Carrizozo Jr. Hi. basketball v. Cloudercroft, 4 p.m. Grizzly Gym, Carrizozo.  
 --Capitan girls basketball v. Ruidoso, 4 p.m. Cummins Gym, Capitan.  
 --Bureau of Land Management meeting on the Rio Bonito Acquired Lands at 6-9 p.m. at the Lincoln Community Church, to continue review of draft management plan for the Rio Bonito Acquired Lands.
- FRIDAY, JANUARY 23**  
 --Carrizozo varsity basketball v. Mescalero, 4:30 p.m. Grizzly Gym, Carrizozo.
- SATURDAY, JANUARY 24**  
 --Carrizozo Jr. Hi. basketball v. Capitan, 10 a.m. Grizzly Gym, Carrizozo.
- TUESDAY, JANUARY 27**  
 --South Central Mountain RC&D meets at 9:30 a.m. at Texas New Mexico Power Company office on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso. Public invited to attend.  
 --Ruidoso Planning and Zoning Commission 2 p.m. village hall.  
 --Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority, 2 p.m. LCSWA offices in Ruidoso Downs. Public invited.  
 --Carrizozo Jr. Hi. basketball v. Capitan, 4 p.m. Grizzly Gym, Carrizozo.  
 --Capitan High School boys district basketball v. Tularosa, 5 p.m. Cummins Gym, Capitan.  
 --Ruidoso Village Council, 6 p.m. village hall.
- WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28**  
 --Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee meets at 10 a.m. at the Watson House in old Lincoln. Public invited to attend.

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## THOUGHTS

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

### Destroy old town records?

By Ruth Hammond

Have you ever wondered how some people define the difference between antique, which is a polite way of saying something is old, and something that is no longer necessary? Some antiques are quite valuable, while other things that people have kept for years are nothing more than junk, or junkie, if you prefer that spelling. A buffalo robe that was used by your grandparents when they were courting may mean much to you but would not be worth much at auction.

It seems that old things may mean much to one person while another person would consider these old things junk. And which old official documents are worth keeping and which old official documents should be destroyed? Many years ago when elected officials in Lincoln County wanted to destroy some old things they were required to receive approval from the state before any destruction began. One of the main things we remember they wanted to destroy was a box of envelopes that had a previous treasurer's name printed on them. The envelopes were unusable because of age and the deterioration, but state approval was necessary before they could be destroyed and put out of their misery.

Sometimes old paper documents deteriorate and should be destroyed, but there are a few things that should be kept. It seems that a higher power should make the final decision as to whether documents are to be retained or destroyed.

The Town of Carrizozo plans to destroy old records and documents that were stored in the city hall building, with the reason being these documents and records were water damaged. Why were these old records stored in such a way as to be exposed to water damage? The huge walk-in safe at the city hall building should have been water-proof. Who made the decision as to which records to store properly and which records to toss into a non acid free cardboard box?

One good thing is that some of the town's old historical records were stored in the courthouse archives and those records should be safe from deterioration and damage.

Regulations about destroying old records are confusing at times. When a military aide wanted to destroy old records he was told by higher-ups it was ok if he made copies of all the documents before they were destroyed. Sounds silly.

Instead of giving blanket approval to destroy the list of old records, town officials might have considered destroying a few of the non important records instead of all at once.

Carbon's of important documents are not necessary, and reminders on water bills and old election supplies are not necessary to keep, but some old records should be kept.

Accounts payable might be needed someday, but old motor vehicle blue books should never be needed again. The general fund revenue receipts and purchase orders might also be useful in future years, but other records might not.

Listing items to destroy is quite different from actually viewing the damaged documents and records. We are glad the Carrizozo Heritage Museum will have the opportunity to look through the documentation before it is destroyed.

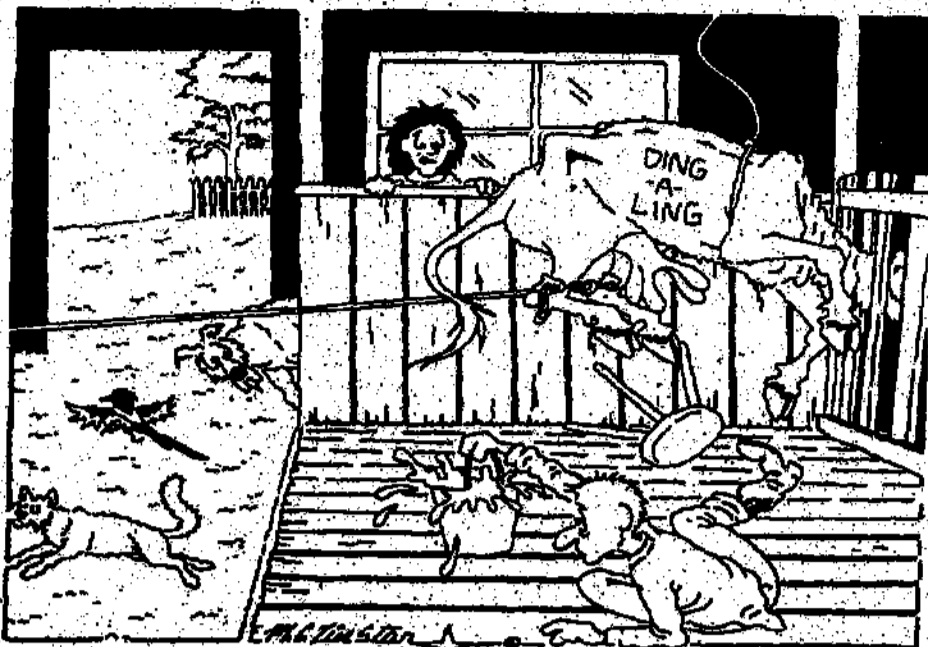
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**IS IT HIGH ENOUGH?** NM Dept. of Transportation Traffic Engineer Bob Kurtz checks distance between the bottom of the flashing light and the pavement in the intersection of U.S. Highways 54 & 380 in Carrizozo last week. The department changed the covers on the lights to US 380 so they would flash red, warning motorists they must now STOP at the intersection.

EARL ...



"GOOD GRIEF, EARL! ... NO WONDER BY THE TIME YOU GET THAT COW MILKED ITS ALREADY SOUR!"

Big Dry Syndicate

## INSIDE THE CAPITOL

by Jay Miller

**SANTA FE** -- Don't forget that New Mexico was home to the first U.S. military base at Columbus, in 1916.

That message came from George Miller of Las Cruces. George is no relation but we did attend school in Deming at the same time over 50 years ago. I was in Pricilla Whitehill's 8th grade home room, while George was upstairs with the high school kids.

George is right, and I should have remembered. Columbus was part of the Deming School District and Miss Whitehill used to tell us stories about what she remembered of Pancho Villa's raid.

In a recent column commemorating 100 years of flight, I enumerated a number of air and space achievements in New Mexico, but the U.S. Air Base at Columbus got by me. And it shouldn't have.

Just a few years ago, Jeanette and I visited the U.S. Air Force Museum at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, near Dayton, Ohio. It contained a moving recreation of the Columbus Air Base, with figures of 1st Aero Squadron pilots readying a Curtiss "Jenny" for a flight in the early dawn hours.

On March 9, 1916, Mexican revolutionary, Pancho Villa, crossed the international border with more than 500 men and raided Columbus, New Mexico, killing 17 Americans. The following day, Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing was directed to organize a force to protect the border. The 1st Aero Squadron was ordered to join Pershing's "Punitive Expedition" at Columbus.

Two days later, the squadron arrived at Columbus. It was the first time the United States ever placed a tactical air unit in the field. The planes were hoped to be eyes in the sky to scout out the elusive enemy as Villa headed for the mountains south of the border. The air effort was part of a grand experiment with mechanized equipment. Hundreds of trucks, motorcycles, motorcars and machine guns joined the effort.

The operation of the planes did not go as smoothly as expected. Columbus was over 4,000 feet higher than Kitty Hawk and other areas where early aircraft had been tested. At that altitude, the 90 horsepower engines were not up to the job: Quickly, aircraft factories began turning out planes better suited for the mission. Horsepower

was increased to 160. Machine guns, bomb racks, mapping cameras and radios were added.

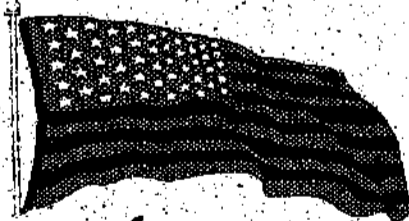
The 1st Aero Squadron spent much time field-testing the new airplanes and operating them under combat conditions. By early 1917, the border situation had eased considerably. Villa and his army were nowhere to be found in the mountains that rose up to 12,000 feet. Then on April 12, 1917, President Woodrow Wilson asked Congress to declare war on Germany. The squadron was transferred out of Columbus and headed to Europe.

"Black Jack" Pershing's failure to find Villa's army was embarrassing but soon became just a footnote in history because the lessons learned in Mexico provided such valuable field experience. Pershing's reputation was not tarnished either. With his valuable experience leading a mechanized army and newly-created "aviation section," Pershing was elevated to command the American Expeditionary Army that sailed off to France.

The 1st Aero Squadron left Columbus August 1, 1917 and the air base was decommissioned. A large marker now stands where the air field was. It is now part of the Pancho Villa State Park in Columbus.

The park is located 31 miles south of Deming on NM 11. It has a visitor center and trails, picnic and camping facilities, toilets, showers, 81 electrical hookups and dump stations. Handicapped accessible facilities also are available.

While you are in Columbus, you can visit other museums related to Pancho Villa's Raid and the Columbus Historical Museum located in the Southern Pacific Railroad depot. Then you can cross the border to Palomas, three miles to the south. It is New Mexico's only 24-hour crossing and is located in an award-winning building.



Have A Good Day!!



### PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS FOR THE NEW MILLENNIUM

Psychic Judith Christopher  
Ruidoso NM  
<http://www.ruidoso.net/psychic>  
e-mail:.....

**Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb 18)**  
If there is something you're hiding, it might come back and bite you on your assets! Be as truthful as possible. Don't do anything, that will hurt you.

**Pisces (Feb 19 - March 20)**  
You've got to start over, and see what is missing. Going in circles will get you "know" where. Don't take short cuts when it involves your future.

**Aries (March 21 - April 19)**  
What are you trying to accomplish? Talk nice, and give more love, and you'll see people melt. You have a way with others when you respect them.

**Taurus (April 20 - May 20)**  
Your favorite subject: Food? Money? Wrong, it should be LOVE. Start there and good luck will fall from everywhere. Get healthy while you're at it.

**Gemini (May 21 - June 20)**  
Make up your mind, Gemini. You're running out of precious time, not counting money. Get out there, and share your gifts, with ones who need it.

**Cancer (June 21 - July 22)**  
Money? Not the problem. Faith in yourself to make more money? Not a problem. Work? Anything you make up your mind to do. Not a problem. Do it.

**Leo (July 23 - Aug 22)**  
Go get'm Tiger. Just make sure you don't intimidate someone you really want to impress. Be your natural loving, caring self. Be happy, smile more.

**Virgo (Aug 23 - Sept 22)**  
A good time to step back and look at what you have accomplished in your life. Are you happy? Then move and groove and let loose the inner love of you.

**Libra (Sept 22 - Oct 22)**  
Rock, River or Road? Take your pick, because the world is about to move underneath you. Be ready for anything. Eat and sleep better, or you'll pay for it.

**Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov 21)**  
This year is going to be strange, get ready. You are in control of you, that's what matters most of all. Look and listen with your heart, not your mouth.

**Sagittarius (Nov 22 - Dec 21)**  
You may be feeling like you're falling behind. Make sure every minute counts. You'll be making more money soon. Take action now to receive it.

**Capricorn (Dec 22 - Jan 19)**  
Are you questioning your inner child? When was the last time you had fun? Get out there and get jiggy. Cut loose, have fun. Give a hug and kiss.

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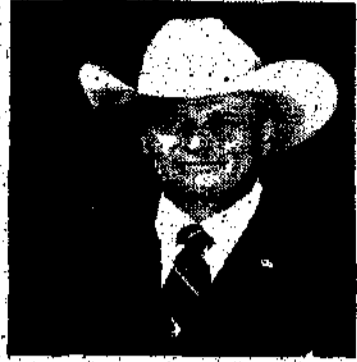
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from the  
**Lincoln County Sheriff's Office**

by **R.E. Virden**  
Lincoln County  
Undersheriff



This service is provided to the citizens of our county in an effort to address their concerns and to better assist them in protecting their day to day way of life and an attempt to continually move in a positive direction.

## Keep the Mail Safe

The Postal Service is continuing to take precautions to ensure your safety, the safety of postal employees, and the security of your mail. You can help keep the mail moving safely.

**WHEN SENDING MAIL:**

- Include your return address.
- Double check the spelling of names and correct titles.
- Avoid using excessive amounts of tape or sending odd-shaped packages.
- Alert the addressee prior to sending unexpected or out-of-the-ordinary packages.

You can screen your mail before opening.

**ASK YOURSELF:**

- Is it from someone I don't know?
- Does its return address appear legitimate?
- Is its weight unusual for its size?
- Is it lopsided or uneven?
- Does it have oily stains or a powdery deposit?
- Is it sealed with excessive amounts of tape?
- Is it marked with restrictive words like "Personal" or "Confidential"?

**IF YOU RECEIVE SUSPICIOUS MAIL:**

- Don't handle it if you suspect it's contaminated.
- Don't shake or shift it.
- Don't try to clean up powders or fluids.
- Isolate it by covering or placing it in a sealed envelope or plastic bag.
- Keep others away from the area.
- Wash your hands for 5 to 10 minutes with soap and water.
- Call 911 or your local law enforcement authorities and the U.S. Postal Inspection Service.

Source: United States Postal Service

# Sheriff's Report

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

**January 13**  
11:47 a.m. request for ambulance at Carrizozo clinic for 56 year old male with cut finger. Carrizozo ambulance arrived at 11:54 a.m. and transported to Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) in Ruidoso at 12:49 p.m.

1:03 p.m. loose K-9 at business on Highway 70 west. Animal control officer (ACO) assigned.

2:07 p.m. damage to tire on chipper at end of Linda Vista in Enchanted Forest. Responding deputy advised it was criminal damage to property.

2:30 p.m. funeral home requested funeral escort from First Baptist Church in Corona. Deputy assigned.

8:30 p.m. deputy advised he was doing warrant service at a business on Sud-derth Drive.

10:47 p.m. request for ambulance at location at mile marker 275 on Highway 70 for a 94 year old female who fell. Med I advanced life support (ALS) ambulance arrived at the location at 11:11 p.m. and at 11:23 p.m. transported to LCMC arriving there at 11:50 p.m.

**January 17**  
9:12 a.m. possible poacher on High Mesa. An off duty fireman reported possible poachers by the High Mesa water tank. Two deputies responded to the area and stopped a vehicle that had two deer in the back. The subjects advised they had licenses and there were no witnesses to their hunting.

10:04 a.m. request to speak to deputy about theft of prescription medications at location on Sun Mountain. A live-in was taking medications without permission. Deputy met with caller.

3:40 p.m. Children, Youth and Families Department (CYFD) requested agency assistance at location in Magado Creek for peace-keeping. Deputy arrived at location on Juniper Springs.

3:42 p.m. request for deputy for 12 year old who was provided porno at location on State Road 48. Deputy responded.

3:58 p.m. request for ambulance for transport for 59 year old male at clinic. Capitan ambulance arrived at 4:08 p.m. and at 4:20 p.m. left for LCMC arriving at 4:51 p.m.

6:56 p.m. deputy advised he did warrant service at location on Gavilan Canyon Road.

**January 15**  
4:43 a.m. request for ambulance at location on State Road 48. Med I arrived at the location at 4:58 a.m. and at 5:08 a.m. left for LCMC arriving at 5:22 a.m.

7:11 a.m. one vehicle roll-over accident at mile marker 104 on Highway 380. Med 7 ALS stationed in the Hondo valley arrived at the location at 7:25 a.m. and transported the subject to LCMC.

12:04 p.m. theft, stolen lottery ticket from location in Tinnie.

2 p.m. Roswell caller reported a lost wallet at a business in Hondo.

9:01 p.m. 911 request for ambulance at location on 8th Ave for 87 year old male with severe pain. Carrizozo ambulance arrived at the location at 9:11 p.m. and transported to LCMC arriving at 10:08 p.m.

**January 16**  
7:07 a.m. request for deputy at Lincoln County Detention Center (LCDC) regarding a prohibited weapon. Deputy responded.

7:30 a.m. request for ambulance at construction company on Highway 70 in Hondo. Med I responded but was cancelled at 7:46 a.m.

11:19 a.m. accident with injuries at intersection of State Roads 48 and 220 in Alto. Med I arrived at 11:34 a.m. but was refused.

2:36 p.m. possible plane down northwest of a ranch southeast of Corona. The caller advised that a twin engine plane without markings was smoking and flying about 50 feet off the ground, and finally left the caller's view. The caller advised there was no smoke or indication of a crash however. State police were notified.

5 p.m. request for officer for peace keeping for child custody at location on 17th St. in Carrizozo. Deputy assigned.

7:35 p.m. four or five hitchhiking suspicious teens on Gavilan Canyon Road, may have been vandalizing. Deputy responded to the location at 8:03 p.m. but made no contact with the teens.

8:42 p.m. two suspicious males at business on State Road 48 in Alto. Request for deputy to check out two Indian males who were hanging around a couple of hours. Deputy and state police officer responded and advised everyone was okay.

**January 17**  
8:44 a.m. commercial burglary, break-in at business on Ski Run Road. Deputy responded.

1:44 p.m. request for ambulance at ski area. Med 1 arrived at 2:16 p.m. and at 2:23 p.m. left for LCMC arriving at 2:59 p.m.

3:12 p.m. 911 request for ambulance at location on Valley View for oncology patient with no blood pressure. Med 1 arrived at 3:35 p.m. and at 3:46 p.m. left for LCMC arriving at 4:11 p.m. Capitan Fire Department also responded.

3:41 p.m. larceny at gallery in San Patricio.

5:42 p.m. possible accident with injuries on ski run road, a vehicle was hanging off the side of the mountain. State Police, Med 1 and Bonito Fire Dept. responded, but were cancelled by 6:15 p.m.

5:41 p.m. state police requested an ambulance at location on Forest Road 130 off Pine Lodge Road for search and rescue of a male lost wearing only pants, sweatshirt and sweater. Capitan ambulance responded but was cancelled at 6:17 p.m.

8:10 p.m. deputy advised he did warrant service for Magistrate Judge Martha Proctor to two inmates at LCDC.

**January 18**  
8:59 a.m. request for agency assistance at Baptist Church in Capitan. Deputy assigned.

9:04 a.m. vehicle burglary at location on Pine Hill Loop.

12:30 p.m. request for ambulance for child choking at location on 10th St. Carrizozo ambulance arrived at 12:39 p.m. and advised they were clear at 12:46 p.m.

2:24 p.m. 911 request for ambulance at ski area for subject who fell and had head and facial injuries. Second call advised this was a tubing patient. Med 1 arrived at 2:57 p.m. and at 3:18 p.m. left for LCMC arriving there at 3:52 p.m., then left LCMC at 4:09 p.m. to make a transport to the airport.

4:56 p.m. K-9 killing pig at location on Hitching Post in Palo Verde Slopes.

9:20 p.m. 911 request for ambulance at location on Highway 70 for female with seizures. Hondo ambulance arrived at 9:35 p.m. and transported to LCMC arriving at 10:12 p.m.

9:25 p.m. 911 request for ambulance for man down in the parking lot at the first Cedar Creek trail head. Med 1 responded, but could not locate the patient.

**January 19**  
8:50 a.m. vandalism at RV park east of Ruidoso Downs. Deputy arrived at 9:21 a.m.

## 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:**  
TERRY AIELLO, Pastor / 648-2024  
Worship ..... 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.

**Corona Presbyterian Church:**  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
HAYDEN SMITH, Pastor  
314 10th Ave., Carrizozo, NM  
648-2988 (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 (A/G)**  
JOHNNIE 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. RON THOMSON, Rector  
Corner of E Ave. and Sixth, Carrizozo, NM  
1-505-258-1242  
Holy Eucharist ..... Sunday 9:30 a.m.

**Claunch Community Church**  
TONY SCACCIA, Minister  
848-1402  
Second Sunday of Each Month ..... 9:00 a.m.

**United Methodist Churches**  
JOHANNA ANDERSON, Pastor  
1000 D. Ave. 648-2893 / 648-2848  
Carrizozo, NM 88301  
Sunday School (All Ages) ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 am  
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 ..... 8:30 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 / 336-4627  
Sunday Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.

**Trinity Southern Baptist Church**  
MEL GNATKOWSKI, Pastor / 648-2530  
Phone 354-2044  
Capitan (South on Hwy. 48)  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.

**First Baptist Church of Corona**  
CAL WEST, Pastor / 849-7976  
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.

**Angus Church of the Nazarene**  
"Serving All of Lincoln County"  
RICK HUTCHISON, Pastor / 336-8032  
Southwest Corner of Hwy. 48 & 37 Junction,  
Between Ruidoso and Capitan, NM  
Sunday:  
Sunday School for all ages ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Children's Church ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Teen dinner and games ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Teen Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting ..... 8:00 p.m.

## LEGAL

**LEGAL NOTICE**

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
COUNTY OF LINCOLN  
TWELFTH JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT COURT

No. D-1226-CV-200300242

CENDANT MORTGAGE,  
Plaintiff,

vs.

CRAIG R. CHALMAN,  
Defendant.

**NOTICE OF SUIT**

TO: All Defendants

You are hereby notified that a civil action has been filed against you in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, by Plaintiff, Cendant Mortgage (hereinafter referred to as "Cendant"), in which Cendant 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, 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 117 Debord Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345, and more particularly described as:

Lot 30 A1, Block 14, PARADISE CANYON SUBDIVISION, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico as shown by the McNamara Replat of Lots 13, 14, 32, and 30A of a replat of Lots 30 & 31, Block 14, 2nd Supplement to Paradise Canyon Subdivision thereof filed in the Office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, October 6, 1999, in Cabinet G, Slide No. 497.

including any improvements, fixtures, and attachments such as but not limited to mobile homes. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control.

You are further notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance or file responsive pleadings or motions in said cause within twenty (20) days of the fourth consecutive publication of this Notice of Suit, 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 attorneys for Cendant is Little & Drantel, P.C., 3803 Arisco Blvd, NW, Suite A, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87120. Telephone: (505) 833-3036.

WITNESS the Honorable Jerry H. Ritter Jr., District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County on January 14, 2004.

JAN PERRY  
Clerk of the District Court

(SEAL)

By: Elizabeth Ysasi

Published in the Lincoln County News on January 22 and 29 and February 5 and 12, 2004.

LaGrone Funeral Chapel

Jerry & Lanita Rosak

In Memory of  
**BILL WINKLER**

Stearns Insurance Agency

# Carrizozo To Review

(Continued from Page 1)

restrictions will be only on outdoor use of water--for now," she added.

The water use policies will not affect the water ordinance adopted by trustees in 2003, Weibrecht said.

Carrizozo has applied for funding for additional water storage, however that project would be at least two years away, if the money is granted, Weibrecht added.

Copies of the current town water use policies will be available at the February 10 town council meeting which begins at 6 p.m. in the town offices in Carrizozo Recreation Center. Also at the January 13 town council meeting, trustees:

--Approved a resolution that authorizes the town to issue \$409,850 in revenue bonds to pay for improvements to the town wastewater system. The bonds will be paid for with revenues from the town water fees. The bond funds will be added to the \$1,229,400 grant the town received from the US Dept. of Agriculture Rural Utilities Services (RUS) for its waste water system.

--Heard a request from John Vega to open First Street and the alley behind his home. Vega requested the town retain the 60 foot right of way for First Street

as surveyed by D.T. Collins surveyor and the fence in the right of way be moved accordingly. Vega also requested the town require Richard Vega to move a yard wall that currently blocks the alley to give access to the CC Natural Gas lines that may be under the wall. Trustees advised John Vega if CC Natural Gas says the yard wall must be moved, then it will be up to Richard Vega to move the wall.

--Adopted the 2004 holiday schedule resolution. The next holiday when town hall will be closed is Presidents Day, Monday, February 16.

--Adopted the 2004 Open Meetings Resolution that outlines when meetings are held (second Tuesday of each month), where (temporary location at 105 6th Street), starting at 6 p.m. Agendas are ready 24 hours prior to a regular or special meeting, which can be called within three days notice. Notice of meetings will be placed in a newspaper of general circulation in Carrizozo or Ruidoso and/or posted at city hall, Wells Fargo Bank, First Federal Branch Bank, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo Post Office and Lincoln County News of-

rice. The open meetings resolution also includes specific information on why and how trustees may close a meeting.

--Approved the 2004 business registrations submitted for Carrizozo Texaco, Trading Post Antiques Trust, Helping Hands/Lincoln County, Mountain Sun Design Studio Inc., Nick's Auto Repair, American Oxygen Co. Inc., Tierra Verde Property Specialist, Antique Liquidators, C.O. Rominger, Shoestring Arts & Crafts.

--Approved the 2004 livestock permits for Henry Vega at 108 Aspen Street, Wesley Lindsay at 103 17th Street, C.O. Rominger at 701 14th Street.

--Adopted the resolution allowing for destruction of old written records stored in the old city hall building. Trustees discussed and agreed to allowing Carrizozo Heritage Museum volunteers to look through the miscellaneous correspondence from 1944 to 1992. Weibrecht told THE NEWS that the correspondence was severely water damaged and much of it is unreadable. She said some of the old historical records were taken to be stored in the courthouse archives. Items listed in the resolution

for destruction are bank statements from 1957-1997; town budgets from 1944 to 1993; accounts payable from 1940-1997; daily cash envelopes from 1984-1996; deposit slips from 1938-1980; reminders on water bills from 1997-1998; carbon copies of water bills from 1938-1995; meter cards from 1966-1991; monthly reports from 1965-1976; check stubs from 1940-1997; utility receipts from 1943-1987; general fund revenue receipts from

1974-1993; purchase orders from 1980-1981; outdated election supplies from 1970-1981; old computer diskettes from 1989-1997; MVD blue books from 1989-1999; utility statement carbons from 1987-1991; distribution receipts from 1993-1994; quarterly reports from 1991; vouchers from 1963-1991 and swimming pool records from 1966-1968.

--Heard police chief Angelo Vega discuss the

new four way stop at the highway 54 and highway 380 crossroads.

--Considered a request from chief Vega to do something about peacocks within town limits. Vega has received several complaints about the noise and other problems from peacocks on B. Ave.



## LEGALS

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE OF SPECIAL PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TAX ELECTION

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2004, there will be held in the Capitan Municipal School District No. 28, Lincoln County, New Mexico, a special school district election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question of whether or not a property tax should be imposed for the purpose of capital improvements in the District. The Voting Districts and the Precinct Board Members for this Election shall be as follows:

Election Precinct	Polling Place	Precinct Poll Workers
1, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 4, 5, 6, 7A, 10, 12A, 12B and 12C within the District	Lincoln County, Fair Building, Capitan, New Mexico	Presiding Judge - Edith F. Dobson Election Judge - Ellen Fay Womack Election Clerk - Phoebe M. Taylor Election Clerk - Joyce A. Hansen Election Clerk - Janice M. Cox
Absentee in Person	Office of the Lincoln County Clerk, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico	Presiding Judge - Edith F. Dobson Election Judge - Ellen Fay Womack Election Clerk - Phoebe M. Taylor Election Clerk - Joyce A. Hansen Election Clerk - Janice M. Cox

The polls for said Election will be open between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the day of the Election.

Absentee voting will be permitted in the manner authorized by 1-6-1 et seq., NMSA 1978, provided, however, that pursuant to Section 1-22-19, NMSA 1978, qualified electors may also vote absentee in person at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, during the regular hours and days of business from 8:00 a.m. January 9, 2004, being the twenty-fifth day preceding the Election, until 5:00 p.m., January 30, 2004, being the Friday immediately prior to the Election. Absentee ballots shall be airmailed or, if requested, electronically transmitted to each such applicant or registered voter who is a federal qualified elector and overseas voter, not later than January 29, 2004 being the Thursday immediately prior to the date of the election as provided in Section 1-6-5 NMSA 1978.

At such Election, the following question shall also be submitted to such qualified, registered electors of the District:

#### PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TAX QUESTION

"Shall the Board of Education of the Capitan Municipal School District No. 28, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, be authorized to impose a property tax of \$2.00 per each \$1,000.00 of net taxable value of the property allocated to such District under the Property Tax Code for the property tax years of 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008 for the purpose of the following capital improvements in the District, i.e., erecting, remodeling, making additions to, providing equipment for and furnishing school buildings, purchasing or improving school grounds and purchasing computer software and hardware for student use in public school classrooms; maintenance of public school buildings and public school grounds exclusive of salary expenses of employees of the District; and purchasing activity vehicles for transporting students to extracurricular school activities?"

This notice is published in my capacity as Principal Filing Officer for this election.  
LINCOLN COUNTY CLERK  
By/s/  
Tammi J. Maddox

[SEAL OF THE COUNTY CLERK]

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### LEGAL NOTICE

#### AVISO DE ELECCIÓN ESPECIAL UNA ELECCIÓN CON EL FIN DE APROBAR IMPUESTOS PARA MEJORAS MATERIALES

El 3 de febrero de 2004 se efectuará una elección especial en el Distrito Escolar Municipio Número 28 de Capitan, Condado de Lincoln, Estado de Nuevo México con el fin de presentarle a todos los votantes, habilitados del Distrito la cuestión si se debe imponer un impuesto de propiedad con el fin de hacer las mejoras materiales en el Distrito.

Los Distritos Electorales y Los Miembros del Consejo del Precincto por esta elección son los siguientes:

Elección Núm. del Precincto	Sitios De Votación	Los Miembros del Consejo del Precincto
1, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 4, 5, 6, 7A, 10, 12A, 12B y 12C dentro del distrito	Lincoln County, Fair Building, Capitan, Nuevo Mexico	Juez Principal - Edith F. Dobson Juez - Ellen Fay Womack Escribana - Phoebe M. Taylor Escribana - Joyce A. Hansen Escribana - Janice M. Cox
En Ausencia en Persona	Oficina del (de la) Escribano(a) del Condado de Lincoln, Corte del Condado de Lincoln, Carrizozo, Nueve Mexico	El Juez presidente - Edith F. Dobson Juez - Ellen Fay Womack Escribana - Phoebe Taylor Escribana - Phoebe M. Taylor Escribana - Joyce A. Hansen Escribana - Janice M. Cox

Los Centros para Votar en dicha Elección permanecerán abiertos entre las horas de las 7:00 a.m. y las 7:00 p.m. el día de la Elección.

La votación en ausencia se permitirá conforme a las Secciones 1-6-1 et seq., NMSA 1978; siempre que conforme a la Sección 1-22-19, NMSA 1978, los electores habilitados podrán votar también presentándose personalmente en la oficina de la Escribana del Condado de Lincoln, durante las horas y en los días hábiles entre las 8:00 a.m., el 9 de enero 2004, fecha que cae 25 días antes de la fecha de la Elección, y las 5:00 p.m. el 30 de enero 2004 que es el día viernes que antecede la fecha de la Elección. Se los mandan boletos en ausencia por correo aéreo o, si se lo pide, por transmisión electrónica a cada tal solicitante o votante registrado quien es un votante habilitado federal y votante del extranjero, no más tarde del 29 de enero de 2004, siendo el día jueves que antecede inmediatamente la elección siempre que conforme a la Sección 1-6-5, NMSA 1978.

En dicha Elección, la siguiente cuestión será sometida a la consideración de dichos votantes del Distrito que se hayan inscrito y estén habilitados:

#### CUESTIÓN SOBRE IMPUESTOS PARA MEJORAS MATERIALES DE LAS ESCUELAS PÚBLICAS

"Se le deberá otorgar la autorización a la Junta Escolar del Distrito Escolar Municipio Núm. 28 de Capitan, Condado de Lincoln Estado de Nuevo México para que imponga un impuesto de propiedad de \$2.00 por cada \$1,000.00 de valor neto tributable de la propiedad asignada a dicho Distrito conforme al Código de Impuestos Sobre la Propiedad para los años tributables 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 y 2008 con el fin de hacer las mejoras materiales siguientes en el Distrito, es decir, construir, remodelar, añadir a, proveer equipo para y amueblar los edificios escolares, comprar o mejorar los terrenos escolares y comprar programas y equipo de computadora para el uso estudiantil en las aulas escolares públicas, el mantenimiento de los edificios públicos y de los terrenos escolares excluyendo las sumas de los salarios de los empleados del Distrito, y la compra de vehículos para las actividades escolares con el fin de transportar a los estudiantes a las actividades extracurriculares?"

Este aviso se publica conforme a la autorización que la ley me otorga como funcionario principal de archivos para esta elección.

Escribana del Condado de Lincoln  
Por: /s/  
Tammi J. Maddox

[Selló de la Escribana del Condado]

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## Eileen Martinez Lovelace

Republican Candidate for

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# LEGALS

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
COUNTY OF LINCOLN  
No. CV-02-260  
Div. III

HIGH SIERRA CONDOMINIUM OWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC., a New Mexico non-profit corporation,  
**Plaintiff,**

AUDEN J. ACOSTA and JOSEFINA B. de ACOSTA, JEFFREY R. BATTON and KIM M. BATTON, DIANE R. ASCH and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, ENRIQUE J. BACA and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, ESTELA FLORES CRUZ and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, VICTORIA CRUZ and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, GEORGE A. de la FUENTE and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, ROYCE L. WILLIAMS and J. SUE WILLIAMS, JOHN CRUZ and SHARON D. CRUZ, JOHN DAVIDSON and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, GAIL A. GANTER and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, JACK L. LANDENBERGER and CATHERINE M. LANDENBERGER, GERARDO DURAN LOPEZ and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, MAURICIO DURAN LOPEZ and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, MARIA ENRIQUETA DURAN LOPEZ and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, MARIA TERESA DURAN LOPEZ and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, JOHN G. MALOOF and GLORIA P. MALOOF, SYLVIA ALICIA DELGADO McCARTHY and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, ARMANDO DIAZ MEDINA and CITHALI MENDOZA de DIAZ, JOHN C. MICKELSON and JUDITH M. MICKELSON, EDWARD E. NIBLETT and KATHY J. NIBLETT, MICHAEL W. PECKUMN and LINDA PECKUMN, FRED REAM and CONNIE REAM, IRIS GUIDER ROWE and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, GENEVA GUIDER and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, LARRY L. SCHERER and ESTHER M. SCHERER, and CARLOS M. SIERRA and GUADALUPE G. SIERRA,  
**Defendants.**

**AMENDED NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on February 18, 2004, at 10:00 A.M., at the front entrance to the Village of Ruidoso Municipal Complex located at 313 Cree Meadows Drive in Ruidoso, New Mexico, the undersigned Special Master will sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash, all right, title and interest of the following named Defendants in and to the following described properties of the High Sierra Condominium Owners' Association, Inc., a New Mexico non-profit corporation, located at 504 Excalibur Road in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

The Special Master's sale will be conducted pursuant to the following described judgment liens:

a) Auden J. Acosta and Josefina B. de Acosta, husband and wife, jointly and severally, and Jeffrey R. Batton and Kim M. Batton, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 1, Unit 1, Unit Week 17 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,033.79 323.16 <b>\$1,356.95</b>
b) Enrique J. Baca and unknown spouse, if any, jointly and severally Building 12, Unit 1, Unit Week 17 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,277.47 323.16 <b>\$1,600.63</b>
c) John Cruz and Sharon D. Cruz, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 4, Unit 1, Unit Week 18 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,573.66 323.16 <b>\$1,896.82</b>
d) The Estate of John Davidson and his unknown heirs, devisees and assigns, jointly and severally Building 10, Unit 2, Unit Week 39 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,598.21 323.16 <b>\$1,921.37</b>
e) Jack L. Landenberger and Catherine M. Landenberger, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 9, Unit 1, Unit Week 48 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$ 867.10 323.16 <b>\$1,190.26</b>
f) Gerardo Duran Lopez, Mauricio Duran Lopez, Enriqueta Duran Lopez, and Maria Teresa Duran Lopez, and their respective unknown spouses, if any, jointly and severally Building 10, Unit 1, Unit Week 14 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,198.72 323.16 <b>\$1,521.88</b>
g) John G. Maloof and Gloria P. Maloof, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 5, Unit 2, Unit Week 43 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,154.12 323.16 <b>\$1,477.28</b>
h) Armando Diaz Medina and Cithali Mendoza de Diaz, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 8, Unit 1, Unit Week 50 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,734.06 323.16 <b>\$2,057.22</b>
i) John C. Mickelson and Judith M. Mickelson, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 6, Unit 2, Unit Week 47 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$ 803.71 323.16 <b>\$1,126.87</b>
j) Edward E. Niblett and Kathy J. Niblett, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 14, Unit 1, Unit Week 7 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,400.32 323.16 <b>\$1,723.48</b>
k) Fred Ream and Connie Ream, husband and wife, jointly and severally Building 2, Unit 1, Unit Week 25 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$ 924.25 323.16 <b>\$1,247.41</b>
l) Iris Guider Rowe and unknown spouse, if any, and Geneva Guider and unknown spouse, if any, jointly and severally Building 11, Unit 2, Unit Week 47 Maintenance Fees Attorney's Fees and Costs	\$1,598.18 323.16 <b>\$1,921.34</b>
m) Larry L. Scherer and Esther M. Scherer, husband and wife, jointly and severally	

Building 12, Unit 1, Unit Week 38  
Maintenance Fees \$1,249.48  
Attorney's Fees and Costs 323.16  
**\$1,572.64**

n) Carlos M. Sierra and Guadalupe G. Sierra, husband and wife, jointly and severally  
Building 11, Unit 1, Unit Week 22  
Maintenance Fees \$1,277.47  
Attorney's Fees and Costs 323.16  
**\$1,600.63**

In addition to the Judgment liens referred to above, additional costs will accrue, including costs of publication of this Notice.  
The Special Master may continue the Special Master's sale scheduled February 18, 2004, by appearing at the time designated for the sale and announcing the postponement of sale to another specific date.

Sarah Prothro  
Special Master

Lee Griffin  
LEE GRIFFIN & ASSOCIATES, P.C.  
1096 Mechem Drive, Suite 102  
Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345  
Attorney for Plaintiff

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**AVISO DE ELECCION ESPECIAL DE BONOS ESCOLARES**

El 13 de febrero de 2004 se efectuará una elección especial en el Distrito Escolar Número 13, del Condado de Lincoln, Estado de Nuevo México con el fin de presentarle a todos los votantes habilitados del Distrito la cuestión si se puede crear una deuda con la emisión de bonos de obligaciones generales.

Los Distritos Electorales y Los Miembros del Consejo del Precincto por esta elección son los siguientes:

Elección Nóm. del Precincto (Consolidado)	Sitios De votación	Los Miembros del Consejo del Precincto
1, 2A, 3 (Condado de Lincoln)	Centro de Mayores de Corona	El Juez presidente-Nelva June Tyree.
9D (Condado de Socorro)	Corona, Nuevo México	Juez - Sandra J. Alford
8, 11, 12 (Condado de Torrance)	Corona, Nuevo México	Escribana - Loreta Sanchez
En Ausencia en Persona	Oficina de la Escribana del Condado de Lincoln Carrizozo, Nuevo México	El Juez presidente-Nelva June Tyree Juez - Sandra J. Alford Escribana - Loreta Sanchez Escribana - Sue Hughes

Los Centros para Votar en dicha Elección permanecerán abiertos entre las horas de las 7:00 a.m. y las 7:00 p.m. el día de la Elección.

La votación en ausencia se permitirá conforme a las Secciones 1-6-1 et seq., NMSA, 1978; siempre que conforme a la Sección 1-22-19, NMSA, 1978, los electores habilitados podrán votar también presentándose personalmente en la oficina de la Escribana del Condado de Sandoval, durante las horas y en los días hábiles entre las 8:00 a.m. el 9 de enero 2004, fecha que cae 25 días antes de la fecha de la Elección; y las 5:00 p.m. el 30 de enero 2004 que es el día viernes que antecede la fecha de la Elección. Se los mandan solicitar a los votantes que se registre en el día de la Elección, o si se lo pide, por transmisión electrónica a cada tal solicitante un votante registrado quien es un votante habilitado federal y votante del extranjero, no más tarde del 29 de enero de 2004, siendo el día jueves que antecede inmediatamente la elección siempre que conforme a la Sección 1-6-5, NMSA 1978.

En dicha Elección, la siguiente cuestión será sometida a la consideración de dichos votantes del Distrito que se hayan inscrito y estén habilitados:

**CUESTION DE BONOS DE OBLIGACION GENERAL**

"Se le concederá la autorización a la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Municipio Núm. 13 de Corona, Condado de Lincoln, Socorro y Torrance, Estado de Nuevo México a fin de que emita Bonos de una serie o más de obligación general del Distrito, en la suma agregada principal que no exceda de los \$350,000, con el fin de construir, remodelar, agregar anexos y amueblar a los edificios escolares y comprar o mejorar terrenos escolares y comprar programas y equipo de computadora para el uso estudiantil en las aulas escolares públicas o una combinación de estos propósitos, los dichos bonos se pagarán con los fondos derivados de los impuestos generales (ad valorem) y se emitirán y se venderán en tal fecha o en tales fechas y conforme a los términos y condiciones que la Junta determine."

Este aviso se publica conforme a la autorización que la ley me otorga como funcionario principal de archivos para esta elección.

Escribana del Condado de Lincoln  
Por: /s/  
Tammie J. Maddox

(Sello de la Escribana del Condado)

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**LEGAL NOTICE NOTIFICATION OF ELECTION CANCELLATION UPPER HONDO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

The canvassing board for the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District, certify that since no more than one candidate has filed a declaration of candidacy district supervisor position #3 and position #4, and there being no other questions on the ballot, the election has been canceled in accordance with Title 21, Chap 9, Part 2, sec 9, Para E, of the SWCC supervisor election rules. Those individuals that have applied for, or received absentee ballots for this election will be contacted by the election superintendent.

Date of this certification 1/15/04  
Signed: Mary Shanks  
Signed: Thomas G. Roybal, Land Owner

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**LEGAL NOTICE NOTIFICATION OF ELECTION CANCELLATION Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District**

The canvassing board for the Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District, certify that since no more than one candidate has filed a declaration of candidacy district supervisor position #3 and position #4, and there being no other questions on the ballot, the election has been cancelled in accordance with Title 21, Chap 9, Part 2, sec 9, Para E, of the SWCC supervisor election rules. Those individuals that have applied for, or received absentee ballots for this election will be contacted by the election superintendent.

Date of this certification 1/13/04  
Signed: Jim Grider  
Signed: E. Hollis Fuchs

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# WEATHER REPORT



The season's first real snow fall blanketed the higher parts of Lincoln County on Tuesday night, January 21 and lingered into Wednesday. Carrizozo and other lower elevations got rain. While the snow and rain will help, precipitation levels in Lincoln County are far below average.

The following information was taken from the National Weather Service website.

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

Today, Thursday, Jan. 22

Mostly cloudy and warmer with 20 percent chance of showers. High of 49. Tonight mostly cloudy with low of 26.

Friday, January 23

Partly cloudy with west winds 10 to 15 miles per hour in the afternoon. High of 51. Friday night partly cloudy with low of 30.

Saturday, January 24

Partly cloudy with highs in the mid 40s to low 50s. Saturday night partly cloudy with lows in the 20s.

Sunday, January 25

Partly cloudy with highs in the upper 40s to mid 50s. Sunday night mostly cloudy with slight chance of snow showers. Lows in the mid 20s to low 30s.

Monday, January 26

Cloudy with chance of showers, highs in the mid 40s to low 50s. Monday night cloudy with chance of snow showers. Lows in the mid 20s to low 30s.

Tuesday, January 27

Partly cloudy with highs in the mid 40s to low 50s. Lows in the 20s to low 30s.

Forecast for Ruidoso, Capitan, Corona and Lincoln County high plains:

Today, Thursday, Jan. 22

Mostly cloudy and warmer with 20 percent chance of rain and snow showers. High of 44 in Ruidoso, 46 in Capitan. Tonight mostly cloudy with slight chance of snow showers. Low of 23 in Ruidoso and 25 in Capitan.

Friday, January 23

Partly cloudy with high of 47 in Ruidoso and 49 in Capitan. Friday night partly cloudy with low of 25 and 27.

Saturday, January 24

Partly cloudy with highs in the 40s. Saturday night partly cloudy with lows in the mid 20s.

Sunday, January 25

Partly cloudy with highs in the mid 40s to low 50s. Sunday night mostly cloudy with slight chance of snow showers. Lows in the upper 20s.

Monday, January 26

Cloudy with chance of rain and snow showers. Highs in the 40s. Monday night cloudy with chance of snow showers. Lows in the upper 20s.

Tuesday, January 27

Partly cloudy with highs in the 40s, lows in the 20s.

# LEGALS

## LEGAL NOTICE

### COUNTY ASSESSOR ORDER NO. 03-59 NOTICE OF REQUIREMENTS TO REPORT CERTAIN MATTERS RELATING TO PROPERTY VALUATION AND FOR CLAIMING EXEMPTION FROM PROPERTY TAXATION

The County Assessor, hereby publishes notice to property owners, pursuant to Section 7-38-18, NMSA 1978, as follows:

1.) If you own real property not valued by the Assessor in 2003 for property taxation purposes, it must be reported to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004, unless it is not subject to valuation for property taxation purposes in 2004. The report must contain certain required information and be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-8(A)(B), NMSA 1978.

2.) If you have made improvements to real property during 2003 and the improvements cost more than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), the improvements must be reported to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004. The information required and the form of the report may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-8(C), NMSA 1978.

3.) All real property owned by any nongovernmental entity and claimed to be exempt from property taxation under the provisions of Paragraph (1) of Subsection B of Section 7-36-7 NMSA 1978 shall be reported for valuation purposes to the appropriate valuation authority. Section 7-38-8.1 NMSA 1978.

4.) If you own property that has decreased in value during 2003, and that property is subject to valuation for property taxation purposes, you must report the decrease in value to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004. The report must contain certain required information and must be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-13, NMSA 1978.

5.) If you believe that you or your real property is entitled to exemption from property taxation, you must apply to the Assessor for exempt status no later than thirty (30) days after the mailing of the county assessor's notices of valuation, in order to be entitled to exemption from taxation in 2004. Exception: If an exemption from taxation was in effect for 2003 and the basis of the exempt status or use is unchanged from that year, application for exemption need not be made for 2004. If required, application for exemption must contain certain required information and must be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-17, NMSA 1978.

6.) If you or your real property was exempt from taxation in 2003 but the basis of the exempt status has changed during 2003 so that there is no longer eligibility for exemption, you must report that fact to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004. The report must contain certain required information and must be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-17 (D), NMSA 1978.

7.) Head-of-family exemptions claimed and allowed in the 1974 or a subsequent tax year, veteran exemptions claimed and allowed in the 1982 or a subsequent tax year or disabled veteran exemptions claimed and allowed in the 2000 or a subsequent tax year need not be claimed for subsequent tax years if there is no change in eligibility for the exemption nor any change in ownership of the property against which the exemption was claimed. County assessors shall apply head-of-family and veteran exemptions allowable under this subsection automatically in the subsequent tax years. Section 7-38-17 NMSA 1978.

8.) If you claim "residential" status for your real property, you must declare this status to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004 unless the property was classified as "residential" by the Assessor in

2003. In the event that the predominant use of your real property has changed from "residential" to "nonresidential" during 2003, that fact must be declared to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004. The declaration must contain certain required information and must be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-17.1, 7-36-2 (D), and 7-36-2.1 NMSA 1978.

9.) Valuation for property taxation purposes of a single-family dwelling owned and occupied by a person who is sixty-five (65) years of age or older, and whose "modified gross income" was not greater than \$19,200 in 2003, may be eligible for a limitation on the taxable value of your residence. If you think you are eligible, you must apply to the Assessor not later than thirty (30) days after the Assessor mails the notice of value for your residence. The application must contain certain required information and must be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-36-21.3 NMSA 1978.

10.) If your land was valued in 2003 in accordance with the special method of valuation for land used primarily for agricultural purposes, and the land is still used primarily for agricultural purposes, you need not reapply for that special method of valuation in 2004. If your land was not valued in accordance with that method of valuation in 2003, and it is now used primarily for agricultural purposes, you must make application to the Assessor in order to obtain that valuation method in 2004. If your land was valued in accordance with that special method of valuation in 2003, but it is no longer used primarily for agricultural purposes, you must report that fact to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004, and must contain certain required information and be in forms that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Sections 7-36-20 NMSA 1978.

11.) If you own "livestock" that are subject to valuation for property taxation purposes, you must report such livestock to the Assessor. All such livestock that are present in the county on January 1, 2004 must be reported to the Assessor no later than February 29, 2004. If the livestock are transported into the county after January 1, 2004, they must be reported to the Assessor no later than the first day of the month following the first month in which the livestock have been present in the county for twenty (20) days. The required reports must contain certain required information and must be in forms that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-36-21 NMSA 1978.

12.) If you own a "manufactured home" and it was present in the county on January 1, 2004, you must report it to the Assessor by February 29, 2004. The report must contain certain required information and must be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-36-26 NMSA 1978.

13.) Certain mineral property and personal property of contractors operating in more than one (1) county are required to be reported to the State of New Mexico, Taxation & Revenue Department-Property Tax Division in Santa Fe. Information about property to be reported to the Taxation & Revenue Department-Property Tax Division, can be obtained from the County Assessor or the State Assessed Property Bureau at P.O. Box 25126, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87504-5126. Phone: (505) 827-0895.

**THIS NOTICE IS ONLY A BRIEF STATEMENT OF THE PROVISIONS OF Sections 7-38-8, 7-38-8.1, 7-38-13, 7-38-17, 7-38-17.1, 7-36-2 (D) 7-36-2.1, 7-36-21.3, 7-36-20, 7-36-21, and 7-36-26 NMSA 1978, and related Taxation & Revenue Department Regulations. It is not intended to reflect the full contents of these provisions, which may be examined at the office of the County Assessor.**

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## LEGAL NOTICE

### STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT No. CV-03-205

CHASE MORTGAGE COMPANY,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
PABLO FALCON a/k/a Dr. Pablo Falcon,  
STATE NATIONAL BANK, and  
FIRST CITY FINANCIAL CORP.,  
a Colorado Corporation,  
Defendants.

## NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that on February 3, 2004, at the hour of 9:15 a.m. the undersigned Special Master, or his designee, will, at the front entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse, at 300 Central, Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell all of the rights, title and interest of the above-named Defendant, in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at Goodnight Loving Trail, Alto, New Mexico, 88312. (if there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control), and is more particularly described as follows:

LOTS 9, 10, AND 11, BLOCK 10, OF  
RANCHO RUIDOSO VALLEY ESTATES,  
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, ON NOVEMBER  
30, 1982, IN CABINET D, SLIDE NOS. 99 TO  
103, BOTH INCLUSIVE.

Including a 2000 Masterpiece Mobile Home VIN No. PFS661562, Plate 5759MHY, and any improvements, fixtures, and attachments, subject to all taxes, utility liens and other restrictions and easements of record, and subject to a one (1) month right of redemption by the Defendant, the foregoing sale will be made to satisfy an in rem 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. The Plaintiff's in rem judgment is \$139,593.12, and the same bears interest at 8.5000% per annum, which accrues at the rate of \$32.51 per diem, commencing on September 1, 2003, with the Court reserving entry of final in rem judgment against said Defendant Pablo Falcon a/k/a Dr. Pablo Falcon for the amount due after foreclosure sale, for costs and attorney's fees, plus interest as may be assessed by the Court. The Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale all of its in rem judgment amount and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its in rem 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 Peter Baca, 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 in rem 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 in rem judgment described herein 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 the in rem judgment due is \$139,593.12, plus interest to and including date of sale of \$5,071.56 for a total in rem judgment plus interest of \$144,664.68. Sale is subject to the entry of an in rem order of the Court approving the terms and conditions of this sale.

PETER BACA, Special Master  
P.O. Box 215  
Carrizozo, NM 88301  
(505) 648-9925

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## LEGAL NOTICE

### STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF SANTA FE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT No. D101CV200302147

THE BANK OF NEW YORK, ACTING SOLELY  
IN ITS CAPACITY AS TRUSTEE FOR EQCC  
TRUST 2001-2,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
GREG CATANACH a/k/a Greg V. Catanach,  
DIANA CATANACH a/k/a Diana J. Catanach,  
THE BANK OF NEW MEXICO DBA EQUITY  
NATION MORTGAGE, ROBERT K. VOKES  
Trustee, of Trust A Under Robert Keith Vokes  
and Rebecca O. Vokes Family Trust dated  
March 11, 1991, and RUSSELL HERNDON,  
Defendants.

## NOTICE OF SUIT

You are hereby notified that all civil action has been filed against you in the District Court of Santa Fe County, New Mexico, by Plaintiff, The Bank of New York, acting solely in its capacity as Trustee for EQCC Trust 2001-2 (hereinafter referred to as "The Bank of New York"), in which The Bank of New York prays for foreclosure on its Note and Mortgage on real property located in Santa Fe County, New Mexico, and the property described in the claim in said cause against Defendants named above, that the said real property by sold according to law and practice of this Court to pay the lien of the Plaintiff, 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.

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## Contact Our State Representatives

The 2004 New Mexico State Legislature began at noon Tuesday, December 29 in the state capitol in Santa Fe.

State Representatives for Lincoln County are:

District 56 Representative  
Dub Williams. His home address is HC66, Box 10, Glencoe, NM 88324, home phone, at 378-4181. Rep. Williams can be contacted at the state capitol at 986-4454 in Room 203JCN (the capitol annex located north of the roundhouse). His mailing address in Santa Fe is Rep. Dub Williams, State Capitol, Attn: Mail Room Dept., Santa Fe, NM 87503.

District 57 Representative  
Dan Foley. His home address is Box 3194, Roswell, NM 88202. His home office phone is 624-0608; home phone is 625-9528. In Santa Fe he is located in Room 203FCN in the Capitol annex. His Santa Fe office phone is 986-4211 and mailing address is Rep. Dan Foley, State Capitol, Attn: Mail Room Dept. Santa Fe, NM 87503. Rep. Foley may also be contacted by email at daniel.foley@state.nm.us.

District 59 Representative  
Avon Wilson. Her home address is Box 381, Roswell, NM 88202-0381. Her home office phone is 624-7442 and her home phone is 623-4777. In Santa Fe she is located in Room 202A in the main roundhouse building. Her Santa Fe phone is 984-4221 and mailing address is Rep. Avon Wilson, State Capitol, Attn: Mail Room Dept., Santa Fe, NM 87503.

Information including daily committee schedules and floor agendas, bills introduced, text of bills, information about legislators, etc. is available on the internet, <http://legis.state.nm.us>.

The 2004 session lasts 30 days and traditionally deals only with the state budget and bills requested by the governor.

## C'zozo Chamber Awards Certificates

Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce will soon be welcoming new businesses and newcomers to town with a newly formed Carrizozo Ambassadors committee.

Carrizozo Chamber members at their January 13 meeting held at Uptown Cafe in Carrizozo Recreation Center, voted to form a committee for the Carrizozo Ambassadors. Kay Cochran and Janet Lynn will head up the committee for the ambassadors and will report to the chamber at its February meeting. They invited anyone wishing to volunteer to be a Carrizozo Ambassador to contact them.

Also at the January 13 meeting, chamber members voted to drop the Cinco de Mayo festivities as an official chamber event. Because of problems with the 2003 Cinco de Mayo event, and because this year the day falls on Wednesday, several members said they did not want the chamber to continue sponsorship. Suggestions were the Cinco de Mayo event be coordinated with the Carrizozo Heritage Museum first anniversary celebration set for May 1. During discussion members suggested the Cinco de Mayo event be taken over by a separate committee like the street fair.

Chamber members also authorized funding to mail the chamber newsletters produced by chamber secretary Korene Walker. All paid members will be mailed a monthly newsletter unless members indicate they would like to receive it by email. Extra newsletters

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## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

On the 3rd day of February, 2004, there will be held in the Corona Municipal School District No. 13, Lincoln County, New Mexico, a special school district election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question of creating a debt by the issuing of general obligation bonds.

The Voting Districts and the Precinct Board Members for this Election shall be as follows:

Election Precinct	Polling Place	Precinct Board Member
(Consolidated) 1, 2A, 3 (Lincoln County) 9D (Socorro County) 8, 11, 12 (Torrance County)	Corona Senior Center Corona, New Mexico	Presiding Judge - Nelva June Tyree Election Judge - Sandra J. Alford Election Clerk - Loretta Sanchez Election Clerk - Sue Hughes
Absentee in Person	Office of the County Clerk Lincoln County Courthouse Lincoln County Carrizozo, New Mexico	Presiding Judge - Nelva June Tyree Election Judge - Sandra J. Alford Election Clerk - Loretta Sanchez Election Clerk - Sue Hughes

The polls for said Election will be open between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the day of the Election.

Absentee voting will be permitted in the manner, authorized by 1-6-1 et seq., NMSA 1978, provided, however, that pursuant to Section 1-22-19, NMSA 1978, qualified electors may also vote absentee in person at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, during the regular hours and days of business from 8:00 a.m. January 9, 2004, being the twenty-fifth day preceding the Election, until 5:00 p.m., January 30, 2004, being the Friday immediately prior to the Election. Absentee ballots shall be airmailed or, if requested, electronically transmitted to each such applicant or registered voter who is a federal qualified elector and overseas voter, not later than January 29, 2004 being the Thursday immediately prior to the date of the election as provided in Section 1-6-5 NMSA 1978.

At such Election, the following question shall also be submitted to such qualified, registered electors of the District:

#### GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND QUESTION

"Shall the Board of Education of the Corona Municipal School District No. 13, Counties of Lincoln, Socorro and Torrance, State of New Mexico, be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the District, in one series or more, in the aggregate principal amount of not exceeding \$350,000 for the purpose of erecting, remodeling, making additions to and furnishing school buildings and purchasing or improving school grounds and purchasing computer software and hardware for student use in public school classrooms or any combination of these purposes, said bonds to be payable from general (ad valorem) taxes and to be issued and sold at such time or times upon such terms and conditions as the Board may determine?"

This notice is published in my capacity as Principal Filing Officer for this election.

LINCOLN COUNTY CLERK  
By: /s/  
Tammie J. Maddox

[SEAL OF THE  
COUNTY CLERK]

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# Looking Back...

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doing so much playing," said an old-timer in one of his reminiscent moods. "When did your grandmother find time to play? There was a woman for you!" no doubt. "Just the same," he continued, "we'd like to have given her a vacuum cleaner, a washing machine, electric lights, running water, a telephone, baker's bread, delicious canned foods, an automobile and a set of golf clubs. Can you picture grandfather's face? Gone to the country club. Look in the ice box.

"My pet peeve is the Civic Councils in their nation-wide bally-hooing and bragging on New Mexico climate, neglect to mention these aggravating, nerve-racking sand storms like we've had lately, at the same time knocking the rain, snow, blizzards, heat and cold of every state in the nation. Days like we've had here simply stop a certain amount of necessary business or engagements." -- Kansas healthseeker.

Anyone who would kick on a little sandstorm after enjoying all the other good things in connection with our incomparable climate, is a chronic kicker.

"Every boy under 16 years of age is asked to give an excuse for being on the streets of the town after 9 o'clock at night," said Town Marshall Henry Lutz. "Unless he can give a reasonable excuse," he further said, "it's a sure thing he's up to devilment, and his case is investigated. In most towns and some cities, the curfew bell is rung at 9:00 p.m., and all children must be at home by that hour."

"Having an open-day-and-nite filling station, where tourists may buy supplies at any hour, will be a great help to those who come into town after 9 o'clock in the evening," remarked a tourist last Monday. "With restaurants, a meat market and grocery supply depot, hotels, etc. open day and night, the tourist who come in after dark, will be able to get all the accommodations to be found in large cities."

Tax-paying time next Monday, April 30, is the last day for paying the second installment without penalty. Quite a few taxpayers are making their usual visits to the treasurer's office this week.

## Dance at Nogal

On Saturday night, May 12, a dance will be given in the Jesse May Hall at Nogal. A good floor, good music and a good time. You know the road, the place and date -- get there.

## Played and Lost

Carrizozo golfers went to Alamogordo Suncay -- 10 in number -- to meet a like number on the golf course there.

Our boys returned in the evening, full of explanations and excuses, because the Alamogordo team had taken the contest by a score of 22 to 5.

A return match will take place here Sunday and our boys will have the opportunity to prove the contention, that they, living in the plains country, were at a disadvantage on the Alamogordo course, where irrigation ditches and cottonwoods predominate. Sink 'em at 7 boys!

## Telephonic Impasse

A telephone operator was at one end of the wire and a little girl, who had answered her ring, at the other. The operator, obeying one of the rules laid down by the company, was trying to get the child to call an older person. She began, according to the rule, by asking:

"Is you mama there?"  
"No."  
"Is your sister there?"  
"No. There's no one here but grandma and me and the cat. Grandma can't hear and the cat can't talk."

## Wives Purse Guardians

Statisticians say that in working and middle class families from 75 to 85 percent of all money is spent by the wives.

Man thinks he supervises the buying because he makes out the checks for bills, but actually he knows little or nothing about those bills. He thinks his wife is no financier because she makes mistakes in adding a column of figures. He forgets that real financiers never trust themselves but use adding machines. He forgets that the financiering comes in the planning of how the income is to be spent to achieve certain ends and avoid bankruptcy. That the majority of homes are solvent redounds to the credit of the women within them. -- Helen C. Bennett in Liberty.

The function of woman is to serve the race. The function of man is to serve the woman and the child. -- American Magazine.

# Old Lincoln Town

by Rosalie Dunlap

Correction- It was the elder Glenn Austin Snow that passed away. His parents were old timers in Carrizozo and White Oaks. Sorry for the error and I apologize to the Snow family.

The Lincoln Preservation Board met last Thursday in the Lincoln Community Church. The two new members were present with Tom Mann as the chairman. Reg. Ritchie resigned from the board. Ralph Dunlap presented the plans for the park behind the courthouse for discussion and ideas.

A celebration of the lives of Donna Leslie Einhorn and Gary Emile Barbeau, a daughter and son-in-law of Don and Jean Riddett. Family members shared their memories of their lives. Fr. Ron Thomson officiated at the services.

Fr. Ron Thomson will be Albuquerque for further surgery on his eye. He is progressing so well that it tells us that our prayers are

being answered.

Phoebe Taylor and Ralph Dunlap attended the NM Rural Water Assn. meeting held at the Inn of the Mt. Gods. They were brought up to date on various water problems, water rights and upcoming legislation.

The Mountaintop Turners met at the Dunlaps Sunday afternoon. Members showed their latest projects of wood turning and the various woods that they used. There are so many different kinds of beautiful woods.

Mary Lee Lane reported on the activities of the Ruidoso Regional Arts Commission. The Mountaintop Turners will have a display this spring at the Ruidoso Village Hall. More on this later.

We haven't had any snow although it was reported that there was snow at Ruidoso. We did have a light mist which was very welcome.

# More Looking Back...

## Taking the "Cure"

"Taughing Cure", a comedy in two acts will be given at Glencoe School Building at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 28th.

Parts of the proceeds will go to the Glencoe Woman's Club. Those taking part are Misses Willadene Brown, Holdane Stover, Julia Penfield, Mesdames, Geo. Dixon, Wilbur Coe; Messrs. James Garner, Carroll Monzingo, W. B. Rose and Ralph Werner.

Special musical attractions will be furnished by mesdames Mims and Cosser, and Miss Portia Friedenbloom will dance.

A social evening with dancing and refreshments will follow the program. Everyone invited.

## Locals

The Woman's Missionary Society will have an apron sale at the Community Hall, Saturday afternoon, May 5. They will serve ice cream, cake and coffee also, beginning at 2 o'clock. Don't fail to attend this sale as many lovely and useful aprons will be on display.

# Carrizozo

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are available at Antique Liquidators.

Winners of the 2003 Chamber Christmas Lighting Contest were presented gift certificates and honorable mention certificates. Gwen Dunn, owner of Sands Motel, received the commercial lighting winner traveling trophy, and for the second year in a row will have its name added to the list of commercial winners. Certificates were presented to first place winners Christine and Willie Swift; second place Joe Ortiz; third place winner Guy Terry. Honorable mentions were given to Gail Major, Mabel Vega and Rose Wheeler.

New chamber president, Van Shamblin made a request for volunteers for staffing the Caboose Visitor Center, for an advertising committee, for Carrizozo Ambassadors, and the 2004 luminaria display. Jim Mack Jr. reported the Caboose Visitor Center was open only two weeks in December and had 20 walk in visitors and 36 email inquiries.

Chamber members agreed to continue meeting at 12 noon on the second Tuesday of each month. Shamblin reported that in a survey mailed to chamber members, all respondents indicated they wanted to continue meeting at the same time and day.

The next chamber meeting will be at noon, Tuesday, February 10, at Four Winds Restaurant.

# Grizzly



# WEEKLY

by Carrizozo High School Journalism Class  
Sarah Ball, Instructor

# Accelerated Reader Model Classroom

In Carrizozo schools, the second, third, and fourth grades have all made the Accelerated Reader Model Classroom and now, if they desire, they will move to the master classroom.

The Accelerated Reader Model Classroom means that 90 percent of all the students in that class have met the goals set (the amount of points that the student must earn) for their reading level and that each student has made an 85 percent or better on each of their accelerated reading tests. It helps the students with their reading skills and gives them something to work for. The children love it, and the teachers love it even more.

The Reading Renaissance sets a recommended goal of points that each student should have. It does not set a specific type of book that each student should read, the students choose the type of book that they would like to read. They can choose from any type of book, fiction or non-fiction. Each book has a certain amount of points, and the student must pass the test of the specific book that they choose to earn the points on that book. While the student is reading, they may either read independently, or to someone else. It is a guided reading skill that they are learning from this program.

The criteria for this certification are as follows: the median of points earned is appropriate to the class' average book level. 90 percent of the students have an average of 85 percent or better on Reading Practice quizzes. 80 percent of all reading done by established readers is independent practice. Less than 10 percent of the students are not doing as well. The class' overall average must be 85 percent or better, and the teacher has to be fully implementing a majority of the techniques listed on the Model Classroom checklist.

The benefits of the Model Classroom is a handsome certificate, a Renaissance Model Educator T-shirt, a Model Classroom lapel pin, a Model Classroom pennant, a \$50 voucher redeemable for Renaissance merchandise, a training voucher good for \$50 toward any Renaissance Conference, a 15 percent discount on the teacher's first order of Renaissance products, a press release announcing the achievement, a listing in the Renaissance Certification Honor Roll, and special opportunities to participate in the annual National Renaissance Conference and other Programs. This helps get the students to read and it raises their reading level. The students gain a love and appreciation for reading, and the teachers sometimes even throw them a surprise party, like a coke float party.

Mrs. Barela, the second grade teacher, states, "I like this (Accelerated Reader Program) because it gives the children the opportunity to choose the books that they would like to read, and it's at their level."

The Accelerated Reader Model Classroom award is a very big accomplishment. We are very proud to have such bright students reading in our elementary halls, and getting the help they need from their teachers and elder students.

Cassie Heathcock

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**LEGAL . . .**

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The property involved is the real estate and improvements located at 74 Pine East, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, and more particularly described as:

LOT 1, AS SHOWN ON FAMILY TRANSFER FOR ALFRED GALLEGOS REPLAT, SECTIONS 6, TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST, N.M.P.M., SANTA FE COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, BY MORRIS A. APODADA, DATED NOVEMBER 19, 1991 AND WHICH WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, SANTA FE COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON DECEMBER 21, 1991 IN PLAT BOOK 230, PAGE 047 AS DOCUMENT NO. 758,318.

Parcel Number: 1-049-084-358-503,

including any improvements, fixtures, and attachment, such as, but not limited to, mobile homes. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control.

You are further notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance or file responsive pleadings or motions in said cause within twenty (20) days of the fourth consecutive publication of this Notice of Suit, 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 attorneys for The Bank of New York is Little & Drantel, P.C., 3803 Arisco Blvd NW, Suite A, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87120, Telephone: (505) 833-3036.

WITNESS the Honorable Carol J. Vigil, District Judge of the First Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Santa Fe County on January 7, 2004.

**BILL PARRAS**  
Clerk of the District Court

(SEAL)

By: Stephen L. Pacheco  
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