

Four Candidates in Field For School Board Post



ED GODRUM



DAN GRIFFITH



W.N. MORRISON

William N. Morrison, service manager for Community Public Service, filed as a candidate for Position 2 on the Ruidoso Municipal Schools Board of Education in the Feb. 4 election shortly before the filing deadline Friday.

He brought to four the total number of candidates running for school board. Two are seeking each position. Morrison's opponent for Position 2 is Richard Parsons, Ruidoso attorney. Candidates for Position 1, which by "gentlemen's agreement" is for Ruidoso Valley residents, are Ed Godrum, rancher, and Dan Griffith, merchant.

Friday was also the last day to register for the Feb. 4 election.

At its meeting tonight (Thursday, Jan. 9) board members will draw names of candidates to determine their position on the ballot.

The board will also determine if

the candidates meet the residential and other requirements for running for school board.

"Otherwise, it will be a routine meeting," Superintendent George White said.

Morrison, who has been with CPS since 1959, is 34 and has lived in Ruidoso all his life. His mother and grandfather, Ike Wingfield, were also born here.

Morrison and his wife, Claudine, are parents of two children, Susan, 12, and Bill, 8.

Asked his reasons for being a candidate, he replied, "I'm just interested in schools. If the schools aren't good, a town can't grow. Our progress depends on the schools."

His opinion of the Ruidoso schools at present is that they are "doing great". Board members, administrators and teachers have all been doing a good job, he said.

Morrison believes the schools need more money, and "they'll get it when this reappraisal goes through."

In his opinion, the State Legislature will "have to do something" about providing more money for schools.

A Ruidoso resident, Morrison is a member of the Sierra Blanca Ski Club and of the Ruidoso Gun Club.

CANDIDATE PRAISES SCHOOLS

Ed Godrum of Ruidoso Downs, Ruidoso Valley rancher and candidate for election to the Ruidoso Municipal Schools Board of Education in the Feb. 4 election, has nothing but praise for the Ruidoso schools.

"Our children have attended school in three systems, and I like this one the best," he said.

He emphasized that he has no changes in mind if he is elected. "I feel that those who have been hired to run this system are very capable," he said.

Godrum and his wife have three children: Eddy, 15, a Ruidoso High School student; Billie Bob, 12, a junior high school student, and Jackie Sue, three months.

The older children have attended schools in Dexter, Roswell and Ruidoso. Of the three, Godrum likes Ruidoso's system the best.

"With Jackie coming along we feel like we are going to have children in school here a long time," Godrum said. "When I was asked to run, I felt I had an obligation to meet. I owe something to the community."

In his opinion, the main function of the school board is to watch school finances, and leave operation of the academic program up to the highly-qualified professionals who, in his opinion, are now in charge.

Godrum has been a resident of Ruidoso Downs since 1963. Before that he lived in Roswell. However, he was born and raised in Lincoln County, where his father bought a ranch in the Picacho area in 1926.

Pressed for details as to what

CAPITAN FIRE BURNS 300 ACRES

A fire at Capitan Gap that started from burning slash was brought under control at 10 p.m. Wednesday after burning approximately 300 acres, the Forest Service said.

Fire Control Officer Jim McEwen reported that fire crews were called out at approximately 12:30 p.m. A total of 50 men were engaged in fighting the fire, including 22 Forest Service men, 20 volunteers from Ruidoso, and three state employees.

Forest Service personnel had been burning slash for two or three days, before strong winds fanned the fire and started a burn at Capitan Gap, some 10 miles northeast of Capitan, McEwen said.

"It was unusual, but not devastating," he reported. "It burned some of the debris, and the dead leaves off of the ground, but didn't do much damage."

Band to Give Pop Concert

The Ruidoso High School Band will present a Pop Concert at 8 p.m. tonight (Friday) in the High School Gym.

There will be two feature numbers, with solos by Tommy Spears on the tenor saxophone and Mike Clements on the trumpet.

"The music for the concert will be selections familiar to everyone and we do hope that you will enjoy our program," Director LeRoy Gooch said.

There will be no admission charge.

The program includes: Blaze Away March, La Cumparsita, Goin' Out of My Head, Begin the Beguine, Dixieland Strut, El Alamo Concert March, Fantasia Impromptu, Swinging Easy, Civil War Rhapsody, Thoughts of Love, featuring Tommy Spears on the tenor saxophone, and Bride of the Waves, featuring Mike Clements on the trumpet.

Paneling Mastic Cause of Fire?

The State Fire Marshall's office is considering the possibility that a newly-installed wood paneling might have caused or contributed to the tragic fire that killed the three children of Police Sgt. and Mrs. Fred Yockey Dec. 21.

The children died in a fire that broke out at about 8:30 p.m. at their home at the Old Mill Lodge.

T. K. Hudson, chief fire investigator for the State Fire Marshall's office, said that the cause of the fire has not yet been officially determined, despite the fact it happened one month ago.

No report has yet been received from the state laboratory at Albuquerque on its findings. Hudson said. Random samples of carpeting, fabric, parts of flooring and debris were taken at the fire scene, and whether it should be forwarded to the laboratory for further study.

Asked whether he could say, he said he

the laboratory might find, Hudson said it could determine whether or not there was an explosion, and whether "hydrocarbons" were present.

He said there were reports that Yockey had recently installed some wood paneling in the house. Some times a type of mastic is used to put up such paneling that is inflammable, Hudson added.

"It is perfectly legitimate," he said.

"You mean it is permissible, but sometimes fatal?" he was asked.

"Now you're putting words in my mouth," he said.

Asked whether he felt the use of such inflammable materials in residential areas should be prohibited, Hudson said he didn't know. "I'm not in a position to say whether it should be prohibited or not."

Asked who could say, he said he

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NEW BOARD—A new Lincoln County Board of Commissioners took over Tuesday. Seen above at their first meeting in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo are, left to right, Holt Lovelace of Corona, Don Stark of Ruidoso and Charles Jones of Capitan. Stark was named chairman.

Coin Decides Don Stark Is New Chairman

Don Stark, Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce manager and District 3 commissioner, was named chairman of the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners on the flip of a coin Tuesday.

The new commission had just opened its first meeting at 10 a.m. at the County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

Commissioner Holt Lovelace of Corona suggested that since two of the three commissioners are Republicans, a Republican should be chairman. (Lovelace and Stark are Republicans.)

"Who's got a coin?" said Lovelace.

Some one quickly produced one. Lovelace took heads, Stark tails. The coin was flipped and landed on the floor. After a quick scramble it was determined that it was tails and Stark became board chairman.

Board Promises Home Agent Help

Lincoln County's new commissioners agreed the leaders of the Home Extension Club that they will do everything in their power to obtain a home demonstration agent for the county.

A delegation of half-a-dozen club members appeared before the commission at its first meeting Tuesday to urge appointment of a home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Clara Snow of Carrizozo acted as spokesman.

"I think all of you know what we're here for," she said. "We need a home demonstration agent so bad and we know the state will give us part of the money."

She added, "I know there are places you can cut corners. Here in Carrizozo we have quite a problem with our Spanish-speaking people. They need help."

Ralph Dunlap, county farm agent with the state extension service, said the requested employee would cost the county \$3000 a year.

He suggested that the commission notify New Mexico State University of its interest in a home demonstration agent.

"The state club girls need help. I can't give it," Dunlap said. "I catch them every year on some little thing or another. They keep changing all the time."

Chairman Don Stark assured the ladies, "We'll do everything in our power to help you get this."

They left happy.

School to Honor Good Students

Academic as well as athletic achievements will be recognized with letter sweaters at Ruidoso High School.

Principal Pat Valliant has agreed to provide academic letter sweaters for students in the 10th, 11th and 12th grades making the semester honor roll.

Each semester, stripes will be given for students attaining this level of academic work for more than one semester.

Valliant has also presented president National Honor Society members with sweaters.

"It is hoped that this program, sponsored by the National Honor Society, will promote an increased academic awareness among students," Valliant said.

Funeral Services Held In El Paso For Mrs. Pritchett

Funeral services were held in the Carter-Maxon Chapel in El Paso, Texas, on Tuesday, Jan. 7, for Mrs. Emma Mae Pritchett, 77, who died in El Paso on Jan. 4. Rev. Bill of the Trinity Methodist Church in El Paso officiated and burial was in Rest Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Pritchett was born on April 15, 1891 in Kosciusko, Miss., and had been in El Paso resident for the past 43 years. Her husband preceded her in death.

Survivors include a son, Judge Austin Pritchett of Ruidoso; two grandchildren, Robert Henry, El Paso, Texas, and Betty Jean Carlson of Austin, Texas; and two sisters and three brothers, all of Dallas, Texas.

Two Reappointed To Hospital Board

Two reappointments to boards of directors of county hospitals were made Tuesday by the Lincoln County Commission.

Mr. A. N. Spencer of Carrizozo was reappointed to a five-year term on the board of the Lincoln County Municipal Hospital in Carrizozo.

Gerald Dean of Capitan was reappointed to a five-year term on the board of the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital.

John Urbans Produce First Baby of Year

Christina Jean Urban checked into Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital shortly after 8 a.m. Saturday to win the Ruidoso News' fourth annual baby derby and more than \$100 worth of merchandise offered by Ruidoso merchants to the first baby of 1963.

The new arrival joins the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Urban of Ruidoso, which also includes two brothers, Mattel, 6 and Tony, 2, and a sister, Sylvia, 3.

Christina weighed in at five pounds, 9 1/2 ounces. Both mother and daughter were reported doing well.

The baby's timely arrival won her the following gifts: A vaporizer from Nunley's Drug Store, a footed sleeper from Modern Tots and Teens, three packages of disposable diapers from the Prescription Pharmacy, a bouquet of flowers from Counts' Flowerland, a baby blanket from Brunel's, a bottle sterilizer from Gambles, a \$3 savings account deposit from Ruidoso State Bank, a Sunday dinner (for mom and pop) from the Chaparral Motor Hotel, a baby comforter from H. & J. Food Basket, a \$5 gift certificate from the Artistic Beauty Salon, one month's cable service or free installation from Color Cable TV, one case of baby milk from Ruidoso Drug, a pair of shoes from House of Shoes, and a \$5 gift certificate from House of Gifts.



BABY OF YEAR—Mrs. John Urban of Ruidoso shows off her new baby, Christina Jean, born shortly after 8 a.m. Jan. 4 at Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital. As first baby of the year, born in Ruidoso, Christina won \$100 worth of gifts offered by 14 Ruidoso merchants in the Ruidoso News Fourth Annual First Baby Contest.

OFF THE BEAT With Barney

A Mr. Warren Barrett of Yuma, Ariz., has promised to drop by the Ruidoso News office one of these days and play Santa Claus.

It seems Barrett received a three pound package which had originally been mailed from San Francisco to San Luis Obispo and thence to Ruidoso.

Due to the Christmas rush and the similarity in names, the post-office inadvertently forwarded it to Barrett in Yuma with 86 cents postage due.

Barrett wrote us to say he had the package, and would either forward it to us or drop it by the office the next time he came to Ruidoso. He also noted the package contained a warning "Do not open until Christmas."

We replied we would appreciate his bringing it by, especially since there is now plenty of time between now and Christmas.

Alto Will Get New Postoffice

A new post office building has been approved for Alto in Lincoln County, and bids will be let soon.

This is the message in a telegram received this week from United States Senator Joseph M. Montoya, New Mexico Democrat.

Mrs. Alleen Lindamood, postmaster, had not heard the good news when called by the Ruidoso News for comment.

"I knew it was in the making, but I'd heard nothing official," she said.

Alto was raised in rank from a fourth to a third class post office last July 1, because of the growth of the area.

"This area has grown by leaps and bounds in the past few years," Mrs. Lindamood said.

Eight Seeking Capitan Posts

CAPITAN—Eight candidates are seeking four positions on the Capitan School District Board of Education in the Feb. 4 election.

Two six-year terms, one four-year term and one two-year term are to be filled in the election, Superintendent Duane Darling said.

Candidates for Position 1, a six-year term, are Walter L. Jones, rancher, and John R. Able of the U. S. Forest Service.

Candidates for Position 2, a six-year term, are Warren Newman Harris of the Forest Service and Pat L. Huey, contractor. Harris is currently serving on the board. He was appointed to fill another position until the regular election.

Candidates for Position 3, a four-year term, are Henry Bryson Lacy, contractor, and M. C. Grantham, Jr.

Candidates for Position 4, a two-year term are Zane G. Leslie, board president, and Arthur E. Salas, assistant administrator of Fort Stanton Hospital.

"We have eight good candidates, and all registered voters in the district should get out and cast their ballots Feb. 4," Darling said.

The only polling place is the Capitan City Hall. Hours are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Registration for the election closed last week.

Bogardus Quits Water Department

Fred W. Bogardus has resigned from the Village of Ruidoso Water Department, effective Thursday, Jan. 9. He has been with the water department for three years.

He is going to manage a diversified farm and cattle operation near Las Cruces, he reported.

Reappraisal's Back Again

That county reappraisal problem will be back again when Lincoln County school superintendents meet with county commissioners at the county's legislative delegation at 10 a.m. Jan. 14 at the office of Superintendent George White of Ruidoso Municipal Schools.

Commissioners were informed of the meeting Tuesday, and told that State Senator Joe Skeen and State Representative Ralph Petty, Jr. will be present.

A recently-enacted state law requires all counties to complete a reappraisal of all properties except ranching and corporate properties, in order to assure that they are being assessed and taxed fairly and equitably.

Lincoln County has failed to complete the reappraisal because of a hassle with the firm of Lon E. Nelson & Associates of Santa Fe, hired by the county to make the reappraisal.

Nelson failed to complete the job, charging his work was compounded by Lincoln County errors. He asked for an additional \$16,966.48 over his original contract fee of \$45,000 to finish the work.

Lincoln County refused, and is suing Nelson in District Court, asking that he either complete the job or put up the money to see it is finished.

Meanwhile, Lincoln County is losing \$43,000 a year because of its failure to complete the reappraisal. So far, it has lost \$98,000. The money is represented by 1.7 mills the state is keeping instead of turning over to the county. The money would otherwise have gone to local schools.

THANK YOU, RUIDOSO

We are writing this letter to express our sincere thanks, from the bottom of our hearts, to the people of Ruidoso and the surrounding area for all of the cards, letters, clothing and cash donations which we received upon the loss of our three children and our belongings in the fire in Ruidoso on Dec. 21, 1968.

There was so much done by so many that it would be impossible to thank everyone personally.

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1969 WORTHY MATRON, PATRON — Installed as worthy matron and worthy patron of the Ruidoso chapter 65 of the Order of Eastern Star for 1969 in ceremonies conducted Jan. 4, in Ruidoso. Above shown at the reception which followed the installation.

New OES Officers Are Installed

New officers were installed in open ceremonies Saturday night, Jan. 4, in Ruidoso Chapter 65 of the Order of Eastern Star in the OES

Hall in Palmer Gateway. Installing officer was Mrs. Ada Norton who was assisted by Mrs. Mary Basinger, marshal; Mrs. Jewel Bonnell, chaplain; Mrs. James Eubanks, organist; and Mrs. J. H. Cooper, secretary.

The new officers are Mrs. Tom Bussey, worthy matron; Tom Bussey, worthy patron; Mrs. Wray Burgett, associate matron; Wray Burgett, associate patron; Mrs. R. K. Knox, secretary; Mrs. Nora Luallin, treasurer; Mrs. Velma Johnson, conductress; Miss Clara Jester, a social conductress; Mrs. Louella Counts, chaplain; Miss Lucy Culver, marshal; Mrs. James Eubanks, organist; Mrs. A. T. Pflingsten, Ada; Mrs. Frank Adams, Ruth; Mrs. W. O. Lilla, Elther; Mrs. Charles Hansen, Martha; Mrs. Alma McLaughlin, Electa; Mrs. Ila Fitzgerald, warder, and Frank Adams, sentinel.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the hall social room. The new worthy matron's chosen colors of blue, silver and white was carried out in the decorations of the refreshment table. Flowers used were pink carnations, cake, nuts, mints, coffee and iced tea were served. On the refreshment committee were Mrs. A. T. Pflingsten, Mrs. J. H. Cooper, Mrs. A. N. Pritchett, Mrs. J. M. Niles, Mrs. Ed Lane and Mrs. R. K. Knox.

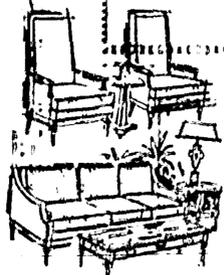
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Clothing Selection Course Announced

A weekly short course on clothing selection, "Dressing by Design," will be televised over KOB-TV Channel 4, and affiliated cables starting at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Mrs. Martha Anderson, assistant Bernadillo County home agent, and Mrs. Joyce Foulds, clothing specialist with the Cooperative Extension Service of New Mexico State University, will serve as co-hosts for the short course.

It is designed to help women express their individuality and personality through creative clothing selection. The program will cover lines and shapes, textures, and colors in relation to wardrobe planning.

Five programs will be offered, starting at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday and continuing at the same hour weekly through Feb. 11.

Women interested may enroll by sending their names and addresses to "Dressing by Design," New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001.

American Legion, Auxiliary Slates Joint Dinner Meet

The American Legion Post 79 in Ruidoso and the Auxiliary will have a joint dinner meeting on Thursday, Jan. 16 at 7 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Ruidoso. Mrs. Charles Hansen will be the hostess for the covered dish dinner, and Mrs. Lyndy Gamelson is in charge of the program.



Karen Webb Becomes Bride of David Foster

Miss Karen Sue Webb, daughter of Mrs. James Strong of Ruidoso and Walter A. Webb, Jr., of Albuquerque, became the bride of David Glenn Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Foster of Roswell, in a lovely holiday wedding Saturday evening, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community United Methodist Church in Ruidoso, with Rev. Richard LaPine officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The couple exchanged vows before an altar banked with greenery and gold colored carnations. The church was illuminated with candles and on either side of the altar gold colored tapers burned in seven-branched candelabra entwined with gold carnations and greens.

Mrs. Penzo Lee Hawkins at the organ provided the traditional wedding marches and Mrs. Barbara Cottle was the soloist. She sang "The Bride."

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Bruce Webb, and wore a gown of white allover satin, fashioned with a fitted bodice, spaghetti neckline and long pointed sleeves. The full skirt ended in a long train. Her fingertip veil of illusion net fell from a crown of white pearls and she carried her white Rainbow Bible topped with white rosettes.

For something blue she carried a handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother; for something

yellow she had a pretty lavender to her hair; something old was the gown and veil which were the ones worn by her mother 20 years ago; and for something new she wore the traditional parrot.

Miss Pauline Price of Ovilla, a close friend of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a green velvet gown fashioned with a scoop neckline and long sleeves. Her corsage was gold-colored feathered carnations tied with green ribbon and leaves. The maid of honor's twin sister, Mrs. Pauline Campbell and the bride's sister, Miss Linda Webb, were bridesmaids. Their gowns were of gold-colored velvet and were fashioned like the maid of honor's gown. They wore corsages of fresh feathered carnations with gold-colored ribbon and leaves.

Dianna Riley of Fortaleon, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a dress of green velvet, fashioned like the other attendants, and carried a basket filled with rose petals. She wore a corsage of gold carnations with green ribbon. Her brother, Clyde Ray Riley, presented her down the aisle carrying the wedding rings on a white satin pillow.

Miss Gentle Dapper, Webb's friend of the bridegroom, served as best man and usher. Mrs. Bill Campbell and Gay Leppert, both of Ovilla, were bridesmaids.

Mrs. Strong chose an aqua-colored



INSTALLING OFFICER — Conducting the installation of new officers in the Ruidoso OES chapter 65 in ceremonies Jan. 4 were from left, Mrs. Mary Basinger, marshal; Mrs. J. H. Cooper, secretary; Mrs. Ada Norton, installing officer; Mrs. Jewel Bonnell, chaplain; and Mrs. Jim Eubanks, organist.

dress with black accessories for the bridesmaids, and Mrs. Eubanks, organist of the bridegroom, wore a black and white gown with a black and white floral corsage. Both bridesmaids wore corsages of carnations with green ribbon and leaves.

The bridegroom was best man of the bride, and wore a green velvet suit with a white shirt and a white tie. He wore a green velvet boutonniere and a green velvet corsage. The bridegroom's table was decorated with a centerpiece covered and entwined with gold balls and gold carnations with a large green candle in the center.

Following a wedding trip to Albuquerque, the couple is now at home at 1201 Nevada, Apt. 3, Las Cruces, where both are attending New Mexico State University. The bride's going away costume was a gray and white dress with a gray bow and a bracelet of gold ornaments.

The bride was a high school graduate of Ruidoso High School in 1947 and has been employed at the Ruidoso State Laboratory and at the Ruidoso State Hospital. She is currently employed at the Ruidoso State Hospital. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Ruidoso State Hospital and is currently employed at the Ruidoso State Hospital.

The bride and groom were accompanied by their parents and other relatives. The ceremony was a private affair and was attended by a small group of friends and family members.

OES Members Attend Instruction School

A large number of members of the Ruidoso Chapter 65 of the Order of Eastern Star attended a school of instruction in Carrizozo Tuesday, Pentecost of Roy, Grand Worthy Matron. Attending from Ruidoso were Mrs. Thomas Bussey, worthy matron; and Mrs. Jewell Bonnell, Mrs. A. T. Pflingsten, Mrs. J. F. Eubanks, Mrs. Louella Counts, Mr. and Mrs. Wiljo Lilla, Mrs. Ada Norton, Miss Lucy Culver, Mrs. Charles Hansen, Mrs. Frank Adams, Mrs. Nora Luallin, Mrs. Mary Basinger and Mrs. R. K. Knox.

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Ruidoso Rink Named In Suit

The Skateland Roller Rink in Ruidoso is named as defendant in a \$33,500 damage suit filed in District Court in Albuquerque. James Schumacher asks that sum in a personal injury suit filed on behalf of his son, Donald, 5. He alleges that the boy suffered "severe and permanent injury" to his right hand at the rink on Aug. 31, and that the injury resulted from negligence of the defendant, George W. Gardenhire, doing business as the Skateland Roller Rink. Schumacher asks for \$25,000 damages and \$8500 for medical expenses.

Cadet Leonard Cook Receives Promotion

Cadet Leonard L. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce L. Cook of Ruidoso, has been appointed to Cadet Corporal at the New Mexico Military Institute, in Roswell. His promotion was announced by Maj. Gen. Sam W. Agee.

ENTER ARMY—Jack McCauley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eckart, has entered the Army and is receiving basic training at Ft. Bliss, Texas. When he finishes basic training, he will go to Ft. Monmouth, N. J., where he is to enter "Micro-wave" school. Jack attended school in Ruidoso.

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EXPRESSES GRATITUDE—Mrs. Cecil (Mary Jo) Morrison thanks Mrs. Beasia Sewell, Ruidoso Downs city clerk, for the nearly \$2000 raised to help meet medical expenses of her son, Charles, seriously ill with kidney dis-

ease. Ruidoso Downs Village employees started the fund. Mrs. Morrison has been accepted as donor of a kidney for Charles, now in an El Paso hospital.

City Hall Beat

By FRANCES ECKERT— Police Report

Jan. 1, 8:15 p.m., a 1966 Chevrolet, driven by Conley Esmond, Odessa, Texas was traveling too fast on Main Road at a bridge, applied brakes and skidded into opposite lane, hitting a 1968 Plymouth driven by G. Mickey Sims, Clovis, causing \$150 damage to the Plymouth and \$75 damage to the Chevrolet. There were no injuries and Esmond was cited for failure to use due care.

Jan. 2, 8:09 a.m., a 1967 Plymouth driven by Jerome Don Klein, Hollywood, allowed and gave signal to make a left hand turn from Paradise Canyon Road onto Meander Drive. A 1964 Chevrolet, driven by David Walton Lozer, Hollywood, applied brakes and skidded 48 ft. but collided with the Plymouth, despite the evasive action. There was \$100 damage to each vehicle and no injuries. Lozer was cited for careless driving.

Jan. 5, 12:15 p.m., a 1966 Pontiac, driven by Frank O. Prochaska, Jr., Longview, Texas, slowed on Sudderth Drive to make a left turn and was hit by a 1965 Chevrolet, driven by Lawrence Flores Montoya, Ruidoso Downs, who applied brakes and skidded on wet pavement. There were no injuries. There was \$100 damage to the Pontiac and \$150 damage to the Chevrolet. Montoya was cited for expired brake and light sticker.

Martin Schneider, Colby, Kans., speeding, fined \$15. Ray Westall, Loco Hills, speeding, fined \$15. Donald Dosssett, Dallas, Texas, speeding, fined \$15. James Beeman, Amarillo, Tex., speeding, fined \$15. James Tomlinson, Iowa Falls, Mich., speeding, fined \$10. Larry Farmer, Tulsa, Okla., speeding, fined \$10. John McVey, San Antonio, Tex., speeding, fined \$10. Municipal Court Mark Hughes, Lubbock, Tex., careless driving, \$25 bond forfeited. David Lozer, Hollywood, careless driving, \$30 bond forfeited.

Offer Kindergarten

Kindergarten classes will be offered in the Hondo Valley Public Schools beginning with the second semester Jan. 13, Fernin S. Monte, superintendent, announced. Mrs. Nora McTeigue, a trained kindergarten teacher, will be in charge of the classes, the first kindergartens ever offered in the Hondo schools. The preparation given these five-year-old children should be very helpful to them when they enroll in regular classes in the fall.

Nine Juveniles Appear In Court

Lincoln County Probation Officer R. H. Hedgecock reported this week that nine juveniles appeared in court in Carrizozo on Jan. 3. Three of them were runaways from Camp Sierra Blanca. They stole a car and wrecked it and also broke into a cabin in Ruidoso. The three were given 90 days in juvenile detention and at the end of that time they will be returned to the Boys' School at Springer to finish their commitment.

Two boys from El Paso, Texas appeared for auto theft. They stayed in juvenile detention until their hearing before Judge Stanley and were placed on probation until July 1, 1969. They are to be restricted at their homes at 7 p.m. every night, unless accompanied by their parents, except on Fridays and Saturdays when they can stay out until 11 p.m. with their parents' consent. Their probation will be turned over to the El Paso juvenile authorities.

Two boys from Corona appeared for breaking and entering and were given two week-ends in juvenile detention and placed on indefinite probation with the same restrictions as the El Paso boys.

One boy from Tinnie was committed to the New Mexico Boys' School at Springer for breaking and entering and one boy from Picacho appeared for possession of marijuana. He was placed on probation until he is 21 years of age and also with the same restrictions as the other boys.

Monday Afternoon Lunch and Games At Woman's Club

Hostesses for the regular Monday afternoon luncheon and card games at the Ruidoso Woman's Club for Jan. 13 will be Mrs. Frances Eckert and Mrs. Dorothy Fleming. Everyone planning to attend is asked to please call Mrs. T. J. Frank, phone 257-2034 for reservations. Card games of bridge and canasta will be played during the afternoon. Area women are invited to attend these weekly card parties held in the club house which is located on the road to Carrizozo Canyon, one block south of Sudderth Drive in Skyland.

Gamma Rho Chapter To Meet Jan. 13

Gamma Rho chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet Monday night, Jan. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Richard Logten. It was announced this week. Several members of the chapter did not attend the last meeting and are reminded of the upcoming meeting.

LOSES PRIVILEGES

Lupe C. Baca of Ft. Stanton is one of 35 New Mexico drivers whose driving privileges were withdrawn during the week of Dec. 16-20 by the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

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More Luminarios To Be Used Next Christmas

Despite interference from the flu bug, Ruidoso had approximately 60 business places and residences illuminated by luminarios this year, and a more complete illumination is planned for next year. Tom Loudon, president of Cathedral of the Pines, Inc., the organization sponsoring the luminarios project, expressed his thanks for the cooperation of townspeople in using luminarios as Christmas decorations in Ruidoso. "Due to the flu bug striking me and many others, we were not able to fulfill all our contracts, and 35 dozen were not delivered," Loudon said. "However, all who ordered them will have their money refunded if no luminarios were delivered."

He especially thanked those who assembled and delivered the luminarios: Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thompson, O. M. Russell and Mrs. Carl Erickson. Loudon's grandson, Pfc. John Docta of the U. S. A. Special Forces, visited his grandparents on his way home to California to spend his first leave with his parents. Finding Loudon down with the flu, Docta took over and devoted two days to assembling and delivering luminarios. "We were encouraged by the response and hope next year to cover large on the project, and take in additional areas," Loudon said. "Let's plan a complete illumination of Ruidoso next year, the flu bug not interfering." Loudon said he heard that Tulare had the highway and dividers lit through town, and that the effect was beautiful.

WHITE MOUNTAIN SCHOOL NEWS

Mrs. McCarty's first graders wish to thank Mrs. Dale Wynn, Mrs. Dick Bennett, Mrs. Daryl Walker and Mrs. Jim Wimberly for being hostesses for their Christmas party. This class has lost two students, Jimmie Archer and Karen Keith, but two new students have come since Christmas, Greg Hanson from Carrizozo and Janet Davis from Clovis. The first graders will be watching their steps now as Greg's father is deputy sheriff and Janet's dad is with the state police. Kim Bennett visited her grandmother in Lamona, Texas. Greg Eppin visited in Jal and Fortales and Bob Bruton visited in Snyder, Tex. Sharon Wilson reports that her grandmother visited her for Christmas and so did Theresa Rue's. Jill Blackweider visited her grandmother, Linda Towmley went to Fortales and Earl Sears to Carlsbad.

Mrs. Dunagan's second grade students are starting real writing (cursive writing) and have lots of new spelling words. Pledge leader for this week is Sharon Allison. They have lost one student and gained one, Margaret Archer moved and Susanna Dade enrolled. Over the holidays, Karen Towmley visited in Portales, Dana Zippin in Jal, Sara Wimberly in El Paso, Spring, Tex., Susan Carlo Miller in Clovis and Barwell and Larry Joe Windham in Abilene, Tex. Donnie Ford made a trip to Roswell. Joanne Riley to Odessa, Tex. Other students who visited were: Mike Alley to Lubbock and Stephanie Walker visited her grandmother in Las Cruces. Susan Garcia's boy broke his leg and Ross Sparks reports that his grandfather is visiting from California.

WILDLIFE FILMS

The third graders watched films Monday about wildlife in America. It was from the Dept. of Agriculture. They have one new student, Audrey Davis, who comes here from Clovis. In art, they are making collage pictures and are regrouping in arithmetic. In English they are learning singular and plural subjects. Eugene Botello, Hector Aguilar, Jimmy Randolph, Linda Janzen and Elaine Gebe-

nour are in the group that have new reading books and in spelling, they are working on bonus words, words from their English lessons and days of the week, etc. They wrote New Year's resolutions in writing. Mrs. Spears' fourth grade students are studying lines, segments and rays in arithmetic, India in social studies and New Mexico in history. Today, they told about their favorite Christmas presents and both Jones is still ahead in the spelling car races. The students are drawing snowmen for the bulletin board. Mrs. Spears is ill. Mrs. Morrison's fourth graders are reviewing for six week tests in social studies and are studying oxygen in science. Julie Hall, Rosie Rojo, Eva Serna and Buddy Allison are still out and are probably sick. Tarryn Wright made a trip to California for the Christmas holidays.

STUDY SOUTHEAST

Mrs. Moseley's fifth grade students are studying the southeastern states in social studies. Alan Deam, Mike Tull and Joe Lynn Yates all made Christmas trips and they came back to school Monday this week. Almost everyone in this class is spending some time after Christmas, and the students should be very happy to return when they are in regular classes in the fall. Mrs. Moseley's secretary, Cindy Wynn, was selected librarian. Both students and staff members like Susan's monitor, and Kim's daily reporter. New Year's letters are being written. The students wrote a story on what they want 1969 to do for them. Cindy Wynn brought a nest of goose eggs to school for the students to see.

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Jan. 10 — Capitan, City Hall
Jan. 13 — Lincoln, Lincoln Museum
Jan. 15 — Hondo, Gonzales Cafe
Jan. 17 — San Patricio, Post Office
Jan. 20 — Tinnie, Counts' Store
Jan. 22 — Picacho, Bowser's Store
Jan. 27 — Glencoe, Shorly Ellis' Store
Jan. 29, 30 — Ruidoso Downs, City Hall
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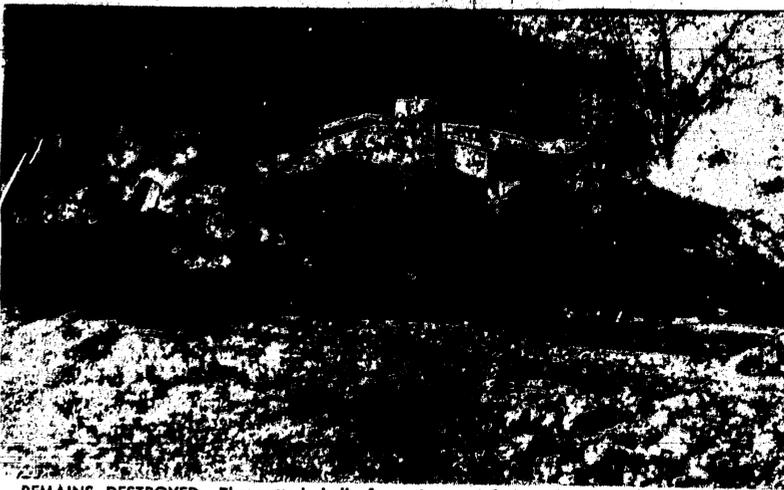
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REMAINS DESTROYED—The gutted shell of the building at the Old Mill Lodge on Suderth Drive in which three children died in a fire was burned down this week by the Ruidoso Volunteer Fire Department, following completion of an investigation into possible causes of the fire. Parents of the three children, all under four, were Police Sgt. and Mrs. Fred Yockey.

INSIDE THE CAPITAL

By FRED BUCKLES
SANTA FE—Public school financing will be the heart of the 1968 Legislature starting a 60-day session Jan. 21.
The Legislative School Study Committee's bill for added \$27.1 million spending is undergoing revision by its staff director, Ron Coss, but details will be unchanged. The extra money would provide \$17 million state dollars for a foundation program geared to standard staffing ratios and \$10 million for a creche fund.
Public School Finance Chief Harry Whiggin and State School Superintendent Leonard De Layo would allocate the discretionary fund on documented applications from school districts. Discretionary money would be spent for out-of-state tuition, school districts in financial need, special education for mentally and physically handicapped students and other purposes.
The separate basic state program would cost \$182 million next fiscal year. It includes new equipment but excludes kindergartens, special education, textbooks, transportation, food services, student activities, community services, capital outlay, transfers and special projects. The basic formula is pegged to a pupil-teacher staffing ratio intended to raise standards and provide every child with a minimum level of education.
The LSCC will lose three House members who are not returning—Mesa, Alfonso Vigil, Thos. Democrat; Frank Steinman, Hobbs Democrat; and John B. Mattson, Jr., Albuquerque Republican. Only remaining House member is Rep. Ralph Hartman, Berino Democrat. The Legislative Council appoints LSCC members. A full committee probably will not be picked until the lawmaker session starts.
State Finance Director Ed Hartman computed added school spending at \$31.5 million in an analysis of needs and potential income sources. But Hartman added to the LSCC's plan a \$5 million boost recommended by the 12,000-member New Mexico Education Association. This would raise average teachers' salaries from \$7,740 to \$8,000 a year and hike state basic support from the LSCC's 75 percent to 80.

The legislature is full of prospects for higher office and Gov. Dave Cargo is looking at a 1970 U. S. Senate race. Despite the crucial school finance problem the issue may bog down in political ambition. Meanwhile, Hartman noted New Mexico public school enrollment will increase only 1.5 per cent in fiscal 1970. Erasing inequities between poor and wealthy school districts is the problem.
Hearing for Filberte Sanchez.
Only nine of 67 new magistrates are lawyers, Court Administrator Edward Johnston said. Included is Martin Pearl, Los Lunas Democrat. The salary is \$4,000 a year. An amendment to the 1968 magistrate law will be offered in the coming legislative session so magistrate candidates will file in districts instead of the secretary of state's office in Santa Fe.

U. S. Rep. James Haley, Florida Democrat, introduced a bill in Congress to return 48,000 acres in the Blue Lake area to Taos Pueblo. The House passed the bill last year but it died in a Senate subcommittee.
The Highway Commission will open bids Friday after termination of a federal funds suspension invoked Sept. 6. Projects include two in the Deming area, one in Valencia County and one east of Roswell. The Roswell project estimate is \$400,000.

BEA LOANS OKAY
The Public Service Commission authorized electric cooperatives to seek loans from the Rural Electrification Administration in Washington. Kit Carson Electric Cooperative of Taos would borrow \$386,000. A Columbus Electric Cooperative loan at Deming would be \$33,350. System improvements would be financed. The interest rate is a low 2 per cent annually. The PSC also authorized Farley Water Works at Farley to abandon its system which had served only 6 customers. The customers now have their own water supply.
Gov. Cargo appointed John C. Rainer, a Taos Pueblo member, an executive director of the State Commission on Indian Affairs. Rainer resigned as a commission member. His new salary is \$11,500 a year.
The Economic Development Administration approved a \$108,485, 20-year loan to aid in building a retail center on the Mescalero Apache Reservation. The Mescalero Tribe will furnish \$28,418 in matching funds.
The State Park and Recreation Commission monthly newsletter underscored Alamogordo Lake State Park 34 miles south of Santa Rosa and 10 miles north of Fort Sumner. It is one of the newest in the 22-park system but among the largest.

Gov. Cargo named Benjamin M. Sherman, Deming lawyer, to the Interstate Stream Commission. Sherman replaces Elton A. Dickson, Silver City attorney, whose term expired. Sherman was State Bar Association president in 1966-67.
The State Tax Commission was to set 1969 grazing land and livestock valuations Monday. The new rate was likely to be 15 cents an acre an animal unit. No change was anticipated in livestock valuations. The grazing rate would be 4 cents more than the standard usually applied for 10 years.
The 3-member, Republican-controlled Tax Commission held a hearing on the hot issue Dec. 27 and heard protests from numerous counties.

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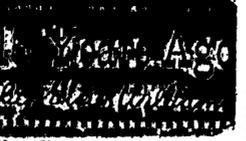
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Las Cruces Artist To Exhibit Here

Carl Coger, a Las Cruces artist, will exhibit 17 paintings and a large assortment of graphics and etchings at a one-man show at the Artisan shop here starting today (Friday).
Coger, who is director of the El Portal Institute for Fine Arts in Las Cruces, specializes in western and southwestern subjects.
All of the paintings on display at the Artisan Shop are landscapes. Although Coger works in all media and handles many subjects, he admits he does more landscapes than anything else.



CARL COGAR



News Items From Ruidoso News' Issue of Jan. 5, 1968.

Members of the Ruidoso Volunteer Fire Department and civil and military personnel from Holoman Air Force Base and members of Mescalero Indian Reservation road crew came here to help the Village of Ruidoso water employees in battling this community's water famine which followed more than a week of below zero temperatures which froze the village water mains. First baby born at the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital in 1964 was a girl, who arrived on January 2, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Thompson of Eudora.

Sale of the last of "Dan Dee Cabins" was announced by the owner this week. Dan D. Sweeting, Jr. who had disposed of 45 units in the last few years. In the final group of 12 units were bought by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perrett of Roscoe, Tex. and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Crowder of Bryan, Texas. Dan Dee Cabins were established in 1937.

Mayor Alton Gray of Green Tree said the newly installed water mains in "cut in" next week to replace the old pipeline system which has proven a headache for many years. The modern and beautiful Makin Lodge has been completed on a tract of land overlooking the rolling meadows north of Cree Meadows Country Club. The large home is a guest house for the owners, employees and friends of Makin Drilling Co. of Hobbs.

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Coger was born in Clarksville, West Virginia, and educated there. He studied in Europe, and has had works on exhibit since 1935 throughout the United States in both group and one-man shows.
The artist has two studios in El Paso, and each summer teaches at Del Mar, Calif.
This summer he will be one of the artist instructors to teach classes at the Carrizo Lodge serving there from Aug. 11-23 inclusive.
Coger's paintings are of the traditional school, but he expresses tolerance for abstract painting, too. In a personal statement included in one of his brochures, Coger said, "To me, the essence of painting is to search out the essential truth and beauty of the world around me... Only time will determine where I have succeeded or failed."

There are some small sketches he did last summer on a 9,000-mile motor trip through the Rockies and the Cascades.
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| Bank balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection | 1,271,620.28 |
| United States Government obligations | 1,809,262.89 |
| Reserves of States and political subdivisions | 1,215,122.72 |
| Other securities (including \$1.80 corporate stocks) | 1.90 |
| Other loans and discounts | 2,618,062.11 |
| Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises | 124,300.55 |
| Real estate owned other than bank premises | 33,000.48 |
| Other assets | 647.78 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 8,139,017.56 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 2,807,012.07 |
| Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 2,807,722.51 |
| Deposits of United States Government | 88,778.47 |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions | 1,266,317.54 |
| Deposits of Commercial Banks | 78,000.00 |
| Certified and officers' checks, etc. | 152,089.00 |
| TOTAL DEPOSITS | 8,749,899.59 |
| (a) Total demand deposits | 83,897,144.08 |
| (b) Total time and savings deposits | 23,507,722.51 |
| Other liabilities | 9,278.89 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 7,674,241.59 |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | |
| Capital: net Common stock, total par value | 186,060.80 |
| No. shares authorized | 19,000 |
| No. shares outstanding | 19,000 |
| Reserves | |
| Undivided profits | 300,000.00 |
| Reserves for Contingencies and other Capital Reserves | 69,778.10 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | 864,778.16 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | 8,139,017.56 |
| MEMORANDA | |
| Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date | 7,392,240.09 |
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Warriors Open Conference Play

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The Lakers are tabbed as a top

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threat in the contest and are paced by George Romero and Ace Araujo. Romero pumped in 20 points last week as his team took a 47-42 beating at the hands of the Dexter Demons. Araujo hit 12 markers.

The Warriors scored two victories over the week-end, downing Captain 73 to 56 and Tularosa 67 to 52.

The Captain Tigers lived up to their name before lack of bench strength caught up with Coach John Dickey's squad. The Tigers held a 32 to 31 lead at half time but their short bench spelled the difference.

The Warriors broke the game

open in the third quarter with a 22 point scoring outburst while the fighting Tigers could only drop in nine markers.

Jack Valliant's 22 points was high for Ruidoso while Robert Brown paced the Captain attack with 16.

Also scoring in double figures for the Warriors was Rick Scott, with 19 and Barry Nelson with 13. Ervin Aldaz with 12 and Buddy Hall with 11 were Captain's other double figure men.

At Tularosa the Warriors found themselves up against a full court press and playing in a tiny gym. The school's new court had not been completed in time for the game as Ruidoso Coach Curtiss Kelley had been expecting.

Kelley responded by having his troops also use the press and it was a wild game on the tiny floor for a while.

Ruidoso took an 18 to 14 first quarter lead and was never headed. Valliant had a big night for the Warriors as he scored 35 points, mostly from inside the key. Scott with 12 was the only other man in double figures as Ruidoso concentrated on feeding the red-hot Valliant.

Tom Candelaria was high for Tularosa with 21.

SKI MEET SET HERE SATURDAY

Junior skiers from throughout New Mexico will congregate at the Sierra Blanca ski run Saturday for the second portion of the Class C championships.

Sunday the skiers will be at Cloudcroft attempting to qualify for the Class B category for the national meet in Aspen, Colo., Jan. 18.

Coach Ray Heid said skiing conditions at Taos last week were extremely poor with the races being held on four inches of heavily salted snow. According to Heid, this spelled nothing but trouble for his aggressive and hard skiers.

Racing under an age waiver, Dale Pearson, 11, took second place in the first run even though he was competing against older skiers. Pearson also had the third best time in the meet.

Joe Bob McGuire, 12, despite making the last run of the meet, posted the second best time in the second run. McGuire was the smallest skier and Pearson the youngest on the slopes, Heid said.

Ruidoso boys who scored were: Gary Stagner, who took third in Class C despite several splits on the way down and Mark Wimberly who took first in Class B with the fastest time on the short course.

Nine Barbary Sheep Taken In Hondo Hunt

A total of 57 hunters had checked in for the Hondo area Barbary sheep hunt by the second night of the season Sunday and to that time, nine sheep had been taken.

The animals are reported fairly well scattered over the area with most of the hunters seeing a number of sheep.

The kill was down over last year's but Department officials surmised that this was due to the more restrictive horn length established this year. The 1968 season required the horns to be at least 12 inches in length.

To be legal, the sheep must have horns of 15 inches or longer and it is reported that this is causing some concern among the hunters and some of them might be passing up some shots at legal animals rather than taking a chance at shooting one that did not meet the requirements.

One sheep that did not meet the minimum 15 inches was killed and the hunter turned the animal in to the Department of Game and Fish officers.

A total of 60 licenses were issued for the hunt.

Little Warriors Win One, Lose One

The Little Warriors of Coach James Sanchez broke even in two road games last week.

The Ruidoso High "B" team edged Captain 50 to 49 but were ice cold against Tularosa, dropping a 55 to 29 decision.

Jim Davis was high point man against Captain with 12. Gary Stagner scored eight in the Tularosa game.



COMING ON—Pat Farrar demonstrates how to dribble. Off to a late start this season, Farrar has been improving steadily and seeing plenty of action.



HOOKER — Lynn Perry demonstrates his hook shot. Perry hopes to see action when the Ruidoso Warriors meet Lake Arthur on the Warrior court Saturday night.

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| Team | W | L |
|-------------------|----|----|
| Gingerbread House | 44 | 16 |
| Wimberly Elec. | 37 | 23 |
| Apache Music | 31 | 29 |
| Alto Village | 31 | 24 |
| Redmann TV | 26 | 34 |
| N. M. Glass Co. | 23 | 37 |
| Holiday Bowl | 23 | 37 |
| Swearingin, Inc. | 22 | 34 |

High team 3-game series: Gingerbread House, 2417; Wimberly Electric, 2283; Redmann TV, 2268. High team game: Gingerbread House, 824; Redmann TV, 821; Apache Music, 813.

High individual 3-game series: Jerry Reynolds, 535; Gene Scott, 486; Dick Smith, 479; Annie Keith, 554; Margie Kannady, 473; Betty Chrisman, 446. High individual game: Jerry Reynolds, 226; Gene Scott, 188; Fred Rogge, 179; Annie Keith, 225; Margie Kannady, 116; Betty Chrisman, 174.

Splits converted: Annie Keith, 2-7-10; Margie Kannady, 3-10; Sandy Reynolds, 5-10.

The bowling schedule for Jan. 13 will be position night.

Ruidoso Ladies' League

Results of Jan. 7

| Team | W | L |
|----------------------|-----|-----|
| Von Rosenberg Const. | 39½ | 10½ |
| McCarthy Const. | 33 | 23 |
| Holiday House | 32 | 24 |
| Apache Music | 30 | 26 |
| Gambles | 29 | 27 |
| Ruidoso State Bank | 28 | 28 |
| Hollywood Lbr. | 26 | 30 |
| Sierra Blanca Mrs. | 23 | 33 |
| Hancock Shop Cen. | 22½ | 33½ |
| Boytan Real Estate | 17 | 39 |

High team 3-game series: Ruidoso State Bank, 1966; Gambles, 1931; Boykin Real Estate, 1924. High team game: Ruidoso State Bank 608; Von Rosenberg Const., 679; Sierra Blanca Motors, 676.

High individual 3-game series: Ava McCune, 527; Margie Kannady, 469; Anne Brunell, 452. High individual game: Anne Brunell, 189; Ava McCune, 186; Margie Kannady, 173.

Splits converted: Cells Carpenter, 2-9-7; Kay Allison, 4-10; Wanda Shaw, 2-7-10; Margie Kannady, 5-10; Phyllis McCarthy, 2-7; Hope Goodman, 5-6-10.

Bowling schedule for Jan. 14:

| Date | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|---|---|----|----|---|---|---|---|
| Ruidoso State Bank vs Holiday House | 1 | 60 | 4 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Hollywood Lumber vs. Gambles | 2 | 60 | 10 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Hancock Shopping Center vs Boykin Real Estate | 3 | 43 | 24 | 0 | 0 | | |
| McCarthy Construction vs Von Rosenberg Construction | 4 | 42 | 5 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Apache Music vs Sierra Blanca Motors | 5 | 55 | 10 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | 6 | 63 | 16 | 0 | 0 | | |
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Texas Couple Buys Motel

The West Winds Motel has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Byrd of Houston, Tex. The motel will be managed by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brunette of Bryan, Texas, who will make their home here. The Byrds plan eventually to make their home in Ruidoso also. Mr. and Mrs. Brunette have two grown children: a daughter, Mrs. John Taylor of Dallas, and a son, Robert C. Brunette, stationed in Germany with the U. S. Air Force. Mrs. Lois Keene, former manager, was scheduled to undergo eye surgery Jan. 7 in Houston. She is uncertain about her future plans.

Plan to retire in Ruidoso!



WIN LICENSES—Jesse Perfee (left) and N. B. (Buck) Buckley, salesmen for Dan D. Swearingin, Inc., real estate firm, proudly display new real estate salesmen's license. Both men passed salesmen's tests recently in Santa Fe.

County Approves Rio Bonito Unit

The new Lincoln County Commission Tuesday approved a new, 115-lot unit of the Rio Bonito Estate, subdivision located adjacent to the Fort Stanton Reservation between Highway 37 and Fort Stanton. The subdivision, to include an eventual total of 1000 lots on 376 acres is a project of the Southwest Land Development Corporation. A total of 172 lots have already been sold. Commissioners also granted Bonito Services, Inc., a corporation formed by the developers, the right and necessary licenses and easements to build a water supply and sewage disposal system for the subdivision. Jack Kannady of Kannady Engineering Co. presented the proposed subdivision map to the commission. Commissioners reacted with enthusiasm to the project. Their only concern was to determine whether taxes on the land had been paid. "They had," "I think it's fine," declared Commissioner Charles Jones of Capitlan. "I'm glad to see it happen." Chairman Don Stark of Ruidoso said, "I see nothing wrong with it." Kannady said the subdivision must conform to the requirements of the New Mexico State Health Department regarding water supply and sewage disposal. Sewage disposal will be by septic tanks and overflow basins on the individual, one-fourth-acre lots, he said. There is a well on the property. The subdivider plans to use four to six inches of gravel on the streets, the engineer said. "The subdivider will assume responsibility for the maintenance of roads until they are brought up to county standards," he added. Jones commented that he foresees a time the county and the subdividers "might be in trouble over roads." "Could we pass on the cost to the people who buy these lots?" he asked. Kannady replied that a New Mexico statute permits cities to levy a street maintenance tax, and he thinks counties can do the same. "Well, we can't pay for it, so we should prepare ourselves," Jones said. Stark commented, "Eventually, subdividers are going to eat the county's lunch as far as maintenance is concerned." Jones said that streets eventually are going to be oiled. "They have to be, if we get people to come in," he declared.

County Agent's Column

List Your Stuff- It Might Burn Up

By RALPH DUNLAP
Do you know what your personal possessions are worth? You'd need to know if your home were destroyed by a fire, storm or other disaster. After such losses, families usually have a hard time remembering all their possessions.

The average person doesn't know within several hundred dollars what the furnishings in his house are worth, because possessions are usually bought a piece at a time. The only way you can get an accurate idea of the worth of your household things is to make a list of them. Your insurance agent generally has a list to help you in taking the inventory. This will take time, but it doesn't have to be dull. And knowing the true facts about your financial standing can be satisfying assurance of future security.

A good inventory not only gives you protection, it also helps you plan. You can plan replacements ahead of time. You can also decide the amount of insurance needed. It is wise to keep a record of the date of purchase, name of dealer and cost of each item. This inventory will protect you by making it easier to prepare a claim if you

have a loss. Keep your inventory in a safe place, outside the house where it will be safe if a loss occurs. Keeping two copies in different places is a good idea. Don't forget to keep it up-to-date.

WHY STOP SMOKING?
The reasons for wanting to stop smoking are as varied as the attitudes and desires of the individuals wanting to quit. Research has shown that health is not the only reason that people try to break the tobacco habit. Here are the most common reasons people try to quit:

For some people, setting an example for others is a very important part of the desire to stop smoking. The influence of the parent on his child is one such example. We know that almost twice as many high school students smoke if both parents smoke cigarettes than if they are non-smokers or former smokers. The desire of the doctor or other health professionals to set a good example for his patients, the teachers for his students, the sports hero for his youthful fans, can be

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| Team | W | L |
|---------------------|--------|--------|
| Jones Const. | 40 | 16 |
| Manana | 39 | 17 |
| Alto Village | 30 1/2 | 25 1/2 |
| C. & L. Lbr. | 30 1/2 | 25 1/2 |
| Holsum Bread | 29 | 27 |
| Ruidoso Tele. Co. | 28 | 28 |
| Ruidoso Natural Gas | 23 | 33 |
| Smoky Bear Motel | 23 | 34 |
| Skyview Texico | 21 | 35 |
| Phillips "66" | 17 | 39 |

High team 3-game series: Holsum Bread, 2836; Smoky Bear Motel, 2797; Skyview Texico, 2788. High team game: Smoky Bear Motel, 1006; Holsum Bread, 990; Phillips "66", 970.

High Individual Series: Virgil Reynolds, 586; Gene Scott, 580; Jack Kannady, Jr., 574. High individual game: Virgil Reynolds, 213; Jack Kannady, Jr., 214; Virgil Reynolds, 212.

Legal Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO WITHIN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EMORY HOWARD LATHAM, Deceased

PROBATE NO. 59
NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Amy E. Latham; Will Howard Latham; Marjorie Alice Latham Harcrow; all unknown heirs of Emory Howard Latham, deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title, or interest in or to the estate of said decedent:

Amy E. Latham, Administratrix, has filed her Final Account and Report, and on the 21st day of February, 1969, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, at the District Court in Currioso, New Mexico, the Court will proceed to determine the legitimacy of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

RICHARD A. PARSONS, P. O. Box 1000, Ruidoso, New Mexico, is attorney for the Administratrix.

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Apple Marketing Is Meeting Topic

Apple marketing will be discussed at the Lincoln County Development Association meeting at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 13 at the Silver Dollar in Thunde. Ralph Dunlap, secretary of the association and Lincoln County extension agent, said the possibility of establishing an apple canning or processing plant will be considered. One purpose of such a plant would be to use the apples which are not of top quality and color, so that they will not lower the price of all the Hando Valley apples. If cold storage apples

Oil Lease Rent Increase Looms

The Department of the Interior has proposed an amendment to the Code of Regulations which in some cases would permit it to charge more than the current flat 50 cents per acre per year rental for oil and gas leases on federal land which are leased without competitive bidding. Leases for tracts which lie outside the known geologic structure of production oil and gas fields are sold on a noncompetitive basis. Production from leases, however, yields royalty payments to the United States of one-eighth of the gross value of oil or gas produced. Where known geologic structures are involved, bid competition often produces bonus bidding in addition, substantially adding to the federal treasury. Interior officials said that non-competitive leasing has led to the development of middleman groups, largely professional lease brokers, who take up a large proportion of the leases, and hold the land at 50 cents per acre per year pending active development by oil firms. Operating companies thus in many cases deal with the middleman, paying him substantial sums for the lease on his holds. The new 60-cent-per-acre rental creates an incentive for such practices, Interior officials said, with the result that the federal treasury is deprived of much of the return due it. This is true, they said, particularly in areas where the successful applicant is almost certain to sell his lease for a handsome return. Adoption of a flexible rental rule would eliminate the "get rich quick" attraction of these leases and make it unnecessary to adopt more stringent regulations, they said.

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The estimated cost to business and industry per year from alcoholism to \$2 billion, City, county, state, federal and private agencies spend another \$1 billion combatting the effects of this disease, according to the National Council on Alcoholism.

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Peace Corps Test Scheduled

Ruidoso area residents interested in putting their skills to use in developing nations around the world are invited to take the Peace Corps Placement Test at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 18 at the Las Cruces Main Post Office.

The Peace Corps uses the Placement Test to determine how an applicant can best be utilized overseas. The test measures general aptitude and the ability to learn a language, not education or achievement. The test requires no preparation and is non-competitive; an applicant can neither pass nor fail.

Persons interested in serving with the Peace Corps must fill out an application, if they have not already done so, and present it to the tester before the test. Application forms are available from post offices or from the Peace Corps in Washington, D. C. 20525.

Fifteen thousand volunteers are currently serving in Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands, working with the people of those nations in self-help projects ranging from food production to health to education. More volunteers are needed for programs which will begin this spring and summer.

A Negro was a member of his active Evangelical committee.

When he held a funeral for a Negro serviceman killed in Vietnam, the church was packed by both white and black persons.

"I think the issue of race is being approached realistically in our church," he said. "The only way is to work side by side, and not worry about whether a person is white or black, blue or green."

Montoya Hits Federal Boost In Grazing Fees

U. S. Senator Joseph M. Montoya (D.-N.M.) strongly protested increased livestock grazing fees on federal lands in letters to Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman and Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall.

Increases in such fees to bring them somewhat more closely into line with fees charged for private lands were recently announced by Freeman and Udall. They are scheduled to go into effect this month.

Montoya expressed concern about the impact of the increase on the livestock industry, the communities which serve the industry, and consumer food costs.

He said the proposed increase is the only visible product of a \$900,000 study of public land use made by the Department of Agriculture. He charged that results of the study have never been published, and he has been unable to obtain a detailed explanation of the study's findings.

Information obtained from the Bureau of Land Management office in Roswell and the Ruidoso District of the Lincoln National Forest indicated that at least 113 Lincoln County ranchers would be affected by the grazing fee increase.

Present fee is 33 cents per animal unit on BLM lands and 36 cents in the Lincoln National Forest.

The announced increase would raise grazing fee nine cents per head per year for the next 10 years.

Warrior Booster Club meets each Thursday 7:30 p.m. High school library. Be there.



PROGRESSIVE METHODIST—Richard LaPine, young minister of the Community United Methodist Church here, is noted for his modern methods and innovative spirit. At left is the building, built in log cabin style appropriate to the Ruidoso mountain area.

Methodist Church Starts "Come As You Are" Service

"Come as you are" church services will be initiated Sunday at the Community United Methodist Church in Ruidoso.

The Rev. Richard LaPine, pastor, said any attire, including ski clothes, will be in order at the informal service from 8 to 9:30 a.m.

The new feature is typical of the innovative approach adopted by LaPine, a young minister who believes that the church should adapt itself to modern methods and the needs of the community.

His original methods earned him a writeup in the El Paso Times' "Southwestern in Focus" column when he was pastor of the Glen Arbor Methodist Church there.

He started drive-in church services with the slogan "Come as you are and worship in your car."

He explained the drive-in services were for the benefit of those who might have a sick child, or simply

for those who didn't want to dress up for church. Also, since both morning services were unusually full, the drive-in feature helped take care of the overflow.

His sermons were piped into the parking lot via loudspeaker, and hymnals were distributed to those wishing to join in the singing.

In Ruidoso, LaPine conducts two services each Sunday morning and has found attendance to be very good.

"I put a lot of time in on preparation of sermons," he said, "sometimes even to the exclusion of other things I ought to be doing. It's my thing, I guess. Some ministers put in more time in visits, or on youth work."

A broken back helped to direct LaPine, a native of Syracuse, N. Y., to the ministry. He originally planned a career as an air force officer. While attending the Air

Force Academy at Denver, Colo., he suffered a broken back in an automobile accident.

This ended his career prospects. However, after his recovery he entered the air force, received flight training and was assigned to Walker Air Force Base at Roswell.

It was while stationed at Roswell that he decided to make a career of the ministry. A dominant factor in his decision was the guidance of Dr. Austin Dillon, minister of the First Methodist Church in Roswell.

"By heritage, I had always been a Methodist," he said, "but not always a practicing Methodist."

After his discharge from the Air Force he attended the University of Texas at El Paso.

He received his B. A. from the University of Texas at El Paso and his M. Div. from the Perkins School of Theology in Dallas.

LaPine is currently in his 11th year in the ministry. He was pastor at Glen Arbor for two years, and was appointed by the area bishop to the Ruidoso church in May of 1963.

His wife, Sharon, is the author of an interesting and readable little book entitled "The Bishop and His Lady," a tribute to Bishop and Mrs. W. Angus Smith, published in May. It was presented to the veteran southwestern bishop at his retirement service in El Paso.

The Community United Methodist Church was established in Ruidoso in November, 1945. It now has 375 members, making it one of the largest congregations in town.

"The Methodist Church last year combined with the United Brethren to become the United Methodist Church. It is now the largest Protestant church, with 11 million worldwide members."

There is now on the possibility of union of Protestant churches are some which are reserved than those of the Rev. Kenneth Cole of the First Christian Church, who was quoted here last week.

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Outpost Hill Draws Visitors

Numerous cars parked on Outpost Hill during the day of Christmas New Year vacation. They came loaded with young folks, and inflated inner tubes and to-boggan type vehicles. Sunny skies and snow slopes were just right for such wintery sport. Most who came made courteous requests to park. A few expressed thanks for the privilege before leaving. They left a pleasant memory of Christmas spirit to last for many months. Eighteen youngsters sang Christmas Carols on Christmas Eve in the Desert Lodge of Sierra Blanca Camp. The Youth Choir came from the United Methodist Church in Capitan. They wore white ponchos with red crosses on the front for girls and blue crosses for the boys. Refreshments were served by the boys of the camp Singers were: Patsie Dobbins, Laura Lee Lacey, Jennie Smith, Ronnie Smith, Larry Smith, Rose Bowerman, Pam Bowerman, Nicki Nethaway, Allyson Nethaway, Chipper Nethaway, Jamie Nethaway, Vicky Reed, Todd Ingalls, Karen, Ray and Todd Ingalls, Beth and Jenann Kline, Superintendent Dr. M. Buren Stewart. Honored guests of the American art

Wagon in Capitan tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock in Capitan High School, are local Vietnam veterans. Commander M. C. Grantham brings a welcome to these most recent defenders of our country. Part of the evening will be used to discuss "How Yague to Victory in Vietnam." All veterans are welcome. Mr. Barnett Kline's name appears in the current national list of World Book Encyclopedia "Super-sealers" (the who place ten sets in schools or homes in one week). The first day of 1969, for Chaplain and Mr. Kline, was celebrated by a visit from U. S. Marine Capt. and Mrs. Alfred Kline of Albuquerque. They brought two girls and a brother of his wife, Susan. They arrived on New Year's Eve, which served as a delayed Christmas Eve. They returned to their home in mid-afternoon of New Year's Day. Exactly 60 persons were present in Capitan United Methodist Church last Sunday at 9 a. m. for the first visit of the new El Paso District Ingalls, Beth and Jenann Kline, Superintendent Dr. M. Buren Stewart. Honored guests of the American art



IT'S HERE!—This happy man, as most Ruidosians will know, is Carman Phillips, operator of the Old Mill Curio Shop and editor-photographer of Pictorial Ruidoso. A shipment of copies of Phillips' fifth annual edition of the popular photographic publication has arrived from the printer and is now on sale at Phillips' shop and the Ruidoso News office.

CANYON ECHOES

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The Ruidoso News
Friday, January 10, 1969

Duane Burke visited in Ruidoso over the holidays. He is stationed at Ft. Ord, Calif., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Burke of Ruidoso Downs.

Mrs. Lyndy Samelson and son Chris, toured California over the holidays and spent Christmas in San Francisco. Chris has returned

and their son, Joe of Alamogordo. Dr. Stewart preached on the subject "The Church is For Eternity." Exactly 20 youngsters sang in the "Youth Choir" under the direction of Jennie Smith of Fort Stanton. They sang "I Can Light A Candle - God Can Light A Star" and "Jesus Was A Loving Teacher." Chaplain Kline transported the car song in "Brother Dan Lights Our Church With Truth and Love. Jesus Light, The Whole World With Truth and Love. Both of them are already needed and helpful, giving us the light in our world of darkness."

Singers were Abbey Allen, Jerry Allen, Jennie Smith, Ronnie and Verna Hobbs, Nicolette Nethaway, Allyson, Chipper, and Jamie Nethaway, Beth and Jenann Kline, Karen Meador, Kenny Meador, Beth and Jenann Kline.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. M. Buren Stewart, Mrs. Fay McGowan and Mrs. Jennie Nethaway.

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Visiting in the Ruth Moore home over the holidays was Lt. Joe Moore and a visitor from Norway, Lt. Even Odill, who is training in the United States. Lt. Odill especially enjoyed the skiing here.

Alpha Delta Kappa sorority met Saturday in the home of Mrs. Bernice Morrison, Kathleen Thompson, president. In the absence of Inez Pacheco, president. After a short business meeting, a round table discussion was held on television and its impact. Mrs. Morrison served fruit cake, dips and chips and coffee. Quite a few members were absent because of illness and because of school being held in Capitan.

Mr. and Mrs. Heavy Cunningham recently attended a chorus and ensemble concert at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces. Their daughter, Sadala, is a member of the University Chorus.

Gary Sims, central office foreman for Ruidoso Telephone Co., and Mike Coy, another central office phone man, are attending a two-week electronic school in Victorville, Calif.

Len Salice, his daughter, Mrs. Ramy Chastain and her son Danny returned to New Mexico from Phoenix to attend the recent funeral of Salice's nephew, Dean Needham, in Arizona. Also attending was Salice's daughter, Mrs. Gary Sims of Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Brechelen have returned to Ruidoso following a two month trip which took them through 13 southern-term states.

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Sierra Blanca Ski Resort
Ski Report—1968-69 Ski Season

1. The only official ski reports from the Sierra Blanca Ski Resort are available 24 hours a day by telephoning Area Code 505-257-4252. Note: Radio stations and newspapers will also be using this source to assure continuity and avoid misunderstandings.

2. These recorded ski reports will normally be changed twice daily, once in the morning (no later than 9 o'clock) and once in the afternoon (between 4:00 and 5:00 p.m.).

3. In the event that there is a change of skiing conditions during the day, i.e., additional snow fall, the recorded ski report will be so changed.

4. The recorded ski report will include the day and date, base snow depth in inches; skiing conditions rated as excellent, good, fair or poor; new snow in either past 24 hours and/or in past 10 days, and the weather at report time.

5. Ski Report Legend and Policy: Excellent—Sufficient base to cover any and all obstacles on all trails, and come new snow within past 10 days.

Good—Sufficient base to cover all trails. No new snow within the past 10 days and surface conditions may vary to some extent, particularly from top of mountain to the base.

Fair—Snow coverage not sufficient to cover all trails completely. Some obstacles may be showing on any or all trails.

Poor—Many obstacles (bare spots, clumps, rocks, etc.) showing on all trails. Some lifts and zone trails may be closed due to insufficient snow.

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B. There may be times when all trails do not have the same conditions or the top of the mountain may not have the same conditions as the bottom. In this situation the report will be issued on the man-

agement's best judgment of the average conditions.

C. The New Mexico State Highway Department maintains the highway with the finest snow removal equipment available, and as a result the highway conditions can

change from bad to good within the hour. Thus it is impossible to report highway conditions. Chains may be required at any time, and we advise skiers to have chains with them at all times when driving to the ski area.

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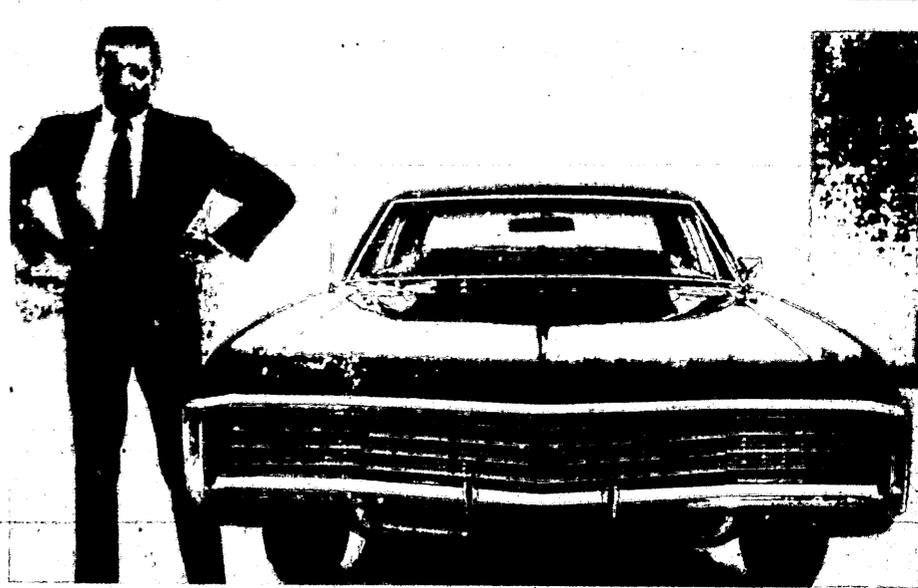
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