

Jet Crash Fatal To Navigator, Pilot Lives

An Air Force F4D Phantom jet fighter on a flight from Cannon Air Force Base near Clovis to Holloman Air Force Base, Alamogordo, crashed about 27 miles northwest of Capitan Friday.

The pilot, Capt. Richard J. Bishop Jr., 28, apparently ejected successfully and was found Saturday morning near Capitan.

He was pronounced in good condition at the HAFB hospital, chilled but apparently uninjured.

The body of Capt. Donald N. Sheff, 28, navigator, was found at noon Saturday by searchers.

Air Force spokesmen at HAFB said Sheff is survived by his widow Christine and two daughters, Elaine 2, and Elizabeth, 7 months, of Alamogordo. Sheff's father is Bertram N. Sheff of Trenton, N. J.

The jet disappeared Friday while three aircraft were flying an instrument holding pattern north of Holloman.

The first two aircraft cleared to begin their landing approach but the third failed to acknowledge the tower's instructions.



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Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico—Zip Code: 88345

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1969

- SEE -
"The Perfect Idiot"
8:00 p.m.
Thursday, Dec. 11
High School Gym

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Bob Hollis To Head Planning And Zoning

Selected to head the Ruidoso Planning and Zoning Commission during an organizational meeting last week was Bob Hollis, Ruidoso.

Sonny Blackwelder will serve as vice-chairman and Stormy Edwards as secretary.

Members of the commission include Tom Jasper, Johnny Mobley and Stormy Edwards. New members are M. R. "Del" Delhotal and W. N. "Buck" Morrison.

Elmer Pirelli, past chairman, outlined objectives of the committee. Pirelli has resigned due to his office as village councilman.

Delhotal, Hollis and Morrison will serve three year terms, Edwards and Mobley are slated for two year terms. Jasper was selected to serve a one year term.

Tribe Gets \$2.2 Million Federal Grant

Approval of a \$2,297,600 grant to the Mesquero Apache Tribe by the Economic Development Administration this week will bring closer to fulfillment plans that have been on the drawing board since 1962.

The grant, announced Wednesday by Senator Clinton P. Anderson is to be matched with \$574,400 by the tribe. The total project cost of \$2,872,000 will help construct a dam and a 100 acre lake. Both are parts of a major tourism complex planned for the Cienegita area near here.

Anderson said that later development plans include a 120 room hotel, an 18-hole golf course, swimming pool, marina, stables and other recreation facilities.

Anderson feels approval of these funds means a major economic boost for the tribe, and for the area in general.

When contacted Wednesday Reservation Officials said more detailed information would be available next week.

Early plans, published in 1964, call for a multi-million dollar tourism triad consisting of the largest ski area in the Arizona-New Mexico southwest, a resort hotel beside an 18-hole golf course and a 100 acre surface lake, and a dude ranch and hunting lodge.

Seven small dams are planned to protect the large dam which is pictured as being located below the now existing Cienegita fishing lakes

west of the Carrizo Canyon road. The resort hotel site is apparently located at lakeside along the Carrizo Canyon Road. The golf course is planned southwest of the hotel site.

How much of the proposed tourism triad may be accomplished with the money approved by the EDA will probably be one of the questions answered in next week's News.

Parnell Pleads Innocent To Charge

Jack Parnell, Ruidoso Downs, entered a plea of innocent to the charge of refusing to turn in official documents to the proper authorities when arraigned in district court Tuesday.

The suit, filed jointly by Asst. Dist. Attorney, Bill Payne, Carrizozo and Ruidoso Downs Mayor, J. J. DiPaolo, is a criminal suit and a high court misdemeanor. The charge carries a maximum penalty of a one-year prison sentence and/or a \$1,000 fine or both.

No trial date was set.

The J. U. Gibbs, formerly of Hobbs, are the new owners of the Ruidoso Texaco located in the Midtown area of Ruidoso. These new residents of the area are well experienced in the service station field and the service they give really is a credit to the service station profession.

Christmas Blessings From Vietnam

White Mountain Elementary School's third grade students, and their teachers, Mrs. Sidney Miller and Mrs. Pat Newbrough, have received unexpected Christmas blessings from Vietnam.

Early in November Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Newbrough decided that, instead of the usual classroom Christmas gift exchange, their students might enjoy, and learn from, sending gifts and letters to the servicemen in Vietnam.

The children were told there was a war being fought in this faraway country and shown the location. They were encouraged to ask questions and the letters sent were not corrected except when illegible.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Newbrough were called through the office of Ed Fierstein, U. S. Congressman, N. M. 1st District.

Gifts, listed by a magazine as being practical for overseas shipment, were gathered together. Students made stationary by decorating note pads with Christmas wrapping cut-outs. The box was mailed before November 8 and was received by Mail Clerk, Cpl. Gilbert Craig Mathews of Delta Co., near Chu Lai, South Vietnam.

This week the class and individual students began to receive answers to their letters.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Newbrough feel that perhaps their third grade children have received extra special Christmas blessings from these letters and the Ruidoso News' editors agree.

The News is publishing the letters, received to date, to share these Christmas blessings with our readers.

Readers who would like specific addresses of service men and women may obtain them at the News office. Plans are to forward a copy of this issue of the News to each Vietnam pen pal.

Cpl. Gilbert Craig Mathews, near Carr, Don Buddy, Sean, Borde, Eston, Danielle, Susan, George, Ross, Richard, Troy, Jan, Lisa, Lynn, Dave, Grover, Carol, Anne, Kim, Cheryl, J. C., Teri, Benny, Mike, Wyman, Nancy and Donna.

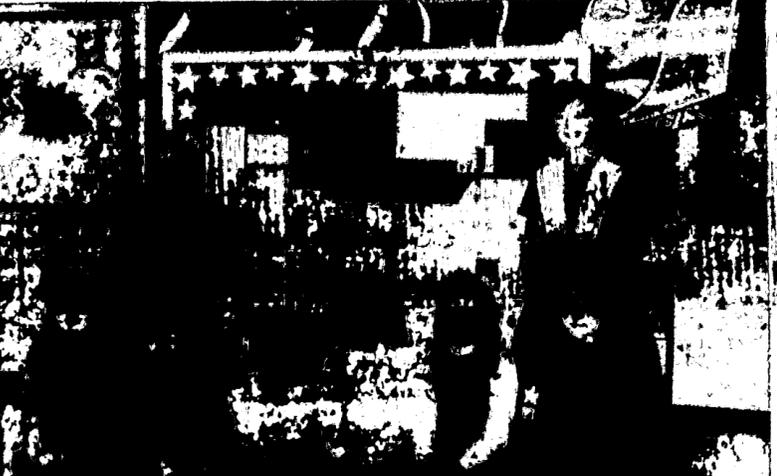
My name is Craig Mathews and I'm the mail clerk for Delta Co., 1st Battalion, 52nd Infantry, 103th Brigade, Americal Division.

Most of the time we just say Delta Co. or "Dog Co." Delta is an infantry company. That means they are foot soldiers and walk most everywhere they go. They carry M-16 rifles, grenade launchers and machine guns.

I used to be a machine gunner, but when you have been here for quite awhile they let you come to the rear (safe area) till you go home, so that's how I got to be a mail clerk.

Anyway, I was down at the U. S. O., a recreation place for G. I.'s. (Continued to Page 2—Sec. B)

Christmas Blessings From Vietnam



VIETNAM PEN PALS—Shown before a bulletin board displaying letters and pictures of service men who have answered letters written by students in Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Newbrough's third grade class at White Mountain Elementary School are: (sitting left to right), Teri Tewnley, Sharon Allison, Debbie Ford, Xan Fitzgerald, Teresa Nyberg and Laine Perry. (Standing left) is Susan Corrie Miller, and (right) is Janet Sopher. The Mail Clerk of Delta Company, Cpl. Gilbert Craig Mathews, has sent poster-pictures of Vietnam to the children.



FIRST BORROWER—Shown left to right are Ed Wimberly, president of Ruidoso State Bank, Bill Hanley, State National Bank, El Paso, first person to receive a loan, and Bill Hurcheson, chairman of the board of directors. The picture was taken during the Sunday open house celebrating the bank's 1969 expansion program.

Ruidoso State Bank Formal Showing Draws Over 300

Around 300 persons registered for the formal Open House celebration of the Ruidoso State Bank's expanded program completion. The event was held last Sunday, December 7th in conjunction with the bank's 14th Anniversary. The affair was also highlighted with the announcement by the Ruidoso State Bank that steps had been taken to

investigate the possibility of expanding a branch bank to Capitan in 1973, was on hand for the event. Hanley presently is with the El Paso National Bank, El Paso, Texas. Other bankers attending, included Dick Harris, Tom Foster, Clyde Wood, Frank Wolf and Bill Multaulett.

Ruidoso Security Bank Awaits FDIC Approval To Open

A second bank, The Security Bank of Ruidoso, may be opening here within 60-90 days.

The new bank, located in the former Gateway Market building, is awaiting approval by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

The upholding of a charter earlier approved by the state banking commissioner's Judge Samuel Z. Montoya of Santa Fe last week has removed a major obstacle to the bank's opening.

The decision supports commissioner Grant Brumlow's approval of the charter on May 16.

A petition was filed in district court in Carrizozo last spring by the Ruidoso State Bank requesting the reversal of Brumlow's approval.

The petition was heard in Santa Fe on advice of District Judge E. Forest Sanders. The hearing, preceding last week's decision, was conducted in the summer.

Expected to be holding company of the new bank is Bank Securities, Inc., the only New Mexico owned and based registered bank holding company.

Banks now in the Security family are: Security Bank and Trust, Alamogordo, Tularosa and Holloman Air Force Base; Citizens State Bank of Vaughn, Estancia and Carrizozo; and the First State Bank of Cuba, Bernalillo and Corrales.

President of the Board of Directors is C. H. "Sonny" Wood. Board members include J. P. McKnight, Picacho; Fletcher Hall, Capitan; Dr. R. L. Annala, Ruidoso; Dan Swearingin, Ruidoso; Jack Jennings, Ruidoso; R. G. Scribner, Alto; Ted Bonnell, Ken Bonnell and Maurice Hopson, all of Alamogordo.

Downs Mayor Asks That Records Be Returned To Village Premises

At the Ruidoso Downs regular semi-monthly meeting Monday night Mayor Jack DiPaolo issued a new plea for return of the records of the Planning and Zoning Commission to village premises.

All council members were present and approximately 35 visitors were on hand to observe the brief proceedings.

Village Clerk Alton Gray announced the village had received a letter from Mrs. Vaden McCray, planning and zoning commission secretary, on Dec. 5.

Along with the letter were the minutes of the Planning and Zoning Commission meeting of December 1. Mrs. McCray stated these were the only records in her possession.

Mayor DiPaolo asked Tom Matthews, member of the planning and zoning commission if he knew of any Planning and Zoning Commission minutes. Matthews replied, "I don't know, I'm not the secretary, you'll have to ask Mrs. McCray."

Mrs. McCray has been secretary of the Planning and Zoning Commission since the summer of 1968.

During the routine payment of bills, upon question, Village Attorney Richard A. Parsons explained that a \$410.00 bill from him included his services in investigating H. A. Parnell and Vaden McCray in relation to their dismissal from the Planning and Zoning Commission and Housing Authority.

Also included in the bill were preparations pertinent to defense (Continued to Page 4—Sec. A)

Capitan Tiger Band Will Hold Winter Concert

The Capitan Tiger Band will present its winter concert, Tuesday night, December 16th, 7:30 p. m. in the Capitan High School gymnasium.

The program will include the selections: "Winter Wonderland," "It Came Upon A Midnight Clear," "Quiet Song," a clarinet solo, and "Joy To The World."

"Frosty The Snow Man," "Ode To Autumn," "Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer," "Let There Be Peace On Earth," "Silent Night," "Come All Ye Faithful," "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," "White Christmas" with a solo by Francisco Trujillo, and "Jingle Bells."

The beginning band will play several selections from the Betwin book.

In his 9th year as director of the Capitan Tiger Band is Bartley McDonough. Tiger band members number 49 and there are 35 members in the "B" band.

Drum major this year is Francisco Trujillo. Majorettes are Jan LaMay, Jean Austin, Nicolette Nethaway, Allison Nethaway, and Cecelia Padilla. Banner carriers are Patty Dobbins and Laura Lacy.

The Tiger Band has performed at all home football games and games in Carrizozo and Corona. The band has also marched this year in parades in Ruidoso, Capitan and Roswell.

Sponsored Recreation Subject of Elks, Parents, Teenagers Meeting

Sponsored recreation for area teenagers will be the subject under discussion at a meeting of Elks, parents and teenagers, Sunday, Dec. 14, 10:00 a. m. at the Elks Lodge west of Ruidoso on Highway 70.

Parents and teenagers are urged to attend this meeting. Teenagers will receive the opportunity to make their wants known regarding the possibility of the Elks organizing and sponsoring recreation such as dancing, swimming, roller skating, hay rides, horseback riding, and other sponsor any reasonable recreation they have.

Band Boosters To Serve Enchilada Supper During Invitational Tourney

The Band Boosters Club will serve an enchilada supper at the Ruidoso High School Cafeteria Dec. 10, 5:00 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. in conjunction with the first evening of the Ruidoso Invitational Basketball Tournament Dec. 10-20.

The charge will be \$1.25 for adults and 75c for children 12 and under.

Proceeds will go toward defraying band expenses. Mrs. Louise Wood, chairman of the enchilada supper committee said "We will be serving enchiladas, bean salad, cake, coffee and milk. Please come and support your Ruidoso High School Band."

Action Is Deferred In Stiles Removal Suit

A suit requesting removal of Judge Stiles, and he ordered Hugh Stiles, from the Ruidoso Downs Village Council, filed November 13, with Harley A. Parnell as plaintiff and the board of trustees of the Village of Ruidoso as defendants Richard Parson, Downing, J. J. "Jack" DiPaolo, J. A. Crockett, Billie Hale, Clovis Perry and Hugh Stiles as defendants was deferred by district Judge Richard A. Stanley of Alamogordo Tuesday.

Attorneys Norman Bloom and Crockett, Billie Hale, Crovis Perry and Hugh Stiles as defendants was granted 10 days to submit a brief

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Storm Knocks Out Toll Calls

Long distance telephone service in the areas of Ruidoso, the Hondo Valley and Capitan area was cut off from Friday night to Monday afternoon when a snow and wind storm broke off several poles west of Roswell.

Area persons finding it necessary to make long distance calls were advised by radio station KRRR that Tularosa or Carrizozo were the closest towns with long distance service.

Emergency circuits were available about 4 p.m. Sunday, and normal service was restored Monday afternoon.

Lincoln County Voters Turn Down New Constitution 636 To 375

Approximately one-third of the registered voters in Lincoln County voted not to ratify the proposed new constitution Tuesday, Dec. 9, by a nearly 2-1 defeat of 636 No to 375 Yes.

State-wide the constitution passed in the more urban counties such as Bernalillo, Lea, Dona Ana, Chaves, Los Alamos and McKinley.

Voters in counties with heavy rural populations voted against the proposed document.

Overall, Lincoln County reflected the voting patterns in the majority of New Mexico counties.

Voting was reported from the consolidated precincts as follows:

Capitan	83	60
Carrizozo	147	87
Corona	47	45
Ruidoso	128	145
Ruidoso Downs	73	36
Hondo	89	32
TOTAL	636	375

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Garden Club's Last Meeting of the Year Stated For Dec. 16

The last meeting of 1969 for the Ruidoso Garden Club will be held Tuesday, Dec. 16 at 2 p.m. in the conference room of the Ruidoso State Bank...

Exemplar Degree Is Conferred On Two New Members

The Exemplar Degree was conferred on two new members, Mrs. Wes Russell and Mrs. H. H. Shier, in the meeting of Xi Psi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held Dec. 8 in the home of Mrs. R. K. Knox...

County Postmasters Have Annual Meet In Capitan Dec. 7

The annual meeting of Lincoln County postmasters was held in Capitan Sunday, Dec. 7, with the business meeting held in the school cafeteria and was followed by dinner at the Palzano Cafe...

Masonic District Conference In Tularosa Dec. 13

Frank Adams, Worshipful Master of Ruidoso Lodge No. 73, has announced that the Grand Master's District Conference will be held at the Masonic Temple of Tularosa Lodge No. 49, on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 14 at 1:30 p.m. Officers and members from Alamogordo, Carrizozo, Tularosa and Ruidoso, who comprise the 11th District, will be in attendance...

Lincoln County Centennial Ball Highlights Year Of Celebrations

The Centennial Ball held at the Chaparral Hotel Saturday night, December 6, was termed a very successful and delightful affair by many of those attending this last of a series of events held throughout 1969 to commemorate the 100th birthday of Lincoln County...



READY TO DANCE - Are Mr. and Mrs. Don Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pearson and Mrs. F. B. (Lindy) Lindamood.

Monday Afternoon Lunch and Games

Hostesses for the regular luncheon and card game at the Ruidoso Woman's Club for Monday, Dec. 15, at 12:30 p.m. at the club house will be Mrs. T. J. Frank, phone 257-2034, and Mrs. Herman Borges, phone 257-4102...

Xi Alpha Rho Sets Christmas Party For December 15

Members of Xi Alpha Rho chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will have their Christmas party on Monday, Dec. 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ray Nunley. The group discussed plans for this party at the meeting held Monday night, Dec. 8 in the home of Mrs. P. T. Valiant...

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Noon Lions Club Has 50 Charter Members

The recently formed Ruidoso Valley Noon Lions Club has reached its goal of 50 charter members. The drive for charter members has been concluded. Membership in the new and growing club will still be open to anyone interested...

NEWS 'N NOTES

A bumper crop of bright red fresh cranberries can now be found in markets throughout the country. And cranberry growers have several tips for the homemakers on this golden opportunity to turn a fall and early winter fresh fruit into a year-round pleasure...

Annual Children's Party To Be At Lions Hut Tuesday, Dec. 23

The annual Christmas party for children with the appearance of Santa Claus sponsored by the Evening Lions Club will be held Tuesday, Dec. 23, immediately after the Christmas party at the Carrizo Children's Home, it was announced at the meeting of the club held Tuesday, Dec. 9, at the Lions Hut...

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SNEAKING A PREVUE - Dressed in their Centennial Ball clothes, Dr. and Mrs. James A. Beall look over the Ruidoso State Bank open house decorations Saturday evening. Beall is a director in the recently expanded bank.

Mannie's Toggery ANNOUNCING THEIR Annual Christmas 10% SALE THURS. - FRI. - SAT. DECEMBER 11-12-13 Observing the warm traditions of the coming holiday season and following their custom of many years, Mannie's Toggery extends a cordial invitation to all their friends and customers in gratitude for the cherished associations of the past year. Mannie & Bertha

'Is It The Truth?' Is Question Posed To Rotary Club. 'Is It The Truth?' was the first principle of a Rotary four-way test discussed by program chairman Ken Cole Tuesday. Guests at the regular noon meeting at Wattle's Cafe were Bill Vandorland and Larry Taubkharah both of Alamogordo and Glenn Werhan of Lovington. Ruidoso High School student guest was Henry Padilla who climaxed his third visit by expressing his appreciation to Rotary Club members. Student guest Karen Campbell was unable to attend. Eighteen members attended the meeting.

310 Served At Scouts' Wild Game Supper. Approximately 310 persons attended the Ruidoso Boy Scout Troop No. 59 annual Wild Game Supper held Saturday night at the Elks Lodge. Marvin Craig, scoutmaster, said this week that considering the bad weather conditions and the other events that were taking place he felt the supper had been a success. Those attending were treated to all they could eat of bear, elk, antelope, venison, quail, and many varieties of fish, among other varieties. Craig said he wished to express thanks to the many scout parents, Elks, and other, who helped serve, cook, clean up and to the many hunters and fishermen who furnished wild game to the scout troop to apply toward a family stove.

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Warriors Honored At Booster Banquet

The Ruidoso Warrior annual football banquet, sponsored by the Ruidoso Warriors Booster Club, was held Thursday night, December 4, at the Chaparral Motor Hotel. V. A. Miller, re-elected president of the Ruidoso Warrior Booster Club, was master of ceremonies.

The highlight of the banquet was the presentation of the annual most valuable awards presented to Barry Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boots Nelson and David Estes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Estes. Ruidoso High School Athletic Director and head football coach, Ken Newton, made the first presentation to Barry Nelson as being selected as the most valuable back.

Newton informed the crowd that Nelson, 5 feet 8 inches, 135 pounds was the leading ground gainer in one season's play in the history of the Ruidoso High School. Summing up Nelson's 1969 record, Newton stated, "Nelson carried the ball 130 times for 1079 yards gained, averaging 8 yards per carry, caught 18 passes for 290 yards for a grand total of 1369 yards. He has been recognized as the 11th highest scorer in the state having scored 11 touchdowns and one 170 point conversion for a total of 68 points. Nelson was also the Warrior's leading pass interceptor, fourth leading tackler, and the leading punt returner. The three year letterman was a unanimous selection of the 3-B District All District Team, both offensively and defensively.

Travis Lee, head line coach, presented David Estes, senior 2-year letterman, with the most valuable lineman award. Estes, 5 feet 7 inches, 135 pounds, was one of the team's leading tacklers and selected on the 3-B District Team as offensive guard. Lee called attention to the fact that Estes was one of the most outstanding linemen in the district although he was also one of the smallest in size.

Prior to the awards presentations, Miller introduced the newly elected 1969-70 Ruidoso Warrior Booster Club officers, Mickey McGuire, vice-president and Mike Capps, Treasurer. Betty Patton was elected an secretary but was not



CONGRATULATIONS — Senator Joe Skeen shakes hands with Ruidoso Board of Realtors' president, Johnny Mobley, Margie Whillock will be secretary-treasurer. State Presi-

dent of New Mexico Realtors, Roger Cox (left), installed the newly elected officers, Saturday evening.

present for the banquet. Miller also praised the outgoing club officers, Jack Stagner, Mrs. W. D. Horton, and Cash Skarda.

Following the introduction by Miller, Newton expressed his sincere appreciation to the news media for their "backing". He also thanked the Booster Club for their support and the equipment, valued at \$6,000. He called attention to the fine cooperation of the players' parents and towns people, cheerleaders and publicly thanked the coaches for their work during the season. He said he felt that the Ruidoso School system had one of the finest coaching staffs in the state, a staff that the entire town and school could be proud of.

Dave Parks was the featured speaker for the affair. He began his summarization of football in Ruidoso by stating, "the first game of football he saw, he played in." Dr. W. D. Horton who also recognized during the evening for his faithfulness and support to the Warrior team Wayne Estes was also recognized as the team's bus driver. Newton also presented certificates and letters to the following players: Pat Farrar, center quarterback.

Vicki McTeigue Named Hondo High School Citizen of The Year

Miss Vicki McTeigue has been selected Hondo High School Citizen of the Year in the contest sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution. Miss Betty Jo Maez was selected as alternate.

Faculty members of the Hondo High School selected these girls on the basis of all around good citizenship. Qualifications considered were patriotism, leadership, service and dependability.

Each year the National Society of DAR sponsors the Good Citizenship Contest to encourage high school seniors to reflect upon the benefits of American citizenship.

Vicki is now eligible to compete for the New Mexico award. She has filled out a questionnaire dealing with American Government and current events and sent it to the University of New Mexico where the state winner will be elected.

Each state Good Citizen receives a \$100 U. S. Savings Bond and is eligible to become the National Good Citizen, who receives a \$1,000 scholarship. Vicki is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McKinley McTeigue, Hondo. She is an honor student, a Varsity cheerleader, treasurer of the Senior class, subscription manager of the annual staff, secretary-treasurer of the Office Education Assn., and a student librarian. Vicki plans to attend New Mexico State University upon graduation, enrolling in the field of education.

Betty Jo is the daughter of Mrs. Emelia Maez, Ruidoso Downs. She is also an honor student, vice-president of the Office Education Assn., business manager of the annual staff, a varsity cheerleader, and student librarian. Betty Jo plans to major in Business Administration at New Mexico State University.

Pat Brown and Gary Gowdy, Juniors, Darwin Beall, David Boone, Eddie Goodrum and Pat Cleveland, sophomores; Paul Blich, Jay Kerley, Reeves McGuire, Mel Patton and Ken Skarda, freshmen.

Coaches Lee and Kelley presented certificates and letters to the following linemen: Seniors, Kenny Dunt, Ted Conley, David Denham and Neale Williams, Juniors, Gary Cagner, Gary White and Hank Wood, and sophomore Corky Conley.

Also recognized by the coaches were seniors Gary Foster and John Moody, Juniors Gary Rue, sophomore Alan Payne, and freshman Peter McElen.

Parents To Visit. See Christmas Decorations, Study Reading Program

Parents of third grade pupils at White Mountain Elementary School have been invited to attend an open house at hours which have been selected for their convenience Thursday, Friday, Monday or Tuesday.

Mrs. Sidney Miller or Mrs. Pat Newbrough, team-teachers, will explain to parents attending the individualized reading program now being applied in their grade.

Parents will also have the opportunity to enjoy the decorative Christmas bulletin board that has been designed for the third grade class.

The class will be conducted as usual with parents observing proceedings. Parents are urged to take advantage of the open house to consult with Mrs. Miller or Mrs. Newbrough about their children's progress.

Early Morning Road Tests Decide School Session

Superintendent of Schools P. T. Valliant, said this week that since snow and ice are becoming possible hazards to the safe transportation of children to schools, he would like to inform parents that when safe driving conditions are in question the following procedure will be followed.

Mrs. Alice Allison and Wayne Estes will patrol the roads early in the morning. If they believe roads are unsafe they will contact Valliant before 6:30 a.m. and he will immediately contact radio station KRNH. Valliant said that if no announce-

School Holidays Start Noon

Ruidoso Municipal Schools will be closed for the Holiday Season from noon Friday, Dec. 19, through Jan. 5, 1970. On Friday, Dec. 19 lunch will be served in the cafeteria. Buses will start running from the elementary schools at 11 noon, and from the high school starting at 12:30 p.m.

The groundwork is now being laid towards setting the date for the beginning of the Ruidoso School's Winter Sports Program. Superintendent Valliant said this week hopes are to start the program immediately after the second semester begins Jan. 20.

Plans For Winter School Menus Sports Program Are Underway

Monday — Chicken fried steak, fuzzy potatoes, carrot slices, hot rolls, cookies, milk.
Tuesday — Enchiladas, lettuce and tomatoes, buttered corn, chocolate cake, milk.
Wednesday — Hamburgers with pickles and tomatoes, French fries, banana pudding, milk.
Thursday — Ham and soles, green beans, apple cobbler, hot rolls, milk.
Friday — Turkey salad, English peas, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk.

Around High School

The Junior Class will perform "The Perfect Idol" Thursday, Dec. 11, at 8 p.m. in the Ruidoso High School Gym. Prizes of admission are 50c for children under 12, 70c for students, and \$1 for adults. The Junior class promises an enjoyable evening.

The Future Homemakers of America of the Ruidoso Chapter have scheduled a toy drive for Monday, Dec. 15 at 6 p.m. in the Home Economics building. All girls will gather repairable toys which will be given to the children at Ft. Stanton as Christmas gifts. To make the night enjoyable, the girls will prepare and eat a meal and later sing Christmas carols.

The band will hold its annual Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 16 at 7:45 in the band hall. Members drew names and will exchange gifts during the festivities. Refreshments will be served.

The Spanish classes will celebrate a Spanish Christmas on the same night. The traditional piñata will be broken as the climax of the night.

Later in the evening the Band and Spanish class members will join together in the cafeteria for a dance.

The Ruidoso Warriors are to battle the Socorro Warriors in Socorro Friday, Dec. 12. The game is scheduled to start at 7 p.m. It is hoped that many will go to see the Warriors in action.

The Student Council has made arrangements to show "The Pit and the Pendulum" Dec. 19 during school hours. The movie will be shown in the high school gym and the price of admission will be free. The proceeds will be presented to Gary Bover who was injured in a Lovington football game. He is now in the Roswell Rehabilitation Center.

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Gifts That Would Be Useful To Ft. Stanton Students Are Listed

Helping to seek gifts to brighten the Christmas of students at the Ft. Stanton Training School are Dr. and Mrs. Don Simms of Ruidoso. Dr. Simms said students at Ft. Stanton were from all over New Mexico and only a few are privileged to return to their home during the Christmas season.

"In 1968 the good people of the area donated generously and provided the best Christmas many of the students had ever had," Simms said. Dr. Simms obtained a Christmas list combined from the needs and desires of students at Ft. Stanton which the News is happy to print. Those wishing to contribute toward another memorable Christmas for Ft. Stanton students may deposit gifts at the Ruidoso or Ruidoso Downs Village Halls, or call Dr. or Mrs. Simms at 297-2716.

The following gift suggestions are provided for the use of individuals who wish to help.

There are 82 girls and women from ages 15 to 60 who would be delighted to receive such varied gifts as:
 Large books with colored pictures, dolls (all sizes), stuffed animals, large rubber balls, puzzles (large and small pieces), gloves, candy, cookies, billboards, bath powder, perfume, lipstick, nail polish, jewelry, lotions, comb, brush and mirror sets, embroidery work (dresser scarfs, pillowcases, towels), embroidery thread, head scarfs, material (dress lengths), stationery, pens and pencils.
 Women and girls cottage items which individuals, businessmen, or civic organizations might care to contribute are: record players, records (all types), pictures, radios, clothing and mobiles.
 There are a total of 106 boys and men from ages 9 to 60 who would appreciate receiving any of the following gifts:
 Large books with colored pictures, stuffed animals, large rubber balls, cowboy hats, puzzles (large and small pieces), gloves, building blocks, plastic cars and trucks, stationery, pens and pencils, candy, cookies, smoking pipes, tobacco and cigarettes, tobacco pouches, shaving lotion, billboards,

ties (boys and men), cuff links.
 Men and boys cottage items which individuals, businessmen, or civic organizations might care to contribute are: Christmas decorations, record players, records (all types), pictures, mobiles, wagons, tricycle, radios and clothing.
 Items that would be very useful to the Recreation Department that an individual, businessman or civic organization might like to provide are:
 Electric guitar with amplifier, drums, records, juke box player, roller skates with shoes, beach balls (large), bicycles and tricycles.
 In order to aid the Ft. Stanton staff in distributing gifts appropriately, please do not wrap.

Funeral services for Mrs. China Dunn, 93, who died in the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital here Tuesday night, Dec. 9, were held at the Chapel of Roses Mortuary in Ruidoso Thursday, Dec. 11, at 10 a. m. with Rev. Kenneth Cole of the First Christian Church officiating. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso.

Mrs. Dunn was born on Feb. 1, 1875 in Gatesville, Texas and had been living with her daughter, Mrs. Juanita Turkenkoph in Ruidoso Downs for the past four years. Surviving in addition to Mrs. Turkenkoph is another daughter, Mrs. Leta H. H. H.

Funeral services were held at the Chapel of Roses Mortuary in Ruidoso in charge of arrangements.

Ruidoso Schools Sports Change

The Ruidoso High School, Wednesday, received official notification of the realignment of the state's athletic program. The changes, based upon school average daily attendance, places Ruidoso in District 3AA in football, 5AA in basketball, golf and track, and 4AA in wrestling. The accepted alignment was made by The Neutral Alignment Committee composed of three men, two of whom are members of the executive committee of the New Mexico Athletic Association and one member of the State Board of Education.

Schools in 3AA football competition include Lordsburg, Truth or Consequences, Hatch and Ruidoso. The 3AA District is based upon the Average Daily Attendance of 151 to 400. Tularosa, former member of District 3B, has been moved to District 3AAA. The AA classification is divided into four districts in the state.

Area football Class A schools include—1A, Corona, Dulce and Navajo Mission; 2A, Mimbres, Roy and Texico; 3A, Carrizozo, Mountainair and Reserve, and 4A, Capitán, Cloudcroft and Vaughn.

District 4AA wrestling include Ruidoso, Carrizozo, Capitán and the Alamogordo School for the Visually Handicapped.

The Neutral Alignment Committee also recommended that the committee be a standing committee to look at all the alignment of the conference and districts at least every two years.

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Around The Downs

A very sincere thank you to all who were so kind to my family and me during my stay in the hospital. Words cannot express my appreciation for all the flowers, food and prayers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hancock had Thanksgiving dinner with their son's family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hancock and daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. George Rice in Denver City, Texas.

Downs Council-

(Continued from Page 1—Sec. A) of a writ of mandamus suit filed against the Downs Village Council by Parnell.

Parsons was requested by the council to obtain a one-year extension of the lease on Denton Field expiring next month. Mayor DiPaolo reported favorably on his attendance at the Ski-O-Doso celebration and the Centennial Ball.

He said he felt that Dr. and Mrs. Horton were most deserving of the honors awarded to them.

Last Rites Held For Burl Kelley In Pampa, Texas

Last rites were to be held in Pampa, Texas this week for Burl Kelley, who died in the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital Tuesday, Dec. 9. The body was transferred to the Carmichael-Watley Funeral Home at Pampa, where services were held and burial was in the Fairview Cemetery in Pampa.

Kelley was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Peggy Gowdy who works at the Chaparral Hotel, here when he became ill. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Hazel Kelley, Pampa, and another daughter, Sandra Miller, Pampa. Four sisters and three brothers also survive. Chapel of Roses of Ruidoso handled arrangements here.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
 Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of N. M. S. A., Section 72-13-45, et. Sec. (67 FS), that the personal property described below will be sold at Public Auction at Skyland Auto Service, Sudderth Drive, one block east of Bank, Ruidoso, New Mexico at 1:00 p. m. on the 20th day of December, 1968.
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY
 1 1963 Ford, 4 door Sedan (Green) with Airconditioner and Heater.
 a/Franklin Jones
 Commissioner of Revenue
 24-36

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Ruidoso, New Mexico calls for Ruidoso Sewer Assessment Bond Number 19 on January 1, 1970.
 Bond should be presented at the office of the Village Treasurer for payment.
 /s/ James L. Hine, Treasurer
 Village of Ruidoso, N. M.
 12-12-19

VEITS - VA says: Certificate of Eligibility for education issued but not used immediately are still good if the program of study and school are still the same.

The High Chaparral Riding Club Page 4G - Ruidoso (N. M.) News Friday, December 12, 1969
 is on the move. Donations are now being accepted for 500 pounds of Auxiliary meeting it was decided here in Ruidoso Downs. Noted the Ace Pawn Shop is being taken away at a drawing that they would, with the aid of the Memorial Day Club members firemen, seek permission to deconstruct 150 railroad ties from rate light poles for the holiday season. A big welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn to the arena site for construction soon to begin. A big welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Parke for the service of the firmative are busy creating a nice new look for the shop.

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Ruidoso All-Seasons, Inc. Form Four Promotion Committees

The Ruidoso All-Seasons, Inc. board of directors established an internal organization of four basic committees, to perform the planning requirements for the organization, at their regular weekly meeting Wednesday.

These committees include a reservation committee, tours and package committee, transportation committee and a promotion and membership committee.

The board also confirmed office space in the KRRR building and expect to be operational by Jan. 1, 1970.

Ruidoso All-Seasons, Inc. was recently rejuvenated to initially establish a central reservation center for visitors of the Lincoln County area. Pending the purchase of this service the corporation plans to expand further into the tourist promotion field.

Realtors Install New Officers

New Board of Realtors Officers Installed Dec. 6

Ruidoso County Realtors installed a new board of officers at the Chaparral Motor Hotel Saturday evening.

New officers are Johnny Mobley of Johnny Mobley Realty, president; Lois Eyster of Lois Eyster Realty, vice president; and Marjorie Whelan of Marjorie Whelan Realty, secretary.

Guests at the meeting included approximately 200 local realtors and wives. Mrs. and Mr. Joe Shoen, chairman and director of the new organization, were representatives of the Ruidoso Board of Realtors.

A program of grape will be among subjects discussed. Registration begins at 8 a.m.



SENATOR JOE SKEEN—Explains the new proposed constitution to guests at the Ruidoso Board of Realtor officer installation dinner Saturday evening.

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Fruit and vegetable shortcourse programs for apple orchards, chemical weed control in orchards, orchard pest control, coding moth control, apple orchard pruning systems, apple dwarfing, the effect of cold on pollination and fruit set.



SHAKE—Bill Pippin congratulates George Jones on passing his Real Estate Broker's examination.

DDT Registration Moon Samples Go To Stop Jan. 1 On Display Dec. 7 In Albuquerque

The New Mexico Department of Agriculture will reduce to renew registrations of DDT as of Jan. 1, 1970, except as requested by the state health officials for prevention or control of human disease for which no alternative pest control means are available.

Dallas Rierson, director of the Department, announced today that this action is the result of recent cancellation by USDA of DDT for use on shrub, trees, pests in aquatic areas, and home and garden pests. The USDA has also announced intent to cancel other uses of DDT as rapidly as other pest control means are available.

Research and extension personnel of New Mexico State University have advised that alternate means are available for the control of agricultural pests in New Mexico, Rierson said. He further explained that all economic poisons sold in New Mexico must be registered with the Department annually. The date of registration is Jan. 1 each year. It is important for any person to distribute for sale or to offer for sale or deliver for transportation or transport within the state any economic poison that has not been registered.

"It is felt that taking action at this time will help dealers in New Mexico in planning their insecticide needs for the coming year," Rierson said. "This action also comes at a time when dealers' stock of pesticides is usually at its lowest point."

The samples collected for registration were contained in the lunar dust was part of the first lunar material returned by the astronauts. It is known as lunar regolith, and has a tendency to stick together as though it were wax.

Throughout the material are tiny glass-like spherules, the products of extreme heat. This heat may have been caused by meteorites impacting on the moon's surface. Also in the lunar dust are tiny bits of harder rock.

The lunar rock scheduled for display is actually "breccia." These types of rocks are formed by compression of lunar dust into crumbly clumps. Several "spherules" are scattered throughout this type of rock. Polished thin sections on display are sections of igneous rock.

Jones, Pippin Associate, Passes Broker Exam

George Jones, Ruidoso, was the first person passing a Real Estate Broker's Examination in Albuquerque.

Associated with Bill Pippin in Ruidoso, the new board of officers was installed in July 1968. Jones is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin and attended W. F. George High School and M. University. Four years ago he was a petroleum engineer.

He became a broker in 1939 and was in the grocery business for 16 years in Losa Park before transferring to Libby, McNeil, Libby company for 6 years.

He returned to the grocery business in Paducah, Texas, from 1959-67. He was then employed for one year as a personnel consultant with Gillingham and Gillingham, an employment agency.

Jones and his wife, Juanita, have two children, Don, 11, a 7th grader and Beth, 10, a 6th grader.

Mrs. Jones has recently become partner with Jeannine Vick in "Marie's Doll Heaven."

Jones has been qualified as a real estate salesman and has been a broker since Aug. 1968. He expects to receive a license to become a real estate broker in January 1, 1970.

This is Jones' first venture into the real estate field.

Christmas Seals Now Pay For More Than TB Fight

The 1969 Christmas Seal Drive opened Nov. 15. Honorary chairman Bob King, basketball coach at UNM, states over 130,000 Christmas Seal letters will be sent to addresses across the state.

"We want to send out more Christmas Seals than ever before because Seals no longer pay just for the long, hard fight against TB," Coach King explained. "Now Christmas Seals support an association deeply involved in combating emphysema, other chronic respiratory diseases and a strong anti-smoking program."

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Capitan News

By BART McDONOUGH

Coaches: Ricky Richardson, Joe David Camarillo, Pat Oriego, Bill John Taylor, Ben Trujillo and Frankie Montoya. **Marines:** Larry Williams, Bert Shreengott and Bobby Kautz. **Stripes:** Grades 1, 2 and 8 Stars: Grades 3, 4, 5 and 6. **Mr. Leota Pittman** was in charge of the program.

BASKETBALL NEWS: The Hon. Eagles squared past the Tigers Dec. 11. For the losing cause Brown had 19 points, Jimmy Baker 12, Junior Guevara 10 and Eddie Hall 8 points. Torrez had 10 points for the Eagles. The Tiger boys won the Eagles, 47-37. The Eagles had 13 points for the Tigers. H. Polanco had 23 points for the Tigers.

General dogs have been running together on the Rio Grande at the border. This means that the dogs are not barking. One cat has been attacked and badly chewed. The cat has been chased. This is bad for the cats because it makes them afraid and a definite hard on the cats.

The Tiger Band played for the students at Ft. Stanton Tuesday afternoon. As always the nice Ft. Stanton crowd reacted with much enthusiasm. Bud Smith, recreation director at Ft. Stanton.

Miss Jessie Smith of Ft. Stanton arrived home this past Sunday. She has worked the past four months for the FBI in Washington, D. C. but is no longer employed by that organization.

Received from the 5th grade. The fifth grade team received the most goals. We have enjoyed looking at the seas of the moon. Of course we understand that these

last year. Bill Littlefield, as of Dec. 14, will head the Carrizozo office as well as the Capitan office of the Soil Conservation Service.

The Lincoln County Postmasters' Association held its annual dinner at the El Paisano Cafe, Sunday, Dec. 7 at 5 p.m. Approximately 23 attended the dinner. A business meeting preceded the dinner at the school.

Neo Valdejos and Kenneth Stone of the C-C Natural Gas Assn., have been installing natural gas in the Cude Brannan home in Carrizozo. They have also installed a wall heater in Capitan for M. E. Williams Sr. The association will also be converting the Jack Zumwalt home in Carrizozo to natural gas.

The next board meeting of the C-C Natural Gas Assn. will be Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lincoln County Airport office in Carrizozo.

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one enjoys looking for the places where our astronauts landed. Also received from a 5th grade student: We drew names last week for Christmas gift exchange. We have made Christmas decorations of socks, carrots, trees and lanterns. **School Menu:** Dec. 15—Spaghetti and meat; cabbage-pepper salad, hot biscuits, butter, peaches, milk. Dec. 16—Pinto beans, turnip greens, onion, cornbread, butter, applesauce, cookies, milk. Dec. 17—Sticky Joe baked potato celery sticks, home made tama, jelly with fruit milk. Dec. 18—Turkey, gravy, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, hot rolls, butter, milk. Dec. 19—Toasted cheese sandwich, green beans, cabbage-pepper salad.

Grazing Fee Raise Delayed Indefinitely
Bureau of Land Management permits in Lincoln County will be interested to know secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel announced recently that the scheduled 1970 increase in grazing fees on BLM lands will be delayed.

Congratulations To...
Mr. and Mrs. John M. Salas, Ruidoso Downs, parents of a daughter, born Dec. 2, wt. 5 lbs. 12 oz.
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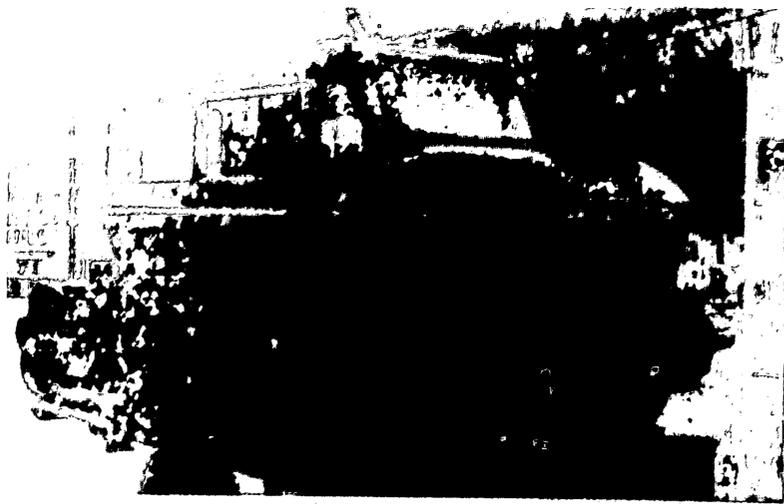
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ANYWHERE SNO CAT One of two Sno cats owned by the State of New Mexico this year is valued at \$7,500. Operator is Skinner of Las Cruces, employed by the Department of Radio Communications, uses the vehicle to reach the state radio tower on Buck Ridge, north of the Sierra Blanca Ski Area.



AUTOGRAPH? Aileen Lindamood, Alto, watches as Ted Weems, Jr. autographs photographs at the Centennial Ball Saturday night.

Airman Chapman Completes Course At Lowry AFB

Airman Benjamin N. Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal T. Chapman of Alto, Colo., has graduated at Lowry AFB, Colo., from the U. S. Air Force supply inventory specialist course.

The airman, trained to inventory supplies by use of electronic data processing machines, is being assigned to Francis E. Warren AFB, Wyo., for duty with the Strategic Air Command, America's nuclear deterrent force of long range bombers and intercontinental ballistic missiles.

Airman Chapman, a 1963 graduate of Carlsbad Senior High School, received his B. A. degree in 1969 from Eastern New Mexico University.

His wife, Donna, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vick of Ruidoso.

Capitan Rancher Has Bull In Tucumcari Test

Dean Boyd, Capitan, is one of approximately 22 New Mexico ranchers who has an animal on test this year in the Tucumcari Bull Test.

The 1969-70 test is under way at the Northeastern Branch Agricultural Experiment Station of New Mexico State University near Tucumcari. Initial and 30-day weights have been taken on the 110 bulls in the test.

Junior and senior calf tests are being conducted. The junior test is limited to spring calves born between Jan. 1 and April 1, 1969, while the senior test includes calves born between Sept. 15 and Dec. 15, 1968.

Final test weights will be taken March 9, 10, 1970, with the annual Tucumcari Bull Sale scheduled March 20.

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