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By HUGH STILES

Many area residents are reportedly the victims of a virus bug that has created a loss of school attendance as well as loss of work time for many. Though pharmacists are accused of always hoping for a good virus it is certainly not true in this case as several of our local pharmacists and their families have themselves been victims of the same bug. It certainly is not true that the virus has been medically termed as Swalanderitis — Nunleyneurosis — Delhotaltdis-temper.

The Ruidoso Warrior Booster Club has scheduled a Hootenanny for Saturday, April 17th. The special talent and fun time—for all ages will be held in the high school gym with proceeds going into the Warrior Booster Club fund for promoting the Ruidoso High School athletic program. During the club's meeting last Thursday night a discussion focused around the possibility of the Hootenanny brought out a question as to just what was a Hootenanny? Fortunately the Warrior Booster Club has a number of teachers and scholarly members who were able to assist in defining the term Hootenanny. Miss Jean Spurlock is one such person, she very seriously informed the group that a Hootenanny was a cross between an Owl and a Goat.

We have been told that the Lincoln County Commissioners, this week, approved a proposed Historical Zoning Ordinance for Lincoln, our historic neighbor to the east of Ruidoso. The plan was presented to the commissioners by the Lincoln County Planning and Zoning Commission. Many area residents feel that the step towards creating Lincoln as a historic site will create an added tourist attraction and will be beneficial to the entire Lincoln County area.

Speaking of historical items there are many facets of our community that are keeping with historicalism. The many antique shops that attract tourists and antique collectors has always been popular in the Ruidoso area. Antique furniture, ours is pre-dression, is the decor of many homes and cabins in our resort community. Local antique dealers are anticipating a "good year" during the forthcoming summer season. I heard about a lady, an avid antique dealer, who purchased a claimed-to-be authentic pre-Civil War dresser. It looked beautiful in her home until someone burnt the formica top.

Jack and Jill may have gone up a hill somewhere to fetch a pail of water but it certainly was not in our immediate area. Have heard that the current dry spell is becoming intense that even the membership of Alcoholics Anonymous is dwindling and that someone would even favor seeing the construction of an ark by one Noah. We could use about forty days and nights of rain but question whether there is enough pitch in the area to water proof the ark. At any rate a call for rain or moisture in any form is certainly in order. Pay the preacher, have a rain dance, or maybe even sending the clouds perhaps wouldn't be out of the question. If you know anyone with a moisture mansion or a waterloo or rain reserve use your influence to assist in our need.

Til Thompson, Ruidoso Downs Race Track Public Relations Director and Publicity Department head, has informed us that the popular Dating Game television winners will be the guests of the track and the Chaparral Motor Hotel early in the 1971 racing season. The winners are expected to be announced on the April 22nd television program viewed on KOAT-TV, Albuquerque.

**Fire Ban Changes Warrior Booster Club's Picnic**  
The Warrior Booster Club's scheduled picnic this evening, Thursday, has been changed from hamburgers to potluck with members requested to bring their own food already prepared.  
The picnic, to be held in the School House Park, at 5:30 p.m., was originally set to be a hamburger cook-out but due to the current ban on outside fires within the corporate limits of Ruidoso it will be impossible to prepare the food outside.



DON E. STARK

## Lincoln County Development Elects Officers

Don E. Stark, Lincoln County Commissioner, was re-elected president of the Lincoln County Development Association during the association's regular monthly meeting, Tuesday, April 6. The association, meeting in the conference room of the Ruidoso State Bank, also elected five directors to the board who will serve for two years each as representatives from their respective districts. Those elected include Dr. James Beall, Ruidoso; Charles Parham, Hondo; Mrs. Holt Lovelace, Corona; Sarah Jackson, Carrizozo, and Bill Shreengost, Capitan.

The directors, according to the association's by-laws, elect the vice-president, secretary and treasurer. Those elected by the directors were Ed Brechelsen, Ruidoso, vice-president; Ralph Dinkap, Lincoln County Agent, secretary, and Jete Voss, Carrizozo, treasurer. Proceeding the association's meeting, Mrs. A. W. Gnatkowski, Corona, presented the group with a demonstration of the sheep to Shawl project. The project, to be shown as an exhibit in the New Mexico State Fair, consists of the steps required to make raw wool into useable fabrics.

In her presentation before the association, Mrs. Gnatkowski, using a small spinning wheel over 150 years old, spun raw wool into yarn. She also displayed a number of woolen belts, shawls, and rugs woven from the process. Mrs. Gnatkowski told those in attendance that the Sheep to Shawl project is most fitting to Lincoln County since Lincoln County is the largest wool producing county in New Mexico. She also called attention to the fact that this is the 40th Anniversary of the introduction of sheep into the United States.

She is scheduled to present the project over KRM-TV, Roswell, early in May.

The association also heard Chaplain Kline, Capitan, review the forthcoming annual Easter Sunrise Service scheduled for Sunday, April 11. Don Stark reported to the group that the new brochures were enroute and will be distributed as soon as they arrive.

The next meeting of the association was set for May 11 in Carrizozo.

## Area Resource Group Sets April 13 Meet

The South Central Mountain Resource Area will hold its meeting in Ruidoso at the Chaparral Motor Hotel April 13, 1971, according to Chairman Robert Serber. The executive committee will meet at 10:00 a.m. and the steering committee will meet at 1:30 p.m.

Jerry Baker of the New Mexico Department of Development will present the proposal. He will discuss the "Octoberfest" and explain how the Department of Development works with the South Central Mountain Resource Area. All interested persons are urged to attend.

## Chamber Board Sets Election

New members of the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors were introduced at the regular meeting of the board held April 1 at the Villa Inn. Chamber president Jack DiPaolo gave a report on the recently held chamber banquet and termed it "very successful."

Following a discussion of the election of officers for the coming year, it was decided by the board that the election would be held April 20 at the chamber office. A plan for the new "fair share" dues method is also scheduled to be presented at this meet.

Other matters brought before the board included:

• Heard reports on results of personal calls by the donation committee on the \$15 assessment made of members.

• Appointed Bob Etheridge, Dick Week and appointed Pat Baldwin, V. A. Miller and Duane Bryson to serve on this committee.

• Named Dr. John Sears, Herb Ford and Hop Smith new directors to serve on the Fair Share committee.

• Appointed Bob Etheridge, Dick Mound and Dr. John Sears to the membership committee.

• Formed a "New Citizens Committee" whose function will be to greet new residents to the community. Members of the committee are, Jay Moody, Duane Bryson, Herb Ford, Mayor George White, Bob Etheridge and Olen Woodridge.

Next board meet will be April 20, 7:30 p. m. at the chamber office.

## Ruidoso Area Day At Sunland Park Scheduled

April 17th is the official date set for the Annual Ruidoso Area Day at the Sunland Park Race Track. Officials of the track have extended a special invitation to all area residents to be their guests during the day's activities.

In special recognition of the Ruidoso-Ruidoso Downs area, the feature race of the day will be in honor of the communities. The activities will include a special presentation to area officials following the feature race.

As a courtesy of the Sunland Park Race Track free passes are available in many Ruidoso area businesses and at the Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs Municipal offices.

Although no special caravan is scheduled to lead Ruidoso area residents to the track, located near El Paso, it is reported that village officials of both Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs plan to be present at the special activities.

Representation from most of the area civic clubs reportedly are making plans to attend the affair including the Chamber of Commerce, The Ruidoso Valley Ambassadors and the Lions Clubs.

## Offices To Be Closed Friday

The Ruidoso Municipal offices will be closed all day Friday in observance of the Easter Holiday. The only exception being the Police Department and salaried firemen. Skeleton utility crews will be on call as usual for emergencies.

The Ruidoso Village council will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the council chamber for a regularly scheduled meeting. Area residents are invited to attend all council sessions.



EASTER HATS—Three members of the Golden Age Club in Ruidoso are shown above wearing hats which they entered in a Easter Hat contest held recently. Winner in the contest was Mrs. W. B. Belcher, a right; second place, Mrs. Ross McPherson, center, and third place, Mrs. Barney Waldrop, on the left. (Ruidoso News Photo)

## Banquet Plans Discussed At Booster Club

The Ruidoso Athletic Booster Club held its meeting last Thursday night, April 1 in the High School Library with a good crowd in attendance.

Discussed at the meeting were awards and trophies to be presented to the lettermen of each sport. It was decided that a Most Valuable trophy will be presented to a lineman and back in football and a Most Valuable trophy in each of the sports of basketball, golf, track, tennis, wrestling, girls' basketball, and also one for the most spirited cheerleader of the year. There will be no Greatest Warrior Award made this year. The qualifications for this is that a boy must be a senior and letter in at least three sports. This year no boy met these qualifications.

It was also decided that a plaque be installed in the gym and each year the Most Valuable Individual in each sport, including girls' basketball, will have their nameplate mounted on the plaque.

Date for the High School Athletic Banquet was set for Thursday night, May 13, at 7:00 p.m. A place for the banquet will be confirmed at a later date. Guest speaker for the banquet will be Lou Henson, head basketball coach at New Mexico State University. Admission will be \$2.50 per plate. It was also noted that persons planning to attend the banquet may purchase advance tickets starting next week.

Coach Roy gave a brief resume on the track meet held in Fabens, Texas the week before. He said that the boys were showing a lot of promise but that the track squad was a little short on personnel and need more boys out for the sport.

Booster club members and their families will hold a picnic this afternoon, Thursday, April 8, beginning at 5 p.m. at School House Park. Each family is to bring their own meat to be barbecued and any other food they desire.

### NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting of the Band Boosters will be held April 19, at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Library. All members and others interested in the band are urged to attend.

## — NOTICE —

**DUE TO THE EXTREME POTENTIAL FIRE CONDITION THAT CURRENTLY EXISTS IN RUIDOSO, NO MORE OUTSIDE FIRES ARE PERMITTED FOR ANY PURPOSE WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO. THIS EMERGENCY MEASURE WILL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

/s/ GEO. P. WHITE, MAYOR  
VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO

NOTE: This action is in accord with Ordinance 65-4, FIRE; Section 1 and 2, and Article XVII: PENALTY.

See Page 4-A of The Ruidoso News For Excerpts of the Above Named Ordinance.

## Earth Week Committee Sets Special Hunt

A different kind of Easter Egg Hunt has been scheduled for this Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 p. m. at the Two Rivers Park in Ruidoso. Sponsored by the Earth Week II Committee, the hunt will be for bags of litter instead of eggs. Each bag turned in to the receiving station will bring the youngsters a decorated Easter donut. The hunt is open to all children 13 or younger. Crawford's Donut Shop is furnishing the decorated donuts for the event and it is noted that coffee and donuts will be available for parents of children at the hunt.

## Henson To Speak At Annual Banquet

Lou Henson, head basketball coach and athletic director for New Mexico State University at Las Cruces, has been named as guest speaker for the annual All-Sports Banquet to be held May 13. Sponsored by the Ruidoso Warrior Booster Club, the banquet is expected to draw 500 sports fans and athletes from the Ruidoso area.

## Manuel G. Badillo Appointed Postmaster For Ruidoso Office

On Friday, April 2 a telephone message from Denver, the regional U. S. Post Office Department, Denver, Colo., announced the appointment of Manuel G. Badillo as postmaster of the Ruidoso Post Office. Badillo assumed the new position at the close of business on April 2. He has served as a career clerk in the Ruidoso post office since December 1949.

At the beginning of Badillo's postal career, the postmaster was Jack Hull and one regular and one substitute clerk in the Ruidoso office. Receipts for the office were about \$12,000 annually. Joe Dryden, who retired in November of 1963, was the last postmaster. Badillo served under and this vacancy is the one he now fills.

In September 1970 the Hollywood Post Office was changed to a Classified Station of the Ruidoso Post Office. This change made the Ruidoso Post Office a first class office and increased the total employees of Ruidoso and Hollywood to nine with a payroll estimated at \$80,000 annually. Postage receipts for 1971 are estimated to be about \$85,000. Badillo and his wife Bertha operate Mannie's Toggery and have resided in Ruidoso since 1945. They have three children, two daughters, now married, Rosemary Gant and Georgiana Hunter, both of Roswell; one son, Manuel G. Badillo, Jr., now serving with the Air Force in Da Nang, Vietnam. They have three grandchildren.

## School Census In Progress

Supt. of Schools, Pat Vallant, reports that his office is in the process of tabulating the 1971 school census. All parents who have children who will be or six years old on or before January 1, 1972, should report them at either White Mountain Elementary School or the Superintendent's office. The five year olds are requested by the State Department of Education as well as the six year olds. Cooperation on the part of parents will be appreciated.

## School Bond Election Slated For May 25

A resolution calling for a school bond election on May 25 has been passed by the Ruidoso Municipal School Board. Purpose for the \$495,000 bond would be the construction of new Vocational Buildings and the repair of existing structures. The bonds would be short term, 5 or 6 years, and it is noted that taxes would not be raised above the present level.

## The Story of Easter Projects A Multiple Message For All People

Easter's Resurrection Story of Jesus Christ has been defined in many different ways by many different people. It is believed with great vigor by many and by the same token is disbelieved with an equal vigor by many people.

The Resurrection of Christ has been explained as a "Grave Robbery." It has been labeled as only a "legal removal of a body by one Joseph." Others have stated that the women who went to Christ's tomb actually went to the wrong place, hence they never found him or His place of burial.

Still others have said that the entire story of the disciples was fraudulent. Some project the teaching Christ did not really die but that rather He only fainted on the cross and afterwards escaped.

Christians advocate the truth that Christ was no imposter and that His bodily resurrection authenticates His deity, that His bodily resurrection gives purpose and reason to Christianity, that Christ's overcoming death is but a foretaste of what is to come for those who believe that He is God's Son and the Saviour of all mankind.

For the Christian, the Resurrection of Christ offers eternal hope for loved ones who have since passed on. It's good news to the ill, the poor, to the destitute as well as to the rich, the educated, the professionals, the whites, the blacks the Indian, all people of all races are in great potential spiritual profit because He arose from the grave.

As the Biblical revelation explains there were two men standing near the tomb of Christ that resurrection morning, two men in shining garments. When questioned as to the whereabouts of Christ they replied, "Why seek ye the living among the dead?"

Perhaps the question raised by these two men has a great lesson for all of us this Easter Season. Easter is not basically trying to find life among the dead, nor is it trying to make life, or even possibly endeavoring to prove life. Easter very possibly can and should be a special time in our lives when, because of Christ's resurrection from an impossible situation, that we endeavor to rise out of impossible situations through the teaching and philosophy of the teaching and philosophy of Christ. We need not wait for community legislation to put into practice so that we can really love our neighbor as we do our selves, or statutes to make us fair and honest, to make us kind and considerate, to give us concern for the poor or the needy—we need only radiate, perhaps like the men in shining garments who said, "Why seek ye the living among the dead?"

the same power that raised Christ. So often we treat Easter as if it were a special time to perform a special memorial theatrical production with all the available human fashions. The truth is that because it is one of the most superlatively fantastic events known and experienced by the Christian world, it behooves the Christian to set his sights much higher, broader, and all inclusive towards the betterment of all mankind.

There is a reason for this, for example, Easter is in all truth, a Great Reminder that Christ did something for us that we could not do for ourselves. It is a great reminder of God's tremendous grace and love directed towards all men. That Easter's love is manifested in God's love for all humanity which includes the unlovable, the unkind, the undesirable, the wicked, the hopeless as well as the moralist, the good citizen, the clean, the dignified, and the upstanding. There were no facet stones that blocked His love at the tomb.

Easter is also a Great Renaissance or awakening to what not only God's love means for today but what the future really holds for the Christian. Because Christ overcame the grave the Christian does not have to wait for heaven to enjoy the blessings of the final resurrection, the scriptures teach that the Christian has already been resurrected to walk in newness of life. Hence—every day is Easter, every day is a new day, every day offers new opportunities, every day can have it's resurrection qualities. There may be more truth than fiction to the statement humorously spoken that states, "Some people get up in a new world every day."

Easter can also serve as a great Radiator Factor by Christians of the teaching and philosophy of Christ. We need not wait for community legislation to put into practice so that we can really love our neighbor as we do our selves, or statutes to make us fair and honest, to make us kind and considerate, to give us concern for the poor or the needy—we need only radiate, perhaps like the men in shining garments who said, "Why seek ye the living among the dead?"

## Amarillo Display Slated For May 10-15

The Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce will again this year have a display at the Western Plaza Shopping Center in Amarillo, Texas for their annual "Summer Travel — Outdoor Vacation" show May 10 through 15.

Don Driver will be in charge of arrangements for the display and urges anyone wishing to have items in the booth contact him as early as possible. At last year's show, over 10,000 pieces of material were distributed from the booth. Among items given away were: brochures, pens, candy, newspapers and matches. Driver noted that anything that advertises Ruidoso would be acceptable for gifts from the booth.

## Warrior Boosters Set Hootenanny For April 17th

A Hootenanny has been slated by the Warrior Booster Club for April 17 at 8:00 p.m. in the high school gym. Anyone wishing to participate in the show is urged to contact "Dub" McClellan at the Ruidoso Printing Co. in Ruidoso.

Open to amateur or professional talent, numbers will be held to a 10 to 15 minute period. Talent can run from a one-man skit to a full chorus. Variety is the life of a Hootenanny, therefore, everyone is invited to participate in this entertainment event. Admission will be 50c for adults and 25c for children or \$2.00 family rate. Also anyone holding tickets for the Ruidoso Athletic Booster Banquet to be held May 13 will be admitted free.

## Representative of Runnels Office Schedules Visit

A representative from the office of Congressman Harold Runnels will be in Ruidoso Tuesday, April 13, to confer with residents of the area who have information they would like to convey to the Congressman or questions they would like to ask of his office.

Those interested are invited to meet with Rudy Valencia, area representative, between the hours of 1 and 3 p.m. Tuesday at the Municipal Building on Thursday, April 15, from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.

## Social Security Representative To Be In Ruidoso April 15

The Social Security representative from the Roswell office, Bob Noble, will be in Ruidoso at the Municipal Building on Thursday, April 15, from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.

The Ruidoso News is now preparing the Annual Season Opening issue of the newspaper and is taking reservations for copies to be sent to friends of our readers. The issue will include pictures and stories of places of interest within a short driving distance of Ruidoso. One section will be devoted entirely to pictures of our scenic attractions of this area.

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**TOURIST OF THE WEEK**—New Mexico State Police, last Tuesday in cooperation with the Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce, captured the chamber sponsored Tourist of the Week in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beckleymer, Minnetonka Beach, Minn. The Beckleymers were stopped on U. S. Highway 70, enroute through Ruidoso from a recent visit to Phoenix, Ariz. The couple was

happily surprised to learn that they were the guests of various Ruidoso area business people including the High Country Lodge, West Restaurant, Chaparral Motel, Hotel Restaurant, The Hideout, and Cowboy's Riding Stables. Pictured welcoming the two is Bill Andrus, left, chamber manager. (Ruidoso News Photo)

### County Agent's Column

By RALPH DUNLAP  
(Lincoln County Agent)

Apple blossoms are starting to appear in the Hondo Valley and more are expected by this weekend. The blossoms open when the area temperature has been above freezing for a period of time. The warm weather last week caused the blossoms to develop rapidly. The cold spell of the last few days has slowed the blossom emergence. I expect that the next few warm days will cause a large number of the blossoms to open. Plan to make a drive in the Hondo area soon as the sight and smell of the apple blossom will long be remembered.

R-R-D

Home gardeners who have pear trees and other plants susceptible to fire blight should be on the lookout for this disease at this time of the year. Although fire blight is most commonly observed in pear trees, it is sometimes found in apple, cotoneaster and other fruit and ornamental plants.

If infection occurs early in the spring, the first symptom is the presence of dead and dying flowers. Close examination shows that the floral parts are covered with a sticky ooze which contains millions of bacteria. Splashing rains and bees spread the bacteria, infecting leaves, twigs and fruit. The final result is a burned or scorched appearance of twigs and leaves. Hence the name "fire blight". Fruit has a dark appearance and may be covered with a sticky ooze. Bloom infection can be prevented by spraying 2-3 times with streptomycin or copper fungicides during the blooming period.

Control of fire blight is hampered by the internal development of the disease in the water conducting system. Dark streaking in the wood extends several inches beyond any outwardly damaged area. Since the disease causing organism overwinters in damaged branches, it is important that these branches be removed and burned. Due to the internal development of the disease, it is necessary to remove dead areas at least six to eight inches below the internal discolored wood. It is also a good idea to disinfect pruning tools with alcohol or diluted Chlorox solution (1 part Chlorox to 9 parts water) after each cut to avoid spreading the disease to new areas. Pruning wounds should be painted with tree paint containing a disinfectant. Further information concerning fire blight and its control is found in the publication, "Control Fire Blight in Pear and Apple Trees and Ornamentals", 400. B-118, available at county extension offices.

R-R-D

Agricultural judging teams and contests have long proved their worth as effective teaching tools. There's no better way to help a youngster learn than to give him a chance to put his knowledge to practice. That's what judging a class of wags or cows give the student. First, you teach him the quality standards, then you let him learn by applying these standards under actual conditions. And if he learns well, a judging team participant has a valuable skill to carry over into everyday life.

Every generation of youngsters has to learn a little earlier in life to balance his actions and ultimate decisions by asking the question, "Why?" This teaches boys and girls at a formative stage of life to be responsible for his or her decisions.

Youngsters on competitive judging gain this degree of maturity first. Just as children must justify their behavior to their parents or the borrower must defend his need for a loan from the banker so it is learning experience gained in judging. Every decision must have a reason based on existing standards. Members of 4-H Clubs must justify their placings, which is good training for later life. Almost every decision of any consequence in life should pass the ultimate "Why?" test.

R-R-D

Before buying shrubs to plant in your landscape this spring, examine each plant carefully for disease. You can't tell if you have a dead evergreen by looking at its leaves. Instead, look at the root system—it should be packed moist and covered to keep it from drying out. Bright green growing tips on an evergreen ready for transplanting could spell trouble. Green growing tips mean the plant has broken dormancy and chance for survival is reduced by two-thirds.

Mark of deciduous shrubs and other plants without leaves (at the time you select them) should not be dry or wrinkled. A quick check with the thumb nail in a small twig will let you know if the plant is green and alive. If plants are healthy, they will be white to green underneath the outer bark. Usually most nurseries and garden centers are reliable, and you don't have to worry about diseases or poor condition plants, but be careful of quick sale deals. Make sure these plants are healthy before buying.

ODENSA, TEXAS, AMERICAN: Attempts to legislate honesty and fairness in the marketplace are inferior to another old principle, that the dealer in shoddy goods will go out of business for the simple reason that his customers will disappear.

Grace is a link with the good and happy days on the Ruidoso. She and her late husband, the beloved Jim Jackson, were like father and mother to many of us. Jim departed this life years ago in California. Now Grace has gone to join Jim. May God grant them eternal happiness.

Grace Jackson  
All of us were grieved to hear of the death of Grace Jackson, mother of Mary Jackson Hedgecock of Ruidoso.

A happy and blessed Easter to you all.

**Ruidoso Elk Lodge**  
**Slates Installation**  
Installation of officers is scheduled for Saturday, April 10, 8:00 p.m. at the Ruidoso Elk Lodge. Officers: Fred the Alamogordo Lodge will act as installing officers for this event. A dinner is planned to precede the installation and a dance with live music will follow.

**"Heart Sunday" Drive**  
**Termed Successful**  
Elena F. Rogers, chairman of the Hondo Valley Heart Fund, reports that the "Heart Sunday" drive netted \$12,36 this year. Mrs. Nina Nelson and Mrs. George Butts, co-chairmen for over seven years, are given credit for much of the success.

Linda Sanchez and RMA Lucero of the Hondo School along with grade school students assisted in soliciting many of the contributions.

## SILVER LINING

By DANIEL A. STORM  
Easter Lilly and Her Calves

A number of years ago, one bright Easter morning, we found a tiny new-born calf over on the knoll west of the house. It was a little dun colored heifer.

We called this little calf Easter Lilly. As Easter Lilly grew she turned darker, and today she is a black cow with a white face. She is a half Jersey, and through the years she has brought many calves to the green pastures of the Five-S Ranch. All of these calves have been outstanding—each with a distinct personality.

Way back before Easter Lilly, the old Jersey cow had a little black calf called Tar Baby. It was a hard winter that year and little Tar Baby took the job of alerting the rest of the herd when the hay was being dropped out of the back-up onto the snow.

Easter Lilly's calves have been every color of the rainbow—starting out one color and ending up another: from dun to black, from gray to brindle, from white to dun and so on.

Every year Easter Lilly has her calves earlier than the rest and the heifer that she brings into the world have their young early in life.

Two or so winters ago, in late February I think it was, down at the corral, with the snow falling

fast was Easter Lilly, by her side was a little heifer calf—a dark brown-dun something like the ones on the Knox Gelatin boxes. She seemed to be enjoying the snow, this little brownie: sniffing at the flakes, chalking them off her large ears, blinking at them with large velvet brown eyes.

This little calf we named Little Snow Bird, Shady Logan and I did, on account of her love of the snow you see.

Easter Lilly's calves, coming into the world first the way they do, go through a sort of lonesome spell for a while until the other little calves arrive. Then these little early arrivals are dancing and romping with joy at their new playmates, chowing them every courtesy, and looking after them at bed time, showing them where the best shade and bedding down places are and so on.

This year Easter Lilly's calf was a cream colored little bull. He was born in late January and was the only little fellow in sight on the pastures for quite a while.

Then, lo and behold one morning, Little Snow Bird came walking up on the knoll proudly showing her first calf. This was a little blackie heifer with a funny pattern of white all over her face and jaw. This little calf is a born comedian, always entertaining the rest of the calves with her capers and

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# The Tattletale

by Patrick Healy

"April Showers may come your way". Let's all hope the rains will come to Ruidoso, 'cause we are in bad need of a few showers. ALPHA DELTA PHI girls sorority invaded the upper canyon this past weekend. The girls from Eastern New Mexico State University held their annual retreat. Hometown members were KAREN PETTY, DELANA PHILLIPS and KATHY HINE.

Lubbock, Texas must have looked like a one-way street of out-of-town traffic, with the amount of visitors that had fun in sunny Ruidoso. Doing their thing, FAYE JOHNSON, JUANITA BRATCHER, MR. and MRS. PAT MCNAMARA, their children, PAT, WALLY, MAGGIE, LOUISE and JOHN. Also MR. and MRS. KEN MARSHALL and M. C. COLLINS.

Dust mops are a flyin' these days, as so many of our neighbors who pop in and out of the Tall Pines, make ready for the on-coming season. Mr. and Mrs. LYNN DURHAM, Midland, Texas, who have recently completed a home in Alto Village, find themselves doing a bit of the dusting. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. LINGER, Las Cruces, have purchased the Gray cabin, they too find themselves dying to get started with a little re-decorating program.

A warm welcome goes out to Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES KUCH, who are retiring here. Home used to be El Paso.

A long tiring trip but a fun filled weekend brought CARL WEVER, Waco, Tex. Accompanying the woman, Mr. and Mrs. DAVID PARKER, San Jose, Texas.

While visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. EVERETT TROUT, WAYNE TROUT, Canyon, Texas, found himself doing a little yard work, he hadn't anticipated.

Stopping over for a bit of refreshment enroute to Tularosa, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. ANDERSON, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. ROGERS, Alamogordo, were meeting the Kokewill Shriners for a joint city get-together.

Midlanders Mrs. CLEM GEORGE and daughter MERRITH, checking out their cabin in the upper canyon.

Off for a little trip before the action gets started. Mr. and Mrs. KEN KNAPP are driving to Denver to visit with their son and then on to sunny California. Speaking of Ruidosians, DR. BRILL really enjoyed The Southern Singers, the 60-girl group from The University of Texas, the other night.

EMORY SHANNON, Andrews, Texas, believes in the Women's Lib, as seen this past weekend, when he had his wife MAXINE up on the roof of their cabin getting the pine needles off. Emory supervised from the ground. The JACK YOUNGS, El Paso, recently entertained their daughter, JACKIE and two friends, BRINDA LEE and JAY COUNTY, all of Dallas. The two young ladies are school teachers. (I should have been so lucky).

JIM and JAN DAVIS handed paint brushes to their house guests, DR. FRANCIS DAVIS, granddaughter, JANET, and her friend, DIANE, Amarillo, Texas. JACK and LARRY SHAW welcomed the visit of BOB and BONNIE, and the thrill of seeing their grandchildren, SHAWN and BLAINE.

Thought of the day: May the Easter Bunny fill your baskets with all the joys of the Easter season.

**HONEYMOON CLUB**  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mitchell of 3605 East Country Road, Odessa, Tex. spent their honeymoon in Ruidoso April 3 and stayed at the Ponderosa Courts. The bride is the former Brenda Jo Kincannon and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kincannon of Odessa. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mitchell of Abilene, Tex. The couple was married in Temple Baptist Church in Odessa on April 1.

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## — ORDINANCE 68-1 —

### ARTICLE IX — FIRE:

— SECTION 1. IMPROPER HANDLING OF FIRE —

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to set a fire or to cause or procure a fire to be set in any trash, refuse, inflammable vegetation or forest material, or to any other flammable substance on the land of another person and without the permission of the owner thereof.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to allow fire to escape or spread from the control of the person setting such fire or having charge thereof without using reasonable and proper precaution to prevent such fire from escaping or spreading.

(c) It shall be unlawful for any person to set a fire or to cause or procure a fire to be set in any trash, refuse, inflammable vegetation or forest material, or to any other flammable substance on his own land or that of another person, without using proper and reasonable precaution at all times to prevent the escape of such fire.

(d) It shall be unlawful for any person to leave any campfire burning and unattended upon his own land or the lands of another person.

(e) It shall be unlawful for any person to cause a fire to be started upon his own land or the land of another person by means of any lighted cigar, cigarette, match or other manner, and leave such fire unquenched.

Provided however, that nothing herein shall constitute improper handling of fire where the fire is a backfire set for the purpose of stopping the progress of a fire then actually burning.

— SECTION 2. INTERFERENCE WITH FIRE CONTROLS —

(a) It shall be unlawful to give a false fire alarm to any public officer or employee, whether by means of a fire alarm or otherwise.

(b) It shall be unlawful to interfere with the proper functioning of a fire alarm system.

(c) It shall be unlawful to interfere with the lawful efforts of firemen to extinguish a fire.

### ARTICLE XVI — PENALTY:

SECTION 1: GENERAL PENALTY: Any person violating or failing to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be fined a sum not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for each such offense, or by imprisonment not exceeding ninety (90) days for each such offense, or by both such fine and imprisonment, unless a lesser penalty is provided for such offense in this Ordinance.

### Death In Texas Of Hobby Thomas Learned This Week

It was reported to the News this week that a long time summer resident here, Hobby Thomas, 78, of Hale Center, Tex. died at the H-Plains Hospital in the early part of February following an extended illness. Services and burial were in Hale Center. Thomas, who was born Oct. 25, 1902 in the Indian Territory near what is now Purcell, Okla., helped establish the Hale Center Wheat Growers' Inc. and served on its first board. He had a home in Ruidoso for many years.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Wanda Thomas, Hale Center; one son, Hobby Thomas Jr., Hale Center; three daughters, Mrs. Catherine Roy, Albuquerque, Mrs. Jeanne Allen, Hale Center, and Mrs. Mildred Armstrong, Earth, Tex.; one brother, Willard Thomas, Clovis, N. M.; five sisters and 14 grandchildren.

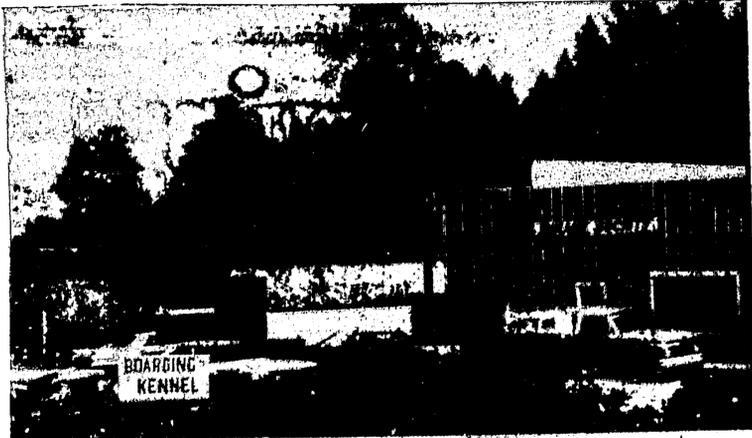
### Cecil Peterson Long-Time Ruidoso Resident Dies Here

Cecil Allen Peterson, 44, a Ruidoso resident for the past 40 years, died in the Ruidoso-Rondo Valley Hospital in Ruidoso on Monday, April 5, at 3:45 a.m. Services were held Wednesday, April 7, at 2 p.m. in First Baptist Church in Ruidoso with Rev. Walter T. Brian of Alamogordo, former pastor of the First Baptist Church here, and Rev. Leon Bruce, present pastor, officiating. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso with Chapel of Roses Mortuary handling arrangements.

Cecil Peterson was born on July 15, 1926 in Amos, Texas. He grew up in Ruidoso and lived at most his entire life here. He worked part time for a number of years at the Ruidoso News and previously to that had been employed with other firms here.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Peterson, Ruidoso Downs; six sisters, Mrs. Linda Pooy, Ruidoso Downs; Mrs. Geraldine Wilson, Daguer, Calif.; Mrs. Audrey Kendrick, Glendale, Ariz.; Mrs. Claudine Dikard, Aurora, Colo.; Mrs. Pauline Moore, Phoenix, Ariz., and Nadene Peterson, El Paso, and two brothers, Larry Peterson, Ozona Park, N. Y., and James Peterson, El Paso, Texas.

Palbearers were R. H. Hedgecock, S. D. Good, Homer Allison, W. A. Hart, Paul West and Charles McClellan.



**HUMANE SOCIETY**—The Humane Society's facility on U. S. Highway 70 is shown above. It will be the location for the mass dog vaccination to be held in May. According to Ruidoso Village ordinance, all dogs must have a city dog license each

year, and the only place where this license can be obtained is at the Humane Society's office, located next to Ruidoso Natural Gas Co. building in the Hollywood area. (Ruidoso News Photo)

## Sheriff's Department Report For Month of March, 1971

- Housed 49 prisoners including to Santa Fe.
- One accessory to a crime.
- Five aliens.
- Fourteen drunks.
- One lottery.
- Two worthless checks.
- Two fraud.
- Two tampering with a motor vehicle.
- Two burglary.
- Two DWI.
- Two carrying deadly weapon.
- Two vandalism.
- One held for Camp Sierra Blanca.
- One receiving stolen property.
- One aggravated assault.
- One allowing liquor to enter to the bar.
- One possession of marijuana over one ounce.
- Served 825 meals.
- Traveled 9,054 miles.
- Served 84 court orders.
- Answered 1,575 calls.
- Registered 35 complaints — Solved 28.
- Made one trip to take prisoner

## Your Social Security

"If you are a Medicare beneficiary, please examine the explanations of benefits you receive showing payments for medical services," urged Bob Noble, Social Security Field Representative for this area. "Any discrepancy noted should be reported to the nearest social security office. Most mistakes are just honest error, but occasionally there is an attempt to defraud for services not performed."

The alert eyes of a Medicare beneficiary in Oklahoma recently led to the apprehension of an ambulance company operator who had submitted bills for four ambulance trips when only one took place, Noble said.

Following a plea of guilty, the former operator of the Ocaga Ambulance Company of Pawhuska, Robert M. Williams, was convicted and placed on three years probation by the U. S. District Court in Tulsa.

Since suppliers of any medical services covered by Medicare may be reimbursed directly for services rendered, Noble explained, it is extremely important that all people covered by Medicare check the explanation of benefits paid which they receive, thereby insuring that only valid claims are honored and that anyone attempting to falsify claims is brought to justice.

Charles Wolf, 16, El Paso, charged with burglary of the Dorsey White cabin at Bonito. Arraigned April 5 with bond set at \$500. Incarcerated in lieu of bond. Judge Bill Payne, Magistrate, Division I.

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**SPRING PAINT-UP** — Bill Andrus, chamber manager, is shown above giving the inside of the chamber office its first coat of paint in 13 years. Anyone having supplies or labor to donate to the project is urged to contact the chamber office. (Ruidoso News Photo)

## Lincoln County Calendar of Events 1971

- APRIL 11 — Four Chaplains Easter Sunrise Service, 5:55 a.m., Valley of Fires State Park.
- MAY 21—Racing Season Begins at Ruidoso Downs.
- JUNE 7 - AUG. 27—Summer Art Course, Carrizo Lodge, Ruidoso.
- JULY 3-4 — Smokey Bear Stampede and Rodeo, Capitan.
- JULY 3-4 — Mesacalero Ceremonial and Rodeo.
- JULY 10-11 — Carrizozo Quarter Horse Show, Carrizozo.
- JULY 14-18 — Ranchmen's Camp Meeting, Nogal Meca.
- AUG. 3-4 — Lincoln County Fair.
- AUG. 7-8 — Last Escape of Billy the Kid Pageant, Lincoln.
- AUG. 7 — Pony Express Race, White Oaks to Lincoln Town.
- AUG. 20-SEPT 6 — All-American Week in Ruidoso.
- SEPT. 6-17 — Fall "Paint-In", Carrizo Lodge, Ruidoso.
- SEPT. 6 — All American Futurity, Ruidoso Downs Race Track.
- OCT. 4-16 — Oil and Watercolor Class, Carrizo Lodge, Ruidoso.
- OCT. 8-10 — Aspenade, Ruidoso.
- OCT. 8-10 — Apple Open House, Hondo.

If you know of a special event scheduled for 1971 which should be included in the calendar, please call the News at 267-4001.

In addition to the SPECIAL EVENTS listed, Lincoln County offers many permanent attractions for tourists. Museums and historic exhibits at Lincoln Town, Ancho, Capitan, Ft. Stanton and Timmie are open to the public. Picnic and camping grounds are among the most beautiful in the country. Year-round fishing is available at Nogal and Alto Lake with seasonal casting at Bonito Lake and along the Ruidoso River. State parks at Three Rivers (Indian Pictographs) and Valley of Fires State Park (The Malpais) invite visitors all year around. Touring the countryside to a pleasure any time, from the heights of Sierra Blanca at 12,000 feet to the desert of the Tularosa Valley.

Accommodations for overnight or for weeks on end are available in abundance. Restaurants offer a wide variety of foods from gourmet to family style. But, probably the greatest of pleasures is the genuine friendliness extended by all of the county to our guests. We know you will enjoy your stay in Lincoln County.

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DEMOCRATS MOVING OUT—The above pictured building, recently used as the Democratic Headquarters, this week was moved from its location on Sudderth Drive in the Midtown area of Ruidoso to make way for off street parking. The old land mark, a former residence and commercial building, was located on one of six lots purchased by Brunell's Department Store, located just across the street, in conjunction with the current village Downtown Improvement Program. (By the way the move has no relationship to the Democratic Party.) (Ruidoso News Photo)

YOUR QUESTIONS REQUESTED—

The Law and the Court—Today

BY HUGH STILES
An offense, in criminal law, is an act which is prohibited by law, forbidden to be done, or omitted that which it commands.
A Guilty Plea is one in which a defendant, charged with a violation, admits or confesses to a violation.
A Not Guilty Plea by a defendant is an expression by the defendant that he wishes to put himself on his trial. This plea makes it incumbent or necessary upon the prosecutor to prove every fact and circumstance constituting the offense as stated in the indictment, information, or complaint. On the other hand the defendant may give in evidence not only everything which negates the charges but also all matters of excuse and justification.
A Plea of Nolo Contendere signifies that the defendant does not wish to defend himself but rather let the case rest at the mercy of the court.
— WARRANTS —
A Bench Warrant is a process granted by a court whereby the court issues a document or writ directing an authorized law enforcement officer or other authorized person to apprehend the person therein named who has been charged with a named offense, and bring him before the court.
A Search Warrant is a process issued by a court authorizing a law enforcement officer or other authorized person to examine a house, or other place for the purpose of finding goods which are alleged to have been stolen or are in possession illegally.
— MALICE —
Malice is doing a wrongful act intentionally without just cause or excuse. Express Malice exists when the party evidences an intention to commit the crime. Implied Malice is that inferred by law from the facts proved.

— PLEADINGS —
There are three basic pleas which a defendant may enter to the court regarding traffic violations, criminal complaints, etc. A defendant is defined as one who has been charged with a particular offense and is called before the court to answer regarding the charges.

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'Round School

BY SALLY STILES

Speech Class Has Play
The Speech Class presented "Bumpelstiltskin" Wednesday. During the three week period they blocked and rehearsed the acts. While the members of the cast were rehearsing the rest of the class worked on props, scenery, and things of the sort. The class had only three night rehearsals, the rest was done during their one-hour class period.

The cast was as follows:
Rumpelstiltskin, Dianne Hernandez; Mother Hulda, Kim Gooch; Miller's Daughter, Judy Knapp; Miller's Wife, Frances Harcrow; Miller, Eddie Goodrum; Gethol, Glen Duragan; Incest, Rick Proctor; King, Mike Shiver; King's Son, Pat Brown; Karen, Lisa Boyer; Nurse, Sandra Kotars; First Lady, Linda Padilla; Second Lady, Kathy Alva; First Page, Hank Wood; Second Page, Pat Stevenson.

Assistant Director, Mickie Day; Stage Manager, Susan Starkey; Technical Director, Debbie Campbell; Property Director, Linda Webb; Advertising, Greg Forrest; Make-Up and Costumes, Sarah Barcus; Lighting Director, Sandra Weaver; and Director, Miss Raymond McAdams.

Tina Aguilar, Ruidoso Jaycee Boxing Club member, won the 1970 Open Weight Division Championship in the recent regional matches. Aguilar, 178 pounds, received a much coveted trophy following his victories in the Ruidoso Golden Glove fights.

Ruidoso's second Earth Week will be held April 12-14. A contest will be one of the events. For all people interested a \$50 award will be given to the person with the best poster. Second prize is \$10 and third prize will be a \$5 reward. The same award money for a slogan about Earth Week. An essay, 1,000 words or less about what you think on the U.S. problem of litter, and pollution, etc., will also be awarded for first, second and third prize. This will be due on April 8.

The Sociology/Economics class has been very busy this semester. They went to Santa Fe to observe the state legislature on March 13 and 14. They also visited city officials, Jim Hove, Wayne Estes and Earl Allison to visit the state to talk on city government. They helped to conduct a survey about interest in Vocational Education program in our school, and this past week they have cleaned the litter from over a mile of roadside on the way to town near the reservoir. Their future plans include visiting the town's banks and also having several ministers from the different churches in our area come and give a talk on religion. The class has taken a "get involved" attitude and they expect to accomplish much before the year is over.

Mr. Longan is to be thanked for repairing the curtains on the stage. He spent a whole evening at the gym with a sewing machine repairing them. This is not necessarily one of the duties of a principal, but it was very considerate of him to take time for this.

Friends Here Learn Of Death April 6 of Mrs. Fay Alexander
Friends in Ruidoso learned this midweek of the death of Mrs. Fay Alexander, long time Ruidoso resident, on Tuesday, April 6, at the home of one of her daughters in Whittier, Calif. Services are scheduled at Haskell, Texas. Mrs. Alexander was preceded in death by her husband, Wallace.
Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Pauline Bowers, Whittier, Calif.; Mrs. Elton Hall and Mrs. T. W. Smith, both of Austin, Tex., and Mrs. Roy Lankford, Dallas, Tex. Eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Ruidoso Jaycees Hold Officer Election

The Ruidoso District Jaycees held their regular meeting Tuesday, April 6, at 7:30 p.m. at the Chaparral. An election of officers was held. James Fitzgerald is the new president, with Roger Marshall, vice-president; Douglas McClellan, secretary-treasurer; Jerry Russell, director, and Richard Lepton, state director. The District Jaycees meet every Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Chaparral Motor Hotel in Ruidoso Downs.

CONGRESSMAN'S OPINION
SULLIVAN, N.M., FERGUSON:
"Have you noticed some of the news releases as to how most government departments will come in the increases in funds for employment and other agencies, etc. tomorrow up January 1 of every year? The story is that Congress and government funds are making provisions for all that extra spending with as little publicity as possible. In other words, the government is taking no more in its efforts to curb inflation but rather, is seeking legislation that can do nothing other than increase it. Do our heads of government have so little faith in their own efforts and promises that they aren't even going to try to fix runaway prices?"

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Joyce and daughter, Karen, from El Paso, Tex., spent the Easter holidays in their river cabin.

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SHEEP TO SHAWL—The Lincoln County Development Association, last Tuesday, was given a demonstration as to several steps required to make wearable wool yarn from raw wool. Pictured above are Mrs. Janice Gnatkowski, right, and her son, Mel, Corona, using small spinning wheels. (Ruidoso News Photo)

Cubs of Den 3 Have Meeting

Cub Scouts of Den 3, Pack 50, held their regular meeting Monday afternoon, April 5, at the home of Mrs. Jim Wimberly, Den Leader. Roll call was answered with a joke or stunt, in keeping with the

Five Citations Issued By Forest Service

Five citations were issued Wednesday by Forest Service personnel for violations of the partial closure order now in effect. One violation, abandoning a camp fire, was heard by Judge Austin Pritchett and a fine of \$100 plus court cost was assessed. The other four counts are pending and included one for illegal fire, and three counts of off the road traffic.

April theme of "Vaudeville". A flag ceremony was held and the group discussed the Pack meeting to be held the end of April. The boys practiced singing and played games. The Cubs sent a card to Bert Owen, a member who was absent due to illness. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Wimberly and Mrs. Dale Wynn, assistant leader.

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EARTH WEEK II

Words were once written to the effect that Ruidoso is not just a place on the map—it's a state of mind. Truer words were never spoken. However, Ruidoso, just like every other community and city in these United States, has a pressing problem. Her state of mind is becoming badly cluttered by the trash and debris defacing her appearance.
Unlike larger cities, Ruidoso has a relatively simple solution to this dilemma. The big cities of our nation are plagued by factories that pour pollution into the air and water at a phenomenal rate. Cars, bumper to bumper, spit forth their exhaust which only adds to an already critical situation. It will take millions of dollars and years upon years of time and effort to correct their situation—if, it's possible at all to eliminate the dangers of pollution.

We are lucky. Compared with other areas, we can make great strides toward a solution and see the results of our efforts clearly and quickly.
Being a small town, we have limited traffic problems and being a resort town, factories are non-existent. Therefore, the pollution problem in Ruidoso is due to the carelessness of individuals and as individuals we can correct it.

Ground work has been laid for Earth Week II, but pollution is not something that can be taken care of in one week, one month or even six months. It's a year-long, year-around job for each and every one of us. Ours is a problem of litter, waste and carelessness. There are tin cans, bottles and papers floating in our river, where once only water flowed. Our highways and byways are sprouting beer cans, pop bottles, gum wrappers and cigarette packages where once only grass and wild flowers grew. The situation is rapidly getting out of hand and the only way to halt its progress is a combined effort from every individual to take special care to place all litter in trash receptacles and take a little of our time to clean up the areas around our own homes and places of business.

Lincoln County in general and Ruidoso in particular has a spectacular, breathtaking beauty all its own. People from all over the world have come here for rest, relaxation and fun and a major portion of our charm is due to the natural beauty of our area. It is the responsibility of all citizens of Ruidoso to keep our village clean and pollution-free.

Many civic organizations and concerned citizens are putting in a large portion of their time to organize Earth Week II, but this is only a beginning. Let's all get behind them and do our part to make their project a success. But, don't stop there. You and only you can extend Earth Week into Earth Year and create an atmosphere of clean air and immaculate hillside devoid of litter and waste. After all, this land is your land and it's up to you to protect it.

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MRS. WALT HUGHES

**Fishing To Close For Alto Lake**

The following news release was submitted by the Eagle Creek Water District:

Due to the dry conditions it is apparent that the water stored in Alto Lake will be used for domestic purposes in the next few months.

Under recommended policies of the State Health Department it is advised that we close the area to fishing at the present time.

We will close the lake to fishing Sunday, April 18, so catch all you can before then; stocking of the lake has ceased.

Fishing will again be permitted when we get sufficient run-off to refill the lake; hopefully this coming year.

We anticipate that by using the water for the primary purpose for which it was intended, there will be no water shortage this summer.

**Ruidoso Bowler To Attend National Event In Atlanta, Ga.**

A Ruidoso bowler, Mrs. J. C. "Walt" Hughes, will be participating in the national tournament of the Women's International Bowling Congress which is being held in Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. Hughes will be bowling this week-end, April 10 and 11. She is a member of several bowling leagues in Ruidoso, including the Sunday Mixed League, the Monday Mixed League and the Ruidoso Ladies League.

Mrs. Hughes and her husband came to Ruidoso in August of 1970 when they purchased the Massey Automobile Body Repair Shop in Ruidoso Downs. They moved here from Clovis where Hughes had been in the automobile body repair business for 25 years. He has received training from the General Motors Corporation in his line of work. They purchased the Massey Body Shop from Dorris Massey who had operated it for many years previously. The couple has three married daughters and four grandchildren.

BENTON, MO., SCOUT COUNTY DEMOCRAT: "Only as people restrain their desire for government handouts and gifts and insist on economy and moderation in public spending will there be any hope for relief from inflation, high taxes, and high prices."

**Lakes Are Stocked With Walleye**

Elephant Butte, Caballo and Alamogordo reservoirs have been recently planted with baby walleye hatched at the Department of Game and Fish Rock Lake unit near Santa Rosa.

The eggs were obtained from a spawn-taking operation at Ute Lake where over 30 million eggs were taken. Conchas and Ute Reservoirs do not need stocking as they have good natural walleye reproduction. These waters will also serve as a source of spawn to plant in the less productive waters.

This is the beginning of an intensive 6 year walleye stocking program set up for fluctuating reservoirs by the Department of Game and Fish. Fisheries experts feel that much of the natural reproduction in these waters is being lost to lowering water levels, leaving spawn and young fish high and dry as the reservoirs are drawn down.

Northern Pike were also stocked in Elephant Butte last spring. Experimental gill nets set out by fisheries students at New Mexico State University recently yielded 2 northern pike that weighed 4 lbs. each. They had grown to this size in 11 months. This rapid growth by these highly predatory fish result from a good supply of their favorite food, mainly snail and carp. More Northern Pike will be stocked in the state's warm waters as the fish become available for planting.



**NEW MAINTENANCE SHOP FOR RACE TRACK**

In keeping with their current expansion and improvement program, the Ruidoso Downs Race Track, this week, neared completion of a new 6,000 square foot all metal maintenance building. The new building, located on the east side of the

track area, will house all of the track's maintenance equipment and provide facilities for mechanical repairs on the equipment. The old shop, formerly near the track entrance, has been removed to provide additional parking space. (Ruidoso News Photo)

**Area Earth Week Programs Outlined**

Most plans have been completed for the Earth Week II activities in and around Ruidoso and Lincoln County. Earth Week runs April 19 through the 24th.

Available for sale are green and white bumper stickers saying "Be Clean, Keep Lincoln Green". It has been reported that if your vehicle does not have a bumper sticker on by the 15th of April you're liable to be stopped and asked why. Stickers will be on sale at various places of business and further information on that program may be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce.

There is a "litter pen" erected adjacent to the Chamber of Commerce wherein sealed litter bags and boxes may be deposited. The idea is to provide a depository for litter, not personal trash.

School students are eligible to enter any one or all three contests available, a slogan contest, an essay contest and a poster contest. All contests have a \$25 first prize, a \$10 second prize and a \$5 third prize. Entries will be judged by appropriately qualified judges selected by a committee for that purpose. Posters will be displayed the week before Earth Week II and slogans will be used for the program during Earth Week. The winning essay will be sent to Keep America Beautiful, Inc., of New York for a possible printing in National publications.

A program to remove old car bodies, refrigerators, stoves and other heavy litter will be established by Earth Week. Anyone wishing to have such items removed should contact either the Chamber of Commerce or the special telephone number to be announced.

Village officials have given a green light to as much support of the program as possible. Without the unselfish, wholehearted support from all people in and around our beautiful town, the efforts of a few cannot possibly accomplish the task ahead.

Area team captains have been selected and will be contacted in the near future. They will be assigned areas of responsibility. Further details on this program will be announced.

The youth groups will be called on to collect and redeem used aluminum containers under the general supervision of Ray Crawford. If you know the whereabouts of such containers, please let Ray know. Ray Crawford may also be able to help those who cannot pick up the litter around their premises, by sending Scouts, who would do the job for some type of consideration.

Let's all get into the swing of the program, and not wait until the last minute. If there is newsworthy information concerning our drive to clean our town, contact Sandy White at 267-2086 or 267-4613, and she will see that the information is put into the news media.

Co-operate, get out the rake.

**First Baptist Set Revival Meeting**

The First Baptist Church of Ruidoso has scheduled a revival meeting to be held April 25 to May 2. Dr. Carl Scott, noted Baptist Minister, has been named to conduct the revival. Dr. Scott has served as president of the New Mexico Baptist State Convention for two years and has also served on a number of boards of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Assisting with the revival will be New Mexico's Brooks Anderson of Lovington. Primarily known for his movie title song record "Tribes", the young singer will make an appearance at the high school on April 27.

The public is invited to attend the week-long revival.

**Chadwick Assumes Operation of Holiday Restaurant**

Bill and Debbie Chadwick, formerly of Grants, have taken over operation and management of the Holiday House Restaurant. Chadwick also announced that Gene Davis will serve as chef and Macarena Richardson will continue as pastry chef. Other employees remaining on the staff are Mary Underwood, Rose White and Hope Goodman, all waitresses.

Open seven days a week, the weekday hours will be 6:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. and week ends 6:30 a.m. until 10:00 p.m.

The restaurant will continue to cater special parties and banquets.

**BOWLING**

**Wednesday Mixed Results of March 31**

Team	W	L
Nunley Drug	20	28
Metro Life Ins.	23	41
All Sports Trophies	23	43
Win, Place, Show	51	23
Silver Dollar Rest.	47	27
Von Rosenberg Const.	44 1/2	58 1/2
High Country Lodge	44	60
KOA Kampground	38 1/2	65 1/2
High team series: Metro Life Ins.	27 1/2	Win, Place, Show, 26 1/2
All Sports Trophies, 26 1/2	High team game: Metro Life Ins.	63
All Sports Trophies, 61 1/2	KOA Kampground, 70	
High individual series: Rick Coy, 65; Virgil Reynolds, 64; Phil Walliser, 62; Margie Kennedy, 62; Annie Keith, 62; Dee Von Rosenberg, 60. High individual game: Rick Coy, 263; Virgil Reynolds, 271; Jeff Von Rosenberg, 208; Margie Kennedy, 188; Dee Von Rosenberg, 188; Annie Keith, 185.		
Spills converted: Dovey Prowell, 5-7-8; Pat Martello, 3-7.		

**RUIDOSO LADIES Results of April 6**

Team	W	L
Apache Motel	20	23
McCarty Const.	28 1/2	44 1/2
Holiday House	29	40
Outway Deep Rock	25 1/2	52 1/2
Ruidoso State Bank	50 1/2	37 1/2
Artistic Beauty Shop	49 1/2	38 1/2
Sony's Enco	44 1/2	33 1/2
Patia's Cleaners	34 1/2	78 1/2
High team series: McCarty Const., 213; Apache Motel, 218; Artistic Beauty Shop, 204. High team game: McCarty Const., 234; Apache Motel, 72; Sony's Enco, 70.		
High individual series: Margie Kennedy, 64; Hope Beake, 64; Ava McCarty, 60. High individual game: Margie Kennedy, 213, 206; Phyllis McCarty, 210; Ava McCarty, 204.		

**4-H Group Plans Food Fair and White Sands Trip**

The Home Living group of the 4-H Rotarians held a meeting April 6 in the Aurora home. The president, Cindy Roberts, called the meeting to order. The girls are planning to have a food fair on April 18 and also hoping to be able to take a trip to White Sands on May 18.

Cindy Wynn, a new member, was elected vice-president. The girls brought deviled eggs. The judge, Janet Tally, was appointed official taster. The next meeting has been set for April 14 in the home of Cindy Roberts, it was reported by Gretchen Annala.

**SOUTH PASADENA, CALIF., REVIEW:** "We predicted that in the next 10 months American business will spend \$4.8 billion to hire and train sales people, adding 1.8 million people to the sales force."

**Square 'Em Up**

By SANDY WHITE

I'll bet I know something you don't know, Easter bunnies square dance just like people. If you don't believe me, you just come out Saturday night at 8 p.m. to the Sierra Squared Easter Dance and see if they don't. You've heard of Playboy bunnies - well, we've got square dancing bunnies.

Seriously, the Sierra Squared are planning big doings for Saturday night. As always there will be square dancing for all and I've heard that there'll be an Easter surprise for the young 'uns.

We are planning to have the new decorations for the hall in place that night. I've had a sneak preview and it looks to me like they really ought to dress up the place.

We had our regular workshop last Wednesday night and it was a real rip-roarer. We ran through several figures we hadn't done in many a moon. Well, to be perfectly honest, we walked through them to begin with - it was when ole Don "The Caller" tried to put it to music that the rummin' began. There was lots of folks bumpin' into lots of other folks and none of us are still too sure who won - but we put up one heck of a fight. We like to have laughed ourselves to death. And that, folks, is what square dancing is all about. You may not always execute each figure perfectly, but the mistakes are just as much fun as the actual dancing itself.

Now, don't forget. That's Saturday night, April 10, at 8 p.m. for the big Easter dance. Bring the kids, 'cause we plan to have a surprise for them, too. And don't be surprised if you hear the Easter Bunny himself calling "Dow to your partner - and the lady on the left - alamaand left with the old hand - now partner right and right and left grand."



**Girl Scout News**

The Neighborhood meeting was well attended last week at the Lions Club Hut. Those present were Mrs. R. C. Woodcock of Alamogordo, Mrs. J. J. DiPaolo, Sandy Edinger, Mrs. Margaret Blank, Mrs. Jim Wambler, Mrs. Nina Burke, Mrs. Bob Edridge, Mrs. Stella Flores, Mrs. Vicki Garcia, Mrs. Elmer Pirelli and Mrs. Roy Mayo. Mrs. Woodcock remained for a group meeting and conducted a Court of Honor for members of Junior Troop 3, Junior Troop 4, and Cadette Troop 6. Refreshments were served.

Junior Troop 3 enjoyed a camp-out in Cedar Creek Saturday and Sunday. Members of three patrols had their tents, did their own cooking, working from a Kapee chart prepared by each patrol. Highlights of the trip will be prepared by the troop, some next week.

Members of Cadette Troop 6 are very busy getting ready for a chili supper and auction on April 24 at the Elks Lodge. They are also planning a camping trip in May and a trip to Six Flags, Texas this summer.

Junior Troop 4 will be going to Camp Mary White for two nights in May.

**PROCLAMATION OCCUPANCY & USE RESTRICTIONS**

WHEREAS, Forest lands of the Southwest are extremely and dangerously dry;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to Regulation U-6 (36CFR 251.25) made and promulgated by the Secretary of Agriculture, the following restrictions are made effective on the Lincoln National Forest:

Motor vehicle travel is restricted to maintained roads. Cross-country travel and vehicular use of trails is specifically prohibited.

Chain saws, generators, and similar motorized equipment, other than motor vehicles, may be used only under permit.

Overnight camping is restricted to the following developed campgrounds, or other areas which may be specifically designated by each District Ranger.

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| NOGAL LAKE   | PINES                    |
| SOUTH FORK   | APACHE - SILVER - SADDLE |
| SKYLINE      | DEERHEAD                 |
| OAK GROVE    | SLEEPYGRASS              |
| THREE RIVERS | JAMES CANYON             |
| CEDAR CREEK  | SETTING BULL FALLS       |

Open campfires are not permitted. A campfire does not include any cooking or heating device consuming kerosene, gasoline, or gas provided such device meets the fire underwriters specifications for safety. Charcoal broilers and wood and coal stoves outside of buildings are placed as campfires.

Smoking is restricted to permanent places of habitation, designated campground areas, and while traveling on paved or surfaced highways.

These restrictions will remain in force and effect until rescinded. This order becomes effective at 8:00 a.m., April 3, 1971. Done this 2nd day of April, 1971 at Alamogordo, New Mexico.

/s/ Robert A. Cook, Forest Supervisor

Information concerning these restrictions may be obtained at the Forest Supervisor's office, Alamogordo, New Mexico, and at the following Ranger District headquarters of the Lincoln National Forest: Captain, New Mexico - Ruidoso, New Mexico - Cloudcroft, New Mexico - Mayhill, New Mexico - Sacramento, New Mexico - Carlsbad, New Mexico.

**HOLLYWOOD NOTES**

Omar Leach during the Easter weekend. Members of the John Schuller family from El Paso, Texas spent the weekend to get their Ruidoso home ready for the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hyatt went to Roswell Sunday where Mrs. Hyatt entered the Eastern New Mexico Medical Center for examination and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Denton were speaking about pollution, noted here from Artesia last weekend that it was so bad in Washington visiting friends and taking care of what was one sick. So what else is new? Some legislators in Washington have been making will be in Roswell visiting Mrs. their constituents ill for years.

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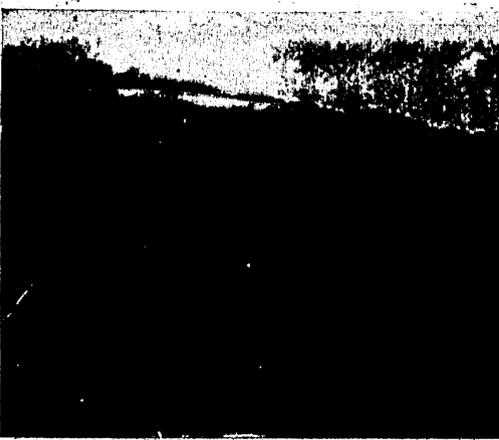
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**CONSERVATION PROJECT**—This rock retaining wall, built on the Smokey Bear Ranger District, is a joint effort between the Forest Service and Camp Sierra Blanca. This treatment slows down the flow of water, retards the movement of soil, and allows grass to become established in the gully.

## Ruidoso Team Draws A Tie In Cruces Match

Results of the golf match held last Saturday at Las Cruces has been released by Ruidoso High Golf Coach LeRoy Gooch. The Ruidoso team tied for fifth in a field of six.

Total scores ran: Roswell, 301; NMMU, 309; Hobbs, 311; Carlsbad, 319; Ruidoso, 332, and Artesia, 322.

The team is allowed to choose the top four scores out of the five members entered in the event. Boys entered were: Blaine Miller, 83; Steve Wimberly, 82; Kent Skarda, 77; Joey McGuire, 80, and Craig Horton, 89.

In a practice match held on Sunday afternoon against the Alamogordo Club at the Alto Golf Course the Ruidoso team won, 328 to 340.

The boys' scoring ran: Steve Wimberly, 83; Blaine Miller, 84; Kent Skarda, 80; Joey McGuire, 81, and Craig Horton, 81.

Some bottle their way to the top—others bottle their way to the bottom.

## Commission Sets Freight Hearing

The New Mexico State Corporation Commission will hold a public hearing in Santa Fe April 20 on numerous complaints they have received from the New Mexico shippers and receivers of motor freight on the handling of loss and damage claims.

On issuing the order, Commission Chairman Columbus Ferguson stated, "The noted increase in complaints concerning the handling of loss and damage claims to cause for concern of the Commission. The fact that complaints have been registered from every section of the state and concern every motor carrier operating within the state calls for a full public hearing on the matter. The handling of loss and damage claims by motor carriers is a part of the motor carrier's responsibility of ascertaining if such motor carriers are handling loss and damage claims in a manner that is consistent with their service obligations."

The hearing has been set in the Commission hearing room, Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the 20th of April at 9:30 a.m., in the P. E. R. A. Building.

## Camp Sierra Blanca Boys Cooperate With Forest Service Work Projects

From Smokey Bear Ranger Dist. In 1965 a cooperative agreement was entered into between the U. S. Forest Service and the State of New Mexico. New Mexico Boys School, Springer, New Mexico. This agreement allowed the boys school to furnish boys to work with and under Forest Service supervision.

Over 200 boys have been assigned to and rehabilitated through the camp program since 1965. A diversified program is prepared each year for a forestry program to be accomplished through the boys' efforts. The accomplishments have varied from fire fighting to cleaning up campgrounds. Their efforts have helped the Forest Service toward better, more efficient management of public lands within the Lincoln National Forest. Not only have the boys been doing resource work, but they have been given training in American Red Cross Fire Aid and in rural civil defense.

The public lands produce much usable water for our cities. Gullies have started where poor management was practiced in past years. Today we are trying to halt the loss of our soils. Since 1965 over 35 watershed structures have been built in gullies to halt the flow of soil. In addition, the boys have repaired 46 structures built by the CC's in the 30's.

The boys have helped nature replenish the forest's timber supply. They have planted almost 600 acres of burned land with 600,000 ponderosa pine seedlings. They have collected three tons of tree seed which have been used to help reforest lands throughout New Mexico and Arizona.

Our range produces forage for both domestic livestock and wildlife. Sometimes it becomes necessary to remove invading piñon pine, juniper trees, and cholla cactus from high value forage areas. The boys have helped control these invading species over almost 2000 acres.

Water becomes valuable for wildlife to drink and for putting out forest fires. The boys helped to build a 30,000 gallon capacity trick tank on East Captain Mountain. This provides three water places for wildlife and water at a hellspot for fire-fighting use.

A sign shop was formerly located at Camp Sierra Blanca. Signs were built there and shipped to National Forests throughout Arizona and New Mexico. About \$70,000 worth of signs were produced there over a span of about 3 1/2 years.

The boys have been cleaning up camp and picnic grounds for some three years now. During the summer months they spend two days a week on the Ruidoso Ranger District helping to maintain the campgrounds in a clean and safe condition.

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**WILDLIFE WATER**—A 30,000 gallon capacity trick tank on East Captain Mountain constructed by the Camp Sierra Blanca crew furnishes water to wildlife and is a source for water used in fire-fighting. The storage tank is beneath the catchment surface shown.

## Check In - Check Out May Be Required Of Turkey Hunters

The State Game Commission, in a special meeting here last week, amended the spring turkey season regulations to give the Director of the Department of Game and Fish the authority to require that hunters check in or check out at designated check stations in the event that extreme fire danger indicates the necessity of such action.

The check-in would make it possible to give hunters a personal warning of extreme fire danger as they entered the hunting area and in addition, they could be alerted to any special regulations that might be put in effect, such as no smoking or no campfires.

In addition, the Commission gave the Director authority to close any or all spring turkey seasons if the Forest Service declares a forest closure due to extreme fire danger on any of the national forest lands involved in the turkey season.

Department Director Ladd S. Gordon pointed out that such a closure of the seasons would be made, only if the Forest Service closes the forests to all uses during the period of extreme danger.

There has been much concern over the possibility of forest fires this spring, as winter moisture has been very low in many areas, especially the Sacramento Mountains and other areas in southern New Mexico, leaving forests dry and fire danger high.

The spring turkey season is scheduled for April 17-25 in seven areas of the state.

## Estimated Tax Due For Corporations

Calendar year corporations whose 1972 income tax liability for 1971 is expected to be at least \$5,500 will generally have to pay estimated taxes by April 15, 1971.

Although no declaration is required to be filed with the Internal Revenue Service, a worksheet for use in computing the estimated tax is available from IRS offices for use in computing the estimated tax. The worksheet, Form 1120-W, "U. S. Corporation Worksheet for Computation of Estimated Income Tax," should not be filed with the IRS.

Installments of corporation estimated tax must be deposited in a Federal Reserve bank or an authorized commercial bank using Federal Tax Deposit Form 503.

Publication 542, "Corporations and the Federal Income Tax," which furnishes detailed information on this subject, can be obtained by dropping a post card to your District Director Internal Revenue Service, Federal Building, 617 Gold Avenue S. W., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87101.

## Grizzly Relays Draw Ruidoso Track Entrants

The Warrior Track Team was in Carrizozo to participate in the Grizzly Relays along with Carrizozo, Capitan, Tularosa, Socorro, Truth or Consequences, Dexter and Cloudcroft.

Results of Ruidoso entries ran: 440-Yd Dash—2nd Place, Kevin Lane. High Hurdles—2nd Place, Alan Payne. 440-Yd Relay—4th Place, David Boehm, Gary White, Alan Payne and Kevin Lane. 880-Yd Relay—5th Place, David Boehm, Joe Gallegos, Alan Payne and Kevin Lane. Javelin—5th Place, Joe Gallegos.

## Draft Board Status Changed For Lincoln County Residents

Major General John P. Jolly, State Director of Selective Service for New Mexico today announced that the local draft board office located at the Courthouse, P. O. Box 426 in Carrizozo, will be closed effective April 15, 1971.

General Jolly informed the local board members that the closing of the office is due to an economy move and in accordance with instructions from the Selective Service National Headquarters. He said, that the records for Lincoln County will now be maintained at the Alamogordo, N. M. office which will be the administrative site for Otero and Lincoln counties. The administrative site at Alamogordo will be maintained on a full-time basis and open to the public 8 hours per day, 5 days a week. The local office was previously open only on a part-time basis.

The State Director emphasized that only the administration of the records will be moved to Alamogordo. Lincoln County will continue to process the registrants through their own local board members. Classification meetings will continue to be held once a month by the Lincoln County local board. Members of the Lincoln County Local Board are: Florentino Lopez, Coy Duff May, Fructo L. Osorio, all of Carrizozo, and H. Dale Dodds of Ruidoso.

The State Director also announced that the following registrars had been appointed to serve Lincoln County to register the 18-year olds and others required to be registered with Selective Service. The registrars are: Geraldine D. Perkins, Coron; Mrs. Marian L. Schlarb, Carrizozo; M. B. McGuire, Ruidoso; Ernest J. Booky, Hondo; Jack Mayfield, Capitan; William Ira Caster, Capitan; and Gerald Tanner, Carrizozo.

He further stated that registration can be accomplished at all local board offices. Information on Selective Service in this area can be secured from Mrs. Christine R. Frettel, Executive Secretary, Federal Building, P. O. Box 467, Alamogordo, New Mexico 88310.

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## Fishing Season Opening Brings New Regulations

April 1 and 3 were big dates on the New Mexico fishing calendar. April 1 was the first day that the new 1971-72 fishing license was required and also the day that several new changes in fishing regulations went into effect. On April 3, the fishing season opened on several waters around the state.

Among the important regulation changes, is the new trout bag limit which will change the limit to 14 trout, but only eight of these may be rainbow and/or cutthroat trout. The easiest method for distinguishing the difference in the species in through the spots on the sides. The rainbow and cutthroats have black spots on the sides, while the spots, on brooks and browns are red or orange.

There also are some important regulation changes which effect warm-water fishing. Fishermen in the past, limited to one pole on all waters, now may use two poles on certain large, warm-water reservoirs. These reservoirs are Elephant Butte, Caballo, Conchas, Ute and Alamogordo. The one-pole limit remains in effect on all other waters in the state. In addition, trotline fishermen may no longer use bait. They are no longer limited as to the number of hooks that they may use on a line and the stipulation that lines must be checked at least once every 24 hours is no longer in effect.

Several waters in the northern portion of the state observed the early April 3 opening date this year. These include Santa Cruz Lake east of Espanola; the Santa Cruz River, up stream from the lake to the bridge on N. M. 4 at Cundly; Jackson Lake; north of Farmington; and Clayton Lake, northeast of Clayton.

Opening April 1 was that portion of the Red River down stream

from a point 850 feet below the bridge at the Department's Red River Hatchery. This stretch of the river will be open year around in the future.

In the southern portion of the state, waters that opened include Snow Lake and Wall Lake, in Olla National Forest; Bonito Lake, north of Ruidoso, and Sacramento Lake, south of Cloudcroft.

To take advantage of these new regulations and season openings, fishermen must have the new license in their possession. Licenses have been on sale by vendors for several weeks. A New Mexico resident fishing license is \$5.50. A nonresident license is \$10 for the full year or a five-day license can be purchased for \$3.25. Resident sportsmen should remember the savings they can make by purchasing the general hunting and fishing license for \$12.

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## - 1971 - RUIDOSO HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES



VIRGINIA KLEIN MIKE MONTES

**WEATHER REPORT**

Date	Hi	Lo	Precip.
31	67	35	.0
1	59	20	.0
2	60	6	.0
3	63	15	.0
4	50	20	.0
5	57	9	.0
6	58	10	.0
Precip. This Month			.00
Precip. Last Month			1.65
Precip. Since Jan. 1			2.00
Snowfall This Winter			32.00

(Information Provided by Ruidoso Airport)

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Representative of Rannels Office Schedules Visit

The Resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ will be the joyous theme of worship in the Ruidoso Presbyterian Church Easter Sunday...

Jr. Sunday School Class Honored With Easter Party Monday

The Junior Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church was honored with an Easter party in School House Park by their teachers...

LaLuz Art School Stages Art Exhibit At LaLuz April 17-18

Students of the Sleepy Burro School of Art in LaLuz are completing plans for their Sixteenth Annual Art Exhibit...

CLUB CALENDAR

- Ruidoso All-Seasons - Directors meeting each Tuesday morning, 7 a.m., Ski Skeller Restaurant. Members requested to attend the last meeting each month. Ruidoso Valley Noon Lions Club meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday, 12:30 p.m., Holiday House.



LANDSCAPING - Getting a start on the planting of 400 trees and shrubs and 1000 flowers at the High Country Lodge are, left to right, Glen Ross, Tom Cranmer, Tom London, Dottie Hall and supervising, John Hall. The plantings will include a row of Lombardy Poplars along the creek and a lilac hedge across the road from the entrance to the Lodge. (Ruidoso News Photo)

Haskel B. Smith To Be Speaker For Demo Meet

New Mexico Tax Commissioner Haskel B. Smith will be the guest speaker for the meeting of the Lincoln County Democratic Women's Club on Tuesday, April 13, at noon at the Worley Hotel in Lincoln.

Tax-Refund May Take Ten Weeks

Wondering why you haven't received your federal income tax refund? If you are entitled to one, wait ten weeks after filing before writing the Internal Revenue Service...

Church News

- A special service will be held at Holy Mount Episcopal Church on Good Friday, April 10, at 12 noon. Good Friday services will also be held at St. Anne's in Glenoco at 2:30 p.m. Easter services will be held at St. Anne's, Glenoco, at 9:00 a.m. April 11, with services at Holy Mount Episcopal Church at 8 and 10 a.m.

Annual Good Friday Service Slated At Presbyterian Church

The annual Good Friday service will be conducted in the Ruidoso Presbyterian Church beginning at 7:00 p.m. This unique pre-Easter service has been conducted each year for the past several years.

New Mexico Weather Picture

USDA Statistics Week Ending April 4. Temperature: Max., 70; Min., 6. Precipitation normal for April, .80; January 1 to March 31, 2.20; normal, January 1 to March 31, 4.45.

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WORSHIP

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH (DISCIPLES OF CHRIST) - WORSHIP SCHEDULE - SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45 a.m. WORSHIP SERVICE 10:50 a.m. "Come Dressed For Comfort" Ruidoso's Friendly Church!

GRASSROOTS OPINION WHITTIER, CALIF. REVIEW: "Too often today we see children in stores handling merchandise or playing with toys they are not buying. If they had been trained they would know they should not handle merchandise that does not belong to them or they don't intend to buy."

OPEN ALL YEAR Things To Do - Where To Stop In The Playground of The Southwest

Large advertisement for Ruidoso's Year Around Resort, featuring various dining and lodging options like El Alto Lodge, Lillie's Restaurant, Margaret's Restaurant, Nob Hill Restaurant, and Cro's Nest Motel. Includes contact information and descriptions of amenities.

# Business & Professional Directory

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## Official Records

Special Warranty Deed  
Austin A. Allman to Lakeside Corp., lot 10, blk. 1, Unit 1, Sierra Blanca Subdv.

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Johnny F. Mobley to Harold O. Gore, a tract of land in Lincoln County, New Mexico, being a part of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 27, T10S, R13E, N. M. P. M.

Warranty Deeds  
Lakeside Corporation to J. H. Spiawn, lot 10, blk. 1, Unit 1, Sierra Blanca Subdv.

Richard C. Gibson Pinecrest Properties to Katy Casting Service of Texas, Inc.,  $\frac{5}{8}$  of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 36, T11S, R13E, N. M. P. M.  
Catherine L. Bailey to W. A. Jesse, lot 16, blk. 3, Ponderosa Heights Subdv.

Georgia E. Fangburn to A. R. Hill, lot 5, blk. 11, White Mountain Heights Subdv.

Joe C. Yarbrough, Inc., to J. J. DiPaolo, lot 1, blk. 5, Agua Fria Subdv.

Buena Vista Development Co., Inc., to Johnny F. Mobley, a tract of land in Lincoln County, New Mexico, being a part of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 2, T10S, R13E, N. M. P. M.  
L. F. Jennings Oil Company to George W. Bedwell, et al, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, blk. 4, Hamilton Terrace Subdv.

Paul H. Douglas to L. F. Jennings Oil Company, lot 9, and the E $\frac{1}{2}$  of lot 8, blk. 3, Green Meadows Addn.

M. H. Nelson to Joe A. Baldonado, lot 9, blk. 14, Palmir. Gateway Subdv.

John F. Suddarth to Elva C. Smith, lot 3, Enchanted Hills Subdv.

Zack A. Wheat, et al, to Dixie Sparks, lots 18, 19, blk. 62, Town of Captain.

María Theresa Zamora Matto to Raymond Trujillo, an undivided  $\frac{3}{8}$ th interest in the total property described as follows: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 13, E34SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 4, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 23, W $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ , Sec. 24, s $\frac{1}{2}$  in T3S, R15E, N. M. P. M.

George A. Holman to Jo Adell Henson, lot 4, blk. 7, Hamilton Terrace Subdv.

J. L. Henson to Veta Tadlock, tract A, blk. 7, Hamilton Terrace Subdv.

W. J. Williams to Ramco, Inc., lots 13 to 16, both inclusive, blk. 3, Riverside Addn.

Virginia Small Durand to Albert Neal Shaw, et al, tract 1, Enchanted Mesa Subdv.

Manuel S. Chavez to Ruben Zamora, lot 7, blk. 3, Mt. View Addn., town of Carrizosa.

Paul H. Douglas to Frank Handolph, lot 8, blk. 7, Ruidoso Springs.

Lucy Stanley Rivers to Sara Jackson, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 30, T3S, R11E, N. M. P. M. NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 35, all of Sec. 13 and 14, T3S, R10E, N. M. P. M.

Roman Catholic Church to Isabel Gutierrez Torres, et al, beginning at a point 348 ft. west of the SE corner of lot 1, in Sec. 5, T11S, R17E, N. M. P. M.

Civil Docket



**MARGARET'S CAFE** — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parlette, shown above, are the new owners of Margaret's Cafe on Suddarth Drive which they purchased recently from M. E. Wilans. The Parlettes have been operating the Holiday House Restaurant here for a number of years. Mrs. Parlette is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Truitt and a sister of Mrs. Van White. (Ruidoso News Photo)

## Taxpayers Questions and Answers

Q. Is there any way you can tell which household products may be hazardous?

A. Laws are in effect which require truly poisonous substances to be so labeled and the antidote given. Be sure to read directions on all packages and containers. Note and observe any warnings and special precautions for substances labeled as "hazardous." Some household products which are useful and safe when used alone, can have objectionable effects when they are combined. It is never advisable to mix two or more specialty products—such as bleaching solutions, ammonia, toilet bowl cleaners, rust removers, oven

cleaners, etc. — because such chemical mixtures may interact.

Q. Why are there so many tax tables in the 1040 instruction book?

A. More tax tables were needed this year because they were extended to cover taxpayers with incomes up to \$10,000. Previously, tables were only provided for incomes up to \$5,000.

This change will make it possible for millions of additional taxpayers to figure their tax due just by looking at a tax table rather than having to make a percentage calculation. Besides being convenient, the tables should also help reduce the number of errors in arithmetic.

Q. Are conservation expenses deductible for a farmer?

A. Yes, farmers may deduct certain soil and water conservation expenses, that would otherwise have to be capitalized. However, if the land is sold within ten years special rules apply in calculating any gain.

Q. When you reach 65, can't you

deduct all of your medical expenses?

A. No, only those expenses that exceed 3 percent of adjusted gross income can be deducted if you itemize. This applies to all taxpayers, regardless of age.

Note that one-half, up to \$150, of the premiums paid for medical insurance may be deducted without regard to the 3 percent rule. Medicare premiums may be included.

Q. I will pay some tax on my 1970 return because my tax withholding was not enough. If I increase my withholding for 1971 can I save filing a declaration of estimated tax?

A. Yes, if your withholding will leave you with a balance of tax due of less than \$40 when you file your 1971 return then you will not be required to file a declaration of estimated tax. The purpose of the estimated tax system is to enable all taxpayers to pay their taxes on a pay-as-you-go basis.

Q. How long should I keep the records I used for my 1970 return?

A. Tax records must be retained as long as they are needed to administer any Federal tax law. In general they should be kept at least three years after the due date of the return. Some records, however, such as those relating to the purchase of stock or a residence should be kept longer because they will be needed for your tax return when the asset is sold or exchanged.

Q. Last year I had income from some free lance work I did, as well as from my regular job. Do I have to pay both social security and self-employment tax?

A. The maximum earnings subject to these taxes in 1970 is \$7,800. If the wages from your regular job amounted to that much you won't have to pay any self-employment tax. See schedule SE to compute your liability, if any, for self-employment tax.

Q. I lost the envelope that came in my tax package. Where should I send my return?

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—Mrs. Etta Morrison

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ORDINANCE NO. 71-2 AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ANNEXATION OF BLACK FOREST SUBDIVISION, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, CONTIGUOUS TO THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO

WHEREAS, heretofore Western Resources of America, Inc., a Texas Corporation, has petitioned the Village of Ruidoso to annex to the Village of Ruidoso the following described real estate which is contiguous to the Village of Ruidoso:

BLACK FOREST SUBDIVISION as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on the 29th day of March, 1971, in Tube No. 398, and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows, and being a part of the S/2NE/4 of Section 20, Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N. M. P. M., BEGINNING at the West 1/4 corner of said Section 20, Thence S89° 40' W 1784.42 feet; Thence N15° 30' E 120.11 feet; Thence N74° 30' W 5.0 feet; Thence N15° 30' E 50.0 feet; Thence N36° 00' W 50.0 feet; Thence N54° 00' E 226.0 feet; Thence N36° 00' W 108.71 feet; Thence N20° 37' E \$41.32 feet; Thence N5° 50' E 180.0 feet; Thence S84° 10' E 5.0 feet; Thence N5° 50' E 115.0 feet; Thence N84° 10' W 21.08 feet; Thence N0° 50' E 151.58 feet; Thence S80° 10' E 25.0 feet; Thence N0° 50' E 116.64 feet; Thence S88° 37' E 1266.06 feet; Thence S0° 54' E 1216.71 feet to the point of beginning, containing in all 48.24 acres of land, more or less.

WHEREAS, it is to the best interest of the Village of Ruidoso that said contiguous land be annexed to the Village of Ruidoso;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO:

1. That BLACK FOREST SUBDIVISION, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the Lincoln County Clerk be, and the same hereby is, annexed to the Village of Ruidoso for all purposes.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 31st day of March, 1971.

/s/ George P. White, Mayor  
ATTEST: /s/ James L. Hipe, Clerk 4-9

The Village of Ruidoso is taking applications for the position of Swimming Pool Manager. Persons interested should secure an application at the Municipal Building. Applicants must have the necessary certificates for W. S. L. Red Cross, etc. All applications should be returned to the office of the Mayor at the Municipal Building. Village of Ruidoso 4-2-16-28

## Legal Publication

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE**  
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

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**NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT**  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
Marie Higgins, All Unknown Heirs of Lester P. Higgins, deceased; all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent:

NO. 1263  
hereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.  
John W. Thompson, P. O. Box 777, Ruidoso, New Mexico, is the attorney for the administrator. His office is at the Ruidoso Hotel, Ruidoso, N. M.

1/s/ Alice King, Clerk of the Probate Court  
Marie Higgins, Administratrix, has filed her Final Account and Report, and on April 30, 1971, at 10:00 a.m. at the Probate Court in Carrizozo, New Mexico, the Court will hear objections thereto and the settlement thereof, and the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.  
John W. Thompson, P. O. Box 777, Ruidoso, New Mexico, is the attorney for the administrator. His office is at the Ruidoso Hotel, Ruidoso, N. M.

1/s/ Alice King, Clerk of the Probate Court  
By: /s/ Inice Elmer, Deputy 4-10-71

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE**  
Notice is hereby given that on January 20, 1971, Norman D. Wheeler and Ethel M. Wheeler, made application to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control of the State of New Mexico for a dispenser license, to be located at approximately a quarter (1/4) mile west of the race track entrance Highway 70, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico. (Transfer of location of a liquor license). Present location is Highway 70.

Any person having reasons why this application should not be approved, should make such protest to the Board of Trustees, Village of Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico at their next meeting to be held April 20, 1971, at Ruidoso Downs Municipal Building.

Carlos L. Jaramillo, Director  
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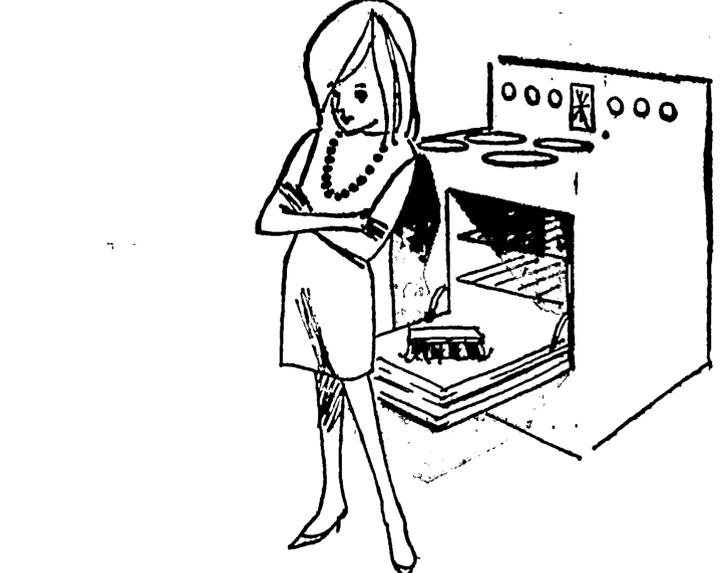
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- Profuse perspiration and body odor - amphetamines
- Long sleeve garments worn constant to hide needle "tracks" - heroin or methedrine
- Tremor of hands - amphetamines
- Constant licking of lips to keep them moist resulting in chapped raw lips - amphetamines
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# Capitan News

By BARTLEY McDONOUGH

The annual Spring Concert by the Capitan Tiger Band will be next Thursday night, April 15. The program is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. in the school gym.

The band will play such selections as "Royal and the Emperor Waltz" by Strauss, "Rounding out the program will be Little English Suite by Leroy Jackson, March Bluebell by Stanton, Barbershop Ballad by Reynolds, Meadowlands by Knipper, The Colorado Trail arranged by Floyd, Canyon Sunrise by Grey, Fiesta Rumba by Elliott, and Cowboy Medley by Orton. This medley consists of Good Bye, Old Paint, Night Herding Song, and Bury Me Not on the Lone Prairie. Band director Bartley McDonough is in his 10th year at Capitan.

In addition, the grade school band will play several selections, and there will be a couple of specials. Make your plans now to attend this concert.

On March 26, Smokey Bear District personnel gave a farewell dinner at the Smokey Bear Restaurant honoring John and Sue Able. John has been transferred to the Santa Fe National Forest. Able has worked on the Smokey Bear District since 1955.

This year's Junior-Senior Prom is set for May 1. Supplies for the prom arrived April 1. Music will be furnished by Grover Dobbs and the Blue Drifters.

The Tiger Track Team entered the Carrizozo Relays last Saturday and walked (or ran) away with 4th place out of a field of nine teams. The Tigers mustered 23½ points. Socorro won the meet, Turkeys was second and Carrizozo third.

Ted Simeros took first place in the pole vault and set a new meet record, going 12' 3". Simeros also took first place in the broad jump with a leap of 19 feet, 3¼ inches. Ted also tied for fourth and fifth in the high jump. Tub Traylor took a first place in the 440-yard dash with a time of 55.1. Traylor also

took a first place in the high jump. Dick Jones took fifth place in the open 220-yard dash. Junior Guevara tied for fourth and fifth places in the pole vault. Traylor, Jones, Simeros and Guevara would have had a third or fourth in the 440 relay but were disqualified for stepping out of their lane. The Tiger track boys are coached by John Dickey.

The Camp Sierra Blanca crew has started work on a watershed restoration project west of the old Mesa Ranger Station. This project is due to last about six weeks.

The Capitan Lions Club is now offering for sale an American Flag kit. The kit includes the mount, a two-piece metal pole, a plastic eagle which fits in the top of the pole, heavy duty string to lower the flag, and a four by five foot American flag. The unit is ideal for the private home and sells for the bargain price of \$6.95. Our supply is limited - See any member of the Capitan Lions Club.

Charley Base, pilot for Inter-mountain Helicopters, Inc., arrived in Capitan, April 1. Paul Sedilla is the helicopter foreman for the

crew stationed at Capitan. Sedilla is on special detail here from the Los Padres National Forest in Southern California.

Paul worked on the Smokey Bear District the summers of 1961 and 1962. His mother lives on a ranch north of the Capitan. Kenneth Schear will be serving as assistant heliport foreman during the present fire season.

Other members of the crew are Tim Livingston, Alfred Pearson and Robert Thompson of Ruidoso, Gary Stanfield of LaLuz and Scott Wilson of Albuquerque.

The second grade has received a certificate from the executive editor of "My Weekly Reader" which reads, "In recognition of participation in the Weekly Reader Patrol - The Editors of My Weekly Reader award this certificate of achievement for helping to make America a better place to live."

Moriarty High School is sponsoring a rodeo April 17 and 18, at 1 p.m. each day. Payoffs and buckles in each event. This rodeo is not a high school rodeo. It is open to anyone 21 years old and under.

## Taxpayers Newsletter

SESSION ENDS - The 1971 Legislature in New Mexico came to a close last week. No major tax bills were passed, although seeds were planted for a major hike by 1973. Liberal observers and press pundits evaluated the session as do-nothing, lobbyist-oriented, misguided and ineffective. A more in-depth study of the session points out a broadening of a fiscally conservative attitude in New Mexico. Four actions of the legislature point this out: (1) a \$10 million operating reserve fund was set aside in widespread future upsets in school expenditures and state income; (2) More than \$5 million in deficiencies was allocated to agencies that have operated historically in the red; (3) Concerted efforts were made to keep spending within projected money income for the next fiscal year; and (4) Only \$8.43 million was approved in special money bills as opposed to the \$18 million requested early in the session.

Total spending by the 1971 Legislature totaled \$27.87 billion, with an additional \$18 million placed in two reserve accounts, one for schools and one for general fund shortages. Funds to be spent in the remainder of this fiscal year - before June 30 - total \$1.47 billion. Funds to be spent after July 1 total \$66 million.

The \$10 million reserve probably means that no major tax increases will be passed by the legislature next year. However, several major industries will face broad-based attacks. These include the extractive industries, both oil and gas and mining; the trucking industry, and those industries involved in excise taxes. By 1973, however, total spending by the state will exceed \$300 million, and a general hike in income taxes probably will be a main issue. Governor Bruce King already has said he would favor an income tax hike over other major areas.

Much credit for the downhold on spending and tax hikes can go to Senator Bruce King and his Department of Finance and Administration staff during this session. A smoother finale during the session would have developed except for overspending proposals that peaked in the closing hours.

Public schools total for next year was approved at \$142.4 million - an \$8.2 million increase for the coming year. Welfare appropriations, meanwhile, totaled \$21.8 million for the coming fiscal year plus \$4.1 million for the remainder of the current fiscal year. The additional \$4.1 million was to bring the agency up to its level of spending and will mean no program fund cuts will be necessary this year.

Heaviest criticism of the legislature came from press pundits who pointed at ecology issues and the deaths of bills to hike trucking taxes and set up sub-division controls. Of the ecology issue, more than 80 bills were introduced, and a total of 28 received approval - not a bad percentage. Most of the unapproved ecology bills were either ill-conceived or poorly managed through the legislative process. The truck tax hike bills, meanwhile, were introduced with no advance information circulated among persons who might have supported them. Many organizations, including the Taxpayers Association, might have supported such an increase given time to study the pile of information necessary to render an opinion. Sub-division controls on a state level were actively fought by a handful of paid lobbyists, including the Municipal League and the County Officials Organization.

TAXPAYERS MEET - The Taxpayers Association of New Mexico held its annual meeting May 8, at Santa Fe. The one-day meeting included reports on the state's income and excise predictions and estimates of future sessions, and an overview of what is to come. Detailed information on the meeting will be forwarded to all members in April.

LETTERS - Legislators and state officials get thank you letters for jobs well done whenever Hill freezes over. It might be time this year to drop a few letters to persons who kept promises made before the Legislature began, who maintained a fiscally responsible attitude throughout the session and to those who worked extremely hard and long hours for the state's betterment. They are: Governor Bruce King, Finance Director Robert Kirkpatrick, Representative John Mershon, Revenue Commissioner Franklin Jones, Senator Ike Smalley, Senator Aubrey Dunn, Fiscal Analyst Inez Gil, Council Director Clay Buchanan, LFC Director Marilyn Budke - the entire Legislative Council plus - well, the list gets long. On second thought, what did your legislator do this year? Write him a letter.

LEGISLATION - With more than 1,000 pieces of legislation introduced in the just finished session, it might be a good idea for the lawmakers to look into a better type of screening process than the usual committee action. It became the common practice in the 1971 session to seek compromises and substitute bills rather than table the committee action as an absolute answer. This procedure often led to the reintroduction of poorly conceived pieces of legislation. Compromised bills led to outlandish bills. If the legislature is to maintain its 60-day session intact every other year, then it would appear mandatory that the number of bills also be maintained at a certain level.

ENCOURAGEMENT - The legislators killed one of the most promising pieces of fiscal legislation - a measure to provide for unbalanced budgets - mainly because they didn't understand the provision. Its proponents just didn't get the point across. It appeared, however, that the proponents weren't all that eager to push their proposal. Few lawmakers and even fewer lobbyists were contacted on the issue.

Mail entries, or call Mrs. Lea Chaney, Box 83, Moriarty, New Mexico 87035. Phone 832-4222.

Short Notes: Eva Aldaz was crowned FFA Sweetheart at the talent show April 2. Junior Guevara is the FFA Beau. -Plan to play bingo at the school the night of April 16. -Easter school holidays are April 9 through April 12. -Remember the Easter Sunrise Service this Sunday at the Valley of Fires State Park. The service begins at 5:55 a.m. -Remember the kindergarten program begins at the school April 13. -Kenneth Stone, manager of C-C Natural Gas Association, is now a certified pipe welder. -Terry Strickland has taken over as foreman for the

Camp Sierra Blanca Forestry crew. -The 7th grade has been learning how to use the compass and protractor.

Members of the Capitan Municipal School Board visited various school plants in Dexter, Lake Arthur and Carlsbad Sunday, April 4. Arthur A. Gorrell, architect of Carlsbad, will be invited to attend the next regular board meeting in Capitan on April 12.

The Carrizozo Band played a concert at our school the morning of April 5. The Tiger Band will play a return concert in Carrizozo near the end of April. Forest lands of the Southwest are extremely dry. There are re-

strictions in affect now. If you are not sure what these restrictions are - contact the Smokey Bear District. You may also contact Ranger District Headquarters in Ruidoso, Clodocroft, Mayhill, Sacramento and Carlsbad.

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