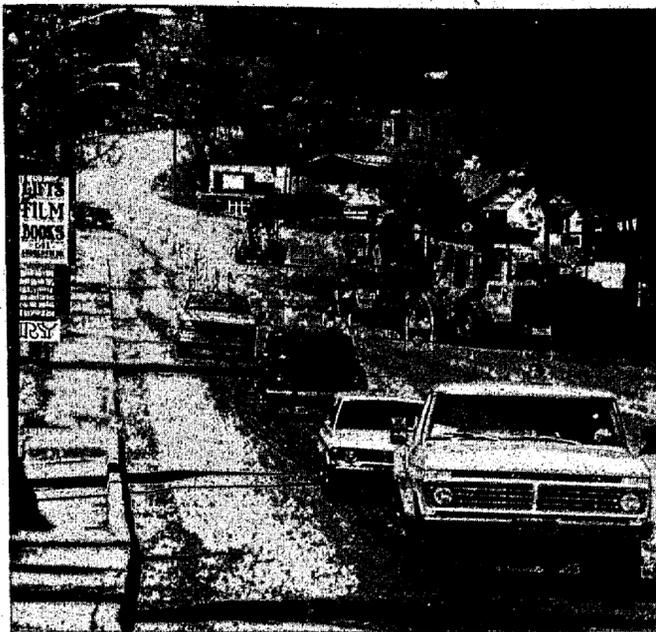


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SUDDERTH DRIVE has been reduced to one eastbound lane, as a result of excavations for sewer lanes. Westbound vehicles are now being routed around Paradise Canyon Road at its intersection with Sudderth. The one-lane traffic will be in effect through Friday.

School board okays May 12 bond election

Members of the Ruidoso Board of Education voted Tuesday to call for a \$2,250,000 bond election in the district May 12, to build a new high school.

Board members met with Tom Radcliffe of Stearn Brothers, Albuquerque, the fiscal agent for the district, who said the bond market is currently "in terrible condition." He said a bill now on Governor Bruce King's desk would raise the interest rate limit on such bonds to 10 percent with the option open to accept a higher interest rate if one were submitted.

Radcliffe said the bill, if approved, would cause the wording of the bond question on the ballot to be changed slightly, to allow for the highest possible interest rate at the same time bonds are sold.

The district will retire approximately \$250,000 in bonds this summer. If the bond issue passes, it will bond the district to capacity based upon the 1980 assessed valuations for the district.

PRINCIPALS AT ALL four schools were offered two year contracts by the board, following a short executive session. Principals are Donny Weems, Nob Hill Elementary, Mike Gladden, White Mountain Elementary School, Sid Miller, White Mountain Middle School and Tom Hansen, Ruidoso High School.

The board also:
—Elected Dave Parks president of the board for another year, with Don Swalander, vice president and Stormy Edwards, secretary.

—Accepted the resignation of high school biology teacher Chris Zurzolo and

high school special education teacher Phyllis Benham.

—Approved routine budget transfers.
—Called for bids on athletic equipment and instructional supplies for the 1981-82 school year.



DAVE PARKS

Water, sewer rate ordinance will be drafted

The Ruidoso trustees will, following Monday evening's public hearing, prepare an ordinance to increase sewer and water rates, with action to be taken as soon as possible.

At the hearing, Fred Burns, Boyle Engineering, Albuquerque, discussed a proposed ordinance drafted by Boyle, that would substantially increase the charges for water and sewer service.

Boyle's proposal, for minimum use households, would set a fixed monthly fee for water at \$8.44, with water priced at \$1.71 per thousand gallons; the fixed sewer fee would be \$5.43 per month, with a charge of 96 cents per gallon for water used.

Village Trustee Frank Sayer submitted an alternate proposal that would, for minimum use households, establish a minimum charge for water of \$12.50 per month, including 7,000 gallons of water, at a rate of \$1.75 per thousand gallons, with \$2 per thousand for the next 5,000 gallons and \$2.50 per thousand for usage above 20,000 gallons. Sayer's proposal would encompass a minimum sewer service charge of \$5 per month, with a charge of 40 cents per thousand gallons of water used.

During the course of the two-and-a-half hour meeting, with about 75 in attendance, no objections to raising the water and sewer rates were voiced, with about the only questions being how much of an increase will be required to maintain and develop the existing services.

A survey performed by Boyle resulted in these projections of water and sewer in-

come required for fiscal year 1982: Basic budget, \$634,559; Debt service, \$967,948.97 and Replacement costs, \$98,528.03, for a total of \$1,701,034.

Boyle's figures for fiscal 1983 operations included: Basic budget, \$725,597; Debt service, \$946,644.10 and Replacement costs, \$206,328.90, for a total of \$1,877,570.

Under Sayer's proposal, 15,000 gallons of water would cost the residential user \$32.25, and \$53.92 under Boyle's. At the 50,000 gallon usage level, Sayer's plan would cost the user \$131.25 and \$147.37 under Boyle's schedule.

The commercial rate proposed by Sayer would vary from \$22.50 for 10,000 gallons to \$72.25 for 30,000; with Boyle's respective rates pegged at \$41.49 and \$94.89.

Several persons spoke in support of the Boyle schedule and several voiced approval of Sayer's somewhat lower scale of charges.

Relative to the proposed Utility Expansion Charge of \$450 for water expansion and \$300 for sewer expansion, to be paid by the developer or builder; and a water connection charge of \$250, with \$25 for sewer, Realtor Sonja Hironaka, a contractor, said, "I think we can live with that."

Under the ordinance to be developed by the trustees, the rate schedules adopted will be subject to review after the first year; to determine if sufficient funds are being derived to keep both the water and sewer systems operational.

As soon as the ordinance is drafted, legal procedures leading to its adoption will be instituted.

LACK OF BLACKTOPPING IN DEVELOPMENT CITED

Final Camelot plats nixed

The Ruidoso trustees Tuesday evening, by rejecting three final plats in the Camelot development, served notice that developers will henceforth have to conform to all zoning and subdivision regulations prior to acceptance of final plats by the village.

The major reason for rejecting the plats was that gravel surfacing of parking areas was proposed for Village at Camelot Condominiums, Lakeview Estates, Phase 1, and Vista Del Lago, Phase 1. The trustees also objected to the final plats because all access areas, and streets, in the developments have not been blacktopped or paved.

Attorney Charles Hawthorne, representing Camelot, argued that the development "is on private property, privately owned, and that if purchasers of condominiums were satisfied with gravel parking and access areas," that the village should approve the final plats on that basis.

Planning and Zoning (P&Z) chairman Mike Waldron said P&Z acted to accept these final plats, that the matter could come before the trustees for final action.

Mayor Lloyd L. Davis Jr., in voicing disapproval of the Camelot plats, said, "I'm going to disclaim action by the building inspector, P&Z, and other of-

ficials," on the Camelot proposals.

"As I understand the law, if I don't sign final plats within a specified time, they are not approved. I'm going to quit affixing my signature (to final plats) unless everything (all zoning and subdivision regulations) is completed."

Trustee Benny Coulston then moved acceptance of these three final plats, "subject to paving streets, access areas and parking areas within the project," with second by trustee Frank Sayer "to get it on the floor."

The plats were rejected on "no" votes by trustees George White, Atwood and Sayer, with Coulston voting "aye."

The trustees then approved the final plats of Camelot Mountain Tracts and Camelot Crown Estates, "pending signing of the plats by all village department heads, Mike Waldron as P&Z chairman and Mayor Davis." Development engineer Tim Collins advised the trustees that the department heads had refused to sign these plats until they had been accepted by the village.

The trustees also exhibited hesitancy in accepting the final plats of Balco Hills Condominiums, Phases 1 and 2; and Fox Hollow Condominiums, Phase 1, both situated in White Mountain 4. Approval action was given with the provision that Water Superintendent Jim Wills approve

the water system in both, "within one week," or they would be rejected. Wills said he would conduct the inspection within that time frame.

A FULL REVIEW of the village's zoning ordinance and subdivision regulations was authorized by the trustees, on request of Waldron. Eric Damlan Kelly, a Pueblo, Colorado, law firm, priced this review at \$3,350.

The review, Waldron said, would give P&Z "direction" for future planning efforts. Waldron said that he, and trustees Benny Coulston and George White, among others, and attended seminars conducted by Kelly and "found them very informative."

Waldron also stated that this review should, as Phase 1 of Kelly's program to aid in development planning, be sufficient for the current needs of P&Z for planning assistance. Phase 2, Waldron said, would cost several thousand dollars and he didn't think the second phase "was necessary at this time."

THE TRUSTEES ALSO authorized Boyle Engineering, Albuquerque, to provide engineering services for water projects to serve the village.

The project, to be paid for on the basis of time involved and materials used, includes:

— Prepare equipment specifications for telemetering (measuring water volume with electrical equipment) of the various water facilities.

— Prepare concept and preliminary engineering drawings for a new water storage reservoir along the Rio Ruidoso.

— Prepare concept and preliminary engineering drawings for improvements to Water Treatment Plant No. 1 in the Upper Canyon.

In other business, the trustees:

— Authorized a call for bids for a new computer system, including a high speed printer, for the business offices, as the present system is obsolete.

— Authorized the street department to pave the parking lot at Ruidoso Hondo Valley Hospital, with the \$12,000 cost to be paid by Lincoln County.

— Adopted Resolution 81-2, "Setting Forth Notice Provisions for Notices of Public Meetings."

— Did not adopt Ordinance 81-2, "Rates for Cablevision," pending reconsideration of the proposed increases at the March 31 meeting of the trustees.

— Adopted Resolution 81-3 accepting

repayment of \$46,000 from Mann Engineering, Roswell, to expedite settlement of litigation concerning cancellation of the Eagle Creek Dam project.

Blood drive goal is 150 pints

Students at Ruidoso High School (RHS) are looking for blood donors, to participate in the March 18 blood drive in Ruidoso.

The drive will be held at the high school library, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., in cooperation with United Blood Services (UBS), an El Paso, Texas, company that supplies Ruidoso Hondo Valley Hospital with approximately 60 pints of blood per month.

The drive is co-sponsored locally by the RHS student council (SC) and the Hospital Auxiliary. "We are expecting to get at least 150 pints of blood in this drive," Scott Neal RHS-SC spokesman, said.

Neal said the students chose to sponsor a blood drive "to get the students more involved in the community. We feel the personal contact we'll have with the public is very important," Neal said.

He said high school students sometimes

"project a negative image in the community — we want to show the public that there really are a lot of good kids around here that want to help people."

Neal said part of the high school campaign will be directed at students 17 and older, so "we can encourage them to become regular blood donors after they get out of school."

To sweeten the pot this month, however, the SC has arranged a contest within the school. Each class will be in competition to sign up the most donors.

"Kids 16 and under will have to get a parent or friend to donate blood; those 17 and older can get their parents' permission to donate blood and can also sign somebody else up. The class that gets the highest number of donors, per capita, will get a long lunch one day," Neal said.

Neal said an extended lunch would be an hour, rather than the 35 minutes presently

allotted.

SC members will be calling previous donors up until the day of the blood drive.

"You'll probably be asked to specify which class you want to 'chalk your blood' up to," Neal said. "We're trying to generate interest within the school, as well as educate the student population about the need for a ready supply of blood; we hope you'll cooperate," Neal added.

Previous blood drives in Ruidoso have netted an average 95 pints of blood, but Neal said, "We feel that with the list we have been provided of previous donors, plus the new ones the student body will provide, we'll easily make our goal. We hope this goal can be even bigger in the future," he added.

Neal said the campaign will emphasize that "it only hurts for a second — when they take a sample of blood from your finger. And, we'll stress that giving only 30

minutes of your time can save at least one life."

Every donor will receive a "mini-physical" where their blood pressure will be checked and their blood will be tested for various complications. If something is found, it is brought to the attention of the donor, so he/she can receive treatment, according to a UBS spokesman.

Neal said whole blood does not necessarily have to be used by hospitals. "We learned in our preparation for the drive that blood can be broken into as many as six components and administered to six different patients — so you may be saving up to six lives with just one donation," he said.

To make reservations to give blood, contact Anita Sims at Ruidoso High School, 257-7324, or Judy Waldron, at home, 257-5690.

P&Z studying zoning regulations

A public hearing held Tuesday by the Ruidoso Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z) to amend the village's residential zoning regulations, and create additional commercial zoning, resulted in action being tabled until certain details can be rewritten.

Very little comment was received on most of the ordinance but the 12 people attending questioned the wisdom of restricting businesses zoned "light commercial" to those having ten or less employees.

P&Z chairman Mike Waldron said the provision was made "for the guy who has a small craft type operation where his business wouldn't cause a problem for residents living nearby." He said a goldsmith, macramé weaver or basket maker may fit into this category.

Waldron said each individual "would

probably be reviewed and they can seek a variance, if they have more employees."

He added the provision was made "so as you move from a commercial to a residential area, you don't end up with heavy industrial next to residential. We've all seen examples of this happening in Ruidoso and we hope to create a phasing of commercial to residential," Waldron said.

Daryl T. Collins, a civil engineer, questioned the definition of a Planned Unit Development (PUD) and why so many documents would be required for review by P&Z before construction.

Collins specifically pointed out an economic feasibility study. "Is it really needed for PUD's?" he asked.

Waldron said the clause and several others included in the section, "were not meant to be restrictive measures. We just want you to illustrate that any specific project is feasible," he said.

A PUD will include any multi-family dwelling or more than four units, so "it can encompass various uses within one area of land. It gives greater flexibility for development and can, on a larger scale, incorporate recreational development and community development," Waldron said.

Camelot and Innsbrook Village were two examples cited by Waldron that would be classified as PUD's. He said the provision was added to the code because "apartments around the country are being converted into condominiums and we felt we needed to be foresighted enough to have provisions to convert apartments into condos, if we ever get to that point."

Waldron added that the PUD "was the maximum form of development that would still protect the village."

Although the ordinance was written to allow a PUD on any tract of land one acre or larger, P&Z accepted recommendations

of 20, 30 and 50-acre minimum tracts for such projects.

P&Z also took under advisement a proposal made by Fred Heckman to create a series of residential zoning for multi-family dwellings, such as R-1 (single family dwelling), R-2 (quality multi-family dwelling with large areas of open space), R-3 (quality dwelling with more limited amounts of open space), R-4 (apartment-like complexes designed for middle income individuals with limited open space) and PUD (same as above).

Heckman said residential growth should be graduated similar to commercial growth, which in the long run, will create a more efficient and pleasant living environment.

P&Z will "go back to the drawing board" and "make some changes, and possibly add to this ordinance" before presenting it for public comment again, Waldron said.

MLS favors water, sewer rate increases

Members present at the March 10 meeting of the Ruidoso Multiple Listing Service voted unanimously to support the water and sewer charge plan submitted by trustee Frank Sayer at a special meeting of the village trustees Monday evening.

The Sayer plan was presented after Boyle Engineering had made a presentation gleaned from a study of water and sewer problems the village now faces.

Ski Report

Sierra Blanca: Two inches of snow fell this week, bringing the undisturbed snow depth midway up the mountain to 56 inches. All lifts are operating, and all trails are open. Conditions are excellent.

Eagle Creek: report unavailable.

For updated ski reports, call Sierra Blanca, 257-9001, or Eagle Creek, 336-4211.



LEARNING THE USE of fire extinguishers Tuesday were employees of the Ruidoso Hondo Valley Hospital. The exercise is part of an ongoing program of emergency preparedness sponsored by the Ruidoso Fire Department.



BOYS' STATE delegates selected from members of the junior class at Ruidoso High School, are Sco' Neal, left, son of Mrs. Patricia Hall of Ruidoso and Doyle Neal of Truth or Consequences, and Don Nunley, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Ray Nunley of Ruidoso. Both boys will spend the week of June 1-6 at New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell to attend Boys' State, a national program sponsored by the American Legion. The boys will be briefed in the operation of state and local governments and will become familiar with parliamentary procedure.

ASCS report Harris' pay on year's activities explained by village

Last year, 44,241 acres of Lincoln County farmland were treated and served by one or more conservation practices available under the Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) and the Water Quality Special Project (WQSP), according to Lerry D. Bond, chairperson of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee (ASCS). ACP is the oldest and most widely used ASCS program.

To help farmers solve soil and water conservation problems, ASCS provided cost-share funds totaling \$286,146. "This assistance was used by 123 producers to carry out needed conservation measures," Bond said. Such measures included constructing water impoundment reservoirs and wells, building sediment retention structures and establishing permanent vegetative cover. Irrigation Water Conservation and Grazing Land Protection, through construction of fences, pipelines and wells, are the most used conservation practices in the county.

"We have an obligation to protect soil and water resources for the benefit of farmers and the public," Bond said, "and the ACP and WQSP endeavors to meet this obligation." He said that the objectives of the program, both the ACP and WQSP are to provide solution to the problems of runoff from farmland being a source of agricultural pollution, or land eroded by wind and water.

About 120 farms were enrolled in the 1980 program and 35 entered into long term agreements to conduct practices over the next three to five years.

WQSP has been used extensively to correct irrigation problems in both the Lincoln and the Hondo Valleys. ASCS has cost shared these projects at a 90 percent level. Some of the Community Ditches which have been reorganized are the Providencia, Ambrosio Chavez, Avent-Brackman and the South Hale.

The ASC County Committee points out that they provide cost share assistance to the farmer. The Soil Conservation Service performs only the technical work for the county committee.

WQSP was initiated by ASC County Committee members John A. Cooper, Fred W. Pfingsten and Bond several years ago. "Administering the program has been both a challenge and a pleasure," Bond said. "We are proud that we have been in a position to help conserve so much of Lincoln County's soil and water and at the same time benefit local agricultural producers who, without the program, could not have born the cost of these conservation needs."

ASCS also has helped 39 local farmers to restore flood damaged property this year. ASCS cost share amounted to \$21,787, 80 to 90 percent of the total cost of making these repairs. Bond reported that the ASC Committee is currently involved in restoring fences, removing debris and restoring tanks that were damaged by the September 9 flood which occurred in the central part of Lincoln County. Bond noted that local farmers and ranchers have suffered heavy losses from both flood and drought this past year.

The Emergency Feed Program, which helps defer costs of abnormal feeding demands during drought periods has been utilized by about 46 Lincoln County ranchers during the past nine months, Bond said. ASCS has contributed more than \$50,000 toward livestock maintenance in this length of time.

The Ruidoso trustees Tuesday evening directed village clerk Jim Hine to release to The News, details concerning payment of \$27,400 to former village attorney Ron Harris, from the period of January 1980 through January 1981.

Village records show that \$1,641.46 was reimbursement to Harris for expenses incurred on behalf of the village; that Harris' legal action was instrumental in collecting \$22,839 in delinquent paving assessments and \$8,100 in delinquent lodger's and occupation licenses. His retainer for that period, included in the total payment, amounted to \$8,775.

WMSR will meet Tuesday

White Mountain Search and Rescue's March 17 meeting will feature a presentation by Steve Makowski of the United States Forest Service on that agency's disaster planning.

The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m., at the Ruidoso Care Center. All members, prospective new members and the public at large are invited.



FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS YEAR Old Baldy's covered with snow

Court Report

John B. Jones and Zelma Jones, d/b/a Tomahawk Nursery and Landscaping, ask, under count one, \$60,000 plus interest and costs; under count two, \$60,000 against defendant Sanchez, with interest costs and punitive damages of \$80,000, against the State of New Mexico, Construction Industries Division of the State of New Mexico and Ruben Sanchez, individually, February 21.

American States Insurance Company, a corporation, asks \$1,291.75, interest according to law and costs of action against Eulice H. Farrar, defendant, and Rex Battey, involuntary plaintiff, March 3.

Cecelia Grant appeals decision of Ruidoso municipal Court of January 30, filed February 20.

T. E. Arrington d/b/a Arrington General Contractor asks judgment against Loverin of \$53,536.68 with interest, costs of preparing and recording claim of lien, attorneys' fees, court costs and expenses of action; that the court determine the interest of Ruidoso State Bank and Blewett Company and foreclosure, against Dennis R. Loverin, Ruidoso State Bank, a Ruidoso banking corporation, and Blewett Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning Incorporated, a New Mexico corporation, February 20.

Tranquillo Silva asks a partition of the premises according to the interests of the parties herein; that if the partition cannot be made to the satisfaction of the parties, that the land be sold and the proceeds divided among the parties according to their interests against Margarito Silva a/k/a Lorenzo M. Silva and Addie Silva Najar, February 20.

Cable-Banerott-Turner Investments Incorporated, a New Mexico corporation, asks establishment of estate in fee simple and quiet title against White Mountain Development Company Incorporated and unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiffs, February 25.

Robert L. Willoughby, Donna L. Willoughby, Mike Neff and Lucy J. Boatright ask, under cause one, judgment against the defendants for damages incurred as a result of breach of verbal agreement, attorneys' fees and court costs; under cause two, damages against defendant Rothblum for at least \$75,000, punitive damages of \$200,000, attorneys' fees and court costs; under cause three, that the court order the defendants to account for all sums earned by the racehorse Easy Dusk during the racing season for the two-year period named in suit; under cause four, that the defendants be restrained from racing and selling the horse Easy Dusk and that a show cause order be issued directing the defendants to show cause why they should not be temporarily enjoined from racing and selling said horse during the pendency of the suit, against Anthony M. Bastistich, John F. Bastistich and Steve Rothblum, March 2.

S. D. David and Nancy David, Norton M. Rainey and Alice Rainey ask partition of real estate according to the respective rights of the parties with equal division and allocation of mortgage between parcels; if partition cannot be effected, that the court dispose of the property in accordance with statutes made and provided therefor and costs against John Nelson and Hilda Nelson, March 2.

Downs ponders water service to fine arts camp

The question of whether the village of Ruidoso Downs will provide water service to a planned Christian fine arts camp just outside the village limits became even more complex this week.

At the regular meeting of Ruidoso Downs trustees Monday, village attorney Richard Parsons outlined a long list of legal complications involved in the matter, including a misleading ordinance, a contract with the former landowners to provide water service, lack of any village zoning authority over the tract of land in question and land survey discrepancies.

Calling the situation "a true application of Murphy's Law," Parsons said that he questioned the village's ability to "supply water or guarantee a supply of water to such a vast undertaking."

The land in question was recently purchased by Inspiration Corporation, for use as a summer Christian fine arts camp. The land would also be the site of the residence of Tim and Carlene Wadley, members of the corporation's board of directors, and a Christian Coffee house.

Parsons said the village had originally adopted an ordinance which set a water fee of twice the normal rate for users outside the village limits.

However, that ordinance was apparently repealed by another ordinance (number 25), for which no record can be found, Parsons said.

In 1974, the village entered into an agreement with the former owners of the land to provide water service to them at

the same rate as in-town users. The water was to be provided "to improvements placed on the premises" by the landowners, in exchange for easements. Two surveys of the easements are not identical, Parsons added.

The contract brings up the question of whether the trustees could legally "rescind an earlier ordinance by a majority vote," Parsons said.

Whether the agreement would be "a covenant that would run with the land (after its sale to another party)" is another question Parsons said he would have to research.

Further complicating the issue is the zoning situation. Parsons said that the village at one time had zoning jurisdiction which extended three miles to the east of the village limits.

However, the village failed to enact an ordinance in 1976 regarding zoning of the area, which was to be submitted to the Extraterritorial Zoning Commission, a body which no longer exists, Parsons said.

In March, 1977, a new state law "deprived us of any zoning authority outside the municipal limits," he added. "So instead of being R-1 (residential), it's nothing," he said.

The attorney advised the trustees they "have the authority to sell water within or without the village limits, but the law says 'upon such conditions as acceptable to the governing body.'"

Parsons was given authority to obtain a new survey of the property and easements,

and to research the legal questions involved.

Tim Wadley told the trustees that he and the other Inspiration Corporation board members are still "agreeable" to allowing the village to place water storage tanks on their property. He also expressed his view that the agreement with the previous landowners "is transferrable with the title."

Trustee Bob Power asked "why we can't put the burden of proof on the Wadleys, 'as to the continued applicability of the water contract."

Parsons answered that "for \$42.75, they can file suit in District Court — and then the burden is on us."

Parsons said the village could annex the 19 acres of land recently purchased by the group, but added there would be "very few benefits and many burdens" to the village in doing so.

In other business, the trustees: — Proposed an increase in the water tap fee from \$175 to \$300, after trustee Power studied the actual cost of the tap and meter installation, and discovered the "village is losing money" on the taps.

— Adopted ordinance 61-1, standardizing personnel practices.

— Gave annual approval to the New Mexico Open Meetings Law.

— Postponed final release of the new sewer system, pending receipt of paperwork from the contractor, Consolidated Constructors of Farmington.

— Set an open meeting of the Personnel Board for 4 p.m., March 18.

Lodgers back hike in water, sewer charges

The Ruidoso Lodger's Association (RLA) Tuesday voted to support the proposed increase in water and sewer rates for the village of Ruidoso.

Lowell McIntyre, vice president of the RLA, said "I will back it because I think they need it, and I recommend the lodgers also back it."

The group also discussed the early response to a mid week ski package that was advertised on the Texas State Network this winter. The package offers the third day at half price, fourth day free, with Eagle Creek Ski Area and seven ski shops participating in the program.

Western Highlands sold to track

Ruidoso-Sunland Incorporated has announced purchase of the Western Highlands facility, located just east of the Ruidoso Downs Race Track.

The 24-acre tract was purchased March 2 by the corporation, according to Sunny Edwards, chairman of the Ruidoso-Sunland board.

Barns and a training track located at Western Highlands will be utilized for the 1981 racing season, and construction of additional facilities will probably begin this fall, Edwards said.

Some lodgers said they have had no inquiries for the package, but McIntyre said "I attribute over half my business to the ski package. People are staying five or six days instead of three or four."

Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce executive director Ed Jungbluth said the final sweep of ski advertisements was run last week in Texas, with the ad consisting primarily of an updated ski report.

He said the five days of advertising cost \$3,000 and no more funds have been allocated by the Lodger's Tax Committee to advertise the season.

By-laws were read and discussed, with members' dues set at \$25 per year,

payable by May 1. Associate memberships will be available and could include anyone whose business is directly affected by tourist trade.

The RLA also: — Heard a presentation by Western Union representative Lee Marshall, who explained a new instant payment by telephone plan.

Heard that commercial sponsorships of each RLA meeting will be available to local businesses for \$30 per meeting.

— Will host Frank Durkin, executive vice president of the New Mexico Hotel and Motel Association, at the May meeting, when the RLA will be chartered.

Mule Skinners name officers

The Ruidoso Downs Mule Skinners re-elected Ed Hyman president at the annual meeting here Saturday evening.

Elected as recording secretary was Elwood Gradine, replacing Christa Adams who resigned.

Re-elected were Mike Hernandez Sr., vice president; Dave McMath, treasurer; and as directors Gayle Rodgers, Albert Richardson, Briscoe West, Pete Wood; with Wayne Brazee and Jay Mobley of Carlsbad, John Harris of La Plata and Melvin Means of Lubbock, Texas.

Plans for the overnight trail ride, May 2-3, were confirmed and arrangements are now being completed. Merle Schrimsher was named to investigate the possibilities

of including a wagon ride to the camp site, for those, Hyman said, "that might enjoy the experience of roughing it in a covered wagon, though the wagons would be open to permit viewing the scenery."

Hyman said plans for mule racing, and related events, at Ruidoso Downs Race Track October 8-11, "indicate that we will be running elimination trials the eighth, and that we'll have more chariot races." There will be three classes of chariots racing this fall, Hyman said, "maxi, intermediate and mini."

The mule auction is scheduled October 6, beginning immediately after the trial races are run.

Mescalero man facing several burglary raps

Arlen Hosetosavit, 28, Mescalero, was arrested early Tuesday on El Paso Street in Ruidoso and subsequently was charged with a series of burglaries of a store and local residences.

Ruidoso police said over \$1,000 in clothing and jewelry was reported stolen from The Pampered Lady, a women's clothing store, sometime Monday night or Tuesday morning.

Hosetosavit was apprehended near the site of another burglary, at a home owned by Dr. Samuel Skaggs of Las Cruces. Over \$100 worth of tools, clothing and foodstuffs were taken from that home.

Following his apprehension, the suspect

led police to two residences in the village and five in the county, and allegedly confessed to burglarizing them, also.

Police said Hosetosavit then led them to Fiesta Cabins, where they found one cabin had been broken into. Much of the missing merchandise was found at the cabin, police said.

Total amount of the missing goods was pegged at \$3,000 to \$4,000.

In apparently unrelated incidents, police also received reports of break-ins at two other residences Tuesday morning. The residences, located on Edwards Street and Doer Trail, were unoccupied, and the owners have not yet been contacted.

Lodger's Tax Committee seeking budget requests

At a Wednesday meeting, the Ruidoso Lodger's Tax Committee (LTC) took no official action, but issued a plea to the public to come forward soon with funding requests for the next fiscal year.

The LTC will begin working on their budget for July 1981 to July 1982 at their next meeting, scheduled for April 8 at the Holiday Inn.

Committee chairman Ed Hyman asked that persons who wish to apply for funding, to be used for promoting the Ruidoso area, contact Ed Jungbluth, executive director of the Ruidoso Valley Chamber, or plan to

attend the April meeting.

The LTC funds a number of special events promotions through the Chamber including the Ruidoso Summer Festival, the Arabian Horse Show, Mule Races, Aspencade Motorcycle Convention and Hunter Jumper Horse Show, Hyman said.

Early submission of requests will be helpful, although an early request does not guarantee the project will be funded, LTC members said.

"We want to get some idea of what to expect," Hyman added, "and we don't want to cut anybody out as long as funds are available."

Cancer fund solicitation receives first donation

The Lincoln County Chapter of the American Cancer Society (ACS) Monday received their first contribution toward the 1981 Crusade goal of \$3,000, with a donation of \$123, raised by Hondo Valley residents.

The donation was the result of a benefit dance in Hondo Saturday night. "We'd like to thank all those people who arranged and participated in this dance," ACS treasurer Dottie Quaid said.

Musicians included Alice Booky, Chris Clements, Emily and Bernadette Prudeglio, Johnna and Russell Patterson and Gaby Gomez.

"We can't begin to name all those folks who attended and donated to the dance fund, but we do appreciate this fine effort," Quaid said.

The local ACS chapter has planned several fund raisers in May and June, including the Longest Day of Golf and Tennis and a dance, which will probably be catered by a local restaurant.

This year, the chapter hopes to launch a door-to-door campaign so members can better inform the public of the work of the ACS, and distribute information about cancer's seven warning signs.



PEGGY JORDAN, salesman with Innsbrook Village Real Estate, has been elected to membership in The American Society of Real Estate Professionals. As a member of the society, she will be featured in the 1981 edition of Who's Who in American Real Estate.

Marriage enrichment experience series set

A marriage enrichment experience will be held for area couples, under the sponsorship of the First Christian Church of Ruidoso, March 27, 28 and April 3-5.

The experience is for any couple of any age and any length of marriage who want to make their married life an even richer and more enjoyable experience.

The first weekend of sessions will be held at the church with the second weekend of sessions scheduled for Tres Rios Christian growth center near Carlsbad.

"The experience is non-sectarian; no doctrine will be taught and no evangelistic pressures used," Jay Graves, assistant minister, said.

"Within the 15 hours of planned sessions, approximately one half the time is spent in teaching and practicing communication skills in the large group. The rest is spent

discussing other areas, such as sexuality, values, goal setting and worship and celebration," Graves said.

Couples also spend time alone working and planning together, he added.

Jim Woodworth, a Christian marriage and family counselor, will lead the program. Woodworth is presently minister of counseling at First Christian Church in Lubbock, Texas, and is a certified and experience communication leader.

Cost for the program is \$62.30 per couple, which includes meals, two nights lodging, materials and leadership. To reserve a space, a \$20 deposit must be paid at First Christian Church.

Session times are 7-10 p.m., March 27; 3-6 p.m., March 28; late night April 3 through noon April 5 near Carlsbad.

More information is available at the Church, 257-5051, or evenings, 257-5210.

On Dean's List

Lisa Powell, Ruidoso, has been named to the Dean's List at McMurry College, Abilene, Texas, for the 1980 fall semester. An elementary education major, she is the daughter of Marie Vaughan of Ruidoso.

Altrusans set conversational Spanish class

The Altrusa Club of Ruidoso will sponsor a conversational Spanish class in Ruidoso beginning March 26, taught by Lynda Sanchez.

Cost will be \$50 for a 12-week course, meeting 4-6 p.m., Thursdays. "We are not sure if it will be a beginning or intermediate class; that will depend on who's interested and if we can get 20 of either class," Coni Foster, organizer, said.

Foster added the club's Finance and Economics Committee is organizing the course. "This is for everybody in the community. We want to make our friends from South of the Border feel like we care that they're here. The Altrusa Club feels the Spanish class is just one more way to do that," Foster said.

The course will feature some cultural awareness exercises as well as basic conversational Spanish, Foster added.

For more information, contact Foster at 257-4432.

Woman's Club Recipe Corner

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1 large egg - beaten
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Mix until crumble - place on top of mixture in casserole. Shake down. Bake 40 minutes at 375 degrees.

Revelation Coffee House opens Friday

Revelation Coffee House, located in upper midtown Ruidoso, will be open Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m. "We encourage all our patrons to visit Revelation this weekend," Carlene Wadley, Fish Market manager, said.

The Fish Market Coffee House will be closed this weekend.

Judy Hindahl wins ENMU scholarship

Judy Hindahl, Capitan, won a scholarship during Eastern New Mexico University's recent Talent and Career Day. She was named a winner in social science.

Alternate scholarship recipients, from this area, include Lucy Herrera, Capitan, social science; Luz Hernandez, Capitan, education and Tim Pendergrass, Hondo, mathematics.

In the Service

Air Force Sergeant William F. Gomez Jr., Kelly Air Force Base, Texas, participated in Global Shield 81, the Strategic Air Command's response to a simulated attack on the United States. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Gomez Sr., of Glencoe.

Marine Corporal Gregory M. Mendez, Mesalero, has been meritoriously promoted to his present rank while serving with Marine Air Traffic Control Squadron 33, Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station, Tustin, California. The son of Raphael and Marie Mendez, he is a 1977 graduate of Tularosa High School and joined the Marine Corps in March 1979.

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PEOPLE

Capitan FHA students to state meeting

Three Capitan High School students will attend the March 19-21 New Mexico Association of Future Homemakers of America/Home Economics Related Occupations Annual Leadership Meeting in Albuquerque.

Representing the Capitan chapter of Future Homemakers of America (FHA) will be Lisa Schear, president; Renita Trujillo, treasurer and Dea Prince, parliamentarian and vice president of inspiration. FHA adviser Angelina Provine, home economics teacher at Capitan, will accompany the delegates.

Legion sets anniversary observances

American Legion members will observe the 62nd birthday of the organization next week, at two area meetings.

The Fifth District American Legion meeting is scheduled for 10 a.m., Sunday at the Older Americans Center in Tularosa, and the regular local meeting of Post and Auxiliary Unit 79 will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., at the Ruidoso Public Library.

Members attending the Tularosa District meeting should bring their cards to be eligible for door prizes.

Nomination of officers will be the major agenda item at the local meeting. Members must have paid their dues to be eligible to vote and hold office.

Auxiliary members are asked to bring six cupcakes each, frosted with yellow icing, to the Ruidoso Post meeting.

Library slates touring troupe March 20

Ruidoso Public Library will host the Rainbow Fantasy Players of New Mexico State University in a special free performance March 20 at 2:30 p.m. The players are a touring troupe performing in churches, schools, libraries, theaters and hospitals throughout New Mexico.

They feature story theater, a technique that involves the dramatization of children's literature, with music and poetry worked into the program.

"We are pleased to be able to offer this to the people of Ruidoso. It will be for audiences up to early teens," Mary Lou Gooch, head librarian, said, "but anyone who enjoys something different should plan to attend."



A MARCH 21 WEDDING, to be held at the First Christian Church, Gavilan Canyon and Hull Roads, will unite Richard Word and Mary Lou McCarty of Ruidoso. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCarty and Chuck Word, all of Ruidoso.

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March 3 - ADMITTED: Geraldine Bundy, Mayhill. DISMISSED: Rachel Smith, Raymond Welland, Sanford Bowlin.

March 4 - ADMITTED: Welton Baker, Capitan. DISMISSED: Bea Lee, Jesse Guardillo, Lela Mayo.

March 5 - ADMITTED: Patricia Smith, Ruidoso. DISMISSED: Phyllis Wells, Bonnie Fortenberry.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray Smith, Baby Girl, 4 lbs., 12 1/2 oz., March 5.

March 6 - ADMITTED: Kelly Enmon, Midland Texas; Cora Blazer, Mesalero; Jauni Conlee, Ruidoso. DISMISSED: Mildred Johnson, Emma Bass, Charlotte Gullez.

March 7 - ADMITTED: Dru King, Capitan; Stella Walker, Capitan. DISMISSED: Kelly Enmon.

March 8 - ADMITTED: Glenda Trollinger, Capitan.

March 9 - ADMITTED: Rosita Saenz, Ruidoso; Ruth Burchett, Hondo. DISMISSED: Mary Lou Turner, Dru King and Baby.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:
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The Silver Lining

BY DANIEL AGNEW STORM

Montie Gardenhire
Our prayer go up for the loved ones and friends of Montie Allen Gardenhire, beloved and long time resident of Lincoln County, who was called home by Our Lord, in El Paso, March seven.

Montie was born February twenty-one, 1904, in Texas and moved to a ranch near Capitan in 1916. He was a pioneer resident in Ruidoso, owning one of the first riding stables in this city.

At this writing, Tuesday, March ten, services are planned for Wednesday, March eleven at the Gunstream Chapel at Angus, with burial in the Angus Cemetery.

A Horseman and Athlete
Montie was all his life a great horseman with a deep love and respect for these creatures, and was also an accomplished athlete, especially in foot racing.

Back in the early days there used to be a thriving village called Bonito City. The spot where it used to stand is now under the waters of the Bonito Dam.

Before the dam was built, folks used to hold picnics and community gatherings at the place where Bonito City used to be. All the buildings were gone and there was nothing left but the long main street and an open field. On the west side was a long grove of oak trees.

In 1926 or seven, my brother Mark and myself were present at a Fourth of July celebration at this spot. The ladies spread the table cloths end on end under the shade of the oak trees for a length of about sixty feet, and here were placed the finest vittles you ever tasted. Near by was a barbecued beef. I think the man serving the meat was "Captain" Henley.

Everything was free. And after dinner, or a little before, out on the former main street of Bonito City there was bronco riding, horse racing, wild cow milking, wild horse racing, calf roping, bull riding, and — a great feature of the day — foot racing.

The men would take off their cowboy boots and run in their sock feet. There were some fleet runners among these riders, and the fastest of all was Montie Gardenhire. The fastest horse on the place would have been hard pressed to stay up with him for one hundred yards.

The thing I will never forget about this Fourth of July celebration was the generous community spirit and the fun and the laughter. As for prize money, once in a while they would pass the hat when someone made an exceptionally good performance — although money was the least of our worries, the enjoyment of being together on the great American Day was all we wanted.

One of the stars of the day was Red Burnett, now of Tularosa, who treated the crowd to a trick ride on a mule. Among oldtimers I remember at the celebration were Ed Peters, Tom Bragg and his sons, Lee and Everett; and I think one of the Cree's.

All through his life, Montie lived in the openhearted friendly and helpful of the early days. We will remember our dear friend kindly always, and we all take comfort in knowing that Montie has gone on to join loved ones and friends with Our Lord in Heaven.

First Apricot Bloom

You judge whether spring is early or late by the first blooms of the apricot. Sometimes you will see these white blooms touched with pink out in February, oftentimes covered with snow. Last year the first bloom appeared on March six, fairly late. On March nine the north wind blew cold all day, and yet one bloom tried to blossom through the freezing blast, and only opened half way. And today, just after noon, on a cloudy, misty day with a cold rain gently falling, this bloom refused to move, cautiously remaining only half open, while all its hosts of companions on the trees remain secure and fast in their winter coats while the freezing rain falls haphazardly down upon them.

So this time we are looking forward to a late Spring, all the more beautiful for its delay. Only a few days left in the season of winter. Let us thank the Lord for a mild mid winter, a late winter with moisture, and the promise of a green and flowery Spring.



CELINA LOGAN ALLEN, daughter of Cathy Allen of Ruidoso, is the latest local entrant in the Cinderella Girl Pageant, to be held in Ruidoso March 20-21. Allen is sponsored by Zia Glass Works, Ruidoso, and will compete in the Cinderella Tot division.

Focus on Small Business

by E. Maine Shafer

Dear Mr. Shafer:

What is the outlook for small business in this country under the Reagan Administration?

Good, if past statements by Ronald Reagan are any indication.

He has said that federal tax and regulatory policies "are slowly destroying America's small businesses." Reagan also has pointed out that in 1969 71 percent of all new jobs were provided by small business, but that the share has now declined to 43 percent — not because big businesses are producing more jobs but because small businesses are producing fewer.

To revive the small business sector, Reagan has said he feels there is a need to enact an across-the-board cut in tax rates to restore the incentive to produce, and to eliminate unnecessary federal regulations on small businesses.

Reagan has said he supports the Republican Party platform which calls for:

- Simplification and liberalization of "restrictive depreciation schedules."
- Reform of regulatory laws "which stifle the very life of business, through fines, threats, and harassment."
- Reimbursement of small businessmen who successfully challenge the federal government in court.
- Lower business and personal tax rates for small business people.
- Easing of the estate tax burden on all Americans, and abolishment of excessive inheritance taxes to allow families to retain and to pass on their small businesses and family farms.
- Reform of patent laws to facilitate innovation.
- Directing a greater share of the federal research and development budget to small businesses.

Dear Mr. Shafer:

I know the government is the small business person's biggest customer. But it is also the biggest dead beat when it comes to promptness in paying for goods and services. What about relief?

This is a familiar complaint, and rightly so. When business people don't have enough capital to carry delinquent accounts they must borrow from banks — at very high interest rates today.

The first effect of government's delay in paying its bills is that its suppliers must borrow in order to pay their own operating expenses. This forces some firms, particularly small ones, to stop bidding on government contracts. A secondary effect is that the cost of carrying a delinquent account — the government's — adds to the firm's cost of doing business and is added to the prices it normally charges.

The taxpayer, of course, ends up paying extra for the goods and services our government needs to operate.

Several remedies have been proposed: Make government pay interest on overdue accounts; penalize late-paying agencies by taking funds from their budgets; take penalties out of the salaries of the government employees responsible for the delays, and placing tough auditors and inspectors in government departments and then tie personnel advancement to reducing waste.

The "bureaucrats," however, are not entirely to blame. Many laws and regulations spell out in painstaking detail how a government employee must verify that a supplier or contractor has performed according to his or her contract. If loose interpretations are permitted, vendors can cheat the government. If regulations are followed too strongly then it seems to take forever for a supplier to get its money. You take your choice.

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UNM scientist studying cell research, aging

The National Institute of Aging has awarded a five year grant to University of New Mexico (UNM) biologist Kathryn Vogel as one of the country's most promising young scientists in the area of cell research and aging.

An assistant professor in the biology department since 1977, Vogel is the first UNM faculty member outside the School of Medicine to receive this kind of grant, called a Research Career Development Award. The National Institutes of Health (NIH) reserve the award for "individuals in the formative stages of their careers who have demonstrated outstanding potential," according to published guidelines. Within NIH, the institute on aging grants only one or two such awards yearly.

By paying Vogel's regular salary, the award will allow the University to hire a replacement teacher to take over some of her classes. Thus Vogel will be able to devote more time to studies of the chemical reactions that support life within cells. These may be the same chemical processes that also bring on old age and death.

In applying for the award, Vogel submitted research she has already performed on some of the complex molecules with which cells anchor themselves to one another. These large molecules, called proteoglycans, are formed by joining carbohydrates to protein. They are found on the surface of a cell, and they extend out into the spaces between cells, forming a connecting network called matrix.

In building the matrix, cells create part of the biological machinery that keeps them alive. So in a sense, said Vogel, the spaces between cells are as much alive as the cells themselves.

The biologist intends to concentrate on describing exactly how these molecules in the matrix are produced, and how they contribute to life within and around the cell.

Cells produce proteoglycans in such tiny amounts that chemists can't analyze them by ordinary means. Vogel feeds radioactive isotopes of sulfur to laboratory cultures of living cells, so the cells will build the "tagged" sulfur atoms into the molecules of proteoglycan. She can then follow the traces of radiation from the sulfur to monitor the behavior of molecules as she runs them through tests to measure their size and identify their chemical ingredients.

The grant she has just received will allow her to travel to Sweden, where she will spend nine months working with biochemist Dr. Dick Heinegard, who has

been performing related studies. Ultimately, her research may help explain how and why living cells age.

Changes in the matrix between cells tend to change the physical properties of tissues as a person ages, said Vogel. The skin, for instance, has a great deal of matrix between cells, and as years pass, the skin becomes drier and less elastic.

Throughout the body, similar changes in the matrix may reduce the ability of cells to absorb nutrients, Vogel said. This might contribute to the general weakening and breakdown of normal functions that tissues undergo in old age.

Vogel will investigate whether such changes in the matrix come about because the cells change their formula for proteoglycans with the passage of time. If the formula does change, Vogel will have another question to consider: is it age that changes the formula, or do changes in the formula bring on aging?

"The whole process of aging is one of the most intriguing questions in biology," said Vogel. Because cells make exact copies of themselves each time they divide, she said, it seems they should be able to divide and renew themselves indefinitely.

Instead, something makes them change. They take on specialized functions and become lung cells, liver cells, eye cells and so forth. And just like animals, said Vogel, various types of cells have specific, limited lifespans. For instance, lung cells growing in culture can reproduce themselves by dividing about 50 times. No researcher has ever been able to extend this seemingly absolute limit.

There is an ironic exception. If a cell becomes cancerous, it achieves something like immortality — it can grow and renew itself indefinitely.

Vogel said she is particularly excited by the opportunity to study such topics in depth now, because university teachers must usually wait eight years for their first sabbatical, when they are allowed to concentrate on research.

Though she finished her Ph.D. in 1968 at the University of California at Los Angeles, Vogel is only beginning her research career because she took several years off to start a family of three children. Her husband, Dr. Albert Vogel, is an assistant professor of psychiatry at the UNM School of Medicine.

Once she re-entered research, Vogel worked a total of five years, first as a postdoctoral student in Boston, then a research associate in the UNM School of Medicine's anatomy department with Dr. Robert Kelley, before she joined the biology department.

Wilderness Wisdom with Wayne Calloway

TIP FROM READER — If you are a dedicated outdoorsperson, your outings aren't limited to days of ideal weather. For this reason, hunters and fishermen should never venture afield without a complete change of clothing stashed away in their vehicle. A hunter who is caught in an unexpected rainshower or snowshower, or trips on a snag in a water-filled swamp during frigid weather will never again question the wisdom of packing extra clothes. Likewise fisherman who loses footing on a slippery rock. In freezing weather, extra clothing can be more than just comfortable. It can be vital.

By the way, raingear isn't just for use during foul weather. When a bone-chilling wind cuts like a knife, a rainsuit will tame the wind to a bearable level. The same is true when you are speeding across your favorite lake on a cool spring morning en route to the fishing hole. So, begin to think of your foul weather gear as more than a rainsuit. James M., Colorado

Dear Wayne — My family recently moved from a fairly large city to a very rural setting when my father changed

jobs. Until now, all of my seventeen years were spent in city surroundings. I don't know if I'm interested in hunting or not, because I never have, but I do have a new urge to learn about the outdoors. Foolish as it may sound, when we moved here I didn't know whether to be afraid of a visiting raccoon or not. I had never seen a wild one before.

What is the best way to learn about and understand nature, particularly the animals? Jerry R., Pennsylvania

Dear Jerry — I don't know how involved you wish to get, but you can spend a lifetime learning if you want, and still you would be occasionally surprised. A new friend who grew up in the outdoors can be your best ally. Books will help greatly, also. But the best advice is to spend as much time outdoors as you can afford. You live in a great state to learn the wonders of nature. Most of the animals you meet will display different characters than those you see on some television shows. You won't be looking through somebody's imagination.

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Warriors one of eight teams after championship

And then there were eight. Eight teams are in contention for the New Mexico Class AAA state basketball championship, to be decided Saturday afternoon in Albuquerque at the University of New Mexico Arena.

One of those eight teams is District 3AAA champion Ruidoso, 18-6 overall, 10-2

in district and ranked fifth by Associated Press (AP). They played defending state champion St. Plus in the first round of the tournament this morning at 11 in Highland High School gymnasium.

(Obviously, since The Ruidoso News is published Thursday mornings, we had to get this done before the game was played.

But full details on the Warriors' first — and possibly last — tourney contest will appear in Monday's News.)

The Warriors left for Albuquerque Wednesday afternoon. Coach Barry Nelson was optimistic about the tournament.

"I think if we play the kind of ball we're capable of playing, then we should go quite a ways," Nelson said. "But I think we'll have to play very well. We'll definitely have to play better than we did last weekend."

What? But the Warriors won the District 3AAA championship last weekend, coach, with two wins.

"Yeah, but we didn't play very well," he said. "We had an okay game against Tularosa (in the title game), but we were lucky to be there."

The Warriors nudged out district upstart Silver City, 50-48, in the final seconds of the semifinal round.

"I'm a little worried, because we've had poor practices this week," Nelson added. "And you play like you practice."

But, he countered, the Warriors had exceptionally good practices the week before the district tourney, and Nelson wasn't particularly enthused with either of those outings.

The Warriors will be at something of a disadvantage in Albuquerque. This is the first time since 1967 the Warriors have been to state. None of Nelson's players have ever been there.

St. Plus, on the other hand, took home all the marbles last year. The Sartans almost didn't make it to the state tourney this year, but made a late season surge and won district 5AAA. AP ranks them right behind the Warriors in 6th place.

Coach Bill Duffey was pleased with that development.

"We're playing with a lot of intensity right now," he said. "It's the best we've played all year."

The Sartans are led by senior center Paul Koller, a giant reminiscent of Tularosa's Bill Turner. He's averaging 12.5 points a game, and that's just a notch above forward Greg Sandoval, with 11.4 points per contest.

Sandoval, however, discovered the hot hand recently and rocketed home 55 points in the last two games.

The Sartans emphasize a set-it-up-and-take-the-high-percentage-shot offense, which could mean trouble for St. Plus. The Warriors like to set it up too, but can run with it when the time comes, and Nelson indicated the Sartans better be ready.

"We've added a few things to our offense," Nelson said in a Tuesday interview, hinting at things to come. "But if we don't run our offense right, nothing will work."

He said he wasn't particularly worried about playing in Albuquerque.

"You've got to play wherever you go," he said. This morning's round was at Highland High School, but the next two rounds are set for UNM Arena.

"We're just going to have to play our best ball to win," Nelson said. "I just hope we're primed and ready."

The Warriors are in the easier half of the bracket (if such a thing exists). St. Plus, though last year's state champion, is currently 17-7 and barely knocked off Academy to make it to the tournament.

Ft. Wingate will take on Pojoaque today at 3:30, and both are newcomers to state play.

The Bears' key to success has been their hot shooting, quick guards, including Ray Frolich, a 5-8 senior who averages 25 points per contest.

Pojoaque is the 2AAA runnerup, with a 16-10 record. They rely on Billy Rodriguez and Steve Herrera, who between them produce 36 points a game. The Elks, like the Bears, emphasize a run-and-gun offense.

The other half of the bracket features the state's number one and number two teams, according to AP.

Portales, the survivor of District 4AAA, was the state runnerup last year, and has two 6-5 players in the middle, Scooter Haase and Wes Hawk.

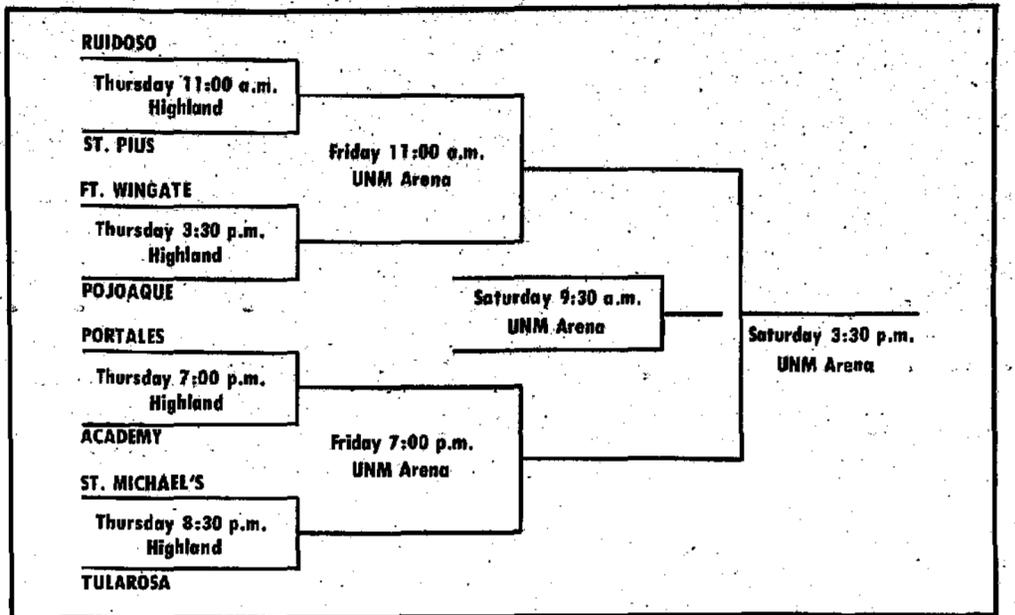
They go up against Academy at 7 p.m. tonight, possibly the biggest team in the state, and ranked seventh by AP with a 14-9 record.

The Albuquerque school has 6-6 center Jim Roberts guarding the basket, and he's assisted by 6-4 Tom Parker and 6-3 George Whitley.

The number two squad in the state, 2AAA champion St. Michael's, faces 3AAA runnerup Tularosa. Tularosa clobbered the Horsemen last year, and St. Michael's will be out for revenge at 8:30 tonight.

The winners of those four games will play Friday. The Ruidoso-St. plus winner will play the Ft. Wingate-Pojoaque survivor at 11 a.m., and the Portales-Academy winner and the St. Michael's-Tularosa victor tangle at 7 p.m.

The championship game will be at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, with the consolation game set for 9:30 a.m.



Sportin' Life

a column of opinion

by

Mark Bagby



For some reason, lately I've been thinking of the relationship of athletics to life.

Actually, there are several reasons. One is the fact I was roped into officiating a basketball game a few days ago. I thought it was for Little League ball.

Most of the guys there were taller than me.

I tried to do my best, but I didn't do a very good job. I have never picked on officials in this column, because I know how tough their job is. I've been there. It's really tough.

See, in most sports — team sports, anyway — an official could find something on every play that isn't quite in agreement with the rules.

That means a three hour football game could last six hours. Six, nine, twelve, take your pick.

But, you see, once you let one missed call slide because it wasn't too bad — and based on your interpretation of the rules ("call 'em like you see 'em") you didn't feel it was wrong — you get into a real dilemma.

This game I was calling had gotten pretty long — because of some calls I had made. Later in the game — namely in the fourth quarter — the score was pretty close, and I let a couple of calls go. Which meant instant trouble, because if I called one, someone complained for calling it, and if I let it go, someone complained "cause I didn't call it, and "he was all over me, yet, whassamatter, with you, you blind or something?"

Officials are loved and unloved constantly, by someone. They're the police force of the court, the gridiron, the diamond. They're good guys and they're bad guys, depending on your point of view. They're also unnecessary.

See, if people were honest, then you wouldn't need 'em. Oh sure, you might need an umpire in baseball, 'cause the batter and the pitcher look at a pitch from different perspectives, and that's why you have the third opinion in there.

But in basketball or football or hockey, you know when you've been fouled or you know when you've fouled someone, or held them, or body checked them or whatever. I mean, it's completely clear.

The first answer here is not to commit the foul. But people hustle, they get carried away sometimes and over zealously make mistakes.

The answer then is to admit, "Hey, I fouled you." And, really, the players are the only ones who really know on the close calls. They know if it's right or wrong. And how does a ref call a foul underneath the basket when there's five or six guys all going for the ball? Call one on each of them or what?

The real world is a lot like that aspect of sport.

Law enforcement officials are in a bind. Nobody wants to be the bad guy, so many relatively minor offenses, such as speeding, are let off with a warning, or simply ignored.

But major crimes — theft, murder — are heavily enforced. The guy, however, caught doing 85 in a 55 zone will feel like he's being picked on. Never mind how many times he's been driving 85 miles per hour. Never mind it's against the rules.

Sometimes I wonder if anyone wins. Another reason I've been thinking about this lately is the trial of former Arizona State football coach Frank Kush.

Kush is charged with belting an ex-player in the mouth during a game, because he was upset. Also, the player has charged Kush with constant harassment so he would forfeit his scholarship.

It looks like Frank is about to get his behind barbecued. And what's odd, is this type of treatment is not uncommon in sports. Good coaches don't beat players with irrigation pipe, ropes and 2 by 4s, as Kush has been charged.

But some of the bad ones do. Remember Woody Hayes clobbering that kid in the Gator Bowl a few years ago? He was fired.

He got off lucky.

Kush was not only dismissed, he stands to lose \$2.2 million for his shenanigans.

This could be a real precedent. No longer will players have to accept abusive treatment from coaches. In the real world, if someone walks up to someone else and belts him in the mouth, that's called assault and battery. Now it's in sports too.

Then there's the recent point shaving scandal in college basketball. That's the one where players for some team (I forgot which team), would either win or lose by more points and either bet on their team or their opponent.

Now that's really rank. It stinks.

I think athletics are a lot better off when they were innocent. Thank television for the loss of innocence. Television is becoming a major force in our lives, as I'm sure you're well aware.

Professional sports were not a success, a real success, until the advent of broadcasting, and it took the live image to really make it go. And that brought advertising, and that brought money, and that may have brought the ruin of athletics as we know it.

(Actually, athletics as we know it are pretty rotten. What I'd like to see is a return to innocence, where winning and losing were secondary to having fun.)

Athletics, or sport, should be just that. Sure, winning and losing are important. To win, you need to do your best. You should never let up against a weaker opponent, because that's a slap in the face. ("Look what I can do to you at half speed, buddy.") And a better opponent should make you try all that much harder.

Athletics should be that part of life where you can go, work hard, play hard, and do your best, but the finale doesn't mean much. Life doesn't hang in the outcome. You don't have the mortgage money at stake, your kids won't starve and the electric company won't shut off its services when you lose, nor do you get richer when you win.

We place far too much emphasis on the outcome. It's the end that counts, not the means. We've forgotten the words of Grandland Rice, who wrote, "It's not whether you won or lost, but how you played the game."

That's why betting exists to the extent it does. The game itself isn't important, the sheer drama of man versus man, competitor against competitor, each striving to do his best. It's the outcome that's important to some people, and the outcome itself isn't dramatic enough — they have to put hard-earned money on it to boost the suspense of the outcome.

So what does it all mean? Nothing, to some people.

After the Warriors won the 3AAA district basketball title, Barry Nelson told me, "After a while, I started thinking about it. What does it matter? Nobody cares."

That's not true, and I don't think Barry believes it or he wouldn't be coaching. There's a group of young men, 11 of them, who know in the New Mexico basketball season of 1980-81, they did their best, and they won a title, and they made it to the state's elite eight teams. That's something they'll have for the rest of their lives, if nothing else ever comes their way.

I guess really what I'm saying here is sport, athletics, competition, are those things that allow us to live life to its fullest, because they allow you a chance to do something as well as you possibly can. And if you win, great, but if you lose, the world doesn't come to an end.

And let us not forget the Latin root for the word competition, which we use to mean "conflict;" it means, "together in agreement."

Enough soapbox. I've had my say. Thanks for listening.

The Ruidoso News

S P O R T S

Freestyle wrestling tourney Saturday

The First Annual Ruidoso Open wrestling tournament gets underway at 7:30 a.m., Saturday at Ruidoso High School, according to tourney director Gerald Ames.

The event will be a freestyle tournament, employing both Olympic style and Greco-Roman style wrestling.

"The Olympic style emphasizes a total body wrestling concept," Ames said, "which is based on take-downs. The Greco-Roman style is upper body wrestling only — you're not allowed to touch the legs."

Ames is hoping quite a few wrestlers will participate Saturday. Wrestlers from El Paso Burgess and Irvin, as well as Silver City and the New Mexico School for the Visually Handicapped in Alamogordo have expressed interest in the tourney.

Freestyle tournaments are becoming more and more popular, Ames said, and several are held around the state each year. Their main purpose is to give competing wrestlers a chance to face opponents in the off-season.

"But we're not limiting this to high school wrestlers," he said. "This tournament is completely open, and anyone, regardless of age or experience, can wrestle in it."

There will be 11 weight classes, he said, including 98, 105.5, 114.5, 123, 132, 143, 154, 167, 178, 191.5 pounds and heavyweight. The weights are slightly different from the brackets used in high school competition.

Weigh in will be from 7:30 to 8:30 Saturday morning, with competition beginning at 10. Wrestlers will compete under international freestyle rules, with three periods of two minutes each, and 30 second rest periods.

Wrestlers may also wrestle two weight classes. "Anyone who makes, say, the 123 pound class can also wrestle heavier weight classes — a 123 pounder could wrestle that bracket and heavyweight," Ames said.

There is a \$4 entry fee, Ames said, and all wrestlers must be registered with the United States Wrestling Federation [USWF]. If wrestlers are not registered, Ames can enroll them for a \$5 fee, and the registration is good for other USWF meets.

Medals will be awarded to the top three finishers in each weight class. Admission to the competition will be \$1 per person, good for all day.

"Even if you leave and come back later, you still have to pay only the \$1 initial admission," Ames said.

For more information, contact Ames at Ruidoso High School, 257-7324, or at 378-4712.

Bowling scores

Tuesday Morning Ladies' League

Team Standings	W-L
1. Valley Plumbing	65-37
2. Ruidoso State Bank	53-39
3. Barney Rue Sand	52 1/2-39 1/2
4. Dave Rice Band	52-40
5. Minit Mart	51-41
6. Hughes Body Shop	49-43
7. Pioneer Savings	49-46
8. Big T	48-46
9. Apache Music	43-50
10. Texas Club	41-51
11. Village Hardware	35 1/2-56 1/2
12. Las Tres Tiendas	29-63

High Game Myrl Rose — 197

High Series Elaine Garrity — 512

High Team Game and Series Texas Club — 770 and 2137

Thursday Morning Ten Plus League

Team Standings	W-L
1. Rudy's Body Shop	42-30
2. Ruidoso Plumbing	40 1/2-31 1/2
3. Sierra Vision Center	38-34
4. Boyd's Feed and Supply	35-37
5. Ree's Boutique	33-39
6. Cousin's	27 1/2-44 1/2

High Game and Series Clara Jankowiak — 231 and 496

Soccer signups still underway

Registration for the spring Ruidoso Sertona Soccer Association (RSSA) is still underway, according to RSSA director Butch Grantham.

Grantham said over 200 youngsters have signed up so far, but he received so many calls from interested players wanting to know if they can still sign up, he decided to extend registration indefinitely.

Youngsters ages five through 16 may sign up at Morgan's Mountain Sports, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., seven days a week, Grantham said.

Registration fee is \$10, and all players must register, regardless of RSSA experience. New players should bring proof of age, and all players must be accompanied by a parent.

Also, Grantham is looking for volunteers who can help coach teams this spring. Contact him at 257-5061.

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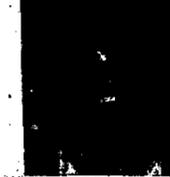
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March 7	43	21	0	0
March 8	43	18	0	0
March 9	43	13	tr.	0
March 10	43	23	0	0

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Warrior golfers place sixth in Alamogordo tourney

The Ruidoso Warrior golfers got their 1981 season off to something of a slow start last weekend, finishing sixth out of seven teams in the two day, 36 hole Alamogordo Invitational.

The Warriors had a combined total score of 741, which was just ahead of Fabens, Texas, with a 768. Las Cruces High won the tourney with a 639, followed by Alamogordo's 'A' team, 645; Alamogordo 'B' team, 647; Gadsden, 677; and Las Cruces Mayfield, 722.

Individually, senior Mike Dale turned in the best Ruidoso performance with scores of 91 and 84 for a 175. Todd Perleet shot a 90 and 92 for the next best tally, 182. Next was Kyle Kannady with a 189 on rounds of 100 and 89, followed by Don Nunley with a 195 on rounds of 100 and 95, and Virgil Reynolds was last with a 198, on rounds of 95 and 101.

Coach Leroy Gooch, despite the relatively poor performance of his troops, is optimistic.

"Give us three weeks and I think we'll turn it around," he said. "We're hitting the ball a lot better than we're scoring. Our short game is rotten right now. We just need to get out there and play more."

Gooch announced he has a new golfer on

the squad, Kevin Sivage, whom Gooch described as a "very, very, very fine player." "He's really going to help us," he said. "He'll put more pressure on the rest of us to play well."

The Warriors are on the road again this weekend, heading for 18 holes of competition at Artesia on Saturday.

Little League baseball signups begin soon

Little League Baseball will hold registration for the upcoming season March 28, April 4 and 11.

Signups will be at Mountain Ski Shop, from 1-4 p.m., all three days.

Boys and girls, ages eight through 15, are eligible for play. Fees are \$7.50 for one youngster, or \$12 for two or more children from one family.

A parent must accompany prospective players to registration.

Call 257-4695 for more information.

The 18 hole Warrior golf benefit scramble, set for Cree Meadows last Sunday, was postponed.

"We postponed it on Saturday," coach Leroy Gooch said, "because the course was covered with snow and we didn't think it would clear off in time."

So, after it was postponed, the snow melted.

Anyway, it's been rescheduled for this Sunday, with registration from 8 a.m. to noon. Play will begin at 12:30.

There will be 20 high school golfers in the competition, and at least 60 more players are needed.

Entry fee is \$15, which covers cart fees, green fees and dinner. Prizes will be awarded at the end of the day, and all proceeds go to the Warrior golf squad.

For more information or early registration, contact Cree Meadows club pro Bob Hickson, 257-5633.



THE RUIDOSO WARRIOR basketball squad was feled at a Tuesday evening dinner at Schlotzsky's, and was presented shirts in honor of their district championship. Front row, from left, Cyrus Simmons, Gary Jones, Scott Neal and Wade Wilson. Back row, from left, assistant coach Vince Collins, Michael Forte, Russ

Veronda, Bill Richardson, Rodney Thomason, Glenn Ryan, Gene Reeves, Kyle Schaufert and head coach Barry Nelson. The shirts were purchased by local businesses, including Ruidoso State Bank, Security Bank, Gamble's and Western Office Equipment. The team wore the shirts on its trip to Albuquerque Wednesday.



PROSPECTIVE BOXERS in the recently formed Ruidoso Golden Gloves' Boxing Association are working out at Diet Counsellors-Health Fitness Center. Front row, from left, are David Keaton, Oscar Torres, Shaun Childress, Michael Keaton, Verlyn Miller, Chris Reese, Shayne Paquin and Layne Paquin. Back row, from left,

are Jim Lacy, training assistant, Russell Bell, Scott Ciraulo, Don Burditt, training assistant, Sam Mize, Mike Grant, Barry Williams, Leo Torres and Diet Counsellors owner Pat Loomis. The boxers' first fights will be in Roswell "in about five weeks," Loomis said.

Junior Skiers place high in Junior Olympic Regional championships

Two age class Ruidoso Junior Ski Racers finished in the top ten of the recent Junior Olympic Regional Championships.

Cappie King and Eric Anderson competed in the March 4-6 races in Winter Park, Colorado, and King garnered two eighth places and a fourth. Anderson finished ninth and sixth in his events.

King raced in the 13 and under girls' division, and was one of 25 girls in the downhill, slalom and giant slalom events. She placed eighth in the downhill and giant slalom races, and fourth in slalom.

Anderson raced in a field of 20 nine and under boys, and finished ninth in slalom and sixth in giant slalom.

The races were Colorado and New Mexico from Arizona, Colorado and New Mexico.

King is the daughter of Don and Lynn King, and Anderson is the son of Bill and Ellen Anderson.



ERIC ANDERSON



CAPPIE KING

Schools seek donations of Post cereal seals

Ruidoso Public Schools are still seeking donations of Post cereals' proof of purchase seals.

The seals, when presented for redemption by the schools, are good for various types of athletic equipment, according to Jeanie Whitwam, who is spearheading the local collection drive.

"We have quite a few of them already," Whitwam said, "but it takes literally thousands of them to really get anything."

Equipment available ranges from trampolines and vaulting horses to volleyballs and pogo sticks.

The seals (a copy is pictured below) are available on several General Foods Corporation products, including Raisin Bran, Grape Nuts, Grape Nuts Flakes, Bran Flakes, Toasties, Fortified Oat Flakes, C. W. Post, Post Tens, Super Sugar Crisp, Alpha Bits, Honeycombs, Pebbles, Frosted Rice Krinkles and Treat Pak, as well as Log Cabin syrups, pancake and waffle mixes, Orange Plus and Awake

breakfast drinks and Wonder Bread. All local schools have boxes available for the seals, which should be brought to the schools, and deposited.

Whitwam said the schools need seals as soon as possible, because there is a June 30 deadline for submitting them.

She added only public schools and other educational institutions may apply for equipment. No private individuals are eligible.

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Capitan out of state tourney

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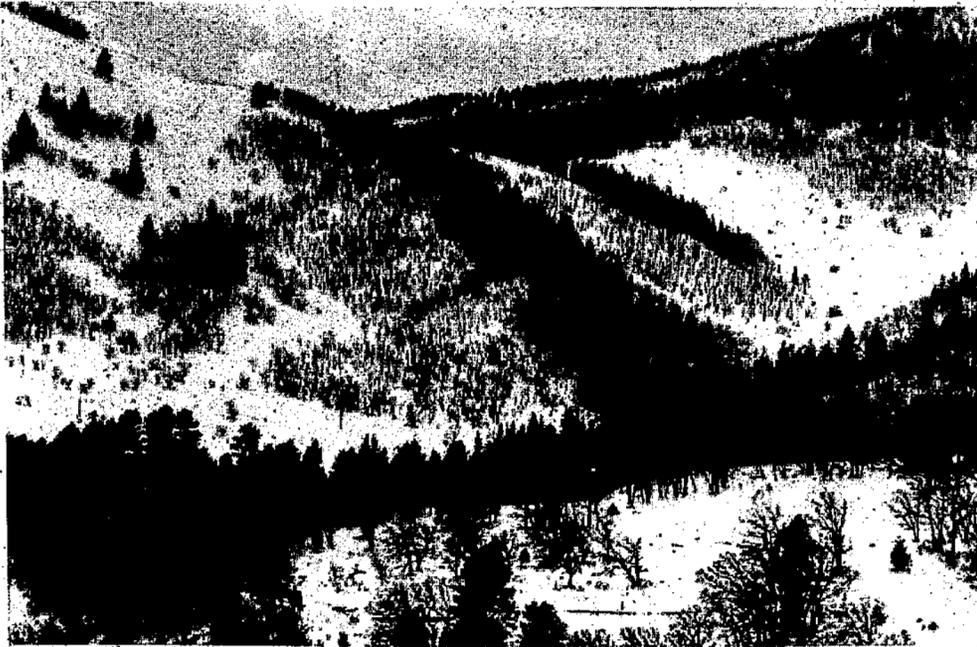


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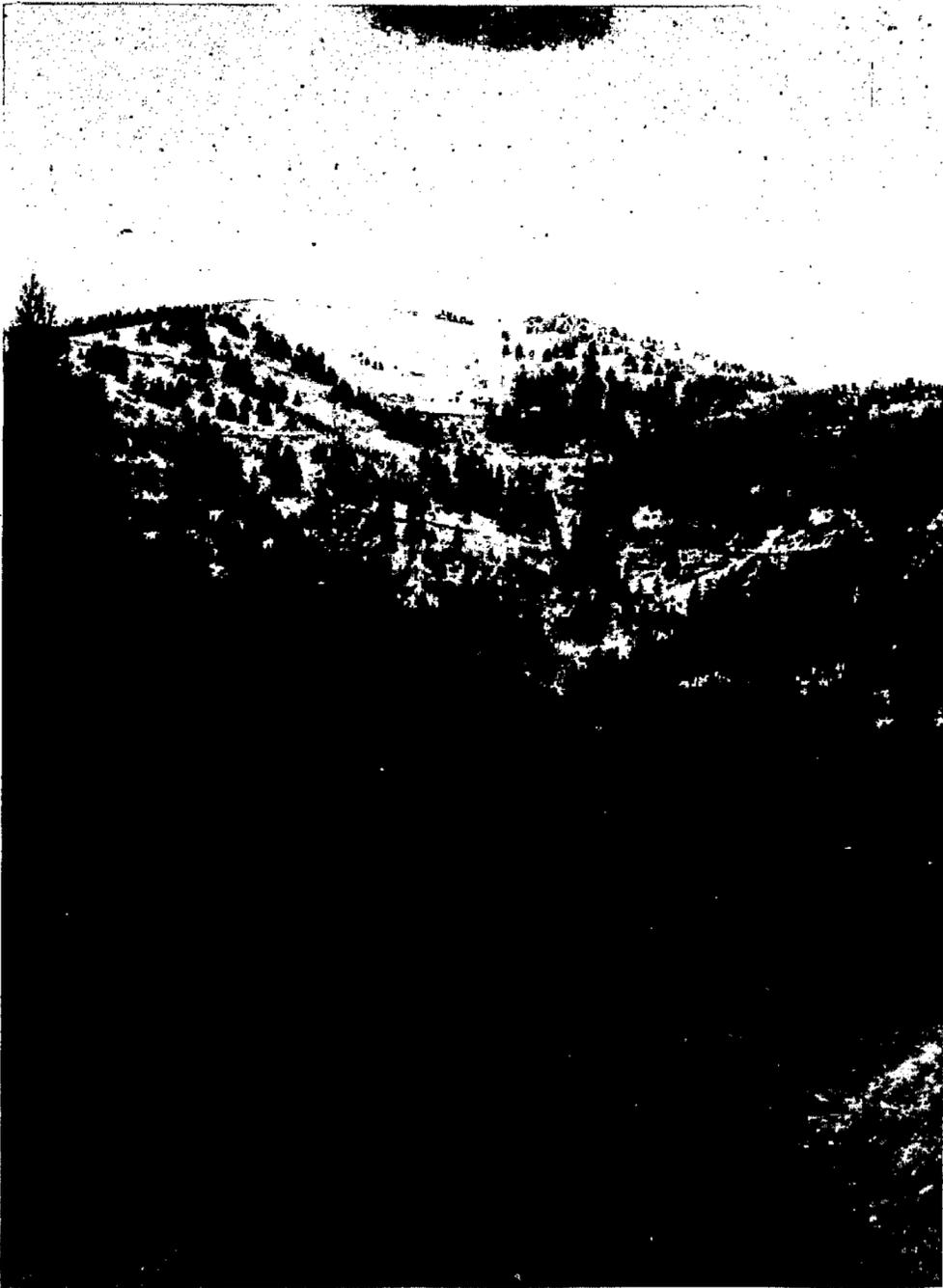
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Village Lodge at Innsbrook Village Completed

SPECIAL
Jack Stahl has announced the opening of Village Lodge, located at Innsbrook Village on Alto Highway across from the Ranger Station. Each of the 32 units at Village Lodge is a three-room suite containing living room, fully-equipped kitchenette, bedroom and bath. In addition, each suite features a wood-burning fireplace, wet bar and two color TV's with in-room movies.
"Each one of our suites is ideal for up to four persons," said Stahl. "The living room contains a hide-a-bed and the bedroom can be closed off for privacy. We've planned Village Lodge to be the utmost in resort living," Stahl continued. "Our guests have full use of all Innsbrook Village facilities such as swimming, tennis, golf and trout fishing in the stocked pond. Initial occupancy rates have been very high, so reservations are necessary," said Stahl.



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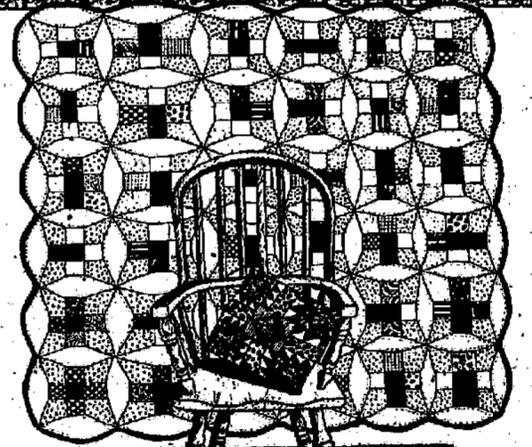
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SADDLE INSPECTION is a regular part of the duties of Staff Sergeant Milton May, Carrizozo, as a member of the Third Infantry Division's "Old Guard" at Fort Myer, Virginia. May's Caisson Platoon participate in many functions requiring horsemen.

Hooves still clatter in old Army routine

A Carrizozo soldier has something in common with the Model T Ford and the bi-wing airplane.

Army Staff Sergeant Milton L. May, grandson of Mrs. Alice May, Noga, of the Army's last horsemen with the Third Infantry Division's "Old Guard" Caisson Platoon at Fort Myer, Virginia. In today's mechanized Army, the role of the horseman, like that of the Model T and the bi-wing, is becoming part of a vanishing species.

Each week day, in a ceremony that is one of the oldest and most evocative of military traditions, May and the Caisson Platoon have the solemn honor of carrying service members and heads of state to their final rest in Arlington cemetery.

"I wrote and asked for information on this unit," May said. "The next thing I received was a set of orders assigning me to the 'Old Guard' and I was very pleased with that."

In addition to funerals, May rides in retirement ceremonies and sometimes drives the unit's 18th century closed-in carriage for military weddings performed at the Fort Myer Chapel. He also rode in President Reagan's Inaugural Parade, January 20.

"I first started riding when I was six-years-old at my grandfather's farm. At 12, I started helping my uncle with odd jobs. Then at 14, I worked on other ranches in the area," May said.

May rides in approximately seven funerals and ceremonies each week but that accounts for only part of his time. Many long hours are required by May and his platoon to prepare for an event. Uniforms and boots must be immaculate and May inspects each member of the caisson platoon prior to their leaving the stable. Saddles and tack must also be cleaned and polished after each use.

"I ride, but when I'm not, I'm tied up being the Platoon Sergeant," May said. "This means supervising stable maintenance, training new riders and horses, and ensuring the horses get exercised when they are supposed to."

The days are long but May and his platoon still have to find time to train as infantrymen. The "Old Guard" is responsible for providing security to the Washington area during times of national emergency or civil disturbance.

May, 29, is a 1970 graduate of Carrizozo High School and joined the Army in June of that year.

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The best evidence that condominium conversions are caused by a demand for home ownership is the high percentage of tenants who buy a unit when their building is converted, according to the Ruidoso Board of Realtors. A 1980 Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) condominium study has concluded that on average approximately one-third of all tenants purchase a unit.

A random survey by the Florida Association of Realtors, covering some of the 11,000 units converted to condominiums in South Florida in 1979, found that 40 percent of all tenants purchased a unit. A survey of 985 units converted to condominium ownership in Washington, D. C., between 1976 and 1978 showed that 32 percent of all tenants purchased units.

Is one type of tenant more likely to buy than another? The 1980 HUD study of 280 buildings in 12 cities between 1977 and 1979 found that approximately one half the purchasers of all converted units are below the age of 35, and 57 percent are single.

Only 9 percent were over 65. The South Florida study gives a more detailed picture of differences between tenants who buy and tenants who do not. Approximately 50 percent of tenant purchasers were single, but only 33 percent of those who did not buy were single. He said that household size of the tenants who moved averaged 1.8 members, while household size of purchasing tenants was 1.8.

One startling result of the South Florida survey was that retired persons were more likely to purchase than employed persons. Approximately 58 percent of the tenant purchasers were retired persons, compared to only 27 percent of those who moved out, the survey showed. The Florida survey belies the common assumption that retired persons on fixed incomes cannot afford to invest their limited assets in home ownership.

There is mounting evidence that the vast majority of non-purchasing tenants do not end up significantly worse off in terms of neighborhood locations, size and quality of apartment and rent paid after a conversion.

Although the 1980 HUD Condominiums survey concluded that 75 percent of non-buying tenants moved to a different neighborhood, it also discovered that 85 percent of these non-purchasers found their new neighborhood to be as good, if not better, than their preconversion neighborhood.

However, the conversion indicated that displaced tenants often pay somewhat more — but not significantly more — for their new housing. The HUD study concluded that the median increase in rent for non-purchasers was only eight percent. Moreover, none of the condo studies have compared the increased rents paid by non-buyers with the typical increase in rent paid by a tenant anytime he moves.

The studies have shown that a surprising number of non-purchasing tenants wind up purchasing single-family homes or condominiums in another location.

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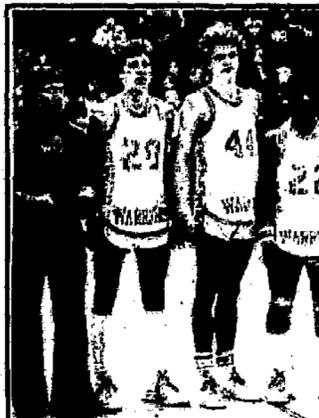
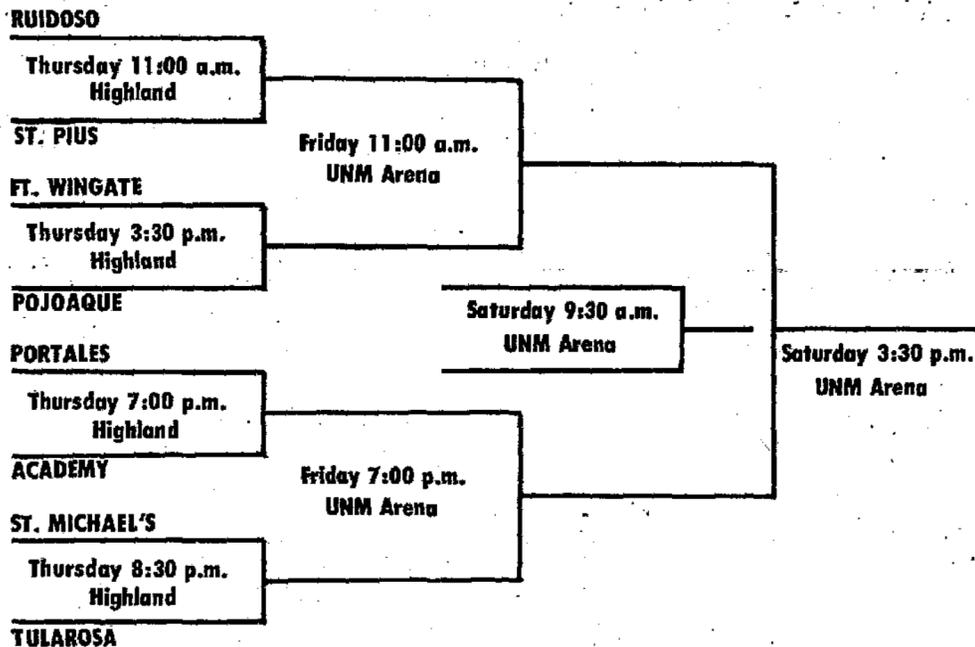
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FROM LEFT: assistant coach Vince Collins, Cyrus Simmons, Wade Wilson, Michael Forte, Gene Reeves, Russ Veronda, Bill Richardson, Rodney Thomason, Glenn Ryan, Kyle Schauteet, Scott Neal, Gary Jones and head coach Barry Nelson.

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FROM LEFT: district coach of the year Barry Nelson, and all district players Glenn Ryan, Rodney Thomason and Gary Jones.

— **RUIDOSO WARRIORS** —

No.	Player	Class	Ht.
10	Scott Neal	Jr.	5'8"
12	Wade Wilson	Jr.	5'8"
14	Russ Veronda	Jr.	6'4"
20	Glenn Ryan	Sr.	6'2"
22	Gary Jones	Sr.	5'7"
24	Cyrus Simmons	Fr.	5'7"
30	Gene Reeves	Sr.	6'3"
34	Kyle Schauteet	Jr.	5'8"
40	Michael Forte	Fr.	6'
42	Bill Richardson	Jr.	6'4"
44	Rodney Thomason	Sr.	6'4"

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1980 - 81 WARRIOR RECORD

Nov. 29	Roswell	53-60	Jan. 17	T or C	69-62*
Dec. 2	NMMI	61-54	Jan. 31	Silver City	62-59*
Dec. 6	Dexter	90-42	Feb. 6	Tularosa	48-42*
Dec. 12	Goddard	57-55	Feb. 7	Deming	45-51*
Dec. 16	NMMI	54-36	Feb. 10	Roswell	81-58
Dec. 18	Weed	49-45	Feb. 14	Cobre	60-51*
Dec. 19	Reserve	58-59	Feb. 20	T or C	68-52*
Dec. 20	Cloudcroft	75-63	Feb. 21	Deming	79-65*
Jan. 2	Dexter	62-50	Feb. 27	Tularosa	71-78*
Jan. 3	Goddard	60-85	Feb. 28	Cobre	62-57*
Jan. 9	Artesia	68-82	March 6	Silver City	50-48*
Jan. 10	Silver City	58-45*	March 7	Tularosa	65-54*

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WARRANTY DEEDS

Charles A. Denton and Ann Denton to Robert R. Goodson and Frances M. Goodson, T9F, Tract 9, Dear Park Woods Sub., Unit I, Lincoln County, N. M.

Richard A. Keffler and Patricia E. Keffler to Robert E. Alexander and Sandra A. Alexander, Lot 2, Block 4, Unit 1, Alto Lakes Golf and Country Club Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED

Charles E. Wood and Kathryn D. Wood to Volcano Cliffs, Inc., Lot 18, Block 7, Unit II, Alpine Village, Lincoln County, N.M.

WARRANTY DEEDS

V. O. Murray and Janice Murray to Wiley E. Bollman and Judy Ann Bollman, Lot 50, Block 20, Ponderosa Heights Sub., Unit III, Lincoln County, N. M.

Claudia J. Black to Henry W. Christopher and Marjorie C. Christopher, Lots 13 and 14, Barney Luck Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Jack R. Forsythe and Sara Forsythe and Ralph W. Forsythe to Albert J. Perry and Mary F. Perry, One-third interest in a tract of land out of Lot 3, Block 104, Townsite of Nogal, Lincoln County, N. M.

Floyd N. Cole and Louise M. Cole to A. G. Mock, Lot 17, Block 18, Town and Country North, Unit II, Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEEDS

Lottie L. Martin to Eileen Martin and David M. Martin, Lot 4, and the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 31, T9S, and lots 3 and 4, Section 6, T10S, R9E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Lottie L. Martin to Eileen Martin and David M. Martin, the SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 6, T10S, R9E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Thomas Witt Moore and Betty Jo Moore to L. Rivello and Blanche Rosa Rivello, Lots 1 and 2, Block 16, Alto Crest, Unit 2, Lincoln County, N. M.

William P. Gilhooly and Gertrude J. Gilhooly to Eddie Crawley and Lou Ann Crawley, Lot 7, Block 3, Town and Country North, Unit I, Lincoln County, N. M.

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Missing woman sought

Where is Debra Lynn Salazar?

That's the thousand dollar question the Torrance County Sheriff's Department and the State Crime Stoppers Commission are asking this week.

Salazar disappeared under mysterious circumstances last November 29 shortly after leaving her trailer located some seven miles north of Estancia.

Deputy Louie Perea of the Torrance County Sheriff's Department said Salazar's disappearance was brought to light on December 6, when her father filed a missing persons report.

Her abandoned 1978 blue Datsun sedan was found parked by the side of a country road about a half mile from her trailer. There were no signs of violence. Wind and rain had destroyed any tracks around the car, investigators say.

Perea said he is operating under the theory the 28-year-old woman is dead.

Salazar's sister, Cheryl Gallegos, agrees with Perea's theory.

"Debbie was real close to the family," Mrs. Gallegos said. "It wasn't like her to just leave without notifying us. We would hear from her about once a day."

The mother of three had been working as a waitress at Mac's La Sierra Restaurant and had recently quit in order to take a job as a laborer.

The missing woman is described as being 5-5, 135 pounds, with black hair, brown eyes and has a light complexion.

Anyone having any information about

Salazar's possible whereabouts, or the events leading up to her disappearance, is asked to call the State Crime Stoppers Commission at its toll-free number, 1-800-432-6933. Callers do not have to reveal their identities.

Meanwhile, many local Crime Stoppers programs throughout New Mexico are seeking information about burglaries.

In Roswell, a \$500 reward is being offered for information leading to the solution of the January 27 burglary of a residence at 1002 Avenida Del Sombra.

More than \$1,200 worth of property, including two shotguns, five rifles and seven pistols, were taken by the offenders. Anyone with information can call Roswell Crime Stoppers at 623-9000.

Curry County Crime Stoppers, at 753-7000, is offering a \$400 reward for information leading to the solution of a residential burglary. The December 18, 1980, break-in netted the offenders some \$20,000 worth of items, including a large amount of jewelry, silverware and clothing.

Several witnesses, who said they weren't aware a burglary was taking place, indicated one of the offenders was a white male in his 50's, with gray hair and had black frame glasses. A second suspect was about 25, was wearing a Levi jacket, sweatshirt and had on a hat with small down ear flaps.

Quay County Crime Stoppers, at 461-3507, recently met at the scene of one crime. Some burglars broke into the Aruba Restaurant in Turunpuri on February 9

and stole some steaks, seafood and an NCR electric cash register. Prior to leaving, the offenders sprayed the kitchen area with the contents of a fire extinguisher. A \$350 reward is being offered.

Sometime between February 3 and 4, the Frontier Mercantile store at 2420 North White Sands Boulevard in Alamogordo was victimized by burglars. Some \$907 worth of property, including a Radio Shack portable radio and cassette player, a calculator, some tools and assorted jewelry disappeared in the theft. Otero County Crime Stoppers, at 437-2000, is offering a \$500 reward.

And Taos County Crime Stoppers, at 759-8116, is offering a \$200 reward for information leading to the solution of a burglary at the Kit Carson Memorial Foundation's old Martinez Hacienda in Ranchitos. The offenders gained entry to the home between January 10-12 by breaking through a door. A chain saw, portable water pump, kerosene oil heater and several pieces of portable scaffolding were taken by the offenders.

The State Crime Stoppers Commission and the 33 local Crime Stoppers programs offer cash rewards on a regular basis for information leading to the solution of major felony crimes in addition to the publicized "Crime of the Week."

To date, the combined Crime Stoppers programs in New Mexico have helped solve 2,922 major felony cases and assisted in the recovery of \$3,114,818 worth of stolen property and narcotics.

UNM doctors conducting study to aid muscular dystrophy victims

On the eve of the Civil Engineering Research Facility's (CERF) platinum anniversary, director Del Calhoun received news that was good as gold.

The United States Air Force, which for 20 years has contracted with the University of New Mexico (UNM) to operate CERF, recently notified the University that it has awarded a new \$16.5 million contract that will keep UNM researchers, technicians and support personnel at the facility through November 1983.

The contract is funded jointly by the Air Force Weapons Laboratory, the Defense Nuclear Agency and the Engineering and Services Center at Tyndall Air Force Base, Florida.

CERF, located on an 80 acre tract at the foothills of the Manzano Mountains on Kirtland Air Force Base, consists of 11 buildings, 154 researchers and \$6 million in equipment inventory. The facility performs myriad civil engineering studies for the Air Force, ranging from simulated nuclear blast tests on structures, to tests on runway surfaces, to the development of small automated fire extinguishing systems. It also cooperates with other government agencies and private industries.

CERF began in 1960 when the Air Force was seeking a location to conduct a wide variety of dynamic tests needed to support the Intercontinental Ballistic Missile (ICBM) program. Many of these tests were to be done in shock tubes — long

closed tubes in which explosives are detonated to create controlled shock waves for various blast studies. The shock waves in turn may be used to simulate the effects of air blasts or ground shock from nuclear attacks.

Dr. Eric H. Wang, a senior Air Force Weapons Laboratory scientist, was instrumental in establishing such a test facility at Kirtland, and in 1961, just a short time after his death, the Air Force Shock Tube Laboratory became operational. UNM was awarded a contract to run the lab, and has retained the contract ever since. In 1965, to better reflect its growing mission, and to honor Wang, the lab was renamed the Eric H. Wang Civil Engineering Research Facility, or CERF.

Originally under the auspices of the UNM vice president for research, CERF was reassigned in 1971 as a division of the College of Engineering.

Today CERF, part of a larger UNM organization known as the New Mexico Engineering Research Institute (NMERI), which was established two years ago, conducts research in 10 specialized areas for the Air Force and may be involved in 40 to 60 projects at a time.

Two decades ago UNM researchers were involved with the Air Force in tests on the structures housing the Minuteman Missile. Today they're performing similar studies on the MX missile system. "We evaluate basing concepts analytically,

using computer codes, and experimentally in field tests," Calhoun said. "All of this, of course, deals with shelters for the missiles, not the missiles themselves, and we are not yet certain of the specific type of shelter that will be selected by the Defense Department for the MX system."

The computers determine analytically how the engineering properties of shelters would affect the shelter response to blast loading. In field test, large-scale models are placed in the ground and heavily instrumented. High explosives used to simulate the air blast and ground shock effects of nuclear blasts are placed in proximity to the models and detonated. NMERI researchers then study the data collected.

"These are pilot projects to define test parameters, develop techniques and design instrumentation schemes for larger-scale testing in Arizona and Nevada," Calhoun said. "Results of our experiments and computer studies influence major decisions on the basing concepts for the MX system."

In contrast to this missile-oriented work, NMERI is also conducting numerous projects for the Air Force that have civilian applications. One such example is its airfield pavement research program. NMERI researchers have developed a mobile unit that can be positioned at various locations on a runway to determine its load-bearing capacity and service life. The unit, which is small enough to be transported in a C-131 aircraft, introduces vibrators to the surface and then evaluates the shock waves made by the impact.

Tests have been performed on the runways and taxiways at Kirtland, and Calhoun said the testing method could be easily applied to commercial airfields. NMERI will, in the near future, turn this equipment over to the Engineering and Services Center at Tyndall Air Force Base for evaluation of airport pavement system.

Examples of other NMERI projects with civilian applications include: tests on potential chemical reactions of firefighting agents in combating munitions fires; the use of asphalt-rubber mixtures for airfield pavements; and the applications of advanced composite materials as structural elements.

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Marilyn Frances Erickson, Personal Representative of the Estate of Ida Marie Erickson, deceased, to Mary M. Wimberly, Lot 3, Block 1, Green Meadows Addition, Lincoln County, N.M.

Innsbrook Construction Company, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Dorado Development Corporation, a New Mexico Corporation, Lot 53, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

Dorado Development Corporation, a New Mexico Corporation, to Roberto Garcia Saldana and Ana Maria M. de Garcia, Lot 53, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

Glaze M. Sacra and Martel Sacra, and Allen Land and Cattle, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to B. D. Burch and Dolores Burch, Lot 19, Block 18, Forest Heights, Lincoln County, N. M.

Alice L. Elder, formerly Alice L. Montgomery, to Raymond M. Baca and Jane S. Baca, Lots 17 and 18, Block L, Ruidoso Pine Lodge Co. Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Johnson S. Stearns and Margaret J. Stearns to Omer L. Gibson and Linda M. Gibson, one-half interest in Lots 23 and 24, Block 3, McDonald Addition, Carrizozo, Lincoln County, N. M.

Ruidoso Pilots Enterprises, a Partnership, to Scott C. Schrader, the SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 8, T1S, R1E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

White Mountain Development Company, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to James M. Norman and Carolyn S. Norman and Marion J. Josselot and Mary L. Josselot, Lot 2, Block 2, Fourth Addition to Airport West, Lincoln County, N. M.

T. B. Smoot, Administrator of the Estate of Vincent Reil, deceased, and Personal Representative of the Estate of Minnie Reil, deceased, to John Allen Hightower, the NW 1/4 of Lot 4, and all of Lots 5 and 6, Block 15, McDonald Addition, Carrizozo, Lincoln County, N. M.

TAX DEEDS

The Property Tax Division of the Taxation and Revenue Department of the State of New Mexico, to Matthew C. Borowski, a part of Block 24 Blvd. Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

The Property Tax Division of the Taxation and Revenue Department of the State of New Mexico, to Frances Abraham and Robert and Nancy Chavez, Lot 62, Rio Bonito Estates Sub., Unit 1, Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Carl L. Blann and Sandra D. Blann to Donald J. Huband and Virginia Huband, Lots 3 and 4, Block 6, Unit 2, Ponderosa Heights Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Greater Southwestern Development Company, Inc., to Carl T. Anderson and Violet Anderson and Patricia A. Wollenberg, Lot 3, Block 3, Unit 2, Enchanted Forest Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Greater Southwestern Development Company, Inc., to Carl T. Anderson and Violet Anderson and Roger C. Anderson, Lot 4, Block 3, Unit 2, Enchanted Forest Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Edmund B. Martin and Mildred I. Martin to Edmund B. Martin and Mildred I. Martin, Lot 20, Apache Park Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEEDS

Frank C. Stromel, Linda F. Stromel, Robert P. Foster and Paula D. Foster, to T. M. Clear, W4W4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 19, T8S, R14E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Village of Ruidoso to Steve Eitar, Lot 3-B, Block D, Forest Lawn Cemetery, Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEED

Surety Savings Association, a Texas Savings and Loan Association, to A. B. Chitwood and Irene Chitwood, Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, Block 8, Camelot Sub., Unit 1, Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Johnny F. Mobley and Shirley A. Mobley to King Fleming and Martha Ann Fleming, Lots 14 and 15, Block 2, Unit 1, Tall Pines Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

W. H. Daubs and Anna N. Daubs to Earl L. Richardson and Bernice Richardson, the NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 29, T8S, R1E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEED

Catherine Zoe Sheekman to Little Creek Valley, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, a tract of land in the SW 1/4, Section 18, T10S, R1E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Alma L. Smith, formerly known as Alma L. McDonald, to Hoyt E. Graham and Kim L. Graham, Lots 7 and 8, Block "B", Carrizo Creek Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Hoyt E. Graham and Kim L. Graham to Joe C. Graham and Martha Graham, Lot 7, Block "B", Carrizo Creek Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED

Robert E. Sympton to Camelot of Ruidoso, Inc., Lots 15 and 18, Block 7, Unit 1, Amended Camelot Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEED

Frederick M. Sweeney and Cora E. Sweeney and Sam Nunnally and Dona Ross Nunnally, Hugh Johnston and Rhonda Johnston and Guy M. Bowers to Monjean Mining and Minerals, Inc., Silver Contact Nos. 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13 and 14, Lincoln County, N.M.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Lola J. Black to Roberta L. Scherrer and Phyllis C. Ferguson, Tract 3, Block 1, Captain North Sub., Unit 4, Lincoln County, N. M.

Kandall J. Mullican and Jan Mullican to Doug Brazil, Lot 16, Block 16, Forest Heights Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Dora L. McKnight, formerly Dora Lewis Sanders, Doralea Sanders Bean, and Leland L. Fellows, Trustees of the Trust of L. T. Lewis, to Theo Berlier, Tracts of land in Sections 13, 14, 24 and 25, T2S, R17E; Sections 19, 30 and 31, T2S, R18E; Section 1, T3S, R17E; Sections 28, 27, 28, 33, 34 and 35, T1S, R17E; Sections 1, 3, 4, 12 and 13, T2S, R17E; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 16, T2S, R18E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Theo Berlier to Alvin Connell Ranches, Inc., a Texas Corporation, Tracts of land in Sections 13, 14, 24 and 25, T2S, R17E; Sections 19, 30 and 31, T2S, R18E; Section 1, T3S, R17E; Sections 28, 27, 28, 33, 34 and 35, T1S, R17E; Sections 1, 3, 4, 12 and 13, T2S, R17E; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 16, T2S, R18E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Henry A. "Tod" Richardson to Juanita Joyce Richardson to Tommy White Supply Co., Inc., a Texas Corporation, Leona Lode Mining Claim, Lot No. 701, Nogal Mining District, Lincoln County, N. M.

B. H. Buchanan and Billie Faye Buchanan to Glenn A. Strunk and Dorothy H. Strunk, Lot 33, Block 3, Mountain View Estates, Unit 1, Lincoln County, N. M.

May K. Sharpe to Marlow E. Sharpe and Keith L. Sharpe, mining claims in the Nogal Mining District, Lincoln County, N. M.

Evelyn A. Sipple to Marlow E. Sharpe and Keith L. Sharpe, mining claims in the Nogal Mining District, Lincoln County, N. M.

Marlow E. Sharpe and Keith L. Sharpe to Keith L. Sharpe and Beverly A. Sharpe, Contention Place, MINING CLAIM No. 687, Sec. 13, T8S, R18E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N.M.

Billy J. Wells and Carolyn Wells to Ronald J. Wall and Charlotte C. Wall, Lots 7 and 8, Block 33, McDonald's Addition to Carrizozo, Lincoln County, N. M.

Alta Cox to Thomas J. Cockrell, Jr. and Jayne L. Cockrell, Lot 7, Block N, Ruidoso Springs, Lincoln County, N. M.

Jimmy Lee Carpenter and Caren Cella Carpenter to Walter T. McKee, III, Lot 13, Block Q, Ruidoso Pine Lodge Co. Subd., Lincoln County, N. M.

Marilyn L. Reed to Jackie C. Reed, Lot 3, Block 5, Cres Meadows Subd., Lincoln County, N. M.

Pablo Cuaron Vejar to Pablo Cuaron Vejar and Maria Jesus Cuaron, Unit 2, Eagle Condominiums Project, Lincoln County, N. M.

Ruidoso Land Company, a Mississippi Corporation, to R. E. Whitmore Construction, Inc., a Texas Corporation, Lots 40 and 41, Block E, Singing Pines Subd., Lincoln County, N. M.

Raymond W. Ely and Nancy J. Ely to The First National Bank of Artesia, Trustee for Raymond W. Ely and Nancy Jane Ely, a tract of land 120 feet by 150 feet in the SE corner of Lot 6, Block 4, First Addition to Cree Meadows Heights Subd., Lincoln County, N. M.

Raymond W. Ely and Nancy Jane Ely to The First National Bank of Artesia, Trustee for Raymond W. Ely and Nancy Jane Ely, Lot 20, Block 9, Unit 2, High Mesa Subd., Lincoln County, N. M.

Frank T. James and Linda O. James to Fred Belanger and Mary Belanger, Lot 69, Eagle Estates Subd., Lincoln County, N. M.

Whitfield Properties, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Whitfield Enterprises, Inc., a Texas Corporation, a tract of land in Tract 6, Armstrong tracts, Lincoln County, N. M.

A. H. Cordova and E. M. Cordova to Severo Cordova, a tract of land situate in Section 3, T8S, R14E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N.M.

George Westall and Willah Mae Westall to Charles Carol Perry and Georgelanna Perry, a tract of land situate in the SW 1/4 of Section 21, T1S, R14E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N.M.

Lakeside Corporation, a New Mexico Corporation, to Wilder M. Snodgrass and Eneidina G. Snodgrass, Lot 9, Block 4, Unit 2, Sierra Blanca Sub., Lincoln County, N.M.

Richard Y. Costain and Sylvia Costain to Stanley Williamson and Marlon Jo Williamson, Lots 8 and 9, Block 4, Unit 2, Sierra Blanca Sub., Lincoln County, N.M.

Randolph Henry Barnhouse to Randolph Henry Barnhouse and Dru Marlane Barnhouse, Lot 6A, Block 1, Silver Mountain Terrace Sub., Lincoln County, N.M.

Dru Marlane Barnhouse to Randolph Henry Barnhouse and Dru Marlane Barnhouse, Lot 4A, Block 1, Silver Mountain Terrace Sub., Lincoln County, N.M.

J. P. McKnight and Beulah May McKnight to The Diamond A Cattle Company, a New Mexico Corporation, Those portions of the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 27, T1S, R1E, N.M.P.M., lying North of U.S. Highway No. 70-380.

J. P. McKnight and Beulah May McKnight to The Diamond A Cattle Company, 4 tracts of land situate in Section 27, T1S, R1E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N.M.

White Mountain Development Company, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to John F. Ryan and Betty Lou Ryan, Lot 15, Block 1, White Mountain Estates, Unit 4, Lincoln County, N.M.

East Lakeside Corporation, a New Mexico Corporation, to Stephen C. Light and Allan B. Light, Lot 8, Block 1, Unit 1, High Mesa Sub., Lincoln County, N.M.

Stephen C. Light and Debbie Light to Allan B. Light and Mary Ann Light, Lot 8, Block 1, Unit 1, High Mesa Sub., Lincoln County, N.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT SECURITY BANK OF RUIDOSO, A New Mexico Banking Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. ASPEN ENTERPRISES, INC. A New Mexico Corporation, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY, INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE, T BIRD HOME CENTERS, SUTTON BERG BARNETT CARETS, INC., C.A. LUMBER & SUPPLY, INC. Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on February 9, 1981, the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, in Cause No. CV 217 B3, CIVIL, Section 12102, Security Bank of Ruidoso v. Aspen Enterprises, Inc., et al., entered its Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure in favor of the Security Bank of Ruidoso, the Plaintiff in said cause, and against Aspen Enterprises, Inc., in the amount of One Hundred Ninety Thousand Three Hundred Eighty nine and 35/100 (\$190,389.23) Dollars, attorney's fees in the amount of Four Thousand Eight Hundred (\$4,800.00), costs in the amount of One Hundred Two and 75/100 (\$102.75) Dollars, together with interest thereon at the statutory rate from date of judgment until paid; and further decreed foreclosure of the mortgage of Plaintiff and ordered the undersigned as Special Master, to sell at public sale the property covered by said mortgage to satisfy the aforesaid judgment, said property being situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and being more particularly described as follows:

Lot 22, Block 12, GOLF COURSE ESTATES, a subdivision located in Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, and Lots 20 & 21, Block J, RUIDOSO SPRINGS Subdivision, located in Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT on the 22nd day of March, 1981, at 1:30 P.M. on the steps of the Municipal Building, the undersigned, as Special Master, will sell the above described property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy the judgment of the Security Bank of Ruidoso against the Defendant, in the amounts above set forth to which shall be added at the time of the sale the balance of the costs of the action, if any, and the costs of sale, including a Special Master's fee. The time of said sale may be postponed in the event that the Special Master, in his judgment, deems it advisable.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1981. RONALD G. HARRIS Special Master

11765-41 (2) 19, 26, (3) 5, 12

LEGAL NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed bids will be received by the Lincoln County Manager of the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, until 10:00 A.M., March 24, 1981, for the purchase of the following:

- Emergency Medical Training Aids
Invitations to bid with special offers may be obtained by calling the County Manager's office (689 2313)
The County reserves the right to waive any in formalities or to reject any or all bids in any manner.

11776-11 (3) 12

LEGAL NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that on March 11, 1981 at 9:00 A.M., a public sale will be held at Ruidoso Transfer and Storage located on East Highway 70, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico to sell for cash the following storage to wit:

- Table
Trunk
TV Stand
Water can
Pig cabinet
Night stand
Cedar chest
Sewing cabinet
Ironing board
Folding chair
Dishes (27)
Mirror
Kero headboard
Coffee tables (2)
Scribble car
Cotton table
Rugs (2)
BBQ grill
TV
Dish frames (2) white
Single headboard
Curtches (2) sets
Basket
Wheel rims (2)
Over 140 assorted boxes of household goods, including mirror, car seats, said storage being used to secure an obligation arising under a warehouseman's lien held by Ruidoso Transfer and Storage as second party against Sara Miller, Dallas, Texas, Carolyn Hill of San Diego, California, Paul Terry of Ruidoso, New Mexico and Bob Hirsch of Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico.

Said public sale is to be conducted according to the laws of the State of New Mexico. Ruidoso Transfer and Storage reserves the right to bid at this sale. The storage is presently stored and may be seen on March 19 & 20, 1981 at Ruidoso Transfer and Storage, East Highway 70, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico.

11773-21 (3) 5, 12

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT SAM RICHARDSON and SOMPIA RICHARDSON, his wife, d/w/b BLUE SPRUCE CABINS, Plaintiffs, vs. ROBERT W. MOORE and GERRY S. MOORE, his wife, Defendants. No. CV 101-11

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF PROCEEDINGS THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO 16 the above named Defendant(s): YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the above named Plaintiff(s) have commenced a proceeding against you in the above entitled Court and Cause, the object thereof being a Complaint on a Contract to recover damages. YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that, unless you serve and file a responsive pleading or motion in said Cause on or before the 1st day of April, 1981, judgment will be rendered against you in said Cause by said Court. Plaintiff's attorney is Daniel A. Bryant, of Parsons, Persons & Bryant, P.A., whose Post Office address is Box 1000, Ruidoso, New Mexico 8824.

WITNESS my Hand and Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, State of New Mexico, this 16th day of February, 1981. MARGO LINDSAY Clerk of the District Court Lincoln County, New Mexico By: J. Joy Leslie Deputy

11764-41 (2) 19, 26, (3) 5, 12

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 811 AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A MERIT SYSTEM: PERSONNEL BOARD PROVIDING HIRING REQUIREMENTS EMPLOYEE ADVANCES, COVERAGE PENALTIES AND SEVERALITIES BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the Village of Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico, that the Code be and the same is enacted as to Section 2-5-1 through 2-5-7 entitled Personnel Administration. A copy of said codified set of Ordinance No. 811 is available for inspection during normal and regular business hours at the office of the Municipal Clerk in Ruidoso Downs, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED March 9, 1981 By: Norman D. Wheeler, Mayor Attest: Virginia Spall, Clerk (SEAL) 11777-11 (3) 12

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE Said storage being used to secure an obligation arising under a warehouseman's lien held by Ruidoso Transfer and Storage as second party against Sara Miller, Dallas, Texas, Carolyn Hill of San Diego, California, Paul Terry of Ruidoso, New Mexico and Bob Hirsch of Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico. Said public sale is to be conducted according to the laws of the State of New Mexico. Ruidoso Transfer and Storage reserves the right to bid at this sale. The storage is presently stored and may be seen on March 19 & 20, 1981 at Ruidoso Transfer and Storage, East Highway 70, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico.

11773-21 (3) 5, 12

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 16, 1981, Lakeside Corporation, P. O. Drawer 164, Alto, New Mexico 88072, filed applications numbered H 719-5-14, H 719-5-15 with the STATE ENGINEER for permits to drill two shallow wells Nos. H 719-5-14 and H 719-5-15, 7 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth, located respectively in the NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 25, and in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 24, both in Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of supplementing the following described wells:

Table with columns: WELL NO., SUBDIVISION, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE. Lists well numbers and their corresponding land sections and townships.

for the diversion of up to 200,000 acre feet per annum of shallow ground water of the Hondo Underground Water Basin for irrigation and municipal use on 1703 acres of land. The above described water rights were decreed under Chavez County Cause No. 28994 and 22800 Consolidated, Sub-file No. R-73. No additional appropriation is to be made. Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, desiring that the granting of the above application will impair or be detrimental to their water rights, may protest in writing the proposed set forth in said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with S. C. Reynolds, State Engineer, P. O. Box 1717, Roswell, New Mexico, within 180 (180) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. 11748-31 (2) 26, (3) 5, 12

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

MARY KAY COSMETICS - complimentary facial. Mabel Fisher, 585-2523, 86-7yp

ABORTION - early appointments available for first trimester abortion. Albuquerque (505) 242-7512. 87-16tp

CUSTOM SPRAYING - trees, lawns, gardens, etc. 200 gallon commercial sprayer. Lic. #113 New Mexico Department of Agriculture. Conley's Nursery, 378-4375, C-85-ttc

WANTED TO BUY OR LEASE RUIDOSO JOCKEY CLUB MEMBERSHIP Phone (505) 257-7831 (817) 723-7232 or (817) 423-8300

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Sullivan Security Service. Security for homes in the Ruidoso area since 1978. Nightly patrol Private Investigation Call 354-2664, Captain Security Lic. #6-47 Private Invest. Lic. #19-03

RUIDOSO MUSIC Instruments - Accessories - Repair - Rentals Guitar and Banjo Lessons 306 Sudderth - next to Holiday House - 10-5:30 257-4913

HELP WANTED: WANTED - desk clerk/secretary for a motel. Please call 336-4321. H-87-2tc

BUCKLEY REAL ESTATE - and Insurance Incorporated is looking for two Real Estate sales people. If you are interested and qualify call 257-4633. B-81-ttc

MOTORGRADER OPERATOR - positions open with Lincoln County Road Department in Corona and Ruidoso. Must live in area. Salary commensurate with experience. Call 648-2313 for application or contact County Road Superintendent at 354-2203. L-87-1tp

MAID NEEDED - call 257-7855, to set up an appointment. R-87-ttc

WANTED - good, experienced line mechanic for repairs to new and used vehicles - all makes. Must have own tools. Most special tools available as required. Excellent working conditions and pay plan for the right man. Call 378-4455 for interview. Ask for Al Robinson. F-87-2tc

CUSTODIAN - Ruidoso Hondo Valley Hospital has an opening for full time employee in housekeeping department. For information call, 257-7381 Extension #251 or come by personnel office at Hospital, Affirmative Action Equal Opportunity Employer. R-87-4tp

RELIABLE SALESPERSON - for night package store. Apply at the Hollywood Inn. 87-4tp

WANTED - Service Station manager. Local, self service, modern, equipped. Call 878-4411. B-86-2tc

VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO - is taking applications for a position in the Sanitation Department. Apply in person at City Hall. V-85-2tc

OFFICE SECRETARY - with light bookkeeping. Call 336-4377. W-84-ttc

WANTED - Lady to take care of our 7 year old retarded daughter, she's an angel. Also to do light housekeeping. Afternoons only. Call Sandy Dacy, 378-4423 or after 6, 257-7024. D-86-4tc

COOK NEEDED - Part or full time. Experience required. Apply in person to Silver Dollar Restaurant, Tinnie, New Mexico from 5 to 6 p.m. S-85-4tc

WANTED - full time gardener for private home. 5 to 6 days, must have experience with plants, yard, and so on. Good salary. References required. Call 257-4748. K-83-ttc

CAREER INFORMATION HOTLINE - need information about jobs? Call the hotline's toll-free number, 1-800-432-6883. U-83-1tc

WORK WANTED:

CARPENTRY REPAIRS - and remodeling. Reasonable. Call 257-2713. C-63-1tc

BABYSITTING - in my home. Week days only. Call 257-5868. 87-31p

PAINTING, REMODELING - additions, new construction. Phone 378-4841. F-18-1tc

FLIGHT INSTRUCTION - best rates, \$35/hour, plane and pilot. Call 257-4424, ask for McKinney. P-75-1tc

LANDSCAPING - large and small jobs. Free estimates. Conley's Nursery, 378-4375. C-85-1tc

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CHIMNEY SWEEP - prevent dangerous chimney fires. Stop smoke in fireplace, stove. Licensed, insured. Call 1-505-437-9072, La Luz, NM. 85-4tp

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KEN's Construction General Builders. Repairs - Quality Building. Free Estimates - Remodeling. (505) 257-7606. Steve Kennedy, Owner. LIC. #17028

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DUTCH BORMAN CONSTRUCTION. Remodeling - New Homes - Repairs. 257-2710. P.O. Box 781 Ruidoso, N.M. 88345

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ANTIQUA JEWELRY — is fast disappearing from the market. We have a few treasures you can give some dear one who appreciates a lot of nostalgia. The Seabian Pensum 1106 Ohio, A major. NM 883. S-87-2tc

ELECTRIC STOVE — yellow, 40 inches, \$100. 257-4073 or 257-5849, after 5. K-87-2tc

GARAGE SALE — weather permitting. Mattress and box springs, \$45; furniture, good clothes, many decorating items, drapes, bedspreads. Hiway 37 to Morgan Ski Shop, follow signs. Friday and Saturday. 87-1tp

CUSTOM MADE — draperies, pillows, bedspreads, accessories. We measure and make to order. Select from hundreds of beautiful fabrics at Gambles. G-102-1tc

GARAGE SALE — Sunday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Past Forest Heights Field office then follow signs. R-87-1tc

SEASONED PINE — \$60 a cord delivered, to \$20 a cord you pick up bulk. Easy access. 671-4753. H-87-2tc

FOR SALE — arrow head collection, CB base radio, complete set of tools, cabinets. Call 257-5280. 87-1tp

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SKINNY? — Want to stay that way, but love them sweets? Try a terrific recipe for CHOCOLATE CHIFFON PIE at only 75 calories per serving and COTTAGE CHEESE CAKE at only 166 calories per serving. Your waist and sweet tooth will love you if you send \$1.00 and a self addressed stamped envelope to: Debbie Franzoy, Box 3001 HS Ruidoso, NM 88345. 87-1tp

TWO VACATIONS FOR SALE — 2 weeks in Bahamas, last 2 weeks in May; 2 VIP weeks in any of 160 locations throughout the world. Call for more information, Ray Bardsley, 257-7611. 87-3tp

MAGIC CHEF — butane cook stove. Like new, avocado color, \$150. 257-5888. 87-1tp

COMPLETE KITCHEN — older refrigerator, 20 inch gas range, 42 inch metal sink unit, 24 inch metal overhead cabinet, 24 inch metal floor cabinet. Total price \$190, will separate. 257-5511. 87-1tp

HORSES FOR SALE — registered Appaloosas, Loma Grande Ranch, Capitan, NM. (505) 623-4034. L-7-1tc

ASPEN TREES — for sale. Landscaping, railroad ties and rock walls. D&J Service, 257-5296. W-85-2tc

SIX MONTH OLD — full blood male dachshund for sale. 257-4560 or 336-4605. C-85-1tc

100 COMPLETE — scaffold frames, braces and pins included. Call 257-2275, after 6 p.m. 85-4tp

FOR SALE — 2-horse trailer, dual axle, electric brakes. \$1,425. 257-4867, after 6:00 p.m. 84-4tp

THREE PIECE — girl's bedroom suite. \$200. Call 257-4081 or 257-4300. S-83-1tc

FIREBACKS AND CHIMNEY CAPS — Fireplace accessories. ROY of Ruidoso. 257-5431. 81-1tp

SHOP WITHOUT — going shopping, the Amway way. Amway products delivered to your home. Call 378-4021. A-73-1tc

EXPERT PRUNING — ornamental trees and shrubs and fruit trees. Call 257-5967, after 6. 85-4tp

HOME GARDENERS — ready your plot for spring planting now with completely broken down horse manure. Delivered and spread. Sun Valley Sanitation, 257-2798. S-82-8tc

STORAGE WANTED — barn, basement, garage wanted to store household effects. We can make repairs if needed. We can secure property also. Urgent. Call 257-3273. 81-8tp

RINSE AND VAC — Shampooer. \$12 a day at Minit Mart Food Store. 257-2307. M-41-1tc

FOR SALE — 32", zero clearance heatator fireplace with blower and firebrick. See Ken Green at Ruidoso News and make offer. 85-4tp

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ANTIQUA — pot belly stove, \$150; new blower for fireplace, cost \$227, sell for \$150; wood for sale, \$25 and up. Call 257-7989. 86-2tp

USED CARPETING — like new, 250 yards of gold shag; 50 yards green shag. \$1/yard or will trade for dining or bedroom furniture, portable dishwasher. Make offer. Must sell this week. 336-1953. 86-2tp

FOR SALE — 1 couch, 2 office desks, 5 chairs, 1 typewriter. 257-2300. D-86-2tc

SALE — 25% off all boots; 50% off all belts; all blouses, \$6 or 2 for \$10; misc. clothing, 1/2 off; purses, 25% off. Barjan Center in Ruidoso Downs, 378-4982. B-80-2tc

VACUUM CLEANERS — new/used. Sales/repairs. Clifton Keith, 117 E. El Paso St., phone 257-7171. K-1-1tc

WE BUY — gold, silver, sterling, ABC Coins. 323 Sudderth, 257-4668. P-81-1tc

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3 typewriters [Remington and Underwood]
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1 small Wollensak 3M recorder
Other Miscellaneous office equipment
Surplus equipment can be seen Monday thru Friday at Otero County Electric Cooperative office in Cloudcroft.
Sealed Bids have to be in by 12:00 noon Friday, March 20, 1981.
Sealed Bids are to be sent to Otero County Electric Coop. Box 227, Cloudcroft, NM 88317.

AUTOMOTIVE:
1978 CAMARO Z-28 — loaded, T-tops, rear window louvre, custom car cover and more. Phone 257-7086, after 5. N-87-2tc
1974 TWO DOOR — Chevelle Laguna for sale. \$1000. 378-4661. L-85-1tc
CJ-4 JEEP — 4 WD, runs good. Call 378-4544. P-87-1tc
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1978 DODGE RAMCHARGER — loaded. Call 257-2275, after 6 p.m. 85-4tp
FOR SALE — 1960 Dodge pickup, 6 cylinder 3-speed, \$500 or offer; 318 Dodge motor. Call 378-4076. B-85-1tc

RENTALS:

NICE FURNISHED CABIN — with fireplace. Utilities paid, reliable permanent tenant wanted. No pets. Call Tularosa, 585-4461 or 257-7424. W-71-1tc

FOR SALE — 1972 International pickup. Good tires, good condition. Call 257-5938, after 5 p.m. F-83-1tc

'79 CHEVY SPORT VAN — V-8, automatic, a/c, AM/FM cassette, HD suspension, low mileage, \$6895. 257-5049, days; 336-4229, evenings. M-77-1tc

FOR SALE — 5 white spoke wheels, like new condition, 6 hole Chevy, 10"x15". Call 336-4318. P-81-1tc

LONG BED — Galaxy camper shell. Paneled interior with crank out windows. \$400. 257-9467. B-79-1tc

1978 WINNEBAGO — motor home. 26 feet, 17,715 miles, 110 V generator, furnace with thermostat, hot water heater, refrigerator-freezer, Mark IV air conditioner, radio, tape deck, speakers front and back, C.B. radio, 2 holding tanks, 65 gallon fresh water tank, good tires with 2 spare wheels and tires, stove with oven, shower. Sleeps 4 comfortably. \$15,000. Ruidoso, NM, 257-3882. 86-2tp

1975 CUTLASS — good running condition, two door hardtop, new tires, low mileage, automatic, radio, 8 cylinder. Call 257-2539. W-79-1tc

FOR SALE — Jeep utility wagon. Model L6-225, 1963, needs some work, \$650. 257-4867, after 6:00 p.m. 84-4tp

1977 BLAZER — \$3750, clean, runs good, good tires. 257-4228 or 336-4256. W-84-1tc

1978 DODGE — custom van. Long wheel base, automatic, air, power steering and brakes. Good condition, 50,000 miles, \$6500. Call 257-8487. B-78-1tc

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RIVER FRONT — Upper Canyon, 4 bedroom, for racing season. Call Wom Smith, Doug Bass & Associates, 505-257-7388. B-80-1tc

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\$6,000 ALPINE VILLAGE, #4224

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\$11,500 HIGHWOOD ADDITION, #5126

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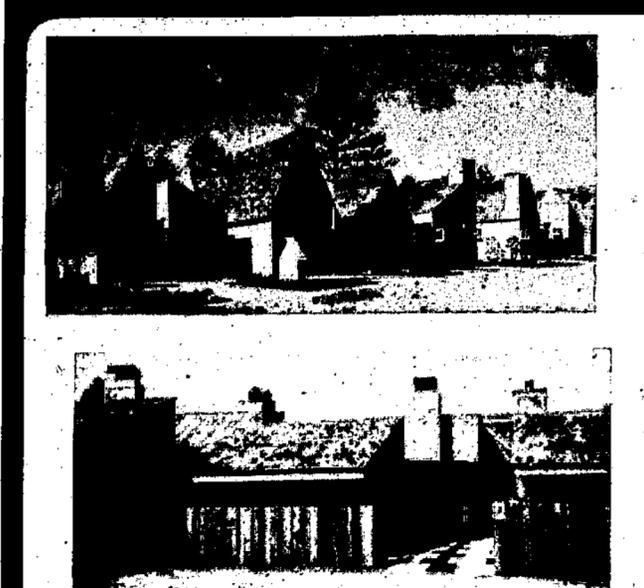
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Inside The Capitol

by Fred McCaffrey

SANTA FE — If you don't care about non-commercial television in New Mexico, you can easily skip this column.

If you do care, you may be angry before you quit reading it.

We tend to go with the opinion of Bob Rhodes, who was for a long time the executive director of the Governor's Commission on Public Broadcasting.

Rhodes, who resigned from that job last year, says of public broadcasting in New Mexico, "It's a mess."

Now, if you spend your free time watching "The Paper Chase" or "Mystery" or that hardy old perennial, "Masterpiece Theater," you're probably mad already. But what Rhodes means — and he's very right in saying it — is that public broadcasting in the state hasn't begun to fulfill the function it was designed for.

Mostly, if truth be told, it's a fake, dependent on the BBC and Time-Life for what it puts on the air. About all it has to do with New Mexico is to come up here to Santa Fe each year and ask for more money from state government.

"More money" is putting it mildly. In a year in which the average increase for state agencies was 15.3 percent, the publicly supported television stations this year asked for an average increase of 34 percent in their budgets. (That figure got disproportionately high because KENW-TV in Fortales asked for a jump of 73.2 percent this year as compared to last.)

And what does public TV do for that money?

An article by Gary DeWalt in a recent edition of Century magazine makes that very clear.

Using KRWG-TV in Las Cruces as an example, DeWalt says Las Cruces-area residents identified ten problems they thought most applicable to themselves, which, according to KRWG, should be given consideration on the air.

During 3,000 hours of air time that year, the station originated four and a half hours

of programming dealing with any of those ten topics and took credit for one and half hours of additional time spent on the topics by such programs as the MacNeil-Lehrer Report, over which they had no control.

Even if you give credit for the nationally produced material on that list, 2,004 hours of the station's programming had little or nothing to do with New Mexico, or at least with the problems KRWG people themselves said their audience was most interested in.

Perhaps it should be said that this particular writer has made his living in locally produced television programming and has some sense of how difficult and how expensive it is. He also happens to believe that KNME-TV, the University of New Mexico-Albuquerque Public Schools station which is now carried by 27 cable companies and 28 translators throughout the state and which can be viewed by 65 percent of the state's citizens, was a better, more responsive, closer-to-the-earth station when it operated out of a small house on the campus of UNM than it is from its quarters today, which are plush even when compared to those of commercial stations.

Public Broadcasting Service is a crutch to lean on, not a stimulus to public broadcasting. It has harmed local programming as much as ABC-TV's band-a-shows or NBC's Freddy Silverman.

About all publicly supported television has managed to produce in our state is another bunch of vested-interest bureaucrats, growing fat at the public trough.

What's worse, they now spend time on the air at least twice a year, like so many mendicants, asking us to mail them money which they can then fritter away like all the funds they have been so far provided.

Maybe they — like so many other state employees — ought to grow up.

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Yours and Ours

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Letters to the Editor

Dear editor:

In answering my letter published in the Ruidoso News, Mr. C. Newton Page brought forth some astonishing facts. Witness this:

The village produced a total of 436 million gallons of waters from 7/79 through 6/80. Of this some 330 million gallons came from Eagle Creek. The amount taken from Eagle Creek is roughly one third the amount that they own from that source.

Now Eagle creek storage at Alto Lake is 240 acre feet. This amount of storage supplied 66 percent of their residents, using 330 million gallons. If this is true then a dam holding some 600 or 600 acre feet would dispose of their remaining rights in Eagle Creek. In short why should the taxpayers be saddled with a \$15 million dollar bond issue if a dam one fifth the size proposed would dispose of their water rights. It is something to think about!

It appears that the \$45,000 invested in the Alto Lake produced some real dividends, and if the above figures are anywhere near correct, it proved something else, namely, that a large dam is a waste of money.

If our good real estate people wish to continue the growth of Ruidoso and her playground they might take a pencil and paper, some fourth grade arithmetic and do this:

Build an underground cistern with each new residence that can boast 1,000 square foot of roof to fill it and have in reserve

some 60 days of water, using a 12x12x10 feet hole. And if they are a bit skeptical build one 36x12x10, if they have 3,000 square feet, and reserve 150 days of water. My dad dug one that held 13,000 gallons, raised six kids, and we never missed a Saturday night bath or a Monday washing in 25 years. When Delco 32-volt power made its way into the arid southwest we put the water in the house, got a tub, a Maytag washing machine, a churn and a commode and lived it up until another 25 years went by and REA entered the scene. In that time we never had a power-outage or a dry cistern, and had the privilege of drinking and using the best water known to man.

Jim Tully

Clipped comment

GUIDELINES VITAL

William Casey, the new director of the Central Intelligence Agency, is a canny man of wide experience in government and politics. He is neither a naive man nor, in all likelihood, one given to ill-considered statements about important matters.

Yet at Senate confirmation hearings Casey made comments which seemed to show either failure to grasp or unwillingness to accept a major reason for past concern about intelligence activities. All through the years of hearings and legislative effort to regulate such activities there ran the theme of vague mandates, interpreted to permit action of dubious moral and legal soundness.

This must be kept in mind when reflecting on a couple of things Casey said to the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence. "Covert action," he told the senators, "should be used only when it's of greatest importance." As to operations interfering in another nation's internal affairs, that "is the kind of thing you do only when it's in the highest interests of the United States."

So there we have it: only "important" uses of covert action, and no interference in the affairs of another country unless this is in our highest national interest. What is left unspoken is who is to determine, and by what standards, those situations which are important enough for covert action or sufficiently in our interest to warrant meddling in another country's business.

One of the reasons for past wrongdoing by the intelligence community was that the guidelines were fuzzy. This was not the only reason; in some cases (cases of domestic surveillance by the CIA in violation of law, for example), even clear guidelines were ignored. But vagueness as to what could or could not be done in the name of national security was a big problem.

The problem would be perpetuated were covert action and secret foreign intervention to be based on someone's rule-of-thumb judgment about what is "of greatest importance" or "in the highest interests of the United States." There is reason to think that Casey understands this very well.

If so, do his comments imply reluctance to accept precise guidelines? Such guidelines were, properly, the main objective of a Congress aroused by much evidence of questionable intelligence activity, some of it out of kilter with American ideals of fairness and justice, over a period of many years. As CIA director, William Casey should have this in the forefront of his mind. — Alamogordo Daily News

editorial

Ruidoso's Animal Control Officer Jack Snaidecki is doing a commendable job of controlling stray dogs and cats here.

Shortly after he began his tenure, the police and municipal telephone calls complaining about foraging and troublesome cats and dogs virtually ceased.

Snaidecki, always operating in contact with the Ruidoso police radio, responds quickly to reports of stray animals, and picks them up for delivery to the pound at Fort Stanton for disposal.

Since Snaidecki began his duties last May, he has picked up about 1,800 stray dogs and 350 cats. Of this number, about 20 percent of the dogs were claimed by owners, with another ten percent adopted by new owners.

The remainder, including all animals received by Snaidecki from Lincoln County, are destroyed.

This means that approximately 540 stray dogs and 245 stray cats are no longer a nuisance in and around Ruidoso.

It is worthy of note that Snaidecki works diligently to find homes for healthy puppies he collects as stray litters. He said, "There's nothing like the joy that shines from a child's face when a cuddly puppy becomes the newest member of a family."

Village officials freely state, that, though the animal problem still exists, it is less of a problem now than it's ever been, based on the fact that strongly worded complaints are no longer being registered in large numbers.

Congratulations, Jack, on the excellent job you're doing as Animal Control Officer. — CD

Stuph & Junk

... by

Cale Dickey



THE SNOWS CAME

Yup... the snows came... came to the tune of some 53 inches midway on Sierra Blanca's ski runs as of Monday morn... with more of it deluging the hill Monday afternoon.

One thing about it... that snow'll help more'n it'll hinder out water supply for early spring... though it'd help a lot more if'n another 200/300 inches'd fall on the mountain 'twist now and Easter.

Why that'd keep ski area manager Roy Parker happier'n all the skiers as'd be mogul busting.

Only sad thing about all that snow on the hill... I did so want to preserve it on film for posterity... and went to all the trouble to obtain an albino rabbit, give it a marshmallow to play with in a snow drift... and tripped the shutter. Alas and alack, though the exposure was perfect, there was no detail.

WHOSE OX GETS GORED?

There doesn't seem to be too much disagreement amongst our Congressmen/Senators in Washington, D.C., on implementing President Reagan's tax/spending cut proposals... just as long as none of the cuts reduces their chances of re-election by eliminating the federal handouts to their constituents as'll re-elect them.

All stalwarts concerned seemed to have grasped Reagan's premise that reduced federal income'll reduce spending... and maybe stem some of the lending tide as has swept Washington the past while... but you can bet your bottom dollar that any tax/spending cuts'll not reduce their penchant for borrowing... 'cause lotsa them Congressmen/Senators still buy FDR's dream of spending the country into prosperity.

Then there's inflation... which is kinda hard to comprehend... especially when it amounts to \$ billions... until you figure that a plumber earning \$23 an hour can now buy almost as much as he could back in the good old days of maybe \$5 an hour... which was back in the dim, dark past when gas was 29 cents a gallon.

BUCKLE SNUGGING TIME

A lot of the fat of the land'll begin dissipating soon as some of President Reagan's budget cutting operations start functioning... 'cause there's bound to be some as has been at the public trough for considerable time, who'll find out that their trough's been removed as a source of federal largesse.

It's possibly going to happen that some federal employees, with lotsa tenure, but not quite ready for retirement... and double dipping... will be given new assignments... hopefully one that'll contribute to the economy... if it's possible for the bureaucrats to devise a department that'd do just that.

OUR JIMMY'S AT IT

Didja read where Our Jimmy's getting his money's worth out of his telephone allowance... bending the ears of Tip O'Neil... and other Democrats as in holding down positions of power and influence... to try and scuttle Reagan's plans to scuttle the plans Our Jimmy had to bring prosperity back to this nation... even in view of the fact that the Congress never got around to implementing lots of Our Jimmy's grandiose ideas... mostly due to the fact no one, excepting Our Jimmy, figured they'd fly.

But, being's Our Jimmy ain't got no goobers as he's gonna plant... and he ain't as yet got around to starting writing his memoirs... which just might not be all that memorable... he's got time on his hands to throw monkeywrenches in Reagan's direction... and Our Jimmy don't have to worry about absorbing the repercussions... which might explain why he's such a busy beaver... trying to keep Reagan from trying to put our economy on an even keel... something Our Jimmy couldn't accomplish.

Yup, politics ain't necessarily a game played by the meek.

BRIEF BIT: If hot air balloonists could harness all the hot air flying around Washington, D.C., they could fly non-stop around the world... until the fabric on their balloon rotted... CD

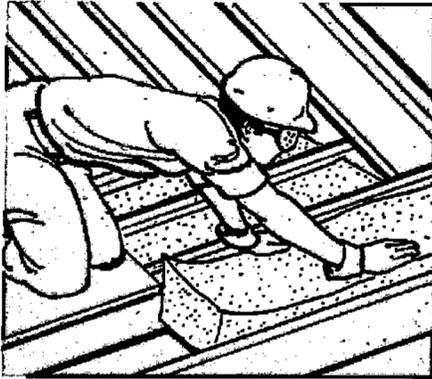
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Horse race fans busy, but not finicky, eaters

BY DICK ALWAN

God's three greatest gifts to the restaurant business are the hotdog, the hamburger and the beef burrito.

That's the picture you get when you start checking the eating habits of a typical fan at Sunland Park.

This prototype Joe fan goes bananas over hotdogs, hamburgers and beef burritos.

We're not sure whether the races put a fine edge on his appetite, but it's easy to tell what he loves to wolf down.

Our info comes from Ruth Perry, the savvy concessions chief at Sunland and Ruidoso Downs. Ruth tracks the food outflow with all the mathematical precision of a Captain Queeg running down a batch of lost strawberries. If you're curious about how many toothpicks or bags of potato chips went out on a given day, just ask Ruth Perry. She'll pull out her tally sheet and give you the answer in less time than it takes to chip out: "One hot dog — and hold the mustard."

Which brings up a telling point: What's the top-seller at the racetrack? Sure, you guessed it. The beef burrito. Ruth coos: "No question about it — the beef burrito outsells everything else."

She pulled out her ledgers on a recent three day weekend at Sunland, and ran her finger to the bottom line on the column marked "burrito." During that three day span, the ravenous sporting crowd chomped down 864 burritos. Hamburgers were next with 781 units. In third place was the hotdog. A total of 747 of the little beauties changed hands.

When you start talking about a hot dog, that's enough to put chow experts like Ruth Perry in Seventh Heaven. Evidently, the reason for this adoration rests in the fact the hot dog has undying popularity, is easy to prepare, and the profit picture is nice and healthy.

During that same weekend, the food

folks at Sunland marketed 121 tacos, 244 chili pies, 90 queso dips. Which doesn't sound like much, compared to all those burritos and hamburgers being gobbled up.

Surprisingly, pop corn is a hot item — with 884 boxes of the stuff being grabbed up. But any milk product gets a frown. Ruth tells us the cost keeps mounting. Still, the Sunland crowd accounted for 632 ice cream bars and 101 half-pints of milk during our three day research period.

When it comes to slaking one's thirst at the races, the king and unchallenged champ is as clear as the foam on one's upper lip. Beer, of course. A staggering total of 6,468 cups of draft beer were peddled during those three days. That doesn't include the Clubhouse, where the folks walk on wall-to-wall carpeting, buy their seats by the bottle in the Clubhouse — a sure sign of social distinction. Anyway, 2,721 bottles were sold.

The track also does a nice business in the area of mixed drinks, having whipped up and marketed 3,282 units. When it comes to more mild stuff, there are two hands down champs — Cokes, which logged 3,348 cups during our test period, and coffee, which accounted for 1,465 purchases.

The racing folks also love to soak up a wide mix of miscellaneous items — potato chips, peanuts, and so on. In the Clubhouse dining area, the big sellers are the Mexican plate and the Sunland Special (a beefed-up hamburger). "Clubhouse patrons are buying more and more Mexican food," Ruth tells us. But there's another staple which gets a high rating in the charts: the open-faced steak sandwich.

"The eating style of the race-goer doesn't lean toward new fads. So Ruth isn't inclined to go off the deep end. A while back, she tried pizza on an experimental basis, but she had to buy frozen dough, and

the result was well under what you'd get in your neighborhood franchise shop.

Anyway, there's not much percentage in trying to drop a new item on the folks, since all you'll do is split up your sales. But Ruth says she would have liked to try a corn dog, which seems to be a fast mover, with a legion of fans. But since this beauty has to be deep-fried, the rule book calls for a sprinkler system in the fire-control package, which made the corn dog more trouble and expense than it was worth.

But there's a new item which caught Ruth's fancy, and it'll go on the bill of fare at Ruidoso Downs this summer. That's a frozen daiquiri — evidently a hot item at other tracks. Ruth has leased two machines to whip up the stuff, and it comes out something like an Iced with booze, if we have the story right. You mix it in big loads, and one batch gives you something like 70 drinks. Ruth hasn't put a pencil to paper yet, but she's figuring on a price in the two-buck to \$2.25 range.

Since Ruth's background includes tours of duty at Assinibola Downs in Canada, she's had a chance to size up the differing culinary preferences between one area and another. Take the bean, for example. In New Mexico and Arizona, the pinto bean is the top banana. In Florida, they go for black turtle beans over rice. In New York, the folks like "navies," and Boston baked beans. In Ohio and Kentucky, black-eyed peas and grits ring the bell. In Canada, the linchpin is the "Great Northern" (which Ruth describes as "a big Navy bean").

When you serve a hamburger in Canada, make sure the onions are fried. In the United States, the onions go out raw. It's pretty chilly in Canada, so the people want their Cokes without ice. In the Southwest, the cup has to be loaded with ice.

In the States, hamburger and fries mix beautifully with ketchup. In Canada, you don't put ketchup on the fries. You put vinegar.

All this talk about food certainly gets a body to banking. With so much chow going down, how do you get enough time to dope out the Big Q?

Sunland Park Hoofbeats

BY MIKE MAGDA

JOCKEYS JIMMIE HUNT and Dainy Summerow, currently on the sidelines recovering from injuries suffered in spills over the past two weeks, indicate they may be riding in as short a time as three weeks. Both were at the races over the weekend, enjoying the time off. Hunt, who will travel to Hawaii next week for the American Quarter Horse Association convention, said he'll start galloping when he returns. Hunt suffered facial injuries when his mount, Crown Seeker, was tripped up at the start of a quarter horse race on February 21, throwing Hunt, and a trailing horse stepped on him. Last week Summerow suffered a broken leg when his mount, Risky Road, fell and threw him to the track. A trailing horse kicked Summerow in the leg. Summerow, who is walking without crutches, said the break was minor and he could be riding within the month.

BUCK CHASER WON his third straight victory and fifth of the meeting Saturday in the fifth race. The four-year-old gelding, who captured his first two wins against \$2,500 claiming company, won against \$5,000 this time. At the meet he has compiled a 5-3-1 record in 10 starts. His only finish out of the money came after a disqualification following a victory. The only other five time winners at the meeting are Candy Flight and Iverny. Bar Bonus leads the entire group with six wins at the meeting.

AFTER FINISHING LAST in her first start four weeks ago, Argentine Rose came back to break her maiden in a two-year-old quarter horse race Friday. The well bred daughter of Easy Jet-Bold Chopper raced to a 1 1/2 length victory as a 10-1 outsider. James Lackey was up. Argentine Rose was purchased for \$50,000 last year in the All-American Select Yearling Sale by Phillip and Anita Peterson of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She made her first start for trainer Shirley Montgomery-Nichols on February 12, but never fired and finished last by four lengths as a 6-1 pick. Later that day another juvenile saddled by Shirley broke his maiden. Tarbug, a colt owned by Betty Lou Shebestier, broke his maiden on his first trip to the track. Tarbug is a half-brother to Rocket Jet Bug, winner of the Sun Country and West Texas futurities two

years ago. Rocket Jet Bug was the 1979 Spring Horse of the Meet at Sunland and recently ran in the prestigious Champion of Champions. Tarbug won by a half length as an 8-1 choice. Both Tarbug and Argentine Rose are setting their sights on the upcoming editions of the Sun Country and West Texas futurities.

JETTABELLE BOONE and Ivory Crockett, finalists in two of Sunland's major two-year-old races last year, made their 1981 debuts Friday in the seventh race and finished 1-2 respectively. Jettabelle Boone, owned by Jacquellene Spencer of Alto, won the 400 yard dash under Leroy Coombs by 1 1/2 lengths as a 7-2 pick. Ivory Crockett was the even money favorite. Last year Jettabelle Boone ran fourth in the Sun Country Futurity and won the West Texas Futurity Consolation. Ivory Crockett ran sixth in the All-American Sale Futurity.

OF THE 12 two-year-old quarter horse maiden races run this year, Sinn Fein and Easy Jet stands as the top two sires. Both have sired two winners. Sinn Fein has sired Linda's Sinn and Mothers Little Sin while Easy Jet sired Argentine Rose and Easy Jed. Of horses finishing in the top three, Easy Jet is listed seven times, far ahead of any other sire.

ZIP'S ZIPPY continues to be the most frustrated maiden at the meeting. The three-year-old gelding finished second for the sixth time in 10 races this season when he returned place money in Saturday's first race. Zip's Zippy has also finished third in three other races. His only finish out of the money was a fifth. In six of his last 10 races, Zip's Zippy was the betting favorite.

THE TOTAL HANDLE over the three day weekend flirted with the \$1 million plateau. The final figure was \$968,808, an increase of 7.08 percent over the same weekend last year (\$904,743). From a seasonal standpoint, the current daily average is \$282,903, an increase of 8.85 percent over the average at this juncture a year ago. Wagering per race is now \$23,359, as compared to \$22,468 at this point a year ago. Sunday's handle of \$382,500 came close to setting a seasonal record. The top handle so far in the 1980-81 meet was set at \$383,872 on February 1.

THE LEADING POST position over the weekend was the No. 6 with seven winners. Here's the seasonal breakdown: No. 1 — 69 wins, No. 2 — 108; No. 3 — 85; No. 4 — 78, No. 5 — 75, No. 6 — 70, No. 7 — 68, No. 8 — 58, No. 9 — 49, No. 10 — 36, No. 11 — 0, No. 12 — 0.

Endowment applications open for fellowships

April 24 is the deadline for applications for appointment to the Fall 1981 session of the Fellowship Program of the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA), which will run from September 21 through December 18.

Each year, three 13-week sessions in the Endowment's Washington office aid in the training of promising arts administrators, acquainting them at first hand with the policies, procedures, and operations of the NEA, and giving them an overview of arts activities around the country. NEA fellows have an opportunity to learn about arts programs by observing policy development, grant-making procedures, and administrative techniques.

Fellows are assigned to work in various program areas of the NEA's Washington office, spending approximately two-thirds of their time as members of its professional staff and the remainder in meetings and seminars with members of the National Council on the Arts, NEA panelists, and leading arts administrators. Former fellows are now working with state and municipal arts agencies, with professional theatre, opera and dance companies, and with arts centers, universities, museums, and media organizations. Participants in the Fellowship program are not eligible for immediate employment at the Endowment, however.

The NEA fellowships include a \$3,300 stipend, plus round trip transportation to

Washington, D. C. Candidates must be sponsored by a college or university, a state or local arts agency or other non-profit, tax-exempt arts organization. In most cases, applicants should have two or three years of professional work experience or an advanced degree.

Application information and forms may be obtained from the Fellowship Program, National Endowment for the Arts, 2401 E. St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 20506. Information and applications are also available from the New Mexico Arts Division, 113 Lincoln Ave., Santa Fe 87501. The Arts Division's telephone number is 827-2061.

Change made in Ruidoso Downs stakes schedule

The Kansas Futurity, a 350 yard sprint for two-year-old quarter horses, will be run at Ruidoso Downs Race Track Sunday, June 7. The purse is estimated at \$525,000.

The Mesalero Apache Handicap will also run June 7 as a co-feature to the Kansas Futurity.

The date of the Kansas Futurity, as previously published, was in error.

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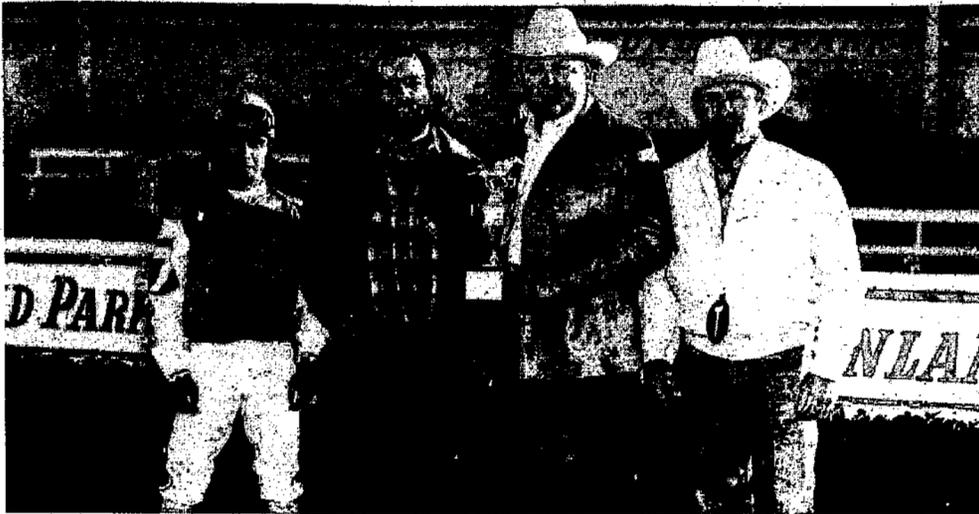
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A SIGN OF THE TIMES — Mark Leibson (second from left), a sports writer for the El Paso Times, made the trophy presentation for the El Paso Times Stakes at Sunland Park. The

ornament was accepted by Jimmie Powers of Sonora, Texas, whose gelding, Festos, won by 7½ lengths. At right, trainer Cliff Lambert; at left, jockey Carlos Rivas.

Festos romps to win

Festos trampled his hapless foes in Sunday's 11th running of the El Paso Times Stakes at Sunland Park.

Once again, it was a mismatch as Festos glided across the finish line with a 7½ length lead.

Two weeks earlier, Festos took on the toughest competitor in town in the Cabin Fleur Handicap at a mile, won by seven lengths, and missed the track record by only three-fifths seconds.

In Sunday's engagement, Festos clocked the 6¼ furlongs in a brilliant 1:15 2/5 seconds — which was only two fractions short of the track record set by the crack stakes winner, Rodeo Hand, in 1963.

Festos is owned by Jimmy and Allison Powers of Sonora, Texas. He's tutored by Cliff Lambert. The pilot is Carlos Rivas, who was aboard for his third straight win. Rivas started his hot streak with Sir James (\$5) in the eighth race, then came back with Gid's Girl I (\$6.60) in the eighth. The latter won by a romping 7½ lengths.

Fans who backed Festos in the Times Stakes collected \$3.40 to win, \$2.40 to place, \$2.20 to show. The people's choice was top weighted at 123 pounds. Rappid Action, the mare who was badly treated by Festos in the Cabin Fleur, was again hammered into submission and finished second. The payoffs were \$2.60, \$2.40. Rappid Action hauled Louie Figueroa in a 110 pound load. Witty John, a 14-1 longshot, got in third — a length behind Rappid Action. The show price was \$2.80.

The Times Stakes, a prelude to the

Sunland Park Handicap at 1 1/16th miles, offered a gross purse of \$5,875. Festos collected \$3,525, which pushed his 1981 earnings over the \$7,000 mark. His record stands at 2-0-0 from five starts.

Festos has now won two stakes races since his dismal journey to Santa Anita in January — a journey which resulted in three outings at the California track, and three outright failures. According to trainer Lambert, Festos did not appreciate the turf course at Santa Anita, nor the California rain.

Rappid Action, Sunland's Horse-of-the-Meet in the fall session, hoped to use the Times Stakes as a way of repairing her suddenly sagging reputation. She broke smartly, battled Witty John for the early lead, and appeared to be running one of her best races.

But Festos settled her hash with a quick move on the outside, and grabbed the lead at the midway point of the turn for home. Rappid Action began to wilt. Festos, on the other hand, piled up his lead with ridiculous ease.



IT WAS ANOTHER ROMP — Festos is all by himself at the finish of Sunday's El Paso Times Stakes at Sunland Park. Last month, he won the Cabin Fleur Handicap by seven lengths. Carlos Rivas is up.

Sunland Park results

FRIDAY, MARCH 6	SATURDAY, MARCH 7	SUNDAY, MARCH 8
1st — 6 fur. No Tax Due 4.00, 3.00, 2.40; Dama Ladonna 3.60, 2.20; Wits Nurse 2.60. T: 1:12.4.	1st — 6 fur. Boupdoc 9.50, 4.40, 2.80; Zip's Zippy 4.00, 2.60; Mighty Falcon 2.60. T: 1:13.2.	1st — 6 fur. Ballyroan 10.00, 5.40, 3.20; Relwof 10.40, \$7.20; Clarinet Solo 5.40. T: 1:12.
2nd — 6 fur. Pinky T. 22.80, 12.40, 6.80; Clente 5.20, 3.80; Spicy Benture 11.60. T: 1:12.3.	2nd — 870 yds. Prince Tactics 13.20, 8.40, 5.00; Resolute 11.00, 6.20; Songbars 6.00. T: 46.73.	2nd — 5½ fur. Fool's Island 4.20, 4.40, 3.80; Narvalot 22.60, 5.60; Special Stuff 4.00. T: 1:05.3.
Quinnella — \$68.80 Daily Double — \$93.20	Quinnella — \$57.20 Daily Double — \$66.20	Quinnella — \$47.60 Daily Double — \$128.00
3rd — 330 yds. Argentine Rose 21.00, 10.20, 4.20; Preferred Policy 4.80, 2.60; Bugs Request 2.80. T: 17.18.	3rd — 330 yds. A Natural 54.80, 22.60, 12.60; Easy Jed 3.80, 3.20; Red River Bounce 10.40. T: 17.02.	3rd — 330 yds. Freda Freelander 6.20, 4.20, 3.20; Mr. Speedy Bug 4.80, 3.20; Fifty Yard Line 3.20. T: 17.52.
Quinnella — \$35.60	Quinnella — \$132.00	Quinnella — \$27.60
4th — 5½ fur. Independent Kid 11.60, 3.80, 2.40; Ski Mask 4.00, 2.20; Aconjones 3.20. T: 1:06.1.	4th — 400 yds. Mongolena 15.60, 6.00, 4.20; Moon Bunnys Flame 6.20, 4.60; Hutt Six 4.40. T: 19.59.	4th — 330 yds. Native Crystal 81.00, 27.60, 16.60; Prissy Jet Deck 3.80, 3.80; Bella Candida 18.20. T: 17.59.
Quinnella — \$16.80	Quinnella — \$31.40	Quinnella — \$143.80
5th — 400 yds. Speedy Top Choice 20.20, 8.60, 3.20; Two Fingers 5.00, 2.40; Oklahoma Kitaman 2.20. T: 20.50.	5th — 400 yds. Buck Chaser 4.80, 2.80, 2.60; Jebco 3.00, 2.80; Bug A Lovin 4.20. T: 20.25.	5th — 400 yds. Easy Six Arrive 4.60, 3.80, 2.80; Rene Gotiate 9.80, 4.00; Sunnys Easy Jet 3.60. T: 20.63.
Quinnella — \$66.60	Quinnella — \$9.40	Quinnella — \$18.60
6th — 330 yds. Tarbug 17.80, 8.20, 4.60; Easy To Be Lovely 3.80, 3.20; Easy Leona 8.20. T: 17.41.	6th — 400 yds. Native Sparkle 8.20, 3.40, 2.80; Jessi Jet 2.80, 2.40; Ima Jetta Lou 3.00. T: 19.98.	6th — 6 fur. Big L. 32.60, 8.40, 4.60; Bar Bonus 3.00, 2.40; Victory Bow 6.00. T: 1:12.3.
Quinnella — \$24.80	Quinnella — \$8.20	Quinnella — \$43.60
7th — 400 yds. Jettabelle Boone 9.00, 4.80, 2.80; Ivory Crockett 2.80, 2.20; Tiny Hempen 2.60. T: 20.23.	7th — 1 mi. Colonel Shannon 6.40, 3.40, 2.60; Duke Of Balsamo 4.00, 2.60; Judy's Bag 2.60. T: 1:40.2.	7th — 870 yds. Brooks Prize 7.00, 4.20, 2.60; Lucky Lightning 4.40, 3.00; Top Parr Moon 3.00. T: 46.35.
Quinnella — \$8.40	Quinnella — \$17.00	Quinnella — \$15.20
8th — 6 fur. Rene B. 7.50, 3.40, 3.20; Miss Holmebody 3.00, 2.80; Fat Lorel 7.80. T: 1:12.3.	8th — 4 fur. Bug Bopper 5.80, 3.60, 3.00; Ind's Pacific 8.80, 6.40; Persian Queen 4.40. T: 46.4.	8th — 1 mi. Sir James 5.00, 3.40, 3.00; Sarah's Lark 4.60, 3.40; Assagals Flack 3.40. T: 1:39.
Quinnella — \$14.60	Quinnella — \$27.00	Quinnella — \$15.60
9th — 5½ fur. Valzaxe 8.60, 3.80, 3.60; Conjl 4.40, 2.80; Kjersti 3.00. T: 1:06.2.	9th — 6 fur. Tipocrow 5.00, 2.80, 2.20; Aspen Ridge 3.20, 2.20; Brazos Native 2.40. T: 1:12.1.	9th — 1 mi. Gid's Girl 6.60, 3.80, 2.80; Whisper Battle 3.40, 2.60; Guidelic 2.20. T: 1:38.3.
Quinnella — \$19.60	Quinnella — \$9.60	Quinnella — \$12.40
10th — 5½ fur. Mr. Powder River 5.00, 2.50, 2.60; First Away 3.60, 3.00; Kameha Blue 6.20. T: 1:05.	10th — 6 fur. Self Sparking 9.20, 4.60, 2.50; Little Tough 3.60, 3.20; Dolfinar. T: 1:11.3.	10th — 6½ fur. Festos 3.40, 2.40, 2.20; Rappid Action 2.80, 2.40; Witty John 2.80. T: 1:15.2.
Quinnella — \$12.60	Quinnella — \$15.40	Quinnella — \$4.80
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Quinnella — \$24.60	Quinnella — \$18.40	Quinnella — \$111.20
12th — 1 mi. Remie C. 8.80, 4.00, 3.80; Patriots Prince 7.80, 7.20; Choppy Jester 7.60. T: 1:41.1.	12th — 5½ fur. Tuff Bear 6.00, 4.00, 3.20; Never Make It 4.20, 2.80; Infinite Speed 3.00. T: 1:06.3.	12th — 5 fur. Jose Mel 9.00, 4.40, 3.80; Jeb's Jester 11.60, 5.00; Ima Hundinger 6.00. T: 59.1.
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Metallic 'pigs' check pipelines for danger spots

The smartest pigs in the world aren't wallowing in the mud on some remote farm or organizing a coup in a George Orwell novel. They're racing down pipelines, sniffing out danger spots and squealing their findings to waiting computers.

The pigs consist of metal and magnets and wire, not pork and skin, and their data-collecting duties are highly technical. The principles behind them are also used to detect flaws in railroad tracks, nuclear

pressure vessels and aerospace structures.

The sensors that trigger the pigs' findings are referred to as electromagnetic acoustic transducers, which send out and receive sound waves that produce fast and accurate information about metallic structures, according to Dr. George Alers of the New Mexico Engineering Research Institute's (NMERI) Nondestructive Inspection Division.

Alers, a senior research scientist for that

University of New Mexico-based organization, has been a major force in the pigs' evolution. "They're called pigs," he said, "because they squeal when they go speeding through pipelines." But Alers is helping to make these pigs smarter.

In the past, devices used to detect flaws in metallic structures varied widely in speed and reliability. Magnetic field tests, X-rays, ultra-violet paint and ultra-sonics were all used. The ultra-sonic technique was attractive because it could examine not only metallic surfaces, but interiors as well, and because it provided more complete information about flaws and their degrees of severity.

But these small sonar-like gadgets had one major drawback. In order to ensure uniform sound movement through the metal, the transducers had to be immersed with the metal in a water bath or connected to the part with grease. This made test procedures laborious and messy. And varying temperatures and pressures often caused the transducers to fall off or malfunction.

Then researchers at Cornell University patented a transducer that needed no coupling medium. It was made with a wire carrying an alternating current, and a magnetic field, both of which produced the desired sound wave force. Alers and Bruce Thompson, both scientists working for Rockwell International some eight years ago, improved the idea and then patented those improvements.

One of the first tests of their concepts came when the American Gas Association asked if the new method could be used to inspect 60-mile-long pipelines that had been buried for 20 years. Alers and Thompson constructed an experimental

pig, shaped rather like a large barbell that squeezed sideways into a three-foot-wide pipe. The pig, containing three transducers, a power supply, electronic transmitter and receiver, memory and odometer, was carried down the pipeline by the flow of the gas.

This laboratory model proved a great success, storing information on a magnetic tape that was later fed to a computer. "Still, a lot of work remains to be done before this becomes a commercially used device," Alers said.

In the meantime, "piglets" were developed to inspect one-inch-wide steam generator tubes for the Electric Power Research Institute, a consortium of electric utility companies. Other applications for the transducers were also investigated, such as rapid inspection of artillery projectiles for the United States Army, seamless tube inspection, and detection of cracks under fasteners for the Air Force.

The inspection speed these devices have achieved is staggering. They can inspect 900 linear feet of railroad track per minute. But in pipelines they must reach inspection speeds of 25,000 square feet per minute to keep from slowing down the flow of gas, Alers said.

Alers served as chief scientist for a Rockwell branch in Albuquerque when the corporation considered applying the transducer inspection ideas to all manner of structural materials. Less than two years ago, Rockwell closed the office, its executives feeling the business potential of this kind of research and development was too small for them to market effectively. They University of New Mexico rented part of Rockwell's facility, and NMERI

hired some of the Rockwell employees, Alers included, to continue the research aspects of Rockwell's former contracts.

Today, the Nondestructive Inspection Division is expanding. Projects Alers and his fellow researchers are involved in include pipe wall thickness monitoring, weld inspection, continued pipeline in-

spection, fatigue crack detection and other new applications of ultrasound.

The Nondestructive Division hires seven researchers, including Alers, three professional engineers, a physicist, an electronic technician and a nondestructive testing associate.



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Wilderness Wisdom

with Wayne Calloway

Dear Wayne — I have seen plans advertised for building a pirogue (duckboat). Supposedly they are full size plans and simple enough to follow, even for a knucklehead like me. Such a boat would, I believe, be ideal for hunting around marshes.

Have you had any experience with such boats, or know of anyone who has? Tommy D., Virginia

Dear Tommy — In case anyone doesn't know, a pirogue is a shallow draft, flat bottom, duckboat with pointed ends. It is designed to be paddled or poled in swamp shallows and across mud flats. Usually they are 12 to 14 feet in length and will accommodate one or two hunters and gear. They are favorites in the southern bayou country.

In response to your question, yes, I have had at least some experience with a pirogue. This past fall, a brother and I built one from a set of full-size, mail order plans. The plans called for a hull fabricated from one piece of 14 foot marine plywood. Gunwales and chines are cut from a six inch board, 14 foot long.

One thing we found right off. Fourteen

foot long plywood sheets are not very often available, depending upon where you live. But that isn't really reason to despair. We simply scarfed and glued two eight foot pieces to form the bottom and sides. Tacking a two inch wide piece, such as a furring strip, inside across the joints before gluing strengthened the union considerably, and didn't distract from its appearance much.

The plans are well laid out and quite easy to follow, and you can turn out a commendable product with very little carpentry skills. We built the boat, excluding painting, in three or four evenings of a few hours each. Even that time could be shortened if it was not necessary to allow time for glued joints to set.

Once the paint had dried, we could hardly wait to test it, and I was somewhat surprised. I have ridden canoes for years, but this pirogue was different than any. In fact, less stable than many. It took a while to get a feel for it. Two people have to make conscious efforts to keep from rolling over. I tried poling the boat from a standing position, but gave it up after a couple of minutes and half dozen near dunkings. Anyone who poles from a standing position is either quite experienced or in such shallow water it can't roll over. I did feel the craft would probably firm its roll after reaching a certain degree of list, but I wasn't anxious to experiment in cold water.

Our pirogue is a handsome little craft and responds beautifully to a paddle. At about 50 pounds, it seems an ideal one man boat to poke around the swamps with. When the water warms a bit I intend to get to know it better.

Send questions to: Wilderness Wisdom, P. O. Box 237, Pittsville, Maryland 21850.



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Focus on Small Business

by E. Maine Shafer

Dear Mr. Shafer:

I know the government is the small business person's biggest customer. But it is also the biggest dead beat when it comes to promptness in paying for goods and services. What about relief?

This is a familiar complaint, and rightly so. When business people don't have enough capital to carry delinquent accounts they must borrow from banks — at very high interest rates today.

The first effect of government's delay in paying its bills is that its suppliers must borrow in order to pay their own operating expenses. This forces some firms, particularly small ones, to stop bidding on government contracts. A secondary effect is that the cost of carrying a delinquent account — the government's — adds to the firm's cost of doing business and is added to the prices it normally charges.

The taxpayer, of course, ends up paying extra for the goods and services our government needs to operate.

Several remedies have been proposed: Make government pay interest on overdue accounts; penalize late-paying agencies by taking funds from their budgets; take penalties out of the salaries of the government employees responsible for the delays, and placing tough auditors and inspectors in government departments and then tie personnel advancement to reducing waste.

The "bureaucrats," however, are not entirely to blame. Many laws and regulations spell out in painstaking detail how a government employee must verify that a supplier or contractor has performed according to his or her contract. If loose interpretations are permitted, vendors can cheat the government. If

regulations are followed too strongly then it seems to take forever for a supplier to get its money. You take your choice.

Dear Mr. Shafer:

Is there a special government loan program to start or expand small energy businesses?

Yes, there is a new Small Business Administration (SBA) program for energy loans, mainly through loans made by private lenders and then guaranteed by SBA. These loans are generally at private market rates, within limits set by SBA.

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- Photovoltaic cells and equipment.
- Cogeneration equipment.
- Wind conversion equipment.

The energy conservation field is wide open for small businesses. There is good reason to expect many of the energy innovations, new applications and new technologies will come from small businesses because this economic segment has accounted for half of all innovations and new technologies in this century.

If you desire more information, please contact me at my office located at 5000 Marble, NE, Albuquerque, N.M. The telephone number is 786-3588.

Vandals, thieves plague parks

What is happening in many parks in New Mexico's cities certainly is no picnic.

According to police reports in at least two major cities — Albuquerque and Santa Fe — parks have increasingly been victimized by thieves and vandals.

In Albuquerque, for instance, a total of 122 sprinkler heads were stolen from city parks between January 23 and February 14. Total loss was valued at \$8,000.

Louis Padilla, Safety Specialist for the Albuquerque Park Management Division, said the thefts have occurred at parks throughout the city. He said some of the sprinkler heads are being unscrewed and in other instances they are being shorn off with a hacksaw blade from the main pipes.

Albuquerque Crime Stoppers is offering a \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrests and indictments of the offenders, who are believed to be selling the stolen sprinkler heads to commercial contractors.

Santa Fe's park problem has been costlier and going on much longer.

In a recent article appearing in the "Santa Fe New Mexican," it was reported that vandals are inflicting damages averaging \$4,000 a month to city parks.

The newspaper said police patrols have

been stepped up in parks and plans now call for increased lighting and protective equipment to be installed. City officials have discussed the utilization of park rangers, but apparently have discarded the idea because it is not cost-efficient.

Santa Fe Crime Stoppers has appealed to the public to report any acts of vandalism that are observed as quickly as possible in order to increase convictions. In addition, the Santa Fe County District Court's Juvenile Division is working on a program forcing convicted vandals to pay for damages or be a part of a work program.

The problem just doesn't stop with parks in Albuquerque and Santa Fe. In major cities throughout New Mexico, increasing reports of vandalism, thefts, narcotics use in parks and violent crimes committed in or adjacent to parks have alarmed officials.

This week the State Crime Stoppers Commission is offering rewards of up to \$1,000 for information leading to the arrests and indictments of persons responsible for thefts or vandalism to parks throughout New Mexico.

Anyone having any information about these types of crimes can become eligible for a reward by calling the State Crime

Stoppers Commission at its toll-free number, 1-800-432-6933. Callers do not have to reveal their identities.

Parks aren't the only areas where some cities are having problems. In many communities, crime in the schools has become a major headache. Several schools have initiated Crime Stoppers programs to counteract the crime problem.

Albuquerque's West Mesa High School recently launched their own Crime Stoppers program, setting up a board of directors comprised of students, parents and school staff members.

The program has the overwhelming support of students and the school administration and is similar to a Crime Stoppers operation at Albuquerque's Valley High School.

Meanwhile, Taos High School reportedly is planning to initiate a Crime Stoppers program to combat vandalism, drug use and crime against students.

The school system also has hired a new security officer and is tightening down on who is allowed on and off the high school's campus.

A problem of a different kind recently was faced by members of the Socorro

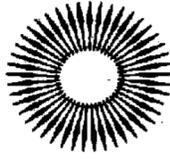
School Board. Some candidates for election to the school board found dead birds in their mail boxes during the campaign. The recipients didn't find their discoveries particularly amusing and consider the acts more than just a prank.

The State Crime Stoppers Commission is offering a substantial reward for information leading to the solution of this crime.

The Commission and the 33 local Crime Stoppers programs in New Mexico also will offer cash rewards on a regular basis for information leading to the solution of major crimes committed throughout the state.

Since Crime Stoppers first began in Albuquerque in September, 1976, the combined programs in New Mexico have helped law enforcement officials in the state solve a total of 2,924 felony crimes and recover \$3,114,818 worth of stolen property and narcotics. Nationally, more than 80 Crime Stoppers programs now are in operation and these have combined to help solve 6,275 major crimes and recover \$19.3 million worth of stolen property and narcotics. A total of 2,042 persons have been prosecuted on Crime Stoppers related cases, and 2,030 have been convicted.

SOLAR FACTS



by Robert E. Lewis

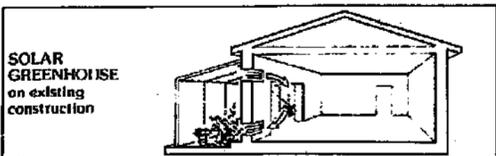
SOLAR GREENHOUSES

Last week's column discussed direct-gain heating, the simplest of all passive heating concepts. This week's column reviews one of the simplest applications of direct-gain heating: the solar greenhouse.

Most people who have visited a florist's greenhouse are familiar with its warm and pleasant atmosphere, even on cold or overcast days. While the traditional greenhouse gains most of its warmth from the sun's radiation, there is also a considerable loss of heat through the large glass areas. To prevent such heat loss, elaborate heating systems are part and parcel of the traditional greenhouse.

Solar greenhouses, on the other hand, combine basic principles of passive heating with traditional greenhouse concepts to provide continual heat naturally. As a result, few if any additional heating devices are required.

Generally speaking, there are two types of solar greenhouses—free-standing and those attached to buildings. Free-standing greenhouses are used for the production of food or cultivation of plants or flowers. Attached greenhouses (sometimes called sunspaces) are more aptly described as solar rooms, which can be used as an additional living space for a home.



SOLAR GREENHOUSE on existing construction

With free-standing solar greenhouses, the south-facing wall and roof are made of glass. The north side, however, is constructed with heat-absorbing materials and protected from the elements by insulation. Usually the north wall is painted a dark color to enhance its heat-absorbing capacity. The floors of the greenhouse are also made of heat-storing materials to provide a greater thermal mass.

As with any passive system, the use of thermal mass areas allows the daytime heat to be stored for release at night or when temperatures drop. To avoid overheating during the day, vents are placed near the peak and base of the greenhouse. Auxiliary heating systems are recommended for periods of extremely cold or sustained cloudy weather. At other times, the natural absorption, storage and distribution of the sun's energy by the thermal mass will maintain the necessary round-the-clock heat.

The attached greenhouse or "sunspace" is a glass room attached to the south side of a building. This transforms the building's former exterior south wall into the interior's heat-absorbing wall. As the sun's rays are transmitted through the glass, the south wall captures and stores the heat for release when needed.

As with other direct-gain heating designs, the more heat-absorbing materials used for the walls and floors of the sunspace, the greater the amount of heat storage possible. And too, the use of solar screens, awnings and/or insulated draperies is recommended to avoid overheating during the day and loss of heat at night.

Many homeowners installing attached greenhouses include vents at the top and the bottom of the heat-absorbing wall. This circulates warm air into the adjacent interior living area. In addition, the heat-storing wall is often designed to radiate its heat into the adjacent interior living area as well as the sunspace. When such designs are employed, the interior adjacent space is said to be heated by indirect-gain passive heating methods, while the sunspace is heated by direct-gain.

The basic concepts of indirect-gain passive heating will be discussed in next week's column. In the meantime, to learn more about solar greenhouses (both attached and free-standing), send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to:

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Spinach SALAD DELIGHT..... **3 Bunches \$1**

Assorted Colors
Mums **\$3.98**
4-Inch Pot

Birdnest
Fern **\$11.95**
8-Inch Pot

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SAVE 29% ON 3
Orange Juice
BEL AIR
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6-Oz Cans

SAVE 78% ON 4
Pot Pies
BANQUET Except Tuna
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BEL AIR
89¢
14 OZ BROCCOLI SPAGHETTI GREEN PEAS MIXED VEG. 2-LB BAG

SAVE 20%
Potatoes
SCOTCH BUY
59¢
2-Lb Bag

SAVE 17%
Entrees
JENO'S
79¢
LASAGNA, MANICOTTI, CAPPELETTI w/ SAUCE 15-OZ

GRADE A
Eggs
Large Dozen **69¢**

Dream Whip
SAVE 24%
\$1.19
5-Oz Box

Lipton Soup
SAVE 13%
59¢
DRY CHK NDL 4-Oz Box

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SAVE 13%
79¢
8-Oz Cans of Soup or 1.25-Oz Spill Proof Pail

SAVE 66%
Ice Cream LUCERNE HOMESTYLE VANILLA... 1/2-Gal Cntr. **\$1.99**

SAVE 90%
Pie NEW AT SAFEWAY! MRS. SMITH'S APPLE STREUSEL... 41-Oz Pie **\$1.89**

SAVE 40%
Welch's CRANBERRY JUICE COCKTAIL... 12-Oz Can **89¢**

SAVE 70%
Chicken MANOR HOUSE FRIED... 2-Lb Box **\$2.29**

SAVE 90%
Pizza TOTINO'S CLASSIC or PEPPERONI/ MUSHROOM... 20-Oz Pizza **\$2.19**

SAVE \$1.26
Gold Medal FLOUR PAPER BAG... 25-Lb Bag **\$4.19**

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93¢
1/2-Gal Cntr.

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EVERYDAY LOW PRICE
64-Oz Cntr.

3¢ OFF LABEL
Armour Potted Meat
29¢
3-Oz Can

20¢ OFF LABEL
Puritan Oil
\$1.79
32-Oz Btl

Coke And Sprite
32 Oz
Save \$1.00 Plus Deposit
\$2.59

Official Records

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEEDS
Howard Dell Harrington and Carolyn J. Harrington to Innsbrook of Ruidoso, Inc., Lot 119, Week No. 40, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

Darlene N. Stumm to Innsbrook of Ruidoso, Inc., Lot 118, Week No. 11, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

Vincent Ruben Gomez; Personal Representative of the Estate of Vicente Sedillo Gomez, deceased, to Vincent Ruben Gomez, a tract of land in the NW 1/4, Section 30, T10S, R16E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

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Innsbrook of Ruidoso, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Innsbrook Village Management Corporation, a New Mexico Corporation, Lot 117, Week No. 6, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

Innsbrook of Ruidoso, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Innsbrook Village Management Corporation, a New Mexico Corporation, Lot 118, Week No. 13, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

Innsbrook of Ruidoso, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Innsbrook Village Management Corporation, a New Mexico Corporation, Lot 117, Week No. 44, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEEDS
Rudy A. and Margaret S. Lopez to Rudy A. and Margaret S. Lopez, one-half interest in a tract in the NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 27, T11S, R16E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

William E. Querin to Barbara Johnson, Lot 9, Block 8, Sun Valley Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Lynda S. Clifton to Richard C. Clifton, a tract of land in the S 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 19, T8S, R15E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Ruidoso State Bank, a New Mexico Banking Corporation, to L. J. Montero, Lots 14 and 15, Block L, Ruidoso Springs, Lincoln County, N. M.

LAND PATENT
The United States of America to James H. Roelle, a tract of land in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 17, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 20, W 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 21, T8S, R16E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEEDS
C. P. Joel Amaya Munoz and Ma Cristina Hoeflich de Amaya to Pinecliff Corporation, a Texas Corporation, Buildings, 1 and 1, Apartments 1 and 2, Week Nos. 1, 39, Pinecliff Condominium Project, Lincoln County, N. M.

Eddie D. Barbes and Martha V. Barbes to Pinecliff Corporation, a Texas Corporation, Building 3, Apartment 3, Week Nos. 34 and 35, Pinecliff Condominium Project, Lincoln County, N. M.

SAVE 60¢ PER LB

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Lb

SAVE 54¢ PER LB

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CAPTAIN'S CHOICE

Fish Sticks
14-Oz Pkg **98¢**

CAPTAIN'S CHOICE

Perch Fillets
1-Lb Pkg **\$1.73**

CAPTAIN'S CHOICE

Whiting Fish
1.5-Lb Pkg **\$1.39**

Fish Sticks LIGHT N CRISPY VAN DE KAMP 13.5-Oz Pkg **\$1.55**

Fish Fillets LIGHT N CRISPY VAN DE KAMP 14-Oz Pkg **\$1.59**

Fish Fillets COUNTRY SEAS VAN DE KAMP 14-Oz Pkg **\$1.89**

Pot Roast USDA CHOICE BEEF CHUCK BONELESS 1-Lb **\$2.19**

Liver BEEF SLICED SKINNED & DEVEINED 1-Lb **99¢**

Sausage PEYTON DEL NORTE LINKS 13-Oz Pkg **\$1.09**

Perch Fillets VAN DE KAMP 14-Oz BATTERED Pkg **\$1.95**

Shrimp Ckftl LASCCO 4-Oz Jar **79¢**

Frog Legs FRESH FROZEN 1-Lb **\$3.29**

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Tuna
STAR KIST

79¢
6.5-Oz Can

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Each

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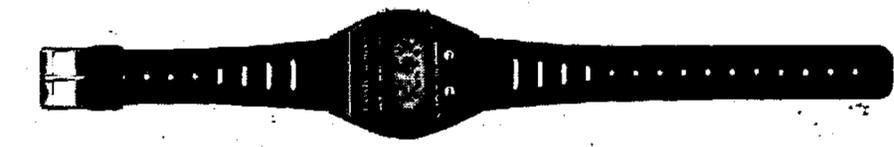
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Club Calendar



NOON LIONS
Ruidoso Valley Noon Lions Club meets each Wednesday, 12 noon to 1 p.m., at Whispering Pine Restaurant in Upper Canyon of Ruidoso. Visiting Lions are welcome.



LIONS
Lions supper every Tuesday night at the Lions Hut in Skyland, 1/2 block off Sudderth Drive, behind Maytag Washeteria.

CAPTAIN LIONS CLUB
Meets 1st and 3rd Monday of each month at the Smokey Bear Cafe, 7:00 p.m.



ROTARY CLUB
Ruidoso Hondo Valley Rotary Club meets each Tuesday night at Holiday Inn.



ALTRUSA CLUB OF RUIDOSO
Meets the 1st Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., for business meeting and program and the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 12 noon. Call Donna Willard, 257-2869, for information.

WHITE MOUNTAIN SEARCH & RESCUE
Meets at the Ruidoso Library third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Jon Denny president; Herb Brunell, secretary.



RUIDOSO B.P.O.E. NO. 2086
Meets each 1st and 3rd Thursday at Elks Club building on Highway 70 west, 8 p.m. summer; 7:30 winter.



B.P.O.E. DOES
Meets each 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. in Elks Home on Highway 70.



LINCOLN COUNTY HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION
Meets first Thursday of each month, 7 p.m., at the Texas Club.



RUIDOSO MASONIC LODGE NO. 73
Meets each first Monday in O.E.S. Hall, 7:30 p.m. Herbert Ford, W.M.; Jake McDonald, Secretary.



EASTERN STAR
Ruidoso Chapter No. 85 Order of the Eastern Star meets 2nd Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m., Gateway. Visiting members welcome.

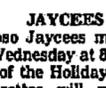


AMARANTH
Ponderosa Court No. 5, Order of the Amaranth, Inc., meets 3rd Friday of every month, 7:30 p.m. in Eastern Star Building.

RAINBOW GIRLS ASSEMBLY
Meets each second and fourth Monday, 7 p.m., in O.E.S. Hall in Palmer Gateway. Rainbow Advisory Board meets each second Monday of the month, same place.



JAYCEES
The Ruidoso Jaycees meet the second and fourth Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., in the Gold Room of the Holiday House. The Jayceettes will meet the third Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., in the Gold Room at the Holiday House.



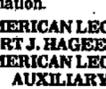
SERTOMA CLUB
Sertoma's every Wednesday at noon at the Ranch House Restaurant.



PILOT CLUB OF RUIDOSO
Meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Call 257-5585, evenings, for more information.



AMERICAN LEGION ROBERT J. HAGEE POST #79 AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
Meets jointly on the third Wednesday of each month, 7:00 p.m., Ruidoso Public Library.



RUIDOSO SHRINE CLUB
Meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month. Phone 671-4593, 257-7794 or 378-4100 for the current meeting place.

RUIDOSO VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Meets third Wednesday in Chamber office on Sudderth. May-September 7 p.m.; October-April 12 noon. Meetings open to public.

RUIDOSO BOY SCOUTS
Troop 59, meets at 7 p.m. every Wednesday at the Elks Lodge. Rudy Flack, Scoutmaster. For membership information call 257-5453.
Boy Scout Troop 107, Tuesdays, 7 p.m., White Mountain Middle School.

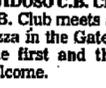
RUIDOSO CUB SCOUTS
Pack 59, meets at 7 p.m. the first Monday of each month at the Elks Lodge. Jim Dickinson, Cubmaster. Call 257-7294 for membership information.

Pack 85 meets the last Monday of every month at 7 p.m., at the First Christian Church's Fellowship Hall, on Hill Road and Gavilan Canyon. Cubmaster, Carolyn Hardwick. For information call 257-5184 or 257-4432.

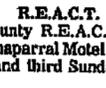
RUIDOSO GUN CLUB
Ruidoso Gun Club, meeting third Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m. at the library. Call 378-4603.



RUIDOSO C.B. CLUB
Ruidoso C.B. Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at Norman's Pizza in the Gateway Shopping Center on the first and third Mondays. Everyone welcome.



D.A.V.
Lincoln County Chapter 23, Ruidoso, Disabled American Veterans, hold regular meetings on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the American Legion Hall, in Ruidoso.



R.E.A.C.T.
Lincoln County R.E.A.C.T. meets at 7 p.m. at the Chaparral Motel on Highway 70 on the first and third Sundays. Everyone welcome.



KNIGHTS OF CLUMBUS
Fr. Eugene Dolan Council No. 6597 meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p.m. in St. Eleanor's Hall. Special meetings to be announced will be held at St. Jude's Center in San Patricio. Mel O'Reilly, G.K., Dick Mound, F.S.



RUIDOSO SHRINE CLUB
Meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month. Phone 671-4593, 257-7794 or 378-4100 for the current meeting place.

RUIDOSO PUBLIC LIBRARY HOURS
Monday - 3:00 to 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday - 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Friday - 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday - 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Storytime - Kindergarten to second grade, 3 to 4 p.m., Mondays. Three to five year olds, 10 to 11 a.m., Tuesdays.

RUIDOSO HONDO VALLEY EXTENSION CLUB
Meets 4th Wednesday of every month, 11:30 a.m. Covered dish luncheon. Place to be announced.

WOMAN'S CLUB
Monday, 12 noon, pot luck lunch, followed by bridge and canasta. All interested women invited.

GARDEN CLUB
The Ruidoso Garden Club meets the third Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at the Woman's Club. Visitors and guests welcome.

GOLDEN AGE CLUB
Meets first and third Wednesdays at noon for covered dish lunches and games at the library. Visitors are welcome.

RUIDOSO DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB
Meets Wednesdays and Saturdays 7:30 p.m., Adult Recreation center.
D.A.V.
Coe-Curry Center 23, Ruidoso, Disabled American Veterans, hold regular meetings on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the American Legion Hall, in Ruidoso.

DAR
The Daughters of the American Revolution meet the second Tuesday of every month at 12 noon. All eligible and interested, please call 257-7186.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN
Meets each first Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m., place to be announced.

WOMEN'S WORKDAY AT CHURCH OF CHRIST
In the Gateway area every first Wednesday of the month at the church.

WEIGHT WATCHERS
Meets every Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., in the CFS building. For more information, call 257-4577.

NARFE
Lincoln County Chapter 1379, of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, meets at 10:00 a.m., the first Tuesday of each month, at the new First Christian Church on Hill Road.

SQUARE DANCE CLUB
The County Corners Square Dance Club meets every Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center. Raymond and Christie Reeves, president. Call 257-2779. George Cooper and Ed Guthrie, callers. All visitors welcome.

ST. ELEANOR'S GUILD ST. ELEANOR'S CHURCH
St. Eleanor's Guild will meet every first Monday at noon and every 3rd Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall unless otherwise stated in the church bulletin. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

ST. ANNE'S GUILD
Meets the fourth Thursday of each month in the Parish Hall of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount. Holy Communion 12 noon followed by lunch and the meeting.

COUNSELING SERVICE
Personal, family, couples, counseling through Counseling Center, serving Lincoln County. Offices at Four Seasons Mall, Ruidoso. Phone 257-5038. In Carrizozo, at County Health Office, Courthouse Annex, call 648-2412. 24-hour HELpline, 1-437-8680.

ADULT RECREATION PROGRAM VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO
for ages 18 and over
Library Senior Center Complex
Schoolhouse Park
Bette Romans, Director
Post Office Drawer 1340
Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345
Membership Contribution Fee: \$5.00
Call Center for Transportation—257-4585
OFFICE HOURS:
9 a.m.-noon and 1:00-5:30 p.m.
CENTER HOURS:
As Designated in Calendar of Events

Friday, February 27: 10-Noon - Ceramics; 10-Noon - Exercise; 1-5 p.m. - Games; 2-4 p.m. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check.

Monday, March 2: 10-Noon - Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.
Tuesday, March 3: 10-Noon Social Security; 10-Noon - Exercise; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise, Nadine Brookings, Leader.

Wednesday, March 4: 9:30 A.M. - Bowling, Holiday Bowl; 10:30 A.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check, Golden Age Club Luncheon Meeting MPR; 1-5 P.M. - Games; 7:30 P.M. - Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, March 5: Shopping, Escort, Transportation, For Information Call 257-4565; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.
Friday, March 6: 10-Noon - Ceramics, Lapidary; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check.

Monday, March 9: 10-Noon - Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.
Tuesday, March 10: 10-Noon - Social Security, Exercise; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.

Wednesday, March 11: 9:30 A.M. - Bowling, Holiday Bowl; 11-12 A.M. - Coffee and Donuts Honoring Bowlers; 2-4 P.M. - Ceramics; 7:30 P.M. - Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, March 12: Shopping, Escort, Transportation, For Information Call 257-4565; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.
Friday, March 13: 10-Noon - Ceramics, Lapidary; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.

Monday, March 16: 10-Noon - Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.
Tuesday, March 17: 10-Noon - Social Security, Exercise; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise, Nadine Brookings, Leader.
Wednesday, March 18: 9:30 A.M. - Bowling, Holiday Bowl; 10:30 A.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check, Golden Age Club Luncheon Meeting MPR; 7:30 P.M. - Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, March 19: Shopping, Escort, Transportation, For Information Call 257-4565; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.
Friday, March 20: 10-Noon - Ceramics, Lapidary; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.

Monday, March 23: 10-Noon - Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.
Tuesday, March 24: 10-Noon - Social Security, Exercise; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.
Wednesday, March 25: 9:30 A.M. - Bowling, Holiday Bowl; 10:30 A.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 2-4 P.M. - Ceramics, Exercise; 7:30 P.M. - Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, March 26: Shopping, Escort, Transportation, For Information Call 257-4565; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader; 7 P.M. - Dance.
Friday, March 27: 10-Noon - Pool, Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.

Monday, March 30: 10-Noon - Pool, Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.
Tuesday, March 31: 10-Noon - Social Security, Exercise; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.

ALCOHOL COUNSELING
For alcohol counseling, telephone Paul Gallegos, office 257-6038; residence 347-4288. Office at Counseling Center, Four Seasons Mall. Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

CARRIZOZO A-A
Meets each Saturday at 8 p.m., in the Rural Electric Building.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS RUIDOSO AREA GROUP
Tuesdays, 8:00 p.m. First Christian Church AA & Alanon & Alateen meet separately.
Saturdays, 8:00 p.m. First Christian Church joint meeting.
Closed step study, Thursdays, 8 p.m., First Christian Church. Phone 257-5038, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.; 257-5239 after 5 p.m.

Thursday, March 12: Shopping, Escort, Transportation, For Information Call 257-4565; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.
7 P.M. - Birthday Party, Dance.
Friday, March 13: 10-Noon - Ceramics, Lapidary; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.

Monday, March 16: 10-Noon - Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.
Tuesday, March 17: 10-Noon - Social Security, Exercise; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise, Nadine Brookings, Leader.
Wednesday, March 18: 9:30 A.M. - Bowling, Holiday Bowl; 10:30 A.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check, Golden Age Club Luncheon Meeting MPR; 7:30 P.M. - Duplicate Bridge.

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Monday, March 30: 10-Noon - Pool, Ceramics; 2-4 P.M. - Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. - Games.
Tuesday, March 31: 10-Noon - Social Security, Exercise; 2-3 P.M. - Shape Up Exercise Class, Nadine Brookings, Leader.

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Sunday Evening Youth Service - 5:30 p.m. in log structure.
Sunday Evening Prayer Service - 7:30 p.m. in log structure.

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Rev. Ken Cole
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Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH SERVICES
Ruidoso, N.M.
Held at First Presbyterian Church, Nob Hill, Ruidoso
Worship Services - 2 p.m.
Coffee-Fellowship following
Services conducted by:
O. F. Krohn, Pastor-Roswell
Gerald Harms, Pastor-Alamogordo

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Don McNamara, Interim Pastor
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Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Henry S. Rodgers, Pastor
Home Phone: 648-2274
Sunday Services - 4:00 p.m.

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Rev. Charles Spooner, Minister
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.

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Phone 648-2875
Vicar: Father Delbert Achuff
Holy Eucharist - 1st and 3rd Sunday - Evening Service - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service - 7:00 p.m.
Office of Evening Prayer - 2nd and 4th Sunday - 7 p.m.

SAINT ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHAPEL
Glenrose, N.M.
Rector: Father Delbert Achuff
Holy Communion - First Sunday - 9:15 a.m.

GATEWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Carl Parsons, Minister
Bible Study - 9:30 a.m.
Worship and Communion - 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Ladies' Bible Class - 9:30 a.m.-Wed.

GATEWAY ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Palmer Gateway, Ruidoso
Pastor Ed Rimer
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Church Service - 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Service - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: Mid-Week Service - 7:30 p.m.
Evening - Service - 6:00 p.m.

APACHE INDIAN ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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Merlin C. Neely, Pastor
Phone 671-4536
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Services - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service - 7:00 p.m.

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Roger Bruggink, Pastor
Church School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Ruidoso, N.M.
Rev. E. W. Campbell, Pastor
Sunday Service - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service - 7:00 p.m.

RUIDOSO BAPTIST CHURCH
Palmer Gateway
Rev. Wayne Joyce, Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Services - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Ruidoso Downs, N.M.
Dale W. McCleskey, Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Tinnie, N.M.
Bill Jones, Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Capitan, N.M.
Rev. Wayland E. Holbrook, Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7:00 p.m.

MESCALERO BAPTIST MISSION
James Huse, Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Training Union - 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service - 6:30 p.m.

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Cal West, Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
Parish Priest: Father Bernard Longrey
Sunday Masses: Saint Eleanor's - 10 a.m. Saint Jude's in San Patricio - 8:30 a.m. Saturday evening (Fulfill Sunday obligation) - 7 p.m. Daily Masses at 8 a.m. and as announced in Sunday Bulletin. Confessions: Saturday - 7:30 to 7:55 p.m. - Saint Eleanor's; Before all Masses at St. Jude's. Choir Rehearsal at St. Eleanor's every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. New members invited. Baptisms: Parents must make arrangements. Sponsors from other Parishes must bring a permit from their own Pastor.

SANTA RITA CATHOLIC
David J. Bergs, Pastor
Saturday Masses: 4 p.m., Sacred Heart in Ft. Stanton; 6 p.m., San Juan in Lincoln (private homes in winter); 7 p.m., Santa Rita in Carrizozo.
Sunday Masses: 9 a.m., Santa Rita; 11 a.m., Sacred Heart in Capitan.
Monday: Capitan office hours 4-5 and 6-6:30 p.m., and after the 6:30 p.m., Mass.

7TH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
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J. C. Harris
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Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
Meeting at Methodist Church

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Rev. I. A. Lake
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.
Midweek Service - 7:00 p.m.

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Phone 257-2356
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Daily Office of Morning Prayer - 8 a.m.
Daily Noonday Office - 12 a.m.
Sunday: Holy Eucharist - 8 and 10:30 a.m.
Nursery (ages 0-8) Parish Hall - 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday: Holy Eucharist - 8 a.m.
Church School (grades 1-5) - 2:30-4:15 p.m.
Primary Choir - 2:30-3:00 (Grades 1-2).
Class Period - 3:00-3:45 (Grades 1-5).
Junior Choir - 3:45-4:15 (Grades 3-5).
Holy Eucharist - 5:30 p.m.
Adult Study Group - 7:30-9 p.m.
Thursday: Choir Rehearsal, Parish Hall - 7:30 p.m.

OLD LINCOLN CHURCH
Phone 653-4893
Father Delbert Achuff
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Sunday Public Talk - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Watchtower Study - 10:50 a.m.
Thursday Ministry School - 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service Meeting - 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday Group Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Klingdon Hall - Capitan
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Sunday Public Talk - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Watchtower Study - 10:50 a.m.
Thursday Ministry School - 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service Meeting - 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday Group Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service - 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Service - 7:30 p.m.

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Bill Streeter, Phone 257-5423
Priesthood, Relief Society, Primary and Young Women - 8 a.m.
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Sacrament Meeting - 11:15 a.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST L.D.S. MESCALERO BRANCH
Ray Cavanaugh
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Priesthood - 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
Sacrament Meeting - 11:30 a.m.

MISSION FOUNTAIN OF LIVING WATER FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
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Real Estate Facts

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What is the best way to file a claim for loss or damage to household goods during a move? Interstate movers are regulated by the Interstate Commerce Commission (ICC) and operate under different laws than local movers who are regulated by the state.

The Ruidoso Board of Realtors suggests that the two most important days of a move are the day the household goods are picked up and the day they are delivered. There are very important things that should be done on these two days to insure that any future claims against the mover will be settled fairly and promptly.

First, on moving day, the driver and his helpers will take an inventory of the household goods to determine their condition and count. Someone in the family should be there because that inventory form becomes the official receipt showing pre-delivery condition and count. Any subsequent loss or damage claims will be based on it.

The other important day for establishing the mover's liability is the delivery date. Again, someone should be present to determine the condition and quantity of the goods.

Unless the move was prepaid, or someone else is paying for it, the person receiving the goods will have to pay the freight charges before the goods are unloaded. Don't sign any delivery papers, receipt (other than for payment), for the inventory form until the goods have been inspected. Notations of damage or loss should be written immediately on the inventory form. This is critical in any claims against the mover. If notations are not made, the mover, in effect, is being given a clear receipt, which implies that no damage or loss has occurred. Telling the driver about damage or loss is no good. It must be written on the inventory at the time of delivery.

Making these notations is not the same

as filling a claim. They are, however, an essential part of the claim. The ICC points out that "the notations of indicated loss or damage can be the basic foundation for the prompt settlement of a claim."

Sometimes it is not possible to check the contents of all the cartons at delivery time. In those instances where damage is discovered to an item in an unopened carton after the driver has left, leave the item in the carton and immediately contact the mover. The longer you wait to inspect cartons, or report concealed damage, the less likely the claim will be paid.

If goods are damaged or missing on the delivery date, a written claim must be filed with the mover. The driver will not do this.

Contact the local agent of the moving firm and request a company claim form. The agent will set up an appointment to inspect damaged goods. Complete this form in as detailed a fashion as possible to avoid delays and then mail it to the address provided by the mover.

Under ICC regulations, every interstate mover that receives a written claim for loss or damage to goods he transported is required to acknowledge it in writing within 30 days of receipt. Further, the mover must either pay, dispute, or make a firm compromise settlement offer in writing within 120 days of receiving the claim. If he is unable to do so, the mover must notify the customer every 30 days thereafter, in writing, of the status of the claim and the reasons for delay.

The ICC can offer assistance on claims, but has no power of adjudication. If a settlement with the mover cannot be reached, the only recourse is a civil action in court.

The Ruidoso Board of Realtors suggests that anyone having questions about claims should call the ICC consumer hotline toll free 1-800-424-9312.

'Profit from your taxes'

BY TERRI GUTIERREZ
Eastern New Mexico University

Who should file

PORTALES — Determining whether you should file a 1980 income tax return is a decision that takes into consideration a person's age, marital status, and the amount of money made in 1980.

Single persons under age 65 should file if their income is \$3,300 or more for a year January 1 to December 31. Single persons age 65 or over should file if their gross income is \$4,300 or more for the year. Gross income includes wages, salaries, tips and other compensation for services, interest and dividends, pensions, rents, and even prizes and awards.

For a married couple filing a joint return with spouses under age 65, then the minimum gross income is \$5,400. If one spouse is over age 65, then the minimum is \$6,400. If both are 65 or over, they should file if their gross income is \$7,400 or more.

A qualifying widow or widower should file if their gross income is \$4,400 or more if they are under age 64, and \$5,400 or more if they are age 65 or over. A qualifying widow or widower is a person whose spouse died in 1978 or 1979 and who has a dependent child living with them. This entitles them to use the same rates as a

married couple filing a joint return. Individuals may still need to file a 1980 income tax form if one of the following exceptions exists in their situation: if an individual is claimed as a dependent by another taxpayer and has an unearned income of \$1,000 or more, or if your gross income is less than the filing requirements, but you owe other taxes such as social security tax on tips not reported to your employer.

A minimum tax or alternative minimum tax would also call for filing a return. These are taxes in addition to regular income tax on certain preference items such as stock options, depletion, and intangible drilling costs.

Another tax would be the repayment of a new principal home credit claimed in 1975 or 1976 or the repayment of investment credit claimed in a previous year.

If an individual's gross income is less than the filing requirements, a return must still be filed if the individual had net earnings from self-employment of \$400 or more. A self-employment tax must be paid on self-employment income.

Persons who do not know whether they must file a 1980 return should contact a professional tax specialist or call an IRS information center toll-free at 800-827-3880.

Chaparral Council for the Arts Regional Calendar of Events

THE LION IN WINTER, March 20, 21, 27, 28, New Mexico State University at Alamogordo (NMSU-A) Players. NMSU-A auditorium, Alamogordo.

FRIENDS OF FOLK MUSIC CONCERT, 7:30 p.m., March 25, Chamizal National Monument, El Paso, Texas.

NMSU SYMPHONY CONCERT, March 26, NMSU, Las Cruces, 646-3221.

GUYS AND DOLLS, March 26, Civic Light Opera, Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque.

BALLET EL PASO, Cinderella, 8 p.m., March 27 and 28, 2:30 p.m.; March 29, Magoffin Auditorium, El Paso, Texas.

REQUIEM, by Mozart, March 29, First United Methodist Church, Albuquerque, 243-5446.

NMSU CONCERT, (free), March 31, Corbett Center, NMSU, Las Cruces.

THIRD ANNUAL BAROQUE FESTIVAL, March 31, First United Methodist Church, Albuquerque.

NMSU ART FACULTY EXHIBITION, March 25 through April 15, Williams Hall, NMSU, Las Cruces.

THE CHAPARRAL COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS is an organization devoted to promotion of all forms of the cultural arts in Lincoln and Otero County. The next meeting of the council will be at 7:30 p.m., March 17 at the Alamogordo Chamber of Commerce. More information may be obtained by calling JoAnn Butler Anderson, 336-4235 or Bill Mayfield, 671-4617.

NEW MEXICO INTERNATIONAL ART SHOW, through March 31, Clovis. For information, write P.O. Box 153, Clovis.

ELEVEN ARTIST SHOW, through March 22, Gallery La Luz, La Luz.

KACHINA SHOW, through March 13, Sun Spirit Gallery (in cooperation with the Squash Blossom) Alamogordo.

THE MIRACLE WORKER, 8 p.m., March 13, 14, 20, 21, 27 and 28, Southwest Repertory Organization, 1301 Texas, El Paso, Texas, 533-1671.

SIGLO DE ORO DRAMA FESTIVAL, March 6-21, Chamizal Theatre, El Paso, Texas, call Department of Interior, 543-7880.

EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CULTURAL ARTS SHOW, March 11, Otero County Fairgrounds, Alamogordo.

THE GIN GAME, March 11, Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque.

NEW MEXICO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, featuring Andre Watts on piano, 8:15 p.m., March 13 and 14, Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque.

ALBUQUERQUE CHAMBER ORCHESTRA, Concert Three, March 19, Keller Hall, Albuquerque.

CALIFORNIA SUITE, March 19, 21, 26, 28, El Paso Playhouse, El Paso, Texas, 532-1317.

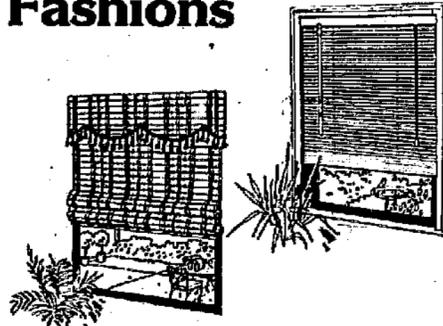
EL PASO SYMPHONY, Carmina Burana, March 20, 21, El Paso Civic Center, El Paso, Texas.

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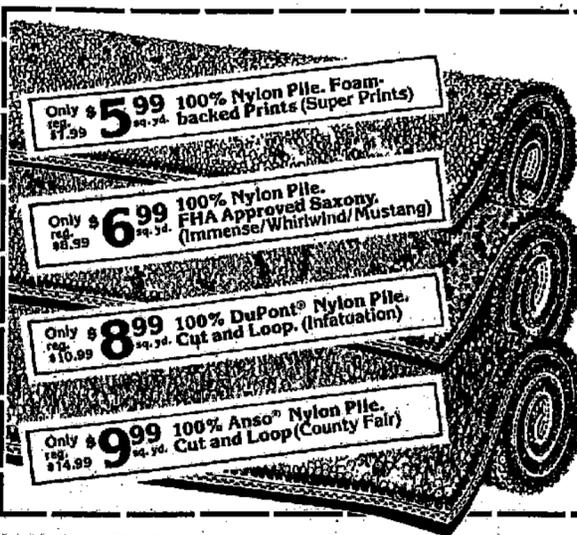
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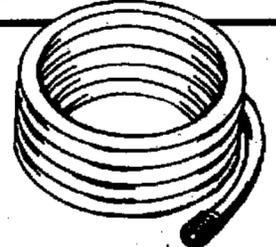
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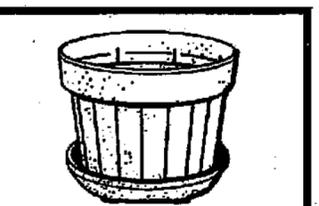
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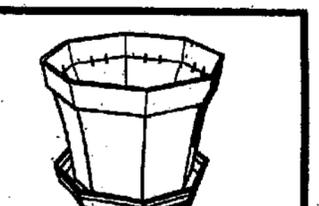
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