



HAVING FUN on the Lincoln County Ranch Tour are Warren Russell of Corona and Justin Turner of Bloomfield. For more on last weekend's tour, see story and photos on pages 8 and 9.

Bids called for on police building

The Ruidoso council Tuesday approved a call for bids on construction of the \$600,000 police-courts building remodeling project.

The action came at a special afternoon meeting. The meeting started at 4 p.m. and was recessed after 45 minutes because the project architect, John Vanoy Moore, was not present.

When the meeting reconvened at 6:45, Moore reviewed changes in the project plans for the mayor and council.

The architect explained that he compiled a list of 13 "alternates"—work called for in the plans which can be deleted or contracted separately at a later date, subject to budget constraints.

His intent was to "buffer the bids," Moore said. In the event the bids on the entire project come in higher than the budgeted amount, money can be saved by awarding the bid less some or all of the alternates.

Included in Moore's list are: air conditioning equipment, concrete curbs, cabinet work, shelving, carpet, ceramic tilework,

kitchen equipment, vinyl wall covering, mirrors, canopies, lockers, and furnishing of a room for Emergency Medical Service.

"Alternates are trying to do before the fact what you end up clumsily trying to do after the fact," said Moore.

During the earlier portion of the meeting, police chief Dick Swenor told the council that he, Moore and others have gone over the plans thoroughly in looking for ways to keep costs down.

Officer Jim Alston, a member of the committee overseeing the project, pointed out that in making changes, the safety and security of prisoners has not been compromised.

Village purchasing agent John Cupp stated the aim of "getting the best end result for the dollars we had to work with."

Swenor was reminded that the project was originally to have been bid March 15.

"It's been one little Murphy's law after another thing that keeps cropping up on us," said the chief.

Alston pointed out that, when built, the detention facility portion of the building

will be a "pacesetter."

"I think we're approaching a model facility in that sense," he said.

Swenor noted that the building will not be a "plush" complex. "It's an operational facility," he said.

The officers expressed hope that District Court can occasionally be held in the complex when it is completed, saving residents and officers trips to Carrizozo.

They pointed out that space cutbacks have been concentrated in administrative functions.

"I personally don't feel the (planned) facility is large enough," said Alston, "but it's all we can afford."

He added that the remodeled building will allow better use of available space than does the present building.

"The delay factor is now becoming critical," Swenor told the council. He noted that the temporary building which will house the department during the remodeling is nearly ready.

The council also discussed a bond on workers involved in installation of security

equipment at the complex. Village attorney Lee Huckstep said that such bonds are unheard of in New Mexico and that the State Police Department keeps a list of such workers on its projects.

A penalty fee to be assessed the contractor if the project is not completed on time was also discussed. Moore said specifications called for a \$200 per day penalty. The possibility of imposing a larger penalty was mentioned, but no action was taken.

Moore said that performance security will be in the form of a letter of credit. He added that he plans to further qualify prospective contractors for the project with other work they have done and through references.

Plans for the electronics portion of the project did not arrive in time for review by the council Tuesday. Moore requested that bids be called for on leasing of the equipment as soon as possible, so that they too can be opened July 15.

The council was to review the plans in a special meeting this morning.

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WATER!

Whys and wherefores, pros and cons discussed at town meeting

by DAVID SHEPPARD
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In the first of two town meetings on the upcoming water bond vote, Ruidosoans heard the village's case for requesting approval of the \$8 million improvement plan.

The highlight of the forum came when Mayor George White stated his opposition to the project. The council members present, Benny Coulston, Don Dale and Frank Sayner, expressed disappointment in the mayor's position, and all went on record in firm support of the issue.

Reasons for the capital improvements program and questions on its financing were also raised at the town meeting.

Assistant village manager Frank Potter presented charts designed by water study groups that focus on present availability of water, water rights, and projected demand.

He explained that over 80 percent of the water processed in the system comes from Eagle Creek and about 20 percent comes from the Ruidoso River.

That translates into 1,544 acre feet on Eagle Creek (if the present flow right is converted to a quantity right) and 214 acre feet on the Rio Ruidoso.

Noting that the Rio Ruidoso flows almost five times as much as Eagle Creek based on long-term flow charts, Potter asked if it makes sense that Rio Ruidoso water isn't stored.

"The only reason we're not taking more Ruidoso River water is there is no place to store it," he said.

He also noted that 730 acre feet a year from the two watersheds is lost downstream after going through the system.

Ruidoso gets credit for that water, called effluent credit, which means it can add that amount to its traditional rights upstream. "Effluent credit is the reason for the dam," he said.

Mayor White then mentioned that a protest has been filed regarding the change in the location at which effluent is discharged into the Ruidoso River.

Effluent is now discharged from the new Biscuit Hill water treatment plant. Until the plant's opening last week, it was directed into the river from the old sewage plant east of the high school.

Potter said farmers located between the two plants filed the protest with the State Engineer's Office because they will no longer receive the extra water for irrigation that was being discharged into the river. But he indicated that the protesters have no actual right to additional water.

Coulston noted that municipalities are efficient users of water. He said communities return water to the river, rather than using it up "like irrigation farmers."

Councilman Frank Sayner, a member of the reservoir study committee, described the scenario if the bond issue fails.

Sayner said if voters reject the proposed dam, the council will immediately look into means of funding a new treatment plant, which, he said, is needed to more adequately utilize Ruidoso River water.

He said \$2.5 million dollars would have to be raised to construct the plant. He added that the funds would probably come from a water rate hike to the 5,000 metered users in the village.

The increase could mean monthly bills as high as \$75, he predicted.

In an explanation of the bond issue,

Sayner described the financing terms. Of the \$8 million needed for the improvements, the village will ask voters to approve a one percent increase in the gross receipts tax, raising the sales tax to 5.25 cents on the dollar. Revenues from the tax will be used to retire a \$6 million bond issue.

Based on last year's tax figures, Sayner said the one percent would raise \$900,000 a year.

At an assumed interest rate of 14 percent, Sayner said annual payments on the total debt would be \$1.2 million.

According to state law, the village can finance only three-quarters of the improvements through revenue bonds. Therefore, Ruidoso also will ask voters to approve a \$2 million general obligation (GO) bond, which would mean a property tax hike.

Sayner said that in 1981, assessed valuation totaled \$50 million. Based on that amount, he said, the extra \$300,000 to meet the yearly payment could be raised on a maximum \$4 increase per \$1,000 in assessed value. But he also noted that another \$5 million in assessed value will be added to the tax rolls this year, which lowers the tax bite.

An average house in Ruidoso might cost \$75,000, he said. The assessed value, at 33 percent, would be \$25,000. The three dollar raise per thousand would add up to \$75 a year.

Also, the councilman said, based on construction schedules for the project, GO money would not be needed "until at least three years from now." By then, he said, because of inflation, he expects that the entire debt could be paid from the sales tax increase.

Sayner also noted that the one penny hike in sales tax only can be applied to retire the revenue bond, according to the state law which permits municipalities to impose the one percent tax to finance water improvements.

If the issue is rejected, Sayner said, the burden of paying for improvements will be placed on permanent residents, rather than on visitors who increase demand for water in the summer.

But Mayor White pointed out that the village raised the water rate last year, and has since accumulated \$300,000 in its coffers from the hike, that is intended for the water system.

"It won't be necessary to raise the rate (again)," he said. "That's money we could use for expansion."

Benny Coulston disagreed.

White announces opposition to bond issue

by DAVID SHEPPARD
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Describing himself as "the devil's advocate," Ruidoso mayor George White came out in opposition Tuesday to the proposed Grindstone Canyon reservoir project that will be voted on July 6.

Reading from a prepared statement at the first town meeting on the bond issue, White indicated to the council he will actively campaign against the project.

"I have decided to oppose the bond issue," he said.

Referring to a special meeting on the project June 2, White berated the councilmen for refusing to take action on a recommendation from water board chairman C. Newton Page and reservoir study committee chairman John Schuller to place a moratorium on future annexations.

At the June 2 meeting, the council took no action regarding the recommendation. Councilman Al Junge said at the time that the village would have to "trust the council to keep a tight rein" on development.

In his message Tuesday, White said the council "refused to take any action on the (moratorium) proposal and gave no assurances that they would even try to curtail the growth pattern now underway, even in the light of the shortage of water."

White continued by recalling a state-

ment he made at the September 8, 1981, trustees meeting. That statement was in reaction to the annexation of 300 acres in the White Mountain subdivision.

His concern, he said at the time and repeated Tuesday, is over the lack of water and the "inability to see much improvement (in the water situation) in the next several years."

He said Ruidoso is fast losing its "mountain village atmosphere," and unless real estate development is curtailed, he would "campaign actively against any and all bond issues to pay for water or sewer extensions."

White explained why his position remains unchanged.

He referred to the water board's figures that show enough available water to meet demand until 1985.

"If we would stop growth now," he suggested, "we could go to 1985 without too much trouble."

However, Schuller, who is also Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z) chairman, recently pointed out that approved plats in the village already exceed the projected figures.

White added, "This scares the life out of me to think by 1985 we won't have any surplus water at all."

White then informed the councilmen he will maintain his stance and oppose any

water projects until, as he put it, the council follows "the advice of the water board and Planning and Zoning to curtail development."

Councilman Don Dale was the first to respond.

He told the mayor he had made a couple of misstatements. Referring to remarks made at the June 2 meeting, Dale said the council had "made assurances that we would curtail development."

"There's no way we could lock ourselves up in a shell and say there will be no more development in Ruidoso," he said.

"If we do, we'll break the shell in five years and find we have no water storage," Dale added that he "would like to go on record as being completely for it (the bond issue)."

P&Z member Mike Mulholland also wanted to correct White. He noted that P&Z chairman Schuller personally recommended the moratorium, but the issue was never voted on by the commission.

Councilman Benny Coulston then stepped in. He wanted to know if either the water board or reservoir committee went on record for an annexation halt.

Assistant village manager Frank Potter replied that the subject was never put to a vote of the water board, of which he is a member.

Coulston then said he was disappointed in the mayor's position.

"I think it would have been advantageous that an opinion of this magnitude would have come out at the (municipal) election," he added.

The councilman reiterated comments he made at the June 2 meeting regarding a previous annexation in White Mountain. He pointed out it has been more than a year since the tract was annexed, and presently there are only 10 water meters.

Coulston predicted it will be another two years before the development will make "any significant demand on the village water system."

Concerning a moratorium, Coulston said it would be "a fruitless endeavor."

"It would not in one iota slow down demands on water that Ruidoso has to fill," he said.

Because of "the law of supply and demand," he said, an expansion stop would double or triple property values and force the village to build "wall-to-wall."

"It will destroy the town eventually," he remarked.

Mike Funston, one of 15 persons in the audience, said he was neutral concerning construction of the dam. But he suggested the bond questions be amended to include restrictions on annexations that go beyond capacities of the water system.

No further comment was made on the suggestion.

Chamber of Commerce banquet well attended

by WILL TURBOW
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"Keep up the good work," said incoming Chamber of Commerce president Morgan Clough after being handed the gavel by outgoing president Richard Sandoval during a gathering of 137 local businesspeople at the Chamber's annual banquet Monday night.

"It is with pride and trepidation that I relate to you the achievements of your Chamber," Clough stated during his inaugural speech.

Pride, he said, because of the growth the Chamber has recently experienced and managed so well. Inquiries received by the Chamber have risen by 70 percent in a three-year period, Clough noted. Another indication of growth, added Clough, is the jump in Chamber membership from around 280 in 1979 to 550 in 1982.

Trepidation, he said, because of the large undertakings facing the Chamber in 1982-83. He listed the Art Festival coming up in July; the newly organized Ruidoso Motorcycle Festival, Aspen Festival '82,

including a multitude of events; the various fund-raising parties; and an ever increasing day to day workload.

Clough told all present not to forget the small industry, the middle-level industry, the large industry and Ruidoso's only industry—tourism. He added that everyone become aware of "all the things here in Ruidoso."

The tourist industry and all who live in Ruidoso, said Clough, provide "something special for the tourists who visit here." Ruidoso's tourist friends appreciate the unchecked enthusiasm and excitement of the village which keeps them coming back, claimed Clough.

Outgoing Chamber president Sandoval thanked everyone who helped him during his tenure as president, especially his employers at Gibson's for allowing him the time off needed to properly serve the Chamber.

Sandoval paid special tribute to his good friend and former chamber member Larry Langford for a job well done in his position.

Sandoval also thanked his treasurer, Archer Wilson. "Archer Wilson," Sandoval said,

"He thought I should be president, and I thought he should be president. I lost."

Expressing his delight over the success of the recent Chamber membership drive which netted 100 new members, bringing the total membership to 570, Sandoval said, "For a hick town village like Ruidoso, that is exceptional."

Sandoval then handed out certificates of appreciation to board members who recently went off the board. He declared these certificate earners most important in the Chamber's recent success: Sheila Harris, Roger Marshall, Kathy Barnett, Ralph Bellon and Jerry Bigham.

Nottingham's Pub was awarded the third annual Hn-Zhu-Ne award for the best improvement to the exterior of a business. Melinda Hall accepted the plaque, which will be placed on the outside of Nottingham's, from Hn-Zhu-Ne committee chairman Archer Wilson. Wilson explained that Hn-Zhu-Ne means beautiful or pretentious in the tongue of the Apache people.

Not other places of commerce received certificates of appreciation for the measures they took to beautify their businesses and Ruidoso. They were: 20/20

Gallery, Pete's Mexican Fare, Pine Tree Square, Sierra Vista Mall, Maytag Laundry, Whispering Pines Cabins, Mack Kizer, Innsbrook Village and Jim Pless Gallery.

After more bad jokes typical of such banquets, and hearing of upcoming events and activities in Ruidoso, feast goers were treated to a presentation by Major General Alan Nord, commander of the United States Army White Sands Missile Range (WSMR).

It's the spending of \$355 million in 1982 that allows WSMR to interact with the outlying communities. People who work at White Sands live and spend money in Las Cruces, Alamogordo and, to some extent, Ruidoso, said the general. In return, noted Nord, those communities are considerate in accommodating the military.

As a final note, General Nord told the gathering of Ruidoso Chamber members that Thursday, June 17, at approximately 10:45 p.m., an Aries missile may be seen ascending from the southern end of WSMR. Nord suggested that skygazers look to the southwest, towards Las Cruces, to catch a glimpse of the bright test rocket.



MORGAN CLOUGH, left, 1982-83 Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce president, hands a gift of appreciation to outgoing Chamber president **RICHARD SANDOVAL** and receives the board of directors gavel at Monday's Chamber banquet at Cree Meadows Country Club.

Chamber announces it's for water bond issue

by WILL TURBOW
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The board of directors of the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce voted unanimously yesterday to officially and formally endorse a yes vote in the July 6 election on the \$8 million water capital improvements program.

The board decided to endorse the proposed water bond after hearing from village councilmen Frank Sayner and Benny Coulston. The two men gave their personal word to the board that if the bond passes, then the \$8 million will be used exclusively for a new dam and treatment plant.

Sayner told the Chamber directors that the Grindstone Canyon dam site is "a natural." He explained that other dam site possibilities were on United States Forest Service land.

However, Sayner said private land was finally selected because it allows construction to begin in September without the

necessary environmental assessments and other red tape involved with using federal land.

Time is very important to the construction of the dam, stressed Sayner. He noted that the present water system will be able to supply good quality water to Ruidosoans and the many people pouring into this mountain community only until December 1984. Completion of a Grindstone reservoir and water treatment facility, if the bond passes, is expected by January 1985.

Sayner listed approximate costs figured into the \$8 million bond issue as follows:

- Dam, including cost of land: \$4.6 million.
- Line from water plant one in Upper Canyon to new Grindstone treatment plant: \$400,000.
- New water treatment plant: \$1,360,000.
- Five million gallon storage tank and lines: \$1 million.

- Control center: \$155,000.
- Line to storage tank at Black Forest: \$36,000.
- Line to tank at Skyland: \$48,000.
- Contingency fund: \$372,000.

Sayner admitted there seems to be disagreement about how soon a completed dam could fill up with water. Some believe it will take only nine months. Others believe it will take considerably longer to fill the dam.

"We're looking at two years maximum growth and water. We can only be so big," commented Sayner. He added that after the dam is built, only four more years of growth at the present annual rate of 7.3 percent may be maintained.

Sayner stated that due to a state legislative act, an additional one percent sales tax may be imposed to pay for water improvements. Doing so, pointed out Sayner, would bring in \$900,000 annually to the village of Ruidoso for the debt retire-

ment of the bonds.

The remaining \$300,000 could be financed by a general obligation bond or property tax increase, mentioned Sayner. At the present rate of growth, Sayner said, the highest increase possible on property taxes will be \$4 per \$1,000.

"It seems to me the easiest way to pay the money. If the whole issue goes down to defeat... We will still have to put in a water treatment plant to serve Ruidoso," Sayner remarked.

Sayner pointed out that all three questions on the ballot must be marked yes if the bond is to pass. Otherwise, the issue cannot be brought up again for two more years.

Coulston stated that it is the unanimous decision of the council to pass the bond proposal. However, he said Mayor George White has changed his opinion on the matter from formerly favoring the passage of the bond to opposing it, "which is very disappointing to the council."

Councilman Coulston also noted that while it may be favorable to the bond's passage at the polls if a moratorium on growth is placed as a rider to the bond proposal.

He continued by saying that Ruidoso has staked its future to the Eagle Creek watershed, which will not be able to handle the burden of supplying water in the near future. Coulston said Ruidoso is presently using 100 percent of the Eagle Creek water, but that Captain is entitled to 60 percent of it.

"This village has got to make a decision to stake its future to the Rio Ruidoso because it is the only option water we have," Coulston stated.

In other Chamber board business, Chamber executive director Ed Jungbluth announced that Doug Cluff of E-Z TV has accepted to fill a vacant seat on the Retail Merchants Committee.

Chamber president Morgan Clough

reiterated that the Chamber had acquired 100 new members during the recent membership drive. He plainly stated that the Chamber was expecting approximately 55 new members, but congratulated both the Bad Guy team and the Good Guy team for their super effort.

"We must be doing something right to continue our growth," Clough commented. Jungbluth said the annual Cadillac Party will be held at the Inn of the Mountain Gods Wednesday, August 18. Tickets will cost \$195 per couple, and only 200 tickets will be sold, he added. Invitations will be sent out soon, stated Jungbluth.

The Chamber board also voted to discontinue the weekly coffee cart during the summer months of July and August. There is too much going on and most people are too busy to attend the Wednesday morning get-togethers, Jungbluth explained. Coffee carts will resume the first week in September, however.



MELINDA HALL, co-owner of Nottingham's Pub, on the far right, accepts the Hon-Zhu-Ne award for the best exterior improvement to a Ruidoso business Monday night. Presenting the award are, from left to

right, Hon-Zhu-Ne award committee chairman Archer Wilson, Diane Coulston and Sheila Harris, ex-Chamber president who initiated the award three years ago.

Racetrack offers support of Downs' bid for more revenues

by BARBY GRANT
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Two attorneys and the general manager of Ruidoso Downs Race Track attended Monday's Ruidoso Downs trustees meeting to offer support in any efforts to persuade the state Legislature that the village should be entitled to additional revenues from the track.

Village and racetrack officials discussed the matter at two meetings between the two bodies after Mayor J. C. Day, during the May 24 trustees meeting, expressed his belief that the village is being "shafted." Day stated that the village should be receiving gross receipts taxes from all sales at the track, but that the Legislature has exempted race tracks from the requirement to pay such.

"The board (of directors at the racetrack) enthusiastically supports your position," said track attorney T. T. Sanders Monday. "We will try to do whatever we can do to alleviate the situation."

"There has to be a way this village can keep from sitting here and drying up with one of the biggest industries in the state within the village limits," stated Day.

He told The News Tuesday that Senator Charlie Lee contacted him about ten days ago and indicated he will work on the mat-

ter with the Legislature. According to Day, Lee said he will find out how much gross receipts taxes the village currently receives from the track, as the amount is not a matter of public record.

Also Monday night, Day reported that a vehicle has been purchased from the sheriff's department to be used by police officer Dale Patrick for animal control, junk auto citations and enforcement of Planning and Zoning Commission ordinances.

Trustee Harrold Mansell reported that Ruidoso animal control officer Jack Sniadecki's claim (printed in an article in The News that day), that the village has a population of 4,800 dogs and cats is incorrect.

"There can't be 4,800 dogs and cats unless he doesn't know the difference between dogs and cats and horses," Mansell argued.

Sniadecki had recently submitted, at the village's request, a proposed contract for \$24,000 a year for animal control services for Ruidoso Downs, which the village said it cannot afford.

"Before I pay him \$24,000 a year, we'll buy a Cadillac and have a chauffeur drive it and pick them (dogs and cats) up in style," Day said at Monday's meeting.

It was suggested that the village devise a plan of action to answer the letter about the village's animal control problem,

which Sniadecki addressed to the state Health and Environment Department.

In other business, the trustees:

—Opened sealed bids on village equipment to be sold. High bids were accepted from J. C. Capps for a tractor, and backhoe, with a bid of \$1,886; Harold Mansell for 90 feet of steel pipe, for a bid of \$65; Bill Taylor for a 1978 Ford LTD police vehicle, for a bid of \$225; J. C. Day for a tractor lawn mower, for a bid of \$26.

—Reported that rates for dumping at Ruidoso's landfill will be increased by \$5 effective July 7.

—Granted final approval to the 1982-83 budget after receiving approval from Santa Fe.

—Agreed to pay police officer Jack Richardson \$40 for painting his patrol car.

—Tabled a request to purchase a lawn mower for the village and requested the village clerk to check on prices for used mowers.

—Approved a zoning map designed by the Planning and Zoning Commission, with any proposed changes in the map to be presented to the board of trustees.

—Decided that village employees need approval from two members of the governing body (including village clerk) for out-of-town trips, and that travel plans should be presented to the board if possible.

The possibility of having the village issue industrial bonds on behalf of the racetrack was also brought up at a June 9 meeting between village and racetrack officials, Day said Tuesday. Representatives from the track suggested the village sign industrial bonds worth between \$8 and \$10 million for construction of a new sales barn at the track.

The village would not be responsible for repaying the bonds, Day explained, and, under the present tax system, would not benefit financially from the arrangement.

Sanders reported at Monday's meeting, however, that it would not be feasible for the village to issue the bonds on behalf of the track.

No action was taken on the matter.

The next meeting of the Ruidoso Downs trustees is scheduled for June 28 at 7 p.m. at the municipal building.

Robert Hays named head of state bankers group

Ruidoso State Bank president Robert L. Hays has been elected president of the New Mexico Bankers Association (NMBA). He assumed the duties of the position during the trade association's annual convention in Albuquerque last weekend.

A native of New Mexico, Hays was named president of Ruidoso State Bank in June, 1978, and previously was vice president of a bank in Kansas.

He has a bachelor of science degree in economics from Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, and graduate certificates from the Colorado School of Banking, Boulder, Colorado, and the National Commercial Lending School in Norman, Oklahoma.

Hays will serve as president of the NMBA, the trade association for the 68 banks in New Mexico, for a one-year term.



ROBERT L. HAYS

Downs P&Z seeks to control structure types

by BARBY GRANT
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A desire to control the types of structures being erected in the village was scussed Tuesday during the Ruidoso Downs Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z) meeting.

P&Z members asked village attorney on Harris if it is possible for them to require builders to present plans to the commission before putting up any type of structure in the village.

"How can we control and keep the ghway from becoming a little bit of a mess?" asked P&Z member Jim dwell.

"It's really difficult to do that," Harris stated.

He informed P&Z that the village currently has a pretty comprehensive plan concerning junk dealers, but the ordinances need to be enforced.

Police officer Dale Patrick has recently been appointed to enforce P&Z ordinances, was reported.

Members of the commission voted to

tion with electricity, indoor plumbing and restroom facilities. Other businesses will be considered itinerant merchants and will be required under ordinance 5-8-2 to purchase a monthly business license for \$100 per month.

P&Z was informed by Harris that the village currently has no residential zoning. If someone wants to build a house in the village, Harris explained, he cannot because there is no place for residential structures. He said residential zoning was somehow struck from the plan when it was established.

The commission is currently working on a new zoning map for the village, however, which includes zones for residential, commercial, manufacturing, racetrack, agricultural and trailer park areas.

In other business, P&Z:

—Agreed to recommend to the trustees that a waiver of fees for putting up a sign in front of the Hospital Auxiliary Thrift Shop be granted. Nell Trout and Lorena Ross from the Auxiliary requested the waiver because the organization is non-profit and all funds earned are returned to the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital. P&Z stipulated that the sign must be in accordance with ordinances.



FIREMEN search for evidence of the cause of a small grass fire Tuesday at the corner of Second and D streets. A second alarm sounded only a half-hour after this fire for another man-caused fire only yards away. Because firemen have determined many recent fires were intentionally set, fire superintendent Virgil Reynolds issued a statement Tuesday saying that adults caught for the act will be cited into court, and juveniles will be referred to the juvenile probation office.

Downs water supply improved

Ruidoso Downs mayor J. C. Day Jr. reported Tuesday that the village is now "in a safe range of water usage."

"If people will be reasonable with their use of water, we can make it through the summer without declaring an emergency situation," he said.

Day had announced June 2 that the village water supply was down to only 77,000 gallons as a result of the influx of visitors over the Memorial Day weekend.

Ruidoso Downs pumps about 150,000 gallons a day from the Agua Fria spring and Denton well into three tanks with a total capacity of 418,000 gallons, explained village clerk Wilma Webb. An average of about 100,000 gallons is used each day during the summer months, however, so demand almost equals supply.

Day said if residents are cooperative, the water supply should be sufficient for the summer.

CPR course set

A Red Cross cardiac-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) course will begin Monday, June 21, at the Ruidoso Public Library, said course organizer Wilma Sandoval.

Classes start at 6 p.m. and will end at 9 p.m. The course continues Wednesday, June 23, and Monday, June 28. People interested in learning CPR may register at the library the night of June 21. For more information, call Sandoval at 378-4561.

Stock offering successful

The First City National Bank of Ruidoso (in organization) holding company, First City Financial Corporation (FCFC), recently completed its own \$30 million stock sale to provide capital for bank acquisitions and expansion throughout New Mexico.

According to Joe Lopota, FCFC of "Going Public" magazine, editor, headquartered in Albuquerque, successfully concluded the largest, self-underwritten stock offering by any new corporation in the United States since 1972.

The New Mexico company began its direct, public stock offering late in January. By Friday, May 28, the stock was over-subscribed, and some would-be investors were unable to acquire shares.

"We were confident that the people of our market area would want to be part of this venture and that they would enthusiastically support it with their investments," said Reed H. Chittim, FCFC president and chief executive officer.

First City National Bank of Ruidoso (FCNBR) president Joe Loving stated that approximately \$2.25 million of FCFC stock was sold in the Ruidoso area. He mentioned that 225 people in the Ruidoso area bought stock in FCFC.

That, noted Loving, is equivalent to the number of people in Roswell—a city four times as large as Ruidoso—who purchased FCFC stock.

New Mexico has a very good future, said Loving, and Ruidoso has an exceptionally bright future. It was the first town chosen, added Loving, when the holding company was considering locations for affiliate banks.

He stated that the great support shown by Ruidosoans in investing in FCNBR demonstrated the community's strong need for additional banking services.

Loving said two good banks already serve Ruidoso. However, he said, another bank can only help the village grow by putting more money into the local economic system. Rather than relying on attrition from the other two banks, said Loving, he sees the many new businesses and people coming to Ruidoso as FCNBR's potential customers.

The banking business, Loving commented, is a service oriented business. FCNBR will be a full service bank, he promised.

Along with regular banking services to be offered, 24-hour banking will be made

available to the Ruidoso public by an "Easy Money" machine.

"You can do everything there except make loans," commented Loving about the Easy Money machine. The machine will function 18 to 20 hours a day, but the hours it will be closed will be during regular banking hours.

Loving pointed out that with an Easy Money card, one can make bank transactions at any time and wherever Easy Money machines are located.

Although a trust department will not be located at the new bank at 1141 Mechem Drive, Loving said investment counselors from FCFC will serve Ruidoso on a regular basis and by appointment.

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Chamber announces it's for water bond issue

by WILL TURBOW
Staff Writer

The board of directors of the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce voted unanimously yesterday to officially and formally endorse a yes vote in the July 6 election on the \$3 million water capital improvements program.

The board decided to endorse the proposed water bond after hearing from village councilmen Frank Sayner and Benny Coulston. The two men gave their personal word to the board that if the bond passes, then the \$3 million will be used exclusively for a new dam and treatment plant.

Sayner told the Chamber directors that the Grindstone Canyon dam site is "a natural." He explained that other dam site possibilities were on United States Forest Service land.

However, Sayner said private land was finally selected because it allows construction to begin in September without the

necessary environmental assessments and other red tape involved with using federal land.

Time is very important to the construction of the dam, stressed Sayner. He noted that the present water system will be able to supply good quality water to Ruidosoans and the many people pouring into this mountain community only until December 1984. Completion of a Grindstone reservoir and water treatment facility, if the bond passes, is expected by January 1985.

Sayner listed approximate costs figured into the \$3 million bond issue as follows:

- Dam, including cost of land: \$4.6 million.
- Line from water plant one in Upper Canyon to new Grindstone treatment plant: \$400,000.
- New water treatment plant: \$1,300,000.
- Five million gallon storage tank and lines: \$1 million.

- Control center: \$155,000.
- Line to storage tank at Black Forest: \$36,000.
- Line to tank at Skyland: \$48,000.
- Contingency fund: \$372,000.

Sayner admitted there seems to be disagreement about how soon a completed dam could fill up with water. Some believe it will take only nine months. Others believe it will take considerably longer to fill the dam.

"We're looking at two years maximum growth and water. We can only be so big," commented Sayner. He added that after the dam is built, only four more years of growth at the present annual rate of 7.3 percent may be maintained.

Sayner stated that due to a state legislative act, an additional one percent sales tax may be imposed to pay for water improvements. Doing so, pointed out Sayner, would bring in \$900,000 annually to the village of Ruidoso for the debt retire-

ment of the bonds.

The remaining \$300,000 could be financed by a general obligation bond or property tax increase, mentioned Sayner. At the present rate of growth, Sayner said, the highest increase possible on property taxes will be \$4 per \$1,000.

"It seems to me the easiest way to pay the money. If the whole issue goes down to defeat... We will still have to put in a water treatment plant to serve Ruidoso," Sayner remarked.

Sayner pointed out that all three questions on the ballot must be marked yes if the bond is to pass. Otherwise, the issue cannot be brought up again for two more years.

Coulston stated that it is the unanimous decision of the council to pass the bond proposal. However, he said Mayor George White has changed his opinion on the matter from formerly favoring the passage of the bond to opposing it, "which is very disappointing to the council."

Councilman Coulston also noted that White may be favorable to the bond's passage at the polls if a moratorium on growth is placed as a rider to the bond proposal.

He continued by saying that Ruidoso has staked its future to the Eagle Creek watershed, which will not be able to handle the burden of supplying water in the near future. Coulston said Ruidoso is presently using 100 percent of the Eagle Creek water, but that Capitan is entitled to 60 percent of it.

"This village has got to make a decision to stake our future to the Rio Ruidoso because it is the only decent water we have," Coulston stated.

In other Chamber board business, Chamber executive director Ed Jungbluth announced that Doug Cluff of E-Z TV has accepted to fill a vacant seat on the Retail Merchants Committee.

Chamber president Morgan Clough

reiterated that the Chamber had acquired 100 new members during the recent membership drive. He plainly stated that the Chamber was expecting approximately 55 new members, but congratulated both the Bad Guy team and the Good Guy team for their super effort.

"We must be doing something right to continue our growth," Clough commented. Jungbluth said the annual Cadillac Party will be held at the Inn of the Mountain Gods Wednesday, August 18. Tickets will cost \$195 per couple, and only 200 tickets will be sold, he added. Invitations will be sent out soon, stated Jungbluth.

The Chamber board also voted to discontinue the weekly coffee cart during the summer months of July and August. There is too much going on and most people are too busy to attend the Wednesday morning get-togethers, Jungbluth explained. Coffee carts will resume the first week in September, however.



MELINDA HALL, co-owner of Nottingham's Pub, on the far right, accepts the Hn-Zhu-Ne award for the best exterior improvement to a Ruidoso business Monday night. Presenting the award are, from left to

right, Hn-Zhu-Ne award committee chairman Archer Wilson, Diane Coulston and Sheila Harris, ex-Chamber president who initiated the award three years ago.

Racetrack offers support of Downs' bid for more revenues

by BARBY GRANT
Staff Writer

Two attorneys and the general manager of Ruidoso Downs Race Track attended Monday's Ruidoso Downs trustees meeting to offer support in any efforts to persuade the state Legislature that the village should be entitled to additional revenues from the track.

Village and racetrack officials discussed the matter at two meetings between the two bodies after Mayor J. C. Day, during the May 24 trustees meeting, expressed his belief that the village is being "shafted." Day stated that the village should be receiving gross receipt taxes from all sales at the track, but that the Legislature has exempted race tracks from the requirement to pay such.

"The board (of directors of the racetrack) enthusiastically supports your position," said track attorney T. T. Sanders Monday. "We will try to do whatever we can do to alleviate the situation."

"There has to be a way this village can keep from sitting here and drying up with one of the biggest industries in the state within the village limits," stated Day.

He told The News Tuesday that Senator Charlie Lee contacted him about ten days ago and indicated he will work on the mat-

ter with the Legislature. According to Day, Lee said he will find out how much gross receipts taxes the village currently receives from the track, as the amount is not a matter of public record.

Also Monday night, Day reported that a vehicle has been purchased from the sheriff's department to be used by police officer Dale Patrick for animal control, junk auto citations and enforcement of Planning and Zoning Commission ordinances.

Trustee Harold Mansell reported that Ruidoso animal control officer Jack Sniadecki's claim (printed in an article in The News that day), that the village has a population of 4,800 dogs and cats is incorrect.

"There can't be 4,800 dogs and cats unless he doesn't know the difference between dogs and cats and horses," Mansell argued.

Sniadecki had recently submitted, at the village's request, a proposed contract for \$24,000 a year for animal control services for Ruidoso Downs, which the village said it cannot afford.

"Before I pay him \$24,000 a year, we'll buy a Cadillac and have a chauffeur drive it and pick them (dogs and cats) up in style," Day said at Monday's meeting.

It was suggested that the village devise a plan of action to answer the letter about the village's animal control problem,

which Sniadecki addressed to the state Health and Environment Department.

In other business, the trustees: —Opened sealed bids on village equipment to be sold. High bids were accepted from J. C. Capps for a tractor, and backhoe, with a bid of \$1,586; Harold Mansell for 90 feet of steel pipe, for a bid of \$63; Bill Taylor for a 1975 Ford LTD police vehicle, for a bid of \$225; J. C. Day for a tractor lawn mower, for a bid of \$23.

—Reported that rates for dumping at Ruidoso's landfill will be increased by \$5 effective July 7.

—Granted final approval to the 1982-83 budget after receiving approval from Santa Fe.

—Agreed to pay police officer Jack Richardson \$40 for his patrol car.

—Tabled a request to purchase a lawn mower for the village and requested the village clerk to check on prices for used mowers.

—Approved a zoning map designed by the Planning and Zoning Commission, with any proposed changes in the map to be presented to the board of trustees.

—Decided that village employees need approval from two members of the governing body (including village clerk) for out-of-town trips, and that travel plans should be presented to the board if possible.

The possibility of having the village issue industrial bonds on behalf of the racetrack was also brought up at a June 9 meeting between village and racetrack officials, Day said Tuesday. Representatives from the track suggested the village sign industrial bonds worth between \$8 and \$10 million for construction of a new sales barn at the track.

The village would not be responsible for repaying the bonds, Day explained, and, under the present tax system, would not benefit financially from the arrangement.

Sanders reported at Monday's meeting, however, that it would not be feasible for the village to issue the bonds on behalf of the track.

No action was taken on the matter.

The next meeting of the Ruidoso Downs trustees is scheduled for June 28 at 7 p.m. at the municipal building.

Robert Hays named head of state bankers group

Ruidoso State Bank president Robert L. Hays has been elected president of the New Mexico Bankers Association (NMBA). He assumed the duties of the position during the trade association's annual convention in Albuquerque last weekend.

A native of New Mexico, Hays was named president of Ruidoso State Bank in June, 1978, and previously was vice president of a bank in Kansas.

He has a bachelor of science degree in economics from Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, and graduate certificates from the Colorado School of Banking, Boulder, Colorado, and the National Commercial Lending School in Norman, Oklahoma.

Hays will serve as president of the NMBA, the trade association for the 88 banks in New Mexico, for a one-year term.



ROBERT L. HAYS

Downs P&Z seeks to control structure types

by BARBY GRANT
Staff Writer

A desire to control the types of structures being erected in the village was discussed Tuesday during the Ruidoso Downs Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z) meeting.

P&Z members asked village attorney on Harris if it is possible for them to require builders to present plans to the commission before putting up any type of structure in the village.

"How can we control and keep the highway from becoming a little bluish?" asked P&Z member Jim Adwell.

"It's really difficult to do that," Harris stated. He informed P&Z that the village currently has a pretty comprehensive plan concerning junk dealers, but the ordinance need to be enforced.

Police officer Dale Patrick has recently been appointed to enforce P&Z ordinances, was reported.

Members of the commission voted to present a recommendation to the board of trustees to amend present ordinances to require holders of a regular \$25 business license to have a permanent business loca-

tion with electricity, indoor plumbing and restroom facilities. Other businesses will be required under ordinance 5-8-2 to purchase a monthly business license for \$100 per month.

P&Z was informed by Harris that the village currently has no residential zoning. If someone wants to build a house in the village, Harris explained, he cannot because there is no place for residential structures. He said residential zoning was somehow struck from the plan when it was established.

The commission is currently working on a new zoning map for the village, however, which includes zones for residential, commercial, manufacturing, racetrack, agricultural and trailer park areas.

In other business, P&Z:

—Agreed to recommend to the trustees that a waiver of fees for putting up a sign in front of the Hospital Auxiliary Thrift Shop be granted. Nell Trout and Lorena Ross from the Auxiliary requested the waiver because the organization is non-profit and all funds earned are returned to the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital. P&Z stipulated that the sign must be in accordance with ordinances.



FIREMEN search for evidence of the cause of a small grass fire Tuesday at the corner of Second and D streets. A second alarm sounded only a half-hour after this fire for another man-caused fire only yards away. Because firemen have determined many recent fires were intentionally set, fire superintendent Virgil Reynolds issued a statement Tuesday saying that adults caught for the act will be cited in court, and juveniles will be referred to the juvenile probation office.

Downs water supply improved

Ruidoso Downs mayor J. C. Day Jr. reported Tuesday that the village is now "in a safe range of water usage."

"If people will be reasonable with their use of water, we can make it through the summer without declaring an emergency situation," he said.

Day had announced June 2 that the village water supply was down to only 77,000 gallons as a result of the influx of visitors over the Memorial Day weekend.

Ruidoso Downs pumps about 180,000 gallons a day from the Agua Fria spring and Denton well into three tanks with a total capacity of 418,000 gallons, explained village clerk Wilma Webb. An average of about 100,000 gallons is used each day during the summer months, however, so demand almost equals supply.

Day said if residents are cooperative, the water supply should be sufficient for the summer.

CPR course set

A Red Cross cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) course will begin Monday, June 21, at the Ruidoso Public Library, said course organizer Wilma Sandoval.

Classes start at 6 p.m. and will end at 9 p.m. The course continues Wednesday, June 23, and Monday, June 28. People interested in learning CPR may register at the library the night of June 21. For more information, call Sandoval at 378-4561.

Stock offering successful

The First City National Bank of Ruidoso (in organization) holding company, First City Financial Corporation (FCFC), recently completed its own \$30 million stock sale to provide capital for bank acquisitions and expansion throughout New Mexico.

According to Joe Lopota, editor of "Going Public" magazine, FCFC, headquartered in Albuquerque, successfully concluded the largest, self-underwritten stock offering by any new corporation in the United States since 1972.

The New Mexico company began its direct, public stock offering late in January. By Friday, May 28, the stock was over-subscribed, and some would-be investors were unable to acquire shares.

"We were confident that the people of our market area would want to be part of this venture and that they would enthusiastically support it with their investments," said Reed H. Chittim, FCFC president and chief executive officer.

First City National Bank of Ruidoso (FCNBR) president Joe Loving stated that approximately \$2.25 million of FCFC stock was sold in the Ruidoso area. He mentioned that 225 people in the Ruidoso area bought stock in FCFC.

That, noted Loving, is equivalent to the number of people in Roswell—a city four times as large as Ruidoso—who purchased FCFC stock.

New Mexico has a very good future, said Loving, and Ruidoso has an exceptionally bright future. It was the first town chosen, added Loving, when the holding company was considering locations for affiliate banks.

He stated that the great support shown by Ruidosoans in investing in FCNBR demonstrated the community's strong need for additional banking services.

Loving said two good banks already serve Ruidoso. However, he said, another bank can only help the village grow by putting more money into the local economic system, rather than relying on attrition from the other two banks, said Loving, he sees the many new businesses and people coming to Ruidoso as FCNBR's potential customers.

The banking business, Loving commented, is a service oriented business. FCNBR will be a full service bank, he promised.

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Journey through Books to encourage reading

The Ruidoso Public Library is offering as part of its summer program, stated children's librarian Ingrid Schmitz.

Kids may read anything that interests them on any reading level. They will then receive credit points for reading books according to the books' assigned reading levels, said Schmitz.

When a child finishes a book, he or she returns the book to the library with a verification slip signed by a parent. Prizes and certificates will be awarded to encourage reading during summer months, said Schmitz.

The "Journey through Books" program begins Monday, July 21, and continues through Friday, July 30. It is open to kids of all ages.

Engagement announced

S.F.C. and Mrs. John R. Hatcher of Fort Bliss, Texas, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sherry Lynn, to Lynn Holly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Holly of Ruidoso.

The wedding will be held Friday, June 18, in the Church of Christ in Ruidoso. Friends of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony.



SHERRY HATCHER and LYNN HOLLY

Vacation Church School scheduled for June 21-25

The Community United Methodist Church will hold its annual Vacation Church School June 21-25, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Nancy Richter is director of the school, which will offer classes for children from kindergarten through sixth grade ages.

Extra activities in music and crafts will be offered.

Registration will be Monday, June 21, the first day of classes. Anyone in the community is invited to attend.

Local students on honor roll

Four local students have been named to the 1982 spring semester Dean's Honor Roll at Eastern New Mexico University.

Bonnie McClendon of Ruidoso, a sophomore secretarial major, received honors on the list by maintaining a 3.25 to 3.59 grade point average (GPA).

Fred Romero of San Patricio is listed as a cum laude Dean's Honor Roll student for attaining a 3.5 to 3.69 GPA. Romero is a senior business information systems major.

at the school. Maryann O'Dell (Nogal, a junior elementary education (special education) major is an honors student on the list. Capitan senior Anna Lamb, a business information systems major, is a cum laude honor roll student.

Services were held at 10 a.m. this morning in Carrizozo. Arrangements were by Clarke's Chapel of Ruidoso.

Local students listed on dean's honor roll

Michael J. Larke and Billie C. Huey, both of Ruidoso, have qualified for the dean's honor rolls at Texas Tech University for the 1982 spring semester.

To qualify for a dean's honor roll, a student must have a 4.0 grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale and must have taken 12 or more hours of classes.

Items needed are: yarn, burlap, material scraps, lace, buttons, sequins, beads, cotton, ric-rac, junk jewelry, shells, containers that can be used for flower pots (whipped topping, margarine, and such), empty detergent and bleach bottles, socks, and egg cartons.

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The public is invited to attend and bring a picnic basket and blanket. Patricia Drummond will teach those attending a simple, mathematical formula for discovering one's own personalized mantra.

For more information, contact Judy Tessier at 257-2001.

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Obituaries

John Wesley Harkey

John Wesley Harkey of Carrizozo died June 15 at his home. He was born April 25, 1889.

Surviving Harkey are his wife, Minnie, of Carrizozo; a son, Jack Nelson Harkey of Carrizozo; a daughter, Zane H. Petty of Ruidoso; two brothers, Earl Harkey of Las Cruces and E. J. Harkey of Ancho; seven grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Harkey had been an honorary member of the Ruidoso Board of Realtors for 18 years.

Services were held at 10 a.m. this morning in Carrizozo. Arrangements were by Clarke's Chapel of Ruidoso.

Joanne Evelyn Kaydahzime of Mesalero died Saturday, June 12, in the Public Health Service Indian Hospital in Mesalero. She was born October 7, 1950, in West Virginia.

Survivors include her sons, Eldon Torres Jr. and Berwin Whitebird Jr., both of Mesalero; daughters Rachel Arkinson and Shannon Kaydahzime, both of Mesalero; father, Elmer Kaydahzime of Mesalero; sisters Caroline Henry and Celina Joyce Kaydahzime of Peridot, Arizona; and Erminia Faye Lester, Senela Bearshield, Doris Bence Kaydahzime, Kurt Miki Kaydahzime and Elmer Vince Kaydahzime, all of Mesalero.

Ms. Kaydahzime was a member of the Assembly of God Church in Mesalero. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today in the Assembly of God Church in Mesalero, with the Reverend Tommy Good officiating. Interment will follow in the Mesalero Cemetery.

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HUMPHREY BOGART (left) starred in the 1948 film version of "The Treasure of the Sierra Madre" as Fred C. Dobbs, with Walter Huston (center) playing Howard. A dinner theater production of the stage play, starring Dick Reeves as Dobbs and Herb Robins as Howard, will be presented beginning this Saturday at the Old Hideout Restaurant. Tickets are available from members of the Pilot Club and at the Old Hideout.

'Arsenic and Old Lace' to run in July

Opening night of the Ruidoso Little Theater (RLT) production of "Arsenic and Old Lace" is scheduled for Friday, July 16, at 8 p.m. in the Mesalero Room at the Inn of the Mountain Gods, announced play director Hap Hanson.

Other performances are set for Saturday, July 17; Sunday, July 18; Friday, July 23; Saturday, July 24; and Sunday, July 25.

Tickets for the dinner theater production cost \$15 per person. A buffet dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. with "Arsenic and Old Lace" to follow at 8 p.m. "Arsenic and Old Lace" tickets for the play only may be purchased at the door the night of the performance for \$5.

All proceeds from the play will go toward a permanent location for RLT, Hanson stated.

Publicity director Jackie Sheehan noted that play rehearsals are currently held Monday nights at 7 p.m. at Nob Hill Elementary School.

An American drama favorite, "Arsenic and Old Lace" was first produced over 40 years ago, said Sheehan. Two of the central characters, Aunt Abby Brewster and Aunt Martha Brewster, are catalysts for much of the comical action. The two women have a unique recipe for homemade wine that offers a permanent cure for lonely men.

Aunt Abby will be played by Sandy Knox. Knox is a longtime resident of Ruidoso who has been active in local theater for over a year. Knox also serves on RLT board of directors.

Vickie Winner, local sculptress, plays the part of Aunt Martha. Winner first appeared in a play in 1968 and has continued her involvement in the theater.

Hanson said a volunteer set designer is now needed to replace the injured Bill Lauter. Hanson encourages anyone skilled in set building to call him at 257-4688.

THESE FOUR MEN will compete in the Longest Day of Golf event next Thursday at Alto Lakes Golf and Country Club. From left, they are Rob Steinmetz, Dr. Paul Whitman, Fred Soyner and Wayne McGuffin. The foursome will try and play as many holes as possible Thursday. The money from the pledges for the event will go to the American Cancer Society. This event is held nationally.

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Dinner theater to open this Saturday

The opening night performance of the dinner theater production of "The Treasure of the Sierra Madre" has been moved to Saturday, June 19, at the Old Hideout Restaurant. The dinner, to include a barbecue plate with beans, potato salad, cornbread and apple streusel with whipped cream, will begin at 7 p.m. The play will begin at 8:30 p.m.

A Western comedy written and directed by Herb Robins, the play stars Robins as Howard, Dick Reeves as Fred C. Dobbs, and Dick Hoff as Curtin.

A 1948 film version of the story featured Humphrey Bogart as Dobbs and won an Academy Award for Walter Huston in the role of Howard.

Also appearing in the local production are Carl Mori as Gold Hat and Andy Johnson as Lescand, the geologist. Sue Vincent is assistant director.

The play will be presented this Saturday and Sunday and each Thursday through Sunday for the following three weeks. Tickets are \$13 for dinner and the play and are available from members of the Pilot Club, or at the Old Hideout Restaurant.

A percentage of the proceeds from the play will be donated to the Ruidoso Public Library.

Robins' play has been optioned for television and Broadway and a local performance will be attended by producers from New York City, New York, and San Francisco, California.

The stage play, "The Treasure of the Sierra Madre," originally premiered in Asheville, North Carolina, in July 1980, and has since been produced by Robins at several locations in California before coming to Ruidoso.

There is a New Year's dance at the Paul Jones home and usually a summer dance, as well as the Coe reunion.

We thank Eleanor Shockey and Nellie Ruth and Paul and all the other kin folks of the crowd from Coe who pitched in, and who came from long distances to make the reunion a grand success.

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The Silver Lining

BY DANIEL AGNEW STORM

Many Celebrations in Glencoe Area

The Vale of Glencoe was the scene of many happy celebrations over last weekend.

Saturday at the home of Ken and Eleanor Shockey was a very large and happy crowd of kin folks attended the dinner celebrating the one hundred year anniversary of the arrival of Frank and Helena Coe into the Ruidoso Valley.

Then on Sunday, a picnic celebrating this same milestone was held at the ranch home of Paul and Nellie Ruth Jones — across the creek under the walnut and oak trees.

Besides all kinds of wonderful vittles there was volleyball and the old Western game of horse-shoe pitching.

Paul and Nellie Ruth are carrying on the tradition begun years ago by the Bonnell Ranch and the Frank Coe Ranch of having reunions and also dances and other celebrations throughout the year for folks of the valley and other places also.

The gatherings became so well known at the Bonnell Ranch and the Coe Ranch that nationally famous entertainers made it a point to stop by and join in the fun.

Paul and Nellie are both descendants of pioneer families. Both the Joneses and the Casey were also prominent in pioneer history.

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Around Sports

With Gary Brown



the best of times. It was the worst

author of that statement was Dickens. While it's doubtful that the famous English writer of the century, had a crystal ball in his hand, his above statement could have applied to the softball game at the picnic Sunday afternoon. Indeed there were good times and bad—particularly for me—in the game.

There was a considerable amount of us who really won the game, the played on or the team explained by reporter David Sheppard.

Side maintains we won the game the Sheppard's team claims it won

over, Dave's group of Dinkies was and last in the game so they had an me at bat.

was not fair, of course. Besides, our old have won by at least 10 runs if it been for the idiot in right field. For of personal pride, I will not reveal "idiot" was.

ay, the right fielder mishandled at fly balls and grounders, allowing opard-led clowns to score four ex-

right fielder made up for his mistakes (partially at least) by two hits, driving in one run and vice. He also pitched one inning, no runs and a scratch hit.

Tim Palmer handled most of the chores for our side while several took the mound for Dave's team.

me had many amusing moments. of a limited number of players on e, there wasn't any catcher behind te. A couple of times a player try- core was tagged out by his own

teammate.

But perhaps the most amusing moment was when one of the women players on our team (I won't mention her name) got a single. When the next batter also belted a single, she stood at first without trying to advance to second and was called out.

It would probably be incorrect to call Sunday's contest a softball game. We had a bat and several gloves but someone forgot to bring a softball or baseball.

Instead, we used a tennis ball, which seemed to be twice as hard to catch. It was also a tough target to hit as it crossed home plate because of its miniature size.

Bonnie Matison, who also plays catcher for the Attic and Friends women's slow pitch softball team, injured her leg in the contest and was unable to continue.

What effect her injury will have on the Attic and Friends team the rest of the season is unknown.

Nobody looked really good in the game, but that's to be expected when about half of the players were putting away beer, cokes and numerous types of food.

Still, it's nice to know your team won the confrontation, regardless of what the other team says.

It seems The News owes the Flying Garbanzos bluegrass band an apology.

Both editor Tim Palmer and I have referred to the Flying Garbanzos as the Garbanzo Brothers. I did it in an article about three months ago (not realizing I had made the mistake until about a week ago), and Tim does it in today's edition in the second section.

The second section was run off yesterday before we realized the mistake.

Anyway, it's definitely the Flying Garbanzos, not the Garbanzo Brothers. Sorry guys.

Ruidoso under-16 soccer All-Stars beaten by White Sands, 3-0 Sunday

The Ruidoso-Sertoma Soccer Association (RSSA) under-16 All-Stars lost a tough 3-0 decision to the White Sands All-Stars Sunday morning on the White Sands field. "All the kids played well," said Butch Grantham, director of the RSSA. "They (White Sands) are a very tough team. They've played teams from El Paso, Las Cruces and Alamogordo regularly."

The fall youth soccer season in Ruidoso will probably begin in early September. A definite sign-up schedule hasn't been deter-

mined yet but it will probably be in early August.

The Bobby Moffat Soccer Camp, scheduled for the fourth year at White Mountain Middle School, will go from June 28 to July 2.

The camp is open to boys and girls six to 16 years old. There is a \$65 fee per youth (\$10 non-refundable deposit with application).

The camp is limited to the first 105 ap-

plicants. It will last from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. each day.

Moffat, who has run youth soccer camps for 10 years, will be the head coach and administrator.

The rest of the coaching staff will include Richard Mungoli, assistant coach at Southern Methodist University; Howard Mikuta, former Tornado player; Robert Addington, Creighton University; Jonathan Klein, University of Texas; John Parks, North Texas State University

(NTSU); Matt Reino, NTSU all-star; Gary Garrett and Grantham.

Each youth must bring a ball and tennis shoes for possible indoor work. The latest English and German coaching films will also be shown. There will also be a drawing for prizes.

People interested can mail their application to Techniques Soccer Camp, c/o R.S.S.A., P.O. Box 593, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345.



SANDY MARSHALL avoids the tag of the Country Blues catcher as she scores for Attic and Friends in a Lincoln County Women's Softball Association game Monday night in Ruidoso Downs. Marshall belted two hits and scored three times as Attic and Friends topped the Country Blues 13-3. Attic and Friends now leads the association with a 7-0 record and Country Blues is second with a 6-1 record.

Attic tops Country Blues, stays undefeated at 7-0

Attic and Friends took the lead in the Lincoln County Women's Softball Association with a decisive 13-3 victory over Country Blues Monday night at the All-American Park field in Ruidoso Downs. J. D. Yoakum was the winning pitcher for the winners, who are now 7-0. Country

Blues is 6-1. Yoakum also belted a home run to aid her team.

Sandy Marshall was also a force in the Attic and Friends victory. She clubbed two hits and scored three times. Catcher Jenny Pollack did a good job behind the plate and also did well hitting.

Becky Sparks had a triple for one of Country Blues' three hits. Mildred Muse was the losing hurler but pitched a good game. In other association games Monday night, Joe's Girls topped the Shady Ladies 28-9, the Rebels defeated Orange Delight 22-2 and the Fire beat the Foxes 28-11.

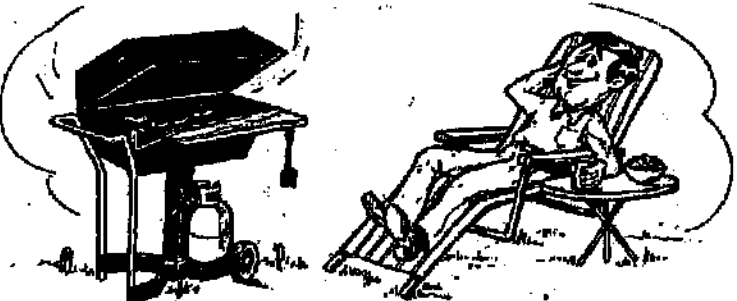
LEARN TENNIS!

Register from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. or 6 p.m. - 7 p.m. Friday, June 18 at Schoolhouse Park tennis courts. Children \$10, Adults \$15. For eight one-hour lessons. Morning Classes: June 21 - July 1. Call 257-9509 or 257-9835 for information.



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Jaycees, Security Bank take impressive victories

The Jaycees and Security Bank took decisive victories in Ruidoso Little League baseball action this week.

Security Bank topped Ruidoso State Bank 9-8 Tuesday night and the undefeated Jaycees belted the Elks 17-7 Monday night. Brian Davis belted a grand slam home run and pitched part of the game for the Jaycees, who are now 13-0 on the year. Jeff Sherwood also pitched for the winners. Andy Gonzales, who pitched for the Jaycees

last week, had a good game in center field.

Security Bank's winning pitcher was Joe Gonzales. The victors, who are now 6-5 on the season, had a well balanced hitting attack.

Craig Sears led the Security Bank hitters with three hits. Jessie Guardiola added two hits as did Charley Smith.

Buster Conley pitched well for the losers.

No Names beat PLS, turn over triple play

The No Names turned in the first triple play of the season in defeating PLS 5-3 Wednesday night in Ruidoso Men's Fast Pitch League action at the All-American Park field in Ruidoso Downs.

Vince Starley caught a line drive at shortstop, tagged second base and threw the ball to first baseman Ken Moore to complete the triple play.

Bob Chisholm belted a home run for the winners. Gary Caughron was the winning

pitcher for the No Names, now 6-7 on the season.

Tuesday night No Names edged the league-leading Mesquero Chips 5-4. The Chips are now 5-4 for the season.

In another contest Tuesday night, Village Jewelers dumped the Jaws 11-2.

Weaver Ballard was the winning pitcher and Rocky Willingham belted a three-run home run. Village Jewelers is also 6-7 on the season.

Dukes to have day for vets

The Albuquerque Dukes AAA baseball team will hold a Vietnam Veterans' Appreciation Day at their game with Tucson tomorrow night at 7 p.m.

There will be 500 free tickets available to Vietnam Veterans and their families. One

ticket is good for the entire family.

If the tickets run out, veterans and their families can get into the game for \$3.

For further information, call the Veterans Center at 1-343-8368 or the Paralyzed Veterans of America at 1-247-4381.

Lions Club to hold pitcher and golf tournaments

The Ruidoso Noon Lions Club will host a washer pitching tournament and a golf tournament tomorrow and Saturday at Cree Meadows Country Club.

The washer pitching tournament will be held tomorrow and the golf tournament Saturday.

There is a 32-team limit for the washer pitching tournament and entries are still being taken. Team introduction will be at 9:30 a.m. tomorrow. The entry fee is \$50 per person and there will be two persons per team.

Tea-off time for the golf scramble is 10 a.m. Saturday.

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HERE ARE SOME SKATERS involved in the skate-a-thon at Skateland Wednesday. Back row (from left) are Winder Rad, Chris Spall, Tammy Dube, Julie Pickett, Renee Poissot, Kristy Hall and Kristin Higgenbotham.

Second row (from left) are Tiffany Snow, Amber Perry, April Sandoval, Dawn Hill and Jonenne Poissot. First row (from left) are Roger Marshall Jr., John Norlander, Andy Orrantia and Valerie Rankin.



THESE WOMEN played a part in the skate-a-thon for the National Kidney Foundation of New Mexico at Skateland Wednesday. From left, they are Carol Pearce, director of the Ruidoso Rollerettes; Anne

Wilson, owner of Skateland; Netti Hug, newly named to the state board of the kidney foundation; and Cathy Norlander, owner of Dairy Queen, one of the skate-a-thon sponsors.

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Skate-a-thon draws 31 skaters

The seventh Ruidoso Skateland skate-a-thon was a success Wednesday, drawing 31 youths to the rink. Money from the skate-a-thon (which comes from pledges) will go to the National Kidney Foundation of New Mexico for the first time. The previous six skate-a-thons earned money for muscular dystrophy.

The final figures for the skate-a-thon

won't be announced until June 27 when the pledges are collected and turned in. First prize for the leading pledge collector will be a pair of new roller skates. The second prize is a savings bond from Security Bank and the third a gift from Gibson's. Skateland and Dairy Queen sponsored the skate-a-thon. Bennett's Sure-Save, Safeway Stores, Coca-Cola, Willy's Restaurant, Pizza Hut and Norman's Piz-

za all supplied food for the skaters. Netti Hug of Ruidoso, who was present for the skate-a-thon, was recently named to the state board of the National Kidney Foundation. Hug had a kidney transplant five years ago. Movie and television star Gary Coleman is the national poster person for the kidney foundation.



THE SKATELAND SKATE-A-THON drew 31 kids. Here are some of them. Back row (from left) are Denise Hall, Carey Poling, Misty Strickland, Stacey Mobley and Derk Harl. Second row (from left) are Amie

Bailey, Trina Martin and Tabby Williamson. First row (from left) are Jennifer Parker, Nikki Knox, Donna Garcia, Tiffany Ferguson and Cindy Looten.

Mountaintops camp begins Sunday

The second annual Mountaintops Gymnastics Camp will be held at the Nazarene Camp Grounds near Angus June 20 through July 3.

Ruidoso Gymnastics Academy (RGA) director John Eberle will direct the camp. It will be in two sessions.

The first session is June 20 (this Sunday) to June 27; the second is from June 27 to July 3. Some of the best female gymnasts from New Mexico and West Texas will attend the camp.

At least 40 girls will attend the first ses-

sion and about 20 are expected for the second. There will be a clinic June 27 involving some of the better gymnastics judges and coaches in New Mexico.

The girls will learn more gym skills plus participate in callisthenics and running. They'll have about six hours of gym practice each day.

RGA is also having several summer programs. The Mountaintops competition team will begin practice for the fall season in early August. Its actual competition season will start in September.

The Mountaintops will compete in Class IV and Class III this fall.

Bowling scores

| Monday Night Ladies League | | |
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| am Standings | W | L |
| 3 Strikes and A Spare | 11 | 5 |
| Sonny's Sunshine Girls | 10 | 6 |
| Resort Reservations | 9 | 7 |
| Hits and Misses | 9 | 7 |
| Simpson Savages | 9 | 7 |
| Norman's Daughters | 9 | 7 |
| Gutter Girls | 9 | 7 |
| Easy Rollers | 8 | 10 |
| Summer Strikers | 5 | 11 |
| Blooming Idiots | 4 | 12 |
| Individual High Game Scratch | | |
| S. Marshall, 189; B. Scarbrough, 179; | | |
| A. Bucsek, 179; W. Hughes, 174 | | |
| Individual High Game with Handicap | | |
| S. Marshall, 254; C. Scott, 243; | | |
| B. Scarbrough, 234 | | |
| Individual High Series Scratch | | |
| B. Biddy, 478; S. Marshall, 472; | | |
| N. Woods, 469 | | |
| Individual High Series with Handicap | | |
| S. Marshall, 537; N. Woods, 527; | | |
| S. Perry, 528 | | |
| Team High Game with Scratch | | |
| Summer Strikers, 837; Hits and Misses, | | |
| 818; Sunshine Gals, 817 | | |
| Team High Series Scratch | | |
| Summer Strikers, 1,604; Hits and Misses, | | |
| 1,588; Sunshine Gals, 1,530 | | |
| High Team Series with Handicap | | |
| Summer Strikers, 1,842; Hits and Misses, | | |

Residents form parachute club

A parachute club has been formed by four Ruidoso residents.

The four local residents, Ron Annala, Pam Foreman, Dick Parsons and Phyllis Virgil, recently completed the required ground and aerial training set forth by the United States Parachute Association. Jim Stewart of the Icarus Parachute School in Albuquerque was their instructor.

All four made their first jump Sunday at Valencia.

Any person interested in joining the new club or getting more information can contact Foreman or Virgil at 257-4837 or Parsons at 257-9514.

Elks Lodge to have run-a-thon

The Elks Lodge will hold a run-a-thon Saturday, July 3, with donations to benefit cerebral palsy and the National Foundation for Children.

The run, which will begin at 8 a.m., will start from the Elks Lodge and go east on Highway 70 to Biscuit Hill. The runners will go as long as they can.

There is no entry fee for the runners. However, money is being donated for each mile the runners run.

Local netters compete in El Paso

Ryan Brown and Bart Bowen of Ruidoso competed in the Southwestern Tennis Association Junior Sectionals in El Paso Monday and Tuesday.

Brown won his first match by a 6-1, 6-1 score but was then defeated by a 6-0, 6-2 margin. He lost to the third-seeded player in the tournament.

Brown lost his opening match of the consolation bracket.

Bowen had a bye in the first round of the tournament and lost a 6-0, 6-0 decision in the second round.

Tennis signups set for tomorrow

Tomorrow (Friday) is registration day for children and adult tennis lessons at Schoolhouse Park.

A two-week session of tennis lessons will begin Monday, June 21. Registration for the classes is 9 to 11 a.m. and 6 to 7 p.m. Friday, June 18, at the courts.

Children's lessons will be during the hours from 9 a.m. to noon. Adult lessons are scheduled from 6 to 8 p.m.

Cost for the two-week (Monday through Thursday) session is \$10 for children and \$15 for adults. There will be a limit of eight students per class.

Instructors are Mike Crocker and Tim Palmer. For further information, call Crocker at 257-9509 or Palmer at 257-9836.

Capitan "Fun" run scheduled for July 3

The Capitan Women's Club will sponsor a 10-kilometer and two-mile fun run Saturday, July 3.

Runners may pick up pre-registration forms at B & L Pizza in Capitan. Race day registration will be from 7 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. Runners will be transported by bus from the restaurant to starting points 6.2 and two miles north of Capitan. The race

will start at 8 a.m. T-shirts will be given to the first 100 entrants. Trophies will be awarded to the man and woman with the fastest overall times. The top three finishers in each age division will also receive trophies.

For more information on the races, contact Dottie McVeigh at 354-2601 or Pat Sullivan at 354-2664.

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| June 9 | 77 | 34 | 0 |
| June 10 | 83 | 42 | 0 |
| June 11 | 81 | 42 | 0 |
| June 12 | 82 | 38 | 0 |
| June 13 | 80 | 39 | 0 |
| June 14 | 79 | 38 | 0 |
| June 15 | 81 | 39 | 0 |

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'a-hoo! Fun galore on county ranch tour

ther they were young or old, novice
zizzled cowpokes, doctors, lawyers,
s or just plain curious, this year's
County Ranch Tour was an ex-
tension lesson for all on today's ranch

200 people, including visitors from
aches of the country and the world,
into the modern life of sheep ran-
horse breeders and cattle ranchers.
tour, which was organized by the
Cowbelles of Corona, began at Cor-
nigh School. The Cowbelles, with
nes around the state, are intent on
ting beef. They did a splendid job of
ging, guiding and explaining
ights of the day-long tour.

boarded school buses, appropriate
educational mission, and were off
first stop on the tour—the W. R.
ce Livestock Company.

Lovelace ranch has a long and
guished history in the sheep
ss. The patriarch, W. R. Lovelace,
d herding sheep in 1839 in Texas. By
rn of the century, he established a
n the high plains south of Corona,
e New Mexico ranch was born.

yellow caravan made its way down
y road, and forthrightly, we rumbled
h the Lovelace gate and corralled
mechanical beasts near the barn.
n dismounting, the anxious bunch
d for the displays situated in head-
ers.

crowd anchored itself around a pen
e the rattle of clippers could be
ed. Stealing a gaze into the pen
ad in seeing a perspiring ranch hand
red over a yawning ewe.

shedding a heavy winter garment,
deep appeared ever thinner as the
was peeled from its torso. Within 15
s, which shearer Pete Gnalkowski
ed as exceptionally long, the once
y attired ewe was able to breathe a
relief.

actually seemed lighter on her
After all, as Gnalkowski explained,
little warm to be wearing a wool coat
e. The accustomed time to shear
is April. A 10-man shearing crew
es into the ranch at that time to ad-
er fleece cuts to most of Lovelace's
tambouillet ewes.

Gnalkowski rolled up the bundle of fine-
l fleece, while the bald and bony ewe
ed away.
pillowy bundle weighed about 14
s, Gnalkowski surmised. He noted
e fine, spiraled threads in the bale
ed in the manufacture of "better
nts," like suits and shirts.

nd that of the amount, about 55 per-
sented of lanolin—a by-product of
earing. Another product from the
le Rambouillet, the shearer added,
e.

next station for the fleece is process-
a clearing house, Gnalkowski said,
next station in the barn was a spin-
weaving display.

Cowbelles set up a spinning wheel
miniature loom to allow the more
us in the group to try their hand at
s of our grandmothers.

Lovelace ranchers had more to
te.
e barnyard, ranch hands were
ng" lambs. At one month old, the
eep are rounded up and brought to
the three-phase process. Tails are
rs pierced and the animals are
ed" with a mark of indelible red

ling out the lesson on sheep
was an explanation of predator
by government trapper Larry
The primary sheep killer is the
Killgo said, and he arranged an ex-

hibit of devices used to control the howler.
Killgo said the U. S. Fish and Wildlife
Service employs a variety of tools to catch
the animals, including wire snares, leg
traps, aircraft detection and cyanide pellet
guns. Killgo mentioned that no method in
itself controls the wily predators,
therefore a combination is used.
Soon, the call to reboard the buses rang
out, and we bade farewell to the sheep.

The caravan wove its way back to Cor-
ona, where we halted at the rodeo grounds
to witness expert horsemen plying their
trade.

Magnificent Arabians from the Hindi
Arabian Ranch in Duran, New Mexico;
and stately Quarter Horses from the
Royce and Jeanne Washburn Ranch
located in Bonito Canyon, performed in the
arena.

Brahaim Hindi, half-Lebanese grandson
of Alex Hindi, the founder of the ranch,
rode atop a beautiful 26-year-old Arabian
that is an original offspring of one of five
horses that Alex imported from Lebanon
in 1930.

Brahaim was attired in Arab dress and
the steed was outfitted in a 100-year-old
Syrian outfit—the scene provided a sense
of authenticity.

The Washburns demonstrated skills used
in breaking quarter horses that were
originally trained for racing. At the end of
their track career, Royce explained, the
horses must be retrained for the rodeo
arena.

"At the track," he said, "they're trained
to run straight."

He demonstrated part of the process.

In a small pen, Royce drilled a tan mare
through the paces. Around the circle she
trotted, stopped and reversed, and the
former racehorse heeded his commands
without a flinch.

Washburn was explaining the techniques
to the crowd, when a young cowboy in the
group interrupted and asked who stired the
mare.

A knowledgeable question for a young
squire drawn by his cowboy hat, I
thought.

As it turned out, the little cowboy knew
his stuff. The question came from 11-year-
old Justin Turner of Bloomfield, New Mex-
ico. Justin, who is a member of the San
Juan County 4-H, shows horses and per-
forms in 4-H rodeos.

When asked if he felt tour was informa-
tive, he replied: "Oh, it's fun."

"I got talked into it by my grandma."

It was time for chow after the trip to the
rodeo grounds.

The Cowbelles whipped up a tasty plate
of beans, barbecued beef (of course),
potato salad, fresh rolls (and boy were
they) and an apple dessert.

During the break, Greg Haussler of the
Soil Conservation Service instructed us in
Range Planning and Management.

In preparation for our sojourn to the R
Bar R Cattle Ranch (owned by George and
Nancy Ranney), Haussler presented a
chart illustrating the Ranney spread.

The Ranney ranch is located 12 miles
southeast of Corona in the Gallo Canyon.
About 350 Angus cattle graze on 18,000
acres that is divided into numerous
pastures.

In planning a ranch operation, Haussler
said, the natural resources should be in-
ventoried.

Most of the Ranney range land is located
on shallow-soiled ground.

Based on the quantity of natural grasses
in the area, Haussler said, it requires 40 to
60 acres yearly to support one animal unit,
which is one cow and calf, less than one
horse, or five head of sheep or goats.

Considering the upkeep of the spread,

Haussler added that a physical inventory
also should be made. To run the operation,
he said, ranchers must plan for roads,
fences, water, farm implements and feed.

The most crucial element in running a
ranch is the supply of water. Haussler
noted that the Corona area receives an
average of 15 inches of precipitation a
year.

On the chart, a maze of fences, pipelines
and water storage facilities is outlined.
Haussler explained that pastures are
divided so water supplies are strategically
located, thereby ensuring uniform graz-
ing.

Out at the R Bar R, George Ranney ex-
plained the economics of cattle ranching.

Ranney, who has been ranching for 14
years since relocating from Libertyville,
Illinois, gave a brief lecture on the
realities of ranching.

He commented that 90 percent of his
revenue is earned from shipping fattened
calves, and he noted that a rancher must
carefully calculate the value of each
animal.

"You'd better be damn sure the price
has been calculated correctly," he ex-
claimed.

After shipping, he said, each cow is bred
and checked for pregnancy. If one fails to
become pregnant, it is sold.

"We ship and sell every bloomin' cow
that isn't re-bred," he remarked. "It's just
not economical."

For those of us who harbored notions of
the romantic life of a cowboy, the rancher

knocked us right out of the saddle.

"Today's cowboy spends very little time
on horseback," he said. "These days, he is
in a pickup."

"He's a jack of all trades. He repairs
fences, feeds and checks cattle and breaks
ice in winter," he said.

"For the cowboy there's only one
school—the school of experience."

And if anyone was inclined to level
criticism at cattle raisers for high beef
prices, Ranney offered the ranchers' ver-
sion by explaining the dilemma of ranch-
ing.

He explained that ranchers cope with a
continuing decline in prices for their prod-
uct, while costs rise. He noted that the
situation conforms to the "classic law of
supply and demand ratios," with a
decreasing demand for beef.

The visit to R Bar R also included a
branding demonstration, and talks by a
brand inspector and a feedlot operator.

Interested observers of the lectures in-
cluded a family from Taiwan.

For Mei Casey, who took part in the tour
along with her American husband Bill
Casey, her 65-year-old mother and three-
year-old daughter, it wasn't the first look
at a ranch.

"I've seen a ranch in Taiwan," she men-
tioned, "But it was only a small one."

"I think it's real interesting to see the
open space," she said. "And I learned
something new."

We all did.



SSSSSSSS! The calf's hide smokes as it is scorched under a glowing branding iron.



A BOY'S BEST FRIEND? Just what every kid needs, a cuddly calf to pet. The 4-H erected pens at Corona High School where guests could observe young animals at the end of the tour.

Photos and text by Dave Sheppard



NOT ENOUGH. A cowboy at the R Bar R Ranch hot branding irons in preparation to apply to a hide. A branding demonstration was only part

of the presentation at the Ranney spread—a lecture on ranch economics was also included.



CONTEMPLATION. Cows try to protect their young from the cowboys, as a ranch hand waits for the irons to glow.



"THERE'S NOTHING TO IT." This young cowboy handcuffs the lamb while the girl dabs on indelible red paint. Before marking, the baby had its tail cut and ear pierced, all part of the identification process for sheep.



"I WONDER WHAT'S IN HERE?" A young girl contemplates how she should eat her ice cream at the end of the day-long tour.



A BED OF FLEECE is left over from the shearing. This ewe produced 14 pounds of fleece, said shearer Pete Gnatkowski. Of that, he estimated 55 percent consisted of lanolin.



ARABIAN KNIGHT Brahm Hindi and his 26-year-old Arabian steed posed in native costume for curious Westerners.



WE'RE ALL JUST ... KIDS. A little boy and little lambs at the beginning of the Lovelace Ranch tour.



"LET'S PRACTICE." Cowboys wind up and plan strategy before roping the first calf for branding.

Special Effort to run Friday

Special early post time of noon will be set for Friday's 16-race Rainbow Derby program at Ruidoso Downs.

Total of 180 three-year-olds have entered the trials hoping to qualify for one of 10 positions in the Rainbow Derby, second leg of the Triple Crown for three-year-old colts.

Each trial race will be run at 440 yards with a purse of \$10,000.

The 10 fastest runners from Friday's races will earn berths in the Rainbow Derby on July 4. The estimated purse is \$100,000.

Special Effort, who will compete in the seventh heat.

Special Effort captured an undefeated Special Effort for two-year-olds last year at Ruidoso Downs, won all races to become quarter horse

racing's all-time moneywinner.

The Raise Your Glass colt has been just as awesome this year in his two races at Ruidoso Downs. He opened with an easy three-length win in his Kansas Derby trial race on May 8 at Ruidoso Downs.

Then he romped to a two and three-fourths length victory over old nemesis Go For Bugs in the \$354,000 Kansas Derby, the first leg of the Triple Crown for three-year-olds, on May 23 at Ruidoso Downs.

If Special Effort wins the Rainbow Derby and the final leg, the All-American Derby on August 28, he will join My Easy Credit as the only horses to sweep the three-year-old Triple Crown series. My Easy Credit won the trio in 1977.

Overall, Special Effort is undefeated in 11 races for trainer Johnnie A. Goodman. He's earned \$1,150,013 for owners Dan and Jolene Urschel of Canadian, Texas.

W. R. Hunt will again be aboard as Special Effort will break from the second post position.

The ninth race will also be a center of attention.

The swift Rebelier will meet Go For Bugs, who has been second to Special Effort in his last two confrontations with the champion.

Rebelier had the fastest qualifying time of 20.39 (Special Effort had 20.50) for the Kansas Derby. The swift filly roared to a four and one-half length win in the 12th Kansas Derby trial race.

She was disqualified from competing in the Kansas Derby due to a positive test. But last year, she was most impressive, winning six of eight races with two seconds for earnings of \$37,450.

Trained by Jack W. Brooks, she's owned by Ann Freeman of El Paso, Texas, and her mother, Alice Fisher of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Go For Bugs, meanwhile, ran second last Labor Day to Special Effort in the \$1,530,000 All-American Futurity and was second in this season's first major three-year-old race, the Kansas Derby.

Still, the Bugs Alive in 75 colt won four races with four seconds in 10 appearances last season. He earned \$319,223. Overall, in his brilliant career, he's posted four wins with six seconds in 13 starts for earnings of \$373,281.

He's trained by Paul L. Walters for owner Mary Watkins of Madison, Mississippi.

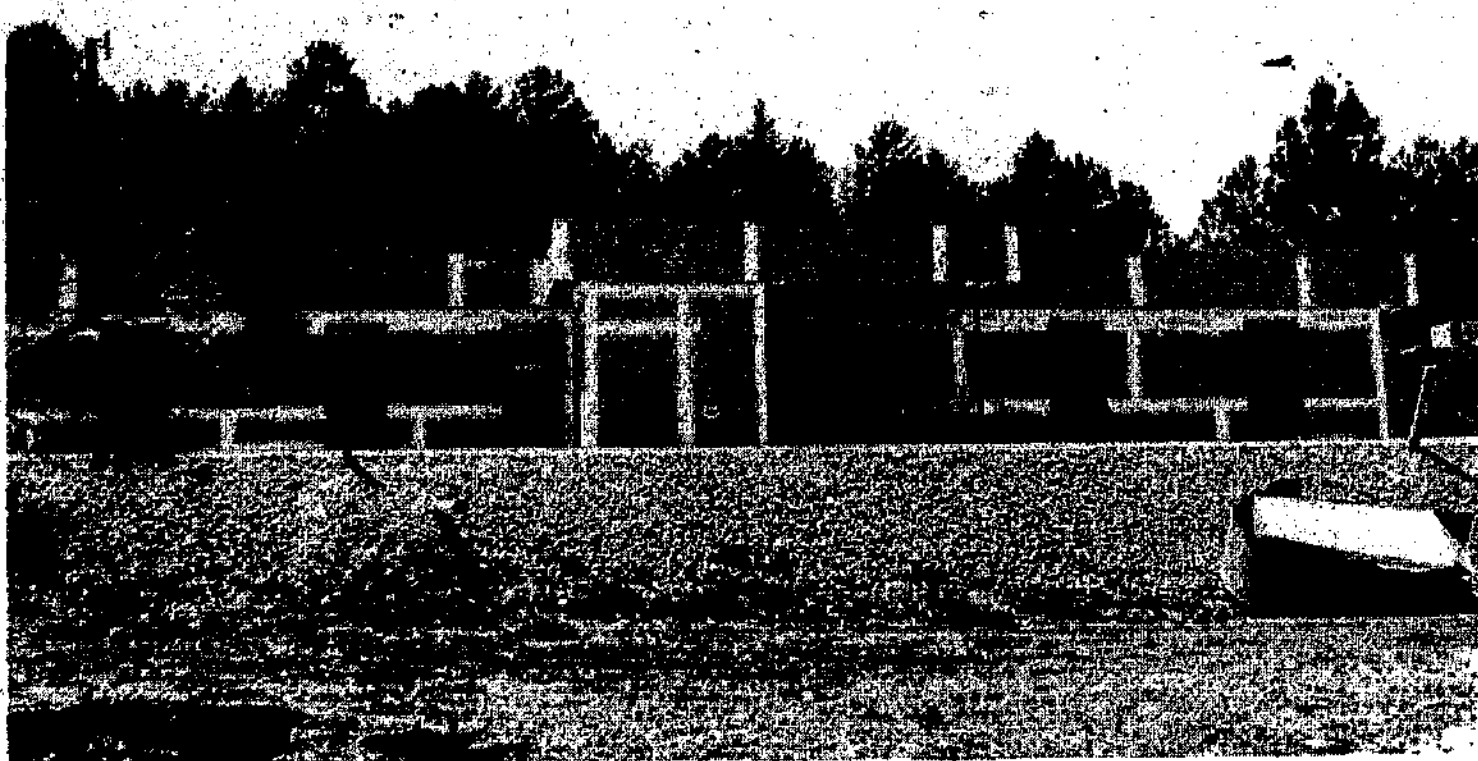
Besides Special Effort and Go For Bugs, five Kansas Derby finalists will compete in the Rainbow Derby trials. Real Jet Wind, who was third, will run in the third race; Broken Pedal, who was fourth, will compete in the 11th race; Aaserative, who ran sixth, is set for the 15th race; Easy Diamond Jim, who was eighth, is ready in the sixth race while Ima Ten Too, who was ninth, will meet Special Effort in the seventh.

Two horses were supplemented at a cost of \$15,000 each. Ms Krugerand will run in the fifth trial while Bojars Magic will run in the 12th division.

Racing continues Saturday with the third running of the Norgor Thoroughbred Derby. The winner of this six furlong chase for three-year-olds will earn \$15,232 from the total purse of \$30,465.

Sunday's feature will be the second running of the Rainbow Silver Cup at 440 yards for four-year-olds. The winner will gain \$75,192.50 from the total purse of \$150,385.

Post-time for Saturday's and Sunday's 12-race program will be the usual 1 p.m.



UNDER CONSTRUCTION is the temporary First City National Bank of Ruidoso at 1141 Mechem Drive. Bank president Joe Loving hopes to open the bank for business around the end of July. Construction of the bank's permanent 9,000 square foot building—which

will be located adjacent to this leased portable structure—will begin as soon as the temporary building is finished, said Loving. The permanent building is scheduled for completion in early 1983.

Bill Wolff named director at Ruidoso State Bank

Bill Wolff of Mexico City, Mexico, has been elected to the board of directors of Ruidoso State Bank (RSB), announced RSB president Robert Hays.

"It's an honor for me to be asked to serve on this bank's board. I have knowledge that will be useful to Ruidoso State Bank, and I'll give it my full effort to be a good director," said Wolff.

A large number of Mexican nationals

are coming to Ruidoso to make sizable investments, stated Wolff. He said he hopes to utilize his knowledge of Mexican businessmen and investors and their banking and financial operations to assist RSB in attracting additional Mexican investment to Ruidoso.

Wolff is a senior partner in the certified public accounting firm he established in 1950 with Bruno Krieger, a lawyer specializing in economics. The firm employs 43 persons.

Wolff was born in 1924 in Chicago, Illinois. He lived there for the first two years of his life. His family then moved to Mexico City, but he kept his American citizenship. During World War II, Wolff served in the United States Army in the Philippines.

After the war, he married a Mexican woman and settled in Mexico City. In order to receive his degree in accounting from the National University in Mexico City, Wolff said, he had to revoke his American citizenship and become a Mexican national.

Wolff still lives in Mexico City, but has visited his condominium in Alto at least once a month for the past 10 years, he said.

Wolff speaks Spanish, English and German fluently.

Swimming pool may open this weekend

Preparations for opening of the municipal swimming pool are being completed this week, assistant village manager Frank Potter said Wednesday. And, he said, he hoped the pool will be open this weekend.

Delays on repairs and renovation of the pool have pushed the opening back a couple of weeks.

Pool manager Ellen "Buz" Bizzell said Wednesday rehabilitation of the grounds will be completed Friday. She said the pool will undergo Environmental Improvement Division inspection Friday morning, and, if all goes well, it could be opened Friday afternoon.



MIGHTY DECK THREE, a sensation at Ruidoso Downs in 1980 when he won the All-American Futurity by a slim margin, is among the qualifiers for Sunday's Rainbow Silver Cup. The 40-yard dash offers \$150,385. Eddie Vallejos is the pilot. Mighty Deck Three ended a one-year layup when he raced in last week's Silver Cup trials.

LEGAL NOTICE

FINAL BUDGET HEARING
A public hearing shall be held at 10:00 A.M., June 23, 1982, in the Commissioners Meeting Room, Courthouse, Ruidoso, New Mexico. The public has the right to provide oral and written comments concerning the entire budget and the relationship of the budget to the revenue sharing funds as follows:

| | |
|---|-----------|
| GENERAL FUNDS | |
| MAINTENANCE CAPITAL OUTLAY | 2,200 |
| RECORDING & FILING CAPITAL OUTLAY | 1,100 |
| BUREAU OF ELECTIONS CAPITAL OUTLAY | 175 |
| PROPERTY ASSESSMENT CAPITAL OUTLAY | 404 |
| COLLECTIONS CAPITAL OUTLAY | 1,600 |
| WATER ENFORCEMENT CAPITAL OUTLAY | 23,340 |
| AMBULANCE | 43,922 |
| ROAD FUND | 10,898 |
| CAPITAL OUTLAY | 31,900 |
| RECREATION FUND | 15,117 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | 119,756 |
| The above is summary of entire proposed budget. | |
| GENERAL FUNDS | 1,304,896 |
| ROAD FUND | 488,196 |
| M & R FUND | 44,000 |
| RECREATION | 15,400 |
| WATER DISTRICT | 23,845 |
| STANTON FIRE DISTRICT | 34,412 |
| DO FIRE DISTRICT | 31,060 |
| WATER DISTRICT | 26,850 |
| AL FIRE DISTRICT | 20,550 |
| WATER DISTRICT | 6,000 |
| WATER DISTRICT | 3,200 |
| WATER DISTRICT | 124,605 |
| WATER DISTRICT | 176,000 |
| WATER DISTRICT | 102,881 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | 3,009,501 |

The above information is available for inspection in the County Manager's Office, County Courthouse, Ruidoso, New Mexico.

THOMAS P. McKNIGHT, CHAIRMAN
LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

LEGAL NOTICE

CALL FOR BIDS
The Ruidoso Municipal Schools are calling for bids on the construction of Concessions Stand and Rest Rooms at the High School Football Field. Specifications are available in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, P. T. Valliant, P.O. Drawer 430, Ruidoso, New Mexico 86345 or telephone 257-7321. Bids will be opened and read at a regular meeting to be held on July 13, 1982 at 7:30 P.M. in the Administration Office.
The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive all technicalities.
P. T. Valliant,
Superintendent and
Director of Finance
(2233-11-16) 17

LEGAL NOTICE

CALL FOR BIDS
The Ruidoso Municipal Schools are calling for bids to be furnished for school lunches during the 1982-83 school year.
Furnish quotations for:
Prices per one-half pint in one-half pint cartons of 2% fat only.
All quotations must be addressed to the Ruidoso Municipal Schools, P.O. Drawer 430, Ruidoso, New Mexico 86345. Quotations will be opened and read at a regular meeting to be held on July 13, 1982 at 7:30 P.M. in the Administration Office.
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BILL WOLFF

LEGAL NOTICE

**COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
IN THE PROBATE COURT
OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF ZANETTA WOLFE BOONE, deceased** Probate No. 1802
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two (2) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative, at 3121 Buffalo Speedway, Suite 302, Houston, Texas 77006, or filed with the Probate Court Clerk.
DATED: June 8, 1982
P. T. Valliant,
Superintendent and
Director of Finance
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Realtors discuss listings book, tour procedure

The Multiple Listing Service (MLS) of the Ruidoso Board of Realtors met Tuesday to discuss the MLS listing book, the new MLS tour procedure and various properties in the area.

MLS president Brad Johnson stated that the MLS committee will study options for a computerized listing book. He commented that problems still exist with the book produced by a computer company. The firm presently under contract by MLS is in the process of relocating from Roswell to Albuquerque.

Johnson noted that computer leasing

agencies have contacted MLS in recent weeks concerning MLS' need for a better computer listing service system. However, MLS membership resolved to stick with the present firm through the busy summer months.

"We're doing everything we possibly can," said Johnson regarding improvements in the property listing book.

Sheryl Valenta voiced her opinion that the new MLS Tuesday tour was not working out satisfactorily. She stated her desire to resume the old convey method of all Realtors traveling to a limited number of homes instead of having open house Tuesday mornings.

John T. Winniford suggested that listings be open to the public as well as Realtors to give interested people a chance to view available properties, too.

"That would be grand, but at a different time," commented Wayne Whitlock. He pointed out that the basic idea of the tour is for Realtors to discuss financing methods for a listed home and to learn about specific pieces of property.

Jane Bartlett finally moved that the present open house Realtors tour method continue at least until July 1, when discussion on the subject may resume.

Johnson also announced that future Tuesday morning MLS meetings will be held at Cree Meadows Restaurant, effective next Tuesday, June 22.

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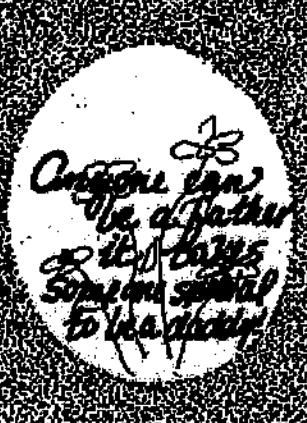


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First Baptist offers quality education, fellowship

by HARRY GRANT
Staff Writer/Photographer

First Baptist Church in Ruidoso Downs has been involved in much more than regular worship services. One of the ministries of the church is the Ruidoso Christian School, which just completed its year successfully.

Pastor Dale McCleskey said he has felt for the past several years to begin a Christian School.

Basically, it is my belief that the education and training of children is the responsibility of the home and the church," McCleskey said.

It is not the proper responsibility of the state to educate children," he added. "More and more, the federal and state governments control things which used to be controlled at home."

It is not a protest movement at all," he said. McCleskey said he believes education in this country began within the family of the home and church.

First Baptist school is a basic way it ought to be done."

McCleskey stressed that the school is not an apolitical school, but that almost all denominations are represented by teachers and students.

Ruidoso Christian School had an enrollment of 60 students this year and anticipates enrolling about 100 students next year.

Due to this anticipated growth in the school as well as tremendous growth within the church, McCleskey said, First Baptist is in the process of purchasing seven-and-a-half acres near the present building to construct a new church/school complex.

"We have run out of room all the way around," he said.

McCleskey said he is sometimes asked whether the church and school should be housed in the same building. He answers that since school buildings are usually vacant on weekends and churches are often vacant during the week, the situation works out well. Having a building vacant any time is poor stewardship, he explained.

"I feel the church and school ministries fit together beautifully," he added.

The present church building was erected in 1973, and "at the time it seemed like a very ambitious project," McCleskey reported. He said it is obvious now that it should have been built much larger.

In addition to sponsoring the Christian School as a ministry of the church, First

Baptist also serves as a branch of the International Baptist Bible Institute (IBBI) of El Paso, Texas, with McCleskey serving as branch director.

College level Bible courses are offered through the program during fall and spring semesters for a nominal tuition charge. There is some degree accreditation received through completion of the courses, although the credits are not accepted at all universities and colleges, McCleskey reported.

The IBBI courses were first offered last year, with 28 students enrolled. "We had an excellent response," McCleskey said.

It's unique in our area," he noted. "Most communities don't have the opportunity to get college level Bible teaching."

"That's part of what I think is basic to what we ought to be doing—providing opportunities for learning and growth," he added.

First Baptist also offers a 15-week discipleship seminar during the summer, dealing with the basic elements of Christian living.

McCleskey noted that all of these educational ministries are open to persons of any denominational background. He emphasized, however, that he is not an ecumenicalist, but believes that genuine

disagreement among denominations is healthy.

"The solution is not to compromise, but to maintain mutual respect for each other," he said.

McCleskey said First Baptist is "very definitely" a conservative church.

"We not only believe the Bible from cover to cover, but we believe the cover is genuine leather," he quipped.

"I think there's a misunderstanding of what it means to be a Baptist," McCleskey declared. "Somehow people have gotten the idea of Baptists being very straitlaced and negative."

"I'm proud of the fact that Baptists were the first to stand up for true religious liberty," he said.

McCleskey noted that he feels there is currently a resurgence of interest in spiritual matters throughout the country. "People are realizing materialism isn't getting us anywhere; there has to be something more to life," he stated.

"It is not necessarily a revival of Christianity," McCleskey added. "People are turning to just about everything imaginable to find something to fill the emptiness."

"Absolutely everything under the sun is being tried in an effort to find meaning," he continued. "I believe you find meaning in a personal relationship with Jesus."

McCleskey said he was called to preach in 1970, so he transferred to Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, Texas, where he earned a bachelor's degree. He then attended Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas, where he earned a master's degree. McCleskey has been preaching in various situations since 1970, but First Baptist in Ruidoso Downs is his first full-time pastoring position. He has served in the position for almost five years.

The remainder of the church staff consists of associate pastor Jerry Mauldin, who also serves as administrator of Ruidoso Christian School, and Mary Anne Boons, secretary. McCleskey said he thinks of the entire school staff as church staff also.

"The biggest thing about our church is we have an excellent fellowship," he said. "There is no little discord in our fellowship as any body I've ever been part of."

He voiced concern that in many cases church membership takes the place of a personal relationship with the Lord rather than serving that relationship. There are a tremendous number of people in Ruidoso, he said, who really love the Lord but are not active participants in a church.

"That says ... that the church is not meeting people's needs," McCleskey noted.

"Everybody suffers as a result," he explained. "People's needs aren't met and ministries don't get carried on."

"One of our goals is that we would like to be able to furnish the highest quality education possible and make it available to every student who desires it," McCleskey stated. Money is a major obstacle to this goal, he added.



PASTOR of First Baptist Church of Ruidoso Downs, the Reverend Dale McCleskey, takes a rare break in his study.

"We are very actively pursuing the matter of scholarship programs, but they are very limited at this point."

"If all the people in the Christian community worked together, we could do so much more than gets done currently," McCleskey noted.

He emphasized that the Christian School is supportive of the public schools and has had a good relationship with them.

"We want to value and care very much for that relationship," he commented.

In addition to the ministries offered by First Baptist through the Christian School, IBBI and discipleship seminars, the church is also sponsoring the Mescalero Baptist Mission. First Baptist supports the mission financially and in other ways, McCleskey reported.

First Baptist in Ruidoso Downs also offers Men's Brotherhood and Women's Missionary Union programs, both of which are involved in missions work and church training, for the purpose of furnishing believers with the basic skills to be more effective.

Sunday School services are held at 9:30 a.m. Sundays with worship services following at 11 a.m. and also at 7 p.m. Sundays and 7 p.m. Wednesdays.

"We do stay busy," McCleskey concluded.



OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC STUDENT OF THE YEAR award was presented to Connie Dutton by Ruidoso Christian School administrator Jerry Mauldin during graduation and award ceremonies recently.



STUDENTS from Ruidoso Christian School's first kindergarten class, or "Ankle Biter Tech," as school administrator Jerry Mauldin calls it, presented a program for their parents during graduation ceremonies recently. Kindergarten graduates include, from left,

Arianne Batton, Amy Hawkins, Cathy Cull, Audrey Richburg, Jason McCleskey and Jeffery Chapman. Undergraduate kindergarten students are John Echols, Jonathan Bergloff, Aaron Perry and Brittany Woolley.



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AN OLD TRADING POST still stands on the Tully homestead. It was built in 1905 by Jim Tully. Almost anything could be bought or traded for, in-

cluding coffins. Food and building materials were available at the trading post, and mail was delivered there.

The Tully Ranch in Glencoe has been a part of Lincoln County since the turn of the century.

And the history of the ranch has been a very colorful one.

James Tully bought the ranch in 1905 from the Prosper Gonzales family. There was an adobe home with four rooms that was probably built in the 1850s or earlier.

The home, now owned by James' son, Gerald, has been added on to gradually since then.

Gerald, 78 and still adept at steer roping (a sport he started when he was four years old by roping small animals), remembers his family's first years in the home.

"I was born in 1903 near Fort Stanton," he said. "We came here in 1905. I can remember that three of the rooms had wooden floors and the other one had a dirt floor. When I first started roping I used chickens and dogs."

A trading post was built by the Tullys in 1905 just to the right of the adobe home. It still stands, a brown rustic building.

"It was used for almost everything," said Gerald's wife, Wynema. "Everything from coffins to nails were sold there. You could also get groceries and the mail there, too."

There are two other old adobes built by the Gonzales family nearby. They are believed to have been built around the same time as the present Tully residence.

The main Tully residence's original rooms have the high ceilings and thick walls typical of the adobes of the 1800s. The ceilings in the old rooms are at least 10 feet high.

Gerald's son Gerry, who also does a lot of steer roping, lives nearby. He teaches math at Ruidoso High School when he's not steer roping.

Jim Tully was a state Representative from 1912 to 1916 and a state Senator from 1917 to 1921. He listed his occupation as a farmer and stock raiser.

He helped create Lincoln County Forest and helped bring a lot of attention to Lincoln County's scenic beauty. He died in 1936.

Gerald Tully's main interest was and is cattle. Besides raising the animals, his career as a steer roper is long and distinguished. He set a world record for roping 12 steers in 1948 and won the coveted Crosby trophy that year.

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The Tullys own around 4,600 acres of land in the Glencoe area. The land on which Gerald and Gerry's homes sit takes up about 200 acres.

The area around Glencoe up to Ruidoso has grown considerably in the 77 years since the Tullys bought the old adobe homestead. Many of the people who lived around Glencoe in the early 1900's have long since died.

"A fellow from Roswell who's writing a book about me asked me whether I have any enemies," Gerald said. "I said no. I've outlived all those S.O.B.'s."

Photos and text by Gary Brown

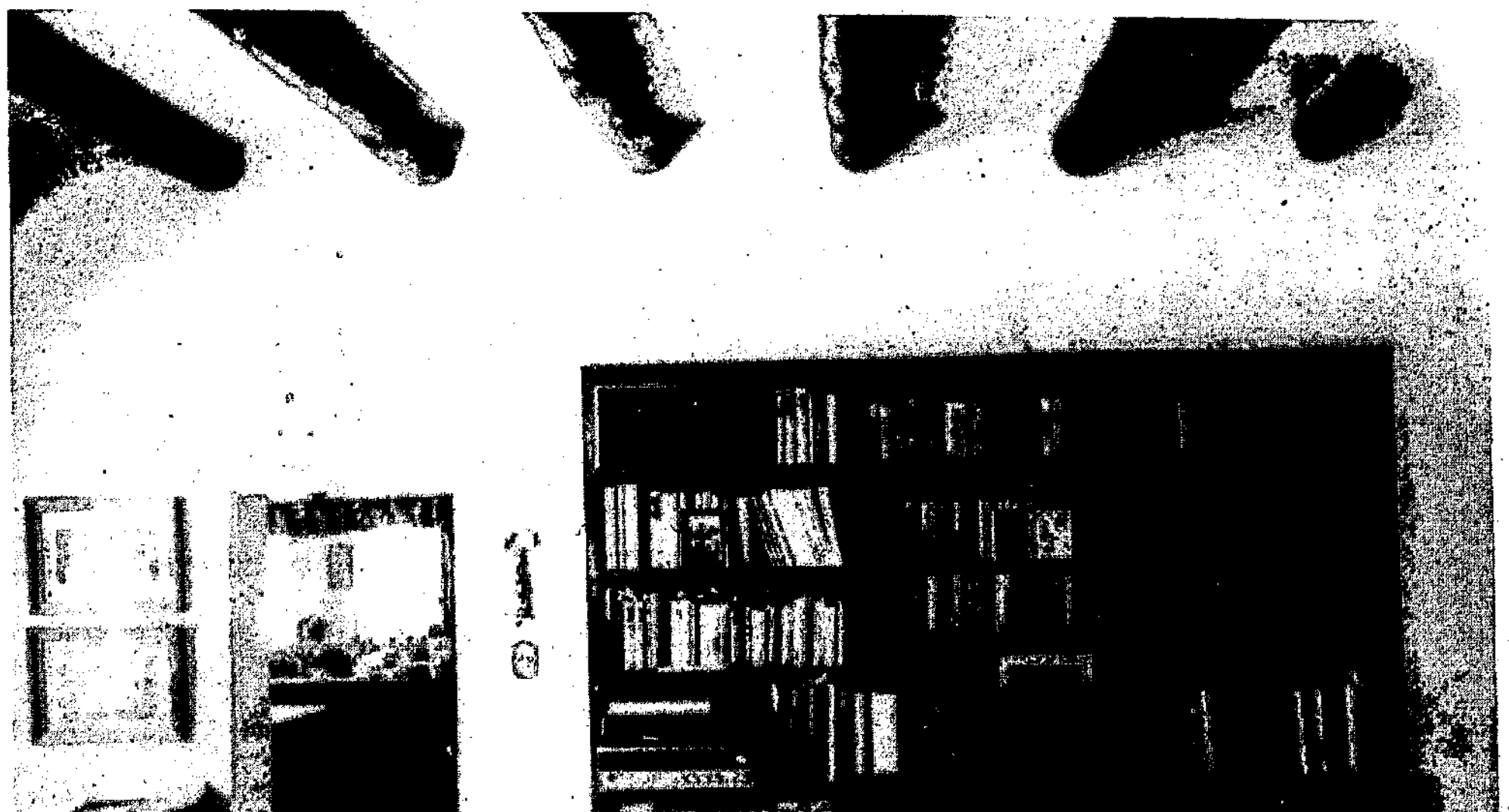


GERALD TULLY'S HOME has been remodeled considerably since his father, Jim, bought the house in 1905. There are four original rooms to the house, which was built in the mid-1800s by the Gonzales family.

Three of the original rooms had wooden floors and the other had a dirt floor when Jim Tully bought the home.



OLD TULLY was born near Fort Stanton in 1903 and came with his father to Glencoe in 1905. Tully, who will be 79 next month, has been roping steers for most of a century. The Tully homestead was built by the Gonzales family in the mid-1800s.



ONE OF THE ORIGINAL ROOMS in the Tully home has the high ceiling and thick walls typical of adobes of the 1800s. The ceiling in this room is

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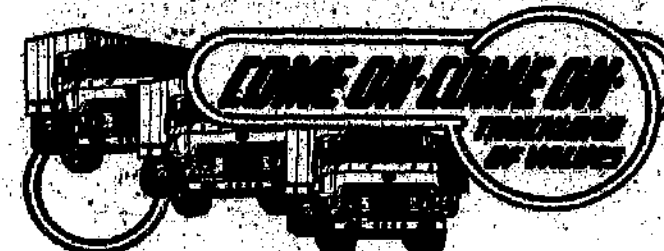
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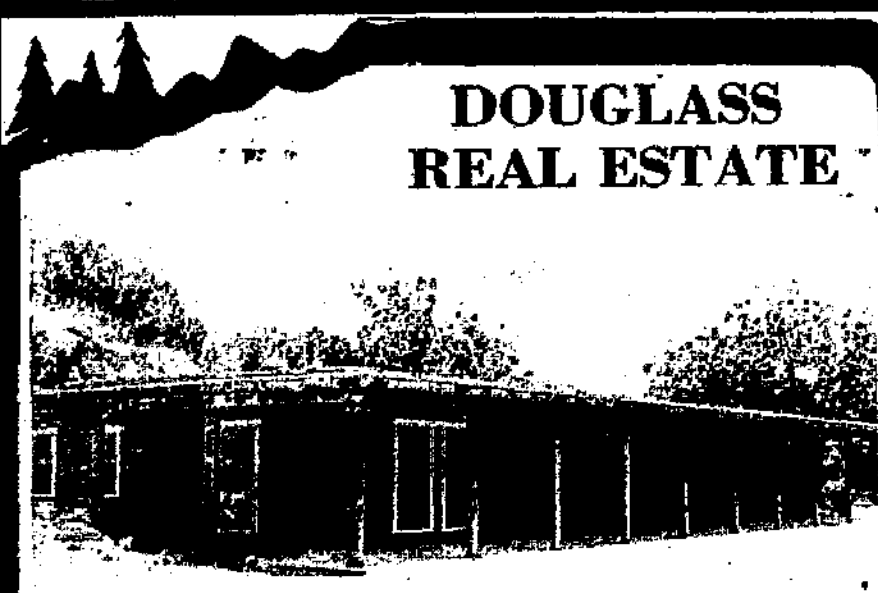
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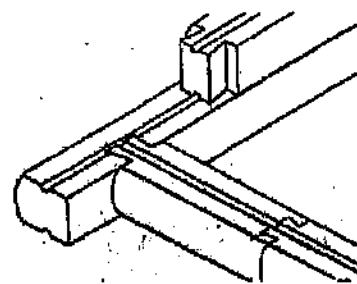
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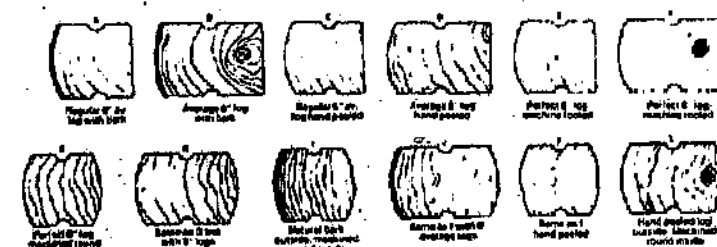
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\$79,500.00 — Better construction you cannot find, at any price! New two bedroom, two bath house plus large covered front deck will be a joy to own. Etched glass windows and other nice touches make this one invite you to stay. Don't procrastinate and let September find you without a place of your own in Ruidoso. Start enjoying today.

VIEW OF RUIDOSO AND OUR FINE MOUNTAIN — Enjoy it from almost every room in this 3,000 sq. ft. super house. Convenient location on paving, large double garage, office or library room (or 4th bedroom if you like), and 3 baths make this one of the most livable places you'll ever find. Will sell with or without furnishings, suit yourself.

SPACIOUS 3 BEDROOM — 2 1/2 bath, and located on a bubbling brook. Formal dining room, 2 car garage, and a two-story real rock fireplace to accent the cathedral ceiling in the living room. "One-of-a-kind" really applies.

3 WOODED LOTS — Quiet location and owner financing, what a great combo! Mobile homes permitted in area, or build that cabin of your dreams. Nearly 8/10's of an acre total.

WHITE MOUNTAIN ESTATES, UNIT 4 — Super building lot, with paving and city utilities available, natural gas nearby. Good assumable loan. What a place for a spec house.

THE USUAL ADJECTIVES FAIL THIS HOUSE — Cute? Yes, but that's not sufficient. Mountain atmosphere? Lots, and more, too. In Country Club Estates, extremely well-built 3 bedroom, 2 bath house on a corner lot has so much to offer — it won't last long on today's market. Loaded glass doors in kitchen, cedar fenced back yard, single car garage with greenhouse, and wired for stereo throughout. Sit on your covered back deck and enjoy the summer, Ruidoso-style deluxe! Shown by appointment only please. Oh, yes — don't forget the assumable loan at 7 1/2% INTEREST, and that's no typographical error!!

LOOKING FOR RENT PROPERTY? — Try this one on for size: 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, and close to shopping. Can be rented out as one unit, or in two. Versatility lets you do it your way. Creek nearby, completely furnished, already has good financing that you can assume. Shown by appointment.

505 257-4686

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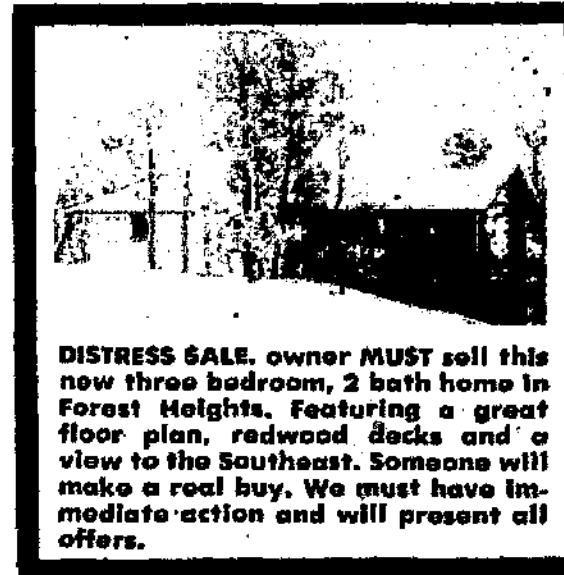
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CUTE AS A BUTTON, three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home, furnished, on nice level lot with easy access, sunny location. Large assumable loan, \$63,900.00.

TWELVE ADJOINING MOBILE HOME LOTS in Ponderosa Heights may be purchased as a package or individually. Priced from \$6,000.00.

NEED SOME ELBOW ROOM? Let us show you this nice 4 bedroom, 2 bath home on nine acres. Fenced for horses, year round stream, just this side of Capitán with city water. Priced at just \$78,500.00.



DISTRESS SALE. owner MUST sell this new three bedroom, 2 bath home in Forest Heights. Featuring a great floor plan, redwood decks and a view to the Southeast. Someone will make a real buy. We must have immediate action and will present all offers.

OWNER WILL FINANCE furnished five bedroom, three bath home with garage, two kitchens, year around access, good views. An ideal opportunity for large family.

7 1/2 ACRE TRACT on Carrizo Canyon Road with city water, good soft view.

LINCOLN, NEW MEXICO. A total of 61 acres along the Bonito River, some with water rights. Can be bought as a parcel or in smaller acreage tracts. One unit has 2,000 square foot building. Contact office for details.

NICELY WOODED Alto Village lot with full golfing membership, assumable loan. \$17,000.00.

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HOUSE OF THE WEEK

4th FAIRWAY IN ALTO VILLAGE — This beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath home can be yours for \$159,500.00. A full golfing membership is included, excellent access, fantastic view of the Capitans and many extras.



FOR THE DISCERNING PURCHASER — An outstanding home of quality construction that offers much more than just living space. You must see this home with its "personality" to appreciate 3 bedrooms, 4 baths, sunroom, greenhouse, whirlpool, chain link fence, alarm system, aspen interior. Excellent subdivision with seclusion, yet good access and view. Call Susan Miller at 257-7373 or home at 257-2624.

A PRICE TO MATCH THE PROPERTY. Now fully furnished mobile, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace. Sit on your redwood deck and enjoy the quiet of Ruidoso. Extra lot available. \$55,000.00.

OWNER FINANCING! This beautiful building lot offers privacy and convenience for the imaginative home builder. Borders National Forest and live springs. Call Teresa Bates at 257-4073 or at home 257-7121.

TWO STORY HOUSE ON RIVER. Fully furnished home that will sleep a crowd of people. Sit on your covered deck and fish from the river. Good assumable loan.

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Salesman of the Week
Rose Peebles
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FREE BEDROOM — house, large utility room, washer and dryer, large living room, 24' x 48', fireplace, large deck porch, Upper Canyon. Also small trailer for a single or couple. Rent by season or permanently. No pets. 257-7649. Full-lfc

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FOR RENT
Large beautiful 3 BR., 2 1/2 bath home in White Mountain II. YEARLY RATES.
NEAR THE TRACK — New condo, 2 BR., 2 1/2 bath, plus many more, including Alto Country Club, Cree Meadows Country Club, Camelot, Upper Canyon.
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TWO BEDROOM — apartment with large living room and fireplace. Another without fireplace, a one bedroom apartment. 257-2278. B-4-lfc

RACING SEASON RENTALS — still available! We have several very nice homes, condos and town houses available during racing season. Let us help you find the perfect place for your family, friends or business groups. Jim Carpenter & Associates, 257-5001. J-9-lfc

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SOUTHWESTERN LIVING at its best! Over 6 acres, territorial style home, all rooms open into large atrium. Eagle Creek Estates, \$357,000.00.

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE — Even sounds good, doesn't it? Clean, neat, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, priced in mid-seventies. Owner might trade.

VIEW, VIEW, buildable sites, several to choose from — would be happy to show these. Call soon, from \$26,000.

NICE LOT in Del Norte, zoned for a mobile or double-wide, owner will take terms. \$20,000.

TWO BEDROOM — furnished mobile home. 257-4418. K-9-lfc

NICE THREE BEDROOM — house in Cedar Creek; \$400/month. By appointment, 257-7255. N-10-2tp

SELF STORAGE UNITS — for rent: 10' x 10', \$35 monthly; 10' x 20', \$60 monthly. 258-4181 or 257-9215. V-10-lfc

LARGE MOBILE LOT — in River Park. All utilities in, \$95/month, long term lease. Call Bill, 257-7886. H-10-lfc

1240 SQ. FT. — prime commercial building for lease sitting in the new "Attic and Friends" shopping center. Perfect location for restaurant, art gallery, etc. Call 257-7744 or 354-2789. A-11-lfc

REAL ESTATE

RANCHO RUIDOSO ESTATES — 5.7 + acres wood hilltop, 360 degree views. Underground utilities, improved with road and well, Jim French, Drawer 66, Ruidoso, NM. (505) 257-2892. F-73-lfc

CABIN — excellent condition, two bedroom, one bath, extra lot, deck; owner financing. Jackalope Square Real Estate, 257-9723. J-101-lfc

OPEN: HOLIDAY ACRES — 106 Park Place, new and beautiful, great view and quiet. Three bedroom, two baths, utility, large deck, all cedar siding and tastefully decorated for only \$72,800. See owner at site or call 257-5809. O-11-ltp

NEAR ALTO LAKE — just completed, three bedroom, furnished or unfurnished. Call Carolyn or Jim, Coulston & Associates, Realtors, 257-5184. C-3-lfc

CABIN ON D STREET — up the hill about 1/4 mile above the new center of Ruidoso. Price \$35,000. Terms, or less for cash. Call (208) 886-2052. C-9-3tp

RANCH FOR DEER HUNTING — lease near Ruidoso; party of 30 or 40 from one to five years. (605) 653-4361. R-9-6tp

LIKE NEW — two bedroom, two bath mobile. Completely furnished; \$19,500 total price. Possible financing. Owner is broker. Call Karon Petty or Jack Williams at Innsbrook Village Real Estate, 257-9046; nights, 257-9546. P-9-lfc

UNUSUAL THREE BEDROOM — two bath; study heavily timbered area north. Under \$70,000. Owner will consider lease purchase. 258-4045. H-9-lfc

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amidst tall pines at cool 7000' elevation? Golf, tennis, fishing, hunting, stables, pool, majestic views surrounding the ever-flowing Sacramento River. Roads, water, power, telephone to all lots. Priced at less than \$4000 per acre. Central airstrip 66 miles from Ruidoso. Lodgings with kitchenette provided for prospects. Cobb Realty. (505) 897-2319.

PRESTIGIOUS "EAGLES CHECK" — Acres: seven acre parcel, views, adjoins national forest, horses permitted; \$75,000. Box 348, Hampton Bays, NY 11946. P-11-ltp

ALTO VILLAGE
Secluded new home, excellent view of Sierra Blanca. Two bedroom, 1 1/2 bath — redwood deck, passive solar, with greenhouse. Call Ray Bishop at Resort Properties, 257-9007 or home, 336-4387.
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RR Commercial Property
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\$42,500 — 2 bedroom, 2 bath mobile on large lot, #8014.
\$49,500 — Darling new 2 bedroom, 2 bath, furnished mobile with fireplace, nestled in the ponderosas in Wingfield Homestead. Circular drive. Within walking distance of proposed reservoir. #8598.

COMMERCIAL
\$34,000 — lot in Palmer Gateway (100'x200'). Right off of Sudderth. #6331.

HOMES
\$49,500 — Cree Meadows Heights. Surrounded by expensive homes. #8491.
\$55,000 — Investor's Delight: walk to Ruidoso Post Office. #7898.
629 Sudderth Drive

\$77,500 — 3 bedroom, 2 bath, new home in North Heights Park. Wrap around deck, all new appliances; almost level lot.
\$150,000 — White Mountain Estates. Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Covered sun room, den, covered patio. Assumable loan. #8476.

1,768 sq. ft., 3 car carport, nice trees, good view, lots of deck. 560+ sq. ft. Could be used for guest room or maid's quarters. Three bedrooms, 2 baths.

LOTS, LOTS, LOTS — We have \$1,140,962.00 worth of lots listed, ranging from \$1,000 to \$37,500. Surely one of these lots would be suitable for your needs.
Leon D. Puckett, Sr. Broker/President Res.: 257-4944
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ACREAGE
Rolling hills and privacy. Five acre ranchette.
EXTRA! EXTRA! 3 mobile lots and 3 excellent building lots in Sun Valley — \$9,750, \$10,000, \$11,000.
Four bedroom, 2 bath, 2,700 sq. ft. home on 19.03 acres of fenced acreage in Tularosa, NM. 1,516' hwy. frontage on Hwy. 54. 50'x50' block barn, 12'x48' apartment, wood and metal stalls, feed room, well house and storage, fenced corrals, sprinkling system for lawn and for the 20 bearing pecan trees.

LAND
2.2 ACRE COMMERCIAL TRACT, next to new shopping center on Hwy. 37. All utilities available, very suitable for large retail store. Priced at \$245,000, WITH LOW INTEREST ASSUMABLE FINANCING.
6.5 ACRES ON FT. STANTON ROAD. Very usable, horses allowed, trees, electricity, VIEWS. Priced at \$72,500.

HOMES IN THE 20'S
\$21,500 BUYS THIS 1981 BRECK MOBILE HOME in Ruidoso Downs. Clean, well-kept, LOW DOWN PAYMENT.

HOMES IN THE 50'S
\$54,500 FOR THIS 2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH MOUNTAIN HOME IN PONDEROSA HEIGHTS. Has large deck, very well maintained.

HOMES IN THE 60'S
\$66,500 BUYS THIS ALMOST NEW 2 BEDROOM, 1 1/2 BATH CONDO AT FOX HOLLOW. Completely furnished, excellent rental property.

HOMES IN THE 70'S
\$72,500 WITH \$16,703 DOWN PAYMENT AND ASSUME A \$55,793, 13 1/4% annual percentage rate loan. You must see this home before you buy. WON'T LAST LONG.

HOMES OVER \$100,000
\$163,500 FOR THIS NEW MOUNTAIN HOME IN ALTO VILLAGE. Has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, Hot-tub, Full membership, and much more.
\$182,500 ALMOST NEW MOUNTAIN HOME IN WHITE MOUNTAIN ESTATES, UNIT 211 Three bedroom, 2 bath, Super View, Completely Furnished.
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BRAND NEW LISTING! If you're looking for an absolutely breath taking VIEW of Sierra Blanca check this out! We just listed this 3 bedroom, 2 bath chalet that overlooks Cree Meadows. It's partially furnished, partly rustic and MOST REALISTICALLY PRICED at just over \$100,000.

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Jack Williams — 257-9546
P.O. Drawer N — Ruidoso, N.M. 88345
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SEVEN CABINS — for sale (former Noisy Water Lodge) with approximately 12 acres. Beautiful tall pine trees by river. Will sell all, \$650,000, or partial. Owner will finance. Albert Coca, (915) 850-1570. E-11-3tp

1981 14' x 36' SKYLINE — mobile home, double windows, well insulated, wood stove, \$14,500 cash price or \$3,000 down and assume loan. 354-2231, 8:00-5:00, weekdays; 354-2333, nights and weekends. E-11-3tp

FOR SALE BY OWNER — 30' x 60' shop with nice office, supply room and big work room on three lots; two water meters, electricity and city sewer in Capitan. Commercial or residential. Call 354-2564 anytime. F-11-8tp

VIEW SIERRA BLANCA

From bay window and large redwood decks of this new natural log cabin. This 2 bedroom, 1 bath home is just right for Ruidoso's environment. By owner. Call 257-5307.

RR Commercial Investment Property

Super commercial multi rental unit that is well located, well priced, and shows a good rental history. Get the details by calling Roundup Realty, Inc., 257-5093. Or evenings Mel or Bonnie 257-5097, Bob 257-2188, Susan 257-5449, J. L. 378-8342.

BY OWNER ALTO COUNTRY CLUB

New three bedroom, 2 1/2 bath plus Jacuzzi, full golfing membership plus fireplace and double garage.

Call 257-9610 or 258-8183

\$49,500.00 HOME FOR SALE BY OWNER
Ponderosa Heights, 2 bedrooms, bath, fireplace. Terms available. Call Karen at 336-4795 or 257-9514.

RANCHES

96 RANCH: 1200 cow ranch at Lordsburg, New Mexico. 35,000 deeded; 51,000 state lease. Priced to sell. No Federal lease.

BIG SPRING RANCH: 1240 deeded acres 5 miles due east of Carrizozo. 30 gpm spring; 600 gpm water tested at 105 feet.

NICKEL RANCH: 4220 deeded acres, 2360 state lease and 3260 BLM for only \$638,000. Nice spring at headquarters. 12 miles south of Carrizozo on Highway 54.

NOGAL: 118 secluded acres with controlled access in Tortolito Canyon. This beautiful piece of property is surrounded by the White Mountain Wilderness and is the only deeded land in the canyon.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

PETE THOMPSON:

505-257-9386

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LUXURY HOME — in White Mtn. Est. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, wet bar, 2 fireplaces, balcony overlooks living room. Many extras. Brand new. See this if you want something special.

IN THE PINES — lovely 3 bedroom cabin. Fireplace, \$15,000.00 down or will trade.

10 ACRES — with mountain view. Beautifully wooded tract. Owner financed. Will trade for property in Santa Fe.

NICE MOBILE — 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1980 Skyline. Assume loan.

HANDYMAN SPECIAL — 2 bedroom, 1 bath house. Needs TLC. Plenty of storage, near the post office. \$52,000.00.

CLOSE IN — Beautiful redwood house, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large deck, fireplace, stained glass window, all appliances, 1,344 sq. ft. Owner will help arrange financing.

BEAUTIFUL VIEW LOT — nearly level. On pavement, has utilities. Assumable loan.

CAPITAN — 3 bedroom, 2 bath on 3 commercial lots. Room for another building. Excellent location. \$50,000.00.

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DARLING CABIN — Fireplace, view. Less than \$45,000 per sq. ft. \$59,500.00 with owner financing.

ACREAGE FOR CONDO PROJECT — 2.7 acres on Hull Road. \$95,000.00 with possible owner financing.

RANCH — 1,830 cattle year long at home on \$3,100 acres. Pinon and juniper provide shelter for cattle, deer and antelope. 41% of ranch is deeded. 1 1/2 hours from Ruidoso.

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TASTEFULLY FURNISHED TOWNHOME features air conditioning, splendid views, three large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, Jacuzzi. If you want something out of the ordinary, call Buck or Diana Meyer. 336-4906 (Eves).

2.19 ACRE DEER PARK WOODS is a superb view lot for your Alto home. Great buy at \$25,500. Call Joe Coff. 257-9896 (Eves).

INNSBROOK VILLAGE CONDO contains two lovely bedrooms and two full baths. Elegantly furnished and ready for you to move in. \$68,500. Call Norma Fallwell. 257-9873 (Eves).

2400 SQ. FT. RIVER HOME in the cool cottonwoods and aspens. Sauna after you dip in the River. Rock fireplace. Double carport. Call Dick Hall. 257-9308 (Eves).

\$75,000 CEDAR SHAKED A-FRAME or level view lot has massive mass rock fireplace, three nice bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths. Call Dan Barrow. 257-7544 (Eves).

PRICE REDUCED TO \$13,500 on adjoining 1/2-acre view lots in secluded Alpine village. Southern exposure for winter comfort. Call Brad Jordan. 257-2134 (Eves).

FULLY FURNISHED VIEW CONDO with garage. Popular 2 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath plan. Nice redwood deck. \$120,000. Call Bill Stroud. 257-5064 (Eves).

FOR SALE BY OWNER — 20 acres south of Alamogordo, NM. Well with excellent water. \$1000 per acre. 1-505-437-7728. F-11-2tp

RR The More . . .

you look the better this 2 bedroom, 1 bath mobile on two lots with running stream is going to look. Priced at only \$24,500. Call Roundup Realty, Inc., 257-5093. Or evenings J. L. 378-8342, Mel or Bonnie 257-5097, Bob 257-2188, Susan 257-5449.

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Suite 202, Pinetree Square,
Box 1685
Ruidoso, N.M. 88345

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Res.: 336-4282

Call Any Time

WHITE MOUNTAIN — One of the most beautiful custom built homes in the area. Luxury and energy saving features you have to see to believe. Unique three bedroom floor plan and an incomparable Sierra Blanca and village view. For the discriminating buyer this lovely home is truly one of a kind.

INVESTOR ATTENTION: Owner will wholesale 48 prime building lots at beautiful Timberline. \$128,000, cash at this price.

OWNER SAYS: "GET ME AN OFFER!" He must sell three acre lots in south Capitan on Hwy. 8. Village water, electric, cable. Easy access. Roadfrontage or commercial.

FOR THE HOMEOWNER: 1/2 Acre in prime residential location. You can't beat this area for gentle country living close to town. \$45,000 (below comp. property).

ALTO LIFT — I think this is the best buy in Alto. Gentle slope, lots of pine, excellent, but good access. Capitan view. Only \$12,500 with assumable loan.

ALTO VILLAGE MAP showing many lots for sale, including pieces. It's FREE — just call me.

CLASSY NOT LIVABLE? YES! Affordable mobile home on 1/2 acre. Horse OK. Just \$27,900 AND OWNER FINANCING.

MORTGAGE 10 Acres or 5 acres. Just \$2,500 per acre. 15% down. Bal. 10 years, 12%.

WOODED MOUNTAIN Alto area lot. Lots of big trees. Only \$8,800. Easy terms. Owner/Agent.

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FOR SALE BY OWNER — 80 acres south of Alamogordo, NM. Cleared, three wells, excellent water, two pumps, two wheel roll sprinkler systems, pipelines, mineral rights. \$1500 per acre. 1-505-437-7728. F-11-2tp

NEED ROOM?

This one borders Lincoln National Forest five miles north of Cloudcroft on Hwy 24 in Silver Springs Canyon. Lots of room for the money. Lancer mobile home, 14'x72' plus a 24'x24' two story A-frame built on. Consists of four bedrooms, two baths, fireplace and family room. On school bus route. Also a two bedroom cabin that is rented. All for \$65,000. Owner will finance.

PRESLAR REAL ESTATE
Cloudcroft, N.M.
682-2343

BY OWNER

One of the nicest homes in Alto Village just completed. Atrium, Roman tub, sauna, jacuzzi, carpeted and draped. Three bedroom, three bath, large deck on one acre lot in Deer Park not far from golf course.

Call 336-4078

RR A Mobile Home

for the summer months and this one will fill the bill. Two bedrooms, one bath and furnished down to the plates and silverware! Priced below the market because owner has health problems and has to move. Call Roundup Realty, Inc., 257-5093. Or evenings Mel or Bonnie 257-5097, Bob 257-2188, Susan 257-5449, J. L. 378-8342.



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You've been dreaming of a home in Ruidoso, come to the Springs. The natural beauty of the waterscape complements each carefully designed home. Weaving around the 71 available units, a stream blends sight and sound into one harmonious community. Call our office for further details.



- * 13 beautiful wooded acres with National Forest bordering on 2 sides. Spring runs through property and close-in too! Owner financing and reasonably priced. \$3,000 per acre.
- * 15 acres with several excellent home sites. Heavily wooded with natural spring and just minutes from downtown Ruidoso. \$4,000 per acre.
- * 20 acres of heavily forested land with great terms.
- * 230 acres of beautiful wooded acreage in prime location just out of Ruidoso city limits.

Everything We Touch Turns to Sold

HOMES, CONDOS & TOWNHOUSES

\$34,900 Spacious double wide 3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile. Nice view, assumable loan.

Attention Horsemen!! Furnished home right next to racetrack. Four bedrooms, ready to move into. Assumable loan.

Very bright new cabin. Two bedrooms, one bath, located in Town and Country Subdivision. \$48,900.

Finish it yourself and save \$\$\$! Large three bedroom shell house. Septic and fireplace already in. Call for details.

\$74,400 New 3 bedroom, 2 bath cabin in the tall pines. Terrific view from cool spacious deck.

River house. Three bedroom house on two lots located on Rio Ruidoso. Plenty of storage and priced to sell at only \$65,000.

Well constructed, spacious mountain home with spectacular view. Cathedral ceiling in living room. Huge rock fireplace, steam baths and much more for \$135,000.

River house. Fully furnished with many extra features. Closets cedar lined, oak floors, copper lamps, skylights in most rooms. 150' of Rio Ruidoso River and deck on river. Over 2,000 sq. ft. of living space.

And Many, More.

LOTS

\$4,000 Beautiful wooded lot close in. Terms negotiable.

\$5,950-\$10,500 Many Alpine Village lots you can choose from. Terms!

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Inside The Capitol

by Fred McCaffrey

SANTA FE — The primary's over. We're now in that phase of New Mexico politics called "preparation for the 1982 general election."

Meanwhile, in the Capital City of our state a great meeting of the lawmakers who run everything in government is taking place.

Big deal? Not so big a deal.

If you think we citizens must be in a state of chaos and cannot predict what is to come, how about these for a couple of safe bets on the future?

Unless the economy of the nation goes to hell to the extent it did last in 1929, put your money on Joe Skeen as Congressman from southern New Mexico.

If all Reagan economic programs turn to pure sheep manure (an analogy chosen in honor of Joe Skeen), the incumbent from that district may take it in the neck in November.

If not, he won't either. Stick around and see.

Unless a true state of emergency arises between now and November, Skeen is more likely than his opponent to be the Congressman from the southern district during the next two years.

Quick: Who is his opponent?

That's part of the problem.

Take Skeen for what he is: a long-time worker in the vineyards of the Republican party; a person who may have stuck too closely to Ronnie Reagan since he has been in Washington; and a man who hasn't always impressed New Mexicans by his work on their behalf, at least you still know his name.

His opposition is, Caleb Chandler, a cop from Clovis, who is shy and really doesn't want to ask anybody to vote for him.

If Skeen is too far to the right for most New Mexicans, they can't vote for Chandler at all. He makes Joe look like a flaming liberal.

As of the day you read this, put your money on Skeen in that race.

And what of that other one, in which Manuel Lujan is coming up against Jan Hartke?

No excitement there.

Just bet on Lujan.

The great commentators in New Mexico picture Manny as crouched in a foxhole worried about whether or not he may get bombed out of office.

That's not even close to true.

For one thing, Lujan doesn't even care about office that much.

Win or lose, he won't hurt too deeply. In fact, he'd probably just as soon stay at home.

But that doesn't mean the observations of all those breathless young television reporters who think Jan Hartke is an "exciting" candidate mean anything.

If people like that knew what they were talking about, Tom Udall would have been the candidate in the northern Congressional district and lots of others would have been big — except that the mere, ordinary, commonsensical voters turned such candidates down.

Lujan ousted Tom Morris from office after that gentleman had been there for about ten years.

Some people think that's a magic number; they look for Lujan to get put out to pasture now.

They're wrong.

Don't bet against Lujan any more than you would against Skeen.

If you think New Mexico is a place of Johnnies-come-lately, have another thought. Over half of us here were born in this state.

We'll almost always go for our local boys.

That will help Skeen and Lujan — and work to the detriment of their adversaries.

Letters to the Editor

Dear editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the people who will make it possible for me to take the trip to Washington, D. C. for the 4-H Citizenship Washington Focus. Your support was greatly appreciated. The painting was won by Rosalee Patterson of Picacho, New Mexico, and the afghan was won by Hazel Arthurs of Hondo, New Mexico.

Sincerely yours,
Doretha Burchett
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THOSE SOCIAL SECURITY GAMES

The social security system doesn't have to go bankrupt, but that is what it will do if our nation's policymakers keep refusing to face the issue.

All three social security trust funds are getting dangerously low, according to the trustees of the system. Although no one denies that there is a serious problem, only a few politicians have had the courage to offer genuine solutions. As a result, working people, by a huge majority, feel that paying their social security taxes is roughly equivalent to pouring money down a rat hole. And they resent having to pay higher and higher taxes for a retirement plan that may not be around when they turn 65. By the same token, retirees worry that the money they were counting on for retirement will be snatched away from them in some desperate last-minute attempt to save the system.

Just a few facts will illustrate the problems facing present retirees, future retirees, and social security system itself.

First, social security benefits have increased by 205 percent in the past 12 years, while the average wage has increased only 121 percent.

Second, it will take only 13 months for the average earner who began paying social security taxes in 1937 and who retired this year to exhaust all of his contributions. From that time on, he will be supported by payroll taxes on the present worker. Persons now receiving benefits have a legitimate concern that working men and women may not be able to bear the higher and higher social security tax burden.

Finally, for the worker who will retire in the future, the situation is completely uncertain. For example, without reform in the system a 35-year-old would contribute at least \$80,000 to the system before he retires. Yet, when he gets ready to retire, the system will have more than \$3 trillion in unfunded liabilities. His 60 grand will have gone to pensioners who retire before him and his retirement money may not be available.

Thus, workers and retirees alike have a vital stake in reforming and stabilizing the system.

Yet both groups have not been convinced that our government will act promptly and responsibly to keep social security alive. Instead, they have been treated to the spectacle of politicians playing election-year games with their futures.

One of the politicians' favorite games is You First. In this game, everyone chants "Insolvency!" until one player proposes a solution to the problem. Then, this player is ridiculed for wanting to gut the social security system, with cries of "He wants to balance the budget on the backs of the elderly!" The winner of the game is the person who can make the most noise while offering the least solution. The losers are those who depend on social security.

Another favorite game is Hide and Seek. The object of this game is to take social security out of the unified budget and hide it in some off-budget account. The winner of the game is the person who can hide it so well that no one knows how much it costs or how bad its financial problems are. The losers are those who pay taxes and those who want an honest accounting.

A third game is Blindman's Bluff. In this game, politicians promise ever-increasing benefits to retirees even though the money for them does not exist. The object is to get re-elected by claiming that the impossible is a sacred right. The official rules do not say whether the "blindman" is the promising politician or the deceived voter, but the game is over when the social security trust funds run dry.

We have had enough childish games with social security. It is time to play straight.

The minimum adjustments necessary to keep the trust funds solvent for the next three years are well known. The funds are now projected to be at least \$6 billion short in fiscal year 1983, \$17 billion short in fiscal year 1984, and another \$17 billion short in fiscal year 1985.

To raise this money, only three plausible options exist—no more and no less. First, the growth in benefits, which has been simply phenomenal during the last decade, could be slowed somewhat. Second, the revenues into the system could be increased, either from general revenues or from ear-marked taxes. Third and most likely, a combination of increased revenues and slower growth could be agreed to.

None of these three alternatives necessitates a cut in benefits from current levels. Any one of them, in fact, accommodates substantial growth in benefits—at least 16 percent during the period from 1982 to 1985. Most important, any one of the alternatives would permit the system to meet its immediate obligations to retirees and its future obligations to the people who are now working.

In the budget resolution it just passed, the Senate called for only the vaguest of actions on social security. About all it accomplished was to admit that the social security system needs help to stay alive—it did not recognize the size of the malady or prescribe a cure for it. However, the budget did require action this year to guarantee short-term solvency. This is the minimum Congress must do. Even though Congress is suffering from the election-year flux, it should stop playing political games and do what is necessary to restore confidence in our social security system.

Editorial

Our community—Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs and those areas of the county that lie close in—took a major step into modern times last week.

The event was the starting up of the new Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant at Biscuit Hill.

When the facility began treating waste June 8, it was the culmination of more than eight years of effort and \$7.5 million in costs.

In the early 1970s, Ruidoso recognized the need to expand its wastewater treatment capacity. The village learned in 1974 that with joint participation of Ruidoso Downs on a treatment facility, state and federal funds would be available for the project.

Thus the Ruidoso-Ruidoso Downs Joint Use Board for Wastewater Facilities was formed. The board, with Ruidoso village manager Jim Hine serving as clerk and signatory authority, began the three-step process of justification of need; design and land acquisition; and construction.

In seeing the project through, the board made a far reaching and long-term contribution to the two municipalities. Ruidoso Downs and part of the county have sewer service for the first time; Ruidoso has a plant that can handle a growing demand.

We congratulate all who served on the Joint Use Board through the years, and especially Jim Hine, whose "baby" it was from the beginning.—TP

Reporter's Round

by

Will Turbow



I had never been to a horse race. I've watched the Kentucky Derby on television a few times, but why would I want to go to the track and throw my hard earned bucks down the drain?

I'd never even heard of pari-mutuel betting before I came to Ruidoso, let alone understood it. Shoot, at first I thought people were saying "pair of mules" betting. Anyhow, my philosophy has always been: if I want to gamble, then I'll buy triple A municipal bonds.

Being proud of Ruidoso, I had to boast about the racetrack: how the track attracts thousands of people every weekend; how there are three \$1 million races—the Gold Cup, the All-American Futurity and Derby; and how the richest horse race in the world is held right here.

"Well, if you're so up on it, let's go tomorrow," challenged Greg. I must admit, after my eloquent spiel, I had talked myself into going.

So the next afternoon, we walked down to the track—to avoid all of the traffic hassles. We walked through the horseman's entrance and got a good behind the scenes look at the horses, stables and the people who run both.

We cut through the grandstand area. It was full of all sorts of people. Some were the older tourist type—baggy pants, straw hat with wife and lounge chairs in tow. Then there were my contemporaries—shorts, tank tops and beers in hand.

After sneaking around, asking dumb questions and checking everything out, we ended up in the Turf Club.

Now, I don't mean to be a snob, but that's the way to go. It's nice and cool up there. There are tables to sit around and good food at surprisingly low prices with courteous service.

The liquor as well as the money flows pretty steadily up there. Distinguished looking men with their silver-gray hair slicked back are escorted by smartly dressed women with thick Texas accents. Quite a contrast from below in the grandstands.

Well, that's all fine and dandy, but I came to learn how to play the horses. The first thing one must do when learning how to gamble is to set a limit on how much you're willing to lose. I told myself that I wouldn't bet more than \$10 that afternoon.

After setting a limit for myself, we had to figure out how to bet. Greg, being the bold dude he is, stopped by a neighboring table and requested information on how to place a bet.

Greg came back to the table, but not too much wiser. The advice he was given, he

told Mary Beth and me, was to bet a horse to show. Being poor and a novice to boot, it sounded to me like reasonable counseling. I was still unsure of betting, and to make things more difficult, it was quiniela wagering. I saw Ed Hyman leaving a window, so I approached him in hopes of an explanation.

He explained that when betting in a quiniela, two horses are selected. If both of them win or place, said Hyman, money can be collected. I wouldn't say it made sense, but it sounded easy enough. He then started talking about baseball betting. I was once again thoroughly confused and told Ed we were at Ruidoso Downs, not Wrigley Field.

I timidly approached the window, trying to think of what I would say when placing my bet. The window lines in the Turf Club weren't nearly as long as they were downstairs, but I continued to be amazed at how many people were betting.

"A \$2 bet on number four and seven in the third quiniela race," I uttered to the lady sitting behind the window.

She punched her Tote 300 computer, and zoom, a ticket was rolling into my hands. My God! I'd done it. Thoughts of paupers' prison and declaring a chapter 11 tormented me. So, I thought to myself, this is what everyone means when they talk about horse racing being exciting.

Well, the race was exciting. You can't help but get emotional with all those other people around you screaming and urging on the horse that will make them a fortune.

Number four won. However, number seven didn't place. A weird feeling came over me.

I was feeling down because I had come so close to winning, but this stupid feeling of confidence arose. I couldn't wait for the next race to begin.

I felt a bit itchy. The gambling bug was gnawing at my conscience.

In the fifth race, I had intended to play it safe. But when I got to the window, I got real nervous. I blurted out "Maly'or to place."

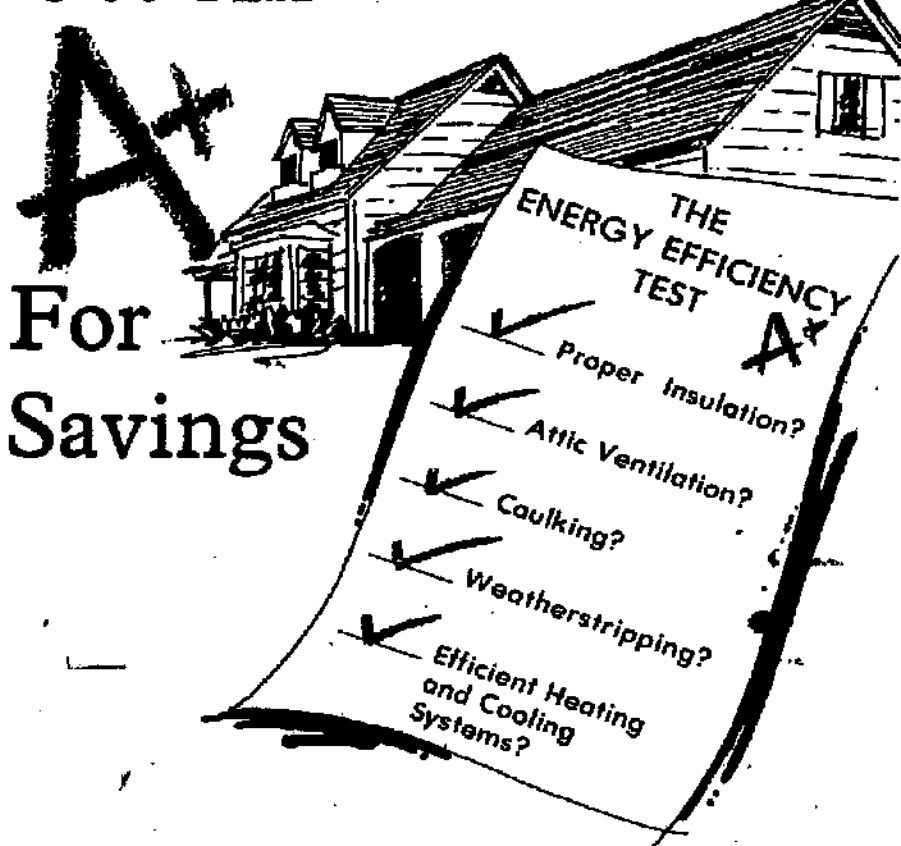
The race proceeded and I was cheering on number seven. It was way back in the field, but as the horses came around the back stretch, number seven moved up and actually placed second. Holy cow—or should I say horse—I won!

As I stood at the window ready to collect, Mary Beth and Greg were congratulating me on having won over \$900. We had already decided how we would spend my big earnings. The woman wanted to see my ticket. I reached into my pocket, and it wasn't there. I panicked. I went back to the table. Luckily, I found my ticket for that race.

"Here you go," I said proudly as I handed her my ticket, relieved at finding it. "I'm sorry sir, but this horse did not place," she said. I had been rooting on the wrong horse. Well, as they say in horseshoe pitching, "Close, but no cigar."

Worst of all, I had broken my own rule. I placed \$14 worth of bets. So, for the rest of the day I placed a bunch of sure bets—at the bar.

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Vickie Smallwood doing what she wants to do — ride racehorses

by DICK ALWAN

The other day, an interesting thing happened to Vickie Smallwood as she was riding the 3-5 favorite, Pierre The True, in a speed duel at Ruidoso Downs.

In the turn for home — just as Vickie and Pierre The True were coming on like a runaway truck — the airspace got a little tight.

"One of the horses bumped us, and we began backing off," Vickie, 21, explains. "Pierre The True is a good horse, but he's got a heart about this big," she says, holding up two fingers to indicate an object about the size of an undergrown pea.

So instead of bursting into the clear, Pierre The True conceded ground, got into more trouble, clipped the heels of a few horses, stumbled badly, and sent Vickie nosediving into the turf.

Vickie bounced around like a rag doll and came to rest with stars in her eyes and all the get-up-and-go of a club fighter who'd stopped a right hook from Larry Holmes. The ambulance crew rushed to the impact area, scraped the unmoving pilot off the turf, loaded her into a stretcher, then into the ambulance, and off they hurried. The scene looked pretty grim.

But after being checked by the medics, and being allowed to get back on her pins,

and put some air in her lungs, Vickie shook off the kyo. A few races later, she was back in her work clothes, and pounded out a hard-driving nose win with My Going Jesse.

The point of the episode isn't that jockeys' female or male, are kamikaze pilots bent on flamboyant suicides. It's just that a spill is usually part of a day's work. Nothing to fret about — as long as your hide stays intact. Vickie says plainly, in a no-big-deal shrug: "I haven't had any bad spills yet. I just don't worry about it. I don't even think about it."

You might call this a highly professional attitude, and it's probably one reason why Vickie is the most successful lady jockey in the history of Southwest racing. During the recent spring meeting at Sunland Park, she ended up seventh in the standings. Currently at Ruidoso, she's holding down third, a few notches out of first place. But the Smallwood Express took a slight slow-down last week when she was suspended a few days for over-eager riding. "I ran over Jockey Mike Lidberg in the first race last Saturday," she fesses up.

Ask Vickie if her track success is a combination of instinct and talent, and she'll

shrug off the question, as if it were unduly complex. She says directly: "I just like to get with it. It feels easy when I ride. I always knew I could do it. When I was a kid, I used to ride without a bridle. If I fell off, it didn't matter."

Raised around horses in New Boston, Texas (not far from Texarkana), Vickie was soon rodeo-riding. But when she turned 15, she decided rodeo-riding wasn't cutting it. "It got old," she says. "The horses didn't go fast enough." Later, her best friend happened to have a boyfriend who was a jockey, and she and her friend went to see some match races at DeKalb, Texas.

After the races, Vickie was allowed to climb aboard one of the horses, and ride him up and down the track. "That was the first time I'd been on a racehorse, and I really liked it," she now says. "It was the spirit of the thoroughbred that appealed to me."

Like any 16-year-old who'd found her destiny, Vickie launched her track career eagerly. But it was a case of moving at the speed of growing grass. For six months, she worked at a ranch in Avery, Texas, breaking colts and getting okayed out of the starting gate. Next came a one-year stint at Delta Downs, galloping horses for

trainer Bill White. Was it a fun year? "I learned a lot," she responds.

At this point, she was 17, and ready to do some serious riding despite resistance and worry from her parents, and lack of interest by two young brothers, one 18, the other 11. (The two brothers were more interested in football.) In frequent phone conversations, Vickie's mom wondered whether it was suitable for a young girl to be off on her own, riding horses. Vickie's answer: "I like it."

Her first chance in a race came at Delta Downs, but it wasn't a storybook beginning. Vickie's horse went off at 99-1, led for the first part, then caved in and finished fifth. "I rode for a long time, and never got close to winning," she recalls. "I was getting to think I'd never win a race."

Matters took a positive turn when the care and feeding of Dan's Funny Face, a plodder of some modest talent, was turned over to Vickie. "If you clean him, take care of him, brush him, track him, and do everything needed to get him ready for racing, you can ride him," she was told. So for a month or two, Vickie played nursemaid and exercise rider to Dan's Funny Face, and finally the horse was entered in a six-furlong race at Delta Downs.

"We got through on the fence, won by about a half-length, and paid \$110," Vickie says. It was her 70th trip to the post. "I felt like I'd accomplished something," she says.

When the stewards decided Vickie wasn't in line for a five-pound apprentice allowance, she left in a huff, and landed at Tucson, Arizona, where she wound up as a top apprentice and the fifth-leading rider. She'd logged about 38 wins, and was ready to sink her youthful teeth into bigger races.

In the summer of 1980, she won 26 races at Sante Fe, including a stakes race. The following spring, she became the first lady jockey to win a stakes race at Sunland Park, taking the Sunland Park Derby with Streaking Sis. Last summer, she won the \$69,624 Norgor Thoroughbred Futurity, becoming Ruidoso's first lady stakes winner. That was an especially sweet occasion, since her family was on hand. Later in the season, she took the Speed-Handicap with My Going Jesse. During the 1981-82 Sunland season she won the prestigious Fall Thoroughbred Futurity with Jack The Knife and the Sunland Park Derby with Oneriotoneranger.

With success of this kind, there's no family resistance to Vickie's jockey career. Try asking her if a rugged life of

this sort, spills and all, is suitable for a young lady, and she'll retort: "It's a lot better than putting in eight hours a day in some office."



VICKIE SMALLWOOD

Veterinarian Jerry Rheudasil has had lifelong love for horses

MARK GORDON

Owning quality thoroughbreds and quarter horses is nothing new to Jerry Rheudasil. But serving on the Ruidoso-Sunland, Incorporated Board of Directors is a new challenge.

"I'm real pleased to have been elected to the Board of Directors," said the long-time horse owner and veterinarian. "It's encouraging to see the changes being made here (at Ruidoso Downs Race Track) and hopefully there will be more to come. We have an impressive physical plant."

"We just want to make it one of the finest racing facilities in existence and maintain it as such," he said.

Although the Lewisville, Texas, horseman has just recently been elected to the executive body which governs Sunland Park and Ruidoso Downs, he clearly has one goal in mind.

"We want quality horse racing at both

tracks," he explained. "Any input I can add that might improve the quality of horse racing at Sunland Park and Ruidoso Downs has to be my prime goal."

Rheudasil has always been involved with horses.

Born and raised in Paris, Texas, he was graduated from Texas A & M University in 1958 with a degree in veterinary medicine. For the past 20 years, the 47-year-old Texan has operated the 407 Ranch, located about 10 miles northwest of Lewisville, Texas. Lewisville is about 25 miles north of Dallas.

"I've loved horses ever since I was a kid. I'm just one of those people who likes horses. I've also been involved with livestock all my life," he added.

Rheudasil owns several horses. They are primarily quarter horses, although he does have a few thoroughbreds.

Perhaps the finest quarter horse he owned was Mito Wise Dancer, a Mito Paint colt out of Folly Watch Miss. Mito Wise

Dancer's most impressive effort was a half-length win over odds-on favorite Dash For Cash in the 1976 All-American Derby at Ruidoso Downs. With a purse of \$568,042, the All-American Derby is the third and final leg of the Triple Crown races for three-year-old quarter horses.

Rheudasil owned Mito Wise Dancer in partnership with Carl Dodd, who bred the Mito Paint runner, and Gary Pogue. While handling the famed Dash For Cash one of his few career defeats, Mito Wise Dancer collected \$188,491.98.

Besides having a one-third interest in Mito Wise Dancer, Rheudasil also owned the sire, Mito Paint, who has become a fine quarter horse and thoroughbred sire. "Mito Paint and Mito Wise Dancer stand at the Phillips Ranch in Frisco, Texas. I owned and syndicated 'Mito Paint,'" he said.

He also owns in partnership a two-year-old thoroughbred, Master Ego, who is a half-brother to the standout four-year-old

runner Bold Ego.

Bold Ego won the 1981 Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn Park and finished second after leading throughout in the 1981 Preakness Stakes, the second leg of the thoroughbred Triple Crown.

Master Ego was purchased in the 1981 Keeneland Summer Sale at Lexington, Kentucky.

Rheudasil also owns Bartonville, a six-year-old Mito Paint gelding, who has been one of the Southwest's finest 870-yard specialists for the past few years. Bartonville, who won two allowance races last summer at Ruidoso Downs, enjoyed his finest season at the mountain track in 1980.

The chestnut gelding tallied four victories, including a 2 and a quarter length verdict in the \$14,425 Brigand Handicap, the meet's featured attraction for 870-yard runners. Bartonville was named Ruidoso Downs' 1980 best older quarter horse and best 870-yard horse.

"Bartonville's the best 870 horse I ever had," he said. "We hope to bring him back to Ruidoso Downs and have him run again later this season."

Besides his race horses, the Lewisville horseman has numerous broodmares.

"I'm also involved in several studs through syndication. I don't breed at my place," he added.

Although he has been associated with race tracks and horses for more than a quarter-century, Rheudasil has hardly become jaded by winning horse races.

"There's nothing like getting your picture taken in the winner's circle," he said with obvious enthusiasm. "The most intriguing thing is to win a horse race with a horse you raised and bred. That's the ultimate in this business. When you breed the mare, watch the foal develop and then watch the horse put out a winning effort, it's the best thing that can happen in racing."



JERRY RHEUDASIL

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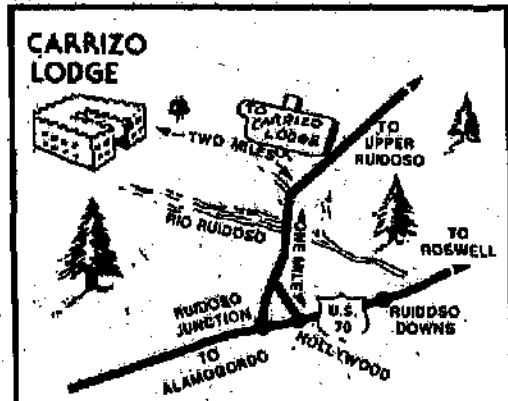
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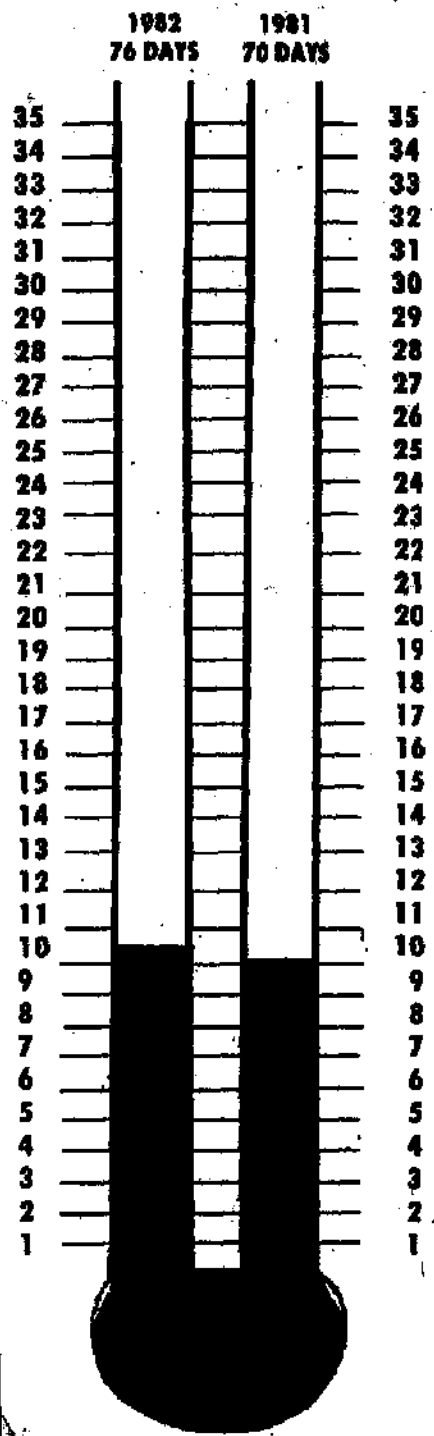
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| Low Trifecta | \$40.20 | Rebeller-Texoma Charger-Duplicate Six | May 8 |

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|----------------|----------|------------------|---------|
| 350 yards | 17:88 | Deckem Easy | June 10 |
| 400 yards | 20:11 | Hempens Chicgag | June 12 |
| 440 yards | 21:81 | Rule The Deck | June 10 |
| 550 yards | 27:48 | Coda Mundi | June 13 |
| 670 yards | 45:86 | Savannah Gambler | June 5 |
| 4 furlongs | 48:2-5 | Irish Jo Jo | May 22 |
| 5 1/2 furlongs | 1:07.3 | Pride Of Loom | May 31 |
| 6 furlongs | 1:07.3 | Final Drive | June 13 |
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| | 1:14 | Allegiance | June 13 |
| | 1:14 | Big Bidder | June 13 |
| | 1:14 | Sena Road | June 13 |
| 6 1/2 furlongs | 1:19.4 | Double B Express | June 13 |
| 7 furlongs | 1:29 | Stormy Sailing | May 22 |
| 7 1/2 furlongs | 1:35 3-5 | John Cameron | June 10 |
| One Mile | 1:48.3 | Torn Paige | May 21 |

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Jockey/Trainer of the week

Mike Lidberg enjoyed a weekend at Ruidoso Downs few jockeys ever experience.

The 21-year-old apprentice rider tallied nine winners, doubled his entire meet's output and zoomed into second place in a spectacular display of riding ability.

Lidberg won three races on Friday, scoring with Policy Dancer (\$6.40) in the fourth, Via Moon (\$8.80) in the sixth and Merry Mermaid (\$14.80) in the eighth. He won two races on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

The youngster now has 18 victories with eight seconds and 12 thirds from his 85 mounts. His winning percentage is a fine .211.

For those efforts, Lidberg becomes the Jockey-of-the-Week for the sixth weekend at the mountain track.

Jacky Martin remains atop the jockey standings. He has an identical number of wins as Lidberg with 18, but has recorded 13 seconds and 10 thirds from 89 mounts. His winning percentage is .202.

Other riders in the elite group include Steve Harris, Joe Martinez, Casey Lambert, Vickie Smallwood, Gary Sumpter, Willie Lovell, Larry Byers and Kenny Roller.

In the trainer standings, William F. Leach was named Trainer-of-the-Week for winning five races and maintaining his five-win edge over Bob Arnett, who also tallied five victories over the weekend.

Leach won two races on Thursday and Friday and one on Sunday. He has 19 triumphs with seven seconds and 12 thirds from 77 starts. He has a superb winning percentage of .246.

Arnett, perennially among the leading trainers in New Mexico, remains in second place with 14 victories, nine seconds and five thirds from 65 starts. His winning percentage is a fine .215.

Other members of the top ten trainers include R. Frank Thompson, Jack W. Brooks, Clifford C. Lambert, Gerald E. Marr, Rex D. Brooks, Jan G. Arnett, Jimmie D. Claridge and Jack W. Dube.

Racing resumes on Thursday at Ruidoso Downs with six trial races for the Norgor Thoroughbred Futurity. Each race will be at four furlongs and will offer a purse of \$1,900. The races will be run as the first, second, ninth, tenth, eleventh and twelfth events.

The six winners will automatically advance to the final four berths. There will be a special drawing among the six second-place finishers for the final four berths.

Racing continues Friday with trial races for the Rainbow Derby, the second leg of the Triple Crown for three-year-old quarter horses. Each trial will be at 440 yards with a purse of \$1,900.

Saturday's main event will be the third running of the Norgor Thoroughbred Derby at six furlongs. The winner of this chase for three-year-olds will collect \$15,232 from the total purse of \$30,465.

Sunday's feature will be the second running of the Rainbow Silver Cup at 440

yards for four-year-olds. The winner will gain \$75,192.50 from the total purse of \$150,385.

Such outstanding competitors as Rule The Deck, Mighty Deck Three and Luck's Gay Chic will compete in the season's first major contest for older quarter horses.

Jockey/Trainer standings

STANDINGS
(Through June 13, 1982)
JOCKEYS

| | Mounts | Wins | Places | Shows | Win Pct. |
|------------------|--------|------|--------|-------|----------|
| Jacky Martin | 89 | 18 | 13 | 10 | .202 |
| Mike Lidberg | 85 | 18 | 8 | 12 | .211 |
| Steve Harris | 87 | 16 | 8 | 11 | .206 |
| Joe Martinez | 107 | 12 | 12 | 17 | .112 |
| Casey Lambert | 100 | 12 | 11 | 10 | .120 |
| Vickie Smallwood | 52 | 12 | 4 | 8 | .230 |
| Gary Sumpter | 151 | 9 | 19 | 15 | .059 |
| Willie Lovell | 98 | 9 | 12 | 12 | .091 |
| Larry Byers | 76 | 9 | 9 | 10 | .118 |
| Kenny Roller | 84 | 9 | 6 | 9 | .107 |

TRAINERS

| | Starts | Wins | Places | Shows | Win Pct. |
|---------------------|--------|------|--------|-------|----------|
| William F. Leach | 77 | 19 | 7 | 12 | .246 |
| Bob E. Arnett | 65 | 14 | 9 | 5 | .215 |
| R. Frank Thompson | 43 | 9 | 6 | 3 | .208 |
| Jack W. Brooks | 57 | 8 | 9 | 11 | .140 |
| Clifford C. Lambert | 64 | 8 | 7 | 6 | .125 |
| Gerald E. Marr | 42 | 7 | 5 | 6 | .166 |
| Rex D. Brooks | 41 | 7 | 2 | 4 | .170 |
| Jan G. Arnett | 24 | 7 | 1 | 4 | .291 |
| Jimmie D. Claridge | 51 | 6 | 9 | 4 | .117 |
| Jack W. Dube | 39 | 6 | 7 | 3 | .153 |

Winning Post Positions
(Through June 6, 1982)

No. 1-25, No. 2-30, No. 3-30, No. 4-33, No. 5-22, No. 6-28, No. 7-25, No. 8-27, No. 9-25, No. 10-19.

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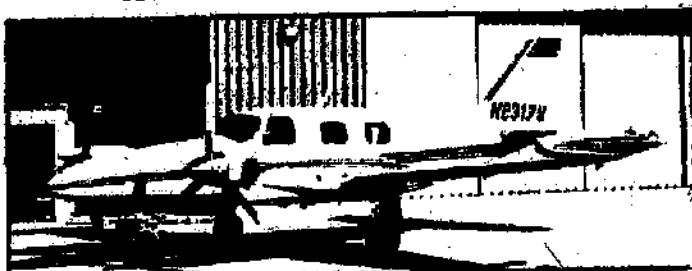
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A NIGHT ON THE TOWN

The Incredible an experience in fine dining

Taken in its literal sense, "going out to dinner" simply means partaking of the evening meal someplace other than at home.

But when certain elements are present—such as pre-planting and anticipation, and wise choice of a dining establishment—going out to dinner can be one of life's finest pleasures.

Our recent dining experience at the Incredible qualified as one of those times.

We were a few minutes late for our 7 p.m. reservation. The Incredible, located just north of the junction of Highway 37 and the Ski Run Road, is a 15-minute drive from midtown Ruidoso.

Co-owner Jennie Smith greeted Cathy and me and seated us next to a window looking out on the pines.

"People have been eyeing your table," Jennie noted with a smile. Indeed, several diners were waiting. Reservations are a good idea at the Incredible, especially on weekends.

Our waitress, Lise Centre, introduced herself and gave us our menus. We read the welcome message on the first page, "It is our wish to make your visit one you will savor."

A feeling of regard for the customer was also reflected in Lise's request that we sign the guest book of the Incredible. That seemed to bode well for what was to come, and it did.

We munched with gusto on "starters" of fried mushrooms and zucchini.

A tasty salad of bibb lettuce with the house dressing, ranch, whet our appetites

for the main course. Sunflower seeds in the salad and bits of garlic bread toast enhanced the greens.

Cathy and I both opted for combinations. She chose steak and lobster. I, knowing the Incredible's reputation for prime rib, picked that cut and lobster.

When Lise set my plate down, I'm sure I got an "Incredulous" look on my face. I had to feast my eyes for a time before reaching for my fork. In fact, the meal looked so good I took a picture of it.

With the first bite, my taste buds confirmed what my eyes had discovered—this was a rare treat.

There is nothing in the world quite like lobster drawn in butter. And when you want to get down to some serious beef eating, prime rib is the way to go.

Enjoying them together, as I certainly did at The Incredible, seemed to set off and multiply the attributes of each. Cathy, the steak eater in the family, was equally impressed with her entree.

The horseradish sauce, which complemented the beef nicely, deserves mention, too. A baked potato completed the feast.

Later, in speaking with the Incredible's other owner, Tom Dorgan, I learned that our experience was in keeping with the stated aim of the eatery.

"Our philosophy of the Incredible is to serve ample portions of high quality food," said Tom. Something else the restaurant offers is a wide variety of dishes—the largest entree selection of any place in town, according to Dorgan.

Our combinations topped the price list at \$18.95, but dinners start at \$6.25. Besides prime rib, steaks and seafood, diners may choose from veal, chicken and pasta dishes, plus Southwest favorites like chicken fried steak and bar-b-que pork ribs.

A children's menu, for youngsters 12 and under, is available as well.

The Incredible wine list also offers a wide selection, with Blue Nun Liebfraumilch a featured choice.

We were feeling quite content by the time the last morsels of beef and lobster had disappeared from our plates. But when Lise wondered if we would like some dessert, we asked, "What do you have?"

Her description of the first item, Mud Pie, prompted us to try that. We weren't disappointed. This delicious concoction of chocolate and vanilla custard and whipped cream topped with pecans on a pastry crust was worth writing home about.

Sipping an after-dinner coffee, it was easy to feel at peace with the world.

But our night on the town was young, and the strums of blue grass music from the lounge brought us out of our reverie and drew us that way.

Inside, the Garbanzo Brothers were holding forth. Marshall Trembley and Jay Castleberry take the stage at the Incredible lounge at 9 p.m. Thursday through Sunday.

Their blend of down home music and humor makes for good time listening. And those boys can pick!

Marshall on the mandolin did a slow to very fast-tempo version of "Greensleeves," accompanied by Jay on guitar, that was well received by a mixed audience of waiting dinner clientele and good, ole' boys and girls there for the music.

The Garbanzos also harmonized nicely on The Band's "Up on Cripple Creek," with the racetrack in the song being, of course, Ruidoso Downs.

"Niki Hoy," a hula number complete with swaying gestures, is another popular number. Marshall and Jay seem to really enjoy entertaining, and they obviously work hard at putting a good show together.

When we left the Incredible, we knew we had gone to the right place for "a night on the town."



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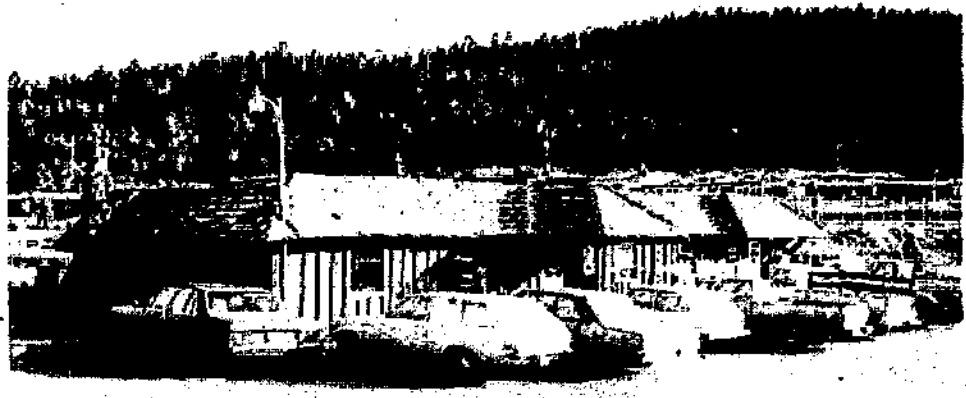


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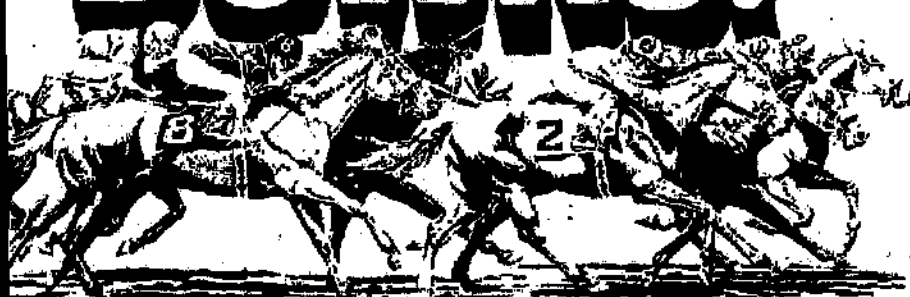
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report reaches a viewing audience of several million. The interview above, which was part of a report on Ruidoso Downs Race Track, was handled by Tom Cline, a Newsweek producer-reporter. Ruidoso-Sunland, Incorporated is the parent corporation of both Ruidoso Downs and Sunland Park Race Track.

Ruidoso Downs Hoofbeats

MARK GORDON
RULE THE DECK posted her sixth consecutive victory while setting the fastest qualifying time for the second running of the Rainbow Silver Cup. The Scout Leader mare zipped to a 21.81 clocking while scoring a three fourths length victory over Mighty Deck Three in Thursday's third trial heat at 440 yards. Ridden by regular rider Jack Wallace, Rule The Deck looked sharp in recording her 15th lifetime victory for trainer R. D. Hay. She's collected \$248,526 for owner Dirk Jones of Lubbock, Texas. As a two-year-old, Rule The Deck won five races with three seconds and one third in 10 outings for earnings of \$47,314. As a three-year-old, she tallied eight triumphs with one second and one third from 13 appearances for winnings of \$177,672. This year, she has won both her Ruidoso Downs outings for winnings of \$3,540. Rule The Deck started her current winning streak by capturing two races last September at the New Mexico State Fair meeting in Albuquerque, then won twice in October at Trinity Meadows at Weatherford, Texas. Perhaps her best effort was running third, just a neck behind Higheasterjet in last August's \$1 million All-American Derby at Ruidoso Downs.

IN THURSDAY'S TRIALS, four horses qualified from the third division, while three each qualified from the first and second divisions. The Rainbow Silver Cup is set for June 20 at 440 yards. The winner will collect \$75,192.50 from the total purse of \$150,385. The complete list of qualifiers and their times: Rule The Deck (21.81); Mighty Deck Three (21.90); Lucks Gay Chic (21.91); Baby Hold On (21.97); Dr Depot (22.02); Runnin Barre (22.02); Kiss A Toad (22.09); Layover Charlie (22.11); Midland Native (22.14); Angles Dancer (22.14).

MIGHTY DECK THREE also performed admirably in his 1982 debut. The Mighty Deck gelding ran second, less than one length behind Rule the Deck, and recorded the second fastest qualifying time (21.90) for the Rainbow Silver Cup. He started just five times last season as a three-year-old, gaining one victory (a West Texas Derby trial race win at Sunland Park) with one second. He earned \$17,642. As a two-year-old, he was brilliant. He won his first four races at Eureka Downs in Kansas and then won five straight Ruidoso Downs events, including the \$587,500 Rainbow Futurity.

the middle jewel of the Triple Crown for two-year-old quarter horses. He finally suffered a setback when he dropped a nose decision to Higheasterjet in the \$1,280,000 All-American Futurity on Labor Day at Ruidoso Downs. He was a 2-5 favorite in the final leg of the Triple Crown. Overall, during his magnificent two-year-old campaign, Mighty Deck Three won 10 races with one second and one third in 12 outings. He earned \$528,960. Owned by Timothy and Dana Guidry of Canadian, Texas, Mighty Deck Three is trained by G. Blane Wood.

THE COMBINATION of trainer Bob E. Arnett and owner Hugh C. Preston Jr. of Burkhurst, Texas, qualified two horses to the Norcor Thoroughbred Derby following Friday's two trial races. Sail On Home, who finished fourth in the first trial heat, and pride Of Loom, who was second in the second division, each earned a position in the finale at Ruidoso Downs on Saturday afternoon. The winner of the six-furlong chase will collect \$15,232.83 from the total purse of \$30,465.66. Perhaps the horse who will be the favorite in that race for three-year-olds will be Real Speculation. The Real Value colt turned in a 1:14 1/5 clocking, the second-fastest six-furlong clocking here this season. He stalked the early pacesetter Pride Of Loom, and then Richard Bickel asked him for his best during the stretch and he gradually pulled away. Real Speculation's best career effort was running second to Plucky Hussy in the 1981 edition of the prestigious Riley Allison Futurity at Sunland Park.

APPRENTICE RIDERS Casey Lambert and Mike Lidberg each won three races during Friday's program. Lambert scored with Wonga Tonga (\$4.60) in the second and on Pockelpurse (\$5.00) in the seventh race. Both horses were trained by Clifford C. Lambert. Casey won the 12th race on Da Da Sa Ke Do (\$14.20) for owner-trainer Ken L. Hirst. Lidberg tallied wins aboard Policy Dancer (\$6.40) in the fourth and on Via Moon (\$6.80) in the sixth. Both horses are trained by Bob E. Arnett. Lidberg also triumphed on Merry Mermald (\$14.60) in the eighth race for trainer L. Z. Roberts.

SIX SEASONAL FASTEST TIMES were set over the weekend, four of them on Thursday. Deckem Easy raced to a 17.88 for the 350 yards. Rule The Deck was timed in 21.81 for the 440 yards; Likanera had a 1:21 4/5 for the six and a half furlongs

and John Cameron topped the seven furlongs in 1:38 3/5. On Saturday, Hemptens Chicguy ran the 400 yards in 20.11. Sunday, Codi Mundi snapped his seasonal fastest time at 550 yards clocked at 27.48.

JOCKEY STEVE HARRIS shook off the soreness of a slight mishap on Saturday to win on both his mounts on Sunday. Harris injured his leg while pulling up Solamente who won Saturday's 11th race. The accident occurred about halfway down the backstretch after the three-year-old Viking gelding scored a frontrunning one and one half length victory at 550 yards. Harris returned on Sunday to guide Henni Pen (\$3.80) to win the third race at 440 yards for trainer Rex D. Brooks and then scored with Imaladysman (\$3.60) in the fifth race for trainer A. Ted Simon. It was the blond rider's second consecutive triumph aboard Imaladysman.

SHORT SHRIFT IS BECOMING one of the area's better 370-yard sprinters. The three-year-old Sold Short gelding won his second straight race at the distance when he rallied through the stretch to post a one-length win in Sunday's fourth race. His first 10 career starts were at the regular quarter horse distances, but he proved he could negotiate the additional distance when he zipped to an easy four-length victory over Mr Wise Dancer at Ruidoso Downs on June 4. His clocking of 46.76, at that time, was a seasonal fastest time. That race was for horses running for a \$4,000 claiming price. His time on Sunday against \$7,500 claiming horses was 47.53. He has been claimed from his last three races. His latest owner is Carl D. Youens and his new trainer is William F. Leach. In 12 career outings, Short Shrift has collected three triumphs with two thirds in 12 appearances.

RICHARD BICKEL BECAME the second jockey to pilot four winners in a single program when he accomplished the feat on Sunday's card. The veteran rider tallied with Casey D Chase (\$4.40) in the second for trainer R. Frank Thompson, dead-heated with Allegiance (\$2.80) in the seventh for Fred Danley, won on Short Shrift (\$4.40) in the fourth and then captured the 12th with Atom Sam (\$11.80). Gerald E. Marr trains Short Shrift and Atom Sam.

Peoples' choices running true

Wagering favorites enjoyed another successful weekend at Ruidoso Downs Race Track.

Nineteen of the 48 public selections posted victories for a fine winning average of 39.5 percent, better than the national average of around 32 percent. In addition, 31 of the 48 favorites finished first, second or third for an in-the-money average of 64.5 percent.

Through the first six weekends of this season's 76-day meeting, 103 of 263 betting favorites have posted wins. That's a good 39.1 winning percentage. The favorites have also finished in one of the top three positions in 176 of the 263 races for an in-the-money average of 68.9 percent.

Favorites won six races on Thursday, three each on Friday and Saturday and took seven on Sunday.

Favorites dominated Sunday's 12-race program as six straight public choices posted victories. The streak started in the second with Casey D Chase (\$4.40), continued with Henni Pin (\$3.60) in the third, Short Shrift (\$4.40) in the fourth, Imaladysman (\$3.60) in the fifth, Codi Mundi (\$5.40) in the sixth and ended when Allegiance dead-heated for the win (2.80) in the seventh. Stormy Sailing also won the eleventh race as \$5.40 favorite.

The weekend's biggest favorite, My Going Jesse, won the seventh race on Saturday, returning \$3.00 as a 1-2 choice.

The highest-priced favorite over the weekend was Stash II, who paid \$7.00 while capturing Saturday's ninth race.

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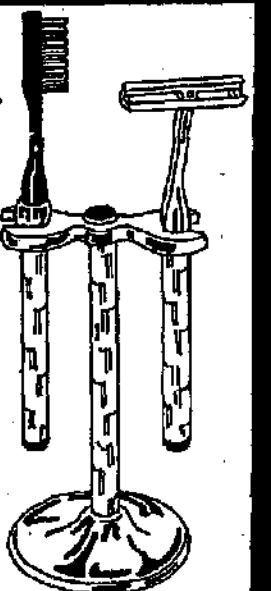
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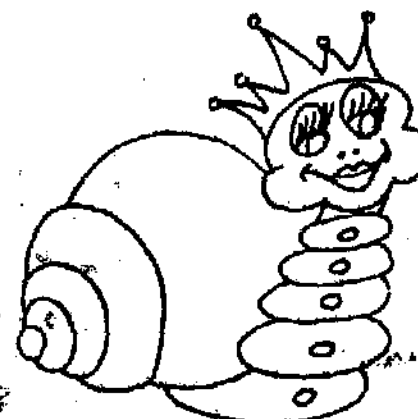
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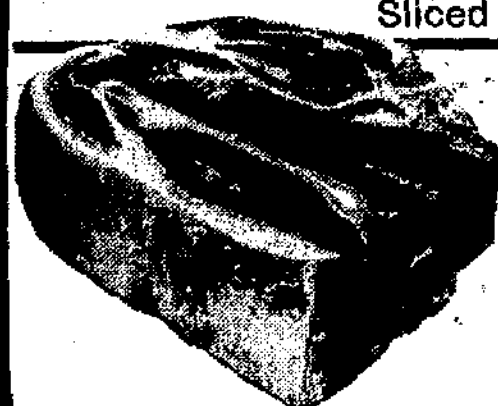
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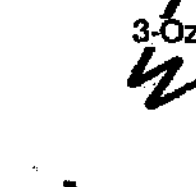
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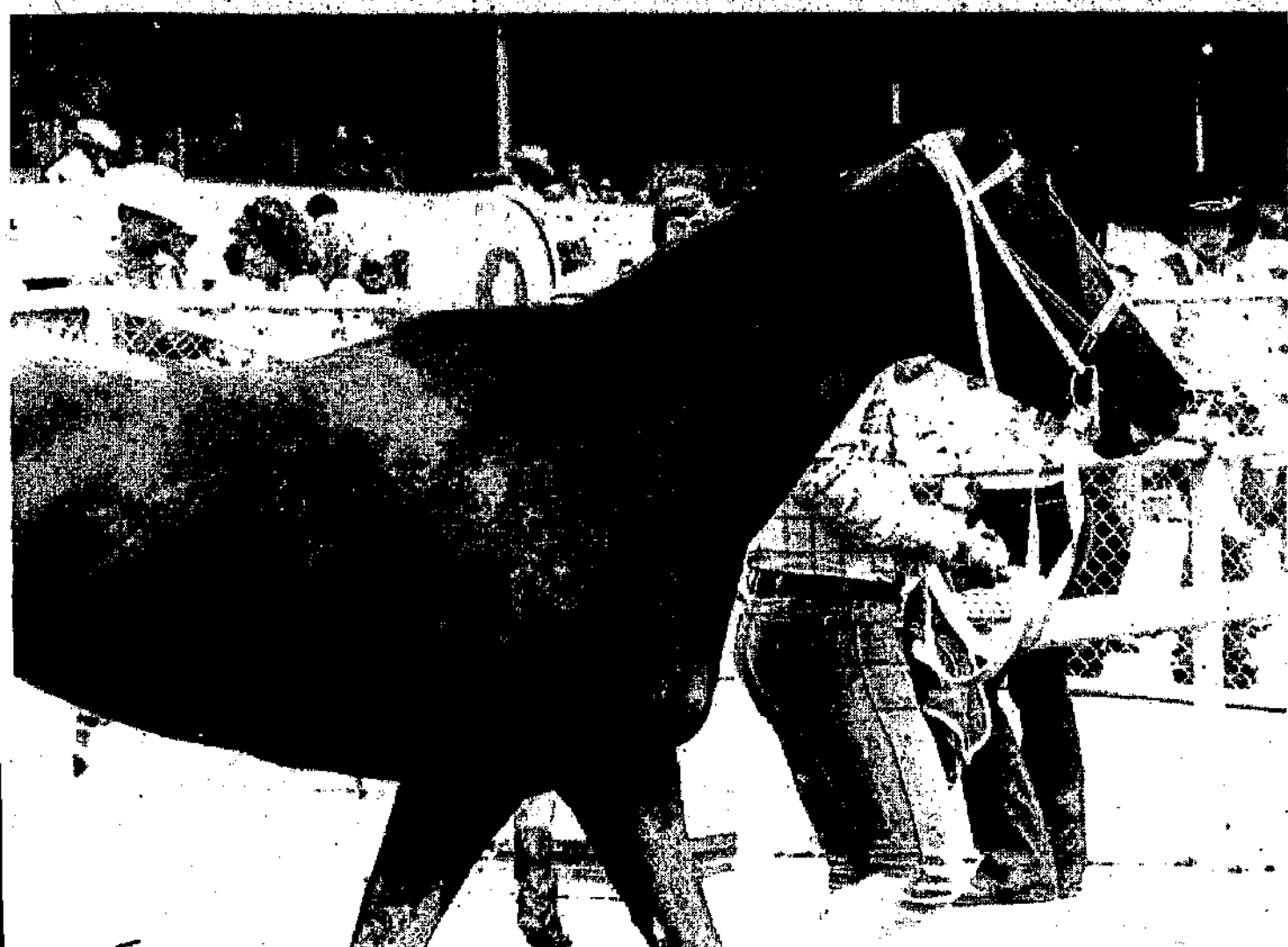
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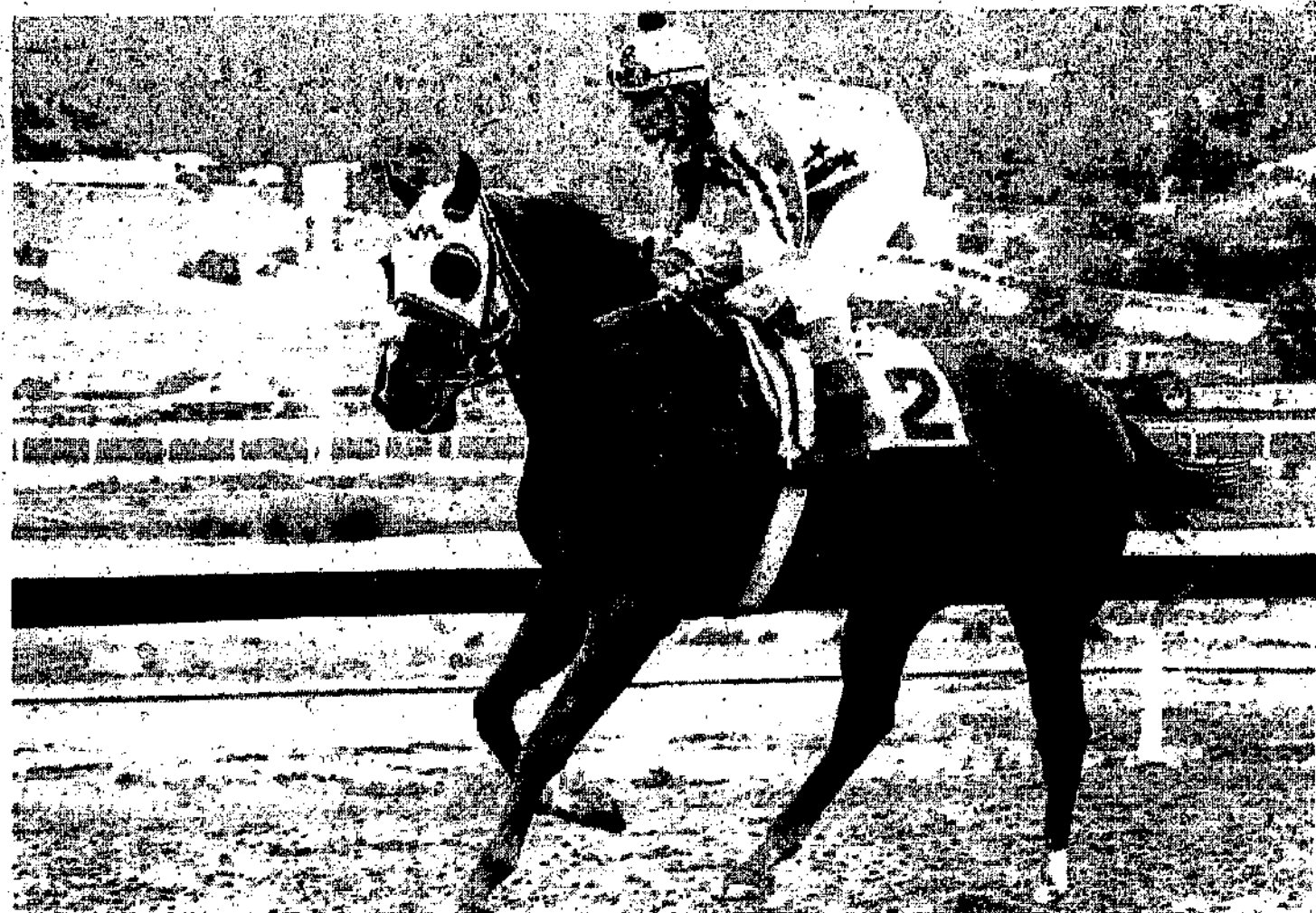
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KISS A TOAD, a mare owned by Brooks Hall of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, shapes up as an outsider in Sunday's \$150,385 Rainbow Silver Cup at Ruidoso Downs. But Kiss A Toad indicated her readiness by

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LAYOVER CHARLIE, a gelding purchased in the 1979 All-American Yearling Sale at Ruidoso Downs for only \$7,500, qualified for Sunday's \$150,385 Rainbow Silver Cup at Ruidoso Downs. Larry Byers is the rider.



ANGIES DANCER, a mare owned by Patricia Swindler of Liberty Hill, Texas, barely made the qualifying list for Rainbow Silver Cup at Ruidoso Downs on Sunday. Angies Dancer deadlocked for the bottom qualifying berth by traveling 440 yards in 22.14 seconds in last week's trials. Rudy Bustamante is the pilot. Grosspurse of the Silver Cup is \$150,385.

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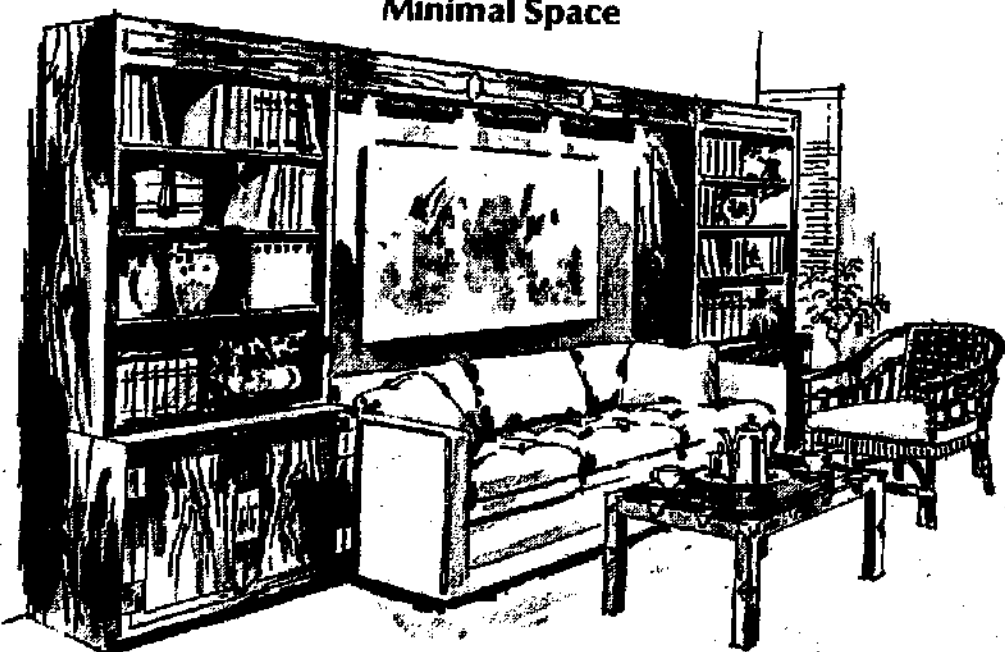


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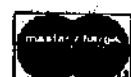
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Rule The Deck seeks to rule Sunday's running of Rainbow Silver Cup

BY MARK GORDON

Rule The Deck seeks her seventh consecutive victory in Sunday's featured second running of the Rainbow Silver Cup at Ruidoso Downs.

The 440-yard chase for four-year-olds is the season's first major event for older quarter horses. The winner will collect \$75,192.50 from the total purse of \$150,385.

Rule The Deck has simply been awesome in her current winning streak. The Scout Leader mare started her skein last September at the New Mexico State Fair in Albuquerque by winning two races, including the New Mexico Derby at 490-yards. She then won two races at Frinity Meadows in Weatherford, Texas.

The New Mexico-bred speedster opened her 1982 campaign with a head win over Rumin Barre on May 30 in an allowance race over 400 yards.

In her Rainbow Silver Cup trial race last Thursday, she zipped to a three-fourths length victory over Mighty Deck Three in 21.81, the fastest qualifying time of the 10 Silver Cup entrants.

While Rule The Deck has been spectacular in her last six outings, she has been impressive throughout her three-year rac-

ing career. As a two-year-old, Rule The Deck won five races with three seconds and one third in 10 outings for earnings of \$67,314. Last season, as a three-year-old, she scored eight wins with one second and one third in 13 appearances for earnings of \$177,672.

Trained by R. D. Hay for Dirk Jones of Lubbock, Texas, Rule The Deck has won 15 career starts and earnings of \$248,526.

Veteran rider Jack Wallace will again be in the controls on Rule The Deck in the Rainbow Silver Cup.

Mighty Deck Three, a sensation two years ago during his two-year-old season, was clocked in 21:30, the second-fastest qualifying reading.

Although he lost by less than one length to Rule The Deck in last Thursday's third trial race, Mighty Deck Three showed he will be a potent factor in the Silver Cup.

The Mighty Deck gelding opened his juvenile season with four wins at Eureka Downs in Kansas. He then captured five straight races at Ruidoso Downs, including the \$587,500 Rainbow Futurity. He suffered his first setback by dropping a nose decision to Higheasterjet Labor Day in the \$1,280,000 All-American Futurity at

Ruidoso Downs.

Still, Mighty Deck Three won 10 races with one second and one third in 12 outings for winnings of \$528,980 in a fabulous two-year-old campaign.

Mighty Deck Three's three-year-old season was less than spectacular. He raced just five times, scoring one victory and one second and earnings of \$17,642. His last victory was on March 27 at Sunland Park in a trial race for the 1981 West Texas Derby.

Trained by G. Blane Wood for owners Timothy and Dana Guidry of Canadian, Texas, Eddie Vallejos rode Mighty Deck Three in his trial race.

Lucks Gay Chic, who had the third-fastest qualifying time, is also a threat.

The What Luck horse swept to a three-fourths length win over Dr Depot in the first trial race in a rapid 21:97. The black horse had won three straight races dating back to last August at Ruidoso Downs when he posted a one and one-fourth length win in the \$146,000 All-American Derby Consolation.

In 16 career outings, Lucks Gay Chic has compiled a magnificent record of 11 victories with three seconds. He's made

\$98,181.

Trained by Hugh Tucker for the Travis Ranch of Norman, Oklahoma, Lucks Gay Chic has not been worse than second since his last race during his two-year-old season in 1980.

Two Silver Cup entrants participated in the 1979 All-American Select Quarter Horse Yearling Sale at Ruidoso Downs.

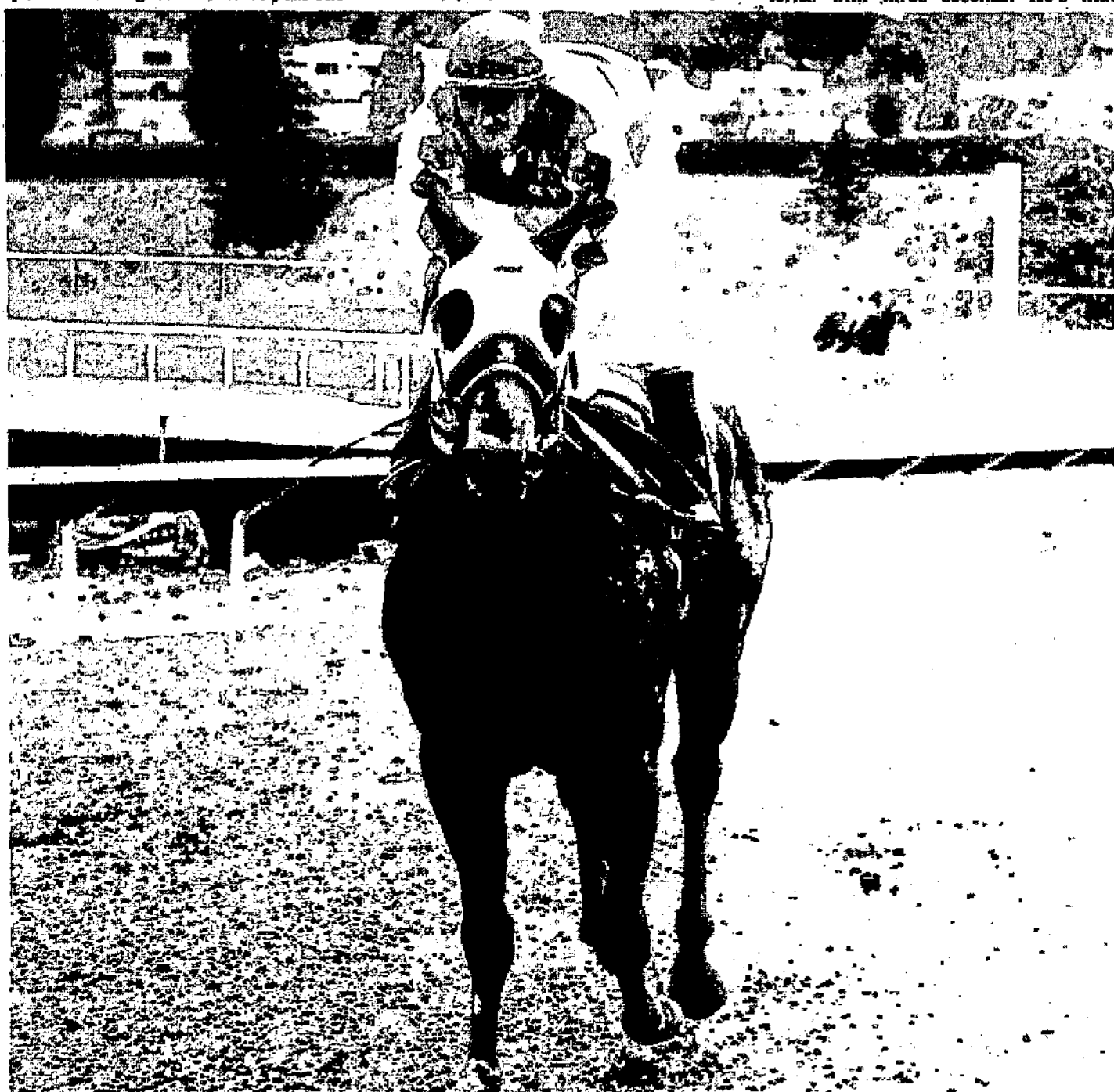
Baby Hold On was purchased for \$46,000 while Layover Charlie was a bargain at \$7,500.

Baby Hold On raced to the fourth-fastest qualifying time with a 21:97 while running third behind Rule The Deck and Mighty Deck Three in the final trial heat. She has the biggest 1982 money line with earnings of \$42,365, including a win in the Miss Peninsula Handicap over 400 yards on April 4 at Bay Meadows near San Francisco, California.

Layover Charlie, a Jet Charger gelding, had the eighth-fastest qualifying time while running second to Kiss A Toad in the

second trial heat. He's won two races with two seconds in five appearances this season.

The complete list of Rainbow Silver Cup entrants and their qualifying readings: Rule The Deck (21:81); Mighty Deck Three (21:30); Lucks Gay Chic (21:81); Baby Hold On (21:97); Dr Depot (22:02); Rumin Barre (22:02); Kiss A Toad (22:09); Layover Charlie (22:11); Midland Native (22:14); and Angles Dancer (22:14).



DR. DEPOT, a gelding piloted by Steve Harris, takes on such standouts as Rule The Deck and Mighty Deck Three in Sunday's Rainbow Silver Cup at Ruidoso

Downs. No slouch himself, Dr. Depot banked \$127,517 last year. The Silver Cup is restricted to four-year-olds. The distance is 440 yards.



RULE THE DECK, a mare owned by Dirk Jones of Lubbock, Texas, is a powerhouse among four-year-old quarter horses. Rule The Deck shoots for her seventh straight win when she goes to the post as the obvious

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LIONS

Lions supper every Tuesday night at the Lions Hut in Skyland, to block off Sudderth Drive, behind Maytag Washeteria.



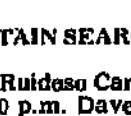
ROTARY CLUB

Ruidoso Hondo Valley Rotary Club meets each Tuesday noon at Holiday Inn.



ALTUSA CLUB OF RUIDOSO

Meets 1st Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. for program and 3rd Tuesday for lunch meeting, 12 noon at the First Christian Church. Call Kathy Barnett 257-5424 days or 257-7812 evenings for information.



WHITE MOUNTAIN SEARCH & RESCUE

Meets at the Ruidoso Cave Center, third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Dave Travis, president; Howard Puckett, 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.

TOPS

(Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Meets Thursdays, 7 p.m., First Christian Church. Call 257-7651 for information.



RUIDOSO MASONIC LODGE NO. 73

Meets each first Monday in O.E.S. Hall, 7:30 p.m. Wayne McGuffin, W.M.; Alton Lane, Secretary.



EASTERN STAR

Ruidoso Eastern Star No. 65 Order of the Eastern Star meets 2nd Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m., Gateway. Visiting members welcome.



AMARANTH

Ponderosa Court No. 6, Order of the Amaranth, Inc., meets 4th Tuesday 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 Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., at The Deck House.

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PILOT CLUB OF RUIDOSO

Meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m., Call 257-5585, evenings, for more information.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

Meets every 4th Thursday at noon, at Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital.



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Troop 58, meets at 7 p.m. every Wednesday at the Presbyterian Church. Rudy Flack, Scoutmaster. For membership information call 257-5453. Boy Scout Troop 107, meets at 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays at Ruidoso High School.

RUIDOSO CUB SCOUTS

Pack 58, meets at 7 p.m. the first Monday of each month at the Elks Lodge, Jim Dickinson, Cubmaster. Call 257-7284 for membership information. Pack 65 meets the last Monday of every month at 7 p.m., at the First Christian Church's Fellowship Hall, on Hull Road and Gavilan Canyon. Cubmaster, Jimmy Goodwin. For information call 257-5551 or 257-9008.

RUIDOSO LODGERS ASSOCIATION

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RUIDOSO GUN CLUB

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RUIDOSO SHRINE CLUB

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CIVIL AIR PATROL

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RUIDOSO HONDO VALLEY EXTENSION CLUB

Meets 4th Wednesday of every month, 11:30 a.m. Covered dish luncheon. Place to be announced.

RUIDOSO WOMAN'S CLUB

Second Wednesday in Women's Club building. Board meeting 1 p.m.; business meeting 1:30; tea at 2, followed by program.

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Ruidoso Hondo Valley Hospital Auxiliary (Pink Ladies) meets first Tuesday of each month (except July and August), at 10 a.m., in the hospital conference room. For more information contact Nell Trout 257-4418.

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Meets first and third Wednesdays at noon for covered dish lunches and games at the library. Visitors are welcome.

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Meets Wednesdays—7:30 p.m., Adult Recreation center.

GARDEN CLUB

The Ruidoso Garden Club meets the third Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at the library in the multi-purpose room. Visitors and guests welcome.

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As Designated in Calendar of Events

Tuesday, June 1: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Transportation/Escort; Call 257-4565 for information; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 2: 9:30 a.m. — Bowl — Holiday Bowl; Noon — Golden Age Luncheon Meeting; 1-5 p.m. — Games; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 3: 10-Noon — Pool; 10-Noon — Tax Aid for N.M. Rebate; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class; 7:00 p.m. — Dance.

Friday, June 4: 10-11 a.m. — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 11-Noon — Excercise; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Monday, June 7: 10-Noon — Excercise; 10-Noon — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Tuesday, June 8: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Transportation/Escort; Call 257-4565 for information; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 9: 9:30 a.m. — Bowl — Holiday Bowl; 2-4 p.m. — Excercise; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 10: 10-Noon — Pool; 10-Noon — Tax Aid for N.M. Rebate; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Friday, June 11: 10-Noon — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 11-Noon — Excercise; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Monday, June 14: 10-Noon — Excercise; 10-Noon — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Tuesday, June 15: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Transportation/Escort; Call 257-4565 for information; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 16: 9:30 a.m. — Bowl — Holiday Bowl; Noon — Golden Age Luncheon Meeting; 1-5 p.m. — Games; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 17: 10-Noon — Pool; 10-Noon — Tax Aid for N.M. Rebate; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Friday, June 18: 10-Noon — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 11-Noon — Excercise; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Monday, June 21: 10-Noon — Excercise; 10-Noon — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Tuesday, June 22: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Transportation/Escort; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 23: 9:30 A.M. — Bowl — Holiday Bowl; 2-4 P.M. — Excercise; 7:30 P.M. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 24: 10-Noon — Pool; 10-Noon — Tax Aid for N.M. Rebate; 2-3 P.M. — Exercise Class; 7:00 P.M. — Games.

Friday, June 25: 10-Noon — Excercise; 10-11 A.M. — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. — Games.

Monday, June 28: 10-Noon — Excercise; 10-11 A.M. — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; 1-5 P.M. — Games.

Tuesday, June 29: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Transportation/Escort; Call 257-4565 for information; 2-3 P.M. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 30: 9:30 A.M. — Bowl — Holiday Bowl; 2-4 P.M. — Excercise; 7:30 P.M. — Duplicate Bridge.

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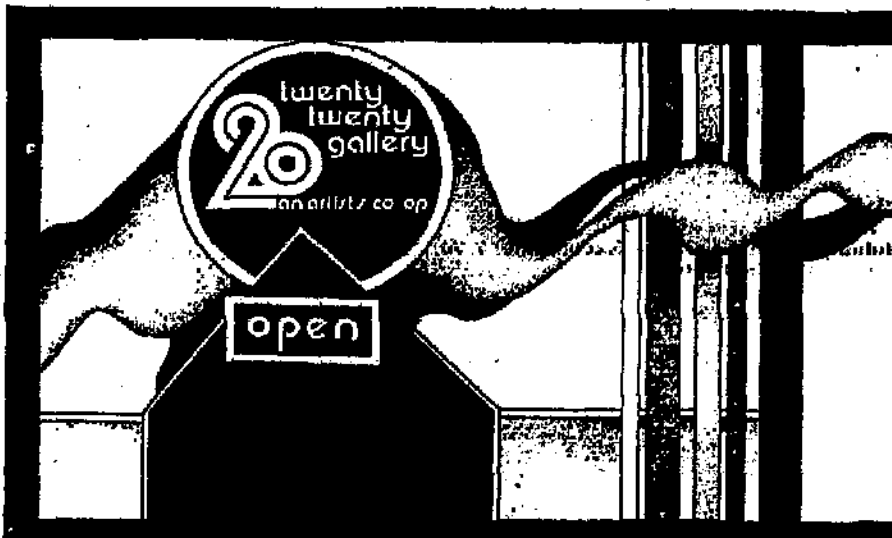
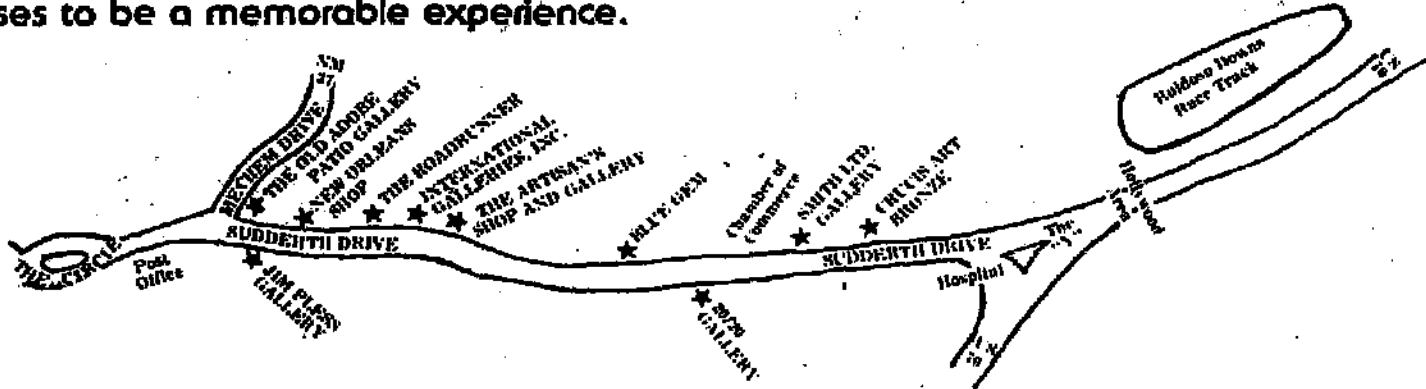
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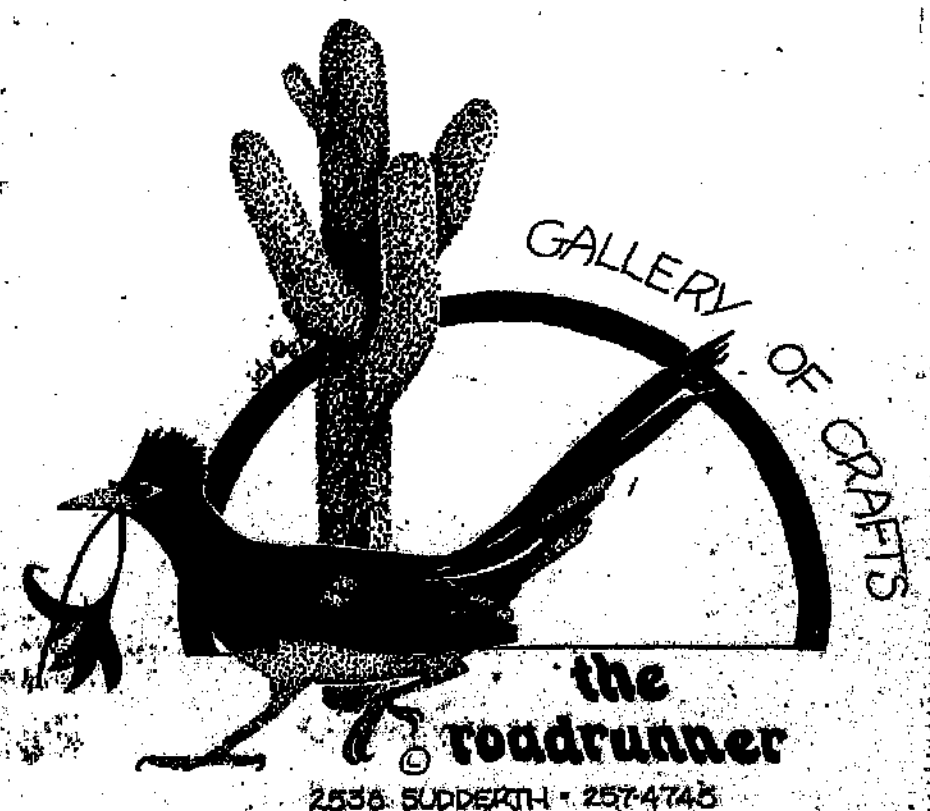
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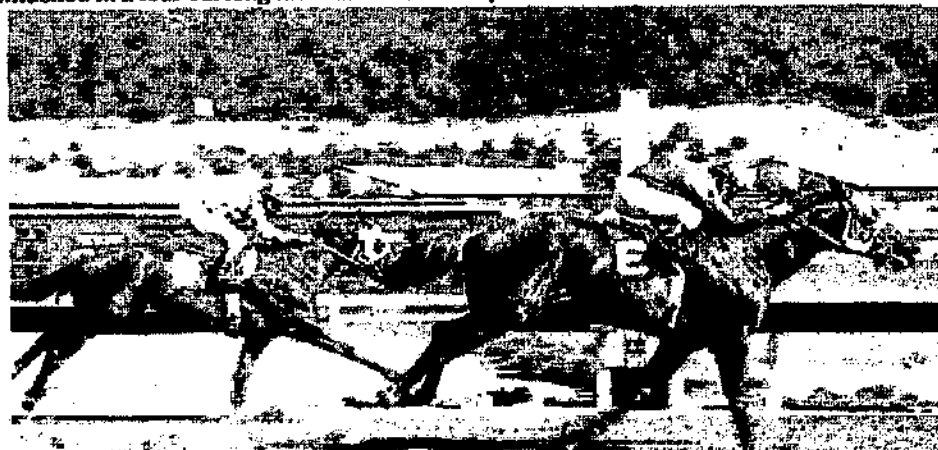
on May 30. His time of :47.2-5 tied for the fastest half-mile reading this season at the mountain track. Overall, the Loom colt has two wins in three outings for trainer Bob E. Arnett. He's made \$3,592 for owner Hugh C. Preston Jr. of Burkburnett, Texas. Sundays Payday will compete against nine foes in the 12th race. He will again be ridden by apprentice Mike Lidberg. Impressive Lad, meanwhile, will face eight opponents in the first race. His last race was a driving neck win over stablemate Cue Me First on June 5 in the \$63,469 Rio Grande Kindergarten Futurity at four furlongs at Ruidoso Downs. The First Impression gelding was second for much of the early running, then swung to the rail and held off Cue Me First. His time of :47.2-5 tied Sundays Payday for the meet's fastest four-furlong reading. Overall, Impressive Lad has two victories with one second and one third in five appearances for trainer J. Michael Welch. He's earned \$33,688 for the 440 Ranch of Aubrey, Texas. Of the eight horses who were supplemented into the Norgor, each at a cost

of \$2,500, Running Bucket has perhaps the best credentials. The insubordination colt's best outing in his three lifetime runs was a second-place effort, just a length behind Twist Her on May 2 in the prestigious Riley Allison Futurity at Sunland Park. With a purse of \$318,190, the Riley Allison Futurity was the richest race in the history of the west El Paso, Texas, track.

Other key entrants include Sand Digger, Irish Jo Jo and Hard And Hold in the 10th race, and Sunnily Smashed in the 11th event.

Racing continues Friday with trial races for the Rainbow Derby, the second leg in the Triple Crown for three-year-old quarter horses. Each trial will be at 440 yards with a purse of \$30,465. Sunday's feature will be the second running of the Rainbow Silver Cup at 440 yards for four-year-olds. The winner will gain \$75,192.50 from the total purse of \$150,385.

Such outstanding competitors as Rule The Deck, Mighty Deck Three and Lucks Gay Chic will compete in the season's first major contest for older quarter horses. Post time for each day's program will be 1 p.m., with the exception of Friday, when post time is 12 noon.



REAL SPECULATION IS shown here winning his trial race for Sunday's Norgor Thoroughbred Derby. The colt is expected to be the favorite off his swift 1:14 1-5 time while winning last Friday's second trial race. He's trained by Bob E. Arnett for owner Hugh Preston Jr. of Burkburnett, Texas. Richard Bickel rode him in the trials. The winner of Sunday's six-furlong Norgor Thoroughbred Derby will earn \$15,232.83 from the total purse of \$30,465.66.



POCKETPURSE IS SHOWN winning his trial race for the Norgor Thoroughbred Derby last Friday at Ruidoso Downs. The colt is trained by Clifford Lambert for owner H. Gil Moutroy of Carlsbad. He was ridden in his trial race by Casey Lambert. Pocketpurse will compete in Sunday's Norgor Thoroughbred Derby at six furlongs. The winner will collect \$15,232.83 from the total purse of \$30,465.66.

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Lucks Gay Chic's hard days behind?

by MARK GORDON
 Hugh Tucker won't find many who will disagree with his assessment of Lucks Gay Chic.

"He's a grand-looking horse," said the veteran trainer of his shiny black horse who will be one of the favorites in Sunday's second running of the Rainbow Silver Cup at Ruidoso Downs.

"I suspected all along he was going to be pretty good," Tucker said. "He broke his maiden in his first out at Ruidoso Downs (on July 20, 1980). We thought at the time he'd be good."

Lucks Gay Chic hasn't done anything to change that initial analysis. He should like Sunday's distance of 440 yards in this classic for four-year-old quarter horses. The winner of the season's first major test for older quarter horses will earn \$75,192.50 from the total purse of \$150,385.

Lucks Gay Chic had the third-fastest qualifying time with a 21:91 while winning last Thursday's first trial heat by almost one length. He has now won three straight races dating back to last August when he scored a one-and-one-quarter-length win in the \$146,000 All-American Derby Consolation at Ruidoso Downs.

"I thought he was one of the hard luck colts last year," Tucker said. "I felt he was finalist material for the major races last year. His only bad race was in the All-American Derby trials. He coliced the night before his trial (yet still ran second to the eventual Derby winner Higheaster-jett)."

Then Dr. Tommy Bullard of Weatherford, Texas, performed surgery on both his front knees last September.

Since the What Luck horse has won both races this year, he's obviously recovered from his physical problems.

"We're really pleased with him," said the veteran trainer. "It seems like he's really sound. Jacky (rider Jacky Martin) said he was really full of run last Thursday."

At the beginning of his career, Lucks Gay Chic had trouble breaking from the gate.

"He stumbled at the start when he was a two-year-old. We finally got him to break from a tailgate and he's broken all right since," he explained. "In his trial race (as a two-year-old) for the All-American Futurity, he fell right on his nose at the start. He came back to win an allowance race later that summer. But then in his trial race for the Sunland Park Fall Quarter Horse Futurity, he was right back to his old tricks. He had trouble at the start. But no more."

In fact, except for those times when he stumbled as a two-year-old, Lucks Gay Chic has been either first or second in every race. In 16 career outings, he's tallied 11 victories with three seconds. He's earned \$93,181 for the Travis Ranch of Norman, Oklahoma.

Tucker also trained Lucks Gay Chic. Lucks Gay Chic's full brother who is a five-year-old, Lucks Gay won the 1978 All-

American Congress race at River Downs in Cincinnati. He's now standing at stud in Ohio.

"Lucks Gay Chic is excellent to train. He has a mind of his own, but he loves to run," Tucker said.

Lucks Gay Chic must outrun nine foes, including the two horses who set faster qualifying times — Rule The Deck and Mighty Deck Three.

Rule The Deck will seek her seventh straight victory in the Rainbow Silver Cup after winning her trail race by almost one length and setting the fastest qualifying time of 21:81. In a brilliant career, the Scout Leader mare has posted 15 victories and earnings of \$248,526.

She's trained by R. D. Hay for owner Dirk Jones of Lubbock, Texas.

Mighty Deck Three, who ran second to Rule The Deck in last Thursday's third trial heat, had the second fastest qualifying time of 20:09. As a two-year-old he was magnificent, winning 10 races with one second and one third in 12 outings. He won the \$387,500 Rainbow Futurity and finished second, just a nose behind Higheaster-jett in the \$1,280,000 All-American Futurity.

Although he only raced five times last year, Mighty Deck Three is still a tough horse to defeat.

The Rainbow Silver Cup will be the 10th race on Sunday's 12-race program. Post time will be 1 p.m.

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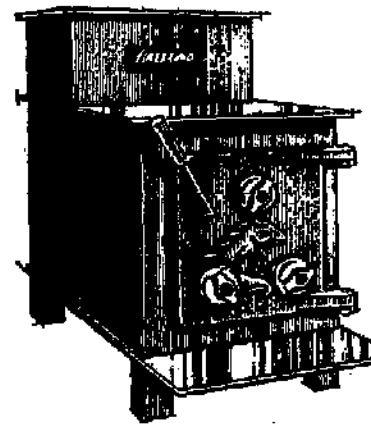
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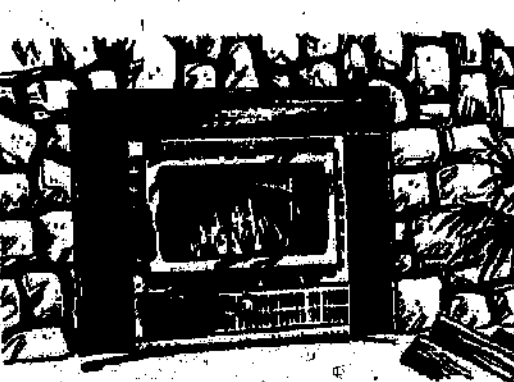
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