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Trustee candidates state their views

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Trustees deal with water and zoning

Though the majority of Tuesday night's meeting of the village trustees was taken up with a presentation by the village water board, several other matters were dealt with. A report on the water presentation appears on page one of Section B in today's issue of The News.

Village Planning and Zoning Enforcement officer John Cupp informed the trustees that several notices of appeal of the recently granted commercial zoning for the proposed Hilton Inn site at Sierra Swim and Racquet Club Tracts have been received.

The trustees agreed to have a special meeting as close as possible to March 22 to hear the appeal.

An ordinance which would have made the board of trustees the ruling body rather than appeal body on zoning and rezoning requests died for lack of a second after it was introduced by trustee Sherman Atwood.

The ordinance would have shifted jurisdiction on zoning from the Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z) to the trustees. Atwood said he felt that public awareness of zoning actions would increase if the trustees had final jurisdiction.

Although P&Z member Alden Deyo said he favored the change, trustees George White and Frank Sayner said they favored the status quo and Mayor Lloyd Davis Jr. did not receive a second to Atwood's motion for adoption of the ordinance.

A second ordinance introduced by Atwood passed, however. Ordinance 81-25, restricting replats of previously platted land and setting a one-half acre minimum

size on replatted residential lots, was unanimously approved.

Trustee Benny Coulston said that he favors a "yes" vote in next week's municipal election on authorization of the board of trustees to pursue the purchase by the village of Ruidoso Natural Gas Company.

"I would like to go on record as supporting the question on the ballot—emphasizing that this vote is not a vote to purchase but a vote to authorize the village to look into this further," said Coulston.

In other business, the trustees:

—Tabled a proposed refinancing of escrow funds pending further study.

—Approved a bid of \$76,000, submitted by Inter-West Limited, Albuquerque, for improvements to water plant number one.

P&Z meets March 1

The regular monthly meeting of the Ruidoso Planning and Zoning Commission is 9:30 a.m., Monday, March 1, at the Village Administrative Center.

On the agenda are the following items:

—Replat of Sierra Vista Condominiums at Lot 31, Block 3, White Mountain IV.

—Racquet Court Condominiums, phase four, at Lots 7 and 8, Block 4, White Mountain IV.

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PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE. That's what it was all about at yesterday's Businessmen's Handicapped Ski Race at Sierra Blanca. See story on page 2 and pictures throughout this section.

Dance Saturday for handicapped skiers

Saturday evening's benefit dance at Jerry Dale's will conclude the activities for Handicap Ski Week, February 22 to 27.

A portion of the cover charge for the dance will go to the Sierra Blanca Handicapped Skiers Association (SBHSA).

A dance contest will be held, with trophies to be awarded to the first, second

and third place teams. The \$2 entry fee for the contest will be donated to the SBHSA.

An auction will also be held during the dance, with items to be auctioned including a case of Jack Daniels, a case of Chivas Regal, a video game, a set of Michelin tires and a 110 cc two wheel all-terrain bike.

WHITE MOUNTAIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Students' self concepts stressed

(Editor's note: This is the second in a series of articles on the state of the schools in Ruidoso.)

by **BARBY GRANT**
Staff Writer

"Our strongest point is our teachers, the attitudes, expertise and enthusiasm they show, and as a result of their attitudes we have students who have nice concepts about themselves; they are challenged, but they experience success in school," said Mike Gladden, principal of White Mountain Elementary School, in a recent interview about the state of this school.

"We are having a really good year," he said. The enrollment at White Mountain Elementary is usually 325 to 330, and this year they are handling 365 students, according to Gladden.

The main concern, therefore, is space. "We are using every available space possible here," Gladden said.

He feels that even with the planned reorganization of the schools following completion of the new high school, it is possible that the schools will remain crowded because of "the way Ruidoso is growing."

An additional fourth grade teacher was hired in October, and Gladden foresees a need for an additional fifth grade teacher next year in order to keep the student-teacher ratios below the state minimum standards.

Also added in October of this school year was a half-day bilingual program, which Gladden said is an effort to get the non-English speaking students "functioning in the classroom much more quickly." Gladden added that he is very pleased with the results of the program.

Another program at the school which has shown positive results is the continuous skills program in language arts and math, in which White Mountain Elementary participates in coordination with Nob Hill Elementary and White Mountain Middle Schools.

Language arts and math folders are kept for each student with continuous records of their achievements in these subjects from kindergarten through eighth grade.

Gladden said this record keeping "gives the teachers a really nice guideline. They are constantly aware of the strengths and weaknesses of each child."

Changes have been made this year in several of the special programs at the schools, which, according to Gladden, have been beneficial for White Mountain Elementary.

Because of anticipated federal spending cuts, the schools were unable to hire the two teachers and the supplies needed for the Title One reading program. In the past the teachers for this program were shared by the White Mountain Elementary and Middle Schools. This year the program was discontinued at the middle school and

moved to Nob Hill Elementary. The schools were able to hire one teacher and one aide for White Mountain Elementary and two aides for Nob Hill Elementary.

White Mountain Elementary has also benefitted from the hiring of a new speech therapist this year. Although she serves all the school children in the district, the concentration of her work is at the White Mountain schools. In the past the speech therapist would spend one afternoon a week at each school. "This way the main benefit is at White Mountain," Gladden said.

"Another thing going for us," Gladden said, "is the parent-teacher conferences at the end of the first nine weeks and the second nine weeks." Almost all of the parents (98.5 percent) participated, according to Gladden. "This is uncommon—usually 70 percent participation is commendable."

Gladden said that "the teachers' attitudes and the children's attitudes toward school make the parents want to attend the conferences and cooperate and communicate in very positive ways."

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Morris: I feel that the Planning and Zoning Commission has and is accomplishing what it is supposed to do. They have updated regulations which are leading to an early growth of our community.

Sayner: I am in favor of continuing to point the type of qualified individuals, if vacancies occur, that we now have on Z. Under the direction of John Schuller, chairman of P&Z, and its current members, we have probably the best P&Z commission in the state. I would like for us to identify certain areas in town for future commercial growth, so we will not have the problem we're having with the proposed Hilton Hotel site. This would be subject to public hearings, to allow the citizens to have input into what areas should have commercial growth.

Shaw: We have a master plan, and have had for a number of years, and some of the problems in following it have been because there are some areas in it that need to be dated and clarified. So I should hope at P&Z will continue, as they are in the process now, updating it, and I would like that process continued.

Streeter: Stronger enforcement of the laws and ordinances that we presently have. I'd like to see each village trustee be appointed to a specific branch so they would become expert in that field. One could be assigned to P&Z. You'd have an appointed and an elected official working together. This would open communication between the council, the mayor and the Planning and Zoning Commission.

QUESTION: Downtown Ruidoso's traffic and parking problems will increase due to tourism. What proposals do you have to help solve these problems?

Atwood: Well, there are only two possible answers: One is additional parking—off street parking in the downtown area. The other is spot zoning for additional commercial areas. For traffic, the establishment of traffic bypass patterns through Gavilan Canyon to handle through traffic or the acquisition of additional right-of-way so you could establish two main thoroughfares in downtown Ruidoso—all of which have been considered and are under discussion.

Coe: The city needs to condemn several pieces of property off main street to put in public parking, so we could increase our

foot traffic downtown and decrease our parking problem. We don't have any parking lots at all off of main street now, I'm putting in a Gavilan Canyon-Highway 37 bypass for the trucks and so people could bypass Ruidoso that don't want to drive through it.

Junge: Regarding Ruidoso's traffic and parking problems, it would appear to me that off street parking will have to be arranged if we are to take care of the growth, and our automobile traffic. In addition we should push plans for whatever bypasses are available to route traffic around the village wherever possible.

Klein: We should continue to work with the Chamber of Commerce and merchants downtown to see what can be done with the problem. The village should be involved in helping solve this very important parking problem, perhaps by decking the storage.

Morris: I feel we should either buy or lease space downtown, but right now there is very little space to be had. I think the downtown merchants and the town should get together and discuss the situation. I also think the traffic flow should be corrected by using Gavilan Canyon, or studying any other alternative.

Sayner: At the request of the Chamber of Commerce, we have already requested the village attorney to begin work on drawing up a parking authority. With the input of the downtown merchants, I feel a site can be located and a parking facility built. It is essential that Highway 70 and Gavilan Canyon be linked, and Gavilan Canyon be tied into Huli Road via the new high school.

Shaw: I've been involved in the parking problem, via the Retail Merchants Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, for several years, and I think that we must have some planning for some parking lots in the midtown area. I feel if we don't make plans for better parking, it is going to hurt the midtown area and the businesses. I have long been concerned over the fact that crossing the street in the high traffic time is very dangerous and I hope we can continue working with the state Highway Department, with stop lights, or whatever it is going to take, and we're definitely going to have to make Gavilan Canyon a major artery to help this traffic flow, by upgrading it, or whatever we have to do to make it a major traffic bypass. It's going to get to the point where the people are going to miss half the races, trying to get to the track, if we don't do something about providing roads for them to get there.

Streeter: This really concerns me. I think there should be a survey done, with the Chamber of Commerce responsible, because it directly concerns business, to identify available spaces and solutions. I only see two solutions at hand: purchase land south of Sudderth and turn it into parking, but tasteful parking areas—they would have to have sidewalks going to businesses; and multi-story parking areas, maybe two or three stories. Again it would have to be done tastefully. This would not use too much land that might be available in the future for businesses. In many cities, parking is a hassle, and with the growth we're having, we could have shopping malls at each end of town, and we could have what has happened in a lot of cities, a decaying of the center of town. I'd like to see downtown develop and not dry up.

QUESTION: Do you favor a General Obligation bond election, coupled with the issuance of Revenue Bonds, to provide additional sewer service to Ruidoso? Why?

Atwood: I feel a deep obligation for the people, particularly in Ponderosa Heights, who have over the years been paying taxes for the retirement of G.O. bonds which provided sewer service to the rest of the community, without they themselves having that advantage. Therefore, in some respects, I have to feel like some portion of G.O. bonds might be justified in conjunction with revenue bonds.

Coe: If I get in—when I get in—I'm going to do the things the people of Ruidoso want done. Yes, we're going to have to have a bond to handle our sewage problems. I want to pick up everybody in Ruidoso and put them on city sewer if possible, for every ounce of water that we put back in the Rio Ruidoso, water after it goes through our sewer plant, we get to take that same amount out to use for our water supply.

Junge: I favor a General Obligation bond election, along with the issuance of Revenue Bonds, to provide additional sewer service in those areas of Ruidoso that do not have sewer service at the present time. This will have to be approached on a practical basis.

Klein: Yes, I think it should be up to the people if they want sewer service and it should be a voting deal.

Morris: Yes, I favor this because we have been collecting taxes from those who have no sewer, and now we should make the sewer line, if possible, available to them.

Sayner: I favor both the use of G.O. bonds and Revenue Bonds, as follows:

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Key issues discussed at Monday night forum

The issues of housing, traffic, the proposed purchase of the gas utility, fire hazards and water were discussed by Ruidoso's candidates for mayor and trustee at Monday night's candidates' forum at the Ruidoso Public Library, moderated by Ed Hyman.

More than 60 people, not including the candidates, attended the meeting. Candidates for village trustee present were Sherman Atwood, Jerry Shaw, Al Junge, Romeo Klein, Mike Morris, Frank Sayner and Bill Streeter; mayoral candidates Lloyd L. Davis Jr., and George White, and Sam Nunnally, unopposed for the office of Municipal Judge.

After brief opening statements by the candidates, explaining why they wanted to and should be elected, Hyman opened the meeting for specific questions to the candidates by the audience.

One of the first questions asked was directed to White and his stance on growth. White said that he has been trying to dispel the rumor that he is against growth. He said he favored a planned and controlled growth that could provide the necessary public services to the community to keep pace with the present growth rate, which he claimed was around eight percent, according to Boyle Engineering studies.

Davis, quoting a University of New Mexico calculated growth rate determined by the assessed valuation of the village, said the growth rate was closer to 17 percent. He said that he felt Ruidoso was "not growing alarmingly fast." Nice people are moving in and the size and quality of building structures has grown, said Davis. He said that other parts of the country would be envious of Ruidoso's growth and prosperity.

Streeter said that he is not in favor of a 17 percent growth rate because it would be placing a heavy burden on the environment. Atwood stated his belief that Ruidoso's growth was headed in the right direction, but that he would like to see less, and certainly no more, annual growth. Klein said that he favors growth, but that public services must be provided for the community first.

Sayner said that he would like to continue growth at 17 percent. The Chamber of Commerce doesn't spend \$100,000 a year on advertising Ruidoso for nothing, said Sayner.

Shaw, the only woman running for a trustee position, said she favors the present 17 percent growth rate.

Morris said that he too is for more growth, and Junge said that it didn't matter whether he was for or against more growth because people are coming to Ruidoso anyhow.

Downs board does not meet

Monday night's meeting of the Ruidoso Downs trustees was cancelled due to lack of a quorum.

Mayor Norman Wheeler, trustee Lois Beavers and Virginia Spall, village clerk, appeared for the meeting, which had been scheduled to deal with an ordinance concerning the municipal judge's salary.

The next scheduled meeting is at 7 p.m. March 8 at the municipal building.

On the issue of water, every candidate agreed that Ruidoso needs it. How water has been and should be obtained was debated, however. The audience was told that although five million dollars has been spent in the past five years in securing water rights, drilling wells, installing transmission lines and building the Alto water treatment plant, more storage facilities are needed.

Morris said that the water problem must be settled within four to six months or Ruidoso will face serious consequences. Complaints from the audience about almost running out of water last summer were rebutted by statements that when Alto reservoir starts emptying, water is still running off Eagle Creek to supply the village.

Davis dealt with the purchase of the gas company, saying that independent engineer Willis Umholtz's opinion was positive to buying the company. Davis said he was told that the pipeline was in "perfectly good condition," and that future expansion to double the capacity would be a simple matter of laying one three-mile section of pipeline parallel to existing pipes north of town.

Junge said that a report in the El Paso newspaper was misleading in implying that village operation of the gas company would have saved consumers \$200,000 last year. Junge said that when he asked Umholtz whether that was true, Umholtz replied negatively. Junge also mentioned that the gas company is presently being sued for around a quarter of a million dollars.

One woman wanted to know why some sort of decent, low cost housing isn't available for the working people of Ruidoso. White said that it is a crying shame that many people in Ruidoso cannot afford to live in the community they work in. Davis said that a half private enterprise, half governmental project to provide affordable housing in Ruidoso had fallen through and that mortgage money for such projects is very difficult to come by at present.

Another man in the audience said he was worried about fires in Ruidoso and hoped that building codes were being used and enforced to ensure the safety of the village from a fire starting and sweeping through Ruidoso.

Hyman closed the meeting about 8:40 and said, "This was a very good rap session. I hope you all had a chance to get to know the candidates and make a choice for yourselves."

Court Report

Appearing before Municipal Judge Sam Nunnally recently, on charges listed, with action taken, were:

Lloyd L. Davis Jr., immediate notice of accident, fined \$50, with \$40 suspended.

Enrique Ortiz, Juarez, Mexico, speeding \$35, eluding an officer \$200.

Ordered to attend DWI School, were LeRoy Nowell, David Moriarty, Thomas West and Curry Reynolds, all of Ruidoso, and William Jeter of Seminole, Texas.

Yesterday's race good time for all

by WILL TURBOW Staff Writer

Valentine Vegara and businessman Greg Masters captured the first place trophy in the Businessmen's Handicapped Ski Race yesterday. The duo of Vegara

and Masters with a combined time of 63.8 seconds beat out the second place team of Buck Meyer and Frank Sayner by just two seconds.

Masters attributed the win to "hard work." He told The News that he devoted all of Tuesday to practice skiing on one ski

with one foot tied to the skiing leg and using the outriggers. When asked where his partner was at the award presentation, Masters responded, "He's still out there skiing."

The Handicapped Week race paired a local businessman with a handicapped

person to form the ski teams. First the businessmen raced down using the outriggers to balance themselves on one ski. Then the handicapped skiers took to the course. The businessmen were then given another chance to ski through the slalom gates on one ski.

Preston Isaacs and Robbie Stroschine placed a strong third with a combined time of 68.8 seconds. Fourth place was grabbed by Frank Reed and Lee Hucksstep with a time of 69.9 seconds. It was Virgil Comanche and Ed Jungbluth placing fifth.

Martin Rose and Margie Flowers won sixth place, and Morgan Clough and Roy Kimbrell skied into the seventh position. The time of 80.9 seconds was good enough for Raul Midon and Bill Walizer to place eighth.

One observer noted that everyone came out a winner in the race to raise funds for the Sierra Blanca Handicapped Skiers Association (SBHSA). All money that is raised by the non-profit SBHSA will be used to purchase more equipment for the handicapped skiers and to keep the successful program going for next year, said Jerry Bigham, SBHSA director and race participant.

Other teams competing in the race were: Paul Southwick and Wanda Jefferson, Ron Harris and Marnie Williamson, Gary Lynch and Jerry Bigham, Gary Hall and Eddie Aguilar, Dna Kelley and Eric Lillquist, Tommy Hornbuckle and Greg Marsh.

Other active competitors were: Kevin Fleharty and Marsh, Nelson Buck and Marco Midon, Danny Brown and Gloria Lopez, Darryl Wimberly and Lopez, Ronnie Hemphill and Aguilar, Bill Braudt and Duren Dubolse, Ray Bishop and Kimbrell, Peter Strobel and Lillquist, Rick Bowers and Albert Ortiz, Ted Durham and Cori Cline and Ray Held and Monica Calderoni. The board of directors of the SBHSA expressed thanks to everyone who contributed their valuable time and money to making Handicapped Week at Sierra Blanca a fun and successful event.



A LARGE CROWD gathered at the Sierra Blanca Ski Resort yesterday to cheer on their favorite teams competing in the Businessmen's Handicapped Race during Handicapped Week. The championship race is

the only fund raising event held by the Sierra Blanca Handicapped Skiers Association (SBHSA) all year long, and Jerry Bigham, SBHSA director, said that it was a wonderful success.

PEOPLE

GOP women to hear Pohlmann speak

Gubernatorial candidate Hank Pohlmann will speak at the March 16 meeting of the Federated Republican Women of Lincoln County (FRWLC), said Lois Aldrich, FRWLC program chairwoman.

Freys conducting Arizona retreat

Pastor and Mrs. Ken Frey, of the Angus Church of the Nazarene, will conduct a weekend marriage and family retreat in Prescott, Arizona, February 26-28. The retreat is sponsored by the young married Sunday School class of the Mesa, Arizona, Church of the Nazarene. Guest pastor for Sunday services at Angus will be the Reverend Joe Rogers, Roswell, former pastor at Angus, now retired from the ministry.

Grant," said FRWLC president Rhonda Johnston. "We hope to hear from all four candidates before the June primary. This is in keeping with our policy of endorsing no one before the primary," she said. FRWLC treasurer Pat Hume reported that 19 new members were gained at the

January membership tea at which the four Republican gubernatorial candidates' wives spoke along with two of the candidates themselves. More information on the March 16 meeting is available from Johnston at 257-9571 or secretary Dorothy Smith at 354-2499.



THE PET CORNER



BY JACK SNIADOCKI
Animal Control Officer

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To give an idea of what one female dog or cat can produce in a given period of time:

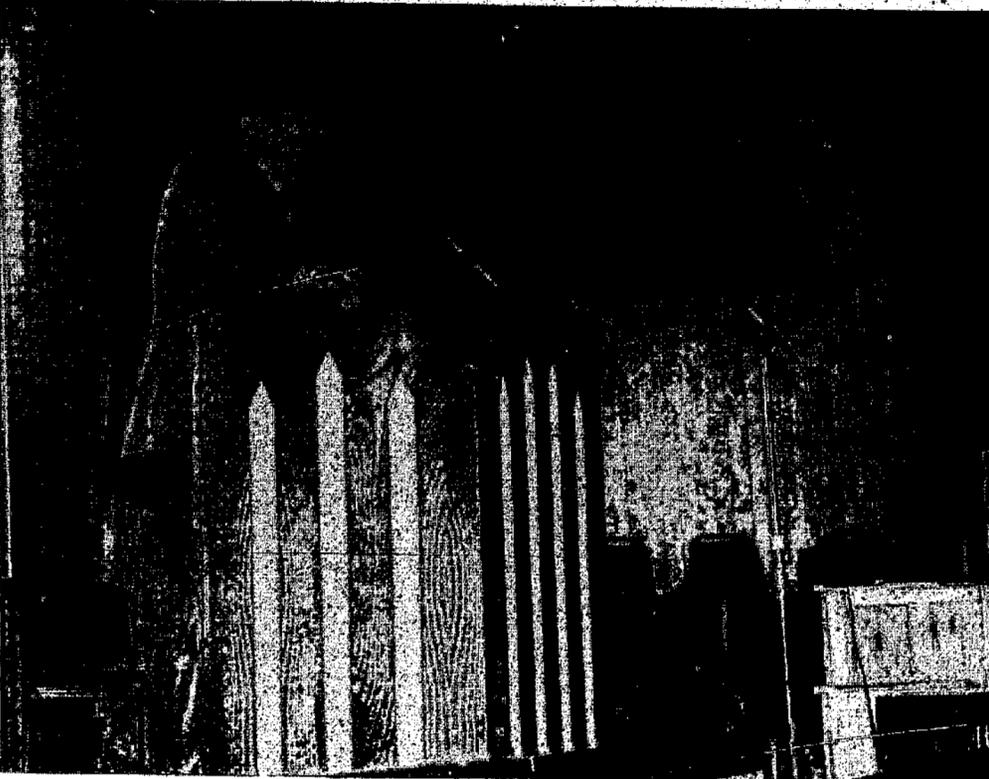
If one female dog or cat, has the average of six puppies or kittens, twice a year as usual, at the end of five years there would be, providing none starved, died, or got killed by cars, 52,907,904 dogs and the same number of cats.

Of this number, 35,271,938 would be females and 17,635,968 would be males. This figure is based on each litter having three females and three males. Dogs and cats combined, the number would be

105,815,808. If they went only one more year, to six years, it would be 264,529,529 dogs and the same number of cats. This is just from what one female can produce.

If you can't spay or neuter, maintain very close control when your female is in season. If you are bothered by males coming around when your female is in season, remember that without close control, in six months or so you may have three more males coming around.

Mail questions to: Ruidoso Fort Stanton Animal control, Post Office Box 906, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345.



UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO psychiatrist Irving N. Berlin was the featured speaker at a school personnel inservice workshop held Wednesday. Berlin addressed the convention on the topic of stress management during the morning session of the workshop.

Stress workshop found beneficial for Ruidoso school personnel

by BARBY GRANT
Staff Writer

While students were out of school on Wednesday, school personnel attended a day long workshop on dealing with stress which was co-sponsored by the New Mexico Children's Psychiatric Center and the Ruidoso Municipal Schools.

The featured speaker of the workshop was Dr. Irving N. Berlin, director of the New Mexico Children's Psychiatric Center and director of the Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque.

Berlin's early morning address dealt with "Symptoms of Depression in the Child and Adolescent," and he later spoke on "Stress Factors in Child, Family and Classroom."

The afternoon consisted of group workshops dealing with the topic, "How to Deal with Stress in Child, Family and Classroom."

Groups were divided according to grade levels and were taught by Berlin, Virginia A. Cavalluzzo, Ph.D., director of educational services at the New Mexico

Children's Psychiatric Center. Gerald Serafino, Ph.D., director of the Community Counseling and Resource Center and co-director of the Forensic Evaluation Team in Roswell, and Michael Hickey, M.D., Lincoln-Otero County Mental Health Centers in Alamogordo and Ruidoso.

Sandy Gladden, diagnostician at the high school, said that the workshop "may have helped some specific individuals; overall it was good for all of us to stop and think about stress factors related to education."

Several of the teachers agreed that while much of the information covered at the workshop was not new, it was helpful to be reminded of it.

Eva Clarke, kindergarten teacher at Nob Hill, said, "It was very beneficial; some things we already knew, but it was good to get refreshed...overall I was very impressed; it was very good."

Jim Dickinson, high school math teacher, said of the workshop, "They were trying to teach us about stress symptoms, how to identify and work with them. It was mostly review, but it helped to refresh our perspective, and maybe we can help some

kids that way."

Joelle Maskew, sixth grade teacher at the middle school, said that the morning session was presented "in general terms" and was repeat information. "No specific answers were given, but maybe there aren't any," she said.

"I got more out of the afternoon session, Maskew said. "The school faculties ought to sit down together more outside of the school setting... Our faculty could have spent many more hours talking. We got more from each other just getting together," she said.

A White Mountain Elementary fourth grade teacher, Kathy Weems, said, "I think it was very interesting, very apropos." Weems was impressed by the fact that the workshop dealt with both the child's and the teachers' needs in coping and dealing with stress. She found it helpful to be reminded by Dr. Berlin that they could contact the Children's Psychiatric Center in Albuquerque to seek further assistance in dealing with stressful situations in education.

Obituaries

Edward P. Doll

Edward P. Doll, 91, died Sunday night in an El Paso, Texas, hospital. Doll came to Ruidoso with his wife, Jimmy, in the late 1930s from Indiana. Several years ago, the couple moved to Las Cruces, where services for Doll were held February 23. He is survived by two brothers, William and Joseph, and a sister, Rose, all of Indiana; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.



A LARGE AND BENEVOLENT crowd attended the Businessmen's Handicapped Ski Race pre-race party Tuesday night to support the competing teams and make contributions to the Sierra Blanca Handicapped Skiers Association (SBHSA). On the left is Diana Per-



son, SBHSA program director, describing the handicapped skiers' program. Myra Lynn, center, served as one of the party's happy helpers. Bob Hickson, on the right, handicapped the businessmen skiing in the Wednesday race.



Plant Society meets Sunday

There will be a meeting of the Otero-Lincoln chapter of the Native Plant Society of New Mexico at the home of Bill Mayfield in Bent (mile marker 241) on Sunday, February 28.

Mayfield has a variety of volunteer plants that can be had for the digging, as well as globe willow and lombardy poplars, Virginia creeper, mint and watercress.

His home will open at 10 a.m. Sunday. Plants for later delivery may be ordered. There will be a business meeting at 2 p.m. to discuss programs, field trips and other activities for the year.

Several field trips are planned:

May—Oliver Lee State Park.
July—state field trip.
August 29—field trip to admire wildflowers of Mrs. Callaway at High Rolls.
Annual membership in Native Plant Society is \$8. Members receive the Native Plant Society of New Mexico newsletter, published bi-monthly.

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Warrior wrestlers prepare for state tourney

Gary Brown
Sports Writer

ainly clouds Ruidoso High wrestling team's prospects as it for the state AAA-AA tournament and Saturday in Los

"We'll wait until Friday morning to decide whether Doug can compete or not," Warrior coach Gerald Ames said Wednesday afternoon. "We'll see how Doug is feeling and let the doctor know. The doctor will have the final decision."
Besides Schmidt, eight other Ruidoso wrestlers will compete in the state championships.
They include Ray Montes (105 pounds), Henry Rue (119 pounds), Jim Askew (132 pounds), Wade Torres (145 pounds), Don Gwyn (155 pounds), Scott Cirualo (167 pounds), Gary Burgess (185 pounds) and Ronald Bell at heavyweight.
Montes, Rue, Askew, Cirualo and Burgess each finished second in the district tournament. Gwyn, Torres and Bell each took third places.

"We feel all nine guys have the ability to place in the state tournament," Ames said. "They may not have a real good shot at first place but getting a place is within their reach."
Bloomfield, Aztec and Tucumcari are generally seen as the teams with the best chances for the team championship.
However, the Warriors have a shot at the title provided Schmidt and Rue, who has an injured chest wall, are healthy and able to compete at top strength.
Rue has been one of the Warriors' most consistent wrestlers all season. The powerful junior has placed second or third in several tournaments this season.
However, Rue's injury caused him some pain in the district tournament and Ames is worried that his athlete might have a

problem if his matches go the full three periods.
"It would be better if Rue and Schmidt could pin their opponents quickly because of their injuries," Ames said. "However, that's hard to do in the state tournament. There's no weak competition."
Montes, Cirualo, Askew, Torres, Burgess, Bell and Gwyn have also been consistent this season.
Gwyn's performance the past two weeks has been a pleasant surprise to Ames. The Warrior junior broke his hand two weeks ago and had to wrestle in the district tournament with that handicap.
Cirualo and Burgess, both sophomores, have awesome potential according to Ames.

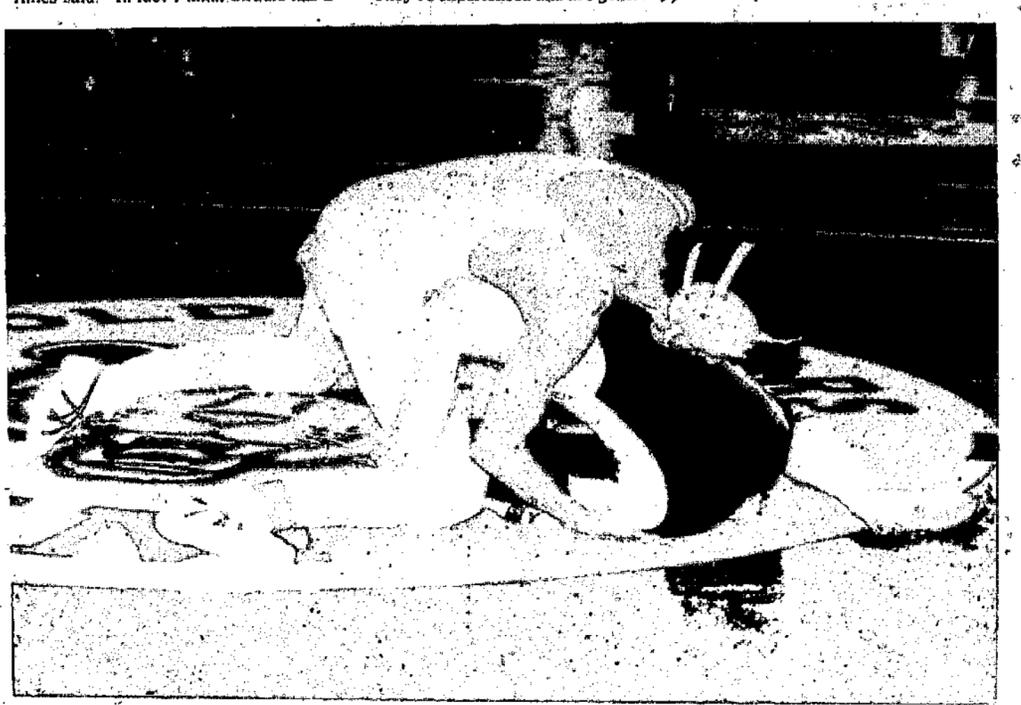
"They're both potential blue-chippers," Ames said. "In fact I think Cirualo has a good chance at placing high in the state tournament at least two years."
Torres won the Deming tournament last month and has placed second several times this season. Torres had a pulled ligament in his shoulder after the Deming tournament but has apparently fully recovered from that injury.
Askew has shown great improvement in the last month and was impressive in the district tournament, competing in a strong weight division.
Both Montes and Bell have placed high in several tournaments this season and have a good shot at placing in the state competition.
Ames was particularly optimistic about his seniors' chances. Schmidt, Montes, Torres, Bell and Askew are seniors.

"They're experienced and are generally more likely to do well in tough competition," Ames said.
Most of the top teams entered in the tournament are from the northern half of the state, Ames says there's a reason for that.
"The kids in the Albuquerque area start competitive wrestling in junior high school," he said. "They generally compete in at least two or three tournaments a season while they're in junior high school. They have an edge experience-wise over the kids from our half of the state. However, we're improving a lot."
The seeding for the tournament will be drawn tonight in Los Lunas. The weigh-ins will be from 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. tomorrow and the first session will begin at 10 a.m. The final two sessions will be conducted Saturday morning and afternoon.



DOUG SCHMIDT of the Ruidoso High School wrestling team tries to pin Mike Stienzig of Silver City in the AAA district tournament 126 pound class match

last Friday. Schmidt won the match 13-11 and is considered a strong bet for points at the state meet in Los Lunas tomorrow and Saturday.



RAY MONTES of Ruidoso holds the edge over an opponent in last week's district 3-AAA wrestling tournament. Montes finished second in the 112 pound division and will compete in the state tournament.

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WADE TORRES is limbered up by Ruidoso wrestling coach Gerald Ames before his third-place 145 pound match at the district tournament. Torres, a senior,

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PLAY TULAROSA, COBRE

Warrior cagers aim for 3rd place

Ruidoso High School's varsity boys' basketball team still has a chance of finishing as high as third place in the district 3-AAA race entering the final weekend of regular season action.

The Warriors, who are 3-5 in district play, travel to Tularosa tomorrow night and Cobre Saturday night. Tularosa is 4-5 in district competition and Cobre is 5-4.

Tularosa and Cobre each have just one contest left in the regular season, their games with Ruidoso. The Warriors have two left. If Ruidoso beats Tularosa and loses to Cobre it will tie Tularosa for fourth

place. If the Warriors beat both Tularosa and Cobre, Ruidoso will tie the Indians for third place in the final standings.

The Warrior defeated Tularosa 43-39 the first time the teams met last month at the Ruidoso gym. However, beating the Wildcats at their home court is a much tougher task.

Cobre handled the Warriors easily at Ruidoso two weeks ago, taking a 53-36 decision.

However, the Warriors have improved considerably in the past two weeks. Ruidoso topped winless Truth or Conse-

quences (T or C) 54-43 last Friday for its second victory over that squad this season.

Saturday the Warriors gave undefeated Deming all it could handle before falling 70-66 at the Warrior gym. It was probably the Warriors' best effort of the season and gave head coach Barry Nelson reason for hope.

"We put it together tonight," Nelson said after the Deming contest. "We're coming together just at the right time. I'm proud of the guys."

Still, Ruidoso will need a top effort to win both games on the road. Of the Warriors'

five overall victories this season, only two, a Dexter tournament victory over Wead and the win over T or C last weekend, were away from the Ruidoso gym.

Ruidoso's main hope for victory this weekend will probably depend on its ability to control the boards.

The Warriors got more than their share of rebounds against T or C last week and held their own against Deming.

Except for 6-4 center Cerney, Tularosa is shorter than the Warriors. Ruidoso can counter against Cerney with a pair of 6-4 players in Bill Richardson and Steve Sluder.

Richardson had one of his finest games of the season last weekend when he scored 28 points against Deming. Sluder is also a good scorer and a solid rebounder.

Ruidoso will probably need some good scoring from its three starting guards, Scott Neal, Pete Garcia and Marc Delhotal.

All are quick and good shooters. Garcia especially can be a threat on the fast break.

Cobre is slightly taller than the Wildcats so the Warriors must be able to run on the Indians. Ruidoso wasn't able to do that the last time the two teams met.

The district tournament begins Tuesday with Deming having a first-round bye because it has clinched the round-robin championship.

Team	District Record	Overall Record
1. Deming	9-0	19-2
2. Silver City	6-3	9-12
3. Cobre	5-4	11-10
4. Tularosa	4-5	10-11
5. Ruidoso	3-5	5-16
6. Truth or Consequences	0-9	3-16

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KEVIN JEFFERSON (left) and David Ordorica of the Las Piedras Boxing Team (LPBT) of Ruidoso scrimmage in a recent practice. The two boxers and the rest of the LPBT will compete in a boxing tournament in Roswell a week from Saturday. Both Jefferson and Ordorica were Junior Olympic medalists last spring.

DISTRICT CAGE PLAYOFF

Tularosa nips Warrior girls

Ruidoso High School's girls' varsity basketball team made an early exit from district 3-AAA tournament action but not before it gave favored Tularosa all it could handle Tuesday night.

The Warriors, who went winless in round-robin district action, were in the game all the way but just Tularosa finally pulled the win out 32-29.

Thus Tularosa advances to tonight's second round of competition while Ruidoso's season has ended.

However, the Warriors came through with probably their best effort of the season.

Tularosa had to struggle to take a 6-4 advantage at the first quarter break.

Claudia Branum and Tami Valdez scored baskets on jump shots to provide the Warriors' first-quarter scoring.

Early in the second period the Wildcats seemed to take charge of the contest as they took a 14-7 lead.

However, Branum hit two free throws and Tricia Jameson one to pull the Warriors within four points at 14-10. Lillian Lopez and Valdez then added field goals to knot the score at halftime 14-14.

Tularosa increased its margin to 22-16 early in the third quarter but the Warriors closed the margin to 22-20 at the end of the period on two free throws by Jameson and a field goal by Branum.

The hosts scored seven straight points early in the final quarter to take a 27-20 advantage.

However, the Warriors began to inch their way back.

Center Jan Huey hit a turnaround jumper and Jameson added another free throw to cut the Wildcats' margin to 27-23 with three minutes left.

It was not enough, however, as Tularosa built its margin to six points twice in the final moments of the game.

Lopez led the Warriors with seven points and Branum and Valdez each added six points. Jameson had five points (all on free throws) and the 5-11 Huey added four.

Bridget Almagar added a free throw to round out the Warrior scoring.

Despite the defeat, Ruidoso head coach Sergio Castanon was proud of his players. "They were a different team from the rest of the season," Castanon said. "Our

players always get their act together for the district tournament and this year was no different.

"Missed free throws hurt our chances in this game. We did well on our free throw shooting in the second quarter but we missed several one and one attempts in the final period."

Ruidoso thus ended the season with a 3-18 overall record. All of the Warriors' victories came in the non-district season.

But the Warriors have most of their team returning next season. Several of the Ruidoso players are freshmen.

Mescalero has cage tournament

Mescalero will host an open men's double-elimination basketball tournament tomorrow through Sunday in the community gym.

Trophies and awards will be given out. Twelve teams will be entered in the tournament. For further information on the tournament call 671-4494.

Last Saturday's basketball game between Ruidoso and Deming saw a supreme effort by the Warriors, despite the fact they lost 70-66.

Ruidoso lost to the Wildcats 77-38 the first time they met in Deming last month. However, the difference between the first game and last Saturday's contest was like night and day.

Ruidoso proved that it still has a shooting touch as witness 6-4 Bill Richardson's 23 points. The lanky senior is perhaps the best pure shooter in the district when he's on and Richardson's been on quite a bit lately.

The Warriors also had their best outside shooting game of the season as guards Scott Neal, Pete Garcia and Marc Delhotal worked extremely well as a unit.

Despite the Warriors' 3-5 district mark and 5-16 overall record, they can still be a big factor in the district tournament which starts next week.

For one thing, Deming doesn't appear to be as strong as it was at the first part of the district season. The Wildcats had to struggle to get by Tularosa two weeks ago and the Warriors also proved Deming is not unstoppable.

Ruidoso may not have a great deal of depth, but it does have two starters back from last year's district championship team in Richardson and Neal. Playoff experience is important when the important games roll around.

The Warriors' guards as a unit are probably as good as any in the district. Neal, Garcia and Delhotal are all capable of scoring in double figures and they're also quick and intelligent.

The big factor working against the Warriors is their lack of depth. If even one player fouls out, they could be in trouble because the Ruidoso reserves are young and relatively inexperienced.

However if the Warriors can avoid foul trouble they could give anybody a battle in the district tournament.

Silver City, Tularosa and Cobre are in a tight battle for the second spot and Ruidoso is just behind them.

Since the first-place team (probably Deming) will have a bye in the opening round, Ruidoso will probably play one of

the above teams in the first round. Silver City has beaten Ruidoso twice but the games were fairly close and the Warriors can beat the Colts with a top performance.

The Warriors beat Tularosa 43-39 in their first encounter and play the Wildcats again tomorrow night.

Cobre defeated Ruidoso 53-36 the first time they met two weeks ago and the two teams will finish the regular season against each other Saturday night in Cobre.

Cobre seems to be the best team of the three the Warriors are likely to play in the first round. The first time the two teams played the Indians were able to use the fast break as well as ball-control offense against Ruidoso. Cobre has a big center and the Warriors' big men like Richardson and Steve Sluder must control the boards if Ruidoso is to have a chance of winning the game.

However, Ruidoso is capable of beating Cobre. It would probably need an effort like it had against Deming last weekend. If the Warriors can equal that performance throughout the playoffs they could well wind up in the state tournament again.

Turning to basketball, although most people see Virginia as the favorite for the national championship it's really anybody's title this season.

DePaul, North Carolina and Missouri all have outstanding teams and have played tough schedules this season.

However, the sleeper of the year could be Oregon State. The Beavers have dominated the Pacific-10 Conference (Pac-10) for several years and are always a fundamentally strong group.

Oregon State has some excellent guards and a strong defensive team, both important considerations when you examine a team's title chances.

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Bowling scores

Tuesday Morning Ladies' League		
Team Standings	W	L
1. El Charro	56 1/2	31 1/2
2. Von Rosenberg Construction	53	35
3. Texas Club	49 1/2	38 1/2
4. Barney Rue Sand and Gravel	47	41
5. Hughes Body Shop	46 1/2	41 1/2
6. Ruidoso State Bank	45 1/2	42 1/2
7. Security Bank	42	46
8. Las Tres Tiendas	41 1/2	45 1/2
9. Pro Ski Sports	38	52
10. Century 21	25 1/2	62 1/2

Individual High Game Scratch		
B. Smith, 193;		
S. Bohanna, 163;		
P. Burgess, 165		

Individual High Game with Handicap		
B. Smith, 232;		
S. Farris, 224;		
S. Kir-Smi, 221;		

Individual High Series Scratch		
B. Smith, 500;		
P. Burgess, 460;		
D. Bohanna, 443		

Individual High Series with Handicap		
B. Smith, 539;		
P. Burgess, 515;		
D. Bohanna, 494		

Team High Game Scratch		
Sierra Vision, 543;		
Ruidoso Plumbing, 535;		
Resort Reservation, 527		

Team High Game with Handicap		
Ruidoso Plumbing, 805;		
Sierra Vision, 794;		
Farris Follies, 789		

Team High Series Scratch		
Ruidoso Plumbing, 1,560;		
Sierra Vision, 1,514;		
Farris Follies, 1,502		

Team High Series with Handicap		
Ruidoso Plumbing, 1,830;		
Farris Follies, 1,766;		
Sierra Vision, 1,765		

Thursday Morning Ladies' League		
Team Standings	W	L
1. Sierra Vision Center	46	26
2. Holiday Inn	41	31
3. Ruidoso Plumbing	39	33
4. Resort Reservations	34	38
5. Farris Follies	32	40
6. Rudy's Body Shop	26	40

Elks 'Hoop Shoot' set here Sunday

The Ruidoso Elks' annual 'Hoop Shoot' free throw contest will begin at 1 p.m., Sunday in the White Mountain Mid School gym. Ray Walker, shoot chairman, has announced.

Age divisions for boys and girls will be eight to nine, 10 to 11, and 12 to 13. After five warmup shots, contestants will shoot ten baskets for score, then go to the end of the line and, when their turn comes up again, shoot another 15 shots. In the event of a tie, they will be broken by contestants taking another five shots, as often as required to declare a winner.

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Ditches may have hydroelectric potential

Irrigation ditches, traversing this arid state like a lifeline, may soon be a source of electricity as well as much-needed water.

A year-long study investigating the use of irrigation water to generate electricity was recently completed by Dr. Richard Heggen, an assistant professor of civil engineering at the University of New Mexico (UNM). Heggen who worked closely with the Public Service Company of New Mexico (PNM) and the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, said the prospects for developing hydroelectric plants in New Mexico are promising.

"We're pleasantly surprised by the results of our study," Heggen said. "The two irrigation systems studied, at sites north of Bernalillo and south of Belen, have the potential for generating 90 to 150 kilowatts of electricity. Although this is small scale power generation, hydroelectric plants would diversify power production in the state, creating a healthier energy situation."

UNM's hydropower feasibility study was funded by a \$150,000 grant from the New Mexico Energy Research and Development Institute, which is interested in determining whether power generation on an irrigation ditch is economically feasible and applicable throughout the state.

"At both sites studied the irrigation water drops down a chute to a lower elevation," Heggen said. "This drop in elevation, along with a significant volume of water, provides the energy that can be converted into electricity."

Operating a hydroelectric plant on an existing irrigation ditch would require channeling the water through a pipe to increase the water pressure, and then running the water through a turbine. The increased water pressure will cause the turbine to turn, generating electricity.

These sites were chosen because, except for placing a pipe alongside or in the irrigation ditch, the physical layout of these structures will not need to be altered.

"The water will still be used for irrigation," Heggen said, "but it will be temporarily sidetracked through a pipe and turbine for power generation. Electricity can only be produced eight months out of the year, however, because the irrigation ditches are shut down from November to April."

"This study should result in continued interest in hydroelectric plants in New Mexico, since we've realized that an irrigation canal can be a viable source of power," Heggen said. "There may be several irrigation sites in the state that have the potential from such a system, combining a good volume of water, a drop in elevation, and a local need for electrical energy."

The Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, which owns the water rights to the irrigation system, is the potential beneficiary of any electricity generated on the irrigation ditches. "The Conservancy District could produce its own power at half the cost of electricity purchased from PNM," Heggen said. "If they decide to invest the \$200,000 necessary to install a hydropower plant at either of these sites,"

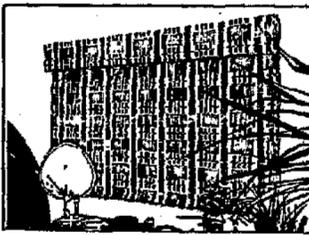
PNM worked as a subcontractor to UNM in this project, providing technical expertise in the areas of generating equipment, electrical design, and engineering. The economics involved in the operation of a hydropower plant were also analyzed by PNM.

Hydrologic aspects of the project, such as volume and flow of water in the ditches, were analyzed by UNM. The University also reviewed the environmental regulations and laws pertaining to construction and operation of a hydroelectric plant.

Use of irrigation ditches is probably the most advantageous aspect of this project, because a power plant that is built on an already-existing structure is exempt from many federal regulations.

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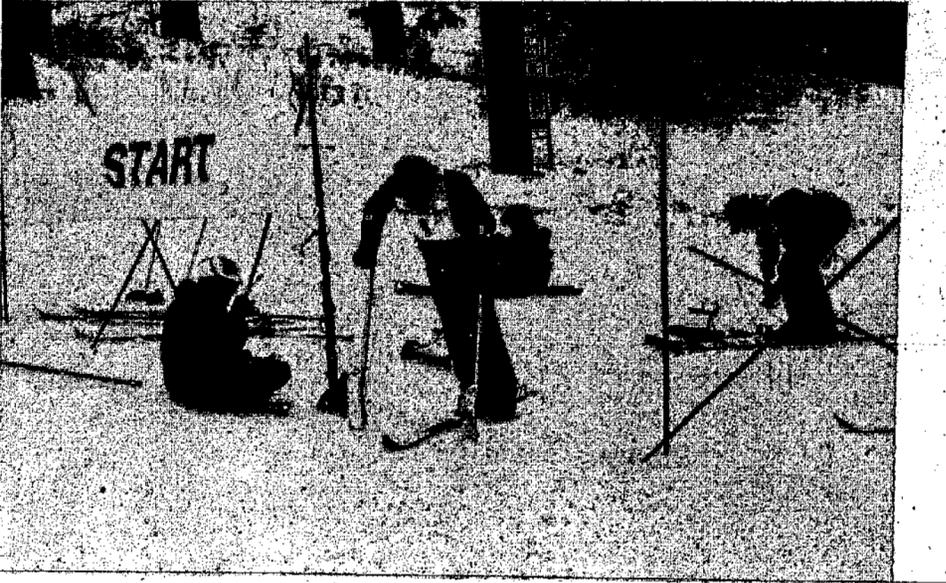
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RACER READY? asks race starter Hilde Strobel, one of the two SBHSA full-time instructors. As the count-down begins, Dan Kelley prepares to kick out of the starting gate.

Scenes from a day at the races



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Photos

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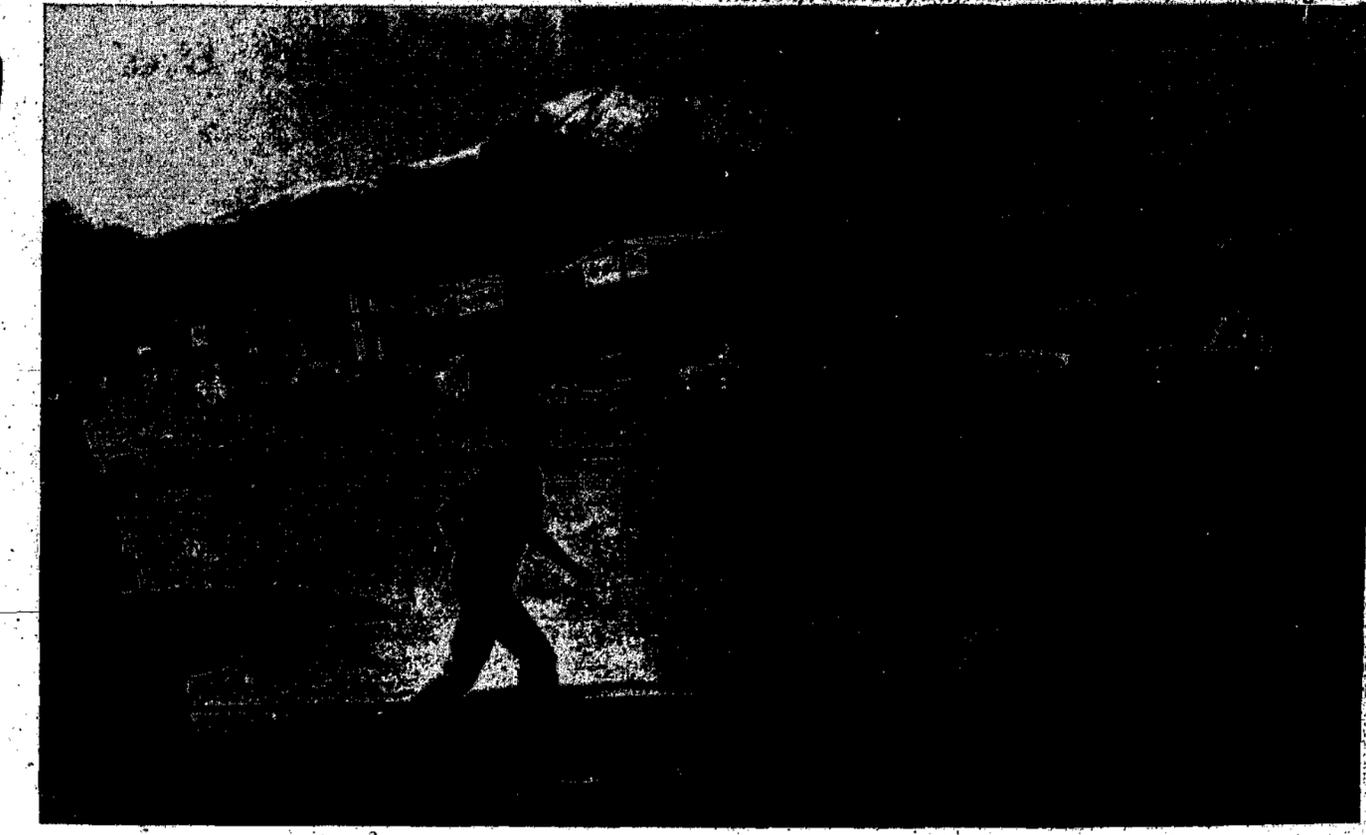
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Spools of thread now describe the length read on the spool in meters. Seam allowances and packaged trims list lengths in meters or centimeters. New measuring tapes, tape measures and hem gauges metric measurements.

Most of the measurements are dual

labeling—the measurement given first in inches, feet or yards, followed by the metric equivalent in parentheses," Miss Wright said.

The easy way to learn metric measurements is to begin thinking in metric when shopping for home sewing supplies and when sewing, she said.

"The next time you buy a pattern, pick it out on the basis of the metric size chart on the envelope. Figure types and sizes haven't changed, although metric measurements have been rounded off to make them easier to understand," Miss Wright said.

Also buy fabric by metric measurements. Fabric width is measured in centimeters and length is measured in meters. A meter of fabric will have about

10 percent more fabric area than a yard of fabric, so the metric measurement will cost about 10 percent more than the yard measurement.

"Most sales people will cut fabric by meters, if asked," Miss Wright said.

Some other common metric measurements that will be used often in home sewing have to be related to markings on the sewing machine throat plate and stitch regulator. Pattern markings and zipper lengths also have to be converted mentally to metric measurements.

A standard stitch length, usually thought of as five stitches to the inch, converts to stitches that are two to two and a half millimeters long.

"A standard seam allowance becomes one and a half centimeters and a skirt hem is five centimeters. A skirt zipper is 18 centimeters long, and the distance of topstitching from the edge of the fabric is about six millimeters," Miss Wright said.

The following chart converts standard fabric dimensions from feet and yards to metric, in case this comparison is not available on fabric bolts.

Fabric Type	Inches	Metric
Interfacing	28	70
Cotton muslin	35-36	90
Cotton-Polyester		
Blends	44-45	115
Wool	54-56	140
Double Knits	58-60	150

Wilderness Wisdom

with Wayne Calloway

QUESTION: This business of bass fishing baffles me no end. With scores of rod and reel types, and hundreds of lure designs, what's a sane person to do? How can anyone make a sane choice unless he lives and breathes fishing?

I guess my real question is this: Isn't successful fishing governed as much by luck, namely being in the right place at the right time as it is by so-called "expertise"?

ANSWER: Generally, the more time one spends fishing, the more fish he catches, regardless of if it's by luck or design. But more specifically, knowledgeable anglers catch far more fish than those who depend upon luck. Many factors, such as weather, water temperature and pH, time of day, time of year, greatly influence if and where you will likely catch fish. These are largely uncontrollable factors as far as the angler is concerned. Controllable factors that have major bearings on success are lure types, and how they are fished, and the anglers' ability to remain fairly inconspicuous to the fish.

There are many pieces written about habits of fish and the effects of water and weather conditions upon them. Even so, there is considerable disagreement on

some points. There is more research being conducted now to determine the key factors to fishing success than ever before. Some undeniable facts have been established and, no doubt, better understandings of fish habits will develop; but there will never be universal agreement on all points of why anglers do or do not catch fish.

To repeat a solid bit of advice that I have mentioned before might be helpful. One of the very best ways to learn and understand the factors involved in fishing success is to keep your own journal. Record all the information that you have access to when you make a fishing outing. Include time of year, air and water temperature, pH (if you have a device to measure), what was caught, and where, type of lure, sky conditions, and anything else that might be appropriate. A comparison of several log entries will begin to reveal a correlation of common factors and from them you can begin to piece together times and methods that you are likely to enjoy greatest success.

Send questions to: Wilderness Wisdom, Post Office Box 237, Elizaville, Maryland 21856.

Solar workshop March 13 in Roswell

The New Mexico Solar Energy Institute at New Mexico State University (NMSU) will present a "Solar Retrofit: Solar For Existing Homes" workshop for east side building professionals and do-it-yourselfers in Roswell, Saturday, March 13. The workshop, co-sponsored by the Chaves County Cooperative Extension Service and the NMSU Alumni Association, will be held at the Chaves County Health/Extension Auditorium at 200 East Chisum from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

David Miller, head of the NMSIE Information and Education Division, said that the institute recognizes that the average person interested in using solar to assist or provide space heating will be adding a "retrofit" to his or her existing residence or building. Miller said the workshop will include weatherizing, site and building assessment, conservation, materials

selection, direct gain solar applications such as thermal storage walls, greenhouses and thermosiphoning air flow panels as well as active space heating systems including horizontal air flow panels. Miller said a 200 page text is included in the workshop fee (\$15). He added that he will discuss solar economics, tax credits, building codes and case studies and that a professional builder experienced in solar retrofit construction will join the NMSIE staff as an instructor at the workshop.

Miller advises early pre-registration to reserve space that is limited to 70 persons. To pre-register or for information contact Sue Mumma, NMSIE-NMSU, Post Office Box 3 SOL, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88003 or telephone (505)646-4112, or pick up a registration form at the Chaves County Extension Service office.

Medicare enrollment now on

From now through the end of March is the general enrollment period for the medical insurance part of Medicare, Don Austin, Social Security district manager in Roswell, said recently. During these three months people who passed up the chance for this protection, or who had it and dropped out, can again sign up.

Protection for people who sign up during this period will start next July 1.

Medical insurance is a bargain because the Federal Government pays more than two-thirds of the premium cost from Federal general revenues.

Medical insurance complements the hospital insurance part of Medicare. Hospital insurance helps pay for medically necessary inpatient hospital care and certain followup care in a skilled nursing facility or at home.

Medical insurance helps pay for doctors' services no matter where they are received in the United States, including surgical services, diagnostic tests and X-rays that are part of the treatment, medical supplies furnished in the doctor's office, services of the office nurse, and drugs that are given as part of the treatment and which cannot be self-administered.

Medical insurance also covers outpatient hospital services received for diagnosis and treatment and other services and supplies not covered by hospital insurance.

Medical insurance pays for 80 percent of the approved costs or charges for covered services and supplies after the patient has met the \$75 annual deductible.

More information about Medicare medical insurance can be obtained at the Roswell Social Security office, located in the Federal Building at Fifth and Richardson. The telephone number to call is 1-800-437-8900.



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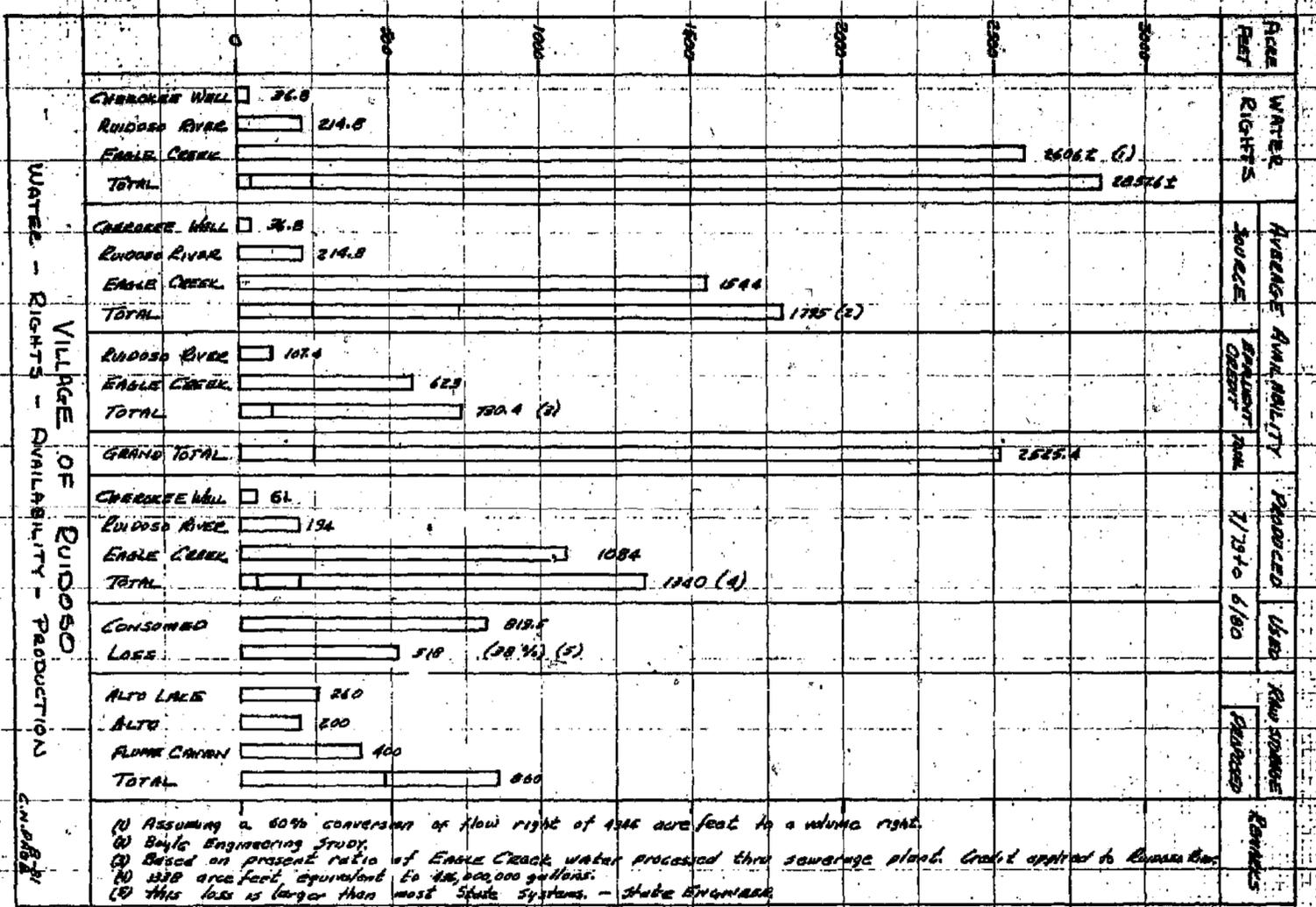
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AN OVERALL PICTURE of the water situation of the village is shown in this chart. All numbers are in acre feet. Note that the 2,606 acre feet of water rights on Eagle Creek is based on the assumption that the village will retain 60 percent of its 4,344 acre feet of rights there when and if they are converted from the present flow right to a quantity

right, as has been applied for. Note also the "loss" figure of 38 percent, a cause of concern because a municipal system should normally lose around 20 percent of the water it produces. Also, "Flume Canyon" should read "Grindstone Canyon," as the latter is now the proposed site of a storage reservoir.

Water Board finds: more water or no more growth

by TIM PALMER
Staff Writer

(Editor's note:

This is the third in a series of articles on Ruidoso's water supply. Today's article is a summary of a report presented to the village trustees by the village water board.)

Village water board members C. Newton Page, Knud Ottesen and Dick Hall have been working closely with assistant village manager Frank Potter in recent weeks, preparing a case for why Ruidoso needs to expand its water system.

Tuesday night, Page made a presentation to the village trustees which summarized the water board's findings. Using

a map, slides and charts (three of which are reproduced on this page), he described the present water system and projected water needs of Ruidoso.

Simply stated, the finding of the water board is that the village can only continue to grow for two more years unless it increases its water diversion, treatment and storage capacities.

This concurs with the findings of water studies done by Boyle Engineering, which drew up the proposed \$38 million capital improvements program to be voted on in April. Jake Vigil of Boyle has worked with the water board and represented his firm at Tuesday's meeting.

The major aim of the proposed improvements is to allow the village to take

and use more water from the Rio Ruidoso. Page pointed out that the total average amount of water available to the village (from Rio Ruidoso, Eagle Creek and Cherokee Well) is about 1,800 acre feet per year, but that the water system cannot treat and store that much water at present.

"We have to plan in order to get full usage of that 1,800 feet," he said.

Page explained that effluent credit—credit for water which goes through the system and is returned to the river downstream after wastewater treatment—can be applied as a water right upstream, allowing the village to divert more water than it has conventional rights to.

With this credit, he said, the village has rights to more than 2,500 acre feet of water

per year. But to utilize these rights, additional storage and treatment facilities are needed.

That is why the improvements program includes a 1,000 acre foot reservoir in Grindstone Canyon and a new treatment plant on the Rio Ruidoso, Page explained.

The alternative to expanding the water system is to stop growth, according to the findings of the water board. If growth continues at its annual rate of 7.3 percent (compounded), the village will have the maximum number of housing units it can provide water for by early 1984, said Page.

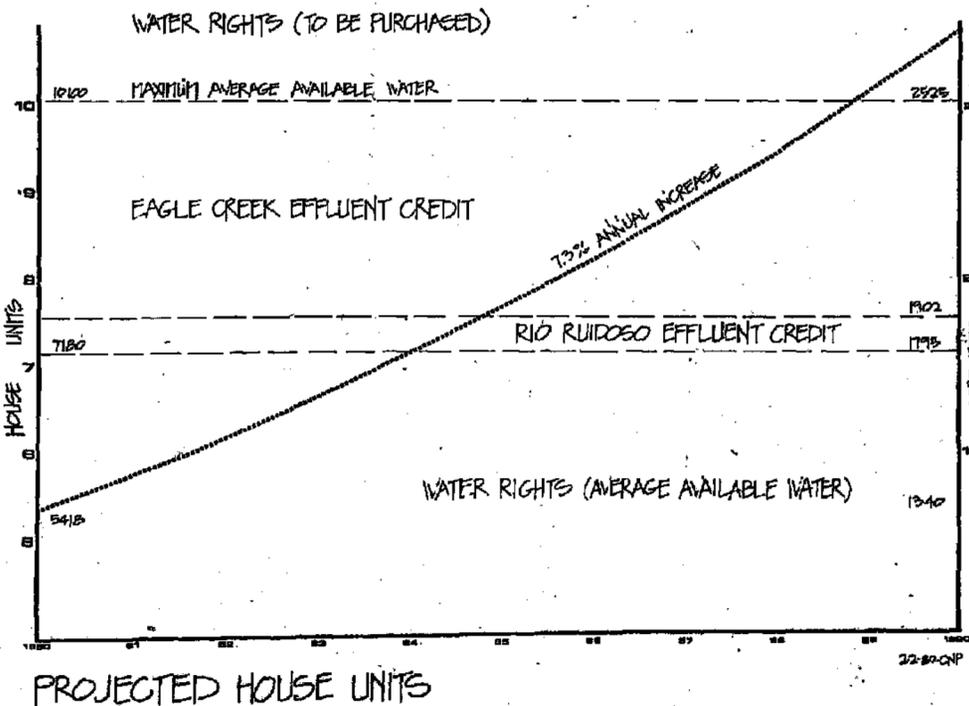
He noted the number of condominiums already approved by the village guarantees that that maximum number will be reached if those condos are built. With the improvements, the system will

be able to provide water for 10,100 housing units, according to Page. If growth maintains its present pace, that number will be reached in 1989.

Page was asked "what then?" "No one can see into a crystal ball," he said. "What we have to do is plan six to eight to ten years ahead."

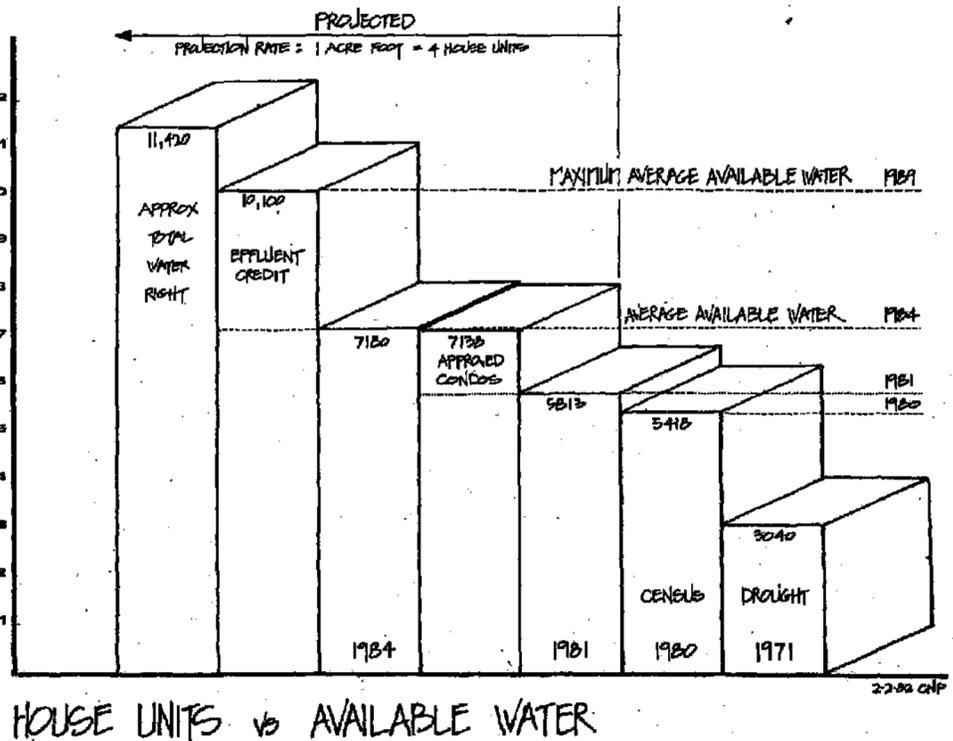
Page stated that the water board is highly in favor of completing the first phase of the water improvements program "at the earliest possible date."

In the weeks prior to the April water bond issue election, Page will be making the water presentation at various clubs and civic organizations in Ruidoso. Arrangements for a presentation can be made by contacting Potter at the Village Administrative Center.



RUIDOSO'S GROWTH is shown on this chart, which shows the projected number of house units through the rest of the decade. The intersection of the dotted line, representing house units, with the first dashed line, representing available water, shows that in early 1984, the village will have the maximum number

of housing units it can provide water for with its present system: 7,180. Ability to apply effluent credit from the Rio Ruidoso and Eagle Creek, which requires increased storage and treatment facilities, would allow 10,100 housing units—the figure projected for the year 1989.



THIS CHART also illustrates the projected growth in housing units relative to available water. Note that in the dry year of 1971, there was enough water to supply 3,040 units, about half the number the village has now. It should also be noted that 1980 water usage figures were employed. The 1981 figures

showed an increase in usage of about 18 percent, due to more permanent residents and longer stays by part-time residents, according to Page. This trend, he said, makes the figures shown "optimistic," and could bring the critical dates of 1984 and 1989 closer.

Do you earn a living in Ruidoso?

Maybe you're a construction worker. A dressmaker. A truck driver. A business professional. Whichever you are, it sure is nice to receive a paycheck. Some people in other parts of the state and country are not so lucky. They live in areas of sagging economies.

The Ruidoso tax base is up 42% in the last five years. This money feeds the village economy and is the basis for the economy which provides your paycheck. Our taxes have provided a new high school, hospital improvements, more doctors, road paving (more in the last 4 years than in our history) a new city hall, new sewer complex, and a new water treatment plant.

We have generated a controlled growth economy and provided jobs. Can you imagine not having a job?

Very simply, there are people running for office who have stated they are against growth- and have voted against growth.

Our present mayor believes we cannot stop growth, but **WE CAN CONTROL GROWTH.** He is right.

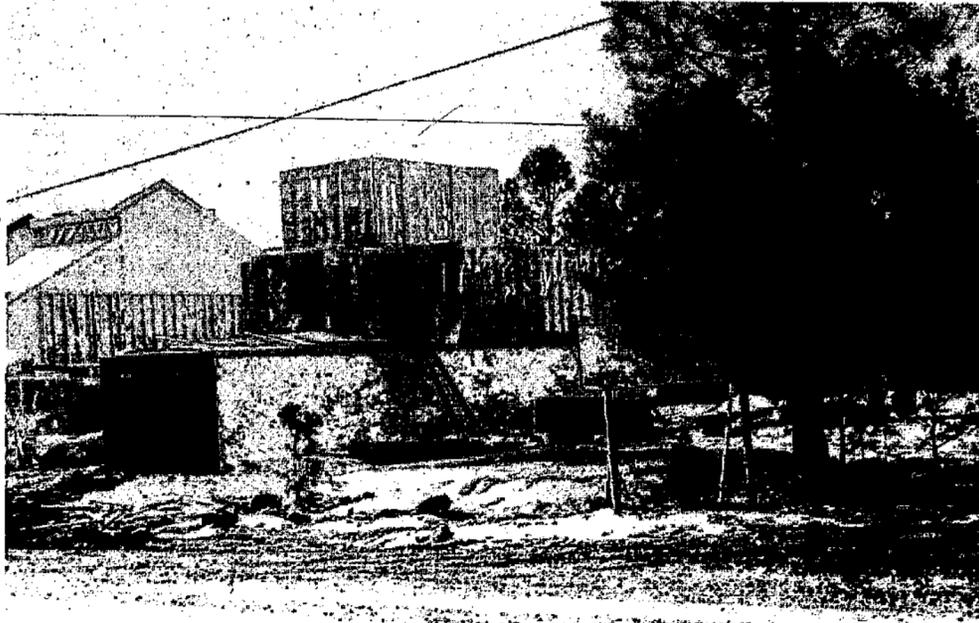
We must preserve our economy.

We must retain the leadership of men like Lloyd Davis.

Let's re-elect Lloyd Davis, Mayor

What's happening here?

The Ruidoso News will periodically picture commercial and residential construction in progress to present current development in New Mexico's fastest growing resort community, Ruidoso.



PHASE ONE of the Springs Condominiums is due to be completed in mid-April. A waterscape system with waterfalls, ponds and islands are featured in this luxury condominium development. A swimming pool, spa and tennis courts will also be installed. La Mission Development Company is

presently constructing the initial 22 cedar units with redwood decks. 71 units are planned to be built during the next three years. Doug Bass and Associates are the realtors for the project, and Cathy Carter is coordinating the condos' interior design.

Credit can work for you or against you

With two paychecks coming in, many couples find credit easy to get and even easier to use. High income leads to higher credit limits; and that, experts say, is the path to financial abuse.

According to the New Mexico Society of Certified Public Accountants (CPA), however, if you use credit wisely, it can actually work for you. Let's look, for example, at items vulnerable to inflation. Houses and cars readily come to mind, but major appliances, home repair costs and luxuries like boats or jewelry could be considered too. Perhaps you want a house or a boat, but don't need it. If you waited to accumulate savings, the price might rise.

Before you rush out to buy something on credit, CPAs say you should determine if the price is going up and how much of a jump it may take. A car price might rise several hundred dollars in a year, while an air conditioner might rise no more than \$30. Figure the cost to borrow, then decide whether it is wiser to borrow or to wait.

If you could save \$2,000 in one year, yet borrow it at 18 percent, you would pay \$360 in interest for that year. If the price were to rise only \$200, you would have wasted money on loan interest. But, on the other hand, if it were to rise \$300, you might have saved \$140, and pick up a kind of bonus in the form of a tax deduction for the interest. By saving, instead of using credit, you could pay more for an item.

On the other hand, let's say you had \$6,000 cash to spend for a car. Is it better to spend this money or to invest it and borrow the price of the car?

Assume you could get a 15 percent car loan for four years. At the end of four years, with monthly payments of \$167, you would pay a total of \$2,016 interest. If, during those four years, you invested \$6,000 cash in a money-market fund or certificates of deposit that yield only ten percent annually, you would receive \$2,785 interest. After paying off your loan, you would still have over \$700 cash. Higher interest rates and monthly, quarterly or

semi-annual compounding would net higher returns.

According to CPAs, it is important to evaluate the rate of finance charges and the interest rate you will receive. Remember, too, that compound interest accumulates faster than simple interest. No matter what terms you can get on a loan, however, CPAs warn against buying items that break down before your payments run out. If you have a seven year loan on a car that will last six years, you will soon find your debts rising.

To make credit work for you, CPAs suggest buying items that will appreciate in value. Although mortgage rates have recently skyrocketed and home appreciation has slowed, real estate is still a "safe" investment.

Experts agree it is easy to misuse credit, but they also note that warning signs do appear. CPAs, for instance, advise you not to let your debt-income ratio rise above 15 or 20 percent. In other words, once you begin using 20 percent of your take-home pay monthly to cover bills, excluding housing costs, you should reevaluate your credit habits. Stretching payments out may help, they say, but you are actually only increasing your total cost.

Other warning signs are a need to borrow to meet daily expenses or the inability to clear debts within three years. It might be wise, CPAs say, to discontinue your credit use until you can manage your debts.

Couples who apply for credit jointly are responsible for each others' debts; and, with two incomes, the amount of debts they are liable for may be higher. Failure of one spouse to pay his or her bills reflects on the credit rating of the other, CPAs say. If you don't want to shoulder the additional responsibility — or you don't want the temptation of higher credit limits — you might file separate credit applications. No matter what your limit, use credit to work for you and not against you.



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helicopter lifts off from the parking lot of the Corona Motel and heads towards state land. A few minutes later "deer clock" comes over the headset. The banks to the left and the counting "Twelve total... one spike, seven and four fawns". The figures are read and the survey resumes.

Aerial surveys are flown every year and February to collect data on deer, elk, and bighorn sheep herds in the state. Ground counts are also at this time of year. Information includes general condition of the herds, sex ratios and age ratios. This information is used to establish trends in population and reproduction for wildlife populations in the surveyed areas.

This year, aerial surveys in southeastern New Mexico covered the area around Corona, the White Mountain Wilderness, the north side of the Capitan Mountains and the Guadalupe Mountains. When the Corona area was flown 220 deer were counted. This included 26 bucks, 117 does, and 77 fawns. Also observed were two elk, seven bald eagles, two golden eagles and twelve turkeys.

The White Mountain Wilderness yielded 305 deer and 66 elk. The deer broke down to 32 bucks, 191 does and 49 fawns. Thirty-three of the deer were unclassified. Elk observed included nine bulls (two real nice trophies), 46 cows and 11 calves. Two bald eagles were also seen on this survey.

Four hundred and sixty-one deer were counted on the north side of the Capitan Mountains. There were 11 bucks, 270 does, 176 fawns and four unclassified on the tally sheets for this survey. Four bald eagles, four golden eagles and 15 turkeys were also observed.

The last area to be surveyed was the Guadalupe Mountains and this is where the observers just about went crazy from counting deer. After adding and re-adding all the figures, we came up with a count of 1,880 deer in the Guadalupe Mountains. This included 46 bucks, 1,162 does, 669 fawns and three unclassified. Also observed were seven coyotes and one golden eagle.

It must be stressed that there are many limitations to any type of game survey and the figures given above in no way approach a complete picture of the wildlife populations surveyed. There is no way to get an accurate and complete count of any wildlife population. Figures like those obtained in the aerial surveys simply establish the minimum number of animals present and give a good estimate of the sex: fawn ratios. Any number of animals might not be seen for one reason or another.

Accuracy of such surveys depends on many things: weather conditions, amount of snow on the ground, experience of the pilot, experience of the observers, type of aircraft used and type of vegetation cover being surveyed. Whether or not males are running in bands, and the extent to which individuals join herds, are other factors affecting survey results. Also, sometimes biologists look specifically for one species in an area and only count other species incidentally.

Interpretation of survey data goes beyond realizing what the limitations of your survey methods are. The next step is to look at the survey data and consider what natural forces might also be operating on wildlife populations to affect the survey results. Factors such as nutrition, predation, hunting and other human disturbances, weather patterns, condition and availability of habitat, and disease influence populations and are reflected in survey results. Trying to determine which factors prevail is part of the problem of describing the overall picture for a wildlife population.

The bottom line is that we never know exactly how many deer we have. The best we can do is establish a minimum number and a trend as to whether populations are increasing, decreasing, or stable. That in itself is a challenge.



A BILINGUAL PROGRAM was begun at White Mountain Elementary School in October in an effort to get non-English speaking students functioning more

quickly in the classroom. Kay Snodgrass, a teacher's aide, works with the bilingual students in a makeshift classroom at the school.

Wild horses and burros available from BLM

body want a wild horse or wild United States Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is looking for applicants to take one or more of the critters (their hands and give them a good Right now the list of applicants for wild horses is at an all time low and the period is short. The BLM plans to release several thousand animals from the public lands in the West in 1982.

BLM might even deliver your horse or burro, provided that they can get applicants together in a central area to move a truckload, which is 50 horses or 60 burros.

January of this year the BLM released truckloads to Seguin, Texas and Ashogue, Oklahoma. These animals were quickly taken and the cost of the program was about \$80 per head. The BLM

also collected \$200 per horse and \$75 per burro to help cover the costs of gathering and handling.

The BLM also has a corral near Waco, Texas where animals may be picked up. Anyone who wants a horse or burro needs to get their application into the BLM.

The only requirements of an applicant are that he or she be of legal age and that they have adequate facilities to provide the proper care. The BLM will monitor the care of the animals and the horses or burros cannot be sold or abused.

Most people use the animals for pleasure riding or for ranch work. Some are used in breeding programs and burros are often used as pack animals.

The BLM has an information packet and applications for anyone who wants them. Write to the BLM, Post Office Box 1449, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87501 or call 505-988-6000.

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Let me introduce myself, I am Vernon Kelly Beavers, candidate for Mayor in the upcoming city election. I live in Capitan with my wife, Bert, and son, David. David is a Junior at Capitan High School.

I retired from the Air Force in November 1974 and moved to Roswell. In 1977 we purchased a lot in the Big Country Subdivision and in 1979, became residents of Capitan.

I was a manager and an administrator for most of the 27 years that I was in the Air Force. Many times I had over a hundred people working under my supervision, both military and civilian. I prepared budgets, justified these budgets and operated on the funds that I was given. I am fully aware that there is no substitute for systematic planning if you are to obtain the most from money, manpower, materials, and equipment.

I also want to take this opportunity to state a few of the issues and my position on them.

ISSUE: It is a genuine feeling among the citizens of Capitan, that our accelerated growth over the past eight years has exceeded our water resources. But contrary to how the people feel, more land is being annexed into the village at our monthly council meetings.

POSITION: Stop annexing land into the village and make a study to obtain a reasonable estimate as to how much water would be available in any given year. If our growth has exceeded our water resources, then a large problem, one that will seriously affect all of us, is being magnified by each additional annexation.

ISSUE: Some of our streets are in bad need of repair. But gravel purchased for roads was erroneously put in alleys. There are no street signs in some of our subdivisions and this could cause an emergency vehicle to be delayed in getting to a fire or reaching a person who is seriously ill or injured.

POSITION: Limited funds will not allow us to do everything at once. But a plan should be developed and priorities assigned to the various tasks to be accomplished. When funds are available, this plan would show where the money is to be spent and what is to be done. The safety of our citizens should be number one priority.

ISSUE: You have been told that improvements have been made to our water system and that they were funded in part by grants from the State of New Mexico. But you have not been told that some funds had to be borrowed and that we will be paying this money back thru July 1, 2000. Tax dollars are being spent to retire these debts.

POSITION: There is no newspaper in the Village and it is difficult to obtain information by this media. But I as mayor, would call a special meeting to inform citizens of important topics, such as hiring a village manager, building a new village hall, construction of a raw water storage facility, etc... These topics are presented at monthly council meetings. However, there is limited seating capacity and not many people attend. The agenda is not publicized and no one knows what is going to be discussed at any given meeting. Therefore, special meetings are needed to inform citizens of major improvements and changes that are going to be made in the community and what these will cost in terms of tax dollars. These meetings should be advertised at least a week in advance and held in the Fair building or some other area with ample seating.

I will be available at all times to all citizens and ask you to join me in making Capitan a better and safer place to live.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARGARET M. PYBURN, Deceased. No. PB-89-81 Division II NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING: THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO MURIEL P. HAMMACK, PAUL F. PYBURN, JR., JOHN K. PYBURN, LORETTA DENNIS ZUCS, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MARGARET M. PYBURN, Deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right or title to the estate of said deceased person. You are notified that Muriel P. Hammack, Foreign Personal Representative, has filed in the above stated cause and Court a Petition for Final Settlement and Distribution of said estate and that on March 25, 1982, at 9:00 o'clock A.M. in said Court the said Court will consider the final account or report of an accounting and distribution of the estate. Attorneys for said Foreign Personal Representative are: ROBERT L. JORDAN & ORISHAM, P.C. P.O. Box 750, 337 Eleventh Street, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103 MARGO LINDSAY, Clerk Lincoln County District Court by /s/ Shirley Hurmy #2173-12-121 25 (1) 4

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on February 10, 1982 the Village of Ruidoso, P.O. Drawer 69, Ruidoso, New Mexico filed Application No. H-272-S-4 with the State Engineer for permit to divert up to 249.14 acre-feet per annum of shallow ground water of the Honda underground water basin by using existing shallow well No. H-742-S-1 to be located at 12725-51 located in the northeast 1/4, north of 1/4, southwest 1/4 of Section 14, Township 11 South, Range 12 East, NMPM. For the purpose of supplementing well No. H-742 located in the northeast 1/4, 5th W. of Section 20, Township 11, Range 12E, NMPM for municipal use by the Village of Ruidoso. This well will be used to supplement the Village of Ruidoso's existing water rights as adjudicated December 9, 1978 under Chavez County Cause No. 73289 and 22800 Consolidated, Sub-file No. R-128. Combined quantity will not exceed the total permitted by the above rights of 249.14 acre-feet per annum, plus the amount in acre-feet of the sewage effluent from Eagle Creek water diverted, with a total diversion rate not to exceed 40% of that available at the heading of North Herrera and South Hale ditches not to exceed 450 gpm plus the rate at which Eagle Creek water is being contributed to the flow of the sewage effluent from this notice. This application is made to use existing well drilled under Exploratory Permit No. H-1460 for supplemental purposes. Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America desiring that the granting of the above application will impair or be detrimental to their water rights, may protest in writing the proposed well to the State Engineer, P.O. Box 121, Roswell, New Mexico within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. #2173-12-121, 11, 25, 43 4

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico calls for bids on Water Distribution Pipe. Interested bidders must secure a copy of the specifications from the Purchasing Officer at the Village Hall. Bids must be received by the Purchasing Officer no later than 10:00 A.M. Tuesday, March 9, 1982. The Village of Ruidoso reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and waive all formalities. By Order of Governing Body Village of Ruidoso /s/ Frank Potter, Purchasing Officer #2184-11-121 25

LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT DIVISION HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission Regulation 20.2.1.1 the following proposed discharge plans have been submitted for approval to the Director of the New Mexico Environmental Improvement Division: Post Office Box 598, 628 S.W. NMPM, Sandvalon County, New Mexico 87602; telephone (505) 827-4271. BLAND DISTRICT ASSOCIATES, Gordon O. Venkhusen, President, Post Office Box 1844, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 proposes to discharge an estimated 3,300 gallons per day of effluent (pH=9) water pumped with tailings into trenches from a flotation gold and silver mill operation. The mill site is located in the Caballito Mining District, T. 18 N., R. 9 E., Section 5 NE, SW. NW. NMPM, Sandvalon County, New Mexico. The ground water most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 40 feet and has an estimated total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 125 mg/l. CHEVROLET, U.S.A. Inc., 11111 E. 1st Avenue, Suite 1770, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87113 proposes to discharge approximately 1,000 gallons per month of hydrocarbon fuel - contaminated water an oil-water separator to a lined earthen pond at the Chevron tank farm terminal located in Section 22, T. 10 N., R. 3 E., Bernillo County, New Mexico. The ground water most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 25 feet with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 100 mg/l. THE CITY OF DEMING, Lloyd Pratt, Mayor, 309 South Gold Avenue, Deming, New Mexico 88030 propose to discharge 740,000 gallons per day of treated sewage from a new wastewater treatment plant to a holding pond for application to 529 acres of cropland located approximately 3 miles southeast of Deming in the S. 1/4 of Section 7 and the N. 1/2 of Section 18, T. 28S., R. 9W. and the S. 1/2 of Section 12, T. 28S., R. 9W. and the S. 1/2 of Section 20, Township 11 South, Range 12 East, NMPM. The ground water most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 80 feet with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 200 mg/l. MCKARTY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC., 10000 S. 1st Avenue, Suite 100, Post Office Box 637, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 proposes to discharge approximately 200 gallons per day of cement truck wash water into a PVC (polyvinyl chloride) lined 4,000 gallon capacity pond. The pond is located next to the runway of Carrizozo Creek and Rio Ruidoso in the town of Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, T. 11 S., R. 12 E., Section 26 SW. The ground water most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 20 feet with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 1,500 mg/l. OASIS DAIRY, George Krasovsky, Owner, Route 2, Box 107, J. Roswell, New Mexico 88201 proposes to discharge manure and effluent from a dairy of 2,000 cows to two manure-lined holding ponds and subsequently applied to 800 acres of adjacent cropland for final application. The holding ponds will be located in the S. 1/4 of Section 14, T. 11 S., R. 12 E., NMPM, New Mexico. The estimated discharge is 1,500 gallons per day. The ground water most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 11 feet with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 1,500 mg/l. PLAINS ELECTRIC GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION COOPERATIVE, INC., 2401 Aztec Road, N.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107 proposes discharge to a pond and disposal landfill from the Plains Electric Generating Station to be located approximately 6 miles southwest of Roswell, New Mexico in the NW. 1/4 of Section 24, T. 14 N., R. 12 W., McKinley County, New Mexico. The estimated discharge is 52,000 gallons per day. The ground water most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 20 feet with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 1,500 mg/l. NOTICE is also given that pursuant to a request by Chum Adams Company to the Division, the combined discharge permit for the following discharges will be considered as two distinct discharge plans as follows: CHINO MINES COMPANY, a Kennecott-Aluminum Partnership, Harley, New Mexico 88345 has submitted a ground water discharge plan for a new copper and molybdenum concentrator facility to be located at Santa Rita, New Mexico and new pipelines associated with the new concentrator. The new concentrator will have a capacity of 100,000 tons per day. The new concentrator will be connected to the tailings area at Hurley at a set of two buried pipes which traverse the seven mile distance. There will also be a concrete slurry line and a process water return line connecting the new concentrator to the existing tailings area. The new concentrator will have a capacity of 100,000 tons per day. The new concentrator and pipelines are all located in Grant County, New Mexico, T. 17 S., R. 12 W., T. 18 S., R. 12 W., T. 18 S., R. 13 W., T. 18 S., R. 14 W., T. 18 S., R. 15 W., T. 18 S., R. 16 W., T. 18 S., R. 17 W., T. 18 S., R. 18 W., T. 18 S., R. 19 W., T. 18 S., R. 20 W. The discharge from the reduction plant area include approximately 20,000 tons per day of tailings slurry with 38% solids from the existing concentrator at Hurley which will be discontinued when replaced by the new concentrator, 10,000 tons per day of effluent from the waste dump leach and precipitation plant area and discharges therefrom. The discharge from the precipitation plant has a total dissolved solids of approximately 43,000 mg/l at a pH of approximately 3, and elevated levels of heavy metals. 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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING RUIDOSO BOARD OF EDUCATION On Friday, February 25, 1982, the Ruidoso Board of Education will meet at 12:00 o'clock, noon at the School Administration Office. For a Special Meeting, the purpose of which will be to discuss final plans for the new high school with the architects, /s/ P. T. Valliant, Superintendent and Director of Finance #2184-11-121 25, 25

LEGAL NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed bids will be received by the County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, until 10:00 A.M., March 16, 1982, for the purchase of the following: Fuel Supply Requirements. Invitations to bid with specifications may be obtained by calling the County Manager's Office (505-231-3131). The County reserves the right to waive any formalities or to reject any or all bids. /s/ TRUMAN A. BILLINGSLEY COUNTY MANAGER #2174-11-121 25

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 17, 1982, T & P Investments, Inc., c/o Sid Alford, Drawer 34, Ruidoso Downs, N. M. 88346, filed application number H-717-A & H-717-B with the State Engineer for permit to change location of shallow wells and place and purpose of use of 20.0 acre-feet per annum of shallow ground water by causing the diversion of said water from the following wells: WEI, L. N. 11-45 H-45-S-2 H-45-S-2 H-737 H-737-S H-737-S-2 H-737-S-2 all located in Section 22, Township 11 South, Range 12 East, NMPM, for the irrigation of 4.125 acres of land described as P. 1/4 of Section 22, Township 11 South, Range 12 East, and commencing the use of an existing shallow well located at the NE. 1/4 of Section 20, Township 11 South, Range 12 East, NMPM, for construction, recreational and domestic purposes on 18.0 acres of land located in P. 1/4 of Section 30, Township 11 South, Range 12 East, NMPM. 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BRAND NEW — 4 bedroom, 2 bath home in secluded area! Exceptional construction, energy-efficient everything. Tastefully decorated, with lots of appeal, would make a grand year-round home or vacation place for a large family.

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JUST LISTED — Cute cabin with 4 lots. Two bedrooms, 1 bath, fireplace, utility room, large storage shed. This is furnished and is within walking distance of restaurants and post office and could be utilized as income property.

NEARING COMPLETION — Two story chalet style cabin in the pines. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, decks. Buy now and choose your own colors and carpet.

BRAND NEW — Top quality home. Fireplace, cathedral ceiling, stained glass window, hand finished birch woodwork, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, large kitchen, all appliances, redwood deck with nice view, cedar shake roof and redwood siding.

WESTERN STYLE LIVING — in this 2,700 sq. ft. house built with textures of adobe, stone and wood. Exceptionally charming with skylight, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, library, office, studio-den, living room, dining room. This has a lovely setting with a panoramic view.

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MOBILE SECLUSION Also area lot. Lots of big trees. Only \$7,500. Owner/Agent.

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THREE ONE ACRE LOTS in Capitán. One has great commercial potential. The others are real nice lots too. These lots are on Highway 40 in south Capitán and I think they are a good buy.

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CABINS
We have several listed from \$30,000 to \$63,000.

HORSEMEN!!!
Beautiful 5 acre tract in Rancho Ruidoso with a barn and really nice efficiency apartment. Completely fenced with split rail. Backs on Little Creek with good grass. Call to see this jewel.

A VERY NICE MOUNTAIN — vacation home, close in, fully carpeted, draped and furnished. Private, quiet, beautiful with all of the amenities. \$700/month plus 1/2 utilities and deposit. Sign lease. Call Roswell 622-6234 evenings for appointment. A-83-2tp

TWO VERY NICE — two bedroom trailers for rent in Ruidoso Downs. Call evenings, Abe Chavez, 653-4945, Hondo. C-83-5tp

TWO BEDROOM — mobile, furnished; three miles east of Ruidoso Downs. 378-4964. T-83-1tp

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We have 3 lots in Gavilan Canyon. Extra large lots with trees. Owner will carry paper, and mobile homes are allowed.

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2 bedroom mobile includes lot — paved, Nat. gas, sewer. \$12,500.

2 bedroom house with view, Year-round location.

Over 1/2 acre. Joins city on south.

Professional offices, fast food, car wash, these are just a few of many uses for this prime commercial location with 180 feet on Highway 37.

Alto lot. Duplex plans designed for this location are also available.

Shell house under construction and the exterior is nearing completion. Septic tank is already in. 1,200 sq. ft. and finish the interior yourself to save \$\$\$! Lot size — 100'x200'. Lot is owned by licensed real estate agent.

If you want to buy property in Lincoln County or want to sell your property, call Max Callaway, res.: 378-1377 or office: 257-9380.

Just listed — large lot Carrizo Creek Road, 300 ft. creek frontage. Beautiful High Mesa location with panoramic view.

Race Truck fans — three bedroom, 2 bath, furnished.

Executive transferred — have two story, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large gameroom, 3 lots.

Lot in Deer Park Woods. Owner anxious; will accept any reasonable offer.

UNFURNISHED — two bedroom with carpet and fireplace. \$375 per month plus bills. Call Janet 257-4073 or 257-7972. P-83-tfc

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OWNER SELLING — 4.81 acres in Capitán with 14'x70' Lancer mobile home. Furnished, fabulous view, lawn, deck, covered porch, many extras. Owner financing. Call 354-2652. W-19-1fc

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ACREAGE WANTED — by private party. Six to ten acres, eight mile radius of Ruidoso, in tall pines. Send details to: Fred T. Hansen, 1515 West Bosque Loop Road, Bosque Farms, New Mexico 87068. H-13-3tp

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Owner sacrificing equity in new Cameo mobile, set up on large flat lot. Pick up low monthly payment. Two bedrooms, one bath, classy like the vacation spot. Call Marge at 258-3432 or evenings, 257-7681.

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from midtown Ruidoso on paved street, featuring 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, carpeted, fireplace, screened in porch. Owner financing available at 12% interest. Priced in mid-fifties. Call Roundup Realty, Inc., 257-5093 for appointment to see. Evenings, Mel 257-5097, Bob 257-5093, Bonnie 257-5097.

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HECK OF A BUY RENTAL HOUSE on two lots in upper Brady Canyon. 2000 sq./ft. w/fireplace. \$31.25 a sq./ft. w/double income. \$62,500 Terms.

6.5 ACRES ON THE RIVER W/HOUSE is in the beautiful Hondo Valley. Two fireplaces, 2260 sq./ft. \$80,000.

CLOSE TO CREE MEADOWS CC in the cool pines describes the excellent location of this 2082 sq./ft. home w/850 sq./ft. of decking. Has 10.7% mortgage. Good buy at \$104,000.

INDIAN HILLS 4589 SQ./FT. HOME has swimming pool, two rock fireplaces, dbl. garage, and view. Price reduced to \$180,000 w/12% terms and \$30m down for quick sale. Call Thom.

RACQUET COURT CONDOMINIUMS III will offer new single-story 3 bdrm./2 bath unit w/view for \$99,500.

LAKEVIEW ESTATES TOWNHOMES are now in PHASE II construction with the same 3 bdrm./2 1/2 bath plan but with larger square footage (1807) and even more amenities. \$122,000.

THE EXCITEMENT OF VISTA DEL LAGO on Camelot Mountain overlooking the Inn of the Mtn. Gods is for those who seek the finest. Two luxurious townhomes ready for immediate occupancy — 4 bdrm./3 bath \$137,500. Eight 2356 sq./ft. units under construction. One sold. \$148,000.

NICE FIVE ACRE MEADOWLAND has a view and good restrictions. Priced to sell at \$18,500. Utilities.

TWO COMMERCIAL LOTS ON HWY. 37 at Cousins' corner. 200' frontage and depth of 155'. \$125,000 Terms.

\$6000 CAMELOT UNIT 1 LOT W/SEWER is a good buy. Several available.

HWY. 37 COMMERCIAL PROPERTY has 1456 sq./ft. improvements, 9.5% first mortgage, and 18,100 sq./ft. land area. \$90,000. Call Dan Barrow.

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EXCELLENT BUILDING LOT in Town and Country. Only \$10,500.

THIS DARLING CABIN in Flame Canyon is two storied with log siding. Perfect for skiers or horse racing fans and is already furnished. Priced right at only \$45,000.

JUST LISTED — This like new, 2 level 3 bedroom, home in Town and Country. On large lot with abundant storage. Has large game room and assumable loan.

ALTO VILLAGE BARGAIN. Builder says bring him an offer. You will love this well constructed redwood, 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in High Mesa 1. Has 1,700 sq. ft. of living area, 2 fireplaces and all appliances. Can't be beat for value.

LIKE TO FISH AND GARDEN?? Then this 4 bedroom home located on one acre with river frontage is for you. Lots of extras, such as 840' chain link fence, green house and fruit trees. Price reduced from \$115,000 to \$85,000.

LOOKING FOR A HOME YOU CAN AFFORD?? Then this lovely 1978, 14'x72' Cameo mobile is the answer. It has 2 bedrooms, 2 baths and is priced to sell.

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LOOKING FOR A LOT TO BUILD A DUPLEX ON? This lot in Alto Village is perfect, lots of trees, good access, right off Hwy. 37. Priced to sell at \$16,000.00. Call Rose Peables at 257-7373 or home at 336-4836.

LOVELY TWO BEDROOM mobile on a fine lot with easy access, paving and sewer. Some owner financing available. Only \$28,000.00. Call Janet Warlick-Pearson at 257-4073 or home at 257-7972.

SUPER 2.4 ACRES in an easily accessible area just past Alto Village. Level, good tree coverage. Large assumable loan with 12% money. Call Janet Warlick-Pearson at 257-4073 or home at 257-7972.

A QUIET 2 WEEKS VACATION! Swim and play tennis — Time Share condo with 2 bedrooms, 1 bath can sleep 6 people, close to town and stores. In Pinnacle Village. You can move in for only \$4,400.00 for both weeks. Call Manuel Badillo at 257-7373 or home at 257-7450.

BEAUTIFUL FIVE ACRE TRACT, minutes from town with trees, fantastic view and all utilities. Assumable loan at 8 1/2% interest with owner financing possible. Call Darlene Hart at 257-7373 or home at 257-4222.

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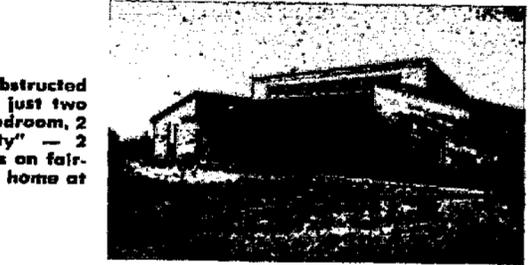
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HOUSE OF THE WEEK

NEW LISTING IN ALTO! Gorgeous, unobstructed view and full golfing membership are just two amenities that are included in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Has lots of "personality" — 2 fireplaces, loft, study, excellent access on fairway. Call Susan Miller at 257-7373 or home at 257-2624.

EXCELLENT TERMS! on this 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished condo. Furnishings are lovely and include dishes, linens, etc. Ready to move into! On Cree Meadows Golf Course with an outstanding view and full membership. Call Susan Miller at 257-7373 or home at 257-2624.

GENTLEMAN'S ESTATE — Custom home with 4,900 sq. ft. and a large workshop that could be converted to another home. Eight acres with trees and 2 wells. This quality home and property would make a beautiful horse operation. Too many extras to list! Call Marcia Silver for more information at 257-4073 or home at 257-4979.

INVESTMENT MINDED — Restaurant and rental property on Highway 70. Very unique restaurant available for upcoming racing season. Property also includes 8 furnished rental units available for nightly, seasonal or permanent rentals. Call Darlene Hart at 257-7373 or home at 257-4222 for more details.

VERY APPEALING home in the trees! 1,580 square feet, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, pretty woodwork and a beautiful view from the dining room, living room and decks. Excellent price of \$69,500.00 for this quality home. Call Gary Caughron at 257-4073.

Salesman Of The Week
Susan Miller
257-7373, 257-2624

14'x65' MOBILE — two bedroom, one bath, in excellent condition. Owner financing with low down payment. Call Gladene at Alwood Realty, 257-4028 or 257-7088. A-79-tfc

12'x60' 1974 DETROITER — urban mobile home. Located in Pine Terrace Estates. Two bedroom, 1 1/2 bath. Call Denny Loverin & Associates Realtors, 257-5155. D-82-tfc

RR There Is A Way
to own this beautiful five acre tract with no money down. Owner will finance for 10 years at 10% interest with no down payment. Just closing costs of approx. \$100 and this can be yours. Call Roundup Realty, Inc., 257-5093 or evenings, Mel Glenn 257-5097, Bob Wooley 257-5093, Bonnie Glenn 257-5097.

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This condo in Innsbrook is unique, has contemporary wood trim on fireplace wall, tastefully decorated, comes with new furniture, microwave, TV with remote control, even has an assumable loan. Two bedrooms, two baths, close to Texas Club. Call Norma Fallwell at 258-3432 or evenings at 257-8873.

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I could talk all day, but seeing is believing the square footage for the price. New three bedroom, two bath manufactured home in planned subdivision. Great access for permanent home or a vacation retreat. Call Holiday Realty, Inc., 258-3432.

BUILDING FOR SALE — zoned commercial or residential. Price slashed to \$13,500. 200 Central, Carrizozo. 1-374-8221. B-76-4tp

HONDO VALLEY APPLE ORCHARD — for sale. This "mini-ranch" has just over 5 acres with the Hondo River running through it. Just 15 miles from Ruidoso. Good for horse operation or can be divided. Call John Grieves at Gibson & Company Realtors, Inc., Better Homes and Gardens, office 823-6700 or evenings 623-4068. H-82-5tp

RR Cash Talks!!
and this is what it has to say. Mobile home lot with electricity to property. Only \$7,500 for approximately one-quarter of an acre of land. Call soon because this one will sell fast. Call Roundup Realty, Inc., today! 257-5093 or evenings, Bob Wooley 257-5093 or Bonnie Glenn 257-5097 or Mel Glenn 257-5097.

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ALTO — New and spacious (1,763 sq. ft.), 2 bedroom, 2 bath on High Mesa Drive. View of Sierra Blanca and Capitans. Partially furnished. \$165,000.
CABIN — 2 bedroom, one bath, large deck with view, excellent condition, extra lot, owner financing. \$55,000.
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RESIDENTIAL
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New Listing — Wingfield area — 201 Reservoir Road. Four bedroom, 2 bath home with beautiful view of Sierra Blanca Peak. Large corner lot on paving. \$92,500 with assumable loan. Cash to loan.
Ruidoso Downs; Cabin — 2 bedroom, 1 bath — \$25,000.
Cabin — 2 bedroom, 1 bath — \$35,000.
House — 3 bedroom, 2 bath — \$53,500.
Owner financing on all three.
COMMERCIAL
Hallmark Card & Gift Shop showing 6 figure gross. Assumable loan on real estate. Best walkaround location in town. Call for details.
Bargain Center in Ruidoso Downs on Highway 70. Previously owned furniture and collectibles. Lease includes large apartment in back of building.
Lose weight and make money — health related business in good area.
LOTS
Two lots in Palo Verde Slopes — \$6,500 and \$7,000. Owner financing available.
Three acres + in Ruidoso Downs with beautiful view — \$25,000.
Three lots in Alpine Village — \$9,500 each.
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FURNISHED 3 bedroom, 1 bath, redwood home, on 1 acre heavy wooded land, A-1 condition. OWNER FINANCING, \$35,000 down, balance 12%, 15 years.

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1 Mile East of The Chaparral on Highway 70

THE GUY WITH THE BUY

60 ACRES ON THE RIVER would make a beautiful horse operation; close to the race track.
PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY IN PRIME LOCATION. Approximately 2.53 acres of land completely surrounded by paved streets. All city utilities, view of Sierra Blanca, short distance to Highway 70, good exposure and excellent development potential. Present rental units and good depreciation schedule. A better location would be hard to find for a good apartment project. Reasonably priced.
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NEW CABIN just listed. Beautiful view of Sierra Blanca, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths.
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TWO LOVELY LOTS with river frontage border on National Forest. Price includes water well. Just \$7,000 for both.

A DOG! This miner's cabin needs a lot of work, but is habitable, has potential, and is well-located. Wooded lot, pretty view of the river. \$15,500.

NEW CONSTRUCTION, GOOD LOCATION. This 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with fireplace is well-built and well-insulated. Situated on level lot. \$78,500.

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BEAUTIFUL, LEVEL LOT in White Mountain Estates has good tree cover, easy access, all city utilities available. Superb building site! \$22,500.

GOOD LOOKING CONDO at a good price! This new condominium offers 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, two decks, fireplace. This unit is fully and attractively furnished. Good financing.

CHALET-STYLE HOME in a preferred area of Alto Village is newly constructed, has 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, fireplace, covered porch, large decks. Your view is Sierra Blanca and Alto Lake... an unbeatable combination! \$115,000.

TOWERING PINES SURROUND this handsome custom-built home in Alto Village. Spacious home has 2,200 square feet of living area with 2 large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den with wet bar, atrium, two rock fireplaces, hot tub. Home is accented by redwood decks and landscaped yard, partially fenced. \$160,000.

LOVELY HOME IN IMMACULATE CONDITION is well built with 2 bedrooms, a workshop, garage, patio and large fenced yard. \$91,500.

JUST LISTED is this good looking home in popular White Mountain Estates... 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den and utility room. Handsome fireplace, bay windows and cedar shake roof add to this home's mountain charm. Easy access, nice view. \$130,000.

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SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED
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 Mary Brigit Storr to Emmett Kent Morgan, Lot 8, Block 8, Sierra Blanca Sub., Unit 2, Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS
 Kenneth O. Livingston, Sr., and Margaret Livingston to David Pearson and Karen Pearson, one-half interest in a tract of land in the NE/4, Section 35, T10S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Kenneth O. Livingston, Sr., and Margaret Livingston to Terry Lawson and Sandra Lawson, one-half interest in a tract of land in the NE/4, Section 35, T10S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

White Mountain Development Company, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Jimmy James, Lot 13, Block 1, White Mountain Estates, Unit 2, Lincoln County, N. M.

Jimmy James to Robert E. Alexander and Sandra A. Alexander, Lot 13, Block 1, White Mountain Estates, Unit 2, Lincoln County, N. M.

Robert E. Alexander and Sandra A. Alexander to Finis F. Westbrook and Mary Lou Westbrook, Lot 13, Block 1, White Mountain Estates, Unit 2, Lincoln County, N. M.

Finis F. Westbrook and Mary Lou Westbrook to Elwood L. Lowe and Margaret E. Lowe, Lot 13, Block 1, White Mountain Estates, Unit 2, Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEEDS
 Wilbur G. Kleins and Mary E. Kleins to Kevin Hayes, a tract of land in Tract 1, Smith Addition; and a tract of land in Tract 3, Smith Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

James C. Jacobson and Debbie S. Jacobson to Kevin Hayes, a tract of land in Tract 1, Smith Addition; and a tract of land in Tract 3, Smith Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS
 Kevin Hayes to Frank Castello, a tract of land in Tract 1, Smith Addition; and a tract of land in Tract 3, Smith Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

Glenn D. Draper and Melba F. Draper to Perry Stockard and Pamela Stockard, Lot 30, Block 6, Unit 2, Alto Lakes Golf and Country Club Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Teddy A. James and Connie K. James to Gary Dean James and Susan Rebecca James, Lot 5, Block 9, Second Addition to Airport West, Lincoln County, N. M.

William E. Powell and Bonnie Powell to James P. Gaffney and Mary C. Gaffney, Lot 31, Block 14, Unit IV, Pinecliff Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

William E. Powell and Bonnie Powell to Francis B. Gaffney and Marlam M. Gaffney, Lot 32, Block 14, Unit IV, Pinecliff Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Famco, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Herbert H. Brunell, Jr., Nellie B. Mullins and Shirli Brunell, Lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block 3, Riverside Addition; and Lots 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, Block 4, Riverside Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

Herbert H. Brunell, Jr., Nellie B. Mullins and Shirli Brunell to Famco, Lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block 3, Riverside Addition; and Lots 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, Block 4, Riverside Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

Blanch Reynolds to Pete G. Lopez and Gertrude Martha Lopez, Lots 29 and 30, Block 1, Palo Verde Slopes Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Henry H. Happel, Jr., and Mary Sue Happel, C. Frederick Wendenburg and Gwendolyn Praytor Wendenburg to John F. Ryan and Betty Lou Ryan, the SE/4SW/4, Section 15, T10S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

William E. McCans, Jr., and Marjorie Sue McCans to Nancy L. Clark, Lot 27, Block 5, Valley View Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED
 William L. Couch to T. B. Smoot, Administrator of the Estate of Vincent Reil, and Minnie L. Reil, Lots 9 and 10, Block 15, McDonald Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS
 Wayne C. Withers, Personal Representative, to Jesse W. Withers, Irving V. Withers and Wayne C. Withers, the N/2NW/4SE/4, Section 15; and the NE/4SE/4, Section 23, T9S, R8E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Jack K. Frost and Ruth Ann Frost to Jack K. Frost, Lot 15, Block 4, White Mountain Estates, Unit 2, Lincoln County, N. M.

Glaze M. Sacra and Martel Sacra and Allen Land and Cattle, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Calmex I, a Limited Partnership, Lot 13, Block 18, Forest Heights Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Glaze M. Sacra and Martel Sacra and Allen Land and Cattle, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Calmex I, a Limited Partnership, Lot 14, Block 17, Forest Heights Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Burgo D. Gill, a/k/a Burgo D. Gill, Jr., and Anna Gill and Ann Merslovsky to John Van Tussenbroek and Alyce J. Van Tussenbroek, Lot 29, Block 3, White Mountain Estates, Unit 4, Lincoln County, N. M.

John W. Jarratt and Joan S. Jarratt to T & P Investments, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, Lot 10, Block 9, Cress Meadows Country Club Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED
 Ruidoso State Bank, a New Mexico Banking Corporation, to Western Land Associates, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, and L. D. Thrane, Lots 47 and 48, Block 15, Paradise Canyon Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS
 Cormorant Development Company, Inc., to Ellen H. Baiza and Maria T. Baiza, Lots 47 and 48, Block 15, Paradise Canyon, Lincoln County, N. M.

Frank Slavec and Bette A. Slavec to Jack F. Koch and Mary R. Koch, Lot 26, Block 3, Pinescape Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Enrique Guereque and Dolores Guereque to Margarita Guereque, Lot 14, Block 3, Glen Grove Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

Andareed, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to The Jane Wilnot McClelland Revocable Trust, a tract of land in the N/2, Section 35, T10S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

F. E. Yates to F. E. Yates and Robin Joslin Yates, Lots 13 and 14, Block 14, Original Plat of the Town of Carrizozo, Lincoln County, N. M.

Resort Investments, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Mann Rankin and Marian C. Rankin, Apartment 3, Building H, Phase III, Lookout Estates Condominium Project, Lincoln County, N. M.

Area Builders & Developers, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to Robert G. Schuster and Holly Schuster and Gary Greenstreet and Linda Greenstreet, a tract of land being part of Lots 34 and 35, Block 3, White Mountain Estates, Unit 4, Lincoln County, N. M.

W. H. Daubs and Anna M. Daubs to Thomas P. Davis and Mary A. Davis, Lots 8 and 9, Block 3, Loma Grande Acres Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

W. H. Daubs and Anna M. Daubs to William Patrick Flanary and Larry Eugene Maroon, the S/2NE/4NE/4, Section 29, T9S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Pinecliff Corporation, a Texas Corporation, to Pedro Lopez, Jr., and Esperanza Lopez, Building 8, Apartment 1, Week Nos. 32 and 33, Pinecliff Condominium Project, Lincoln County, N. M.

Hugh H. Stevens and Jeanne W. Stevens to Derry Moore and Kirby F. Moore, a tract of land in the N/4 of Section 27, T10S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Kenneth G. Ramey a/k/a Kenneth Gene Ramey to Kenneth G. Ramey and Sharon Lavon Ramey, Lot 5, Block 9, First Addition to Green Meadows Addition, Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEED
 The County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, to Fred F. Lamay, Cora M. Dutton, Jeannine Johnson and Ruth Aguayo, a tract of land in Section 33, T9S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEED
 The First National Bank and Trust Company of Oklahoma City, Trustee, to Anita Jo Patterson, Lot 46, Innsbrook Village, Lincoln County, N. M.

SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED
 JMCS, Inc., a New Mexico Corporation, to M. W. Smith and Mary I. Smith, Lots 6, 7 and 8, Block Town of Corona, Lincoln County, N. M.

WARRANTY DEEDS
 H. H. Buchanan and Billie Faye Buchanan to Chris Ferguson, Lot 40, Block 3, Mountain View Estates, Unit I, Lincoln County, N. M.

Minnie Reil and Vincent Reil to Fred H. English, Lots 4 and 5, Block 20, Original Plat, Carrizozo, Lincoln County, N. M.

Burgo D. Gill, Jr., and Anna Gill to Irene Noriega Ortiz, Lot 4, Block 7, Town and Country North, Unit I, Lincoln County, N. M.

CORRECTED WARRANTY DEED
 Isaacs Investment Company, a New Mexico Limited Partnership, to C. C. Miller, Lot 2, Block 13, Town and Country North, Unit I, Lincoln County, N. M.

QUITCLAIM DEED
 Jack E. Hartnoff and Sonja C. Hartnoff to JH&I Investments, a Limited Partnership, Lots 38 and 39, Block 1, Palo Verde Slopes Sub., Lincoln County, N. M.

CORRECTED WARRANTY DEEDS
 Salvatore M. Vela, Jr., Trustee, to Tes Investment, Inc., a Texas Corporation, a tract of land in the SE/4, Section 34, T11S, R13E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N. M.

Tes Investment, Inc., a Texas Corporation, to T. Jan Robinson and Anne W. Robinson, Lot 6, Vista Del Lago, Phase I, Lincoln County, N. M.

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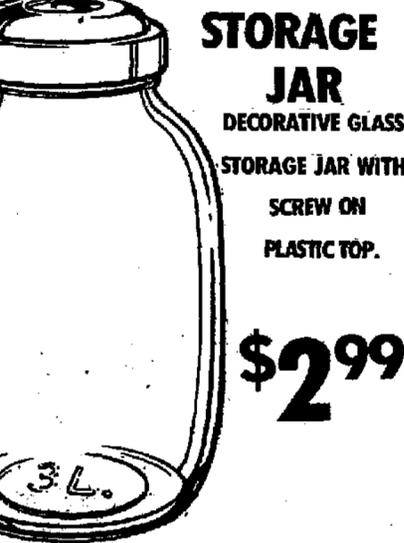
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by Fred McCaffrey

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editorial

The Bureau of Indian Affairs office in Albuquerque Monday confirmed that the agency is seeking proposals from engineering firms to develop preliminary design work on water development, including 54 new wells on the Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation.

The tribe is proposing to divert 9,651 acre feet of water annually for irrigation purposes.

The tribe also seeks to build two tunnels to funnel water out of the Rio Ruidoso, with no amount mentioned.

This would be in addition to the water produced by the 54 wells, if the tribe gets them.

Also to be considered is the pump the tribe installed in the Rio Ruidoso, six or seven years ago to help them fill Lake Mescalero at the Inn of the Mountain Gods. At present the tribe can't legally use this pump due to an injunction filed against them prohibiting its use.

It's possible, if the tribe eventually wins the rights to this water through the courts, that Ruidoso, Roswell, Artesia, Carlsbad, Alamogordo, the Hondo Valley and other areas will suffer severe water shortages.

It appears as though Wendell Chino, president of the tribe, is clearly indicating that he doesn't care one whit about anyone, or anything, other than the Mescalero Apache Tribe.

This attempt to gain water from users with an established claim to water from the watershed originating on tribal land, indicates once again that cooperation with Mr. Chino is a one way street.

The public land under the present and proposed ski area expansion that Mr. Chino is attempting to divert to tribal control also is the headwaters for two separate drainages—the Rio Ruidoso and the Rio Bonito.

Couple that fact with this latest water diversion revelation and it becomes more obvious that the local joke about Mr. Chino that "what's mine is mine, and what's yours is negotiable," may not be so funny after all. - CD, KG

Letters to the Editor

Dear editor:

We the residents of Ruidoso Downs are nearing the end of a 10 year effort to have a sewer system.

When I campaigned for the office of Mayor of Ruidoso Downs in 1972, I also campaigned very hard for a referendum of a bond for the purpose of a waste water treatment plant for Ruidoso Downs and it passed by a very small margin. This had been tried by the former administration and failed. Shortly after I took office, the Environmental Protection Agency asked us to approach Ruidoso to join us in this effort and we did so, and since then it has been a joint effort.

We in Ruidoso Downs are justly proud of the progress that has been made in the installation of the trunk line and the plant.

We are also justly indignant over the situation that those in charge have left us in.

The line has been laid in Ruidoso Downs without any taps to tie our individual lines into. We are expected to hire a machine to dig to the line in the center of the street, purchase the line and fittings necessary, and hire a licensed plumber to put in the line and make the connection. This would be very expensive.

The lowest estimate that I have heard of a property owner make is \$350 for a connection. I talked to one man who said he thought it would cost him around \$1,500. I imagine most of us will be somewhere between.

A riser from each manhole to each side of the street would have gone a long way in

solving this problem and would have been installed much more economically while the ground was open.

Now, when the ditch is refilled, if it is not compacted as it was originally it will give trouble for years. There will be a chug hole everywhere a connection is made, and it will get worse with time.

When the contractors filled the ditch over the pipe, they had equipment to compact the earth and they also had trained men with equipment to check the density of the earth as it was replaced. This was to make sure that the earth that was replaced in the ditch would not absorb water and shrink. And if the ditches that we cut to make the connections are not filled back in this manner, the earth in them will absorb water and we will have chug holes and chug holes.

Assuming that every lot in Ruidoso Downs will have a residence, and a connection would be made in this manner to each one, this would be a nightmare and we would be a long way from paved streets.

The mayor said that he had his connection made while the line was being laid for \$125. This service should have been available to all of us.

It is imperative that we in Ruidoso Downs start thinking and planning on some way to work out this problem.

J. C. (Jake) Harris

Dear editor:

When there's in Mr. Martinovich's letter he states that a vote for George White would be a step back in time. Wish we could turn back time—maybe we could buy the horses first and then the cart. Seems as how we should have bought the water, then drilled the well—better yet buy the land for the pump houses, then the water, then the well. Might even be more expensive now.

The swimming pool—I would like to see some facts about losing \$20,000 per year. There are facts, though, that the pool operated in the red while being leased. The city is still owed several thousands of dollars. There was a letter written by Mr. White, mailed to the trustees in November wanting to try to get the money owed the village.

I cannot see where Mr. White erred in refusing to go into a secret session—after all it was a "public" election that approved the leasing—WHY all of a sudden go secret?

The only way I can see where Mr. White would be childish would be his not swearing and a vocabulary not full of obscenities—maybe the swearing is childish. At any rate it might be a welcome change to see a trustee's meeting conducted without the obscenities and with dignity.

A vote for George White means progress and service for Ruidoso's growth. Charles M. Gaddy

Dear editor:

"PUBLIC ACCESS SHOULD BE ASSURED"

In reference to National Forest Land occupied by Sierra Blanca Ski Area, it is important that public access be assured to this land.

The ski area is an important asset to southern New Mexico, and the expansion of the area is equally important. Previous newspaper articles have emphasized that the National Forest favors allowing the Apaches the option of expanding the ski area.

The expansion area involves part of Bonito Watershed. This is one of the most important watersheds in southern New Mexico. It provides the best quality quality drinking water available to communities in Lincoln County, Alamogordo and Holloman Air Force Base.

Access into the southern part of the White Mountain Wilderness is mainly controlled through this same area. The road to the Buck Mountain electronic site passes through this area. The area is also open to public hunting. There are many uses of these lands that are enjoyed by all the people of our country (including Mescalero Apaches). These lands are free to one and all at the present time, but if they transfer to private or corporate ownership of the Tribe, the public cannot have the access that they now enjoy.

I feel that it is important that these lands remain National Forest and not become the private lands of the Mescalero Apache Tribe. The National Forest is enjoyed by all the peoples of our country but think about what it would mean to us if someday in the near future it was no longer available to us. In order to prevent this, let's please take time out to write our congressmen, as they will decide the fate of this public access issue.

Ann McFintyre

Santa Fe Community Action Agency; Pete Garcia, executive director of the Dona Ana Community Action Agency; and Nettie Mae Gomez, an employee of the Placitas Neighborhood Association in Hatch—have been indicted. That's as a result of the investigation the state Attorney General's office started last summer, which is still going on.

The FBI also started investigating the anti-poverty agency early this year. Joel Carlson of the FBI's Albuquerque office says their probe is still continuing.

Meanwhile, more than a dozen staffers at the agency have been subpoenaed by the federal grand jury, apparently to answer questions about some purportedly strange uses of travel accounts and expenditures under the home weatherization program.

That makes it sound like Grace's shop has been in trouble for some time—as the Governor was warned it would be when he removed it from the oversight of the Human Services Department at the start of his administration.

Maybe the Governor should give Grace John Salvo's job, and John Herman's. That way he could avoid the distress of having to fire either of them.

Letters to the Editor

Dear editor:

To the wonderful people of Ruidoso,

We sincerely thank each and every one of you. Thanks for helping out with consideration, love, and contributions to the aid of our son Joe while in the Roswell hospital after his birth. We really are grateful for everything. We can not get around to talk to all of you, but we really appreciate having good friends. Thanks for helping.

Steve, Sherry Jarvis

Dear editor:

This letter is in reference to the price of gasoline sold in Ruidoso. It came to my attention that in all major cities of New Mexico, the price of regular gasoline is \$1.09/gallon. In contrast, the price of gasoline in Ruidoso is \$1.329/gallon. Some dealers are selling at an even higher rate. If all dealers in the state can make a profit by selling gasoline at a lower rate, then why do the dealers here have to charge 24c/gallon more to Ruidosians? This certainly does not fall within the definition of free enterprise; this is consumer rip-off.

Hari Mukhoty

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... by

Cale Dickey



ON FOREIGN AID

Monday evening it was ... just at ice tea time ... I chanced upon Shakey Pete ... sitting at his favorite table in his favorite ice tea parlor ... quaffing the speciality of the house ... and staring off into space ... always a bad omen ... 'cause when Shakey's staring, it's even a worse indication that he's thinking than when he's sidling ... and when Shakey's sidling ... at least towards me ... that's bad news.

Sadly ... before I could back out the door ... he caught me in his peripheral vision ... in which if you ain't been caught, you can't appreciate the feeling ... and ups and waves me over to his table with one hand ... and at the same time, more or less signaling the waitress that she should fetch me a ice tea ... so's I could sit and listen to his thoughts ... which considering Shakey was buying, wasn't a total loss ... though that could be arguable.

"You know," Shakey said, "I been sitting here thinking ... and you know ... I think Reagan ... he's president, you know ... should sorta hold back on some of this foreign-aid to relieve those foreigners as only likes us for our money ... and let them find some relief for themselves."

During that explosion I'd quaffed rather deeply thrice ... and as he paused ... I gathered a refill was in order ... 'cause Shakey'd just polished his ice tea off ... I done made the ordering sign ... well knowing not another word'd pass Shakey's lips until he'd quaffed a little of a fresh refresher.

you think about what I'm thinkin'?" I managed to get a "Well ..." out before Shakey takes off again. "Why I think that'd save us billions ... get us outta those guys clutches ... and leave us with more dollars for Reagan to try and get Congress to put to work helpin' out our own economy ... seems as though we'd benefit more'n we'd lose ... or at least so it seems to me ... you know."

ON DRUG BUSTS

Ruidoso's police, best cops and investigators, have been doing a commendable job of hassing those as peddle drugs ... since June 1981 they've seized more than 21 pounds of marijuana ... plus some dabs of heroin ... some amphetamines ... a smidgeon of hash ... paraphernalia ... and other no-nos ... which ain't really all that much ... but that amount didn't get to the street.

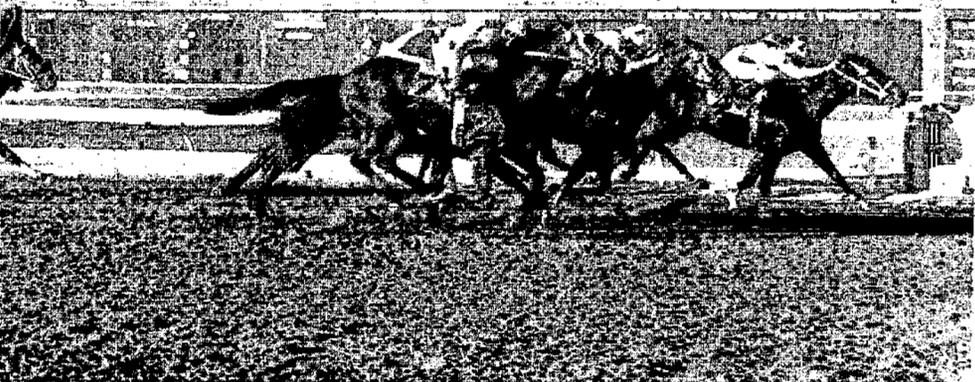
Seems ... due to final adjudication of 36 cases involving drug possession ... that there was a hay burning a few days back ... and all that stuff as looks like alfalfa done went up in smoke ... without anyone getting to hold their breath.

The figures break down ... over nine months ... to four busts a month ... which sure do indicate someone's on the ball ... with 36 of those cases letting the perpetrators know that they shouldn't've been doing what they got caught doing ... or holding what they shouldn't oughta been.

Now ... that ain't quite like making a \$1 million bust ... but it sure required lotsa of fort ... and tending to business ... and our policemen involved are sure due a hand for this interference with the local drug traffic ... no?

BRIEF BIT: If county politics get as heated up as local politics, it'll be a hot election year ... CD

ART, DINING AND ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE



A SLIM NOSE DECIDES THE ISSUE. Taconeando surges ahead on the final jump for a nose win in the first running of the Festos Handicap at Sunland Park Sunday. Taconeando is owned by Alan Antweil of Hobbs. John Cushing is up.

Taconeando captures first Festos Handicap

Taconeando, a sturdy eight-year-old who likes to make his best move in the late stages, pulled out a hairline victory in Sunday's first running of the Festos Handicap at Sunland Park.

With about 50 feet to go, the issue was still up in the air as a jumble of horses — about six head — were trading punches left and right. All six appeared to be on even terms, and all were trucking in high gear.

"This had to be one of Sunland Park's best races of the 1981-82 season," remarked track announcer Bob Dudich after the dust had settled. The enthusiasm of the contenders, as well as the closeness of the finish, obviously made the race a seasonal highpoint.

The crowd of nearly 4,000 let out a roar as Taconeando, cleverly ridden by John Cushing, began prying his way out of the pack near the wire. Colonel Day, a 3-1 shot desperately trying to maintain his lead, looked like a winner with another jump or two to go.

But Taconeando lunged ahead on the final stride and nailed Colonel Day by about an inch.

As the field engaged in that hard-stugging stretch fight, both Taconeando and Valhalla Express (a 22-1 shot) were moving the fastest of all. But Valhalla Express had the bad luck to get pinched off by tight traffic. Taconeando, on the other hand, had the good fortune to find sudden daylight just when he needed it.

The winner covered the 6 and one-half furlongs in 1:17 1/5 seconds, missing the seasonal mark by only two fractions. The unaltered eight-year-old is trained by Jess Alley for Alan Antweil of Hobbs. The outing was his second of the year and his first victory in quite a spell. Last year, he ran up respectable earnings of \$9,270 — without winning a race. The income was generated by three seconds and a third from nine starts, mostly against claiming company in the \$22,000 to \$35,000 range.

Taconeando collected \$4,230 out of the \$7,050 purse. Fans who favored him in the mutuels reaped payoffs of \$11.20, \$6.60 and a lopsided \$9.40 to show. Colonel Day, who toils for owner-trainer

Charlie Allison of El Paso, Texas, earned \$1,551 and refunded \$5 and \$6.20. Louie Gomez was up. Bradley's Copy, the early pacemaker, finished third at a giddy 35-1

and paid \$17.80. Ever Olguin was up. Sunland's high-flying business trend continued Sunday as the day's handle finished up at \$431,876.

Artists-in-Schools deadline April 15

April 15 is the deadline for performing artists, filmmakers, architects and environmental designers interested in working in the 1982-83 Artists-in-Schools program to submit their applications to the New Mexico Arts Division.

There are openings for the full school year, for one semester, for special short-term residencies, and for brief guest artists' assignments throughout the school year.

Artists-in-Schools performing artists include working professional dancers (modern, ballet, ethnic), musicians (vocalists, instrumentalists and composers, working in classical, jazz or folk music), and dramatists (actors, directors, mime artists, puppeteers and storytellers).

In filmmaking, the Artists-in-Schools program offers opportunities for filmmakers, film animators and video artists.

Architects and environmental designers need not be registered architects to work

in the program, but must provide evidence of current professional activity and status in the field.

An Artist-in-Schools is not a teacher, nor is any teaching certificate required for these positions. The artist works with students and their teachers, and with parents and community groups, giving them an understanding of the artistic experience. During a long-term residency, the professional artist spends half his time working in the school and the community, and half his time on his own creative activities. The compensation is \$1,320 per month.

Previous applicants must submit new applications in order to be considered for the 1982-83 positions.

Professional performing artists, architects, environmental designers, and filmmakers may obtain complete information and application forms from the New Mexico Arts Division, 113 Lincoln Ave., Santa Fe 87501. The Arts Division's telephone number is 826-2061.

Western Series wins debut

Western Series, a colt who ran up winnings of \$47,281 last year, made his 1982 debut in Saturday's headliner at Sunland Park and came through with a nose victory.

It was a tough struggle all the way as Western Series had to face repeated challenges from the 6-1 outsider, Five R's Tequila.

The two were nose-and-nose as they neared the wire, but Western Series, ridden by Richard Bickel, applied just enough pressure in the last jump.

Operating as the people's choice, Western Series returned \$5.20, \$3.20 and \$2.80. He covered the six furlongs in 1:11 flat — only four ticks off the seasonal record. Western Series is owned by J. Dell Akin of Versailles, Kentucky.

Five R's Tequila, owned by Five R. Enterprises of Tornillo, Texas, handed out \$6.80 and \$3.60. Salustio Burgos was up.

Third went to Arabian Outlaw, a 7-2 shot directed by Danny Summerow. The show price was \$3.40. The quinnella combination of Western Series and Five R's Tequila was worth \$31.20.

Western Series earned \$1,800 out of Saturday's three-grand purse.

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Sunland Park results

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19

1st — 6 1/2 fur. Jezaval 4.10, 2.80, 2.60; Persian Queen 4.00, 3.80; Strait Way 7.80. T: 1:19.2

2nd — 400 yds. Gallant None 4.20, 2.40, 2.40; Pets Chick 3.00, 3.40; Oklahoma Fleet 74 2.80, T: 20.42

Quinnella—\$9.00
Daily Double—\$11.40

3rd — 870 yds. Right To Fight 14.80, 5.80, 3.40; Swinging Breeze 4.00, 2.60; Running Saint 4.00, T: 45.63

Quinnella—\$40.60

4th — 400 yds. War Fellow 28.20, 11.20, 6.80; Blank Copy 28.20, 9.20; Ms Camille 2.80, T: 20.68

Quinnella—\$183.00

5th — 400 yds. Splashing Bunny 2.80, 2.20, 2.20; Olympic Truck 2.80, 2.80; Class Favorite 2.80; Wendy Feature 2.80, T: 20.47

Quinnella—\$7.20

6th — 400 yds. General Brown 3.00, 2.20, 2.20; Kissin Robin 2.40, 2.20; Azure Saint 2.20, T: 20.30

Quinnella—\$6.20

7th — 5 1/2 fur. Breeze Bandit 3.60, 2.40, 2.20; Bold Too 3.00, 2.60; C'est Moi 3.60, T: 1:05.3

Quinnella—\$4.00

8th — 5 1/2 fur. North Star Jester 4.40, 2.40, 2.20; Darna Ladonna 2.80, 2.60; Try Dancing 3.20, T: 1:05.4

Quinnella—\$7.40

9th — 5 1/2 fur. Flamingo Lark 5.40, 3.20, 2.20; Pine Road 8.40, 3.20; Little Joseph 2.60, T: 1:04.4

Quinnella—\$31.20

10th — 6 fur. Lil' Impression 20.40, 7.20, 3.40; Abatir 4.00, 2.20; Peaceful Success 4.00, T: 1:11.3

Quinnella—\$26.60

11th — 1 mile. Me Poppy Jay 10.80, 4.40, 3.00; Firefight 3.60, 2.40; Flytal 3.00, T: 1:42

12th — 1 mile. Mr. Tom 6.80, 4.60, 5.60; Masrullah 5.40, 5.40; Mister Ryan 11.60, T: 1:40

Quinnella—\$47.80
Big Q—\$489.89

10th — 6 fur. Western Series 5.30, 3.20, 2.80; Five R. 'S Tequila 6.80, 3.60; Arabian Outlaw 3.40, T: 1:11

Quinnella—\$31.20

11th — 5 1/2 fur. Mossy Road 4.80, 3.20, 2.60; Ima Humdinger 11.80, 7.40; Clarinet Solo 4.00, T: 1:05.2

12th — 1 1/2 mile. Mangan 6.20, 4.20, 5.40; Let There Be Lite 4.80, 4.20; Prince Mar-mar 3.80, T: 2:35.3

Quinnella—\$32.00
Big Q—\$531.00

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

1st — 5 fur. Gunsmoke 10.20, 6.80, 3.60; I'm For Touching 12.80, 7.20; Ritzzy 2.80, T: 58.2

2nd — 870 yds. Miss Rebel Twist 25.40, 7.80, 6.80; Easter Bunch 3.20, 3.00; Motor Sickle 3.80, T: 46.14

Quinnella—\$23.00
Daily Double—\$134.20

3rd — 6 1/2 fur. Merry Jetsel 5.20, 2.80, 2.40; Carle's Road 2.60, 2.40; Peter Pistola 2.20, T: 1:18.1

Quinnella—\$6.60

4th — 330 yds. Bartendress 3.60, 3.00, 2.40; Home Again Rose 5.60, 3.60; Super-bowl Winner 6.40, T: 17.12

Quinnella—\$14.00

5th — 5 fur. Miss Mary Lu 27.40, 15.40, 17.40; Pearls Punkin 12.80, 7.60; Honey Counter 13.00, T: 58.4

Quinnella—\$22.00

6th — 330 yds. Shes Dunces Flight 14.40, 5.60, 7.20; Donnas Fast Jet 4.40, 3.80; The Young Rascal 6.20, T: 17.12

Quinnella—\$45.80

7th — 870 yds. Mr. Slingshot 21.60, 9.20, 3.80; Primo Gobar 6.80, 4.20; Roam On 3.00, T: 45.32

Quinnella—\$32.40

8th — 6 fur. Cash Restored 16.20, 7.20, 2.60; Nashua's Riches 4.80, 2.20; Got The Blues 2.40, T: 1:12.2

Quinnella—\$10.60

9th — 6 1/2 fur. Rushing Silver 5.20, 3.00, 2.40; Rate Me Crazy 4.60, 4.60; Never Love 5.80, T: 1:17.2

Quinnella—\$18.80

10th — 6 1/2 fur. Tacomeando 11.20, 6.60, 9.40; Colonel Day 5.00, 6.20; Bradley's Copy 17.80, T: 1:17.1

Quinnella—\$49.20

11th — 5 fur. True Blue Crow 6.60, 4.00, 2.80; Officer Stevens 5.00, 4.00; Sweet Poverty 3.60, T: 59.1

12th — 6 fur. Tazette 6.00, 4.40, 3.60; Late Close 3.40, 3.60; Baffel You 5.00, 4.40, T: 1:11

Quinnella—\$10.80
Quinnella—\$36.80
Big Q—\$111.40
Big Q—\$24.20

THE RILEY ALLISON Futurity, Sunland Park's premier event for thoroughbreds, is on its way to offering a record purse this season. If present trends are any indication, the purse for what has been the nation's second richest race for two-year-old thoroughbreds may hit \$300,000. That assessment is from Sunland Park's Nominations Secretary Jan Buehrer. A total of 249 horses have been kept eligible by paying the February 1 payment. The total amount on deposit is \$232,175. A year ago at this time, 224 horses were eligible with \$177,950 on deposit. A year ago, the Riley Allison was worth \$281,220. The all time record purse for the Allison was \$291,980 for the 1978 edition, won by Johnny Mito. The next payment is due on or before April 13. That's for \$750. The largest group of horses still eligible comes from Game Racing Stables of Bosque. They have 18 still eligible for the race honoring one of the pillars of racing at Sunland Park. William C. Raymond of Rockdale, Texas, has seven eligible.

IT TOOK A WHILE but Me Poppy Jay finally scored his first career win. The four-year-old Double Poppy Jay gelding won by almost four lengths in Friday's 11th race, a mile chase for four-year-old maidens. He failed in 24 attempts in 1981 and this was his third 1982 try to gain the winner's circle. He's trained by Wayne A. Stanton for owners Neville and Ruby Beck of McLean, Texas. He was ridden by apprentice Mike Lidberg in his maiden victory run.

FOR THE SECOND consecutive week, Gary Sumpter won three races on a single program. He scored his triple on Friday's card. Starting with Gallant None (\$4.20) in the second for trainer Lisa Outada, he then captured the fifth with Splashing Bunny (\$2.80) for M. Dooly Quinn, and he finished with Mr. Tom (\$8.80) for Guim in the 12th event.

CALLMECHANICE, a three-year-old Jig Danger colt, became the highest priced horse to be claimed this season at Sunland Park. Trainer Lewis Germany claimed the horse for owner Robert W. Brown. Callmechance streaked to a three and one-half length victory (\$2.60) in Saturday's first race, a five and one-half furlong scamper for three-year-old maidens. He was ridden to the popular victory (\$2.80) by Isaac Flores.

NEVER AMBLE, a five-year-old Never Hi horse, set a seasonal fastest time when he scooted to an eight and one-half length victory in Saturday's ninth race. He was clocked in 1:18 3/5 for the six and one-half

furlongs while defeating nine foes in the starter allowance chase. Ridden by Orlando Martinez Jr., he is trained by Carole J. Tillemans for owner Bill N. Adams of Houston, Texas. It was Never Amble's second consecutive triumph. The previous best clocking this season for six and one-half furlongs was a 1:16 4/5 set by Doctor Gal on January 31 in the City of El Paso Handicap.

APPRENTICE JOCKEY Casey Lambert and Bold Cutter were the Southwestern standouts during the last few days at Sunland Park in Hot Springs, Arkansas. Lambert, son of veteran New Mexico horseman Clifford Lambert, won the first and last races on Wednesday's nine race program. He won the opener on Odie My Boy (\$22.80) for trainer Billy Belford and took the nightcap on Brazen Ego (\$6.60) for trainer J. J. Fletcher. Bold Cutter dead healed for his win and paid \$34.20 to win. Brent Overton rode Bold Cutter for trainer W. R. Morse.

SUNDAY'S EIGHTH race was named in honor of the Miss New Mexico Pageant contestants who will compete for the title on February 27 at the Las Cruces Holiday Inn. Contestants at Sunland Park included Marcella Flores, Sonya Graves, Lisa Allen, Melanie Hazlett, Terry Bish, Kamala Singh, Cyndi Fenter, Angie Garcia, Colleen Miera, Sheri Bone, Betty Hall, Frances Jay, Patty Hicks, Yvette Deck, Stephanie Miera, Cecelia DeTuro, Barbara Thomas, Julie Elam, Monique Sablan, Janet Turner, Rose Mary Pino, Tsoner Pompeo, Sue Howell, Kuren Wooten and Kathy Nemes.

FAVORITES won eight races on Friday's and Saturday's 12 race programs. Public choices on Friday included Jezoval (\$4.20) in the first, Gallant None (\$4.20) in the second, Splashing Bunny (\$2.80) in the fifth, General Brown (\$3.00) in the sixth, Breeze Bandit (\$3.80) in the seventh, North Star Jester (\$4.40) in the eighth, Flaming Lark (\$5.40) in the ninth and Mr. Tom (\$5.80) in the 12th. Saturday favorites included Callmechance (\$2.60) in the first, The Gene Machine (\$7.20) in the second,

Croupier (\$5.60) in the third, Toddler (\$5.20) in the seventh, Mr. Leo Bug (\$4.20) in the eighth, Never Amble (\$6.20) in the ninth, Western Series (\$5.20) in the featured 10th race and Mossy Road (\$4.80) in the 11th event.

SEVERAL JOCKEYS captured two wins on a program over the weekend. Friday double winners included Leroy Coombs and Betty Harless. Coombs rode War Fellow (\$28.20) for trainer Loyd McClannhan and Lil' Impression (\$20.40) for trainer Purl Coombs. Harless steered North Star Jester (\$4.40) and Flaming Lark (\$5.40). Both horses were trained by Coy Hendrix.

ON SATURDAY, Richard Bickel and Orlando Martinez Jr., rode double winners. Bickel started with The Gene Machine (\$7.20) and Western Series (\$5.20) for trainer Jimmy Claridge. Martinez started with Toddler (\$5.20) for trainer Thomas E. Wood and Never Amble (\$6.20) for trainer Carole Tillemans.

ON SUNDAY, Mike Meaux, Larry Byers and Pedro Benitez each won two races. Meaux won the sixth on Shes Dunces Flight (\$14.40) and the seventh on Mr. Slingshot (\$21.60) for trainer Bill Harper. Byers won aboard Bartendress (\$3.60) for trainer Clifton Dean and then won the eighth on Cash Restored (\$16.20) for trainer Billy Hill. Benitez triumphed aboard Gunsmoke (\$10.20) in the first and on Tazette (\$6.00) in the 12th for trainer Clifford Lambert.

WAGERING over the weekend totaled \$1,114,574, a boost of 14.63 percent over the corresponding three day weekend a year ago. The seasonal daily average (54 race days) stands at \$321,109, up 24.93 percent over the \$256,916 average at this point last year. Fans are now betting a per race average of \$28,708.

THE LEADING post position over the weekend was the No. 1 slot, by far, with nine wins. The seasonal breakdown: No. 1 — 66 wins, No. 2 — 78, No. 3 — 62, No. 4 — 68, No. 5 — 57, No. 6 — 53, No. 7 — 59, No. 8 — 64, No. 9 — 57, No. 10 — 46, No. 11 — 0, No. 12 — 0.

Media Guide orders now being taken

The 1982 Ruidoso Downs Media Guide and Souvenir Book will be off the presses around mid-March and will again be offered for sale to the public.

The book, designed in magazine format, covers 48 pages and includes a full-color cover illustration by the well-known El Paso, Texas artist, Bassel Wolfe.

The Media Guide offers numerous background pieces, profiles, charts, facts, photos and statistics. The past-performance charts of every All-American Futurity and All-American Derby are included. Eight pages are devoted to Special Effort and his conquest of last summer's Triple Crown.

Fans can order a copy by sending \$2.50, plus \$1 for postage and handling, to: Media Guide, Ruidoso Downs Race Track, Box 449, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346.

Lil' Impression impressive

Lil' Impression, a four-year-old gelding with only one career win to his credit, made his 1982 bow in Friday's feature race at Sunland Park and rolled to a length victory.

The seven-head field included four last-out winners, so the crowd of 2,297 shied away from Lil' Impression and centered their attentions on Abatir.

But Lil' Impression, carrying odds of better than 9-1, easily overtook the people's choice and was in control throughout the stretch run. LeRoy Coombs was at the helm.

Lil' Impression is owned and trained by Purl Coombs of Anthony, New Mexico. The payoffs: \$20.40, \$7.20 and \$3.40. Abatir, piloted by Richard Bickel, ended up second, a half-length in front of the oncoming Peaceful Success.

Fans who supported Abatir collected \$4 and \$2.20. Peaceful Success handed out \$4 to show. The winning time for the six furlongs was 1:11 3/5 seconds.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

1st — 5 1/2 fur. Callmechance 2.60, 2.40, 2.20; Western Oil 2.60, 2.20; Run Rufus Run 2.20, T: 1:05.3

2nd — 870 yds. The Gene Machine 7.20, 4.40, 2.60; Top Parr Moon 4.00, 2.20; Elijah Blue 3.20, T: 45.52

Quinnella—\$9.20
Daily Double—\$10.00

3rd — 350 yds. Croupier 5.60, 4.00, 3.20; Easy K Bar 6.40, 4.40; Flaming Zestee 6.40, T: 17.72

Quinnella—\$36.80

4th — 1 mile. Bons Ripwich 10.40, 5.20, 4.20; Once And Only Once 15.60, 10.00; Charlysie 18.20, T: 1:41.1

Quinnella—\$68.60

5th — 400 yds. Broken Pedal 10.20, 6.40, 4.80; Jaton Jamaica 8.00, 5.20; Town Eclipse 6.40, T: 20.04

Quinnella—\$45.40

6th — 6 fur. Dad's Real Estate 17.80, 7.60, 6.00; Trouble Wiggle 4.60, 3.00; Zaidess Lady 4.20, T: 1:13.1

Quinnella—\$77.00

7th — 6 1/2 fur. Toddler 5.20, 4.80, 3.80; Jr. Meyer 9.60, 12.00; Zoom Corporation 7.80, T: 1:18.3

Quinnella \$40.80

8th — 870 yds. Mr. Leo Bug 4.20, 2.80, 2.40; Lucks Lightning 3.80, 3.80; Special Mojo 3.40, T: 45.47

Quinnella—\$9.80

9th — 6 1/2 fur. Never Amble 6.20, 4.00, 3.80; Columba Rose 4.80, 4.60; Bold Hippy 4.20, T: 1:16.3

Quinnella—\$27.80

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Focus on Small Business

by E. Maine Shafer

Dear Mr. Shafer:
Have any surveys been taken on how bankers respond to small business' credit needs and how banks view their small business customers?

The United States Small Business Administration recently asked small firms how local banks have responded to their credit needs. Judged by responses received so far, small businesses complain most about high interest rates and the unavailability of loans longer than one year. The sentiment is that banks should make more funds available for longer-term loans.

The responses also show that most small business persons like to deal with smaller banks.

A survey taken for a business magazine asked 150 large and regional banks the following three questions:

— What were your major reasons for rejecting small business loans during the past year? Thirty-two percent cited under-capitalization or too much debt; 20 percent cited lack of collateral; 15 percent noted inability to demonstrate repayment source or poor credit history, and 12 percent mentioned inadequate financial information.

— How do banks characterize the ideal small business borrower? Thirty-one percent said good capitalization, decreasing debt-to-equity ratio or retained earnings in business; 22 percent cited good management, and 21 percent cited good profit history.

— What are the major problems in dealing with small business? Nineteen percent cited under-capitalization; 16 percent cited inadequate or unreliable records and lack of capable management, and 11 percent mentioned inexperience.



GOOD FOR THE SOUL is the view from Windy Point Lookout on the Ski Run Road.

WHO WAS JESUS OF NAZARETH?

Was He a lunatic, a liar, or the Lord? If He was a lunatic or a liar, then we have nothing to worry about. We can chalk Him up as just another religious con man, a sort of first century Elmer Gantry, but if He was actually the person He claimed to be, then we must give serious consideration of His claims to deity.

So let us talk about this all embracing question: Who was Jesus of Nazareth? Let us first look at what Jesus said about Himself. In the gospel of John 5:16-18 we see that the Jews were angry at Jesus because he had done miracles on the Sabbath, you see, the Jews of that day considered it unlawful to do any type work on the Sabbath, including "miracles of mercy." Therefore they sought to put Jesus to death.

Jesus also said to those Jews, "My Father worketh hitherto, and I work" (John 5:17). And how did the Jews understand Jesus when He referred to God as "My Father"? They became more determined to kill Him because Jesus was making Himself equal with God in a very personal sense — like He and God were of the same essence (John 5:18).

The same idea can be seen in John 10:30, 31 where Jesus said "I and my Father are one," then the Jews took up stones to stone Him.

Thus, in the context of the austere monotheistic culture of Jesus' day, He was understood by His enemies to be claiming equality with God — that He was God's son in the sense of being begotten out of the same essence as God Himself!

Now I can hear someone say "But Jack, your quotations are from the Gospel of John, the latest Gospel written. What about the earlier records?" Okay, let's go to Mark, the earliest gospel. What do we see? Jesus forgave sins against God.

In Mark 2:1-5 four men brought to Jesus a man afflicted with palsy. Instead of Jesus telling the man to be healed He said "Son, thy sins be forgiven thee." According to Jewish law only God could forgive sins against Himself. So, let's see how Jesus' enemies understood Him. "But here were certain of the scribes sitting there and reasoning in their hearts, why doth this man thus speak blasphemies? Who can forgive sins but God only (Mark 2:6,7)?"

You can see it again—in Jesus' cultural surroundings He was understood by His enemies to be taking a prerogative belonging only to God.

Let's go on to the trial of Jesus. Again we are in the gospel of Mark 14:60-64. In these scriptures the High Priest asks Jesus a very direct question, "Art thou the Christ, the Son of the Blessed?" "Blessed" was used by the Jews in the place of God's redemptive name, "Jehovah." And what was Jesus' reply to the High Priest?

"I am," Jesus said. And folks, that answer of Jesus' has stayed with the history of mankind ever since. You and you alone, must decide about Jesus of Nazareth. Was He a lunatic, a liar, or the Lord?

If you decide He was the Lord, then I have good news for you. Jesus is the Lord, and if you are convinced deep inside you that I had raised Him from the dead, you will receive complete deliverance from sin and all other things that separate you from God. You also will receive the gift of eternal life because of the fact that God loved this world enough to send His only unique and begotten Son.

Address all inquiries to: Jack Leavitt, Mountain Christian Fellowship, P.O. Box 2175, Ruidoso, N.M. 88345, 257-9366.

People of Ruidoso... IS RUIDOSO'S FUTURE ECONOMY IMPORTANT TO YOU?

This Is a Direct Reply To My Opponent's Ad of Thursday, February 18

My opponent talks of his leadership being responsible for our growth. Is it? I believe our natural resource — Ruidoso — is responsible for our growth. People have, and will continue to, come here because they want to — not because they are led here.

My opponent talks of orderly growth policies. What are they? The only one I have seen — and I'm sure you have seen — is a policy of fighting so called "brush fires" in order to cope with our unprecedented growth.

This must stop! Through real planned and orderly leadership we will have planned and orderly growth. This will insure the reator of continuing business, the contractor con-

tinued construction, the business people continued business and through their prosperity, a better community with even lower taxes for the so called "old timers"! It will benefit all and not just a select few.

The other side of all this is a typical boom town — rapid, short lived prosperity, and then the bust! Then everyone is hurt.

This is the point I have been trying to make.

Please, please, we must have planned, orderly growth to insure Ruidoso remaining the "Jewel of the Southwest."

In order to accomplish this we must have full time, responsible leadership — not the sporadic type of the past four years.

VOTE FOR GEORGE P. WHITE — MAYOR TUESDAY, MARCH 2

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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.



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.



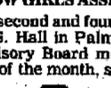
EASTERN STAR

Ruidoso Chapter 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.



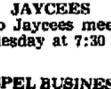
RAINBOW GIRLS ASSEMBLY

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.



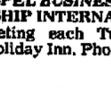
JAYCEES

The Ruidoso Jaycees meet the second and fourth Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., at The Deck House.



FULL GOSPEL BUSINESS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP INTERNATIONAL

Dinner meeting each Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., at the Holiday Inn. Phone 257-5011 or 257-4438.



TOPS

(Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Meets Thursdays, 7 p.m., First Christian Church. Call 257-7651 for information.



SERTOMA CLUB

Sertoma meetings every Wednesday at noon at K-Bob's.



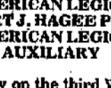
PILOT CLUB OF RUIDOSO

Meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Call 257-5585, evenings, for more information.



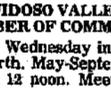
LINCOLN COUNTY HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION

Meets first Tuesday of each month, 7 p.m., at Cree Meadows Country Club.



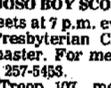
AMERICAN LEGION ROBERT J. HAGEE POST 79 AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

Meets jointly on the third Wednesday of each month, 7:00 p.m., Evening Lions Hut.



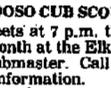
RUIDOSO VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Meets third Wednesday in Chamber of Commerce on Sudderth. May-September 7 p.m.; October-April 12 noon. Meetings open to public.



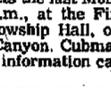
RUIDOSO CUB SCOUTS

Troop 59, 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 Wednesday at Ruidoso High School.



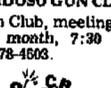
RUIDOSO GUN CLUB

Ruidoso Gun Club, meeting third Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m. at the library. Call 378-4668.



RUIDOSO C.B. CLUB

Ruidoso C.B. Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at Norman's Pizza in the Gateway Shopping Center on the first and third Mondays. Everyone welcome.



R.E.A.C.T.

Lincoln County R.E.A.C.T. meets at 7 p.m. at the Chaparral Motel on Highway 70 on the first and third Sundays. Everyone welcome.



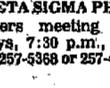
RUIDOSO SHRINE CLUB

Meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month. Phone 258-3348 or 258-3622 for the current meeting place.



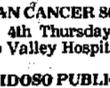
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Fr. Eugene Dolan Council No. 6567 meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p.m. in St. Eleanor's Hall. Special meetings to be announced will be held at St. Jude's Center in San Patricio. Mel O'Reilly, G.K.; Dick Mound, F.S.



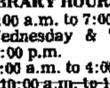
BETA SIGMA PHI

Four chapters meeting second and fourth Mondays, 7:30 p.m., in members homes. Phone 257-5368 or 257-4651 for information.



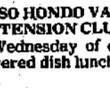
AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

Meets every 4th Thursday at noon, at Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital.



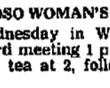
RUIDOSO PUBLIC LIBRARY HOURS

Monday—10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday — 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Friday — 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturday — 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



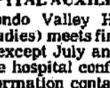
RUIDOSO HONDO VALLEY EXTENSION CLUB

Meets 4th Wednesday of every month, 11:30 a.m. Covered dish luncheon. Place to be announced.



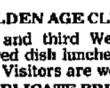
RUIDOSO WOMAN'S CLUB

Second Wednesday in Woman's Club building. Board meeting 1 p.m.; business meeting 1:30; tea at 2, followed by program.



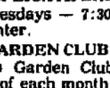
HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

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.



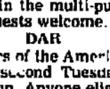
GOLDEN AGE CLUB

Meets first and third Wednesdays at noon for covered dish lunches and games at the library. Visitors are welcome.



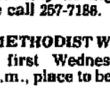
RUIDOSO DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

Meets Wednesdays — 7:30 p.m., Adult Recreation center.



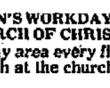
GARDEN CLUB

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.



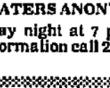
DAR

The Daughters of the American Revolution meet the second Tuesday of every month at 12 noon. Anyone eligible and interested, please call 257-7188.



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Meets each first Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m., place to be announced.



WOMEN'S WORKDAY AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

In the Gateway area every first Wednesday of the month at the church.



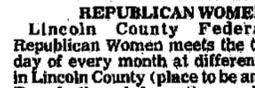
OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Meets Monday night at 7 p.m. Puckett Realty. For information call 257-2394, after 5 call 378-4338.



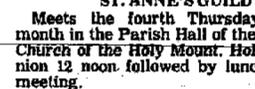
LAMAZE PREPARED CHILDBIRTH CLASSES

Six-week Sessions Tuesday evenings from 7-9 p.m. Call 257-3188 for more information.



REPUBLICAN WOMEN

Lincoln County Chapter 1378, of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, meets at 10:00 a.m., the first Tuesday of each month, at the new First Christian Church on Hull Road.



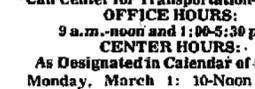
ST. ELEANOR'S GUILD

Meets the fourth Thursday of each month in the Parish Hall of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount. Holy Communion 12 noon, followed by lunch and the meeting.



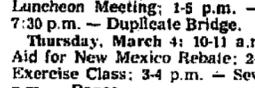
ADULT RECREATION PROGRAM VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO

for ages 18 and over Library Senior Center Complex Schoolhouse Park Bette Romans, Director Post Office Drawer 1349 Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 Membership Contribution Fee: \$5.00 *Call Center for Transportation—257-4565

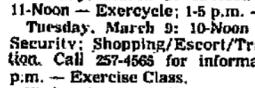


OFFICE HOURS:

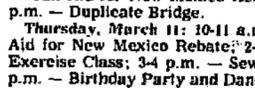
9 a.m.-noon and 1:00-5:30 p.m. CENTER HOURS: As Designated in Calendar of Events



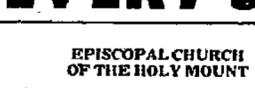
Monday, March 1: 10-Noon — Pool; 11-Noon — Exercise; 1-5 p.m. — Games. Tuesday, March 2: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Escort/Transportation; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.



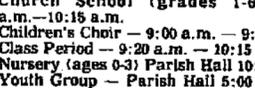
Wednesday, March 3: 10-Noon — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; Golden Age Luncheon Meeting; 1-5 p.m. — Games; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.



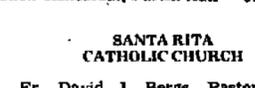
Thursday, March 4: 10-11 a.m. — Tax Aid for New Mexico Rebate; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class; 3-4 p.m. — Sewing; 7-10 p.m. — Dance.



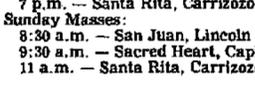
Friday, March 5: 10-11 a.m. — Exercise Class; 1-5 p.m. — Sewing; 7-10 p.m. — Games.



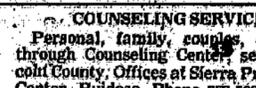
Monday, March 8: 10-Noon — Pool; 11-Noon — Exercise; 1-5 p.m. — Games. Tuesday, March 9: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Escort/Transportation. Call 257-4565 for information; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.



Wednesday, March 10: 10-11 a.m. — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; Biscuit & Gravy Day — Bring whatever you would like to. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. — Games; 2-4 p.m. — Tax Aid for New Mexico Rebate; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

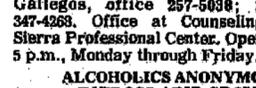


Thursday, March 11: 10-11 a.m. — Tax Aid for New Mexico Rebate; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class; 3-4 p.m. — Sewing; 7:00 p.m. — Birthday Party and Dance.



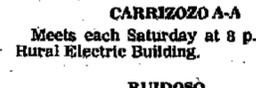
COUNSELING SERVICE

Personal, family, couples, counseling through Counseling Center serving Lincoln County. Offices at Sierra Professional Center, Ruidoso. Phone 257-5038. In Carrizozo, at County Health Office, Courthouse Annex, call 648-2412. 24-hour HEELPline, 1-257-5038.



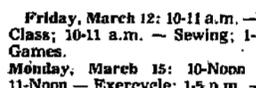
ALCOHOL COUNSELING

For alcohol counseling, telephone Paul Gallegos, office 257-5038; residence 347-4283. Office at Counseling Center, Sierra Professional Center. Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.



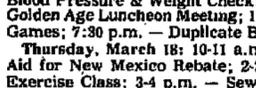
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS RUIDOSO ARID GROUP

Tuesdays, 8:00 p.m. First Christian Church AA & Alateen meet separately. Saturdays, 8:00 p.m. First Christian Church joint meeting.



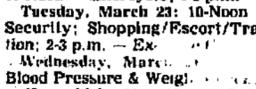
CARRIZOZO A-A

Meets each Saturday at 8 p.m., in the Rural Electric Building.

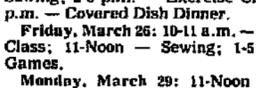


RUIDOSO LODGERS ASSOCIATION

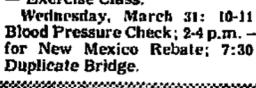
Ruidoso Lodgers Association meets second Tuesday of every month, 2 p.m., Ruidoso library.



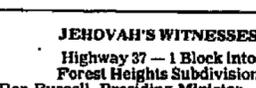
Friday, March 12: 10-11 a.m. — Exercise Class; 10-11 a.m. — Sewing; 1-5 p.m. — Games. Monday, March 15: 10-Noon — Pool; 11-Noon — Exercise; 1-5 p.m. — Games.



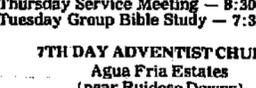
Tuesday, March 16: 10-Noon — Social Security; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class; Shopping/Transportation/Escort. Call 257-4565 for information.



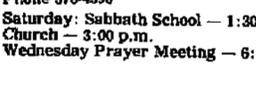
Wednesday, March 17: 10-11 a.m. — Blood Pressure & Weight Check; Noon — Golden Age Luncheon Meeting; 1-5 p.m. — Games; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.



Thursday, March 18: 10-11 a.m. — Tax Aid for New Mexico Rebate; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class; 3-4 p.m. — Sewing; 7:00 p.m. — Games Night.



Friday, March 19: 10-11 a.m. — Exercise Class; 11-Noon — Sewing; 1-5 p.m. — Games. Monday, March 22: 10-Noon — Pool; 11-Noon — Exercise; 1-5 p.m. — Games.



Tuesday, March 23: 10-Noon — Social Security; Shopping/Escort/Transportation; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class. Wednesday, March 24: 10-11 a.m. — Tax Aid for New Mexico Rebate; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

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MOUNTAIN CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Jack Leavitt, Ministering. Phone 257-9366 Church Services — 10 a.m. at 102 Clover Sunday Evening Prayer Service — 7:30 p.m. at 102 Clover

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Gavilan Canyon and Hull Roads Rev. Ken Cole Sunday School — 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m. Early Worship Service — 8:30 a.m. Wednesday Night Bible Study — 8 p.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH SERVICES

Ruidoso, N.M. Held at First Presbyterian Church, Nob Hill Worship Services — 2 p.m. Coffee-Fellowship following Services conducted by: O. F. Krohn, Pastor-Roswell Gerald Harms, Pastor-Alamogordo

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

R. Winston Presnall, Pastor Residence phone: 257-2970 or 257-2220 Church School — 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

In Gateway Rev. Charles Spooner, Minister Sunday School — 9:30 a.m. Worship Service — 10:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF CAPITAN

Third St. and White Oaks Capitan, New Mexico Rev. David Lynch, Pastor Sunday Worship Services — 9-10. Sunday School — 10:30.

HONDO VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

Just off Hwy. 70, Hondo, N.M. Cal West, Pastor Morning Worship — 10:00 a.m. Evening Service — 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study — 7:00 p.m.

ST. MATTHIAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sixth and "E" Streets Carrizozo, New Mexico Phone 648-2875 Vicar: Rev. Burdette Stampley Holy Eucharist — 1st and 3rd Sunday — 7 p.m. Office of Evening Prayer — 2nd and 4th Sunday — 7 p.m.

GATEWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST

Carl Parsons, Minister Bible Study — 9:30 a.m. Worship and Communion — 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting — 7:00 p.m. Ladies' Bible Class — 9:30 a.m.—Wed.

GATEWAY ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Palmer Gateway, Ruidoso Pastor Ed Rimer Sunday School — 9:30 a.m. Sunday Services — 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening Services — 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening Services — 7:15 p.m.

APACHE INDIAN ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Mescalero Merlin C. Neely, Pastor Phone 671-4536 Sunday School — 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Services — 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Service — 7:00 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Carrizozo, N.M. In Christian Science Library Bldg. 12th Street Phone 648-2244 or 648-2322 Services: Sundays — 11:00 a.m. Wednesday — 7:30 p.m.

RUIDOSO GROUP CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS

257-7987 or 257-6044 Sunday School & Church at 3:30 p.m. in Methodist Church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Ruidoso, N.M. Rev. E. W. Campbell, Pastor Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Worship Service — 11:00 a.m. Evening Service — 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Service — 7:00 p.m.

RUIDOSO BAPTIST CHURCH

Palmer Gateway Rev. Wayne Joyce, Pastor Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Services — 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Bible Study — 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Ruidoso Downs, N.M. Dale W. McCleskey, Pastor Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Worship Service — 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m. Wednesday — 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Tinnie, N.M. Bill Jones, Pastor Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Worship Service — 11 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Capitan, N.M. Rev. Dan Carter Sunday School — 9:45 a.m. Worship Service — 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.

MESCALERO BAPTIST MISSION

James Huse, Pastor Sunday School — 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m. Training Union — 6:30 p.m

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third deck by 9,750 square feet, with 30,000 square feet on the ground floor level, including administrative offices, visible as the white portion showing beneath the steel structure.

A financial statement is handy

One of the most useful tools in analyzing the financial progress of an individual or family is a net worth statement. "Many people who have never calculated their total financial worth find it much greater than expected," said

Jackie Martin, Extension family finance specialist at New Mexico State University. "A net worth statement is a way to measure your overall financial position. It is a comparison of your assets, what you own, and your liabilities, what you owe,"

she said. The net worth statement is a handy financial record for several reasons. Basically, it's a summary of an individual or family financial position, and makes a clear relationship between debts and assets. "If a net worth statement is prepared every year, it helps people determine their progress toward family goals. It's also a way to analyze your lifestyle and see if your money management efforts are effective," Mrs. Martin said. A financial statement is easy to prepare, especially if it's done at income tax time when financial records have been collected. Once the first financial statement is prepared, it's even easier to update it each year.

To figure net worth, draw a line down the middle of a sheet of paper. List all personal or family assets on one side of that line, and list all liabilities and debts on the other side of the line. The difference between the two totals is net worth — or net indebtedness.

Assets are items that have substantial value and can be converted into cash. They include, besides actual cash on hand, checking accounts, savings accounts, the market value of a home or other real estate, cash value of life insurance and retirement or profit-sharing plans, market value of a car, market value of stocks and bonds, money owed to you, and market value of personal possessions that can be converted to cash.

Some assets appreciate, or gain value every year. A home, gems or antiques fall in this category. Other items depreciate, or lose value, as the years go by. Items in this category are a car or furniture.

"Net worth will change periodically depending on appreciation or depreciation of possessions and property. Changes in net worth also come from assets that are accumulated from one year to the next, or new debts taken on from one year to the next," Mrs. Martin said.

Liabilities are financial obligations. These can include the unpaid part of home mortgage, mortgages on other property, balance on an auto loan, other installment debts, outstanding charge accounts, unpaid bills and unpaid taxes.

Subtract liabilities from assets to find net worth. If liabilities are greater than assets, the figure represents a net indebtedness.

"Many young couples may find they have a negative net worth when they are in the process of establishing a home and accumulating possessions," Mrs. Martin said.

To use a financial statement to analyze current financial position, determine if you are acquiring assets that add value, or if you are using your income for things that depreciate and don't contribute to your overall financial worth, she said.

"If you have a negative net worth, it's a signal to stop spending for a while. Deficit financing may be possible for the government, but it doesn't work for individuals or families," Mrs. Martin said.

"Reassess your family spending and borrowing habits before you're so deeply in debt that you can't get out," she said.

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We rank in the top five in per capita taxable gross receipts in New Mexico. For a population according to the U. S. Bureau of Census of 4,260, we have 704 business licenses, 5,200 water meters, a Village budget in excess of 3 million dollars and a 1981 assessed valuation of \$45,856,085.

Our water supply was increased by 2 million gallons daily by drilling new wells; more streets have been paved or resurfaced in the last four years than in any four year period in our history; a new high school is about to be built; and new records are set each year in amounts of building permits; and, yet, the mill levy has gone down each year for the last four years.

It seems strange that people keep moving here to be a part of these "PROBLEMS". I suspect that many cities and villages would like to have our problems.

However, we do have some challenges ahead of us, and thank goodness. By continuing the efforts that brought Ruidoso to this current level of prosperity and by working together and continuing to plan we can as a community solve any challenge. The answer is not to stifle growth and remain static and thus go backwards!

If this seems logical, Please vote for me March 2 for Ruidoso Village Trustee.

THANK YOU,

FRANK SAYNER

Plague persists in New Mexico

young man becomes ill, is hospitalized and dies a short time later. He handled a cat a few days before becoming ill. Cause of death—plague.

A young Indian woman is rushed to a northern New Mexico hospital with painful swelling in her lymph glands. Because she is in a rural area with a high rodent population, her doctor suspects plague. She is treated accordingly and returns home a week later.

Because of recent plague cases reported in New Mexico, pet owners, hunters and the general public are concerned about contracting the disease. There were six plague cases documented in the state in 1981 and half of these were fatal, according to Knight, extension wildlife specialist at New Mexico State University.

There have been 98 plague cases in New Mexico since 1960. Because these reports have come from widespread locations, medical officials believe the plague is harbored in all parts of the state," Knight said.

Plague seems to be maintained in wild populations in the state, Knight said.

"Plague infected animals have the plague bacteria in their blood. It's easily transferred to biting fleas and, under certain conditions, the infected flea spreads the plague bacteria to other animals on which it feeds," Knight said.

The disease spreads rapidly, causing high death rates among some animals. Some of these susceptible animals are chipmunks, squirrels and prairie dogs. The rapid die-off usually means a dead end to the disease spread among these animals.

"However, other animals are more resistant to the plague bacteria," Knight said. "These animals become infected, but don't die, and they act as a reservoir of infection." The resistant animals are mice, moles and wild rats.

"These plague-resistant animals allow plague to persist in the environment, and they are the reservoir for future outbreaks," Knight said.

A third group of animals can become infected with plague either through infected

fleas or by eating other plague infected animals. This third group includes domestic dogs and cats, coyotes, foxes and bobcats. These animals usually don't spread disease through infected fleas, but their flesh can be infected.

"The chance of a domestic pet transmitting the disease to humans is small. The possibility is reduced even further if pets are dusted weekly with flea powder to kill fleas they may have picked up from infected rodents," Knight said.

Pets that are not allowed to roam freely are less likely to come in contact with plague infected animals, he said.

One of the fatal plague cases in New Mexico involved a young hunter who handled an infected bobcat carcass. Since the flesh of coyotes, foxes and bobcats can be infected with the disease, persons handling these carcasses should wear gloves, Knight said.

"It probably requires an open break in the skin for the disease to be transmitted to humans," he said.

There are some precautions the general public can follow to be relatively sure of not contracting the disease, Knight said.

Pets should be kept from roaming and should be dusted weekly with flea powder to kill off the fleas that might transmit plague to the dog or cat's owner. Hunters and trapper should wear gloves when skinning predators.

Children should not be allowed to play near rodent colonies, or in areas where rodent dens are known to occur. Dusting rodent burrows with flea powder near dwellings is an effective, though not always practical, precaution, Knight said.

The most effective way to reduce plague fatalities is through recognition of the disease and prompt treatment, he said.

"Because the disease is relatively uncommon, doctors may not consider plague a possibility unless the patient's recent exposure to plague hosts is brought to the doctor's attention," he said.

"A painful swelling of lymph glands near the groin, in the armpits or neck, is cause to suspect plague. The swelling is usually only on one side of the body and the areas are extremely tender," he said. A high fever and overall feeling of illness usually occurs, too.

The New Mexico Health and Environment Department said suspected plague cases, based on clinical signs, can be strengthened if the patient lives in a rural area or has visited a rural area several days before becoming ill. The potential for the disease is also higher in the warm months of the year because about 90 percent of plague cases occur between March and October.

Other possible environmental danger

signs are a sick dog or cat in the house, contact with household pets that are allowed to roam outdoors, contact with sick or dead rodents, or flea bites.

New Mexico has accounted for 65 percent of all human plague cases in the United States since 1960, Knight said.

"Plague outbreaks appear to be in a four to six year cycle, with peak years in 1961, three cases; 1965, six cases; 1970, nine cases; 1975, 16 cases; and 1980, 13 cases," he said.

"Still, plague is a rare disease, even in New Mexico," he said. "But in spite of that, it's still a potential public health threat."

It's important to report suspected plague cases quickly to the Central Health Services Division, New Mexico Communicable Disease Epidemiology and Control unit. This division can help with diagnosis and coordinate disease control activities.

General information about the plague, on a non-emergency basis, is available by calling 800-432-4404. To report confirmed plague cases, or to get emergency information, call 505-827-3201.

Official Records

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Twin Butte Sheep Company, Inc., to Anthony E. Treat, one-half interest in tracts of land in Sections 28, 27, 33 and 35, T12S, R19E.; and Sections 7, 8, 9, 18, 20, 21, 28 and 33, T13S, R20E, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, N.M.

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Fellowship deadline nearing

March 29 is the mailing deadline for applications to the National Endowment for the Arts for Fellowships for Fiction or for Creative Prose Writers, and for Fellowships to Translators.

These creative writing fellowships are designed to enable published writers of exceptional talent to set aside time for writing, research, or travel, and generally advance their careers.

To be eligible to apply for the \$12,500 fellowship in Fiction, a writer must, in the last 10 years, have published five or more short stories, works of short fiction, or excerpts from novels in two or more literary journals, anthologies, or publications which regularly include fiction as part of their format, or have published a volume of short fiction, or a collection of short stories, or a novel or novella.

To be eligible to apply for the \$12,500 fellowship in the Other Creative Prose category, a writer must have published one or more critical articles related to contemporary creative literature or to literary, creative essays, or other creative work in two or more literary journals, anthologies, or other literary publications, or must have published a volume of creative essays, criticism of contemporary literature, or other creative prose. The NEA Literature Program offers a

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During a two-year cycle, writers may apply in only one genre—Fiction, Creative Prose, Poetry, Translation, or Scriptwriting—and must establish eligibility in that specific genre. Guidelines for Poets' and Scriptwriters' Fellowships will be available this Fall.

Interested writers may obtain complete information, guidelines, and application forms by writing to the Director, Literature Program, National Endowment for the Arts, 2401 E Street, North West, Washington, D.C. 20506. Information and applications are also available from the New Mexico Arts Division, 113 Lincoln Ave., Santa Fe 87501. The Arts Division's telephone number is 827-2061.

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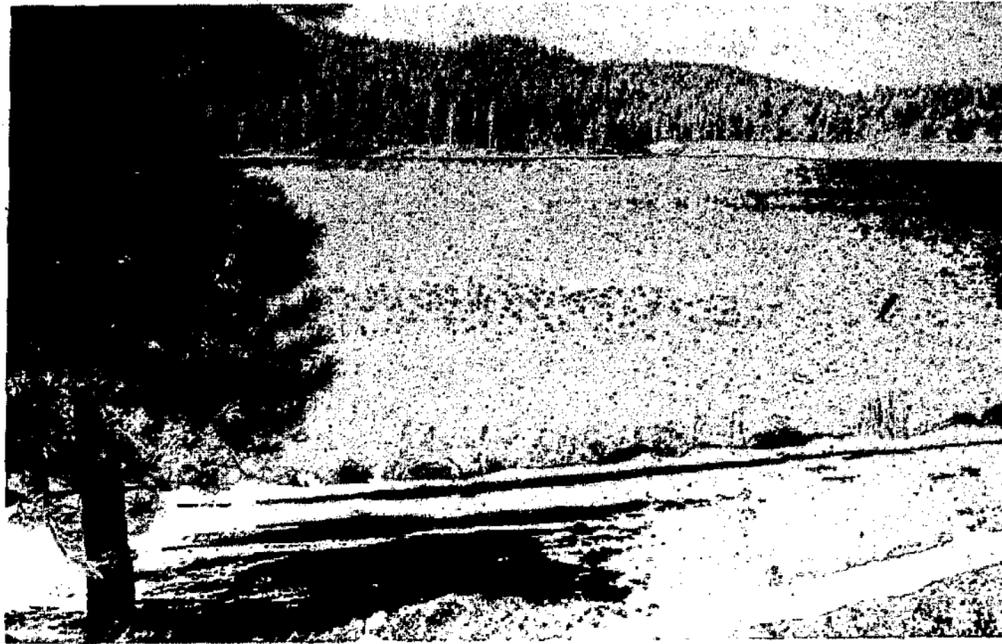


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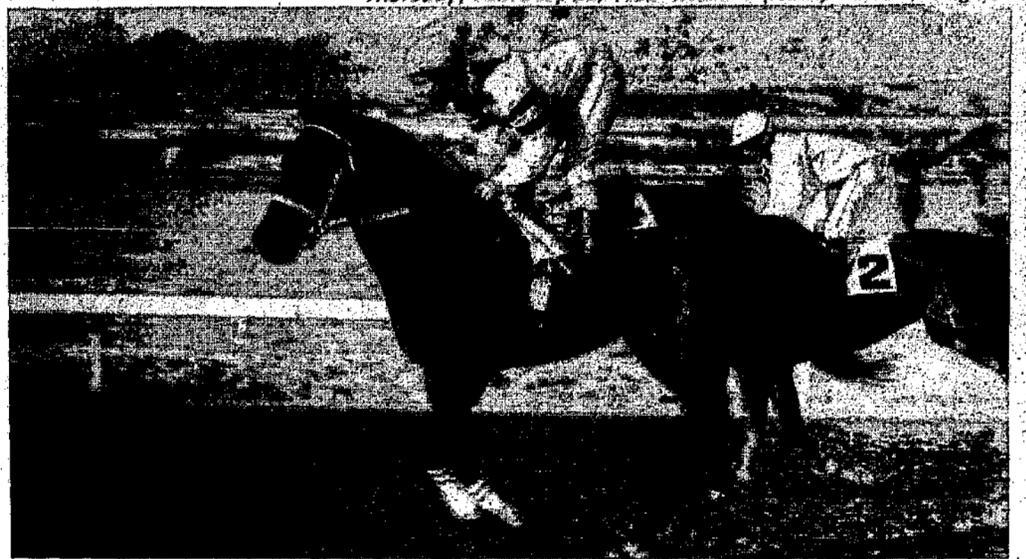
ONE EXCELLENT REASON FOR ELECTING GEORGE P. WHITE OUR NEXT MAYOR:

Lloyd Davis

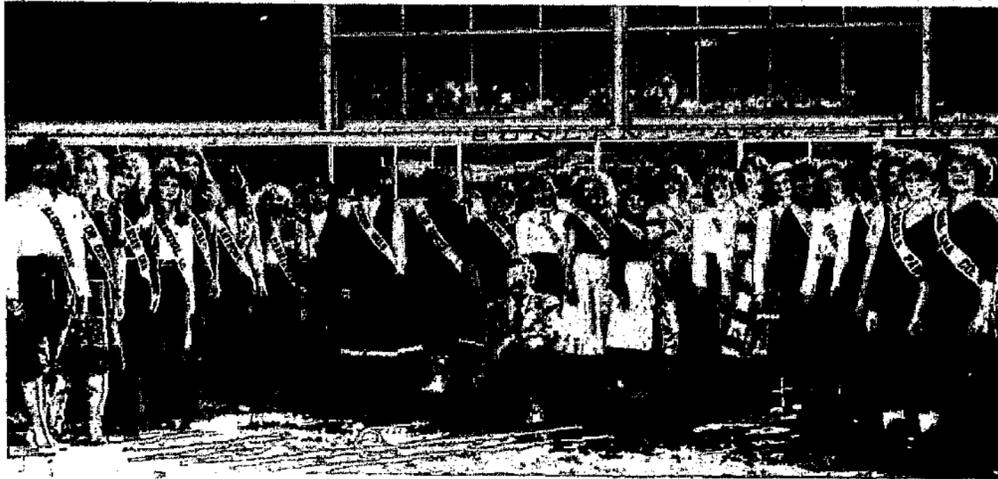


PRESENTING THE FESTOS PLATTER. Jimmie Powers (black hat) of Sonora, Texas, and trainer Cliff Lambert (left) were in the winner's circle at Sunland Park to present the victory platter for Sunday's first running of the Festos Handicap. Powers owned the

late Festos, who was a handicap star at Sunland a year ago. Lambert trained the gelding. The Festos Handicap was won by Taconeando, owned by Alan Antweil (black coat) of Hobbs and ridden by John Cushing. The winning trainer, Jess Alley, is at right.



TACONEANDO, after winning Festos Handicap.



THE EIGHTH RACE on Sunday at Sunland Park was named in honor of the Miss New Mexico Pageant contestants who will be competing for the title of Miss

New Mexico on February 27 at the Holiday Inn in Las Cruces. Sunland Park hosted the contestants with a day at the races.



A BLANKET FROM THE JOCKEY CLUB — The annual running of the Ruidoso Jockey Club Purse was staged at Sunland Park over the weekend, and Jockey Club officials were on hand to present the victory blanket.

From left: Carl Joren, assistant manager, board members W. L. Edwards, H. T. Hornbuckle, Sam Stevens, Vice-President William G. Ross.

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Reason #1 Business Management Experience.

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Reason #2 Personal Investment in Ruidoso

Al Junge has chosen to put his money where his heart is with a substantial investment in the business community and continued improvement & growth of Ruidoso.

Reason #3 A Realistic Plan of Action

Al Junge recognizes the immediate need to assure Ruidosians of adequate facilities and services to accommodate existing and planned growth of Ruidoso without unduly compromising the quality of life that makes Ruidoso desirable and unique.

Reason #4 Time to Devote to the Task

Al Junge has managed his own affairs to the point where he can now devote full time and attention to the duties of Village Trustee without jeopardizing his own personal finances.

Reason #5 Commitment to Total Accountability

Al Junge's financial and management experience plus his deep personal commitment to total accountability of our tax dollars will help assure a truly open and accountable Village Administration.

"Ruidosians for Effective Village Management"
Tom Kelham, Treasurer

COMMUNITY CALENDAR



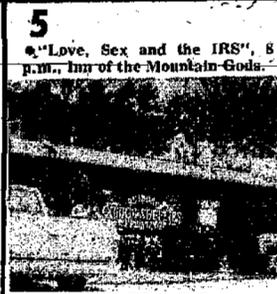
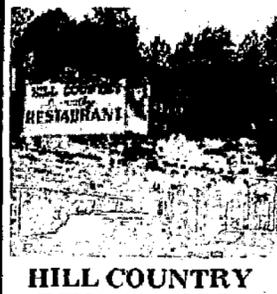
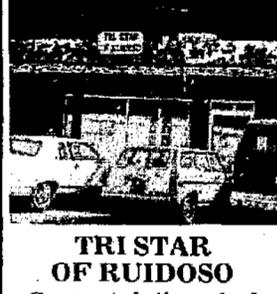
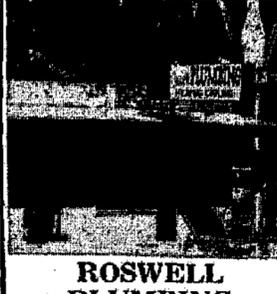
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 JO FOX FEBRUARY Computer Operator Of The Month	1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Woman's Club, 12 noon, pot luck lunch, bridge and canasta. • Ruidoso C.B. Club, 7:30 p.m., Norman's Pizza, Gateway. • Ruidoso Cub Scouts Pack 59, 7 p.m., Elks Lodge. • St. Eleanor's Guild, 12 noon, St. Eleanor's Church. • Retail Merchants Committee Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, 12 noon at the Chamber. • Ruidoso Masonic Lodge No. 73, 7:30 p.m., O.E.S. Hall. • Overeaters Anonymous, 7 p.m., Puckett Realty. 	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lions Club supper, Lions Hut. • Ruidoso Altrusa Club, 7:30 p.m., First Christian Church. • National Association of Retired Federal Employees, 10 a.m., First Christian Church. • Pilot Club of Ruidoso, 7:00 p.m. • AA, Ruidoso Arid Group, Alamos, Alateen, 8 p.m., First Christian Church. • Lamaze Classes, phone 257-5189. • Hospital Auxiliary, 10 a.m., hospital conference room. • Full Gospel Businessmen, 6:30 p.m., Holiday Inn. • Rotary, 12 noon, Holiday Inn. • Lincoln County Home Builders Association, 7 p.m., Cree Meadows Country Club. 	3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ruidoso Valley Lions Club, 12 noon, Whispering Pine Restaurant. • Ruidoso Duplicate Bridge Club, 7:30 p.m., Adult Recreation Center. • Ruidoso Boy Scouts Troop 59, 7 p.m., Presbyterian Church. • Sertoma Club, 12 noon, K-Bob's. • Golden Age Club, 12 noon, covered dish luncheon and games, Ruidoso Public Library. • United Methodist Women, 7:30 p.m., place to be announced. • Church of Christ Women's Workday, Gateway. • Boy Scout Troop 107, 6:30 p.m., high school. 	4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ruidoso B.P.O.E., 7:30 p.m., Elks Club. • Boys Basketball — District Tournament — Cobre. • State DECA Convention in Albuquerque. • TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 7 p.m., First Christian Church. 	5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Love, Sex and the IRS", 8 p.m., Inn of the Mountain Gods.  RUIDOSO OFFICE SUPPLY Best Wishes For Success To This New Business	6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carrizozo AA, 8 p.m., Rural Electric Building. • Alcoholics Anonymous, Ruidoso Arid Group, 8:00 p.m., First Christian Church. • Boys Basketball — District Tournament — Cobre. • State DECA Convention in Albuquerque. • High School Solo Ensemble Music Concert — Las Cruces. • "Love, Sex and the IRS", 8 p.m., Inn of the Mountain Gods.
7 R.E.A.C.T., 7 p.m., Chaparral Hotel.	8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rainbow Girls Assembly, 7 p.m., O.E.S. Hall in Palmer Gateway. • Overeaters Anonymous, 7 p.m., Puckett Realty. • Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m. • Woman's Club, 12 noon, pot luck lunch, bridge and canasta. 	9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AA, Ruidoso Arid Group, Alamos, Alateen, 8 p.m., First Christian Church. • Ruidoso Lodgers Association, 2 p.m., Library. • Village of Ruidoso Council, 7:30 p.m., Village Administration Center. • Daughters of the American Revolution, 12 noon. • Lamaze Classes, phone 257-5189. • Lions Club supper, Lions Hut. • Rotary, 12 noon, Holiday Inn. • Jaycees, 7:30 p.m., The Deck House. • Full Gospel Businessmen, 6:30 p.m., Holiday Inn. 	10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ruidoso Valley Lions Club, 12 noon, Whispering Pine Restaurant. • Ruidoso Duplicate Bridge Club, 7:30 p.m., Adult Recreation Center. • Ruidoso Boy Scouts Troop 59, 7 p.m., Presbyterian Church. • Sertoma Club, 12 noon, K-Bob's. • Knights of Columbus, 7:30 p.m., St. Eleanor's Hall. • Ruidoso Woman's Club Board, 1 p.m., club building. • Boy Scout Troop 107, 6:30 p.m., high school. • ENMU Concert Choir — Ruidoso High School Assembly. 	11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B.P.O.E. Docs, 7:30 p.m., Elks Lodge. • Eastern Star Ruidoso Chapter No. 65, 7:30 p.m., Gateway. • TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 7 p.m., First Christian Church. 	12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Love, Sex and the IRS", 8 p.m., Inn of the Mountain Gods.  VIDEO TAPING PRODUCTIONS Congratulations To This New Business!	13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carrizozo AA, 8 p.m., Rural Electric Building. • Alcoholics Anonymous Ruidoso Arid Group, 8:00 p.m., First Christian Church. • "Love, Sex and the IRS", 8 p.m., Inn of the Mountain Gods.
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