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Council nixes annexation

by TIM PALMER

Mayor George White banged his gavel at the stroke of midnight to adjourn Tuesday's village council meeting—a meeting which saw the council turn down the Sleepy Hollow annexation; accept the Lodgers' Tax Committee budget proposal; and reject a one percent increase in lodgers' tax. (See related story for report on lodgers' tax-related issues.)

Awarding of the bid for animal control services was postponed by the council after the village attorney pointed out potential problems with bid specifications.

The auditorium at village hall was filled to capacity as many Upper Canyon Association members went directly from their meeting earlier Tuesday evening to the council meeting.

Attorney John Conway, representing annexation petitioner Ruidoso Land Company, told the council the 39-acre property had been proposed for annexation previously as a development with more than 200 lots. The new plan calls for 48 single family residence lots.

Engineer Tim Collins explained the development would have six points of access, with 12 lots having access to Main Road in the Upper Canyon via Johnson Road. Collins noted the project would be very expensive because of drainage, "so we don't wash out the people down below."

Fear of being washed out was expressed repeatedly as Upper Canyon residents paraded before the council to voice opposition to the development.

Association president Hazel Haynsworth downplayed the argument of annexing to retain control of development by the village, pointing out the property is already under village jurisdiction (within one mile of village limits).

Among others objecting to the annexation were William G. Ross, "primarily because of water" (lack of supply); Bill Rawlins, citing potential for erosion and flood damage; and Mary Tom Price, who said folks in the Upper Canyon are "kinda partial" to the area and don't want too many more people.

"I am very familiar with how quickly one rainfall can come rushing down that mountainside," said Betty Skillman. She noted the argument that annexation increases the tax base, but asked, "Will taxes they pay override your expenses for developing it?"

Margaret Ferguson of Quince Circle said proposed road development would take away 15 feet of her house. Several other protesters mentioned problems that already occur with flooding.

Bill Karn, saying he was wearing the black hat Newt Page used to wear, told the council "we really don't have the water rights."

Councilman Don Dale said his concern was with village services. He indicated the village should provide services to all areas now within the village before adding other areas.

Councilman Al Junge stated there was a big difference between the Sleepy Hollow annexation and the recent Grindstone annexation. He said the latter was a situation of no annexation, no dam.

Councilman Benny Coulston said there must be a happy medium between rights of property owners and neighbors, and said the owner in this case had shown a willingness to give by dropping from 230 lots to 48. He also noted that subdivisions are historically slow in impacting on village services.

Coulston predicted that if the annexation petition were turned down, it would come before the council again. He then made a motion for the village to buy the land for a park at a price of $400,000.

Conway made a final pitch for annexation, saying the developer had shown good faith in buying land for improved access and would build a pretty, first-class development.

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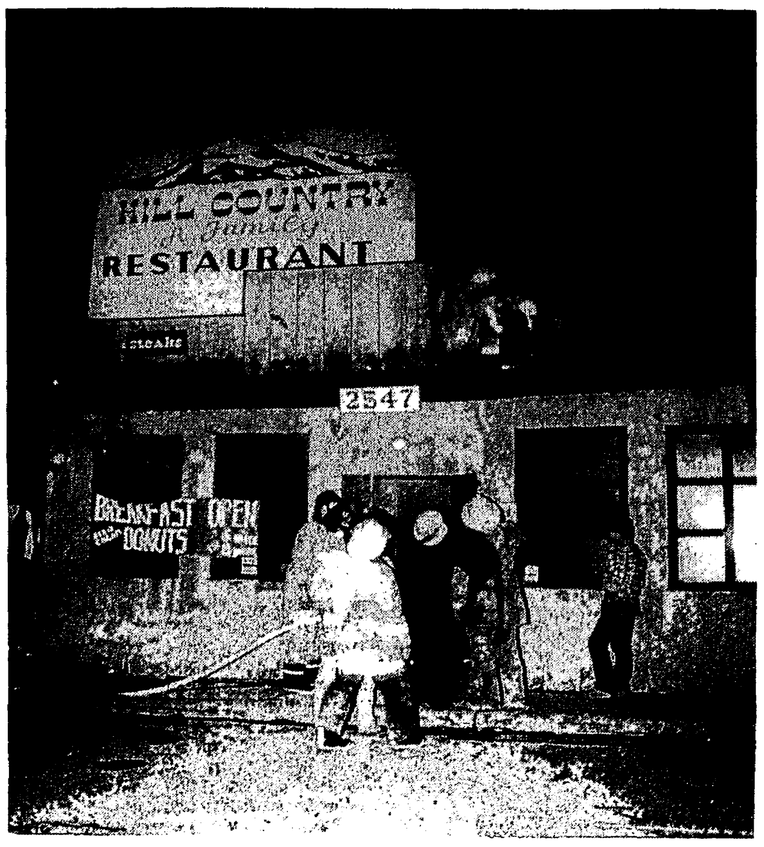

QUICK RESPONSE by the Ruidoso Volunteer Fire Department to a fire in the midtown Hill Country Restaurant kept the Wednesday night fire from spreading. Buster Hill, owner of the restaurant, said the entire front dining area and kitchen were gutted. Hill said the fire probably broke out in the kitchen. No one was at the restaurant, which also houses a donut shop, when the fire was reported shortly after 11 p.m.

Chamber 0-2 with council

by DAVID SHEPPARD
Staff Writer

The Lodgers' Tax Committee (LTC) and the Chamber of Commerce squared off before the village council Tuesday night on lodgers' tax spending proposals.

And, though the council amended several items in the LTC budget proposal to suit the Chamber, the director of the business organization indicated the Chamber came out the loser.

Additionally, the Chamber lost in its bid to have the council increase the local lodgers' tax levy from 2 to 3 percent. The council denied the request in the face of heavy opposition from lodgers.

Ed Jungbluth, executive director of the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce, filed a formal objection to the council action, after Mayor George White broke a tie vote on councilman Benny Coulston's motion to approve the budget.

White voted for the budget with Coulston and councilman Frank Sayner. Councilmen Don Dale and Al Junge voted against the budget.

After the vote, Jungbluth, who recommended the budget be tabled and a compromise be hammered out by a committee representing the council, Chamber and LTC, asked for council guidance and a redefinition of the tax committee.

"Confusion reigns at this point in time," Jungbluth said. "We need a sense of direction."

The approved budget is more in line with the proposal drafted by LTC last week than a proposal submitted by the Chamber. The Ruidoso Lodgers Association also had designed a plan for tax spending next year.

The proposal submitted to the council by LTC chairman Ed Hyman showed cuts in direct assistance to the Chamber by almost $21,000 from what the Chamber requested. Coulston's plan restored some of those cuts, but still left the Chamber about $16,000 from its originial request.

The approved budget allocates $40,000 in assistance to the Chamber, which compares to almost $56,000 the Chamber originally wanted. In an attempt to reach a compromise, the Chamber submitted a revised budget proposal to the council Tuesday with its assistance requests pared to $45,700.

The money for direct assistance—for printing and mailing costs, advertising the Art and Aspen festivals, trade show expenses and salary of a tourism promoter—does not include Chamber requests for seasonal advertising.

The council-approved budget estimates $110,000 in available tax revenues from July 1983 through June 1984. Ten percent, or $11,000, would pay village administrative expenses.

The remaining $99,000 will be allocated as follows:

- Art Festival advertising—$1,500.
- Aspen Festival advertising—$5,000
- Chamber printing costs—$10,500.
- Postage costs and printing of weekly tourist inquiries—$5,500.
- Salary of tourism promoter—$7,500.
- Trade shows—$10,000.
- Sun Country organization dues—$2,000.
- Ruidoso Motorcycle Festival advertising—$2,000.
- Direct media advertising—$54,000.

The budget also leaves $1,000 in a contingency fund, which is less than LTC requested. But Coulston, after hearing from Junge that the lodgers' tax budget showed a $6,900 surplus as of June 1, suggested the balance could be applied to the new budget.

Also, if collections lapse next year, Coulston noted the nearly $55,000 being held in bank deposits should be used to make up the shortfall.

"If monies are taken in to advertise and promote the village of Ruidoso, I feel we have a responsibility to spend those funds," he suggested.

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Horsemen talk strike

by BILLY ALLSTETTER
Staff Writer

Horsemen at Ruidoso Downs Wednesday joined horsemen at Santa Fe Downs and La Mesa Park in calling for a strike against track managements because the tracks are not contributing close to $200,000 from uncashed pari-mutuel tickets into this year's purses.

The horsemen claim management is reneging on a deal made after the passage of Senate Bill 191 in 1981. The bill, supported by horsemen, allocated the first $5,000 in daily parimutuel taxes back to the tracks.

In a meeting at Ruidoso Downs track Wednesday morning, horsemen present voted unanimously not to enter any horse race except paid-up stakes races until their grievances are solved. Ray Reed, executive secretary of the New Mexico Horsemen's Association, said he learned that votes were nearly unanimous at both other tracks.

According to law, the horsemen must give 15-day notice before withdrawing from races. They are currently signing petitions to make sure everything is legal, and will make a decision sometime early next week when to stop racing, said Reed.

Reed emphasized that the horsemen are being very businesslike in their attempts to organize a legitimate and unified strike.

According to the petition being signed, no horsemen will enter any races in New Mexico until all three racetracks contribute out-tickets to the purses.

In letters to the New Mexico Horsemen's Association and Horsebreeders Association, dated February 11, 1981, and signed by general managers or presidents of the three tracks and the New Mexico State Fair, management wrote:

"In return for your active support, individually and collectively, of Senate Bill 191 ... the undersigned tracks agree, that when Senate Bill 191 goes into effect without amendment, we will in the future allocate funds to purses on the following basis; ... all funds from uncashed parimutuel tickets during a particular season to purses during the following season."

The horsemen claim the tracks did contribute the out-tickets from 1981 to the 1982 purses, but have not contributed 1982 out-tickets to 1983 purses.

"We just want to see the agreement honored," said Bob Arnett, executive board member of the horsemen's association.

Horsemen did acknowledge that Senate Bill 191 was amended before passage, but feel the tracks still owe them the money because the tracks essentially got what they wanted out of the bill.

Reed said he first approached the racetracks about the out-tickets earlier this year but was told the money was the tracks' and to bring his lawyer if he wanted to dispute it. Reed said he did bring the horsemen's lawyer to the tracks but track managements still refused to contribute the out-tickets to the purses.

The disputed $200,000 is a very small percentage of the season's purse, but could make a difference to horsemen in Ruidoso, said Reed.

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Submitting airport application okayed

by DAVID SHEPPARD
Staff Writer

The Sierra Blanca Airport Commission, acting on a recommendation from Governor Toney Anaya, Wednesday authorized chairman Fred Heckman to submit an application to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) for transfer of federal land on Fort Stanton Mesa.

The application is for the transfer of 1,666 acres of Bureau of Land Management (BLM) property to the FAA for construction of a regional airport.

Anaya said last week he supports the transfer and that he has contacted Interior Secretary James Watt asking him to approve the application.

State Aviation Director Bob White, who was present at the SBAC meeting, explained that Anaya decided on Site B after state Transportation Secretary Judith Espinosa briefed him on the status of two proposed airport sites on the mesa.

"I think it was a very good presentation of both sides of the issue," White said.

Anaya gave Site A "serious consideration," White said, but it was the governor's view "we would only be buying time" if an airport were built on the land, which is being rapidly encroached upon by a housing development.

The preferred site is divided into grazing pastures developed by New Mexico State University (NMSU) to conduct experiments. The university manages the land under a 20-year cooperative agreement with BLM.

An airport commission member, noting NMSU's long opposition to airport development on Site B, asked White if the university is still against the proposal in light of Anaya's stand.

White noted the NMSU Board of Regents met Monday to discuss the new development in the land controversy. He said that since the board did not express its opposition in a formal vote, "that indicates less resistance."

Heckman and White also explained the process agreed to by parties attending a February 1981 meeting with then-Senator Harrison Schmitt that outlined the need for an independent study of the grazing research.

White said the agreement, which is contained in a letter accompanying the application for transfer, was that the National Academy of Sciences would evaluate the research and decide if the experiments and an airport could coexist.

"They determined the research was valuable and the two could not coexist," White explained.

But the Academy panel stopped short of determining "the highest and best use of the land," White said. That determination, according to the agreement, was to be made by political officials, he added.

"Basically, that's what Governor Anaya has made," he said.

Abiding by Anaya's recommendation, the commission will apply for the transfer through the Albuquerque FAA office. The application spells out the boundaries of the site, and the reasons why it is preferred over Site A.

The first phase of the airport would be built on 275 acres, with ultimate development on 575 acres not necessary until after the year 2000.

In an attempt to show cooperation with NMSU, the commission says in the application it would make areas not required to be fenced-in available for the continuation of research. Initially, that would be almost 1,400 acres for university use, and 1,090 acres after 20 years.

The application also notes the airport has been the top priority in the New Mexico Airport System Plan for over 10 years.

White said funding of the project, estimated at over $7 million, should be readily available for the next few years.

"I would say that right now and within the next two-three years, the prospects for funding of this project are very, very good," he said.

White said the Airport and Airway Improvement Act passed by Congress last year substantially increased airport user fees which are to be targeted towards improvements. He estimated there will be up to $1 billion available in the federal fund in the 1984 fiscal year.

Also, White noted the state has proposed to allocate "a substantial investment" for the airport, which he said would amount to about $1 million.

White said he could not predict on when Watt will decide on the transfer request.

WEATHER REPORT

Wednesday's low	35
Wednesday's high	80
Thursday's low	39
Thursday's predicted high	80
Friday's predicted low	40
Friday's predicted high	80

The National Weather Service in Albuquerque is predicting partly cloudy skies with widely scattered thundershowers Thursday and Friday afternoons. Winds will be southerly at 5-15 miles per hour. Showers will decrease Thursday night with light and variable winds. Chances of precipitation through Friday are 20 percent. Saturday will continue with widely scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers. Skies will clear Sunday and Monday. Highs over the weekend will be mostly in the 70's with lows in the upper 30's to near 50.

Santa Fean named Nob Hill principal

by BARBY GRANT
Staff Writer

Roger L. Sowder of Santa Fe was named the new Nob Hill Elementary School principal by the Ruidoso Board of Education Tuesday.

Sowder, 38, has taught physical education programs at Chaparral Elementary School in Santa Fe for the past 13 years. He has a bachelor's degree in elementary education with an endorsement in mathematics and a master's in school administration, both from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales. He has completed additional education at Highlands University in Las Vegas.

Sowder graduated from Portales High School.

He will take over the position at Nob Hill from Donnie Weems, who will transfer to White Mountain Elementary School (WMES) as principal. WMES principal Mike Gladden will move to the administration building as associate superintendent July 1.

The school board Tuesday also issued a call for bids on construction of phase three of the new high school. This phase, estimated to cost $2.4 million, will consist of gymnasium facilities and completion of the administrative wing.

Included in the physical education complex will be locker rooms, shower rooms, dressing areas for girls and boys physical education and athletics, coaches' offices, athletic and gymnastics storage areas, bleachers, concessions, wrestling rooms and a weight and training room. The facility will feature a sunken gym floor and total approximately 48,000 square feet, architect Steve Strain reported.

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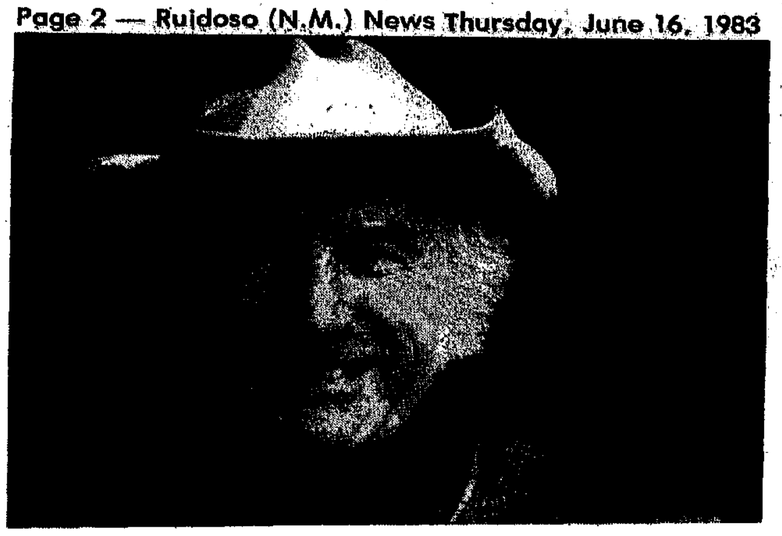
WITH HIS FOOT pressing down the calf's head, Preston Stone touches the "O" iron to the calf's jowl—the first mark of the "Circle A" brand. Cowboys performed a branding demonstration at Stone's ranch, the last stop on Saturday's Lincoln County Ranch Tour. For more photos and a story on the tour, turn to Section C.



GRITS GRESHAM, author, outdoorsman and Miller Lite commercial celebrity will speak at the Chamber of Commerce banquet Wednesday, June 29, at Cree Meadows Restaurant.

Banquet speaker Grits

Gresham true sportsman

by BILLY ALLSTETTER
Staff Writer

The Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce has scheduled its annual banquet for Wednesday, June 29, and is expecting featured speaker Grits Gresham to draw a capacity crowd at Cree Meadows Restaurant.

Chamber officers will present the two HN'ZHU'NE awards during the banquet.

Author-outdoorsman Gresham cohosted the "American Sportsman" television series and has written articles for almost every major outdoor magazine in the country. He is probably best known for his appearances on Miller Lite beer commercials, however.

"It isn't fair," Gresham once joked during an interview. "I go to college for eight years, had the highest academic average in forestry in LSU, host 'American Sportsman' for 13 years, write books and thousands of articles, and then I make one beer commercial, and that's what people remember."

Gresham enjoys the exposure the commercials have brought him, though. He tells about the time he got on an elevator in Ethiopia and someone asked, "Just how big was that fish?"

Gresham has been recognized for more than his commercials, however. Earlier this year he was voted Winchester-Western Outdoorsman of the Year for his contributions to hunting, shooting and conservation.

Conservation is one of his favorite subjects. He cites persuading the ABC network to include information about conservation and wildlife management on the "American Sportsman" as one of his best accomplishments, with more effect than years of writing on the subject.

"We have to police our ranks," he said of hunters. "We have a lot of 'slob hunters.' Hunters can't tolerate people who don't respect the game they're hunting."

Gresham has practical experience in wildlife management, having served a stint as Refuge Manager for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. He has a master's degree in Wildlife Management as well.

Gresham wrote a syndicated outdoor newspaper column for 20 years. He has written five books, including "The Sportsman and His Family Outdoors" and "The Complete Book of Bass Fishing."

Today he is shooting editor for "Sports Afield" and hosts a television series of the same name. He owns a vacation resort and hunting preserve in Louisiana and is a consultant for many outdoor product manufacturers.

His many occupations keep him busy traveling around the world. In one month he may be hunting in Africa, testing a new rifle in Germany and speaking in Ruidoso.

Chamber of Commerce executive director Ed Jungbluth promised to keep speeches, including his own, to a minimum to allow more time for Gresham's talk.

The Chamber banquet will also serve as the award ceremony for the HN'ZHU'NE awards, given annually to business owners who have most improved the outside appearance of their buildings. This year the Chamber has included a category for new construction, as well as the original for remodeling. All HN'ZHU'NE' nominees are invited to the banquet.

Jungbluth invited anyone interested in the awards or Gresham's speech to the dinner. A no host bar will open at 6:30 p.m. with the buffet dinner beginning at 7:30.

The menu for dinner will include a baron of beef, chicken Cordon Bleu, fried shrimp, a variety of salads and vegetables, rolls and assorted desserts. The price of the dinner will be $18. Tickets are available through the Chamber and can be reserved by calling 257-7935.

Horsemen

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The horsemen receive a percentage of the daily betting handle which they use to supply the racing purses. According to Reed, the horsemen's association currently owes the purse structure at Ruidoso Downs $74,631 for this year's races. The $90,000 the horsemen claim they are owed by the track would put them more than $15,000 in the black.

The 1983 Legislature passed a bill allocating half the out-tickets to the tracks and half to the horsemen. As a result, the horsemen are only disputing the distribution of out-tickets from 1982.

At the meeting Monday morning, Reed and horsemen's association director Don Farris warned horsemen that they must be committed to the strike if they decided to pursue it.

"If we go into it, we've got to stick with it," said Farris, who warned that it could be as long as a month without racing if the strike goes through.

"If we don't win this battle, we are washed up as a group," Farris continued. He pointed to other strikes by the horsemen that have failed.

When asked for a vote on the strike, approximately 90 percent of those present at the meeting voted in favor. No one voted against it.

Reed told horsemen at the meeting that if horsemen around the state could produce a show of strength, the Racing Commission may enter the dispute. Reed also said Governor Toney Anaya is being kept well informed about the situation. He predicted after the meeting that Anaya may do something once the racing industry's taxes stop coming into the state's coffers.

MAYOR GEORGE WHITE cuts a ribbon made of 300 $1 bills at the grand opening of First City National Bank of Ruidoso Monday. On his left is Reed Chittim, president and chief executive officer of First City Financial Corporation of Albuquerque. At right is Joe Loving, president and chief executive officer of First City National Bank of Ruidoso.

Council

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Coulston cast the lone vote in favor of making the land a park. He then moved that an ordinance for annexation be drawn up, but his motion died for lack of a second.

The councilman told the Upper Canyon group it is easy to say one is against something, "but you're not doing the owner of the land right."

The subject of animal control came up early in Tuesday's meeting when Allison Walstad of Lincoln County Humane Society told the council her organization is trying to raise money for an animal shelter. She suggested a six-month renewable contract for animal control be awarded, because the shelter may be built in that time and can be made available to whoever holds the contract.

Mayor White referred to the recent dog attack on his wife, noting she is still hospitalized. "She's suffering the pains and agonies of hell because of a loose dog," he said, and asked for input on a leash law.

Coulston later asked the Humane Society to address the question of a leash law. Former Humane Society president Ed Jungbluth said the group would totally favor such a law.

Three bids were received for animal control. They were from Humane Control (Jack Miller)—$48,166.38 per year; D and J Service (Jim Wooldridge)—$39,000 per year; and Ruidoso-Fort Stanton Animal Control (Jack Sniadecki)—$61,568.23 per year.

Councilman Frank Sayner asked village attorney Lee Huckstep if he had reviewed the bid specifications. Huckstep said he had, and pointed out that the specs differed from the current contract, approved two years ago.

The new specs require facilities for 50 animals, as opposed to 200 animals in the current contract, said Huckstep. They also state that certain professional qualifications are desirable, whereas before they were required.

But the biggest change, according to Huckstep, is the absence of a cancellation clause in the specs. The current contract has four cancellation clauses, he explained.

The lack of the clause would put the village in a bad spot if it wanted to terminate the contract, said Huckstep. He called the lack "a serious omission."

The attorney also noted the contract, which expires July 1, cannot be extended but must be awarded anew. Sayner questioned why the village purchasing department did not follow the recommendations of the village attorney in drawing up the specs.

A motion to reject the specs as bid by the three bidders passed. The council decided to take up the matter again at a special meeting at 4 p.m. next Tuesday, June 21.

In other business, the council:

—Approved an agreement with Paul Whitwam to pay $500 a month for use of his property adjoining the police-courts building.

—Tabled Ordinance 83-5, annexation of the high school tract, until the July 12 meeting, waiting on a meeting with the school board.

—Passed Ordinance 83-6 and 83-7 as required by the state Legislature. The ordinances require that a charge of $5 be added to all fines for traffic offenses in municipal court, with the money required to go toward maintenance of the municipal jail or county jail.

—Approved the low bid of Lincoln Communications—$11,480—for erection of police antenna tower.

—Delayed awarding of bids for water line and accessories, pending consultation with purchasing agent John Cupp, who was out of town. The decision came after a representative of one bidder, Alamo Pipe and Supply, protested specs on one item and tabulation of one of his company's bids. The matter will be taken up again at the June 21 special meeting.

—Approved the appointment of Mrs. John Thompson to the Eagle Creek Water Users board.

—Approved budget change on revenue sharing funds in current budget.

—Heard Junge explain a change of policy on lodgers' tax collections, by which civil action will ensue once payments are 60 days late. Junge also complimented the police chief on his interview/hiring practice. He also reported the swimming pool took in almost $5,000 in its first 12 days of operation, with the water slide accounting for $2,000.

—Approved replats and rezonings previously approved by Planning and Zoning Commission.

Chamber

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Tom Dorgan, president of the Ruidoso Business Association (RBA), which organizes the motorcycle festival, asked why the festival advertising request was cut from the $4,000 proposed by LTC.

Coulston explained the reduction was based on the same reason money was cut from the Aspen and Art festivals. After such tourist attractions receive seed money to become established, Coulston said, the events eventually should become self sustaining.

Junge, who said he also had amendments to the budget but didn't have a chance to voice them, supported the Chamber's request for festival advertising, noting profits made from the Art Festival help balance the Chamber budget.

Hyman stressed that if advertising Chamber events is included in the annual advertising plan, extra money can be allocated to the Chamber out of the $54,000.

Tommy Morel, director of sales and marketing at the Inn of the Mountain Gods and chairman of the Chamber advertising committee, said he would be happy to share marketing research done by the resort with local representatives to design an annual spending plan.

"We can all help each other," Morel said.

Chamber president James Paxton and director Tom Kelham both wanted the budget tabled so a compromise could be drawn.

Paxton also claimed the tax committee drafted an unrealistic budget.

"The five people you have appointed to this tax committee are definitely in a field by themselves," Paxton told the council.

After the budget vote, Jungbluth and other Chamber representatives presented a case for a raise in the lodgers' tax from two percent to three percent, but they faced vocal opposition from lodgers attending the meeting.

The lengthy meeting, which was characterized by discussion on several controversial items, heated up again when Jungbluth criticized local lodgers for being ignorant about their industry.

"In many cases the people are not industry-wise to what transpires in their industry," Jungbluth claimed.

The additional tax would bring in about $50,000 at current collection levels, Jungbluth noted, and the increase also would qualify the village for extra advertising monies appropriated by the 1983 Legislature.

Lodger Slover Cape said he didn't appreciate "the bs from Ed (Jungbluth)" in telling lodgers "how stupid we are," and pointed out almost every Ruidoso motel owner opposes an additional one percent tax.

Ruidoso Lodgers Association president Glen Ferguson said he polled 48 of the 51 Ruidoso lodging establishments, and 43 owners were against the increase.

Furthermore, Ferguson said in a letter to the council that "the tax situation in Ruidoso has reached a point where our guests have a feeling of being ripped off." If the village continues to "sock it" to tourists, Ferguson said, "This is a sure way to give him the message—do not return to Ruidoso!"

Sayner pointed out the council transferred $30,000 out of the general fund for advertising of the village next year so the tax would not have to be raised.

Because of the "tremendous division of opinion" on the increase, Junge recommended tabling the Chamber's request.

The council finally voted 3-0 to deny the request, with Junge abstaining.

Santa Fean

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Bids are scheduled to be opened July 14 at 2 p.m., although Strain pointed out he may request a one-week extension of the bid opening. The architect explained that five major projects are being bid that same week, which may lessen competition among contractors on each project.

Strain said the school district may save considerable money by providing contractors an additional week to submit a bid, although he will not ask for an extension unless prompted to do so by major contractors.

He reported that construction of phase one of the new school—the central core and science wing—is 85 to 87.7 percent complete. Phase two—classrooms and vocational education wing—is 22.1 to 25 percent complete.

The only portion of construction not on schedule is installation of utilites, Strain reported, which is "a year behind."

"Utilities are still a major problem," the architect remarked. He said utility services are being held up because the village council has not yet approved the right-of-way easement for installaton of lines. Inspection and completion of phase one construction will have to be postponed until electricity is hooked up, Strain reported. He predicted the same problem may occur with phase two.

Strain said he expected the village council to act on the right-of-way that evening at its regular council meeting, but no such action was taken.

The architect also reported that the work on asbestos encapsulation at Nob Hill Elementary School will be put off until July 5 because the contractor is also doing the work on the Roswell schools. He said the work will still be done within the 60-day time limit stipulated in the bid specifications.

White Mountain Middle School diagnostician Karen Tillman reported on test scores for the 1981-82 school year. A total of 98 percent of local students taking the New Mexico High School Proficiency Exam scored at or above the proficiency standard, compared to 88 percent at that level statewide.

Tillman said students did not attain high scores last year on the Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills, which was a new revised edition. She said the scores improved this year after curriculum changes were made to address problem areas.

American College Test (ACT) results received thus far this year also look good, she reported.

Other changes in personnel were made Tuesday when the board acted on a number of hirings and resignations. The resignation of White Mountain Middle School band instructor Leroy Gooch was accepted with regret. Other resignations accepted were from Elmer Chavez, high school Spanish teacher and volleyball coach, and Sue Higgins, first grade teacher.

New teachers hired for next year include Churchill Cooke as middle school music director, Karen Sue Seitz as gifted program teacher, Lynda Sanchez as high school Spanish teacher, James Hofstad as mid school special education instructor, Linda Lott as first grade teacher, Gloria Pafford as Nob Hill special education teacher, Nancy Anderson as fourth grade teacher, Iva Gurele as third grade teacher, Judy Morris as sixth grade instructor and Pernina Martin as second grade teacher, subject to acquisition of a portable building.

Also hired was Robert Eamillo as a bus driver.

In other business, the school board:

—Denied a request from Ruth Gardner for use of the high school library for a transactional analysis workshop.

—Approved a request from the Noon Lions for use of the high school gymnasium for a children's show July 2 or 3.

—Called for bids on milk products for 1983-84; typewriters for the business and music departments and White Mountain Middle School; and an activity van.

—Opened bids on janitorial supplies and authorized [illegible] to review them.

—Awarded the bid on maintenance of office machines to C & R Business Machines for the apparent low bid of $6,867.

—Voted to award the bid on workmen's compensation insurance to either Buckley Real Estate and Insurance or Perteet-Parks and Associates, pending determination of which is the true low bidder.

—Approved the Title I application in the amount of $42,361.

—Heard a report from superintendent Pat Valliant on the history of teachers' salaries from 1950 to the present. Salaries have risen in that time from an average of $3,375 to the present level of $24,466.

—Were reminded of the sale of bonds scheduled June 28 at 11 a.m.

—Received a letter from attorney Dick Parsons regarding action on alleged breach of contract on service of business machines by PON Business Machine Service. Parsons recommended the matter be turned over to the insurance company.

—Signed a quitclaim deed on the easement at the new high school site to the Village of Ruidoso.

—Voiced appreciation to Valliant upon his retirement after serving 28 years in the school district.

County to study lodgers' tax proposal

by BARBY GRANT
Staff Writer

Lincoln County commissioners took no action Tuesday on a request to implement a lodgers' tax, but did appoint commissioner Ken Nosker to head a committee to study the proposal.

The request was made by Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce executive director Ed Jungbluth and president Jim Paxton. Jungbluth explained that additional funds are needed for advertising area and county-wide activities, now funded by taxes collected by Ruidoso lodgers.

"Lodgers in Ruidoso feel a little bent that they're the ones who carry the load in collection of the tax," Jungbluth pointed out. Ruidoso Downs has also been asked to implement the tax.

District Attorney Steve Sanders clarified that the board of commissioners could impose the tax only upon lodging establishments located outside the limits of an incorporated municipality. Jungbluth named four lodging businesses which could be taxed, in the vicinity of Ruidoso.

Nosker voiced interest in the proposal, indicating he would like to solicit input from lodgers in the county.

"I think the answer to your problem is annexation by Ruidoso," chairman John Allen Hightower commented. He said he would want to know how much revenue the tax would bring in and how much trouble its implementation would cause the county.

Nosker urged the other commissioners to agree to a study of the proposal and was named to head a committee to study it.

Also discussed Tuesday were problems with the county sanitary landfills. A joint powers agreement with Fort Stanton Hospital and Training School for use of its landfill to replace the one in Lincoln prompted discussion of the landfill in Hondo. Nosker reported he has received a number of complaints about the difficulty of dumping into the landfill pit because of trash piled on the edge.

The commissioner also complained of the unsightliness of trash blown onto the road leading to the landfill.

Possible solutions mentioned were charging residents for dumping and hiring someone to watch that trash is dumped into the pit; relocating the Hondo landfill; and closing the landfill temporarily, which would force all county residents to use the landfill in Fort Stanton.

The agreement for use of the land in Hondo terminates at the end of June. Nosker said he promised area residents some answer to their complaints.

It was finally agreed that Nosker and road department superintendent Guy Henley would try to have the contract extended for 60 days while a more permanent solution is worked out. In the meantime, Sheriff Tom Sullivan reported his department has been busy issuing citations to individuals caught with trash blowing onto the road on the way to the landfill.

A lot of time during the meeting was also spent discussing requests for specialized lists from the county's computer of names and addresses on county tax rolls and voters registration. Commissioners had previously approved one request for such a list for Ken Cohen, but a question arose about whether to supply him with a printout list or a diskette.

The information must be available to the public, according to state statute, but no stipulation is made as to how it is made available.

Information on a diskette or tape is more readily transferable to another computer system and could more easily be resold than information on a printout, it was explained. County officials voiced opposition to selling diskettes or tapes whenever requested, indicating the information could easily be resold to anyone and used for any purpose.

Cohen was requesting the county give him the information on a diskette. Commissioners voted to allow Cohen to purchase the diskette but to give more consideration to such requests in the future.

In other business, commissioners:

—Heard a report on an energy audit of county buildings conducted under the federal National Energy Conservation Act, administered by the state.

—Granted requests for closing of a road through Glen Draper's property and road AO12 near Diamond A Cattle Company.

—Tabled a request to open a road and reroute part of it that is on National Forest Land, pending discussion with Forest Service personnel.

—Signed an amended contract with the Carrizozo-Corona health clinic.

—Adopted a resolution to increase the budget by $458,000 for funds received from the state for use on maintenance of county roads.

—Reviewed the five-year plan for work on bridges

—Approved a request from the New Mexico Association of Counties for $150 for lobbying in favor of federal Payments in Lieu of Taxes.

—Amended the agreement between the Forest Service and the sheriff to account for $6,000 the Forest Service is paying the sheriff's department to detect and eradicate marijuana on national forest land.

—Approved pay estimate number six for the Ruidoso suboffice construction, and voted to hold final payment on the Carrizozo administration building until ceiling panels damaged by leaks are replaced.

—Approved a budget increase for bills being higher than anticipated.

—Decided against imposing a gross receipts tax on businesses outside incorporated municipal limits.

—Granted permission for erection of a shed to house maintenance equipment.

—Met in executive session to discuss litigation.

People

Middle school final honor roll students listed

Students making the White Mountain Middle School Honor Roll were announced recently.

Joy Stickney made the nine weeks A honor roll for seventh grade.

On the sixth grade nine weeks A honor roll were Eric Collins, Julie Shade, Leslee Spencer, Amy Thornton, Julie Dolgener, Cassie McIntosh, Amber Nunnally and Toby O'Neil.

Hamilton Carter made the nine weeks B honor roll for eighth grade.

Jennifer Flores, Aimie Bailey and Candace Makowski made the nine weeks B honor roll for the seventh grade.

On the nine weeks B honor roll for sixth grade were Kerensa Blanchard, Charlie McCornack, Andrea Gomez, Heather Najero, Dari Steirwalt, Michael Swanner, Derek Moorhead, Heather Delling, Nita Murray, Robyn Ramsey, Tisha Sanchez, Matt Beatty, Jesse Foster, Jennifer Harris, Angela Jones and Lesley Lopez.

Those students with a semester A in the sixth grade were Matt Beatty, Julie Dolgener, Cassie McIntosh, Amber Nunnally, Toby O'Neil, Eric Collins, Julie Shade and Amy Thornton.

Those receiving a semester B in the sixth grade were Heather Allen, Mandy Farus, Jesse Foster, Debbie Friberg, Leah Garrett, Jennifer Harris, Angela Jones, Lesley Lopez, Derek Moorhead, Dari Stierwalt, Michael Swanner, Kelly Casey, Heather Delling, Nita Murray, Robyn Ramsey, Tisha Sanchez and Leslee Spenser.

Tuttle appointed bank branch manager

Wren Tuttle of Ruidoso has been made branch manager of the Security Bank branch near the post office.

Tuttle, a graduate of Corpus Cristi State University, has worked for Security bank for two years. Starting as a teller, Tuttle was crosstrained in the Escrow department and the New Accounts department.

WREN TUTTLE

Mothers of Twins hosting family picnic this Monday

The Mothers of Twins Club is sponsoring a family picnic 6 p.m. Monday, June 20, at Two Rivers Park. The public is invited, especially families with twins.

Fried chicken will be available, but families are requested to bring potluck vegetables, salads and desserts.

Adults will be charged $3, but children can attend free. For more information call Sheila Burns at 257-7698.

Fitness fun on program for GOP Women

Registered dietician and jazzercise instructor Rosine Stout will present a program on the fun of fitness and exercise during a meeting of the Federated Republican Women of Lincoln County, Tuesday, June 21, at the Swiss Chalet.

The business meeting will begin at 11 a.m. The program and lunch will follow.

For further information call Dorothy Smith at 354-2399 or Dorothy Barber at 258-3348.

Humane Society sponsoring logo contest

The Lincoln County Humane Society is sponsoring a logo contest.

Anything may be submitted. A $50 prize will be given for the winning design.

The deadline for submission is June 25. Send entries to Lincoln County Humane Society, Box 1189, Ruidoso Downs, 88346.

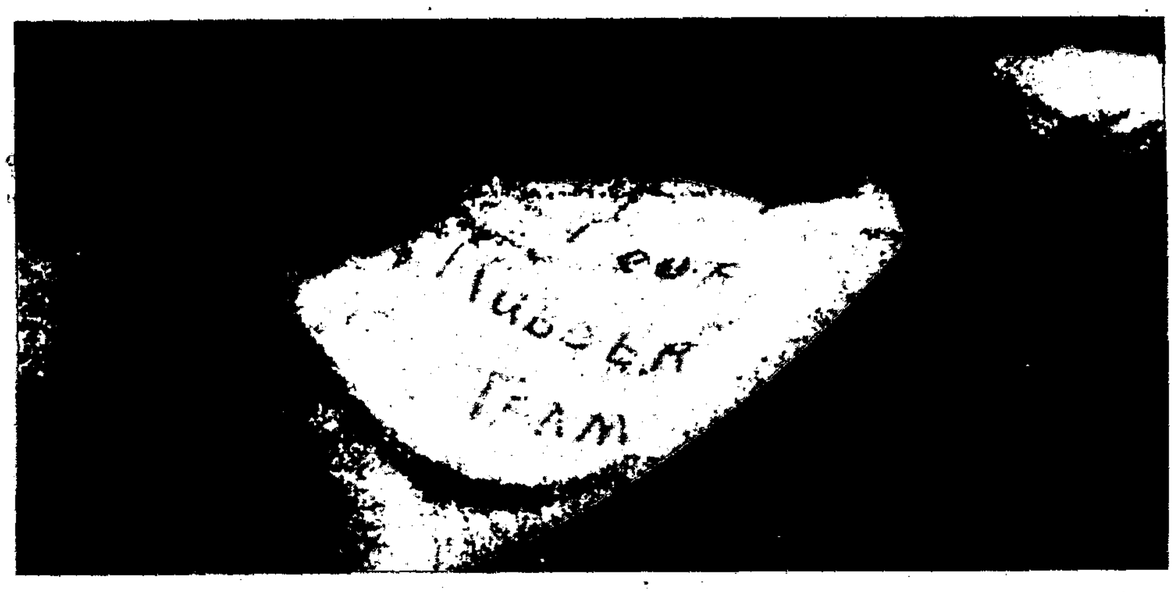
The Lincoln County Humane Society will meet at 6:30 today (Thursday) at the Chamber of Commerce.

Jehovah's Witnesses attend conventions

The members of the Ruidoso and Capitan congregations were among 1,142 Jehovah's Witnesses attending a two-day convention in Silver City. They are now preparing for a four-day convention this month.

A series of 104 district conventions of Jehovah's Witnesses are planned in the United States during June and July.

One of these conventions is planned for the Chaparral Center in Midland, Texas. Frank Bartell, convention manager, said 4,500 Jehovah's Witnesses from southwest Texas and southeast New Mexico are anticipated for the meetings. This number includes the members of the Ruidoso and Capitan congregations.



SOBBING for the poor Chamber membership drive team headed by the rubber salesman Dan Shaver are (from left) Jimmy Goodwin, Nancy Shaver, Sandy Dacy and Tommy Morel. Dacy and her teammates feel sorry for Shaver, who they say will lose the membership drive contest for the fourth year in a row.

Choir to be featured in Father's Day service

First Baptist Church in Ruidoso will have a special Father's Day service 11 a.m. Sunday.

The service will feature the adult choir in concert singing favorite anthems and gospel songs. There will also be a short address.

The pastor of the church is Wylie Cartwright, and the minister of music is Paul Tapp.

The piano accompanist will be Janie Bennett, and Karen Pilgreen will play the organ.

The church would like to invite all area residents and weekend visitors to the service.

Library now loans cameras

The Ruidoso Public Library now has Polaroid instant cameras that can be borrowed free of charge.

"As of today they are part of our circulating collection," librarian Mary Lou Gooch said.

The Ruidoso Public Library is participating in "Check This Out," a program providing free instant cameras to public libraries across the United States. The cameras, which are from the Sun series, feature built-in electronic flash and one button operation.

Sponsored by the Customer Service Division of Polaroid Corporation, the program is being offered in cooperation with the American Library Association.

At the Ruidoso Public Library, persons 18 years old or older with a valid library card may borrow a camera for up to one week. Patrons must supply their own film.

Salvation Army truck coming

The Salvation Army truck will be in Ruidoso Thursday, June 23, to pick up unwanted items such as furniture, appliances and clothing.

Any area resident who would like items picked up should call Barbara Duff at 257-2340 or the Chamber of Commerce at 257-7395 to schedule a pickup.

McGuire to meet with education officials

State Representative Mickey McGuire will be traveling to Albuquerque June 23 for a meeting with T. H. Bell, Secretary of the U.S. Department of Education, members of the Education Commission of the States and public officials.

The meeting will be a forum on implementing the recommendations of the National Commission on Excellence in Education.

Summer school classes begin Monday

Registration for Ruidoso Christian School's summer classes is at 8:30 a.m. Monday, June 20, at First Baptist Church of Ruidoso Downs.

Language arts and math classes for elementary and secondary grade levels will be offered.

The classes will meet through August 2.

American Legion post hosting reunion

The Robert J. Hagee American Legion Post 79 and Auxiliary Unit 79 are having a reunion for old and new members.

The reunion will be at 7 p.m. Monday, June 20, at U.S. Highway 70 and Spring Road.

The uniform of the day is old clothes or "come as you are." Refreshments will be available.

Theater meeting

Ruidoso Little Theatre will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 at Nottingham's Pub. All interested persons are invited to attend.

On Campus

Connie Margaret Kitten of Ruidoso has been awarded a $200 Amarillo Advertising Club Scholarship for the 1983-84 year, at Texas Tech University.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. O'Neall Jr.

Michael James Clarke of Ruidoso has been awarded a $200 Eunice C. Mowery Scholarship for the 1983-84 year, at Texas Tech University.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clarke Sr.

Two pass exam

Grant E. Gist and William D. Stroud of Ruidoso recently passed the Real Estate Broker's examination given by the New Mexico Real Estate Commission.

Group to minister here this Sunday

Gateway Assembly of God Church will host "Divine Touch" 10:30 a.m. Sunday, June 19.

"Divine Touch" is a group of nine young people who minister in song, sign language and drama, preaching God's word.

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Sports

GETTING A ROPE on a steer is Gerald Tully (right) during competition in the Gerald Tully Roping Event over the weekend. Tully's partner is John D. Holleyman. Tully won the overall title in the century division. Ropers from all over the southwest participated in the competition.

Gerald Tully top performer in his team roping tournament

The man for whom the Gerald Tully Team Roping Event was named stole the show at the second annual edition of that competition last weekend in Glencoe.

Gerald Tully, who will be 80 years old next month, won the century division title and a belt buckle for his efforts. The century division was composed of teams with men whose combined ages equaled or exceeded 100 years.

Tully, a longtime rodeo standout, had the second and fourth fastest times in his division and won the overall championship.

He teamed with Sonny Sanchez to record a 30.28 time and combined with Emilio Vasquez for a 32.41 clocking. Cowboy Jones and Tommy Price had the fastest single time in the century division with a 29.62 effort.

Gerry Tully, Gerald's son and a teacher at Ruidoso High School, teamed with Otho Woodrow for a 32.67 time, fifth fastest in the century division.

Team roping was also held in the B, open, mixed, A-B and one-over-40 divisions.

In barrel racing competition, Debra Bean won Saturday's competition, completing the course in 18.22. Phyllis Newton captured the Sunday competition with a 16.96 time. Carrie Gard won the junior racer competition.

Prizes were awarded to the winners in each division.

Competitors from all over the southwest were entered in the roping event.

Brown top local tennis player in Southwest junior tourney

by Gary Brown
Sports Writer

Ryan Brown of Ruidoso played probably his best tennis of the season as he advanced to the third round before being eliminated in the boys 16-age division of the Southwestern Junior Sectional Tournament in Tucson, Arizona Tuesday.

Brown's effort led the way for four other Ruidoso netters in the tournament. Other local players who competed were Bart Bowen, Jim Smith, Mike Smith and Laura Trapp.

Brown, 15, defeated Alan Livingston of El Paso, Texas, 6-0, 6-0, in the opening round of the tournament Monday morning.

The Ruidoso High School athlete then toppled Tom Curtis of Phoenix, Arizona in two sets, 6-3, 6-0, in the second round.

Brown lost his third-round match Tuesday to Todd Belfer of Scottsdale, Arizona by a 6-2, 6-0 score. He then lost out in a consolation match half an hour later, falling to Tripp Sickler of Tucson, 6-2, 6-2.

"Ryan played well," said Ruidoso coach Mike Crocker. "He played probably his best tennis of the year against Curtis. Ryan really got into his serves and got his groove out. The other guy didn't serve and volley that much, but he had some good strokes.

"Against Belfer, Ryan did well but the other guy seemed like he was a little more patience and that might have been the difference. Belfer's ranked ninth in the section.

"Ryan's only 15 and can compete in the same age bracket next year. He did as good this year in the 16-age bracket as he did last year in the 14-age bracket."

Brown also teamed with Jim Smith in the 16-doubles competition. The pair won their first match but lost their second. Mike Smith and Bowen lost their opening doubles match.

Bowen, Jim Smith, Mike Smith and Trapp all lost their first-round singles matches against tough competition.

Bowen played Jim Smith in a consolation singles match and took an exciting 6-4, 6-4 decision.

"It was a good, competitive match," Crocker said of the Bowen-Jim Smith encounter. "It was fun to watch. The Smith boys will do better next year with more experience."

Trapp, who was undefeated during the high school regular season this past spring, lost a 6-2, 6-4 decision to a player from Prescott, Arizona in the first round of the girls' 18-age division. The Ruidoso player was then eliminated in the consolation round.

"Laura played pretty well," Crocker remarked.

Ordorica wins opener in national tournament

David Ordorica has just three more steps to take to achieve a goal few Junior Olympic boxers realize.

The Ruidoso-Lincoln County Police Athletic League (PAL) Boxing Team athlete took an impressive decision over Jamie Slack of Iowa in the first round of the National Junior Olympics Tournament in St. Paul, Minnesota Wednesday night.

Ordorica, fighting in the 80-pound senior division, will box at 1 p.m. today. If he wins, he will advance to the Friday semi-finals. The finals are on Saturday.

"Davy said he felt and looked pretty good," said PAL coach Lucky Mulqueen, who talked with Ordorica over the phone. "I don't know who he'll box today."

Ordorica has a 19-5 record and has won four state championships in the past year.

The Junior Olympics finals will be shown tape-delayed on ESPN-TV at 6 p.m. Sunday.

Elks stun Security Bank, 10-5

The Elks pulled a stunning upset in Ruidoso Little League Major Division action Monday night when they defeated first-half champion Security Bank 10-5 at the Little League field.

In another Major Division contest, Ruidoso State Bank took a forfeit victory from First City National Bank as the latter team did not have enough players show up.

Matt Bailey pitched an excellent game in picking up the victory for the Elks. He had 10 strikeouts and gave up just one walk in the four innings he pitched. Michael Swanner did a good job pitching for Security Bank.

Corey Capps belted a grand-slam home run to spark the Elks' attack.

Both the Elks and Security Bank are now 2-1 for the second-half season. Ruidoso State Bank and First City National Bank each have 1-2 records.

In Minor Division play, Don Victor's-MJr Branding Iron defeated Coca-Cola 10-8 Monday night but lost to Gibson's 14-11 Tuesday night.

Don-Victor's-MJr Branding Iron has a 7-3 record to lead the Minor Division loop. Coca-Cola is 5-4, and Gibson's is 2-7.

Tonight the Elks and Security Bank will tangle again in Major Division action at 7 p.m., while Gibson's and Coca-Cola will meet in Minor Division play at 5 p.m. Ruidoso State Bank and First City National Bank will play a Major Division contest at 7 p.m. Friday night. No Minor Division game is scheduled for Friday.

Belco stays in first place

Carrizozo Belco remained in first place in the Fort Stanton Men's Slow-Pitch Softball League with a 12-6 victory over The Inncredible Tuesday night.

Carrizozo Belco is now 7-1 for the season.

In other Tuesday night games, the Bullets outscored R&R Electric 23-21, and The Inncredible belted Camp Sierra Blanca 17-6.

In action Sunday, the Renegades split a pair of games, beating Camp Sierra Blanca 13-8 and losing to The Inncredible, 15-14.

Other games saw the Bombers stun Carrizozo Belco 7-1 and R&R Electric defeat Carrizozo Team Two, 16-9.

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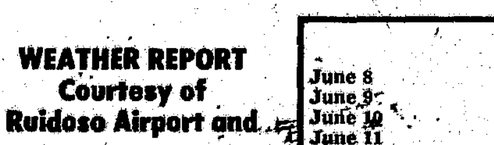

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Athletic program a learning experience

GETTING A PUSH is Paul Floyd during a recent Ruidoso-Lincoln County Police Athletic League junior athletic program session at White Mountain Middle School. Mashon Swenor is giving Floyd a push. All kinds of activities are offered the youths in the athletic program.

by Gary Brown
Sports Writer

Some of them are hardly old enough to walk. Others are teenagers already accomplished in competitive sports.

But whatever age they are, or whatever athletic ability they possess, all the participants in the Ruidoso-Lincoln County Police Athletic League (PAL) junior athletic summer program are learning something in the weekly sessions at White Mountain Middle School.

"We're trying to get the kids involved in something constructive," said Mark Paz, coordinator and treasurer of the local PAL program. "Kids from three to 16 years old can participate in the program."

The sessions are held each Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon. Around 20 to 25 kids have shown up for the first two sessions. The program will continue until the end of July and another one will start in the winter.

"We'd like to have more kids come," Paz admitted. "However, the main thing we're interested in is having some things for the kids to do and being here ourselves so they can come."

The older kids play basketball, soccer, baseball, volleyball and other active sports. The younger kids usually play children's games or roll around on skateboards.

"Many of the younger kids don't know much about competitive sports, so we've got them interested in playing games and things like that," Paz remarked.

At present, there are 19 volunteers instructing the youths. Most of them are associated with local law enforcement agencies.

"I just like seeing the kids having something to do," said Debbie Floyd, municipal clerk at the Ruidoso police department who has three children of her own participating in the program. "It gives them a chance to have a lot of exercise, and also it's good for them to be with people who care about them."

Does Paz see the program growing a lot in the future?

"You bet," he answered. "We hope to eventually have basketball teams, wrestling teams and other competitive teams that will compete against other PAL clubs.

"The only other program we've got in the PAL right now is the boxing team. "We're also working to get more kids out for boxing."

David Ordorica, one of the local PAL boxers, is in St. Paul, Minnesota for the National Junior Olympics Tourniament."

Several other communities in New Mexico also have PAL programs, but most of them are restricted to boxing.

"We feel we'll eventually have one of the better and more versatile PAL programs in the state," Paz said.

The junior athletic program sessions could also be a long-term benefit for the Ruidoso High School and White Mountain Middle School athletic programs.

"We think this program will definitely help local school teams eventually," Paz said. "That's one of the main things we're striving for.

"We're trying to teach the kids some fundamentals and also to instruct them on how to improve what fundamentals they already have."

So whatever age each child participating in the program is, they're all involved in a learning experience.

GOING FOR THE BALL during a recent Ruidoso-Lincoln County Police Athletic League athletic program soccer match is Tom Abernathy. Watching are officer Gilbert Sambrano (left) and Chris Achterberg.

Around Sports with Gary Brown

Let's take a look at how the United States Football League (USFL) shapes up going into the last three weeks of its first regular season.

There's little doubt as to which team is the best in the league right now. It's unquestionably the Philadelphia Stars.

Philadelphia has the best record in the USFL, holding a 13-2 mark, and is the only team to have cinched a playoff berth so far.

The Stars lead the Atlantic Division by four games, with runner-up Boston holding a 9-6 mark.

Philadelphia has one of the best running backs in the league in Kelvin Bryant, an outstanding offensive line and a well-balanced defense.

The Central Division is the toughest division in the league, hands down.

Chicago and Tampa Bay are both 10-5, with Michigan a game behind at 9-6 and Birmingham standing at 8-7.

This is a physical division, in some ways similar to the National Football League's (NFL) National Conference Central Division of the late 1960's and early 1970's.

All four teams play good, solid defense and can also put a lot of points on the scoreboard.

I think Chicago will will the division by a nose in the end. The Blitz have a number of experienced NFL veterans and an outstanding coach in George Allen.

Chicago hasn't played up to its potential all the time, but has done its best when it plays tough opponents. It's beaten Tampa Bay twice by lopsided margins.

Any of the other three teams could also make the playoffs, with Tampa Bay having a slight edge because of its offensive talents.

The Pacific Division race will probably be won by the team which can avoid mediocrity the most the rest of the season. It's the weakest division in the USFL.

The Oakland Invaders lead the division with an 8-7 record, worse than five other teams in the league. Los Angeles is second with a 7-8 mark, and Denver is 6-9.

Oakland will probably win the division by about a game. The Invaders have won three straight games, including a 16-10 win over Denver Monday night.

Oakland has a potent passing attack geared by quarterback Fred Besana and its running game—built around Arthur Whittington—is solid.

But the Invaders are still not a very good team. Their defense is erratic and the team hasn't done well against teams from the other divisions, losing to Philadelphia and Tampa Bay once and falling to Birmingham twice.

In the end, look for Philadelphia to win the first USFL championship.

The Stars will have a tough go of it, defeating Chicago in the finals. The Blitz were the pre-season favorite to win the title, but Philadelphia has been the more consistent team over the course of the season.

Cage sessions continue

The Evening Lions Club Summer basketball program is continuing from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday in the Ruidoso High School gymnasium.

The program is open to everybody, and Ruidoso boys head coach Ron Geyer is supervising it.

Half-court and full-court games are played at each session. The program will continue until the middle of July.

Warriors name Arthur as volleyball mentor

Pixie Arthur has been named head volleyball coach at Ruidoso High School.

Arthur has had head coaching jobs in girls track and basketball in Fort Stockton, Texas and Sanderson, Texas before coming to Ruidoso.

She replaces Elmer Chavez, who resigned to become a graduate assistant coach with the New Mexico State University (NMSU) men's varsity basketball team.

Arthur will also be the assistant girls track coach to Sergio Castanon. She will also teach girls' physical education classes at the Warrior campus.

Nancy Holland will remain assistant volleyball coach, and counselor James Sanchez will take over the assistant girls basketball coach job. Castanon is also girls varsity basketball coach.

No one has been named yet to replace Chavez as boys assistant basketball coach.

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Attic tops the Rebels, stays undefeated

Attic and Friends stands by itself on top of the Lincoln County Women's Softball Association.

The defending regular-season champions knocked off the Capitan Rebels 7-4 Monday night at Fort Stanton to move their perfect record to 6-0. The Rebels are now 5-1.

Vicki Eckhardt was the winning pitcher. Attic and Friends used a well-balanced attack and played well defensively. Eckhardt and Nancy Fleharty sparked the winners' attack with timely hits. Attic and Friends never trailed in the game.

In other games Monday night, the Fire nipped the Shady Ladies 15-13, the Apache Tears toppled the Cobres 17-14, and the Angels took a forfeit victory from the Dusters.

Rosemary Saenz was the starting pitcher for the 2-5 Apache Tears in their victory over the Cobres. Lulu Martinez also pitched well in relief.

The Fire's victory moved its record to 5-1 on the season. Attic and Friends will play the Fire at All-American Park Field in Ruidoso Downs next Monday. The Rebels will play the Shady Ladies at the same location Monday in another key contest.

Bowling Scores

Saturday Junior Bowlers
Bantams Division
June 11 Results
Team Standings

Team	W	L
1. Cougars	17	4
2. Mustangs	16	5
3. Cobras	14	7
4. Tigers	13	5
5. Panthers	12	9
6. Lions	0	20

High Individual Games (3)
Tammy Davis, 233; Jason Anderson, 170;
Seth Roan, 132.
High Team Three Games
Mustangs, 1,035; Cougars, 957; Panthers, 880;
June 4 Results
Team Standings

Team	W	L
1. Cougars	11	4
2. Panthers	9	3
3. Tigers	7	5
4. Mustangs	0	5
5. Cobras	0	5
6. Lions	0	5

High Individual Games
Tammy Davis, 96-93; Stephanie Stillman, 89;
Toby Begley, 81.
High Team Three Games
Panthers, 813; Tigers 795; Cougars, 442.
May 28 Results
Team Standings

Team	W	L
1. Panthers	12	3
2. Cougars	11	4
3. Mustangs	10	5
4. Cobras	8	7
5. Tigers	7	5
6. Lions	0	15

High Individual Games (3)
Tammy Davis, 229; Stephanie Stillman, 144;
April Sandoval, 102.
High Team Games
Cougars, 834; Panthers 834; Mustangs, 803.
Preps
Junior Division
June 4 Results
Team Standings

Team	W	L
1. High Rollers	15	5
2. Strikes N		
Spares	11	9
3. Rock & Spares	11	9
4. Alley Kats	5	0
5. Hot Shots	4	13
6. Ghost Team	0	0

High Individual Games (3)
Tania Abernathy, 471; Martin Espinosa, 428;
Darryl Clements, 395.
High Team Three Games
High Rollers, 737.
May 28 Results
Team Standings

Team	W	L
1. High Rollers	20	0
2. Strikes N		
Spares	11	9
3. Rock N Rollers	11	9
4. Alley Kats	9	11
5. Hot Shots	7	13
6. Ghost Team	0	0

High Individual Games (3)
Tania Abernathy, 483; Darryl Clements, 462;
Vic Castaneda, 382.
High Team Three Games
High Rollers, 2,259; Rock N Rollers, 1,988;
Hot Shots, 1,968.
Pee Wee Division
June 11 Results
High Individual Games (3)
Seth Roan, 132; Christopher Castaneda, 76;
Ezra Roan, 66.
High Individual Game
Seth Roan, 74; Christopher Castaneda, 51;
Ezra Roan, 36.
June 4 Results
High Individual Games (3)
Dathan Hull, 142; Christopher Castaneda, 116;
Heather Wade, 95.
High Individual Game
Dathan Hull, 73; Christopher Castaneda, 66;
Heather Wade, 50.
May 28 Results
High Individual Games (3)
Ezra Roan, 109; Leslie Begley, 50; Christopher Castaneda, 43.
High Individual Game
Ezra Roan, 63; Christopher Castaneda, 29;
Leslie Begley, 25 (twice); Seth Roan, 13.

Higheasterjet runs Saturday

Higheasterjet, one of the greatest quarter horses of all time, will be elbowing his way into the spotlight on Saturday's program at Ruidoso Downs.

The five-year-old gelding isn't in the feature race, but he still commands tremendous interest when he steps onto the Ruidoso running surface.

He'll go in the ninth race, a 400-yard allowance sprint which marks the gelding's 1983 debut.

A main reason for the stir always whipped up by Higheasterjet is the fact his money line of $1,514,262 is the biggest in quarter horse history.

An even bigger reason, perhaps, is the fact he holds a historic "sweep" on the All-American series. He won the 1980 All-American Futurity, the 1981 All-American Derby and the 1982 All-American Gold Cup. The feat, obviously, is without precedent. Higheasterjet also holds a fourth major score. That came in the 1981 Rainbow Derby.

Higheasterjet is owned by G.D. Highsmith of La Grange, Texas. He's trained by Johnie Goodman and ridden by Jimmie Hunt. He'll come out of the number 8 post on Saturday, packing a wispy 117 pounds. Higheasterjet's last outing was staged on December 18, 1982, in the Champion of Champions at Los Alamitos on the West Coast. He finished fourth, earning $14,000.

Higheasterjet's career record is a glossy 12-1-2 from 18 starts.

Smokey the Bear Run set for July 2

The third annual Smokey the Bear Fourth of July Run will be at 8 a.m. Saturday, July 2 in Capitan.

There will be a 10-kilometer run (6.2 miles) and a two-mile run held. There will be age divisions for men, women, youths 10 and under, 11-14, 15-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49 and 50 and over.

There will be a fee of $6 for pre-registration. A fee of $7 will be charged to anyone registering the day of the race. People who want the results mailed to them must pay an extra $1.

T-shirts will be given out to all entrants. Trophies for the first place overall competitor in the 10-kilometer run will be awarded as well as first, second and third places for both males and females.

Prizes from area merchants will be awarded to two-mile fun run competitors. In addition, local merchants will be donating prizes for the most patriotic running outfit, runner traveled farthest to run, youngest runner and older runner.

If people want to pre-register, they must get a registration form before hand from either Dottie MacVeigh at 354-2601 or Carol Sullivan at 354-2664.

Soccer camp

The fifth annual Bobby Moffat Techinques Soccer Camp will be Monday, June 27 to Friday, July 1 at White Mountain Middle School.

The camp will be sponsored by the Dallas American Soccer Club and will be from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each day.

Boys and girls six to 16 years old can participate in the camp. There is a $55 fee per youth. There will be a $5 reduction for each child in a family, after the first has paid full price. Applicants can mail the whole amount in or pay $10. The rest of the money can be payed the first day of the camp.

Applications can be picked up at Morgan's Mountain Sports on Mechem Drive.

The applications can be mailed to Butch Grantham, Box 1857, Ruidoso, New Mexico, 88345.

For further information, call 258-5055.

Booster club

There will be a meeting of the Ruidoso High School Warriors Boosters Club at 7:30 tonight in the teacher's lounge at the high school.

Anyone interested in helping Warrior athletics should attend the meeting.

Golf tourney

The second annual Cree Meadows Ladies' Partnership Invitational Golf Tournament will be today and Friday.

The golfers teed off at 8:30 a.m. today and will tee off at the same time Friday. At least 25 teams are entered in the tournament. A shotgun start is in effect both days.

There will be several flights, with low-gross and low-net titles in each flight.

Mary Samaha and Revi Neely are the defending low-gross champions in the championship flight.

Junior bowling

Junior Bowling is continuing at Holiday Bowl every Saturday and Tuesday for youths five to 18 years old.

There is a fee of $2.25 a week for youths five to 11, plus $1.50 for the yearly membership fee. Youths 12 to 18 must pay $3.25 a week, plus $1.50 for a yearly membership card. Shoes and free instruction are included.

The Saturday League begins at 9:30 a.m. while the Tuesday League starts at 7:30 p.m. There is competition in the Junior Preps, Bantam and Pee Wee divisions.

For further information, call Ginger at 257-7647.

Day of golf

The Longest Day of Golf will be Thursday, June 23 at Alto Lakes Golf and Country Club.

Dr. Paul Whitwam, Inn of the Mountain Gods assistant pro George French, Alto assistant pro Steve Fey and Rob Steinmetz will play as a foursome to raise money for the American Cancer Society.

They will attempt to play as many holes as possible.

Mr Master Bug goes back into action

Mr Master Bug, the third-richest quarter horse of all time with earnings of $1,141,378, leads a galaxy of three-year-old stars into Friday's program at Ruidoso Downs.

The agenda, expanded to 13 races, consists entirely of 440-yard elimination trials for the Rainbow Derby.

The Rainbow Derby, packing an estimated purse of $575,000, is the second jewel in the Triple Crown. A total of 121 sophomores will be in action on Friday. Those chalking up the 10 fastest times will earn a berth in the July 4 finale.

Despite the extra race, Friday's action gets rolling at the regular 1 p.m. That same kickoff time is in effect on Saturday and Sunday. The main item on Saturday is $43,343 Norgor Derby at six furlongs. Heading up Sunday's card is the 440-yard Silver Cup for four-year-olds. The purse is $169,831, with almost $85,000 going to the winner.

Mr Master Bug, owned by Marvin Barnes of Ada, Oklahoma, drew into Friday's seventh race. The brilliant colt will make his Rainbow bid out of the number 4 post, and will have Jacky Martin back at the helm.

Saturday's topper is the $43,343 Norgor Thoroughbred Futurity at six furlongs, a cliff-hanger which brings out the brilliant colt, Running Bucket. A bread-winner of more than $300,000, Running Bucket looms as a solid favorite in the battle for a victory slice of almost $22,000.

Under the Norgor Derby conditions, Running Bucket will pack the standard 120 pounds (for colts and geldings). Last time out, Running Bucket was made a betting choice in the May 15 Aspen Handicap at five and one half furlongs. The spin offered $8,725 and ended with Running Bucket holding a comfortable two and one quarter length lead. The issue was never in doubt.

Earlier this year, Running Bucket zipped to a strong win in the mile-long Riley Allison Derby at Sunland Park. That one was enriched to the tune of nearly $50,000.

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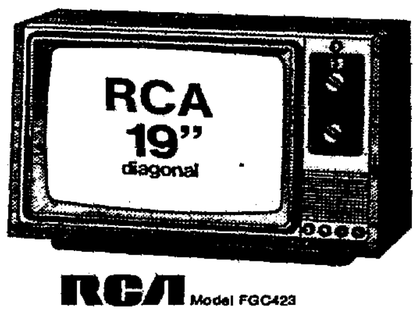

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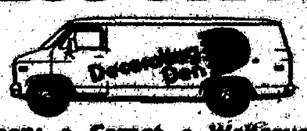

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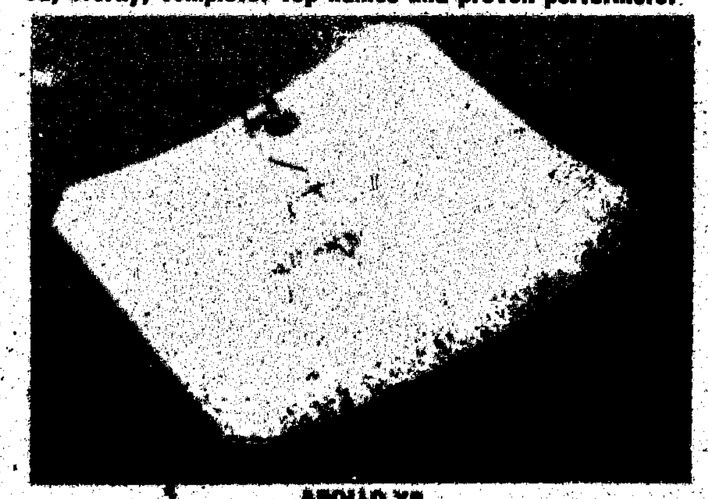

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Ruidoso Downs shoots down proposed apartment complex

by BARBY GRANT
Staff Writer

A proposed ordinance to allow construction of a 40-unit moderate-income apartment complex in Ruidoso Downs was rejected by Downs trustees Monday, following lengthy discussion. The governing body also agreed to look into the possibility of issuing a $150,000 general obligation bond as security for a fire department loan and tabled action on the proposed annexation of 19,692 acres.

Also Monday, Mayor J. C. Day reported that funds have been granted to the village for assistance with construction of a new well.

Objections to the apartment project were raised by residents living in the area where it was to be built. The 40-unit complex was proposed for construction on property owned by Jess Armstrong, adjacent to Pinecliff subdivision in Ruidoso. The property is currently zoned planned development. Property owners Wayne and Marilyn Ward and Jackie Branum voiced opposition to having a multiple family housing project in a single-family residential area, plus the density of population and traffic that would result and an insufficient village water supply.

Lila Weddle said she had lived near an apartment housing project in El Paso, Texas, where "the people stole you blind."

"I don't want to live near one," she added.

Thelma Jennings and Bill Carpenter were represented at the meeting by attorney Lee Huckstep, who argued that several ordinances and statutes had been violated or ignored, preventing legal action on the matter. He also contended that the village's water supply was insufficient to service the additional residents. The legal description of the property as published in the newspaper was erroneous, Huckstep also argued, because it included property in Ruidoso owned by residents not involved in the proposed development.

Attorney Sharon Mitchell, representing Armstrong, explained that the legal description encompassed more property than the Armstrong tract to serve as notice to surrounding property owners that the plans were being considered. Action was being requested only on the Armstrong property, she noted.

There was also discussion about how the apartment development would benefit the village. Trustee Bob Power contended that the project would cost the village money, but Mayor Day argued that it would provide more residents to share the costs of village services, thereby lowering costs to all residents.

It was also pointed out that apartment dwellers would be spending money in the community for goods and services, but Power countered that the municipality does not have businesses to provide those goods and services.

"Save our water for businesses, and then we'll grow," stated Power.

"Businesses won't come into the community without a population base here," pointed out area resident Tim Wadley. Power indicated the lack of a sewer system is what has kept business from locating in Ruidoso Downs.

Attorney Tim Quigley advised the governing body that the incorrect legal description was the major concern he had about acting on the project at the time.

"Probably nothing we can do here tonight will keep us out of court," he remarked.

It was suggested the matter be tabled for one week so a proper legal description could be included in the proposed ordinance.

Mitchell asked for a letter of intent, in the meantime, to provide Farmers Home Administration (FmHa) proof that the village would supply water to the project if it were accepted. Developers had applied for FmHA financing.

Discussion then ensued about the water supply.

"I don't see in good faith how we can do it," trustee Harrold Mansell stated in reference to Mitchell's request.

According to the argument that there is no water available for development, Mitchell suggested, the village needs to establish a moratorium on all building.

Power than made a motion to deny the request for adoption of the ordinance allowing the apartment complex, on the grounds the municipality does not have enough water at this time. The motion passed unanimously.

Also discussed Monday was a letter from the state fire marshal's office threatening to decertify the Ruidoso Downs Volunteer Fire Department (RDVFD) if no progress is made "to correct the deplorable conditions of (the) fire station building."

A summary report of an inspection made by the state office listed conditions of the local department that are unacceptable. These include inadequate size building; fire apparatus kept outside; inadequate size and improperly furnished meeting area; inadequate and incomplete office area; inadequate restroom facilites; lack of hose drying facilities; records which need to be reviewed, revised and updated; apparatus which fails to meet current standards; use of building for other than fire department; disregard of previous inspection report recommendations; and failure to discuss ways "to place fire department on a sound operating basis."

RDVFD director Roger Riley addressed each of the problems and outlined solutions, including the purchase of a new building and tanker-pumper truck with an FmHA loan. He estimated the cost at $150,000. Riley explained the loan can be secured only with a bond and asked trustees to approve a General Obligation bond election as collateral for the loan.

Riley said the loan payments can be made through the state fire allotment and the bond would only be collected if those funds were lost. He said the building could be erected on land adjacent to the present fire station, already owned by RDVFD.

Other problems listed by the state inspector could be corrected by the local department now, Riley reported.

Trustees directed the village clerk to contact state agencies about the legality of holding such a bond election and to determine the liability of the village and property owners if loan payments are not made by the fire department. The clerk was also directed to determine the amount property taxes would increase if the bond were sold.

The proposed annexation of Inspiration Corporation and Mountain Top Radio property was again tabled until zoning questions are cleared up. Property owners want the land to be annexed as commercial, but Ruidoso Downs presently has no designation for a commercial zone in its ordinances. The matter will be taken up again at the next trustees' meeting.

Mayor Day reported at the meeting that notification was received that day of a $79,200 grant from the state for constructing and equipping a new well and renovation and addition of pump controls. The village has applied with the state engineer for a permit to relocate the present Denton Well because it does not function properly.

State construction grants administrator Jeanne Zoltai explained Wednesday that the grant will only finance 40 percent of the project. The remaining 60 percent must be provided by the village through some other source.

Village clerk Wilma Webb said the village has applied for a $300,000 loan from FmHA to use for matching funds for this grant and a $100,000 grant allocated in 1981 for a new water storage tank. She expects action on the loan by the end of this month. Day reported that work on the projects cannot begin until August, according to an estimate from the state.

In other business, implementation of a lodgers' tax in Ruidoso Downs was discussed but tabled until trustees can further study the lodgers' tax ordinance. Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce executive director Ed Jungbluth and president James Paxton presented the idea.

Day indicated he favors the proposal if tax revenue can be utilized within the municipality on parks and recreation facilities. Jungbluth pointed out that a certain percentage of the tax must be used for direct advertising, according to state statutes, but the remainder can be spent on recreational and tourist attractions.

Jungbluth also assured the group that Ruidoso Downs should have a voice in spending of the advertising dollars if the tax is channeled through the Chamber.

Only three lodging establishments currently exist in Ruidoso Downs to collect the tax, it was pointed out. But if the Triple Crown Condominiums now under construction are rented out on a nightly or weekly basis, "it becomes a great generation of funds at that point," Jungbluth noted.

The matter was placed on the agenda for the next meeting, giving trustees time to study the proposal and the ordinance.

In other business, trustees:

—Voted to purchase dental insurance for employees after they have met with insurance agents "and listened to some statistics."

—Took no action on a proposal to appoint Tom Brooks sanitation department superintendent.

—Heard police chief Chuck Robinson report that a recently passed state statute permits police departments to increase penalty assessments by $5 for use in operating and maintaining jails.

Commerce secretary speaks here

by BILLY ALLSTETTER
Staff Writer

State Secretary of Commerce and Industry Alex Mercure Monday told community leaders the state would have tremendously increased funds for tourist promotion, and agreed to help Ruidoso host the "U.S. Open" professional ski race next year.

Mercure said the increased promotional budget for the Travel and Tourism Division—from last year's $200,000 to this year's nearly $3 million—puts New Mexico in a class with some of the top states in the country.

He discussed a "private/public partnership" to foster economic development and tourist promotion.

"If we're going to succeed, we're going to do it together," he said.

The state Legislature appropriated $2.9 million to the Tourism and Travel Division of the Commerce and Industry Department. Approximately $750,000 of that was set aside for "expanding the community cooperative program to better approach a proper state match to the locally collected lodgers' tax."

To be eligible for that money, the bill states that municipalities must be collecting a three percent lodgers' tax.

Mercure indicated that $2 million set aside for a statewide tourism education and promotion program and a national advertising program would also be available to communities on a matching fund basis. Towns would not have to be collecting the three percent lodgers' tax to be eligible for this money, he said.

Mercure did indicate he favors a three percent lodgers' tax. He said people don't pay attention to the lodgers' tax and noted that gross receipts taxes are lower in New Mexico than most states. He said hotel owners in Santa Fe, Taos and Carlsbad had originally fought the tax but now support it because they have better promotion and did not get hurt by the tax.

The $2.9 million appropriation to Travel and Tourism will tremendously increase the state's ability to promote itself, said Mercure.

"We are going to go out and aggressively advertise," he said.

"The state is intending to get out of generic advertising. Now we can focus on advertising the communities of New Mexico."

Mercure said he would like to see requests for matching funds in his office by no later than July 15, so there will be time to start a winter promotional campaign in August and September.

When asked about matching funds for a purse for the proposed "U.S. Open" ski race, Mercure said, "Yeah, I'd like to see us help you." He said the state could match money put into the purse by Ruidoso.

He took the phone number of race organizer Paul Carson to Governor Toney Anaya, who called Carson the next day. After talking to Carson, Chamber of Commerce executive director Ed Jungbluth said, the governor indicated the state was very interested in hosting the "U.S. Open." Carson told Jungbluth that Anaya had said the state could provide $20,000 to $30,000 for the purse of the race.

Community leaders and the Chamber of Commerce have been working with Carson, of the Professional Ski Racers Association, to raise money to host the race in Ruidoso and Sierra Blanca Ski Resort. Community leaders are looking to the state to help raise money needed to produce the race.

Mercure was in Ruidoso to talk to local government and business leaders about the lodgers' tax, matching funds and the reorganization of the Department of Commerce and Industry.

Approximately 25 people were present at the meeting at the Inn of the Mountain Gods. But a number of those who said they would attend did not show, according to Jungbluth, who organized the meeting.

"It was a little embarrassing," said Jungbluth. He said many people had put out effort and expense to get one of the state's top officials to Ruidoso, only to have many of the community's leaders not show up.

None of the Ruidoso village councilmen—upon whom the lodgers' tax change depended—attended the meeting.

Mercure also talked about the reorganization of the Department of Commerce and Industry. He said the department will be restructured into the Department of Economic Development and Tourist Promotion, and the Department of Licensing and Regulation.

He called the Department of Economic Development and Tourist Promotion "a matrix organization" in which the bureaucracy will be structured more loosely to allow better communication. He said bureaus would be eliminated and many of the department's projects would be done on an individual basis with the help of advisors from the private sector.

He also outlined the Business Development Corporation, a financial facility created by the Legislature to complement private banking and finance. The BDC will provide five- to 10-year financing for economic development. Private banks will be depended on to provide two- to five-year financing, Mercure said. The Industry and Agriculture Finance Authority will provide financing for 10 years and up, he added.

Post Office undergoing several changes at Ruidoso location

by BETH HALLER
Staff Writer

Major changes are taking place at the Ruidoso Post Office.

Elwood Gradine, postmaster of the Ruidoso office, will be moving to the Alto Post Office until his retirement in August.

Marie Burns, the postmaster in Alto, will be retiring July 1, Gradine said. He will help there and be postmaster until his retirement.

"I have submitted a request to retire August 19," he said. "I'll be old enough to draw social security on August 10."

Gradine has been with the United States Postal System 14 years and with the Ruidoso station about eight years.

Pete Webb is the officer in charge of the transition at the Ruidoso Post Office. He will stay here until a new postmaster is selected.

The new postmaster will be selected on merit to get the best qualified person, he said. The new postmaster will not necessarily be a person from here, he may be from out of town. The selection usually takes three months.

"We're planning a total overhaul of the office," Webb said.

This building is in pitiful shape, so it is going to be remodeled and revamped, he said.

They will be getting with the leasor of the building to determine what needs to be done, he explained.

Customer policy will be changed in the way people are picking up the mail.

"We hope to eliminate some general delivery and extend city delivery as we can," Webb explained.

He stressed that if any townspeople have any questions, complaints or suggestions, they should contact the post office, and he will try to resolve them.

There will be no change in office hours or how and when mail goes in or out, Webb said.

There will be no policy changes towards existing post office employees, he said. "Only some work habits may be changed."

Bill Hickman from Cimarron will be working with him for short time to help reorganize the whole postal system.

Hickman will be reorganizing the floor layout, setting up files and forms of storage, Webb said.

"We're going to change the whole layout of the back side of the post office," he explained.

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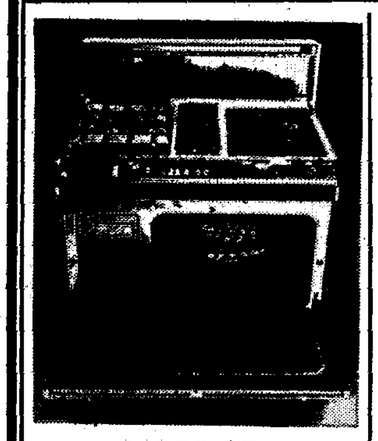

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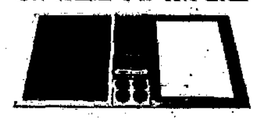

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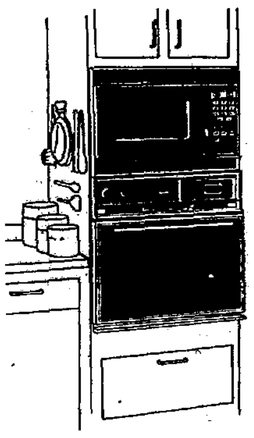

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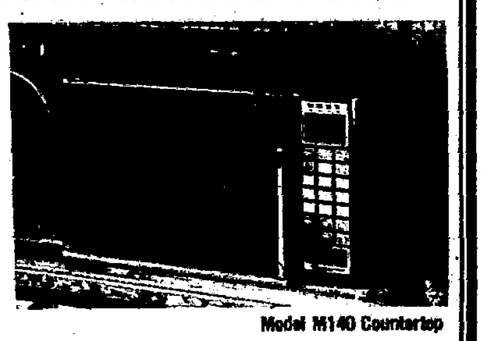

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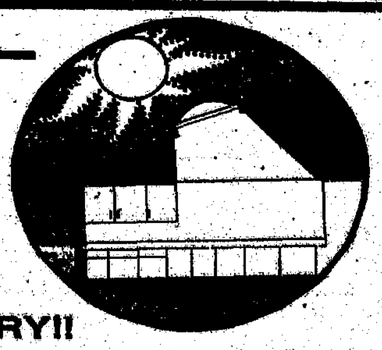

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Chamber board to improve its accessibility to members

by BILLY ALLSTETTER
Staff Writer

After a heated village council meeting the night before, the Chamber of Commerce board of directors Wednesday discussed ways to make themselves more accessible to the general membership and to better work with other governing bodies in the village.

The board also discussed financial matters after having lodgers' tax funding cut back considerably by the council, but delayed any decisions until the budget committee meets this Thursday.

Upon the suggestion of Joan Bailey, representing the Retail Merchants Committee, the board decided to hold advertised open board meetings once every three months so the general membership will attend and learn more about the actions of the Chamber.

In theory all the meetings are open, but rarely do non-board members attend. Wednesday's meeting, however, was attended by more non-board members than any in the last nine months. Representatives from the village council and lodgers filled the room to capacity.

Chamber president James Paxton suggested the board consider meeting in a larger room every time to make the meetings more accessible to the public.

The board discussed holding a business meeting to which the membership would be invited immediately before the Chamber banquet. The banquet was originally intended as an open business meeting but has drifted from that purpose in recent years, said executive director Ed Jungbluth.

Time constraints and prior commitments to Cree Meadows Restaurant and featured speaker Grits Gresham made the board decide to hold the first advertised open meeting in July.

Board member Bill Braudt did volunteer to put together a slide presentation and text that would serve as an annual report on the Chamber's activities. He will present it to the membership at the banquet.

Paxton reported that, in addition to approving a cutback in lodgers' tax funding, the village council also refused to increase the lodgers' tax collections from two percent to three percent. The Chamber had been pushing for an increase in the lodgers' tax collections.

Council member Al Junge told the board that the lodgers had orchestrated a very good protest to which the council paid attention.

There was discussion by the board of the heated arguments at the council meeting, but Paxton and others emphasized the desire to see better relations and communication with the lodgers. He urged board members to get out and talk to lodgers to learn more about their ideas.

"Let's pull together," said Glenn Ferguson, president of the Ruidoso Lodgers Association, who also attended the meeting.

Alicia Carpenter, of Dan Dee Cabins, delivered a strong plea for the Chamber to draw more on the talented people of the community to help in its activities. She said this would free Jungbluth from many of his minor duties such as promoting the Easter Egg Hunt, and allow him to work on "big things that matter to the whole community," such as a Ruidoso airport, adoption of lodgers' tax by Ruidoso Downs and Lincoln County, and better relations with the Mescalero Apaches.

Paxton reported that he and Jungbluth had attended the Ruidoso Downs board of trustees and Lincoln County commissioners meetings urging them to institute a lodgers' tax in their jurisdictions. Neither governing body took action on the suggestion, but agreed to look into it further.

"We got some favorable responses and good questions," said Paxton. Paxton asked the board for authority to attend the next meetings of both bodies to continue the push for lodgers' tax adoption.

In light of the rejection by the village council of the three percent lodgers' tax, Jungbluth said he thought the council could not actively campaign for the "U.S. Open" ski race. Instead of looking for funds from the village and lodgers' tax, he said organizers would have to look to the private sector for funding.

He mentioned that Governor Toney Anaya did call race organizer Paul Carson saying the state would very much like to see the race staged in Ruidoso and would be willing to provide $20,000 to $30,000 for the race's budget. Jungbluth also said some large corporations are looking into funding the race, which is planned as the world's richest ski race.

Upon the recommendation of the health insurance committee, the board agreed to drop the Blue Cross group health program as of August 1, due to rapidly increasing premiums, and pick up a program with the Association of Commerce and Industry (ACI). Jungbluth reported the ACI program offers cheaper premiums and more options for deductibles and types of coverage.

In other business, the board:

—Discussed plans for the Chamber membership drive Wednesday, June 22. It will kick off at a 7:30 a.m. breakfast at Carrizo Lodge and continue through the day. The board encouraged any interested Chamber members to help with the drive. Information about dues and the health program will be available for the drive.

—Set 3 p.m. Thursday, June 16, as a time for a budget committee meeting. The budget committee will draw up the Chamber's 1983-84 budget during the meeting. Budget committee chairman Ronnie Hemphill invited any interested chamber member to attend and told everyone to "sharpen their axes."

—Heard Art Festival committee chairperson Flodie Wilson report that all preparations for the Art Festival are moving along fine, although there will be much less advertising due to the cut in funding.

New bank celebrates grand opening

First City National Bank of Ruidoso celebrated the grand opening of its new main office on Highway 37 Monday.

The celebration was launched with a ribbon cutting at 9 a.m. attended by the bank's 32 employees as well as representatives of First City Financial Corporation.

The bank had been operating from a modular building since it opened for business August 2, 1982.

The bank ended its first quarter of 1983 with assets of more than $20 million, Joe Loving, president of the bank, said.

The bank's new $2 million building features a rock exterior. Inside, the structure has 9,000 square feet of floor space on three levels.

First City Financial Corporation is a New Mexico-based, multi-bank holding company that controls First City National Bank, Ruidoso, as well as banks and branches in Albuquerque, Artesia, Carlsbad, Eunice, Hobbs, Lovington and Roswell.

Lodgers plan strategy against tax

by BETH HALLER
Staff Writer

The Ruidoso Lodgers Association (RLA) discussed their strategy in combating a one percent lodgers' tax hike, and they explained their grievances to Jim Paxton, president of the Chamber of Commerce, at their meeting Tuesday.

Glenn Ferguson, president of RLA, brought Paxton to the meeting to answer some of the questions of the lodgers.

The majority of the RLA were against a rise in the tax. Ferguson said he had conducted a poll of 48 out of 51 lodgers, and that 43 were against and four were in favor of the tax.

Several of the lodgers voiced the argument that with the high water rates, high phone rates, it costs more to operate a lodging establishment here than in Santa Fe.

Dick Cull of Starlite Cabins pointed out the lodgers here must also compete against the condominium market.

Calling the lodgers' tax a "penalty tax," he said he was opposed to the tax for any reason.

"We already have the highest tax in the state; we don't need any more," Cull said. In the market here, lodging is optional. People can go home or stay at a friend's house.

RLA also questioned a one-fourth percent raising of the sales tax instead of a hike in the lodgers' tax.

Paxton said it would take at least a year before an increase in the sales tax could go into effect.

RLA also discussed the option of the Chamber of Commerce possibly raising their dues.

The strength of the Chamber lies in its membership, Paxton said, and "I would hate to see it decrease."

However, he said, he is not opposed to a Chamber dues raise instead of a raise in the lodgers' tax.

Mac McDougal of Sierra Blanca Cabins asked Paxton, "Where has the Chamber made its mistakes in advertising?"

Paxton said the Chamber spends tens of hours putting together advertising.

"We might have to cut back, and this would be bad," he said. "We also might have to cut back on staff."

Another grievance of the RLA was what they felt was little enforcement of the existing two percent lodgers' tax. They said they felt there is no enforcement of the condominiums paying.

Also, they said there is little control over how the tax money is spent. They claim the village is not advertising for the lodgers—it is advertising for weekends that are already full.

They noted that the lodgers' tax money does not have to be used exclusively for advertising.

Before Paxton left, Ferguson asked him, "Will the Chamber withdraw its request for a higher lodgers' tax at the Council meeting tonight (Tuesday)?"

Paxton said he could not answer without calling a special meeting of the Chamber.

Before the end of the meeting, Ferguson read a letter to be presented to the village council.

Four main points were listed in the letter as the RLA's reasons against a one percent increase:

—The Ruidoso lodgers are at a disadvantage to other lodgers outside the city limits who do not collect the two percent tax. An increase would put them at a further disadvantage.

—"The main impetus for increasing the Lodgers' Tax comes from the State Legislature, which has provided $200,000 in matching funds for Municipalities which go to a 3 percent Lodgers' Tax. If we go to a 3 percent tax, we may (no guarantees) receive matching funds in some amounts (no guarantees) for this fiscal year with no guarantees for subsequent years. Besides, the $200,000 is a relatively small amount to be distributed among the 98 Municipalities in New Mexico. Also, the State Legislature has provided almost $3 million to be used in matching programs for Tourist Promotion and Advertising that do not require the Municipalities to pass a 3 percent Lodgers' Tax."

—They said the guests here have "a feeling of being ripped off" because of the high taxes here.

—They pointed out lodging is a necessity for tourists, so why should this be singled out for the tourist to pay more.

The next meeting of RLA will be at City Hall.

Art workshops scheduled next week at Carrizo Lodge

Bob Gerbracht and Tom Notestine will teach workshops at the Carrizo Lodge June 20-30.

Gerbracht, who is from San Jose, California, will conduct a workshop in oil or pastel portraits. The class includes such basics as proportion, capturing a likeness, light and shade and color mixing. The workshop focuses on intensive study of the model.

Tom Notestine, from San Antonio, Texas, will conduct a workshop in transparent watercolor landscape. He emphasizes design of a painting and the control of light. Notestine is noted for his capacity to teach advanced students and still provide new beginners with advancement in the handling of watercolors.

Anyone interested in registering for one of these classes can contact Carrizo Lodge art director Ken Hosmer at 257-2375.

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Capitan adjusts salaries after protest

by BILLY ALLSTETTER
Staff Writer

The Capitan village council Monday night passed a $443,168 budget after limited changes during the final budget hearing, and included increases in salaries following a charge of prejudice against Hispanics working for the village.

Anticipated income for the year is $365,063 with an estimated beginning balance of $151,919.

The largest expenditure is $134,569 for water and sewer with an anticipated income of $110,950 from water and sewer charges.

It appeared the council would be ready to pass the budget, after approving a number of small increases, when trustee Maggie Trujillo asked about changes in employees salaries.

"The way you got it figured now, some employees are getting beat out of some money. You know who they are," Trujillo said.

At that point village employee Liz Montoya stood up and said she thought the salary increases were unfair and that the two Hispanics employees were being discriminated against.

Montoya and employee Manuel Miller Jr. were allocated raises of $50 and $20 per month while the other three employees received raises of $100, $100 and $150.

"You just can't give everybody the same raise," said trustee Benny Coker, who explained that the raises were established on the basis of job classification, not merit. He also maintained that the council should not change the raises since they already voted on the subject.

"An annual raise should be on a percentage basis if you want to be fair," said citizen Kelly Beavers.

"That (the lower raises) is an insult," said Judge Leroy Montes.

After a long discussion, with council and audience members arguing on both sides, the council split two and two on the vote to increase Montoya's and Miller's raises to $100 a month.

Trustees Trujillo and Sharon Horton voted for the $100 raises with Coker against. Mayor David Cummins voted against the $100 raises after village clerk Virginia Spall said he should vote in the same capacity of council member as he did when the original vote on the subject came up.

At the first budget hearing in April, the council split two to two on the vote with then mayor Don Stark breaking the tie in favor of the job classification-based raises. Stark has since resigned, moving Cummins to mayor. No trustee has been appointed to replace him.

The council remained deadlocked while more debate of the issue continued. Finally Mayor Cummins withdrew his vote.

"I'm tired of the crap and I'm abstaining," said Cummins.

That made the vote 2 to 1 in favor of changing Montoya's and Miller's raises to $100.

In other business, the council:

—Approved ordinances amending the sewer and sanitation charges. Both the sewer and sanitation rate changes decreased the charges for out-of-town customers from three times the in-town rate to 1.5 times the in-town rate.

The sewer charges will be $6 for single family dwellings, and $6 plus 10 percent of the water charge for all other customers. The ordinance specifies that each separate working or living unit will pay a sewer charge. The sanitation rates will be $6 for single family dwellings and each occupied unit of a multi-family dwelling. Commercial establishments will pay $10 and schools and industries $15.

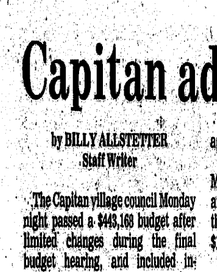
—Agreed to let J. Ryan Construction Company use sewer lagoon water for bridge construction purposes in exchange for labor and machinery to move a water line the village would have had to move.

—Leased the village's cooperative building for $100 a month to A. J. Amos for six months, after which it would be on a month-to-month basis. Amos said he plans to build solar panels in the building.

—Tabled a $200 claim against the village by Mrs. Maggie Trujillo for damages to a building when her water meter was allegedly improperly turned off.

—Agreed to charge two water customers inside the village limits for the cost of pipe laid from already existing water lines to their property.

—Tabled a model ordinance on penalty assessments and fees.



The Silver Lining

by Daniel Agnew Storm

We Pray For Recovery Of Paul H. Jones

Paul H. Jones of Glencoe was taken to Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital Monday morning, June thirteen, with a heart condition. The latest word is that he is in stable condition with the best of medical care.

Our prayers go up for this well-beloved native of Lincoln County, that he may have a complete recovery, and will be back out amongst us soon.

Theodore Sundayman

Services were held Saturday, June eleven, at the Mescalero Cemetery for Theodore Sundayman, who was called home by our Lord on June eight.

Theodore was born at Mescalero March twenty-three, 1903.

He served in The Marine Corps in the Korean Conflict.

An honor guard composed of members of the American Legion of Mescalero and Ruidoso paid tribute to Theodore.

Those in this group were: Victor Randall, Wheeler Gayton, Donovan Bigmouth, and John Fossum from Mescalero; and Merrill Peet, Romeo Klein, and Daniel Storm from Ruidoso.

The Reverend Clarence Van Heukelom, pastor of the Mescalero Dutch Reform Church, delivered a much appreciated grave-side sermon.

Nathaniel Chee, Mescalero Medicine Man, thanked everyone present for their help and good wishes in the funeral services, and gave an inspiring talk to the Mescalero Indians.

On hand to lend their help at the ceremony were Cecil Chino, Cyril Magoosh, and Gene Kinzuma.

Of Theodore Sundayman, Victor Randall said:

"He had a smile for everybody, and he was willing always to share. He was like my boy — any time he had a candy or a pop, he would share it with one next to him."

Theodore will be kindly remembered by all of us, and we take comfort in knowing he is safe and happy with Our Lord in Heaven.

Church Services And Pic-nic At The Jones Ranch

Paul and Nellie Ruth Jones were hosts Sunday, June twelve, for a county-wide Episcopal service under the shade of the Oak trees on Jones Meadow.

A feature of the service was a song sung by Neal Harris, accompanied on the guitar by his father, Ron Harris.

After the services a great feast representing the grand cooking of ladies from all over the county was enjoyed by the large crowd of folks of all ages.

The afternoon was spent in that great enjoyment — visiting and going over old times — and the traditional American Pastime of horse-shoe pitching, and also volleyball.

This occasion was something long to be remembered and treasured in our memory.

Mescalero parade 'Four Seasons' theme

The fourth annual Mescalero Celebration Parade, sponsored by the Mescalero Apache Tribe, will be Saturday, July 2, with the theme, "The Four Seasons."

The deadline for parade entries is June 29 at 4 p.m. Any entry received after that date will be placed at the end of the parade.

Trophies will be presented to the sweepstakes entry, three float entries, two band units, two marching units and two horse entries.

For additional information, contact Kaylis Kanseah, parade registrar, at 671-4496, or Naomi Sainz, parade chairperson, at 671-4428 or 671-4432.

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With his eightieth birthday only one month away, Gerald Tully, going stronger than ever after a roping career beginning practically from the time he could walk, won the belt buckle for the Over All Century Roping contest at the second annual Gerald Tully Roping Festival.

A great crowd of roping contestants and spectators gathered at the Tully Roping Arena, just this side of the bridge from the Hat T Ranch House where Gerald has spent almost his entire life.

Having gone to the very top in his long career as a contest roper, Gerald has surpassed his many championship accomplishments by remaining a top performer in his field long after men his age have retired.

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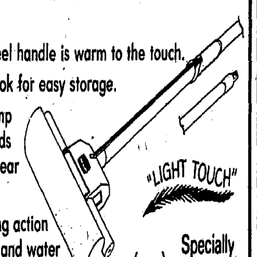

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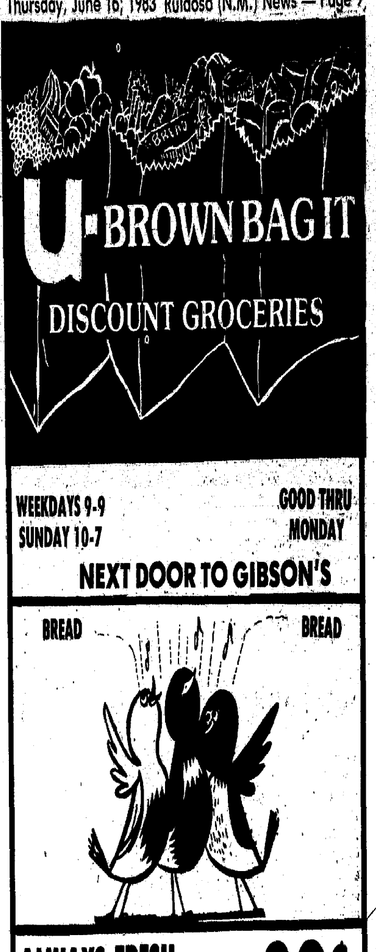

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ART, DINING AND ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

Bojacs Magic looms as key entrant in Rainbow Silver Cup

by MARK GORDON

Bojacs Magic, off his devastating victory in a trial race, looms as the key entrant in Sunday's featured Rainbow Silver Cup at Ruidoso Downs Race Track.

The gelded son of Sir Winsalot will face nine foes who qualified from 40 candidates in last Thursday's five trial races. The third running of this classic for four-year-old quarter horses will offer the winner of the 440-yard dash $84,915.55 from the total purse of $169,831.09.

Bojacs Magic looked magnificent while winning the third trial race.

In command throughout, he tallied a two-length win over Lightfooted. His clocking of 21:57 was the fastest of the Rainbow Silver Cup participants and was also the fastest 440-yard clocking this season. The previous swiftest 440-yard reading was a 21:86 reading by Cute Investment on May 22.

Bojacs Magic's effort was even more remarkable considering it was his first outing since competing last December in the prestigious Champion of Champions Classic at Los Alamitos near Los Angeles.

As a three-year-old in 1982, the Missouri-bred runner had a fine year. He won seven races with one second and earned $133,691.

His biggest came via a disqualification. Dismissed as a 65-1 outsider, Bojacs Magic finished second in last August's World Championship Quarter Horse Classic at Ruidoso Downs. But the winner, Rule The Deck, was disqualified and Bojacs Magic was declared the victor of that 440-yard test.

Bojacs Magic also ran fourth, only a neck back of winning Cute Investment in the 1982 Rainbow Derby, the second leg of the Triple Crown at Ruidoso Downs for three-year-olds.

Trained by Dale L. Baker, Bojacs Magic is owned by Robert Walters of Nevada, Missouri.

Hempens Jet, a gelded son of the speedy Hempen, had the second-fastest qualifying time with a 21:80.

He scored an impressive one and one fourth length win over Steppin Easy in the second trial race for his second consecutive triumph this season.

As a three-year-old last season, the Missouri-bred dasher won three races with three seconds in nine outings. He collected $37,761.

Following an easy victory in his 1983 debut in an allowance race at Trinity Meadows in Weatherford, Texas, Hempens Jet finished eighth in the Mr Jet Moore Handicap over 400 yards on May 8 at Ruidoso Downs.

Hempens Jet then won a 350-yard allowance test at Ruidoso Downs before entering the Rainbow Silver Cup trials.

Hempens Jet was a bargain purchase for $8,000 in the 1980 All-American Select Quarter Horse Yearling Sale at Ruidoso Downs.

Trained by C. Dwayne Gilbreath, Hempens Jet is owned by James E. Helzer of Mansfield, Texas.

Chicks Passem All, winless since taking the Sunland Park All-American Sale Futurity in November of 1981, tied for the third-fastest qualifying time with a 21:83 reading.

The Pass 'Em Up horse tallied an upset nose victory in the first trial heat.

He only raced four times as a three-year-old in 1982, but a return to his two-year-old form would make him a definite contender.

Chicks Passem All is owned by E. Wayne and James H. Johnson of Huntington, Texas and is trained by Jack W. Brooks.

Ponti Bar, a nose behind Chicks Passem All, is also a solid contender. The Ponti horse tallied three straight victories last season at Ruidoso Downs, including a half-length decision in the Kansas Derby Consolation.

Trained by R.W. Werner, he's owned by Anastasia L. Henning of Refugio, Texas.

Rebelier, a Dash For Cash mare, scored a nose victory in the fourth trial race, defeating such fine foes as Summer Encounter, Cute Investment and Turn Bugs Loose.

She's trained by O.S. Carlton III for owners Ann Freeman of El Paso and Mrs. Alice Fisher of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Here's the field with their qualifying times: Bojacs Magic (21:57); Hempens Jet (21:80); Chicks Passem All (21:83); Ponti Bar (21:83); Lightfooted (21:83); Arrows Request (21:93); Rebelier (21:96); Turn Bugs Loose (21:96); Steppin Easy (21:96) and Almost Identical (21:99).

The Rainbow Silver Cup will be run as the 11th race on Sunday's 12-race program. Post time will be 1 p.m.

Wagering favorites keep good winning percentages

Wagering favorites continued their remarkable winning percentages over the sixth weekend of horse racing at Ruidoso Downs Race Track.

Of the 48 wagering favorites over the last four days of racing, 18 posted victories, seven ran second and four finished third. That's an excellent winning percentage of .375.

Overall this season, 95 favorites have won while 64 ran second and 35 have been third. That's a .351 winning percentage, slightly better than the national average of 32 percent or so for winning favorites.

In addition, odds-on selections (those horses who left the starting gate at odds of less than even money) also had a superb weekend. Eight of the odds-on choices won, while one ran second. That brought the season's totals for odds-on choices to 34 winners, 13 seconds and five thirds from 59 attempts. The winning percentage for odds-on horses rose to 57.6.

Favorites had outstanding days on Thursday and Saturday with six winners each day. Only two favorites prevailed on Friday, while four won on Sunday.

Odds-on favorites won seven straight races over the weekend starting with Bojacs Magic ($3.60) in Thursday's seventh race.

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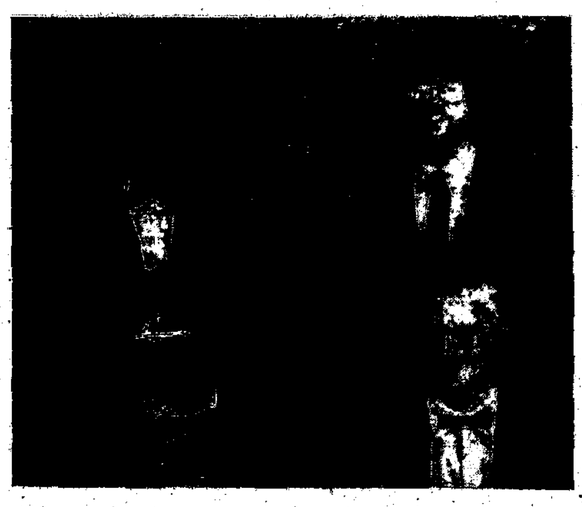

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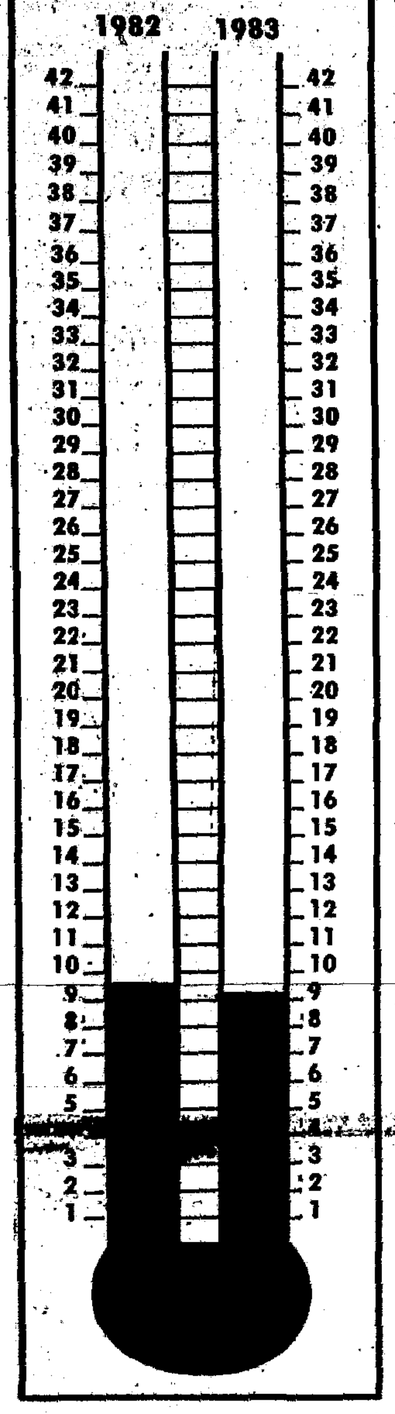

THE CURRENT HANDLE at Ruidoso Downs, after 22 race days and 270 races, is $9,091,332; the current daily average is $413,242; the current wagering per race average is $33,672. At the same time last year, the handle was $9,567,189; the daily average was $455,580; and the wagering per race average was $36,377. The daily average is down 9.29 percent and the per race wagering average is down 7.44 percent.

Ruidoso Downs Hoofbeats

by MARK GORDON

BOJACS MAGIC'S TREMENDOUS PERFORMANCE in the third trial heat on Friday highlighted the five trial races for the third running of the Rainbow Silver Cup. The winner of this Sunday's 440-yard classic for four-year-olds will collect $84,915.55 of the total purse of $169,831.09. Bojacs Magic registered a two-length win over Lightfooted in a superb clocking of 21:57. It was the fastest clocking of the 40 trial entrants and also the fastest 440-yard clocking this season at Ruidoso Downs. The race was even more impressive since it was Bojacs Magic's first outing since competing last December in the prestigious Champion of Champions classic at Los Alamitos near Los Angeles. The Sir Winsalot gelding won seven of 12 races in 1982 as a three-year-old and earned $113,691. His biggest triumph came via a disqualification in the World's Championship Quarter Horse Classic last August at Ruidoso Downs. As a 65-1 outsider, Bojacs Magic ran second. But the unofficial winner, Rule The Deck, was disqualified and Bojacs Magic was advanced to first. Hempens Jet, a Hempen gelding, had the second fastest clocking with a 21:83. Ponti Bar, winner of last year's Kansas Derby Consolation; and Lightfooted, second to Bojacs Magic, also had 21:83 readings. Although she had the seventh fastest qualifying clocking with 21:96, Rebelier is a definite contender. She won the eighth trial heat by a nose over Turn Bugs Loose, defeating such powerful runners as Summer Encounter and Cute Investment.

HERE'S THE FIELD with their qualifying times: Bojacs Magic (21:57); Hempens Jet (21:80); Chicks Passem All (21:83); Ponti Bar (21:83); Lightfooted (21:83); Arrows Request (21:93);; Rebelier (21:96): Turn Bugs Loose (21:96); Steppin Easy (21:96) and Almost Identical (21:99).

THREE QUALIFIERS to the Rainbow Silver Cup passed under the gavel at the 1980 All-American Select Quarter Horse Yearling Sale at Ruidoso Downs. Hempens Jet, the second-fastest qualifier to the four-year-old classic, was a bargain $8,000 purchase; Chicks Passem All was repurchased for $57,000; and Turn Bugs Loose was repurchased for $28,000.

TRAINERS BOB E. ARNETT AND ARNOLD E. SIMMONS JR. each won two races on Thursday's program. Arnett took the opener with Royal Pinjara ($13.60) for owner Louise P. Sletnz of Pampa, Texas, and then grabbed the fourth on Be My Partner ($4.40) for the Preston Farms of Burkburnett, Texas. Victor Escobar rode Royal Pinjara while Mike Lidberg was on Be My Partner. Simmons took the third with Lucky Bad Girl ($6.60) for owners Stan R. and Linda A. Scruby of Alleyton, Texas and then captured the ninth with Barbarys Crystal ($3.60) for owner John A. Kitzmann of Cypress, Texas. Wesley Smith rode both winners.

KAFE SNOOPER CONTINUED his remarkable 1983 performances with a driving neck win over Ho Chi's Star in Thursday's 10th race at five and one half furlongs. The five-year-old Kafe Bush gelding tallied five straight wins at the recent Sunland Park campaign in west El Paso and has won five races with two thirds this year. The California-bred gelding defeated horses running for an $8,000 claiming price on Thursday under regular rider Ruben Miranda. Trained by Lewis L. Germany, Kafe Snooper is owned by Grady D. Hopper of Dallas, Texas. Overall, in his four-year-old racing career, Kafe Snooper has 13 victories with three seconds and six thirds in 34 outings. He has earned $25,226.

THE SIXTH POST POSITION was the place to be on Friday's program. Three straight horses triumphed after breaking from the sixth post position—Fine Flame ($4.40) in the eighth, Shady Stuff ($16.60) in the ninth and Shurfine Sin ($23.60) in the tenth. In addition, Dashin Cutie ($9.20) won the third race giving the six spot four winners. Two other horses, who left the sixth position, ran third—Call Me A Rebel in the first and Truckarullah in the fourth.

KITA CHARGER BECAME the first two-time stakes winners this season at Ruidoso Downs when he scooted to a frontrunning one-length win over Dr Depot in Saturday's $9,825 Mr Kid Charge Handicap. The six-year-old Kitaman gelidng earlier had annexed the $9,150 Mr Jet Moore Handicap over 350 yards. Kita Charger's time for the Mr Jet Moore Handicap was a seasonal best 19:77 while he accomplished the 400 yards in 20:04. Trained by Johnnie A. Goodman for owners Robert Gilbert and Marcus Whitman of Sugarland, Texas, Kita Charger was ridden by Jimmie Hunt. He returned $3.20 as a 3-5 wagering choice. This season, Kita Charger has four victories with one second in five outings and earnings of $17,545.

TRAINERS C. DWAYNE GILBREATH, Clifford C. Lambert Sr. and William F. Leach each registered two victories on Saturday's program. Gilbreath won the third with Countin The Cash ($5.60) and took the ninth with Bugs Mito ($3.40). Alex Baldillez Jr. won both races. Lambert won with Royal Sin ($11.80) in the second and captured the fourth with Cherokee Blade ($7.80). Casey Lambert was aboard both winners. Leach won with My Apache Moon ($5.00) in the first and with Fill Mackis Cup ($3.20) in the tenth. Henry Uriegas won on My Apache Moon, while O.A. Martinez Jr. rode Rushing Silver.

RACING SECRETARY DEAN MCKINNEY deserves an A-plus for his outstanding handicapping job in Saturday's $9,825 Mr Kid Charge Handicap. His topweighted horse, Kita Charger, won. His second-topweighted entrant, Dr Depot finished second. His third and fourth topweighted animals finished a neck apart in the 400-yard dash for three-year-old and older runners competing under handicap weights.

TELEVISION ACTOR Ken Curtis, best-known for his portrayal of Festus on the long-running western Gunsmoke, was a Saturday visitor at Ruidoso Downs. Curtis, who was representing the Tony Lama Boot Company, was in the winner's circle during the fourth race presentation.

SUNDAY'S DAILY DOUBLE combining Rebel Sea and Real Jewel produced the highest daily double this season. Rebel Sea, the $2.40-1 second wagering choice, won the first race at a $6.80 payoff. Real Jewel, a 60-1 outsider took the second race paying $122 to win. The 2-7 daily double combination paid $398, beating the former seasonal high of $245.60 set on May 8th with Spunky Lark and Mr Shawne Moon. Rebel Sea, ridden by Joe Martinez, is trained by Elmer L. Shepard for owner Jess Burner of El Paso while Monty Roller rode Real Jewel for owner-trainer Larry D. Graham of Ruidoso.

SWAPS' SATIN DOLL won her third straight Ruidoso Downs contest when she scored a two-length victory in Sunday's sixth race at six furlongs. The five-year-old Swaps Alibhai mare started her string on May 30 against fillies running for a $5,000 claiming price with an easy four and one half length win. She won again by a four and one half lengths on June 5 at six and one half furlongs against fillies running for $6,250. Sunday's race was at six furlongs against $8,000 females. She's been ridden by Wayne Buehrer in her three wins for trainer Jerry D. Trammel and owner Ray Marcus Raimond of Lubbock, Texas.

FOUR HORSES SET seasonal fastest times over the four-day weekend. On Thursday, Bojacs Magic romped to a two-length victory in the third division of the Rainbow Silver Cup trials at 440 yards. His clocking of 21:57 snapped the former seasonal mark of 21:86 set by Cute Investment on May 22. That translated in a rapid 105 speed index. It was also the fastest qualifying time for Sunday's third running of the Rainbow Silver Cup. The Sir Winsalot gelding is trained by Dale L. Baker for owner Robert E. Walters of Nevada, Missouri, and was ridden by Larry Byers. On Saturday, Fill Mackis Cup won by almost two lengths in zipping to a 1:06 1-5 reading for the five furlongs. It was just ticks off the track record of 1:05 set last Labor Day by Bold Ego. Fill Mackis Cup, a five-year-old Kentucky-bred gelded son of Raise A Cup, is trained by William F. Leach for owner Mack Yates of Cherokee, Texas and was ridden by O.A. Martinez Jr.

ON SUNDAY, Music Maker Man zipped to a 45:63 reading while winning the seventh race by two and one half lengths. That recording translated into a fine 99 speed index and snapped the previous 870-yard seasonal fastest time of :46.02 set by Special Hank on May 30. It was the second straight 870-yard win for the five-year-old Shecky Greene gelding. Ridden by Ramon Apodaca, Music Maker Man is trained by Johnny L. Montes Jr. for owner Johnny Montes Sr. of Ruidoso.

ALSO ON SUNDAY, Super Champ set a seasonal fastest time for the mile, scampering to a 1:42 reading under O.A. Martinez Jr. That eclipsed the previous best mile reading of 1:42 2-5 set by Before The Flood on May 22. Super Champ is trained by William F. Leach for owners Kenneth O. Braden and Tully Pratt of El Paso.

TRAINER CLIFFORD C. LAMBERT SR. won two races on Sunday's program. He saddled Pleasures Hempen ($5.80) for owner Jarvis R. Crawford of Bosque, New Mexico, in the fourth and then won the featured $10,475 Mescalero Apache Handicap with Double B Express ($9.20) for the Double B Ranch of Anthony, New Mexico. Casey Lambert was on both winners.

Recovered Ponti Bar runs Sunday

by MARK GORDON

When Ponti Bar is right, there are few horses in quarter horse racing who are better.

As a two-year-old in 1981, the four-year-old Ponti horse won five races with four thirds from 10 starts. He ran third, just one and one fourth lengths behind Triple Crown winner Special Effort in the 1981 Kansas Futurity, the first leg of the Triple Crown series for two-year-olds.

He collected $83,930 in 1981. As a three-year-old in 1982, Ponti Bar was every bit as consistent. But he had a problem.

"Last year, he had a problem with his throat," explained regular rider Steve Harris. "His breathing was a little funny. He was operated on twice over the winter. Last year, he started out really well and then I guess the breathing bothered him."

This year, Ponti Bar showed his ability in his 1983 debut last Thursday at Ruidoso Downs. He ran second, just a nose back of Chicks Passem All in the first division of the Rainbow Silver Cup trials at Ruidoso Downs.

More importantly, his time of 21:83 tied for the third-fastest reading of the 40 four-year-olds entered, thus earning a spot in the third running of this classic for four-year-old quarter horses. The winner of Sunday's 440-yard dash will earn $84,915.55 from the total purse of $169,831.09.

"Sure, I'm disappointed he didn't win. I knew it was really close, but I couldn't tell if we had won or not," Harris said. "He ran really well. It was his first race since last year and he made the finale. It was really a good race for him."

Ponti Bar competed just seven times as a three-year-old in 1982, winning three races with two seconds and winnings of $47,133.

He won three straight races last summer at Ruidoso Downs, including a half-length verdict in the Kansas Derby Consolation. Ponti Bar ran eighth, just two lengths behind winning Cute Investment in the Rainbow Derby, the second leg of the Triple Crown series for three-year-old quarter horses.

Trained by R.W. Werner, Ponti Bar is owned by Anastasia L. Henning of Refugio, Texas.

Harris believes the Texas-bred runner will improve with each performance this season.

"He's a really good horse. He's sound. He'll get better as the season goes along," Harris said. "When I ride him, I usually have to stay after him. He tries pretty hard all the time."

Ruidoso Downs patrons obviously have considerable respect for Ponti Bar. He was wagered to 9-10 favoritism in his Rainbow Silver Cup trial, quite a degree of admiration for a horse who has not raced since late last August.

Harris termed Bojacs Magic as the horse to beat in Sunday's Silver Cup.

"Bojacs Magic is the one to outrun after his trial race," said the 23-year-old, blond-haired rider from Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Bojacs Magi turned in a two-length victory in the third trial heat with a blazing 21:57. That clocking was the best of the Silver Cup entrants and was also the fastest 440-reading this season at the mountain track.

Bojacs Magic won seven of 12 races with one second as a three-year-old in 1982. His biggest victory came via a disqualification in the World's Championship Quarter Horse Classic last August at Ruidoso Downs.

The Sir Winsalot gelding is trained by Dale L. Baker for owner Robert L. Walters of Nevada, Missouri.

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Jockey/Trainer of the Week

by MARK GORDON

Father Cliff Lambert and son Casey Lambert finally combined forces for a sensational weekend at Ruidoso Downs Race Track.

The two Lamberts combined for five winners over the sixth weekend of horse racing at the mountain track. Casey also rode another winner for six victories over the weekend.

Those performances earned Casey jockey-of-the-week, while Clifford gained trainer-of-the-week laurels.

The Lamberts won the featured 11th race on Friday with Some Other Brother ($8.00), won Saturday's second race with Royal Sin ($11.80) and fourth race with Cherokee Blade ($7.80) and then captured Sunday's fourth with Pleasures Hempen ($5.80) and the featured Mescalero Apache Handicap with the durable gelding Double B Express ($9.20).

Casey also rode Gold Mart ($3.00) on Thursday.

Casey, however, has had a disappointing meet so far. He had only one win entering last weekend, but now is a solid threat to rejoin the jockey standings after this weekend.

"Finally, I had a good weekend," said the 17-year-old rider after his win aboard Double B Express.

The struggle for the jockey lead has now become a four-way chase among O.A. Martinez Jr., Mike Lidberg, Larry Byers and Salustio Burgos.

Martinez and Mike Lidberg each have 17 victories, although Martinez technically has the top spot since he has a higher winning percentage. Byers and Burgos each have 15 triumphs.

Other top ten riders include Joe Martinez, Jacky Martin, Leroy Coombs, Alex Baldillez Jr., Richard Bickel, Paul Jaramillo, Carlos Rivas and Wayne Buehrer.

Clifford Lambert's outstanding weekend boosted him to second in the trainer charts behind season-long leader William F. Leach. Lambert has 11 wins, five seconds and 15 thirds from 84 starts for a .130 winning percentage.

Leach, the 1982 Ruidoso Downs leading trainer, is drawing away with 20 wins, 15 seconds and 14 thirds from 82 starts. His winning percentage is an outstanding .243.

Other top ten trainers include Jack W. Brooks, C. Wayne Gilbreath, Gerald E. Marr, Fred I. Danley, Jimmie D. Claridge, Clifton Dean, Jack W. Dube and J. Doyal Roberts.

Racing resumes at Ruidoso Downs on Thursday with six trial races for the Norgor Thoroughbred Futurity. The races will each be at four furlongs with a purse of $2,500.

The six winners will automatically advance to the Norgor Futurity, set for four furlongs on June 26 with a purse of $125,750. There will be a special drawing for the four remaining spots among the six second-place finishers.

Friday's card includes trial races for the Rainbow Derby, the second leg of the Triple Crown series for three-year-old quarter horses. Each race will be at 440 yards with a purse of $2,500. The 10 fastest sophomores will advance to the Rainbow Derby, set for July 4 with an estimated purse of $575,000.

Saturday's main event will be the Norgor Derby at six furlongs. The six six-furlong jaunt will offer the winner $21,671.67 from the total purse of $169,831.09.

Sunday's feature will be the third running of the Rainbow Silver Cup at 440 yards. The winner will collect $84,915.55 from the total purse of $169,831.09.

Major contenders include Bojacs Magic, Hempen Jet, Chicks Passem All, Ponti Bar and Rebeller.

Jockey/Trainer standings

JOCKEY STANDINGS
(Through Sunday, June 12, 1983)

Name	Mounts	W	P	S	Pct.
O.A. Martinez Jr.	89	17	11	16	.190
Mike Lidberg	132	17	15	12	.128
Larry Byers	75	15	13	6	.200
Salustio Burgos	132	15	19	5	.113
Joe Martinez	113	12	19	16	.106
Jacky Martin	66	10	15	11	.151
Leroy Coombs	85	10	12	7	.117
Alex Baldillez Jr.	42	9	8	4	.214
Richard Bickel	64	9	12	9	.140
Paul Jaramillo	67	9	7	8	.134
Carlos Rivas	70	9	9	11	.128
Wayne Buehrer	82	9	9	5	.109

TRAINER STANDINGS
(Through Sunday, June 12, 1983)

Name	Starts	W	P	S	Pct.
William F. Leach	82	20	15	14	.243
Clifford C. Lambert Sr.	84	11	5	15	.130
Jack W. Brooks	68	10	17	10	.147
C. Dwayne Gilbreath	37	9	8	4	.243
Gerald E. Marr	48	9	9	4	.187
Fred I. Danley	48	8	11	6	.166
Jimmie D. Claridge	55	8	9	3	.145
Clifton Dean	35	7	3	4	.200
Jack W. Dube	44	7	6	6	.159
J. Doyal Roberts	66	7	8	7	.106

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Opinion

Inside the capitol

by Fred McCaffrey

SANTA FE — Sometimes there are columns you just don't want to write.

The notes for this one have been lying on the desk, practically staring back at the writer, for a matter of weeks.

They only get used now because of two incidents at the State Penitentiary. One was the stabbing of a shackled inmate in the visiting room for maximum-security prisoners by another prisoner, also with his hands in shackles. The other was a clubbing, the next day, of another maximum-security inmate in that location we all have heard so much of by now, infamous Cellblock 3.

Connect with those two events the thought that the summer has begun, and you will see why they disturb the peace of the writer.

Information making its way out of the pen in Santa Fe has been saying for some time this is going to be a long, hot summer there.

Overcrowding and a lack of programs were major contributing factors behind the 1980 riot at the pen.

We are, unfortunately, recapitulating some of those conditions today.

Actually, the central penitentiary now has assigned to it 180 more prisoners than it can house. Even with 100 of them transferred to out-of-state institutions, at great expense, we have 80 more men than we have room for. That means some space usually dedicated to programs is being used to give them shelter.

And the summer is just coming on.

That's when clashes often happen in the pen, as a certain amount of outdoor living makes them easier.

What would they be over now?

Well, as we hear it — and this kind of thing is almost impossible to check with certainty — the war between two groups of prisoners, La Familia and Los Carnales, to see which controls the "economy" of the pen is bubbling again and likely to come to a boil.

Last summer, Los Carnales appeared to have been the ones in charge. That makes La Familia the challengers now—and the power play could be a devastating one.

In any prison, of course, the real power is with the prisoners. They are the insiders' society — and a society it really is, with many of the aspects of the one outside, including an economy. It may be based on cigarettes instead of hard cash, but it is an economy all the same.

What prisoners fight over is "three-for-two" and who gets to "turn money." You may not know what those mean, but prisoners do — and the system matters to them.

But there's one essential difference between society outside and society behind bars, beside the basic one that all those locked up have been found guilty of some kind of serious crime. It's the fact that, as one prisoner puts it, "There's no place to run in prison." You're there and somehow affected by what goes on around you, whether you want to be or not.

So even prisoners who are not members of the two warring factions, or of others such as the Aryan Brotherhood or whatever new groupings may have arisen inside to match those in the outside world, can find themselves caught up in a maelstrom.

Those "neutral" ones are the ones who get the messages out, and the message is usually "Help us."

They know they are not dealing with social clubs organized for fun and good works, like the Shriners. They know the members of these groupings are not the boys of Sigma Chi.

They are instead the kind of men who can stab you in full view of your wife in the visitors' room or can dust you with a bat or a crowbar inside the dormitory.

Of all people, New Mexicans should be the last to say of prison violence, "It can't happen here."

But, ask the prisoners who harbor the fears, how do you get the outside world to care?

That question we have not yet found the answer to.

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Editorial

The lateness of the hour at Tuesday night's village council meeting lent a touch of unreality to the proceedings, at least to this observer.

But there really was little sense of the meeting "dragging on," and a good number of the audience stayed to the end.

One felt a sense of history as the council grappled with issues that make up the all-encompassing question: "Where is Ruidoso going?"

Upper Canyon residents who successfully opposed the Sleepy Hollow annexation left feeling they had won a victory. But the council, in taking no action on the annexation petition, declined to address the very pertinent question posed by Councilman Coulston.

Where do the right of ownership of land and the right of the neighbor not to be inconvenienced meet? It is a question that surely will be asked again and again as the village grows.

And just as Ruidosoans are being forced to ask how they want the village to grow, we are having to ask how best to promote Ruidoso as a place to visit.

It has been said that fights are healthy. They force everyone to examine their position, and things are better afterward. Regarding lodgers' tax, certainly the positions of the Chamber of Commerce, the Lodgers' Tax Committee and the village council have been wrenched into redefinition.

Annexation and lodgers' tax should be seen as growing pains. Through all the shouting and wailing, Ruidoso in some form will evolve. And we all have a stake in making this "best of all places to live" better.—TP

Letters to the editor

DEAR EDITOR:

I am writing this letter in regard to the obvious hate letter you received from Wanda Amos regarding Fort Stanton Hospital and Training Center. It was my pleasure to work at Fort Stanton as a teacher about a year ago. During the time I worked there, I was constantly impressed by the giving nature of the staff. I mean they cried when the students got hurt and adopted these "kids" as their own. It takes so much giving and caring to take care of people who are, due to physical reasons, degressing day by day. They work, play and live with these kids. It takes an extremely giving person to devote their lives to this kind of work. My hat is off to them; they are better people than I. I hope your readers have the insight to disregard what is obviously an uninformed and misguided letter to the editor.

BERNARD ROTH,
EX TEACHER, FORT STANTON HOSPITAL

DEAR EDITOR:

FOCUS ON THE FATHER

What is God like?

We have asked that question a thousand times. In our inner thoughts and also, sometimes in defiance, we have demanded of others, "Show me what God is like!"

The Apostles of the New Testament had the same desire. Not in defiance, but perhaps with a touch of frustration, Philip was the spokesman for all when he said to Jesus, "Show us the Father and we will be satisfied."

We want to see God. We have a longing to know what our Maker really is like. That desire lies behind all our restlessness and is the driving force which motivates our searchings for the meaning of life.

The Apostle John writes "No man has seen God at any time." Where does that leave us in our quest for answers to the vital questions:

Who am I?
Where did I come from?
Why am I here?
Where am I going?

There are two answers which throw light upon our dilemma.

First, our concept of God is determined in our childhood environment. Here is a statement you will want to think about for a good, long time. Your ideas about God are shaped by your image of your father. You imagine God to be what your father is, or was.

This Sunday is Father's Day. We honor our earthly fathers. Or do we? Some have happy, loving thoughts about a wonderful man. Others, well, we can't even print the words you would use to describe him!

Recently I counseled with a family which would be typical of today's unit. Mom and Dad are going through a bitter and heart-rending divorce. The family is in a shambles. Lives are shattered. I can see the pain and confusion on the faces of the children.

What hurts me most is this; Dad's behavior, his irresponsibility, lies, instability and rancor are going to give the children an image of a God who is mean, harsh, unfair and capricious.

But before we criticize this "typical" twentieth-century father, let's pause a while and reflect.

On Father's Day we Dads expect that extra honor that comes with the territory.

However, as we bask in the glory of our own special day, let's take a while to remember, our kids form an image of the Eternal Father based on our character, our values and how we have treated them.

Sobering, isn't it?

The Second enlightening thought for focus on this Father's Day is the reply which Jesus made to the puzzled Apostle. The Savior said,

"Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father."

The implication is encouraging and inspiring.

Even us Dads can get a good idea of what God is like; all we have to do is look at the Man from Nazareth. We find His portrait in the Bible. So let's take to read that wonderful story.

And then, as we see what God is like as reflected in Jesus Christ, we will have the pattern for our own lives. Have a wonderful Father's Day.

PETER CHURCH

DEAR EDITOR:

In last week's paper, a letter to the Editor from a Wanda Amos attracted my attention and raised my blood pressure considerably.

This exploitation made by a woman who barely worked three weeks for the mentally retarded, does not give her the expertise she needs to even discuss retardation, let alone comment on schizophrenia and psychosis.

Furthermore, "How dare you, Mrs. Amos, talk about our students, saying they are human vegetables." I happen to be one of the cold and uncaring staff members you mentioned in your letter and I want to tell you, these mentally retarded clients have more love and feelings than you will ever have. Even though they are retarded, they have the greatest personalities, and give of themselves so much that it is rewarding to have these individuals as your friends.

Yes, we have students with various aggressive behaviors but they are usually controlled with a behavior modification program, one to one supervision and occasionally medication. Nevertheless, they are treated as individuals and given the opportunity to expand as much as possible with the various programs provided for their individual needs.

We also have a student abuse committee which you failed to mention. Believe me, it works... When an abuse is committed, the employee is given administrative leave until this committee can determine the case. If the employee is found guilty of student abuse, he is automatically terminated.

Also, Mrs. Amos, you said, "Thank God, I don't have to answer to these things;" well, if you were a witness to someone being abused and you didn't turn it in to the committee, failure to inform these incidents makes you just as guilty as the employee who may have struck the student... Put that in your conscious and wear it!!!

Fort Stanton Hospital and Training School has nothing to hide. We invite anyone to come and visit our facility and clients. Treat our clients with respect, they have feelings too!

A Cold and Uncaring Staff Member
Carmen Burch

DEAR EDITOR:

As the Director of Residential Services and Ms. Amos' supervisor while she worked at Fort Stanton Hospital and Training School, I must take exception to her letter printed in your June 9th paper.

Ms. Amos is certainly presumptuous in her many statements concerning the staff here at the Fort.

As:

1. She worked 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. for seventeen nights which hardly gave her time to know the two other staff members she worked with much less the clients that were sleeping most of the time.

2. Only a psychiatrist or a psychologist could determine the extent of our clients' disabilities, and as they are sleeping while she was on duty, even a qualified doctor would not make a judgment concerning their diagnosis.

3. As she was never in a classroom, it's a mystery as to how she knows if the clients are taught or not.

This is a state supported institution, therefore, it is our duty to teach the skills that will enable our clients to be as self-sufficient as possible and not to teach what are considered to be "frills" for the possible one client that might benefit from music.

Ms. Amos stated that clients are abused by being "beaten." An investigation into these "alleged" abuses came to no conclusive proof; by the way, this "alleged abuse" charge was brought by Ms. Amos' son-in-law after he had walked off the job when we were unable to give him a day off he had asked for.

I feel like this may shine another light on her charges, and I too thank God that I don't have to answer charges made public by a disgruntled former employee.

Patricia Randle

P.S. The employee involved in the alleged abuse is no longer working here at the Fort.

Letters to the editor

DEAR EDITOR:

LAZY DAYS

The good old forest service is your friend. I first worked for them twenty years ago. Mostly all the work consisted of was sleeping under the trees in the shade, out of public sight. It has changed very little today. Dozens of men with nothing to do but wait for a forest fire sleep all day. Although over the last few years, there has been some worthwhile production in the summer by these men.

I have always cut wood in the forest to heat my home. Although the last five years, the areas with the good down and dead wood have been closed, with the wood laying and rotting. I wonder why the forest service doesn't cut up their own firewood with their men they have to pay by the hour to sleep and sell it to individuals in the summer?

This same forest service wants to spray the Lincoln National Forest for Budworm. By spraying, a lot of the birds that eat these insects would die. It would cost you taxpayers hundreds of thousands of dollars and the chemical companies can add Lincoln County to their lists of conquests.

A few years ago, a spraying of forests in Washington and Oregon caused Mongoloid children, miscarriages, retardation and birth defects. If you want to see the Chemical Company make a big buck and kill the birds and bees, then don't call or write the Forest Service here in Ruidoso.

Terry Coe

DEAR EDITOR:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

When I first moved to this beautiful Mountain Village, naturally, I had to have a phone. So I paid the $35 deposit and hook-up which seemed reasonable enough to me at the time. Six months later I moved to another location and found that there was no more deposit, you had to supply your own phone, and it was only $58. I was told that the reason for the increase was surcharges and paperwork. If anybody out there understands what a surcharge is and where the money goes, I sure would like to know. I had to have a phone, so I paid it.

Being a realtor in town, I recently sold a newly constructed home in a central area. The man who bought it tells me it will run him $250 to get hooked up and the house is pre-wired and the lines are at the street! Another associate in the office owns a duplex and wants to move in to the other side to do some remodeling. Only $118, and she can keep the same number on the other side of the wall!

The following is an example of the service we received at the office for $570 for the month of May on any given day:

I dial 1 for a long distance line, I get a dial tone; try again, busy signal; I try dialing for the operator and get the same response. Well, I figure repair service needs to know about it, but it seems I'm cut off from the rest of the world until further notice.

Later on in the day, I pick up the phone to make a long distance call and some guy calling from a doctor's office tells me to get off HIS line. So I wait until he gets through, and lo and behold, I finally get through to my prospective buyer, but CONTEL isn't through with me yet; as I'm at the height of my sales pitch and I get cut off in the home stretch.

This is just an example that I could probably go on and on with, but why bother? CONTEL is going to take us for all they can get and it seems that there's nothing we can do about it. I don't mind paying for a job well done, but it sure is frustrating to pay MORE for a job that's hardly done at all.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to the District Supervisor in Arizona who is supposedly a stockholder and on the Board of Directors at CONTEL. If you would like to share your thoughts with this man and/or would like to sign a petition against the unexplainable surcharges on your bill, please give me a call at 257-9126 or 257-9867 and I will be more than happy to give you his name, address, and phone number. I feel we all deserve an explanation, if not a refund.

SINCERELY YOURS,
GARY GEORGE

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Reporter's Round

by Billy Allstetter

My predecessor at The News once wrote that small town politics are "great." I'm not always so sure whether they are great or awful. Some of the recent politics have had elements of both.

I find it thrilling to see individual participation in the policy making of government; and on the other hand I am disappointed how much a factor personalities and lack of communication play in the debate of the issues.

Sitting in the small room at the Capitan village hall with the 15 fold-out chairs full and the fan spinning overhead, listening to a seemingly endless debate over the placement of a streetlight, I wonder idly who condemned me to such mundane duty.

But upon reflection I realize that it is really an extraordinary process that is going on. The public is involved in making decisions. Anybody with a strong opinion about something the government is doing can come to the meetings and speak his part.

The democratic process. Most of the world's people don't have the options we do for making our voices heard and affecting the direction of the government.

It is such an easy thing to criticize the legislators for what they are doing. Not enough money for roads, too many regulations, or taxes too high. So many people sit around the television and complain while sipping on another beer and switching the channel to another sitcom.

Growing up in towns with hundreds of thousands or even millions of people, the idea of the democratic process always seemed to me more of an abstract and remote theory than an actual option.

But sitting there in that crowded room in Capitan, or at a lodgers' meeting or Chamber of Commerce meeting in Ruidoso, I see individuals bring their gripes and opinions to the governing bodies and actually have an effect.

One man's objection to haphazard placement of streetlights stopped some questionable expenditures by the village of Capitan. When a woman stood up to say that she believed she and another Hispanic employee were being discriminated against, a stormy debate followed that eventually brought her a salary increase equal to that of other village employees.

It is the stormy debates and incriminations that seem to get out of hand, sometimes. I guess whenever people debate issues about which they have strong feelings, they will get upset and lose their tempers once in a while. It's only natural.

But in talking to people around town during the recent outbursts about three percent lodgers' tax and Chamber budgets, I hear an awful lot of talk about individuals; how mad one person is with another or how one person does not even want to talk to another.

I wonder if the debate of the issue doesn't sometimes get lost in the feelings for the person who is debating the other side.

I also wonder if strong feelings about certain issues don't keep people from listening to other sides of the argument; and considering trade-offs necessary in any political decision.

Maybe I'm just new to politics but it seems we have an awfully confrontative situation here. Battle lines are drawn between different parties—and often have been before the issues are even identified. The day the lodgers' tax committee agrees with the Chamber or the lodgers listen to anybody about the lodgers' tax will be a new dawning in local politics.

I get the feeling that some of the past feuds have so alienated people that they won't even listen to certain people or certain groups.

Lately, however, I have been hearing a different voice: someone who is actually listening to the people who are on the "other side" and responding to their comments.

Jim Paxton, the new president of the Chamber of Commerce, appears to me to be a person who is actually seeking the opinions of others and listening to them.

I'm not sure the lodgers realize or give him much credit for addressing one of their major complaints. He realized that the Chamber's support for the three percent lodgers' tax was very unpopular among the lodgers. He talked to them and heard their complaints about the lodgers in the county and Ruidoso Downs not collecting the tax.

This week Paxton and Chamber executive director Ed Jungbluth went before the governing bodies of Ruidoso Downs and Lincoln County urging them to collect lodgers' tax.

Paxton has also made appearances at lodgers association meetings, lodgers' tax committee meetings and village council meetings. He appears to be listening to things that others have to say. If everybody listened to everybody a little more in this town, I think the politics would go smoother and we all might benefit.

As one person said to me this week: "Aren't we all really working for the same thing, improving the tourist trade in Ruidoso?"

Bright future seen for art, but increased support needed

by BETH HALLER
Staff Writer/Photographer

The potential for Ruidoso to become a well-known art center is here, several art gallery owners said recently, it just needs support.

Hazel Haynsworth, owner of D'Oros art gallery, is enthusiastic about Ruidoso's cultural future.

"Ruidoso can put itself on the map," she said. However, she feels a gallery association is needed.

"We should combine forces and make Ruidoso an art center," Haynsworth suggests. National advertising could be bought, she noted, and the galleries could get into more widely distributed art magazines and brochures.

Sonya Smith, owner of Smith Ltd Gallery, said consistent cooperative advertising on a national level is needed.

"Art is in the palm of our hands," Smith said.

Haynsworth pointed out that "Ruidoso is a natural (for art) because of its uniqueness. It has many varieties of scenes—winter, summer, the Hondo valley orchards. It has so much landscape and so much beauty.

"Ruidoso is close to large centers such as Phoenix, El Paso and Lubbock."

Smith said Ruidoso is just now beginning to reach art collectors.

"We need to bring people in for reasons other than races and skiing," Smith explained.

Don Parsons, owner of The Artisan's Shop & Gallery, said with new galleries coming into town with various types of art, the art image of Ruidoso is improving.

"Hopefully, we can get on the same level as Santa Fe and Taos," he said. "The way to improve art here is to carry better art."

Nancy Fleharty, one of the artists represented at 20/20 Gallery, said Ruidoso is "a little behind," but that the Southwest has always done its own thing in art.

The 20/20 Gallery is a cooperative of 18 local artists who display their work.

Haynsworth explained that "Ruidoso could be built up as an art setting. It is a good place to come and paint."

For artists, Smith said, "The mood and the feeling is here. God's own creation is here. What else could they ask for?"

This is exemplified by the growing enrollment at the summer art workshops at Carrizo Lodge.

Marian Black, who runs Carrizo Lodge, said two years ago there were only 50 students enrolled in art workshops there. Three hundred are enrolled this summer, and she is hoping for an additional 200 students.

People come from all over the United States and from foreign countries to the workshops, Black said. This is the last summer it will be easy to get into classes, she predicted.

Carrizo Lodge is in the process of completing eight studios.

Black said the potential for art "depends on all of us here in Ruidoso.

"We have to make this an at-

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SONYA SMITH, owner of Smith Ltd. Gallery, said she tries not to crowd paintings on the walls. She believes it is easier to look at one painting at a time than a cluster of paintings.

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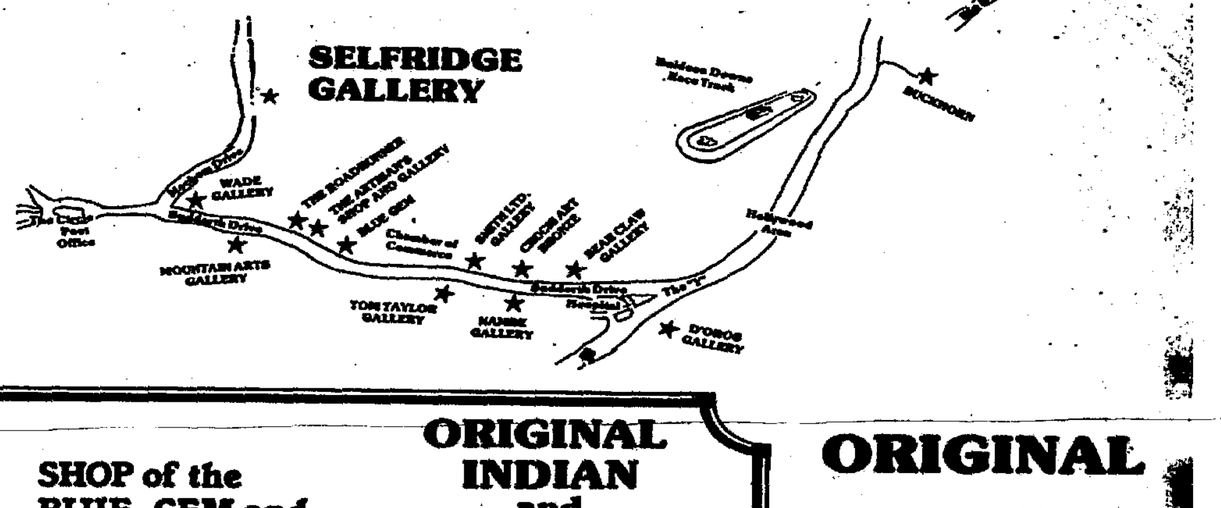

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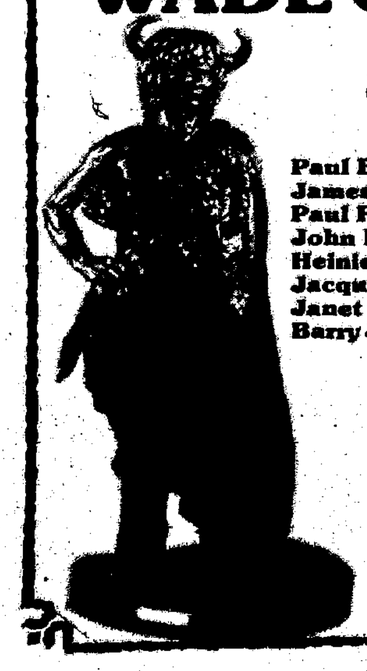

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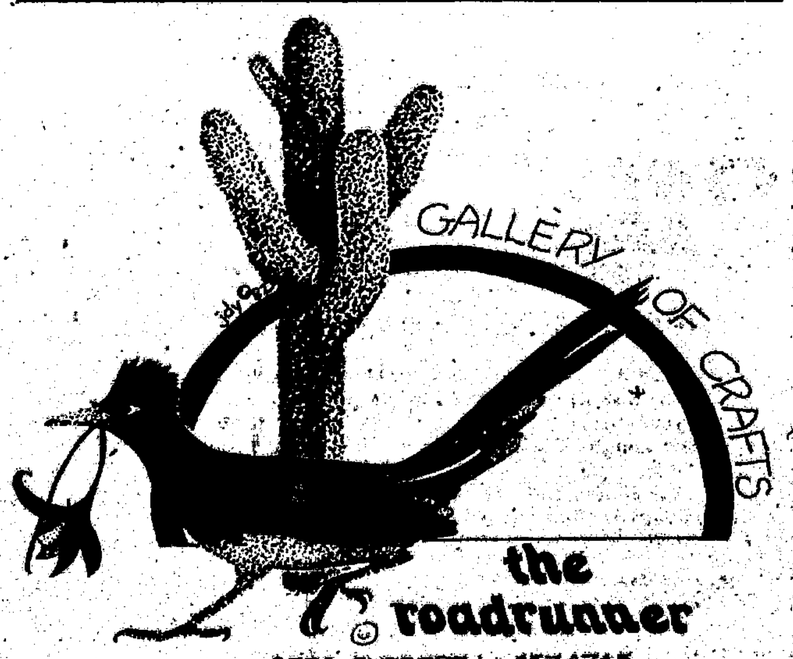

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LOCAL ARTIST J. David Dietrich, who has some of his fabric art displayed at 20/20 Gallery in Ruidoso, shows some of the varieties of art displayed at the gallery.

DON AND MARY PARSONS , owners of the Artisan's Shop and Gallery, also do "creative framing" at their shop. Parsons said when framing and matting, he tries to pick up a color in the painting, so as to highlight some of the more prominent colors in the work of art.

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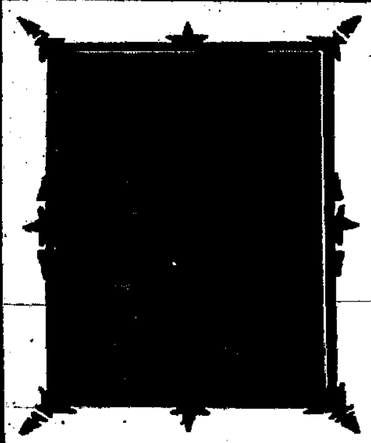

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Art in Ruidoso

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mosphere conducive to artists. We all have to say 'come to Ruidoso,' no matter what it is for."

Black noted that transportation is a problem for this area. "It's hard to get here, but once they get here, they love it."

Carrizo Lodge is reaching for a national scope, she said. There were 35,000 copies of the Lodge's magazine sent to artists, and the Lodge is advertised in American Artist magazine.

"We're trying to encourage different art endeavors to come here," Black explained. "We're also trying to get a writing workshop. We're trying to show people how to market their art; this is an important area of interest."

Carrizo Lodge is planning an art gallery, she said. It is expected to be completed in about nine months.

Fleharty said although there are some well-known artists from this area, more artists are needed here.

There is competition among artists here but not as much as in a large city, she said.

Each of the art gallery owners has a particular theory about the way art galleries should be.

Haynsworth said she does not like long, cold galleries.

"I try to combine the art with furniture and gifts," she said. "It sets off the art better."

Smith said she tries to de-emphasize art as an investment.

"I'd rather see people buy art because they like it," she said.

Smith emphasized buying of originals. A work should be a creation of the artist, not a copy, she feels.

Haynsworth said top artists are an investment, while it is hard to know what the reputations of young artists will do.

All the gallery owners noted that Western and Indian art are the most popular in the Ruidoso area.

This area needs to build up Indian art, Haynsworth said. There are not too many Indian artists, she noted, but there are some good ones.

Smith said since Ruidoso is in the midst of a reservation, Indian art began to fascinate people.

Haynsworth said she tries to carry a mixture of media. "People have different tastes, so it takes all kinds."

Parsons said he carries all types of Western art.

Haynsworth pointed out some of the local artists of renown—Tom Knapp, Lincoln Fox, Ted Robertson and Gordon Snidow.

Smith said it is hard for galleries to represent local artists because people want to deal directly with the artists.

Haynsworth and Smith noted that they have their best sales in the fall. Parsons said the summer is his best selling season; there are more people here.

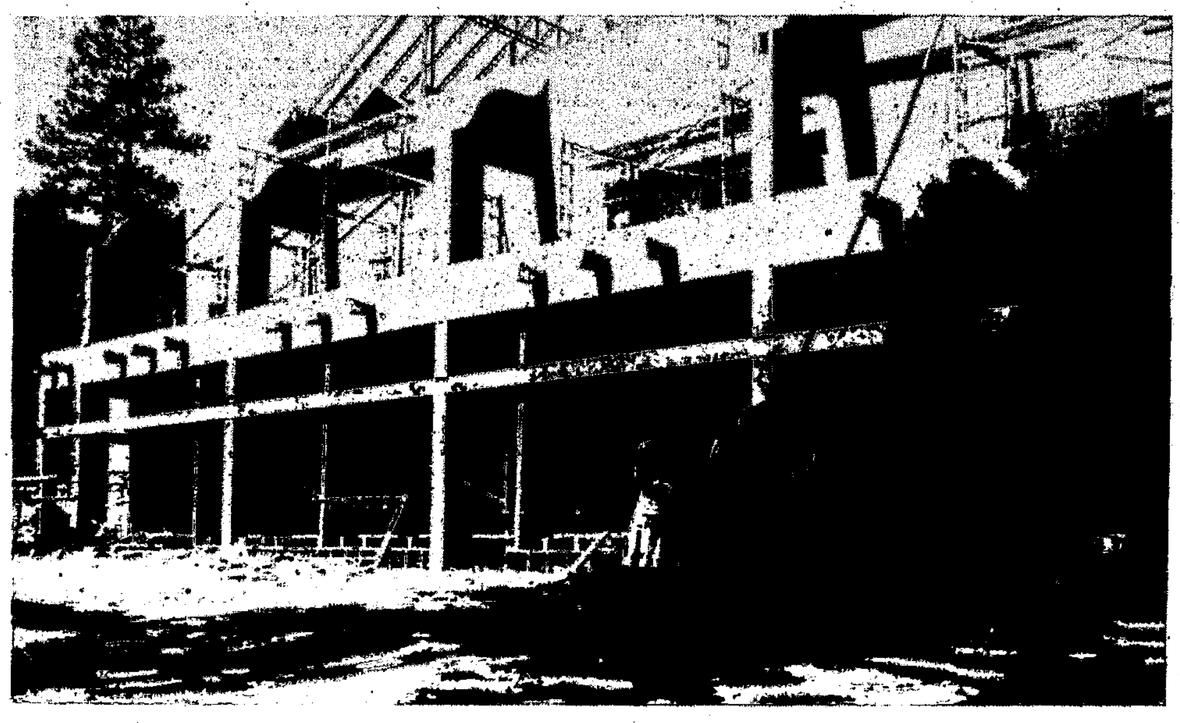
All the gallery owners agreed their art gallery business has been steadily improving.

Haynsworth said it has improved because there are more people here that are art conscious.

"Ninety percent of people are immature in their knowledge of art," she said. "Only in recent times have people been able to afford art.

"Art festivals have brought art down to the people."

ARTIST Ted Robertson shows the finer points of creating a pastel portrait at an art workshop at Carrizo Lodge.



CARRIZO LODGE is being renovated and added to with condominiums and art studios. Marian Black, general manager of the lodge, watches the work of construction workers Ruben Savedra (left) and William Smith.

COMBINING ART WITH FURNITURE and gifts is Hazel Haynsworth, owner of D'Oros Gallery, reflecting her philosophy toward the creation of a mood in her gallery.

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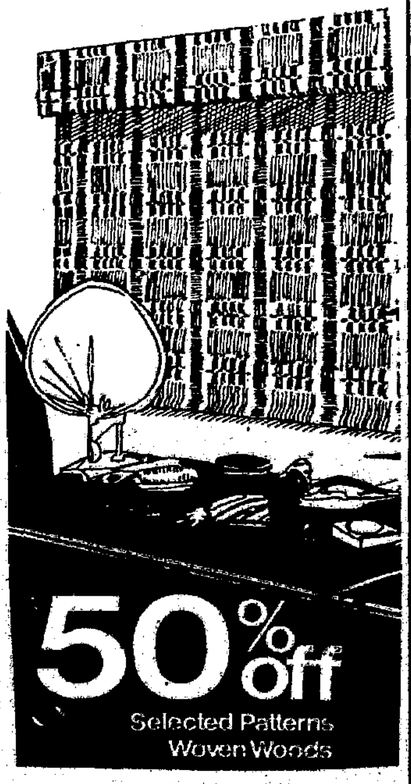

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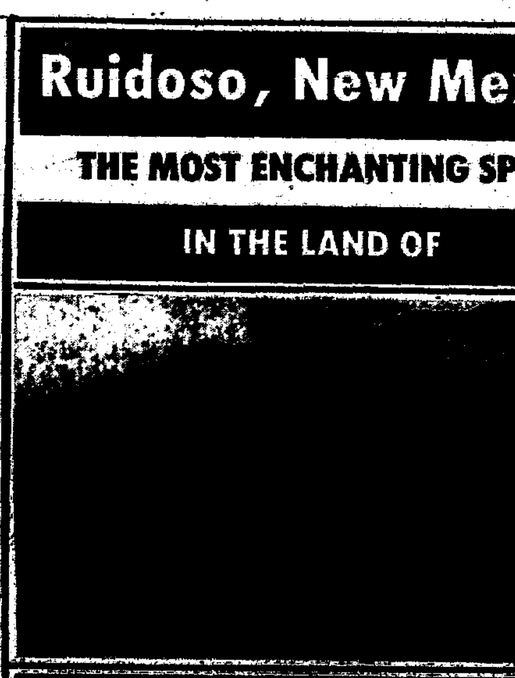

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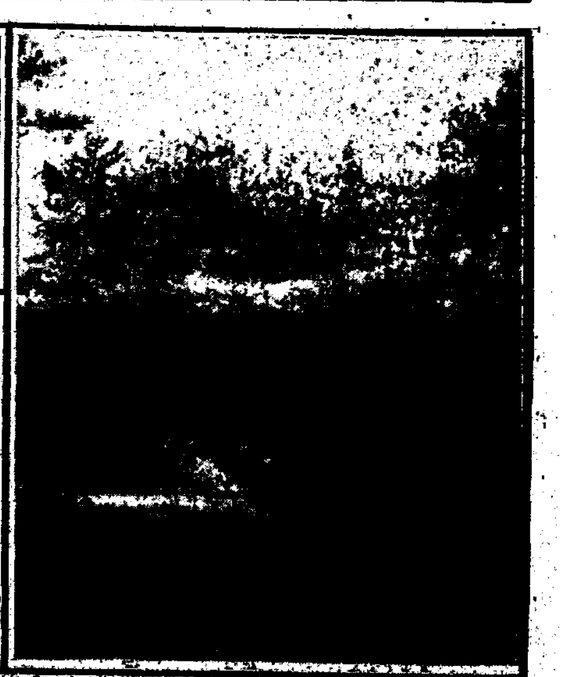

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

RUIDOSO STATE BANK,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JERRY M. LOBB AND MARLENE M. LOBB,

Defendants.

No. CV-83-76
Div. II

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 25, 1983, the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, in Cause Number CV-83-76, styled "Ruidoso State Bank vs. Jerry M. Lobb and Marlene M. Lobb," entered its Decree of Foreclosure in favor of the Ruidoso State Bank, the Plaintiff in said cause, and against Jerry M. Lobb and Marlene M. Lobb decreeing foreclosure of a Judgment Lien, dated March 23, 1983, in favor of Plaintiff and ordered the undersigned as Special Master, to sell at public sale the following real property covered to satisfy the aforesaid lien, said property being situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and being more particularly described as follows:

Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, Block 41 of the TOWN OF CAPITAN, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, March 3, 1900; and

Lot 9, Block 3, and Lot 3, Block 4 of a replat of Mt. Capitan Subdivision, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County on February 5, 1965, in Tube No. 210.

Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, Block 41 of the Town of Capitan, Lincoln County, New Mexico, are being sold subject to the following encumbrances, to-wit:

A. Mortgage dated March 17, 1978, in favor of Chaves County Savings & Loan Association, said mortgage being filed of record the 17th day of March, 1978, in Book 88 of Mortgages at pages 324-327;

B. Mortgage dated September 11, 1978, in favor of Chaves County Savings & Loan Association, said mortgage being filed of record the 13th day of September, 1978, in Book 90 of Mortgages at page 701;

C. Mortgage dated December 22, 1982, in favor of First City National Bank, said mortgage being filed of record the 27th day of December, 1982, in Book 109 of Mortgages at page 713.

Lot 3, Block 4 of Mt. Capitan Subdivision, Lincoln County, New Mexico, is being sold subject to that certain mortgage, dated March 2, 1983, in favor of First City National Bank, said mortgage being filed of record the 7th day of March, 1983, in Book 110 of Mortgage Records at page 1021.

Lot 9, Block 3 of Mt. Capitan Subdivision, Lincoln County, New Mexico, is being sold subject to that certain mortgage, dated December 22, 1982, in favor of First City National Bank, said mortgage being filed of record the 27th day of December, 1982, in Book 109 of Mortgages at page 712.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that on the 5th day of July, 1983, at 1:30 P.M. on the steps of Ruidoso Municipal Administrative Building, the undersigned, as Special Master, will sell tghe above-described property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy the judgment of the Ruidoso State Bank against the Defendents, said judgment being in the amount of $14,433.22, plus interest thereon at the rate of 10% per annum from March 23, 1983, until paid, to which shall be added at the time of the sale the balance of the costs of the action, if any, and the costs of sale, including a Special Master's fee. The time of said sale may be postponed in the event that the Special Master in his judgment deems it advisable.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1983.

PATRICIA TULLY, Special Master

Legal No. 2775 4t(6)9,16,23,30.

LEGAL NOTICE

Board of Trustees
Village of Capitan

ORDINANCE NO. 83-2; AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE 3, CHAPTER (8) VIII, SECTION 2, of the Municipal Code of the VILLAGE OF CAPITAN.

8-3-2-Monthly Rate: The Village shall charge and collect from all residences benefiting from garbage, refuse and trash pickup, a monthly service charge as hereby set forth:

For all single family dwellings..$6.00
For all other dwellings, including duplexes, multiple family dwellings, rooming houses, trailer courts..$6.00 per each occupied space or unit.
For all commercial establishments..$10.00
For schools and Industries.....$15.00
All garbage, refuse and trash collected by the Municipality outside the corporate limits of the Village of Capitan shall be assessed at one and one-half times the amount charged above.

Be it Ordained by the VILLAGE OF CAPITAN that the foregoing Ordinance is hereby adopted and accepted this 13th day of June, 1983.

ATTEST: David Cummins, Mayor

Legal No. 2789 1t (6)16.

LEGAL NOTICE

Board of Trustees
Village of Capitan

ORDINANCE NO. 83-1; AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 3, SECTION 9, of the Municipal Code of the Village of Capitan.

3-2-9 Sewer Service Charge: The Village shall charge and collect from all users of sewer lines and sewage system for the use thereof, a monthly service charge is hereby set forth:

For all single family dwellings..$6.00
For all other dwellings, including duplexes, multiple family dwellings, rooming houses, trailer courts and all commercial establishments..$6.00 plus ten (10%) per cent of the charge of water.
For all users outside the village limits, there shall be assessed an amount one and one-half times greater than the charge of the category they are in as subscribed in sections above.

Be it Ordained by the VILLAGE OF CAPITAN that the foregoing Ordinance is hereby adopted and accepted this 13th day of June, 1983.

ATTEST: David Cummins, Mayor

Legal No. 2788 1t (6)16

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

LARRY G. GARRISON, Deceased.

No. PB-45-82
DIV. II

NOTICE OF HEARING BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

TO: Joe W. Garrison, Montie Garrison and Amanda Garrison,

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OF LARRY G. GARRISON, Deceased, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTEREST IN THE ESTATE OF LARRY G. GARRISON, Deceased, OR IN THE MATTERS BEING LITIGATED IN THE HEREINAFTER MENTIONED HEARING.

Hearing on the Petition filed by the undersigned Co-Personal Representatives, seeking the Order of the Court approving the Final Account and the distributions made and declaring the estate fully settled and discharged, and releasing the undersigned from further claims or demands of any interested person, has been set for hearing at the District Court of Lincoln County, sitting in Carrizozo, New Mexico on the 27th day of June, 1983, at 9:30 o'clock A.M.

Pursuant to Section 45-1-401, N.M.S.A., 1978 Compilation, notice of the time and place of hearing on said Petition is hereby given you by publication, once each week, for two consecutive weeks.

WITNESS the hand and the seal of this Court.
DATED: June 8, 1983
MARGO LINDSAY
Clerk of the District Court

Joe W. Garrison
Co-Personal Representative

Montie Garrison
Co-Personal Representative

O'REILLY & HUCKSTEP, P.C.
P.O. Box 2295
Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345
(505)257-5035
Attorneys for Co-Personal Representatives

Legal No. 2778 2t(6)9,16

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico calls for sealed bids on REFUSE TRANSFER SYSTEM. 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 2:00 PM June 27, 1983 at which time bids will be opened.

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
John D. Cupp, Purchasing Officer

Legal#2784 1t (6) 16

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico calls for sealed bids on CEDAR POSTS. 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 2:00 PM June 20, 1983 at which time bids will be opened.

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
John D. Cupp, Purchasing Officer

Legal #2783 1t (6) 16

LEGAL NOTICE

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF LINCOLN

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

WILLIAM GERALD DEAN, SR. and MARY IRENE DEAN, his wife,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

MADISON COOK, JR. and OLIVIA MARCE COOK, his wife, COOK LTD. a New Mexico Limited Partnership, H & H FINANCIAL CORPORATION and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM, Bankruptcy Trustee,

Defendants.

NO. CV-83-69
DIV. II

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, under and by virtue of the Default Judgment entered by the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on the 6th day of June, 1983 in the case of WILLIAM GERALD DEAN, SR. and MARY IRENE DEAN, his wife, Plaintiffs, vs. MADISON COOK, JR. and OLIVIA MARCE COOK, his wife, COOK LTD. a New Mexico Limited Partnership, H & H FINANCIAL CORPORATION and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM, Bankruptcy Trustee, Defendants, being Cause No. CV-83-69 on the docket of said Court, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, at 10:00 A.M. on the 7th day of July, 1983 at the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico the following described real property, to-wit:

The West 7.65 feet of Lot 7 and all of Lots 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Block 45 of the Town of Capitan, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the map thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, March 3, 1900.

AND

TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 14 EAST, N.M.P.M.

Beginning at the Southwest corner of Block 45 of the Town of Capitan, as a point of beginning; thence West 60 feet; thence North parallel with the West line of Block 45; thence South 120 feet, more or less, along the West line of Block 45 to the point of beginning,

AND

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Block 45 of the Town of Capitan; thence North along the West line of Bonito Avenue, if extended, 180 feet, more or less, to a point; thence West to the East boundary line of North Lincoln Avenue; thence, South along the East boundary line of North Lincoln Avenue to the South boundary line of old "Railroad Street"; thence East to the point of beginning, being the Northeast corner of Block 45; LESS AND EXCEPTING the following described tract:

A certain tract of land in Capitan, Lincoln County, New Mexico, more particularly described as: Beginning at the SW corner of Lot 12, Block 45, Village of Capitan, New Mexico; thence S 89° 20' E, along the South line of said Block 45, 54.0 feet to a point for the SE corner; thence N 0° 40' E, 161.0 feet to a point for the NE corner; thence N 89° 20' W., 114.0 feet to a point for the NW corner; thence S 0° 40' W, 161.0 feet to a point for the SW corner; thence S. 39° 20' E., 60.0 feet to the point of beginning, containing 0.319 acres+, and 114.0 feet frontage on U.S. Highway No. 380.

ALSO LESS AND EXCEPTING the following described tract: A portion of the W/2 NW/4 of Section 10, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of Lot 1, Block 45, of the Town of Capitan, Lincoln County, New Mexico, thence North along the West line of Bonito Avenue 100 feet, thence West 146.95 feet, thence South in line with the partial dry wall between the Dean and Cummins Building 100 feet; thence East 146.95 feet to the point of Beginning.

LESS AND EXCEPTING from the above described tract the West 1 foot of the North 98 feet thereof.

SUBJECT TO easements, Reservations and Restrictions of record.

TOGETHER with all improvements thereon.

Together with all and singular the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereunder belonging or in anywise appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the amounts awarded by the Court in said Default Judgment and to be realized at said sale from the above described real property, with interest calculated to date of sale, are as follows:

1. Costs of sale, including Special Master's fee of $75.00.
2. Judgment debt in favor of Plaintiffs in the amount of $61,497.36 plus interest of $17,372.58, plus ad valorem taxes paid by Plaintiff and all insurance premiums paid by Plaintiffs.
3. Judgment debt in favor of Plaintiffs in the amount of $86,550 plus interest of $11,690.18; the attorneys' fees of $9,824.02.

The terms of the above sale are that the purchaser must pay cash at the time the property is struck off to him, with the exception that the Plaintiffs, William Gerald Dean, Sr. and Mary Irene Dean, may bid the amount of their judgment, as above set forth.

DATED this 6th day of June, 1983.

S.M. Ortiz
Special Master

Legal No.2774 4t(6)9,16,23,30.

LEGAL NOTICE

CALL FOR BIDS

The Ruidoso Municipal Schools are calling for milk bids to be furnished for school lunches during the 1983-84 school year.

Furnish quotations for:

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All quotations must be addressed to the Ruidoso Municipal Schools, P.O. Drawer 430, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345. Quotations will be opened and read at a regular meeting to be held on July 12, 1983 at 7:30 P.M. in the Administration Office.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive all technicalities.

P.T. Valliant,
Superintendent and
Director of Finance

Legal No. 2787 1t(6)16.

LEGAL NOTICE

CALL FOR BIDS

The Ruidoso Municipal Schools are accepting bids on a new Activity Van. Passenger: 16 minimum, 24 maximum.

Specifications are available in the Office of the Superintendent, P.T. Valliant, P.O. Drawer 430, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 or telephone 257-4051.

Bids will be received up to and including August 9, 1983, no later than 4:00 P.M. Bids will be opened and read aloud at 7:30 P.M., August 9, 1983. Bids must be in a sealed envelope marked "Bid Item".

The Ruidoso Schools reserve the right to accept or reject all bids and to consider any type or combination of options.

P.T. Valliant, Superintendent
and Director of Finance

Legal No. 2785 2t(6)16,20.

LEGAL NOTICE

CALL FOR BIDS

The Ruidoso Board of Education desires to receive sealed bids for typewriters to be used in the Business Education classrooms, Music Department, and White Mountain Middle School.

Specifications are available in the Office of the Superintendent, P.T. Valliant, P.O. Drawer 430, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 or telephone 257-4051.

Bids will be received up to and including July 12, 1983 until 4:00 P.M. Bids will be opened and read aloud at 7:30 P.M. July 12, 1983 at the school administration building.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all technicalities.

P.T. Valliant, Superintendent
and Director of Finance

Legal No. 2786 1t(6)16.

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE TWELFTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT

THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, an Ohio Corporation,

Plaintiff,

-vs-

STEVE SPINA and GEORGE BOOTH,

Defendants

No. CV-83-13
Div II

SUMMONS AND NOTICE
OF PENDENCY OF PROCEEDING

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the above named Defendants:

GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY notified that the above named Plaintiff has commenced a proceeding against you in the above entitled Court and cause, the object therefor being a Complaint on Account for Debt and Money Due.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that unless you serve and file a responsive pleading or Motion in said cause on or before the 8th day of July, 1983, Judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.

Plaintiff's attorney is Karen L. Parsons of Parsons, Parsons & Bryant, P.A., whose Post Office address is P.O. Box 1000, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, this 18th day of May, 1983.

/s/ Margo E. Lindsay
Clerk of the District Court
/s/ Joy Leslie
Deputy

Legal #2755 - 4t (5) 26 (6) 2, 9, 16

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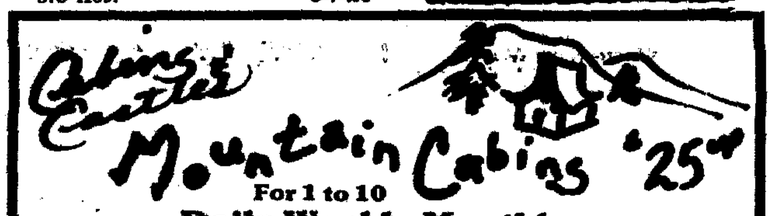

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REDUCED — 1,600 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 2 bath mountain home with large living room, raised dining room, 2 car garage. Tree covered ½ acre lot joins national forest. $87,500.

¾ ACRE LOT — in Loma Graude, level, nice trees, restricted. $6,500.

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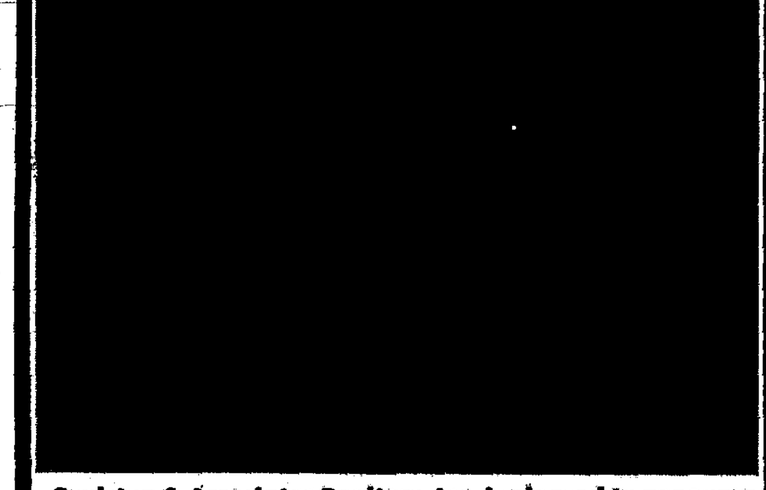

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We need some new listings. So if you have a property that you would like to sell, give us a call, it will be worth your time.

For Sale For Sale For Sale

One of the most spectacular wooded view lots in Alto, $34,500. Some owner financing available.

Distress Sale on Innsbrook Village Condo. Two bedroom, 2½ bath, beautifully furnished, asking $98,500, low down payment.

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OWNER SAYS BRING OFFERS
Good looking, large 2 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home in the pines of Gavilan Canyon. Let's take a look! Listed at $45,000.

PINECLIFF
This charming 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath home is like new — hardly used — all new furniture, linens, dishes, everything you need! Situated on a beautiful wooded lot.

SECLUSION IN THE PINES
Is yours in this desirable neighborhood near the track. Large 2 bedroom, 2 bath cedar home is great for family living or for the party crowd. This one really shows well.

INVESTMENT PROPERTIES
Owner anxious to sell and will finance this duplex. Stays rented and has good income. Convenient location on pavement and furnished: $59,000.

COOL AND COMFORTABLE
Is what you'll be in this lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Beautifully furnished, 2 fireplaces, large deck and view.

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SPACIOUS HOME, SECLUDED LOCATION—Approximately 2,000 square feet of quiet living in this Upper Canyon area home. There's even a pool table, plus the price just dropped $10,000. (It was priced right to begin with, but now you can steal it!)

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NEW LISTINGS

THE HOUSE WE LISTED LAST WEEK ON CREE MEADOWS GOLF COURSE HAS ALREADY SOLD!! BUT—We listed another one this week in case you're still looking for an ideal first or second home with golfing privileges. Only two years old, this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home is elegantly comfortable, with large master bed/bath suite upstairs. Covered back patio looks out over 3 fairways, and there's a beautiful green to enjoy out the front windows. The quality and beauty of this fine home should be seen first-hand. Shown by appointment.

$32,500—ALL YOU NEED is $6,000 down payment to enjoy this newly listed mobile home. With 3 bedrooms this has much to offer. Excellent terms available.

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10 ACRES—A short distance off paved road. Land lays real nice with no steep hills. All weather road makes for easy access.

SPEAKING OF ACREAGE—Do you need a nice home for you and your horse? Approximately 2.5 acres of fenced area with custom-built home is zoned for horses and comfortable country living. Within 5 minutes of Ruidoso Downs Race Track, this place deserves your attention and consideration. If you want quiet convenience and a place for your four-legged friend, this is it.

$50,000 FOR A 3 BEDROOM HOUSE—WITH UNSURPASSED VIEW OF OUR STILL SNOW COVERED MOUNTAIN? This is no typographical error. It's for real!! Completely furnished, this place also has two full baths, deck off living room towards that mountain, and in mint condition. EXCELLENT OWNER FINANCING AVAILABLE. Presently in a rental pool with on-site manager to give you added security for your investment. You can consider letting some rental income make your payments, or reserve the property only for your personal use, you call the shots.

CHOICE COMMERCIAL LOCATION ON SUDDERTH DRIVE—High traffic area and level location make this one of the best locations for just about any business you can think of. $200,000—possible terms.

P. S. Now you've heard of a seller being "motivated"? We have 2 that are near the DESPERATE stage. There's 2 1/4 +/- acres in Alto Village for $26,500 or 1 acre in Deer Park Valley for $18,250.

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EXECUTIVE HOME — located in preferred area in Lubbock, to trade for commercial or income-producing property in Ruidoso. Owner/agent. Pinon Park Real Estate, 258-4129. S-103-tfc

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FOR SALE BY OWNER — spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath, dining room, vaulted living room, rock fireplace, double garage, large sun deck, microwave and dishwasher built-ins, in Cree Meadows with club membership. Owner being transferred, must sell. 257-7978 F-9-8tp

PRICE REDUCED — Best view in town, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, cedar home completely furnished. Strout Realty Inc., 257-2253. S-11-1tc

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UPPER CANYON CABIN — near river, 4 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, gameroom, fireplace, screened porch, large lot, easy access. Approximately 1,600 sq. ft. $98,500, furnished. David H. Kuykendall Real Estate. 1727 S.E. Main, Roswell, N.M., 88201. Call Dewey Stokes, owner/agent. 623-3303 or 622-9343. U-101-8tp

FIVE CITY LOT — 25' x 125', all utilities. $18,500 or best offer. 1974 Falcon mobile home, 14' x 70' with fireplace. $14,000 or best offer. Capitan, 354-2703. F-5-4tp

$17,500 TOTAL — custom built 2 story A frame shell. Redwood or cedar siding large redwood deck. Sliding glass door onto deck and second floor balcony. 1/2 down, easy terms, built on your lot. 257-4398. T-10-4tp

OWNER TAKING LOSS — price slashed on 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Approx. 2,200 sq. ft. A-frame. One 1 acre of creek-front. $85,000; will rent or lease purchase. Danny McGuire, Perteet Parks and Assoc., 257-4073 or 258-4001. M-10-2tc

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LOT IN MOUNTAIN VIEW — estates, view of Sierra Blanca; $37,500. Jackalope Square Real Estate, 257-9723. J-10-tfc

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Energy efficiency: R-15 walls, R-19 to R-30 ceilings, tile air flow wall, forced gas heating.

Large lot: beautiful views and trees, gently sloping, southeastern orientation, excellent solar exposure, lots on both sides available, horses allowed, backs up to national forest.

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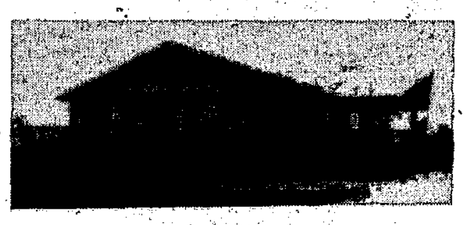

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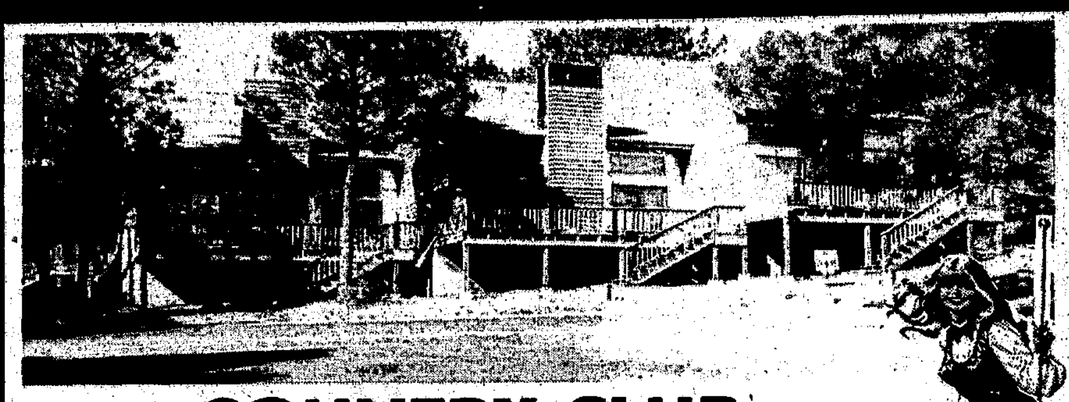

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1 Mile East of The Chaparral on Highway 70

NOB HILL RESTAURANT. A Ruidoso landmark. Has 2 dining rooms, over 3,200 sq. ft., fully equipped. Owner financing.

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LOCATION. This large home is probably located on the most beautifully wooded lot in Ruidoso. Near golf course yet lots of privacy. To be considered when looking at larger homes. Lots of extras.

LOMA GRANDE LOT. This large acre lot can be purchased for $8,000.

COMMERCIAL. Palmer Gateway at stop light. Property goes street to street. Two buildings, priced to sell.

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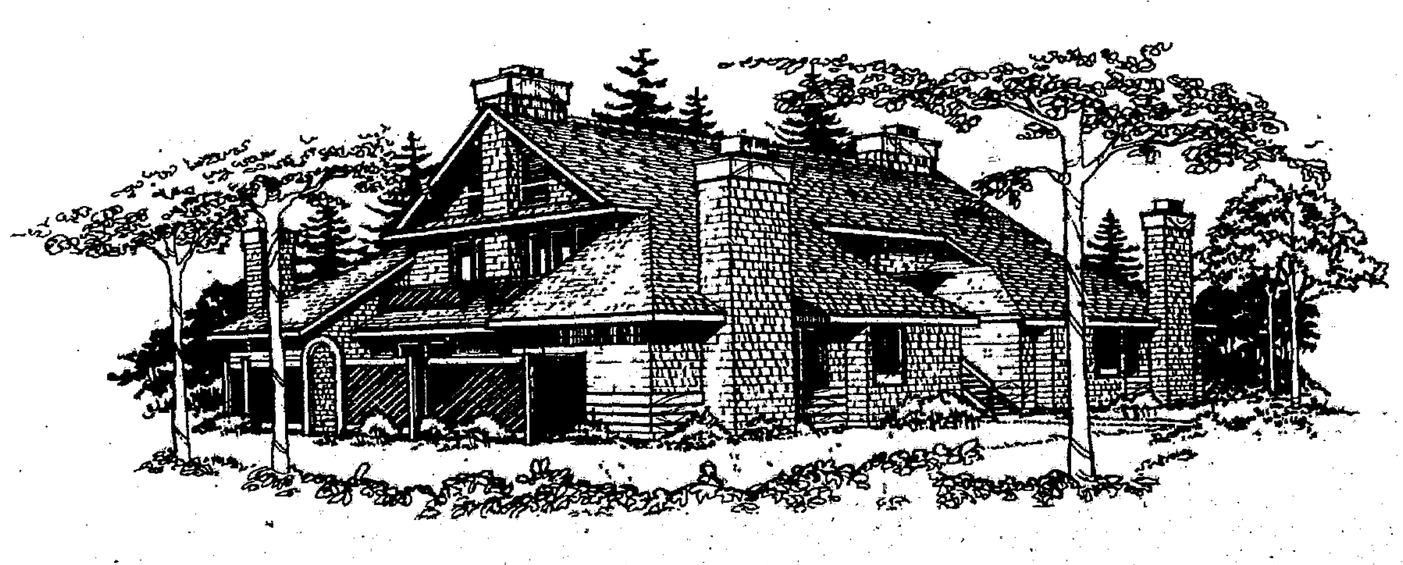

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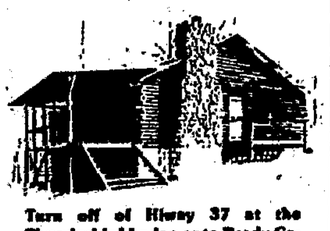

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VACANT LOT AND ONE-HALF. Cree Meadows Country Club subdivision on Country Club Drive, east across from #11 fairway. $35,000 cash.

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VACANT NEW HOUSE — 222 Barcus Road, Golf Course Estates. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, approximately 2150 sq. ft. plus double garage. Custom built, 1¼ lots comes with Cree Meadows membership. $125,000 cash.

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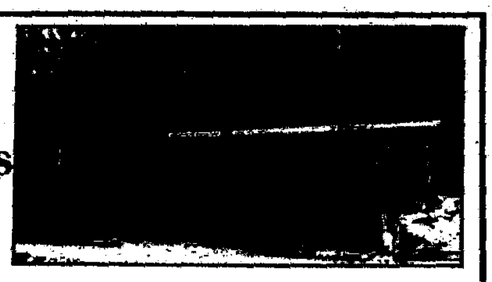

NEAT AS A PIN — completely furnished, 2 bedroom. Good access, paved street, convenient to town. $49,500.

UPPER CANYON — 3 bedroom, 2 bath, den, utility room, knotty pine paneling. Beautiful location, fully furnished. Owner financing. $85,000.

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Very comfortable Upper Canyon cabin on very large lot, only 5 years old. Well built, with fireplace and large deck. Call Sonja

Well priced and close to Golf Course. This 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo with refrigerated air. The price is right. Has good financing. Let Sonja show you this property.

LARGE BUILDABLE LOTS in White Mountain Unit 5. .70 acre $30,900 up to .89 acre $34,900. (4380)

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I HAVE A GOOD SELECTION of Alto Village lots. Most have owner financing with 12% down. Call me on these.

LARGE AND SMALL ACREAGES for sale. Owner financing with low down. Two acre tracts up to 35 acres.

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ALTO VILLAGE — full golf membership. Fine building site, $19,000.

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LOCATED IN WHITE MOUNTAIN 4 — New 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, finish work superior, good livable floor plan, covered porch, quiet cul-de-sac. $129,500.

TERMS AVAILABLE — On this 3 bedroom, 2 bath condo, super location, just west of Cree Meadows golf course. Investors call soon, this one can't be beat. Price $67,000.

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EAGLE CREEK TRACT, — super view of our Mountain, flat and very buildable, horses allowed, Maybe terms, $58,000. 6+ acres.

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CAPITAN AREA — ten acres, low down, easy terms. This won't last long — call now, Strout Realty Inc. 257-2253. S-11-1tc

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EXCEPTIONALLY NICE home in good location. Three bedrooms, 2¾ baths. Owners anxious to sell. $69,500.

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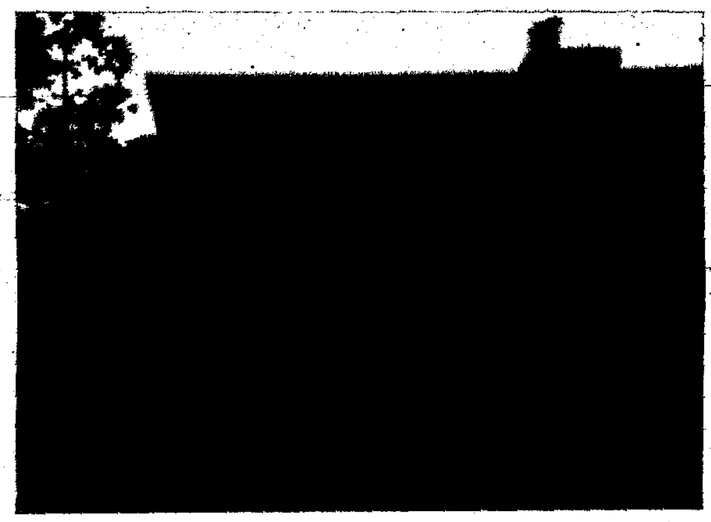

LOOKOUT ESTATES — This custom built Condo overlooks Cree Meadows Golf Course, and has one of the most outstanding views of Sierra Blanca from any Ruidoso location. This 3 level, 4 bedroom, 3½ bath condo has beautiful decor, lots of character and everything you would ever need. Furniture, dishes, linens, wall hangings and deck furniture. The Lookout Estate 0-2 condo has an excellent rental history over $12,000 rental income for 1982. Priced at $214,000. Call for an appointment.

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IF SPACE IS — what you need we have 2-3-4 acres — easy terms, view, electricity only. IG 83-3660, IG 83-3659, IG 83-3661.

NEW CONSTRUCTION — in Agua Fria Estates, 2 homes with 2 bedroom, 2 bath, carport. $54,000 each. IG 83-4390, IG 83-4389.

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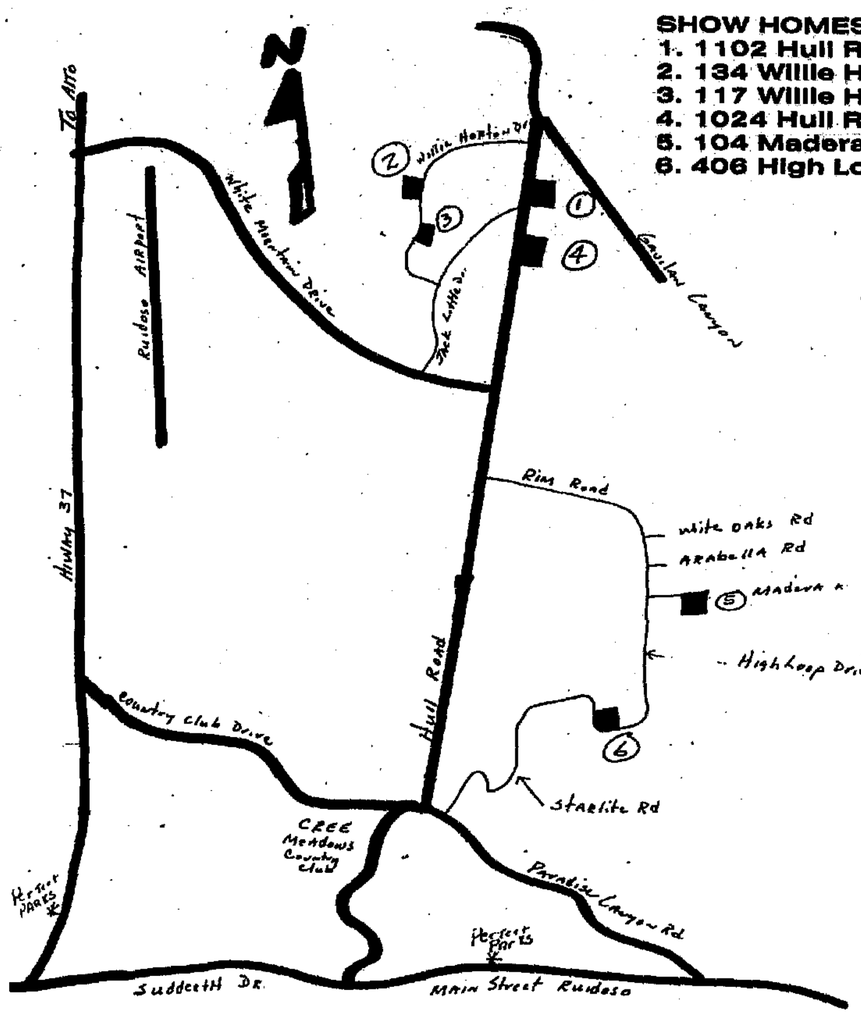

SHOW HOMES
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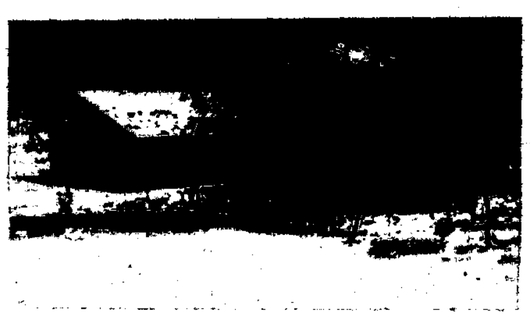
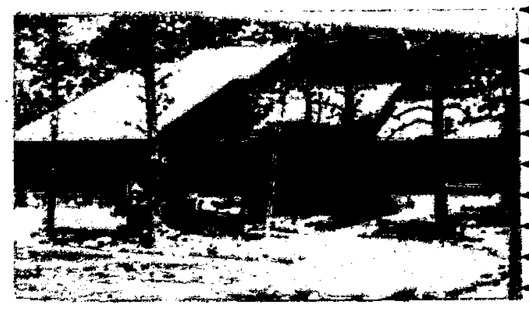
2. 134 Willie Horton Dr.
3. 117 Willie Horton Dr.
4. 1024 Hull Road.
5. 104 Madera Dr.
6. 406 High Loop Dr.



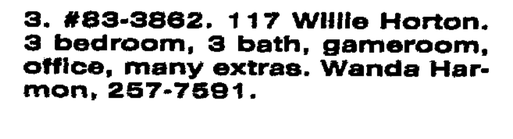
1. #83-3520. 1102 Hull Road. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, built by a cabinet maker, complete in every detail. Don or Wanda Harmon, 257-7591.

2. #83-4246. 134 Willie Horton. 3 bedroom, 2 ½ bath, whirlpool room, master bath with jacuzzi. Teresa Bates, 257-7121.

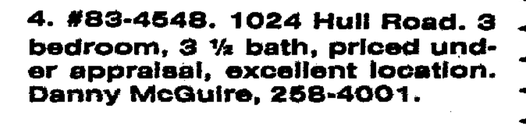
3. #83-3862. 117 Willie Horton. 3 bedroom, 3 bath, gameroom, office, many extras. Wanda Harmon, 257-7591.



4. #83-4548. 1024 Hull Road. 3 bedroom, 3 ½ bath, priced under appraisal, excellent location. Danny McGuire, 258-4001.



5. #83-4358. 104 Madera Drive. 3 bedroom, 2 ¾ bath, convenient, private, complete. Wanda Harmon, 257-7591.



6. #83-3725. 406 High Loop. 3 bedroom, 3 bath, beautiful and new with a view from every room. Gregg Perteet, 336-4318.

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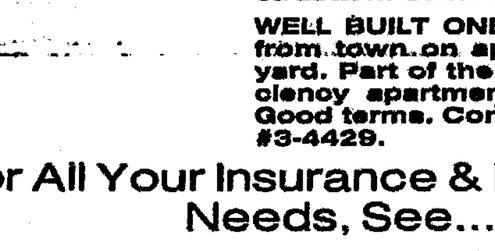

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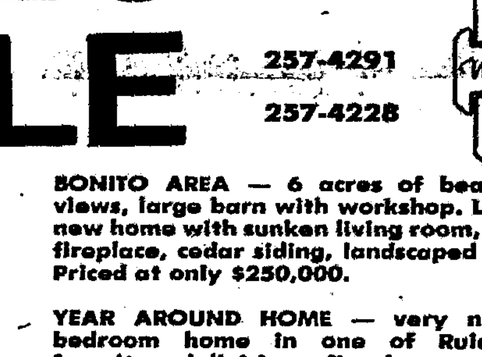

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Ranch Tour '83 delights all

In this day and age on the range, if a cow doesn't "carry her weight of the bill" and produce a healthy calf every year, she's liable to be sold during the fall shipping season.

It's not mean, notes rancher Preston Stone, it's an economic fact of life on today's Lincoln County ranches.

Stone, a partner along with his wife Willa in the Edgar Ranches Limited cattle operation north of the Capitan Mountains, ushered about 360 curious onlookers into the world of modern ranching Saturday.

The stop at Edgar Ranches was the final leg on the fourth annual Lincoln County Ranch Tour. The tour, organized by area Cow Belle chapters and other livestock and agricultural organizations, is designed to introduce greenhorns and the experienced into the world of ranching in the county.

The Edgar Ranch sits on 21,000 acres of dusty plains and woodlands on the north flank of the Capitans. The Stones keep about 300 hereford mother cows on the ranch, which is divided into several large pastures.

The throng of tourists arrived at the branding corral and holding pens on the ranch in a caravan of yellow school buses. Elbowing for space around the corral, the crowd listened intently as Preston Stone explained branding procedures used on the ranch. He and hands from neighboring ranches later demonstrated how branding is done.

Stone said cows and their young calves are rounded up from the pastures each spring and brought to the branding corral. All calves on the ranch are branded on the "squeeze table," which holds the animal virtually motionless while it is branded, dehorned, injected with hormones and (in the case of young bulls) castrated.

The metal table is used, Stone said, because fewer cowboys are required to do the branding on the table, as opposed to the roping and dragging technique used on the range.

"In this day and age, good cowboys are hard to find," Stone pointed out. With fewer hands to pay during branding season, the ranch can channel its profits into other areas, such as improving ranch facilities.

As cowboys demonstrated both branding techniques to the visitors, it was clear that though the squeeze table may be more efficient, it is less dramatic and crowd pleasing than the traditional style Stone called "dragging."

"Oohs" and "aahs" from the crowd mixed with the rattle of spurs and lowering of mother cows as a cowboy skillfully cut calves from the herd. The calves were roped and dragged to waiting hands decked out in broad felt hats, jeans, chaps and cowboy boots.

Like a team of surgeons assembled around an operating table, cowboys would pin each struggling bovine to the ground as Preston burned the "Circle A" brand into each calf's lower left jaw.

Cowboys also used irons heated by a propane torch to dehorn the calves, which is done to prevent injuries in the feed yards where yearlings end up after shipping, Stone said. Before the cowboys released their patients, they injected them with growth hormones and castrated the bull calves with rubber castration rings.

Back at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds—headquarters for this year's ranch tour—District Conservationist Greg Haussler said Preston and Willa Stone depend on one full-time ranch hand to help them run the cattle operation.

The three of them tend to the 300 head of mother cows, plus their offspring, replacement heifers and bulls scattered throughout the 34-section ranch. They also maintain over 60 miles of fence, 18 miles of water lines, 10 water storage tanks, 20 drinking-tubs and four windmills.

Recently, the ranch installed a stretch of smooth-wire electric fence activated by a solar panel and 12-volt battery.

Haussler, speaking during a barbecue lunch break at the fairgrounds prior to the trip to Edgar Ranches, said Stone is sold on the fence—a relatively new concept in cattle control in Lincoln County—because it is half the cost of barbed wire and more effective.

Also at the fairgrounds, the Gnatkowski sheep ranching family was on hand to demonstrate sheep shearing and the olden days' process of transforming raw wool into finished clothing.

Gnat Gnatkowski, head of the ranching family, narrated while his son Pete sheared a heavily coated ewe.

Ewes are shorn in the early spring on the Gnatkowski ranch, also located in the high plains north of the Capitans. Gnat explained that each ewe produces about 14 pounds of raw wool, which is reduced to half its weight once the lanolin is removed.

"There's more money in sheep, but there are also more losses," said Gnat, as he talked about differences between cattle and sheep ranching.

Janice Gnatkowski and Bessie Jones cranked away on two old-fashioned spinning wheels after Pete relieved the ewe of her burden. They turned the spindly wool into fine yarn for weaving—repeating the same steps of garment-production that they show people at their "Sheep to Shawl" wool promotion exhibit at the New Mexico State Fair.

The fairgrounds stop was preceded by a visit to the M & F Cattle Company on Highway 37 north of Nogal. M & F, owned by Margaret and Ferd Slocum, was recently made famous by the Slocum's two-year-old colt Double Dutch Bus, who brought home nearly $220,000 as winner of the Kansas Futurity.

It was a quick payoff for the Slocums, who relocated to the Sacramento Mountains ranch from Brady, Texas, about a year ago.

The 5,000-acre spread had little more than open space and barbed wire around it when the Slocums purchased it. They proceeded to install a metal barn with 50 stalls, a training track the same size as the Ruidoso Downs Race Track, an arena, several outdoor pens and two horse walkers.

About 200 quarter horses are kept on the ranch, including 120 brood mares and foals sired by some famous stallions including Easily Smashed, Mito Wise Dancer, Mr. San Peppy and Peppy San Badger. Most of the mares are from the King Ranch in Kingsville, Texas.

Ferd Slocum said he has raced quarter horses for about 20 years, and a few of his horses have won minor purses at Ruidoso Downs. But the M & F name was not known in quarter horse racing circles until Double Dutch Bus bolted from the pack and quickly became the favorite for this year's Triple Crown for two-year-olds.

Underdogs who fool the pros may become the trademark of M & F. A match race was run on the track for the tour visitors, and a small mare not picked by Ferd to win nosed out her competitor in the final yards of the race.

The Slocums plan to expand into a stud farm business with up to 500 mares producing foals for annual sales.

Asked by someone if the venture would be money making, Ferd Slocum, who already has received a big return on one investment, laughed and replied, "It had better be."

The tour ended back at the fairgrounds with a display of farm animals raised by Lincoln County 4-H members. Rick Richardson, county 4-H agent, was on hand to answer questions about the 4-H programs.

Linda Ponder, this year's tour chairwoman, said the increasingly popular tour attracted almost 100 more people than last year.

Though a little dusty and weary at the end of the day, tour guests left knowing they had gained some knowledge of Lincoln County ranching.

EVEN A KID CAN FEED A KID. Three-year-old John Gnatkowski shows everybody he can perform ranch chores, too. John, son of Pete and Sarah Gnatkowski, "really enjoys" feeding lambs on the ranch, his mother said.

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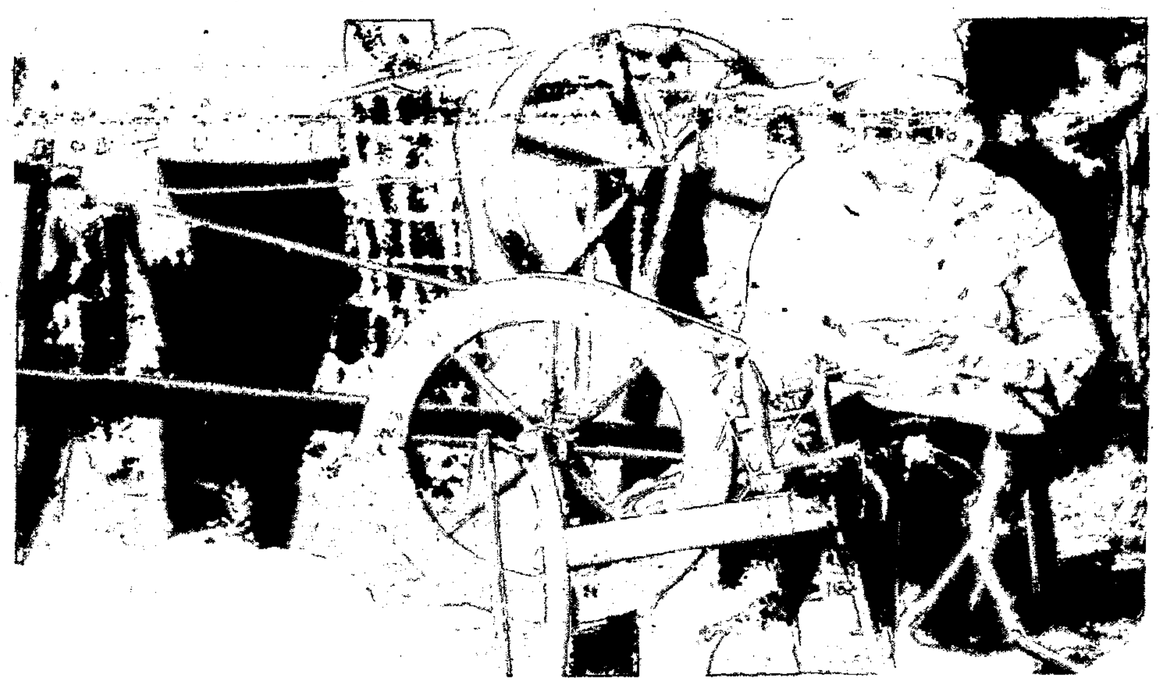
PETE GNATKOWSKI cradles a ewe with one arm as he shears with the other. In less than 15 minutes, the quiet ewe was freed of her heavy coat.



BESSIE JONES spins wool on a pedal-driven spinning wheel during the wool production demonstration at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds.

A COWBOY twists a glowing iron called a "spoon" over a calf's horn until the small horn breaks off from the skull.

EYEING THE HOT IRONS he was just branded with, this baby bovine appears to be contemplating his course of action after release. The calf is held on a "squeeze table."

TEAMWORK is essential to a smooth branding operation. Here, a ranchman and his quarter horse drag a hefty calf away from the herd as Preston Stone (background) readies to drop the calf.

NEW LION OFFICIALS. These are the new Ruidoso Noon Lions Club officials for the upcoming year. From left, they are Don Harmon, tail twisters; Bill Allen, third vice-president; Art Grider, second vice-president; Buster Hill, first vice-president; Lawrence Hill, secretary; and Frank Kirby-Smith, president.

LIONS OF THE YEAR for the Ruidoso Noon Lions Club are Fred Houghston (center) and Bill Allen (right). Outgoing president Bill Varnadore presents plaques to the winners at last Thursday's banquet at Cree Meadows Restaurant.

RECEIVING TRAINING recently at Glorieta were (from left) Phyllis Zumwalt of Hondo; Mary Ellen Payné, Lincoln County Extension home economist; Dorothy Talley of Hondo; and Orby Lillian Neatherlin of Ruidoso. The four participated in the Family Community Leadership Project of New Mexico Extension Homemakers.

VILLAGE HARDWARE owners Larry and Doris Langford (left) present two tickets to Acapulco to Dorothy and Pat Blanks, the winners of the trip in the May 31 drawing at Village Hardware and Paint Company.

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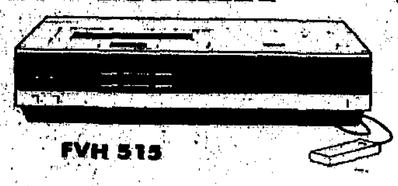

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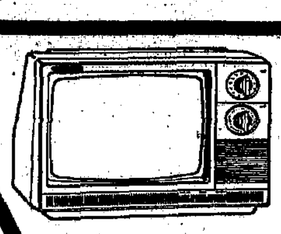

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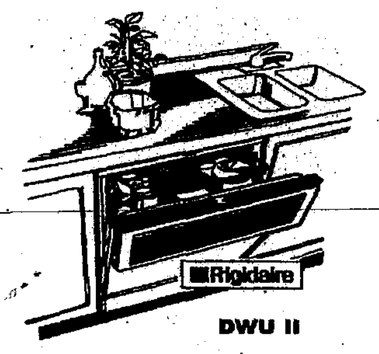

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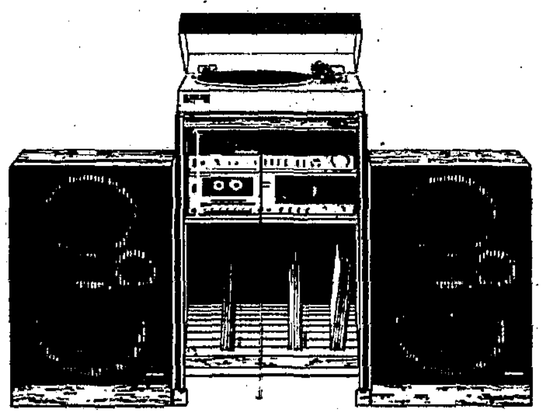

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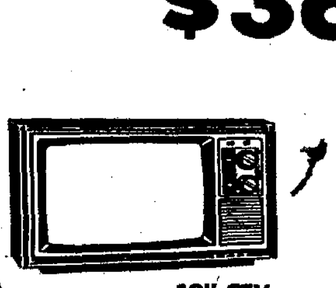

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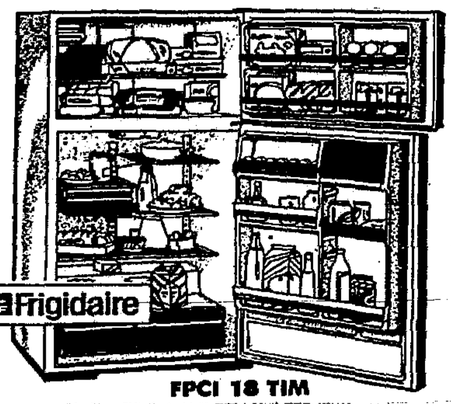

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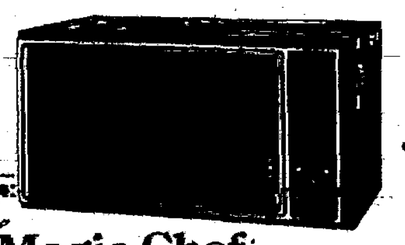

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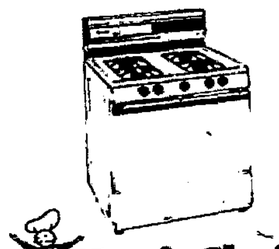

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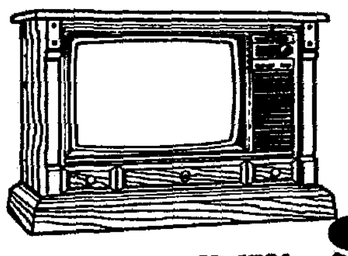

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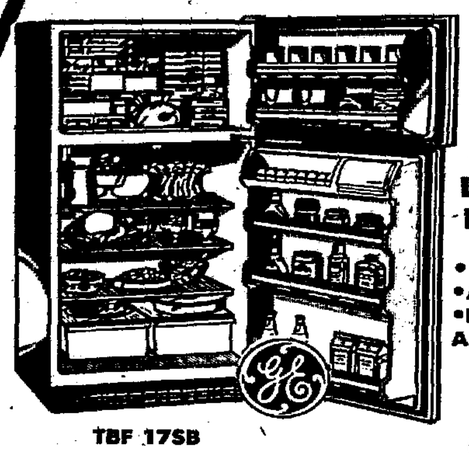

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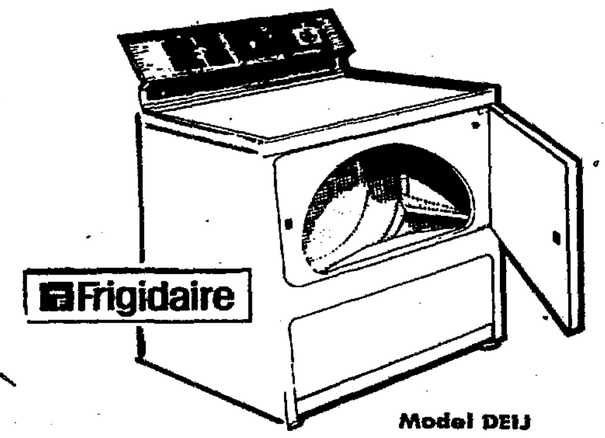

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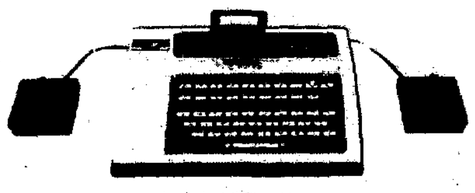

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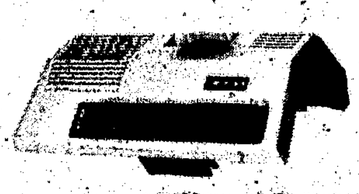

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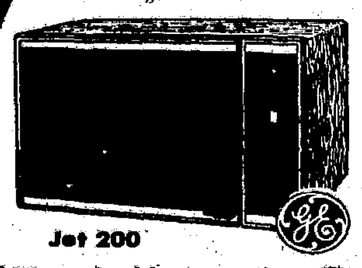

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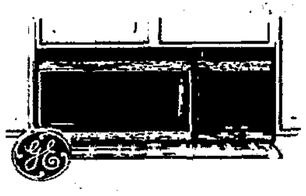

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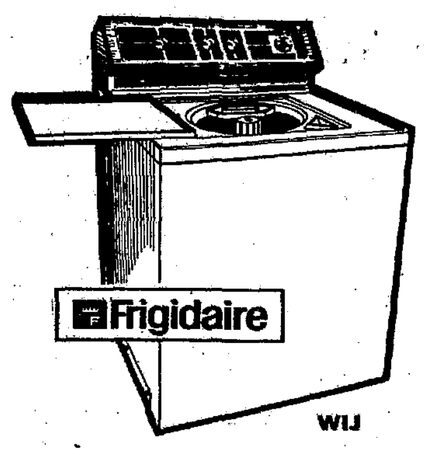

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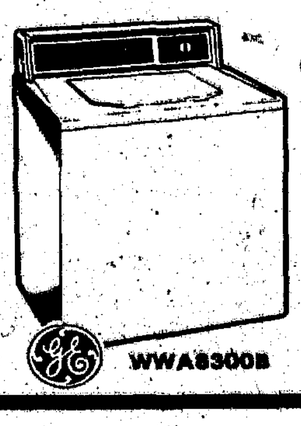

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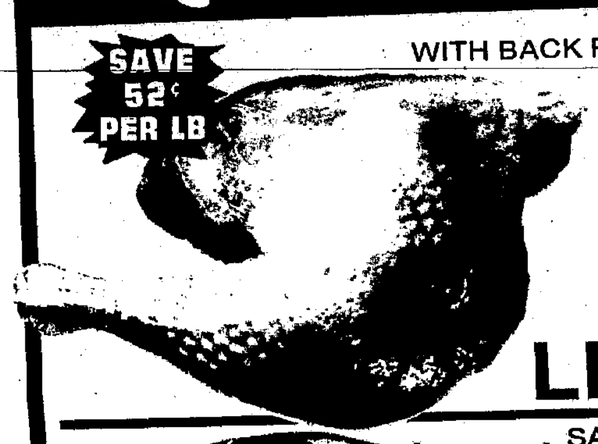

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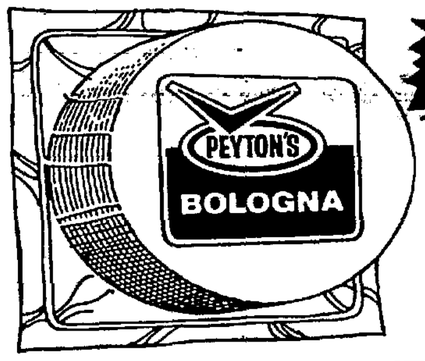

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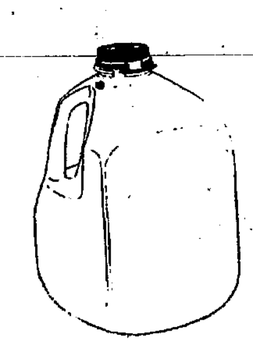

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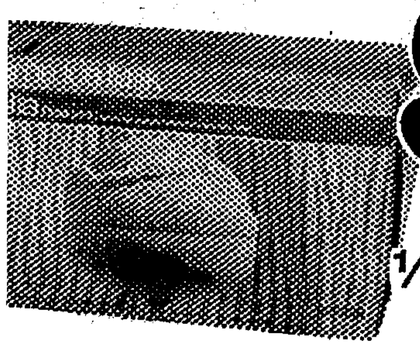

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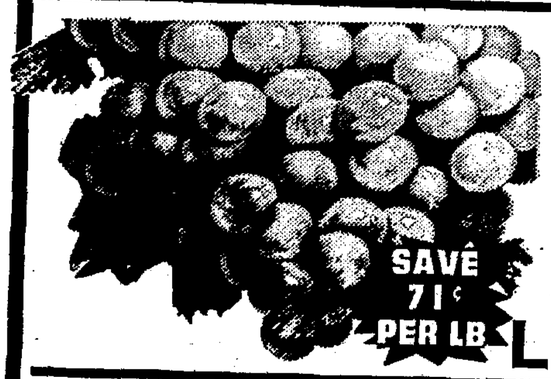

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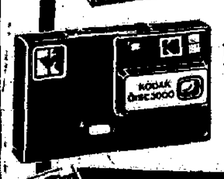

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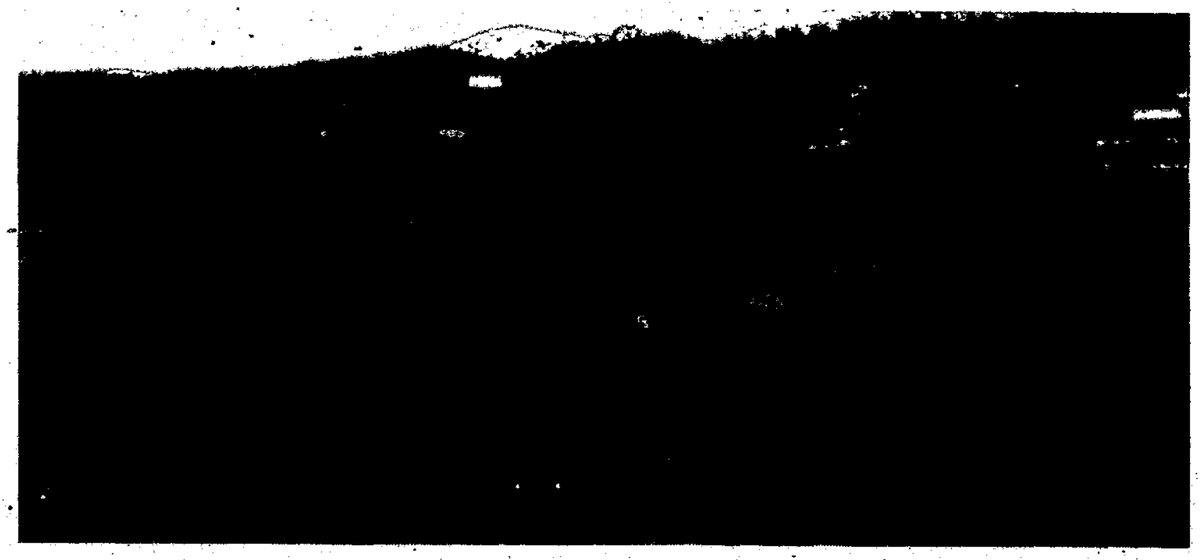
HANDING OVER THE GAVEL. Former Pink Ladies president Nell Trout (front right) hands the gavel to incoming president Lorene Ross as new officers (back row, from left) Dottie Quaid, Pat Haden and Blanche Love look on.

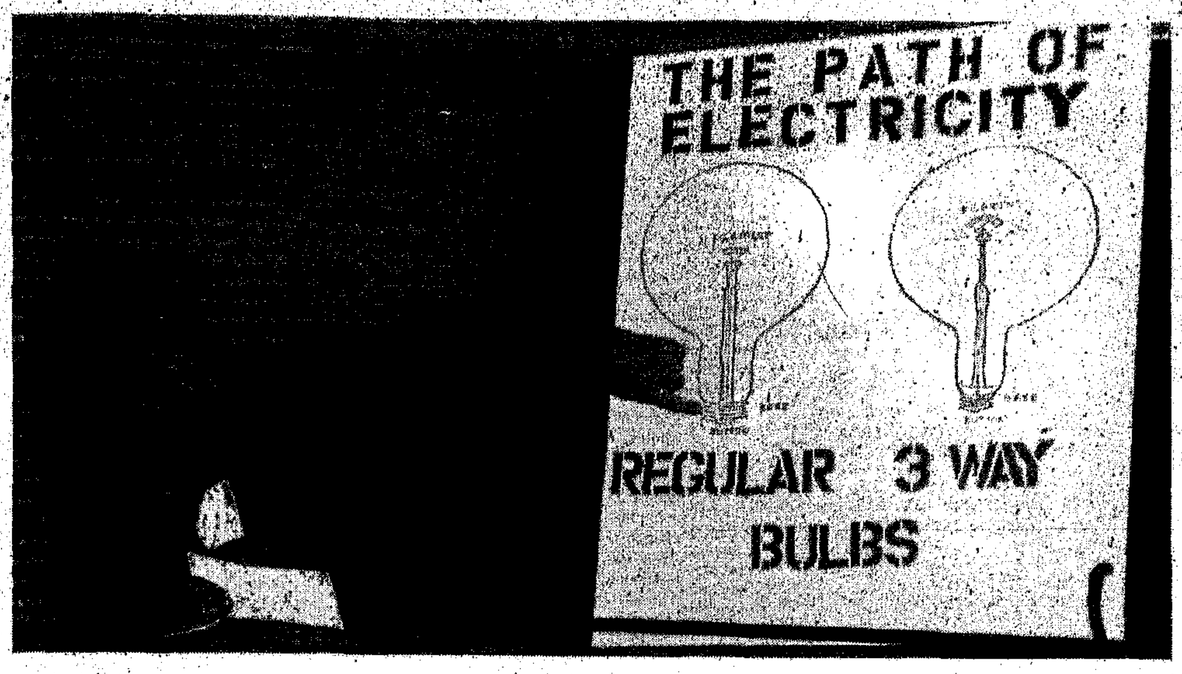
THE LONG TIMERS. From left, Nellie Vickers (5,000); Helga Haake (5,000); Nell Trout (3,500); and Allene Luck (4,000) were honored for contributing thousands of hours of time and effort to the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital Auxiliary, the Pink Ladies, at their banquet at Cree Meadows Restaurant.

MORE THAN MOST. Lucy Luck (left) and Adelle Hughston were presented pins during the recent Pink Ladies luncheon for volunteering 500 and 1,000 hours with the Pink Ladies. Ruth Moore was not present to receive her pin for 1,000 hours volunteered.



VOLUNTEERS (from left) Mary Ann Jennings, Ruby Carver and Gladys Knox were honored at the recent Pink Ladies luncheon for contributing 1,500; 2,500; and 2,500 hours to the Pink Ladies at the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital. Era Jackson, who has donated 1,500 hours, was not present.

HONORED for 100 hours of voluntary service to the Pink Ladies recently were (from left) Mary K. Eubank, Anne Ellis and Billie James.



"THIS IS WHERE electricity enters the light bulb," Les Owen told other 4-H'ers during their recent meeting in Capitan. Owen's presentation on the path of electricity was one of many as 4-H'ers from the Capitan and Carrizozo clubs prepared for upcoming district contests.

MY FAVORITE FOODS. Candy Byrd, 4-H'er (left), tells Laura Jones and Jan LaRue (right) about the menu and table setting she has planned. LaRue and Jones asked Byrd how she cooked her meal, the nutritional value of the separate foods and uses of the different pieces of the table setting.

Mid schoolers receive achievement awards

Achievement awards were given to students at White Mountain Middle School recently.

For outstanding achievement in language arts, sixth graders receiving awards were Kelly Casey, Winston Cochise, Heather Dellerig, Robyn Ramsey, Tisha Sanchez, Julie Shade, Amy Thornton, Hays Allen, Matt Beatty, Mandy Farus, Jesse Foster, Debbie Friberg, Rees Garner, Dari Stierwalt and Dusty Skellett.

In the sixth grade, Cliff Sears, Candi Makowski and Ellen Graham were recognized for outstanding contributions as classroom aides.

Brian Harris, Jeff Schmidt and Jesse Foster were recognized as intermural soccer referees.

The math awards in the sixth grade were given to Mark Reynolds, Larry Geronimo, Kari Crown and Heather Najera. The social studies award was given to Bobby Fowler.

In the sixth grade Roger Mendez, Shannon Brown and Jim Baca were awarded for progress in creative writing. Bobby Fowler won the award for excellence in creative writing.

For achievement in seventh grade math Candice Makowski, Brandi Snodgrass and Amie Bailey were awarded. Eric Ford was given most improved student, and Joann Mobley was named best teacher aide.

For seventh grade accomplishments in art Brian Ganadonegro and Gerald Ganadonegro were awarded. Atta Boys were given to Tom Abernathy, Chris James and Michael Booher.

The speech and drama awards were given to Kerry Gladden, Kris Hounshell, Jason Hill, Mark McIntyre, Buck Pelkey, Heather Foster, Cliff Sears, Amy Evans, Mary Baudo, Annette Bovary, Jeff Sherwood, Lance Willard and Shonda Hopper.

Awards for assistance in the library were given to Brian Davis, Monica Jaramillo, Zeba Morris, Sherry Alexander, Kevin Yuzos, Frenchie Candaleria, Bubba Miller, Missy Dominguez, Nancy Serna, Alan Kirgen, Mike Keaton and Tim Darden. For special service to the library, Kenny Brunell was awarded.

For service on the student council, awards were given to Shonda Hopper, Kerry Gladden, Brian Harris, Marcie Mullican, JoAnn Mobley and Misty Strickland.

The eighth grade home economics award was given to Karen Gann. Brandi Snodgrass received the seventh grade home economics award.

Billy Harrison and Ashley McIntosh received the award for outstanding achievement in life science. Tammy Baines and Ashley McIntosh were named outstanding science aides.

For eighth grade achievement in language arts awards were given to Billy Harrison, Karen Gann, Kerry Gladden and Ashley McIntosh.

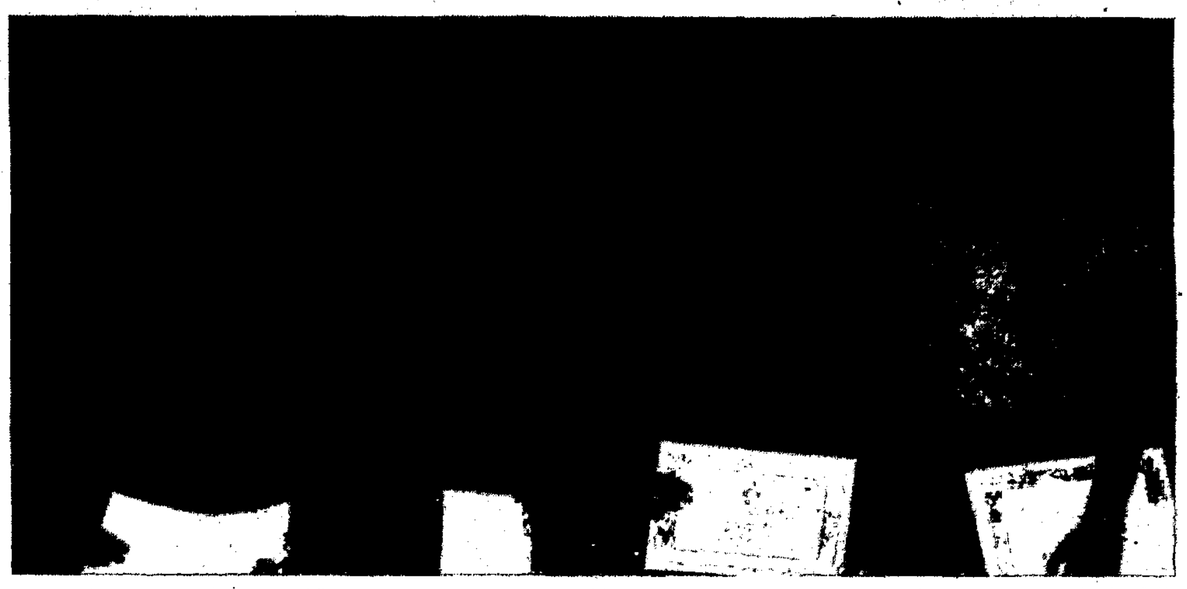
Awards were given for attitude and effort to Monica Jaramillo, Lori Morrow, Lynell Scott, Jeff Willingham, Veralyn Platta, Carl Lueras, Scott Thornton, Hamilton Carter, Angeles Olvera, Debbie McMath, Laura Chavira, Veronica Gandarilla, Jake Woodall and Justin Shaw.

Pep club awards were given to Cassie McIntosh and Hillary Heid, president.

Awards for eighth grade math achievement were given to Billy Harrison, Kerry Gladen, Bubba Miller, Diana Mattis, Zeba Morris, Dalton Hamilton, Jake Woodall, Tim Darden, George Weise, Martin Espinosa, Laura Chavira, Karen Gann, Eric Eastep and Debbie McMath.

Jeff Willingham was named most valuable player in basketball and Jason Hill was most improved player.

In football Billy Harrison was named most valuable player and Sean Parker most improved.



POETRY CONTEST WINNERS at White Mountain Middle School are, from left, Teresa Dice, honorable mention; Roger Marshall, third place; J'Lane Reynolds, second place; and Candi Makowski, first place. The poetry contest was sponsored by the Chapter II fine arts federal block grant.

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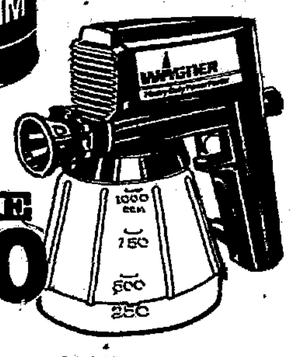

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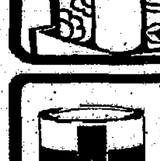

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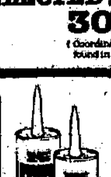

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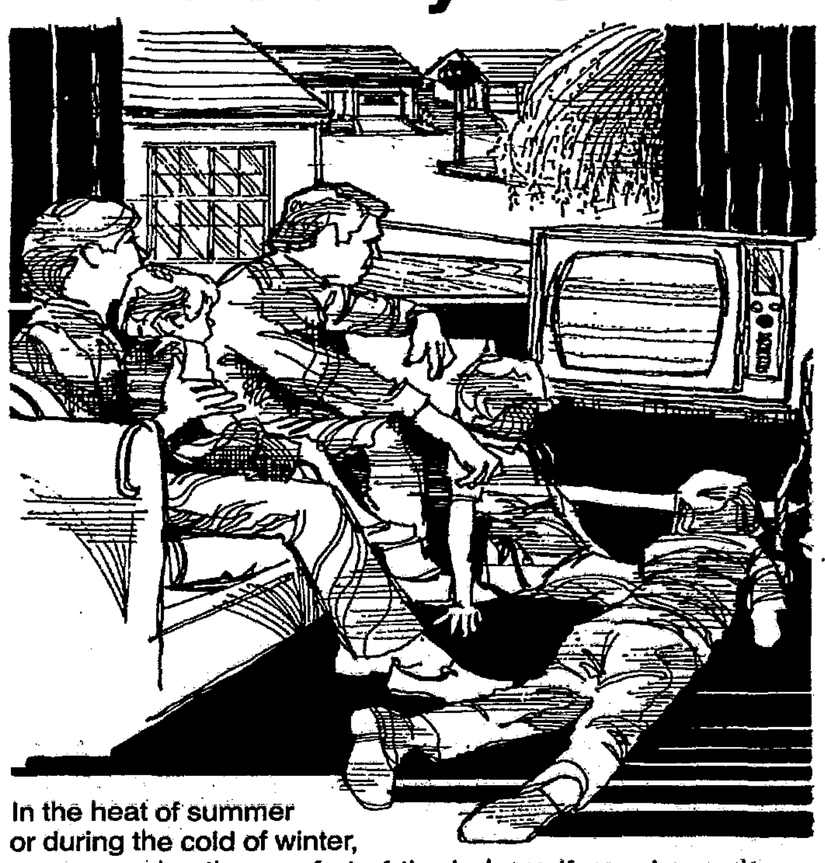

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NOON LIONS
Ruidoso Valley Noon Lions Club meets each Wednesday, 12 noon to 1 p.m., at Whispering Pine Restaurant in Upper Canyon of Ruidoso. Visiting Lions are welcome.

LIONS
Lions supper every Tuesday night at the Lions Hut in Skyland, ½ block off Sudderth Drive, behind Maytag Washeteria.

ROTARY CLUB
Ruidoso Hondo Valley Rotary Club meets each Tuesday noon at Holiday Inn.

ALTRUSA CLUB OF RUIDOSO
Meets 1st Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. for program and 3rd Tuesday for lunch meeting, 12 noon at the First Christian Church. Call Coni Foster 257-7361 days or 336-4710 evenings for information.

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.

FULL GOSPEL BUSINESS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP INTERNATIONAL
Dinner meeting each Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., at the Ruidoso Inn. Phone 257-5011 or 257-4438.

LINCOLN COUNTY HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION
Meets first Tuesday of each month, 7 p.m., at Cree Meadows Country Club.

RUIDOSO BOY 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 p.m. Wednesdays at Ruidoso High School.

RUIDOSO MASONIC LODGE NO. 73
Meets each first Monday in O.E.S. Hall, 7:30 p.m. Elwood Gradine, 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.

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

WHITE MOUNTAIN SEARCH & RESCUE
Meets at the Ruidoso Care Center, third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Dave Travis, president; Howard Puckett, secretary.

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 257-4419.

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

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

RUIDOSO SHRINE CLUB
Meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month. Phone 257-4862 or 257-7422 for the current meeting place.

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. Luncheons each Monday.

RUIDOSO CUB SCOUTS
Pack 59, meets at 7 p.m. the first Monday of each month at the Elks Lodge, Jim Dickinson, Cubmaster. Call 257-7294 for membership information.

Pack 95 meets the last Monday of every month at 7 p.m., at the First Christian Church's Fellowship Hall, on Hull Road and Gavilan Canyon. Cubmaster, Jimmy Goodwin. For information call 257-9551 or 257-9006.

RUIDOSO GUN CLUB
Ruidoso Gun Club, meeting third Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m. at the library. Call 378-4603.

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.

ROBERT J. HAGEE POST 79 AMERICAN LEGION
The Robert J. Hagee American Legion Post 79 meets every third Wednesday, time and place to be announced.

RUIDOSO VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Meets third Wednesday in Chamber office on Sudderth. May-September 7 p.m.; October-April 12 noon. Meetings open to public.

RUIDOSO 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 Thursday of every month at 12 noon. Anyone interested and eligible, please call 257-7819.

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.

LAMAZE PREPARED CHILDBIRTH CLASSES
Six-week Sessions
Wednesday evenings from 7-9 p.m. Call 257-4639 or 653-4041 or 378-8473 after 5.

NARFE
Lincoln County Chapter 1379, of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, meets at 10:00 a.m., the first Tuesday of each month, at the new First Christian Church on Hull Road.

HONDO VALLEY PINK LADIES
The Hondo Valley Pink Ladies meet the first Monday of each month., 10 a.m.-12 noon, in the conference room at the hospital.

CIVIL AIR PATROL
Meets each first Tuesday night of the month, 7:30 at City Hall.

RUIDOSO LODGERS ASSOCIATION
Meets each second Tuesday, 2 p.m., at the library.

ASTRA CLUB
Meets every second Sunday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in the First Christian Church.
For information call Jan Huey 257-5963.

RUIDOSO DOWNS LADIES' AUXILIARY
Ruidoso Downs Ladies' Auxiliary meets the first Monday night of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Ruidoso downs Village Hall Council Room.

REPUBLICAN WOMEN
Lincoln County Federation of Republican Women meets the third Tuesday of every month at different locations in Lincoln County (place to be announced.) For further information, call Dorothy D. Smith at 354-2499 or Dorothy Barber, at 258-3348.

ST. ELEANOR'S LEGION OF MARY
Meeting on every third Wednesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall; unless otherwise stated in the church bulletin. All parishioners are invited to attend.

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

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS RUIDOSO ARID GROUP
Tuesdays, 8:00 p.m. First Christian Church AA & Alanon & Alateen meet separately.
Saturdays, 8:00 p.m. First Christian Church joint meeting.

RUIDOSO NEW THOUGHT GROUP
Meets every Thursday, 7:30 p.m. at the new City Hall. For information call 257-2811 or 257-7873.

"DOWNS" ALCOHOLIC ANONYMOUS
Meets at the Lincoln House in Agua Fria Estates. AA and Alanon, separate, Wednesday at 8:00. Alanon and AA, Saturday at 8:00.

TOPS
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Meets Thursdays, 7 p.m., First Christian Church. Call 258-4273 for information.

ST. ANNE'S GUILD
Meets the fourth Thursday of each month in the Parish Hall of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount. Holy Communion 12 noon followed by lunch and the meeting.

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

ALCOHOL COUNSELING
For alcohol counseling, telephone Paul Gallegos, office 257-5038; residence 347-4268. Office at Counseling Center, Sierra Professional Center. Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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OLDER AMERICAN MONTH

Wednesday, June 1: 9:30 a.m. — Bowling — Holiday Bowl; Noon — Golden Age Luncheon Meeting — MPR; 1-5 p.m. — Games; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 2: 10-Noon — N.M. Tax Rebates for the Elderly; 10-Noon — Lapidary; 2-3 p.m. — Pool.

Friday, June 3: 10-Noon — Crafts of Your Choice; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Monday, June 6: 10-11 a.m. — Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 10-11 a.m. — Exercycle; 11-Noon — Outreach; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Tuesday, June 7: 10-Noon — Social Security Shopping/Escort/Transportation. For information call 257-4565; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 8: 9:30 a.m. — Bowling - Holiday Bowl; 2-3 p.m. — Lapidary 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 9: 10-Noon — Tax Rebates for the Elderly; 10-Noon — Lapidary; 2-3 p.m. — Pool; 7:00 p.m. — Birthday Party — Games.

Friday, June 10: 10-Noon — Crafts of Your Choice; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Monday, June 13: 10-11 a.m. — Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 10-11 a.m. — Exercycle; 11-Noon — Outreach; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Tuesday, June 14: 10-Noon — Social Security Shopping/Escort/Transportation. Call 257-4565 for information; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 15: 9:30 a.m. — Bowling — Holiday Bowl; Noon — Golden Age Luncheon Meeting; 1-5 p.m. — Games; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 16: 10-Noon — N.M. Tax Rebates; 10-Noon — Lapidary; 2-3 p.m. — Pool.

Friday, June 17: 10-Noon — Crafts of your Choice; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Monday, June 20: 10-11 a.m. — Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 10-11 a.m. — Exercycle; 11-Noon — Outreach; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Tuesday, June 21: 10-Noon — Social Security Shopping /Escort/Transporation. For information call 257-4565; 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 22: 9:30 a.m. — Bowling — Holiday Bowl; 2-3 p.m. — Lapidary; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 23: 10-Noon — N.M. Tax Rebates; 10-Noon Lapidary; 2-3 p.m. — Pool.

Friday June 24: 10-Noon — Crafts of Your Choice; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Monday, June 27: 10-11 a.m. — Blood Pressure and Weight Check; 10-11 a.m. — Exercycle; 11-Noon — Outreach; 1-5 p.m. — Games.

Tuesday, June 28: 10-Noon — Social Security Shopping/Escort/Transportation. Call 257-4565 for information. 2-3 p.m. — Exercise Class.

Wednesday, June 29: 9:30 a.m. — Bowling — Holiday Bowl; 2-3 p.m. — Lapidary; 7:30 p.m. — Duplicate Bridge.

Thursday, June 30: 10-Noon — N.M. Tax Rebate; 10-Noon — Lapidary; 2-3 — Pool; 7:00 p.m. — Dance.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
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Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Early Worship Service — 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study — 8 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
R. Winston Presnall, Pastor
Church School — 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.

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Rev. Richard Schlater — Interim
Sunday Worship — 11:00 a.m.

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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.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Highway 48
Capitan, N.M.
Rex Lane, Minister
Bible Study — Sunday, 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service — Sunday, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship Service — Sunday, 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Bible Study — 7:00 p.m.

GATEWAY ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Palmer Gateway, Ruidoso
Sunday School — 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Services — 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Services — 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday — Adult choir — 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services — 7:30 p.m.
Thursday — Youth Choir — 6:30 p.m.

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Merlin C. Neely, Pastor
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Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Services — 7:00 p.m.
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Office hours in San Patricio — Saturday by appointments, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Call before hand, 257-2330.

ST. ELEANOR CATHOLIC PARISH
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Anticipated Sunday Mass — Saturday Evening, 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Daily Masses: Tuesday thru Friday at 5:15 p.m.

SANTA RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH
Fr. David J. Bergs, Pastor,
Saturday Masses:
5 p.m. — Capitan, Sacred Heart Church
7 p.m. — Carrizozo, Santa Rita Church
Sunday Masses:
8 a.m. — Lincoln, San Juan Church
8:45 a.m. — Fort Stanton, Sacred Heart Church
9:30 a.m. — Capitan, Sacred Heart Church
11 a.m. — Carrizozo, Santa Rita Church

SAINT ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHAPEL
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4th Sunday — 9:15 a.m.

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Carrizozo, New Mexico
Phone 648-2875
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Office of Evening Prayer — 2nd and 4th Sunday — 7 p.m.

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121 Mescalero Trail, Ruidoso
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Church School (grades 1-6) 9:00 a.m.—10:15 a.m.
Nursery (ages 0-3) Parish Hall 10:30 a.m.
Youth Group — Parish Hall 5:00 p.m. — 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer Group — 12:00 noon Sanctuary
Holy Eucharist — 5:30 p.m.

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Just off Hwy. 70, Hondo, N.M.
Cal West, Pastor
Morning Worship — 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service — 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study — 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF RUIDOSO
300 Mechem Drive
Rev. Wylie Cartwright, Pastor
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Worship Hour — 11 a.m.
Sunday Night Worship — 6 p.m. (winter)
7 p.m. (summer)

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.

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

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

MESCALERO BAPTIST MISSION
James Huse, Pastor
Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Training Union — 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service — 6:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Carrizozo, NM
Pastor, Cleve Kerby
Services:
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Church Training — 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:15 p.m.

RUIDOSO WORD MINISTRIES, INC.
Inter Demoninational
Full Gospel Church
Pastor: Earl Samuel Walden
Place: Evening Lion' Club Building.
Sunday, 9:30 a.m. — Bible Study
Sunday, 10:30 a.m. — Worship Service and Ministery
Wed.: 7 p.m. prayer & bible study.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Carrizozo, N.M.
In Christian Science Library Bldg.
12th Street
Services:
Sundays — 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday — 7:30 p.m.

RUIDOSO GROUP CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS
Services: Sunday — 11:00
At the Methodist Church, second building behind Sanctuary.

MESCALERO REFORMED CHURCH
Minister: Clarence Van Heukelom
Church School — 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service — 10:30 a.m.

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
1000 D. Avenue
Carrizozo, N.M.
Reverend Harry Riser, Pastor
Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service — 11:00 a.m. (Nursery provided).
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Fourth Wednesday Worship Service — 7:00 p.m.

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
In Gateway
Rev. Charles Spooner, Minister
Sunday School — 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service — 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF CAPITAN
Third St. and White Oaks
Capitan, New Mexico
Rev. Harry L. Riser, Pastor
Sunday Worship Services — 9-10 a.m.
Sunday School — 10:30 a.m.

MISSION FOUNTAIN OF LIVING WATER FULL GOSPEL
San Patricio
Rev. Benjamin Chavez
Services: Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Night — 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday — 7:30 p.m.
Friday — 7:30 p.m.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall — Capitan
Presiding Overseer, Kenneth Stone
Sunday Public Talk — 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Watchtower Study — 10:50 a.m.
Thursday Ministry School — 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service Meeting — 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday Group Bible Study — 7:30 p.m.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Highway 37 — 1 Block into Forest Heights Subdivision
Don Russell, Presiding Minister
Sunday Public Talk — 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Watchtower Study — 10:50 a.m.
Thursday Ministry School — 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Service Meeting — 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday Group Bible Study — 7:30 p.m.

7TH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
Agua Fria Estates
(near Ruidoso Downs)
Floyd Ramsey, Pastor
J. C. Harris; 378-4396
Saturday; Sabbath School — 1:30 p.m.
Church — 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting — 6:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST L.D.S.
Ruidoso Woman's Club
Wymam Scarborough, 653-4981
Priesthood, Relief Society, Primary and Young Women — 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School — 11:00 a.m.
Sacrament Meeting — 12:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST L.D.S. MESCALERO BRANCH
Ray Cavanaugh
Priesthood — 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School — 10:30 a.m.
Sacrament Meeting — 11:30 a.m.

SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS LUTHERAN CHURCH
Charles Ullmann, Vicar
Held at First Presbyterian Church, Nob Hill
Worship Services — 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class — 9:45 a.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
At the District Center of The Church of the Nazarene, Angus
Kenneth O. Frey, Pastor
Sunday School — 10 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship — 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Fellowship — 6:30 p.m.

OLD LINCOLN CHURCH
Rev. Burdette Stampley
Evening Prayer — 7:00 p.m. 4th Thursday of each month.
Holy Communion — 2nd Thursday of each month.

FULL GOSPEL HOLINESS CHURCH
On Entrance Road in Ruidoso Downs
Sunday — 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service — 7:30 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Service — 7:30 p.m.

CAPITAN FOURSQUARE CHURCH
Cemetery Road
Pastor Harold W. Perry Sr.
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship—7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Bible Study—7:00 p.m.
Prayer Daily—5:00 a.m.

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