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Proposal calls for voter IDs

Lincoln County Clerk Martha Proctor supports the idea, saying it would discourage fraud.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS

A move to impose stringent identification requirements for voters when they show up at polls to cast their ballots is being debated in New Mexico. Lincoln County Clerk Martha Proctor said Dona Ana County and others are encouraging the state Legislature to require that identifications such as a driver's license, a state agency photograph ID, a voter's registration card or signed affidavit be presented.

"In my precinct, everyone knows me." Rick Simpson, county commissioner, said last month. "It wouldn't be ironclad, but would carry a little more teeth. The fraud could be deliberate or innocent, like a friend is out of town and someone votes for him."

Asking for identification to vote is no more restrictive than if a person wanted to cash a check, she said.

The measure failed to pass in the Legislature last January. If it doesn't pass this time, some counties are considering ordinances of their own, Proctor said.

Commissioner William Schwettmann said while he thinks better rules for identifying voters would be good, he wouldn't be comfortable passing a county law while the state still is debating the issue.

County Attorney Alan Morel said he doesn't recommend a county ordinance, but sees no problem with passing a resolution of support. The legislature will review the situation in January.

Commissioner Rick Simpson said more problems exist in urban areas.

"In my precinct, everyone knows me," he said.

Duane Williams of the county Republican Party said he's confident that Proctor runs a fraud-free operation, "but I can't say that in the rest of the state."

He recommended supporting the proposal.



DIANNE STALLINGS/STAFF

Leo Martinez is congratulated on his bid for the U.S. Congress by a supporter, as his wife Cynthia Orozco, watches from a sign up table for campaign volunteers.

INDIAN SUMMER



DIANNE STALLINGS/STAFF

A burst of brilliant gold leaves provided the backdrop for a pairing with a part of a small herd of horses grazing along the Rio Rio.

Area residents to applaud vets

BY AMANDA WITT

Ruidoso Downs councilors gave special recognition on Oct. 18, to the upcoming Veterans Day by asking residents to thank and pray for those who are defending our country, residents can show their support by participating in local and surrounding area activities.

The Ruidoso Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7072 and Ladies Auxiliary will assemble at 10:30 a.m. Sunday for the

*Variety of activities on tap for Veterans Day, page 3A

11th-hour flag raising ceremony to honor veterans, said quartermaster Romeo Kline. The ceremony is being held at the American Legion Hall at the corner of Spring Road and Highway 70, everyone is invited to attend.

Following the ceremony, veterans will gather to share memories and give thanks to the veterans in the community

Refreshments will be served. "There is no better way of showing your patriotism and your love for your country than to join these veterans in this ceremony," Kline said.

The VFW and the ladies auxiliary will be distributing buddy poppies Saturday through Monday in Ruidoso.

"The poppy is a reminder to all Americans that millions have sacrificed their lives and health to keep our nation strong and free," VFW and ladies auxiliary said.

Mescaleros vote a new generation

Mark Chino elected to succeed Sara Misquez as tribal president

BY AMANDA WITT

The Mescalero Apache tribe has elected as its new president Mark Chino, son of the Wendell Chino, who held the office more than 30 years.

Chino defeated incumbent President Sara Misquez in Tuesday's tribal election.

It was the younger Chino's second bid for office; he is a Bureau of Indian Affairs law enforcement investigator.

Chino received 590 votes and Misquez received 523 votes in the election, a difference of 67 votes.

Chino said he decided to run for office after he was approached by members of the tribe about a year ago to consider becoming a candidate.

His first concern is to have a general meeting for tribal members to express their concerns and then to prioritize these concerns.

"We also want to keep abreast of development of all Indian issues, locally and nationally," Chino said.

The senior Chino served 34 years and died in 1998.

In a written statement Misquez said, "The people have made their choice and decided that it is time for the younger generation to begin to assume authority for the Mescalero Apache Tribe. I wish Mark Chino the very best during his administration."

Ferns Palmer, former tribal administrator, was the victor for the vice presidential seat, winning over incumbent council member Arthur "Butch" Blazer. Palmer received 689 votes and Blazer received 402 votes.

Blazer ran for tribal council last year and won. He will still serve another year on the council.

Eight people ran for the four seats on the tribal council. The top four elected were incumbent council member Gregory Mendez with 747 votes; Raymond Kirgan, former council member, with 605 votes; Michaelene Ahidley, school board chairman, with 549 votes; and incumbent Sandra Platero, tribal secretary, with 514 votes.

A total of 1,127 valid ballots were cast, which was an increase from the 914 that were cast in the primary election.

About 3,000 people live on the reservation that lies within Otero County, but abuts Ruidoso in Lincoln County.

The inauguration for the new electees is on Jan. 11.

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DIANNE STALLINGS/STAFF

Fermin Salcido Jr. is led into the processing area at Ruidoso Downs village hall after his arrest on drug charges in a sweep of Lincoln County Wednesday. Story on page 2A.

Martinez makes congressional bid

BY DIANNE STALLINGS

Saying his campaign will depend on "grassroots support" that necessitates an early start on his campaign, Leo Martinez Wednesday officially announced his bid for New Mexico's 2nd Congressional District.

A Lincoln County Commissioner, former Santa Barbara, Calif. City Council member and five-time chairman of the powerful California State Commission on Boating and Waterways, Martinez, a Republican, launched his run in the casual atmosphere of his Chileo's restaurant.

After endorsements from former commis-

sioner Monroy Montes, retiring Ruidoso chamber director Joan Zagone and Curry County Commissioner Edwin H. Perales a Democrat, Martinez laid out his message.

"I've learned you have to help people help themselves," Martinez said. "I used to give handouts, but it doesn't work. I used to favor English as a second language, but it doesn't work."

As for incumbent Joe Skeen, the long-time Republican representative of the district, Martinez said he couldn't afford to wait for the congressman to decide whether he will seek another term.

Skeen suffers from Parkinson's Disease.

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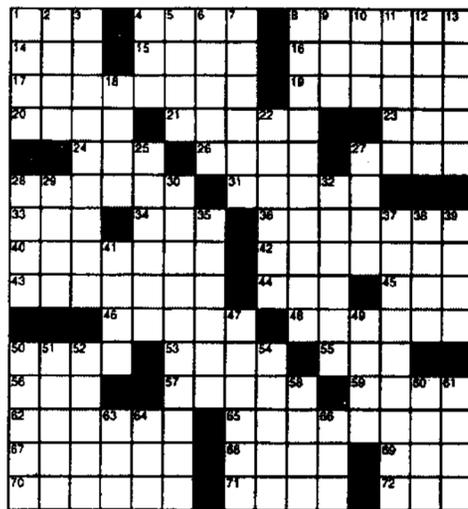
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Cops round up drug suspects

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- 43 Groups within groups
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 - 8 Tidbit for a bird feeder
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 - 12 Reason for a raise
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 - 28 Rapid blinks, maybe



Puzzle by Ken Lorenzen

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- 35 Cuckoo
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- 38 Otherwise
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- 47 "The Sport of the Gods" author
- 49 Fictional whaler
- 50 Get-well center
- 51 Band on the run
- 52 Prominent
- 54 Savage sort
- 58 Classic shirt brand
- 60 Gulf States bigwig
- 61 Winter lift
- 63 Chorus syllable
- 64 Hosp. section
- 66 The end, to 'Enry

Answers to any three clues in this puzzle are available by touch-tone phone: 1-900-420-5656 (95¢ per minute). Annual subscriptions are available for the best of Sunday crosswords from the last 50 years: 1-888-7-ACROSS.

Local, state and federal agents participated in the early morning mission to serve 17 arrest warrants alleging drug-related offenses.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

After a six month undercover investigation, officers from 14 law enforcement agencies swarmed through Lincoln County early Wednesday arresting suspected drug offenders.

Lincoln County Sheriff Tom Sullivan said the officers, working in teams, attempted to serve 17 arrest warrants on offenses that included trafficking, distributing and conspiracy to distribute methamphetamine, cocaine and marijuana. By the end of the day, 11 people were charged and a twelfth was added Thursday.

"The operation started at 5 a.m. and was coordinated by the Lincoln County Narcotics Enforcement Unit," Sullivan said. "We have about 65 officers scattered throughout the county."

Undersheriff Ricky Virden said two processing centers were established to handle the paperwork as suspects

were brought in, fingerprinted, interviewed and transported to the county jail in Carrizozo.

The main operation worked out of Ruidoso Downs village hall and the second center was under the direction of the sheriff's chief investigator Jackie Raines in the county seat of Carrizozo.

Sullivan said the operation was financed through a High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) grant through the Regional 6 Drug Task Force.

"We applied a couple of years ago to be designated as a HIDTA county," he said. "This is my ninth year as sheriff and we've done a lot of these round-ups and undercover investigations. It seems we arrest one pusher and another one turns up to take his place. but we'll continue to fight the drug war regardless."

On hand to help with the operation was Assistant District Attorney Pam Dobbs, who specializes in drug-related prosecution.

Charged were:
*Joel Leslie, 20, Carrizozo; distribution of methamphetamine, 3rd-degree felony.
*Benny Zamora, 34, Carrizozo; distribution of marijuana, 4th-degree

felony.

*Dustin Reel, 21, Ruidoso; distribution of methamphetamine and distribution of marijuana.

*Gerald Shortman, 44, Mesalero; three counts of distribution of marijuana and one count of conspiracy to distribute marijuana, a 4th-degree felony.

*Esmeregildo Almager, 22, Ruidoso Downs; three counts of trafficking cocaine by distribution, a 2nd-degree felony, and three counts of conspiracy to traffic cocaine, a 3rd-degree felony.

*Brenda Hill, 33, Ruidoso Downs; distribution of methamphetamine.

*Dawn Pellerito, 36, Ruidoso Downs; distribution of methamphetamine.

*Janiva Herrera, 20, Ruidoso Downs; two counts distribution of marijuana.

*Waylon Graham, 20, Ruidoso Downs; trafficking cocaine by distribution.

*Fermin Salcido Jr., 35, Hondo; distribution of marijuana.

*William Mendez Jr., 37, Mesalero; trafficking cocaine by distribution, 2nd-degree felony, and distribution of methamphetamine, 3rd-degree felony.

*Jonathan Sedillo, 20, Carrizozo; two counts distribution of methamphetamine.

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Area has variety of activities to honor nation's veterans

Here are some highlights of Veterans Day activities in the area.

•Lincoln State Monument will host a Veterans Day Luminaria Service Sunday at 4 p.m. at the San Juan Church. Relatives and friends are encouraged to bring photos of their service member - in uniform, if possible - to be displayed at the church. Volunteers are needed to fill the luminarias at 10 a.m. Sunday.

•The Shriners of Roswell will host a Veterans Weekend Celebration beginning on Friday and going through Sunday. Shriner Bill Coffey said veterans from Pearl Harbor, the

Battan Death March and Purple Heart recipients are honored guests at this year's festivities and are encouraged to be in the parade and other activities.

•The activities planned include a Veterans Breakfast at NMMI at 9 a.m., a Veterans Parade Saturday at 2 p.m. on Main Street, a dance at 8 p.m. at the Memorial Building and a Veterans Remembrance and Patriotic Rally at Roswell High at 2 p.m. Sunday. For a complete list of activities call Coffey at 505-325-0013.

•Capitan High School will host a patriotic program Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., said student senate sponsor Frank Walston. The

program will include singing, speaking and a performance by the band. All veterans are encouraged to attend, Walston said. "We just want honor all our veterans," he said.

•Veterans can visit the New Mexico Museum of Space History in Alamogordo for free on Monday in honor of Veterans Day. Veterans are asked to provide proof of service with a Form DD-214 or a veteran's identification card as well as a New Mexico driver's license.

The free admission also includes all state parks, monuments and public land recreation sites in New Mexico.

Hospital prepared for bioterror, chief tells county commissioners

Administrator James Gibson says the facility has antibiotics and a decontamination room.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Although he doesn't anticipate terrorist attacks in Lincoln County, James Gibson, administrator of the county-owned hospital in Ruidoso, said he's familiar with emergency situations.

"My last assignment in the Army was biological protocol," he told county commissioners at their meeting last month. "I reviewed disaster plans and how to treat mass casualties."

The Lincoln County Medical Center is maintaining an appropriate level of antibiotics, he said, adding that a decontamination room was built when the hospital's emergency room was remodeled.

The administration also is gearing up for a disaster drill, looking at possible scenarios of a biological attack, he said.

Reporting on construction

projects at the hospital, Gibson said the roof is finished, inspected and has a 25-year guarantee.

"I hope it's iron clad," said Commissioner Leo Martinez. "If it leaks, they shouldn't be back looking for more money."

The commissioner asked that the local home builders group be notified of future construction projects as well as sending bid notices to individual contractors.

County Manager Tom Stewart said that information packets were sent to 16 firms in the area on the last project, but only two submitted bids.

"I just wish more of our local contractors could bid," Martinez said "After all, it's their tax dollars paying for it."

Last month, a dispute over the floor in the emergency room was settled with the contractor on that project, Gibson said. Company representatives finally agreed to tear out the installed floor and "float" it to remove what felt and looked like little rocks, Gibson said.

In other action, commissioners:

•Approved a bid to construct a bathroom for the handicapped at the county hospital. Rivercrest Construction of Albuquerque was awarded the bid at \$17,000 compared to Sombrero Construction of Capitan, which bid \$28,200.

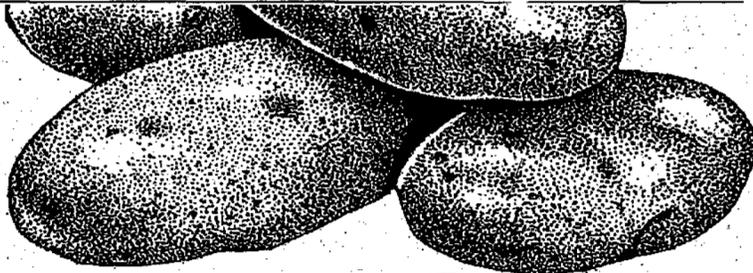
Stewart noted that when the \$11,200 difference was questioned, Rivercrest representatives said they left out the cost of shower stall materials, but would stand by the bid.

•Awarded a contract for the county's annual base course supply. Six companies responded. Bonnel Sand & Gravel received the contracts in three of the districts; the Hondo area at \$8.22 per yard picked up, the Ruidoso area at \$8.22 per yard picked up and the Capitan area at \$13.49 per yard delivered. M&LJ Construction was chosen for the Carrizozo district at \$7.90 per yard picked up.

•Heard that the county extension office's booth at the state fair won fifth place, the first win for the county. The booth and display was designed by Kathleen Phillips, county coordinator for the Rural Economic Development Through Tourism program.

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OUR OPINION

Some Lady Warriors carry the banner

Just one county team is going for a state fall-sports title.

Lincoln County's high school sports teams — with one exception — stumbled in the stretch this fall.

Cross country running competitors, who did go to state meets, wound up far back in the pack last weekend.

All the area's football teams, 11-man and 6-man, saw their seasons end abruptly. Ruidoso's grid Warriors, despite a winning record, didn't qualify for the playoffs. It was painful for a program that just two years ago had hosted a state championship game.

So much the better, then, for the Lady Warriors volleyball team members, who came

through late in the season. They will charge into Albuquerque today for a 1 p.m. game at West Mesa High School. They will play the St. Michael's Lady Horsemen of Santa Fe.

Win or lose, they'll play again on Saturday — at 9 a.m. if they must settle for a third-place game, or at 3 p.m. if they make the finals.

It's about 180 road miles to Albuquerque from Ruidoso. Ideally, many, many Warrior supporters will be driving those miles to be on hand and support our only banner-carriers.

Once again, it's time to say, "Go Warriors!"

Ruidoso's public schools face a financial challenge

Ruidoso's district school superintendent, Mike Gladden, may be getting a little nervous. After all, he has been running a school system for the past 12 years that unquestionably has been "onward and upward" in almost every category.



MOUNTAIN ASIDES
KEITH GREEN

More students, more school bonds approved, more new buildings, more pay for staff and faculty — indeed, more staff and faculty.

But that's changing. Gladden on Tuesday told Ruidoso's Rotarians (munching lunch in the high school's Teepee Lounge, a first-of-the-month tradition) that the district's enrollment numbers have shown a decline.

The often-used 40th-day enrollment figure was off by 67 students from a year ago, a decline of 2.7 percent. Maybe not much in a district with 2,424 students, but significant when it's multiplied by a state school funding formula which is based on head-count.

That in itself shouldn't shake Gladden up too much. But on the horizon is a large, looming cloud that might.

The Mescalero Apache Tribe will be opening a new all-grades school facility, including high

school, within the next year. Construction now is under way.

Gladden said 450 Mescalero children this year are enrolled right here in River City.

The challenge before him, of course, is how to prepare for the possibility that many, or all, of those students might go home to the reservation. If they all pulled out, the result would be in the neighborhood of a 19 percent drop in enrollment.

That could have a very major impact on the Ruidoso district's state financing.

It could adversely impact faculty and staff, now totaling 300 people.

It could adversely impact a \$23.5 million annual budget.

It might even impact the district's salary budget, one which this year provides an average annual income of \$41,233 — thanks in part, perhaps, to the fact that 70 percent of the Ruidoso district's teachers have advanced degrees.

Meanwhile, Gladden did have some positive news:

The whole school system will have upgraded Internet service soon. A new theater on the high school campus (the last bonded project) should be open by next fall.

And the superintendent says it's a district goal to achieve "exemplary" status under the state Department of Education accountability program.



As Veterans Day approaches, a veteran is remembered

Sen. Pete Domenici, R-NM, on the floor of the U. S. Senate in October saluted the founder of the nation's first Vietnam veterans' monument, Dr. Victor Westphall. Domenici forwarded the statement as Veterans Day approached.

I rise today to honor Dr. Victor Westphall. Dr. Westphall has dedicated his life to recognizing and celebrating the service and sacrifice of our nation's veterans. Dr. Westphall in October celebrated his 88th birthday, and I still marvel at how much he has accomplished during his lifetime.

Dr. Westphall's dedication to veterans is not surprising because he is a veteran himself. He entered the United States Navy in 1943 as an ensign and served for two years in the South Pacific during World War II. During this time, he was responsible for setting up message centers to allow front-line communication.

After serving three years in the Navy and earning two full stripes, Dr. Westphall moved with his wife and his two sons to Albuquerque. However, his family had a difficult time finding housing because of the large number of returning GIs. Dr. Westphall realized that many veterans were faced with the

same situation, so he began a home-construction business and built over 3,000 homes in New Mexico. At the same time, he earned his doctorate in history at the University of New Mexico and eventually became a leading author and expert on Southwestern American history.

In 1968, Dr. Westphall received news that his son, David, had been killed in Vietnam. David was a platoon leader and was killed with 12 of his men in an ambush near Con Thien.

However, Dr. Westphall was determined to draw some good out of this tragic event. He decided to use the life insurance payment from his son's death to build the Vietnam Veterans Peace and Brotherhood Chapel in Angel Fire, N.M. Although Dr. Westphall struggled to find financial support to help build this memorial, he remained dedicated to the project, and in 1971, the first monument to Vietnam veterans in the United States was formally dedicated.

The Vietnam Veterans Peace and Brotherhood Chapel stands as a handsome tribute to our veterans who served in Vietnam. Dr. Westphall hired a Santa Fe architect to design a beautiful white chapel with gentle curves sweeping 50 feet upward toward the sky. This serene memorial overlooks the

Moreno Valley in northeastern New Mexico. It offers visitors the opportunity to remember those who served their nation proudly in the Vietnam War in a peaceful and spiritual setting. The chapel's eternal flame illuminates this ideal place for quiet meditation.

Even today, Dr. Westphall remains deeply involved in this monument, which attracts over 120,000 visitors every year. He still greets visitors to the chapel in his wheelchair, while sharing stories of loved ones lost during the war.

There is a very moving story that Dr. Westphall recounts about the chapel.

When the memorial was first opened, the chapel would close every night. However, one morning Dr. Westphall found a message left by a young veteran on the door: "I needed to come in and you locked me out."

Since then, the chapel has remained open 24 hours a day.

Just like the chapel, Dr. Westphall has always been there for our nation's veterans. From his own service in World War II to his construction of houses for returning veterans to the opening of the Vietnam Veterans Peace and Brotherhood Chapel, Dr. Westphall has remained dedicated to America's veterans. I salute Dr. Westphall's lifetime of service to our veterans, and I am proud and honored to have him as a friend.

'Minority religions' lose out when government steps in

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. — Even modest changes in government regulation of religion have negatively impacted minority religions, which lack the clout of mainstream denominations, a Penn State researcher says.

"Minority religions are the first to benefit when religious regulations are lifted and first to be stifled when regulations are allowed. State regulations will prevent the startup of new minority religions and will curtail the activities of existing religious groups that lack power," says Dr. Roger K. Finke, professor of sociology and co-author of a study that analyzed 2,109 court cases on religion from 1981-1996, paying particular attention to the 1,307 cases involving the free exercise (religious freedom) clause of the First Amendment.

The study is the first to document that the U.S. Supreme Court Employment Division of Oregon vs. Smith decision of 1990 adversely affected minority religions. Legal scholars have long charged that prior to Smith, the state was required to have a "compelling interest" before denying religious freedoms, as ruled by Wisconsin vs. Yoder in 1972, but following Smith, the state could deny religious freedoms with laws that were formally neutral and generally applicable. Yet, they offered little evidence to support this charge.

"The percentage of cases citing a compelling interest test were more than cut in half during the three and a half years the Smith decision was in effect," Finke says. "The percentage of compelling interest cases rose again to pre-

Smith levels when Congress passed the Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA) in late 1993, reinstating the compelling interest test.

The Supreme Court, asserting its sole right to interpret the Constitution, declared the RFRA unconstitutional.

The analysis by Finke and co-author John Wybraniec, formerly a doctoral student in sociology at Purdue University, found that minority religions, Christian and non-Christian, are far more likely to be involved in court decisions than mainline churches and far less likely to receive a favorable ruling.

LETTERS POLICY

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Mescalero literacy tutors 'give back' to community

■ One challenge is to help people get past the fear of admitting they can't read.

BY SANDY SUGGITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Giving back to the community was one of the reasons seven adults from Mescalero chose to acquire tutoring skills to help others learn to read. These seven recently completed a 12-hour training given by Mary Allen Cook, coordinator of the Lincoln

County Literacy Council, funded by the federal 21st Century Learning Centers Training Project grant to Mescalero coordinated by Gina Klinekole.

One of the most challenging topics of the training was the difficulty of recruiting nonreaders — getting beyond the fear of admitting one doesn't know how to read or read well.

Virginia Ortega encounters many people in her work in the school and the community who don't read. Crisosto Peña helps a friend fill out applications and calls herself a "sec-

tary" to reduce the discomfort this presents to the friend.

"A lot of people who can't read hide it real well," Peña said.

"It's easy for a person who doesn't know how to read to believe anything. Communication is very important," said another tutor, Fred Kanesevah. "They've got to admit they need to learn how to read. It's a step of courage to say that."

The student-tutors discussed ways

of recruiting reading students without embarrassing them, and Kanesevah suggested calling the classes "prerequisites to GED," to get around the stigma attached to being unable to read.

He also suggested targeting family members, friends, church leaders and employers and asking them to inform the nonreaders or poor readers about the free tutoring available.

All seven new tutors work during

the day, so their classes, and eventually their tutoring, will be done evenings and weekends.

Klinekole said she hopes that each tutor will work with at least two other adults, depending on their schedules.

Other components of the 21st Century Learning Centers Training Project include after-school programs, a traveling library, learning about Mescalero-Apache cultural heritage through activities with elders in the community, children's day care services and telecommunications/technology programs.

"A lot of people who can't read hide it real well."

Crisosto Peña
literacy tutor

RUIDOSO POLICE

Home burglarized

Police reported that a house was burglarized in the 200 block of Fir Drive between Sept. 15 and Nov. 2.

The police responding to a vandalism call found someone had been using the house as a place to sleep and party.

The suspects entered the house with a spare key when it had been kicked out from under the porch. Nothing was damaged and only alcohol had been taken, five bottles of whiskey and nine bottles of beer.

Suspects left some personal hygiene items and papers that could possibly identify them, police said.

Police responded to a report of breaking and entering, criminal damage to property and criminal trespass at the house next door also in the 200 block of Fir Drive at 11 p.m. Nov. 2.

A pane had been removed from the glass door to allow entrance and fresh sheets were found in the front room. A fire had been built for heat on the

stove in a frying pan.

Police said a photo was found of the possible suspect who had no reason to be in the house. The owner of house is unknown and police do not know whether anything was taken.

Damage reported

Police reported criminal damage to property at the 200 block of Crown Drive Nov. 6. The tops of 15 driveway lights were knocked off, police said.

In early October an address plaque and two solar lights were stolen at the same address. Two different sets of bear tracks were found and could be responsible for the lights, police said.

Green damaged

Police reported criminal damage to the golf course at the 300 block of Country Club Drive at 3:05 p.m. Nov. 5.

The golf course green was chopped up by what looked like a hatchet, police said. Three

boys were seen on the green hitting balls before the damage was discovered.

The boys left with their father, and could be identified by a witness, police said. The manager of the course did not know the damage of the course at the time of the incident.

Vehicle burglarized

Police reported an auto burglary at the 2000 block of Sudderth Drive at 5 p.m.

The owner of the car, had parked her car on the west side of Noisy Waters Spa, came out and found the CD player and four CDs missing, valuing \$210.

Juvenile charged

Police reported assault on a police officer, resisting an arrest and possession of marijuana by a female Ruidoso minor in the 600 block of Wingfield Street at 7:05 p.m. Nov. 7.

The 17-year-old girl was reported as a runaway earlier in the day, police said.

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- Remove all dead plants, trees and shrubs from the site.
- Reduce excess leaves, pine needles, plant parts and low hanging branches.
- Replace dense flammable plants with fire-resistant plants.
- The choice of plants, spacing and maintenance are crucial elements in any defensible space landscaping plan.

Tip for a Fire-safe Landscape

- Create a defensible space perimeter by thinning trees and brush within 30 feet around your home.
- Beyond 30 feet, remove dead wood, debris and low tree branches.
- Eliminate small trees and plants growing under trees. They allow ground fires to jump into tree crowns.
- Space trees 30 feet apart and prune to a height of 8 to 10 feet.
- Place shrubs at least 20 feet from any structures and prune regularly.
- Plant the most drought-tolerant vegetation within three feet of your home and adjacent to structures to prevent ignition.
- Provide at least a 10 to 15 foot separation between islands of shrubs and plant groups to effectively break up continuity of vegetation.
- Landscape your property with fire-resistant plants and vegetation to prevent fire from spreading quickly.

- ### Choose Fire Resistant Materials
- Check your local nursery, forester or county extension service for advice on fire resistant plants that are suited for your environment.
 - Create fire-safe zones with stone walls, patios, swimming pools, decks and roadways.
 - Use rock, mulch, flower beds and gardens as ground cover for bare spaces and as effective firebreaks.
 - There are no "fire-proof" plants. Select high moisture plants that grow close to the ground and have a low sap or resin content.
 - Choose plant species that resist ignition such as rockrose, iceplant and aloe.
 - Fire-resistant shrubs include hedging roses, bush honeysuckles, currant, cotoneaster, sumac and shrub apples.
 - Plant hardwood, maple, poplar and cherry trees that are less flammable than pine, fir and other conifers.

Maintain Your Home and Surrounding Property

- Maintain a well-pruned and watered landscape to serve as a green belt and protection against fire.
- Keep plants green during the dry season and use supplemental irrigation, if necessary.
- Trim grass on a regular basis up to 100 feet surrounding your home.
- Stack firewood at least 30 feet from your home.
- Store flammable materials, liquids and solvents in metal containers outside the home at least 30 feet away from structures and wooden fences.
- No matter where you live, always install smoke alarms on every level of your home. Test them monthly and change the batteries at least once a year. Consider installing the new long-life smoke alarms.

Maintain Home Heating Systems

- Have your chimney inspected and cleaned annually by a certified specialist.
- Insulate chimneys and place spark arresters on top.
- Extend the chimney at least three feet above the roof.
- Remove branches hanging above and around the chimney.

Have a Fire Safety and Evacuation Plan

- Install smoke alarms on every level of your home.
- Test them monthly and change the batteries at least once a year.
- Practice fire escape and evacuation plans.
- Mark the entrance to your property with signs that are clearly visible.
- Know which local emergency services are available and have those numbers posted.
- Provide emergency vehicle access through roads and driveways at least 12 feet wide with adequate turnaround space.
- Village ordinance requires you to have your street address visible (minimum 4" in height).

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Tree-thinning work goes forward

BY DIANNE STALLINS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Tree-thinning projects under various agencies are concentrated in areas of high fire danger around Ruidoso and on the Mescalero Apache Reservation.

During a meeting of the Ruidoso Wildland Urban Interface Group, a multi-organization and agency coalition, representatives briefly reviewed some of the major accomplishments and upcoming plans.

Thora Padilla, head of the tribe's office of Resource Management and Protection, said 1,200 acres are being thinned around the Inn of the Mountain Gods to U.S. 70.

"We're not able to log, but we're doing trees of 9-inch diameter or smaller," she said.

The Bureau of Indian Affairs has asked for money to cover more projects in the next fiscal year that will include the Eagle Lakes and Ruidoso Cabins recreation areas and some private land along the boundary.

John Andrews with the forestry division of the BIA Mescalero Agency, said more projects are lined up than available money will cover, but he hopes to finish Eagle Lakes this year and will continue to target an area in Upper Canyon.

Dave Kirgen with the tribe said a controlled burn also is anticipated along State Highway 244. The treatment will concentrate along roads because more fires occur there and more homes are exposed to the hazard.

The impacts on environmental and cultural resources are examined for each individual project, Padilla said.

"We screen for threatened and endangered species and cultural and archaeological sites, so we have thrown out some areas," she said.

The trees cut around the Inn are being chipped on site, she said. Some also are being sent to the sawmill in Alamogordo, but logging is limited because of the sensitive environment around the Inn, Andrews said.

"We're going after ladder fuels that would allow fire to climb into the crown," Padilla said.

"Our public is the tribe, so there are not as many rules, but there was a lawsuit filed recently that would like to see Indian land included in designations of critical habitat," Andrews said.

Jose Martinez from the Alamogordo office of the U.S. Forest Service said of the 1.1 million acres in the Lincoln National Forest, 105 sites of about 600 acres each are identified as habitat for the Mexican spotted owl, an endangered species.

Efforts are underway by an environmental group called the Southwest Center for Biological Diversity to stop the cutting of 9-inch and smaller trees, he said.

State Rep. Dub William, a Republican from Glencoe, said when it's a matter of safeguarding human life, some rules need to be changed.

Bill Rogge with the state forestry division said thinning

projects also benefit, not harm, the forest and that needs to be emphasized.

Lincoln County Commissioner Leo Martinez said many people don't understand why rules are different in the national forest from the reservation, which is considered a sovereign nation.

They see the excellent job of thinning accomplished by the tribe and question why the same doesn't always happen on the forest.

Jerry Hawkes with the U.S. Forest Service in the Smokey Bear Ranger District around Ruidoso said 1,873 acres are being thinned mostly around Grindstone Reservoir and by the end of winter work should be finished in Eagle Creek.

District fire management officer Matt Reidy said a crew is finishing a Cedar Creek project now.

Five areas are under contract and employ local people, he said.

They include Cedar Creek, Grindstone Mesa and Grindstone Lake.

About 900 acres were treated this year.

"We just let the contract in Saw Mill Canyon in the Carrizo Canyon area and 150,000 board-feet of saw timber was included in the service contract for thinning for forest health and hazardous fuel

removal," Reidy said. "That probably will start sometime this winter," he said, adding that because much of the terrain in the forest is steep and inaccessible, the agency doesn't have many opportunities to treat such large tracts.

Ruidoso urban forester Rick DeLaco said seeing the Mescalero working in same general areas as the village or forest service is like seeing pieces in a puzzle put together.

Howard Parman of the Bureau of Land Management updated the group on projects around Lincoln and Barbara Luna of the state forestry division reported on projects involving private land owners including those in Camelot subdivision and Upper Canyon.

Group receives two grants

Angel Flight West, New Mexico Wing, a nonprofit volunteer organization with the mission of providing free non-emergency medical flights on private aircraft to needy patients, has been awarded two major grants.

The McCune Charitable Foundation awarded a

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by *Dr. Jack V. Waters*
Chiropractic Physician

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Dowager's hump is an abnormal curvature of the spine that is usually noticeable as a rounded hump in the upper back. Normally affecting senior females, the curvature results from the partial collapse of the spine from osteoporosis. Unfortunately, there is nothing that can be done to treat a true dowager's hump once it appears.

However, much can be done to prevent a dowager's hump from forming. Proper nutrition and exercise are the best approaches to curbing osteoporosis. Preventing this disabling disease is a lifelong activity. Physical activity and calcium ingestion from childhood until age 35 are most essential to attain the maximum possible amount of bone density for an individual.

Today, most American women are seriously deficient in calcium intake during these important years. They average around 550 milligrams a day, instead of the 1,000 to 1,500 milligrams needed to reach and maintain proper bone mass. If less calcium is ingested than is required by the body, it will be drawn from the bones. Check with your chiropractor to determine how much calcium you need for your age group and what you can do to prevent osteoporosis. In some cases, dowager's hump is actually due to poor posture. In such situations, chiropractic treatment and postural correction exercises can correct the problem.

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PMS Home Health and Hospice Advisory Group Members Mayor Issues Proclamation

Members of the current advisory group represent a diverse cross section of the area and offer a wide range of perspectives that enable the staff to better serve the needs of the patients.

Ariene Brown, M.D., Medical Director of PMS, interests in Lincoln County. A member of the National Board of Family Practitioners, she is a highly respected physician in the community.

Cheri Nipp, Southern Systems Administrator, oversees many PMS programs including Behavioral Health, Home Health and Hospice, Primary Care Clinic, Head Start, Maternal Child Health, Families First, and Community Health. Her specialties are pay, chology and health administration.

Jean Briley has been the Administrator of PMS, Lincoln County for two years. In addition to her degree and varied background in social work, seven years experience in home health and hospice make her especially qualified to direct the various programs and help plan for future growth.

A new addition to the PMS staff is **Karen Hoffmann, RN/BSN**, Clinical Services Supervisor. In addition to her nursing background, she has conducted training seminars and was Director of Student Health Services at ENMU, Portales.

Other group members include **Michael Latkey**, president; **Dr. Jim Smith**, vice-president; and **Kim King**, secretary-treasurer. **David Wiberg**, President of First National Bank of Ruidoso serves on the local advisory group as well as being a member of the PMS Corporate Board of Directors.

Also serving in an advisory role are **Sandi Browne**, **Barbara Dickinson**, **Kay Kernodle**, **Don Linley**, **Peggy McClellan**, **Andrew Megarity**, **Shirley Neuhaus**, **Dave Parks**, **Sonia Schaefer**, and **Paul Vordermann**.

PRESBYTERIAN MEDICAL SERVICES HOME HEALTH AND HOSPICE IS THE ONLY JC/AZO CERTIFIED AGENCY IN LINCOLN COUNTY.

Ruidoso Mayor **Robert Donaldson** presented **Jean Briley**, Director of Presbyterian Medical Services Home Health and Hospice and **Karen Hoffmann**, Clinical Services Supervisor, with a proclamation declaring November as National Home Care and Hospice Month. The ceremony took place during the City Council Meeting on October 30, 2001.

This is the second year the proclamation has been presented to PMS Home Health and Hospice and marks the beginning of a month-long public awareness campaign.



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WHEREAS, THERE IS A NEED TO RECOGNIZE PROFESSIONALS AND VOLUNTEERS THROUGHOUT THE NATION WHO DEDICATE THEMSELVES TO PROVIDING QUALITY AND END-OF-LIFE CARE AND SUPPORT FOR PATIENTS AND FAMILIES WHO NEED IT THE MOST; AND,

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WHEREAS, INCREASED PUBLIC AWARENESS AND UNDERSTANDING OF HOME CARE AND HOSPICE WILL SERVE TO STRENGTHEN THE SERVICES AVAILABLE TO PATIENTS THROUGHOUT THE COMMUNITY AND HELP ENSURE THAT SERVICES ARE ACCESSIBLE TO ALL CITIZENS; AND,

WHEREAS, THE PRESBYTERIAN MEDICAL SERVICES HOME HEALTH AND HOSPICE OF LINCOLN COUNTY HAS JOINED THE NATIONAL HOME CARE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, THE NATIONAL HOSPICE ORGANIZATION, AND THOUSANDS OF AGENCIES IN DECLARING NOVEMBER 2001 AS NATIONAL HOME CARE AND HOSPICE MONTH AND ARE CALLING ON ALL AMERICANS TO OBSERVE THIS OCCASION WITH APPROPRIATE CEREMONIES AND ACTIVITIES;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, **ROBERT DONALDSON**, MAYOR OF THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2001 AS

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SPORTS

Warriors finish up tonight

Ruidoso still has a chance to go out on top with a win over the Colts tonight at Horton.

BY WES SCHWENGELS
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

Postseason hopes are gone and district play is over, but that doesn't mean the Ruidoso Warriors football team has nothing to play for.

A battle with the Colts of New Mexico Military Institute (6-2) gives Ruidoso (5-4) an opportunity to end the season with a win in front of their home fans and offers the seniors a chance to end on top.

Warrior coach Les Carter said he believes his team will be up to the occasion.

"These guys have never quit all year," Carter said. "I don't expect them to quit now. It's the last home game, the last football for some of them."

It will at least be the last Ruidoso football for 17 seniors, including starters such as Brandon Brumlow, Darryl Bagley, Phillip Darley, Chad Swanner, Jose Linares and others.

Friday also marks Parents' Night in Ruidoso, another reason for the players to put together a win.

The game is also NMMI's season finale, and the Colts do present a challenge for Ruidoso. NMMI defeated Portales earlier this year, 7-0 in Roswell.

The Rams knocked the Warriors out of the playoff hunt with a 24-22 loss Nov. 2, although Ruidoso easily could have won that game if not for 105 yards in penalties.

Instead, tonight's game will be mostly played for pride — and a chance to maintain a

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Ruidoso tries for a title

Warrior volleyball girls begin run today in Albuquerque

BY WES SCHWENGELS
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

The Class AAA state volleyball playoffs begin today, and the Lady Warriors are there.

The girls got a loud send-off Thursday morning, as well-wishers rallied at the high school and down Sudderth and Mechem drives. The team bus got a police escort out of town.

But the games are what count, and those begin today at West Mesa High School in Albuquerque at 1 p.m. That's when the Warriors and St. Michael's Horsemen have it out in the auxiliary gym at West Mesa. That will be followed by a 3 p.m. match-up of Portales and Las Vegas in the high school's main gym.

The winners will meet Saturday at 3 p.m. in the main gym, while the losers battle for third place in the auxiliary gym at 9 a.m.

First-year volleyball coach Albert Ronquillo said he's thrilled to get to this point of the year.

"We've got to focus and play one point at a time," Ronquillo said. "If we take care of business, we should be in the championship game."

The coach said he wasn't trying anything different in the week of practices leading up to the tournament.

"I'm trying to get them focused on what they need to be doing," he said.

What the Warriors need today is a repeat of the early season.

Ruidoso beat St. Michael's Aug. 31 at a tournament in Clovis. The win was just one of two the Warriors got in their first nine games.

The girls have looked much better since then, getting key wins over Lovington and Santa Teresa in the District 4AAA tournament and over Grants in the regional. Two more of those wins will send them home with the State Championship.

The first of those will have to come against the Lady Horsemen, and Ronquillo said he thinks that's a good possibility.

"I'm approaching it like if we do what we need to do, we can make them adjust," he said.

Ronquillo, who also coaches the Lady Warrior basketball team, said he's focused on volleyball until the season is over.

"Fortunately, I've got two good assistants taking over," he said.

A state title would be Ronquillo's first since coming to the high school, but he said he won't take any credit.

"To me, it's for them," he said. "They worked so hard, they deserve that. ... I want them to see what it's like."

Win or lose, there will be little rest for many of the Warriors and their coach. Seven girls from the volleyball team will play basketball this year, and the varsity team has its first game Nov. 20.

West Mesa High School is located at 6701 Fortuna Rd. NW in Albuquerque.



TODD BUTTS/STAFF

Carrie Line and her Lady Warrior teammates will try to bring home Ruidoso's first state title of the 2001-2002 season this weekend. The girls play today at 1 p.m. against St. Michael's at West Mesa High School in Albuquerque.

► Warrior volleyball

- What: The Class AAA State Tournament
- When: Today at 1 p.m., Saturday at 9 a.m. or 3 p.m.
- Where: West Mesa High School, Albuquerque

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Prep Scoreboard

Football
Nov. 2
Portales 24; Ruidoso 22

Volleyball
Nov. 3
Ruidoso 3, Grants 2
Temple Baptist 3, Carrizozo 0

Cross Country
Nov. 3
Ruidoso boys 9th at AAA State Meet,
Capitan boys 20th, Mescalero boys
22nd at A-AA State Meet

Preps on Tap

Friday, Nov. 9
Football
NMMI at Ruidoso, 7 p.m.
Volleyball
Ruidoso vs. St. Michael's in
Albuquerque — State Tourney, 1 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 10
Volleyball
Ruidoso in State Tournament, 9 a.m.
or 3 p.m.

On Deck

Basketball Officials
Officials are needed for the upcoming season to referee 7th and 8th grade and junior varsity basketball games. People interested can train to become NYAA officials. For more information, call Jovian Smith at 336-4357 ext. 219.

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SportsPark El Paso will hold three softball tournaments between now and Dec. 1. The Veterans Day Tournament will run Nov. 9-11. The Thanksgiving Mixed Tournament will go Nov. 24 and 25. A \$110 entry fee is due by Nov. 21. The 1-Pitch Tournament will be Dec. 1, with a \$75 entry fee due by Nov. 28. For more information, call Chris Najera at (915) 857-7676.

Youth Baseball
SportsPark El Paso will play host to a youth baseball tournament Thanksgiving weekend. The Thanksgiving Weekend Youth Invitational will run from Nov. 23 through 25. The entry fee is one toy donated by each coach and player. Call (915) 857-7676.

Big Boys

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Dallas at Atlanta, 11 a.m., FOX
San Diego at Denver, 2 p.m., CBS
N.Y. Giants at Arizona, 2 p.m., FOX

NCAA
Saturday
UNLV at New Mexico, 5 p.m.
Arkansas St. at NMSU, 3 p.m.

Another gridiron season comes to an end

BY WES SCHWENGELS
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

The 2001 high school football season comes to an end tonight for area teams, and for the first time in a long time, none of the four local schools has made the postseason.

It's time for a look back at a largely fruitless, but still eventful year.

Ruidoso Warriors

The Warriors (5-4) still have one game left tonight, but their chances at the post-season died last week with a loss to Portales.

It has been an up and down

year for Ruidoso. The Warriors started off the year with a 28-14 loss to Robertson, in which they committed nine turnovers. But it was later discovered that the Cardinals played two ineligible athletes during the game, and Robertson was forced to forfeit the victory.

Ruidoso then won its next two games over El Paso-Montwood and Socorro, before losing handily to Artesia.

Sept. 21 brought homecoming and a tough match-up with the Cobre Indians. The Warriors scored a go-ahead TD with less than a minute left, but Cobre returned the

ensuing kickoff for a score, giving it a 36-34 win and putting Ruidoso at 3-2.

RHS then split its next four games, with wins over St. Michael's and Santa Teresa and losses to No. 1 Lovington and district rival Portales.

It is a season that could have been for Ruidoso, with two losses coming by a combined four points. Despite 105 yards in penalties against Portales, the Warriors still had a chance to win. A missed field goal with eight seconds left ended that.

Ruidoso will try to stay above .500 tonight against the New Mexico Military Institute Colts on Parents' Night. It will also be the last home game for 17 seniors.

Capitan Tigers

To say the 2001 season was emotional for the Tigers (2-8) would be an understatement.

Expectations were lower than usual for Capitan after it lost 12 seniors from a State Semifinal 2000 team. A difficult schedule added to the problems for the Tigers, who showed their youth and inexperience much of the year.

After starting out 0-2 against Hatch and a tough Fort Sumner team, the Tigers got their first win of the year against Faith Christian. Still, problems remained in the vic-

tory, as Capitan was unable to put Faith Christian away in the 30-20 win.

The next two weeks were not easy, as the Tigers fell to powerhouse Hagerman and the Artesia J.V. team, dropping them to 1-4.

Homecoming was Sept. 23, and Capitan finally looked like a strong football team. The Tigers pounded Escalante 50-16 and had momentum going into a match-up with El Paso-Anthony in Texas.

But no amount of practice could have prepared them for what happened next. Tiger Raymond Zamora suffered a severed head injury against Anthony and underwent two emergency surgeries in the next 72 hours.

While Zamora eventually recovered and was released from Thomason Hospital in late October, the Tigers never seemed to recover emotionally from the loss. They lost their last four games, including two home contests with district rivals Cloudercroft and Animas.

The losses forced Capitan to miss the playoffs for just the second time in coach Ed Davis' era. The Tigers lose 10 seniors.

Carrizozo Grizzlies

It was an uphill battle all year for Carrizozo (2-6). The Grizzlies started 2001 with

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Time to drive up the road to Albuquerque — again

This weekend brings another state playoff for a Ruidoso High School team.

It seems like this happens a lot around here.

When I started here at the *Ruidoso News* all the way back in February, it was a baptism by fire.

You see, the weekend that I hauled all my belongings out from warm, snow-free Tucson, the Ruidoso boys basketball team won its district and clinched a spot in the regional playoffs.

By the time I had completed my first

month, I had traveled to Hobbs and Albuquerque — twice — to cover the team's run through the regional and state playoffs. The Warriors lost in the State Championship game, but I got an early look at the loyalty and support the school had from the village.

A few months later, it was off to Albuquerque again, this time for the Ruidoso softball team. The Lady Warriors had gotten through a tough district to a regional match-up in the Duke City. But the girls lost a close one, sending me back to Lincoln County.

I was back in Albuquerque soon though, checking out a number of local schools, Carrizozo, Capitan and Ruidoso included, in their bids for a track and field title. I was starting to get used to ol' I-25.

Then, after all that, the boys golf team won a State Championship. Their third straight.

What I'm driving at is that these Warriors seem to be pretty darn good.

I went to a high school of more than 3,000 kids that never won a state title in my four years. We

had some good teams, make no mistake, but the Bruins rarely got very deep in the playoffs.

Here, it seems like a regular occurrence.

Whether you're a player, coach or fan, treasure these teams. The kids work hard to get where they are and deserve everyone's support. And, you never know, there may come a day when RHS doesn't have a champion for a year or two.

As for me, I'm off to Albuquerque — again. Hope to see you there.

WES' WORLD



BY WES SCHWENGELS
SPORTS EDITOR



WES SCHWENGELS/STAFF

Capitan's Chance van Winkle carries the ball in his team's season finale against Animas. Like the other three area teams, Capitan failed to make the playoffs this year.

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Gymnasts do well in Albuquerque

Ruidoso's Level IV and V gymnastics teams each came home with a second place from the Kachina Invitational at Duke City Gymnastics in Albuquerque.

"This was definitely our best meet yet," said coach Amy Eggleston. "If we improve that much more by December, we will be ready for the state meet."

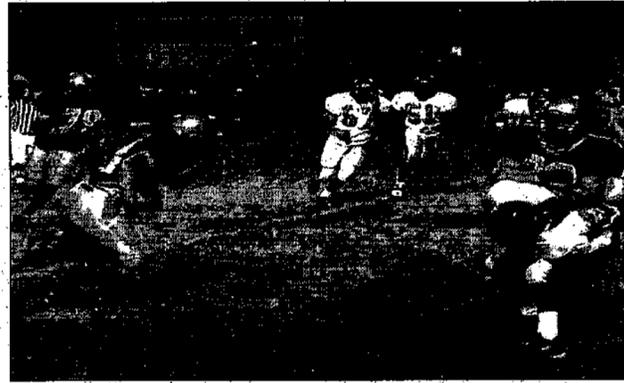
Individually, Alaitia Enjady, Laura Montes, Brittney Marshall, Aтира Barnett and Monica

Nunez all won at least one event in the Level IV competition. Nunez won all-around gold in the 13-year-old division, while Montes and Marshall won silver and gold in their divisions.

For Level V, Alex Weaver, Ari Hale, Victoria Ramirez and Sierra Nelson each won at least one event. Nelson, 12, captured gold, while Weaver was third all around among 9-year-olds.

Ruidoso will end its regular season Saturday in Alamogordo.

RHS: Warriors can end with win



FROM PAGE 1B

winning record. The Colts are guaranteed to remain above .500, but a loss would drop Ruidoso to 5-5.

The Warriors found themselves in a similar situation last year, heading into a finale with the Colts at 5-4. Ruidoso won the game 13-12 in Roswell.

The Warriors are hoping history continues to repeat itself.

Carter said he thinks his team should be proud of its season.

"They never quit, and I'm proud of them," he said. "Nobody gave them a chance. We were close to being a play-off team, close to being one of the top three teams in state."

The Warriors and Colts kick off at 7 p.m. at Horton Stadium.

Warrior Josh Adams gets a block while heading for the open field in a game earlier this year. The Warriors are out of the postseason hunt, but still have a chance to go out with a win tonight against the New Mexico Military Institute.

WEB SCHWENGLER/STAFF

RECAP: Lincoln County football drawing to an end

FROM PAGE 1B

just 11 players on the roster, after several 2000 starters opted not to come back for 2001.

Injuries also plagued Zozo, as seniors Lane Dixon, Levi Boble and Abel Avila all went down with them at one point or another.

The Grizzlies started off 1-1, including a 50-0 win over Reserve Sept. 7. But things went downhill from there, as they lost their next four games by a combined score of 199-24. Two of those games were against State Finalist Lake Arthur and semifinalist Mountainair.

Carrizozo did manage to split its last two games, getting a 26-23 homecoming win over Mescalero Oct. 12 in a game that came down to the wire.

A second straight win, would have actually put the Grizzlies in the playoffs, but Gateway Christian was too much, beating Zozo 60-22.

The Grizzlies lose six seniors and will need a good turnout next year to improve on the roster situation.

Mescalero Chiefs

Despite finishing just 2-6, the Chiefs enjoyed their best season yet in their four-year history.

Victories over Reserve and Pine Hill doubled the programs win total from the first three seasons. The Chiefs still couldn't get a district win, but coach Rodney Wright's first season showed a lot of promise.

Mescalero started 2-2, but lost its last four, including a nailbiter to Carrizozo. The Chiefs did get a homecoming win for the first time with a 56-46 defeat of Pine Hill.

Five seniors will be gone from next year's team, but Mescalero does return 10 of its 12 usual starters. The biggest hit the Chiefs will take is the loss of running back Raymond Bigmouth, who totalled over 1,000 yards on the ground this year.

2002 may also bring a different look to Chief football, as Mescalero's enrollment is close to forcing it into the 11-man game.



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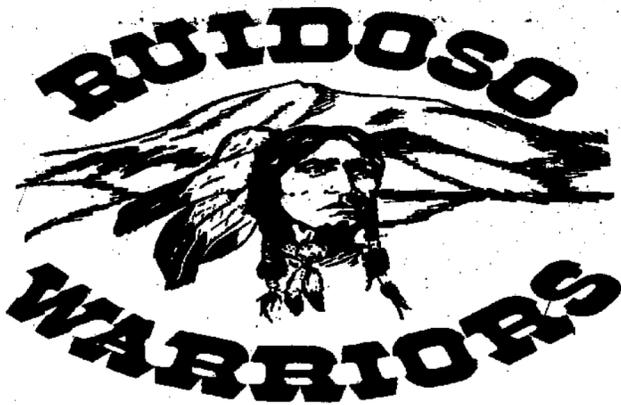
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Lawsuit levels allegations against Ruidoso hospital

Presbyterian Health-Care Services Inc. would not respond to the claims, saying the legal forum is a more appropriate place to do so.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A physician's assistant, who previously worked in the emergency room of the Lincoln County Medical Center, is suing Presbyterian Health-Care Services Inc., as manager of the county-owned hospital in Ruidoso.

The suit filed last month in Socorro County District Court claims retaliatory discharge, breach of contract, intentional and negligent infliction of emotional distress. It asks for punitive damages. The suit details DiMarco's assertions that the hospital administration was unresponsive to a series of critical situations at the facility.

A spokesman for Presbyterian in Albuquerque said, "Mr. DiMarco has chosen to file a lawsuit and we respect that decision. He will need to prove his allegations in the legal process. We do not respond to allegations in a lawsuit through the media. We believe the legal forum is the appropriate one."

The suit states that starting in 1988, DiMarco worked as a physician's assistant at LCMC, primarily in the emergency room.

Although he was authorized

to prescribe treatment and recommend admission to the hospital, he was not authorized to admit patients without the assistance of a physician, it states. From 1988 to 1994, most of the physicians in the emergency room were independent contractors and not employees of LCMC.

The suit details a series of events that DiMarco contends impaired his ability and that of other physician's assistants to function properly. They include:

- A legal dispute between the hospital administration and a family practice physician that resulted in factions developing within the hospital and a deterioration of relationships and cooperation among staff.

- Episodes of sexist and racist conduct and comments directed toward the physician, not only tolerated, "but insidiously encouraged" by the hospital administration.

- Lack of response by the administration to complaints about the drinking problem of another physician who had operating privileges.

- Lack of administrative response to concerns about increasing workloads and patient volume in the emergency room and a decreasing willingness by physicians to provide coverage as required by the schedule and by hospital by-laws. Four physician's assistants subsequently resigned.

DiMarco refers to a "grow-

ing indifference by some physicians for the safety and needs of emergency room patients."

In one such case, he contends a patient whose blood work prompted a new physician's assistant to call a supervising physician, was sent home and later that night died of cardiac arrest.

In another, when no local physician could be found, a patient was shipped to Roswell for an emergency operation and during the trip, the appendix burst.

DiMarco contends that despite his repeated attempts to convince the administration to handle the problems, nothing was done. He cited more than a half dozen cases where patients were put at risk, in his opinion.

The problems continued through the summer of 2000, the suit states and he received little encouragement that things would improve from a new hospital administrator.

He announced his intention to resign in September of that year. In the process, he found previously undisclosed and unsigned letters placed in his personnel file in violation of LCMC personnel policy. He also was denied an "exit" interview.

Since he resigned, DiMarco claims he has "been repeatedly defamed by LCMC administration" peaking in June 2001 when he was notified that he would be arrested if he entered LCMC property other than for a medical emergency, the suit states.

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Leslie's parents are Allan and Nora Leslie of 100 E Ave., Carrizozo.

His mother and stepfather, Nancy and Kim Donaldson,

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Sept. 10 - Jenna Nicole Orrantia vs. Francisco A. Orrantia; divorce petition; DM01-109.
Sept. 10 - State of New Mexico, Human Services Department and state of California vs. Steve P. Messmore; registration of foreign support order and clerk's notice; DM01-110.
Sept. 13 - Louann Davis vs. Max K. Davis; divorce petition; DM01-111.
Sept. 14 - Nick Orciuoli vs. Lisa Orciuoli; emergency order for protection against respondent; DV01-90.
Sept. 14 - Shawn A. Seymour vs. Velda Seymour; divorce petition; DM01-112.
Sept. 14 - Kelly Junge Smith vs. Michael E. Smith; legal separation petition; DM01-113.
Sept. 19 - Jennifer Louise Fiveash vs. Randall Joe Fiveash; divorce petition; DM01-114.
Sept. 25 - State of New Mexico, Human Services Department and the state of Colorado vs. Kristen D. Wade; UIFSA petition for support

with assigned arrears; DM01-115.
Sept. 25 - State of New Mexico, Human Services Department and the state of Texas vs. Ronald Bush; UIFSA petition for support; DM01-116.
Sept. 25 - Michael Becker vs. Sandie Becker; divorce petition; DM01-117.
Sept. 25 - State of New Mexico, Human Services Department and state of Indiana and Karol Hendricks vs. Richard D. Hadley; registration of foreign support order and clerk's notice; DM01-118.
Sept. 25 - State of New Mexico, Human Services Department and the state of California vs. Keith Alan Hendrickson; registration of foreign support order and clerk's notice; DM01-119.
Sept. 26 - Jennifer Wheeler vs. Stan Wheeler, Kathy Wheeler; domestic abuse protection petition; DV01-91.
Sept. 26 - Jerry Claude Hooper vs. Vivian Lorraine Hooper; divorce petition; DM01-120.
Sept. 28 - Ruth Torres vs. Tby J. Torres; divorce petition; DM01-121.
Oct. 2 - Brandi Stufflebeam vs. William Lisewski; domestic abuse protection petition; DV01-92.
Oct. 3 - John E. Day vs.

Carmille W. Day; divorce petition; DM01-122.
Oct. 3 - Lea Farus vs. Bryan Farus; divorce petition; DM01-123.
Oct. 3 - Nick Orciuoli vs. Lisa C. Orciuoli; divorce petition; DM01-124.
Oct. 10 - Teri Crain vs. Walter Crain; domestic abuse protection petition; DV01-93.
Oct. 15 - Maria Rodriguez vs. Luis Rodriguez; divorce petition; DM01-125.
Oct. 15 - Sonya Angerstein Durbin vs. Kenneth Anthony Durbin; divorce petition; DM01-126.
Oct. 16 - State of New Mexico, Humane Services Department and the state of Texas and Tamara W. Berry vs. Kenneth Berry; registration of foreign support order and clerk's notice; DM01-127.
Oct. 18 - Richard L. Arlaud vs. Cynthia A. Arlaud; divorce petition; DM01-128.
Oct. 22 - Nelda Montes vs. Benito Montes Sr. and Lisa Kimberly Nicol; domestic abuse protection petition; DV01-97.
Oct. 27 - Shelly Doughton vs. Damon Saye Black; domestic abuse protection petition; DV01-98.
Oct. 22 - Anna Marie Friberg vs. Michael Charles Friberg; divorce petition; DM01-129.

Oct. 22 - State of New Mexico, Human Services Department and the state of Minnesota and Carol A. Jackson vs. Robert A. Jackson; registration of foreign support order and clerk's notice; DM01-

130.
Oct. 22 - State of New Mexico, Human Services Department and the state of Nevada vs. Patrick S. McLeod; UIFSA petition for support with assigned arrears; DM01-131.

Oct. 22 - State of New Mexico, Humane Services Department and the state of New Hampshire and Adele G. Akers vs. Johnny Rodriguez; registration for support order. See DISTRICT COURT, page 6B

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Advertisement for State National Investment Services. It features a photo of Tom Battin, Chairman of State National Bank, Ruidoso. Text: 'A familiar face to help you with the new state of investing.' Services include Stocks, Bonds, Options, Unit Investment Trusts, Mutual Funds, Consolidated Statements, and College Planning. Contact: 257-4043, 1710 Sudderth • Ruidoso, NM 88345 • 257-4043.

Advertisement for the Ruidoso News with the headline 'A GIFT THAT LASTS ALL YEAR! DON'T DELAY'. It features images of gift boxes and a newspaper. Text: 'ORDER THE RUIDOSO NEWS TODAY! 257-4001'.

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County lagging behind in annual precipitation

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

With no snow and little precipitation for the past month, Lincoln County communities are slipping farther behind their average year-to-date totals.

A report from the New Mexico Agricultural Statistics Services covering through Nov. 4 shows that by the end of November, Ruidoso usually averages 19.72 inches of precipitation in either rain or water content of snow.

But the village this year lags behind by nearly 3 inches at 16.76 inches of precipitation.

The county seat of

Carrizozo, lying in the high desert around the Sacramento Mountain Range, is nearly 5 inches behind its end of November average of 12.07 inches. That town reports only 7.22 inches of rain with 23 days left in the month.

Weather forecasters have talked rain for the past week, but nothing materialized locally.

That's not good news for people with water levels dropping in their wells.

With no snow in sight, skiers also may be unhappy, although in the mountains, a couple of good storms could pile on enough snow to start the ski season in good shape this Thanksgiving.

Panel OKs phone antenna

BY AMANDA WITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The Village of Ruidoso Planning and Zoning Commission approved a permit to install a Sprint PCS antenna on the tower owned by Crown Castle on 1998 Merlyn Road in the Camelot development.

Verizon Wireless leases an antenna on the upper part of the tower.

Cherie Zeka a representative of Crown Castle, said Tuesday, that Sprint PCS wants to install six new antennas on the lower part of the

tower and install an outdoor cabinet for radio equipment.

"It's a good use of something that's already there," Councilor Bill Hirschfeld said.

Peñasco Valley Telephone Cooperative is the official licensor for Sprint PCS in southeastern New Mexico, Peñasco vice president of subsidiary operations Lynn Gunwall said. Sprint PCS has coverage in Carlsbad, Artesia, Hobbs and Roswell, and Ruidoso is next.

The new area will include coverage from Roswell to Ruidoso and through El Paso.

GRAVE SITUATION



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

"Bootless Hill" is a graveyard made by Kim Graham's sixth-grade language-arts students outside their classroom at White Mountain Intermediate School. The class was reading "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow" and the assignment was to write a humorous epitaph and illustrate it, either on a tombstone or on a model.

DISTRICT COURT

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and clerk's notice; DM01-132.

Oct. 22 - State of New Mexico, Humane Services Department and the state of Colorado and Gina M. Brow vs. David Hall; UIFSA paternity

petition; DM01-133.

Oct. 22 - James G. Gilmore vs. Marcella E. Gilmore; divorce petition; DM01-134.

Oct. 23 - Orlando Gutierrez and Rosa U. Gutierrez vs. Terry Gutierrez; domestic

abuse protection petition; DV01-99.

Oct. 23 - Joe G. Thornton Jr. vs. Friday L. Bodine; domestic abuse protection petition; DV01-100.

Oct. 23 - Rudy Loya Sr. vs.

Esther Salas; petition to determine paternity, custody and visitation; DM01-135.

Oct. 24 - Cheryl Lisewski vs. William Lisewski and April Blodgett; petition for custody of a minor child; DM01-136.



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CATHOLIC
Sacred Heart Catholic Church
Capitan, 354-9102. Saturday Mass: 5 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 9 a.m.; Monday Adult Bible Study: 6 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Capitan - Highway 48. Les Earwood, Minister. Sunday Bible study: 10 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

FOUR SQUARE
Capitan Four Square Church
Highway 48, Capitan. Harold W. Perry, Pastor. Sunday School: 10 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

METHODIST
Capitan United Methodist Church
Pastor Johanna Anderson and the congregation of Capitan United Methodist Church welcome Lincoln County residents and visitors alike to attend Bible study Sunday morning at 8:30, followed by worship service at 9:10. Communion is offered during worship on the first Sunday of every month, and a potluck luncheon is served the third Sunday at 12:30. White Oaks and Third in Capitan. 505-648-2846.

NON-DENOMINATIONAL
Christ Community Fellowship
Capitan, Highway 380 West. 354-2458. Ed Vinson, Pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship, 10:30 a.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
The Word of Life Church
Rev. Chuck Fulton, pastor/648-2339. 711 E Ave., Carrizozo, NM. Affiliated w/the Evangelistic Assembly Church. Sunday 7:00 pm.

BAPTIST
First Baptist Church
Hayden Smith, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 7:15 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

CATHOLIC
Santa Rita Catholic Church
648-2853. Father Dave Bergs, Pastor. Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 11 a.m.; Tuesday Adult Bible Study: 6 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Perry Zumwalt, Minister. Ave. C at 12th, Carrizozo, NM. Sunday School 10:00

am; Worship Service 11:00 am; Evening Worship 1:15 pm; Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm.

EPISCOPAL
St. Matthias Episcopal Chapel
Carrizozo, 6th & E Street. Sunday: Holy Eucharist 9:30 a.m.

METHODIST
United Methodist Church Parish
Trinity - 1000 D. Ave. 648-2893/648-2846. Carrizozo. Johanna Anderson, pastor. Sunday school 10:30 a.m.; Sunday worship 11:00 a.m. Choir Practice (Thurs.) 6:30 pm; United Methodist Women Every 3rd Wed. 1:00 pm; Fellowship Dinner 4th Sun. of month 12:30 pm.

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Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)
Johnnie L. Johnson, pastor. Corner of C Ave. & Thirteenth, 648-2186. Children's Church 10:30 am; Worship Service 10:30 am; Wednesday bible Study 7:30 pm.

RUIDOSO DIRECTORIES

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Apache Indian Assembly of God
Mesalero, 671-4747. Donald Pettet, pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship, 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday services: 7 p.m.

First Assembly of God
El Paso Road, Ruidoso. Rev. Bill Lenard, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday morning worship: 10:45 a.m. (includes children's church); Sunday evening praise: 6 p.m.; Wednesday family night: 7 p.m.

BAPTIST
Bent Tree Baptist Church
Sunday 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. White Mountain Plaza on Mechem. Rev. James Crowder, 336-1979.

First Baptist Church
420 Mechem Drive, Ruidoso, NM 88345. (505) 257-2081. Tim Gilliland, Pastor. Service times: Saturday - 7 p.m. Praise & Worship: Sunday - 8:15 a.m. Praise & Worship: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School all ages, 11 a.m. Traditional Worship, 5:30 p.m. Youth Power Hour, 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. Discipleship classes for all ages.

First Baptist Church
Ruidoso Downs. Randy Widener, Pastor. Sunday: Worship hour 11 a.m.; Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; Evening worship: 6 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting 7 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Tinnie. Bill Jones, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m.

Iglesia Bautista Vida Eterna
420 Mechem Drive. (Sunshine Classroom) Ramon Robledo, Pastor. Canto de Predicacion 9 p.m. Mesalero Baptist Mission.
Mesalero. Sunday: Sunday school 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m., 7:15 p.m.; Training union 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday services 6:30 p.m.

Ruidoso Baptist Church
126 Church Drive, Palmer Gateway. Wayne Joyce, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

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St. Theresa Catholic Church
Covina. Sunday Mass: 6 p.m.

St. Joseph Apache Mission
Mesalero. Father Paul Botenbagen. Sunday Mass: 10:30 a.m.

Our Lady of Guadalupe
Bent. Father Paul Botenbagen. Saturday Mass: 6 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 8 a.m.

CHRISTIAN
Crosspoint Christian Fellowship
A Christ Centered Church
Ruidoso Senior Center, 701 Sudderth Drive, 258-1492. Steve Keirns, Pastor. Pre-service prayer 9 a.m.; Sunday worship service 10 a.m.; Children's Church 10 a.m. Small group meetings, including youth group, at various times and locations.

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Hull and Gavilan Canyon Road.
Rev. James M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday School, K-12/Adult: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m.; Chancel Choir: Wednesday 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Gateway Church of Christ
415 Sudderth, Ruidoso, 257-4381. Jay Willmon, Minister. Sunday Bible study: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday worship: 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST LDS
Church of Jesus Christ LDS
Ruidoso Branch, North on Hwy. 48, between Ruidoso and Capitan, Joe Magill, 336-4359. Sunday schedule: Sacrament starts at 10 a.m.; Sunday School: Priesthood and Relief Society.

Church of Jesus Christ LDS
Mesalero Branch, 671-4630. Wray Schildknecht, President, 671-2906. Sunday: Sacrament meeting 10 a.m.; Sunday School and Primary 11:20 a.m.; Priesthood, Relief Soc. & Young Women, 12:10 a.m.

EPISCOPAL
Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount
121 Mesalero Trail, Ruidoso. Father John W. Pebru, Rector. Sunday Eucharist: 8 & 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday: Daughters of King; noon; Eucharist & healing: 5:30 p.m.; Choir practice: 7 p.m.

Episcopal Chapel of San Juan
Lincoln. Sunday: Holy Eucharist 10:30 a.m. St. Anne's Episcopal Chapel
Glencoe. Sunday: Holy Eucharist 9 a.m.

FULL GOSPEL
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San Patricio. Sunday School: 10 a.m.; Evening services: 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Tuesday and Friday.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Ruidoso - Kingdom Hall
106 Alpine Village Road, 258-3659, 257-3871. Sunday: Public Talk 1:30 p.m.; Watchtower: 2:20 p.m. Monday: Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Ministry School 7:30 p.m.; Service Meeting 8:20 p.m. Congregation Hispana

de los Testigos de Jehova
106 Alpine Village Road, 258-3659, 336-7076. Dom. Reunion Publica 10:00 a.m.; Estudio de la Atalaya 10:50 a.m. Mart. Escuela del Ministerio Teocratico 7 p.m.; Reunion de servicio 7:50 p.m.; Juvv. Estudio de libro 7:00 p.m.

LUTHERAN MO. Synod
Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church
1120 Hull Road, 258-4191, 257-5296. Kevin L. Krohn, Pastor. Sunday: Worship 8:30 a.m. (May-Oct.), 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Thursday Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m., call for location.

METHODIST
Commonity United Methodist Church
Junction Road, behind "The Coffee House". Bob Sawyer, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 8:30 a.m., 10:59 a.m.

PENTECOSTAL
The Apostol of Lincoln County
Comerstone Square, 613 Sudderth, 354-4906 or 430-6694. Pastor. Art Dunn. Saturday evening worship 6 p.m.

NAZARENE
Angus Church of the Nazarene
Angus, 12 miles north of Ruidoso on Hwy. 48. 336-8032. Charles Hall, Pastor. Sat. Alumetive Worship, 6:30 pm; Sunday School, 9:45 am; Sunday Morning Worship, 10:45 am; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Tuesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Worship, 6:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN
First Presbyterian Church
101 Sutton Drive (Nob Hill). Ruidoso, 257-2220. Cathy E. Coude, Pastor. Sunday: Church school 9:30 a.m.; worship 11 am. Potluck fellowship after worship the third Sunday of every month.
Mountain Ministry

Parish Community United Presbyterian Church
Ancho, Reverend Scott King. Sunday worship: 9 a.m.; Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Corona Presbyterian Church
Reverend Scott King. Sunday: Church School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

Negral Presbyterian Church
Reverend Bill Sebring. Adult Sunday School: 10 a.m.; worship 11 a.m.

REFORMED CHURCH
Mesalero Reformed
Mesalero. Bob Schuch, Pastor. Sunday: Church school 9:30 a.m.; worship 10:30 a.m. Mon. junior high youth 6:30 p.m. Wed. high school meeting 7 p.m. Thurs. Kids Club (grades 1-5) 3:30.

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American Missionary Fellowship
Rick Smith, 682-2999. Monday: Women's Bible study 6:30 p.m. at Schlotzky's Deli. Tuesday: Ruidoso men's Bible study noon at Pizza Hut, Mechem Drive. Wednesday: (Sept. through May) Capitan Jr. High and St. High Youth Groups 6:30 p.m. at Christ Community Fellowship. E-mail: RickS@americanmissionary.org

Calvary Chapel
433 Sudderth Drive in the Gateway Center, 257-5915. Pastor John Marshall. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday: Mid-week bible study 7 p.m.

Centro Cristiano Casa de Oracion
139 El Paso Rd., Ruidoso, 257-2324. Pastor Carlos Carron. Reunion General Jueves 7:00 p.m.; Domingo 10:00 a.m. Club Amistad Sabado 11:00 a.m. (niños).

Christ Church in the Downs
Ruidoso Downs, 378-8464. Al and Marty Lane, Pastors. Sunday: Children's ministries concurrent with Sunday Services 9:30 a.m.; worship 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.; Thursday: services 7 p.m.

Comerstone Church
Comerstone Square, 613 Sudderth Drive, 257-9265. "B.A. Thurman, Pastor. Sunday services Adult and children's Church, 10:30 a.m.; Bible Study Adult and Youth, Wednesday: 7 p.m.

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Gavilan Canyon Road, 336-4213. Sunday: morning prayer 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school 9 a.m.; service 10 a.m.

Living Word Church
441 Mechem, 257-3470. Pastors: Terry and Suzanne Lewis. Sunday: Renewal services Sunday 10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Wednesday: Intercessory prayer noon; mid-week services 7 p.m.

Peace Chapel Interdenominational (IJC)
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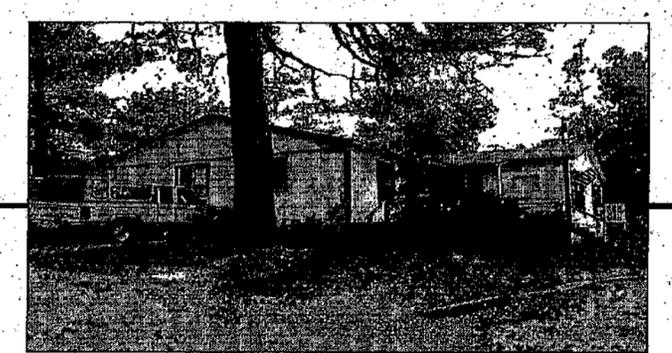
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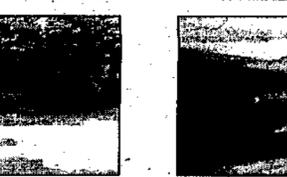
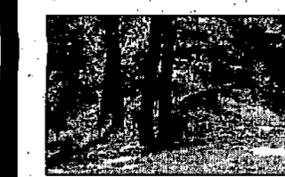
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CAPITAN-CARRIZO NATURAL GAS REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS LEGAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RFP #01-02

The Capitan-Carrizozo Natural Gas is requesting sealed proposals for licensed New Mexico attorneys for a contract to provide routine legal services and handle complex litigation on behalf of the municipal utility.

A copy of the full proposal may be obtained from the business office at 217 Lincoln in Capitan, NM or by calling (505)354-2260.

You are invited to submit a proposal to be received no later than the 16th day of November 2001 by 4:30 PM.

Capitan-Carrizozo Natural Gas reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to reject any and all proposals.

/s/Kay Strickland Administrative Supervisor 3801 4T(11)2, 7, 9, 14 LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners has received the following road review request:

Request statement of abandonment for portion of right-of-way, Taos Road, Sun Valley Subdivision, Lot 7, Block 1. Petitioner is Tim Collins, for Monte Bunch-property owner.

Request to vacate part of Moore Avenue, Nogal Townsite, roadway has never been built. Petitioners are Robert & Susan McEller, Moore Avenue West of the West boundary of the May/William tract to Highway 37.

Pursuant to Section 87-6-9, N.M.S.A., the Board of Commissioners of Lincoln County, New Mexico, now known as Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Elena Del Rae Subdivision, Unit 2, 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, New Mexico, August 4, 1970, in Tube No. 378.

You are notified that unless you file an answer or responsive pleading to the Complaint, on or before November 29, 2001, Plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief sought in the Complaint and Judgment will be entered against you by default.

The Plaintiffs' attorney is Lee Griffin, Legal Services Inc., P.C., 1086 Mechem Drive, Suite 102, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345.

Witness my hand and the seal of this Court on October 16, 2001.

/s/Jerry Perry Clerk of The District Court

By:/s/Melissa Serna Deputy Clerk 3780 4T(10)19, 26, (11)2, 9

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT No. CV-01-189

WILLIAM B. DUFF and NORMA JEAN DUFF, Plaintiffs, vs. JONI O'NEAL POINDEXTER, a/k/a JONI O'NEAL,

There is no fee to work at... QUEST Personnel, INC. 1096 Mechem, Suite 302 258-2359

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et al., Defendants.

SECOND AMENDED SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

STATE OF NEW MEXICO: JONI O'NEAL POINDEXTER, aka JONI O'NEAL, IF DECEASED, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JONI O'NEAL POINDEXTER, ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JOHN T. O'NEAL, JR., AND JEAN O'NEAL WILKINS; and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO PLAINTIFFS.

GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby notified that William B. Duff, as plaintiffs, have filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Civil Docket No. CV-01-189, wherein you are named or designated as defendants.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 11th day of October, 2001, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted.

The plaintiff's attorneys are Bassett & Copley, LLP, whose Post Office address is P.O. Box 2448, Roswell, NM 88202-2448.

Witness my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico on this 11th day of October, 2001.

Jan Perry Court Administrator

/s/ Elizabeth Ysasi Deputy

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN

12 JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No. CV00-282

Firststar Bank Milwaukee, N.A. as Trustee for the Registered Holder of Solomon Bros. Mortgage Securities VII, Inc. New Century Asset-Backed Floating Rate Certificates series 1999-NcB Falne Webber

Plaintiff(s).

vs.

(1) Ann Ella Dulica

(2) Beneficial New Mexico, Inc.

(3) Unknowns: All Unknown Occupants And/OR Tenants Of The Subject Real Estate

(4) Unknowns: All Unknown Spouses Of Any Party Hereto And All Other Beneficial Living Or Dead Whose Names Are Unknown, Who Claim Any Interest In The Subject Real Estate

Defendant(s).

Amended Notice of Special Master's Sale of Real Estate

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PURSUANT TO COURT ORDER IN THE ABOVE CAPTIONED MATTER, THE SPECIAL MASTER INDICATED BELOW WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER IN LAWFUL MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE REAL ESTATE DESCRIBED BELOW.

THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE OF SAID SALE IS:

Date: November 28, 2001

Place: Front steps of the Lincoln County Courthouse 300 Central Ave., Carrizozo, NM 88001

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Common Description: 215 S. Parnell Avenue Ruidoso Downs, NM 88346

Legal Description: Lot 4, Block 2, of Palo Verde Subdivision, Unit 4, Ruidoso Downs, 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, New Mexico, on December 28, 1944.

The date of the Court Order is September 10, 2001, pursuant to which an Order of Sale was issued on September 10, 2001. The referenced Court Order entered judgment for Plaintiff for \$58,853.12 plus interest, costs of this action, including all costs of the sale and costs to preserve the Real Estate,

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including as valorem property taxes. Additional interest of \$16.04 per day shall accrue to the date of said sale.

Special Master: Jeanie Clancy PO Box 2300 Ruidoso, NM 88355 (505)258-2202

KLEINSMITH & ASSOCIATES, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiff

/s/ Phillip M. Kleinsmith, #625 6035 Erin Park Dr., #203 Colorado Springs, CO 80918 1-800-842-817

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LEGAL NOTICE

VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ADOPT

ORDINANCE 2001-13

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body, Village of Ruidoso, shall conduct a public hearing in conjunction with a regular meeting scheduled on November 27, 2001 at 6:30 p.m. at the Ruidoso Administration Center for the purpose of adopting the following Ordinance:

ORDINANCE 2001-13: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2001-12 CONSENTING TO THE ANNEXATION OF CONTIGUOUS TERRITORY TO THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO AND INITIAL ZONING DESIGNATION TO CORRECT LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY ANNEXED.

The property annexed is described as follows:

Tract of land known as The Halo Tract being a part of the south 500 feet of the N 1/2 NE 1/4 of Section 29, T 11 S, R 13 E, N.M.P.M. Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Complete legal description of the annexed property is available in the Office of the Village Clerk or the Planning Department located at 313 Cree Meadows Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico. The property annexed shall have the initial zoning of Single Family Residential (R-1). Copies of Ordinance 2001-13 are on file in the office of the Village Clerk and are available for public review Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Village of Ruidoso this 9th day of November, 2001.

/s/Tammie J. Maddox, Village Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. CV-01-72-11

WELLS FARGO BANK MINNESOTA NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, fka Northwest Bank Minnesota, National Association, as Trustee for SASCO Mortgage Loan Trust, 1999-BC4,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JAMES G. GILMORE, MARCELLA E. GILMORE, D.T. COLLINS and ASSOCIATES, P.C., RUIDOSO STATE BANK, JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, (true names unknown), Tenants,

Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that on December 12, 2001, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the northeast entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Defendant(s) in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 107 Spring Road in Ruidoso Downs, and is situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 12, Block 4, of Palo Verde, Unit 1, 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, New Mexico, on December 28, 1944.

The foregoing sale will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court on the above-captioned numbered cause on October 23, 2001, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. The Plaintiff's judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$69,322.57 and the same bears interest at eleven point nine zero percent (11.90%) per annum from September 16, 2001,

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The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,988.89. The Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply for any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

Notice is further given that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuator of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

Notice is further given that the purchaser at the above-described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

/s/Peter Baca, Special Master

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LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico calls for sealed bids on: Bid #01-008

Well Deepening and Installation of New Pumping Unit For North Fork Well #4 (H-1982)

The Project consists of deepening the existing North Fork Well # 4 (H-1982) from a depth of 599 feet to a new depth of 1,000 feet, including: reaming the existing 9-7/8-inch diameter borehole, without casing, to 11-3/4-inch diameter from a depth of 451 feet to a depth of 599 feet; drilling a new 11-3/4-inch diameter borehole, without casing, from a depth of 599 feet to a depth of 700 feet; drilling a new 8-3/4-inch borehole, without casing, from the 700 foot depth to a depth of 1,000 feet; removing the existing pitless adapter with 6-inch discharge; completing, developing and test pumping the deepened well; installing a new submersible pump with column piping; and installing all valves, fittings, appurtenances, electrical and SCADA connections necessary to provide a fully functional well facility for the Village. The existing well is cased to a depth of 451 feet and the existing casing will remain. The project will be conducted in two (2) phases. The first phase will include all work required to ream, deepen, develop and test the improved well. Upon receipt of the well test report, the Owner and Engineer will review the report for seven (7) calendar days and determine if the specified pump is appropriate for the estimated well capacity. The second phase of the project will include all work necessary to complete the project, including: installing new pump, discharge column, all necessary valves, fittings and appurtenances, electrical connections, pitless adapter, and SCADA connections. All work shall be for the Well Deepening and Installation of New Pumping Unit For North Fork Well # 4 (H-1982) in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Interested bidders may secure a copy of the Plans and Specifications at a deposit of Thirty Five Dollars (\$35.00) per set from Wilson & Company, Engineers & Architects, 4900 Lang Ave. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109 (505)348-4000, or by personal pick up at the Purchasing Officer at the Village of Ruidoso Centralized Purchasing Warehouse, 421 Wingfield, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345, (505)257-2721 (mailing address: 313 Cree Meadows Drive, Ruidoso, NM 88345). The deposit is refundable, providing sets are returned in good condition within ten (10) days after bid opening.

Technical questions concerning the project and bid may be addressed to Wilson & Company, c/o Dennis Brand, P.E., at (505)348-4000.

Sealed bids must be received by the Purchasing Officer at 421 Wingfield, Ruidoso, New Mexico, 88345, (505)257-2721, no later than Wednesday, 11/14/01 at 2:00 p.m. local time, at which time the bids will be transported to the Village of Ruidoso Water Department, 419 Wingfield, where they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid that is received after bid closing time will be returned unopened.

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The Village of Ruidoso reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive all formalities as allowed by the State of New Mexico Procurement Code.

By Order of the Governing Body

/s/Morris McGowan Purchasing Agent Village of Ruidoso

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the High Sierra Estates Water Assco. to be held on Monday, Nov. 12, 2001 at 10:00 AM at 101 High Sierra Ct., Alto, NM.

Agenda for meeting:

1. Meeting called to order.

2. Reading of previous month meeting.

(a) Vote to accept same or to amend.

3. Old Business:

(a) Advice Board of the required notice was published in the Lincoln County News for drilling water well. Said notice was published for 3 consecutive weeks.

(b) Any other old business to come before the Board.

4. New Business:

(a) Report to the Board of the meeting on 11/08/01 with the New Mexico Finance Officials and the State Engineers concerning the system improvements project.

(b) Any other new business to come before the Board.

5. Motion to adjourn.

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LEGAL NOTICE

ATTACHMENT "A"

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT APPLICATION OF RANCHO RUIDOSO VILLAGE WATER CO. AND CDS RAINMAKERS UTILITIES, L.L.C. FOR THE SEVERAL APPROVALS AND AUTHORIZATIONS REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH THE SALE BY RANCHO RUIDOSO VILLAGE WATER CO. AND THE PURCHASE, ACQUISITION AND OPERATION BY CDS RAINMAKERS UTILITIES, L.L.C. OF CERTAIN WATER UTILITY PLANT AND PROPERTY IN LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

RANCHO RUIDOSO VILLAGE WATER CO. AND CDS RAINMAKERS UTILITIES, L.L.C.,

Applicants.

Utility Case No. 3655

NOTICE

Notice of the following concerning Rancho Ruidoso Village Water Co. is provided by the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission ("Commission").

1. On August 31, 2001, Rancho Ruidoso Village Water Co. ("Rancho Ruidoso") and CDS Rainmakers Utilities, L.L.C. ("CDS") (collectively referred to as "Applicants") filed an application with the Commission.

2. Rancho Ruidoso requests that the Commission, pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 62-6-12 and NMSA 1978, Section 62-9-5, grant authority to sell substantially all the assets of Rancho Ruidoso ("Ruidoso Assets") to CDS and to abandon service. CDS requests the Commission, pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 62-2-1, authorize CDS to own and operate the Purchased Assets as a public utility pursuant to a new certificate of public convenience and necessity. CDS states that it will operate under rates, tariffs and service regulations identical to those of Rancho Ruidoso.

3. The Commission has assigned Case No. 3656 to this proceeding, and all correspondence and other communications shall refer to that number.

4. The present schedule for this case is as follows:

A. A public hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m. on January 16, 2002, at the offices of the Commission's Utility Division, Marian Hall, 224 East Palaco Avenue, Santa Fe, New Mexico to hear and receive testimony, exhibits, arguments and any other appropriate matters relevant to this proceeding.

B. Interested persons may intervene in this case by filing a Motion for Leave to Intervene pursuant to 17 NMAC 1.2.26 by December 14, 2001.

C. Applicants shall file supplemental testimony by November 30, 2001.

D. Staff shall and any Inter-

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venors may file direct testimony by January 4, 2002.

E. Rebuttal testimony, if desired, shall be filed by January 11, 2002.

5. Any interested person may examine the filings made in this case at the offices of Rancho Ruidoso or at the Commission's offices, Marian Hall, 224 East Palaco Avenue, Santa Fe, New Mexico, telephone: (505)827-6940.

6. The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures 17 NMAC 1.2 apply to this case except as modified by Order of the Commission or Hearing Examiner.

7. Interested persons should contact the Commission for confirmation of the hearing date, time and place since hearings are occasionally rescheduled.

8. Any interested person may appear at the time and place of hearing and make a written or oral comment, pursuant to 17 NMAC 1.2.26, with out becoming an intervenor. Such comments will not be considered as evidence in this case.

9. Any person filing pleadings, documents or testimony in this case will serve a copy on all parties of record and the Commission Staff.

10. Any person whose testimony is filed in this case shall attend a hearing to be scheduled later and submit to examination under oath.

11. Any person with a disability requiring special assistance in order to participate in this proceeding should contact the Commission at least 24 hours prior to the commencement of the hearing.

ISSUED at Santa Fe, New Mexico this 2nd day of November, 2001.

NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

/s/ Marilyn S. Herbert, Hearing Examiner

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To the Parents and Children of the Town of Carrizozo,

For sometime now, there has been interest voiced by many townspeople and/or parents to reactivate the siren atop the Police Department which many citizens of Carrizozo can remember as children when they were summoned home by the siren, and hoped to reach home quickly before law enforcement caught up with them!

It is in the best interest of the young people of Carrizozo that the siren be reactivated. The siren will sound at 9:30 p.m. as notice to anyone under the age of 18 that the time has come to head home. Any individual under the age of 18 should be at home under the direct supervision of parent, guardian, or any person having custody of a child by 10:00 p.m.

Section 6-5-1 of the Town Ordinance reads in part:

CURFEW: It shall be unlawful for any parent, guardian, or person having custody of a minor under the age of eighteen (18) years to permit or allow such minor to be upon or remain upon any public thoroughfare or any public place at any time between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m., Sundays through Saturdays, unless accompanied by a parent or guardian.

It is only fair that in the event of an activity attended by students under the age of eighteen (18) that does not terminate prior to the curfew, that said students having attended said function may go straight home upon the completion of that activity although it is beyond the curfew hour. Being in the process of going straight home is acceptable behavior, as opposed to loitering or being in a location not deemed in route home which could result in apprehension by law enforcement.

This shall not apply to any minor who shall be accompanied by a parent, guardian, or adult acting with the authority of the parent of any minor upon an errand of necessity, or attending religious services, any legitimate athletic event, legitimate shows, or public events, and shall not apply to a minor on his way home from such events as stated above.

Bear in mind that the Ordinance is written with the responsibility of the parent or person responsible for any minor under the age of eighteen (18) in mind! That is to say that the ultimate responsibility lies with the adult who can and will be cited in the case of a curfew infraction.

Section 6-5-2 reads in part:

PARENT OR GUARDIAN LIABLE: It shall be the duty of any peace officer to take into custody any minor under the age of eighteen (18) years of age found in violation of this Section. The taking into custody of such minor by any peace officer shall not be termed an arrest. The peace officer or juvenile authority shall thereupon, at the earliest possible time, notify such parent or guardian and such parent or guardian found guilty of the violation of this Section shall be guilty of a (petty) misdemeanor.

A minor under this Ordinance will in no event be taken unduly into any jail or lockup except where the minor has been found to violate a Criminal Code in addition to a curfew infraction.

Young adults and/or children under the age of eighteen (18), please help to make our town safe for young and old alike! Exercise good judgment, and show respect for those who love you and are responsible for your well being by adhering to the Curfew Ordinance.

Encourage your friends to encourage each other to comply with the Ordinance for the sake of everyone, young adult and adult alike. The purpose is not only to prevent unacceptable actions by young adults, but also to protect them! I think we all agree that trouble starts when one is in the wrong place at the wrong time. The wrong time will be after The Curfew Hour of 10:00 p.m., and if you are not at home...you are in the wrong place!

On behalf of the Carrizozo Police Department, Carrizozo Town Council, Mayor Hernandez, and other concerned citizens, we will appreciate the cooperation of everyone in adhering and adjusting to the new routine.

Copies of the Town Ordinance Section 6-5 can be obtained at the Police Department, City Hall, or the Carrizozo Schools Office.

Thank you,

Chief Al Vega

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OSO CREEK

A recently established organic produce grower near Capitan gets state certification.

FARM



Christine Mulqueen harvests squash in her organic garden at Oso Creek Farm outside Capitan — which subsequently received certification by the New Mexico Organic Commodity Commission.

BY SANDY SUGGITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

After its first season, Oso Creek Farm, a couple of miles west of Capitan on Highway 380, is the first in Lincoln County to be certified organic by the New Mexico Organic Commodity Commission.

A one-acre area of the 16-acre farm owned by Chris and Lucky Mulqueen became the home to 100 beds planted with green and wax beans, herbs and tomato plants, while adjoining areas were planted with rye and clover to enrich the soil for next year's crops.

"It was a very successful first year," Chris Mulqueen said. "We couldn't believe it would turn out so well. Now we know we need to find a larger market because everything comes in at the same time. We need to learn marketing techniques."

Lucky Mulqueen, who does a lot of the grunt work, lost his leg in 1989, but he doesn't let that stop him: "When I'm weeding, I'll just take my leg off and throw it down. It takes about a day to do a bed by hand," he said.

The Mulqueens had a rather rough start preparing the land for planting. They bought a mortarboard plow, but the tractor couldn't pull it, so they exchanged it for a potato plow. Then they borrowed a disk, but it left the soil in baseball-size clumps. Finally, a friend brought over a lawn tractor with a 36-inch Craftsman tiller, and that broke the soil down.

Oso Creek Farm's first summer produced about 150 pounds of green and wax beans, 100 pounds of squash, 40 pounds of peas, and bags and bags of basil, thyme and parsley. Most of the produce went to The Wild Herb, a natural food store on Sudderth Drive in Ruidoso, or to Pub 48, a restaurant on Mechem Drive. At the end of the season, neighbors came for the "gleaning," and har-

vested the rest of the crops.

"It's great to see someone down in that area doing it, and that they want to get the food out there and into local markets," said Bret Baker, chief inspector of the New Mexico Organic Commodity Commission, a farmer-run and supported state agency based in Albuquerque that certifies organic gardens, farms and ranches ranging in size from half an acre to 800 acres in the state.

The commission also advises organic growers and educates the public about organic gardening and farming and puts on an annual expo with conferences and workshops on organic pest control, equipment maintenance, composting, saving seeds and other growing practices.

Baker said he walked the field at Oso Creek Farm, looking for pesticide damage or insect damage and ensuring that the crops listed on the application were the ones growing. An inspection also checks for leakages of equipment fluids and storage areas to ensure that contaminants would not come into contact with the produce. The inspector looks at a 25-foot buffer around the growing area to see if chemical fertilizers or pesticides have been used there in the past three years — although that buffer can be increased depending on circumstances, perhaps in areas of aerial spraying of pesticides.

The Mulqueens keep a daily farm or activity log and record their harvest records, any fertilizers or pest control materials they used, farm services and such as custom tractor work, and they have to show receipts and invoices.

If growers use synthetic fertilizers or pesticides, they will be disqualified for three years, the industry standard, Baker said.

"With organic certification, no one is certifying that the produce is 100 percent chemical-free or pure," he said. "We're certifying that the system, or

how the grower produces the product, is in compliance with certain standards and that they aren't depleting the soil. If there's reason to believe there has been contamination, we can call for residue testing. You don't know what's in the air or ground water or if DDT had been applied to that area 25 years ago."

Some things can't be controlled, he said; in New Mexico, half the growers use Rio Grande water, and despite contaminants, these growers are not denied certification. In other parts of the country, these uncontrollable factors might include acid rain, proximity to a coal-fired power plant or factories.

"We're not organic cops," Baker said. "Basically we want to help people get certified."

About 110 farms are certified organic, Baker said, and pay \$125 to be certified plus .05 percent of gross organic sales over \$2,000 a year. Many growers essentially grow organically but choose not to get certified. The Mulqueens chose to be certified so they could sell to health food stores that require certification.

Capitan students in Becky Schultz's sixth-grade science classes plan to take field trips to Oso Creek Farm to see how to put it to bed for winter and to watch the rye and clover being turned under as a source of nitrogen in the spring, Chris Mulqueen said.

They'll be given their own piece of the land to plant a pumpkin patch and will return in the fall to harvest it.

Next year, the Mulqueens plan to expand the garden area, plant more herbs and vegetables, and put in a green house for salad greens — as well as to learn much more about marketing.

"It's not any harder to grow organically, because all those fertilizers are out there in their natural forms," Chris Mulqueen said. "You just have to work a little harder to find them."

looking back

LINCOLN COUNTY SCRAPBOOK

Nov. 9, 1951

Fishing record for Roy Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson returned Sunday night after a two-weeks' fishing trip to Elephant Butte dam, where Roy set a new record for fish caught, in size and number, for the year there.

He snared a 74-pound catfish along with long strings of others of varying sizes, and he has photographs to prove his report.

He said he caught more than commercial fishers on the lake.

Friends of the Andersons hereabout attest to Roy's skill with their reports of sharing his catch, for he always sees his neighbors have a heaping serving.

Nov. 10, 1961

Kansan operating station

Harold Waldrip, formerly of Wichita, Kans., is the new operator of the Ruidoso Phillips 66 Station in the Gateway at the junction of Sudderth Drive and the El Paso cut-off. For seven years prior to coming here, he was employed by Boeing Aircraft. He owned and operated a service station in Kentucky prior to moving to the Boeing plant.

Waldrip's wife is named Dorothy, and they have three daughters. Mrs. Waldrip is the daughter of Henry Hoffman, a rancher near Carrizozo.

Nov. 12, 1971

Hancock fills vacant position

George Hancock was appointed Monday night by the Ruidoso Downs Village council to fill the unexpired term of Billy Hale on the council. With the appointment of Hancock, the board has been returned to full strength. The oath of office was administered by Mayor Clovis Perry following the meeting.

Nov. 12, 1981

White's Auto Store burns

White's Auto Store in Carrizozo was destroyed in an early morning fire Wednesday, which may have been deliberately set, according to the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department.

According to the sheriff's office, the blaze was reported at 4:05 a.m. Wednesday. The Carrizozo Fire Department responded to the alarm, but the building on Central Avenue burned completely.

Arson is suspected, said a fire department spokesman, who noted that the state Fire Marshal's office is investigating.

Nov. 14, 1991

The Silver Lining, by Dan Storm

This is being sent to you on mid-morning of Veterans Day, and all the vale is full of light rain and fine mist. I am sending a prayer to God in Heaven for all our veterans of all wars, and praying also that the day may come soon that war may cease throughout the world.

I am on the way up to the American Legion Hall in Ruidoso Downs, where we will raise the flag and recite the pledge of allegiance. All three veterans organizations will be represented. And we will hear the inspiring talk by Dub Williams and other speakers.

There will be refreshments and fellowship after the ceremonies.

Stars shine on Lincoln at astronomical event

The "Starry Night in Lincoln" had a nice turnout. Everyone enjoyed both hamburgers and lambburgers at the Ellis Store prior to the program, which was held at the BLM parking lot across from the Old Lincoln Days Pageant grounds.

The New Mexico Farm Bureau had its resolution committee meeting at Albuquerque last week. Rosalie Dunlap represented the Lincoln County Farm Bureau.

Joy Schraible and Dan Egan are getting settled into Lincoln. They bought the Ashworth property. They knew each other in high school, went their separate ways and then were reunited in their later years.

They both love animals and have their share of pets — a dog, cats, and birds.

They looked at other places but decided Lincoln was where they wanted to settle. Nice weather, good people and a

great location.

We have a celebrity in our midst. Jay Wally, editor of the Paragon Magazine, was a co-producer of an upcoming Fox News TV segment of the "America's Most Wanted." He spent a week in Douglas, Ariz., filming the segment "Arabs on the Border."

He also attended the NRA meeting on the Cara Bill that is on the Congressional agenda.

Lincoln County has some of the best in EMTs. Recently when I

had a choking problem they were here, very efficient, caring, and knowledgeable. Thanks to Marilyn and Eddie Tudor and Jessica Maestas, a trainee in the EMT program.

Several from the Lincoln area attended the "Funny Girl" production at the Spencer Theatre Saturday night. Following the performance, several groups

decided to go to the Ruidoso Downs area. I had forgotten that it was one

of several that had closed recently, but when we arrived we were surprised that it was celebrating its re-opening.

Among the first customers were the Dunlaps, Chuck and Jack Johnson party, and Mrs. and Mrs. Paul Aguayo.

Restaurant hours will be Tuesday through Sunday, with hours 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. until...

New managers are Art Martinez, general manager and Lex Lewis, floor manager.

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BUSINESS

BUSINESS BRIEFS

'Money Talks' event on Nov. 17

ALBUQUERQUE — Lourdes Escoto of Artesia wanted financing to buy a tortilla factory and expand it into a restaurant. Joe Madrid, executive director of Tobosa Developmental Services in Roswell, wanted a loan so his nonprofit organization could buy a small farm and provide rural housing and experience in agricultural employment for developmentally disabled people.

When local banks turned them down, Escoto and Madrid turned to a nonprofit alternative lender, the New Mexico Community Development Loan Fund. Today, Escoto's enterprise is known as El Rodeo Tortilleria and Restaurant, and the residents of Tobosa's 10-acre farm are ready to harvest their second crop of pecans.

The loan fund is offering small-business owners and nonprofit managers like Escoto and Madrid "Money Talks," a free informational session in Roswell on Saturday, Nov. 17, from 9 a.m. to Noon at Eastern New Mexico University, Occupational Technology Center Conference Room, 20 West Mathis Street. Attendees

will learn about the fund's lending and free technical assistance programs, hear Escoto and Madrid's stories, and meet with a lending officer.

The fund's clients are low-income individuals and their communities who do not typically qualify for bank loans or other traditional financing. The goal is to help clients become eligible for bank financing. Fund offices in Albuquerque and Roswell have issued more than \$11.3 million in loans since 1990 and helped create or preserve more than 1,940 jobs.

"Money Talks" is designed to introduce the fund to people who are interested in starting new businesses, or who run nonprofit organizations or for-profit businesses and are looking for assistance. It is co-sponsored by the Roswell Small Business Development Center, the Roswell Chamber of Commerce, Roswell Hispano Chamber of Commerce and Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

Reservations for the free event may be made by telephone with Janie Gosselin at the Roswell SBDC, (505) 624-7133.

The Economy and Markets

A strong rebound in 2002?

BY SUNG WON SOHN
CHIEF ECONOMIST, WELLS FARGO

The brunt of the economic effects from the terrorist attacks is being felt right now. This recession will extend well into 2002.

The mushrooming layoffs and the bio-terrorism scare continue battering consumer confidence which limits consumer spending. Excess capacity, lackluster demand, weak pricing power and cash flow problems all hurt business capital spending.

However, a healthy rebound will ensue during the second half of next year. The economic rebound in 2002 will come from several sources, including the low level of inventories, the massive amount of cash in the hands of consumers, the lower price of energy (boosting the consumer's buying power by as much as \$100 billion), and economic stimulus from Washington.

Even before the terrorist attacks, \$70 billion in tax cuts were planned for the fiscal 2002, and now another \$100 billion fiscal stimulus is possible this year. Fiscal stimulus will add about 1.2 percentage point to economic growth in 2002.

But, the most potent boost to economic growth will come from the delayed effects of monetary easing contributing 2.5 percentage points to economic growth in 2002. Monetary and fiscal stimuli will benefit the first half of 2002 the most. This prediction is based on the assumption that the war on terrorism will go well.

Bonds: How many cuts from the Fed?

At this week's meeting of the FOMC, the Federal Reserve cut the interest rate another half point, to 2 percent. This defensive cut attempts to prevent confidence from sliding further.

The high level of liquidity easily supports strong economic growth in 2002. However, as the Federal Funds rate approaches zero, Chairman Greenspan will have to consider other alternatives such as lowering reserve and margin requirements to shore up con-

sumer and investor confidence.

The market could conclude, "The Emperor has no clothes."

In the short term, bond investors should hunker down and assume defensive positions emphasizing government-backed assets, including Treasuries, Agencies and high quality Tax-exempts.

Corporate spreads over Treasuries remain at lofty levels reflecting credit quality as well as cash flow concerns.

In this environment, the demand for bond financing will rise, but the bond market will not be very receptive since rating agencies have begun downgrading Corporates more aggressively.

Given the wide credit spreads over Treasuries, patient investors in riskier assets will be handsomely rewarded once the economy rebounds later next year.

Stocks: Higher stock prices despite deepening Recession?

The stock market is a leading economic indicator working as "the canary in the coal mine." During the postwar period, the stock market led the economy by two to six months with the average of four months.

If the economy bottoms sometime next spring, the market could trough sometime around the turn of the year. History also shows that stocks rebound sharply once they hit the bottom. There is a good possibility that you could miss the train unless you are already on it. In the meantime, corporate profits have been poor. For the third quarter, only five sectors, including consumer staples such as food and drugs, utilities and health care, have reported positive gains from a year ago.

The stock market seems to have ignored the poor earnings picture this year and have chosen to look ahead into 2002 when profits are expected to jump 25 to 35 percent from the low base in 2001.

Investors have voted for economically sensitive areas such as technology, consumer cyclicals and transportation. The stock market is not out of the woods yet, considering econom-

Inn's veteran golf pro wins a resort merchandiser award

The Professional Golfers Association of America, Sun Country Section, has announced its 2001 recipient of the Merchandiser of the Year-Resort award is Daniel Nunez, head professional at Inn of the Mountain Gods Golf Course in Mescalero.



Nunez

The award recognizes a PGA golf professional who has demonstrated superior skills as a merchandiser in the promotion of golf at a resort golf facility. The award is given for excellence in merchandising performance, attention to detail, as well as innovative displays and techniques.

Nunez was with the resort from 1991 to 1997 and also was voted Merchandiser of the Year-Resort in 1992, 1993, 1994 and 1995. He returned as head professional in 2000, where he again earned the honor from his peers.

Nunez was active in the Sun Country board of directors as secretary in 1996 and 1997, and is serving on the Tournament Committee and the Awards Committee for 2001. He is an active player in Sun Country Section events and was winner of the 1995 US Open Qualifying at El Paso Country Club and qualified for the Western PGA Club Professional Championship in Calimesa, Calif., this year. Nunez and his wife, Misty Dawn, have daughters, Ashton Taylor, 3, and McKenzie Reilly, 6 months.



LuAnne Rochester is a massage therapist who aspired to a small facility, and now has it, in Ruidoso. She calls it "New Beginnings Micro-Spa"

Making a massage business to fit

BY SANDY SUGGITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

New Beginnings Micro-Spa is the creation of LuAnne Rochester, who got her start in Ruidoso over the last three years with Magic Touch Spa Salon.

When owner Karen Stewart married and moved to Austin recently, Rochester decided to make her own new beginning at the Natural Health Care Complex, 1035 Mechem Drive, rather than take over Magic Touch.

A licensed massage therapist and member of the American Massage Therapy Association, Rochester came to Ruidoso after four years with Armando's Salon in Las Cruces. She received her degree from the Mesilla Valley School of Therapeutic Arts, owned by her mentor and teacher of 10 years, Juanita Thompson, who had a school in Ruidoso before

relocating to Las Cruces.

Rochester is certified in therapeutic massage, LaStone therapy and prenatal massage, and offers Thalasso therapy, which uses marine botanicals to promote health, salt rubs, glows, body packs, aromatherapy and Esalen massage.

The client sets the tone for whatever treatment Rochester does at her mini-spa, and she encourages active participation in the pace and modality.

"Every therapist has a different dance, and the person will tell me how to do that dance," she said. "It's a connection: You gentle them into relaxation mode, then they're better."

Her massages are firm and penetrating, and she asks the client to guide her as far as using more or less pressure.

"I don't believe you need to have pain to get benefit of

massage," she said.

After considerable research, Rochester opted to specialize and open a mini-spa rather than take over Magic Touch's full-day spa (which also offered pedicures and manicures) because she's a mother of two teenagers, and her family is the main focus in her life, she said.

Following in Stewart's footsteps, Rochester's business mainly comes from visitors and people from Texas who have second homes in Lincoln County, but she offers a discount to local residents, accepts major credit cards and offers gift certificates.

"I want to offer people a safe and beautiful space to come and get massage. I respect their privacy and give them an opportunity to enjoy and benefit from the massage," she said.

Appointments can be made by calling 258-3739.

Focus on Agriculture

Winning the new war with food aid?

BY STEWART TRULSEN
AMERICAN FARM BUREAU

The U.S. war on terrorism is being waged in Afghanistan with bombs, but a former senator and presidential candidate thinks food aid may play a crucial role in the long run.

South Dakota's George McGovern is a roving ambassador for the UN's World Food Program. He and former Senate GOP leader Bob Dole are urging that \$5 billion of the \$40-billion U.S. will spend on anti-terrorism efforts be spent to fight world hunger.

Whether one agrees with the specific proposal or not, the idea to fight terrorism with food aid makes sense. In an interview with the Chicago Sun-Times, McGovern says, "There are 800 million people living in hunger. If these people have nourishment for healthy lives, this is less fertile

territory for cultivation by terrorist leaders. If people are hungry and destitute, they are more vulnerable to the influence of a guy like bin Laden."

McGovern also is promoting a universal school lunch program in his new book, "The Third Freedom, Ending Hunger in Our Time." The idea caught the attention of the Clinton administration which last year authorized the spending of \$300 million on surplus commodities to feed school children in 38 countries.

But McGovern figures it will take several billion dollars, not all of it from the U.S., for a truly worldwide school lunch program to get started.

"A daily lunch is the surest magnet for drawing children to school that anyone has devised," says McGovern in his book. "This is a very important fact because of the world's 300 million school-age children,

130 million are illiterate and not attending school. If education is the key to development in the Third World, the school lunch is the key to unlocking the education door."

George McGovern is best remembered for his unsuccessful run for president on the Democratic ticket in 1972 and his strong views against the Vietnam War. On CNN's "Larry King Live" show, the former senator and decorated World War II bomber pilot said there is no comparison between this war and Vietnam. He supports the Bush administration's handling of the current conflict.

The war McGovern has been most interested in, however, is the war on hunger. He says it is a war that cannot be waged successfully without the use of biotechnology. "It is probably true that affluent countries can afford to reject

CHAMBER NOTE

'Small Town America'

To the business editor:

There can be no doubt that this season we all will need every bit of holiday spirit and tradition that we can find. We would like to thank all the wonderful merchants in Midtown for providing a safe, fun Halloween for the children in our community.

"Small Town America" is now more than ever the dream of so many. For us, it is our way of life, a blessing we can no longer take for granted.

For those who appreciated the generosity and holiday spirit shown by our merchants for our children on Oct. 31, you might say "Thank You" by shopping with them this holiday season.

Joan Zagone
Ruidoso Valley Chamber
of Commerce

Building permits slip year-to-date

BY AMANDA WITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The overall number of building permits issued in Ruidoso from September of last year to September of this year showed a 19 percent drop in all types of permits, including new commercial and residential buildings.

Village manager Alan Briley said the decrease in permits was because 1999 and 2000 were the biggest years ever for the village. "It's because of how good the economy was at the time," Briley said.

The latest numbers are still an increase from years prior to 1999, he said.

Permits issued in September showed a 15.5 percent decrease from September 2000 — a difference of 16 permits.

Total permits issued year to date for September 2001 were 739 and for September of last year were 752, a decrease of 1.7 percent. The value of permits year-to-date decreased 49.6 percent from last year, from \$6,544,740 in 2000 down to \$3,296,243 in 2001.

Village permit fees for the year dropped from \$174,999 to \$151,523, a decrease of 13.4 percent. These figures include village construction permits for single family, residential alterations and add-ons, new commercial, commercial alterations and add-ons, other, manufactured homes, demolitions and multi-family housing.

scientific agriculture and pay more for food produced by so-called natural methods. But the 800 million poor, chronically hungry people of Asia, Africa and Latin America cannot afford such foods," says McGovern.

The goal stated in his book of having no chronically hungry people in the world by 2030 would be a great humanitarian accomplishment.

On the King show, McGovern said there is no guarantee that this will reduce terrorism or religious extremism abroad, but he said, "Every religion in the world commands its adherents to feed the hungry, and we know how to do that better than any country in the world."

Stewart Trulsen is the director of broadcast services for the American Farm Bureau Federation.

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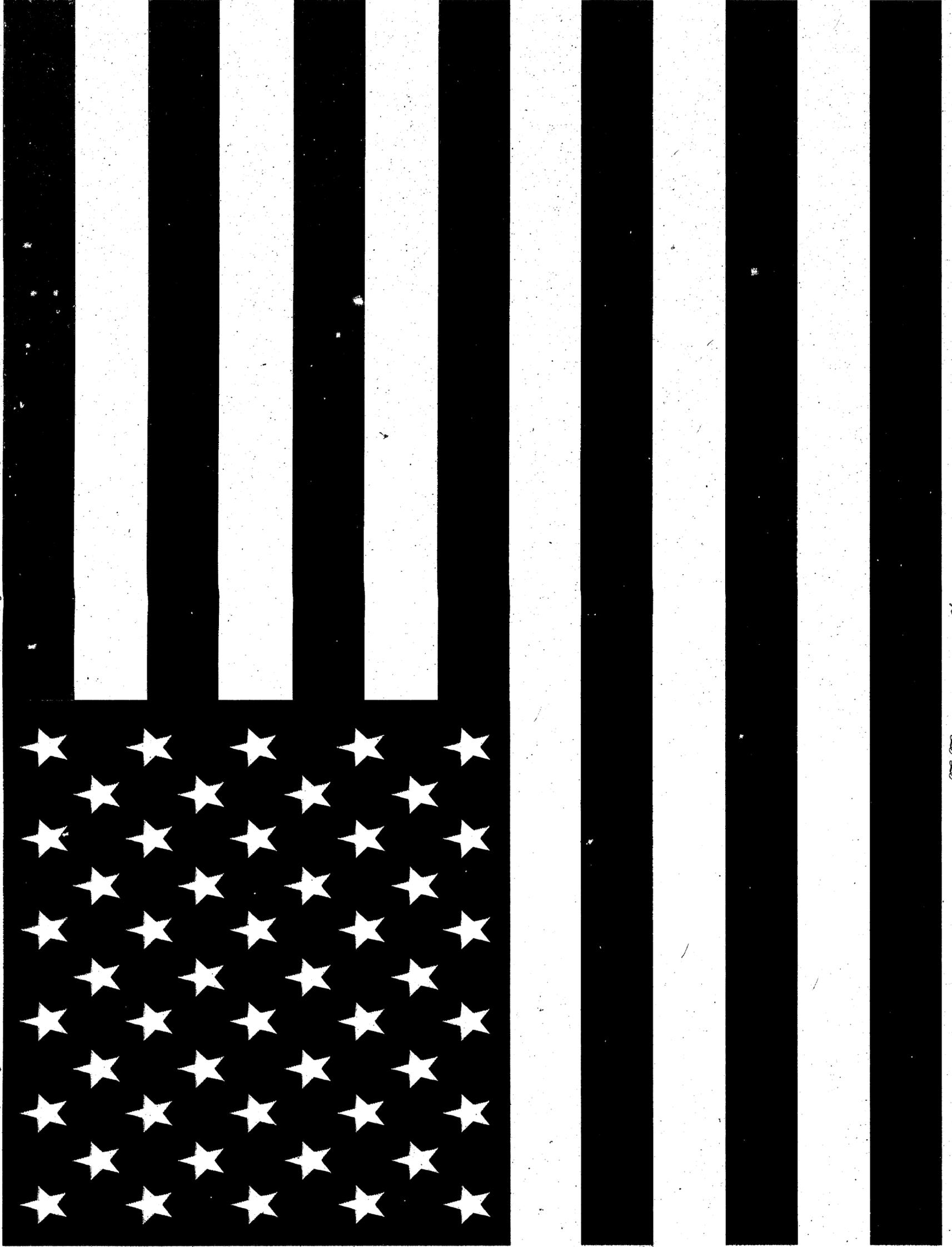
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Courtesy

"Vincent," a photograph by Julie Garcia Hull of Sunspot, won second place in the People category at 10th annual Fall American Photographic Competition held recently at the Hubbard Museum of the American West. For more photos, turn to page 6D.

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Community Concerts presents Wendy Chen's 'hobby'

Story by Sandy Suggitt
VAMONOSI STAFF WRITER

Wendy Chen started taking piano lessons at age 4, but she started playing piano at age 2, about the time her aunt, who was an amateur piano teacher, discovered the toddler had perfect pitch and could identify, from another room, the notes her aunt struck on the piano.

"It was just another hobby," Chen said about her early years at the piano. "It was something else my parents had me doing, an hour of lessons or half an hour, in the beginning. I practiced 15 minutes a day for a good many years."

Chen's piano lessons were translated by her mother because the budding pianist didn't speak English until she was 7 or 8 years old. She was exposed to music from a young age: Her parents were great lovers of music and took her and her younger brother to classical concerts from the time they were toddlers.

When she was in her early teens and overwhelmed by middle school homework, she thought music would be "a nice thing to do," she said.

"I always felt so inundated with middle school and high school, and piano just kind of came easier to me. I didn't practice as much so I couldn't wait until I could focus on piano, but I

never thought about it as a career. It just came, one opportunity backing another, I guess. That's how I still perceive it."

At the age of 15, Chen debuted with the Los Angeles Philharmonic under conductor Andre Previn. At age 17, she won first prize in the National Chopin Competition, debuting at Alice Tully Hall in New York, and was named a Presidential Scholar by the National Foundation for the Arts. Since then, she has appeared with the Cincinnati and Baltimore Chamber orchestras, the Chamber Orchestra of Albuquerque, the Auckland Philharmonic and the Orquesta Ossodre in Uruguay and performed as a soloist with the Boston Pops under conductor Keith Lockhart. And many, many others.

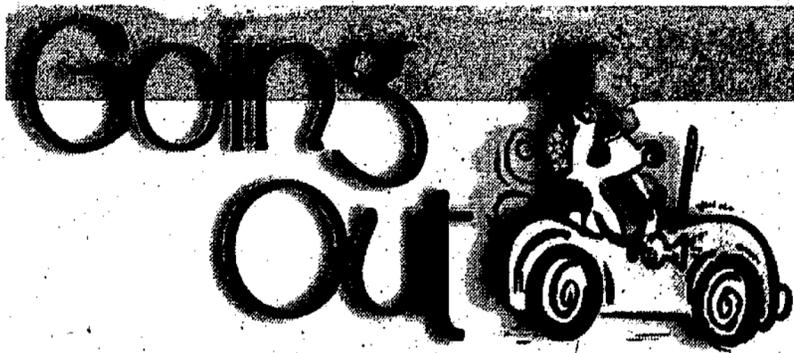
At age 17, Chen took six or seven years off from public performing to work with Leon Fleisher, whom she

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Courtesy

Wendy Chen



Lincoln author has new story

by Sandy Suggill
VAMONOS STAFF WRITER

Aging Sheriff Bill Gastner is not dead and gone, but he'll play a smaller role in the future, his creator says.

Lincoln author Steve Havill presented a copy of *Bag Limit*, the ninth in the Gastner series of mysteries, to the Capitan Public Library.

Bag Limit is the latest book in the series. It and the previous two titles, *Out of Season* and *Dead Weight*, will be out in paperback in January through World Wide Paperbacks.

His first three books, *Heartshot*, *Bitter Recoil* and *Twice Buried* are out now in audio books by Books in Motion of Spokane, Washington.

"This is the last one in the Bill Gastner series," Havill said of *Bag Limit*. "That ended the first-person series and the next book (*Scavengers*) will be starting a third-

person series with Estelle as the undersheriff."

Havill is working on the second in that series. Gastner will still appear from time to time, but as a livestock inspector, a new line of work for him after his retirement as sheriff.

Havill has donated all his hardcover books to the Capitan Library, although librarian Pat Garrett said the library bought some of the paperbacks to sell when Havill gave a book signing there.

"Libraries are very important, especially in places where communities don't have bookstores," Havill said.

Steve Havill
Author of *Bag Limit*

Garrett returned the compliment, saying Havill and his wife, Kathleen,

helped with the renovation of the new library building every day.

Havill's books are available at Books Etc. in Ruidoso.

"Libraries are very important, especially in places where communities don't have bookstores."



Courtesy

Author Steve Havill poses with his latest work, *Bag Limit*. Havill recently donated a copy of the book to the Capitan Public Library.

CHEN: Pianist comes to town in Community Concerts series

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had met when she was 10.

"I took time to grow in every way — as a person, a musician, hopefully as an artist and in life. At the time I was focusing on being a student, a teenager, living, and I think that I try to bring those elements to anything I do," she said.

In 1997, she won the 1997 Young Concert Artists International Auditions and was awarded the Bruce Hungerford Prize; and the Young Concert Artists Series presented her in recital at New York's 92nd Street Y, sponsored by YCA's Mortimer Levitt Career Development Award for Women Artists in recital at the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C.

Chen was born in Los Angeles and attended the Colburn School of Performing Arts, a student of Dorothy Hwang, and received private instruction from Aube Tzerko and Kwang-Wu Kim. She was a student of Leon Fleisher at the Peabody Conservatory of Johns Hopkins University, where she received her bachelor and master of music degrees. She has two CDs out and a third will be released in 2002.

Chen is known for making famous pieces sound fresh. Her "technique" for accomplishing this feat is respect for the intentions of the composers, but that "freshness" may also be in the ears of the audience, she says.

"I think that the pieces are so rich and so amazing in themselves they are as freshly appreciated as they are interpreted," she said. "I never get tired of hearing 'The Emperor' or the Beethoven sonatas. They are timeless. If 'freshness' means doing something wacky, faddish, different or crazy, that's just changing or obstructing the music."

Chen said many people tell her they love her sound or her involvement with the piano.

"I aim to really be sincere and pure with what I think the music is representing, not so much putting myself into the interpretation of the music as much as respect to the composer."

In addition to her teachers, life is the major influence in her art, Chen said.

"Living and being a person is really important and somehow it is more often than not neglected because we're trying to perfect the technique. But it's not only about that (technique). Our life experiences, whatever they may be, we bring to our music and art and creation, and I think that's very relevant and important."

Before the Community Concerts performance at 7:30 p.m. November 19, Chen will give a lecture and demonstration at 1:30 p.m. in the Ruidoso High School choir room, providing information on how she accomplished so much at such a young age.

Middle school student plays at award show in Duke City

Anthony McTeigue, 15, a student at Ruidoso Middle School, will perform with his grandfather, Mannie Trujillo, at the Hispanic Awards in Albuquerque Saturday.

The duo plays New Mexico Hispanic music and have been playing together for seven years.

They've played for wedding dances and parties, and Anthony played with Al Hurricane Jr. from Albuquerque when

he performed at the Ruidoso Convention Center in July.

Anthony also plays rock 'n roll and blues and has written 10 songs, including his favorite, "Life in Ruidoso."

He plays by ear and can play guitar, drums, keyboard and accordion. He's performed for the Ruidoso Fiesta Dancers, the senior citizens and for the LULAC Association at the Cree Meadows Country Club.

Submissions for the weekly calendar must be turned in to the newspaper by noon on Friday the week preceding publication.

Friday, Nov. 9

Christmas Jubilee

The annual Christmas Jubilee kicks off today at the Ruidoso Convention Center at noon. It closes at 7 p.m. Santa Claus and more than 80 booths — all by Lincoln County merchants — and a complete Food Court with four restaurants will be set up at the convention center. Free parking is available there. The jubilee will also be open Nov. 10 and 11.

Alamogordo Theatre

Alamogordo Music Theatre's performance of "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" opens tonight at the Flickinger Center, 1110 New York Ave., at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$7 and are available at the Flickinger Center. For more information, visit www.zianet.com/amt.

Gallery Walk

The Pecos Valley Potters Guild Gallery Walk will be held today through Sunday at the Civic Center in Roswell. It will run from 5 to 9 p.m. today, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday.

Saturday, Nov. 10

Christmas Jubilee

Open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. See Friday, Nov. 9

Sunday, Nov. 11

Christmas Jubilee

Open 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. See Friday, Nov. 9

Monday, Nov. 12

REDTT Meeting

The Lincoln County Rural Economic Development Through Tourism council will meet at 10 a.m. at ZW's Gallery, between mile markers 4 and 5 on Highway 37 in Nogal. That will be followed by a potluck lunch and tour of the gallery. Burgers will be provided and attendees are asked to bring a side dish. RSVP to 354-4263 no later than Nov. 9.

Cooking Class

Julia's Kitchen will have an informal cooking class, "An Alternative Thanksgiving" taught by Donna Davis featuring roasted setan with dressing, baked autumn vegetables and a special pumpkin pie recipe. Class runs from 6-8 p.m. For information, call Sierra Dove Center for Healing at 336-1037.

Thursday, Nov. 15

Preschool Reading Hour

Capitan Public Library, 101 E. Second St. will hold its preschool reading hour today at 1 p.m.

Healing Class

A Hanna Kroeger Practitioner's Training Level I Class in natural healing

will be taught at Sierra Dove Center for Healing. Runs from 7-9 p.m. through Sunday, Nov. 18. Entry fee is \$350 for the four-day class. Call 336-1037 for more details.

Ongoing

Open Studio Drawing Workshop

9 a.m. to noon Tuesdays, at the Fruit of the Trees, (505) 653-4699.

Blood Pressure Clinic

Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Ruidoso Senior Center, 501 Sudderth. 257-4565.

Bridge

At the Ruidoso Senior Center, 501 Sudderth. 257-4565.

• **Party Bridge** — Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m., Fridays, 1 p.m.

• **Duplicate Bridge** — Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, 1 p.m. and Thursday at 7 p.m.

Capitan Public Library

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• Pre-school reading hour every Thursday at 1 p.m.

• Spanish and English workstations available to the public. Free Internet access. Call to reserve a space.

• Adult Lecture Series first Friday of every month.

Meals on Wheels Senior Food Program

Monday-Friday, noon at the Zia Senior Center, Ruidoso Downs, in the dining hall. For the Ruidoso area, 378-4659.

Ruidoso Public Library

107 Kansas City Road (next to the Ruidoso Village Hall) 258-3704. New summers hours as of June 4: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 a.m.-7 p.m.; Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

• Friends of the Library Book Shoppe is open 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Exhibits

Chamber Exhibit of the Month

Jerry Rice is the chamber artist for the month of November. His pastel paintings will be on display all month.

Private Art in Public Places

Marcia Thomas exhibits "Toys On Wheels for Grownups" from November 13 to December 21 at the Ruidoso Public Library. Each toy is a wonderful, colorful creation with its own personality. Ruidoso Public Library, 107 Kansas City Road, 258-3704 or 258-4619.

Santa Cruz Exhibit

Local artist Susan Weir Ancker will put on an exhibit of ceramic sculpture titled Kaleidoscopic Korai at Fuerza de Corazon, a gallery in Santa Cruz. The exhibit will run every Friday through Sunday until Dec. 2.

Photo Competition

The 10th Annual Fall American Photographic will run from Saturday, Nov. 3 to January 20, 2002, at the Hubbard Museum of the American West. It will be open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day except holidays. Call 378-4142 for more information.

Movies

K-PAX

Drama, Science Fiction/Fantasy and Comedy, 1 hr. 24 min.

Rated PG-13 for a sequence of violent images, and brief language and sensuality.

Synopsis: K-PAX tells the story of Prot (Kevin Spacey), a mysterious patient at a mental hospital who claims to be from a distant planet called K-PAX. While his psychiatrist, Dr. Mark Powell (Jeff Bridges), is baffled by this cheerfully confident man, Prot's descriptions of life on a planet 1000 light years away awaken a sense of possibility among the other patients. When Prot says he's going back before the summer ends, all the patients on the ward vie to go with him. As the days before Prot's announced departure from Earth race by, Dr. Powell struggles with questions of science versus faith and wonders about his own ability to distinguish reality from delusion.

Starring: Kevin Spacey, Jeff Bridges, Alfre Woodard, Aaron Paul, Mary McCormack

Directed by: Iain Softley
Produced by: Lawrence Gordon, Lloyd Levin

Written by: Charles Leavitt, Bryan Goluboff

Distributor: Universal Pictures
Showtimes: 1 p.m., 4 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 9:15 p.m.*

*Friday and Saturday only

Shallow Hal

Drama, Comedy and Romance
Rated PG-13 for language and sexual content

The story revolves around Hal (Jack Black) who takes the advice of his dying father and dates only the embodiments of physical perfection. But that all changes after Hal has an unexpected run-in with self-help guru Tony Robbins. Intrigued by Hal's shallowness, Robbins hypnotizes him into seeing the beauty that exists even in the least physically appealing women. Hal is smitten after meeting the morbidly obese Rosemary, as he sees her kindness and humor translated into the physical perfection that is Gwyneth Paltrow. After Hal's equally shallow friend Mauricio (Jason Alexander) undoes the hypnosis, Hal must face an unrecognizable Rosemary and make a fateful decision.

Starring: Jack Black, Gwyneth Paltrow, Jason Alexander, Garry Shandling, Susan Ward

Directed by: Peter Farrelly, Bobby Farrelly

Produced by: Bradley Thomas, Charles B. Wessler, Peter Farrelly, Bobby Farrelly

Written by: Ivy, Sean Moynihan, Peter Farrelly, Bobby Farrelly, Sean Moynihan



Courtesy

Gwyneth Paltrow and Jack Black in 20th Century Fox's *Shallow Hal*.

Distributor: Twentieth Century Fox
Showtimes: 1:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 7 p.m., 9:20 p.m.*

*Friday and Saturday only

Monsters, Inc.

Kids/Family and Comedy, 1 hr. 32 min.
Rated G

From the Academy Award-winning creators of *Toy Story* comes this new computer-animated comedy that opens the door to a world of monsters and mayhem. Monsters, Inc. is the largest scare factory in the monster world and the top kid Scarer is James P. Sullivan (John Goodman), a huge, intimidating monster with blue fur, large purple spots and horns, known as "Sulley" to his friends. His Scare Assistant, best friend and roommate is Mike Wazowski (Billy Crystal), a lime green, opinionated, feisty, one-eyed monster. Scaring children isn't such an easy job, though — monsters believe children are toxic and that direct contact with them would be catastrophic. The film's eclectic/cast of characters also includes the factory's crab-like CEO Henry J. Waternoose (James Coburn), the beguiling serpent-haired receptionist Celia (Jennifer Tilly), and the sarcastic chameleon monster, Randall Boggs (Steve Buscemi), who schemes to replace Sulley as Monsters, Inc.'s top Scarer. Making an uninvited visit from the human world is Boo (Mary Gibbs), a tiny girl who turns the monster world upside down.

Starring: Billy Crystal, John Goodman, Mary Gibbs, James Coburn, Steve Buscemi

Directed by: David Silverman, Pete

Docter

Produced by: Darla K. Anderson
Written by: Andrew Stanton, Daniel Gerson

Distributor: Disney/Pixar
Showtimes: 2 p.m., 5 p.m., 7:15 p.m., 9:30 p.m.*

*Friday and Saturday only

Music

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Hollywood Inn and Cantina

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Le Bistro

Live entertainment from 7:30-11 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays at 2800 Sudderth Drive.

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The Arts

The big picture

Story by *Sandy Suggitt*
VAMONOSI STAFF WRITER

The work of nine Lincoln County photographers placed or received honorable mention in the 10th annual Fall American Photographic Competition at the Hubbard Museum of the American West this year.

"This is the largest show we've ever had," said Leland DeFord, assistant curator at the museum. "We are now an international show with submissions from coast to coast and Mexico. It is outstanding, and the quality of work continues to rise."

A new category, "American West," was added to the categories of Landscape, Architecture, People and Open, and, also for the first time, the museum staff selected a Purchase Award that will remain in the permanent collection, Capitan photographer's "Starry Nite in Lincoln."

The photographs were juried by *National Geographic* photographer David Buckley, and 24 of 29 Lincoln County photographers were juried into the show. Sponsored by 1st National Bank of Ruidoso, The Hubbard Museum of the American West and The Photographic Society of Lincoln County, this year's is the largest show so far, with 220 photographs, compared to 160 last year.

Nogal photographer Jan Butchofsky-Houser took first place in the Architecture category with "Art Deco Staircase," and second place in the Open category with "Lili Cai Chinese Dance

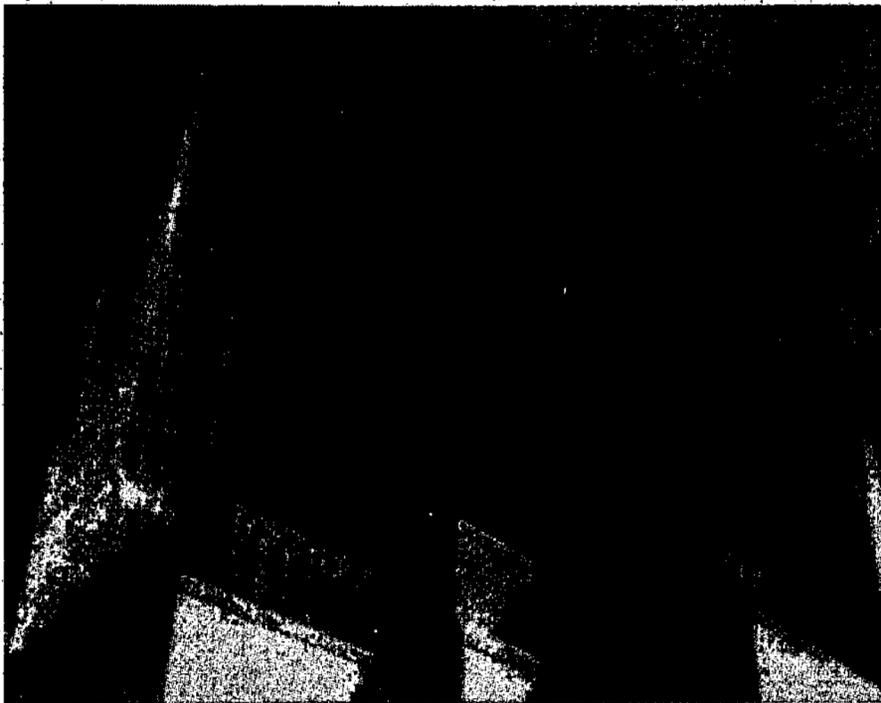


Sandy Suggitt

"Coke and Saddle," left, by Robert E. Haring of Houston won first place in the American West category. The top spot in the Architecture category went to Jan Butchofsky-Houser's "Art Deco Staircase Cannes, France," right.



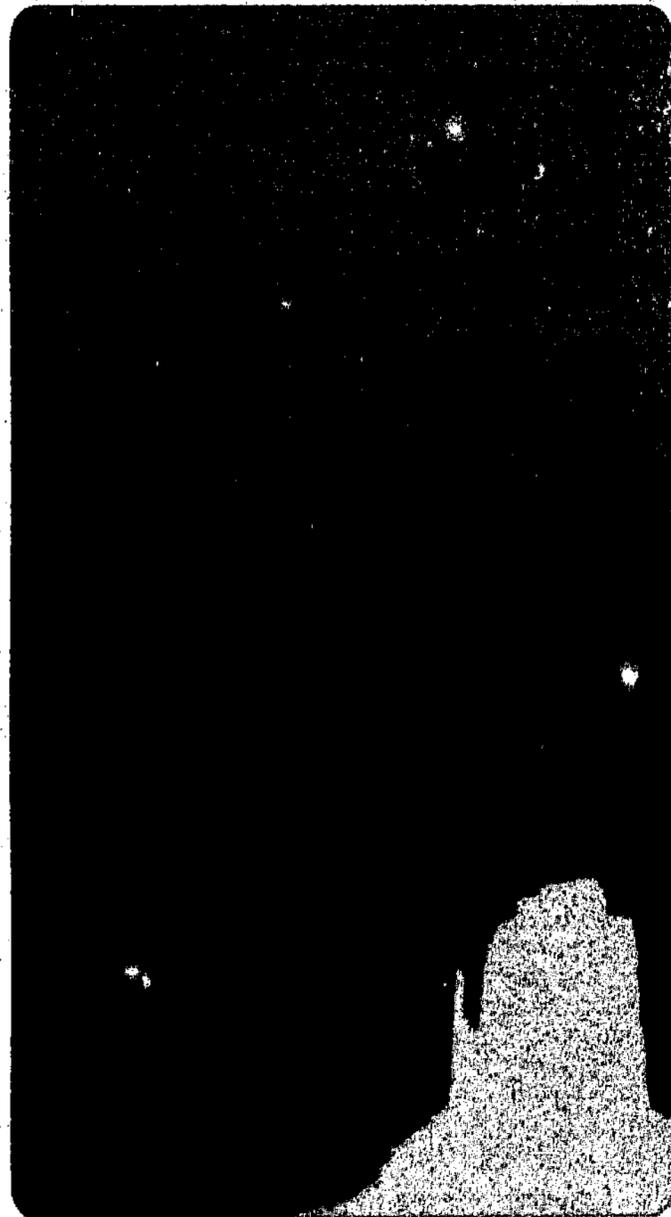
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Company Spencer Theater." Lincoln County photographers receiving honorable mentions are, in the American West category, Pablo Bianchi's "Out of Gas," and David H. Travis' "Steaming up #463-2" and "Steaming Up #463-1;" in the People category, Dave G. Houser's "Havana Cuba;" in

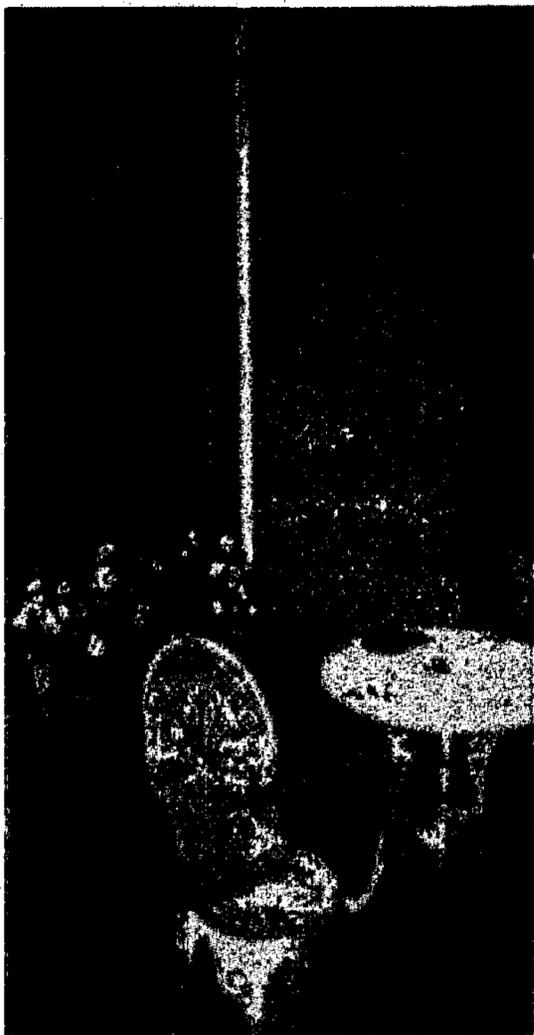
the Landscape category, Jan Butchofsky-Houser's "Lawn Chairs, Nova Scotia," John T. Soden's "Charlotte's Web" and Leland E. DeFord III's "East Mitten."

The exhibition runs through January 20, 2002, and the museum is open seven days a week from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.



All photos Sandy Suggitt

Above left, "Mormon Temple, San Diego" by Peter Benke of San Diego won honorable mention in the Architecture category. Above, "East Mitten" by Leland DeFord III won honorable mention in the Landscape category. "Daikon Beauty," below, by Kelly McCoy of Old Greenwich, Connecticut, won first place in the Open category. And "Charlotte's Web," left, by John T. Soden of Capitan won honorable mention in the Landscape category.



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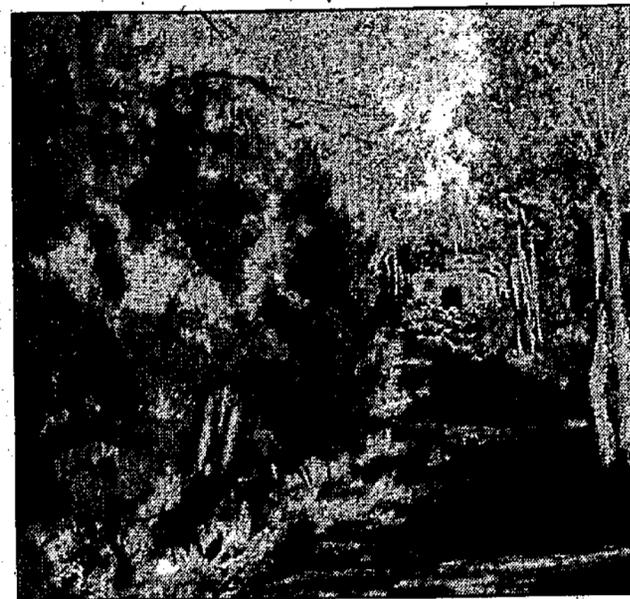
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'Wooded Seclusion'



Courtesy photo

Local artist Jodie Taylor accepted one of 22 sponsor awards for his pastel painting, "Wooded Seclusion," in the 10th annual National Pastel Painting Exhibition sponsored by the Pastel Society of New Mexico. The show is at the Hispanic Arts Center, New Mexico Fairgrounds in Albuquerque and runs from November 2 to 18.

Kids art exhibition

The winners and runners-up of the Capitan Schools Art Exhibition will have their work displayed throughout the county this school year, beginning with a reception at 10 a.m. Saturday, November 17 in Lincoln at the Anderson-Freeman Museum and Visitors Center, Gallegos House.

Last spring, the Capitan PTA sponsored a K-12 art contest, and judges Judy Pekelsma, Georgia Lagg, Mary Lea Lane and Scott Muhn picked a winner from each grade level and runners-up. The winners received framing for their works from Accent's Framing, and their entries were printed on note cards. The note cards are packaged 13 to a set with a note from each winner and the name of the artist and sponsor on the back. Sets sell for \$15.

The PTA chose this project to promote children's art in the county and community. While teachers in Capitan incorporate art into projects, it is not a regular part of the curriculum (they can take art as an elective in middle school and high school).

Capitan students win awards

Several students from the Capitan High School art class recently competed in the 2001 Eastern New Mexico State Fair, fine art division. Capitan student artwork was hung in the fine arts building for the duration of the fair. The artwork was judged and several students were presented awards for their outstanding work. The artwork from the fair is on display outside the art room.

The winners are: Dorothee von Winning, first place for a pencil landscape in two-point perspective; Sonia Younis, second place for a colored pencil dragon drawing and second place for a pencil drawing of a cow skull; Mitch Cox, first place for a pencil landscape in two-point perspective and third place for an interior room drawing in one-point perspective.

Students receiving honorable mention ribbons include Adam Boehm, pencil drawing; Kate Cherry, pencil drawing in two-point perspective; Ryan Kimbrell, pencil drawing; Andrew Murtaugh, pencil drawing in one-point perspective.



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Some corporations motivate their employees by shipping them off to rugged wilderness survival programs, where they learn vital lessons that help them excel in the business world. Like, if they need to impress an important client, they could use their survival training to, I don't know, catch him a squirrel.

Putting workers' feet to the fire

A while back, I read a fascinating business-related article in my newspaper, The Miami Herald (official motto: "The Person Who Was Supposed To Think Up Our Motto Got Laid Off"). This article, which was written by Elaine Walker, concerned an incident wherein employees of the Burger King marketing department walked barefoot over hot coals.

If you're unfamiliar with modern American corporate culture, you're probably assuming that somebody spiked the Burger King coffee machine with LSD. Nope. The firewalking was a planned activity on a corporate motivational retreat, supervised by a professional firewalking consultant to whom Burger King paid thousands of actual U.S. dollars.

According to the Herald article, the consultant also had the Burger King marketing people bend spoons, break boards, smash bricks, bend steel bars with their throats and walk over a bed of sharp nails. American corporate employees are required to do this kind of thing all the time, and for a sound business reason: Their management has lint for brains.

No, seriously, these are motivational activities that make employees self-confident and unafraid to tackle tough business challenges. The employees think: "Hey, if I can bend a steel bar with my throat, there's no reason why I can't change the toner cartridge in the printer!"

The Burger King people got off easy. Some corporations motivate their employees by shipping them off to rugged wilderness survival programs, where they learn vital lessons that help them excel in the business world. Like,

if they need to impress an important client, they could use their survival training to, I don't know, catch him a squirrel.

The point is that subjecting employees to physical abuse is a standard corporate motivational technique that has proved, in study after study, to be a highly effective means of transferring money to consultants. Still, you might think that employees would draw the line at walking on hot coals, on the grounds that they could, theoretically, burn their feet. This would seem to be especially obvious to employees of Burger King, a company whose main product is a graphic example of what happens to flesh that is exposed to high temperatures.

Nevertheless, at the Burger King marketing retreat, more than 100 employees walked across an 8-foot strip of white-hot coals, and – in an inspirational triumph of mind over matter that shows the amazing miracles that the human spirit, when freed of self-doubt, can accomplish – about a dozen of them burned their feet. One woman had to be taken to the hospital. Several people were in wheelchairs the next day.

Now, you may feel that an employee-motivation event that actually injured some employees could not be described as a total success. That is why you are not a marketing executive. The Herald article quotes Burger King's vice president of product marketing, Dana Frydman – whose personal feet were among those burned – as saying: "It was a great experience for everyone."

The article also quotes the firewalking consultant, Robert "Cork" Kallen,

as saying: "The majority of the people get through it without a nick or a blister. When you see over 100 people and only 10 to 15 people have blisters, I don't term that unusual. Some people just have incredibly sensitive feet."

There you have the *real* problem: Employees with sensitive feet. It's high time that corporations did something about this problem. Here's my proposal: When you apply for a job, at the end of your interview, you would be required to take off your shoes and socks, and the interviewer would snap the bottoms of your feet sharply with a rubber band. For particularly important jobs, the interviewer might staple a document to your insole, to see if you truly have the foot toughness it takes to succeed in the modern corporate environment.

What do you think? I think it's a great idea. In fact, I think I would be an excellent motivational consultant. You can be my first client! Here's what you do: (1) Tear this column out of the newspaper. (2) Wad it into a ball. (3) Insert the ball into your left nostril and jam it in there as far as you can with a pencil. (4) Send me thousands of dollars.

Ha ha! I'm just kidding, of course. I know you're not *that* stupid. Hardly anybody is!

Note to marketing executives: I would prefer cash.

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HISTORIAN,
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Death takes a holiday

Part 2

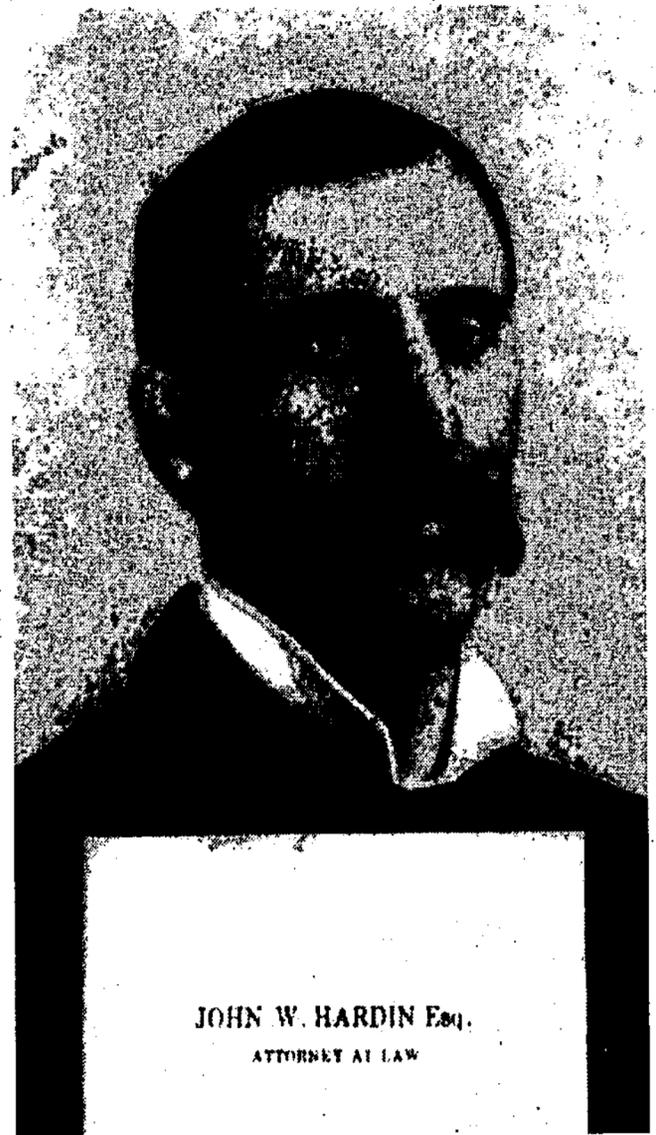
John Wesley Hardin was a charmer. Whatever anyone's personal feelings about how the man led his life, no one can deny the charm that he displayed throughout his deadly career.

After Texas became decidedly too hot for him – he was the most wanted man in that mammoth state, and during Reconstruction, that was quite an accomplishment – Hardin elected to take his family and relocate to sunny Florida. Some might call it a vacation. Others, a headlong flight from justice.

In 1874, Hardin, along with his wife Jane and daughter Mollie, took a steamboat from New Orleans to Cedar Key, Florida. From there, they traveled to Gainesville, where John Wesley opened what he would later refer to as a grocery store, but was, for all practical purposes, a saloon. Luck was not with him, it would seem. The very first day he was open for business, two Texas cattlemen walked in and recognized him instantly. However, they had been friendly with

the youthful gunman, and pledged to keep his secret, a pledge that would ultimately make the wily Hardin nervous enough to relocate. But not before involving himself in some local trouble of a racial nature. As related last week, he involved himself in a situation that involved the death of at least one man and possibly another.

Probably because he was ultimately nervous about his two "friends" from Texas being tempted by the substantial rewards on his head, (at a whopping \$4,000, he had become the most expensively wanted desperado in the annals of Texas, a feat in itself) and possibly because Jane didn't like the start that he got off to in Gainesville, (you know, shooting people) the Hardin family relocated to Micanopy (Mick-un-opie), about 18



Courtesy

John Wesley Hardin

miles away. As it turned out, this was not far enough to suit John Wesley. Within weeks he had taken his family and gone north to the larger, and therefore easier in which to remain anonymous, town of Jacksonville, in the northeast corner of the state.

Even then, Jacksonville was a mecca for tourists from the north, and the Hardins blended in easily amidst all the other out-of-towners. "J.H. Swain," (which was Hardin's alias), became a butcher. For the first time, he wisely did not open another saloon, as he had in both Gainesville and Micanopy. It was obvious then, just as it is now, that violent crime of a passionate nature tends to happen with great regularity in the general vicinity of any liquor emporiums.

Jacksonville and beyond

On August 3, 1875, a son, whose real name was John Wesley Hardin Jr., was born to the "Swains," who resided at 127 Pine Street in Jacksonville, Florida. Friends and neighbors were all happy for the personable young couple who had so recently come into their midst.

This euphoria was destined to be short lived, however. Gus Kennedy, who may qualify as the most loyal friend Hardin ever had, notified Wes, who had apparently realized his friend's value and confided his true identity to him, that what Hardin described as "Pinkertons" were on his trail and headed for Jacksonville. Hardin quickly decided to send Jane and the children to Eufaula, Alabama, where Jane had relatives. He then attempted, in the company of Gus Kennedy, who seems to have quit his job to accompany the young gunman, to draw the detectives away from the rest of the family. They planned on catching up with Jane and the kids after taking a more circuitous route through northern Florida, ultimately rendezvousing at New Orleans and from there, on to Old Mexico.

When Hardin referred to "Pinkertons," he was using the name generically to cover all detectives, bounty hunters and

the like. In the 1870s, the Pinkerton Detective Agency was the equivalent of the modern FBI. Crossing state lines, or, for that matter, international borders, was not a problem for them. They were not always the most popular folks around, either.

The Pinkertons' handling of the case of Jesse and Frank James was hideously botched when they threw a bomb into a home in which they thought Frank and little brother Jesse were hiding. This was a logical assumption as it was the home of their mother. It just turned out to be the wrong assumption. The only people at home were the outlaws' stepfather, who was *already* brain-damaged from an incident when he was lynched by Federal guerrillas trying to get him to give the whereabouts of his Confederate guerrilla stepsons during the Civil War. Then there was their retarded 8-year-old brother, and their mother.

The stepfather was uninjured in the blast, but it took off Mother Zerelda James' arm and killed the little boy. The Pinkertons were decidedly unpopular with the common folks who looked on men like the James brothers and John Wesley Hardin as loyal Southerners who had not given up The Lost Cause, and were heroes. As always, the reality was a bit different.

The point, at any rate, is that the Pinkertons had a reputation for ruthlessness and Hardin had no qualms about killing a couple of them. Which is exactly what he did somewhere along the Florida/Georgia state line. In his autobiography, Hardin casually states that "a fight was the natural result" of the "Pinkertons" catching up with him and Kennedy, "and two of the Pinkerton gang were killed."

Reunion

The Hardin family was reunited at Pollard, Alabama, from which place they departed for New Orleans, planning to continue on to Tuxpan, Mexico. However, there was a yellow fever epidemic in New

Orleans and the Hardins turned back. Returning to Pollard, they elected to reside three miles north of the Florida state line. He traded in horses, but it appears that John Wesley's true occupation at this time was as a "sportsman," or gambler. To do this he commuted, sometimes to Mobile, sometimes to Pensacola Junction.

At Mobile, during the 1876 Presidential elections, feelings ran high concerning Rutherford B. Hayes and his opponent, Samuel J. Tilden, and a disturbance that started in a gambling establishment quickly boiled over into the streets. In his autobiography, Hardin implied that he and Gus Kennedy killed a couple of men and then tossed their pistols into backyards before looking as innocent as possible for the authorities, who jailed them for a few days. Ultimately, the Mobile police had to release them, never realizing that they had the most wanted man in Texas in custody.

The Alabama *Mobile Register* from May 3, 1877, states that "Gus Kennedy and J.H. Swayne were arrested for disorderly conduct on Tuesday night last, and fined \$5." The next day, the same newspaper referred to "charges of malicious mischief" against "Swain" and Kennedy, summarizing that part of the fine imposed involved them being "kicked out of town." The Mobile Police Force had thrown back the biggest fish of all, and they never even knew it.

The in-laws

John Wesley Hardin's brother-in-law was Joshua "Brown" Bowen, a would-be badman who was awestruck by his homicidal in-law, and came to visit his sister and her husband, staying with them for a time. And, while staying with Wes, Jane and the kids, he had written a letter back home to his and Jane's parents stating that "my sister joins me in sending love." The letter was intercepted by an undercover detective working for Jane's father and it was correctly surmised that wherever Jane Hardin was, her hubby, John Wesley, would not

be far away.

Now that they had finally located him, the Texas Rangers began planning to capture or kill the most wanted man in Texas. It seems that Brown Bowen couldn't give away his infamous in-law's identity *fast enough*. In mid-August of 1877, Bowen got into a brawl with a man named Chipley at Pensacola Junction. A tough Confederate veteran, Chipley, or "Shipley," as the newspapers referred to him, was not a man with whom to fool. When Brown picked a fight with him, the young Texan definitely got the worst of it.

In his autobiography, Hardin spoke of what I can only describe as a fit of petulance on Bowen's part. After taking what must have been an exceptional beating from Chipley, you can easily imagine him stamping one foot when, speaking of Hardin, he told "Shipley" that "I was not the peaceable John Swain everybody thought I was, but that I was the notorious John Wesley Hardin." Brown Bowen actually gave away Hardin's true identity in a manner reminiscent of a 5-year-old. As it turned out, it made no difference, the Texas Rangers were already on their way.

Capture

On the evening of August 23, 1877, John Wesley Hardin, in the company of a 19-year-old friend named Jim Mann, as well as gambling cronies Shep Hardy and Neal Campbell, boarded the train at Pensacola Junction, Florida, for the short trip to Pollard, Alabama. The trip did not go as Hardin had planned. Both the train itself and the platform outside were literally teaming with undercover lawmen, some 25 of them.

The Texas Rangers, Lt. John Armstrong and special agent Jack Duncan (who had been the man who intercepted the fateful letter from Brown Bowen), along with local lawmen led by Escambia County Sheriff William Hutchinson, were waiting. It seems that Hutchinson may have jumped the gun a bit when he personally approached Hardin on the train with a warrant. John Wesley looked past him at the

two Rangers, immediately and correctly surmising who they were: "Texas, by God!" he shouted, and, leaping to his feet, the man who has been described as "the fastest gun in Texas" went for his pistol.

And that was when John Wesley Hardin's Florida vacation ended. When the speediest, deadliest gunman that Texas had ever produced went for his gun, the hammer hung up in his suspenders, and the lawmen were upon him. John Armstrong hit Hardin so hard over the head with his revolver that he was afraid he had killed the desperado. Poor Jim Mann, who was not wanted for anything and probably assumed that he was being attacked by lunatics, drew clean and managed to get a round or two off before being gunned down by local deputy Martin Sullivan, who, in turn, probably thought that Mann was one of Hardin's "gang."

And so, Hardin's time - vacation, if you will - in Florida, came to an abrupt end. The Texas Rangers immediately and illegally shipped him back to Texas, where he was tried for a killing that was clearly self-defense, but involved a lawman. Sentenced to 25 years, John Wesley Hardin entered the dreaded Rusk Prison at Huntsville, Texas. He was destined to remain there for 16 years, during which time his beloved Jane died and his children - three by the time of his incarceration - disowned him.

In 1894, he was released into a world that had changed drastically. Telephones were commonplace, as were electric lights and other modern conveniences. People were already feeling nostalgic for the frontier days that Hardin represented. He was to have one more great adventure before his own sudden death in El Paso, but that, of course, is another story.

Sources: *John Wesley Hardin, Dark Angel of Texas* by Leon Metz; *The Last Gunfighter: John Wesley Hardin*, by Richard Marohn and *The Life of John Wesley Hardin as Written by Himself*.

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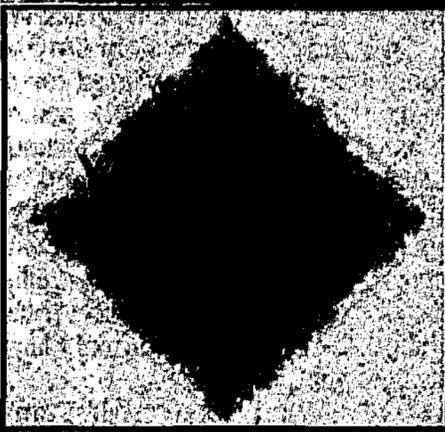


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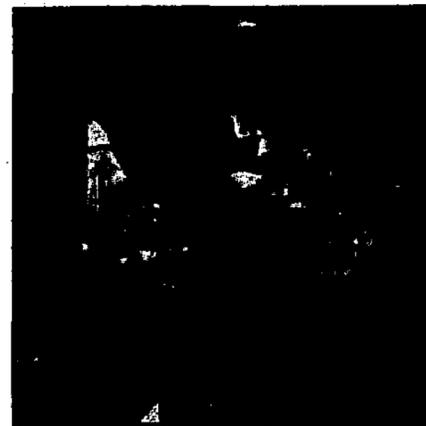
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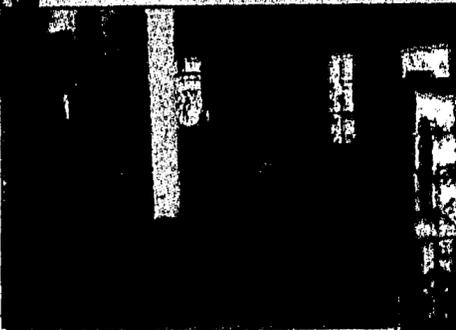
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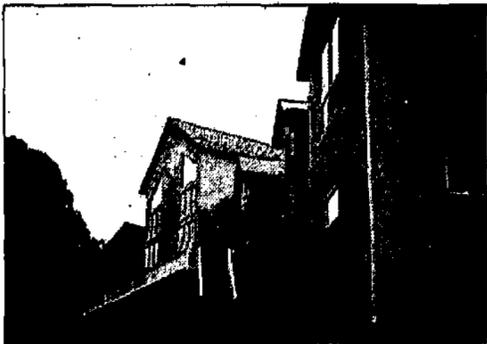
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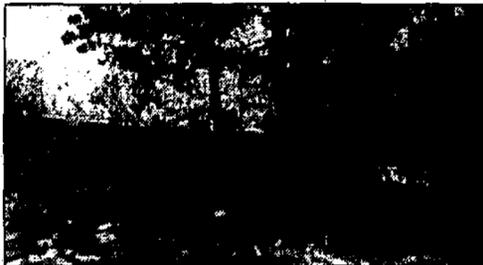
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Pre-Qualify

If you are considering purchasing a home, it might be a good idea to pre-qualify with an experienced mortgage professional. This will allow you and your agent the privilege of looking at property that not only meets your needs but is also within your budget.

Here is a checklist of things you can do to prepare for this process:

- 1) Meet with a qualified mortgage loan officer.
- 2) Discuss your goals and provide the necessary financial data he will need to pre-qualify you. This information will include:
 - Your yearly gross income supported by pay stubs and/or W2's.
 - Bank statements to support enough funds for the down payment and closing costs.
 - A list of debts to include mortgages, installment loans and credit card balances.
 - A signed authorization to obtain a credit report.
- 3) Once your mortgage company has analyzed this information, you will be provided with a price range of homes that you have qualified to purchase.

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COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

THE PINES OF GAVILAN



CARZOLI • \$375,000

547 Gavilan Canyon Rd.

Beautiful 3 bdrm/2 bath home. 2500 sq. ft. separate retail showroom with attached warehouse with overhead door - only 3 yrs. old. Multi-purpose use!

COMMERCIAL



RUIDOSO ICE & WATER • \$125,000

Water business only. Well established local business and 116 commercial accounts. Equipment and inventory included. Bldg. is also for sale.

SKYLAND SUBDIVISION



GRAVES ENTERPRISES • \$275,000

1605 Sudderth

Commercial Bldg. on 8 1/2 lots. Corner of Willow and Sudderth. All city utilities, overhead door, new metal roof. 4500 sq. ft. All one level, plenty of parking and high visibility.

AGUA FRIA



WATLEY • \$479,900

512 Hwy 70

Commercial with residence (formerly Scarlet's Nest). Outstanding commercial home combol! Perfect retail exposure - Super clean - Super nice. On 2 lots! Tiled floors, Jacuzzi Tub & Cool Kitchen.

ZONED C-1/RUIDOSO DOWNS

Business Opportunity

SIGNS BY SMITH

Business Only

\$110,000

Outstanding value for furniture, fixtures & equipment included in sale. Call for list & more information!

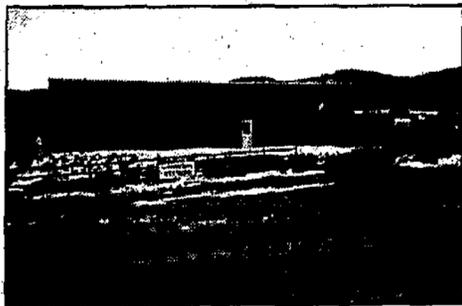
AGUA FRIA ESTATES



DAVIS TRUST • \$212,000

HIGH VISIBILITY LOCATION! Come see this nice commercial building on corner of Hwy. 70 and Griffith Dr. in Ruidoso Downs. Would suit multi-purpose business or could be used as part office/part workshop. Fenced open area behind the building. Use your imagination!

COMMERCIAL-IMPROVED



SMITH-LAND & BLDG. • \$249,900

New metal building with 3 individual bays. 5,000 sq. ft. in all 2 overhead doors. Signs by Smith business sold separate. Call for info.

ACREAGE

AGUA FRIA ESTATES



DAVIS TRUST

OWNER FINANCING! FLEXIBLE TERMS! Residential lots from \$31,000 to \$45,000 and ranging in size from .75 acres to 1.9 acres. All building sites are restricted to southwestern styled architecture with underground utilities. Excellent water, some Sierra Blanca views, beautiful valley views, gentle slopes. Unique appeal for natural landscaping. Commercial sites also!

WEST END OF GAVILAN CANYON RD



CURRY • \$325,000

BIG SIERRA BLANCA VIEWS! At home on the range! Gorgeous 15 acres, peaceful and secluded. Easy access, wonderful building sites on any portion of this property. Two meadows, domestic well, FULLY fenced and horses allowed.

- **EXPERIENCE**
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GAVILAN HILLS



JEWELL • \$295,000

You'll be on top of the world! Spectacular panoramic views with a view of Sierra Blanca! This home comes with all the extras and is a real beauty. 3 bdrm/2 bath 1512 sq. ft. +/- on 3.93 acres +/- Spacious patio with custom wood railing, neat & clean and fully furnished.

EDELWEISS RESORT VILLAGE



J&J VENTURES • \$217,500
21 Edelweiss Dr.

Quiet mountain setting just off Ski Run Rd., level lot with easy year round access, private well. Great 3 bdrm/2 full baths, built in fireplace. Decks are covered and uncovered. Check this one out!

RUIDOSO SPRINGS



RUCH • \$139,900
114 Texas St.

Just as cute as anything! A must see! This is Ruidoso charm at its best! 3 bdrm/2 bath home would make a marvelous weekend retreat, comes furnished. Private deck with hot tub, location close to mid-town.

YOUNG HEIGHTS



GRAVES • \$450,000
116 Grove Dr.

4 bdrm/4 bath, 2 car carport, RV port, 3958 sq. ft. on 2.08 acres. Home is all 1 level - large living room, larger den. Every aspect of this home is on a grand scale. Perfect for a 2 family type situation. Appt. through list agent.

WHITE MOUNTAIN ESTATES



NEW CONSTRUCTION • \$185,000
906 Hill Rd.

Earth tone stucco, in highly desirable area. Very easy paved private access road and driveway. Wide open floor plan, big patio and already landscaped. Pack your belongings and move right in!

SKYLAND ADDITION



WHITEN • \$139,500
1910 Suddern Drive

Cute, small older home and 3 small older mobiles. Zoned C-2 on a knoll on .48 +/- acres. Live in one and rent out the other three. Needs updating, first time on the market. Owner Financing!

PALO VERDE RANCHETTES



ROGERS • \$187,500
East Chapparal Dr.

Built in 1998 - Borders National Forest! 1.81 acres, fenced for horses. Doll house - 3 Bdrm/2 bath, hobby loft, covered porch, wood stove. Tip of Sierra Blanca view. Beautiful quiet setting.

RUIDOSO DOWNS HEIGHTS



SMITH • \$123,000
122 Heights Dr.

Tremendous view of race track, easy paved access. This two level home, 3 bdrm/3 baths, has alot of room for the money. Great decks, covered & uncovered, carport. Call LO for appointment.

SHANGRI LA



BANKSTON • \$189,500
#2 Shangri La Dr.

Pretty setting on acreage. This 1987 Sq. Ft. home has an unfinished 1st floor of 1369 Sq. Ft. Could be finished for additional living space. Fenced yard, horses allowed with multiple riding trails nearby. Adjacent to National Forest.



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101 High Mesa Dr.

(At the entrance to Alto Village)

How can I help you?

Dear Doug,

Please contact me about the following:

- Mountain Cabin
- Alto area home
- Commercial Property
- Alto area lots
- Please send general information on Lincoln County
- I would like a free market evaluation on my Lincoln County property
- I would like to discuss selling my Lincoln County property

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

My phone numbers are: _____

Mail to:

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