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LOCAL GIRL MAKES GOOD!

NAVAHO AREA IHS DOWNSIZING

NEW O.R. CHIEF

Gloria Fulton was officially designated the new O.R. Supervisor at Chinle Comprehensive Health Care Facility today. Her first official words were "**Lynn, you're in trouble!**". Mr. Ross had no comment.

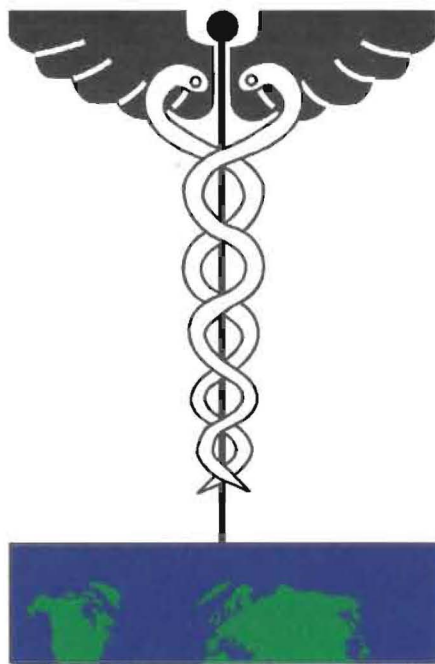


Dr. Poellot

announced today that her wedding is planned for next June. Juanita Preston is planning a wild and thoroughly embarrassing bachelorette party. Dr. Heath has suggested that perhaps a small group really should go down to Phoenix to check out the male stripper clubs just to make sure that they are properly assessed.

In a dramatic expose, Mrs. Matern was found to have recently removed a suture set from the ER so that her husband, the notorious Dr. Matern, could sow up his dog. Connie Taylor was said not to be amused. Mrs. Matern has sworn revenge on the OR staff since Mr. Cliff Dick was the one who reported her to the authorities.

Gloria quote: "What is it *now!*?"



STOCK MARKET REPORT

The animals were enjoying today's rain and fewer cows than usual were standing in the middle of the road. The flea market was closed due to rain, and even the Pinon bus was tarplined up. On the dog count, Cliff is up to five dogs (one pregnant) and Faye now has three. Dr. Bagley also adopted a dog, saying "I guess that means I can leave now. I was told everyone had to buy one rug and adopt one dog."

MORE JOBS CUT AT HOSPITAL

Dr. Doug Peters, Navaho Area Clinical Director said today that the IHS is reorganizing and that more jobs will have to be cut. In a dramatic announcement he warned physicians that for the first time ever, THEIR positions are being cut. He stated that it is now felt to be more economical to hire all con-tract help because of the savings in health and retirement benefits. The first areas to feel the cut are to be Anesthesia, Radiology, House-keeping, and Dietary. Other areas will follow. The exact date of these termination's has not been declared yet. Dr. Heath was quoted as saying "I'm packing, anyone want to buy some furniture?"

There was great excitement today as Lauren Adams revealed the upcoming visit of computer guru Rodney Adams III. Chinle residents are already lining up for his problem solving skills. Some people suspect ulterior motives in Lauren volunteering his services.

Book review: Patricia Cornwell's newest novel was read by most of the OR staff. Dr. Adams pretty much summed up the analysis as "Well, it was O.K., but she should have left out all that personal stuff. I wasn't interested in hearing it."