THE ALVARADO, famous among hotels of the Southwest for its Old World charm and traditional atmosphere, is one of the outstanding establishments of the Fred Harvey System. It was named after Hernando de Alvarado, Commander of Artillery in Cortez’s great expedition. Its rambling structure of Spanish mission architecture boasts wide verandas, overlooking beautiful sunny patios and pools; it invites cheerfulness and relaxation in its spacious halls and secluded gardens. The traveler on route or the visitor who plans an extended stay will find the Alvarado a perfect place for repose and recreation. It provides excellent headquarters for motor trips into the colorful surrounding Indian country. Conducted tours in limousine or de luxe bus may be arranged on request.

FACILITIES: Restful bedrooms, spacious Lounge; Coffee Shop: Dining Room; Private Dining Rooms; Spanish Cocktail Lounge (“La Cofina Cantina”); “La Placita” (high-walled outdoor dining place); News Stand, large Sample Rooms, Barber Shop and Beauty Shop.

THE FRED HARVEY INDIAN BUILDING, adjoining the hotel, displays world-famous collections of Indian and Mexican handicraft. Native craftsmen may be seen making articles similar to those on exhibition.

**Trips to take around Albuquerque**

Three Volcanoes show against the sky line across the Rio Grande. At their base unique lava flow formations may be seen. The Skyline Drive through the nearby Sandia Mountains offers splendid scenic sights climaxed by a marvelous view from the towering Sandia Crest (over 10,000 feet).

Isleta Pueblo is a picturesque old Indian village, a half hour’s drive from the Alvarado. Visitors are often fortunate enough to witness one of the colorful ceremonial dances.

Aloma, “The Sky City,” an Indian Pueblo atop a towering rock fortress that thrusts up nearly four hundred feet from the surrounding mesa, is one of the most interesting settlements of the Indian country.

The Jemez Country, an unspoiled area of canyons, forests and mountains, offers some of the Southwest’s finest hunting and fishing.

HOW TO GET TO THE ALVARADO: Albuquerque is located on U. S. Highways 66 (Will Rogers Memorial Highway) and 85 (see map on back cover). It is a division point of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway (through line Chicago-Los Angeles and San Francisco). It has a T.W.A. airport (8 scheduled stops each day).

SPORTS: An all-grass eighteen-hole golf course at the Country Club is available to guests of the Alvarado. The Municipal Golf Courses, adjacent to the University grounds (one eighteen-hole and one nine-hole course) are also open to the public. A modern municipal beach offers good swimming. Tennis, horseback riding, fishing, hunting, archery and other sports may be arranged. During winter months, excellent conditions for skiing are to be found in the nearby Sandia Mountains, a half hour’s drive from the hotel.

ALBUQUERQUE, the Rio Grande Valley, is the largest city in New Mexico. (Population 62,288. Altitude 4,553 feet.) Founded in 1705 when New Mexico was a province of Spain, the town still shelters interesting reminders of those early days. The mission church of San Felipe de Neri still stands much as originally erected about 1735. Albuquerque is the home of the University of New Mexico and the site of an important U. S. Army air base. The delightful year-round climate and the lively trade activity of the city attract many visitors.

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COFFEE SHOP
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With Bath ........... 2.50 to 5.00
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