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Beaugureau's Buy Colonial Inn

Robert and Lois Beaugureau of Mesa, Arizona have purchased the city's landmark, the Colonial Inn (formerly known as the Boulder Dam Hotel). The new owners plan to change the name to the Boulder City Inn, because as Beaugureau states, "Boulder Dam is officially known throughout the country as Hoover Dam and calling the hotel by the former name just adds to the confusion."

The Beaugureaus owned a guest ranch for 14 of the 18 years they lived in Mesa. Their original home was in the northwest section of Chi-

cago.

They plan to spend several thousand dollars remodeling the hotel which will include a completely renovated kitchen for more efficient food - handling, refurbishing the rooms, a few at a time, re - designing the patio room and dining room. There won't be a bar on the premises however.

"We will wait for cooler weather before we make the drastic changes," Beaugureau stated," and Bob Jr. and a friend, Mike Geyer, now living in the hotel, will be helping to restore the inn to its former status."