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WHEELER MUSTANGS BRING HOME CLASS 'B' STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

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MUSTANGS WIN STATE!!



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

You did it, Mustangs! THE "STATE CHAMPIONS" TITLE IS YOURS! You earned it! We are indeed proud of you. The game is the talk of the state. It was a "cliff hanger" with each team knowing the "thrill of winning and the agony of defeat". Fortunately we kept the thrill of winning and they had it only until the referees called the play.

Tape recordings of the game will be made available by KPDR-FM at a cost of \$5.00. If you missed the game and missed hearing the game on the radio, this is one tape you will want to hear. There is a chance of copies of the video may be made available, but this is not varified. I understand the excitement shown by the announcer on the radio, Greg Smith, prior to this game could not "hold a candle" to the mood Saturday evening in the final few seconds. After all the comments, Greg went after a copy of the tape to hear his commentary.

It is the general consensus—; you did an excellent job.

Coach Preston Smith was the speaker for the weekly Kiwanis luncheon Monday and praised the excellent coaching staff he has working under him. "These men do an excellent job and deserve credit for the accomplishments of the season," Smith commented.

Once again, Thanks to David Britt, you had excellent stories during the season on both the past play and the upcoming game. This year we extend a "Thank You" to Rev. Mike Struve for his excellent photography.

The Amarillo Daily News and the Pampa News did an excellent job covering the Mustangs winning season.

Monday's Pampa paper carried numerous pictures of the State Championship game.

Okay Mustangs, the game is now basketball. The girls are already in the middle of an excellent season and there is no reason why the titles cannot be ours for both the boys and girls teams. '87-'88 is the Year of the Mustangs and Mustangettes—GO TEAMS!

There was a number of fans at the game in Abilene, but there was enough people left in Wheeler for an excellent crowd for the drawing. The attendance at the game left only Charles Kuntz and Frank Clymer to conduct the drawing on a cold, damp Saturday afternoon. This didn't leave anyone to write down who drew what and therefore all we have are the names on the tickets drawn.

The snow scene we ran last week was not the real picture of the storm. I was told Wednesday evening by Monty Kinnard as we were tying the papers that I missed the real story—as

did most citizens I imagine. In fact, the Halls did not realize the significance of the event. It really happened right here in Wheeler—Hell froze over.

The Harrison Halls have a sign on the front of their house which reads: "Give 'em Hell, Stangs!" and the snow drifted over the bottom line of the sign.

We omitted the story on the Methodist Cantata which was held last week. Our apologies to those involved for the error. Ruth Smith was nice enough to type the story on 'Sis'. We ran the copy through and 'Junior' wasn't warmed up, so the story was garbled. In the effort to meet the deadline, we failed to run the story

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STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY: The Texas Class 1-A State Champions display their winnings. From left, Carl McCoy (25), Kelley Aderholt (40), Hughes (21), and Billy Fancher (66). David Jones (82), Chad Bentley (71), Arthur Altamarino (30), Travis

(Photo by Duane A. Laverty Pampa Daily News.)

FOURTH, FINAL 'CASH' DRAWING IS THURSDAY

The fourth and final of the annual Wheeler Chamber of Commerce "Cash" Drawings will be held Thurs-

Services Held For Charles Fred Waters

Charles Fred Waters, 85, died Friday.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday at First Baptist Church. Rev. Rodney Weatherly, grandson of the deceased, the Rev. Ralph Hovey of Mobeetie and the Rev. Robert Helseley, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mr. Waters was born at Stonewall County. He moved to Wheeler County in 1905. He married Edna Hathaway in 1925 and Wheeler. She died in 1986. He moved to Wheeler in 1943. He had been a farmer until he retired 10 years ago. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Pallbearers were Dale Greenhouse, Wayne Greenhouse, Buddy Waters, Charles Waters, Donald Ray Waters, Gerald Waters, Keith Waters.

MOBEETIE HIGH SCHOOL

Honor Roll

GRADES 6-12
Second Six Weeks

GRADE 7: All A's and B's; Virginia Aycock.

GRADE 8: All A's and B's; Elizabeth Hale.

GRADE 9: All A's and B's; Teal Malone, Don Howard.

GRADE 10: All A's and B's; Kristi Hallett.

GRADE 11: All A's; Greg Langley, Aine Malone.

All A's and B's; Stephan Batton, Jeff Mayfield, Deanna Smith, Beth Wilson.

GRADE 12: All A's; Billy Richardson

MOBEETIE ELEMENTARY

FIRST GRADE: All A's; Michael Hilburn, Matt McCurley, Jessica Reynolds, Todd Ridgway, Michelle Shorter, Tabitha Taylor.

All A's and B's; Amanda Douglas, Andy Gearhart, Penny Summers.

SECOND GRADE: All A's; Tracy Densberger, Mike Johnson.

All A's and B's; Brian Howell, Tracy Harwell, Brandy Mumford, Shane Stribling.

THIRD GRADE: All A's; Meagan Darby, Sarah Hale.

All A's and B's; Josh Lee, Katie Jo Mabry, Steven Rossiter, Katrina Whiteley.

FOURTH GRADE: All A's and B's; Collin McCurley, Darron Remy.

FIFTH GRADE: All A's; Jamey James.

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day, December 24, with eight Wheeler Shoppers receiving a part of the \$400 "Cash" to be handed out.

The drawing will begin 2:30 p.m.

Two lucky individuals will each receive \$100; two will receive \$50 and four will receive \$25. The "money" in the envelopes can be spent with any of the sponsoring individual businesses.

The merchants of Wheeler feel this is one way they can thank you, their customers for the support you have given them during the year and are giving you a chance to share in the profits.

Drawing tickets have been available since Friday, November 27, at sponsoring businesses. A complete list of

merchants, both those giving tickets and those not giving tickets is shown below.

Remember, each time you enter a participating store, you are entitled to a ticket; ask for it, sign it, deposit the ticket in the containers which are conveniently located in the sponsoring firms.

You will receive one ticket per each dollar purchase—up to a maximum of \$500.

When the day of the drawing arrives, all of the tickets will be placed in a large container and the winners drawn. You MUST be present to win; however, husbands and wives may

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Mustang football squad with its coaching staff has won the Class A State Football Championship and

WHEREAS, the winning of this title has brought state wide recognition to the school, the city, the county and the Texas Panhandle and

WHEREAS, the games from Bi-District through the State Playoff received coverage through newspaper and television bringing more recognition for our football boys and City

THEREFORE, I as Mayor of Wheeler, do hereby designate the week of January 3-9 as:

WHEELER MUSTANG WEEK

and urge all citizens to give our school and football boys a hearty congratulations and best wishes for a repeat in 1988.

[Signed] Wanda Herd, Mayor
City of Wheeler

Guest Speaker at Nazarene Church



JIMMY COLE

Jimmy Cole will be the guest speaker at the Church of the Nazarene in Wheeler on Sunday, December 27, for the two services. The services will be at 10:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.; singing will be the greater portion of the evening service.

Cole is a 1975 graduate of Wheeler High School is presently a resident of Colorado Springs, where he is associate pastor of the Southgate Church of the Nazarene. Cole moved to Colorado in 1983 and attended Nazarene Bible College. He graduated in 1986 with an Associate of Arts and Biblical Study Degree.

Cole has been at the Southgate Church of the Nazarene for the past

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Wow! In just an utterly unbelievable finish, the Wheeler Mustangs rode a fluttering 19 yard field goal off the toe of Sammy Zepeda with no time left to claim the 1987 Class A football championship, 23-21 over the Bremond Tigers.

The victory is the Mustangs third state crown in four ties in the past ten years and this has got to go down as one of the sweetest if for no other reason than how it was accomplished.

Coach Wendell Robinson of Bremond probably summed it up as well as could be as he led a dejected team off the turf of Shotwell Stadium in Abilene Saturday night when he said, "You can coach against everything except heart," and to everyone who saw the game, they showed it!

Trailing 21-20 after failing to convert on a two point effort after their final touchdown, the Mustangs kicked off with just 1:23 to play in the game and let's face it, Mustangs hopes were pretty dim. Wait, you forget the heart element.

Richard Smith's outside kick bounced off a Tiger at the Bremond 49 and who beat the Tigers to the ball but Timm Rodgers, a special teamer, and the Mustangs were on the midfield stripe with 81 ticks left on the clock and only one timeout remaining.

One running play lost a yard and two incomplete passes left the Mustangs facing fourth down, needing 10, and had used their last timeout. Shawn Bradstreet sidestepped the rush and passed to his left; Bubba Smith leaped for the ball at the Tiger 27 but it was too tall. Kyle Sword was on the 22 and wrapped the ball up for a first down.

Another incomplete pass and then a 12 yard completion to Smith who got out of bounds at the 21 for another first down. Bradstreet, who directed this drive like a true veteran, not the sophomore he is, passed to Grayson Benson for 5 more to the 12 and then chunked the ball out of bounds to stop the clock.

Bradstreet passed incomplete but then hit David Jones for another 12 yard gainer and a first down on the Bremond 4. As soon as the referee started the clock after the first down

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KPDR-FM Offers Championship Tapes

Tapes of the "1987 State Championship Football Game" as announced on KPDR-FM in Wheeler are available for \$5.00. What better way to remember the game than with an actual tape made during the actual play.

To place your order, contact KPDR-FM by phone, 806/826-5737, or write P.O. Box 469, Wheeler, Texas 79096.

KPDR announced Monday that the final quarter of the championship game will be re-broadcast Thursday afternoon on the air at 3:00 or following the broadcast of the "Cash" drawing. Tune to KPDR-FM, 90.5, and relive the excitement.

Ricky Pfeil of KPDR-FM in Wheeler expressed to the "Times" their excitement of having been able to broadcast all the Mustangs games this year. He also expressed appreciation to the many sponsors who made the broadcasts possible and a "Special Thanks" was extended to the broadcast team, Greg Smith, Lyndon Loyd, Kent Sims and Clay Walser.

In concluding his comments to the "Times", Pfeil commented: "We congratulate the State Champions, the Wheeler Mustangs."

AMERICAN LEGION

Annual Dinner

The Annual Christmas dinner for The American Legion was held Dec. 8, 1987. The Mexican pile on the Women's Auxiliary cooked up was an excellent change from Turkey and Ham. Meeting started at 8:00 p.m. New officers elected were President: Dena Brown, Vice-President, Carolyn Sabbe, Treasurer, Shirley Jolly; Secretary, Mary Whitener; Chaplain, Mary Mitchell; Historian, Sammie Atherton.

Our dues were paid for the year of 88. We will be taking pictures of our Sr. Citizens (veterans) and presents this week to the nursing home. Stay tuned. Happy Holidays.

Reporter,
Joyce Thornton

yard gainer and a first down on the Bremond 4. As soon as the referee started the clock after the first down, Bradstreet passed out of bounds again and the clock was stopped with under five seconds to play!

A field goal would win it and the kicking team came out but Lee McCasland never got his foot on the ball as Darrol Scott was in the Mustangs backfield practically with the ball and smothered the attempt. A flag fell to the ground and Bremond was signalled offsidies and Wheeler got one more shot at victory and Sammy Zepeda came on to do the kicking.

It appeared that the kick could have been tipped but it floated over the crossbar by less than a foot and pandemonium broke out on the floor of the stadium.

This was a classic state championship football game. Bubba Smith set a new championship game rushing record in Class A as he rushed for 191 yards on 21 carries and crashed over from the 1 yard line to put the Mustangs in the position of going for the win or the tie and a co-championship. The choice was to go for broke and Smith's run came up a yard short.

With 5:26 to play in the game, the Tigers broke a 14 all tie when Tim Scott broke a tackle at the line of scrimmage and raced 90 yards to put Bremond up 21-14 but they didn't touch the ball again on offense.

The Mustangs started at their 29 and drove for their third touchdown and decision time in 9 plays with Smith doing the honors on his one yard leap on fourth down. A 21 yard pass from Bradstreet to Benson was a big play that put the ball on the Bremond 5 with a first and goal.

Wheeler got on the scoreboard first on their second possession of the game with an 11 play march that just covered 46 yards but the Mustangs had to overcome two procedure penalties in route. Benson swept left end from 8 yards out and McCasland booted the Mustangs into a 7-0 lead.

Right back came the Tigers to score after a short kickoff and a personal foul penalty against Wheeler. Charles Bailey ran off his right tackle from the 7 and the game was tied.

Trading touchdowns, the two teams went to the locker rooms at halftime all knotted at 14. Bremond took a 14-7 lead when the Tigers drove 69 yards and got the six pointers on a 3 yard Bo Robinson pass to Jeff Kasowski. Wheeler came back to counter and tie on a quick 6 play, 85 yard excursion. Smith got the drive started when he broke loose at right tackle, stiff armed a tackler near midfield and was finally hauled down on the Bremond 19.

Four running plays got to the 3 before Smith took an option pitch and scored standing up at right end. McCasland booted his second extra point and the score remained tied until the final quarter heroics.

As said earlier, this team of Mustangs never knew the words, give up or quit. They thought they could whip anybody and headed for this final game with this in mind and proved themselves with the miracle finish and there was no doubt who was champions as the Mustangs took turns holding the state championship trophy aloft for all to see!

GAME STATISTICS:	W	B
First Downs	18	15
Net Yards Rushing	292	233
Net Yards Passing	79	85
Total Yards Gained	371	318
Passes & Completions	13-6	12-5
Passes Intercepted By	1	0
Fumbles & Lost	3-2	2-2
Penalties & Yardage	5-35	4-22
Punts & Average	4-39	2-54
Total Plays	75	52

Chamber Extends CONGRATULATIONS

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce would like to congratulate the Wheeler Mustangs and the coaching staff on their victory over Bremond for the State Title.

All of you have done a superb job this year, ending a fantastic season with the best, STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Thank you, Mustangs and the entire Coaching Staff for a very special Christmas gift!!!

You are all CHAMPIONS! Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year to you all!

Sweetwater News

Mrs. Joe Flowers

LAST WEEKS NEWS

Here it is mid December and Santa is a coming. In fact we got three packages yesterday. And so many pretty cards and nice notes. I feel cheated if they don't have at least a line. And pictures, I really like them.

The Kitchen Band went to Clinton today and entertained at the Veterans Center for their Christmas party. Think the Sayre Auxiliary was in charge. Maybe Erick too. I saw Mrs. Kendall and Mrs. Bockman from Erick and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Clothier from Sayre. I tried to make a good impression on Santa Claus. Found out he was the sheriff. Mrs. Santa was our own Velma Gibson.

One of the guitar pickers (Basil Doss) is in the Lawton hospital. Had major surgery. We were very happy to have Darrell Reed from Canute come by and help Joe and Betty. Met his wife Sue and little daughter. Found Karen Stafford, Pete and Pauline's girl, is married to her brother.

All the veterans received packages and other goodies. Iona Miller gave us gals each a beautiful corgage. In all, it has been a wonderful week. On Tuesday we went to Town Hall and saw our friends. Little Mildred Keen, our dancing lady had made a gift for each member of the band, needle point pen holders.

The gin yards are stacked with cotton. Saw a lot of those pressed modules down east. Heard someone say a gin over in Texas has a 1000 of the modules on the yard and each held 18 bales. Sounds like they might be busy for a while. Also heard that some gins had their hands strike for higher wages and that had slowed them up.

The Howell clan met at Opal and Olen Nabors in Elk for an anniversary (48) dinner and Christmas drawing. Those present were Ruby Nix, Leo Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Howell, Hazel Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Heard, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Taylor, Missy and Trea, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Howell and Heather, Doris Howell, of Sayre, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ringo of Dill City, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dean Howell of Canute.

Ruby tells me Rhome isn't doing very well. Our friend Basil Doss had more surgery today. Mary McLauray is in the Elk hospital. Howard Dickey is still a patient there. Royce Roberts went to see his doctor at Amarillo this week. John Rogers is at Sayre hospital. We stopped to ask about our neighbor Jack McArthur Tuesday, only to find he was already home. Visited cousin Vevadell Ashmore at Sayre.

Crime came to our quiet Roger Mills County this week when a burned car with a body in it was discovered near Skipout Lake. TV said they thought it was a man from Wheeler.

Funeral services were at the Nazarene Church in Erick for Oleta Crook Marchbanks. Burial was in the Buffalo Cemetery. She is survived by her daughter Debby and granddaughter Amber. Oleta was a Sweetwater resident most of her life.

Services were Saturday for Harold Swaney at the St. Vincent DePaul Catholic Church in Pampa. Mr. Swaney was the father of Kathy Davis of this community. Burial was in the Memory Gardens Cemetery.

J.M. Gamble a former Sweetwaterite received the Oklahoma Farm Bureau's Golden Eagle Award recently at the annual convention in

Tulsa. He is from Erick. I sort of think this big hulabaloo about the Russian peace pact is to get people's mind off how things are at home. Can you feature us letting 2000 hoodlums burn down a big penitentiary and hold our people hostage for over a week.

They tell of the homeless and starving and try to feed them on holidays. What about the rest of the time? Any direction you look there are empty houses, motels that were never opened, etc. There should be some way to get the homeless in them. They might not meet government standards but compared to living under a bridge, in a paste board box, or on a park bench wrapped in newspapers, they would do fine. There's not a scarcity, it is just poor distribution.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Roberts spent

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Thanksgiving at Crescent with Dale and Sue. Think Annette and her family were there too. Dawn went down to Tahlequah and brought Gladys Lewis up to be with them a couple of days.

Guess we are getting too poor to eat rabbit food any more. First store it was 99 cents a head, next it was \$1.49, and the third it was \$1.69, so I came home with a head of cabbage. My niece said she absent mindedly put her head of lettuce in the freezer. A minor calamity.

On the way to Clinton we passed the Sweetwater bus headed for the big tournament at Weatherford. Wish them luck. Sweetwater fans are very loyal. One time we were at a movie and Mr. Magoo of the comedy said he went to school at Sweetwater. Half the audience stood up and cheered.

Our Junior teams had their homecoming last week. Tess Heinsohn and Jake Silk were Queen and King. Attendants were Sheila Sites, Mark Harmon, Aaron Hall, and Brandi Burckhalter. Both teams managed to beat Reydon. The girls winning a close one in overtime by 2 points. Peevees were thrilled to play the opening game.

Looked like old times last week. Went by the 283 store and there were 15 big trucks parked all over the lots and along the roadside.

The nation's first Aids hospital, Institute for Immunological Diseases, at Houston closed its doors after 14 months of service, having lost \$8 million dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ozment of Erick were out to see us last Saturday.

He has a fiddle he wanted Joe to put a bridge on. Joe dotes on looking at fiddles. He's all enthused about a new friend who has 12 to show him.

That good brisk wind really dried the clothes last week and had the tumble weeds climbing the trees. Probably be a lot of that these next few months.

THIS WEEK'S NEWS

Joy to the World. The Christ is born! We seem to have lost our perspective. It is all right to have Santa Claus and Christmas trees everywhere but highly illegal to have

a Nativity Scene, or such. What do they think it is all about? Instead of trying to do away with religion, we need to instill it in the hearts of everyone. Not denominational religion where "I'm going to heaven and you aren't" but the "Love your brother as yourself" kind.

I wish everyone of you a Happy blessed holiday. Those folks who were wishing for a white Christmas got a little carried away. Bet they are having second thoughts. Ten or twelve inches of that white stuff is more than plenty.

Our good neighbor Y.C. Fuchs came by with his and blade. Opened the road and our quarter of mile driveway. Guess if it wasn't for that we'd still be snowbound.

We got out Thursday and laid in enough supplies to last out the next storm. I don't see how our ancestors managed to lay in enough for an entire winter. Don't know where they would put so much and how they could afford to buy it all at once.

The mail finally made it by late Tuesday afternoon. Think Eb spent most of Monday in several drifts. Highway 30 was blocked for some time. Most wonderful thing was the juice stayed on. Things really came to a halt when the electricity goes off.

Hear our girls got beat out Saturday at Weatherford. The boys won a third place trophy.

Saw Leona Miller shopping. She said she had 9 children, in-laws and 17 grandchildren to buy for. Looks like she has her work cut out. Pete and Mildred Myers were loading up with groceries. Their girl who had the back surgery is doing fine.

Funeral services were Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church for Howard Dickey who died at his home Tuesday night. He is survived by his wife Esther, two daughters, Elinor Mears of Shamrock and June Mattox of Houston. Burial was at Buffalo Cemetery.

Viola Gordon and Elza Howell and Douglas Gee are in the Sayre hospital. John Rogers has been dismissed. Basil Doss is improved at Lawton.

We visited our aunt Sophia Spencer at Erick. She was 91 her birthday, on Sunday.

The 4-H banquet was held recently at Sayre. Attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tucker, Monte and Lisa, Steven Dawson, Giletta Thorp, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Atkinson, Brendon and Brad, Lisa Tucker, Jamie Heinsohn, Jada Alexander, Giletta Thorp, Sandy Hagerman, T.J. Dorrell, Brendon Atkinson, Leslie Hagerman, Timothy Bryan, Mandy Carlson, Steve Dawson, Monte Tucker, received medals and certificates of honor. Becky Gragert got the Opal Nelson Scholarship.

At the 4-H speaking contest last month Sweetwater carried off 4 of the six plaques. Lisa Tucker won the senior plaque, Jada Alexander and Mandy Carlson won the intermediate, and Justin Lesley the 1st year class. Lisa is a county junior officer.

Everything has been going off like clockwork despite all the snow. The Baptist Church had their program and supper last night. The Assembly of God Church had theirs Wednesday night. The school program was Thursday night. Each class represented Christmas in a different foreign land. The second grade had Sweden. Julia Holmberg came out from Erick and taught them some Swedish words and told of the customs there, to their great delight. We didn't have church Sunday. Our preacher, T.J. Pittman, started down from Perryton but after he slid around and headed back a time or two, he had to give up and go back to Perryton.

Found out the checkout girl at Ben Franklin is Fayrene (Hix) Dodson Albert and Ann's girl.

Had word our nephew John Haag of Pampa had the misfortune to fall off a house he was working on. Is in the hospital at Amarillo, improving.

Visited with Bethel Davis, Ollie Anderson, Norma Zellmam, Lillie May Holland, Grace Roberts, Louise Stone, and Troy and Velma Gibson the other day. Troy had been back to see his OKC doctor and got a good report.

I was in the Dr. Morrison's office the other day and met a young Sweetwaterite. Was chatting with her mother who was Renita Smith from here. The baby's name was Kindra Michelle. She was 3 months old and a living doll.

I've heard about the Grinch who stole Christmas. Thought taking the lights off the Wheeler Courthouse tree was about as bad. I guess it takes all kinds to make a world.

Think Santa is bringing me fiddle strings and bows. Looks like Joe is going to wear them out before I get a chance at them.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood York will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary with a reception at the All-purpose room at School December 27. They were married on Christmas Day.


The Bookmobile came sailing along right on time Thursday with Carol and Jane at the helm. Have a half bushel of books to tide me over till it comes again next year. January 7.

Have a wonderful Christmas and thanks for all the many things you have done for us. We appreciate each and everyone of you.

Billy Egley, on December 9, 1842, designed and offered for sale in England what is now regarded as the first Christmas card created for mass circulation. It is preserved in the British Museum. Billy was only 16 at the time.

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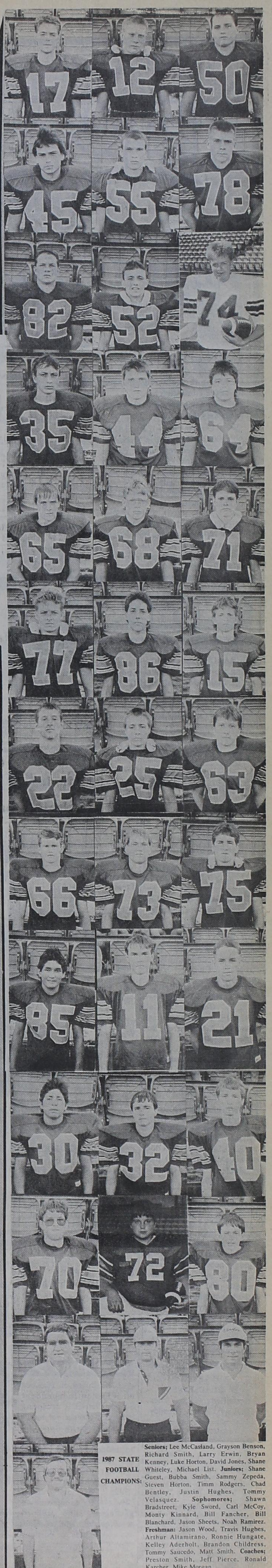
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JOY TO THE WORLD

"... the Lord is come." Our faith in Him is ever-strengthened at Christmas, when we recall anew His message of love and peace. It is in this spirit that we draw closer to friends and family, and express appreciation to you for the many kindnesses you've shown us. As you've touched our lives, may yours be enriched during this special holiday season.

RESIDENTIAL LISTINGS...

- 3 BR, 1 3/4 Bath, Brick Home with Double Garage.
- 3 BR, 1 Bath, Convenient to Downtown
- 3 BR, 1 Bath House on Large Corner Lot, Carport.
- Large 4 Bedroom, 2 bath home with fireplace and basement on 2.80 ac. in country.

Small stucco house on corner lot on highway.

2 BR, 1 Bath Stucco Home on Large Lot in Quiet Neighborhood. Lots of Storage!

3 BR, 1 3/4 Bath, Stucco Home with Woodburner, Basement. Corner Lot, Double Garage

2 BR, 1 Bath Stucco Home. Also small rent house on corner lot. Owner will finance.

3 BR, 1 3/4 Bath House with Garage on Corner Lot.

3 BR, 2 Bath Stucco House on Corner Lot in Good Location.

3 BR, 1 Bath Home with Carport, Edge of Town. Assumable Loan.

100' x 150' vacant lot with hookups and well house on highway on South edge of town.

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2 BR, 1 Bath Home. Priced to sell.

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The Wheeler Times does not knowingly accept false or fraudulent advertising or other advertising of an objectionable nature, is printed in full confidence in the presentation made. Readers will confer a favor if they will promptly report any failure on the part of the advertiser to make good any misrepresentation in our advertisements.

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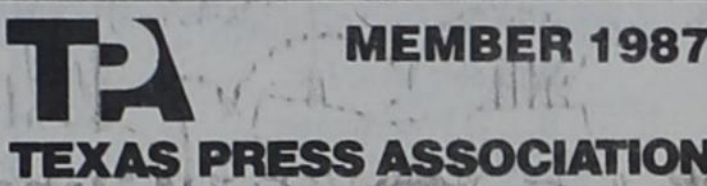
The Board of Trustees of Wheeler Independent School District is accepting bids on insurance for buildings and vehicles owned by the school district. Concerned bidders should contact the business office at Wheeler Schools, PO Box 1010, Wheeler, Texas 79096, or call (806) 826-5241, for an information package. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or portions thereof. Contracts will be made based on the judgment of the Board of Trustees.

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Open Christmas Eve 5:00 to 7:00
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New Movies Every Week

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Wheeler County Commissioners Court Meeting

December 16, 1987

The Wheeler County Commissioners Court met in Regular session with Judge Wendell Morgan present and presiding. Members present were: Elmer Ray Harrison, Billie V. Atherton, Clois Hanner and Boyd Hiltbrunner, commissioners precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively. Also present were Margaret Dorman County Clerk, Lonnie Miller, Sheriff and Jerry Bob Jeringan, Constable.

Court was opened with a prayer offered by Clois Hanner.

MINUTES APPROVED:
Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Clois Hanner to approve the minutes of the November 9, and 23rd meetings. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF FINES AND FEES OF OFFICE:

Elmer Ray Harrison made a motion which was seconded by Billie V. Atherton to approve the fines as submitted by the Justices of the Peace. They were as follows: Doyle Ramsey—\$722.00; Herbert Stacy—\$4,865.50 and Lee Bond—\$3,588.56. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS AS SUBMITTED:

Elmer Ray Harrison made a motion which was seconded by Billie V. Atherton to approve the bills as submitted for payment and found listed in Volume 9 page 470 of the Minutes of Accounts Allowed. Motion carried.

LAW ENFORCEMENT CONTRACT—CITY OF WHEELER:

No action taken.

MEMBER TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS—WHEELER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT:

Elmer Ray Harrison made a motion which was seconded by Billie V. Atherton to appoint David M. Britt to the Board. Motion carried.

WHEELER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT—LIGHTING IN BUILDING:

No action taken.

LEGAL NOTICE

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 119.231 miles of seal coat on various limits of US 83, US 82, SH 222, US 277, FM 3413, SH 152, SH 70, SH 256 & FM 98 in Collingsworth, Dickens, King, Knox, Donley, Wheeler, Briscoe and Foard Counties covered by CPM 31-3-24, CPM 132-1-35, CPM 132-2-24, CPM 32-6-24, CPM 496-1-16, CPM 496-2-13, CPM 157-2-29, CPM 31-4-29, CPM 797-7-18, CPM 797-6-4, CPM 397-2-28, CPM 311-4-10, CPM 541-1-17, CPM 702-3-14 & CPM 1998-2-4 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., January 13, 1988, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at

the office of Timothy J. Weight, Resident Engineer, Childress, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder. Usual rights reserved.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE
The Wheeler County Sheriff's office is taking applications for a combination Certified Deputy—Jailer. Applications will be accepted by Sheriff Lonnie Miller, 304 Alan Bean Blvd, Wheeler, TX. 79096.

Merry Christmas



THE WHEELER TIMES

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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

AIRMAN KEVIN L. ROBINSON GRADUATED FROM AIRCRAFT ARMAMENT COURSE

Airman Kevin L. Robinson, son of Rick and Brenda Robinson of Wheeler, Texas, has graduated from the aircraft armament systems specialist course at Lawry Air Force Base, Colo.

The course provides instruction for students to load nuclear and non-nuclear munitions, explosives and propellant devices on aircraft.

During the 13-week course, students were also instructed to maintain, install, modify and repair aircraft bombs and rockets.

He is a 1986 graduate of Wheeler High School.

AIRMAN ROGER D. BROWN HAS ARRIVED FOR DUTY IN CALIFORNIA

Airman Roger D. Brown, son of Robert N. and Dena F. Brown of 1120 S. Canadian, Wheeler, Texas, has arrived for duty with the 60th Aerial Port Squadron, Travis, Calif.

Brown, an air passenger specialist, is a 1985 graduate of Wheeler High School.

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you to all our wonderful friends and relatives who shared in our Golden Wedding Anniversary Memory Party held in the Hospitality Room of the First State Bank at Mobeetie, Texas.

Your cards, gifts and your presence will truly add to our cherished memories.

Albert and Odessa Scribner

Merry Christmas

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Let's worship together at this Holy time of the year.

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CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS

May the warmth and spirit of the holiday season be yours.

Pierce's Trading Post

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa, I want a tenspeed. Because it is so big. And if you can't get me that you can get me a hot looks and I want the one that is named Stacy. And some new mittens. And some ear muffs. And the new barbie that goes with the rochers.

Love, Stacy McWhorter

(A picture of Santa was drawn on the back.)

Dear Santa, I'd like some boxing gloves, some more cards for my talk-n-teach, a new battery for my 3 wheeler, a stage microphone and I might oughta have some new strings for my guitar and a guitar pick.

I love you, Monty Hand, age 4

Dear Santa, My name is Casey. I have been a good girl. Please bring me a baby Heather, and AIF doll and whatever else you want to bring me.

Thank you and I love you.

Casey Richerson, 1st grade

Dear Santa, I am 4 years old and I want a radio, unicorn watch, camera and film, cars, clothes, bracelet and a new bicycle.

Jacinda Watson

P.S. I love you, Santa!

Dear Santa, I am two years old and I'm not always a good girl, but I want presents anyway. I want a bicycle, radio and Teddy Bear.

I love you, Santa.

Love, Pam Murphy

Dear Santa Claus, I am 3 years old and I have tried to be very good this year.

I would really like to have a gun, a gym, a red wagon, and cars and trucks.

Please don't forget all the other girls and boys.

Love, Joshua Edwards

Dear Santa, Please bring me Teddy Ruxpin.

Thanks, Brandy Ware

Dear Santa, Please bring me a Jumping Down Puppy, and paints and dinosaurs and a lot of toys.

Thanks, Garret Ware

Dear Santa, I have tried to be a good girl this year. Please bring me a vacuum cleaner like in the commercials on TV, a doll so I can practice being a big sister, a swing set like Nathans. Remember all my cousins and friends.

I Love You, Julie Zybach Age 4 1/2

Dear Santa, How are you? Would you please bring me a police motorcycle, with a police uniform and gun.

Love, Dirk Chapman

Dear Santa, Please bring me a jam box and a surprise to play with. We will have cookies and milk for you, and carrots for your reindeer.

Love, Bret

Here's wishing you a wonderful holiday.

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Enjoy this holiday to the fullest!

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JOYOUS NOEL

At this Holy time of year, may spiritual contentment be yours.

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WHEELER MRS. PORTER FIRST GRADE

Dear Santa, I would like video art, Gold Constitution Coin, and new clothes and shoes. Also some crabs and book.

Andrew Hillhouse

Dear Santa, I would like Scooter, Sling shot, shot gun, bulldog, swing set, bow and arrow, Karate suit, Guinea pigs, pony, corvette.

Love, Aaron Valencia

Dear Santa, I would like basket ball goal, Diamond bike, 503 Wheeler Turbo 35 race track, Weekly Reader Books.

Love, Matt Hampton

Dear Santa, I would like a Scooter, and a cradle a keyboard, a radio.

Shanna Weatherly

Dear Santa, I would like, Video art, Teddy bear.

Kirt Boedeker

Dear Santa, I would like BBS, Bow and Arrows, Scooter, stuffed dog, bicycle brake, radio controlled bulldozer, toy truck, walkey talkies.

Name, Jason Carter

Dear Santa, I would like Cabbage Patch doll, Pound Puppy, shoes.

Lee Scales

Dear Santa, I would like Race car, coat, puppy, B-B gun, and some B-B's, TV.

Name Jed Brooks

Dear Santa, I would like watch, bike, clock, keyboard, book, Teddy Bear, 50-3 Wheeler, game, Turbo Dullely.

Michael Long

Dear Santa, I would like a tractor for Christmas and a gun so I can shoot brother back.

Love, James Chapman

Dear Santa, I would like tape player.

I love you Kara Emmert

Dear Santa, I would like Cabbage Patch doll, Hungry Hungry Hippo, Babby Stroller. For my moma Ring and for my Dad A horse trailer.

Dacia Bullock

Dear Santa, I would like makeup, Bike, Bell, Watch, Box, Doll, Cat, Kitchens, Book, Kite, Red Crayola.

Love: Lynna Watson

Dear Santa, I would like Barbie and car, baby talk? Watch, bike, Christmas Huglet, I Love You! Pants, goat, aquarium!

Love, Priscilla Anette Castro

Dear Santa, I would like a bee-bee gun and a chemistry set and a computer chest set and a thirty dollars and an intendo set and paper a pyhton.

Jamie Vise

Dear Santa, I would like Pound Puppy, football, scooter Atae 200, Blos fake Xmas tree rocking horse, guinea pig, monkey.

Davide Michael Davis

Dear Santa, I would like I Love You Supermarket, Scotter, Picnic table, Pound Puppy, Baby Cabbage Patch doll.

Kristen Marion

It's Christmas! Wishing you seasonal joy abloom with love and peace.

Steve, Gwen, Kara, Jordan & Drew Emmert

From all of us to all of you... a wish for a very Merry Christmas!

Rain Bow Monograms
Charles, Margaret, Darin, James & Janet Kuntz

A MERRY CHRISTMAS to all!

We'd like to extend our sincere appreciation to you and your families at this magical time of year.

Vise Energy

Dear Santa, I would like New shoes, books, video art, and stuffed Mickey Mouse.

Jennifer Shepard

Dear Santa, I would like video art, Hot wheel, racetrack, and a puppy. Also a swimming pool and books. Teddy Bear.

Chris Mick

Dear Santa,

I want a baby Heather and a little bitty backhoe. I also need some roller skates and Jem's boy friend Rio with a change of clothes. A popple sleeping bag would be nice also. In case your out of some of this stuff I would like a Barbie water bed. If there is such a thing as a Teddy Ruxpin Air Ship you can bring me one please.

Moopopers are another thing. I want a tape player of my own.

Thank you for all thoes things you are going to give for Christmas.

I love you Tina Santa From Tina

P.S. Also a Barbie Red Hot Farrarie like on T.V., and some of Jems Holograms, or all 3 of them and a telescope, too, please.

Dear Santa, I am five years old. I have been good. I want a tractor, truck, drill and snow boots.

Thank you, Jeremy Dale Smith

Dear Santa, I am 22 months old and have been a very good girl this year. Please bring me s Sesame Street Parade Cycle and a playskool "First" puzzle. Please don't forget where I live in Kelton, Texas and I'll leave something out for you.

Love, Leandra Lister

Santa, I want my Grandad and Grandmother Bryant to come to Virginia Christmas and see me. I have a game to play with my grandad and my slide and momy won't play it with me. I am 2 yrs. old.

Please bring my new baby sister, Micah some socks that will stay on her feet.

That's all I want, besides maybe a tricycle.

Rebekah Griswold Ruckersville, Va.

Dear Santa, Hi, is it afully cold on the North Pole? Well, I am looking forward to your visit on Christmas Eve. I would like a big old motorcycle if you think I have been good enough. I will leave my lights on for you to find my house and I will have some cookies and milk to snack on.

your favorit three year old Dee Alston

Dear Santa, I have been pretty good for a 4 year old boy. Please bring me a Dallas Cowboy football suit, a trampoline, and a race car set since Daddy won't let me play with his. Remember to bring Tera and Julie something.

Love, Nathan Hefley

Merry Christmas

As our friendship has ripened throughout the year, we wish to thank you one and all for your kind support.

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May this Christmas be trimmed with all things bright and beautiful!

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Briscoe News
 By Vetola Parker
 Thursday 10, December, Bonita (Parker) Hamon Birthday and it has slipped up on me.
 Claude Parker fell several times here lately, guess he got to suffering. They took him to Wheeler they x-rayed his hip, he has a broke hip seems it a clean break, just below that knob. They put him in an ambulance took him to St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo, we did not know it till this morning. He had surgery last night night 5 p.m. I talked to a nurse this morning. She said they put 4 pins in it. He was resting when I called, I could not get hold of anyone of family up there. Colie had a tore up stomach could not go this morning. They did not have him in intensive care. Nurse said a room 555, sure uneasy about him. He was barely getting along way it was.
 Monday my brother N.F. Young and Harmon Barry came down to hunt. We also have played 42, crazy bridge, moon, etc. They ate dinner with J.O. and Hoyle Helton Wednesday.
 Friday morning N.F. went home sure pretty this morning. Claude was doing as well as could be expected, I talked to Mable this morning.
 Thursday night Dec. 10, there was a

Briscoe Boy Scout meeting at the Boy Scout camp. They had a program on gun safety. Their scout master is Cecil Reynolds.
 Boys there were Danny Nelson, Jimmy Nelson, Donny Bell, Randy Finsterwald, Joe Bob Kinnaman, Corey Kinnaman.
 Harmon Barry went home Friday afternoon to Amarillo.
 Basketball tournament at Briscoe this weekend.
 Joshua and Travis Purcell went to Lindsey and Dallas Fillingim's Birthday party Friday eve or night. April stayed all night with Dana Trimble Friday night. Mac and Gaye Purcell

visited R. L. and Rozena Zybach Friday night. Ja'Na Goad visited the Purcells Friday afternoon.
 Mrs. Rebecca Blackburn visited her grandmother in Wheeler Sat. Robert Hall was visiting the Blackburns Saturday morning. Her grandmother is Bess Calwall.
 Pat and Amanda Childress are going to Sarye to visit Pat's folks, the Grady Bros, over the weekend.
 Eunice Edwards was going to pick Pearl Williams up. They were going to shop and going to the drawing.
 Walter and Patricia Hand are still working on their new home. Their son, Monty had a cold; he is 4. They

are hoping to move in their house by January first.
 Cathy Hunt went on the truck with Melvin, they have been gone 2 weeks. They were in Nevada all way up to New Jersey. They sure see a lot of Country.
 Briscoe PTA Christmas program will be 7 p.m. the 21 Dec. Their class partys are 23 Brenda Johnson told me.
 Travis Keelin visited his sister Ethel Gillenwater in Pampa hospital Friday. We wish for Ethel a speedy recovery.
 Doc and Iolene Wilhelm's visitors over the weekend are Rusty, Belinda,

Jarrold, Melody and Marcus Cole from Amarillo.
 Claude Parker was in therapy this Saturday morn. I hope it isn't too severe, like some are. Oh yes, the Coles have a friend with them, Shana Michael from Colorado.
 Saturday, 12, getting colder by the hour.
 Mattie shopped in Wheeler Saturday and visited in Wheeler Care Center.

Sunday morning, my sister, Hoyle, called; said, are you up and at it. I had woke and went back to sleep; it was 8:30. She said have you looked out? I had not, our ground was covered then. At 10:30 it looked like an inch and half or more. We did not make it to church.
 Monday morn, every school in the area is closed today. We are all suppose to get more snow today. Guess we will not have a mail carrier and we sure can't get out, so no news of Briscoe be in the paper this week.
 My brother in Panhandle, N. F., called around 2 P.M. yesterday, Sunday, he said a 3 ft drift of snow was in his drive way. He was out of milk, he wanted Colie to bring him some milk—Ha!
 I don't think we had as much wind as others. We have ice cycles 2 ft. long on south of our house. Don't think they are growing now at 8 a.m.
 My brother, N. F., went outside to smoke the other nite, he came running back in; said, "There is something up the road happening. It looked like a batch of cars stopped or something." He said, "Colie, come out here." So Colie went outside. They came back in; Colie said it was David Zybach's Christmas decorations on his house. We can see his house real good. It looks like it is on fire.
 Tuesday morn, Eddie and Lee George broke out road. Mac Purcell broke it Monday morn. Wind just leveled it up again. It will stay open now for a while; no wind, no snow falling.
 Called Tolene, they are going to get to come sometime Christmas. Hate to see her come, she gets sick. She is bringing her whole bunch, I think. Not little Michael tho.
 Gene and Norma Keelin and children and Joey and Risa Keelin and children visited Travis and Rosalee Keelin Sunday.
 Tuesday morn at 8 a.m.; the sun is out. No wind. Everything outside looks quiet and peaceable. Our school bus did not run again today. The snow blew back in the road as fast as the grader dug it out.
 Irene and Ruby Zybach were doing ok. They did not have any news; probably the rest won't. Ruby said both of their outside doors were froze to this morn.
 Rozena Zybach said they celebrated Melody and Joshua's birthday Sunday. All of R. L. and Rozena's families were there, Rozena said they never saw icles.
 We have 4 ft. ice cycles hanging from our roof south of our windows.
 We hated to hear about Mike Goad and Leonard Powlledge, Jr., and Horace Fillingim's head-on wreck yesterday.
 Tolene and family just had 6 inches of snow on ground Tuesday.
 The school bus just ran Wednesday morn for first time this week, 15 degrees in Amarillo.

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AIN'T IT THE TRUTH
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 Had about forgotten Runty, maybe you never knew Runty but he was our neighbors dog right across the street, pettigree! No I hardly think he had one of them, I don't even know if he was a Democrat or Republican and I'm sure he never had one of them pedigrees, no not Runty, he was too busy chasing cats, rabbits and any other thing that would run from him, quite a dog that Runty. Then we had so many more dogs there in the Capital that were a treasured part of the Society, member Ole Blue, I think that Blue was mostly Airdale and Lazy at least that is the way I member him, he resided there with the Storys, the first house west of the Pool Hall on the north side of the City Drug. Yep Ole Blue was in individual, he never won any honors for catchin rabbits or even chasing them, he figerd if they didn't get into his grub there behind Bradford's Cafe he wouldn't bother them. Blue, Babe and Doug Story were a team and had fun just being kids with their favorite Dog.
 I never knew Old Pup, Judge Miller's dog but some of the older ones did and knew that Judge Miller loved that Bird Dog, I think he even fined someone and knew that Judge Miller loved that Bird Dog. I think he even fined someone or so the story goes, for kicking Old Pup.
 Guess I better get ready to get this in the mail.
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THE NIGHT JESUS WAS BORN
 By Marie Fulk
 There was no burning fireplace
 No tinsel hung around;
 Just the warmth of animals breathes
 As they lay on Holy ground.
 There was no room in the Inn that night
 For Mary "Great With Child"
 Jesus came to redeem all the creatures of Earth
 Whether Meek or Wild.
 Our Saviour came to Earth that night,
 By way of Virgin Mary;
 He came to redeem all animals too
 As same as all creation.
 The Shepards were in the field that night
 Watching or'r the sheep
 When suddenly the Angels appeared
 saying
 In voices rich and deep.
 This is the Saviour of the world
 Born tonight in Bethlehem
 He came to all the human race
 Who would believe on him.
 The wise men saw the Star that night
 Gifts they had to bring;
 Way in the East God showed them the child
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 For God's gift to man;
 We need to give ourselves to Jesus
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Santa Letters

WHEELER FIRST GRADE MRS. NABORS

Dear Santa, I would like a doll, Barbie doll. A barby with a watch.
Maribel Salas

Dear Santa, I would like a doll Barbie and the Rockers a dress and shoes a four wheeler, boots.
Daye

Dear Santa, I would like a guetar bike, race track, four wheeler, ACR G-I-U I want to see, an army tank, cake, new underwear.
Mikey Alley

Dear Santa, I would like a teddy bear, electric piano, musical reindeer, trampoline.
Erica Burrell

Dear Santa, I would like, racetrac, a dirt bike, controlruc, puppy, 4-wheeler, blue-bird and cage, remote controlled rocket star.
Ernesto Martinez

Dear Santa, I would like a books, bookshelf, barbies, desk, bike, wathes, Choo Choo, bird, markers, pony, pony set sandles, keyboard, Care Bare.
Wendy Pinder

Dear Santa, Would like a BB gun, baby sister, cop car, fish, bird, remote control S and A roled jeep.
Love, Floyd Lewis

Dear Santa, I would like a bicycle, Scooter, BB gun, Snow suit, snow boots.
Love, Alan Gill

Dear Santa, I would like a giant robot of video camra for the tv, bike, keyboard, a go cart, waterproof watch, two robots, laser tag, 4 wheeler, a remote control submarine, radio, a chook bord, a dox of cars, shoes size two.
Justin

Dear Santa, I would like a Optimist Prime.
Love, Ben Britt

Dear Santa, cat. I would like a jem. Scooter, forever friend, red convertible car, keyboard, trampoline, Teddy Ruxpin, Hot Looks.
Lacey

Dear Santa, I would like a doll, stuffed animal, a necklace, and Keyboard, Moon-dreamer, cook set, coloring book, trampoline.
Rachel

Dear Santa, Xmastree, I would like lunhbox, a dog, tankertoy, radio, remote car, dirt bike, controlt rain rabbit, four wheeler all watch, talken Alf, sokball, turdle.
Bruce

Dear Santa, I would like a teddy bear, bike, keyboard, premes, radio, watch.
Angela Michell Jolly Amj

Dear Santa, I would like a The USS Flag, intendo, Etch-a-Sketch, keyboard, musical reindeer, racetrack, building blocks projecture, drums.
Love, Jason

Dear Santa, I would like a control car, dog, keyboard, clockwatch, G.I. Joe.
Keenan Burton

Dear Santa, I would like a gun for real, G.I. Joe kit and ghost buster slime gun, girlfriend, colors 2 2, bike, Mustang pickup U 3 remote control car, coca-cola watch.
Love, Will

Dear Santa, I would like a new Baby sister, cards, Cabbage Patch Premie. Love Kiss, Hot Looks, swingset, bedspread, tapes, coloring books, puffalump, stoking, black cat.
Love, Alli Moore

Dear Santa, I would like a G.I. Joe Remote Comtrole Car, Remote Comtrole Train Set, Desk, Trampoline, clothes Rock and Roll guitar, Keyboard.
Landon Miller

Dear Santa, I would like a board, car, Teddy Ruxpin, dirt bike, GI Joe and cookset the USS Flag car, a play barn.
From Gabriel Ramos, Love

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas! How are you? I have been a pretty good girl this year. I would like to have an Alpheie II for Christmas. Please don't forget my brother Clay.
Love, Casey Zybach Age 4 Briscoe, Texas

Dear Santa, I would like a bicycle, G.I. Joe Walkie-Talkie, and My Pet Monster. There will be chocolate cookies and milk on the table for you.
Love, Justin Chapman Age: 5

Dear Santa, I have been well I'm 4 years old but purty good and I would like a toy tool set and a Big Teddy Bear.
Thank You, Love, From Christopher Saucier

Dear Santa, I have almost been good this year. I am 2 years old and what I would like this year is a big truck PS and snow.
Thank You, Love, From Joseph Saucier

Dear Santa, I try to be good. Please bring me a pair of blue boots, Duel wheeled tractor, a work bench with tools, a sing-a-long radio and Lego's. I am 6 years old. You can find me in Albuquerque at Aunt Pat's house.
Love, Kyle Masters

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Dear Santa, Please bring me a radio and recorder, soccer table game, army knife, binoculars and some table and army pants and shirt.
Love, Matt Sullivan

Dear Santa, Please bring me a power workshop, music maker and drum set. Don't forget Matt.
Love, J.R. Sullivan

Will leave you some cookies and milk on the table.
Love, Mark

Dear Santa, Please bring me Alf, soccer ball, football helmet, and please don't forget Matt.
Love, Mark

Dear Santa, I have been good most of the time. Please bring me a army knife, soccer game, walkie talkies, Zap-it gun, bubble gum, a radio control car and power work shop.
Don't forget my brother. Love, Gavin McQueen

Dear Santa, I have been very good. Please bring me ghost buster gun, air force defense set, and a radio controlled car.
Love You Very Much, Dee Auston

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bubble gum and machine, Mickey Mouse, wagon, and football, and gun. Don't forget candy and nuts.
Love, Matt

Dear Santa, Please bring me transformers, GI Joe air planes, ghostbusters set, and Butler robot and airhead game.
Thank you, Love, Creede McQueen

Dear Santa, I have been good part of the time. Please come to see me and bring me a popples, Barbie and Little Cycle.
Love, Kari

Dear Santa, Please bring me a ghost zapper, ghost buster set, remote car, magic shot, space blaster, air head game and truck, attack vehicle.
Thank you, don't forget the rest of the family. Love, Will Smith

Dear Santa, I have been very good. Come to see me and bring me a talking parrot, popples and Baby Heather, dream secret.
I will have milk and cookies on Christmas Eve. Love, Lacey Bryant

Dear Santa, I am five years old and have been a good boy most of the time. Please bring me a ghostbuster set, Horrorcon robot, Bull dog M.A.S.K. and space vehicle launch.
Don't forget my three brothers. I will leave some milk and cookies on the coffee table. Love, Doug Helton

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me some trucks and lots of candy.
Merry Christmas, Joe Don Glassey

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Dear Santa,
I have tried to be a good boy this year. For Christmas I would like a race car with a remote-control, and a magnifying and a electric tooth brush. Bring the other boys and girls some stuff to play with.

Otis Stuart

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like to have a remote control car and a bicycle. Please put some BB's in my stocking. Please bring the other kids some nice gifts. I will leave you some milk and cookies.

Your Friend,
Justin Atkins

Dear Santa

MOBEETIE THIRD GRADE

Dear Santa Claus,
For Christmas I would like a VCR and a tape of the wolf man that stars Lon Chaney Jr. and a Street machine, bicycle and a pellet gun and a computer.

Love, Zak Durham

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a bicycle and a new T.V., pound purry, I really want a new telephone. It seems that I want Miss Piggy telephone, and a V.C.R.

Love, Katrina

Dear Santa,
I want a bike, hat, Super Turbo train, scooter, T.V., glob, popple, Hot Wheels, toy gun, calendar, toy plane, bow and arrow and a Teddy Bear, and a stomper and watch.

Love, Josh

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a tape player, a mini T.V., a tape, and a piano. And most of all I want twin boy Cabbage Patch premies and lots of clothes for them. Also I want a telephone.

Love, Meagan

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a watch, Barbie, Tape player, and a new mini van. And I want a Cabbage Patch twins girls, Pound Puppy, and a trailer house. I want a baby stroller. And my brother wants a big mask car, transformer, watch and a baseball cards, a telephone and thats what I want too.

Sincerely, Katie Jo

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a remote control car. And I would like a Big Foot stomper.

Love, Archie

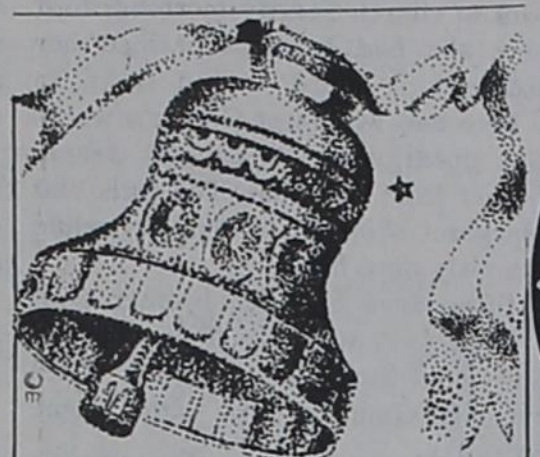
Dear Santa Claus,
For Christmas I want a watch that you can change the bands on. It comes in pastel colors. I also want a V.C.R.

Love, Sarah Hale

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a BB gun, Big Foot Remote control car and some neat clothes. Bring some things for

my little sister and brother. I'll put some cookies and milk out for you.

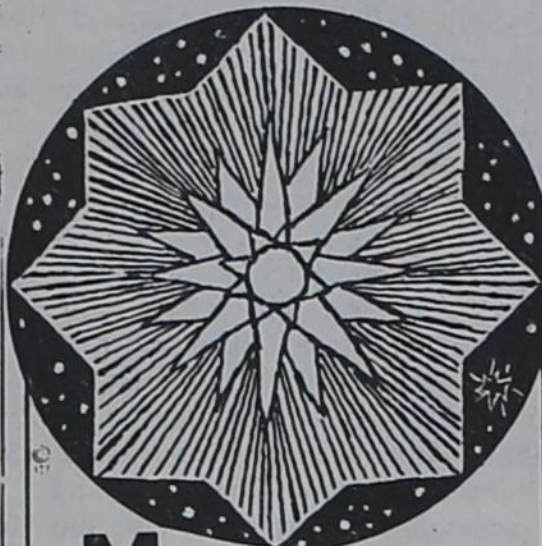
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Heath Allen



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Dear Santa,
I have been very good all year. Please bring me a Barbie car, a scooter and a baby Julie doll with a dollhouse. Bring the rest of my family some nice things too.

Thank You,
Korina Lopez

Dear Santa,
I have been pretty good this year. Would you please bring me remote control pick-up and a talking Alf. Please bring my little brother an Alf also.

Thank You,
Nicholas Thomas

Dear Santa,
I would like a remote control car, and a BB gun. I will be very careful with it. Bring my Mom some pretty new shoes.

Your Friend,
William Heinz

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Barbie doll and some clothes, swimming suit, a house with it, a girl and a boy baby with swimming suits and swimming rings for the boy and girl. That is it.

Jennifer Burrell
P.S. Thank you too.

Dear Santa,
I want a Julie, that doll that can talk and understand you. And I would like to have a walkie-talkie.

Thanks,
Amanda Calcote

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a playhouse for Christmas. Although I can write pretty poems, I might send one to you.

And when you come, make sure that you bring all the toys that you like to bring.

Written By Micah Higgs
KELTON SECOND GRADE

Dear Santa,
I would like a radio and some tapes and some G.I. Joe men, air 17 gun and BB's Electronic battleship.

Thank You,
Will Wheeler
Age: 8
2nd Grade Kelton School

Dear Santa,
I would like a pogo ball and a etch a sketch, speak and spell.

Thank You,
Your Friend,
Elissa Ray
2nd Grade Kelton School
KELTON THIRD GRADE

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am very fine. I want a motorcycle, radio and a tape and a calculator, watch, a dog and a pair of skates, Electronic Battleship.

Thank You,
Your Friend,
Jeremy Lewis
3rd Grade Kelton School

Dear Santa,
I want a radio and a horse and a pogo ball and a bike and a watch. Barbie Make Me Pretty and a pair of skates, Sorry game and Battleship.

Your Friend,
Annette Lopez
3rd Grade Kelton School
KELTON FOURTH GRADE

Dear Santa,
Will you bring me a gun that is called laser tag game kit. I would like it very much if you bring me a radio controlled boat. How are you getting around these past months? Hope you make it to every ones house. Merry Christmas.

Stephen Hildebrand
4th Grade Kelton I.S.D.

Santa Letters

Dear Santa,
I haven't been grounded very much this year. I would like Barbie's Ice Cream Shop, a basketball and goal and a computer, and please bring Jarrod a robot, a fish and a transformer. (I'm 6. He's 1½. He's not old enough to be grounded.) Thanks.

Love,
Jennifer Haning

Dear Santa,
I've been as good as can be expected of a 1½ year old. Please bring me a ball and lots of presents to tear the paper off of. My Sissy wants a basketball goal. Thank you.

Love,
Jarrod Haning

Dear Santa,
I would like a ghostbuster house, and everything else that goes with it, and a new baby sister. I have been a good boy!

Love,
Christopher Gallagher

Dear Santa,
My name is Tiffany. I have 2 brothers and a new baby sister. Please bring my sister, Heather, a doll.

My brother, Michael, would like a Big Wheel.
My brother, Dustin, would like a tractor.

I would like a Baby Heather doll.

We Love You,
Tiffany,
Michael,
Dustin,
Heather Hampton

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I am 9 years old and I would like lots of candy, nuts, and apples in my stocking and everyone to be healthy for Christmas.

Thank You,
Love, Paul Saucier

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year, so would you bring me, a survival knife and a set of dictionaries. And a set of laser tag and a walkman head set and a cowboy suit. Have you been feeling good this year? Merry Christmas.

Your Friend,
Doug Atkins

4th Grade Kelton I.S.D.
Dear Santa Claus,
How have you been since last

Christmas? I have been good all year. Would you bring me a Cabbage Patch Kid and a Talking Cabbage Patch Kid too. I would also like a matching ring and necklace. Bring me a little chalk board and some chalk. Also bring me a little baby doll and a walker. I will leave some cookies and a glass of milk.

Merry Christmas and
Happy New Year To All,
Misty Jones
4th Grade Kelton I.S.D.

Christmastime...
From us to you, have a very merry Noel!

Ray, Glenda, Misty & Dee Dee King

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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

And to All — a wish from us to you for a holiday filled with love. Many thanks.

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Christmas inspires us with the joy of giving and the inner fulfillment of sharing. It is in this spirit that we share with you our thoughts of thanks.

C. R. Anthony's
in
Shamrock

DEAR SANTA I HAVE BEEN A VERY GOOD BOY SO GIVE ME A TOY PLEASE
PETTY

Allison News

By Christine Gilmer

Psalms 113-2 & 3:

Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time forth and for evermore.

From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same the Lord's name is to be praised.

We got rain Saturday it began with thunder and lightning early Saturday morning around four o'clock. Still seems a little strange to me for us to have thunder a lightning in December, a few years ago we never heard it at this time of the year. The rain did help to melt a lot of the snow, was a cold rainy day for Bob Dukes auction sale but they went right on with the sale, and was a lot of people there even though the weather was bad.

Family members and friends gathered together last Saturday the 19th, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Begert and their family on their 25th anniversary. Tim and Conie Petsch hosted the affair in their home on 1153 Sugarloaf in Amarillo.

All enjoyed the noon meal and then the honorees opened their gifts. After supper the family opened gifts and bid each other goodbye.

Families present were the Argoec from Clarendon and Borger, the Ruben May's from Allison, The Lieb family from Stinnett, Begert's from Canyon, the Welch's of Amarillo, and Janice Begert and her fiancé Michael Matthews of Amarillo.

Debbie Rucker went out to Bessie Gidden's last Saturday for a short time and took her a Christmas gift, very thoughtful of Debbie.

Last Saturday Bruce and Pearl Harrison made a business trip to Elk City.

On Sunday dinner guest at Bruce and Pearl's were Vivian and Ronnie Wallace, Louise and Clifton Boydston, Kim and Kimber, Cheryl and Sabrina Badillo, Wanda Walker, Melissa, Melody, Jonathan and Justin.

Bob and Lou Cornell, Anthony and Judi Cornell attended the Christmas party, last Saturday night at the Care Center in Wheeler said everything was real nice and a lot of Christmas goodies. They were there to help Bob and Anthony's mother Gertrude celebrate Christmas.

Don and Patsy Stinnett left last Friday going back to Colorado to their home there for the Christmas Holidays.

Ruby Craig's little grandson Ryan Farmer spent last Saturday night with his grandmother Ruby. Saturday evening Billy and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler visited with Ruby and Ryan. Ruby gave me the wrong weight last week for her little new grandson Tyler, his weight at birth was 8 lbs. ¼ ozs. and not 8 lbs. and 4 ozs.

This Monday morning in Allison, its completely cloudy and cold, but the weather man says the next two days will be warmer. That will be nice but did hear them mention something about snow later in the week, maybe a white Christmas. As for myself just as soon it wouldn't be, but it will be what it will be, after all tomorrow, Tuesday is the first day of winter, felt like it started a couple of week's ago.

Velma Williams from Amarillo is spending the Christmas Holidays with her daughter and husband Leola and J.R. Black. She plans to be with them

for two weeks.

J.R. Black and his mother Ona was in Amarillo last Monday for Ona to see the doctor there.

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Opal and Juanita Boydston shopped in Shamrock last Friday and came back through Wheeler on their way home and ate supper.

Anita Childress from Groom is visiting her parents, Jake and May Bell Childress for two weeks through the Christmas Holidays.

Elton and Becky Steelman and family and a friend Eddie Dickey from Corn, Oklahoma spent last Sunday and Sunday night with Mike and Teresa Dyer and family, and attended the Christmas program at the Baptist Church Sunday night with Mike and Teresa.

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before they hang anything up again.)

Kenneth and Peggy Chandler's weekend guest were Ronnie and Marki Stringer from Temple, Oklahoma, Cindy Burrus, Tiffany and Bret from Canyon, Brad and Sue Chandler, Jana and Bridget from Wheeler, Willis and Verna Fillingim from Briscoe were also Saturday dinner guests. Kenneth and Peggy were having an early Christmas with their family.

Ronnie and Ruth Chadwick's Sunday guest were Art and Wynette Dahlgren and sons, Dale and Kris from Altus, Oklahoma. They spent the day and attended both services at the Baptist Church with Ronnie and Ruth.

Verne and Susie Lohberger and granddaughter Dawn and Cliff and Dorothy Walker of Briscoe visited with Myrle Hunter at Pampa last Saturday and their cousin Mr. and Mrs. Cy Crawford from Cedar Rapids, Iowa was also visiting there. Alan and Sheryl Lane, Laurie and Jimmy Alan went to Pampa last

Saturday evening and did some shopping and took the children around to see the Christmas decorations and lights.

It was good to have Jennie Walker back at church Sunday morning, first time she had been back since her accident.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer's weekend guest were Becky and Jeanie Gilmer from Amarillo. The girls and Margaret shopped in Wheeler while the girls were here.

Effie Hays and her brother Paul Wright went to Amarillo last Friday and spent the night with their sister Virginia Remling and came home Saturday.

William and Vicki Lay and children from Dallas were weekend visitors in the home of Monroe and Nadine

Reynolds.

Claude and Mabel Parker came home last Friday from the Amarillo hospital. Mabel said Claude is doing pretty good. He is getting around with a wheel chair and a walker. Mabel stayed with her son Ray Ault at night and at the hospital with Claude through the day while at Amarillo.

It's getting close to eleven o'clock this Monday morning and the sun is now out. Look's like it could be a nice day after all.

Roy and Senora Morse's Sunday dinner guests were Vance and Caroline Boydston, Kevin and Kyle.

(To a friend's house, the road is never long.)

I am wishing everyone a Very Merry Christmas!



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Saturday night with Herk and Elnita Atkins.

Thursday Jap and Alice Bailey visited in Amarillo with Alice's three sisters, Alta Lamb, 91 years, Dot Phillips, 88 yrs. and Chobrine Spurrell.

Drew and Beverly Godwin from Abernathy visited last weekend with her parents Austin and Bernice Caldwell.

James and Alisha and John Moffett went Christmas shopping Saturday in Amarillo and visited Alisha's mother Margaret Moore and Diane.

Floyce and Tommy Corcoran from Pampa visited Saturday with Bill and Leatha Corcoran. All went down and visited with Peeler and Evelyn Haning who have moved a house to the old Haning place and are building on it to move down to Mobeetie.

Jud Rector's brother Virgil and his wife Juanita from Havanah, Arkansas and Melba Dale and Scotty Corcoran visited Jud and Lorene over the weekend.

Visitor's last week in the home of Tince and Leona Williams were Inez Moore, Alice Corse, John and Virginia Williams from Azel, Foy Farmer, Walter Coward, Friday Kathy Dunn, Mattie and Tafney from Wheeler, Leola Stuart, Pierce Walker, Peggy Dunn, from Canadian, Pauline Hooker sent a beautiful German Chocolate Cake.

Doyle and Bulah Grimes recently visited in Elkhart, Kansas with Jerry, Phillis and Derinda Tucker. Shanna and Dixie were both home from College so they had a very nice visit.

Drew Godwin from Abernathy ate dinner Saturday with Jess and Gazelle Patterson.

Care Center Comments

By Lois

What had been planned to be a very busy week for the residents was completely turned around by all the ice and snow. There were so many people that had to cancel. Please feel free to come see us anytime you can.

Monday morning many of our staff members had trouble getting to work or didn't make it at all. Everyone else pitched in and helped out. Whatever needed to be done, someone was there to do it. Everybody did an excellent job and should be commended. There were even some that stayed over, slept a few hours and went backed to work. We are very grateful to these people. I don't want to mention any names for fear of leaving someone out, everyone just pulled together.

Mary Bledsoe was kind enough to conduct our Bible Study class on Monday morning. Mildred Porter couldn't make it and had asked Mary to help out. Thank you Mary, we enjoyed it.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Hyatt came for Family Alter. Rosalie Keelin played the piano while we sang Christmas Carols. Thanks to both of you for being there. We sometimes pull Rosalee off the floor and ask her to play for us. We appreciate her so much. Mr. Hyatt made a trip to Mobeetie to get some of our nurses aides who couldn't get to work. This staff will surely melt someday, we hope!

Thank you to Mrs. L.D. Moore for the gift subscription to Reader's Digest, the large print is so much easier for some of our residents to read.

Wednesday morning after Current Events we held our Resident Council meeting for this month. We had a very good discussion about several things. We tried to clear up a few things about our Family Christmas Party.

Our Auxiliary came in the afternoon and gave the residents a beautiful party. The ladies set up a table in the hallway and served the residents in the lobby. The punch and cookies were delicious. Sylvia Brown was kind enough to play Christmas music for us while everyone was being served. Thank You. Santa Claus even came to say "Hello" to everyone. He had a request for many things including 3 sets of teeth. He said he would do his best. We want to say Thank You to all the Auxiliary Ladies and to Santa for a wonderful time.

Thursday morning Fern Young and

Leola and Calvin Stuart visited Monday in Erick, Oklahoma with Leola's mother Mrs. T.A. Richardson and Dean and Iva Richardson.

Charlotte Coward and Diane Jones from Borger went to Houston last week and visited with Kerry and Louis Cox. They left on Sunday evening for Austin where Diane will take her test to be a beauty operator.

Gerald Gudel from Oklahoma City was here Saturday to see about his father Gene who was in the Parkview Hospital.

Joe Kelley, Steve Corse and Leslie Harrison left early Saturday morning flying to Lake Tahoe for a weeks vacation skiing.

Ellis Locke celebrated his 80th birthday last Friday and Saturday. He was the first basketball coach to ever teach in Mobeetie. He was honored at the Homecoming 2 years ago and is Kay Batton's cousin.

Aline Corse spent Thursday visiting with Pierce and Nettie Walker.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mobeetie school will be dismissed on December 18th, 2:30 for the Christmas Holidays.

School Christmas Program was Thursday, Dec. 17th, 7:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

PICKERS AND GRINNERS

The Pickers and Gridders met on Dec. 8th in the home of Elizabeth Richardson. Refreshments were served to the following: Charles Mixon, Marion and Ethel Grimes, Lee Hibler and children Mike and Joanne, Ada Lou Lester, Marion Merz, Carl and Fay Lafflin, Sid and Carrie Harris, Elizabeth Richardson.

Rozena Zybach came for the Inspirational. They sang some beautiful songs. Everybody always enjoys their coming.

Thursday afternoon I was busy running people back and forth to the Dr's office, but Ann Ellison and LaJune Alexander came to pop popcorn. Thank you ladies very much.

Friday morning our copy machine is finally fixed so I can start printing my NEWSLETTER. Mr. Hyatt has decided we need a small newsletter so I'm going to give it my best shot. It will include our monthly calendar, administrators note, and note from our Director of Nurses, also anything else I can talk anyone into contributing. I hope I can make it worth reading.

We still have a few in the hospital Jack Mathieson, Eugene Gudel and Lera Weehunt. I think they are all doing better.

Saturday we held our biggest party of the year. Our Family Christmas Party is very important to our residents because it's when almost everyone's family comes and joins in the festivities. This year we tried something new. Instead of a sit down dinner we invited all the family members to come and attend a "Hall Party". Each family brought snack trays and goodies to eat. We just visited up a storm. Residents and families moved from hall to hall visiting and looking at all our decorations. A fine time was enjoyed by all. Santa came to pass out the gifts. Many of our staff came to help with the party. I would like to say "Thank You Very Much" to all that came and helped as well as the staff that was already on duty. It takes everyone to get the job done.

I would like to mention Frankie Ratiiff and Fern Young who really topped off the party by playing the guitar and singing Christmas Carols up and down each hall. Thank you both so much. We love you.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Special Welcome To Senior Citizens

A special welcome to all Senior Citizens 60 years and older to our first meeting of the New Year. January 4th, 1988 at 6 o'clock p.m. at the back of the Old Nicholson hospital. Bring a covered dish and join in the fellowship and fun. A special program is being planned.

Thank You

Merry Christmas

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Thanks, all.



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Love, Tosha D'Ann Patterson

Dear Santa,

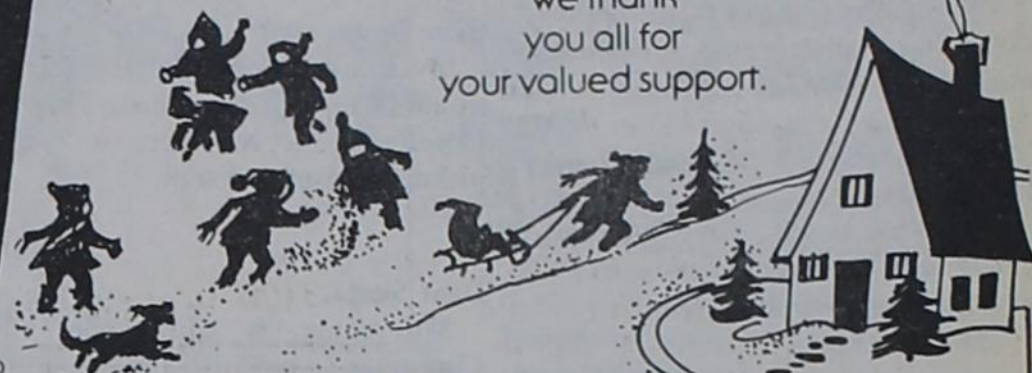
I would like to have a bike, the Nintido, a lambergini, my own house, a real helicopter, my own restaurant, a trampoline, a stereo, a pool, a park, an Odyssey, a skatbord, a foot ball, a sokerball, an air plane, and parashot, new clothes, a new hot air ballon.

Love, Jason Kinkead

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Love,

Zonia Zepeda

Dear Santa,

I would like a black mask toy and a Head master transformer.

Love, Bryan Judd

Dear Santa,

I would like money and a remote control car and some toys.

Love, Paul Arganbright

Dear Santa,

I would like a doll, collering book, toy and farmer set.

Love, BJ Carpenter

Dear Santa,

I would like sum clothes and a little truck and a remote control jet.

Love, Albert Trejo

Dear Santa,

I want Jem, and a bike, and a lady lovely locks, and some pompoms, and a trampoline and a puppy.

Love,

Griselda Salas

Dear Santa,

I want a T.V., jewelry box, Jumbo love, chalk board, markers, clothes, trampoline, Cabbage Patch, piano, fan, sockerball, stereo, play house, earrings, popple, Alleycat, Lovely Locks, pound puppy, and a flower making basket.

Love,

Sally Smith

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a ZuZuki, 2 30 4 wheeler, and a blue and black helmet not a football helmet a helmet that you ride 4 wheelers, and a jean jacket.

Love,

Buford Layne McCasland

Dear Santa,

I want a toy mouse, trick bike, be be gun, goat car, and desk and light to work with.

Jeremy Davis

Dear Santa Claus,

I would like a bike and new school clothes and a trampoline and a puppy and an Alleycat and a My Little pony.

Love, Marisa Ramirez

Santa Letters

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Dear Santa,

I want a jam box, a coca-cola shirt, and a minature trampoline and a camouflagage coat, and a billfold.

Your Friend,

John Porter

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a new bike and a new stereo like my mom's. I would also like a big basketball goal and a pogo ball.

I would like twin beds and a cooking set where I can practice cooking. I would like a basketball and a key board. I would also like an Atari set.

Love,

Stacie Jo Dukes

Dear Santa,

I want a football, remote control car, Bigfoot, a talking computer, and a police set. Christmas is my best holiday. Merry Christmas.

Love,

Ramon Meraz

Dear Santa,

I wish I had one pair of sonic rangers, two mask cars, buzzered, mayham, a drum with plastic centers with symbols, a guitar, one talking grubby, one gun case, some real arrows, a wooden baseball bat, one robot, robie, J.R., and a bicycle chain and seat.

Your Friend,

Carl Wade Brickey

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want a pogo ball, remote control car, a set of drums and a Atari.

Your Friend,

Matt Miller

Dear Santa,

This is what I would like for Christmas: A baby pound puppy, a jam box, pound purry kitten, purple boots, gold ring, silver necklace, pink and purple watch and a white teddy bear with a red bow on it.

Your Friend,

Kalli Jo Bradstreet

Dear Santa,

What I want for Christmas is a real nice stereo with a record player with it. I want a flower making basket too. I want a horse too since my horse died.

Your Friend,

Hillary LeAnn Mitchell
Merry Christmas

Dear Santa,

This is what I want for Christmas! Mr. Game Show and a Dallas Cowboy alarm clock. I would also like a Aggie shirt and hamster.

Love,

Dusty Case

Dear Santa,

I want a remote control car, a keyboard, some trucks, some cars, some clects, and some jeans and a record player, some records, some tapes, a soccerball, a baseball, a bat, a fishing pole, a case of fishing hooks, an Atari, some shirts and some markers.

From Cecil Pinder

Dear Santa,

I want my two front teeth, I want drums, and pogo ball.

Love, Shane Francis

Dear Santa Claus,

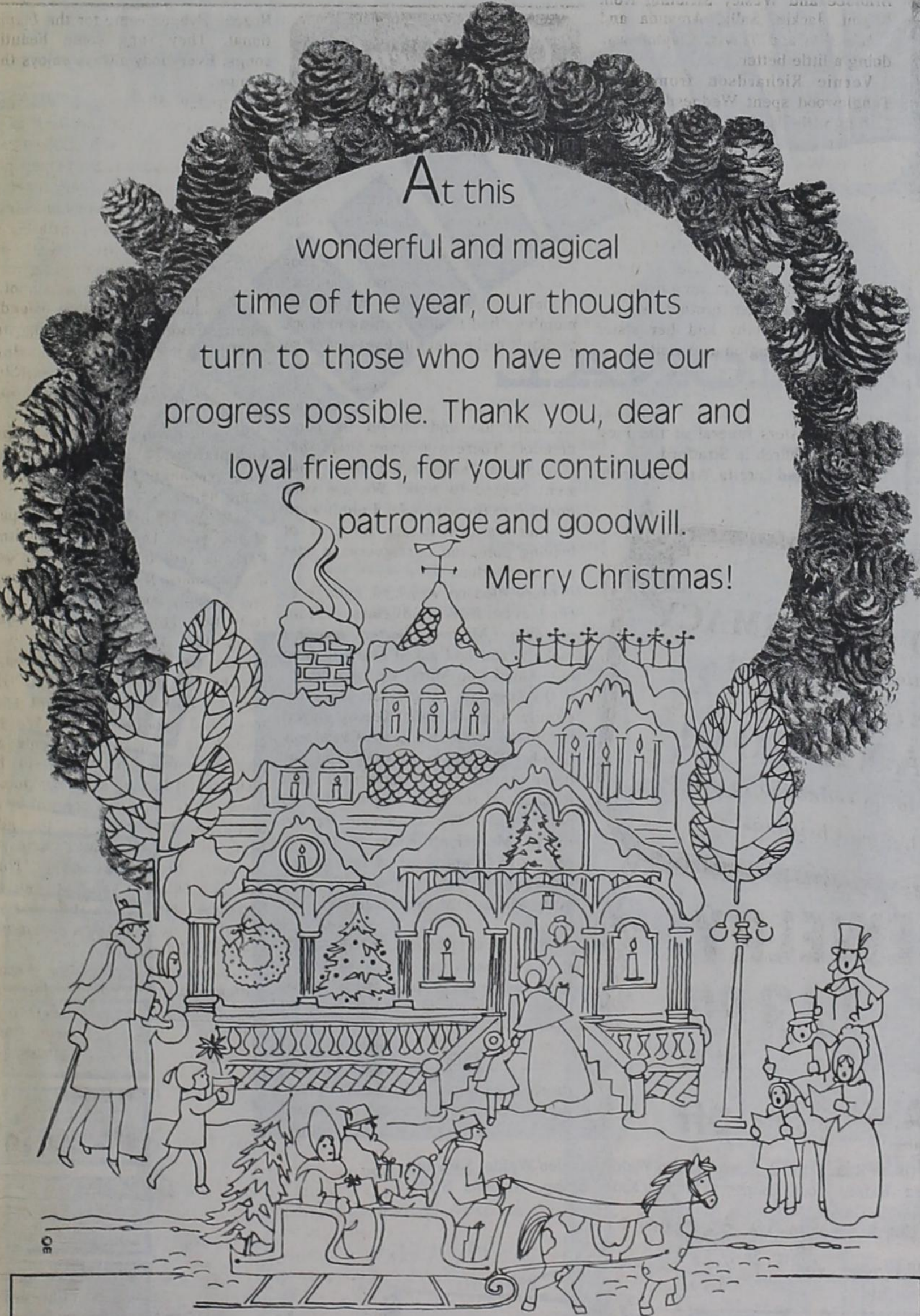
For Christmas I would like a talking cabbage patch kid. I would also like a new Barbie and the rocker set. I would like a Baby talking Heather. For Christmas I would also like a new bike that is checkered pink and white. The last thing I want is a cheerleading skirt.

Love,

Vanessa Baize

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Cally Hoover

Dear Santa,
My name is Eli. For Christmas I would like a bicycle, T.ddy Ruxpin, and a play Choo-Choo train.

Love,
Eli Castro

Dear Santa,
My name is Rafael. For Christmas I would like a bike.

Love,
Rafael Robles

Dear Santa,
My name is Kelby. For Christmas I would like a scooter and a tool box and an army suit, and Rudolph's suit and Teddy Ruxpin, a bow and arrow.

Love,
Kelby Ledbetter

Dear Santa,
My name is Jacinda. For Christmas I would like a bracelet, and I want a bike and a sewing machine, a cheer-leading suit and a camera.

Love,
Jacinda Watson

Dear Santa,
My name is Chris. For Christmas I would like a new bike, a playset, cars and trucks, and pencils.

Love,
Chris Umsted

Dear Santa,
My name is Trey. For Christmas I would like a new bicycle, a trampoline, a teddy bear, and play rattlesnake.

Love,
Trey Butler

Dear Santa,
My name is Kyla. For Christmas I would like a sleigh and a Light Bright and a play Choo-Choo train.

Love,
Kyla Pierce

Dear Santa,
My name is Jeremy. For Christmas I would like a drill and a saw, and show boots and a tractor and a truck.

Love,
Jeremy Smith

Dear Santa,
My name is Joe. For Christmas I would like a car, a teddy bear, a bicycle, and a Choo-Choo train.

Love,
Joe Lewis

Dear Santa,
My name is Joey. For Christmas I would like a Choo-Choo Train, a motorcycle, a reindeer, a car, a pickup, and play dough.

Love,
Joey Dial

Dear Santa,
My name is Christopher. For Christmas I would like a play dough, a teddy bear to sleep with, a play monkey to play with, a time out chair, and I will bring it to school.

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List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office for the week of December 11 thru December 17

DECEMBER 11, 1987
D—James Henry Hubble to Elizabeth Jane Britten Atchley, 11-24-87, W/2 SE/4 Sec 4 Blk A-4 Exc Life Estate to Mary Elva Wood
AOL—Charles W. Arnold to Sara Arnold Patterson, 11-17-87, E/2 Sec 49 Blk 23 157/ac Sec 30 Blk 23
AOL—Panther Oil & Gas Limited Partnership to Murexco Exploration and Development Limited Partnership, 11-2-87, Sec 38 Blk A-3
DECEMBER 14, 1987
ASSIGN—H. Edison Ellis, Jr. to Haaron, Inc., 12-9-87, Secs 15, 16, 22 Blk L J M Lindsey

ROL—L. C. Kung to Clifford Walser, et ux, 11-4-87, Sec 3 BS&F Survey

OL—Velma Skaggs to Sidwell Oil & Gas, Inc., 10-19-87, NE/4 exc S40 acs. exc 3.5 acs W 53 acs; NW/4 Sec 1 Blk A-2

OL—Brondell Skaggs to Sidwell Oil & Gas, Inc., 10-19-87, E54 ac NW/4 Sec 1 Blk A-2

OL—Kathryn Keeton to Sidwell Oil & Gas, Inc., 10-19-87, E53 -- W106 ac NW/4 Sec 1 Blk A-2

EXECUTRIX OL—Mamie Poole, et al to Dan E. Steed, 5-8-87, N/2 Sec 11 Blk 27

EXECUTRIX OL—Mamie Poole, et al to Dan E. Steed, 5-8-87, S/2 Sec 11 Blk 27

TRUSTEE OL—Kenneth Jackson Trust, et al to Dan E. Steed, 5-8-87, S/2 Sec 11 Blk 27

TRUSTEE OL—Kenneth Jackson Trust, et al to Dan E. Steed, 5-8-87, N/2 Sec 11 Blk 27

EXECUTRIX OL—Fred Jackson Estate to Dan E. Steed, 5-8-87, S/2 Sec 11 Blk 27

EXECUTRIX OL—Fred Jackson Estate to Dan E. Steed, 5-8-87, N/2 Sec 11 Blk 27

DECEMBER 15, 1987
UNIT DESIGN—Haber Exploration, Inc. to Gwendolyn D. Kordzik, et al, 10-26-87, NW/4 Sec 5 Blk L J M Lindsey Survey S/2 S/2 Sec 5 AB&M

OL—Lamoreaux Homes, Inc. to Haber Exploration, Inc., 11-20-87, NE/4 Sec 4 Blk L J M Lindsey Survey

OL—William W. Hamilton to Haber

Exploraton, Inc., 6-19-87, NE/4 Sec 4 Blk L J M Lindsey Survey

STATE TAX LIEN—State of Texas to Shop-A-Minit, Inc., 12-9-87

Partial RDT—The Fourth National Bank of Tulsa to Kevin Alan Easley, 11-23-87, Sec 25 Blk M-1

AOL & BILL OF SALE—Unit Corporation to Unit Drilling and Exploration Company, 12-3-87, Sec 60 Blk M-1

AOL & BILL OF SALE—Unit Corporation to Unit Drilling and Exploration Company, 12-3-87, Sec 28 Blk 43 RE

AOL & BILL OF SALE—Unit Corporation to Unit Drilling and Exploration Company, 12-3-87, W/2



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Sec 10 Camp County School Land

AOL & BILL OF SALE—Unit Corporation to Unit Drilling and Exploration Company, 12-3-87, N/2 Sec 12 Blk 1 B&B Survey

RDT—First National Bank in Wheeler to Joe R. Weatherly, et ux, 12-11-87, Und. 1/2 Int. S/2 Sec 54 Blk A-4 All Sec 53 Blk A-4

RDT—First National Bank in Wheeler to Joe R. Weatherly, et ux, 12-11-87, 120 ac Min Int NE/4 sec 38 Blk A-4 W/2 Sec 13 Blk A-4 E/2 Sec 66 Blk A-5

DECEMBER 16, 1987
RDT—Flora Wood to Kenneth Wischkaemper, et al, 8-12-85, Pt Lot 16 & Lots 17 & 18 Blk 4 OT, Shamrock D & ASSIGNMENT—E. E. Noble, et al to Ed Noble Trust, 4-26-84, Undivided Mineral Interest N/2 Sec 32 Blk A-4

STIP—W. C. Hefflefinger, et al to W. C. Hefflefinger, et al, 12-11-87, 18 ac Interest Sec 92 Blk 17

MML—Tejas Tongs, Inc. to Texaco, Inc., 12-15-87, Sec 48 Blk 24 Sec 48 Blk 249

RELEASE FED TAX LIEN—United States of America to Steven L. Simmons, et ux, 11-23-87

C/C PROBATE—Minnie M. Williams to Ex Parte, 11-12-87

DECEMBER 17, 1987
D—William H. Gunson, et ux to Isaac Ervin, Emmert, et ux, 12-7-87, S/2 Sec 50 Blk 13 Exc Mins

DT—Leroy Hagerman, et ux to Doster Heating and Air, 12-18-87, Sec. -- Blk A-7

ASSIGN—Anson Corporation to Anson Company, 12-9-87, Sec 2 Blk 1 B&B Survey & Sec 29 Blk RE

ASSIGN—Russell J Ramsland, Sr. to Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, 9-1-87, Sec 38 Blk A-9

DT—Ensource, Inc. to Wells Fargo Bank, 10-30-87, Sec 4 Blk 5 B&B Survey & Sec 77 Blk A-5

RDT—Chemical Bank to Wells Fargo Bank, 10-27-87

DT—Pangasco, Inc to Elizabeth C. Amis Trust, et al, 11-10-87, NE/4 NW/4 NW/4 Sec 33 Blk 24 N/2 NW/4 & NE/4 SE/4 Sec 9 Blk 27

ASSIGN—Murexco Petroleum, Inc. to Thomas M. Britt, et al, 2-13-86, Sec 38 Blk A-3

RDT—First State Bank of Mobeetie to Alvin O. Arganbright, et ux, 12-9-87, Lots 5-9 Blk 119 New Mobeetie

District Clerk's Filings: None

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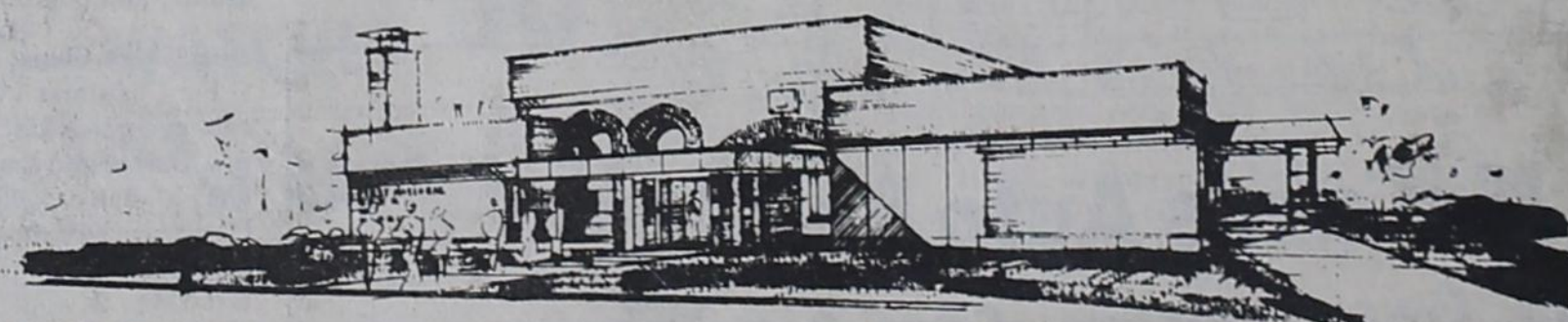
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We're delivering our fondest wishes to you, dear friends, for a very

Merry Christmas

M. Kent Sims & Family

Wheeler County Attorney

Dear Santa . . .
BRISCOE FIRST GRADE
MISS BATES CLASS

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you and Mrs. Claus? I am still teaching 1st grade in Briscoe, Texas. I have 8 girls and 5 boys in my room. They have worked hard this

year and I hope you make their Christmas very special. We need some new folders and some fish food. I hope you have a safe trip!

Love,
Miss Bates

P.S. I would like an exercise bike. Thank You!!!

Dear Santa Claus,
 Will you bring me sum spurs? I have bin a gud girl. I liv in Briscoe. I won't sum boots and jens.

Love,
Susie Luttrell

Dear Santa Claus,
 How is roodoft? Is his red nose shining? I have bin good. I wood like a dunk it basketball set. My baby bruther needs a doll. Mom wod like a book. Dad wood like a traler.

Love,
Ty Wood

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are your raine deer? How are you? Stop at my house? I wut a stuffed dog and boots. I will be in Bomont.

Love,
Allie Johnson

Dear Santa Claus,
 How it Rotof? I am doing good. I have been a good girl. I will not be in Briscoe on Christmas day I will be in Walsh, Colorado.

I wat a dunk it basketball, stuffed horse, barbie ice cream shop, crichet doll, puppy popple.

Love,
Holly Sande

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you? I am fine. I lev in Briscoe. I wot a Barbie car. I wot a Barbie ice cream shop. My mom wonts a bra. My dad wonts sum underwer.

Love,
Reagan Meadows

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you? I am fin. I wnt a Barb ice cream shop.

Love,
Jennifer Maddox

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you? I liv in Briscoe. I wot a puppy popple. I wot a skate board. My mom wots a pair of panty hos.

Love,
Ja'Nae Goad

Dear Santa Claus,
 I wot a baby doll with glass and it tks and I wot a popple an I wot a Pound pupy and I wott a cerber. How are you? I am fine. My hol famle was a tranpen.

Love,
Brooke Stevens

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you? I am fine. I am going to be in Billcings. I hav bin a good boy. I want a motorecycle. I live in Briscoe.

Love,
Samuel Jay 77a

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you? I wot a intendo and my mom wants a ring and my dad wants an aquarium. I want a skate board and a dunk it basketball, too.

Love,
Jimmy Bennett

Dear Santa Claus,
 How ar eyou Dear Santa Claus? I wut a dunk it basketball, I wut a skateboard, my mom wut a big skateboard.

I lev in Briscoe.

Love,
Levi Bayne

Dear Santa Claus,
 I hav bin good. I wont a skateboard.

Love,
Clay Zybach

Dear Santa Claus,
 How are you duwing? I am fine? I live in Briscoe, Texas. I wut a cricket doll, I will be in Tahku.

Love,
Jennifer Baker

BRISCOE KINDERGARTEN

Dear Santa,
 For Christmas I want a horse, toys, balloons, a new doll, and a new school box. That's all I want.

Bring Londa, Jodie and Boyce a horse. Mama may want a new kid. Bring Daddy some popcorn and chips 'cause he loves chips and stuffs 'em in his mouth! Santa, I'm going to leave some candy and cookies for you to eat.

Love,
Terri Crownover
 Age: 5 years
 Briscoe Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
 This Christmas please bring me some play dinosaurs, more play fish, a memory game and the Candyland Game.

Jemmy and Amy want Cabbage

Dear Santa,
 Patch dolls. Mam probably wants a new alarm clock and Daddy probably wants a new calendar. I will be putting out some green and red M&M candy, and cookies, for you to eat.

Love,
Ty Van Vranken
 Age: 6 years
 Briscoe Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me an organ watch, Playful pipes that lock together, a play store made of plastic, play dishes, a new toy box, a new clock that rings because mine broke and some more blocks.

Bring Mandy a new baby doll. Melody want a new electric blanket and Daddy wants a new knife. I will save you some cookies and milk.

Love,
Keith Ratliff
 Age: 6 years
 Briscoe Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
 For Christmas I want a toy train, a bucket of Lego blocks, a dune buggy, and a toy plane. That's all I can think of. Bring April a baby doll. mama wants some new clothes. Daddy wants a toy train. We will save some Santa and reindeer cookies for you to eat.

Love,
Andy Finsterwald
 Briscoe, Kindergarten

Dear Santa . . .

This year I would like a brown Teddy Bear, a new Sunday School dress. I try to be good girl. Merry Christmas to all I am 2 years old.

Thank you very much from,
Micah Davis

Dear Santa,
 This year I would like A Alphie II and a musical apple. I am two years old. I try to be good. Merry Christmas to all.

Thank you very much from,
Robert Brown

Dear Santa,
 This year I would like a Busy Baby crib activity toy, a rattler or two would be great also. I am 7 months old. Merry Christmas to all.

Thank you very much from,
Joel Brown

Dear Santa,
 This year I would like a truck and a telephone for Christmas. I am 1 year old. I am good part of the time. Merry Christmas.

Thank you very much from,
Nicholas Davis

Dear Santa,
 This year I would like a rattler, a stuffed animal and a very Merry Christmas for everyone. I am only 3 months old, so I don't need much.

Thank you very much from,
Brent Davis

Dear Santa,
 This year I would like a brown Teddy Bear and a truck, some jeans would be great also. Merry Christmas.

Thank you very much from,
Bradley Davis, Age 5

Dear Santa,
 My name is Kirbie Kinnaman and I'm 4 years old. I would really like for you to bring me a bicycle for Christmas. My Daddy said that you could even put training wheels on it.

Don't forget Tressa, Joe Bob and Corey. They have tried real hard to be good this year!

Merry Christmas,
Kirbie Kinnaman

May you share in the joy that is Christmas. Many thanks to all.

Albert's Shamrock

Albert & Hannah
 Von, Sindy, Dirk,
 James Albert &
 Samantha Ashden

PEACE ON EARTH THIS CHRISTMAS

Arrow Water Well Service

Jerry & Barbra Koelzer & Boys

Helpings of joy and happiness for tables blessed with goodness. Our thanks go out to all our loyal friends.

Sparlin's
 Glen & Faye Sparlin

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me a new green bike, a fire truck, a tractor, and lots of other toys. Kyleigh probably wants some Barbies and Jamie probably wants a bike. Bring Mama a new blanket. Daddy has a bunch and stuff and I don't know what he would want. I'll be leaving you some milk and cookies. I love you, Santa.

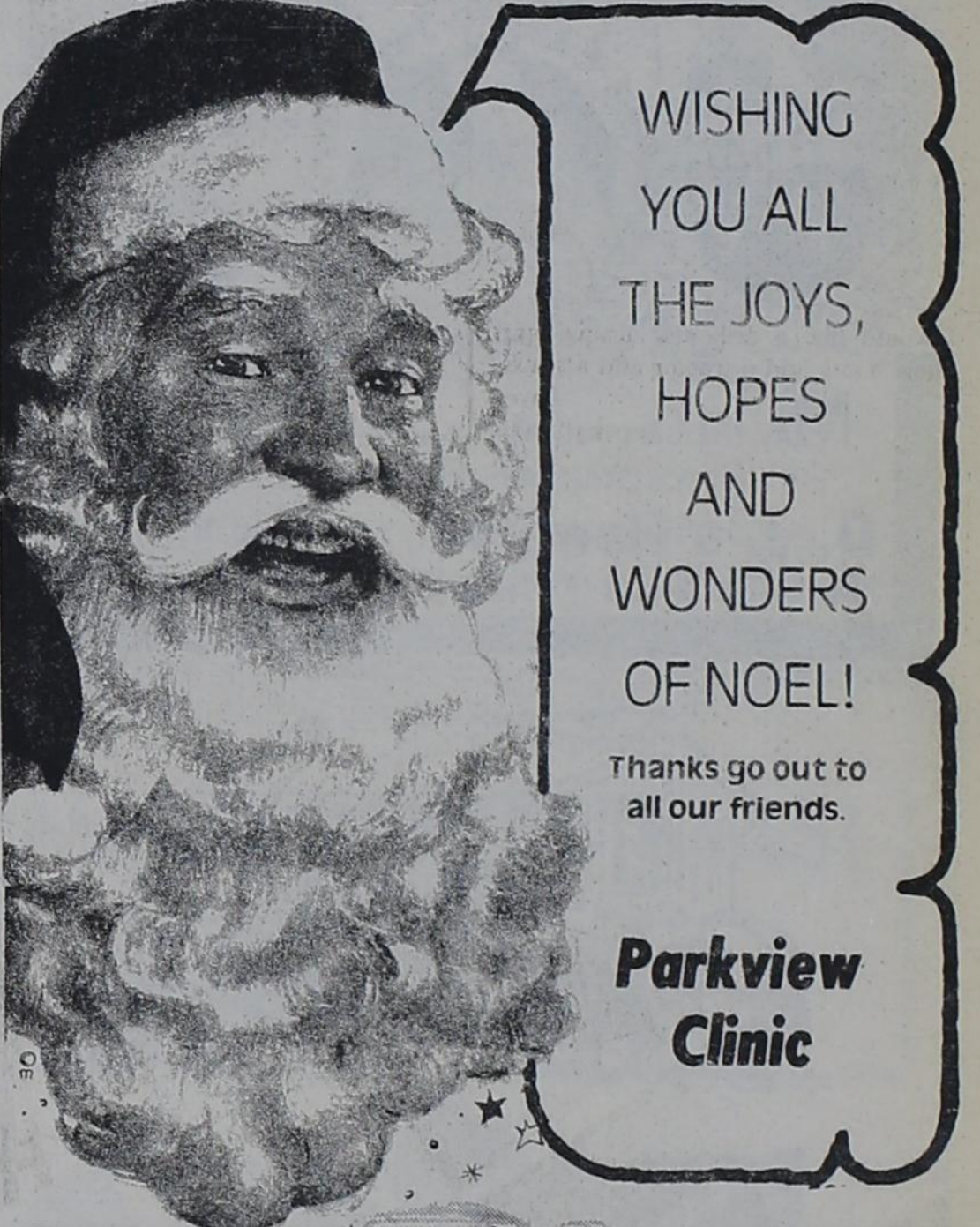
Love,
T.J. Trimble
 Age: 6 years
 Briscoe Kindergarten



Happy Christmas

Friendship comes in all shapes and sizes here, and to all our friends, we wish you Christmas joy . . . all thru the coming year!

Wheeler Veterinary Clinic



WISHING YOU ALL THE JOYS, HOPES AND WONDERS OF NOEL!

Thanks go out to all our friends.

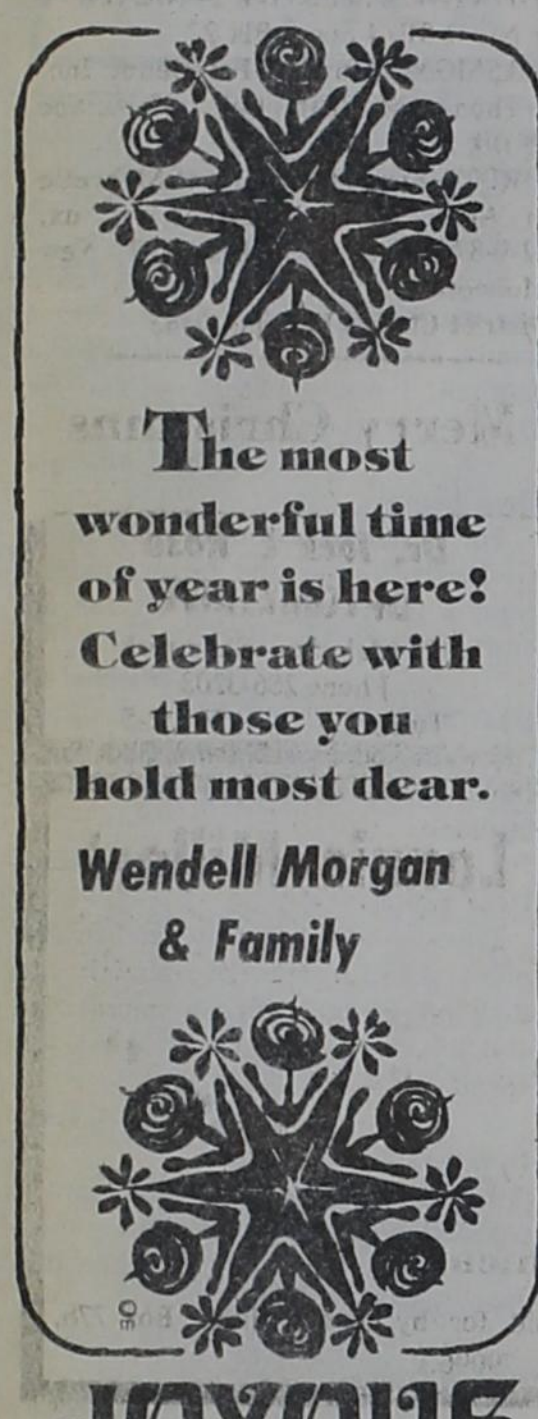
Parkview Clinic



At festive times like this, it's so nice to be able to say "thanks" to our many customers.

CROSS CAR CENTER

David, Kathleen, Michelle, Mike, Monica, Dale, Roger, Stuart, Ann Marie, Christopher & Joseph



The most wonderful time of year is here! Celebrate with those you hold most dear.

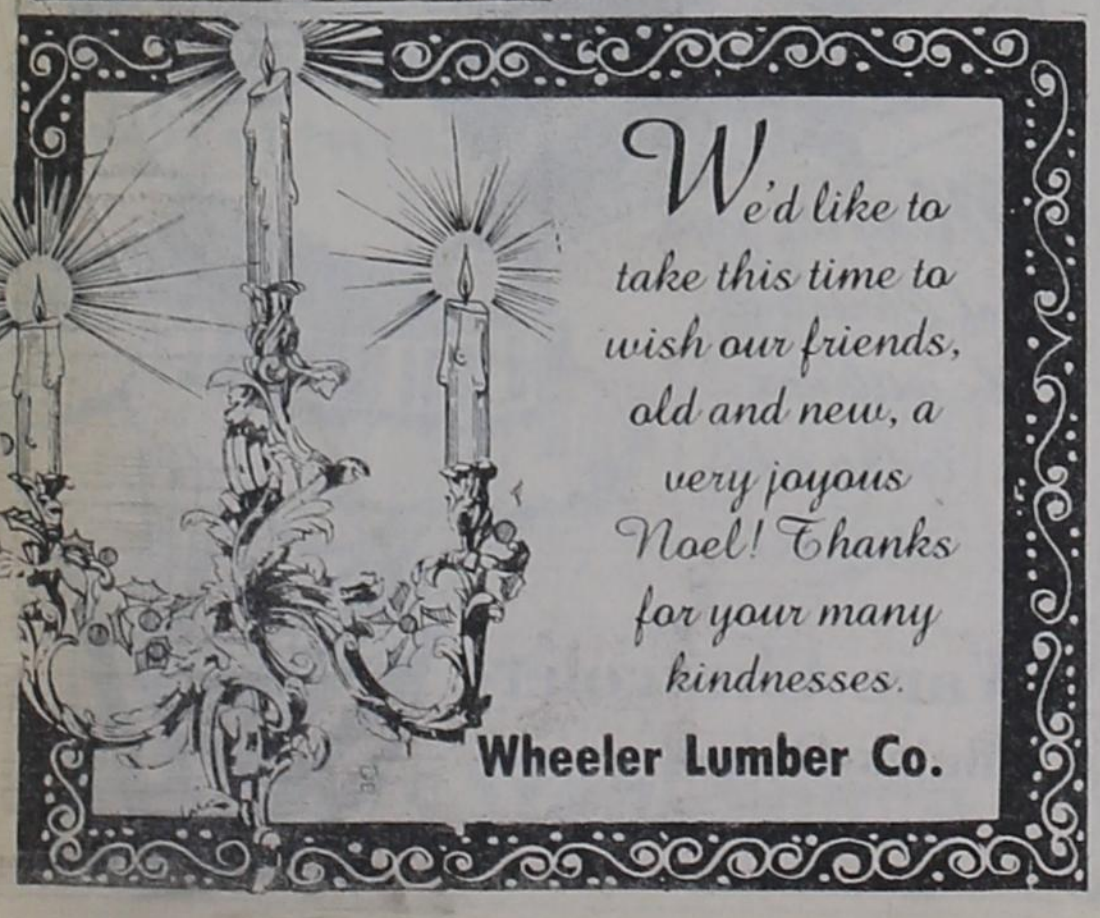
Wendell Morgan & Family

JOYOUS NOEL

Here's hoping this happy time is filled with all the best!

HONEY INN

W.O. & Exie Jones



We'd like to take this time to wish our friends, old and new, a very joyous Noel! Thanks for your many kindnesses.

Wheeler Lumber Co.



Christmas is a time of joy and harmony. Hope yours is wonderful in every way! Thanks and happy holiday!

Hyland's Pharmacy

Hyland and Betty Weaver
Tommy and Sharla Weaver

Dear Santa. . .

MOBEETIE SECOND GRADE
Dear Santa,
Will you get me a race car with a remote control Big Foot and a remot control dune buggy and a truck with a trailer.

Rusty Gearhart
Mobeetie Second Grade
Dear Santa,
I want a talking Alf and a talking Teddy Rudshin, talking Mickey Mouse, a BB gun and drums and sum sow boots.

Colby Rowley
Mobeetie Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like to go to the northpole with you. I want a toy box and I want some dress shoes and a play vacuum cleaner. I would like to be a teacher wen I grow up.

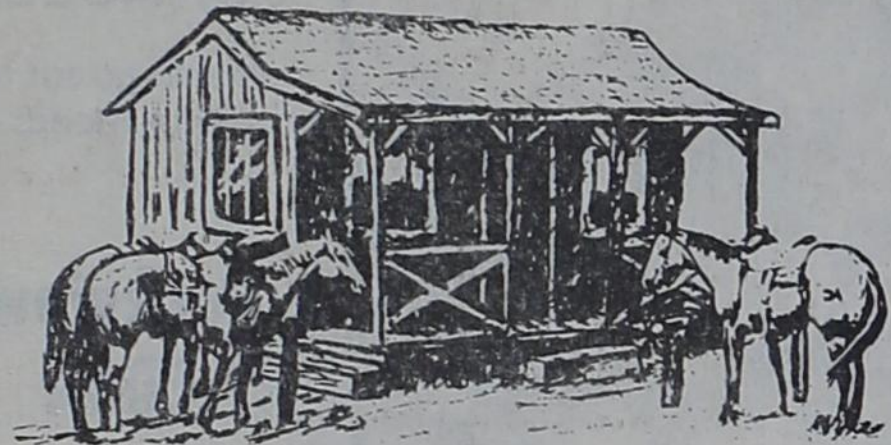
Traci Dee Ann Seltz
Mobeetie Second Grade
Dear Santa,
I like the corn silk Cabbage Patch kid that you gave me last year. I really don't care if you give me anything for Christmas, All I wish is for my bother Jason to spend Christmas vacation.

Brandy Mumford
Mobeetie Second Grade



May the blessing of His holy birth remain with you always. We thank you for your support.

D. J.'s Flowers 110 N. Main
Mona Patterson 256-2155 Shamrock



May your Holiday Season
be filled with
Joy, Friendship, Love, and Peace.

THE THOMAS AGENCY

Delbert, Jane, Drew and Dwight



Extending appreciation for your continued confidence and wishing you the delights of Christmas, compounded daily!

A CHRISTMAS DIVIDEND

Security Federal Savings and Loan Association



The brightest wishes for a happy holiday season are being sent your way.

Our very special thanks are also in order!

Merry Christmas!

Grayson Grain
Johnny, Cindy & Kids

Dear Santa,
Pleas get me this things Captain Power gun, Pound Puppy, remot control airplane, a rain deer, and talking Rudolph.

Love, Brian Honell
Mobeetie Second Grade
Dear Santa,
I love the bike that you gave me. And if you could just look look for a bike for my mother it would please me. But I don't care wether are not I get anything for Christmas all I care is that my family is together.

Love Ya, Tracy Lynn Densberger
Mobeetie Second Grade
Dear Santa,
Will you get me a pocket knife. Will you get my family something. If you would get me some BB's. I like you. Will you fill my stocking?

See You Soon
Love, Tracy Harwell
Mobeetie Second Grade

Dear Santa,
Do you no want. I want a 4-wheeler. And if I don't get that. I want a knife, and if I don't get that. I want a veteogame. And if I don't get that. I want some tools.

To: Santa
From: Shane Stribling
Mobeetie Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like a pair of boots, and race car a track with some race cars, drums, a guitar, high tops, yellow army shoes, a jambox.

Jerrold Thompson
Mobeetie Second Grade

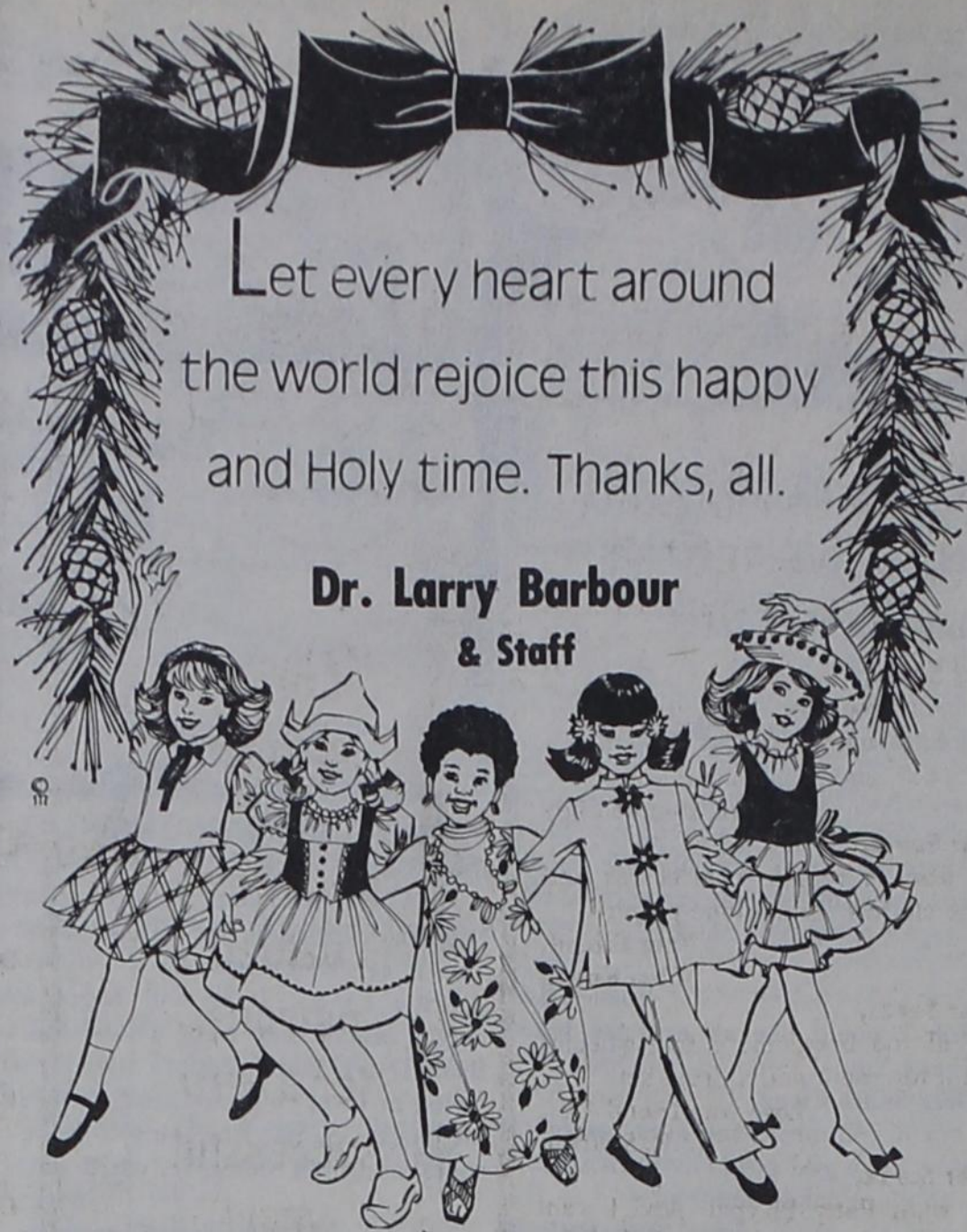
Dear Santa,
I want a 4-wheeler, and I want a remot-control dune buggy. And a 22 gun.

Michael Wayne Johnson
Wednesday, Dec. 16, 1987
Mobeetie Second Grade
MOBEETIE FIRST GRADE

Dear Santa,
Will you bring me a babydoll and a pair of blu ropers and for my mom will you get her a blu bear and for my dad he would like a pair of tools and for my brother will you get him a rocking horse and I will give the reindeer something to eat.

Love, Michelle
Dear Santa,
Bring Mom a dress, give Rudolph some hay, bring my daddy a shirt, bring me a doll and a horse with wings.

Love, Mandy R.
Dear Santa,
I would like Pixie Locks and a Barbie and I would like you to bring my sister a baby doll and I would like you to bring my brother a robot and



Let every heart around the world rejoice this happy and Holy time. Thanks, all.

Dr. Larry Barbour & Staff

my mom a pretty ring and my dad a new car and I would like a radio and a make-up set and a new pony.

Love, Jessi

Dear Santa,
I am going to leave some milk and some Oreo cookies. I want some GI Joe men and some Silver Hawks and a B-B gun and a stereo and a micro-

scope. For my sister a doll and for my brother an Intendo and for my Dad some tools and for Mom a ring.

Love, Matt

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie Doll house. I would like something for Mom like a zebra. I would like something for dad like a football. I would like something for Dustin like a farm.

Love, Amanda

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I what a train and a GI Joe helicopter and for my mom I want a pretty ring and a GI Joe air craft carrier.

Love, Michael D.

Dear Santa,
I want you to bring my Dad some tools and I want a remot control airplane.

Love, Andy

Dear Santa,
I would like a remot control air plane. And I want to give some hay to Rodolph. I would like a microscope and for my mom I would like a ten speed.

Love, Todd

Dear Santa,
I want a microscope and I want a real kitten and make-up and a purse.

Love, Tabitha

Dear Santa,
I would like a doll in my stocking and a Barbie.

Love, Penny

Dear Santa,
I want a GI Joe Helicopter and a microscope and a Silver Hawk Tally Hawk.

Love, Chris

Dear Santa,
I would like a gift for my teacher. I would like a jet. I would like a tent. I would like GI Joe. I would like a gift for my mama. I would like a plane. I would like the silver hawk. I would like a gift for my dad and sister. I would like a microscope.

Love, Michael

Dear Santa. . .

Dear Santa,
Please have your Elves make me a pick-up with a trailer to haul farm animals, especially pigs. I also need some new bath tub toys. (P.S.) Bring the things for my brother so I can play with them.

Brad Masters

Dear Santa,
I had a very good time while I was sledding. Please send me Bravestar. Please send a rattle for my little brother. Thank you.

Love, Jacob Britt



As the wise men welcomed the King of Kings, we extend our very best wishes to all.

Bill & VonEva Robertson



Season's Greetings to all our friends.

Flowers 'N Things

Cindy, Carolyn and Hannah



We extend our very best wishes to you, friends, at this special time!

Love, Peace and Health

From All of Us at
Thriftway & Ben Franklin



It has been a joy to know and serve you.

Speedi-Mart Gary, Tracy & Cameron



May the joys of Christmas be with you... today and always!

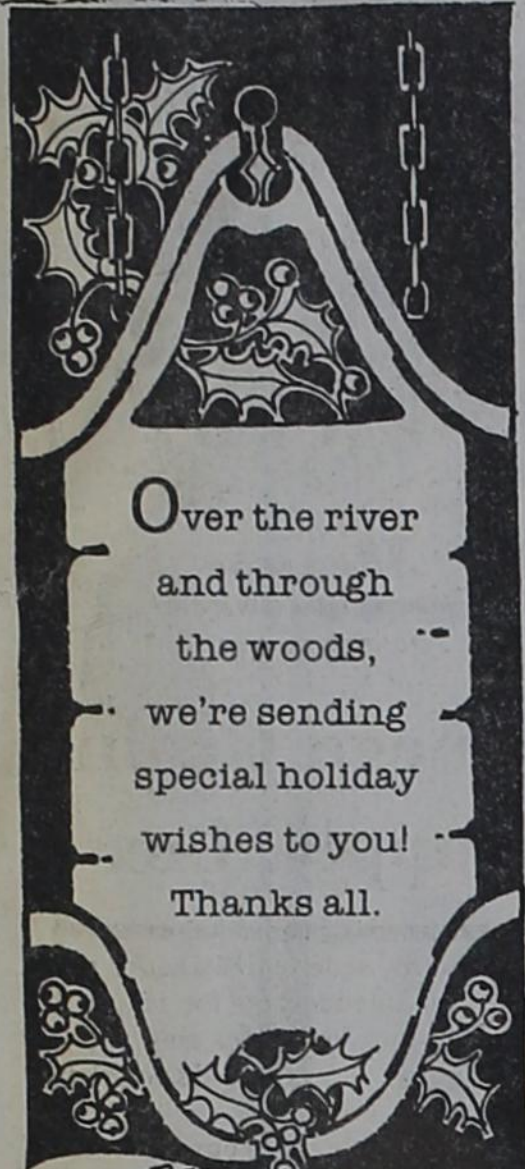
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Dear Santa

WHEELER SECOND GRADE
MRS. RIVES CLASS

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl this year. Please bring me a Cabbage Patch Splashkid and a playpen. You can pick me out the one you want me to have.



Over the river
and through
the woods,
we're sending
special holiday
wishes to you!
Thanks all.

**Dr. & Mrs. Mike
Smith Kristin, Lacey
& Staff**

**May this
Yuletide season
bring you joy,
peace and love.
Many thanks for
your patronage.**

**Hathaway & Loyd
Auctioneer**

Please also bring my brothers something because Chad has been nice and Blake has been really nice. I'll leave you some 7-up cause I saw you drinking it on a commercial.

Love, Audra Rives
Age 4

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a scooter. I like lime green but you can bring me whatever you want. Please bring my brother something cause he's been real, real, real nice. Please bring Audra a doll. Have a safe trip. We will go right to sleep but we might try to wake up and sneak in to see what you bring us.

Love, Blake Rives
Age 5

Dear Santa,
I want a four-wheeler, a motorcycle, a remote control car, a dart game, a toy robot, and a telephone.

Love, Ronnie Alley

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control car and some clothes. And a tape player.

Your Friend,
Allen Knopp

Dear Santa,
Will you bring me a four-wheeler and a toy robot and a drum set.

Love your friend J.R.,
J.R. Sullivan

Dear Santa,
I want Patty Playpal. And I want Baby Heather. I want a kitchen with a toaster and a telephone. I hope you bring those things.

Your friend,
Ashley Ware

Dear Santa,
I want the Nintendo game and a scooter for Christmas. I also want a Cassio keyboard, four wheeler, ten speed, toy robot, toy truck, telephone.

Love, Billy Umsted

Dear Santa,
I would like a bike and a telephone and a flower making basket and Patty Playpal. Merry Christmas.

Love, Kindra Jolly

Dear Santa,
I want a telephone, ten-speed, Patty Playpal, scooter, clothes, and a bracelet. These are the things I've been wanting for Christmas. I hope you bring those things. I love you very very much.

Love,
Camille Porter

Dear Santa,
I want a telescope, and I want a telephone, and I want a ten-speed, I want a toy robot. Merry Christmas.

Love,
Ty Taylor

Dear Santa,
I want a bike, a robot, a remote control corvette, a train set, a piggy-bank and a battle ship game.

Love, Brandon

Dear Santa,
I want a four-wheeler, and a scooter and a keyboard, and a telescope, and a toy robot, and a ten-speed and a telephone.

Love,
Michael Montgomery

Dear Santa,
Will you bring me a cassio and a bike and a toy robot and a four-wheeler.

Love,
J.W. Chadwick

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Heather, and a Patty playpal, and a Teddy Bear.

Love,
Goretty Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Heather. I would like a telescope. I want a Patty Playpal.

Love,
Michell Andris

Dear Santa,
I will like a ten-speed and a Nintendo and a four-wheeler and a cassio keyboard and a telephone.

Love,
Michael Newby

Dear Santa,
I want ten-speed and I want a Hot Looks.

Love,
Stacy McWhorter

Dear Santa,
I want a gotcha gun and I want the worlds fastest train and a play puppet of McGruff and I want a scooter and I want a remote control car and I want an Intendo game and a key board a littel ten speed and a toy robot that

**Thanks
so much
for
your help,
valued
patrons,
for a very
successful
year!**

**L & F
Repair**
Frank & Leona
Coates

**We wish you your
merriest Christmas,
and a holiday season
filled with cheer.**

**Claudine's
Beauty Shop**

will do anything I say pole tadel and a soccerball and a little four Wheeler.

Love,
Marcus Rose

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Heather and a barie rocker ven and a barie rocker stag and telephone.

Love, Jessica

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Heather and a scooter and a ten-speed and a telephone and a Patty Playpal and a waterbed and a nice Christmas. I hope you can bring me those things.

Love,
Deradah Weldon

Dear Santa,
I want a four-wheeler and a scooter for Christmas. Santa I also like a toy robot.

Love,
Andy Bradstreet

Dear Santa . . .

WHEELER THIRD GRADE
MRS. BAIZE'S CLASS

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. I want "Mr. Game Show" and the Bionic Six. I like bleached Converse hightops and a bleached jacket.

Your friend,
Dillon Miller

Dear Santa,
Have I been a good little girl? Will you please bring me these things for Christmas? A computer, jukebox, Mr. Gameshow, tapes, nice new clothes, new shoes, three cheerleader skirts, nice friends, new crayons, new markers, new paints, and a new car for family.

Your Best Friends,
Misti Patterson

Dear Santa,
I want a 32 inch Black telescope for Christmas.

Love,
Andy Lawton Copeland

Dear Santa,
I want a keyboard, a big Hulk Hogan doll, a puppy dog, and a four-wheeler.

Your Friend,
Andy Irvin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a scooter that is turquoise and a pink and black camera. Get any kind of car for my brother. He won't care what kind. Have a Merry Christmas.

From,
Mika Goad

Dear Santa,
Can I have a keyboard and a pogo ball for Christmas?

Thank You,
Penny Dollar

Dear Santa,
I want a "Mr. Game Show", a four-wheeler, a stereo, and shirt and pants.

Your friend,
Monty Long

Dear Santa,
I would like a skate board and bleached high tops, and that will be all.

Love,
Dan Keellin
Marry Christmas!

Dear Santa,
I want two big John Deer 4-wheel drive tractors and one John Deer plow and a John Deer drill, please.

Your Friend,
Michael Hennig

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas,
I want to ask you if you would ask Mis. Claus if she would knit me a blanket for Christmas. I hope you're ready for this but I want you to bring my mom and dad a bowl of candy. Thank you for being my friend.

Your Friend,
Katie Flanagan

Silent Night

To one and all, we
wish the joys and
peace of Christmas.

**Jerry, Carolyn,
Justin & Kendall
Hefley**

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas Santa Claus. I am going to name a few things I want. I want a bike, clothes, and some other things.

From Cassi Wallace

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a bike and clothes. That's all.

From Clayton

Dear Santa,
I would like G.I. Joe and some clothes. And I would like a new bike.

Your Friend,
Rusty Archer

Dear Santa . . .

Dear Santa,
My name is Jamie Shirey and I am 2 years old. I have tried really hard to be good. I would like to have a tricycle and a puppy, and lots of other toys too.

Don't forget my Mommy and My Nanny. They need some toys to.

Merry Christmas Santa,
Love, Jamie

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be a good girl this year. It's been kinda hard cause I'm just four years old.

I would like a Mother Goose, Splashin' Baby, camera, piano and a telephone. Bring Scooter a dog bone. Don't forget all the other boys and girls. Thank you and I love you.

Jotana Simmons
Age 4
Wheeler, Texas

**We're ringing in
health, happiness and
good cheer to all our
friends and patrons.**

**Frankenbery's
Texaco**
Bob & Valetta

**It's been
our sincere pleasure
to serve you!**

MERRY CHRISTMAS!
From All of Us at
Dairy Queen



The Management and Staff of WHEELER CARE CENTER

. . .wish to take this opportunity to thank the citizens of the community for the help and support we have received during our four years of operation.

We are especially grateful to the Care Center Auxiliary; the other volunteers; families of the Residents; the Ambulance crews; the fire department and the staff of Southwestern Public Service as well as others who offer assistance in times of need or unusual circumstances.

We also wish to thank the ministers and churches who fill such an important place in the spiritual guidance of the Residents.

THANK YOU SO MUCH!
We Wish You all a JOYOUS
CHRISTMAS and a bountiful
New Year

Merry Christmas

Wishing you and yours all the joys of Noel.

Maxey's Steakhouse
Maxey, Sue, Jeff & Gina

Thriftway Supermarket says . . .

CONGRATULATIONS! WHEELER MUSTANGS, 1987 STATE CHAMPIONS

REGULAR/ BUTTER FLAVOR
CRISCO SHORTENING
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\$1.99



SHURFINE GRADE A
EXTRA LARGE EGGS
DOZEN

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ALL GRINDS
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3 LB. CAN

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WHIPPING CREAM
½ PINT CTN.

3 FOR \$1



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3 FOR \$1



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JUMBO ROLL

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IMPERIAL POLY POWDERED OR
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2 LB. BAG

99¢



QUARTERS
PARKAY MARGARINE
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BONELESS FULLY COOKED WHOLE
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NEW 96% FAT FREE BONELESS FULLY COOKED WHOLE
WILSON'S HAMS
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3 \$1

WASHINGTON EXTRA FANCY RED DELICIOUS
APPLES
3 \$1



MICROY SMOKED SLICED TRAY PAK WRIGHT'S BACON LB.	\$1.39	U.S.D.A. GRADE A HEN TURKEYS 10-14 LB. AVG. LB.	58¢
LEAN TRIM FRESH PORK BUTT ROAST LB.	\$1.29		
HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF BONELESS TOP SIRLOIN STEAK LB.	\$2.29		
HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF T-BONE STEAK LB.	\$3.29		
COUNTRY PRIDE FULLY COOKED SMOKED TURKEYS 10-12 LB. AVG. LB.	\$1.29		
U.S.D.A. GRADE A SHURFRESH BAKING HENS 4-6 LB. AVG. LB.	69¢		
LOUIS RICH BONELESS FULLY COOKED TURKEY HALF HAMS 1 ½-5 LB. AVG. LB.	\$1.89		
YOUR CHOICE-MEAT OR BEEF WILSON'S BOLOGNA 1 FULL LB.	\$1.49		

SUNKIST AMARANTH TANGERINES LB.	59¢	U.S. NO. ONE SWEET POTATOES LB.	3 \$1
CALIFORNIA FRESH BROCCOLI LB.	59¢		
SNOW WHITE CAULIFLOWER PER HEAD	79¢		
U.S. NO. 1 YELLOW ONIONS LB.	19¢	CALIFORNIA LARGE STALK CRISP CELERY 3 FOR	\$1
SHELLED RAW PEANUTS 1 LB. PKG.	79¢		

**We will close at 5:30
Christmas Eve!**

Mitey Miser Items

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DEL MONTE CORN 2 for	9¢
DEL MONTE SPINACH 2 for	9¢

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