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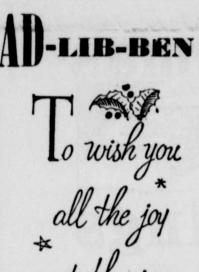


THE TIGHTWAD - Harpagon, the miser, examines a tear in the dress of LaMerluche (Suzanne Pruitt) at last Friday's performance of the junior play. Acting the part of Harpagon was Ronald Hooper. Directly

behind the tight old man is Brinda, played by Sharon Mackey, and preparing to swat Harpagon across the backside with a broom is Mistress Claude. played by Laura Morrow. The three-act comedy was directed by Miss Judith Smith.

# **Oil** Discovery South of Town

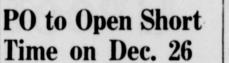
Prospects for a new oil field in prospector is Karl Hoblitzelle No. the Bronte area looked good Wed- 1 Bridges, located southeast of nesday morning when 60 feet of free oil and 245 feet of fluid were recovered on a drillstem test. The



Bronte just across the river. The test was run on the Crosscut section from 4,404-4,420 feet. Included in the 245 feet of fluid bosides the 60 feet of free oil were 155 feet of mud cut oil and

> 30 feet of heavily oil cut mud. The test is located a short distance from Ashmund & Hilliard No. 1 Bridges, a failure drilled several years ago.

Hoblitzelle has been doing considerable leasing during the last few months in the Bronte vicinity, and according to latest reports, more tests are planned.



# **Bronte Looking Forward** To Christmas Holiday

The weatherman has promised holiday on Saturday, Dec. 26. a continuation of the beautiful of this week, through Christmas. If it turns out as predicted, Bronte Cafe and City Cafe will Bronte residents will be able to serve Christmas dinner to travelcelebrate the holiday in most any ers and to local residents who way they wish, except perhaps a snowball fight.

heavy the past several days, and said the bank will be closed on merchants report lots of Christmas presents have been purchased. They were looking for a continuation of the heavy buying Drawings Termed today as shoppers wind up their last minute purchases.

#### TWO HOLIDAYS

Most of Bronte except for some firms on U.S. highway 277 will be closed Christmas day, and a number of the firms will also take a

### **At Christmastime**

Marilyn Glenn, student at Baylor University, Waco, is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Glenn, Frances and Laura.

Miss Wanda Ramsaier of Abilene will visit with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Latimer and boys during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Feuge and son will spend Christmas Day with his mother, Mrs. Rose Feuge in San Angelo. His brother, Milton Feuge and family will also be there from Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Edna Anderson and Miss Mary Van Falkenburgh of Austin will be Christmas visitors in the Ernest Marshall home.

Jerry Don Holcombe left Wednesday for Colorado Springs, Colo. to visit his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker. **Three Directors** 

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Scott and family will spend Christmas Day To Be Elected

take care of holiday business. do not attend family dinners. E. F. Glenn, executive vice-Activity in the town has been president of First National Bank,

Christmas day, but will be open on Saturday morning as usual.

## **A Huge Success**

Bronte Jaycees and merchants termed the two drawings, held the two drawings, held he two success. Large crowds of area Jan. 4. and town residents filled the downtown area both days.

The drawings were sponsored by local Jaycees and merchants On Traffic, Fire put up the merchandise as prizes. Almost 100 percent participation Holiday Dangers by Bronte business men was received, said Eddie Alexander, who was chairman of the Jaycee committee in charge.

In addition to sponsoring the drawing, the Jaycees held a turkey shoot both days.

Winners of the prizes given last Saturday were: Mrs. Jimmy Forman, \$40 in gift certificates; Mrs. C. N. Webb Jr., \$30; Jonathan Masterson, \$20; E. L. Caulder, \$15; P. A. Vest, \$10.

All merchants contacted by The Enterprise said they hope the drawing will continue to be an annual affair, as contributing gifts is a good way to show their appreciaton for patronage received.

| Noah Pruitt Jr., postmaster, re-Service stations and two cafes ported that the post office will weather, being enjoyed the first will remain open both days to be closed Christmas day, and will be open for a limited time Saturday morning.

> Some Going, Some Coming Residents of Bronte have indicated that many will have family gatherings here, while others will leave town to be with their families at other places.

An air of festivity has been prevalent all this week, as school classes, Sunday school classes, women's clubs and other groups have been having annual Christmas parties. A Christmas concert was given after noon at Bronte school Wiednesday, just before dismissing for the holidays. Students will be out of Saturdays before Christmas, a big school until Monday morning,

# **Residents Warned**

Mayor Royce Lee said Wednesday that he hopes all residents of Bronte will have a happy holiday season, and that no one will be a figure in statistics on holiday traffic fatalities.

Calling attention to the large number of predicted fatalities, the mayor urged all residents of the Bronte area to exercise added precaution during the Christmas season. "Most holiday accidents," he said "are caused by human failure, and if we keep constantly alert and remember the rules of common courtesy, we will be far less likely to be involved in a tragic accident." Justice of the Peace J. T. Liles also urged compliance with traffic and other laws, saying, "I don't want to have to work during the holidays, and if every-

and pleximal		in Clyde visiting Mr. and Mrs.	To be meeted	one will observe the law, I won't
and blessings	Postmaster Noah Pruitt Jr.	Jim Pate and Mrs. Katie Pate.	Three directors for the Kicka-	have to bother with seeing you
<b>-</b> 0	said early this week that Bronte	In the Renza Lee home for	poo Water Control and Improve-	in court." The judge said be
× . 1 1	Post Office will be closed all	Christmas Day will be the J. W.	ment District will be elected Jan.	would rather see Bronte citizens
Afric hanne	day Dec. 25, and will be open for		12 to serve for a period of two	spend their money on Christmas
of unus nuppy	only a limited time Saturday,	and Royce Lee families, all of	years.	presents than on paying traffic
0 - 11/	Dec. 26.	Bronte and Mrs. Dorothy Kiker	Names of incumbent directors.	fines.
*	A directive from the post office	and Janey Lou of Arlington.	which will appear on the ballot	Mayor Lee also urged extreme
100 1 11	department instructed that rural		are J. A. Percifull, Preston Da-	care in prevention of fires. He
Christmastide	routes shall be run on the day	Jon Kevin of Fort Worth and	vis and Royce Fancher. Any oth-	pointed out that temporary wir-
Ortobernandena	after Christmas, but said that	Russ Martin of Abilene will ar-	er person who wishes to run for	ing for decorations, Christmas
	window service may be limited.	rive Saturday for a holiday visit	one of the director's positions	trees and an abundance of Christ-
	Pruitt said window service will	with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin	should present a petition, signed	mas wrapping are all fire ha-
New New	be available for not more than	and Dorothy Ruth.	by at least 25 qualified voters,	zards, and everyone should be
	two hours, and that it will be	Mr. and Mrs. Rome Richards	to the secretary, J. A. Percifull.	conscious of the more-than-usual
Tax Tax	limited to delivery of mail. No	will spend Christmas Day in	Holdover directors of the wa-	danger.
Exemptions	sales of money orders, etc., will	Snyder with their daughter and	ter district are F.S. Higginbo-	
Con Bacinpetons	be available.	family, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Lof-	tham and D. K. Glenn, who have	Next Week's Paper
an a Mar A I Condofur		ton and Larry. On the weekend	another year to serve.	
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sandefur of Lubbock are parents of a new	Rove and Cirls	the Lonnie Formans of Jal, New	Noah Pruitt Sr. has been ap-	To Come Out Early
		Mexico will be in Bronte for a	pointed election judge. Balloting	To come out Duriy
son born Dec. 18 in a Lubbock	Lose to Westbrook	visit with the Richards and his	will be held in Bronte City Hall,	Next week's Bronte Enterprise
Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs and	LOSC IN WESTBLOOK	parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert	and polls will be open from 8	will be printed Monday, in or-
7 oz. and has been named Scott	Bronte boys and girls high	Forman.	a.m. to 7 p.m.	der for the staff to have off a
L. He has a brother, Brad Lynn.	school teams were defeated at		The water district is the offi-	few days.
Grandparents are Rev. and			cial body which is in charge of	Present plans are to print the
Mrs Wayne N. Stout and Mr. and	only basketball games played du-		the new flood control dams on	paper on Monday, Dec. 29.
Mrs. S. L. Sanderfur of Paducah.		family. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Le-	the Kickapoo Creeks north and	
Mr. and Mrs. John Gunn of		wis Sr. of Robert Lee, Mr. and		tising for this issue is requested
Azle are parents of a daughter	until after Christmas. The high	Mrs. W. A. McDonald, Mr. and		to mail it, bring it in, or call it
born Dec. 13. She has been	school boys team will enter the	Mrs. Foy Farmer, Mrs. Ada Ter-	Mr. and Mrs. Conda Richards	in some time during the weekend.
named Felicia Mae, and weighed		rell, all of Ballinger, and Mr.	and family hosted an early Yule-	Only last minute items, impos-
9 pounds, 6 ounces. Grandpar-	continuing through Jan. 2.	and Mrs. Hirschfelt and son will	tide gathering last Sunday of	sible to get in early, will be ac-
ents are Mrs. Mary Allen of	In the girls game Tuesday night		Mrs. Richards' family. Present	
Denison and Harold Garrett of	the score was 75-32 in favor of	Day.	were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Papa-	Publisher Ben Oglesby request-
Bookwall: great-grandnarents are	Westbrook. Peggy Corley was	The Joe Simpson family will	san and David of Goldsboro, Mr.	ed the cooperation of everyone
Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of	high pointer for the locals with	visit during the holidays with his	and Mrs. Bobby Papasan and fa-	in meeting the early deadline. As
Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford	21 points.	parents the Von Simpsons in	muy of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs.	the paper after Christmas is us-
Class of Donison. Mrs Mary	Bronte boys were on the short	Field Creek and in Brady with	Dale Papasan and family of Lub-	ually light, it has been the cus-
Clark of Bronte is the new baby's	end of a 64-46 score with Jim	her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E.	bock and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon	tom the past several years to
great great grandmother.	Morrow scoring 28 points.	Taylor.	Howell of Siaton.	get this edition out early.

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### At Christmastime

Guests for Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Lasswell will Christmas Day will be Mr. and be Mr. and Mrs. Binks McCut- Mrs. Lester Lee, Joe and Carol chen and Sharon of Robert Lee, Ann of Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Craig, Beverly Wendell Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Bill and Connie of Blackwell, Mr. and Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Bry-Mrs. Don Glenn, Donna and Kelly ant, Mr. and Mrs. L. C Sibley, of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. John and Martha and Mrs. Stel-J. E. McDaniel and Edwyn.

In the B. D. Snead home for Christmas Day will be the Norman Roberts family of Wolforth, the Ben D. Snead family of San Angelo, and the Jerry Parker family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Collins, Steve and Eddie Sue will spend Christmas in Corsicana with his mother, Mrs. Rube Collins.

Donald Spiller, student at Sul Ross, Alpine, is home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Spiller. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spiller and children of Katy will arrive Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith will

have their children home for Christmas. They are Johnny Smith and family of Knox City and Mrs. Linda Martz and family of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cole and family of Brady will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buckalew and Gary. The Harry Morris family will spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Olga Morris in Canadian, and in Higgins with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Welch.

Expected to be in the M. Russell home for Christmas are Mrs.

### The Bronte Enterprise

In the Marvin Bryant home la Woodrow, all of Ballinger.



As the Holiday Season approaches, it is a pleasure to express our sincere gratitude for the cordial relations we have enjoyed with you during the year.

## GREETINGS

to our Many Friends and Customers

## **Spencer's Grocery and Station**

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Spencer

When Christmas is over . . . may the blessings of the



### December 24, 1964

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Cancer Insurance, See

B. D. SNEAD

At First National Bank

### BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

#### By Mrs. Herbert Holland

A merry Christma's and happy New Year to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Oglesby and our many readers and Mrs. Russell Carlton, Mrs. of the paper. Thanks so much J. W. Borders and Mrs. Kate to each one that has given the Slaughter went to Ballinger Sunnews to me during the past year. day where they attended a Gold-Mr. and Mrs. Leland Carlton en Wedding anniversary celebraand Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hope tion for Mr. and Mrs. A. J. H. attended the basketball tourna- Borders. The Borders are forment in Eldorado last weekend. | mer residents of this community. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Cook of Fort Worth spent the weekend Elfrida, Arizona are coming to with Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay. Mrs. Cook and Jay returned ents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghome with them to spend the horn, and other relatives. holidays.

and Mrs. Susie Garlington mov- will spend Christman Day with ed into their new home Monday. Mrs. Ivan Slaughter's sister, Mrs. will spend Christmas in Abilene Mrs. Jerry Landers and Mrs. Etta Marks spent the weekend in San Antonio where they attended a convention of Jehovah Witnesses and visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Landers and family and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ash and family.

Attending funeral services for George James Tuesday in San Angelo were Messrs. and Mmes. Franklin Thomas, Charlie Brown and Herbert Holland.

Wednesday supper guests of the Herbert Hollands were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keeling of Miles and Mrs. Carrie Holland.

Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Harrell and Mrs. Nat Harrell at Norton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Carlton will have their children and families home for Christmas. They are Messrs, and Mmes. Leslie Carlton of Petersburg, Malcolm Loving and children, Otis Sandlin and children, all of Abilene; Russell Carlton and children and Leland Carlton and Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fowler, Billy and Bobby of San Angelo were out at their farm here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hill of Ballinger visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence and Mrs. Susie Garling-

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## ton Saturday night.

Visiting Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay the first of last week were her sisters, Mmes. Max Lochaby, Snyder, Ruth Riley, San Antonio,

brother, J. P. Roach, Paint Rock. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis, Mr. spend Christmas with her par-

Mrs. Kate Slaughter and her Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence son, Ivan Slaughter, and family Arthur Nichues, and family of with the Virgil Morleys.

December 24, 1964 | Eola. Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Jones of Bangs visited Mrs. Kate Slaughter Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland will spend Christmas in Big Spring with their son, James Holland, and family

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas and their families will spend Christmas Day here. They are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas and girls, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Elton Gilliland and children, Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Carlton and Ronnie. Mr. and Mrs. Alto Claude Lee and girls of Arizona are expected to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Hedges of the Carl Florences, Jerry Landers and Mrs, Susie Garlington. Chester Derrick of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Derrick and Chester Roy Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Morley

Merry Christmas!

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Snead & Family





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> the Jeace and joy of Christmas be with you today ~~~ and always

W. T. GREEN STORE TENNYSON

Cheerful faces, old and young are at every window all over the land . . . hoping for a glimpse of the legendary sleigh and reindeer that bring old Santa on his annual visit.

While you and your family wait with eager anticipation for the cheery Old Gentleman . . . we'd like to briefly but sincerely say "Thanks" and extend our best wishes of the season.

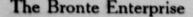
## **First National Bank**

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> Wednesday, Dec. 30 - \$1.00 Per Carload **"RACING FEVER"** With Joe Morrison and Barbara Biggart PLUS SPANISH SPEAKING FILM "UN RAYO DE LUZ"



Because we are proud to number you among our friends, we send this greeting and a sincere thanks for your friendship and patronage.

We are deeply grateful for the business you have given us during the past year, which we have operated this station. It's been a pleasure to serve you, and we look forward to 1965 and another year of pleasant relationships.

## HURLIN LEE HUMBLE STATION



### December 24, 1964 | At Christmastime

and Mrs. Dink Beavers Lee Scott, Mr. Scott and Donna. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cook, Kenneth Ray and Patricia Ann of Odessa will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Gilreath for Christmas.

home Christmas Day will be the R. T. and Leslie Dean Caperton families of Coleman, the Jack Belcher family of Andrews, the Matthew Caperton family of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coleman and Steve of Big Spring. Mrs. Wayne N. Stout is in Lubbock with the A. L. Sanderfurs and their new baby. Rev. Stout and Roy Wayne will join them on Christmas Day.

adn Janna Lee of Ft. Stockton are here to visit her mother, Mrs. W. H. Dismore and Mr. Dismore. She will return home Wednesday. On Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Dismore will be in San Angelo at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Herman Baker Jr., and family. They will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dismore of Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Dismore of Ballinger and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dismore of Brente.

Tech, Lubbock is home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wells, Bob and Patty. In the Wells home Christmas Day will be Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. Wells and Mrs. Mae Edmondson of San Saba.

Tom Boecking, Texas Tech student is home from Lubbock for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boecking. Mr. Boecking will be visiting his mother, Mrs. H. Boecking, and other relatives in Johnson City Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lasswell will have their children from Midland home for Christmas. They are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradberry and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lasswell and family.

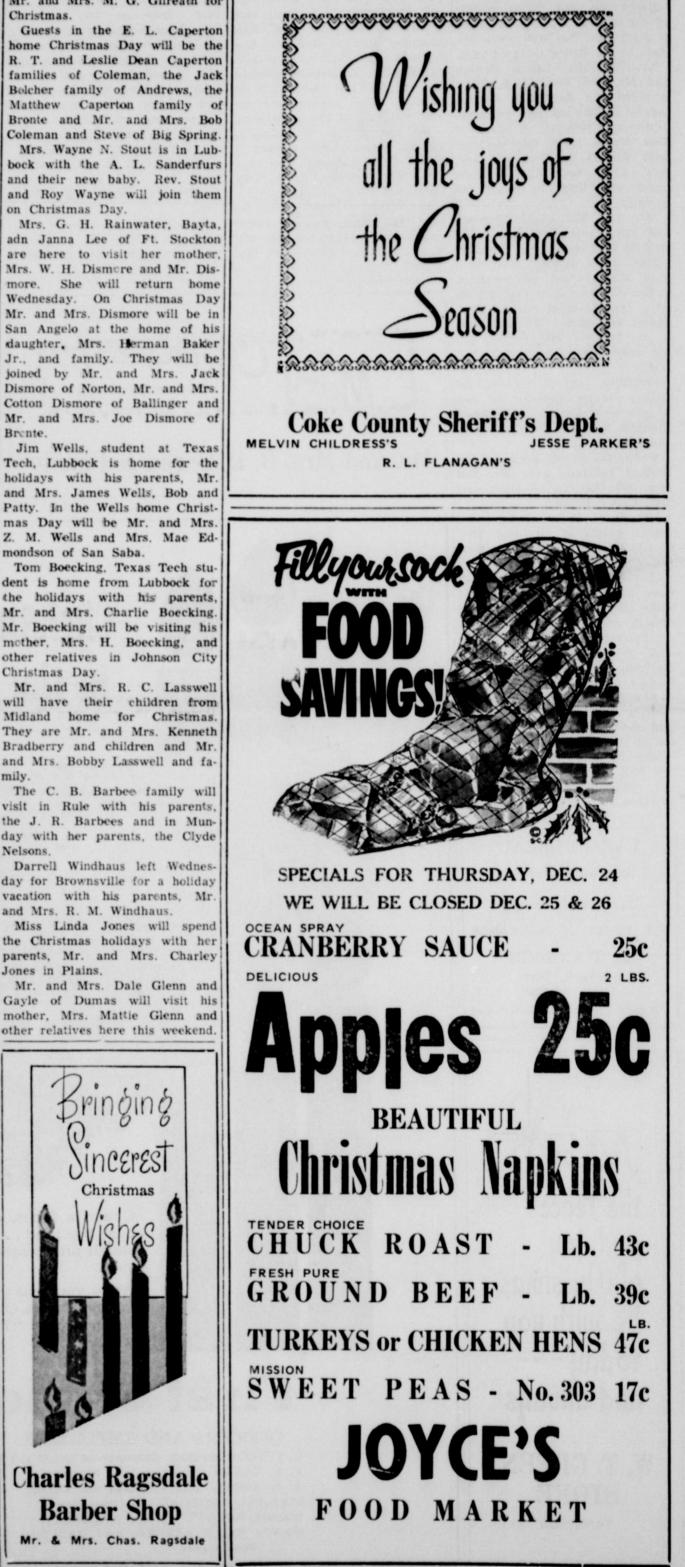
The C. B. Barbee family will visit in Rule with his parents, the J. R. Barbees and in Munday with her parents, the Clyde Nelsons.

Darrell Windhaus left Wednesday for Brownsville for a holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Windhaus.

Miss Linda Jones will spend the Christmas holidays with her

student at ACC.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jubber | Mr. and Mrs. Rob Herron will of Abilene, and Mrs. J. S. To- have their children home for land of Eden are spending the Christmas. They are Mr. and will spend Christmas in Midkiff holidays with the E. L. Champion Mrs. Paul Gathings, Mr. and Mrs. with their daughter, Mrs. Joe family. Jubber is minister of the Bill Herron and son, and Mr. and local Church of Christ and is a Mrs. Carroll Leathers and children, all of Odessa.



## Let's go a-carolling!

Voices are chiming in the frosty night . . . enjoying the wonderful old custom of singing the ageless Songs of Joy.

Another old custom . . . as exciting to us as carolling . . . is the custom of extending best wishes of the season to all our many faithful friends.

MR. & MRS. J. D. LUTTRELL JR.

### December 24, 1964 | HERE'S BLACKWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strickland | BIRTHDAY PARTY and family expect to have Mr. Mrs. A. S. Masterson and Mrs. and Mrs J. L. Hick and family of Taft and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Davis of Warrensburg, Mo., as their holiday guests.

Elmer Champion honored Jonathan Masterson and Rhea Nell Champion with a party on their tenth birthday Monday at the Community Room at the Bronte

Jerry Mac McShan of Wesltco City Hall. and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hembree and children of Odessa will spend cream were served to the fourth Christmas with the W. B. Mc-Shans. School.

Birthday cake, punch and ice grade of Bronte Elementary

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale Christmas Luncheon

Mrs. A. J. Wells was hostess for the Home Demonstration Club Christmas luncheon at her home Tuesday with Mrs. Isaac Pate as co-hostess. Gifts were exchanged. Mrs. Mack Cotten., president, welcomed guests, Miss Sue Hawthorne and Mrs. Tinker Parsons of Sweetwater, Mmes. J. R. Thompson, Melva Lane, Bob Carter and O. B. Raper. Others present were Miss Bertha Smith, Mmes. Frank Brownfield, Don Dulin, James Ware, Jimmy Bickley, Lee Alderman, Walter King, Mrs. Rockey Thompson, Terry Barrett, Tony Ham, Chas. Ragsdale, R. E. Patton and Ernest Ware.

Mrs. Earl Cook and Robbie have as their guest Mrs. Dora Jordan of Portales, New Mex. Mrs. Wilson is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson and sons in Phenix, New Mex.

Mrs. Bob Ragsdale and children of Overton are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ragsdale. Bob will come for the holidays. Mrs. Pearl Gray of Deming, New Mex. is visiting Mrs. Daizy Henderson and other relatives in Blackwell.

**Euterpean Christmas Party** Mrs. R. E. Patton was hostess for the Euterpean club Christmas party Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joe Ward as co-hostess. Mrs. L. W. Sweet, president, welcomed three guests, Mmes. Jimmy Bickley, Don Dulin and Tinker Parsons.

Mrs. Kay Corley gave the Christmas story "The Other Wise Man.'

A Christmas theme was carried out in decorations and refreshments. The club sang Christmas carols.

Others present were Miss Bertha Smith, Mmes. Lee Alderman, James Cate, R. Q. Spence, Owen Colvin, R. V. Copeland, Frank Brownfield, Austin Jordan, Terry Barrett, B. R. McCarley, W. C. Shamblin, W. W. Youngblood, Henry Raney and Charles Ragsdale.

Mr. Robert Thompson of El Paso visited friends in Blackwell Sunday. He is a former teacher here but is teaching in El Paso







The Christmas Season has, and always will be,

a time when men individually can express their

of goodwill and exchange friendly greetings.

## MR. AND MRS. JACK CORLEY AND FAMILY

to you and yours now L. L. WEBB CHEVRON STATION Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Clark, Steve and Marian will spend Christmas in Dublin with her mother, Mrs. MR. & MRS. L. L. WEBB Ellie Self. tave a Happy "Holiday Season There is no Christmas Carol, no poem, no truer word with which to express our sentiments than this sincere greeting ... MERRY CHRISTMAS AND GOD BLESS YOU To all our friends-Both far and near. We wish a Merry Christmas And a Happy New Year. COKE COUNTY TAX OFFICE **ELMER & JANET HURLEY** Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jacobs Jerry McCutchen **Bess Hendley** AND CHILDREN

### December 24, 1964 | Dear Santa,

## Letters to Santa

Dear Santa.

I have tried to be a good girl My name is Karla and I am a this year. I sure hope you can little four year old girl. So momcome to see me. Please bring me a pretty doll My little brother is three years with doll clothes, a stroller, a old and his name is Colin.

some dishes and cooking pans, cabinet, stove, some dishes, a Love,

> Lana Webb Brady, Texas

Dear Santa,

I want a chemistry set, a slinky bring us a little red wagon to- Dear Santa a Charming Chatty with all her gether. clothes and hats etc. Love, Laura Glenn

Dear Santa, I want a Teeny Tiny Tears

and a Big Doctor set. Love.

Janie Lynn Raughton too.

mie is writing for me. holster set with two guns and Will you please bring me a case for her.

dy something too.

Dear Santa

and presents. Love. Janie Sanchez Dear Santa. I want a Bicycle, a truck, a football, a lawnmower, and a little car. We have a baby

who would like a teddy bear like Tim in our book. Love, Carlos Minjarez

Dear Santa,

I would like a bicycle, a BB Barbee doll and clothes and suit gun and some cars and guns. Please bring my three sisters Coln would like a ball glove some dolls. I would like books and ball, a truck and some hors- also.

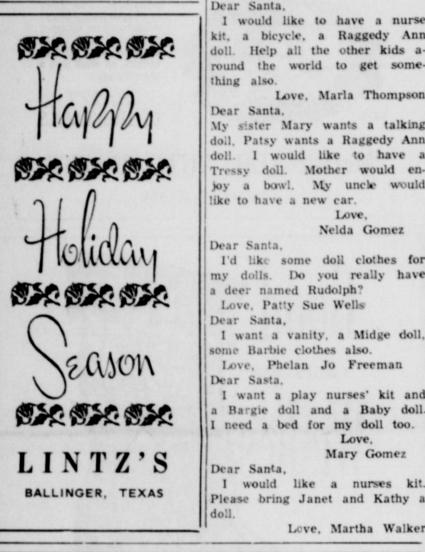
Love, Frank Gilicia

I want a B,B gun and watch and a plane and a new hat and boots.

My sister want a dolls My sisters want to dolls and P.S. Please bring GanMur and doll dress and doll bed Love,

Jimmie Walker





kit, a bicycle, a Raggedy Ann doll. Help all the other kids around the world to get something also. Love, Marla Thompson Dear Santa, My sister Mary wants a talking doll, Patsy wants a Raggedy Ann doll. I would like to have a Tressy doll. Mother would enjoy a bowl. My uncle would like to have a new car.

es and some new guns. Please

Please bring mommie and dad-

Love,

Karla and Colin Pope

Mamo and Papo Pope something

Love, Nelda Gomez

I'd like some doll clothes for my dolls. Do you really have a deer named Rudolph? Love, Patty Sue Wells

I want a vanity, a Midge doll, some Barbie clothes also.

Love, Phelan Jo Freeman Dear Sasta, I want a play nurses' kit and

a Bargie doll and a Baby doll. I need a bed for my doll too. Love,

Mary Gomez Dear Santa, I would like a nurses kit.

Please bring Janet and Kathy a

Love, Martha Walker



★ Happiness and ★ \* \* \* the True \* \* \*

Spirit of Christmas

The Bronte Hospital



### December 24, 1964 | Dear Santa,

## Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa,

I want any kind of doll, just I want a Gaylord, some army as I told you once before, and stuff, and a holster set with a a nurses set. rifle.

> Love, Sherri Simpson Dear Santa,

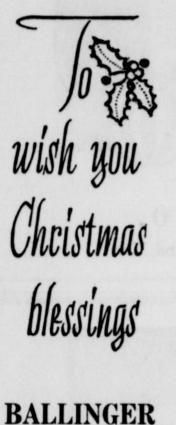
Dear Santa,

D

I would like a vacuum cleaner, a play house, some dishes, a like some little telephones for mas is coming soon and Kendall paint set, a nurse kit and make- my little sister and the other wants a tricycle. Rhonda wants believe medicine. Steve would little sister would like some a doll. like a racing set. Love, Marian Clark

Dear Santa, I would like some suit cases.

Love, Pauline Basquez



DRY GOODS CO. BALLINGER, TEXAS

shoots rockets out of his head. a drum, a whistle that is long like a horn, a monkey that skates to share with my little brother Cliff. If you have a play Santa Claus toy if you have one, a slinky toy. Love, Bill Holley

Dear Santa,

I want some dolls and clothes, I would like a football suit, May a nurse set, some dishes. I would I have some books, too. Christ-Love,

I want a robot commando who

Kerwin Denton

I am six years old. I go to kindergarten. I would appreciate a bicycle and a Tressie doll, a I would like to have Barbie's doll bed, a Ken car and a fat sister, Skipper, a nurse kit and Barbee case. I would also like Baby Bright doll, some play dough, and a Mr. Edd puppet and a sparkle set.

I want a Nancy nurse. Mark Lovingly, wants a Teddy Bear, Janet wants Leah Barbee a slip, Matt wants a Basketball.

Dear Santa Claus,

Love,

Dear Santa,

When I go to kindergarten, I am very good. I am learning a lot. I would like a Tiger Joe cannon, some spurs, a gun holster, a B-B gun, a cowboy suit, a paint set, a cowboy hat and a rifle holder.

Donald Butler

Dear Santa, I want a Tressie doll, Santa. I have like all the toys you have brought me. My mother wants a coat with a fur colar. She would like to have some aligater shoes. purse, and hat. My daddy wants a piar of houseshouse and don't forget my cousin. Love,

Virginia Faye Powell

Wishvou a verv MERRY CHRISTMAS MORGAN MOTORS BALLINGER, TEXAS Uhroughout the year just closing, a portion of WTU advertising has been devoted to some of the basic community development elements which are widely

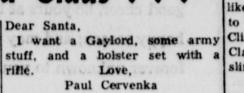
MAY WE EXTEND TO YOU OUR WARMEST

GREETINGS

To everybody ...

MAE HURLEY AND FAMILY





little clothes and shoes. My bro-

ther would like some guns and

Love, Linda Sanchez

Love.

Savannah

I want a BB gun with some

BB's. Dana wants doll that will

do a lot of things. Oh yes, I

want more than a few BB's.

I want a bicycle and a big doll

with clothes. Cody would like a

slinky dog. Please bring by

mother lipstick and shaving lo-

Love, Denise McClure

I want a slinky, a football, foot-

ball suit and helmet. I want a

fun set, some play dough, a

I want a slinky, a skipper, and

Barbie clothes, chalk, a play rifle, caps, a pistol and pajamas.

slinky dog and stuffed cat.

Mark Lee

Love, Craig Lee

Glenda Mills

Love,

Thank you for my BB gun.

blue jeans, boots and a belt.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

tion for my daddy.

a bulletin board.

Love, Tammy Nelson

considered essential in local growth and improvement. The response from our growth-conscious communities has been good . . . so much so that we are en-couraged to continue along the same general lines in the new year of 1965. The true spirit of the Holiday Season is to be found in this pleasant relationship with communities in our service area. That is why all of the folks here at West Texas Utilities join together in sending greetings and best wishes for a very -Alerry Christmas

> West Texas Utilities Company

## Letters to Santa

Dear Santa.

I would like a nurse kit. And I do not very much to ask for. don't forget a Bible because I But please do this. Don't ring want presents too. And thank you think of all a them. for last years presents.

Love, Norma Thompson Dear Santa,

I want a gun that shoots rubber I would like a bicycle. and bullets. I also want a gun hol- Penny Bright. and Elmer's Glue. ster. I want one more toy. I and Barbe Doll, and a Bride doll. want a car race track set. Thank and a chatty babby, and a tiny you for the toys that I got last thumbelina. That is all. year.

Love. Joey Simpson

Dear Santa.

the children in other lands. I last year. love you, I love you, I love you devine, Please bring me a Christmas tree, Because its mine.

Yours truly,

Sue Ann Lee

Dear Santa,

and a transistor radio. I hope Thank you! I am not asking for to much. Thank you for all the thing you have brought me. Please bring Dear Santa, me some Elmer's glue for school. And please do not forget the rest Tracery car and an batterry poof the children. And don't for- wer truck. get the other lands, too. Your friend, Cynthia Ruth Baker Dear Santa, I would like a Johnny oma and and a time bomb? and another a B-B rifle. Love.

George Howard

Dear Santa.

want to read God's Word. And your bells and wake me up. I would like a Penny Bright. Please bring this. A bicycle and And Santa, please don't forget a poloride camera. And my brothe other lands. Because they ther wants so many things I can't

Love, your friend Andy M. Eubanks

Dear Santa.

Love, Julia Flores

Dear Santa,

I want a raincoat and a pair How are you doing? I am doing of rainboots. I want a pair of fine. I would enjoy a watch to scissors and a puppet that can tell time. There is so many talk. I wanted two books but things I want I can't decide my grandmother got them. I also witch things to get. Thank you want a doll that can walk. Thank for last years toys. Don't forget you for the things you gave me

> Yours truly. Diane Arrott.

Dear Santa,

I was very pleased what you brought me last year. I wish you would bring me a jewelry box, I would like a Bonny Bride, a and a globe, long play fingerslinky, a pair of house slippers, nails, and a diary, and play fur,

> Love, Dawn Cumbie

I would like to have an Dick

Love. Jesse Oran Powell Dear Santa, Will you bring me a B-B gun

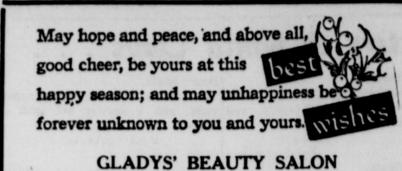
thing too, some pair of boots. Your friends, Mike Gonzales



December 24, 1964 | Dear Santa Claus

Thank you for the nice things you brought me last year I want a Roy Rogers set. I want a watch I want a combat set. My dady wants a shotgun. My mother wants a new dress. Richerd wants a pool table. Eu-My brougher wants a saddle. gene wants a Bi.Bi. gun. Timmy

wants a tricycle. Merry Christmas Love Randy



BALLINGER, TEXAS

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... a thousand "Thank You's" for your trust and patronage

... a thousand "Best Wishes" to you during every Christmas moment

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SCOTT BUTANE CO.

Joe Ed, Wilma, Brenda, Merritt, Dewitt and Viva

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### Scenes of Christmas

No matter what scenes of Christmas you cherish ... we hope you'll add this one along with our thanks and our heartiest wishes for a Christmas of contentment and a new year of success.

### JOYCE'S FOOD MARKET

Ralph, Joyce, Tad, Nancy and Terry Dora, Rob and Dorothy Ruth

and THANKS for your patronage. HANDLE WITH GARE to: Our Friends **CUMBIE & MACKEY** Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Macke Mr. & Mrs. R. E. Cumbie Mrs. Don Edmiaston Mrs. Bill Wrinkle

### December 24, 1964 Dear Santa,

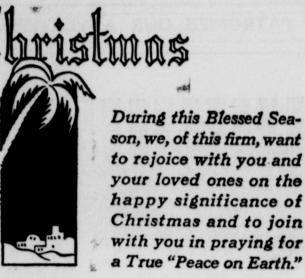
## Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa,

I want the Mouse Trap Game I would like to have a Mystery and the Crazy Clock Game, Skull and a sewing kit and a Watch, football pants, Dogfight, bicycle and a Lullaby Baby, Tank Dear Santa, Battle Cry. Yours truly,

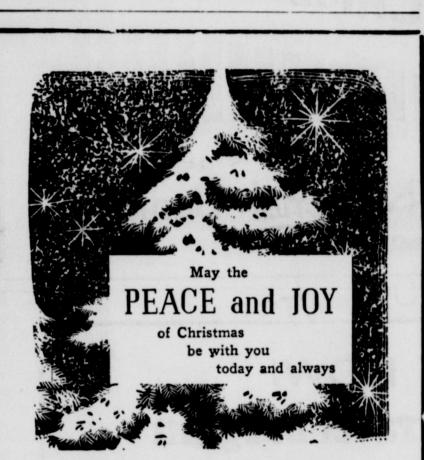
Dear Santa you for the things the pass time. Love

Tony Mackey Debbie Luckett



### SCOGGINS TOT TO TEENS

BALLINGER, TEXAS



I need a pair of scissors and note-book-paper. I would like a view master, and a Johnny Seven O.M.A. and a football, and foot-

Travis Tucker.

May I please have a set of horse books. And a typewriter. And in my stocking I need some

note book paper. And thank you for what you brought me last year. And do not forget the other little children over seas. Love you,

Jean Ann Raughton Dear Santa,

I want a slinky and a rocket shooting robot, a Indan dum drum, drum sticks and a tommahawk, and a toy water tower. Remember especially Ricky with an army tank, men and a truck. Guy would like the same thing. My daddy would like some new house shoes. I don't know what size - but just so long as they fit his feet. My mother would enjoy some golden house shoes. If you get time to answer send note to my brothers also. May I have a Daniel Boone

gun? Love, Dennis Latimer

Dear Santa, I would like a tiny thumbelina for my little sister that is 5

year old and I would like a bicycle for me. I am a girl. Dear Santa, thank you for last years presents.

#### With love, Ofelia Minjarez

Dear Santa Claus I want a doll of Christmas. My mother want a house coat.

My sister want a doll. My other sister want a play dog.

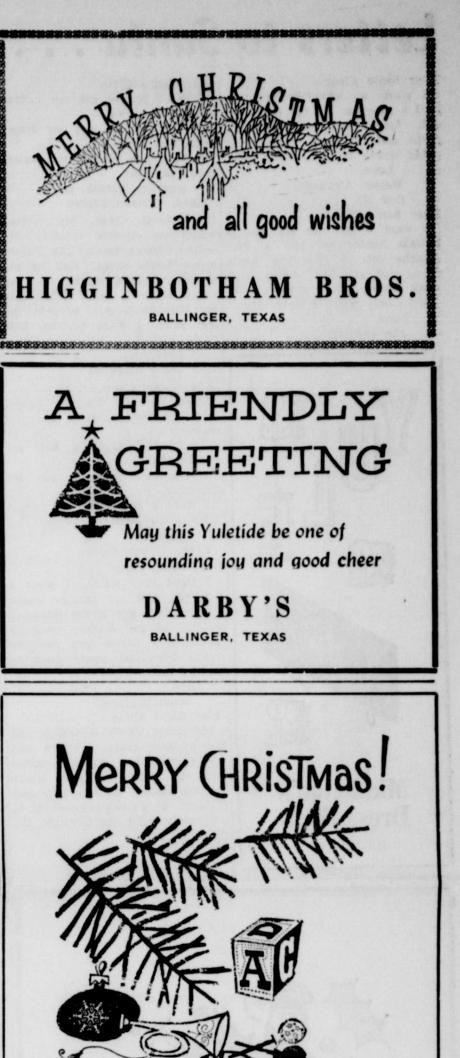
My brother want a play gun My father wants a watch My other sister want a doll Love, Linda Walker Dear Santa,

Please get me a b.b. gun and a book about horses. A note book. And a bicycle for Paul. And get Mary a cook book. And get Mary a paint set of horses. And get Paul Larry the Lion. And get Carol a color book and crayons.

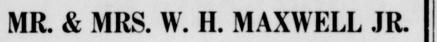
Love,

Mary Cervenka Dear Santa Claus,

Please bring me some new boots and some play guns for Christman and don't forget the other children, Santa. Please bring them some toys so they can play with them. Oh I don't want to forget Thank you for bring me some toys last year. Oh, Santa please bring my sister a kissing doll and bring me a pencil. Love, Albert Sanchez



ball shoes. Yours truly,





To our faithful friends of long standing and to our cherished new friends and to those whose friendship we hope to earn, we extend greetings of the season

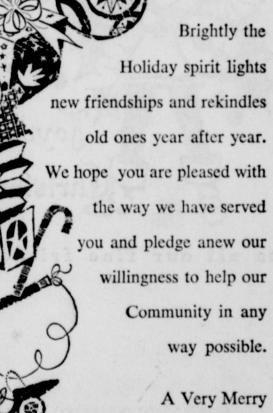
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Jewel Porter

Mildred Leatherwood



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INSURANCE

Christmas To You!

## Letters to Santa . .

#### Dear Santa Claus.

I want a Johnny-Seven-O-m-a. And a race car set but four lane soom houseshoes. set. And a big army set with jeeps and airplanes.

My daddy wants a deer rifle. Love, Wayne Alexander

Box 123

#### Dear Santa Claus

I want a gun ho set and a buffalo hunter set and a Fort Apache set. I like you Santa Claus and you Mrs. Claus.

My mother wants a pan. My daddy want a deer rifle. Love,

Jim Dunnam



Dear Santa Claus

I want you to get my father

soom new boots. I want you to get my sisters Dear Santa Claus,

soom pajamas. I want a Barbie piano. Love, Crisann Boyles Dear Santa Claus, My mother wants an electric toaster. My brother wants boots. My Father wants houes shoes. And by big brother wants a watch. And my sister wants a coat. Thak you for the things you brought me

lest year. I want bo. bo. bear

Thank you for the nice latter. My mother wants a pair of

My daddy wants a belt for

My brother wants a gun for

I want a Barbie for Christmas My sister wants a skipper for

I liked your letter. I want a b.b. gun and my mother wants a pan and my sister wants a watch and my Father wants a watch and thank you for the things from last year. Look on

My dady wants a watch and my mother wants a watch and my grandmother wants a watch and my sister wants a watch

and my brother wants a bike and I want a Johnny-Seven-O.-M.-A.

Thank you for the twinspin top

Louis Martinez

Leve, Donna Butler

Noah Minjarez.

Dear Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus

rifel.

shoes.

Chrsitmas

Chrstmas.

Christmas.

the back. Love.

Santa Claus

Love,

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus My daddy wants o rifle and my mother wants some shoes and my little brother wants a condat set and I want a football set. I want you to get my mother Have a good time Santa Claus on your trip. Love

Marvin Ensor

I would be very happy to have a Barbee doll and some clothes, a toy piano, a Barbee car and a Barbee house and some furniture.

Thank you very much,

Love. Kelly Boyles PATRONIZE OUR ADVERTISERS

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BALLINGER, TEXAS

December 24, 1964

Merry Christmas

The Bronte Enterprise

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## First National Bank

BALLINGER, TEXAS

## NOW! **Big travel bargain**





to all our fine friends

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For example, a regular round-trip ticket costing \$100 will be sold at the off-season bargain fare of \$80. Round trips costing \$75 now will be only \$60, and similar reductions will apply for round-trip tickets from all stations except for local trips within the State of California.

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Now you can leave the car at home and save money traveling by Santa Fe.

See the Santa Fe Agent in your home town for complete information

## Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus

I want a Barbie Fashion clothes and a Barbie doll. Thank you for the card. My dady wants boots for Christmas and my mother wants house coat and pajamas and fluffy houseshoes and earrings. Thank you for the toys you brought me and my family last Christmas. I like you, Santa Claus.

Love

**Carolyn** Ivey

Dear Santa Claus

Thank you for the card.

I want a Johnny-seven-OMA and A BB gun and a Gi Jo please. My sister wants a typewriter please.

My little sister wants a doll please.

My mother wants a dress please.

My father wants a radio please.

Love,

Jimmy Raughton

Dear Santa Claus,

My mother wants a necklace with diamonds on it. My father wants a new khaki coat. My big brother wants a new pear of cowboy and a cowboy shirt. My cousin wants an new cowboy hat and a new cowboy suit and some boots My brother wants a bicycle and a cowboy boots. I want some boots and a bicycle. Please bring them.

Love, Viva Ruth Scott

Dear Santa Claus,

Thank you for your nice card. My mother wants a frying pan. My daddy wants a house coat. My sister wants a baby bright. My other sister wants a house coat.

I want a slinky.

Love. **Cheryl Baker** 

Dear Santa Claus.

Thank you for your nice card. My mother wants some house shoes.

My daddy wants some house shoes and house coat.

Mike wants some gas and pellets for his pellet gun.

Nicky wants a play gun. I want a pat-a-burp baby.

Love, Kim Arrott

Dear Santa Claus

I thank you for the toy you give. I want a whol Davy Crockett suit and his rifil.

My father wants some boots. My mother wans a washing ma-



chine.

Love, Gilbert Soto Dear Santa Claus

Thank you for your card. I want a Daniel Boone set and a Kentucky Flintlock and everthing Daniel Boone had.

My brother wants a Go-cart. My little sister wants a Barbie doll.

My big sister wants a real telephone.

Love,

Alan Barbee

Dear Santa Claus,

My mother wants a electric toaster.

My father wants a jacket. I want a dollbed.

Love, Martha

Dear Santa Claus.

I wrote for a lo car but I want to change Fort Apache set. My sister wants a ice box a stove a sink and a cabinet.

My daddy wants a new jacket. My mother wants electrci toaster.

Love, Mark Lindsey Dear Santa Claus

My mother works at home. My brothers names is Lisio and Albert and my sisters names is Janie and Susan.

My daddys names is Manual Sanchez. My mothers names is Paz Sanchez.

I want a doll My sister want a doll to Rosa M. Sanchez

Always we wish the best of everything tor our friends and customers but it is particularly at Christmastime that we express a special kind of wish . . . one that will bring you complete happiness and joys which

you can treasure in the days to come.



Jerry Proctor

**Royce Fancher** 

Lee Hennecke

Louis Gallaway

**Clifford Hageman** 

**Pete Puentez** 

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton

**Roy Robinson** 

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Caperton

### December 24, 1964 Dear Santa Claus

## Letters to Santa

Dear Santa Claus,

I am five years old and go to kindergarten. I would like a play I am six years old. I would like rifle, a David Crockett suit and Tiger Joe tank, a David Crockett hat, a knife and hatchet. Also suit and hat, football shoes, and I would like some new crayons, a Big Bruiser truck, a va-room and a football and a football suit. motor bike, a gun holster and Love,

Dear Santa,

I am six years ald and I am very, very good. I would like a Barbee doll a Barbee doll house, a Barbee car, a Skipper little kittie cat.

I love you,

Shelly Cumbie

Dear Santa I just had a nice birthday and cowboy hat. Please bring my Randy Nelson baby sister something too.

> Love. Randy Joe Corbin Dear Santa

> > Love,

I want a football suit and a b-b doll and a Ken doll and a real gun and a football and a initial watch and a big bicycle and a ring and I still play with the toys you gave me.

Dan Henry

thes and bathett, high chair and bed. I also want a gold billfold, French white poodle, and some stuff for my live dog, a collar with silver sparkles on it and a bath tub for it. I also want some clothes for

I have been a good girl. want a baby Bright with her clo-

myself, a blue and red dress and any other items you wish to bring. I hope you like my coloring and

I wish wou a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

I have a sister Sharon and we want together a vacuum form and I want a mop, broom and a carpet sweeper and Little hostess thing. The badge and boat with vacuum form.

Now I am going to close. Love,

Sandra Moody

Dear Santa: I have been as good as I could. And hope your reindeer have had a long and happy rest, because you have a lot of presents to deliver.

I would like to have a Penny Brite doll, with her clothes, case and furniture.

I would, also, like to have a red billfold, with places to put pictures and money.

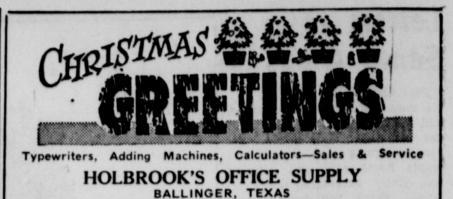
And a bicycle baskets' to go on both sides in back of my bicycle. For my Vacuform I would like an animal, disguises, badges, airplane and boat kets.

I have a collie dog named 'King Ringo Bon Moody (most of the time Ringo). He told me he wanted a bed with a red cushion in it, to fit his house.

I am nine years old. I have sister named Sandra Lynne, (six), mom, Lou Ann and Daddy, William (or Billy).

and your boot.

tail and around neck.



Happy Holídays

We are always conscious of our many friends but sometimes we get so busy we don't take time to put it into words just how much we appreciate them. Happily, Christmas gives us a special opportunity to think of our friends and wish them well.

We're happy, now, to express our appreciation for your friendliness and good will, as we wish you a joyful holiday season and the best of everything in the New Year.

### WILLIAMS FUNERAL HOME

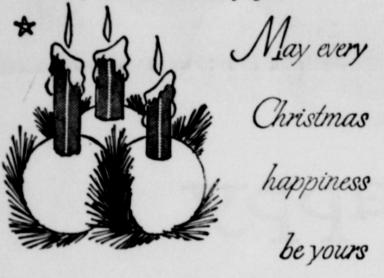
### Sam & Ruth Williams & Family



pristmas May the joys and pleasures of the Holiday Season be centered around you and yours and may they continue throughout the days to come. BRIGHT DRUG BALLINGER, TEXAS

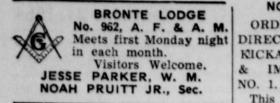
### ON CHRISTMAS DAY ...

May happiness surround you and yours. It has been a pleasure to us and we gladly avail ourselves of the opportunity which Christmas offers for the expression





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### Mr. & Mrs. O. T. Colvin

NOTICE OF ELECTION ORDER FOR ELECTION OF officer to hold said election hereby DIRECTORS, COKE COUNTY KICKAPOO WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT Presiding Judge is hereby given

This 3rd day of December, 19-64, came to be considered by the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improve- ified voter under the Constitution ment District No. 1, the matter and laws of the State of Texas. of calling an election for the All votes for such election shall purpose of electing three (3) directors for said district to serve a term of two (2) years from the second Tuesday in January, 1965; and it appearing to said directors of said district that it would age, a resident of said District be advisable to hold said election of directors on the 12th day in the District.

of January, 1965, the same being the second Tuesday in January, 1965, and that the directors of said district issue an order therefore and cause public notice to be given as required by law; NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improvement District No. 1, said Directors do hereby order that on the 12th day of January, 1965, at the City Hall in the City of Bronte, County of Coke, State of Texas, an election ing once a week for two consecushall be held for the purpose of tive weeks, with the first publielecting three Directors of said cation being at least twenty (20) District.

That the polls shall be open for such election at the City Hall in the City of Bronte, Texas, located in said district from 8:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on the day of



is appointed, to-wit, Noah Pruitt, Presiding Judge. Said

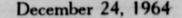
authority to hold said election. No person shall vote at such election unless he is a resident voter of said district and also a qualbe by ballot, and voters desiring to vote for the Directors of the District shall vote for three persons each of whom shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of and an owner of taxable property

On or before the fifth day after such election, the officers holding such election shall make due returns, in triplicate, of all the votes cast for Directors of said District, and deliver one (1) return to the President of the District and one (1) to the Secretary. Public notice of this order shall be given by publication thereof in The Bronte Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Coke County, Texas, the publication of this Order bedays prior to the election and not more than thirty-five (35)

days prior thereto. WITNESS THE HAND of the President and Secretary of the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improve-

### the election; and the following | The Bronte Enterprise

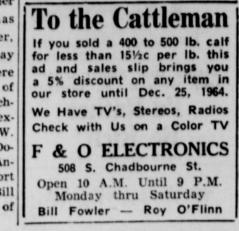
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Alexander and Wayne will spend Christmas Day in Ballinger with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Caffey. On Saturday they will go on to Ozona where they will join other members of the Alexander family at the Richard Webster home. Others expected include Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Alexander of Bronte, Mrs. Doris Conley and Linda of San Angelo. J. L. Alexander of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander and Terry Lynn of Grand Prairie.



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a weekend guest in the T. F. Sims home. He came home with Glenn Sims from Baylor University, Waco, where both are stu-t dents.

BEST

WISHES

FOR

CHRISTMAS

BRONTE

**Flowers & Gifts** 

We have appreciated your

## Charles Birdsong of Dallas was At Christmastime ...

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hornbeck| Major and Mrs. James R. will spend Christmas in Big Boies and Jimmy from Lock-Spring at the home of her moth- bourne AFB, Ohio, were to arer, Mrs. W. B. Stump, where rive Wednesday to spend the holthey will meet other members of idays with her parents, Mr. and the family.

In the O. T. Allison home over the holidays will be Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. Millikin and Mrs. J. W. J. L. Rodgers and Kenneth of Anderson are Mr. and Mrs. R. Fort Stockton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Millikin and children of Bloom-James Eubank, Truitt and Margie ing Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Bob-Kay of Robert Lee, and Mrs. by Clark and family of Abilene. Mattie Gibson.

the holidays in Covina, Calif., holidays with Mr. and Mrs. with her son, Morgan McQueen, Charles Brown and children. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Luttrell Mrs. Merle Proctor and Mary Jo, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers and Paula will be with the B. A. Bells Christmas Day.

Mrs. LaRue Broussard, Weldon and Edward will spend the holidays in Carbon with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ussery. In the H. O. Whitt home Christ-

mas will be Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Fleming and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitt and family of Richardson and Hubert What of Jal, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Becksworth of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Salter, Tommye Lynn and Dena of Pecos will be guests in the Bill Lankford home during

Mrs. Frank Keesee.

Spending Christmas with Mrs.

Mrs. R. B. Seaton and Brenda Mrs. Mae McQueen will spend of Quanah are here to spend the

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas and girls will be in the J. F. Thomas of Sonora, Mr. and Mrs. Joe home for Christmas. Other mem-Bailey Luttrell of Edna, Mr. and bers of the family expected are Mr. and Mas. Elton GillMand, Chloe and John of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Carlton, and Ronnie of Maverick, Mrs. R. L. White and Orville of Blackwell. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ed Mackey of Abilene are here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkins of Las Vegas, Nevada and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilkins Jr. and family of Houston will be here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilkins, Joy Lynn and Kenneth. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Low and Lana spent Sunday in Brownwood with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Low Sr. The elder

Mr. Low is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Forman will go to Trinidad for Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forman are expecting their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Glenn, Mr. Glenn and children from Amarillo for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holley and children will spend Christmas in Haskell with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Berry and his mother, Mrs. W. T. Holley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Criswell of Plainview will be holiday visitors of the Wayne Dunnams.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Edmiaston and children of Snyder are expected to be visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Edmiaston on Christmas Day.

With Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hageman and Don for the holidays will be Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Hanna and Randy of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Hageman and family of Waco.





PARTS & SERVICE - INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER

BALLINGER, TEXAS 

Linda Henry is here from Stamford for a holiday visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry. They will go to Fort Worth for a Christmas visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ellis.

## W. W. THETFORD & FAMILY



Along about this time of the year we like to take a moment or two just to tell you how greatly we appreciate your fine friendships and loyalty and to wish you every good thing in life during the days to come.

BALLINGER MEMORIAL CO. NETTIE G. LUSK, Owner



Conda Richards, and family, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wylie.

