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GINGER LANE

Ginger Lane's Engagement Told at Tea Saturday

The engagement of Miss Ginger Lane and Jimmy Charles Floyd was announced Saturday at a tea in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lane.

Mr. Floyd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Floyd of Fort Worth. The couple will be married Jan. 26 in the Baptist Church here.

The theme, "wedding bells", was carried out by small individual favors made of a white crystallized china wedding bell and gold wedding bands tied together with white satin ribbon with the names and wedding date engraved in gold. The favors were presented to the guests by Miss Rebecca Durham of San Angelo, cousin of the bride-elect. The table was covered with an ivory imported cloth of embroidered Italian linen, and was centered with a bridal doll on a mirror encircled by a wreath of white ruffled net and pink rosebuds. Other pink and white flowers also decorated the living and dining rooms.

Greeting guests at the door were Mrs. Fred Barrett of Dryden and Mrs. Dorbandt T. Barton of Fort Stockton, aunts of the bride-to-be. In the receiving line were Mrs. Ray Lane, Miss Lane, and Mrs. L. B. Floyd. Also were Mrs. Johnny Amman of Hobbs, N.M., a cousin of the bride-to-be; Mrs. W. O. Spence of Midland, and Mrs. Charlie Davis of Sterling City, three of Miss Lane's wedding attendants.

Serving were Mrs. Dorbandt J. Barton, a cousin of Miss Lane and Mrs. Russell Huckaby of Midland, Mrs. A. T. Carleton, also a cousin of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Glenn Williams of Midland. Miss Rachel Ann Durham of San Angelo, cousin of the bride-to-be, registered the guests.

The houseparty also included Mrs. C. N. Crawford and Mrs. J.D. Lane, grandmothers of Miss Lane; Mrs. D. K. Durham of San Angelo, Mrs. James McEntire of Sterling City and Mrs. W. V. Young of Abilene, aunts of the bride-elect; Mrs. David Glass, Mrs. W. W. Durham, Mrs. Templeton Foster, Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. Martin Reed, Mrs. Roland L. Lowe, Mrs. E. F. McEntire, of Sterling, and Mrs. Jimmy Daniel of Big Lake.

Miss Lane is a graduate of Sterling High School and received her B.S. Degree in business education from Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, last June. While attending TCU, Ginger was a member and past president of the Flying Frogs and the National Inter-Collegiate Flying Association; a member of Froettes, Sociae, Business and Professional Women's Club, Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority and Epsilon Zeta. She is presently employed as secretary by Trice Production Company in Midland.

Mr. Floyd will graduate from T. C. U. in June. The couple will make their home in Fort Worth.

Typewriter Paper for sale at the News-Record.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jenny Ruth, to Mr. William H. Dorsey of Big Spring of December 22. Mr. Dorsey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dorsey of Big Spring.

The marriage will be held at the home of Miss Davis's parents west of town.

Silver Wings to Ground Observer Corps Members Here Last Sunday

Silver wings of the Army Air Forces Ground Observer Corps, were presented to Sterling City watchers Sunday afternoon. S-Sgt. E. H. Geitner of San Angelo made the presentation. Certificates were given along with the wings to those who made up the corps here.

Receiving wings were John M. Stuckwish, post supervisor, Anceel Reed, R. P. Brown, G. C. Murrell, Milton Reed, W. O. Green, Mrs. Joe Emery, Jodie Emery, H. C. Lawson, Jack Douthit and Henry Bauer.

An alert for that afternoon was called off due to the bad weather.

Lamb Tour Here Saturday

There will be a 4-H and FFA Club Lamb Tour here Saturday, it was announced by Fred Igo recently. The tour will start Saturday morning at eight o'clock. At noon the group will be at the Hodges ranch where a barbecue lunch will be served. The County Agent Arthur Barlemann and FFA instructor Fred Igo will be in charge of the tour.

There will be a livestock judging contest at the L.F. and Clinton Hodges ranch that afternoon, said Igo.

All interested persons are invited to go on the tour.

The tour begins at LeRuth Reed's and from there follows Alfred Chapple, FFA Barn, Robert Quintana, Jodie Emery, David Drennan, Jerry and Carolyn Payne, David Grunty, Bill and Mitsy Davis, Barbara Clark, Forrest Foster's, Chesley McDonalds, Lynn Glass, Gastons, Vernon Stewart, Dub and Kenneth Fincher, Tony and Linda Allen, David and Barbara Durham, Reynolds Lee Foster, Fieldses and the last stop—Hodges ranch.

At the livestock judging contest at the end of the tour, wards are to be made—at the show here on January 21, said Igo.

Ray Shields brought back the biggest deer we saw from the black tail deer region this season. He was out close to El Paso with a hunting party, which got several bucks.

Post binders and ledger sheets for sale at the Sterling City News-Record.

From Where Came Christmas Trees?

Like so many other Christmas customs, the origin of the tree tradition is not definitely known.

One theory holds that the 8th-century missionary Boniface persuaded the Teutons to transfer their worship of Odin's sacred oak to an evergreen decorated in honor of the Christ child.

Popular legend has it that the first Christmas tree originated in Egypt where the first trees used were palm trees. Another story says that Martin Luther decorated a tree with candles to simulate an evergreen shimmering with starlit snow.

We do know the Germans did much to popularize the use of Christmas trees, introducing them into both England and America. The German Prince Albert, consort of Queen Victoria, started the custom in England when he had a tree for his young daughter. The tradition crossed the Atlantic with less-than-mercenary during the American Revolution.

Early Saxons named the curious berry tree parasite used as a Yule-time decoration "Mistletoe", meaning a shoot of a tree. Early Nordics dedicated mistletoe to their goddess of love and started kissing under it as a gesture of friendship and love.

Lions Christmas Auction Set for Next Wednesday

The Lions Club will hold their annual Christmas auction next Wednesday when the club meets at the community center. Lion H. F. Donaldson will act as auctioneer. Members will bring guests and a gift to be auctioned off. The gifts will be children's toys and later used to make out the Christmas Cheer boxes. Money raised by the auction is used by the club for the Christmas baskets that will be distributed and other worthy projects throughout the year.

The club voted to see that the holes were dug to put the "Yield Right-of-Way" signs over town.

The committee to raise money for the club boys livestock show here was named. R. T. Caperton is chairman and M. E. Churchill and Alvie Cole are members.

County agent Arthur Barlemann told of a vet to be here next week to vaccinate pets against rabies. It was announced for the town on next Thursday afternoon. Cost will be \$2.50 per animal—dogs or cats.

Dr. Swann and R. T. Caperton talked briefly on vaccination of pets against rabies. It is generally thought that we are on the brink of an emergency, due to so many cases of rabies among pets and the wild animals hereabouts. If not enough pets are vaccinated next week, perhaps no emergency will have to be called, it was said.

Anyway, all people are urged to have their dogs vaccinated. With no food available out in the pastures, wild animals, such as foxes and skunks are becoming bolder and coming into town, where they can bite pets or other animals. The shots for rabies after a person has been bitten is very rough, according to all authorities.

FFA instructor Fred Igo told of the lamb tour that will be held on Saturday, December 15. He invited all interested persons to go on the tour.

Chest X-Rays Set For February

Plans are being made for a chest X-Ray program here in February. An official from the Texas State Health Department will be here on December 18 to help lay organizational plans.

The chest X-Rays are sponsored here by the Noratadata Club and the main object is to help discover TB. However, officials point out that other things are revealed, too, such as lung cancer and enlarged hearts.

POLIO MAN TO BE HERE DECEMBER 19

Jack Dupree, district man with the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis will be here to meet with the Sterling County committee. Plans for the March of Dimes Drive for January will be discussed. Jeff Davis is to head the local drive this year. Last year's chairman was Rufus Foster.

Football-Pep Squad Banquet Held Tuesday Evening

The Mother's Club of the Sterling School football boys and pep squad girls sponsored the annual football banquet honoring the football boys and the pep squad girls Tuesday evening in the community center. Mrs. Joe Emery is president of the organization.

Bill Young, football captain, acted as master of ceremonies. Chesley McDonald gave the invocation. Mrs. Emery gave the welcome to the boys, girls, parents and guests. Barbara Simmons responded for the pep squad girls and Lynn Glass for the boys.

Dinner music was provided by Kelton Gaston, Dalton Ellebracht, Jackie Cole, Claudia Collins, Glenda Sparks, Sandra Williams and Gayle Steward.

Mrs. W. G. Barr spoke briefly on the pep squad of '56. Coach W. L. Young talked on Football Views.

Alfred Chapple, lightweight player and humorist, spoke on "Football Views from the Bench." Alfred with his droll humor and perfect timing, proved a hit.

Phil George, basket ball coach and assistant football coach from San Angelo College, gave a talk on football anecdotes. He also had a film of the SAC—Tarleton football game that was shown. The film of the regional game between Sterling City and Pyote was shown.

The football boys presented a gift to the football sweetheart, Barbara Simmons. A gift from them also went to Dr. Wm. J. Swann. Also receiving gifts were superintendent O. T. Jones—who got a standing ovation from the crowd, and Mrs. Barr—pep squad sponsor.

Gifts were presented to Coach and Mrs. W. L. Young. Worth B. Durham, president of the school board, made the presentation of a gift certificate, a breakfast room suite, and an easy chair.

The newly formed club, Epsilon Zeta, had charge of serving the meal. The menu consisted of cocktail, of tomato juice, baked ham, green beans, candied potatoes, cranberry salad, French bread, coffee or tea and pecan pie.

Thus was the end of a successful football season. The Sterling Eagles had again won the top spot in this region. In the three years Coach Young has been here—the regional title has been won twice—1954 and 1956.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Hugh Harzke
Mrs. Neal Reed
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include:
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bird
Lark Lawson
Phoebe Jane Owens.

SURVIVAL 'HARDWARE'

FCDA Stockpiles Would Aid U. S. After Huge Attack

One of the world's largest "hardware dealers" sells merchandise, has an 80,000-ton "inventory" which is constantly increasing, and hopes that none of the "hardware" will ever be used.

This vast stockpile of machinery and supplies, housed in 65 warehouses across the nation, is the Federal Civil Defense Administration's store of items which would be urgently and immediately needed if the United States were ever attacked.

IT INCLUDES such widely diverse items as medical supplies and blood "expanders" (chemicals which augment whole blood), portable emergency hospitals, gasoline-operated pumps, generators and water purifiers, and radiological "survey meters" for detecting fallout.

FCDA warehouses of all types are located from 20 to 100 miles from most major target areas in the nation, the size of the stockpile depending on the size and potential need of the target city.

While FCDA stockpiles are primarily for man-made disaster, they have also played a vital role in some recent floods.

The cities of Easton, Stroudsburg, and Scranton, Pa., depended on emergency pumps and purifiers for their city water in August 1955. FCDA medical supplies and 600 cots alleviated human suffering in Marysville and Yuba City, Calif., in December 1955, while pumps bailed out inundated Yuba City.



STOCKPILE of emergency supplies in Federal Civil Defense Administration warehouse is carefully marked and stored, so that supplies most urgently needed after an attack can be moved more quickly. (FCDA Photo)

What's Doing in the Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
L. S. Dubberly, Pastor
 Church School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Youth Fellowship 6:00 p.m.
 Wed. Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Marion H. Hays, Minister
 Bible School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Young People's Class 6:15 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
 Wednesday, Mid-Week Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Claude B. Stovall, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Lewis G. Petmecky, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY

There will be a Christmas program at the Methodist Church next Sunday. The Christmas story will be told by Mrs. Ralph Bynum. Following several parts by the children and the singing of Christmas carols, Santa Claus will take charge and distribute the gifts from the Christmas tree. The program will start at 7 p.m.

The pastor will preach at the 11 o'clock worship service on the subject "The Open Door." An offering will be taken for the Orphans Home at Waco.

The young people will have their regular meeting Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. The choir will meet Wednesday evening for the regular mid-week practice.

To The People of Sterling City:

We find it very hard to express our deep felt appreciation for the lovely gifts, and our gratitude to you for your wonderful friendship to us. I (Otelia), as the Coach's flunkie, have never had any recognition before and if I seem overcome, it is only because I am!

Our only hope is that we may be at least partly worthy of your friendship and kindness to us.

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Thurs., Fri., Sat., Dec. 20-21-22

"DAKOTA INCIDENT"

Linda Darnell, Dale Robertson

PRESBYTERIAN CHRISTMAS PROGRAM DECEMBER 16

The Christmas program at the Presbyterian Church will be Sunday, December 16 at 4:30 p.m. The program will be in the form of congregational singing, special musical selections and readings by Sunday School members and classes, and a worship celebration of the birth of Christ.

Most of the program will be by the children and youth of the Sunday School. The entire church membership is urged to be present.

Mrs. W. B. Turner of Carlsbad underwent surgery Tuesday in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. She was reported doing all right.

School Lunchroom Menus

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17

Pork Roast and Gravy
 American Fried Potatoes
 Buttered Corn
 Vegetable Salad, Rolls
 Cup Cakes

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Vienna Sausage, Pinto Beans
 Buttered Spinach
 Mixed Vegetable Salad
 Cornbread Muffins
 Raisin Rolls, Jelly

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19

Barbequed Hamburger Cup
 Creamed Potatoes
 Blackeyed Peas
 Vegetable Salad, Biscuits
 Blueberry Muffins

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20

(Christmas Dinner)
 Turkey—Dressing—Gravy
 Parsley Potatoes
 Green Peas with Pimiento
 Sauce, Celery Sticks
 Fruit Salad, Cranberry
 Sauce, Rolls, Fruit Cake

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21—Left open to Clear for Holidays.

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NOTICE—I am now correspondent for the San Angelo Standard-Times and the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Please phone in your news items of society, etc. to Mrs. Delbert Dearen at 8-2111.

In Case of FIRE Dial 8-2121.

THE AMERICAN WAY



The Parasite

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hallmark returned home last week from a trip that took them to Mississippi and Georgia. They visited the H. R. Marlow's in Savannah Beach, Ga. and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hallmark in West Point. Miss Mrs. C. J. Dunn of Alpine and Penny Hallmark accompanied them on the trip.

Capt. Howard Bruton, now stationed at Goose Bay Labrador AFB will be stationed at Eilson AFB near Fairbanks, Alaska when the present tour is completed in May. Mrs. Bruton and son, Rick, plan to accompany him this round.

Plate lunch 85c. Steaks, Sandwiches, Hamburgers and Hot Dogs our Specialty. Carter's Cafe (Adv.)

New Almanacs at News-Record.

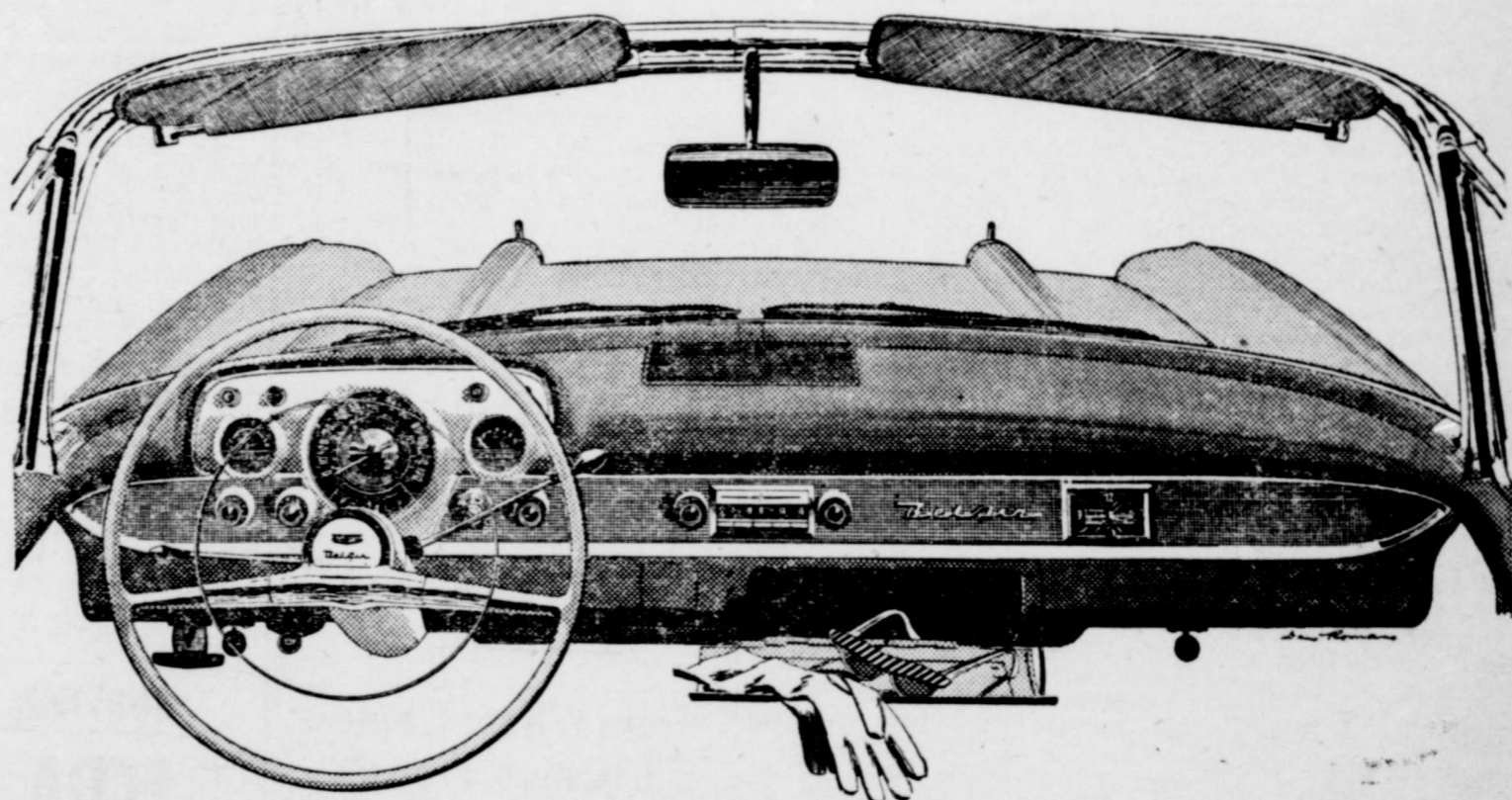
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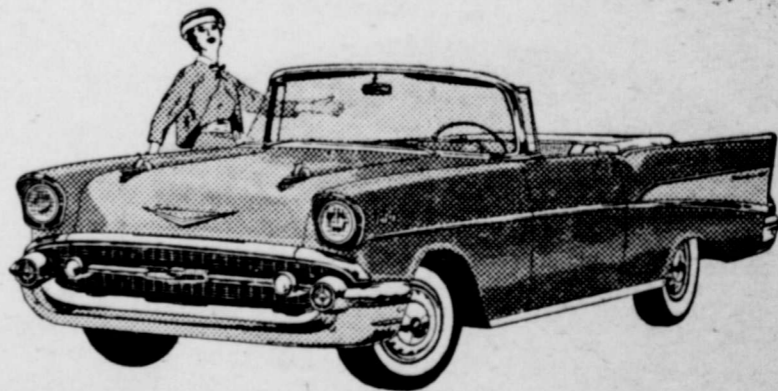
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(MRS. KING'S FIRST GRADERS)

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a bride doll and a slim Jim baton. Joanna and I want a real piano. Thank you for the things I think you are going to give me.

I love you,
From Lynette Murrell

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a yellow table and chairs. I want a doll, a buggy, and a suitcase. I want a bicycle and some skates, a telephone, a little purse, some perfume, a chalk board, chalk and some shoes. I want a table in my room, a picture, a cow girl suit, boots, a dress, and a jacket. That is all I need.

Love,
Betty Carol Reed

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a record player and a bike. I want a set of silver ware, a set of cooking ware, a set of dishes and a dress for my mother. I want some high heels for my mother. I want some high heels and a dress for my big sister. I want a suit for my father. I want a shirt and blue jeans for my brother.

Love Santa Claus,
Carol Twomey

Among the Younger Generation

IN STERLING CITY

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a make up kit. My mother wants a dress for her Christmas. My daddy would like to have a pair of dress pants.

Love,
Beverly Brooks



BETTY JO BARRETT

Betty Jo, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Barrett, is a student in the fourth grade in Sterling School. Her grandparents are Mrs. J. F. Barrett of Pontotoc and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodges of Sterling.

Dear Santa,
I want some furniture for my Madam Alexander doll. My sister Diddy wants a Jeanette doll. We want two black telephones so we can ring each other from different rooms in the house. Diddy wants a rocking horse.

I love you Santa,
Debbie Reed

Dear Santa,
My big brother wants a pellet gun. I want an air gun. I am not going to use it until I get old enough to shoot it. My little brother wants a black telephone to play with. My big brother wants a bow and arrow with sharp ends.

Mike, Pat and I love you, Santa Claus. My little brother has been asking for a BB gun.

My daddy wants another shot gun. My mother wants a dress just any color.

Mommy, Bubba, Mike, Jane, Pat and I love Santa Claus.

I love you so much, all of us.
Gary Foster



BEVERLY BROOKS

Beverly is the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brooks. Beverly is a first grader and a live wire, as is her cousin, Betty Jo Barrett. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks of Tennyson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodges.

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a stove. May I have a little doll house? May I have a little play house. I want a play snake. May I have a little candy. Santa Claus? I want some colors, a coloring book, tablet, a pencil, a chalk board, a picture about David Crockett, a play chicken, a play rooster and a ball.

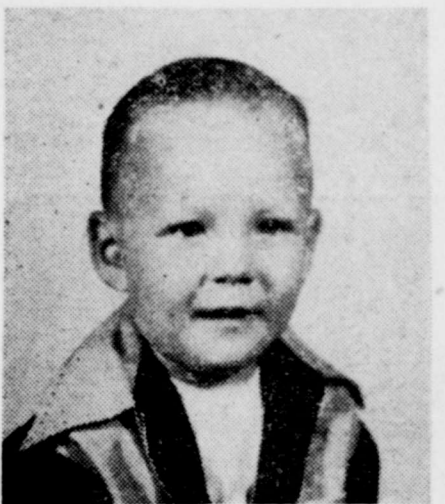
Thank you, Santa Claus.
I love you,
Diana Cole

Dear Santa Claus,
I want some Wild Bill Hickok guns, a BB gun, a Fort Apache set, a truck that carries logs, and another truck that carries gasoline.

I love you,
Phil Cole

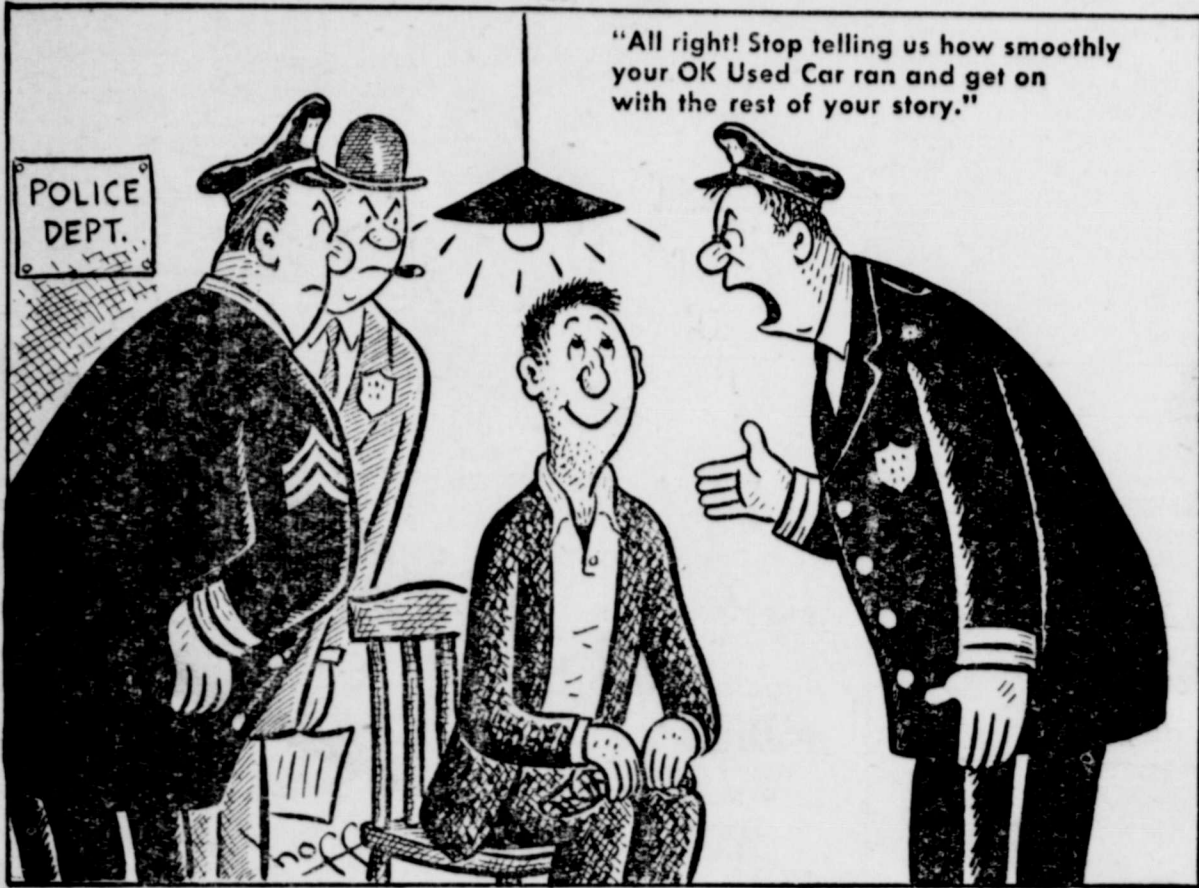
Dear Santa Claus,
I want shoulder pads and a football, a football helmet, and four Roy Rogers guns for my little brother and me.

I love you, Santa Claus.
Albert Dale Fields



BOBBY BYNUM

Bobby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ralph Bynum. He is nearly three years old. Grandparents are Mrs. Ralph Bynum and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis of Sterling.



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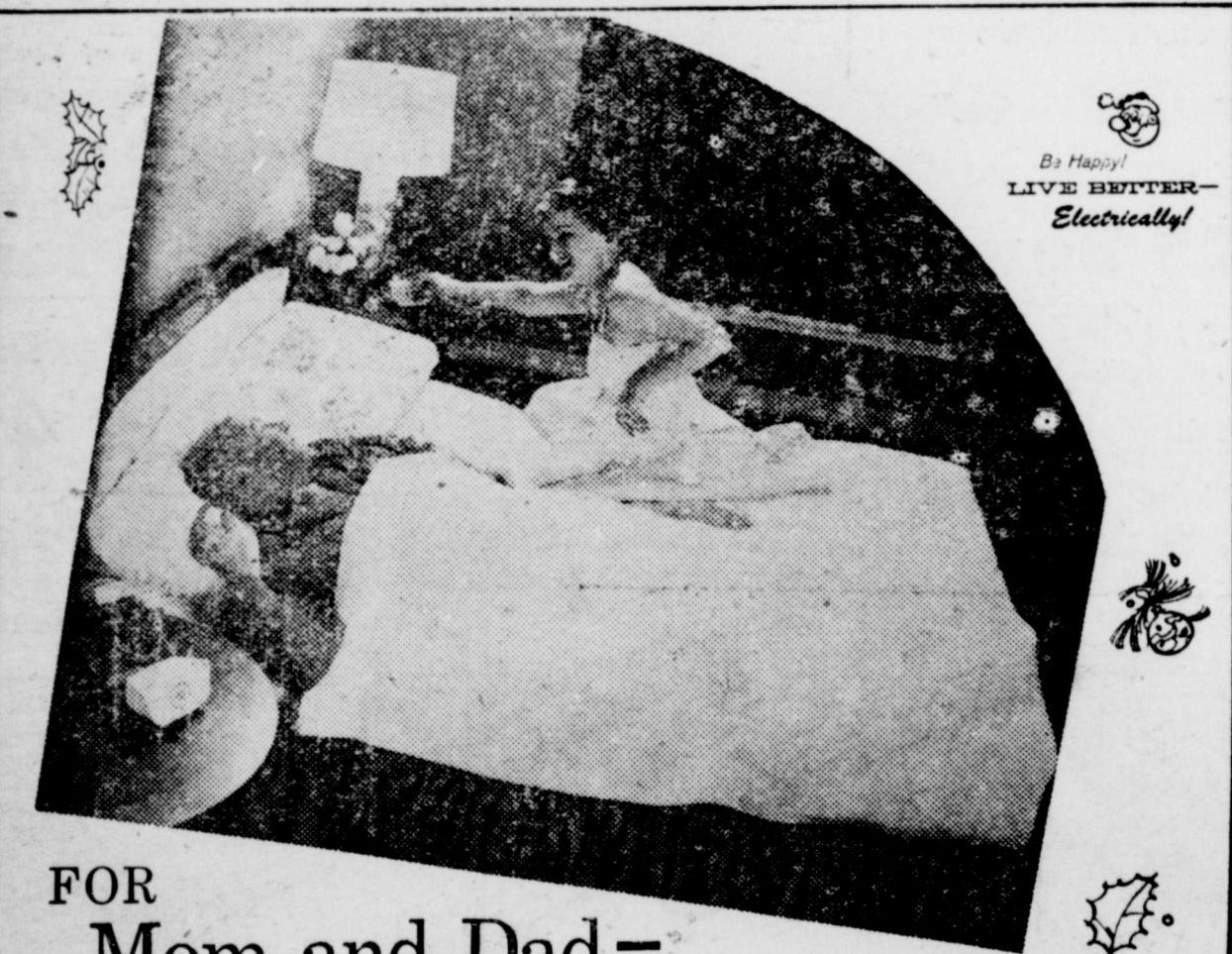
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Just Call Me Cupid

The counter down at Pete's was full yesterday, except for three seats near the end, so I plunked myself down on the middle one.

As I took my first sip of coffee a cute young couple came in—a girl in her early twenties followed by a fellow perhaps a year or two older. Without saying a word, they took the only two seats left—on either side of me.

Remembering my younger days, I insisted the young man take my seat so's they could be together. He hesitated at first, then finally he shrugged, grinned

and said to the girl, "Well, let's make him happy. My name's 'Ricky'. What's yours?"

From where I sit, there was no harm done that time, but jumping to conclusions can be embarrassing. In fact, it's sometimes mean and intolerant—like the way some folks jump to the conclusion a man's "wrong" to prefer a glass of beer over another beverage. Lack of facts coupled with lack of judgment introduces trouble.

Joe Marsh

Deer Hunters Get Bucks

A group of deer hunters went to the western part of the state after black tail bucks last week-end and got eight bucks. They hunted on land near Shafter where Collins & Drennan had livestock until recently. Among those going on this particular hunt were H. A. and Alfred Chapple, Charlie Drennan and his three sons, H. A. Anthony, Worth and Tony Allen, Charlie Davis, Den Hodges and George Davis. Two of the boys, Alfred and Wayland, got their bucks.

In Case of FIRE Dial 8-2121.

Letters to Santa

(MRS. KING'S FIRST GRADERS)

Dear Santa Claus,
My little brother wants a telephone and my other little brother wants a little road grader. My big brother wants a bow and arrow with rubber tips.
I want an army set.
Love,
Don Stuckwish

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a bicycle for Christmas, and a pair of Roy Rogers' guns. I want you to bring my little brother a pair of little guns and a little play house.
Love Santa Claus,
Larry Michael Payne

Dear Santa Claus,
I thank you for our toys. I want a ballerina doll, a nurses kit, some clothes for my doll and I want an operators set.
I love Santa Claus,
Lynn Alexander

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Robin Hood set, two guns, a rifle and some spurs. Dear Santa, I love you.
Allen Smith

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a walking doll, a small size bicycle, a house coat, some Indian moccasins, a bathing suit and some valentines. I want a chalk board, an eraser, some colors and a coloring book.
Love from Kathy Faye Balkum

Dear Santa Claus,
My little brother wants a tractor. My other little brother wants a truck. I want a doll that has shoes. My sister wants a doll that has hair. My other sister wants a big doll.
Love Santa,
Connie Thomas

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a knife and a hatchet, and a BB gun. My mama wants a dress. My sister wants a doll and my brother a ball. My daddy wants a gun. I love you Santa Claus.
Gregory Rachel

Dear Santa,
I am a girl seven years old. I would like for you to send me these toys. I am in the first grade and I have tried to be good. I would like these toys. I want a set of dishes, a bride doll, a ball, a comb and brush set, and a little washing set. There will be a cup of coffee and a piece of cake waiting for you.
I like you, Santa.
Diane Cox

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a toe dancer doll. My brother wants a BB gun. I want a bicycle with two wheels. I want my mother to get an electric washer and dryer. My sister wants a little toe dancer doll. I want a table with three chairs. I want you to bring my daddy a new shirt. I also want a little puppy.
For all of us, I would like a new set of dishes and a punch board.
Love Santa Claus,
Susan Mixon

Dear Santa Claus,
My sister wants a dress. I want an Indian suit for Christmas. My brother wants some guns.
Love Santa Claus,
Kathy Gaston

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a Tiny Tear doll.
Love,
Donna Kay Woods

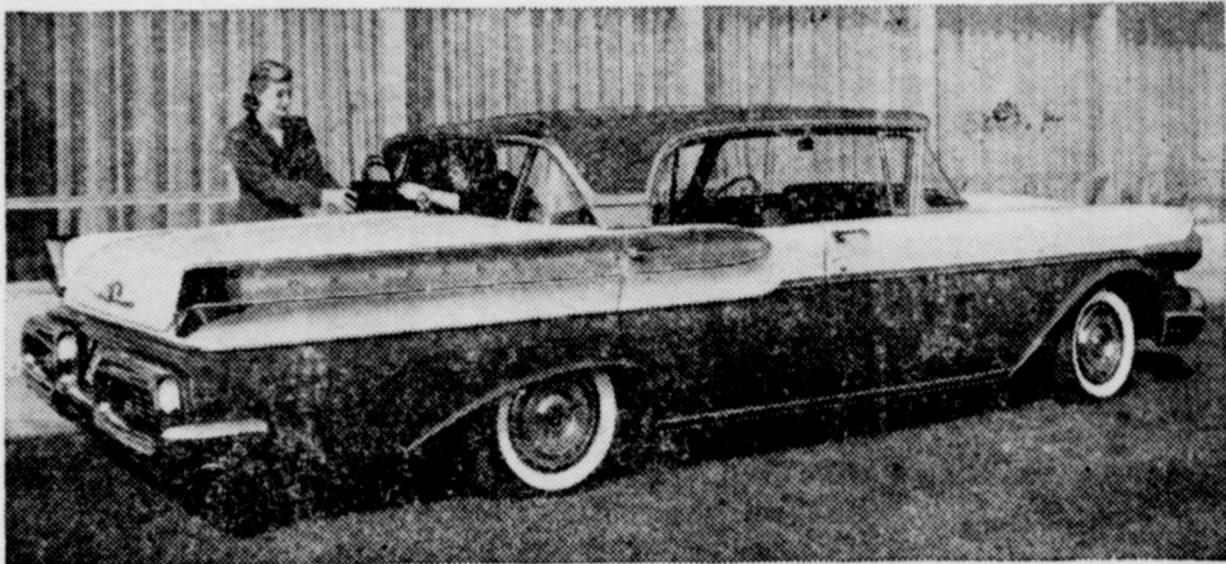


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Dear Santa Claus,
Will you bring me a bow and arrow, a hat and a detective badge, and a big meat truck?
Good by,
Ronnie Hinson

a Tiny Tear doll, a bath set and a buggy.
Love,
Linda Cameron

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a pair of skates for Christmas, a ballet doll, and a big farm et. That is all.
Love,
Diana Cox

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Tiny Tear doll, an electric telephone, and paint sticks.
Love Santa Claus,
Judy Idelett

Dear Santa Claus,
I have a sister. I like you. I want

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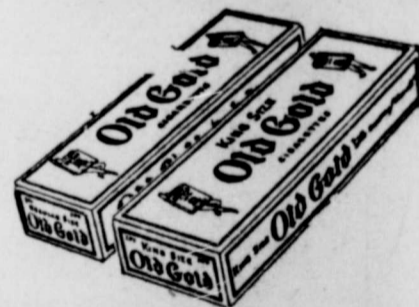
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