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## A Merry Christmas to Everybody

### Thinking Out Loud

By J. A. K.

As announced in this column last week, we are giving a brand new crisp one dollar bill to the student who returned to us a copy of last week's paper with the largest number of mis-spelled words marked, and we are well pleased at the number of papers returned.

In the contest the prize has been awarded to Miss Ruth Redwine, and if this young lady will call at this office she may have the dollar bill.

The competition was indeed keen and several of the contestants marked errors that could not be allowed, especially with reference to proper names.

You know, there's absolutely no rule for the spelling of proper names, and while we do not claim to be infallible, we strive to get names in our paper properly spelled, and it would be difficult indeed to check the spelling of all proper names, hence we were compelled to disregard all such errors marked unless there was every evidence of error.

Anyway, we thank the large number who have interested themselves in finding the errors and were chagrined that we should have made so many.

And as this is the glad Yuletide Season we would express our sincere thanks to all who have contributed to our business in any way during the past year. While we have not enjoyed a record-breaking business, we have no complaint to register, and certainly we are grateful to those who have given us their patronage during the past year and trust that we may merit a continuation of such patronage.

In this issue will be found a large number of Christmas Greetings from various business concerns. We have tried to solicit every concern in town, but due to limited time there have been many that we have not had time to solicit, and to those we extend apologies.

The Times will be published at the usual time next week and we shall not skip an issue, as we sometimes do, and those who have not had an opportunity to extend greetings this week may do so in next week's issue.

And while we're writing this column let us say a few words to the youngsters of Munday and vicinity. We want you to enjoy the Gladstone Christmas Season to the fullest extent, but we want to warn some against the practice of abusing privileges allowed. Last Christmas there were numerous complaints that firecrackers and torpedoes were thrown at the feet of ladies and elderly persons. This is unbecoming and unjustified by any line of reasoning, and those guilty of such unthoughtful acts will be dealt with accordingly.

We don't like to use this column to issue official edicts, but as Mayor of this City we shall deal harshly with those who are so thoughtless and unconsiderate of others, and that's that.

Now, let's all have a good time Christmas, and instead of causing annoyance to others, let's strive to make others happy. We will all feel better and enjoy the Christmas season far more.

And in conclusion, this publication and all connected therewith wish each of our readers a very Merry Christmas.

### Munday Schools To Close for Holidays

The Munday Public Schools will close for the holidays on Friday afternoon, and will be dismissed until the morning of January 2nd. Supt. Bass will go to Austin for the holidays and the other teachers will visit homefolks.

### Homeward Bound



One of the latest pictures of Colonel and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh, as they hopped off from Europe for South Africa, the South Atlantic flight to Brazil, South America and homeward bound "before Christmas." The entire flight, which started across the North Atlantic in July will have totaled some 25,000 miles when they reach home.

### School Bonds Rejected Here By Large Vote

By a vote of 117 against and 41 for, the voters of the Munday Independent School District Monday spoke decisively against the proposal to issue \$40,000 in bonds against the district for the construction of a new grammar school building here.

Opposition which developed to the issuance of the bonds was based largely upon the contention that the present building could be made to serve the purpose for the present and the contention that this was not the time to incur additional tax burdens.

The school board in calling the election at this time acted with a view of procuring a labor grant from the government of approximately \$18,000.00.

The light vote cast in the election was due to the unfavorable weather conditions, however. It is believed that the result of the election was not changed by this fact.

### Two Negroes Face Liquor Charge In Arrests Made Here

Two negroes were charged with violation of the liquor law following their arrest here last week by Chief of Police Carl Pugh. After waiving a preliminary hearing in Justice Bailey's court they were taken to Benjamin by Sheriff C. R. Elliott to await the action of the Knox county grand jury.

The negroes, brothers, had in their possession at the time of their arrest a number of order books indicating that they took orders for suits, caps, underwear and most anything that might be desired, as well as some two gallons of liquor. Among their possessions were a large number of dice and other gaming paraphernalia.

They were said to have been in the act of making a delivery of liquor here when arrested by Chief Pugh.

### Cars Collide On Highway In Goree Friday Morning

An auto accident that came near being very serious took place at the intersection of the Main Street and Highway 30 in the town of Goree Friday morning.

Mrs. R. D. Sullivan, Mrs. E. O. Geer and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cole of Rule were going toward Wichita Falls in a new Ford 8 when they collided with a car driven by B. C. Lawrence of Munday with a terrific force. The Ford was turned over and left lying on its side in the ditch at the southwest corner of the city park. The other car was badly damaged but did not turn over.

None of the occupants of the cars were badly injured but are still wondering how they came out alive.—The Goree Advocate.

Mrs. J. R. Hurnison and daughters are expected to arrive home from Austin Saturday. They will be accompanied by Miss Arlene Kendall.

### 600 To Be Put To Work in Knox County by CWA

With the approval of the graving projects this week Knox county should soon have approximately 600 men at work under the CWA program.

The graving of the road from Goree to Hefner will begin within the next few days. This project will put forty to fifty men to work. The moving of the bridge north of Munday to a new location near Rhineland will call for more than 68 men and the graving of the road from Munday to Rhineland more than 100.

Other projects already approved by the State Relief Committee will call total for the county to 600.

Approved projects call for a total expenditure of \$78,301.34. The projects are as follows: County Community Sanitation. Benjamin-Munday road south of the Brazos River.

Highway beautification and drainage. (Benjamin.) Graveling Goree-Hefner road. Graveling Gilliland-Truscott Road. Grade, drain and graveling Munday-Benjamin road north of Brazos river.

Moving and rebuilding Rhineland bridge. Lower water mains in Munday. Drainage ditch. (Munday.) Dump truck at sewer plant. (Munday)—The Goree Advocate.

Ed Jones has been a resident of Knox county for a good many years, but he says that he raised some of the best cotton this year that he has ever raised. He raised 29 bales that weighed from 525 to 640 on one 30 were patch. We will admit that he had some good cotton.—The Goree Advocate.

### H. D. CLUB.

Mrs. W. H. Hodges of the Union Grove Home Demonstration Club holds the record in tomato canning in the county by putting up over 100 gallons from her garden.

"My family likes tomatoes so well that I am determined to have enough for them this year," stated Mrs. Hodges. "I have put up over 100 gallons of tomatoes this year and in addition to this we sold \$30.00 worth. Estimating the value of these tomatoes at 20c a quart they would be worth approximately \$60.00.

"In putting up tomatoes there is one important thing I have learned and that is: the tomatoes must be put in the cooker as soon as they are put in the cans and not allowed to set until they are cold."

Mrs. Hodges stated that from 3 1-2 rows of peppers across the garden, they sold 3 and 4 bushels of pepper nearly every week. They began selling in June and received 8c a pound or \$4.00 a bush for most of the pepper. In the end \$75.00 was realized from the pepper.

"Our living isn't very much," says Mrs. Hodges. "Last year we made our syrup and have a great deal of it left over. About the only expense we have is for sugar, flour and salt. We do not use coffee and that is a great help in keeping our grocery bill down."

In Mrs. Hodges cellar there are several varieties of vegetables, both canned and stored, fruits, meats, canned and cured, pickles, preserves and jellies. In fact, all that it will take for this family of five to have a balanced diet for several months.

### Mrs. Cartwright Dies at Hefner Home on Monday

Mrs. John Cartwright of the Hefner community died at the family home on Monday afternoon following a brief illness, and funeral services were conducted at the Friendship Baptist church Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. J. C. Parks, pastor of the Goree church.

She is survived by her husband and four children, one brother and two half brothers.

Mrs. Cartwright was ill only a few hours before the end came and her death came as a severe shock to members of the family and friends.

### "I'm on the Way" 1933



### IS THERE A SANTA CLAUS?

Reprinted herewith is a letter to Charles A. Dana, then editor of the New York Sun, and Dana's reply to the distressed writer. This reply is fast becoming a Christmas newspaper classic.

"Dear Editor—I am eight years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says: "If you see it in the Sun it's so." Please tell me the truth; "is there a Santa Claus?"

Virginia O'Hanlon.

Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or little children's, are little. In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus. It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no child-like faith then, no poetry; no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus? You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders

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### WARNING!

With no desire to hinder the enjoyment of the Yuletide season, we wish to call attention to danger from fire in the use of fireworks, and urge that every precaution be taken to prevent the unnecessary loss of property and the endangering of human life.

And in this connection let us say that while we shall strive to be tolerant with everyone, prosecution will follow the violation of city ordinances. Those guilty of exploding firecrackers or other explosives in such a manner as to constitute danger or a nuisance will be prosecuted.

Let everyone enjoy themselves, but let us all have regard for others in so doing.

Respectfully,  
CARL PUGH, Chief of Police

### Davenport Back From Insurance Meet At Dallas

R. R. Davenport has returned home from Dallas, where he attended a meeting of agents for the Southwestern Life Insurance Company, and he is very much elated over the constructive program the company has planned for the coming year. One of the outstanding features of the company's activities for the coming year will be the introduction of "Registered Insurance," which, according to Mr. Davenport will be extensively advertised in newspapers throughout the Southwest.

Mr. Davenport explained the phrase by comparing an insurance policy to a registered Hereford, which animal would be designated as such by the American Hereford Cattle Breeder's association, and just as these documents would assure the breed of the animal so will policies issued by the Southwestern Life Insurance Company insure the policy holder's guarantee of protection and investment.

Mr. Davenport reports a large attendance at the Dallas meeting and a most successful and enjoyable meeting.

### Tenth Annual Old Fiddler's Contest Here Saturday Night

The tenth annual old fiddlers contest is scheduled to take place here Saturday night at the community auditorium, under the auspices of the Munday Fire Department. Chief Grady Thornton states that the auditorium will be well heated in case of cold weather, so no one need stay away on account of the weather.

Already such well-known fiddlers as M. L. Franklin, Shamrock; Delmar Shirley, Wellington; Doc Howard, Vernon; Louis Franklin, Chillicothe; C. E. Solomon and Joe Hughes of Forney; Jim Gilliland, Weatherford; Homer Cantrell and Jewel Hulse, New Castle; Joe Youngblood, Elbert; Richard Jones, Elmer and Ed Glenn of Throckmorton; C. E. (Shorty) Later, Wheeler and Eck Roberson of Borger have entered the competition and numerous others are expected to file their names this week.

Other specialties will include dancing and novelty numbers, and there will not be a dull moment in the program. Admission will be 15c and 25c.

### Burglars Get Big Haul In Raid On Baker-Campbell Co.

Burglars on Thursday night of last week broke into the Baker-Campbell Company store here and carried away merchandise to the value of several hundred dollars, including four top-coats, seven men's suits, one dozen men's shirts and six hats. Entrance was made through a rear transom and the loss was not discovered until the store was opened for business early Friday morning.

All of the merchandise taken was brand new goods and had just been received.

George Rayburn of Beville, Texas is here to spend the holidays with his father, T. W. Rayburn and other relatives.

### Football Game Is On Bill Here For Christmas Guests

What will in all probability be the final football game of the season will be the game that has been arranged between the Monday All-Stars and Knox City All-Stars for Monday afternoon, Christmas Day, and the line-up that has been put forward by the local aggregation would indicate that the visitors will have to bring along some fast company if they get very far, as the local line-up includes such well-known stars of yesterday as James Rayburn, R.E., Nolan Phillips, R.T., Mildred Allison, R.G., Frank Groer, C., Red Thompson L.G., Caz Landford, L.T., Hill Hampton, L.E., Gilbert Myers, F.B., Lynn Waldrip, H.B., Chancy Hobert, H.B., Paul Pruitt, Q.B. While on the sub list the locals have listed Earl Nichols, R. B. Bowden, Marvin Myers, Jack Williams, "Peanut" Thompson, Hubert Isbell, Albert Aycock, Joe Aycock, Earl Pruitt, Rex Holder, Frank Bryan and John R. Rayburn.

The game will start promptly at 2:30 and the admission price will be 25 and 35 cents.

And don't forget that the Knox City aggregation will come over with a strong line-up, for they have a number of lads who are away at college and will be in the line-up for their old home town, and the game will be worth anybody's time.

### Funeral Rites For Mrs. L. A. Reddell Monday Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. Ida Mae Reddell, 41, wife of L. A. Reddell, were held Monday afternoon at the Gillespie Baptist church, the services being conducted by the Rev. Claude Stovall, pastor, assisted by the Rev. R. R. Gilbreath, pastor of the Methodist church at Knox City.

Mrs. Reddell died Sunday following a prolonged illness which had extended over a period of some three years, during which time, despite the fact that everything that could possibly be done for her was done, her condition continually grew worse until the end came.

Ida Mae Criswell was born in Callahan county, Texas, February 21, 1895, and came to Knox county with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Criswell when she was nine years of age. On October 1, 1913 she was united in marriage to L. A. Reddell, and to this union three children were born, all of whom survive. Early in life she was converted and her life was that of an exemplary Christian mother. Surviving her are the husband and three children, a son, Willie and two daughters, Irene and Jennie Mae. She is also survived by her mother, Mrs. S. E. Criswell of Lubbock, Texas; six brothers, Chas and I. H. Criswell, of Fort Stockton, Texas; Will Criswell, of Lubbock; Fred Criswell of Patricia, Texas; Dewey Criswell, of Halls, Texas; Ed Criswell of Ackerly, Texas; five sisters; Mrs. Lee Schoolpath of Lubbock; Mrs. H. A. Cook, Abilene; Mrs. S. A. Sparkman, Boone, Colorado; Mrs. B. D. Schoolcraft, Gravitt Arkansas; Mrs. Lee Williams, Melrose, New Mexico; all of whom were present for the funeral services except Mesdames Sparkman and Williams.

To the bereaved husband and other members of the family we join the entire community in extending our sincere condolence in their great sorrow.

### Knox Singers To Meet at Vera On Sunday, Dec. 24th

The Knox County Singing convention will hold its regular meeting at Vera on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 24th at 2 o'clock, and all singers and others are cordially invited to attend. The organization now has a good supply of books and this should be a very successful and enjoyable convention, and you are urged to come and make it better.

### THE TOM-TOM

Editor-in-Chief: JERRY KETHLEY  
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#### CHRISTMAS IS HERE AT LAST!!!

To our readers one and all,  
 Listen to our joyous call,  
 We wish you a Merry Christmas,  
 that's so near  
 And the very happiest New Year.  
 —THE STAFF.

This Friday afternoon we will turn out for these long waited for holidays at 3:00 P.M. for eleven days, until Tuesday, January 2, 1934.

Although we are giving gifts, and cards, let us not forget that the real reason for this celebration is that on December 25 nineteen hundred and thirty-three years ago our Master and Lord, Jesus Christ was born in Bethlehem.

Friday, the 15th, Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. Barnes of this city, presented their Junior pupils in a short recital. Again Thursday night the public received a program from these pupils, generally high school students. These programs were attended and enjoyed by many of Munday's citizens.

#### Keep a Little Pen-Name Handy

By Hugh Millie Atoz

Mary Couch was born in Munday. When? (No, I'll not tell it on her, for I need the credit. Ahem!) Miss Couch moved to Haskell when very young and entered Haskell Grammar school. Some seven years later she graduated from the same. She has taken piano eight years and needless to say she can "manhandle the key-board to a T"—(if I can use "manhandle.")

After having graduated from Haskell High in 1928 she entered Baylor University at Waco. Here her motto was: "Popularity: stay away from my do!" but it just wouldn't. She was a member of the Beta Pi Theta, Alpha Omega, and in 1932, her last year in college was a member of the annual staff.

Here she played basketball, volleyball and tennis two consecutive years, and I might say, although she isn't a professional contortionist, she is fair at the exhibition of her talent in each. Last year she coached the M.H.S. Volley Ball team.

She came to us as teacher of English in the term 1932-33 and has managed that department with excellent efficiency and satisfaction to the student body and others whom it may concern. This year she was chosen as one of the sponsors to the Senior Class.

Here are her favorites:  
 Pastime: Smiling.  
 Weakness: Chewing gum.  
 Sport: Football. (I guess she plays left out.)  
 Hobby: Reading.  
 Singer: Mills Bros.  
 Movie Star: Kay Francis.  
 Poet: Robert Browning.  
 Subject: English.  
 Story book: Webster's Dictionary.  
 Here are some of the Couchisms we have familiarized ourselves with:  
 She—Chews gum, subscribes to McCall's, Redbook, Good House Keeping and Reader's Digest.  
 She—Enjoys motoring; Believes in Theatres.

#### JUNIOR REPORT

##### MERRY CHRISTMAS!! HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Well, what else is there for a reporter to say that will attract attention? I don't know either.

We were supposed to have our monthly entertainment this Friday but the Football banquet has caused us to postpone this month's party.

Chemistry, Spanish, English, and History exams have already been given to be averaged for this six weeks grades so that Mid-Term Exams may be given all the attention necessary.

#### SOPHOMORE REPORT

Just a few more days until Christmas. Oh, Boy, are we thrilled! Several members of our class think they are going to see Santa coming down the chimney. If you don't believe this, read their letters to Santa Claus! (Darwin Campbell's, for instance.)

Several Sophs have been absent the past few days. It seems funny that something happens that they just can't come when Mr. Bass is going to give a quiz in algebra.

We're anxious for Thursday night

to come because that's the night of the football banquet.

We expect to be invited up to Miss Neff's home Friday night. She certainly should since her boyfriend is giving her a great big . . . ? Our Junior friend, G. J. B. and one of the Soph girls, Lucille, have been wanting to go with seniors real badly, so why don't they come up'n see them sometime—any time!!

#### TINER'S TICKLES

Declaration of Independence

I'm ending this humility,  
 This wormish, soft servility!  
 From now on I am hard and wise,  
 Enslaved no more by dusky eyes.  
 No more shall pretty martinet's  
 Number me among their pets.  
 The way they treat you is a sin—  
 Say, who's that blonde who just came in?

No matter what you do, somebody always knew you would.

With a slight quiver we present the sad, sad tale of the dumber-than-usual freshman who objected to doing outside reading because it got so terribly cold out on the porch.

Miss Couch: "What is your greatest sin?"

Hazel: "Vanity—I sit before the mirror for hours admiring my looks."

Miss Couch: "My dear, that is not vanity, that is imagination."

Doctor: (to the absent minded prof.) "Professor the stork has just arrived."

Professor: "Sh-h-h-h! My wife is in the next room."

Mother: "With the number of dates you have, I should think you would get Bob and Bill confused."

Daughter: "Why, mother, I do. I get Bob confused one night and Bill the next."

Spectator at a football game: "Did they make the touchdown in the first or second quarter?"

"Daddy, why do you oppose my becoming engaged? Is it because of my youth?"

"Absolutely. He's hopeless."

Since most of the paper this week is letters to Santa, I'll have to cut off short (maybe preferred by most of you) by saying that most of these school teachers certainly believe in giving tests for Christmas presents. I wonder what they think they will get from us for that. Well, in the long run it's for the best or we would not be pestered with them. The best medicine does not taste so hot!!

Here are a few phrases which Miss Couch clipped from a stack of Senior theses:

"A mischievous lad threw a stone and struck a companion in the alley Tuesday."

John DeLaney climbed on the roof of his house last week looking for a leak and fell, striking himself on the back porch.

When Harold Green was escorting Miss Violet Wise home from church Saturday night a savage dog attacked them and bit Mr. Green on the public square.

While opening a can of sardines, our highly esteemed church leader, Mrs. Johanna Gibson, cut herself severely in the pantry."

#### THE THINGS I WANT

by C. E. S.

Dear Aunt Santa:  
 On Christmas eve  
 When I hang my sock (I quit wearing long stockings.)  
 At the mid-night hour  
 By the alarming clock.

Just slip in my room,  
 'N don't wake the folks,  
 And leave me a book  
 Of uncensored jokes.

Bring me some gloves  
 And a mellowed pipe,  
 Some brand-new "Dates"  
 Just fresh and ripe.

I want some candy  
 In colors that vary.  
 I want more nuts  
 Than my ribs can carry.

I want some apples  
 Big, juicy and red.  
 'N I'll need a tonic  
 For my aching head.

Bring me happiness;  
 Oh, bring me joy.  
 Please do these things  
 For a little boy.

When this is done

Kiss me adieu—  
 And I'll bequeath this lyric  
 To Norwood Pugh.

Munday, Texas.  
 Dec. 18, 1933.

Mr. Sandy Claus:  
 Knox City, Texas.

Dear Sandy:

I have been a very good little girl this year and haven't stayed up later than one-thirty since Friday night. Please bring me a donkey and a pair of mules.

Your Little Friend,  
 Darwin Campbell.

P.S.—Please don't forget the donkey.

Deré Sandy:

Hello Sandy Claus, how or ya? I am fine. I have been a gud boy lately. Sandy Claus will you please remember me this yere and bring me a little red wagon with yaller wheels. I want a rubber ball all striped colored. I want sum kandy, penuts, popcorn, fire works and sum frut. Remember all the other kids end dont fergit to bring Mr. Bass and Mr. Harlegree each a perty stick-horwy with a main and tail which will roll on wheels.

Yer Lettle friend,  
 Ralph Layne.

#### NOTICE

As we have made a good crop this year everybody should clean the slate, or at least make a substantial payment on their doctor bills. I am beginning a new set of books this coming year and those who are on my books now and do not make a respectable showing by Jan. 1st will not be entered for credit on my new ledger.

Respectfully,  
 A. A. SMITH, M. D.

#### SPECIAL

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Oil Steam Permans, any style.  
 \$1.25 to \$5.25  
 Dries 15c Shampoos  
 and finger waves 25c each.

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 LANSFORD APARTMENTS

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### HOOD NEWS

Mrs. J. R. Smith and daughter, Virginia, were in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mahan of Abilene were here Friday for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Atkeison of Haskell were visitors in the W. H. Atkeison home Sunday.

W. R. Moore, who has been at the bedside of his mother at Ardmore, Oklahoma, returned Thursday. At last reports his mother was improving.

Mrs. N. E. Sweatt and daughters, Misses Bertha and Flora, have returned from Loving, New Mexico, where they visited their son and brother, M. C. Sweatt. On the trip they also visited at O'Donnell, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Cockerell of Vernon and Charles George Cockerell of Bomarton were over Sunday afternoon for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kennedy and William Gayle.

Mrs. Erna Mae Lee was here Sunday visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. A. F. Huskinson. Mrs. Huskinson made Sunday the occasion for her Christmas dinner, other guests being Mr. and Mrs. John Spann and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Huskinson of Bomarton, L. B. and Billie Arthur Lee, Ike Huskinson and Miss Kathryn Atkeison.

Rufus, were Munday visitors Sunday.

Mr. Oron Melton spent Saturday night with Leslie Melton and family. Messrs. Joe Tidwell and F. M. Payne are driving new V-8's.

Mrs. W. R. Moore, Mary and W. R. Jr. were in Wichita Falls Friday.

#### THANKS

Though somewhat delayed, I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation for the assistance given me in the Munday Times subscription campaign and wish to say that I shall ever feel grateful to those who assisted me in any way.—Ora Lee Floyd.

## Thanks . . . AND WE MEAN IT . . .

We thank you sincerely for all the courtesies, the evidences of good will your friendship and patronage have signified to us during the past twelve months. Accept our best wishes for your enjoyment of a happy Yuletide and prosperous march throughout 1934.

THE ECONOMY STORE  
 SIED WAHEED, PROP.

## On The THRESHOLD OF 1934

—We pause to assure our friends and patrons that in the coming year we will strive harder than ever to merit your patronage and good will . . . we are determined to strengthen old friendships and create new ones!

## Panhandle Service Station

WARREN BROS., PROPS.

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## A Merry Christmas

and

## A Happy New Year

## GUINN HARDWARE CO.

FRED BROACH, Prop.

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Shorts	\$1.60
Cotton Seed Meal	\$1.10
Yellow Corn Chops	\$1.75
Yellow Corn	\$1.60
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## John Ed Jones

Munday, Texas

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4 1-2 per cent

## Season's Greetings

At this time, when all the world relaxes from the excitement and tension of everyday business life . . . when on every hand one sees practical demonstrations of the true Christmas Spirit of "Good Will Toward Men" . . . it is fitting that this Company should bring to its many friends and customers the sincere Christmas Greeting of hundreds of loyal employees.

Throughout the year, 161 progressive cities, towns and communities in this "Land of Opportunity" have received dependable and inexpensive electric service from the three major generating stations of the West Texas Utilities Company.

Hundreds of farmers, ranchers and smaller communities have been served over the same high tension transmission lines, which, 2,500 miles in length, interlace this great West Texas Empire.

To this progressive citizenry . . . by whom and for whom the growth of West Texas and the West Texas Utilities Company has taken place . . . this Company extends cordial Season's Greetings and best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

Do you know that your increased use of Electric Service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule . . . and adds only a small amount to your total bill?

West Texas Utilities  
Company

### Today And Tomorrow

By Frank Parker Stockbridge

**PIONEERING—Still available**  
While some Americans are bemoaning the passing of the last frontier, Australia is offering an opportunity for young men who want to be pioneers. The great Northern Territory is being opened for development. Anyone who wants to go in there and start raising cattle or sheep, prospecting for minerals, or constructing railways and harbor works can get all sorts of concessions from the Australian government, including special tariff privileges and exemption from land and income taxes, as well as some financial assistance.

There are always opportunities for adventurous youth and adventurous capital. The British people are the world's greatest adventurers, and Australia's new policy will doubtless call thousands of young Englishmen and Scots to the antipodes. We have been so busy developing our own hinterland that young Americans have not yet formed the habit of looking beyond our own borders for opportunities.

Personally, I don't believe America's possibilities have been exhausted; but to anyone who thinks otherwise I recommend giving Australia the once-over.

**ROMANCE—In the eye**  
My good old friend Fred Wilbur, now well past eighty, scoffs at the idea of romance. "Nothing but hard work," he says, when I try to get him to talk of his adventures as a mining engineer in the Andes, as a boson friend and adviser of the great Japanese statesman, Marquis Ito, and of the wild countries and wilder people among whom he led exploring expeditions in his youth.

It was reminded of him when Captain Ivy Wamboldt came into port of New York in command of her schooner, the E. P. Theriault of St. Johns, Newfoundland, the other day. Newspaper men thought there was something romantic about a girl of 22 commanding her own craft. "Nothing but hard work," said Ivy. "That's the bunk. It's nothing but hard work."

Romance is in the eye and mind of the beholder. The men and women who get the world's work done seldom have time to think about how romantic it is in the doing. Even Hollywood is not romantic to the people who work there.

**THEORY—Human approach**  
Nobody knows just how many hundreds of thousands of years, perhaps millions, since human beings began to try to discover the best way to live in communities together. Whatever the length of time that this experiment in living has been going on, it is a safe bet that every imaginable social scheme has been tried. Some of them have worked, most of them have failed because they did not fit the quirks and vagaries of human nature.

It is easy to set down on paper an ideal scheme for the reorganization of society. It is hard to get the social unit, man, to adapt himself to any prepared plan. About the only way to cram a new theory down the throats of a considerable number of people is to back up the theory with an army. And that does not guarantee that people will like it and conform to it after the threat of force has been removed.

One reason I don't worry much about some of the impractical theories which some of the bright young men in Washington are trying to put over is that they haven't any back of them. Human nature will accept such parts of the new schemes as seem good to the individual, and pay no attention to the rest. In the long run, nothing can help or harm us much except what we do ourselves.

**PIANOS**

Several people have written us with reference to our used pianos in storage at various places. They can now be seen at Stamford on the south side of the square. We are closing them out at very low prices rather than return them to Greenville. Also have a few new uprights and grands to be closed out rather than return. The sale of these pianos will start Saturday, December 22nd.

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Munday, Texas

### PERSONAL Want Ads.

D. C. Fritz of Abilene was here on business Monday.

Mrs. R. H. Neff and Miss Dorothy Campbell spent Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Palmer are leaving Friday for Grand Saline for a visit with relatives during the holidays.

Mrs. Russell Matson left Thursday for Austin to spend Christmas with her parents. Mr. Matson will join her on Saturday.

Misses Mildred Moore and Barbara Eiland arrived Thursday evening from C. I. A. at Denton to spend the holidays with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley B. Harrell expect to leave Friday evening for Fort Worth and Wolfe City to spend Christmas with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dillingham of Abilene are here for a visit with Mr. Dillingham's brother, Matt Dillingham and Mrs. Dillingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broach and sons, Fred Jr. and Bobby, will leave Sunday for Weatherford, for a holiday visit with Mrs. Broach's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Holt of Abilene will arrive Friday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Holt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chapman.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Hand and Misses Louette and Elgie Hand will leave Sunday for Norman, Okla., to spend the holidays with relatives.

Miss Thelma Atkinson, who teaches at Hurley, New Mexico, will arrive Saturday to spend the holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Smith expect to leave Saturday evening for Temple to spend Christmas, returning the first of the week they will be accompanied home by Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. W. J. Hamm, who has been visiting in Temple.

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## We Greet You

### At the End of the Old Year

Our Kindest Thoughts and Best Wishes Turn To Those Who Have In Some Way Contributed Toward Our Support During The Time Gone By!

It may be a kind word, an expression of confidence by your patronage or just a good thought for us... but in whatever measure you have supported us this year, we want you to know we have appreciated it... so at this cheery Christmas season we want to take occasion to express this gratitude and wish for you and abundance of good things.

It Is With Pleasure That We Extend Your Sincere Wishes For A Merry Christmas and Happy 1934

**First National Bank**  
Munday, Texas



### Wake Up Your Liver Bile —Without Calomel

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

If you feel sour and sick as if the world looks pink, don't swallow a lot of salts, mineral water, oil, laxative candy or chewing gum and expect them to make you suddenly sweet and buoyant and full of sunshine.

For they can't do it. They only move the bowels and a mere movement doesn't get at the cause. The reason for your down-and-out feeling is your liver. It should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily.

### 10th Annual Old Fiddlers' Contest

COMMUNITY AUDITORIUM  
Munday Texas, Saturday Night December 23  
Auspices Munday Fire Department

This event has become one of the most enjoyable events of the year, and this year it will be even larger and better than ever. Already such well-known fiddlers as M. L. Franklin, Shamrock; Delmar Shirley, Wellington; Doc Howard, Vernon; Louis Franklin, Chillicothe; C. E. Soloman and Joe Hughes of Forney; Jim Gilliland, Weatherford; Homer Cantrell and Jewel Hulse of New Castle; Joe Youngblood, Elbert; Richard Jones, Elmer and Edd Glenn, of Throckmorton; C. E. (Shorty) Loter of Wheeler and Eck Robertson of Borger have entered the contest, and many others will be here to compete for the cash prizes.

Specialties, including buck and wing dancing, clog dancing, and other features  
**Admission, 15c and 25c**

### GIFT SUGGESTIONS From a Man's Store



**MEN'S SHIRTS**  
The kind he prefers  
\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.95



**MEN'S ROBES**  
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**Pajamas \$1.50, \$1.95 and \$3.95**



**MEN'S TIES**  
50c \$1.00 & \$1.50



**MEN'S HATS**  
\$2.95—\$3.95  
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**MUFFLERS**  
\$1.00—\$1.25  
\$1.50 and \$1.95



**Handkerchiefs**  
In boxes of 2, Pure Linen Box 50c



**MEN'S JACKETS**  
Corduroy ..... \$2.95  
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**BELT SETS**  
\$1.00 and \$1.50

**Men's Hosiery**  
35c—50c—and—65c  
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**A SERMON FOR CHRISTMAS**

We think of Christmas primarily as a festival for the benefit of children. It is more than that, and yet that is the essence of our celebration of the birth of the Christ-Child. For the spirit which He came to earth to inculcate lives on from generation to generation only as it is transmitted through the children of men. And, regardless of how cynically we may observe the goings and comings of human beings in ways that seem to have no relation to the Christian spirit, nevertheless, if we look back over the history of the world for the past nineteen hundred years, we are forced to the conclusion that the growth of the influence that had its beginning in Bethlehem of Judea on that first Christmas Day has been steady and continuous, that the world of men is kinder, more tolerant, more charitable and more peaceful because of His coming and His teachings.

Nineteen hundred years is but a moment, the twinkling of an eye, in the Divine scheme of things, in the life of the human race. If we have not reached perfection, consider the depths from which we have come as far as have along the road to the perfect life.

Let us, then, regardless of individual creed or church, make of Christmas a day to be joyful, and specially a day on which to make the children joyful. Whether we call him "Santa Claus" or "Kris Kringle" or "Father Christmas," let us hail the patron saint of children on this day of days, the holiest day in the Christian year. Let us see to it that his pack is overflowing with gifts as precious, in the eyes of the child, as those which the Wise Men of the East brought to the manger of Bethlehem. And let it not be said of any community of our own especially, that in any place in America there were children who were overlooked on this Christmas Day. For after all, they are

the only folk who really count for much in the long run.

**CANDIDATES GALORE**

Since the announcement has come from Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson that she will not be a candidate to succeed herself, there have been a number of announcements for the office of Governor of Texas, including those of Tom Hunter, C. C. McDonald and Attorney General James V. Allred, all of Wichita Falls, Lieut. Gov. Edgar Witt, of Waco, Senator Clint Small of Wellington and several others.

There is every evidence that there will be plenty of good material in the list from which to choose an able and capable Governor for the Lone Star State, and here's hoping that political prejudices and smoke-screened issues do not again prevent the people of Texas from selecting a man from the list of candidates who can give our grand old state a constructive and efficient administration.

Too long have the people of Texas been swayed by "times," so let us hope that this year our citizens will disregard all these elements and select the man who will give us a real administration of economy and efficiency in government, one who is not obligated to any special clique or class, but who is free to administer the affairs of the State of Texas as his conscience dictates, without dictation from anyone, a man who has the courage to tell special interests where to get off, and who has the interest of the great common people at heart.

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**Is There A Santa Claus?**

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there are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You may tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, or even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

No Santa Claus? Thank God; he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten times ten thousand years from now he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

**YULETIDE GREETINGS**

Christmas comes by a beautiful road  
A road full twelve months long  
May each sunny mile be lit with a smile  
And cheered by a merry song.

At this season of universal happiness we wish to thank our friends for their patronage. Ours has been the privilege, the opportunity for a service which we sincerely hope has accomplished its mission in bringing unqualified satisfaction.

**In Grateful Appreciation of Your Many Favors We Wish You All of the Joys of the Yuletide Season and a Successful New Year!**

We appreciate the confidence which has been placed in us, and now, on the threshold of the New Year we rededicate ourselves to the continuance of this service, which we trust will continue to grow more exclusive and helpful.

**Haynie Barber & Beauty Shop**

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**H**AROLD was practically speechless on Christmas morning over the present of an electric train from his uncle Dan. There were yards of track, a station, a signal tower, switches, even a tunnel and a turntable. The train whistled; it shot around curves with breath-taking speed, thundered through the tunnel, its wheels turning so fast they were round blurs of speed.

Never in his life had Harold known a gift so wonderful. The rest of the family abandoned all their presents to help set it up, to watch it, to exclaim over its miniature perfection. Harold



could scarcely take time to eat his Christmas turkey. He had no appetite but for the marvels of Uncle Dan's gift.

"I can't thank you enough, sir," he said over and over.

The old gentleman beamed down at

him. "Thought you'd enjoy it, boy," he said. "But look here, don't thank me . . . thank the hundred years behind it."

"What?" asked Harold. "We benefit by the brains of men long dead and gone. Ever think of that?"

No, Harold admitted, he hadn't thought of that. "We take what they discovered, what they worked at, staved at, were ridiculed about, and sometimes died for . . . add a bit of our own ideas . . . and pass it on to the next generation."

Harold, gazing down at the splendid electric engine, black and gleaming, said slowly, "By George, that's so, isn't it?" It was a brand new idea.

"We'd never get anywhere otherwise," continued Uncle Dan. "We are the present benefactors of the race."

Harold was frowning. "I suppose if engineers hadn't first worked out steam and all that, we wouldn't have an electric engine either," he admitted. "That's it . . . that's it!" It pays to think about it seriously. Makes you understand progress better . . . our duty to the past, as well as responsibility to the present. I don't want to talk like an old fogey." Uncle Dan

lowered his voice to a confidential note, "but I've always felt strongly about this particular thing. If, Harold, we do accept the benefits which clever, hard-working men have given us, we don't deserve to be called civi-

tizens, and try to add our bit . . . for the next lot. Get it?" He stared hard at Harold.

"Yes, I think I do . . . well, anyhow," the boy flashed him a smile. "I thank you for the electric train . . . and all the inventors, dead and alive, who made it possible!"

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**Wonderful RELIEF**

Here's good news for you people whose nerves are so jangled, you can't eat, sleep, or rest; who worry over trifles, start at sudden noises, have Nervous Indigestion, Nervous Headache.

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Hundreds of thousands of nervous people have had an experience like that of Maud Thomas. Read her letter. You too will find the dollar you spend for your first bottle of Dr. Miles Nerve the best investment you ever made. If you don't think so, we will return your dollar.

"Has done me more good than I can express"

I am a Dr. Miles Fan all the way through. I have taken Nerve for 7 years with good success. It is more than it is recommended to be and it has done me more good than I can express. I am in better health now than I have been for ten years.  
Maud Thomas, Glasgow, Kentucky

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The opening of our filling station, wholesale and retail gas and oil. We will also sell distillate to those using it for heating purposes. Come in and give us a trial.

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**FRIENDS**

**We Thank You**

For your many courtesies and considerations of the past and wish you all the joys the holiday season affords.

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**REMEMBER OUR ANNIVERSARY SALE RUNNING UNTIL JAN. 1st, 1934**

**A Good Wish Sincerely Made**

Whoever makes a sincere wish will do his best to bring that wish to fulfillment. And when we wish you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year we want you to know that it is no idle custom of ours but deep down in our heart we hope you catch the Spirit of Christmas Day . . . and spend a season of joy and happiness that will resound in your memory throughout 1934. We send you this greeting and good wishes with much gratitude for your favors of the past, and from the bottom of our heart sincerely wish for you and yours

**"A Very Merry Christmas and A Prosperous New Year"**

**The FAIR Store**

WISHING YOU ALL

**Christmas Joys**

May your happiness sparkle as do the lovely trinkets which beautify the Christmas trees; may your laughter ring out with hearty delight as the sound of silver bells; may there be nothing lacking during this glad season to bring you a full measure of Yuletide satisfaction.

**Gratitude and Greetings**

We thank you sincerely for your patronage through the passing year. We greet you with hopes for much prosperity for you during the months to come.

**BAKER-CAMPBELL COMPANY**

Munday, Texas

# Christmas . . . The Joyful . . . Season

We enjoy Christmas because of the universal spirit of brotherhood that characterizes mankind at that time. There is no other occasion so universally observed, and although customs in other countries may differ, the spirit and the purpose of Christmas are the same everywhere.

We enjoy Christmas because it teaches us that "it is more blessed to give than to receive." It is the one season of the year in which we are reminded more than ever that the spirit of co-operation and consideration for others plays a large part in our own happiness. As we look back over the past twelve months we realize that you, our good friends, have made possible whatever success we may have achieved and you have enabled us to come again to that glad Holiday season with much to be thankful for.

It will be for us a most happy season and we hope that each and every one of you will enjoy every minute of the 1933 Christmas Holidays and that you will enter into the New Year filled with every material and spiritual blessing that you desire.

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**Service Station**  
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**Buy It in Munday**

Here's Wishing  
You A

**Merry  
Christmas**

AND

**Happy  
New Year**

**C. R. Elliott**

## Santa Claus Letters

Munday, Texas,  
December 20, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Will you please bring me a doll, some tin dishes, piano and roller skates, also fruits, nuts and candy. And don't forget all other little boys and girls.

Your Little Friend,  
Bobby Floyd.

Munday, Texas,  
December 20, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a little doll a set of dishes, and a ring. Please don't forget my little baby brother, Kenneth, bring us some candy, apples and nuts.

Your Little Friend,  
Bernice Stubbfield.

San Antonio, Texas,  
December 4, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy three years old, and I want you to please bring me a big Coaster Wagon, gun, horn and tool set and some candy, fruit and nuts. And please Santa come to see my little cousins in Knox county, too.

With Love,  
Jack Donald King,  
San Antonio, Texas.

Munday, Texas,  
Dec. 21, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:

As all other little boys and girls have written and told you what they wanted I will tell you what we want. Bring me a large tricycle, doll, furniture and dishes. Bring Wynell a little red wagon, doll, ball, and some dishes. We enjoyed your program over the radio. Please bring all we ask for 'cause we've been two very good little girls. Don't forget Mother and Daddy.

Your Friends,  
Marquetta and Wynell Fitzgerald.

San Antonio, Texas,  
December 4, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am nine years old and in the third grade, and I have tried to be a good girl so you will bring me some more nice things this Christmas.

I want a doll buggy large enough for my big doll and a wardrobe, trunk, set of dishes and pans, candy, fruit and nuts.

Bring my little sister and brother some nice things too, and also the other little girls and boys. Don't forget Mother and Daddy, either.  
Your Friend,  
Mary Ella King,  
San Antonio, Texas.

Munday, Texas,  
Dec. 21, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a pair of spurs, a pair of chaps and a scooter. Also a Fire Chief engine with siren.

Your Friend,  
William Gayle Kennedy.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 21.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl nine years old. I have been a good little girl this year. I have been sick, also. I want you to bring me a doll, a set of dishes, lots of candy, oranges, apples and nuts, and don't forget my little sisters and brother. Please remember all the little orphan children.

With lots of love,  
Your Little Friend,  
Zelma Fay Trammell.

### HOOD CHURCH

There will be preaching services at the Hood Methodist church at both morning and evening hours Sunday, and everyone is cordially invited to worship there.  
D. E. Culbertson, Pastor.

## Pageant To Feature Christmas Season At Thorp Church

A pageant, "The Star and a Song," will be presented at the Thorp Methodist Church on Sunday evening at 7:30. The pageant will be conducted under the direction of Messrs. R. R. Davenport and J. S. Shannon and a large number of young people of the community will take part. The pageant is being staged under the auspices of the Epworth League.

The public is cordially invited to attend this pageant and we are assured that it will afford a most enjoyable evening's entertainment.

### SUNSET HONOR ROLL

The following pupils represent the honor roll in the Grammar grades, Sunset Consolidated Schools:  
Seventh—Willie Joy Floyd.  
Fifth—Cecil Joe Burton, Margaret Jean Hardin, Virginia Mae Parkhill.

Third—Mildred Jenell Smith, Ruth Jeanelle Partridge, Pauline McAfee, Evelyn Offutt.  
Second—Imo Lee Card, George Elvin Strickland, J. D. Rowell.  
First—Glenn Dobbs, Rosemary Hertel, Oakley Parker, Maxine Jones.

## Ch-b-h, Here Comes Santa Again!!



## PRE-INVENTORY and Final Clearance Sale

**Starts Friday, Dec. 22**

**NOT BARGAINS, BUT SACRIFICES!**

**A hint to the wise is sufficient.**

All Ladies' Coats, Dresses and Millinery, also all Heavy Winter Goods, including BLANKETS, MEN'S SHEEP-LINED COATS, BOOTEES, Suede Coats, Heavy Underwear, etc. Everything is reduced in this Pre-Inventory and Final Clearance Sale. Below we quote only a few of the many items covered in this sale.

- All Ladies' \$4.75 Silk Dresses **\$2.87**  
Final Clearance Sale Price
- All Ladies' \$6.75 Silk Dresses **\$3.78**  
Final Clearance Sale Price
- All Ladies' \$9.75 Silk Dresses **\$4.87**  
Final Clearance Sale Price
- All Ladies' \$7.50 Coats **\$3.77**  
Final Clearance Sale Price
- All Ladies' \$12.50 Coats **\$6.78**  
Final Clearance Sale Price
- All Ladies' \$15.00 Coats **\$8.87**  
Final Clearance Sale Price
- All Ladies' \$22.50 Coats **\$13.88**  
Final Clearance Sale Price
- All Ladies' \$27.50 Coats **\$16.87**  
Final Clearance Sale Price

### BLANKETS

- 66x76 Double Plaid Blankets **\$1.19**  
Regular \$1.75 value, Clearance Sale Price
- GOLDEN SEAL  
70x80 Pt. Wool Blankets **\$2.39**  
Regular \$3.50 value, Clearance Sale Price
- GOLDEN SEAL  
70x80 Pt. Wool Blankets **\$2.79**  
Regular \$3.75 value, Clearance Sale Price
- GOLDEN SEAL  
72x84 Pt. Wool Blankets **\$3.10**  
Regular \$4.50 value, Clearance Sale Price

### MEN'S BOOTEES

- Men's Solid Leather Bootees **\$3.95**  
Regular \$5.50 value, Clearance sale price
- Men's \$7.50 Dress Bootees **\$5.95**  
Final Clearance Sale Price

### SHEEP-LINED COATS

- Naugatex Sheep-lined Coats, **\$4.95**  
Storm Collar, \$6.50 value, Sale price
- Naugatex Sheep-lined Coats **\$2.95**  
Boys, Same as above, \$4.50 value, sale price
- Men's Heavy Weight Union Suits **79c**  
Hanes, regular 95c value, Clearance sale price

Come early as our stock is broken and these sacrifice prices will not allow the goods to remain long. Positively no goods sold at these prices until Friday morning, December 22nd.

**Boone Dry Goods Co.**

2 Doors West Roxy Theatre  
MUNDAY, TEXAS

## Clubbing Offers

Here is an opportunity for you to get the Munday Times and your favorite daily newspaper at a considerable saving.

Wichita Daily Times, one year... \$4.50      Abilene Morning News, one year... \$4.65  
Wichita Record-News, one year... \$4.50      Times and Morning News, year... \$4.65  
Add only One Dollar for Munday Times

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Times and Morning News, year... \$7.60      Times and Star-Telegram, year... \$7.65

Semi-Weekly Farm News and Munday Times... \$2.00

If you do not desire to subscribe for the Munday Times we will be glad to take your subscription for either of the other papers.

**Munday Times**

## The BL Store

Offers you through the holidays and until the first of the year, the following:

- ORANGES, nice large ones, per doz 25c
- Apples, delicious or Arkansas  
Blacks, per dozen... 25c
- GRAPE FRUIT, nice large ones, 2 for... 5c
- BANANAS, per dozen... 25c
- GRAPES, nice Californias, per lb... 10c
- LEMONS, per dozen... 23c
- CRANBERRIES, per pound... 15c
- PEACHES, per gallon... 44c
- BLACKBERRIES, per gallon... 47c
- PINEAPPLE, per gallon... 51c
- APRICOTS, per gallon... 49c
- MIXED NUTS, per pound... 21c
- SPUDS, per peck... 31c
- COFFEE, Three-Meal, 4-lb. bkt... 86c
- CORN FLAKES, Millers, nice  
and fresh, 13 oz. box... 10c
- BAKING POWDER, Ten Strike,  
15 ounce can for... 10c
- TOMATOES, No. 2 can, extra  
Special, 3 cans for... 24c
- PORK & BEANS, No. 2 Can  
Campbells, 4 cans for... 24c
- MATCHES, carton of 6 for... 23c
- SYRUP, any bucket except Karo  
and Uncle Bob... 57c
- MACKEREL, No. 2 can, 3 cans for... 28c
- BUTTER, Nice Country, pound... 25c
- FLOUR, Our Baker, 48 pound... \$1.75
- FLOUR, Miti-Good, 48 pound... \$1.59
- FLOUR, Belle of Wichita, 48 lb... \$1.95

For the last time this year we will offer our Penn Thrift Motor Oil in grades 20-30-40, 2 gallon can for... \$1.08

**Houser's Exchange**

# Roxy Theatre

MUNDAY, TEXAS

Friday Night, Saturday Matinee, Dec. 22-23

Bob Steele in

## "BREED OF THE BORDER"

also the greatest chapter play of all time, "The Perils of Pauline," with Evelyn Knapp, Pat O'Malley, William Desmond, Robert Allen and James Durkin. Children; Don't fail to see "Santa's Workshop."

Saturday Night, December 23rd

William Powell returns as Philo Vance in S. S. Van Dine's

## "THE KENNEL MURDER CASE"

with Mary Astor, Eugene Pallette, Helen Vinson. Also two reel comedy.

Sunday Matinee, Monday, December 24-25

## "ONLY YESTERDAY"

with Margaret Sullivan, John Boles, Edna May Oliver and Billie Burke. 99 Features, players in the cast. Also News and two good short subjects.

Tues., Wed. & Thur., December 26-27-28

The Four Marx Brothers in

## "DUCK SOUP"

Just a lot of foolishness you can't help but enjoy. Also Vitaphone short subjects.

Free show for children Christmas morning

at 10:00 A.M. All children under 12 year of age free. We have selected a good program of short subjects such as Our Gang comedy, and three reels of cartoons. Parents; your children will enjoy this program so don't fail to send them on time.

# SOCIETY

Monday Night Club Meets in Kethley Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kethley was opened to the Monday Night Club on Tuesday evening. High score was held by Tom Hayer and Mrs. J. D. Kethley. As the refreshment plate of salad, crackers, fruit cake and coffee was served, gifts were distributed from a brightly lighted Christmas tree. The guest list included Messrs and Mrs. Tom Hayer, W. R. Moore, H. A. Ponderton, W. H. Chapman and Fred Broach.

Methodist Sunday School Class Entertained

Entertaining in the Pitzer Baker home with a Christmas party Tuesday evening, Messrs G. E. Eiland, Oscar Spann and Pitzer Baker were hostesses to the Young People's Sunday School class of the Methodist church. Forty-two was the diversion of the evening, followed by a short Christmas program. Mrs. Avis Maples playing the piano and Mrs. Aaron Blanton reading "A Christmas of Long Ago." Gifts were presented to Mrs. G. E. Eiland, the teacher of the class and Miss Kathryn Atkinson, a bride to be. Refreshments of fruit cake topped with cream, and coffee was served to Messrs and Mrs. J. L. O'Dell Jr., L. M. Palmer, Avis Maples, Mrs. Aaron Blanton, Misses Irene Clifford, Merle Lewis, Cordell and Sarah Smith, Kathryn Atkinson;

Messrs Sheldon Reid, Ike Huskinson, G. R. Eiland, Oscar Spann and Pitzer Baker.

Miss Kathryn Atkinson Honoree

Entertaining with a colorfully appointed Christmas party Thursday afternoon, Messrs. Jack Mayes, P. V. Williams, J. D. Kethley and J. C. Borden were hostesses for a bridal shower at the Borden home, naming Miss Kathryn Atkinson honoree.

An attractive setting of Yuletide appointments in the entertaining suite was emphasized by the brightly lighted Christmas tree with a massing of mistletoe in the living room. The dining table was centered with a miniature tree, glowing tapers of red in star-shaped holders being the decorations used for the buffet.

Guests were received by Mrs. J. C. Borden who presented the honoree, Miss Kathryn Atkinson, and the bride party, Mrs. W. H. Atkinson, Mrs. A. F. Huskinson, Mrs. Alvin Huskinson of Bonarton, Mrs. E. M. Roberts, and Messrs Louise and Virginia Bess Atkinson. The brides look, in which each guest wore a corsage, was presented over by Mrs. M. F. Billingsley. The many beautiful gifts were attractively displayed. A dainty Christmas refreshment plate of sandwiches, fruit cake and coffee with favors of tiny candle-lit mints was served to a number of guests who called between the hours of three and five o'clock.



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# Santa Claus Letters

Munday Texas, December 17, 1933.

Dear Santa: I am getting very anxious to see you; and if you don't find me at home I will be at grandma's house, and we will all be looking for you down there.

I want you to bring me, if you please, a big rubber doll and a nice little bed for her, a teddy bear and a pretty white kitty, and will you please remember Arnold, Tud and mother with some nice things, and also all the other little boys and girls.

I thank you. With a bushel of love, Your Little Friend, Billie Joe Langford.

Munday Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: Here I come again. For Christmas I want a machine, fire crackers, fruits, nuts and candy. And dear Santa please don't forget all other boys and girls. And don't forget my little niece and my sister.

Lots of Love, Rachel Strickland.

Munday Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a wagon and five fire crackers. Don't forget to bring me plenty of fruit nuts and candy. Please don't forget to bring me a ball. Bring my grandma something nice and also my parents.

Your Friend, George Elvin Strickland.

Munday Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring us anything nice, especially a rubber doll. We have been pretty good girls. Don't forget our little sister, Wanda Mell, and my little cousin, little Carla Rita Steele. Bring them something nice. Bring plenty of candy, fruits and nuts.

Your Little Friends, Joanelle and Wanda Sue Strickland, P. R. Don't forget to bring my daddy and mother something and little Carla Rita's parents.

Munday Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa: I have been a good little girl; at least my dad says so. I want for this Christmas, a little rag doll, a set of dishes, a rubber ball and a tricycle.

Bring fruits, candy and nuts. Santa please don't forget my little friend Melvin Patton. Bring him a little wagon ball, marbles and fire crackers.

Lovingly Yours, Thelma Frost.

Munday Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I have been a very good girl this year. I hope you will visit me this Christmas. I want a pair of skates and a tam, and fruits and nuts and candies.

Remember my sister Mavis, she wants the same as I want.

Lots of love, Frances Brown.

Munday Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: We have been good little girls. We want you to bring us a doll with real hair and sleepy eyes. Also fruit, candy and nuts.

Santa, Doris Gene said for you to bring her a box of crackers too. Barbara Ann wants a little rubber dolly. Don't forget my little friends Norma Lee Smith and Nancy Searcy.

Your Little Friends, Joy Fay and Doris Gene Coley.

Munday Texas, December 18, 1933.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl one year old, have been a real good girl, and I want you to bring me a white gold pendant necklace, high chair and a doll with hair. Also lots of fruit and candy.

Yours Truly, Tommie Francis Yost.

Munday Texas, December 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy nine years old and I want an air gun. Please bring my little sisters Neva and Eloise a doll each, and my little brother Howard a train and Melvin a truck and anything else you want to bring.

Yours Truly, Derald Gray.

Munday Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa: I have been a good little girl. I am seven years old. Please bring me a set of dishes, wash set, doll bed and trunk some candy, nuts and any-

thing else you wish. And please don't forget other boys and girls for they wish to be happy too.

Your Little Pal, Bernice Lemley.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Old Santa: I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a bicycle, air gun and shells, cow-boy suit, nuts and candy and anything you want to bring for times are so hard. Bring other little boys and girls toys, candy and fruit.

Your Little Friend, Fred Lemley.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy seven years old. I am going to school. This is my first year and I sure like to go. I have been a pretty good boy I guess. Please bring me a tool chest, a gun, and shells, and a big ball, all kinds of fruits and nuts and candy. Don't forget other little boys and girls. Bye, with lots of love for you.

Your Little Friend, Utah Greaves.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 13, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy eight years old. I have been a good little boy, Santa Claus so bring me an air gun, and a rain coat, and lots of good things to eat. Don't forget all my little brothers and sisters.

Your Little Friend, Buster Cruise.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 14, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl eight years old, in the second grade. Santa I want you to bring me a doll, skates, dishes, and some candy and nuts.

Your Little Friend, Ethel Floyd.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 14, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy five years old. Santa please bring me an air gun, bicycle, and apples, oranges, nuts and candy.

Your Little Friend, James Alvin Floyd.

Grove, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa: I have been a good little girl. Will you please bring me a sleepy doll, dresser, set, wash set, and please bring me some fruits, nuts and candy. Please don't forget my little sister Lois, bring her a rubber doll, fruits and nuts.

Your Little Friends, Nadine and Lois Lemley.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 17, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: My daddy says I've been a real good girl. I want you to bring me a new doll, Santa, but mother says I have enough dolls, so please bring me a tricycle, a wagon and a doll bed.

Don't forget my little sister Lorene. She wants a little doll, a doll buggy and something she can make lots of noise with. Bring us lots of oranges, remember all the good little boys and girls.

Lots of Love, Virgie Mae Kuebler.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl three years old. Please bring me a new wagon, some nuts, fruits, and candy. Don't forget my little sister, Louise. Bring her a tricycle, fruits, candy and nuts. We have been good little girls and don't forget all other little girls and boys.

Your Little Pal, Louise and Jo Lemley.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 15, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl ten years old. I have been a very good little girl, and want you to bring me a rubber doll, micky mouse sweater, gloves, scarf, dishes nuts fruits and candy. Santa please remember all other little boys and girls.

Lovingly Yours, Doris Bowen.

Munday, Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa: We are two little girls, two and four years old, and we want you to bring us a doll, a toy wrist watch, and dishes for me (Billie Maxine). And a high chair and ball for me, (Marion Joyce.)

Your Little Friends, Marlon Joyce & Billie Maxine Burns

Munday, Texas, December 16, 1933.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl three years old. I hope you will be good to all boys and girls so that they will have a happy Christmas.

I want a rocking chair and doll. Please don't disappoint me.

Your Friend, Grace Allene Acker.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am twelve years old, and am a good little girl. Santa I want you to bring me a pair of skates, a garden set, some nuts, candy and apples.

Your Little Friend, Annie Burns.

Munday, Texas, Rt. 1, Dec. 19, 1933.

Dear Santa: We are two little boys who live out south-west of town. I (Hubert) am 9 years old and Purvis is almost 4 years old. We want you to bring us a tool chest. We both can play with it together. I want a truck train with electric head-lights. Purvis wants a fire truck with electric head-lights and a motorcycle. Bring us some fruit, nuts and candy. We hope you don't think we ask for too much. Don't forget the other little boys and girls.

We are Your Friends, Hubert and Purvis Crouch.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl seven years old, and I have been a good little girl. I want you to bring me a sleepy-eyed doll, a little broom and a rubber ball. Bring me lots of fruits, nuts and candy.

Your Little Friend, Maxine Yeager.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good little boy, and you were so good to me last Christmas I won't ask for much. But please bring me a gun, harp, airplane and scooter and lots of fruit, candy and nuts.

Lots of Love, Bobby Don Fitzgerald.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl nine years old. I am trying to be a good girl. I want a wrist watch, a doll that has real hair and anything else you wish to bring me. Hope you will be able to see all the little girls and boys.

Your Little Friend, Evelyn Bernice O'futt.

Knox City, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am going to be a better girl than I have been being. I am in the third grade. I want you to bring me a large doll, doll trunk, doll bed, nuts, candy and fruits. Don't forget my little brother, two and one-half years old. He wants some boots, guitar, wagon, little gun, nuts, candy and fruit. Please be sure to bring us these things.

Your Little Friends, Billie and James Arthur Smith.

Munday, Texas, Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl nine years old. I have been a good little girl. I want you to bring me a new wagon, some nuts, fruits, and candy. Don't forget my little sister, Louise. Bring her a tricycle, fruits, candy and nuts. We have been good little girls and don't forget all other little girls and boys.

Your Little Friends, Louise and Jo Lemley.

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Your Little Friends, Marlon Joyce & Billie Maxine Burns

## TO OUR FRIENDS EVERYWHERE:

We come again at the glad Christmas season with a deep feeling of gratitude to all our friends. We are grateful to each of you for your loyalty during the past year and promise to strive earnestly during the coming year to fully merit your continued favors. May the holiday season bring you happiness in abundance.

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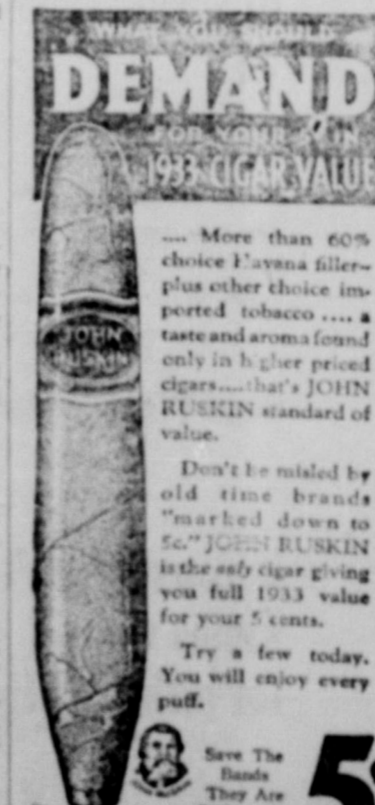
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### SPORT DOPE

The attendance of the Friday night games was dandy and everybody was treated to three fast and thrilling games. Twice the Eagles dove at the prey and came away victorious and bearing the scalp of a victim in each case. But an eagle is not always victorious. The third attempt at the prey left him soaring aloft with slightly ruffled feathers but still holding on to the two original victims.

Two victories are to be credited to our Junior boys and Senior girls. Our pride in these two teams increases after each game and the school is with them and for them every day in every way. The setback to our Senior boys is only temporary for there never was a group of fellows more loyal and willing than the Senior Eagles.

The score was as follows:  
 Juniors: Eagles 7, Bomarton 6.  
 Senior Girls 21, Bomarton 16.  
 Senior Eagles 22, Bomarton 23.

The practice game Saturday night was an excellent example of two fast teams in slow motion. The Junior Eagles won over the Knox City Juniors by the top-heavy score of 6 to 5. It should have been 66 to 5. The Senior Eagles were rather emphatically trounced to the tune of 38 to 12 by the Knox City Seniors. We expect a lot of improvement in our team on their passing attack and a little more snap and accuracy in their game will improve them 120 percent.

### SENIORS

We seniors are still alive and very elated over the fact that in less than one week we shall see our old childhood ally, Santa Claus himself. Some of our younger schoolmates are writing letters to the old fellow in the hopes of getting some tols and popguns; but it seems that Santa is incapable of bringing us superior classmen what we most desire; for we want a desire for English, a knowledge of civics, a longing for bookkeeping, and a capacity for arithmetic. However, we are content in asking him to please see that we get a little something to take our minds from our work during the holidays and thus make our lives more bearable for a time.

Some of the bookkeepers wrote and signed a petition to quit the work after mid-term but Mr. Hughes gave us such a beautiful talk that the petition received a very tragical ending. But we had better close before you get to feeling so sorry for us that you can't enjoy the Christmas, so we bid you adios and wish you a Merry Christmas!

### JUNIORS

Christmas is coming! Oh, boy, just look at the snow. I hope Santa is coming to see us (we have been so-o-o good!)  
 If Santa comes he is asked to bring:  
 Elwood an all-day sucker. (E)

"ain't" had one since he played with rubber dolls.)  
 Ouida a baby doll. (One that really cries.)  
 J. C. a little red sled.  
 Drucilla and Jonel "nigger" dolls, (twins, both to be named Bessie Cyle.)  
 Elvies a rattler—not a snake's, either.  
 Miss Leath a billy goat. (Ask Mr. Peevey or Miss Blanton why.)  
 The Junior class claims the distinction of having on their roll:  
 The cutest boy—Bex Howell.  
 The smallest (?) boy—J. C. Walling.  
 The fittest girl—Elvis Clarke.  
 The boy and girl with the biggest mouth and loudest laugh—Herman Reeves and Velma Henry respectively.  
 The wittiest girl—Edna Hudson.  
 The best yell leader—Elsie Redwine.  
 Everyone is going poetic—guess I will, too.  
 Veleria had a little lamb  
 Given by a friend to keep;  
 It followed her around until  
 It died from loss of sleep.  
 Why is it that Veleria is continually taking to either a Voss or a Curry? (Somebody has bright ideas!)

### SOPHOMORES

Examinations are over and we have four on the honor roll; Loree Driggers, Edger Frost, Jeanette Reddell and Max Verhalen. The ones who failed on one or more subjects have written a theme telling why they failed. They should be very good because the teachers have told us so many facts why we should pass. There may be a change in the method of teaching English when Miss Blanton gets through reading those papers because she told us that we were free to criticize her teaching.  
 We wish to return a compliment to the Freshmen for their challenge.

## Merry CHRISTMAS and Happy NEW YEAR

Your patronage has helped us through a critical year. Please accept our sincere thanks and our best Holiday wishes.

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We heard a certain person say that they did not realize that they were studying History, Algebra, and General Science.

Miss Leath has requested that we all help J. C. Poor J. C. He'll never get out of High School. J. C. says every time he knows the answer to a question the teachers ask someone else and when he doesn't know they always ask him. Queer, isn't it?

### FRESHMEN

Exams have passed (but we don't say we have passed) and we all lived through them. Of course some of us failed, but we made a very good showing on the cradle roll—I mean honor roll. Clarence Jungman, Amralis Hutcheson, Woodrow Myers, Mary Helen Partridge, Lois Marie Williams and Margaret Shannon are the distinguished freshmen who have swollen boards. (You'll know them if you see them.)  
 We are all expecting a Merry Christmas, but Santa Claus has to know something about it. Here's a few letters to Santa:

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I have tried to be good but it seems impossible. Anyway, please bring me a gallon of English, a bushel of History, a quart of General Science and a car load of Algebra. Of course include sentences, exercises and questions. If you have time bring me lots of examination papers all filled out.  
 Sincerely Yours,  
 Garland Forehand.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 Please remember me this Christmas. My old doll is cracked and broken. My teddy bear is still in the hospital. Please bring me a doll, bear and doll buggy. Of course put in some fruit, candy, but leave off the nuts for I have a good supply here in the high school.  
 With Love,  
 Miss Leath.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Harlegree, Mrs. L. M. Palmer and Mrs. Rley B. Harrell were Wichita Falls visitors Saturday.

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## Santa Claus Letters

Munday, Texas.  
 December 19, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I am ten years old and am in the fifth grade. I love to play with any kind of toys but my choice for this Christmas is a doll buggy, fruits, nuts and candy.

Your Friend,  
 Francis Mae Smith.

Munday, Texas.  
 December 19, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 Will you please bring me a doll, pencil box and lots of fruits and nuts.

Your Little Friend,  
 Mildred Smith.

P.S.—Santa don't forget my little sister, she wants a doll, a red balloon and a rubber ball, fruits and nuts.

Supt. J. Horace Bass is leaving Friday evening for Austin to spend the holidays with Mrs. Bass, who is teaching in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brock were in Wichita Falls Tuesday evening where Mr. Brock attended a meeting of the Chevrolet dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mayes are expecting Misses Mattie and Maxine Mayes of Ft. Worth, Miss Pearl Mayes of Lubbock and Howard Mayes of Crosbyton for the Christmas holidays.

### John Hancock Loan Company

#### FORECLOSURES

Small Cash Payments,  
 Balance Financed

J. C. BORDEN

REPRESENTATIVE

Munday Texas



Munday, Texas.  
 December 19, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I have been a good little boy and have gone to school every day this year. For Christmas please bring me a pencil box, a dump truck, a pair of boots also fruits, nuts and candy.

Your Little Friend,  
 J. T. Davis.

Munday, Texas.  
 Dec. 18, 1933.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I am a little boy nine years old. I want you to bring me a hat and baseball a pair of skates and some fruit, nuts and candy.

Your Friend,  
 Troy Yeager.

I. R. Williams left Tuesday for Peacock, to visit during the holidays.

### NOTICE

Your bills and notes are now due. A fair crop and 10c cotton should enable you to make substantial payments on your accounts. Please do not disappoint me in this matter.

Wm. P. Farrington,  
 M. D.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Dickerson are leaving Saturday for Anson to spend Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harpham are leaving Saturday for a holiday visit with relatives at Brownwood.

Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Roberts, Jr. left Wednesday for Sulphur Springs for a visit with Dr. Roberts' parents.

Mrs. Orb Coffman of Goree was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Atkinson and Jno. Spann spent Wednesday in Wichita Falls.

G. R. Eiland, Jr., and Chase Eiland of Galveston are to arrive Sunday for a Christmas visit with home folks.

## Gold Value of the Dollar May Change

And arguments may reign pro and con about money but there are some values that remain fixed and will always be the same. Among these we would list fellowship, friendship, love, good cheer and neighborliness. We would list also the value of the Christmas Season as one of the world's greatest assets. Anything we can do to add to the happiness of this happy season we gladly do. We hope it will be the merriest, the cheeriest and brightest you have ever seen.

MUNDAY, TEXAS

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## The Experience of 1933

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## 1934

And one resolution is that we are going to try every day in the New Year to show that we appreciate our friends.

We are here to serve you and will be disappointed if you fail to command us.

## Moore Chevrolet

Munday, Texas

## All Together

The entire personnel of our business work throughout the year with the single purpose of rendering to this community the best service that can be achieved in our line. We are just as unanimous today in wishing for you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## Burtons Cafe

## May the Smile of Good Cheer Be Yours Sincere

---WE GREET YOU  
 ---WE THANK YOU

And the fond recollections of the joys of a Merry Christmas light you way down the road of 1934 to success."

And as we approach 1934 we are thinking, building, planning to make this business more worthy of your confidence, esteem and patronage.

## Farmers' Union Gin

EMMETT PARTRIDGE, MANAGER

# CHRISTMAS FOOD SPECIALS

As the old year draws to a close amid the good cheer and fellowship of Christmastide we desire to express anew our gratitude for manifold courtesies extended, for the cordial relations we have enjoyed, for the new friends made and old friendships more closely cemented, and to wish for one and all a very Merry Christmas and the Happiest and most prosperous New Year you have ever known.

**PORK** Sausage, lb 8c  
Chops, 12c  
Ham, lb, 12c

**BEEF** Rib Roast, 8c  
7-Steak, 10c  
Steak, lb 12c

**ORANGES** Large Federal Dozen 29c  
**APPLES** Delicious, Large Size, per dozen 29c  
**APPLES** Extra Large Delicious, per dozen 40c  
**CRANBERRIES** Per Quart 15c  
**CELERY** Well Bleached Large size, Stalks 15c

**LETTUCE** Crisp and Firm, Per Head 5c  
**PICKLES** Whole, Sour QUART 19c  
**GRAPE JUICE** Red & White, PINT 19c  
**PINEAPPLE** No 2 can Blue & White, 2 cans 35c  
**PEARS** Red & White, No. 2 1-2 cans, each 22c

**MIXED NUTS** Almonds, Brazil Nuts, Walnuts, Pound 22c

**OLIVES** Blue & White QUART 39c

**CHERRIES** Red & White, Royal Anne, No. 1 can 19c  
**JELL-O** All flavors, PACKAGE 6c  
**COCOA** Blue & White Two Pounds 25c  
**TOMATO JUICE** 3 Cans 25c

**DATES** Red & White, Pitted 10-oz. Package 19c  
**BULK**, per pound 15c  
**COCONUT** Cellophane Bag, One pound 19c  
**Fresh Coconuts** 3 For 25c

# HANEY

New Notre Dame Coach



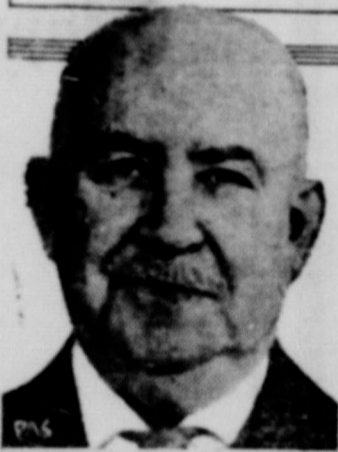
Elmer Layden, one of the "Four Horsemen" of 1924, is to coach the Notre Dame football team in 1934. He succeeds "Hank" Anderson and will be in charge of all athletics, as it was under Rockne.

## Get Appropriation For Road Building To Brazos Bridge

Commissioner D. C. Osborne and Walter Smoody of Vera have returned from Austin, where they went to seek money with which to improve the road between Munday and the proposed location of the Rhineland bridge, and they succeeded in getting an appropriation of approximately \$2,700 and were given assurance that more money would be available at a later date for this project.

Judge Osborne stated that he had not made any recommendation as to the route the road should follow but was leaving that to engineers of the highway commission with a view of having the road eventually designated as a state highway and thereby maintained by the highway department.

\$135,000 On Corn



Robert Adams, of Odessa, Iowa, has swung a loan of \$135,000 on 300,000 bushels of binnet corn on his farm in Star County, government agents sealing the bin.



**BEANS** PINTOS, 20 pounds for \$1.00  
**ONIONS** PER POUND 4c  
**SPUDS** PER PECK 33c  
**CRACKERS** 2 pound box 24c  
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**PECANS** Extra large Per Pound 24c  
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**CANDIES** All Kinds, Per Pound 15c  
**SUGAR** Pure Cane, Per 100 pound \$5.00

## Self Service Grocery

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## Christmas for Mother and Dad

by Mary Jane Haller

"I DON'T know what's gotten into the children," said Mrs. Coles, "but they have cooked up some new scheme about Christmas."

Mr. Coles remarked, a trifle grumpily, that he hoped it wasn't an expensive scheme.

"No, something quite different. Such bustling and whispering I've never heard. They've been scurrying around like mice in the garret."

"Well, what about our starting to trim the tree and getting their stuff ready?"

"They say they don't want us to do a thing; not a thing."

"But here it is nine o'clock already! We'll be late if we don't begin soon, and you know how it is every Christmas Eve—all worn out before we've finished."

"Hush!" Mrs. Coles whispered. A boy stood in the living room door. He was very solemn.

"Mrs. Coles please come at once to the study!" he asked.

The older couple exchanged puzzled glances and followed; and when the study door was swung open with a great flourish, they both gave a cry of wonder.

There on the desk stood a small tree hung with garlands of silver. Icicles dripped from the tips; gifts wrapped in bright papers were thick among the boughs. If the tree were slightly tipsy, it seemed ready to tumble over at a breath, Mr. and Mrs. Coles were too surprised to notice it.

"For you . . . all for you!" shouted several voices. At once a pudgy Santa stepped out of the closet. In a deep voice he asked the guests to be seated. "I've come all the way from the North Pole tonight especially to give you a pleasant treat. Here he was interrupted by another voice which shouted, "We thought it was time fathers and mothers had a tree instead of the children. We've done it all ourselves; every bit."

"Please be quiet," rumbled Santa severely. Then he stepped to the tree, and reading the names on the packages, passed them ceremoniously to Mr. and Mrs. Coles. There wasn't a present for a child—not one.

"We wanted you to have all the Christmas this year. We told Santa (suppressed giggles) not to dare to bring us a thing—it's your Christmas from us. The children to their parents."

"Well, well, I must admit . . ." Mr. Coles blew his nose, more touched than he cared to reveal. Mrs. Coles frankly and happily wiped away a tear.

"We heard you say last night how tired you got trimming the tree, and doing things after we went to bed . . . so we decided to do the work and the giving. Isn't the tree perfectly beautiful?"

Both Mr. and Mrs. Coles declared several times it was the very best Christmas they remembered in all their lives. Afterwards Santa was roundly kissed and hugged.

"A very, very pleasant surprise," Mr. Coles kept saying. His wife beamed.

"Well, Roger, that was a mighty commendable finish to your adventure," his father commented heartily. "But that wasn't the finish," said Roger. "After I had walked a block, I thought I should in some way feel better about it. I had just performed a few automatic motions in connection with a twist of circumstances. While I felt glad that the kiddies would have the benefit of the money, it was the same as though a stranger had done what I did. I had exerted no special effort, had made no sacrifice—there was nothing of myself in it at all."

"How, then, did you square yourself with yourself, so that you come home as joyous appearing as a bride?" asked his father.

"I went back and put another five dollar bill in the kettle," said Roger. "Money that I had worked for—that had a part of me ground into it—that meant that I should do without something that I wanted—that represented a part of my life—at least five hours that I had lived for somebody else."

Mrs. Tallant gave her son a tenderly admiring look.

"Roger, dear," she said softly, "that places a lovely frame around your beautiful picture."

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## ADVENTURING IN HAPPINESS

A Christmas Story by Charles Frederick Wadsworth

ROGER TALLANT had the relieved feeling of one who has just completed his Christmas purchases, as he started toward the front entrance of the Emporium.

But as he was about to pass through the door to the sidewalk, his foot struck something—not much, apparently, but something it seemed that should not be there.

He picked it up and carried it in his hand to the light outside. A bill-fold! And besides some papers, eighteen dollars in bills.

Then he noticed a club membership card tucked into a little holder made for that purpose.

All thought of spending the money passed from Roger's mind. Had there been no way of tracing ownership, he might have considered keeping it, but now that he knew the owner, of course it should be returned promptly.

Roger made his way to the insurance office of Jackson W. Harkness, and was shown to Mr. Harkness' desk.

"Did you lose this?" Roger held out the bill-fold.

Harkness took the book and looked into it.

"Why, yes, I did," he said. "I notice there is a little money here. You take that, and I'll just keep these sheets of figures which I could not have replaced."

Roger protested. "I didn't return it to you for a reward," he said. "I brought it because I knew it was yours."

"Well," said Harkness with a sly wink, "buy something for your sweetie with it."

"Thank you, sir, but all my presents have been purchased," Roger assured. "Lucky!" Then: "Buy something for yourself," Harkness urged.

"Thank you again, I may do that." And Roger smilingly took the bills that Harkness held toward him.

When Roger Tallant reached home that evening, his family noted the buoyancy of his spirits.

"Well, Roger," said his father cordially, "you seem to have been having some kind of an adventure in happiness."

"That's what it was," said Roger. "But I hadn't given a name to it."

"Here is it! What is it like?" This from sister Margery.

"It is something like this—see if you can visualize it," said Roger. "It represents little children being supplied with good food and plenty of milk; parents acquiring a courageous look and a sparkle to the eye; toys, clothing and other supplies where needed, with out much chance of getting them; hope renewed and faith strengthened; a determination to carry on. In fact, as I was passing a corner where a Salvation Army lassie was tinkling her little bell to attract coins to the kettle hanging on a tripod, I pushed the money into the kettle."

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Come in and get one of our 1934 calendars

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**CANDY** A huge assortment of all kinds For your Christmas, per pound . . . . . 15c

**Fresh Country Eggs, retail, per doz. 19c**

**CELERY, extra nice bunch . . . 15c**

**Cranberries, those good ones, per qt. 15c**

**BROWN SUGAR, 4 pounds . . . . . 25c**

**PITTED DATES, per pound . . . 15c**

**PECANS, per pound . . . . . 10c**

**SOUR PICKLES, per quart . . . 19c**

**DELUXE EXTRACT SETS, each . . . 30c**  
(2 Ounces pure vanilla and sugar bowl or cream pitcher)

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(1/2 pound black pepper and 2 fancy shakers)

**SPICES, 10c values for . . . . . 5c**

**Maxwell House Coffee, 3 pound can .79c**

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## PIGGLY WIGGLY

Lefty Hambright, who has been with the Economy Store during the fall, left Thursday for his home at Roby. He stated before leaving that he hoped to return to Munday and again be a member of the Munday baseball club next season.

Adjusters have been here during the past week working on the cotton loss at the plant of the Munday Compress Company, and it is said that practically all of the cotton involved in the loss was Government cotton and was covered by insurance.

## 1933 GREETINGS 1934

As the old year passes into history we find much to be thankful for, particularly or patrons who have been so loyal to us. To all these patrons and to the people in general we extend best wishes for the season at hand and express the hope that 1934 will be the best year you have ever known.

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