

# SEASONS' GREETINGS

Wally Wright

Dear Santa:  
I am a little boy 2 years old. I have been a pretty good boy. I would like you to bring me a pedal car and a train for Christmas. Also some candy and fruit. Don't forget my cousins Todd, Laurie and Chris, who live here in Post, too. I love you Santa.

Derek Glenn Walls

Long Term

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## Lost Dispatch

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### Christmas comes but once a year; this time on Monday!

Hopes — if any there had been — for a white Christmas in Post and Garza County faded with the melting of the weekend's snow, but weather forecasts late Wednesday held the promise of more wintry weather, which might bring snow.

Weather aside, the majority of people appear ready — or about to get ready — for Christmas 1967. The majority includes approximately 1,300 school students and teachers, who will start their long Christmas and New Year's holidays at 3 p. m. today (Thursday). They won't return to the classrooms until Tuesday morning, Jan. 2.

Nearly all business places will be closed Monday — Christmas — giving employees a two-day holiday, since Christmas Eve is on Sunday.

The county courthouse will be closed Saturday through Monday, with offices reopening Tuesday morning, Dec. 26. The city hall will be closed from Friday noon until Tuesday morning.

Many churches of the city will hold special Christmas services.

A Christmas Eve candlelight service will be held at the First Presbyterian Church at 11 p. m., with the singing of Christmas carols, old and new. There will also be the reading of a Christmas story written by the Rev. George L. Miller, pastor of the church.

"A special invitation is extended to all the resident of Post to attend

this Christmas Eve service and share anew the joy and wonder of Christ's birth," the Rev. Mr. Miller said. A nursery will be provided for those who wish to bring their children.

The sermon topic at the 11 o'clock morning worship will be "The Sound of Singing, the Sound of Laughter."

A midnight mass will be held at

the Holy Cross Church on Christmas Eve, the Rev. Thomas Andrew, pastor, announced. There will also be the regular Sunday masses, at 8 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and a Christmas mass at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

Preceding the midnight mass and beginning at 8:15 p. m., members of the church will present a live manger scene, and Christ-

mas carols will be sung. Father Andrew said.

A special Christmas sermon, "The Christmas Paradox," will be delivered by the minister, Bernard S. Ramsey, at the 11 a. m. service at the First Christian Church. Sunday school will be at 9:45 a. m.

"There will be no evening services at the First Christian Church," the Rev. Mr. Ramsey said. "However, some of our choir members will participate in the special Christmas Eve service at the First Presbyterian Church, and many of our members will be attending that service."

The sermon topic at the regular 11 a. m. service at the First Methodist Church Sunday will be from the hymn of the same name, "Love Came Down at Christmas," the Rev. O. Curtis Lee, pastor, announced. There will be a special communion service at 5 p. m. instead of the regular 7 o'clock hour.

At the First Baptist Church, the morning service will be held at the regular time, but the evening service will be at 5 o'clock instead of 7 o'clock, according to the Rev. Joe Vernon, pastor.

The Sunday School students from kindergarten through senior high school age will present a Christmas program at the Church of the Nazarene at 7 p. m. Saturday, with treats to follow, the Rev. Charles E. Peters, pastor, announced. The Sunday morning service will be held at the regular time, but there will not be an evening service.

At the Calvary Baptist Church, where the Rev. Dale Dozier is pastor, the Christmas program was presented at 7 p. m. Wednesday. The Sunday morning service will be held at the regular time, with no evening service scheduled.

The Christmas program at the Church of God of Prophecy will be presented at 7:30 o'clock tonight (Thursday), according to the pastor, the Rev. W. O. Green. Services Sunday will be held at the regular time.

### Rites set Friday for Charlie Rogers

Last rites for Charlie Rogers, 69, longtime Garza County resident, who died at 5 a. m. Wednesday in Methodist Hospital at Lubbock, following an extended illness, will be conducted at 2 p. m. Friday at the Graham Chapel Methodist Church.

Born April 9, 1898, at Silverton, he came to Garza County in 1904. He worked as a cowboy on area ranches during his early life, and later owned and operated a farm in the Graham community until his retirement.

Mr. Rogers was married to Miss Winnie Stewart on March 3, 1923, at Post. He was a Methodist and a member of the Post Masonic Lodge.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Dale Wood of Hebbronville; a son, David Rogers of Post; a brother, Haden Rogers, also of Post, and seven grandchildren.

The Rev. Tommy Wilson of Hartley, a former pastor of the Graham Chapel Methodist Church, will officiate at the funeral services.

Interment will be in Terrace Cemetery under direction of Mason Funeral Home. Masonic graveside services will be held.

### Victim of accident here visiting with relatives

Kenneth Williams of Mineral Wells is here this week visiting his parents and other relatives after being dismissed Tuesday of last week from a Fort Worth hospital, where he had been since he and his wife were critically injured in a highway accident Nov. 19 near Mineral Wells.

Kenneth's wife, Carolyn, remains in traction in the Fort Worth hospital. Both she and her husband suffered head injuries in the accident.



1966 TEEN-AGE NATIVITY SCENE PERFORMERS

The performers in the Christmas 1966 Teen-agers' Nativity Scene are shown in this picture. The Nativity Scene presented again this year in the carport at the Jim

Cornish residence, 307 Osage. There will be three performances Christmas Eve—at 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30 p. m.



POPULAR CHRISTMAS EVENT HERE

is invited to attend the Teen-agers' Nativity Scene, which will be presented for the year here on Christmas Eve at 307 Osage, with presentations scheduled at 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock. Shown are some of the actors, including one of the animals, in last year's scene.—(Staff Photo)

### and turkeys oycee gifts

Monday night's meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce was cut short to employees to take Christmas cards to the nursing homes.

Delivered a turkey to the homes and also presented Christmas cards to the nursing homes.

Christmas songs were sung in tribute to the citizens there.

Plans for the selection of the young man of the year will be discussed at the annual Jaycee banquet in March.

was welcomed as new members on Thursday night, Bill Young and John Young and

are totals an inch here

received 56 of an inch — mostly sheet, a little rain and a little snow over last weekend, according to County Agent Syd

was moved in on Sunday, but change brought the harvest to the ground for several days, they were reported growing their yards with

back into the community to clean up the 1967 harvest.

## Teen-agers to present annual Nativity Scene

The seventh annual Teen-agers' Nativity Scene will be staged in the double carport of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cornish, 307 Osage, three times this Christmas Eve with the entire community invited to view one of the 20-minute showings.

The nativity scene, with appropriate lighting effects and taped Christmas music, will be re-enacted at 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30 p. m. Sunday night.

The carport is converted into a stable for the event and features "real live animals" as well as teen-agers in the "acting parts."

### Garza project in highway program

A Garza County project costing an estimated \$300,000 is included in the Texas Highway Department's newly announced \$362 million Consolidated Highway Program.

This county's project will be the improvement of the east lane of U. S. Hwy. 84 from 3.3 miles northwest of Post to the Lynn County line, a distance of 12.3 miles.

Senior Resident Engineer Julian F. Smith said the work will include tearing up and realigning of the east lane, with new bases and materials and new surface — to match the other lane of the divided highway.

The project will be anywhere from six months to a year getting under way, according to Smith, who will be the project engineer.

Some of the youngsters who started out in the nativity scene cast seven years ago are now in college but still look forward to the event. Teen-age volunteers are added to the cast each year.

"We haven't been snowed out or frozen out yet," Mrs. Helen Cornish, director of the production, points out, "but some years it has been mighty cold, wet or slippery on Christmas Eve. Barring a real old fashioned blizzard the show will go on."

The long range weather forecast calls for good weather this holiday weekend.

The Cornish home can best be reached by driving out into the Westgate Terrace addition on West 11th Street from Avenue S.

Several hundred — including dozens of eager youngsters — view the three nativity scene showings each Christmas Eve when the weather is good.

### Tommy Sweeten home from Lubbock hospital

Tommy Sweeten, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sweeten, will get to spend Christmas at home after all.

Tommy, who was critically injured in a highway accident near Post early in November, was brought home from a Lubbock hospital last Friday. He will wear a cast from the neck down for about six weeks.

The youth's brother, Noah, 17, who was injured in the same accident, returned home from the hospital earlier this month.



The Dispatch and the Cs over the last decade have developed several Christmas traditions, which one way or another all get accomplished even during the rush of the holiday season.

One of this newspaper's regular traditions is to publish all the letters to Santa from local and area youngsters which we receive "en route of course to the North Pole."

Today's big 20 - page Christmas edition of The Dispatch, which is stuffed with bright greeting ads from your local merchants, carries 202 of these Santa letters. Last week we printed another 98 as our Christmas tradition has grown to the point where we can't get all the greeting ads and Santa letters into one issue.

The greetings ads range all the way from the "card of thanks" holiday greetings to friends which was phoned in from Spring Valley, Calif., Monday by Mrs. Margot Hill, former resident, on behalf of herself and her daughter, Petra, to the full page Christmas card to the entire community from the Post-Ex Cotton Mills, which appears on page 19.

A combined tradition of The (See Postings, page 8)

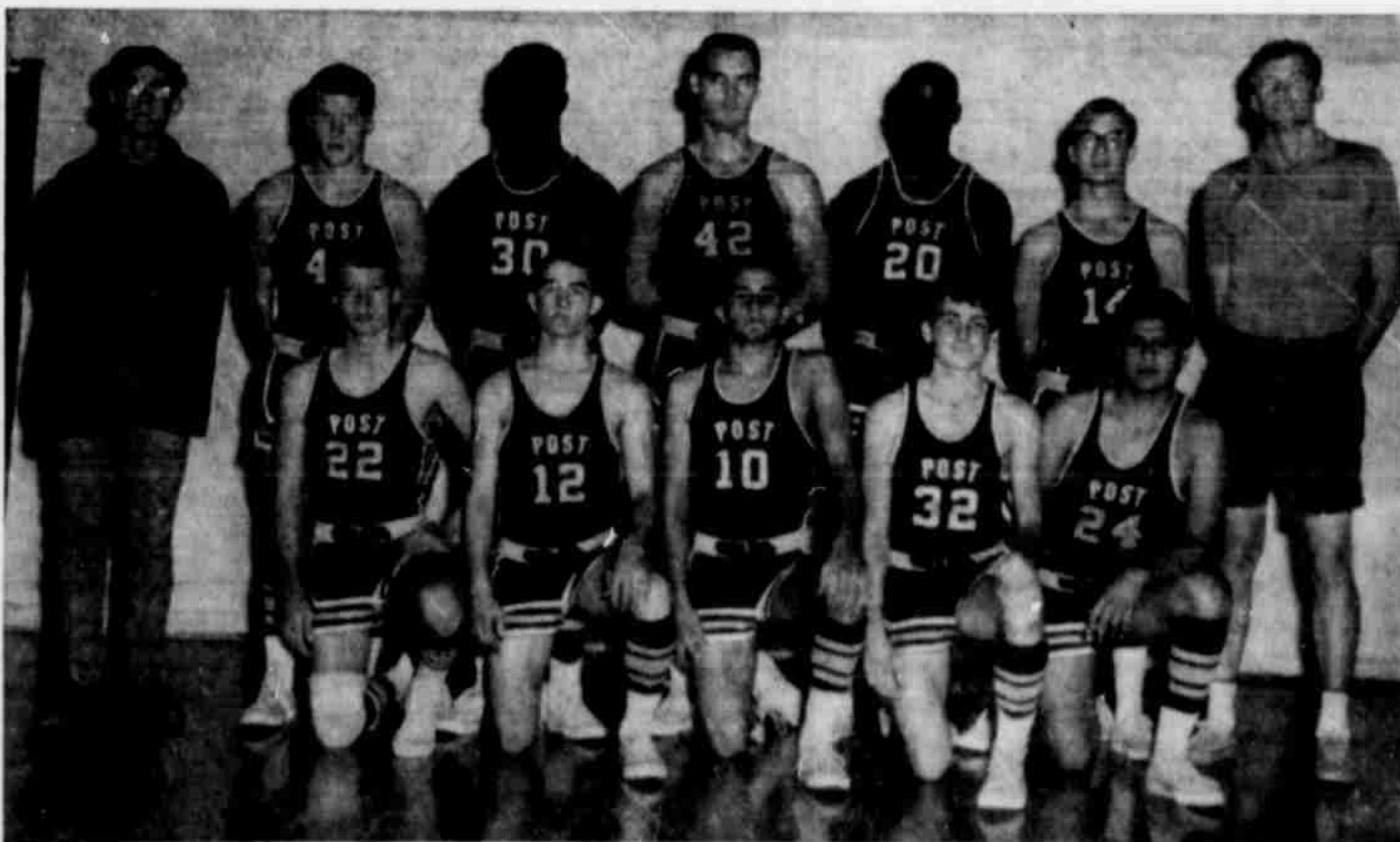
### Funeral held for Postite's father

Last rites for Buran McLeroy, 63, of Sundown, father of Jimmy McLeroy of Post, were held at 2 p. m. Monday in Levelland, with burial in the Sundown Cemetery.

Mr. McLeroy died at 2:23 p. m. Friday at a clinic - hospital in Lubbock, where he was admitted Dec. 4. He moved to Sundown from Lubbock in 1941 and was employed as a contract pumper.

Besides the son of Post, he is survived by his wife, two other sons, two brothers, five sisters and eight grandchildren.

The Rev. Thomas Lynn, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Sundown, officiated at the funeral services, assisted by the Rev. Jess Young of Sundown.



ANTELOPES POINTING FOR DISTRICT 4AA OPENER

The Post Antelope basketball team, with a 6-7 record through pre-holiday play, hopes to fare better in District 4AA competition, which starts Jan. 5. Before that date, the Antelopes have a game with Andrews on Jan. 2. From left to right, front

row, are: Ray Altman, Ronnie Petty, James Pollard, Neff Walker and Nick Pantoja. Back row: Dee Justice, manager; Dennis Altman, Charles Harper, Norman Tanner, Kenneth Mitchell, Elbert Rudd, Coach Wilbert Bigott.—(Staff Photo)



# Dispatch Editorials

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1967

## Some Christmas Thoughts...

One of the first satellites was launched by divine edict, to guide the Wise Men from the East to Jerusalem, to pay homage to the newborn Jesus.

Much has been learned about the celestial galaxies since that time, and men of science continue to challenge their mysteries.

Complicated measuring instruments have reached the moon and are sending back research data, paving the way for future space observation and travel.

Over these nineteen-hundred odd years, the oft-told story of the journey of Mary and Joseph to Bethlehem and their later flight into Egypt epitomizes the philosophy of the family—the cornerstone of civilization.

Man, while attempting to unlock the mysteries of outer space, should take time out to pause and recall that it was the birth of a Savior in a stable at Bethlehem that helped to make all this possible.

Today's wise men who challenge the universe by orbiting new and bigger vehicles into space should also fall in behind the original three Wise Men guided by the first satellite, to pay homage to the Christ concept and the design of brotherly love. Love of one's fellow-man begins with the family.

Another year has passed since our 1966 "Some Christmas Thoughts" and the war in Vietnam goes on, apparently no nearer an end than it was at this time last year. But, since hope springs eternal in the human breast, perhaps a just peace will have been reached before Christmas of 1968. Not only those of us in this land who have loved ones fighting a war thousands of miles from home, but the world hopes and prays for an early end to the strife in Vietnam.

The Christmas dinner is the "big thing" in most homes on Dec. 25, and many housewives spend weeks before Christmas clipping and filing away recipes for new and delectable dishes. Here, however, is a "Recipe for a Merry Christmas" that can be used to advantage every year.

Take the crisp cold of a December night; add two generous parts of snow, stir in air so clear it tinkles. Into a generous heart, mix the wonder of a little girl, the sparkle of a young boy's glance, the love of parents, and set gently before the chimney side. Add the lightest touch of a reindeer's hooves, a sprig of holly, a scent of fir. Set the mixture to rise in the warmth of a dream of good will to men. It will be almost ready to serve when it bubbles with warmth and good feeling. Bedeck with the light of a star set in the East; garnish with shining balls of gold, silver and red. Serve to the tune of an ancient carol in the middle of the family table. This recipe is sufficient for all the men and women you will ever meet.

The approach of Christmas brings to mind a certain grave in a cemetery in Highgate, London, England. It is marked by a rectangular marble block slightly higher than a man's head. Atop the marble pedestal there is a sculptured likeness of the shaggy father of international Communism, Karl Marx.

Marx was born in Germany, but he moved to England in 1848, when he was 31, and died there in 1883. For years, writers have wondered in print why the Communists have never requested permission to move the remains of their idol to Moscow for entombment in Red Square. And every curious sightseer has wondered at the shabbiness of the grave itself. It is completely overgrown with weeds and thistles. It has been neglected for years and looks as unkempt as did Marx in his lifetime.

Why should the intended grave come to mind at Christmas? Simply because of the contrast. On Dec. 25 the whole Western World will stop whatever it is doing to pay homage to Him for whom the day is named. There will be services and masses of praise in every language and has devoted to commemorate his thoughts. There is a certain awe and respect, a solemnity that has not been met in a meeting place where men of good will may gather to share his teachings—and each of those churches will hold services of course.

Thousands upon thousands of pilgrims will travel to the Holy Land on Christmas Day to trace his steps. And men everywhere will be reminded that He showed them that their salvation lay in service to His God, and not in servitude to their state. They will be astonished too, that the Apostle Paul foresaw the eternal assault on free men. His words to the Galatians stand as the lesson of Christmas for this and every future year of our Lord. "Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free and not be entangled again with the yoke of bondage."

And while all men free of bondage stand silent on Christmas as they have been doing on this day for 1,967 years, cold winds will blow through the thistles at that forlorn, untended grave in London. What an appropriate and joyous contrast!



### Ten years ago . . .

Sophomore class entry is winner in Yule scene in front of high school, area youths admit dynamiting county bridge; Lee Wards promoted to superintendent at Post-Tex Mills; the Rev. C. B. Hogue accepts call to First Baptist Church from Happy; Carol Sue Harrison and Petra Hill show fire prevention tag in their first grade room; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lott announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Jean, to Kay Willard Kirkpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kirkpatrick; Miss Joyce Lauderdale is wed to Roy Teaff in Grassland Methodist Church; home of Mrs. Harold Lucas scene of bridal shower honoring Miss Rexene Welch, bride-elect of Novis Pennell; Post basketball players pictured playing in the Meadow Invitational Tournament are Charlie Morris, Sidney Hart, Dan Rankin and girls are Kay Martin, Barbara Gary and Doris Ellenburger.

## Happy Birthday

- Dec. 22  
Mrs. Clyde Redman  
Nadine Payne  
Bob McWhirt  
Terry Cross
- Dec. 23  
Kelly Joe Duren  
Michael Pitts
- Dec. 24  
Beth Ann Aten  
Wayne Carpenter  
Jimmy Short  
Jana Claborn  
Ricky Nelson  
Lisa Jane Clanton
- Dec. 25  
Mrs. Herman Raphael, Lubbock  
Max Chaffin  
Bud Odum  
Mrs. Earle Thaxton  
Mrs. George Barker  
Janene Beard  
Mrs. Jack Lancaster  
Shirley McBride Cranford  
Johnny Teel  
Mrs. W. H. Self  
Mrs. Dean Nolan, Smyer
- Dec. 26  
Barbara Ethridge  
M. J. Richards, Long Beach, Calif.  
Robert Lynn McWhirt
- Dec. 27  
Hans Hulman  
Mae Smith  
Joy Brown  
Jo Cash  
Glenda Bilberry  
Jackie Hair  
Anne Hogan
- Dec. 28  
Mrs. Wylie Hill  
Spencer Douglas Kuykendall  
Judy Dooley  
Frank Runkles  
Thomas Zachary

### Fifteen years ago . . .

Homer McCrary, fire chief, displays white turkeys to be given away at drawing; funeral services for Roy E. Atchison, local businessman, conducted at Giddings Methodist Church; pioneer resident Ben Wright is Post visitor; Les Short named March of Dimes county director; Dear Santa: I want a Toni doll and I am a good girl. I love you, Margie Harrison; Dear Santa: I want a nurse set and I have tried to be a good little girl. I love you, Betty Jo Hill; nannies honor Miss Jane Wiley, bride-elect of Stanley Benge; Amity Study Club has dinner party in Leo Arker home; county HD Club members have annual Christmas luncheon in Methodist Church; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ray are parents of a daughter, Janet Sue; Nolan Williams, Bobby Cowdrey, L. W. Evans, Pete Hays and Darrell Stone chosen to all-district football team.

### Twenty years ago . . .

Suspects in robbery of Tom Williams' grocery store and Olen Long home apprehended; W. M. Stout is death victim; home of Mrs. Jewell Strasser, county agent, scene of countywide HD Club Christmas party; sending letters to Santa were Kay Martin, Sammy Sanders, Delores James, Elvarie Peel.

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## COW POKES By Ace Reid



"If this outfit don't quit givin' green stamps, them women are gonna starve us cowtraders to death!"

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Much more weather like we had over the weekend, and I'm putting "In the Good Old Summertime" back up at the top of my hit tune list.

BEFORE WE GET all the Bowl games out of the way, I want to pass along this question asked a reader: "How long has it been since Rice has been in the Sugar Bowl?"

Most everyone knows there is a town named Santa Claus. In Indiana. But did you know that there are towns named Christmas in Arizona, Florida, Kentucky, Mississippi and Tennessee? There is also a Christmas Island off Nova Scotia.

THERE'S ALSO a North Pole in Alaska, Colorado and New York. There's a Bethlehem community in Texas, near Rockdale, and also in Pennsylvania and Indiana.

California has a Holy City. Nazareth is in Pennsylvania (also in Texas, along with Palestine). Colorado has its Holly and Kentucky its Mistletoe. And there's a Snow in Oklahoma, a Snowflake in Arizona, and a Snowball in Arkansas. And just to keep Texas in the picture, there's a Snow Hill, in Collier County.

TEXAS, IN FACT has a number of towns and communities whose names can be associated with the Christmas season. There's a Bangs and Belle and a community named Bright Star, in Rains County. There is a Holly in Swisher County, and a Holiday in Archer County. At Christmas-time, who cares if holiday is spelled with two P's?

There are 76 Christmas Trees in Texas, but there are Cedar Bluffs, Cedar Hill, Cedar Lake, Cedar Lane, Cedar Park, Cedar Shore, Cedar Springs, and Cedar Valley scattered here and there and a whole forest in Cherokee County.

JOY AND JOLLY are towns in Clay County, and Jollyville is in Wilson County. There are a number of Texas towns and communities that might describe your financial situation the day after Christmas. There's a Cash and a Dime Box, along with Diner, which is in Live Oak County. Cheese and Cost are both in Gonzalez County, and Price is a town in Rusk County.

According to the mood you are in the day after Christmas, you can find Comfort in Kendall County and Energy in Comanche County. You can also find Pep in Hockley County. Hope in Lavaca County, Industry in Austin County, Friendship in Williamson County, Security in Montgomery County, and Paradise in Wise County.

IF YOU NEED MORE, that's in Bailey County and Goodnight is in Armstrong County.

Dear Santa,  
I want a blue car coat with some flowers on it. And I want a blue-green sting ray bicycle. And I want a camera that takes color pictures.  
Your friend,  
Judy Layne

Dear Santa,  
May I have a pair of Walkie Talkies, globe, box of BBs, and a Bible with my name on it.  
Your friend,  
John Allen McCowen

Dear Santa,  
I want a pellet gun and some pellets for Christmas. My friend Danny wants a BB pellet gun and a tape recorder. My brothers Patrick and Paul want a BB gun.  
Your friend,  
Rodney King

Dear Santa,  
I hope you are doing well. I would like to have a guitar for Christmas. If you want to know my family Victor, Richard, Irene, Sandra and my dad and mother Dolores, Mike Cisneros. I do not know what my brothers and sisters want.  
Your friend,  
David Cisneros



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# Even the elves help Santa read his letters

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a watch, a robot, monkey, jack-in-the-box and gun. Love, David Fuentes

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a BB gun. Love, Jerri Blacklock

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a Creeper set, BB gun, Johnny gun and jack-in-the-box. Love, Louis Ovallo

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want some Batmen, watch, BB gun and feet. Love, Michael Riedel

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a jump rope. Love, Gloria Esponzo

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a BB gun. Love, Jay Lott

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a BB gun, Ricky doll, watch and Green Ghost. Love, Larry Dodson

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a doll, dishes, Susie Homemaker. Love, Carla Patterson

Dear Santa: I want a truck and a gun. Thank you. Love, Julian Flores

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a Susie Homemaker kit and a cowgirl suit. Love, Debra Compton

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want an airplane and a Batman suit. Love, James Bilberry

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a baton, doll, Susie Homemaker kit and bike. Love, Karla Duren

Dear Santa: I want a Giant Creepy Crawlers and a big jeep with back. Thank you. Love, Dick Kirkpatrick

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a guitar, BB gun, cowboy hat and Creepy Crawler set. Love, Randy Gordon

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a drum, Indian hat and bike. Love, Danny Sanchez

Dear Santa: I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want Incredible Edibles and a magic kit. Love, Bryan Compton

Dear Santa: I want a Johnny Eagle, Magnum, BB gun and Incredible Edibles. Thank you. Love, Cliff Kirkpatrick

Dear Santa: I want a machine gun, a car and a truck. Thank you. Love, Owen Gilbert

Dear Santa: I want a BB gun, boots and a road racing set. Thank you. Love, Rocky Pace

Dear Santa: I want a doll, dishes and a Baby Crawl Away. Thank you. Love, Gloria Greathouse

Dear Santa: I want a BB gun and some boots. Thank you. Love, Royal Glenn

Dear Santa: I want a bike, doll and baby doll. Thank you. Love, Dianne Gutierrez

Dear Santa: I want a doll, dishes and boots. Thank you. Love, Debra Peters

Dear Santa: I want a Skipper, a chalkboard and a Baby Secret. Thank you. Love, Renea Babb

Dear Santa: I want a BB gun, a Major Matt Mason and a road racing set. Thank you. Love, Wally Wright

Dear Santa: I am a little boy 2 years old. I have been a pretty good boy. I would like you to bring me a pedal car and a train for Christmas. Also some candy and fruit. Don't forget my cousins Todd, Laurie and Chris, who live here in Post, too. I love you Santa. Love, Derek Glenn Walls

Dear Santa: Would please bring me a bike and a baby doll that walks. I have been a good little girl. Don't you think I write exceptionally well for a three-year-old? Love, Deann Ammons

Dear Santa: I want a scope for my 22, a pair of rabbit skin gloves, a saddle for Boots, my horse. I hope I been nice enough. Love, Steve Short



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**HELP WANTED:** Cooks and fountain help. Apply in person at Dairy Hart. tfc 8-24

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**Card of Thanks**

Our warmest Christmas greetings and a Happy New Year to all our friends and relatives.  
 Petra and Margot Hill  
 Spring Valley, Calif.

Words cannot adequately express our deep appreciation for the many kind and sympathetic acts that came to us during the long illness and death of our loved one. A special thanks to the ministers who called and those who sent flowers and cards.  
 The family of C. E. Gray

I would like to say thank you to the 10% of the Post merchants who bought specialty advertising or advertising book matches from me during 1967. As for the other 90% — ah, well — there's always next year.  
 Don Ammons  
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**WANTED TO RENT:** Three bedroom house, short distance from town. Call Bob Robinson, Post Implement, 495-3140. tp 12-14

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**Fellow employees honor Ferguson**

Howard Ferguson was honored by fellow employees Tuesday night upon his retirement after 23 years service here with the Texas State Highway Department.

Mr. Ferguson was honored at a get-together at the maintenance warehouse, where cake, coffee and cold drinks were served.

He was presented a fishing rod and reel and tackle box by the highway department employees. The principal address was by Joe Williams, maintenance foreman.

Mr. Ferguson has been employed in the maintenance department most of the time as a maintainer operator, but as an office employee at the time of his retirement.

Those present at the get-together included Jake Webb of Post, who retired as maintenance foreman about seven and a half years ago.

**Postex children's party described as 'best yet'**

The Postex Mills' annual Santa Claus Christmas party for employees' children, held Sunday afternoon in the shipping warehouse, was described as "the best yet" by Dick Dickson, plant personnel manager.

Dickson estimated the number of children and adults attending the event at "anywhere from 900 to 1,200."

Besides Santa Claus, the children were entertained by Goeys the Clown and his fellow clowns. Treat bags, gifts and refreshments were distributed and door prizes awarded.

**Swamping Op, Pop, & Mod Traditional Cards Take the Lead**



As any teenager can tell you, op art, pop art, & mod are the styles these days. Geometric prints and cans of tomato soup adorn museums, mod fashions, even automobile exteriors.

But the realm of Christmas card design has successfully resisted the invasion — and contemporary but sentimental cards are still the most popular.

Our penchant for sending greetings to friends and family goes back to England in the days of Queen Victoria. Artist J. C. Horsley designed the first real Christmas card for his friend, Sir Henry Cole, in 1843.

Consisting of three panels, it depicted a jolly three-generation family sharing the holiday feast in the center illustration. On the sides were two scenes of good works — feeding the hungry and clothing the poor.

Today's Americans also opt for cards that portray the age-old holiday themes interpreted by well-known artists. The 1967 collection of the American Artists Group includes designs inspired by Colonial Yule celebrations, traditional folkways, and Tchaikovsky's classic — "The Nutcracker Suite."

One of the most joyous of these cards celebrates the Medieval custom of cradle-rocking. Painted by James Lewicki, it shows the humble people of the Middle Ages dancing around a baby representing the Christ through!

Child as they sing a special carol of devotion, Mr. Lewicki, Chairman of the Art Department at C. W. Post College, discovered this almost forgotten folkway while researching his subjects for the American Artists Group Christmas card gallery.



With such beautiful and authentic designs as these, it's no wonder that more than three billion cards will travel the mails before Christmas '67 is through!

**Services held Post man's funeral**  
 Funeral services for Robert Blevins, 65, father of Blevins of 910 West 12th St. were held at 4 p. m. Tuesday at St. Luke's Methodist Church, Lubbock.  
 Mr. Blevins died last Tuesday in a nursing home at Lubbock. He was born Nov. 23 at Bailey, Tex., and had lived in Lubbock for 27 years. He had worked for the Pacific Railroad for 23 years during this year due to illness. Besides his wife, Mrs. Blevins, he was survived by his mother and brothers, all of Lubbock. Burial was in City of Lubbock Cemetery.

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 As the Holiday Season approaches our thoughts turn to the true meaning of this happy time. During the course of the year and in the rush of events, we tend to overlook the important friendships that are the real basis of all business relationships. And so it is that we would like to set aside the routine of business and express our sincere hope that your holiday season will be joyous and happy, and that the new year will bring good health and prosperity to you and yours.  
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Baker's Angel Flake, 7 Oz. Pkgs. <b>COCONUT</b> ..... 3 for 1.00	<b>Borden's, 9 Oz. Pkg. MINCE MEAT</b> .....	6 Oz. Assorted Flavors <b>JELLO GELATINS</b> ..... 2 for
<b>FLOUR</b> 5 LB. BAG ..... 49c 25 LB. BAG ..... 1.89	<b>TURKEYS</b> Purina Gold Medallion Hens, 10 to 12 Lbs. lb. 39c	Hormel's Little <b>Sizzlers</b> 12 Oz. Pkg.
<b>Bananas</b> Golden Ripe lb. 10c	Philadelphia <b>Cream Cheese</b> 3 Oz. Size 10c	Armour's Cleveland <b>Longhorn Cheese</b> lb. ....
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<b>Stalk Celery</b> 2 for 29c	<b>Parrish &amp; M...</b> 129 W. Main FREE DELIVERY	
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## It's My Turn

— By MRS. C.

The season to be merry and to feel awfully merry, cause with their world. Miss K will arrive Christmas Eve. K will probably be on Christmas morn by a power animals in the C car. I will be at the party as well as us. That's a cagey me to slide into the tradition. I will be at the party as well as us. That's a cagey me to slide into the tradition. I will be at the party as well as us. That's a cagey me to slide into the tradition.

Ben Sanchez furnished our sheep last year and we hope he will be nice enough to do so again this year. We always have trouble getting goats and for the life of me I can't remember whose we borrowed last year. Will all the goat keepers give us a call? We pick up and deliver!

We thought all the college students would become disinterested in the "scene" after being away but they keep coming back year after year and it seems to brighten their Christmas. Some of the old stand-bys this year will be Benny Owen, a Vietnam veteran, Meredith and Marcia Newby, Dee Ann Walker and Susan Cornish. Now that's not all because as soon as the kids start arriving home for the holiday they start calling to see of we are having "it" and volunteer themselves.

We add many new high school students each year and hope to relieve Steve Newby from his lighting chores this year to get in the "scene".

You all know how welcome you are to drop by at any of the three "scenes". For your convenience we start the big show at 6:30 and repeat at 7:30 and 8:30 on Christmas Eve. This way we figure we can work around your other activities, such as church or family gatherings.

Please drop by. It's a touching experience and we know you'll enjoy it. It's the C's and the cast's way of wishing you a Merry Christmas.

**Girl Scouts are guests of club**

Amity Study Club entertained Junior Girl Scout Troop 445 with a Christmas party at the First Methodist Church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon Tuesday.

The troop played games and sang Christmas carols.

Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to:

Pam Carpenter, Deborah Plunkett, Kim Plaster, Kim Mitchell, Cathy Howell, Karen Blanton, Joni Hays, Christy Davis, Gina Birkes, Lorry Chapman, Cynthia Morris, Peggy Gandy, Tammye Thomas, Terri Clary, and Mmes. D. E. Morris, Wayne Thomas, Ronald Babb, Leon Clary and Wayne Carpenter.

After the party the girls took candy to the nursing homes.

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## Carpenter home scene of club's Yuletide dinner

Amity Study Club's "Christmas in the Country" dinner was held at the rural home of Mrs. Wayne Carpenter last week with Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Malcolm Bull, Mrs. Preston Poole and Mrs. Thurman Francis as hostesses.

Christmas decorations of greenery, poinsettias, pine cones and red candles were used on the tables. Mrs. Hoyt Thomas gave the blessing, Turkey a la King, asparagus, cranberry salad, rolls and prune cake were served.

"A Christmas Story" was narrated by Mrs. Bill Pool, with members joining in with the singing of Christmas carols.

A gift exchange was also held. Those present, besides the hostesses, were:

Mmes. Jess Hendrix, James Brown, C. H. Hartel, Russell Wilks Jr., Henry Wheatley, Pat Walker, Vernon Scott, Dean Sterling, Curtis Lee, Wayne Richardson, Daymon Ethridge, George Miller, Bob Collier, Bill Carlisle, Ronald Babb and Miss Thelma Clark.

## Conner home is scene of dinner

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Syd Conner was the setting of a Christmas buffet dinner when the members of the Green Thumb Garden Club entertained their husbands, last Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Lewis Herron and Mrs. Ivan Jones were assisting hostesses.

Following a gift exchange by guests and members, Crazy Bridge was played. Mrs. Robert Cox won high and Donald Windham, low.

Those attending were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Windham, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. King, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cockrum, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCrary, Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Hudman, Mr. and Mrs. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Herron.

## Mystic Sewing Club's Christmas party held

Mystic Sewing Club members and their husbands enjoyed their annual Christmas dinner party at the Reddy Room last Friday night.

Gifts were exchanged, revealing secret pals, and new names were drawn for the coming year.

Those attending the dinner were:

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hudman, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Polk, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Short and Mrs. Tom Williams, Miss Henrietta Nichols and John Nichols.

The next regular meeting will be with Mrs. Nichols Jan. 5.

## CALIFORNIA GUESTS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stone are their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stone and children from California.

## BREAKS HAND IN FALL

Mrs. Bettie Pierce slipped and fell on the ice Monday and broke her left hand. She is getting along fine.

## Chorus entertains Rotarians at club's Christmas dinner

Rotary Club members and their wives were entertained at their annual Christmas dinner by the chorus of the Post Music Club.

Ansil O'Neal, president of the Rotary Club, welcomed the guests and presented gifts to Mrs. Tillman Jones, the club's pianist, and Mrs. W. C. Terry and her helpers, who prepare the weekly luncheons and special dinners for the club.

The Rev. Joe Vernon, pastor of the First Baptist Church, gave the invocation.

Mr. O'Neal turned the meeting

## Dinner is held in Fluitt home

A pre-Christmas dinner was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fluitt and Mrs. W. O. Fluitt Sr., Sunday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fluitt, Mark and Kent, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fluitt Jr., Sherita, Lanny and Jay and Vickie Hall, Morton; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Matthews, Gail and Phil, Bob Fluitt and Shelly, Cindy White, Mrs. Harold Reno, Joe and Roger, Diana Robbins and Tommy Sellers, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rvlant, Beth and Larry, Lovington, N. M.;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Eimo Bush and Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Morris McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Fluitt, Belinda, Russell and Steven, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hays, Dejuani, Joe Morris, Mike and Marenette, Benny and Kim Owen were afternoon visitors.

## Girl Scouts hold Christmas party

Girl Scout Troop 377 attended a Christmas party in the home of their leader, Mrs. Homer J. Irons, Tuesday afternoon after school.

The girls sang songs and played games.

The serving table was centered with a basket in the form of a poinsettia and held gifts. Red and green streamers extended from the gifts to the girls' place settings. Cookies, punch and candy canes were served.

Girl Scouts attending were:

Karla Josey, Kathy Jones, Jill Cash, Joni Huffman, Kathy Jo McCullough, Debra Medlin and Melody Rose.

## CHRISTMAS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Simmons of Houston and Mrs. Nancy Wallace and children, Chris and Scott, of Garland will arrive this week-end to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Bernard S. Ramsey.

## INVITATION EXTENDED

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dabbs request the presence of their friends at the marriage of their daughter, Brenda Jo, to Kenneth Forester, Tuesday, Dec. 26, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon at the Slaton Church of Christ.

A reception will follow in the home of the bride's parents, located south of Southland.

## 25th anniversary observed Sunday

Melba and James Mathis honored their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mathis, on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday at the Mathis home.

A host of friends and relatives called between 3 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The serving table was centered with a snow tree with silver bells and the numerals "25" at the top of the tree. A cake, featuring silver stairsteps, was topped with silver bells. The family names were engraved on steps of the staircase.

Cake, punch, nuts and mints were served.

## Merrymakers Club holds annual Christmas party

Mrs. Alma Sims was hostess to members of the Merrymakers Club in her home last week.

Following the devotional members exchanged gifts at the annual Christmas party and drew names for new secret pals.

Mrs. Sims was named president for the new club year.

Refreshments were served to the following:

Mmes. Lola Peel, Bonnie Adamson, Pearl Storie, Ida Wheatley, Sadie Storie, Gladys Floyd, Mabel Martin, Bertha Printz, Beige Cross and Sims.

## Christmas party held by chapter

The Xi Delta Rho chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority held its Christmas party Monday night at 7 o'clock at the VFW Hall.

The turkey dinner was catered by Jackson's Cafeteria and served to members and their husbands, who exchanged gifts following the dinner.

Enjoying the evening were:

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Josey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blanton, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Moore, Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teaff, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Riedel, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jo Dornier, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gambin and Mmes. Johnnie Francis and Bernice Euhank.

## VFW Auxiliary's annual Christmas party slated

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will sponsor its annual Christmas party for the children Friday at 7:30 o'clock at night at the VFW Hall.

There will be a Christmas tree, Santa Claus and treats for all the children.

Veterans are reminded to bring donations for the basket of food for a needy family.

## HERE FOR VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown Jr. and children of Carlisbad, N. M., are visiting in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kiker.

**TO SPEND HOLIDAY** University of Colorado at Boulder, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bullock of Ireacknridge, Colo., and Miss Meredith Newby, a student at the University of Colorado at Boulder, will arrive Dec. 23 to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Newby.

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- Perpetual Calendars 1.95 to 5.00
- Litter Bags and Visors 1.00 to 4.00
- Tie Racks 1.00 to 3.95
- Billfolds and Key Guards 3.95 up
- Picture Frames 1.00 to 10.00
- Dunhill's After Shave and Cologne 1.25 to 5.00
- Men's Stretch Sox 1.00
- 9 Different Matching Colors in 1 Pocket Handkerchiefs 3.50
- Desk Sets from 4.00

### For Her

- Gown and Robe Sets 14.95 to 29.95
- Hose from 89c pr.
- Watches 12.95 to 125.00
- Costume Jewelry 1.00 to 14.95
- Pottery (Service for 4) 9.95
- Stainless Steel Tableware (Service for 8) 24.95
- Bibles from 3.00
- Jewelry Cases 1.00 to 22.50
- Travel Cases 1.00 to 15.00
- Suits 17.95 to 119.95
- Coats 14.95 to 125.00
- Blouses 3.98 to 10.98
- Slimjim and Sweater Sets 9.98 to 29.98
- Slips 3.00 to 8.95
- Robes 5.98 to 14.98
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# Santa's reading mail

Dear Santa Claus:

Thank you for bringing me what I asked for last year. You remember, it was a cat, a hat and a bat. I wanted them so I could put the hat on the cat's head and knock it off with the bat. Well, I still have the hat and the bat, but for some reason or another, the cat ran off. So bring me another cat.  
Your little friend,  
Angel Food

Send a carpet in my room and new clothes. My brother wants about everything you can think of.  
Your friend,  
Sonny Ammons

Dear Santa:  
I still believe in you and so does my brother. We want you to come soon.  
Your friend,  
Valarie Torres

Dear Santa:

I am a very nice boy. I want a tape recorder. Raceriffic, Mighty Mike and a big reindeer. Silly

Dear Santa:  
I want a transistor radio, tape recorder, mirror, bicycle, a walking

doll, camera and guitar. My sister wants a doll and my brother a BB gun. The mirror is for my mother. And a gun for my dad.  
Your friend,  
Peggy Gandy

Dear Santa:

I have been a good girl this year. I have had just about 50 fights with my brother and my sister every day. I snooched in mom's drawer and saw my Christmas present. It was a watch. I snooched in my sister's sack and saw my present from her. Good-by.  
Your wonderful, smart, sweet, beautiful, and uncoincidental friend,  
Julie Anna Dozier

Dear Santa,

I am nine years old and I still believe in you. So I want a new Kodak camera, an eight transistor radio, sting ray bicycle, race car set, Major Matt Mason, records, Davdream Believes. Good-by.  
Your friend,  
Robert Tucker

Dear Santa,

I want Mr. Matt Mason, a Kodak Camera 104, a tape recorder, radio and very, very, very best of all is a Chipmunk record.  
Your friend,  
Jimmy Pierce

Dear Santa,

I wish I could have a Major Matt Mason and a race track. The most of all its a brand of a twenty two but it's a BB gun. My Mother could not find a Major Matt Mason. So she decided for me to have a guitar I thought about it and I told Mother I want a guitar and that's all.  
Your friend,  
Mike Hays

Dear Santa,

I want a Major Matt Mason and a drag set and a raceriffic racing set and a BB gun for Christmas. And for my two little brothers a tricycle for each one.  
Your friend,  
Oscar Sanchez

Dear Santa,

I wish to have a pellet gun for Christmas. And a Marks shooting gallery and a racing car set.  
Thank you,  
Bruce Blanton

Dear Santa,

I want a baby Snugglebun and her playdoll. And three kiddies and I locket. And a nurse outfit and nurse kit.  
Your friend,  
Genetta Kennedy

Dear Santa,

I am going to get a BB gun for Christmas but I want a pellet gun and I am going to get a whole bunch of games and an initial ring and that is all I want.  
Your friend,  
Ricky Mullenix

Dear Santa Claus:

Would you bring me a lot of toys for Christmas? I hope you have a nice holiday out there. It is snowing, isn't it? You were in Post Dec. 10. Your elves help you with toys, don't they? I hope you let Rudolph come with you. I hope you come in the Christmas party at the mill. Gooey the Cowan is going to be there, too, and seven little clowns are going to be with him. Thank you.  
Charity Smith

Dear Santa Claus:

I am writing you these few lines because I am thinking of you, Santa Claus. I want a bike. Your friend,  
Polly Perez

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a BB gun, a Walke Talkie, a Mustang bike, go cart, a Thingmaker, football, basketball and goal.  
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# Happy Birthday,

# JESUS!



*The lights of Christmas shine in children's eyes  
As they uncover each well-kept surprise,  
And we remember, as we share their joy,  
That Jesus too was once a little boy.*

*He must have laughed and shouted at His play  
Just as the youngest ones will do today.  
And surely Mary watched with pride and love...  
Thinking of shepherds, and a star above.*

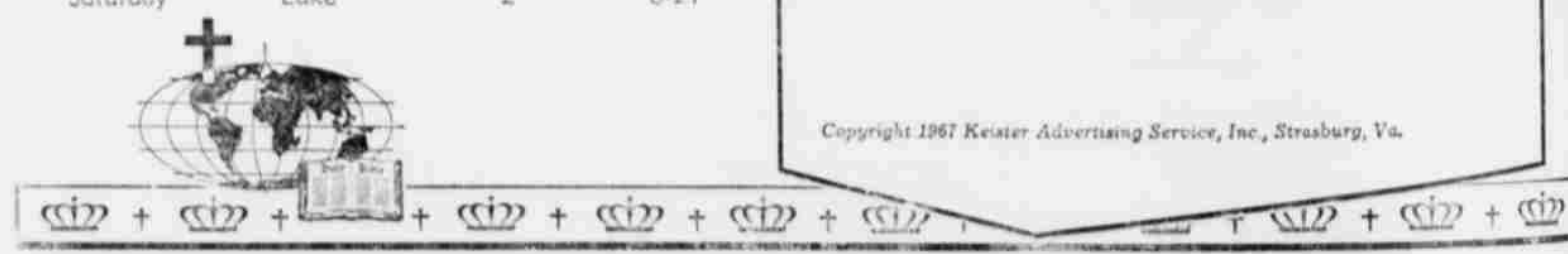
*This day is blessed by children's happy voices.  
The bells ring out; the Christian world rejoices.  
With all the gladness grateful hearts can bring,  
We celebrate the birthday of a King.*

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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Psalms	2	1-9
Monday	Isaiah	7	10-17
Tuesday	Isaiah	9	1-7
Wednesday	Zechariah	8	1-8
Thursday	Matthew	2	1-12
Friday	Luke	2	1-7
Saturday	Luke	2	8-21



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# Santa Claus mail sets record

Incredible Edible made a Johnny Astro. I have a boy.  
Erik Alan Howard

Dear Santa,  
I want a Baby Hungry and a bike and a table and some dishes because I want to play house.  
Gloria Martinez

**HAPPY Holidays**

With sincere thanks for your friendship and loyalty, we wish you the very happiest of holidays!

**THAXTON CLEANERS**  
51 THAXTON

**Greetings of the Season**

Sincere thanks and best wishes to our good friends and patrons who fill our hearts with cheer at this festive time of year!

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**HAPPY Holidays**

It's an old-fashioned custom, 'tis true, but it's a custom we still think is sublime. To sing out our good wishes to you for a simply perfect happy holiday time!

**SHORT HARDWARE**  
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**Greetings**

To all our many friends we send this heartfelt greeting... May Christmas fill your heart and home with all its brightest cheer and may you share your joy with all those dear to you.

**JACKSON BROTHERS FOOD LOCKER**  
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Dear Christmas:  
For Christmas I want a Baby Crawl-Along and a Miss Fussy and a doll that can walk. Please bring me a doll that can laugh and cry. I love you.  
Jacqueline Greathouse

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a toy station and a new brother and a real clock and a picture of Rudolph. With love.  
Steve Hair

Dear Santa Claus:  
I've been a good girl. I took a bath almost every night. I make my bed every morning. I clean up the house every Saturday. I go to church almost every Sunday. I study my homework. I say my prayer every night before bed time. I share with others. I obey my parents and my teacher. I eat good food. Not all sweets. I think I am quite nice. Please give me a cheer tearful doll. I want a coloring book and crayons also. Answer my letter, please. Love,  
Sharon Johnson

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been a good girl. Please bring me a walking doll and a talking doll. Thank you. Love,  
Renay Mullenix

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a walking doll and a talking doll. Thank you. Love,  
Bobbie Thompson

Dear Santa Claus:  
Roses are red, violets are blue; bring what I want and I'll love you.  
Your friend,  
Tospy Turnover

Dear Santa Claus:  
I know between good and bad, but I did both. But I want a BB gun and a football more than anything else. Your friend,  
Danny Saldivar

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have a BB pellet gun, and a tape recorder. I would like to have a truck too. My sister is too little to write, so I will tell you what she wants. She would like to have a doll called Baby Peep, and a bicycle.  
Your friend,  
Danny Guthrie

In the spirit of Christmas, we're wishing you a most joyous holiday.

**GALE'S Beauty Shop**

**FANCY THAT!**..... by THOMPSON

AS A REWARD FOR THE HOSPITALITY OF AN AGED COUPLE WHO WELCOMED THEM, ACCORDING TO GREEK MYTHOLOGY, THE GODS HERMES AND ZEUS TRANSFORMED THEM INTO AN OAK AND A LINDEN TREE STANDING SIDE BY SIDE WITH THEIR BRANCHES INTERTWINED.

FLOWERS FOR HIS HOSTESS AND CANDY FOR HER FAMILY WERE THE ONLY GIFTS THE VICTORIAN GENTLEMAN CALLER WAS PERMITTED TO BESTOW-- ANYTHING ELSE WAS CONSIDERED TOO PERSONAL!

FLOWERS FOR TODAY'S HOSTESS ARE A THOUGHTFUL WAY FOR A GUEST TO SAY "THANKS" AND SENDING A BOUQUET AHEAD OF TIME THROUGH FTD TO ANNOUNCE YOUR ARRIVAL DOUBLES THE COMPLIMENT.

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me an organ and a Top Cat.  
Your friend,  
Eleanor Martinez

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a walking doll and a swing set and a swimming pool and an organ. I am a good girl.  
Your friend,  
Jo Ann Perez

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a BB gun, and a bicycle and a Walkie Talkie and a watch.  
Your friend,  
Reuben Martin

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a BB gun and a watch.  
Your friend,  
Ernest

Dear Santa,  
I want a BB gun for Christmas.  
Tommy Gomez

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a BB gun and a Mustang bike.  
Your friend,  
John Hernandez

Dear Santa:  
Me and my little brother have moved to Post, Tex. I hope you can still find us, and please bring me a rifle, a bike and a tomahawk. For my little brother, a little bike and a little radio. Oh, yes--please let everyone have a nice Christmas also.  
Love always,  
Jan and Jimmy T.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I love you very much. I want you to bring me a Baby Secret, a Tricky Tommy Turtle, an EZ Bake Oven and a Pogo stick. Be sure and take all the other kids something too.  
Your friend,  
Caren Gray

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a race track for Christmas and a Stingray bike and some cars and some guns and a BB gun and a Western Auto truck and a football. Your friend,  
Henry Ray Semora

Bright wishes

Cherry greetings to all our friends. May the season be full of joy for you and yours.

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Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a Walkie Talkie, a watch, and a Creepy Crawlers.  
Octavio Torres

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me an organ, a watch, and Creepy Crawlers and a Mustang bike.  
Your friend,  
Florence Gonzales

Dear Santa Claus:  
Last year, I told you I wanted nothing and lots of it. Well, that is just what I got. Bring me more of the same this Christmas. There's use quitting while I am winning.  
Ima Doubter

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**TO WISH YOU**

**Holiday Joy**

May your home be bright with joy all through this most festive of holiday seasons. To all of our friends we wish the merriest Christmas ever.

**Hudmans**

Marvin Victor Ella Mae Jimmy  
Garland Betty



## KPOS TWO - DAY

# Christmas Spectacular

CHRISTMAS EVE, SUNDAY, DEC. 24

Time	Program	Presented By
7:00	Christmas Eve News	
7:05	Yes, There is a Santa Claus	First National Bank of Post
7:10	Christmas Songs by Jimmy Davis	Leon's Fine Serv.
7:25	Guidepost for Christmas, Featuring Irene Dunn	
7:30	Lifeline	HLH Products
7:45	For Christmas This Year, The Letterman	
8:15	Christmas Eve Weather Summary	
8:18	Mormon Tabernacle Choir, Christmas Eve	
8:30	Voice of Evangelism	
8:45	Hour of Compassion	
9:00	Christ Revival Program	
9:15	Christmas Eve With Buck Owens	
9:30	The Word and the Music	Post Ministerial Alliance
10:00	Thoughts on the Carols	American Lutheran Church
10:30	Christmas "Army of Stars"	Salvation Army
11:00	First Baptist Church Remote	First Baptist Church
12:00	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
12:15	Sounds of Christmas by the Three Sons	
12:30	Lifeline	HLH Products
12:45	Johnny Mathis for Christmas Eve	
12:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
1:00	The Littlest Angel with Loretta Young	Rocker-A Well Serv
1:30	Christmas on the Ponderosa	Cash Implement Co.
1:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
2:00	Hour of Decision with Billy Graham	
2:30	Mr. Pickwick, Chas. Laughton	L.J. Morrison, Chiropr.
2:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
3:00	Christmas Songs by Mahalia Jackson	Levi's
3:10	Christmas Carols by Loretta Lynn	
3:45	Christmas Eve with The Letterman	
3:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
4:00	Christmas As It Happened	Service Welding Company
4:05	The Other Wise Man, Bernard Ramsey	Howard Kalls Dist Contractor
4:30	Capital Record's "Christmas Album"	
4:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
5:00	Yes, There is a Santa Claus	First National Bank of Post
5:05	A Christmas Carol, Ronald Coleman	Cockburn's
5:30	Here We Go A Caroling, Ray Coniff & Orchestra	Prusting & Suplies
5:45	Sign Off	

### CHRISTMAS DAY PROGRAM SCHEDULE, MONDAY, DEC. 25, 1967

6:00	Sign On Christmas News	Graham Co-op Girl
6:05	"Christmas Dream", Sonny James Jackson Bros. Food Lkr.	
6:15	"Wish You a Merry Christmas"	Brenda Lee
6:30	"Star Carol", Tennessee Ernie Ford	Mason & Co. Furniture and Mason Funeral Home
7:00	Christmas News	Collie Parker Pharmacy, Tahoka
7:05	Yes, There is a Santa Claus	First National Bank of Post
7:10	Guideposts for Christmas, Irene Dunn	
7:15	Christmas Carols, Capital Records	
7:30	Porter Randall and the News	Post Billiard Club
7:45	Lifeline	HLH Products
8:00	A Christmas Carol, Rev. George Miller	B. Williams, Inv.
8:30	Holiday Cheer, Dean Martin	Neff Farm Equipment
8:45	Thoughts on the Carols	American Lutheran Church
8:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
9:00	Story of the Nativity	Post Ministerial Alliance
9:30	Christmas with Buck Owens	
9:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
10:00	The Story of Christmas, Ernie Ford	Tom's Drive In
10:30	The Messiah, Independence Choir	Post Ins. Agency
12:00	Porter Randall and the News	Post Billiard Club
12:15	Christmas Weather	
12:18	Christmas Songs by Floyd Cramer	Jelco Service, Inc.
12:30	Lifeline, Special Christmas Program	HLH Products
12:45	Elvis Presley's Special Christmas	
12:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
1:00	Twas the Night Before Christmas & Gift Magi, Starring Lorne Green	Martin's Dept. Store
7:30	Christmas Holiday, Bing Crosby	Caylor's Super Shell
7:45	Guideposts for Christmas, Dick Van Dyke	
7:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
2:00	Sounds of Christmas, Johnny Mathis	Postex Cotton Mill
2:15	Ding Dong Dandy of Christmas, 3 Sons	Postex Cotton Mill
2:30	Songs for Christmas, Brenda Lee	Postex Cotton Mill
2:45	Joyous Christmas with Frank Sinatra	Postex Cotton Mill
2:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
3:00	Christmas, Carols	
3:30	Sing We Now of Christmas, Ernie Ford	Caprock Liquor Store
3:55	Texas State News	Post Billiard Club
4:10	Sweet Little Jesus Boy, Mahalia Jackson	
4:20	For Christmas This Year, The Letterman	
4:30	Lullaby of Christmas, Gregory Peck	Maurine's Flowers
5:00	Texas State News, World of Sports	
5:05	I'll Be Home for Christmas, Hugo Winterhalter	
5:20	Christmas Album, Capital Records	
5:30	Lone Star News	
5:35	Capital Album, Capital Records	
5:45	Sign Off	

### Hear Play by Play of GATOR BOWL GAME

FLORIDA STATE vs. PENN STATE  
1 PM - Saturday, Dec. 30

Courtesy of KPOS and Caprock Rambler

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1370 ON YOUR DIAL

## Sam Saleh elected special judge

Sam Saleh, Lamesa attorney, has been elected as special district judge of the Garza County district court to serve during the convalescence of District Judge Truett Smith who was injured two weeks ago in a car accident in Taboka.

Saleh was the unanimous choice

## Court of Honor held by Scouts

Advancement awards and merit badges were presented several members of Troop 316 at a Boy Scout Court of Honor held Monday night in the Postex Mills party room.

Scoutmaster Hoyt Thomas presented the Star award to Jim Hutchins and merit badges to Kenneth Mitchell and Larry and Jim Hutchins.

First Class awards were presented by David Newby to Larry Hutchins and Bobby Hodges.

Assistant Scoutmaster Ronnie Morris presented the Second Class award to John David Gist.

Jack Klyant, also an assistant scoutmaster, inducted the Tenderfoot scouts and presented their awards. They were: Dempsey Zachary, Craig Simpson, Dewayne Morris, Donald Steizer, Billy Dixon and Richard Dudley.

Singles of the Comanche Trail District camporee held at White River Lake were shown.

## Deceased mare is named as winner

The Macy Ranch's Quarter Horse show mare, Sharla Jay, which died Nov. 20 of a diaphragmatic hernia, has been named by the Quarter Horse Association of West Texas as the winner of two high point awards.

The two-year-old mare was named as high point individual at halter and also as high point mare at halter.

Bob Macy said he will attend the annual banquet of the Quarter Horse Association of West Texas on Jan. 2 to receive the awards won by the mare.

## SCS awards to Welch, McQuien

Walter McQuien and Ralph Welch were named as the recipients of the outstanding farmer and rancher plaques, respectively, at the annual Christmas dinner of the Garza County board of the Soil Conservation Service, held Saturday night at the Graham community center.

The joy occasion of the roads reduced attendance at the dinner by about one-third, according to Mrs. Bobby Cowdrey, board secretary.

Welch, who is in his fifth year as a member of the county SCS board, was present to receive his plaque. McQuien was unable to attend, but will be presented his award at the board's regular January meeting.

The outstanding farmer and rancher plaques were donated by the First National Bank.

Wayne Williams, chairman, and Jimmy Bird, member of the board, were named as recipients of five-year board membership pins, but neither was present at the dinner to receive his award.

The program included a film on soil and water conservation, shown by Bailey Mayo, work unit supervisor for the Garza County Soil Conservation District.

of five attorneys practicing before the court in an election held here last week with Tom Gamblin presiding over the election as chairman.

He will serve until Judge Smith returns or until the expiration of the present term of district court March 3, 1968.

Judge Saleh held a special sitting here Tuesday on non-jury matters.

Special district judges were elected in each of the four counties of Judge Smith's judicial district with a different judge in each county, it was reported to The Dispatch.

## Doe teams win two tilts from Cotton Center

The Post High School girls' basketball teams won a pair of games at Cotton Center Tuesday night, the Does triumphing by a score of 58 to 55, and the Doe "B" team, 27 to 23.

The Does were never in trouble, jumping out to a 22-13 first quarter lead, upping it to 52-24 at the half, and sailing out in front by 68-38 at the end of the third period.

Two Does who didn't start, Karen Lee and Benita Noble grabbed scoring honors for their team. Karen hitting 26 points and Benita, 24. Sharon Windham scored 17. Sharon Windham, 13, and Sherry Bird, six.

The starting guards were Theresa Sims, Kay Altman and Nancy Harr, with Debby Hays, Glen Ann Butler and Pam Petty also seeing action.

In the "B" team game, Post led 8-4 at the end of the first quarter, 18-8 at the halftime intermission and 22-16 going into the fourth quarter.

Brenda Lee's 10 points was tops for Post, with Sharyn Bilberry hitting nine, Kathy Jones, four, and Jan Wilks and Kay Herron, two each.

Susan Valder also played at a forward position, and the guards were Sandy Dixon, Martha Walls, Linda Josey, Nina Young, Janet Ray, Brenda Steizer, Jane Johnston and Kay Hundley.

## Homes at Stanton opened to cagers

Stanton hospitality was at its best during last weekend's basketball tournament there, as a 59 member of the Post Antelope squad can tell you.

With the inclement weather, which led over highways, keeping many of the teams from making it back to their home bases, Stanton folks threw open their homes to the members of the various teams, including the 12 members of the Post Antelope squad.

Most of the team members in the tournament were given two nights of shelter by the Stanton folks.

Glynn Gregg, Post High School athletic director, said the Stanton people not only made the basketball players welcome in their homes, but in many cases took them to and from the gymnasium for their games.

Coach Gregg also said he had received word that the Stanton folks who "put up" the Post boys were highly complimentary of their behavior. "And that makes us feel real good," the coach said.

Letters thanking the Stanton people for their hospitality have been mailed by School Supt. Bill Shiver and Basketball Coach Wilbert Bigott.

## The Old Timer



"There's one thing to be said for a good education: it enables us to worry about things all over the world."

## Registration of voters hits 863

With only a little more than a month to go, there still are 1,000 or more Garza County residents who have not registered to vote in the 1968 elections, Tax Assessor-Collector T. H. Tipton said today.

Voter registrations through yesterday totaled 963, according to records at the tax office.

"If the estimate of 1,000 who have not yet registered seems high, it must be remembered that under the new election law, everyone is required to register before they can vote in 1968," Mr. Tipton said.

Up until this year, those 60 years of age and over were not required to register at the tax office.

Mr. Tipton said he has forms available for those wishing to apply for their registration certificates by mail.

Jan. 31, 1968, is the last day of voter registration for the coming year.

## Wildcat try on D. C. Hill ranch

D. C. (Billy) Hill will start drilling a Glorietta wildcat on the D. C. Hill Ranch, 35 miles east of Post, right after the Christmas weekend.

Cole and Smith Drilling Co. of Post and Colorado City will drill the 2,500 foot test which is five or six miles from the nearest production.

The D. C. Hill No. 1-55 is located 2,931 feet from the east line and 2,267 feet from the south line of Section 58, Block 2, T&N R Survey.

## Rites held for former resident of Southland

Funeral services for Paul Edwin Johnson, 45, a native of Southland, who died Friday, were held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Ralls, with the Rev. L. B. Stallings, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Ralls cemetery.

Mr. Johnson moved to Ralls in 1927 and farmed south of town. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. M. and Mrs. Lester Johnson of Ralls; a daughter, Mrs. Paula Hutton of Denton, and a sister, Mrs. Oma Thomas of Irving.

## NAVYMAN HOME

Airman Recruit J. O. Smith arrived home via plane at 3 a. m. Wednesday morning to spend the Christmas holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Smith, and sister, Terry J. O., a 1967 graduate of Post High School, enlisted in the Navy in the fall and is in the middle of boot training at San Diego, Calif.

## SLATON 77, BROWNFIELD 65

The District 4AA Slaton Tigers continued to roll Tuesday night with a 77-65 win over the Brownfield Cubs behind Richard Washington's 29-point performance. Slaton's record now stands at 14-2. Slaton also win the "B" team game, 46-40.

## Postings—

(Continued From Front Page) Dispatch and the Co is the Dispatch's Christmas window which Mrs. C always produces — along with the Nativity Scene in the C carport on Christmas Eve.

She likes something different every year. For our 1967 Christmas window she and Susan, our home-from-college daughter, spent an evening this week baking Christmas cookies and erected a Christmas mobile in the window decorated with the brightly colored cookies of various designs. Stop by and take a look.

Frank Blanton today at Post Pharmacy is launching a big surplus stock liquidation sale and is taking a full page on page 15 of today's Dispatch to tell you all about it, including "mystery packages", \$400 in prizes, and a host of bargain prices.

## THE MIGHTY MIDDLE



TODAY HUNDREDS OF BLIND PEOPLE ARE ACTIVELY PARTICIPATING IN A FULL COMMUNITY LIFE. THE AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR THE BLIND, LOCATED IN NEW YORK CITY, SAYS SIGHTLESS PERSONS CAN PERFORM MANY JOBS WITHOUT SPECIAL EQUIPMENT -- AND THEY ARE EMPLOYED IN OFFICES AND SERVICE INSTITUTIONS ALL OVER THE COUNTRY.

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# CHRISTMAS

## GIFT EVENT

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• All Wool  
• Silk-Wool  
• Regulars & Longs



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**Men's Jockey**  
BRIEFS 1.25 to 1.50  
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Never Need Ironing  
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Sizes 36 to 46  
Longs & Regs.  
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A Good Selection  
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**SPECIAL Men's Nylon STRETCH SOCKS**  
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Beautiful **Bedspreads**  
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**Martins**



# Santa's mail proves he's still 'in' with kids

**Dear Santa:**  
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me Drowsy Doll, a bicycle and an educational toy; also some new clothes. Love,  
Karla Kay Scrivner

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I am seven years old and in the second grade. I would like an electric football game, blackboard, and gun. I would like some fruit and nuts in my stocking. Remember the other boys and girls.  
Love,  
Donnie Clary

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I am four years old and have tried to be a good boy. I want an army suit and army gun. Fill my stocking with nuts and fruit.  
Love,  
Ronnie Clary

**Dear Santa:**  
I want a Stingray bike and a race track and a truck. That's all I want. And you are nice, Santa. Your friend,  
Danny Gonzales

**Dear Santa:**  
I am nine years old, but will be 10 years old Jan. 13. I have everything in the world except Incredible Edibles and a bedspread, Creepy Crawlers and an Operation Game. And please bring me what I want. Love,  
Cecilia Cade

**Dear Santa:**  
I am five years old. I would like to have a truck, car and a pogo stick.  
Kirk Stevens

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I have been a very good boy. I would like a dump truck, teddy bear and a play mustang car. I love you, Santa Claus.  
Robbie Williams

**Hello Santa:**  
I live at Midland but will be in Post for Christmas. I'm just 22 months old, so just ask Granddad what I want, and I'm pretty sure I'll get it. Don't forget my uncles, B. A. and Arlon, and all the little boys and girls. See you Christmas. Love,  
Jeff Stucup

**Dear Santa:**  
I am four years old and have been a good girl and a big help. I would like a doll and a Big Burger Grill and something for my little brother, Rodney. Remember all the other boys and girls. I'll have some pineapple drink and cookies for you. Love,  
Donna George  
Canyon, Texas

**SCIENTIFIC FACTS... by THOMPSON**

**THE PRINCIPLE OF THE VACUUM BOTTLE**  
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Lea Ann Babb

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I would like a doctor set, a Mother Goose puzzle, a stuffed turtle, a slide, a road race set, some play - doh and a cash register, please.  
Terry Carter

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I would like to have a tea set, Baby Say-n-See, Easy bake oven and stuff, doll clothes and a pink stuffed puppy.  
Love,  
Missy

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
How are you? We are fine. Terry and I have been very good boys and we hope you come to visit us this year. Thank you for the fire truck and crane and the rest you brought us last Christmas. This year Terry wants a flashlight, a big tricycle, a Tommy turtle, some fruit and candy and a GI Joe doll. I want a gun with a knife on it, fruit and candy, a bicycle, and a cash register. We will watch for you Christmas Eve. Love,  
Lance and Terry Trent

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I like Santa Claus. I want a toy. You are good to me. I want a dog.  
Rita Varela

**Dear Santa:**  
It is Christmas - time and I want a ball and bat and some cleats. And to see Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer and a BB gun too. In our room we have an aluminum tree. Some balls have our names, some do not.  
Your friend,  
Buddy Britton

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I want a present for Christmas. But the present I want is a play toy. And some dresses for my mother, and a Christmas tree.  
Martha Morales

**Dear Santa:**  
I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a bicycle for Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Nora Valdez

**Dear Santa:**  
I wish you would bring me a truck and some toys. And a big play dog and a policeman car and some horses and some cowboys.  
Your friend,  
Sammy Torres

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I am two years old. I would like an army set, army gun and anything else you would like to bring me. Fill my stocking with nuts and fruit. Remember my little cousin, Shanna. Love,  
David Clary

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
Santa, do you know that you are the best jolly old man. On Christmas, Santa, loads up his sleigh. Every night on Christmas Santa brings me toys. I would like a doll.  
Your friend,  
Brenda Weaver

**Dear Santa:**  
I want some clothes and a pretty little doll but we don't have a chimney but my aunt does have one. And one more thing, I hope you have a good time riding your reindeer. Goodbye, Santa.  
Margie Perez

To you and yours, the peace and joy of Christmas with sincere best wishes from us.

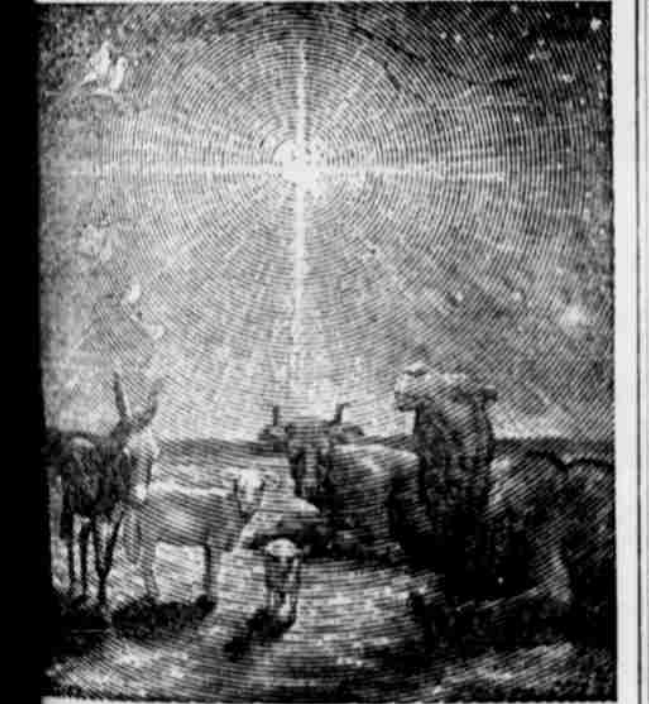


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Your friend,  
Isela Rosas

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
We are going to have a Christmas party at school Dec. 21 at 2 o'clock. Now we have got our teacher presents for Christmas. What I would like for Christmas is some dresses and pants.  
Your friend,  
Pamela Britton

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I want an electric guitar and a walkie talkie and some games and that's all and goodbye Santa and the elves. Your friend,  
Joe Black

**Dear Santa:**  
I want a bicycle for Christmas because I like to ride. I had rather had a bicycle than a doll so maybe next year than this one. So I have to go now.  
Your friend,  
Mary McCullough

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I would like a truck with a crane, a pink stuffed poodle, some red pajamas, a doctor's set and some play tools. I would also like a rifle, please.  
Timmy Carter

**Greetings...** We extend our sincerest holiday greetings to all our cherished patrons and friends... And in these greetings, we include our heartfelt appreciation of your loyalty and good will. A Joyous Christmas to all.

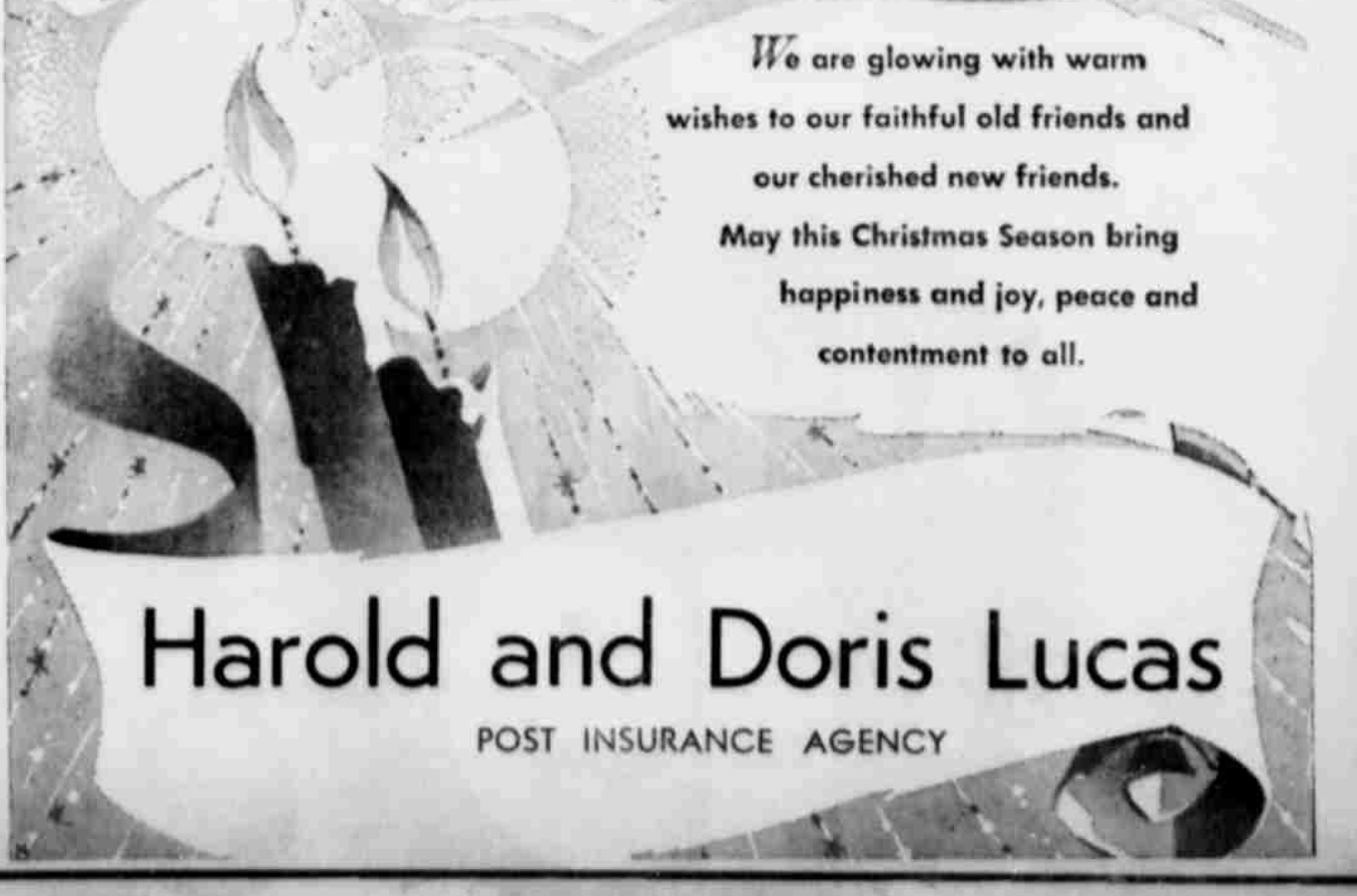


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Your friend,  
Lee Saldivar

Dear St. Nicholas,  
We enjoyed the presents you brought us last year. How is Rudolph? This Christmas my sister Phyllis wants a Close 'n' Play record player and a Cheerful Tearful doll. My brother Larry wants a rocking horse and a Say 'n' See Mr. Music Says. I want a racetrack and 4 cars and a Junior Walkie Talkie Signal Case. Tell all the reindeer hi for us.  
Sincerely,  
Terry, Phyllis and Larry Harden

Dear Santa,  
I want a Johnny Astro, a twenty two, a bicycle, a transistor radio, a racetrack, and a Star Trek gun. And I want a little monkey.  
Your friend,  
Mark Moriarty

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I work hard that really cooks. Love,  
Penny Shedd

Dear Santa,  
I am a little nine year old girl that is very fond of you. For Christmas I would like a string ray bicycle, and a twist and turn Barbie, and twist and turn Frances. Well that's all.  
Yours truly,  
Cathy Ann Howell

Dear Santa,  
I want a guitar and an electric football game and a stung ray bicycle.  
Your friend,  
David McBride

Dear Santa,  
I would like a gown, robe, and house shoes. And a fun flower set. And if you have them, I would like some fishnet hose.  
Your friend,  
Donna Gayle Josey

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good boy this year. And I want a parakeet and a set of sparklet paints. I also want a Creepy Crawlers, and the game called: Go to the Head of the Class.  
David Morrow

Dear Santa Claus:  
Will you bring me a doll? I like to pay with dolls. Thanks.  
Helen Taylor

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Dear Santa:  
I am 18 months old and have been a very good little boy. My name is Jeff and I have a little baby brother that is one month old, named Brad.

For Christmas I would like to have a Marvel the Mustang horse. Brad would like to have a rattle to chew on. We would like a surprise and some fruit in our Christmas stockings. Mama Jose made for us. We live in Lubbock but will be in Post at Mama Jose and Gandy's house for Christmas. We love you.  
Jeff and Brad Sharp

Dear Santa:  
I am four years old and have been a very good boy. My name is Kiri.

For Christmas I would like to have a swing set with a slide. Please leave me a surprise and some fruit in my Christmas stockings. Mama Jose made for me. It is hung on Mama Jose and Gandy's house. Love,  
Kiri Robinson

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a dolly with a mattress. My sister, Julie, wants a sit-down doll buggy. I have my Christmas tree. The lights are on it. Merry Christmas. I will put some cookies and milk out for you. I have my stockings up. Are any of your reindeer lost? I love you, Santa.  
Kayla

Dear Santa:  
I'm almost five this year and have been fairly good. Please bring me a punching clown and some Lincoln Logs. Also some candy and fruit. Don't forget the other boys and girls. Thank you.  
David Miller  
Big Spring, Tex.

Dear Santa:  
I'm in the second grade this year and would like to have a bike to ride to school. Also an Eich-a-Sketch and some candy and nuts. Thank you for the presents I ask for.  
Love,  
Tim Miller  
Big Spring, Tex.

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a BB gun and some high rise handle bars. I would like some candy and fruit, too. Thank you.  
Scott Miller  
Big Spring, Tex.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a knitting machine or cowboy boots or roller skates. My house is at 3442 Spanish Trail in Abilene, Tex. It snowed down here and I made a snowman. We are making Christmas decorations. Tell your elves Merry Christmas. We have a Christmas tree. I can't wait for Christmas. I love you.  
Terry Payne  
Abilene, Tex.

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a Baby Pre-quest, doll bed, dishes and Barbie's wig. Remember everyone else. Thank you. Love,  
Kallie Byrd  
Claremont, Tex.

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me a blue pickup, an adding machine, and a shirt with a zipper and a new rifle. Please remember all the other little boys and girls. Also some Silly Sand. Love,  
Jay Young

Dear Santa:  
I've been as good as I can be. Please bring me a trailer and tractor, a pickup, some new boots and some blue Levis. Bring lots of toys to all the little boys and girls. Love,  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a bike and a baby crawl along and a doll named Giggles and a Twist-n-Turn Barbie. I will play with them every day. Please let me have them.  
Donna Rose

Dear Santa,  
I want an electric football set. And I want a drum too. I want a set of Army men. I would like a BB gun that shoots smoke. I've been a good boy.  
Robert Dale Gregg

Dear Santa:  
I want a Tiger Tank that climbs bridges and a racing set with two chaparrals and a Stingray bike best of all. I love you.  
Kelly Mason

Dear Santa:  
How is it going at the North Pole? I have been a good boy, and I would like to have a Johnny Astro. Love,  
Jerry Don Sinclair  
Rt. 2, Abernathy

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am six years old and will start school next year. I have been a good girl — just ask Mommy and Daddy. Please bring me a low-tired bicycle, a doll that cries and smiles and one that sticks out her tongue when you mash her stomach, a Suzy Homemaker oven and electric iron and ironing board, Incredible Edibles, Creepy Crawler set, washer and dryer, new records by the Monkees, and I guess that is all.  
I love you, Santa  
Cristal Dawn Didway

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a tea set, Baby Say-n-See, Easy bake oven, doll clothes and pink stuffed poodle, please.  
Love,  
Shari Carter

Dear Santa:  
We would like a kitchen stove, refrigerator, and sink, some cars, an abacus, some dolls and Jungle book, and candy in our stockings. Lena is five years old and Dana is three. We are going to make some cookies and if you are good we will leave you some.  
We love you and Mrs. Santa, too.  
Lana and Dana Hodges

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a road grader, tractor and airplane, and a truck 200 feet long! Thank you for the toys you brought me last year.  
Love,  
Eric Cravy—age 4

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Amen.



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# Does win second place in Stanton's cage tournament

Sharon King's Post Does led the Stanton Tourney championship Saturday afternoon as they lost to the host team in the quarter final game.

The third quarter practically decided the issue, with Post falling behind by 19 points when they scored only five to Stanton's 24 to give their opponents a 53-32 lead going into the final period of play.

# Junior High girls in one, lose one

Junior High girls' basketball teams divided a pair of games at O'Donnell Monday.

Stanton won 12-10, while the host team lost 14-13, in the first game.

# Grade boys O'Donnell

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# Christmas Wish



Warmest greetings at the holiday time! May this be the most joyous of Yuletide seasons for you and yours.

**THE SEASON'S GREETINGS**

With you a holiday as festive as the season's gay sights and sounds. A merry, merry Christmas to you and your dear ones.

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# Post loses to Carver in tournament play

District 4AA teams Post and Midland Carver met for the consolation championship of the Stanton Basketball Tournament Saturday.

The flashy Midland Carver team, led by Carver's star player, which went on to win the tournament, led Post 23-13 at the end of the first quarter, 43-33 at the half and 60-43 at the end of the third quarter.

Dennis Altman was Post's top scorer with 17 points for his best scoring night thus far this season.

Bird, seven, with Karen Lee and Benita Noble also seeing action at the forward positions.

The Post guards were Vicki Martin, Kay Altman, Nancy Hart and Debby Hays.

High scorer for Stanton was Harrell, with 31 points.

The Does had reached the finals by defeating Robert Lee, 47-43, in a first round game Thursday and then racing past the Stanton "B" team, 65-51, in their semi-finals match Friday.

Karon Windham scored 24 points for Post, with Sharon Windham hitting 10; Karen Lee, seven; Sherry Bird, four, and Benita Noble, two. Seeing action at guard were Martin, Altman, Hart, Hays, Teresa Sims, Glen Ann Barley and Pam Petty.

Post led 18-10 at the end of the first quarter, 34-22 at halftime and 41-33 going into the fourth quarter.

Against the Stanton "B" team Friday, the Does held only a 14-13 lead at the end of the first period, but were out in front 33-25 at the half and 51-34 at the end of the third period.

Karon and Sharon Windham each scored 17 points for Post, with Sherry Bird hitting 16; Karen Lee, eight, and Benita Noble, seven. Martin, Altman, Hart and Hays went all the way at the guard positions.

# Southland splits Dawson contests

Southland and Dawson high school basketball teams divided a pair of contests Tuesday night, the Southland girls winning their game, but the boys losing.

The boys' game was decided in overtime, with Dawson winning, 64-60. Bill Bevers scored 26 points for the losers.

The Southland girls win by a score of 72-63, with Polly Martin hitting 38 points for the winners.

# Class AA title won by Plano

Plano won the state Class AA football championship by downing San Antonio Randolph, 28-7, at Waco Saturday night.

Tidehaven edged Clifton, 7 to 6, Friday night to cap the Class A championship.

Austin Reagan pulled one of the biggest upsets in the history of the playoffs to defeat Abilene Cooper, 20-19, for the Class AAAA crown.

In Class AAA, Brownwood rolled over El Campo, 36-12, for the championship.

# Gail girls win over Tahoka as boys lose

The Gail girls won, but the boys lost Tuesday night in games with Tahoka.

Debbie Williams scored 20 points in the Gail girls' victory, with Sherry Schneider hitting the same total for Tahoka. The score was Gail 65, Tahoka 41.

Tahoka triumphed 65-57 in the boys' game, with Doyle Schneider getting 22 points for the winners, and Ab Hendley notching 20 for Gail.

The Tahoka "B" team boys won, 43-20.

# FRENSHIP BREAKS EVEN

The Franship girls won, 44-42, but the boys lost, 49-41, in games at Sundown Monday night. Donna Howard hit 25 points for Franship in the girls' game, while Ricky Morris scored 14 for the Franship boys. Franship won the boys' "B" team game, 53-29.

# MORTON 91, MEADOW 55

The Morton Indians of District 4AA defeated Meadow, 91-55, Monday night for their 12th win in 16 starts. Byron Willis, 6-1 junior, scored 32 points for the Indians, with Rusty Rowden hitting 25. Morton won the "B" team game, 67-36.

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# Andrews Mustangs beat 'Lopes here, 76 to 55

Class AAA Andrews, down 19-15 at the end of the first quarter, roared back to defeat the Post Antelopes, 76-55, here Monday night in the final cage action for Coach Wilbert Bigott's Post team until after the holidays.

Andrews ran away with the "B" team game, 88-29.

Four buckets from the field and a free throw by Norman Tanner, two fielders each by Nick Pantoja and Ray Altman and one by Dennis Altman forged the Antelopes into a 19-15 first quarter lead over the visitors. It was short-lived, however, with the Mustangs hitting 31 points in the second period to Post's 12 to lead 46-31 at halftime.

Andrews upped its lead by 14 more points in the third period, outscoring the Antelopes 23-9, but turned the action over to reserves in the final period, when the 'Lopes outscored the Mustangs, 15-7.

Tanner took scoring honors with a total of 30 points. Dennis and Ray Altman, each with 10, also hit in double figures for the losers. Pearson's 20 points paced the Andrews offense.

In the "B" team game, Andrews led 20-8 at the end of the first quarter, 42-16 at the halftime intermission and 63-24 going into the fourth quarter.

Butch Heaton was high point man for the Post "B" team with 12. Dennis Dodson scored five points; Boyd Noble and Jay Bird, four apiece, and George Torres and Larry Don Johnson, two apiece.

The scoring summary of the varsity game:  
ANDREWS — Laminack 4 1 9; Neiman 0 2 2; Bader 6 1 13; Haynes 2 1 5; Rogers 5 0 10; Pearson 7 6 20; Hatcher 3 0 6; Sharbutt 3 1 7; Leach 2 0 4; Totals 32 12 76.  
POST — Tanner 12 6 30; D. Altman 3 4 10; Pantoja 2 0 4; Altman 5 0 10; Harper 0 0 0; Pollard 0 0 0; Walker 0 0 1. Totals 22 11 55.

# SLATON GIRLS WIN

Slaton girls' basketball teams swept three games from Muleshoe at Slaton Monday night. The varsity won, 56-39, behind Marilyn Davis' 30 points. The Slaton "B" team won, 44-35, and the freshman girls, 46-23.

Merry Christmas to All

A special greeting is coming your way... our sincere wishes for holiday happiness and joy throughout the season.

**WRIGHT'S TEXACO SERVICE**  
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# Stanton quintet falls to Andrews, 85 to 71

The Andrews Mustangs, who downed the Post Antelopes here Monday night, chucked up a win Tuesday night over another District 4AA team, the Stanton Buffaloes.

The Mustangs defeated the Buffaloes, 85-71, with Mark Baber getting 23 points for the winners and David Jones 25 for the losers.

Andrews also win the "B" team game, 66-47.

SLATON 78, SEAGRAVES 55  
Richard Washington scored 27 points Monday night to lead the Slaton Tigers of District 4AA past Seagraves, 78-55, on the Eagles' court. Slaton is now 13-2 for the season. Seagraves captured the "B" team contest, 55-48.

# Precision Maintenance Program being offered U. S. Army recruits

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# TOURNEY CANCELLED

Last weekend's Wilson Basketball Tournament, in which the Post Antelope and Doe "B" teams were to have participated, was cancelled because of bad weather.

**The Old Timer**

"The best salesman is the one who knows how to miss a six foot putt by one inch."

**WARMEST GREETINGS**

May the holidays find you at the height of happiness, in the best of health... rich in friendships.

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**Season's GREETINGS TO ALL**

We sincerely hope that this Christmas rings in a new era of peace and good will for all the world and much good fortune and joy for you and your family.

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# Letters flow to Santa's place



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With genuine appreciation of our pleasant relations, we extend to all our friends the Season's Greetings. We wish you all the holiday joys with an abundance of good health.

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Best wishes for the happiest of holiday seasons.

Our sincere gratitude for the privilege of serving you.

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May the joyous spirit of the season lift your heart... brighten your life... and be with you for a long time to come.

**DR. B. E. YOUNG**

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike because I just had a little one. And I want a Honeyball doll. And a Lucky Locket Kiddle.  
Love,  
Sherri Gschwend

Dear Santa,  
I want a stingray bike and basket. I love you.  
Jim Hays

Dear Santa,  
I wish I had a pellet gun and a cat. Can you get it? I hope you can get it for me. If you can't, well that's all right anyway because I want this. I like pellet guns and I like cats too.  
Love,  
Evans Heaton

Dear Santa,  
I want a Baby Hungry. And it better be a good one. I want it because it chews.  
Love,  
Peggy Jackson

Dear Santa,  
I want some socks and I want a Major Matt Mason, and I want a Football set and a stingray bike, and a little reindeer, and a tape recorder, and a watch that can go on your arm.  
Kohen Josey

Dear Santa,  
I want a baby crawl along. I want a stingray bike too. I want a rat-fishnet hose too. I want a shoulder strap purse too. And I want a camera, because I have been a good girl all year.  
Love,  
Linda Richardson

Dear Santa,  
I want a Baby Hungry and a twist-turn Barbie. I want the Baby Hungry to play-doll with and I will love her like a real baby. I want the Twist-turn Barbie to play Barbie with. I will play with her every day.  
Love,  
Kelly Mitchell

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a bike and two guns. I have been a good boy. I wish I had a bat. We wish for you to come and come with Rudolph and have a surprise for my mother and father.  
Ernest Bustoz

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want an Incredible Edible set and a Thingmaker because they taste good and my mother doesn't like them.  
Becky

Dear Santa Claus,  
I ought to punch you right in the ho-ho-ho for not bringing me what I asked for last Christmas.  
Willie Tell

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a ball and a cat and a good pet and a bike. I want this because I am a good boy.  
Mark

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a bike for Christmas. Will you give me one? Last year I got what I wanted. Last year I got a BB gun. That is what I wanted. So this year will you get me a bike? Christmas Eve bring it to Grandmother's house.  
Steven Shedd

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been a good girl. I want a bike and a Susy Homemaker oven and a jump rope and some dishes and some dress-up clothes and some play furniture and some skates and a play Christmas tree and a play house and a ball and a doll and a play car and a purse and a baton.  
Peggy Howell

Dear Santa:  
I love you. I want a little Kittle and a Susy Homemaker oven and a Baby Fussy. And if you have them, some fish net hose. Love,  
Terry Teresa Smith

Dear Santa,  
I want a ball and a doll. I want a typewriter and a blue gown. I want a big book and a desk. I want a big stuffed Santa and a big stuffed dog.  
Karla Kay Peppers

Dear Santa:  
I want a Super City and a .410 gun and a typewriter and a road racing set and a bunk bed.  
Shelby Lee Barley

Dear Santa:  
I want a baton and a Susie Homemaker oven and a doll. I don't think I should have the toys because I hardly ever clean my room, but Mrs. Robbins told us to tell you what we want.  
Diane Hinson

Dear Santa:  
I want a football and a GI Joe and a shotgun and a Johnny Express and a Johnny Eagle and a football suit.  
Rodney J. Gray

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a Red River and a story book and a boat and a kitten and a sled and stocking.  
Steve Davis

Dear Santa,  
I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a bike, chaps. Love,  
Jack Moore

Dear Santa:  
I want a football suit, and football. And an Incredible Edible. I am a good boy.  
Ronnie Lee Morris

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a Baby Say and See and a tea set. Thank you. Love,  
Shari Carter

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a record player and a walkie-talkie. Thank you. Love,  
Sherri Morris

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a walkie-talkie and a bicycle. Thank you. Love,  
Britt Dockery

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a walking doll and a Baby Hungry. Thank you. Love,  
Renee Claborn

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a Miss Pussy doll in the middle size and a bay bed with a pillow and a blanket. Thank you. Love,  
Larisa Shiver

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a dump truck and a road grader. Love, and thank you.  
Daniel Yarbro

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a doll and a doll bed. Thank you. Love,  
Melinda Tatum

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a gun and a telescope. Thank you. Love,  
Kelly Bauman

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a football suit and a Creepy Crawler set. Thank you. Love,  
Dale Redman

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a set of checkers and a smash set. Thank you. Love,  
Roberta Young

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a Baby Magic and a walking doll. Thank you. Love,  
Debra Redman

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me an electric train and a set of drums. Thank you. Love,  
Randy Ammons

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me an Easy Bake and a Francie. Thank you. Love,  
Jarita Norman

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a Miss Fussy and a cradle. Thank you. Love,  
Karen Robinson

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a walkie-talkie and a bike. Thank you. Love,  
James Mike Dye

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a machine gun and some walkie-talkies. Thank you. Love,  
Kurt Chapman

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a Tussy and a doll. Thank you. Love,  
Debbie Tyler

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a donkey and two guns. Thank you. Love,  
Shawn Scott

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good. Please bring me a walking doll and a buggy. Thank you. Love,  
Elisabeth Usery

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a bike, dishes and purse. Love,  
Ethel Hall

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a doll and a transistor radio. Love,  
Nita Jo Gunn

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a bike, BB gun and space suit. Love,  
Greg Lee

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. We wish you a Merry Christmas. I want a bike and Snakes Alive. Love,  
Byron Gray

Dear Santa:  
I hope you have a Merry Christmas, and bring me a big bear and a bus. Your friend,  
Ricky Sanchez

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am writing a few lines, Santa Claus, to let you know I am thinking about you. I want earrings. Your friend,  
Alma Yanez

Dear Santa:  
Will you bring me a play doll and toys for my sister and brother? And that is all, Santa. Your friend,  
Lydia Gutierrez

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want to go to your house on Christmas and give you a present and your wife, too. Your friend,  
Helen Perez



Here's hoping Santa and the holiday season bring you all you're wishing for.

**Ken's Mobil Service**  
KEN CALLAWAY

Dear Santa,  
I would like you to bring me a map, broom, and dustpan. And I would like a record player and most of all a bicycle. P. S. I would like you to bring me nice candy. Good-by,  
Susan Gary



**JOY AT CHRISTMAS**  
May peace and joy fill your heart at this happy Christmas season.  
**Harold Williams**



**Best Wishes**  
Greetings of the season from all of us to all of you!  
**ROCKET MOTEL**  
Mr. & Mrs. R. C. Bullock



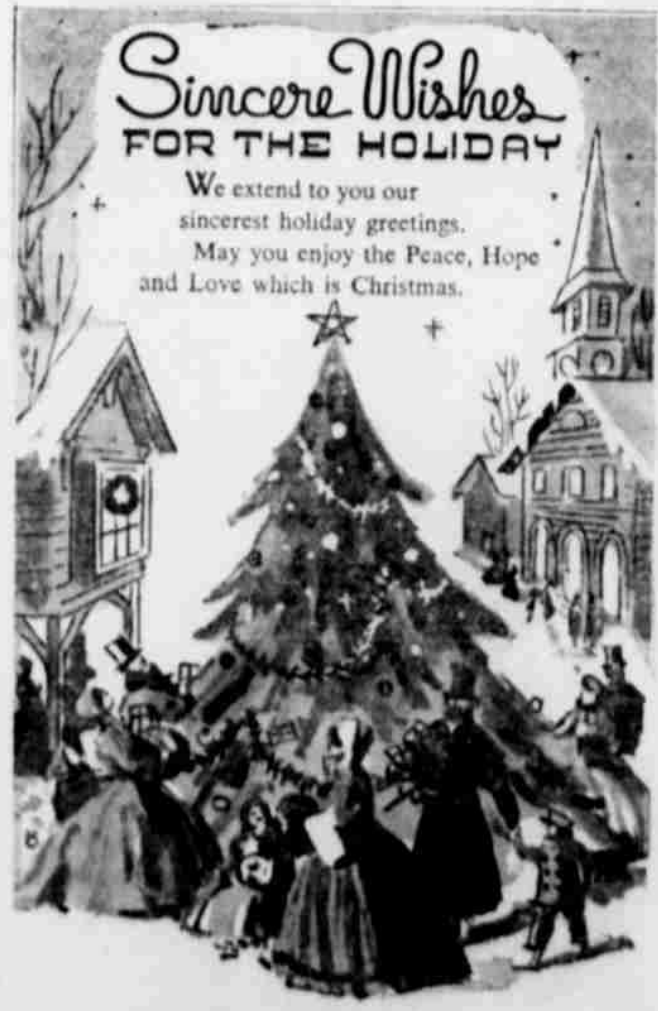
**Merry Christmas**  
All our best wishes to you and your family. Have a Christmas as merry and bright as the ornaments on your glittering tree.  
**ROCKER A WELL SERVICE**

## Christmas Closing NOTICE

In accordance with the requirements of the state liquor control law, the below signed Post liquor stores will be closed:

**CHRISTMAS DAY  
DEC. 25, 1967**

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**Sincere Wishes FOR THE HOLIDAY**  
We extend to you our sincerest holiday greetings. May you enjoy the Peace, Hope and Love which is Christmas.

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# Merry Christmas



Here's our cheery greeting for a Happy Holiday... wishes that great Yule joy may come your way.

**POST Auto Supply**  
NOAH AND DAVE

## 'Bonnie and Clyde' is now showing at Tower Theatre

"Bonnie and Clyde," now showing through Saturday at the Tower Theatre, revives the Depression-ridden Southwest of the 1930's. It was the time when bank-robbing Clyde Barrow and his cigar-smoking sweetheart, Bonnie Parker, held sheriffs and bank-tellers in terror and frequently captured headlines with their daring, reckless and often pointless crimes.

The motion picture stars Warren Beatty and Faye Dunaway in the title roles. Other cast members include Michael J. Pollard as C. W. Moss, the driver for the Barrow gang; Gene Hackman as Clyde's brother, Buck; Estelle Parsons as Buck's wife, Blanche; and Denver Pyle as the sheriff who hunted down Bonnie and Clyde in an obscure wood in Arcadia, La., on May 23, 1934.

The "Bonnie and Clyde" unit spent 10 weeks in northeast Texas, in and around a series of small towns near Dallas—Rowlett, Maypearl, Venus, Ponder, Pilot Point, Garland, among them — which had been visited by the Barrow gang for their raids on banks, grocery stores and gasoline stations. The small communities had remained almost unchanged since the early 1930's. In Texas, the area is still called "Clyde Barrow Country."

**HOME FOR HOLIDAYS**  
James Green, a student at Thompson Memorial College, at Cleveland, Tenn., is here for a holiday visit with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Green. The Greens' daughters, Lois, a teacher at Lawton, Okla., is expected for the weekend Christmas holiday.

**HOME FOR CHRISTMAS**  
Miss Marcia Newby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David N. Newby, is at home for the Christmas vacation. Miss Newby is a member of the freshman class at Bradford Junior College, Bradford, Mass.

## Christmas program is held at Justiceburg

By FRAN McWHIRT

Boy we really got a taste of winter last week. According to the weatherman all indications point to a white Christmas I believe I prefer sunshine any time.

Sunday night we had our annual Christmas program and tree gotten up by none other than Mrs. E. C. Franklin. "Come to the Light" was the theme and it was presented by Jenny Miller, Dan and Robert McWhirt, Bruce Reed and Tommy Reed. Others on the program were Nona Forrest, Mrs. Raymon Key and Brother Leslie Welch. Christmas carols were sung by the congregation. Gifts were exchanged and bags of fruit nuts and candy were given to all attending.

Miss Jenny Miller was honored at her home with a birthday supper Friday night. Those attending the supper were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McWhirt and sons and the honoree's parents and brother.

The Justiceburg School program presented by the school children and the tree was held Wednesday night at the school. Gifts were exchanged and Santa Claus was present. Afterwards refreshments of coffee, punch, cookies, and cake were served to everyone in the cafeteria.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Light of Post visited in the Weldon Reed Sunday afternoon. Sunday evening visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin were Mrs. Weldon Reed and the Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Welch. The Welches were also dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Parrish of Snyder visited the Douglas McWhirts Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Miller took Mrs. Clyde Miller to Snyder on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. James Brooks of Slaton visited his sister, Mrs. Jewell Reed and Luther Reed Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearl Nance and Mrs. C. R. Wilson attended the Farmers and Ranchers Cattle Auction sale last Thursday. Pearl said the trailer tried to lead the way coming home as it was so icy.

Douglas McWhirt returned home Thursday, of all days, after a few days at Albany hunting and visiting. It took him four hours to get home.

Mrs. Sid Cross, Micah and Lea Merrie, and Mrs. Cross's grandson, Sydney Clark Crader of Odesa, visited in the home of Mrs. George Duckworth and Mrs. Bud McLaurin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cole were Saturday night visitors in the Weldon Reed home.

Mrs. Bill Criswell of Post was a hostess of a bridge party a week ago Tuesday. Christmas theme was used. Luncheon was served to Mrs. Fernie Reed, Mason Justice, Douglas McWhirt, Riley Miller, Bud McLaurin, John Boren and James Minor. Mrs. Boren won high and Mrs. McLaurin was second high.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Lynn of Petersburg were weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Bud McLaurin and Mrs. George Duckworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bevers Jr. and family were in Snyder Saturday.

Arriving Tuesday from Lancaster, Calif., were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kiene and daughter to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Winnie Tuffing. They drove in snow and ice all the way.

Your correspondent would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. We are leaving for Arlington Saturday and will return home Jan. 1. So, I'm sorry there won't be any news next week. With your help, if you will leave your news at the store I will try to have a column the first week in January. Everyone be extremely careful driving during the holidays and may God bless each one of you.

## Garza breeder's herd enrolled in beef program

ST. JOSEPH, MO. —Kay Beach, a registered Angus Cattle breeder from near Post, Texas, has enrolled her herd in the American Angus Association's beef improvement program. The herd is scheduled to be classified in the near future by an official representative of the American Angus Association.

The program, called Angus Herd Improvement Records (AHIR), is designed to help cattlemen do a more professional job of breeding by measuring and recording the type, production and carcass producing qualities of his herd. All AHIR records are kept by the American Angus Association on a Honeywell 400 computer. These records are sent regularly on special forms to each Angus breeder enrolled in the AHIR program.

The official classifier will compare every animal in the herd against the ideal type Angus. Each integral part will be analyzed and a total score ranging down from an ideal of 100 points will be assigned to each heifer, cow and bull over one year of age.

When the classification is complete the American Angus Association's breed improvement department will compile a graph showing how the herd averaged on each part, such as feet and legs, head and neck, rump, loin, etc. A graph of each bull will also be made up on a transparent sheet of acetate. By placing the bull graph on top of the herd graph a breeder can quickly determine if his herd bulls can be expected to sire calves that are better on all points than the average of the herd.

## Air Force medal goes to Jackson

GREAT FALLS, Mont. — Master Sgt. Lawrence W. Jackson, whose mother, Mrs. Ella Dye, resides at 112 West Third St., Post, Tex., received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal during his retirement ceremony at Malmstrom AFB, Mont.

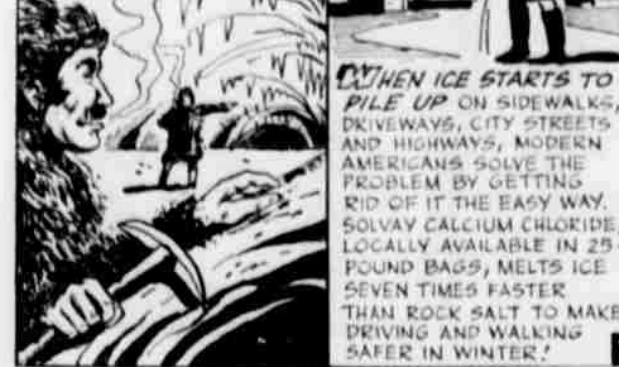
Sergeant Jackson was decorated for meritorious service as a missile maintenance technician at Malmstrom. He was cited for his outstanding professional skill, knowledge and leadership.

The sergeant, a veteran of 20 years, served during World War II and the Korean War.

A graduate of Post High School, he received an AA degree from Allen Hancock College, Santa Maria, Calif.

Sergeant Jackson's wife, Edna, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sparlin of 505 West Sixth, Post.

## FANCY THAT!..... by THOMPSON



## Library LISTENING POST

By ROSEMARY CHAPMAN

"The Tall Woman," a novel by Wilma Dykeman has been placed in the library by the WMU of the First Baptist Church. It is the story of Lydia McQueen, a woman of great determination and integrity, whose spirit was an inspiration to her family and friends through times of physical hardship, danger, and anxiety during and immediately after the Civil War.

Other recent book contributors are Larry Barton and Mrs. Merriweather Post of Washington, D. C.

Here's a fun little book for the Christmas season — "Children's Letters to Santa Claus" by Bill Adler. Mr. Adler has compiled the entries from the thousands of letters, postcards, scribbled notes, and Christmas cards sent each Dec. 25 to Santa Claus by young boys and girls throughout the United States. Read it if you have the chance — it only takes about ten hilarious minutes. A few favorites:

Dear Santa Claus:  
I went to a lot of stores and I saw a lot of Santas. I think there are a lot of fake Santas around using your name.  
Love,  
Marlene

Dear Santa Claus:  
My name is Robert. I am 6 years old. I want a rifle, a pistol, a machine gun, bullets, a hand grenade, dynamite, and tear gas. I am planning a surprise for my big brother.  
Your friend,  
Robert

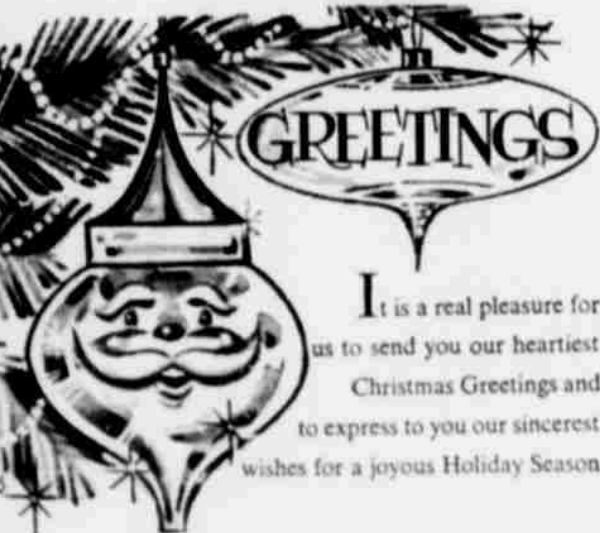
Hi Santa:  
Last year you didn't leave me anything so good. The year before last year you didn't leave me anything so good. This year is your last chance.  
Your friend,  
Alfred

Dear Santa:  
I'll bet a lot of creepy kids write to you. I am not a creepy kid. I am Bruce.  
Love,  
Bruce

Every Monday morning I go to the library. First I shake the bank on the counter (the one that people are supposed to put quarters in for the No. 4010 Book Display

Rack) and a few paper clips fall out. Then I walk over and shake the "Question and Suggestion Box" on the bookshelf and, if I'm lucky, I get a few more paper clips. This last Monday was different. Not better, just different. There WAS a note:  
Dear Rm:  
It's just that it makes me sad to see you shake the suggestion box and nothing falls out. I tried and tried to think of a suggestion — or a question? ? ? And I thought of lots but they had nothing to do with the library. Is that required? If not, here is my most pressing question — it keeps me awake at night — why don't I at least START my Christmas shopping?  
Your friend,  
Ruth Ann  
I have never liked Mondays.

HELP WANTED: Carolyn Breedlove has been our volunteer on Monday afternoons from 2 until 4 and Wednesday mornings from 9 until 12. Carolyn will be leaving us for school after the first of the year and she will certainly be difficult to replace. Anyone willing to try is asked to call Library Aides Chairman Mary Prather. We also need more substitutes if anyone would like to help but doesn't want to make a "steady" thing of it.



**POST WRECKING CO.**  
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# Season's Greetings

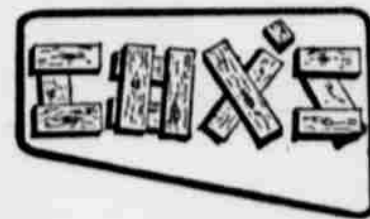
Happy holidays to you and yours! We send warm wishes by the heartfelt, with the hope that the joys of the season may long endure.

Many thanks to our loyal friends! Your patronage has made this year a wonderful one for us, and we are sincerely grateful!

**P & W Acid Co.**  
MR. AND MRS. ROBERT DIXON



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MAY THE HAPPINESS AND GOOD CHEER OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON

BE YOURS THROUGHOUT THE NEW YEAR.

**R. E. Cox Lumber Company**  
119 NORTH AVENUE H POST, TEXAS



# Moisture is recorded in Graham community

By MRS. GLENN DAVIS

sure arrived here last night. We had mist, sleet, snow and rain to the amount of .7 of an inch of moisture. The moisture line except for all the cotton in the field. Then it was bad for all of us who had to come home because of the icy

Parrish and family of Fort Worth and the Jimmy Parrish family of Cotton Center were regular weekend visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambers Parrish.

Bruce Evans family were lunch guests of the Ledbetters.

Bobby Cowdrey family attended the Postex Mill family party Saturday afternoon.

Tennie Mason is a patient at Mercy Hospital suffering from pneumonia.

W. O. Fluitt Sr. was taken to Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon for treatment. It was not too much worse than usual but the family thought treatment would improve condition. We wish for the two a quick recovery.

and Mrs. Bill Dixon visited Saturday afternoon with the Melvin family.

There had been a lot of mistakes in the Graham news. The baby born Nov. 21 to Mrs. Lawrence Young of Woodward, Okla., was a son, not a daughter. Inadvertently some of those attending the Christmas Club party left out of last week's news.

Mrs. Ada Oden, Lelia and Minnie Wright were there. I am very sorry for mistakes, whoever made them.

Bill Stone family, the Ray family and the Lewis Mason family visited the Mason McClelland evening.

Mack Ledbetter and Mrs. Parrish visited Thursday with Mrs. Esther Bar-

Edith Redman spent Saturday night with the Bobby Cow-

Donald Windham family, Edith Redman and the Bob-

family were Sunday guests of the Delmer

**MR. AND MRS. Ronnie Graves** spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quannah Maxey, and her grandmother, Mrs. Green. Mrs. Graves is spending a few days with her parents while her husband is on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClelland and Mrs. Willie Mason visited Mrs. Tennie Mason in the hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Williams have a new foster son, Bobbie, a cute five year old redhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason McClelland and daughters visited one evening last week with the Delwin Fluitt family.

The Lewis Sinclair family of Abernathy and the John Kirksey family of Lubbock visited Sunday with the Quannah Maxeys and Mrs. Gladys Floyd.

The W. D. Williams family and the Ray McClelland family visited Friday evening with the Quannah Maxeys and Mrs. Green.

Jess Propst was feeling some better Monday morning. The Ray McClellans and Kim visited with the Propsts Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Theibert McBride and Mrs. Pat Martin were Thursday visitors in Lubbock.

Sorry this is all for this week as I had to be in Lubbock Monday afternoon as a medical visitor.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital since last Tuesday were:

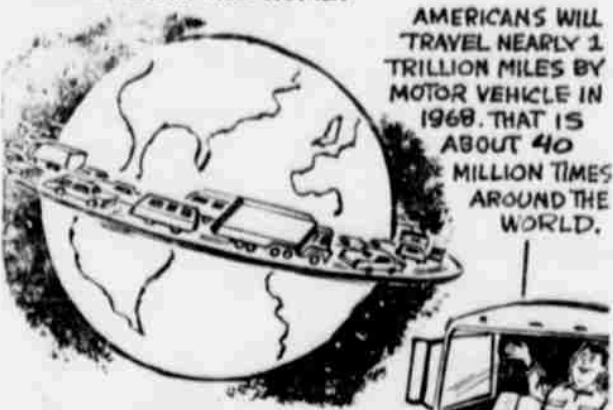
Vivian Young, medical  
Darla Jackson, medical  
Charles Rogers, medical  
Elvovd Barton, medical  
Inez Satterwhite, medical  
Abraham Gutierrez, medical  
Estelle Keene, medical  
Mrs. I. N. McCrary, medical  
Mrs. W. O. Fluitt Sr.

**Dismissed**  
Fannie Blacklock  
David Rogers  
Hoyt Thomas  
Vivian Young  
Elvovd Barton  
Charles Rogers

## DID YOU KNOW THAT..?



SINCE THE EARLY 1900'S, THE U.S. HAS COME TO RELY ON TRUCKS TO TRANSPORT 75% OF ALL PRODUCTS USED AND CONSUMED IN THE HOME.



AMERICANS WILL TRAVEL NEARLY 1 TRILLION MILES BY MOTOR VEHICLE IN 1968. THAT IS ABOUT 40 MILLION TIMES AROUND THE WORLD.

MANY TRUCK DRIVERS HAVE ACCIDENT-FREE DRIVING RECORDS OF MORE THAN ONE MILLION MILES.



## Post High School Happenings

**By Natha Jo Mears**  
Dennis Altman seems to be the "big head" in the senior class. When the seniors were measured for caps and gowns last week, Dennis' head was a "large" 7 1/2 inches. The "pea-brained" of the seniors was a tie between Rietta Kaye Litton and Eugenia Miriam Smith. Their heads measured a tiny 6 and one-third inches.

Everyone still can't believe that they got out of school last Friday. Although a few of the seniors used part of the day to go sledding, most of the seniors put the day to good use by writing, writing, writing. on the Civics research paper. After all that hard work, the Christmas holidays will give everyone a chance to rest. The bad weather caused the varsity basketball boys to have to spend Thursday and Friday nights in Stanton where they were playing in a tournament. They stayed in homes of residents of Stanton. They seemed awfully glad to get back to Post Saturday night!

At the Christmas party for the Commercial Club and the Science and Math Club last week everyone seemed to have a good time, especially Mr. Gee who seemed to really get a bang out of musical chairs.

Monday all the seniors seemed to be in a dilemma trying to decide who was the most athletic, the most friendly, etc., in the senior class. They voted on Senior Superlatives for the annual.

The PHS paper staff wants to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

More than 21 million acres of the pulp and paper industry's forest lands in the South are open to the public for hunting and fishing and 262 public recreation areas have been established on these lands.

The committee was established as the result of an endowment to the college by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hancock of 536 additional acres of land to be used in a livestock production program and as crop land.

**CHRISTMAS**  
To our many friends, we wish glad Christmas tidings.



**GREETINGS**  
IDEAL LAUNDRY  
A. M. LUCAS

## Post couple is home from medical meeting, business trip in Mexico

Joan and Harry Tubbs have returned from a combined medical meeting and business trip in Mexico during the last four weeks. In that time, they drove the pickup and camper 4,500 miles, first to meet Charles and Elisabeth Tubbs at Fort Stockton for a Thanksgiving vacation campout in the Big Bend National Park, then on to the medical meeting in Acapulco, Mexico.

During their Thanksgiving vacation, Charles and Elisabeth were accompanied by Ann Haynes, R. N., who is Charles' fiancée.

The party traveled together to Eagle Pass and across the border to Piedras Negras, from where the young people returned to their schools, Elisabeth to the University of Texas at Austin and Charles and Ann to Galveston. Miss Haynes is nurse-in-charge in a new neurological unit at the John Sealy Hospital. Charles is a medical student at the Medical School of the University of Texas at Galveston.

Dr. and Mrs. Tubbs then traveled to Acapulco with a side trip to the ancient mining town of Guadalupe, where Dr. Tubbs observed a Mexican country doctor in action in his office there and obtained mineral specimens.

The Post couple spent a few days at Zihuatanejo, which is approximately 125 miles northwest of Acapulco on the Pacific Coast, before the medical meeting began. During their stay in Zihuatanejo, they went deep sea fishing after sailfish, landing one big one which took 40 minutes to gaff.

They spent a week of postgraduate education at Acapulco, with the mornings reserved for sunning and surfing. The meeting was taught by outstanding teachers of the emergency diseases of heart and lung and was attended by about 60 members of the Texas Academy of General Practice, which requires its members to have accredited educational hours.

Following the Acapulco meeting, the Tubbs came through Toluca up Highway 15 to Guadalajara and then on up the west coast of Mexico to Mazatlan, where they spent a few days. They took Highway 40 across the Sierra Madre mountains to Durango and on up to Torreon, where they spent an evening with Sr. and Sra. Castaneda, parents of Marlo Castaneda of the Post ex-

## Christmas Greetings

The last days of the year are the best. And they've finally come. Our Christmas wish is that they be filled with extreme happiness for you and your family.

**RECORDS of NOTE**

**Oil and Gas Lease**  
Charles A. Bird and wife to G. L. Brantley and others, southwest quarter of Section 7, H&GN Survey.

**Deeds**  
Bryan J. Williams and others to John Calloway and wife, Lot 15, Block 25, Post.

Agnes Mueller to T. L. Jones, west half Lot 952, Terrace Cemetery.

**HUDMAN'S TEXACO SERVICE**  
HANS HUDMAN

# Wacker's GIFT IDEAS

FOR LAST-MINUTE SANTAS

<p>Larger Assortment <b>Plush Toys</b> Dogs, Monkeys, Bears Etc. PRICED FROM <b>98¢ TO 24.95</b></p>	<p>See 'n Say <b>Toys</b> By MATTEL Regular 6.99 ONLY <b>3.66</b></p>
<p>Kenner's <b>Burger Grill</b> Just "Like Dad's" for the Youngsters No. 1400 Reg. 12.95 ONLY <b>8.87</b></p>	<p>M16 Marauder <b>Automatic Rifle</b> Reg. 12.95 SALE <b>6.87</b></p>
<p><b>Silly Sand</b> 2.27</p>	<p>Ponds <b>Dusting Powder</b> 87¢</p>
<p><b>GAMES</b> By • Parker Brothers • Milton Bradley • Whitman PRICED FROM <b>98¢ TO 4.98</b></p>	<p><b>TOY ASSORTMENT</b> TRUCKS, PLANES, CARS, ETC. ONLY <b>88¢</b></p>
<p>Electric <b>Percolator</b> By West Bend Regular 9.98 <b>Sale 5.99</b></p>	<p>TROPIC AIRE <b>HAIR DRYER</b> ONLY <b>10.88</b></p>

## GREETINGS

We wish for our friends at Christmas the lasting gifts of good health, happiness and good fortune.

**CORNER BARBER SHOP**  
ED BLANTON, LLOYD ANTHONY & BILL CASE

## SEASON'S WISHES

It's time again to wish you great joy all through this happy holiday season!

**WESTSIDE CLEANERS**  
C. H. HARTEL

## GREETINGS

Ho, ho, ho and a very happy holiday to one and all! We take pleasure in sending Santa your way with thanks for your patronage and our warmest Christmas wishes.

As Long As They Last!

**FREE PAIRS OF STEAK KNIVES AND BAYBERRY CANDLES**

To Each of Our Customers Our Way of Saying Merry Christmas

**Conoco Service**  
Punk Peel

## CHRISTMAS

To our many friends, we wish glad Christmas tidings.

**GREETINGS**  
IDEAL LAUNDRY  
A. M. LUCAS

## GREETINGS

Wishing you the gifts of lasting happiness and contentment.

**Southside Mobil**  
JOHN ROGERS

## Season's Greetings

Many thanks for your loyal friendship and patronage. If good wishes were snowflakes, we'd snow you under a blizzard of them! Have a wonderful holiday season!

**Closed Sunday, Monday, Dec. 24-25**

**GE'NEZ STEAK HOUSE**



# Bikes, dolls and Silly Sand on want lists

Dear Santa:  
I want two bikes, a volleyball set, a walkie talkie, electric train, Donny Dixon and a Green Ghost set. Also a silly sand set.  
Larry Harper

Dear Santa:  
I want for Christmas a Sting Ray and Incredible Edible set and electric guitar and BB gun. Love,  
Bruce Waldrip

Dear Santa:  
I want a walkie talkie and a Johnny Express, I want a football and a Creepy Crawler, basketball, a Green Ghost, racing track  
Jeff Greene

Dear Santa:  
May I have a new bike, please. And a doll named Giggles and a French doll with blonde hair and a good looking face. Love,  
Cindy Kirkpatrick

Dear Santa:  
What I want for Christmas is basketball and a racing track and a volleyball and a football set and knife and a Creepy Crawler. Love,  
Melvin Greathouse

Dear Santa:  
I want a Green Ghost and Major Matt Mason and a Donny Dixon set and a basketball and a racing track set, volleyball and a knife. I love you.  
Charles Lobban

Dear Santa:  
I want for Christmas a Major

Matt Mason and a dump truck and surprises. I love you.  
Rodney Josey

Dear Santa:  
I want a Mark shooting gallery and a pellet gun. Also a fright factory and a football and a watch. I love you.  
Allen Blanton

Dear Santa:  
I want a pellet gun and an Incredible Edible. Love you,  
Brent Terry

Dear Santa:  
I want a football suit and please bring it. I love you.  
Brad Shepherd

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a bike and a guitar and a Creepy Crawler set and a Green Ghost and silly sand and a Donny Dixon set and a basketball. I love you.  
Joe Ortiz

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a watch and a Barbie and could it be a twist-and-turn Barbie? I love you.  
Nancy McCowen

Dear Santa:  
I want a Tammy Tears and 12 miniature animals and a nurse set. Thank you. Love,  
Karla Kennedy

Dear Santa:  
I want a fun flower set please. And a Tussy and a Jane West and her horse. please. Love from,  
Nancy Clary

Dear Santa:  
I want a boom-a-rare please. May I have a walkie talkie please and a twist-and turn Francy and a dish set please. Love, from,  
Rhonda Bailey

Dear Santa:  
Will you please bring me a cowboy hat and boots and shirt. Also some chaps, gun and gun holster. Love you.  
Randy Williams

Dear Santa:  
I want a Baby-Say-n-See and 12 miniatures, I want a Baby carriage and an Easy-bake oven and stuff. Thank you. Love,  
Missy Carter

Dear Santa:  
I want a bike and a fur coat, boots and spurs and a pellet gun. Thank you.  
Gregory Pollard

Dear Santa:  
I want a BB gun, sixteen, bike and road racing set. Thank you.  
Randy Conner

Dear Santa:  
We have a book of you in front

of Room 104 in the Post Primary School. And I saw my bike under Mother's bed. It is blue, and pretty too. I have got a picture of you and me and my sister.  
Your friend,  
James Dozier

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl. I work hard at school. Please bring me a record player, seven records and a Baby Tearful. Love,  
Belinda Renne Fluitt

Dear Santa:  
I want a BB gun, a Major Matt Mason. I can get only one for Christmas. I am going to get a BB gun for Christmas, so I can get a Major Matt Mason for my birthday March 19, 1968.  
Your friend,  
Gregory Gregg

Dear Santa:  
I want a Baby Secret, some Creepy Crawlers and a puzzle. Thank you.  
Dana Bird

Dear Santa:  
I want a pair of boots and spurs and a fur coat and a pet. Thank you.  
Terry Holloway

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want to see your reindeer, Rudolph, elves and all. Come to see me and bring me a van, BB gun and car.  
Tommy Torres

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work hard at school. Please bring me a tricycle, gun and some Silly Sand. Love,  
Mike Gregg

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work hard at school. Please bring me a train, bike and a radio. Love,  
David Gandy

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work hard at school. Please bring me a tractor, football and bike. Love,  
Linzey Evans

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work hard at school. Please bring me an army tank, racing cars and dart gun. Love,  
Chris McDougle

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl. I work hard at school. Please bring me a doll, baby buggy and a Barbie. Love,  
Renne Stephens

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl. I work hard at school. Please bring me a doll, purse and slide. Love,  
Sara Perez

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work hard at school. Please bring me a tractor, dump truck and football. Love,  
Jay Williams

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl. I work hard at school. Please bring me a doll and bike. Love,  
Bernice Perez

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work hard at school. Please bring me a real Walkie-Talkie, race track and gun. Love,  
Danny Gunn

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl. I work hard at school. Please bring me a Baby's Hungry, typewriter and some Silly Sand. Love,  
Cindy Lynn Terry

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work hard at school. Please bring me a Creepy Crawler set, bike and football. Love,  
Barry Tyler

Dear Santa:  
I want Incredible Edibles, a Baby Fussy and a Freeze Queen. Thank you.  
Joanna Lee

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl. I work hard at school. Please bring me a Baby PeeWee, Baby Secret and roller skates. Love,  
Kathy McLeroy

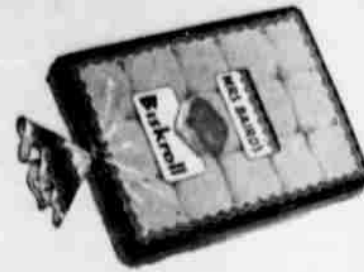
Dear Santa:  
I have been a good girl. I work hard at school. Please bring me a Baby Cuddles, Twist and Turn Barbie and Susie Homemaker. Love,  
Kerri Pool

Dear Santa:  
I want a football and a bike. Thank you.  
David

Dear Santa:  
I have been a good boy. I work Green Ghost and Snakes Alive, hard at school. Bring me a GI Joe, please. Love,  
Monte Williams

Dear Santa,  
I wonder if Rudolph was true on the TV well anyway I'll tell you what I want. I want a Major Matt Mason and a Stingray bicycle and a radio and that's all I want. And I hope you have a nice Christmas.  
Yours truly,  
P. S. And I hope you will give my brother some tubes for his bicycle.  
Mike Hair

MRS BAIRD'S  
**Biskroll**



LIKE NOTHING ELSE YOU'VE EVER TASTED

**GREETINGS**

To one and all, best wishes for happy holidays.

**T. L. JONES**  
ICE AND SEED

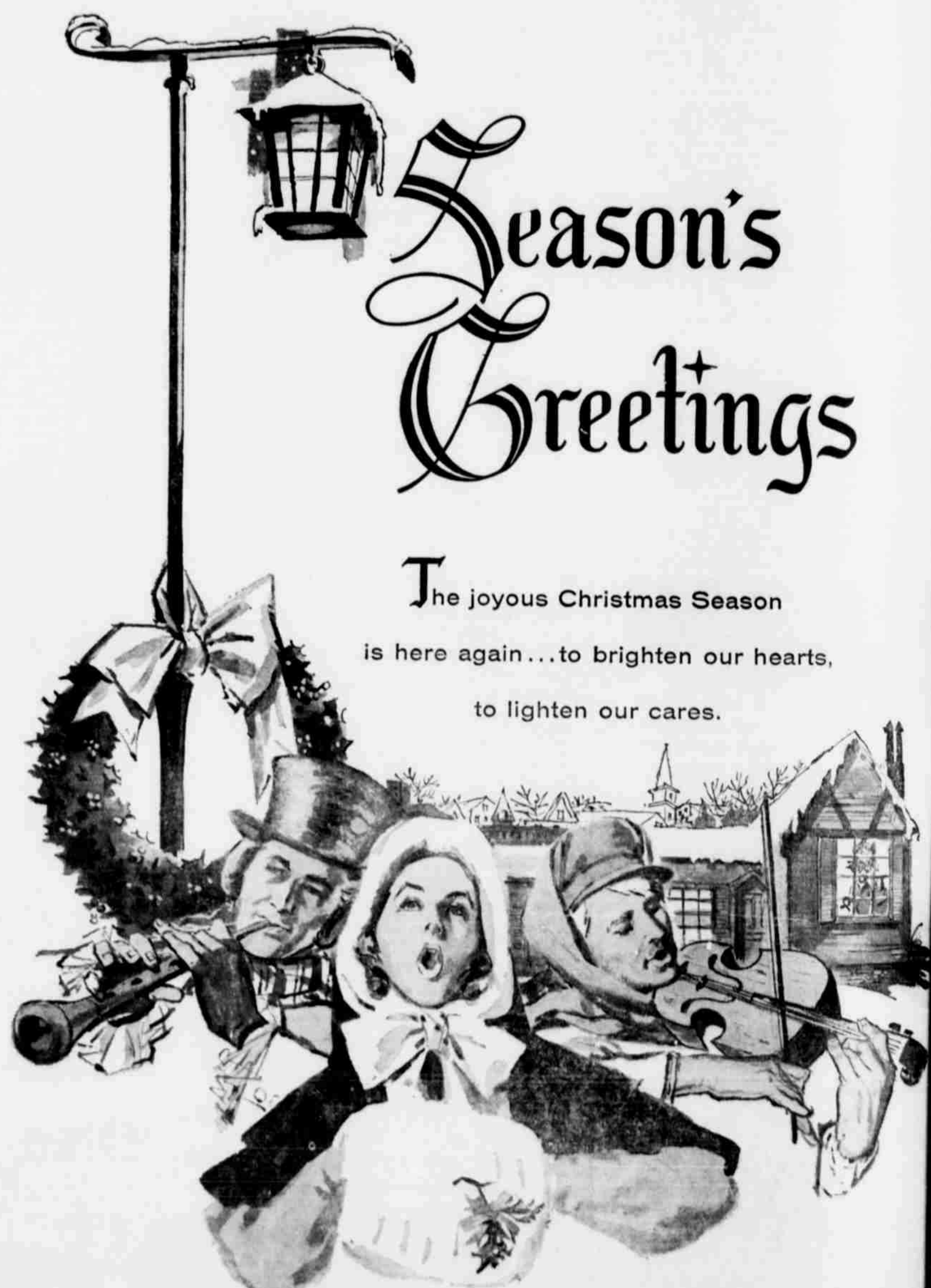
*Peace on Earth...*  
May the message of the first Christmas bring you great joy.

Garza Tire Co.

**Noel**

May all the spiritual joys of the Holiday Season be with you and your dear ones this Christmas

**Herring's**  
MR. AND MRS. CLINT HERRING



# Season's Greetings

The joyous Christmas Season is here again...to brighten our hearts, to lighten our cares.

To all our wonderful friends, we hope this glorious holiday will bring everything that makes for a life of happiness and contentment.

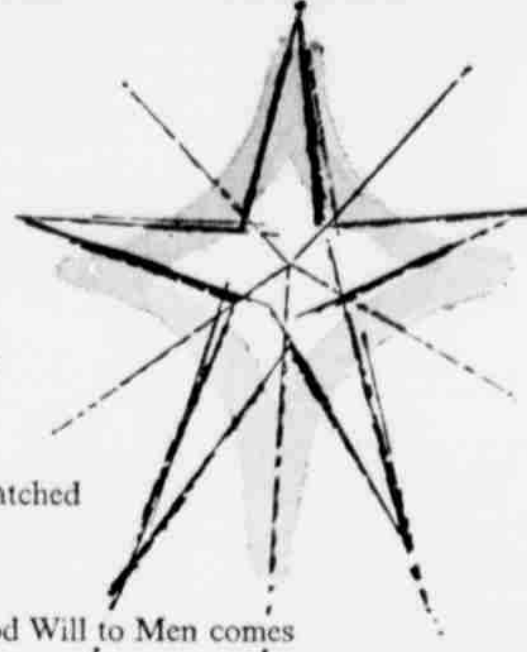
# The Post Dispatch

JIM CORNISH — HELEN CORNISH — CHARLES DIDWAY — DON AMMONS  
RONNIE MORRIS — ORABETH WHITE — JIMMY McKAMIE



# JOY AT CHRISTMAS

Through the silence of a Holy Night, the shining wonder of Christmas  
 dawns once more upon the world. In Christmas  
 hymns and stories...in the sacred words of the Bible...the miracle  
 of His birth lives again, as awesome, as exalting, as full of  
 hope and promise as on that night when shepherds watched  
 their flocks, and Wise Men followed a  
 Star. Across the ages, His message of Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men comes  
 to bring us joy. At this glorious season, we wish for you and your family  
 a blessed Christmas, rich in spiritual  
 rewards, in happiness and peace.



FROM THE EMPLOYEES AND MANAGEMENT OF

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 EXECUTIVE OFFICES, GREENSBORO, N. C.



### REVOLUTIONARY RUSSIANS



Soldiers who fired upon the peaceful demonstrators in front of the Winter Palace in 1905 really set off the Russian Revolution. This "Bloody Sunday," when 1,000 people were killed, was the first in a series of struggles that marked the Bolshevik attempt to gain power.



Pursued by the authorities, Nikolai Lenin went into hiding after the failure of his July, 1917 uprising. The "Father of the Revolution" had to disguise himself in a blonde wig to reenter Russia and direct the final, successful revolution.

Bloodless coups are now the Russian fashion, as Kossygin and Brezhnev's peaceful disposing of Khrushchev proves. To learn more about Russia's revolutionary history, that has so much bearing on today's current events, read Life Magazine's two major articles on Russia in the November 10 and 17 issues.

### New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. (Buck) Craft, who live on the Pitchfork Ranch near Guthrie, are announcing the birth of a daughter, Traci Dawn, born Dec. 16 at 6:08 a. m. in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock. The infant weighed 7 lbs., 10 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Don Norman of San Angelo are the parents of a son, Michael Ray, born Dec. 9 at

3:30 p. m. in Shannon Hospital. Michael Ray weighed 7 lbs., 4 1/2 ozs., and has a brother, Kelly, and a sister, Jill. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Custer and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dowell of Lewisville are announcing the adoption of a son, Jeffrey Tom, who was born Nov. 30. He came to make his home with his new parents, Dec. 12. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams of Post and Mrs. Emmett J. Dowell of Teague.

It takes 12 years for Jupiter to revolve around the sun.

## Dolls, games high on 'bring me' list

Dear Santa: This year we have been very good. We would like a drum with sticks, a piano, guitar and a machine gun. And also a KA Boom game. We have hung our stockings on the door so you can find them. Please bring our new cousin, Kyle Hanson, something nice. He doesn't cry very much. There will be some pie for you on the table. We love you.

Dean and Doug Millican  
Odessa, Tex.

Dear Santa: I will be in Post for Christmas.

Would you please bring me a Baby First Steps and a high chair? Bring my baby sister, Channa, a tiny baby and some pull toys, too. Please don't forget all my cousins and little friends in Post. Merry Christmas.

Charla Williams  
Mineral Wells, Tex.

Dear Santa: I am five years old and I have been very good all year long. I've enjoyed the toys that you gave me last year. For this Christmas I want Giggles, a buggy, a set of dishes, and an ironing board. My little sister, Lea Ann, has been pretty good, so please don't for-

The Old Time  
"Some after-dinner  
ers are so windy they  
be called gusts of wind."  
get her. Love.  
Carla Bann

## PIGGLY WIGGLY HAS THE BIGGEST VARIETY OF CHRISTMAS GOODIES!

Rath's New Crop <b>HEN</b> <b>TURKEYS</b> 12 Pounds and Up Pound <b>37¢</b>	Rodeo's Fully Cooked <b>HAMS</b> Dry Cure Shank Portion Pound <b>53¢</b>	Rath's New Crop <b>TOM</b> <b>TURKEYS</b> 20 Pounds and Up Pound <b>33¢</b>	Standing Semi-Boneless, <b>RIB ROAST</b> Oven Ready, Easy to Carve Pound <b>89¢</b>
Cream Cheese Tulp, 3-oz. pkg. <b>9¢</b> Cocktail, Peeled, Deveined, Fresh Frozen Shrimp Ready for Cocktails 12-Oz. Pkg. <b>\$1.69</b>	Beltsville, Royal Kocks, 5-9 Lbs. Turkeys, lb <b>45c</b> Hormel's Black Label Sliced Bacon Pound <b>69¢</b>	Hormel's Fully Cooked, Half or Whole Cure 81 Hams Pound <b>\$1.49</b> U.S.D.A. Choice, Aged Heavy Beef, Boneless Shoulder Roast Lb. <b>88¢</b>	U.S.D.A. Choice, Aged Heavy Beef Valu-Trim N. Y. Steak Pound <b>\$1.89</b> Loin Cut, 3 to 5 Pounds Pork Roast Pound <b>65¢</b>

## Southland High School's favorites are selected

By MRS. EDMUND WILKE  
Hi there! Just think, one week from today is Christmas Day! I just love this time of the year. Seems like everyone is especially warm and friendly, better to go as I bet Santa is peeping around the corner!

Favorites were chosen in high school last week and they are as follows: Mr. and Miss S.H.S., Polly Martin and Dan Eckert; best personalities, Dayneen Dunn and Raul Salinas; most athletic, Patsy Gindorf and Bill Bowers; pep squad bean, Curtis Abshire, and football sweetheart, Karen Melcher. Congratulations, boys and girls.

Dayneen Dunn and her mother, Mrs. H. C. Dunn and County HD Agent Juanette Gentry attended the annual board meeting of the Plains Co-op Mill of Lubbock last week and Dayneen modeled a peacock blue cotton suit she had made for the 4-H dress revue. Her suit was the high point all - cotton garment in the Senior Division. Congratulations, Dayneen.

There have been several children out of school this past week due to illness. Coach Dyess' wife, Pat, has also been on the sick list. Hope all are better by now.

Dayneen Dunn attended the annual Christmas Ball at South Plains College in Levelland last Saturday night with Gary Glasscock of Slaton.

Edmund and Yours Truly held open house Sunday night for a group of friends from Grace Lutheran Church.

Dr. J. Ralph Grant of Lubbock will be guest speaker at the Southland Baptist Church Sunday. Everyone is invited to come and hear.

### November toll is five rural traffic mishaps

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated five accidents on rural highways in Garza County during the month of November, according to Sgt. A. E. Roberts of Lubbock, Highway Patrol supervisor of the area.

These accidents resulted in six persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$2,345.

The rural accident summary for Garza County during the first 11 months of 1967 shows a total of 47 accidents resulting in three persons killed, 30 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$51,815.

## WE WILL BE CLOSED CHRISTMAS



Ideal, Grade A, Medium <b>EGGS</b> 3 Dozen <b>\$1</b>	6 Btl. Ctn. King Size Plus Deposit <b>COKE'S</b> <b>29¢</b>	Pure Vegetable Shortening <b>CRISCO</b> 3 Lb. Can <b>69¢</b>	All Brands, 1 1/2 Lb. Sandwich Loaf <b>BREAD</b> <b>19¢</b>
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CHRISTMAS GIFT CERTIFICATES in any denomination are available at Piggly Wiggly! Ask your store manager.

## SHOP Your Piggly Wiggly "CHRISTMAS" Dinner Center TODAY!

### Frozen Selections for Your Freezer!

<b>PUMPKIN PIES</b> Johnston's Large 34-Ounce <b>49¢</b>	<b>BROCCOLI SPEARS</b> Libby's 10-Oz. Pkg. <b>29¢</b>	<b>PECAN PIES</b> Morton's Family Size <b>79¢</b>
<b>STRAWBERRIES</b> Adair 4 10-Oz. Pkg. <b>\$1</b>	<b>CHEESE CAKE</b> Sara Lee 11-Oz. Pkg. <b>69¢</b>	<b>ROLLS</b> Sara Lee Butter Gems, Parkerhouse, Finger, Sesame or Clover Leaf <b>3 7 1/2-Ounce Packages \$1</b>

Goodhope, Mandarin <b>ORANGES</b> 11-Oz. Can <b>25¢</b>	Sweet Cream <b>BUTTER</b> Bonnebelle 1-Lb. Pkg. <b>79¢</b>
Kraft's Miniature <b>MARSHMALLOWS</b> 10 1/2-Oz. Pkg. <b>23¢</b>	Towle, Maraschino <b>CHERRIES</b> 8-Oz. Bottle <b>43¢</b>

## WHIPPING CREAM

Foremost, Borden's or Bell

1/2-Pint **22¢**

## Garden-Fresh Fruits and Vegetables!

Yellow, Mild, U.S. No. 1 <b>ONIONS</b> Pound <b>5¢</b>	Golden, Ripe <b>BANANAS</b> Pound <b>10¢</b>	Large, Crisp, Green Stalks <b>CELERY</b> Each <b>7 1/2¢</b>
California, Snow-White <b>CAULIFLOWER</b> Pound <b>35¢</b>	California, Extra Fancy <b>BROCCOLI</b> Pound <b>39¢</b>	California, Cherty Red <b>RHUBARB</b> Pound <b>39¢</b>
Adds Color to your salad <b>RED CABBAGE</b> Pound <b>19¢</b>	Kids Favorite, Large Size <b>COCONUTS</b> Each <b>29¢</b>	Large, Green Bunches <b>ONIONS</b> 2 For <b>23¢</b>
California, Fresh, Green <b>PARSLEY</b> Each <b>12¢</b>	California, Extra Fancy <b>ENDIVE</b> Each <b>35¢</b>	California, Fresh, Large Bunches <b>RADISHES</b> 2 For <b>23¢</b>

## China Buy of the Week!

Transparent Porcelain China LUNCHEON OR SALAD PLATE **29¢**

FREE! THE SOFT GREEN WITH THE 12 INCH CHIP PLATE

## A Joyous Christmas

May the light of the Star guide us to a Christmas rich in spiritual meaning.

**TOM'S DRIVE-IN**  
MR. AND MRS. TOM HARMON

CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS Sun - Mon - Tues, Dec. 24-26

## Houseware Buy of the Week!

Covered, Mirro Aluminum with see thru top, **CAKE PAN** Regular \$1.79 Value 13" x 9" **\$1.19**

## More food for LESS... always at...

# PIGGLY WIGGLY

No. 1 in Texas!

## Health and Beauty Buy of the Week!

Gillette Super Stainless, Regular 79¢ 5 Blades Per Pkg. **RAZOR BLADES**