

MERRY CHRISTMAS



SATURDAY'S MOST WELCOME GUEST

Santa Claus, surrounded by youngsters, is shown here shortly after he had arrived in town Saturday afternoon on the city fire truck. From a place of vantage on a truck, Santa talked to dozens of boys and girls to find out what they wanted for Christmas. The occasion was the Post Volunteer Fire Department's annual Christmas event, which always includes a pre-Christmas visit from Santa.—(Staff Photo).

Post and Garza County poised for another joyous Christmas holiday

Christmas comes to Post and Garza County again tomorrow, with prospects for a "white Christmas" practically nil, but everything else as it should be. The county's agriculture has already received its Christmas "present" with one of the best December rainfalls ever recorded here, and with the 1959 cotton crop yield exceeding early season forecasts by a few hundred bales. The volume of Christmas shopping, while not believed to have set any new records here, was reported as gratifying by most local merchants. The Post schools were dismissed Wednesday afternoon for Christmas and New Year's holidays that will extend to Monday morning, Jan. 4, when classwork will be resumed. The Yuletide atmosphere was brighter this year with the Chamber of Commerce-sponsored downtown decorations more elaborate and extensive than they've ever been, with a number of homes decorating in the Christmas theme, and with the high school classes again coming up with clever and attractive decorations at the front of the high school. Many servicemen and college students are home for the holidays, as well as scores of others visiting relatives and friends. Numerous Post people will spend the holidays on out-of-town visits. Christmas events and parties have held the spotlight for the last few weeks—ever since Thanksgiving, in fact. One of the biggest of these events was the C. of C.-sponsored merchants' Christmas party held Monday afternoon at the big Christmas tree on Main Street. More than 60 gifts donated by Post merchants were given away, with Santa Claus assisting in the activities. Another big event was the Post Volunteer Fire Department's annual Christmas party held Saturday afternoon on the parking lot at the new First National Bank building. Twenty-five turkeys were given away, through the cooperation of business firms, and Santa Claus was on hand with candy for the children. Throughout the year, Post and Garza County have received many blessings, including steady oil activity, the biggest construction year in the city's history, fair crops and stable economy. Following the Dec. 25 holiday, on which practically all business firms will be closed, the city and county will face what is traditionally known as the "dead week", ushering in the new year of 1960.

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Two more candidates enter coming year's political races

Two candidates announced this week for public office in Garza County to bring to seven the number in the various races. J. W. (Red) Floyd, who has been a deputy sheriff under Carl Rains for eight years, announced that he would be a candidate for sheriff, one of the county offices to be filled in next year's elections. Rains has not yet announced whether he will be a candidate to succeed himself. Thomas W. Gamblin, who has been engaged in the practice of law here for about two years, announced his candidacy for the office of county attorney, now held by Carleton P. Webb, who has not yet announced whether he will seek another term.

T. H. Tipton announced last week that he will be a candidate for a second term as county tax assessor-collector. He was elected to the office four years ago after county voters had voted to separate the then-combined offices of sheriff and tax assessor-collector. The only race in which a contest has shaped up this early is that for county commissioner of Precinct 3. Ozell Williams, a candidate for re-election, has drawn an opponent in J. A. (Jack) Kennedy. Racy Robinson has announced that he will be a candidate for a second term as Precinct 1 county commissioner.

J. A. (Julius) Johnson has announced his candidacy for a second term as Precinct 1 constable. Announcements are coming earlier this time due to the changes in election dates which move the first primary up to May 7 and the second primary up to June 4.

Fire results in minor damage at farm home

Only minor damage resulted Monday afternoon from a fire at the home of Barnie Jones on top of the cap a few miles northwest of Post. The fire department was called but was turned back before it got there with word that the fire had been extinguished.



KING ARDIS

King Ardis is new owner of food market

King Ardis, former Lubbock grocer, effective Sunday, purchased the K&K Food Mart from Wallace Simpson, who has operated the supermarket for the last six years. Ardis announced that the store name, store policies, store hours, and store personnel all will remain unchanged. The new K&K Food Mart owner has been in the grocery business all his life and in the food business for himself since 1942. He operated a big food market on 34th Street in Lubbock for many years. Ardis said the store will maintain its membership in the Affiliated Food Stores. The new Post business man was

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Credit bureau is seeking quarters

The board of directors of the newly formed Retail Merchants Association at a special meeting in the City Hall Friday afternoon authorized Dr. A. B. Carter, its credit bureau manager, to secure necessary quarters here for the credit bureau operation. Directors told The Dispatch they had decided to proceed with the establishment of the association's credit bureau as quickly as possible.

Last week Post Chamber of Commerce directors decided against sharing the Chamber office with the Retailers Association after a letter poll of the Chamber membership showed 40 against such a plan as compared to 39 in favor of a sharing arrangement.

County exceeds 1959 bond goal

Savings Bonds sales in Garza County through the first 11 months of 1959 totaled \$142,363, putting the county over its quota by more than \$15,000, with December sales yet to be reported. Irby G. Metcalf Jr., county Savings Bonds chairman, said today.

November sales in Garza County totaled \$4,155. The county's 1959 goal is \$127,000 and sales through November placed it 12.1 per cent above the goal. Four other counties in this district have also exceeded their goal. They are Crosby, Hockley, Lynn and Stonewall.

Red Floyd announces for county sheriff

J. W. (Red) Floyd, who has been a sheriff's deputy here for eight years, today authorized The Dispatch to announce his candidacy for the office of sheriff, subject to the action of the voters at the 1960 Democratic primaries. Floyd said his formal statement in regard to his candidacy would be made later.

Snowman scene gets judges' nod

Seniors top winner in school decorations

The senior class has won first place in the annual Christmas exterior decorations contest at Post High School. Judging of the Christmas decorations scenes was Monday night. Second place went to the freshman class, with the juniors winning third and the sophomores fourth.

The seniors' winning decoration is a snowman scene with a unique lighting effect of blinking blue and red lights. The freshman class' second place

During Christmas rush

New mail service here accelerates deliveries

Post's new mail and package delivery, inaugurated in November, really helped handle the annual Christmas mail deluge, Postmaster Harold Voss told The Dispatch between quick breaths today. The postmaster and his employees were literally "on the run" trying to get everything delivered for the holiday tomorrow.

It's too early for any figures, he declared, as to mail volume this holiday season, but he noted that Christmas card sending was up a good 15 per cent here. Package mailings of gifts, however, increased this year, he said. "We handled only 10,000 to 11,000 Christmas cards daily during the peak period as compared with over 1,000 a day or so in some previous years," Voss said.

The postal employees kept abreast of the rush over the weekend by making a regular Sunday residential mail and package delivery. The "outgoing Christmas mail" was slacked off by Tuesday, but the "incoming holiday mail" is at peak volume, the postmaster declared Wednesday. Some late arriving gift packages will be delivered Christmas morning.

What's more, postal employees

Gamblin is candidate for county attorney

Thomas W. Gamblin this week authorized The Post Dispatch to announce his candidacy for the office of county attorney of Garza County, subject to the Democratic primary elections in May and June. Gamblin said he will make a formal announcement of his candidacy later.

HOME FROM ACADEMY

Billy Hamilton, who is enrolled at Castle Heights Military Academy, Lebanon, Tenn., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hamilton. He will return to the academy Jan. 3.

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Garza girl to compete in area wool contest

Miss Linda Payton will represent Garza County in the District 9-A finals of the "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest Jan. 9 on the Texas Tech campus.

Miss Payton is a Southland High School student and a 4-H Club member. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Payton.

Tech Home Economics Dean Willa Vaughn Tinsley said entrants must have made either an all-wool dress, suit, coat or ensemble which will be judged in three divisions.

The junior division will consist of young seamstresses from 14 to 17 years and the senior division will consist of girls from 18 to 22. A sub-division is also included for beginning sewers 13 to 16.

The contest, to be set at 1 p. m. in the Tech Union Ballroom, is sponsored by the Wool Bureau and the Women's Auxiliary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Assn.

The purpose of the competition is to encourage sewing with wool. The National Education Assn. endorses this purpose as a means of giving girls experience with the fabric—its varieties, its characteristics, and with the best techniques for cutting, sewing, shaping

and pressing wool garments. County contests are being held at present to select the three girls from each county who will compete at the district contest.

54 youngsters compete in two divisions

Nancy Norman of Route 3 and Danny Pennington of Route 3, Decatur, Tex., are the first place winners in The Dispatch's first annual Christmas Coloring Contest. Nancy, who is 7, won the plastic bowling set designed by TV Bowling Champ Lou Campi as the champion of the age 7 and under division.

Danny, who is 10, won the table tennis set as the champion of the 8 to 12 age division. Some 54 youngsters, all of whom will receive a pass to the Tower Theatre, courtesy of theatre manager Johnny Hopkins, entered the coloring event.

The two other prize winners in the 7 and under division were Anita Joyce Little, 6, second, a junior badminton set being her prize; and Stephanie Jane Davis, 8, Route 3, third, winner of a big red drum.

Other winners in the 8 to 12 division were Terry Power, age 10, second, winner of an electric wood-burning set; and Meredith Newby, 12, third, winner of a 52-variety game chest.

The theatre passes may be picked up at The Dispatch 8 a. m. to

5 p. m. beginning Monday, Dec. 28. The newspaper office will be closed Christmas Day through Sunday for the holiday weekend.

Other contest entries were: Seven and Under Division—Johnny Hair, Tommy Jack Taylor, Patti Lou Peel, Irene Walls, Christine Woodard of Zig Zee Cre., Mary Jane Johnson, Rebecca Pruitt, Carol Davies, Don Charles Maxey, Stephanie Jane Davis, Carl Douglas Crumpton of Corpus Christi, Susan Bilberry of Big Lake, Anita Joyce Little, Kelly Joe Duren, Keven Grady Duren, Michael McCullough, Jimmy Kemp,

Cynthia White. 8 to 12 Age Division—Marcia Newby, James Tallent, Kathy Irwin, Martha Jo Walls, Doyleene Fry, Jimmy Tom Johnston, Zella Kaye Freeman, Bill Cates, Patricia Robinson, Emily Potts, Marcia Morton, Wyanza Windham, Jane Hutchins, Betty Hutchins, Phyllis McMains, Marian McMains, Barbara Parsons, Veda Beth Voss, Larry Mathis, Judy Rhunae Lewis, Kathryn Lee, Petra Hill, Steve Newby, Martha Louise Phillips, David Pierce, Jan Olson, Debbie Brewer, Kathleen Zachary, and Stella Fay Hall.

Postings

By JIM CORNISH

Christmas is here again—and after a late shopping rush folks hereabouts appear all set for the big holiday. Today's edition of The Dispatch is its traditional Christmas greetings edition and contains greetings and thank yous to friends and patrons from 136 different local professional and business firms. They're pretty well packed into 24 bright Christmas pages—one of our biggest papers of the year.

We'd suggest you read them all. One of the most unusual greetings ads you will find on page 11, where the Postex Cotton Mills takes a page to wish the community a merry Christmas over the signatures of every one of their 495 employees. Over in the third section, on page 21, in the First National Bank greetings ad, Mr. and Mrs. Irby Metcalf write a cheery thank you note to everyone for the enjoyable "first five years" they have spent in Post.

Helping you to read every page of The Dispatch this week will be those very interesting letters to Santa Claus, which The Dispatch publishes each year through special arrangement with Santa Claus and a mail plane from the North Pole. This year the paper is printing what may be a record number—a total of 341 letters from area boys and girls telling what they want for Christmas.

Elsewhere on the front page you'll note where Post has a new See POSTINGS Page 8

\$400 stolen here at Piggly Wiggly

Somebody dipped his hand into a cash register at one of Piggly Wiggly's four checkout stands last Thursday and stole approximately \$400.

A checkup of cash register receipts at the close of Thursday's business indicated about that much cash missing from one register, Piggly Wiggly manager Paul Jones told The Dispatch. Jones thinks that somebody grabbed the money when a checker's back was turned.

A "customer" attempted a similar theft about a year ago and was surprised with approximately \$1,000 in bills in his hands. He dropped the money and fled.

The loss is covered by insurance. The sheriff's department is working on the case.

New head nurse at hospital here

Ann Gunn has assumed her new duties as superintendent of nurses at Garza Memorial Hospital, administrator Don Curl announced this week.

Mrs. Gunn comes here from Temple where she was supervisor of the obstetrical and emergency at the state hospital. She has a daughter who is a student in the University of California at Los Angeles.

As superintendent of nurses, Mrs. Gunn fills a vacancy that has existed at the hospital here for the last few months.

Gulf wholesale office moved across street

Lester Nichols' Gulf Wholesale office was scheduled to be moved this week from 103 East Main to 103 West Main.

The quarters on the corner occupied by Nichols for a number of years has been sold to the City of Post with the city to take possession at the first of the year.

The 103 West Main location formerly was occupied by Ila's Snack Bar, which was closed a week ago.

City will haul off all Christmas trees

The city's garbage department is prepared to haul away all the community's Christmas trees this year.

City Supt. Henry Tate announced this week that if the Christmas trees will be left by the trash cans next to the alley within a few days after Christmas, they will all be hauled away by Wednesday, Dec. 30.

CHRISTMAS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Presson, Melinda and Karen, of Winters are spending Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Presson, and Mrs. Boo Olson and Jan.

Dispatch Editorials

Thursday, Dec. 24, 1959

Some Christmas Thoughts

Those who try to keep Christ in Christmas have lost a lot of ground these last few years. And not just here in Post, but across the nation in almost all communities.

It wasn't so long ago that "Keep Christ in Christmas" was used as a rallying cry by many of our churches. But you don't hear the slogan used much anymore.

If you stop to look at this year's Christmas and back at others in your life, you'll be surprised by how much Christ is being crowded out in the celebration of his own birthday.

When we have our reporters each year check for Christmas activities in the churches we find fewer and fewer special Christmas religious services for the holiday which symbolizes the birth of Jesus and our Christian way of life. Slowly, but very surely, Christmas is becoming less and less a real religious holiday. More and more it is being turned into a family holiday of gift giving, reunion visits and parties, and even to a once-a-year time for all of us to become open-hearted and full of good will toward our fellow man.

The commercialization of Christmas is only part of it. Christmas trees loaded down with gifts have been a part of American Christmases for generations.

We wonder if the inconvenience of religious services on Christmas have led to their demise. We don't know. Certainly it is a trend of the times here in America—a trend we believe is heading in the wrong direction.

One local businessman who is working hard at the job of building his community into a bigger and better place in which we all can live suggested the other day that Christmas time was a good time for all of us to think more about good will among our fellow men right here in Post.

He proposes that the season of good will is a fine one for us all to forget the small personal grievances and things which keep so many from working closely together for the benefit of the entire community.

He points out that so very few are willing to give of their own time in community projects—so few in fact that those who will accept community responsibilities are virtually overloaded with such assignments.

Everybody helping to build a town is going to make it better for each individual businessman, he so rightly pointed out. He would like to see the Christmas good will held over and directed into community improvement efforts during 1960.

This is a Christmas thought worthy of serious consideration. Most of us are guilty to some degree. Let's all resolve to do our own share in the job of building a bigger and better Post.

Keeping the Spirit of Good Will which comes at Christmastime functioning on a year-round basis is a tremendous goal.

But we are capable of reaching it if we but stop and realize that what the Christian way of life really means is keeping the true Christmas spirit 12 months round the calendar.

The Dispatch and its staff wishes to take this opportunity to extend to you and yours the happiest of Christmases.—JC

Don't forget to pay your poll tax

Three first candidate announcements last week for Garza County political offices is about the best reminder we can think of for citizens to pay their poll tax before the Jan. 31 deadline.

And, in addition to the county, district and state elections, there'll be city and school board elections, plus perhaps one or more special elections.

Most anyone who tries to keep up with the news knows, of course, that a move is on foot to abolish the poll tax payment as a prerequisite to voting. But that's at least a couple of years away, even if it comes about, and in the meantime you're going to have to pay that poll tax if

you want to vote. You're going to have to, that is, unless you are exempt by reason of age.

It is reported from the county tax office that poll tax payments are in their usual "drag" here and are not expected to pick up until well after the first of the year. The tax assessor-collector and his office deputies would like, however, for those who intend to pay their poll tax to do so before too far up in January and make those last few days before the deadline as light as possible. There's lots of other work to be done at the tax office in addition to writing poll tax receipts.—CD

Drive carefully for a happier holiday

Garza counties are urged to help make the Christmas-New Year's season one of the safest instead of the most deadly we have ever had on Texas highways.

A prediction of 111 traffic deaths, one of the largest in recent years, has been made by the Texas Department of Public Safety due to the 12-day length of the holiday period and its two weekends.

Here's a good citizenship formula

There are times when we would like to have some formula for determining whether or not we are good citizens. Or, whether or not our neighbors are good citizens.

About the best formula we have seen is a list of questions that were originated by the Texas Council of Churches.

If you can answer all of these eight questions in the affirmative, you score 100 per cent.

We challenge you to test yourself and if you fall considerably short of the 100 per cent mark, don't be dismayed—most of the rest of us are right down there with you.

Have you qualified yourself to vote by obtaining a voting poll tax receipt or an exemption

If our homes are to remain secure and our families complete for what should be the happiest season of the year, then everyone needs to drive more carefully than ever. Nothing can help make a happy Christmas more certain than careful driving and obedience to the traffic laws, designed for our personal safety.

Don't let a collision—nor any other kind of traffic accident—spoil your holiday.—CD

What our contemporaries are saying

Families used to be considered shiftless if they lived from payday to payday. Now they wish they could.—The Ochiltree County Herald.

Every man has a right to his own opinion, but no man has a right to be wrong in his facts.—The Andrews County News.

Why can't men adopt a live-and-let-live philosophy of life? The world offers unlimited opportunity for all who would pursue success—and it

is never necessary to walk over a neighbor to achieve success.—The Tullia Herald.

We're glad to note there was little willful destruction of property by youngsters in Tahoka Halloween night. Instead, the kids seemed to have a lot more fun "spooking" and "trick-or-treating." We're proud of our Tahoka kids, most of whom believe in clean fun but frown on property damage or destruction, minor hoodlumism, rowdiness and pranks that hurt or embarrass other people.—The Lynn County News.

THURSDAY to THURSDAY

By CHARLES DIDWAY

MERRY CHRISTMAS, everybody!

The wife and I got our best Christmas present a few days early when our first grandchild was born on Dec. 15. Then, a few days later, the oldest boy came home on Christmas leave from Fort Belvoir, Va. Which proves that not all Christmas gifts are wrapped in gaily colored paper and tied with satin ribbons.

RIGHT NOW, Walter, Curtis and I are "sweating" it out whether my wife and their mother will be back from Grand Prairie in time for Christmas, or whether she's going to have to stay a day or two over the holiday with her new grandson. If she isn't here for Christmas, it will be the first time in 26 years, but then they say there's a first time for everything.

Anyway, I'm glad she put up the tree before she left. It's the 26th one she has put up since we've been married, and the only way I've ever helped has been in untagging the Christmas tree lights after taking them down and dusting them off.

CHRISTMAS CARDS present a problem to most of us. The way they "bug" me is that I get cards years after year from friends and relatives to whom I didn't send one. The wife always asks me when she sits down to send the cards to provide her with a list of people to whom I want to send greetings. Invariably, I say, "O.K., I'll give you a list," and, invariably, I fail to do so. Then, overcome with remorse, I sit down and spend what little time I have off in writing letters explaining why I didn't send a Christmas card. It's about the only time of year I do any letter writing.

The best TV blooper I've heard in a long time came Saturday during the TCU-Clemson football game when the announcer referred to the TCU team as the "Frogged Horns."

IT WON'T BE long until 1960. I'm worried about a friend who told me the other day that ever since about 1954 he had been planning to do something he'd never done before in 1960, but that about six months ago he forgot what it was and that he was about to go nuts trying to think what it was he was going to do. If you think you've got troubles, ponder the plight of my forgetful friend!

One of the cleverest Christmas cards I've received comes from "the Scotchman," also known as George Samson. Scotty's greetings, printed on a brown paper sack, reads as follows: "I know this card ain't fancy, and it sure ain't much to send, but it brings a 'Merry Christmas' from a 'pore but honest friend'."

The Scotchman, incidentally, was feeling pretty good a few days ago after bumping into Jim Satterwhite of Lubbock, whom he hadn't seen for several years. Jim, who is a representative of Reed S. Lehman Co., dealers in seeds, had quite a story to tell after Scotty got through with the introductions.

Jim, a 1929 graduate of Post High School, gives Scotty full credit for his success as a 4-H Club boy back about 1926. He said each member of the newly organized 4-H Club here had a Duroc Jersey project and was supposed to have a side project as well. Jim said he got his from Scotty, who gave him five acres of milo maize, which made 11 tons and helped Jim win a trip to the 4-H Club Congress at Chicago as the first Garza County boy ever to attend the event.

"THE SEED Mr. Samson gave me had been screened by him and made the prettiest field of grain you ever saw," Jim said. "It was so pretty that it looked like you could walk right over the top of it, like a carpet."

There is something about this time of the year, when Christmas comes, that makes it easy to think of others. Our thoughts are naturally turned toward good will and good cheer. We remember that "it is more blessed to give than to receive," and we find happiness in making others happy. It is the natural thing to do at Christmas.

BUT HOW WILL you feel next July? Will you still have some of that holiday spirit when it's summer instead of winter, and Christmas six months away? Will you be as thoughtful of others when the weather is hot? Actually, the mere season of the year shouldn't make any difference. So let us resolve right now not to let the Christmas spirit die on the 26th of December. Let us carry it right on through the spring, summer, and fall, and have it still with us when the holidays come again next year.

Only the pyramids of Egypt remain of the seven wonders of the ancient world.

THE AMERICAN WAY



The Bible—Dominates Existence

About Your HEALTH

A weekly public service feature from HENRY A. NOLLE, D.D., Commissioner of Health, Texas State Department of Health.

Six neatly mimeographed sheets of paper, dully titled "Minimum Standards for Homes Providing Custodial or Attendant Care," are actually the Bill of Rights for thousands of aged Texans confined in nursing and convalescent homes.

"Minimum Standards" are State Board of Health regulations governing the level of care and comfort homes must give elderly guests before they can be licensed. And since they're the detail under which the nursing home licensing law is administered by the State Department of Health, the regulations carry the weight of law.

The law became effective almost seven years ago—on June 1, 1953. Last year, the Board of Health upgraded the standards. Among other things the amendment says: New nursing homes must be built as fire proof as possible, with vertical openings screened and

stairways enclosed. No existing buildings may be converted for nursing homes which for any reason would be hazardous for guest. All plans and specifications for new construction must first be submitted to State Health Department engineers for review, and existing homes must remodel their facilities as soon as practicable to comply with upgraded regulations.

What has happened in the year since the amendment was adopted? How well are nursing home operators cooperating in the drive to insure the health and comfort of elderly residents? A single day's mail shows:

A Navasota home has completed installation of a new fire resistant roof. In Temple a home operator announces a schedule where by October of 1960 all heaters will be of an approved type and all outside walls fire resistant.

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A Joyous Christmas

As the merry Christmas bells echo far and near, as friends and families gather to celebrate the happiest of holidays, we wish for everyone the season's best.

LEVI'S RESTAURANT

"Where Good Food is Never Accidental"

Everybody Reads The Dispatch Want Ads

SEASONS WISHES
It's time again to wish you great joy all through this happy holiday season!
Gale's Beauty Shop
Mary Gale, Wyvone and Ruth Ann

BUSINESS SERVICES DIRECTORY

YOUNG'S FOOD MARKET PHONE 14
WE GIVE Big Chief Trading Stamps
416 SOUTH BROADWAY

AMBULANCE TELEPHONE 440
"Oxygen Equipped" SERVICE
Mason Funeral Home
POST, TEXAS "Since 1915"

CASEY & WELCH ELECTRIC PHONE 77
ALL KINDS OF OIL FIELD AND RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC SERVICE
Off Curve on Lubbock Highway
Night if No Answer

SHAMROCK OF POST
NORTH BROADWAY — NEVER CLOSED
We'll Service Your Car Anytime
WYLIE OIL COMPANY

Complete Repair Service On RADIO AND TELEVISION TELEPHONE 316
TV-APPLIANCE CENTER
Ed Sawyers
POST, TEXAS

SPARKS TV PHONE 570
We Service All Makes And Models of TV Sets.
218 West Eighth

Look Your Best in Clothes Cleaned By TELEPHONE 242-W
WEST SIDE CLEANERS
C. H. HARTEL
POST, TEXAS

CITY LAUNDRY SERVICE TELEPHONE 530-W
FLAT FINISH, FLUFF DRY WET WASH
For Prompt Pickup Service — CALL

BAKER ELECTRIC TELEPHONE 266-W
Machine Shop
SPECIALIZING IN MACHINE WORK!
108 West 5th
POST, TEXAS

THAXTON CLEANERS TELEPHONE 255
—FOR—
Dry Cleaning And Dyeing
We Give S & H Green Stamps
POST, TEXAS

Shytle's Implement Co. TELEPHONE 33
JOHN DEERE
Quality Farm Equipment
POST, TEXAS

TEXAS ELECTRIC CO. DAY - NIGHT 614
OIL FIELD SERVICE—MOTOR REWINDING AND REPAIR NIGHT PHONE 791
206 South Broadway
POST, TEXAS

Santa learns from letters what children want

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good girl. Will you please bring me a doll, dishes, bowling set, house shoes, a stuffed animal?
Love,
Donna Maddox

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good girl. I am in the second grade. Will you please bring me a Tiny Tears doll?
Susan Valdez

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a pair of roller skates, a puppy, and a bingo set. Thank you,
David Gage

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good girl. Will you please bring me a bike, a doll, dishes, a buggy, high heel shoes, and a high chair for my doll?
Carol Lu Carpenter

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good boy. Will you please bring me a Zorro suit, a Superman suit, and a bulldozer?
Randy Brooks

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a bicycle and a car and boat, guns, rifle, and clothes.
Love,
Alvin Hahn

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good girl. I am in the second grade. Will you please bring me a bike?
Margie Snow

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good girl. Will you please bring me a bike and a nurse's kit?
Thank you,
Linda Mae Foster

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good boy. Will you please bring me a football, a pair of guns, and a bicycle? Goodbye and thank you.
Dicky Hill

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good boy. I am in the second grade. I want a BB gun. I love you, Santa Claus.
Felipe Lopez

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good girl. Will you please bring me a doll, a set of dishes, and a doll buggy?
Barbe Jay Gilmore

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good girl. Will you please bring me dishes, a doll, and a pair of play high heel shoes?
Donna Sue Litton

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good boy. I am in the second grade. Will you please bring me a cattle truck?
Freddy Martinez

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll for Christmas. I love Santa Claus.
Frances Cervontz Ramirez

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a watch, jump rope, my birthstone ring, and I thank you very much.
Love,
Terry Blacklock

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good boy. Will you please bring me a football suit, a Zorro suit, a cowboy set, a truck, and a little army man. And that's all.
Johnny Hair



A TIP FOR SANTAS

Singing star Teresa Brewer gives Santa an imported Christmas assignment—the delivery of a U. S. Savings Bond to each of her four children. The lovely recording artist thinks that the now better-than-ever Savings Bonds make ideal Christmas gifts for children and adults alike.

Dear Santa Claus:
I wish I had a bobby sox set, play jewelry and case, hair spray set, learn to draw, house shoes and robe, and nurse's kit.
Love,
Sharyn Bilberry

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a doll with a wardrobe, a watch and ring with a necklace and matching bracelet. I want a bicycle basket and a nurse's case.
Love,
Brenda Stelzer

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a gun that has a picture of a gun on the buckle that you push a little button and the gun pops out and shoots a bullet.
Love,
Ronnie Williams

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a big doll, paint set, and a dollbuggy, records and a birthstone ring. And some clothes for my doll.
Love,
Olivia Lewis

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a bride doll and clothes, jewelry, comb set, and a toy Christmas tree with decorations.
I love you,
Doris Gill
P. S. Merry Christmas.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a bicycle for Christmas.
Love, Santa Claus,
Joe Perez

Dear Santa Claus:
I want many things for Christmas. I want a watch, tights, a big doll, candy, fruit, games, night clothes, and some new clothes.
Love,
Mary Brewer

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me a showdown gun set, a bicycle, a dump truck, and a cattle truck.
Love,
Thomas Hall

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll and doll wardrobe and some dishes. Thank you.
Love,
Lillie Pauline Wilke

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a bicycle. I would like to have some guns, and a football. I would like to have a bow and arrow. Please remember all other boys and girls.
Love from your friend,
Freddy Collazo

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good boy. Please bring me an H. O. Gauge electric train and a showdown gun set. Please bring my brother something too.
Love,
Charles Lewis Neff

Dear Santa Claus:
I wish to have a bicycle for Christmas and a doll. I wish I had a lot of things but if I started to write them I wouldn't get through. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Love,
Isabell Valdez

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a doll and a baby buggy? Will you bring me a record player and some church records? Will you bring me a stuffed bear? Will you bring me a camera?
Love,
Jannie Hill

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a baseball bat, a bicycle, a BB gun, a car coat, a pair of mittens, a five dollar bill, a pair of boots, a cowboy hat, and a sled. I want about five boxes of BBs and a Merry Christmas!
Love,
Calvin Davis

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Trampoline for Christmas. And a Shirley Temple storybook and a canopy bed. A watch, too. And an ironing board.
Love,
Donna Stewart

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a big doll and a little table, and I want some candy and then I want a little train. Please send me some little dishes and I want a little can of paint and I want a little bear. I want a little Tiny Tears doll with hair. We are going to have lots of fun.
Mary Alice Sanchez

Dear Santa:
Christmas is about to be here. Santa, I'd like you to bring me a bride doll and a story book, sewing machine and skates, and a Tiny Tears doll. That's all I want. I hope you don't get sick because I'd like to have some toys for my sister. I'd like her to have some because I like her and want her to have a princess doll and for my brother I'd like him to have a Roy Rogers gun. And for my other brother, I'd like him to have a Gene Autry gun. And that's all.
With love,
Rebecca Martinez

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Cheyenne singing saddle gun. And a watch. And I want a model of the Rambler that I saw at Wacker's. And a space helmet. And a cowboy shirt that I saw.
Love,
Larry Wayne Brown

Dear Santa:
Christmas is about here. Santa, I'd like you to bring me a walking doll that has high heels and a dress and housecoat and house shoes. Will you bring me a watch for Christmas, Santa? Will you bring me a bicycle for Christmas? Will you bring me a pair of skates for Christmas? Will you bring me a typewriter for Christmas?
Love,
Loretta Shaw

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like an electric train for Christmas.
Love,
Jackey Mears

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll and squawboots (black squawboots). Doll needs some clothes, too.
Love,
Nancy Robinson

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like an air gun and I want an electric train.
Love,
Mike Bingham

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a record player and a three year old doll, and some pretty clothes.
Love,
Linda Ramage

Dear Santa Claus:
This is what I want. A doll with clothes and I want her to have white hair, too.
Love,
Debbie Cummings

Dear Santa Claus:
I want some mittens and a sweater. You are a very, very good friend. I want a doll for Christmas.
Your old friend,
Patricia Bullard

Dear Santa Claus:
Christmas is growing near. I hope that you will have your reindeer ready. Will you bring me an electric football game. I have been good at home.
Your friend,
Mike Robinson

Dear Santa Claus:
For Christmas I want a baby buggy to put my doll in. I want some doll clothes to put on my doll. I want ten doll dresses for my doll. Happy Christmas and a New Year's Day.
Love,
Rose Mary Beene

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a big fire truck, a basketball and goal and a rifle for Christmas.
Your friend,
Arnold Lee Fry

Greetings OF THE Season

Christmas is in the heart, where joys are deeper and fond friendships are cherished. May your Yuletide be a cheerful one for you and your family.

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The Season's GREETINGS

All of us here wish 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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Greetings

Let us rededicate ourselves to the way of life He asked of us, as we celebrate the time of our Saviour's birth.

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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.

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County records

Oil and Gas Lease
Mrs. J. R. Durrett and others to R. Paul Ricker, southwest quarter Section 1311, T11R Survey.

Deeds
Charles R. Taylor Sr. and wife to A. T. Nixon, Lot 1 and west 24 feet of Lot 2, Block 134, Post; \$9,518.70.
Bryan J. Williams to James R. Matthews and wife, Lot 3, Block 2, Sunset Addition; \$2,500.

C. J. Hunt and wife to J. T. Shepherd and wife, Lot 3, Block 43, Post; \$3,750.
Arbury E. Payne and wife to L. R. Mason, north half Lots 9 and 10, Block 6, Post; \$6,999.63.

Marriage Licenses
Kenneth Morris Callaway and Karen Gail Pennell; Dec. 17.
Jose Isabel Jimenez and Victoria Molina; Dec. 18.
James Robert Nash and Annie Movena Striblin; Dec. 18.
Carl Truman Ashley and Mary Ruth Reiger; Dec. 21.

Divorce Suits
Freda Dee Teaff vs. Auda Vee Teaff.

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FOR SALE—Two lots, located Third Street and Avenue R, See J. Lee Bowen, Post, Tex. tfc (10-1)

FOR SALE—3 bedroom house attached garage, fenced, 1 block to new school, my equity, low payments. Phone 628-W, after 5. tfc (12-24)

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

TWO-BEDROOM and den, full basement, wall to wall carpet, draperies included, furnished apartment to rent. \$2,500 down, balance payable 10 years from apartment income.

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FOR SALE—Large two-bedroom home, with garage. 609 S. Ave. P. Phone 87-W. tfc (12-24)

FOR SALE—3 bedroom home, corner, and adjoining 3-room house, back redwood fence, all paved, 160 foot front. Priced to sell. Telephone 547 or 637 tfc (11-19)

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Political Office Announcements

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For County Sheriff:
J. W. (Red) FLOYD

For County Attorney:
THOMAS W. GAMBLIN

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
T. H. TIPTON (re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:
RACY ROBINSON (re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:
OZELL WILLIAMS (re-election)

For Precinct 1 Constable:
J. A. JOHNSON (re-election)

For Sale

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FOR SALE—1957 Chevrolet Station Wagon. First National Bank. tfc (12-24)

FOR SALE—1959 Ford Galaxy, contact First National Bank. tfc (12-24)

FOR SALE—Good pen fed Hereford beef, 5 miles north on Rails road. Ray Hodges. 4tp (12-24)

FOR SALE—1958 Mercury. One owner car. Power equipment. Contact First National Bank. tfc (12-24)

Art class entertained with Christmas party

Mrs. Gladys Presson entertained members of her art class with a Christmas party last Thursday afternoon at Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church.

Following group singing of Christmas carols games were played and gifts were exchanged, with a grab bag as a follow-up.

Refreshments were served. Guests included: Terry and Patti Power, Jimmy and Barbara Bartlett, Giles McCrary Jr., Neff Walker, Karen Hundley, Jan Olson, Sammy Harper, Jimmy Mann, Tommy Allen, Paul Harmon, Marcia Newby, Lynn Edwards, Doyle Nichols, Ronald Thuet, Linn Warren, Finis Corley, Wesley Williams, Richard Scott, and Larry and Marta Matthews.

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Farms for sale

FOR SALE—165-acre irrigated farm: two fours and one five inch well. Six miles south of Southland. Want to sell before Jan. 1. Mrs. J. R. Baker Estates. See H. E. Baker, Meadow, Texas.

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Any man who looks up his family tree is apt to get out on a limb.

Wanted

WANTED: Qualified irrigation man and all-around farmer; references required; straight salary or commission; yearly contract. See M. J. Malouf, Post, Texas. 3tc (12-10)

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If you care to drink, that's your business. If you'd like to quit, that's our business. Call 320 or 118. 52p (5-14)

Close City people spend Christmas in Crystal City

By MRS. WILL TEAFF

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Maddox and Mr. and Mrs. Will Teaff were in Lubbock Thursday and visited with Mrs. Lee Dodson, who is in the Popular Grove Rest Home. Also with Mrs. Milton Bayer and new daughter, Margaret Laine, in the West Texas Hospital. En route they also visited in Slaton with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Snider.

Mrs. Dee Smith and little son, Ben J. of Iran, visited in the Roy Teaff home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Tipton left Tuesday morning to spend the holidays in Crystal City with her father and other relatives. En route they will stop in San Angelo for a visit with Allen Cash, a former resident of this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Teaff visited in Brownfield Sunday evening with the Milton Bayer family. Sunday night visitors in the Will Teaff home were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cockrell and Freddie and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teaff and Rodney of Post.

A Japanese attempt to conquer Korea late in the 16th Century was thwarted by ironclad "turtle ships" which destroyed the Japanese fleet.

Spain is noted for olives wine, but it is also one of the greatest sources of cork in the world. World Book Encyclopedia reports that Spain and Portugal together produce three fourths of the world's cork supply.

Classifieds always get results

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



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'57 CHEVROLET, 210, 4-door, V8, air conditioned, powerglide. Real Bargain	\$1250
'55 BUICK, Special Club Sedan, V8, Dynaflo, radio, heater	\$995
'56 FORD Fairlane, Fordor, V8, Fordomatic, tutone blue. Extra Nice. local Owner	\$1150
'56 MERCURY Club Sedan, stick shift, tutone, V8, white side walls	\$975
'55 FORD, Economy, Tudor, 6 cylinder. New Overhauled Engine	\$675
'53 CHEVROLET, Real Economy Tudor, 6 Cyl. Model. Local Owner	\$487
'53 MERCURY V8, Club Sedan, overdrive, radio, heater	\$450
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Southland church scene of Double ring wedding service

Miss Karen Gail Pennell and Kenneth Morris Callaway were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the Southland Baptist Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Pennell and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Callaway are parents of the bridegroom.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Eddie Fortson, pastor, before background decorations accented with poinsettias. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a gown of silk mist taffeta. The molded bodice featured a portrait neckline of re-embroidered alencon lace dotted with seed pearls. The neckline deepened into a low scoop back and the long sleeves featured tiny covered buttons and tapered to petal points above the hands. The voluminous floor-length skirt was highlighted with scattered motifs of applied lace dusted with seed pearls. Her elbow length veil was of silk illusion held with a tiara accented in pearls. The bride carried a bouquet of a white orchid and rosebuds atop a white Bible.

Mrs. Mitchell Malouf of Big Spring, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a red silk chiffon and lace dress, fashioned with a full skirt and matching jacket. She also wore a red feather hat and red satin shoes and carried a bouquet of red and white carnations.

E. L. Dunn of Southland was best man. Assuming duties as ushers were Jerry Bennell, brother of the bride, and Joe Neil Hargrove. Candles were lighted by Chris Gindorf and Harold Wayne Donahoo.

Wedding music was provided by Mrs. H. D. Taylor, pianist, and Misses Janyce Ellis and Sharla Taylor. Miss Ellis sang "Whither Thou Goest" and Miss Taylor sang "The Lord's Prayer".

A reception followed in the home of the bride's parents in Southland. Members of the house party were Mrs. Don Kelly, Mrs. Larry Alford, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, Mrs. Carl Cederholm, Mrs. Jack Myers, Mrs. G. D. Ellis, Mrs. Kenneth

Davies, Mrs. Sam Ellis, and Mrs. J. H. Haire. Guests were registered by Mrs. Jack Pearson.

For a wedding trip to New Mexico, the bride wore an off-white wool jersey suit with a white fur collar and vintage and white accessories.

Mrs. Callaway is a graduate of Southland High School and attended Texas Tech. She is presently employed by Basinger Drilling Co. in Southland. The bridegroom is also a graduate of Southland High School and is employed by Basinger Gin Co. of Southland.



MRS. KENNETH MORRIS CALLAWAY (Miss Karen Gail Pennell)

Barnum Springs HD Club has Christmas party Thursday

The Barnum Springs Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Wilson D. Williams for their Christmas social.

Following a brief business session, Mrs. Pete Pennell and Mrs. Bill Long presented a selection of Christmas readings.

After the exchanging of gifts, members wrapped ten packages of cookies, candy and fruit, which were delivered to shut-ins.

Those attending the event were: Mrs. Wade Ray, Mrs. J. P. Ray, Mrs. Jim Graves, Mrs. W. C. Ryan, Mrs. Tom Henderson, Mrs. Pete Pennell, Mrs. Bill Long, Mrs. Don Rose, Mrs. B. H. Barton, a guest, Mrs. Boone Pennell, and the hostess.

Mrs. Avery Moore and Mrs. Jewell Long were unable to attend due to illness in the family.

STUDENT VISITS
Miss Marilyn Steel, student at Cisco Junior College, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Steel.



Justice of Peace AND MRS. D. C. ROBERTS

Miscellaneous shower held for Leslie Nichols Friday

The Graham community home of Mrs. Quannah Maxey provided the setting Friday evening for a miscellaneous bridal shower honoring Miss Leslie Anita Nichols, bride-elect of Auvy Lee McBride.

Guests were invited to call between 7 and 9 o'clock. Miss Shirley McBride, sister of the prospective bridegroom, presided at the bride's book where approximately 50 guests were registered.

Decorations in green and white were featured in the entertaining rooms.

The serving table was laid in green under a white crocheted cloth and was highlighted with a centerpiece composed of a miniature gold Christmas tree flanked with gold and green tapers. In front of the tree were white streamers with the couple's names in green glitter and suspended from the ceiling was a "cloud" centered with a miniature bride.

Punch, cake, mints and nuts were served by Mrs. Leon Davis and Mrs. Novis Pennell. A crystal service was used.

Hostesses for the event were: Mrs. Roy Josey, Mrs. Vera Gossett, Mrs. Max Gordon, Mrs. Novis Pennell, Mrs. Rex Welch, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Delmer Cowd-

Graham club reveals secret pals at social

Secret pals were revealed when the Graham Thursday Club held their Christmas social last week at the home of Mrs. P. E. Stevens. Gifts were exchanged and the rest of the afternoon spent in a social hour.

Guests for the event were: Mrs. Glenn Davis, Mrs. Jess Probst, Mrs. Bill McMahon, Mrs. Will Wright, and Mrs. Stevens. Special guest was Mrs. Henry Thurman of Lincoln, Ark.

INVITATION EXTENDED

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nichols extend an open invitation to friends and relatives to attend the marriage of their daughter, Leslie Anita, to Auvy Lee McBride. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theilbert McBride.

The couple will be married Saturday, Dec. 26, in the First Baptist Church at 7:30 p. m.

Garza County couple's grandson married Sunday in Littlefield

Twin rings were exchanged by Miss Patsy Bee Street and Joe Hoover at their wedding in the First Methodist Church of Littlefield Sunday. The Rev. Alby Cockrell officiated for the 3:30 p. m. ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bee Street and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hoover and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hoover of the Graham community.

Escorted in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of bridal taffeta and Alencon lace, enhanced with seed pearls. The full skirt swept to a chapel train and was highlighted with lace motifs. A Juliet hat held her veil of silk illusion and she carried small white orchids and English ivy.

Mrs. Clifton Cutsall of Littlefield was matron of honor and Miss Teddye Jo Bitner was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Roxene Bingham and Joy Windwehen.

The bridegroom's brother, Bob Hoover, was best man. Grooms-men were Andy Parker, Buddy Jones and Roger Lowe and ushers were Bill Wade, Michael Greer and Mickey Ratliff. JoAnn Hall and Sandra Kimbrough were candlelighters.

Miss Paula Sue Jensen was organist and Misses Bitner and Johnita Gallini were soloists.

The bride chose a green and white wool tweed suit for their wedding trip to Dallas. They will be at home in Littlefield.

An attempt to ban gypsy camps by law from areas in South Africa is said to have failed.

Colombia hopes to have its first steel flat rolling mill operating by mid-1960.

The Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland has dropped final curbs on the repatriation of foreign capital, Salisbury reports.



Postscripts

Amid decorations depicting a "Winter Wonderland" theme, approximately 60 young people were guests Saturday night for a buffet dinner and dance at the game room of the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Minor. Hosts for the event were Mike Cornell, Sharon Jobe and Jimmy Minor. Snowmen, cedar and sprayed tumbleweeds created the atmosphere for the semi-formal event.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young and daughter, Mrs. Helen Richards, Mrs. Vera Cockrell, and Freda Teaff, all of Post, were among those attending a pre-Christmas dinner Sunday in the Lubbock home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Richards. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker and daughters of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Devitt and Rickety, Mrs. Helen Richards and sons of Lubbock, and Wayne Kennedy and Pat Young of Snyder.

The eighth grade sextet, accompanied by their director, Georgie M. Willson and Mrs. H. W. Schmidt, attended a Christmas party of the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority in Lubbock last Thursday evening and sang several Yuletide carols. Members of the sextet are Susie Jo Schmidt, Margie Harrison, Adelida Morales, Argan Robinson, Linda Pennell and Linda McMahon.

Like many other families over the country, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Fowler, 304 West 12th Street, will have their sons and daughters and their families home for the Christmas holidays. Spending Christmas here will be Mr. and Mrs. Dale L. Arnold of Missoula, Mont., Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jackson of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt M. Fowler of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fowler and family of Lubbock, and the Fowlers' grandson and his family, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Fowler of Abilene. Gifts will be exchanged and opened under a tree brought from the forests of Montana.



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Double ring rite Sunday unites Jerry McCampbell, Barba Gaines

Standing before an archway of greenery and white carnations flanked with candelabra, Miss Barba Nell Gaines and Jerry Don McCampbell were united in marriage Sunday in La Mesa, Calif.

Maurice Meredith officiated for the double ring ceremony at 8 p. m. in the La Mesa Church of Christ, 8510 La Mesa Blvd.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas Gaines, 4685 Third Street, La Mesa, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCampbell, 112 South Avenue P., Post.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace styled with a V-neckline re-embroidered in seed pearls. The fitted bodice was highlighted with tiny buttons down the back and long fitted sleeves. The full skirt swept into a chapel train. Her veil of silk illusion was elbow-length and she carried a bouquet of orchids atop a white Bible.

Miss Carol Schneider was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Shirley Nicks and Miss Foyetta Farris. They were dressed in green satin gowns, fashioned similar to that of the bride's.

Miss Maureen Ann Gaines, sister of the bride, was flower girl. Guests were registered by the bridegroom's sister, Miss Judy McCampbell.

The bridegroom's father attended him as best man. Ushers were Tom Gaines, brother of the bride, and Frank Gaines, uncle of the bride.

Following a wedding trip to parts of New Mexico and Texas, the couple will be at home at 4106B 36th Street, Lubbock.

For travel she wore a grey suit with red accessories.

Mrs. McCampbell attended San Diego State College and Abilene Christian College before her marriage was employed by the Security First National Bank in San Diego. The bridegroom is attending Texas Tech and is employed by the First National Bank of Lubbock. He also attended Abilene Christian College.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaines and family of Rivera, Calif.; Mrs. Inez Satterwhite of Post, grandmother of the bridegroom; Mrs. Cornett and Clarice, Mrs. Hazel Evans of Long Beach and formerly of Post, and the bridegroom's aunt, Mrs. Bill Cravy of Seminole who served at the reception.

The bride was honoree for a bridal shower given by Mrs. Lillian Roach and Shirley Nicks at 8050 Vista Drive in La Mesa recently.

Morris family has Christmas dinner

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Morris of the Close City community were hosts Sunday for a Christmas dinner for members of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Morris.

Those present for the day and exchanging of gifts included: Mr. and Mrs. Orville Morris, Sharon, Orvella, and Joe Don, and Mrs. Victor Arnold, Cecilia and Mike, all of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morris of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Thompson, Kenneth, Patsy and Gloria, Jeanie Gandy of Tahoka, Jack, Jerry and Sheila Morris, and the host couple.

The terms niggardly and cheese-paring are music to his ears, Britain's Chancellor of the Exchequer declared.



MRS. JERRY DON McCAMPBELL (Barba Nell Gaines)

OUR FIRESIDE CHRISTMAS VISIT

If would be such a privilege to be able to visit with each of you Christmas Day and express, personally, our sincere thanks and appreciation to you as customers, and our deep pride and enjoyment in having you as friends. However, since this is a physical impossibility, we are taking this means of contacting you as individuals to tell you what a privilege it has been to serve you in the past and it is with great pleasure that we look forward to serving you even better in the future.

You have become as a part of our family and we take great pride in this sincere relationship.

This is the only time of year that C. R. and I feel envy in our hearts for the Millionaire... as we would love to let our hearts go Christmas shopping and do all the wonderful things we would like to for all of our wonderful friends... However, since we aren't Millionaires... and we can't do all these things... we will just do the best we can and hope that all of you can sense the warm sincere feeling as we wish for you and your loved ones...

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Ol' St. Nick gets letters galore

Dear Santa Claus:
Christmas is growing near. I hope you have your reindeer ready because you'll be flying a long way. Will you please bring me a rocket launching set, a Winchester stagecoach set, a bicycle, a flashlight, and a hatchet. So long 'til next year. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Your friend,
Larry Matthews

Dear Santa Claus:
Christmas is getting near and we'll be good until you get here. Now I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a horse, a football, a baseball glove and a pet bird, and a pair of new shoes. And that's all.
Love,
Clyde Westbrook

Dear Santa Claus:
It is getting close to Christmas and I would like to have a Rifleman gun, Colt 45 and give my mother a dress and house shoes. And my daddy a watch and a shirt. And there's some more things I want but first do this, give my sister a doll and a dress, please. And I want one more thing and that is for you. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. That was not the end. I wish you would be careful if you get hurt it will not be a very happy Christmas. So please be careful, please.
With love,
Clarence Warren

Dear Santa:
I would like a football, a microscope set, and some shoes, I sure hope you have a good trip.
Merry Christmas,
Danny Cooper

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a football, and baseball, a game, a truck, and a train. I want a horse and an airplane.
Yours only,
Bobby Smith

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a gun, a bugle, some skates, and that is all.
Yours truly,
Chris Stelzer

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you bring me a bicycle and lots of toys and my little sister a doll and some plates. Will you bring my Mother a pretty dress.
Lillie Nanager

Dear Santa Claus:
I am going to be very glad because I told my mother to tell Santa Claus to bring me a baby bed for the doll, and a bicycle, and lots of clothes, and a pair of socks to wear, and a pair of rainboots for Christmas.
Merry Christmas,
Estelle Sanchez

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a globe and a doll for Christmas. My sister wants a doll and a bicycle.
I hope your reindeer are ready because they will have a long trip.
Merry Christmas,
Adrienne Cook

Dear Santa:
I would like you to bring me a Shirley Temple storybook and a pair of Lone Ranger guns for my brother. And if you don't mind, I would like you to bring me a little grown-up doll. I have waited a long time for the things that I want.
Love,
Pat Roberts

Dear Santa:
I want a doll. I want a bicycle I want two little training wheels on it.
Stephanie Jane Davis

Dear Santa:
I am a little two-year-old boy. I have tried to be a good boy. Would you please bring me a big red tractor and anything else you want to bring me.
Remember all the other good boys and girls.
Joe Neal Clary

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 4 years old. Please bring me a scout rifle, a cattle truck and a tractor with all the equipment. Bring my little brother a baby doll. I love you very much.
Johnny Johnson
Route 3

Dear Santa Claus:
I hope you will have a happy Christmas. And in the meantime, I hope you bring me many Christmas-masses that I will enjoy. That's all.
Love,
Daniel Mindieta

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy. I would like to have a bicycle and boots and spurs. I would like also a bow and some arrows. I would like some guns, too. Santa, please remember all other boys and girls.
Love,
Norman Tanner

Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Ronnie Joe Jackson. I would like a play filling station for Christmas. I wish you would bring my mother a coat for Christmas. Are you going to use your deer and sleigh on Christmas night?
Love,
Ronnie Jackson

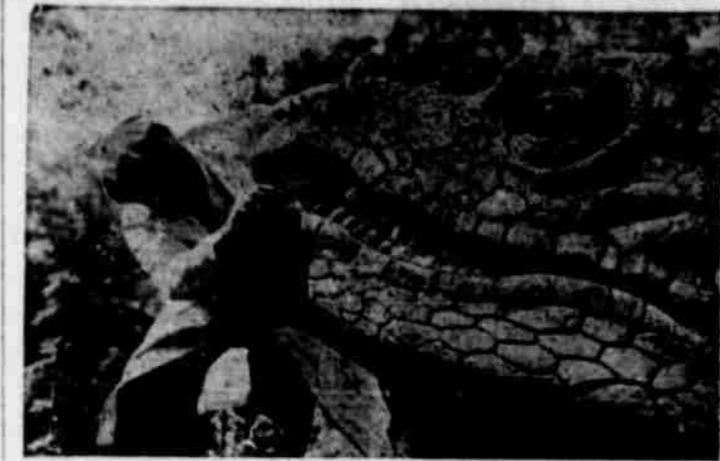
I would like a stuffed animal to go on my bed, a bicycle, and a record player. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Teresa Maddox

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a bicycle. Could you bring me one? I would like a rocket set. I would also like a watch.
That is all!
Gary Dee Jones
P. S. I would also like a rifle.

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a baby doll, a play telephone, some school supplies, a bicycle, concentration game, and some candy to put in my stocking. I guess that is all I would like.
Love,
Patsy Ann Pierce

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a set of guns which cost about \$4.35. I also want a coat, three shirts and three suits of Levis. I have something for you. You will not know what it is until Christmas. You will be surprised. Come to my house and you will see your surprise.
Joe Harold Reno

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a wrist watch and a big doll. I would also like a camera. I would like to have a game of croquet. I would like to have a Bubble doll. Please bring my family something. Best of all, they enjoy Christmas.
Mickie Taylor



BRIDGE TO PREHISTORIC — Sculptor Adam Bienkowski performs some dental work on a life-sized reproduction of Iguanodon, a dinosaur that stalked the earth in prehistoric days. The statue inhabits the gardens of the Crystal Palace in London, England.

Dear Santa:
I am trying to be very good. I hope I can be good until Christmas comes. My brother is going to get a wagon. Santa, I hope you don't ever get sick. And I hope the Lord will always be happy with what I do. I hope that we have a Merry Christmas, and you, too. Santa. And I hope the Lord will have a Merry Christmas. And this is what I want to say: Merry Christmas to all and to all a good night.
Love,
Frank Hernandez

Dear Santa:
Please Santa bring me a Miss Toni doll and a blue suitcase. Also, a canopy bed—the big one. I have been a good girl and I help mother, too.
Love,
Karen Hundley

P. S. Mrs. Whittenberg says please bring Mrs. Gandy, Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. Mock and Mrs. Raphael some chocolate bon-bons.

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Shirley Temple story book. And I would like for you to bring a Nancy Ann picnic doll. But most of all a Trampoline and a sewing machine and a bicycle and a play typewriter, and I would like for you to bring me a pair of black suede shoes.
Love,
Judy Dooley

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a princess doll. And please bring me a play chest to play with at home. I would like a set of dishes. My doll and I would have a play party with my dishes. I can't wait until Christmas comes.
Love,
Theresa Ann Sims

Dear Santa:
Will you bring me a play princess doll? Please bring me it, Santa. Santa, bring me a sewing machine so I can make doll dresses. I wish most of all I wish for a bicycle basket and a new wheel for my bicycle. And dear Santa, I wish you Merry Christmas and all of the reindeer a Merry Christmas.
Love,
Marla Carpenter

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a doll and a Shirley Temple storybook. I have a lot of dolls. But I have never had a storybook before. I wish you would bring it. I really do. Thank you very much.
Love,
Helen Ruth Hodges

Dear Santa:
Please get me some Roy Rogers guns and a bicycle and a derring-er. I want a Palladin gun and his things. Also, some more surprises.
Love,
Ricky Lee Gill

Dear Santa:
I want a Tiny Tears doll for Christmas. And I want a pair of skates. I want a girls bicycle. And I want a bride doll. I want a Shirley Temple storybook.
Love,
Carolyn Ledbetter

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Palladin gun, a two-gun set with 18 bullets. And a bicycle, size 26. For my sister, please get a bride doll for Christmas. My brother wants a train for Christmas, too. And I want Mother and Father and Larry and my sister, and me some clothes.
Love,
Jerry Crenshaw

Dear Santa:
Would you please bring me a princess doll and a typewriter, and I would like a little Trampoline. Please bring my little brother a gun. I would like you to bring my little sister a new ironing board.
Love,
Mary Ann Stelzer

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a pair of skates and a Shirley Temple doll. And a princess doll. Would you please bring me a watch and a bride doll, too. I would like for you to bring a sleigh too. Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll and a Miss Toni doll, too. Please bring me a bicycle and an electric train for my brother.
Love,
Sheryl Cooper

Dear Santa:
I would like for you to bring me something when you come to Post. I think I have been a good boy all year long. I would like for you to bring me a derring-er to go with other gun sets. I would like for you to bring me a Lone Ranger outfit. I would like for you to bring me some camping equipment and Santa, would you bring me a Trampoline when you come. I would like you to bring me a watch when you come because my other watch is broken. And I would like for you to bring my brothers a pair of Roy Rogers guns and a pair of guns for my other brothers. Thank you and goodbye until next Christmas.
With love,
Robert Hogue

Dear Santa Claus:
Would you please bring me a doll, some play dishes, and a pair of play high heels?
Love,
Kay Litton

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a doll and a buggy? I will be a good little girl. Merry Christmas. I love you very much.
Love,
Wanda Watts

Peace
On Earth, Peace, and Good Will to All Men.
May the spirit of Christmas be with you.

Western Construction Co.
SID CROSS

Spirit of Christmas

To rejoice in the glad message of the Christmas story... to treasure the blessings of home, family and friends... to know the rewards of giving... often richest when the gift is a smile or a greeting of warmth and cheer. May this spirit be yours this Christmas.

TV Appliance Center
ED SAWYERS

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!

Jeff Graham Trucking Co.

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

LOVELL'S HUMBLE SERVICE
DERL LOVELL

GREETINGS
The season's the season we're jumping for joy, with sincere thanks and best wishes for a happy holiday to all our loyal patrons!

KING'S AUTO ELECTRIC
REX KING

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Our Christmas wish for everyone we know is for a wonderful holiday season, just filled to overflowing with all the traditional joys, warm good cheer and good fellowship.

We'd like you to know how very much we have appreciated your patronage and we're looking forward to the pleasure of serving you in the future as we have in the past.

LOBBAN'S GULF SERVICE
Vernon A. Lobban

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a rifle. Please bring me some boots and a sack of candy. That is all.
Donald Long

Dear Santa:
Christmas is growing near. I would like a record player, a doll and a necklace.
Donna Jean Mathis

Christmas
To our friends, a holiday wish that they may enjoy all the best of the season.

CUSTOM UPHOLSTERY
N. M. SULLIVAN

Greetings

Our holiday wish for you comes straight from the heart... may this joyous season find you and your loved ones on the threshold of seeing all your dreams come true!

PLANTERS GIN
BUCK CRAFT, Manager

Santa keeps getting letters



No, 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.

O. K. FOODS
MR. AND MRS. TOM HARMON



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

JACKSON BROS. FOOD LOCKER
JIM AND BO



AT Christmas

Good wishes to you for a holiday full of the traditional joys of Christmas

SERVICE WELDING CO.

Dear Santa:
I do not have anything special that I want so just bring me anything.
Merry Christmas,
Sue Copple

Dear Santa:
I would like an electric train with eight cars and also a diesel with a sidetrack.
With love,
Weldon Lee

Dear Santa:
Please bring me some skates. And I want a bike. And I want some fruit in my stocking. I love you very much.
Dicky

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll, some candy and nuts. And a girl's bike and a pair of white rain boots. I want a watch. Merry Christmas.
With love,
Sandy Jones

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Rifleman's and a Colt .45 and a Josh Randall.
Love,
Manuel

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a baby doll. I love you, Santa Claus; I love you very, very much. I love your little helpers.
Love,
Mary Jane Johnston

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a radio and a play piano for Christmas.
Love,
Esperanze

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle. Please bring me a Colt .45.
Ralph

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Rifleman gun and a bicycle.
Love,
Loyd

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Toodles doll, doll bunk beds, a ring, and a bicycle.
Love,
Barbara Lucas

Dear Santa:
I would like a doll, piano, Coke machine, bicycle, puppet and a typewriter.
Love,
Deborah Eubank

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you bring me The Biggest Bear and a makeup set and a ballerina doll and a bicycle and a baton and a pair of skates and some dishes. This is it.
I love you, Santa Claus, for these toys.
Love,
Judy Sue Lofton

Top Hands in First National Finals Rodeo at Dallas



Tibbs

Buschbom

Wegner



Altizer

Charters

Shoulders

Top hands among contestants for the historic National Finals Rodeo to be staged here Dec. 26-30 in the State Fair Livestock Coliseum were announced this week. Leading money-winners in their respective events going into the first "world series of rodeo" are Casey Tibbs of Nemo, S. D., in saddle bronc riding, Jack Buschbom of Cassville, Wis., bareback bronc riding, Bob Wegner of Ponca City, Okla., Brahma bull riding, Jim Bob Altizer of Del Rio, Texas, calf roping, and Harry Charters of Melba, Idaho, in steer wrestling. Topping the field for All-Around Cowboy World Championship honors for the fourth straight year is Jim Shoulders of Henryetta, Okla., who competes in both bareback bronc and bull riding.

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a bicycle and a Colt .45 set.
Love,
Robert Watts

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a Winchester, a paladin set like they have at the drug store. I would like to have a cowboy hat. I would like to have a paladin suit. I would like to have a bubble gum machine.
Love,
Jerry Stanley

Dear Santa
I want a ricochet rifle for Christmas and a rocket set. You can bring me anything you want but don't forget the rocket set.
Thank you,
Larry Kirby

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Superman suit (size 10 b) a toy water cool machine gun, a radio, a pogo stick, a bicycle, a toy Colt .45, a .22 rifle.
Please don't forget the other boys and girls.
Love,
Timmons

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a makeup set and dishes and a bride doll and some skates and some fruit and candy.
I love Santa.
Kathy Sue Gill

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a doll and The Biggest Bear book and a football for my brother. And a doll for my sister too. And Please do.
Love,
Jodie Kolb

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a Johnny Ringo gun.
Thank you,
Jesse Hill

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle and a baby doll.
Love,
Sue

Dear Santa:
Please bring me an electric train and a car and skates. And bring me a football.
With love,
Domingo Lopez

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a BB rifle and a Pallid gun. And a train, electric, and a bike and jeep and a football suit and skates.
Love,
Silas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll, some candy and nuts.
With love,
Elizabeth Martinez

Dear Santa:
I want a watch and a doll and some dishes and a table and four chairs.
With love,
Martha Miller

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a real car and please bring me a bike. And please bring me a train. And please bring me a baseball, and please bring me a baseball glove. And please bring me a dog and please bring me a pair of cowboy boots.
(No name)

Dear Santa:
I am asking for a three year old doll. She wears a size three dress and size three in shoes. And skates please. And some pajamas and dishes. Thank you.
Love,
Nancy Hart

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a play jeep and a play car. And a pair of boots. And a pair of skates and a train.
With love,
Albert

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a ballerina doll. And some candy and nuts. Please bring me some ballbearing skates.
With love,
Karen Carpenter



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

CASTEEL STUDIO
CAL AND ROSE CASTEEL



Best wishes of the season to all of you whose friendship and patronage we value so highly. Here's hoping your holiday joys are sweeter than candy and much more enduring!

POST READY - MIX CONCRETE CO.
GEORGE BOOHER



O, come all ye faithful

Church bells ring... choirs of jubilant voices proclaim the glory of the Day. We too speak out to wish our friends all good things. May this Christmas season bring much happiness and great joy of spirit to you and those dear to you.

Garza Memorial Hospital
And Staff

Merry Christmas to All



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

FASHION CLEANERS
MR. AND MRS. ELTON LEE



Joy at Christmas

The time of happy hearts and uplifted spirits is with us now in all its glory. And, at this glad season, our special wish is for you... a sincere wish that this may be your best Christmas ever... rich in happiness, friendships and lasting spiritual joy.

R. G. Wilkerson, Manager
Wilson Supply Co.
Post, Texas

Plains Cotton Growers set 8-point program

Directors of the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., adopted an eight-point set of objectives to apply to future farm legislative proposals in the last official meeting of 1959, held Dec. 17 in Lubbock.

The group did not adopt a specific proposal for an overall farm program, but agreed on eight objectives as "broad principles" upon which the organization can stand until a farm bill is proposed.

The objectives call for a program "to protect farm income" and permit farmers to use land and equipment more effectively and efficiently. A one-price system for cotton to both domestic and foreign mills also was advocated. The group also agreed that a program is needed to reduce the surplus and prevent accumulation of new surpluses beyond that necessary for market stability, national defense or emergency. It should also provide means for orderly marketing and stability in price.

Another objective called for a program to increase consumption of cotton and expand production as needed. Cotton also should be made competitive in price and quality to synthetic fibers and foreign production.

The final two objectives called for a program to return cotton marketing to its normal channels of trade and to provide a public relations program designed to give the American public a true picture of agriculture.

PCG directors also toured the pilot spinning plant at Texas Tech and discussed cotton trailer licensing, farm labor issues, the vegetable oil situation and proposals by the American Cotton Producers Association and the Texas Cotton Association.

Wilmer Smith, vice president, announced that the USDA has announced that there will be no change in the skip-row planting program. Farmers will be permitted to plant this method if they so wish.

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Postings—

(Continued From Front Page) businessman and food merchant in King Ardis, former Lubbock grocer who has purchased the K&K Food Mart. This is to welcome King to a new hometown which we know he is going to like. Business changes come about the first of the year and by the time new little 1960 rolls around, there may be another one or two announced here.

To get this "greetings edition" to Dispatch readers before the big holiday, we went to press late Wednesday so we could get all the rural route papers and city residential delivery Dispatches into the postoffice by 8 a. m. for Christmas eve delivery.

Here's wishing all our friends and readers a Merry Christmas and the very best of the holiday season. The Dispatch office will be closed Saturday to give our employees a well-deserved holiday weekend after our Christmas rush.

Fat Stock Show catalogs mailed from Lubbock

Catalogs for the 27th Annual South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show, scheduled for March 21-22-23 at the Panhandle South Plains Fairgrounds in Lubbock, were mailed this week to all area county agents and vocational agriculture teachers, announced Charles Signor, general chairman of the Fat Stock Show.

Judges for this year's show have been named and include, Dean W. L. Stangal, Texas Tech, who will be judging the Fat Steer division in his 26th year of judging; Ray Mowery, Professor from the Texas Tech animal husbandry department, judging the Fat Lamb division; and Stanley Anderson, also a professor in Texas Tech's animal husbandry department, who will judge in the Fat Barrow division.

The Fat Stock Show is sponsored annually by the Panhandle South Plains Fair Association and the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce with its general aim and mission to "stimulate and advance the practice of feeding surplus feed to livestock for home and commercial use by the people of the South Plains and adjacent area."

A significant change in this year's show is evident in the medium Hereford steer division, with 25 premiums being awarded, an increase of ten over previous years. Similar premium increases have been made in the Angus or Shorthorn Steer division.

The show will conclude Wednesday, March 23, with an auction sale of premium-winning livestock, beginning at 10 a. m.

January 1 became generally accepted as New Year's Day in the 1500's when the Gregorian calendar was introduced, according to World Book Encyclopedia. But the new year still begins on March 21 in Iran. And the Hindus have a different New Year's Day for each of their many religious groups.

At least 36 species of fish enter New York harbor from the sea during spring, summer and fall.

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Game violators pay huge fines

AUSTIN — Game law violations from automobiles took top billing during the month of November, according to arrests reported by the director of law enforcement of the Game and Fish Commission.

Twenty-four persons were fined for hunting from automobiles, and another 19 for headlighting game animals, making a total of 43. Hunting without a license brought fines to 40 hunters; killing quail in closed season netted 18 fines, and exceeding the bag limit on doves brought 15 fines. Another 15 persons paid fines for hunting with unplugged guns. Shotgun used in hunting all migratory birds and game birds in Texas must be plugged to three shots. Many of the repeating shotguns in automobiles carry five shells in the magazine, and must be plugged back to hold only two shells in the magazine and one in the chamber.

There were 279 violations for the month, which brought in fines and court costs of \$9,469.45.

Post youths and counselors go to Wayland meeting

PLAINVIEW — Wayland Baptist College Pioneers' victory over Sul Ross State, 84-68, climaxed a day of varied activities at Wayland for 17 boys and two counselors, representing the Royal Ambassador organizations of Post's First Baptist Church and the Friendship Baptist Church.

The young boys toured the campus and enjoyed a well-rounded program of activities, along with others of the Lubbock and Dickens Baptist Associations.

Attending with counselor Jim Mallard Jr. of the First Baptist Church were Robert Lane Hogue, Walter Lee Johnson Jr., John Lee Norman, David Lee Heaton, Herman Freeman, Larry Johnson, Ernie Ryder, John Smith and Finis Corley.

Representing the Friendship Baptist Church were Boyd Copple, counselor, Gary Masters, Roy Harlan Sappington, Michael Ed Bates, Terry Cross, Bruce Masters, Wayne Masters and the Rev. Ed Bates, pastor.

The ancient Romans honored Janus, the god of gates and doors and of beginnings and endings, on the first day of the year. World Book Encyclopedia reports that Janus, for whom the month of January was named, was pictured with two faces, and looked both ahead and backward.

Waving coconut trees and forts and castles built along its coast by early European traders, are among the sights Ghana is offering to entice tourists.

New arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hudman of Crosbyton announce the birth of a daughter weighing seven pounds three ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carpenter of Taboka and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hudman of Post. The Hudmans are former Post residents.

Final days for deer hunt near

AUSTIN — Two more weeks remain of the general deer season in Texas. The season has been closed in that area west of the Pecos River and in numerous other counties with seasons of short duration.

In the Hill country and South Texas, the season on white-tailed deer will close Dec. 31.

The deer kill reported so far has averaged slightly more than last year's average in size and weight.

11 tickets filed in justice court

Eleven tickets were recorded in Justice of the Peace D. C. Roberts' court in the last seven days.

Three charges were filed by state highway inspectors against included fictitious tags on trailer, Curtis Louis Ross on Dec. 20. They over-width, and no Railroad Commission permit.

Other charges filed, and fines and costs paid where shown, are as follows:

M. E. Allen, Dec. 19, no burning taillight, \$16.50; James E. Anderson, Dec. 18, drunk in a public place, \$24.65; Alphenus Wynne, Dec. 11, speeding; J. H. MacCurdy, Dec. 11, speeding.

C. T. Dunn, Dec. 11, speeding; J. A. Fleming, Dec. 17, speeding, \$16.50; J. E. Anderson, Dec. 15, drunk; W. A. Poston, truck over gross weight, Dec. 14, and J. E. Smith, Dec. 15, shooting firearms in city limits.

GOOD LUCK CHORE

"Cleaning the slate" on New Year's Day once involved a lot of elbow grease. World Book Encyclopedia says the English used to clean the chimneys on the first of the year for good luck.

The U. S. government first minted five cent pieces in 1794. Today Americans spend the equivalent of 68,000,000 five cent pieces a day for their newspapers.

First Baptist to hold one morning service

Because of the holidays, there will be only one morning service at the First Baptist Church, the Rev. C. B. (Bill) Hogue, pastor, announced today.

The pastor said there will be no 8:30 a. m. service, but that the 11 a. m. service will be held and also the regular night service.

SINCERE WISHES



May Santa bring you everything you've ever wanted... as well as some wonderful things you never knew existed!

TRIANGLE SERVICE STATION
FRED LONG

Peace on Earth...
May the message of the first Christmas bring you great joy.
Dr. B. E. Young

SUPER VALUES in fine foods!

We Will Be Closed Christmas Day — Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year to All Our Wonderful Customers

BISCUITS

SHURFRESH 12 CANS \$1.00

NABISCO, 17 1/2 - OZ. BOX
WAVERLY WAFERS 29c
SUPREME CLUB, 1 - LB. BOX
CRACKERS 33c
NORTHERN, 4 ROLL PKG.
TISSUE 33c

GLADIOLA, 18 - OZ. BOX
POUND CAKE MIX 25c
KIMBELL'S, NO. 2 CAN
CHILI 59c
SHURFINE, HALVES, 303 CAN
BARTLETT PEARS 24c

EVAPORATED MILK SHURFINE, TALL CAN 2 FOR 25c
MOUNTAIN PASS, 303 CAN
TOMATOES 8 for \$1
RED ROSE, 10 - OZ. BAG
POP CORN 7c

SUN-DRENCHED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

MARYLAND SWEETS, LB. YAMS 5c
YELLOW POUND ONIONS 5c
FLORIDA, LB. ORANGES 7 1/2c
GOLDEN RIPE, LB. BANANAS 12 1/2c

SHORTENING

BAKERITE, 3 - LB. CAN 59c

SHURFINE, 14 - OZ. BOTTLE
CATSUP 19c
SHURFINE, No. 2 1/2 Can, Halves or Sliced
Tattered Tom Peaches 3-89c

MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING, PT. JAR 29c

AEROWAX, QUART CAN
FLOOR WAX 49c

OLEO

SHURFRESH 3 LBS. 56c

ADAMS, 46 - OZ. CAN
ORANGE JUICE 39c

KNAPP - MONARCH, \$19.95 VALUE
Portable Redi-Mixer. \$12.98

GERBER'S
BABY FOOD 3 cans 25c
DIAMOND, 8 in pkg., deluxe compartment
PAPER PLATES 19c

FROZEN FOODS

DONALD DUCK, 6 - OZ. CAN
ORANGE JUICE 2 for 35c
KEITH'S, 10 - OZ. PKG.
GREEN PEAS 15c
KEITH'S, 10 - OZ. PKG.
CUT CORN 15c
KEITH'S, 10 - OZ. PKG.
CUT OKRA 15c

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

INGRAM BARBER SHOP

POST WRECKING SERVICE
CHARLIE BAKER

THANKS.....

We've certainly appreciated your business at the K&K Food Mart the last six years.

We have sold the Food Mart to King Ardis, effective Sunday, Dec. 20, and know he will continue to serve you in all your food needs.

It has been a pleasure to serve you fine folks and again we say thanks.

WALLACE SIMPSON

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Santa Claus mail sack bulges

SECTION TWO The Post Dispatch

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Dear Santa:
I want you to bring me a doll and a big play house set. I am a girl in the second grade. Bring me a bicycle. Bring me a Coke machine, too.
Yours truly,
Dewey Craft

Dear Santa:
I am just a little three year old girl. Very pretty and sweet and I like everybody.
Although I don't remember very much about you, I know you're one of the kindest men on earth.
I need a tricycle this year. So I can go zooming through all the rooms at my house. And a music monkey to play with when I get tired riding.
Please don't forget my little cousin Travis. He's a good little boy.
Love you,
Kathe Bilberry

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a bike Santa. I have been thinking that maybe this Christmas that you could bring me a bike and next Christmas maybe you could bring me a H. O. gauge train.
Best wishes,
Steve Newby

Dear Santa:
I want a doll and a doll bed, and a purse.
Patricia Davis

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a BB rifle and a Palladin gun and a model plane that really flies and a football. And a pair of boots.
Randy Cobb

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll. Thank you, Santa.
With love,
Ernestina Solis

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a doll and a tea set. I want a ballerina doll. I do not know what you are going to put in my stocking. I want a little dog too.
Laura Clayton

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a baby doll that will change her face and a white fur coat and a baton that is silver and some old time dishes. And I wish you a Merry Christmas.
Love,
Julann Lancaster

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a bicycle and a pogo stick. I would like to have some fruit and nuts. I would like for you to give toys and fruit to every boy and girl.
Love,
Vicki Martin

Dear Santa:
I am a big girl. I am in the second grade. Please bring me a little doll. Dear Santa, bring me a play house, bring me some boots, a big truck and a stove. I am good.
Yours truly,
Linda Kay Sanchez

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy. I am in the second grade. Santa, bring me a bicycle and some trucks. And I want some spurs and a train and a Cheyenne set and a Shetland pony and boots.
Larry Mills

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl. I am in the second grade. Please bring me a blue baton, a pair of red velvet shoes, a pair of red house shoes, a Coke machine, a Sleeping Beauty doll, too.
Karon Windham

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl. I am in the second grade. I love you. I would like you to bring me a baby buggy, a baby doll, a set of dishes, a bicycle and a play stove. I love you. I am good.
Yours truly,
Nancy Sue Askins

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy. I am in the second grade. I want a bicycle for Christmas. I want an army set for Christmas. I want an air plane for Christmas. I want a Johnny Ringo gun for Christmas. I want a Fanner 50 gun for Christmas. I want a Cheyenne gun for Christmas.
Yours truly,
Kim Wilks

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl. I am in the second grade. I want a little dollhouse. I want a baby doll. I want a coke machine. I want a baton.
Yours truly,
Kim McClellan

Dear Santa,
I am a big boy. I am in the second grade. Santa, please bring me a real saddle and a Shetland pony. May I have you?
Yours truly,
Timothy Howell

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl. I am in the second grade. I want a table and a baby bed and I want a baby for Christmas. I hope that Rudolph and Dasher and Dancer and Prancer and Vixen and Comet and Donner and Blitzen are ready to go to see us. Good bye, Santa.
Yours truly,
Linda

Dear Santa:
I am a big girl. I am in the second grade. Santa please bring me a little doll and a doll buggy. Santa please bring me a table. Santa please bring me a play horse. Santa please bring me a bicycle. I am a good little girl!
Yours truly,
Kay Hundley

Dear Santa:
I am a big boy. I am in the second grade. Please Santa bring me a Shetland pony and a Cheyenne holster and rifle set and a spurs and train set. Hope you are good. A doctor set, too.
Yours truly,
Ricky Will McMillin

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy. I am in the second grade. I want a Roy Rogers set. I want a Cheyenne set. I want an army set. I want some boots. I want a play horse.
Yours truly,
Ronnie Mears

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl. I am in the second grade. I want a big doll. I want a baby buggy. I want a table. I want a pony. Please bring me a bicycle.
Bye, Santa.
Yours truly,
Willie Dee Oney

Dear Santa:
I want a cattle truck with a trailer and some horses. I would like a hat, too.
Love,
Johnny Pennell

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a Dixie mouse. And a Tiny Tears doll with blonde hair and clothes. I want her in a pen.
Your friend,
Brenda Lee

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a bicycle and a typewriter and a Colt .45, a football and a football suit and a football helmet.
Love,
Leroy Saldivar

Dear Santa Claus:
I want one little doll, a typewriter and a bicycle. I want some dishes and a Tiny Tears doll. I would like a rifle for my brother and a Christmas tree for my mother and daddy.
Love,
Edna Sepeda

Dear Santa:
I am a big girl. I want a play house. I want a truck. I am in the second grade. I am good.
Yours truly,
Ann Nutt

Dear Santa:
I am a girl. I want a bicycle, and a baby buggy, and a doll. Santa I love you and I hope you love me. I am in the second grade.
Yours truly,
Mara Jones

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy. I am in the second grade. I want a train and a bicycle and two trucks and a boat and a train set for Christmas.
Yours truly,
Mark York

Dear Santa,
I am a boy 8 years old. I would like an electric train for Christmas. Also a Wanted Dead or Alive gun and holster set. I would like nuts, fruit, and candy if you think I've been good this year. And there will be cake on the table.
Love,
Roy Lee Bilberry



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Christmas Wishes

To our many loyal friends and devoted patrons we send heartfelt greetings. May the glorious inspiration of the first Christmas be with you and your loved ones throughout this holiday season, and abide with you for all the years to come... lightening your cares, brightening your lives, bringing you enduring peace and contentment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claud Collier, Jr.



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Garza County children tell Santa their wants

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a rifle for Christmas.
Thank you.
Love,
Garry Hughes

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a dancing doll for Christmas.
Thank you,
Beth

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a saddle rifle.
Robbie Casteel

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a gun, an army set, and a bicycle.
Love,
Douglas Kuykendall

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a record player for Christmas.
Thank you.
Judy

Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Richard Alan Dudley. I am three years old. I have been a pretty good boy this year except for a few things that happened. I am not asking for much this time. All I'm asking for is a training bicycle and a pair of cowboy boots.
Thank you for last year's gifts and have a Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Richard Alan Dudley

Dear Santa:
I want a baby doll for Christmas.
Thank you.
Love,
Syan Thomas

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a BB gun and a football set.
Love,
James Johnson

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a dancing doll for Christmas.
Thank you.
Love,
Kathryn

Dear Santa Claus:
I want an electric train for Christmas.
Thank you.
Love,
Stephen Moibe

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a doll, and a rocking horse. And Santa, I'm sorry I pulled your whiskers last week when I visited you.
Love,
Penny Kuykendall

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a BB gun and football set for Christmas.
Thank you.
Love,
Sam

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a BB gun and a football set for Christmas.
Marion Hall

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a record player. Thank you.
Love,
Quay Williams

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a Paladin set, a flip special rifle, and an electric football set.
Love,
Leslie Avant

Dear Santa:
I have tried to be nice this year and would like for you to bring me a football helmet, wagon, and a Greyhound bus. Don't forget the other boys and girls.
Your little friend,
Scotty Miller

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a red dump-truck. I would also like to have a little horse that I can ride. Thank you.
Love,
Dan Hodges

Dear Santa Claus:
I want four little dolls for my sisters and me, three little cars for my brothers and one Christmas tree for my mother and daddy.
Love,
Amelia Morales

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a record player for Christmas.
Thank you.
Love,
Betty Long

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a Marine suit, one pair of Colt 45's, a 30-inch bicycle, a Winchester, a football, and a football suit.
Love,
James E. Pollard

Dear Santa:
I am six years old. I wish you would bring me a piano and a set of dishes. Also a can can slip. And would you bring my cats a rubber ball. If you come down stairs, slide down the banister 'cause it's lots of fun.
Love,
Jeanie Martin

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May a wreath of good fellowship and happiness be round you and yours during this Holiday Season... this is our most sincere wish.

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With the year coming almost full circle, we once again have the pleasure of extending the greetings of the season to our many good friends and wonderful patrons. May you all enjoy this last, but best, part of the year in health and happiness.

JUDY'S CAFE

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a Fort Apache set for Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
Steven Hill

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a dancing doll for Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
Evelyn Gonzales

Dear Santa Claus:
I want an electric football set for Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
Larry Scrivner

Dear Santa:
I want a baby doll for Christmas. Thank you.
Ellaime Yowell

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a baby doll for Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
Cynthia

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a BB gun for Christmas.
David Stelzer

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a record player for Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
Vickey Williams

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a record player for Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
Margie

Dear Santa Claus:
I want an Air Force helmet for Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
David



A Star shining in the East... angels singing... a Holy Babe lying in a manger... and on earth, Peace, Good Will to All Men—these are part of the true, deep meaning of Christmas. And now, as the world glows with the sights and sounds of Christmas... as happy voices sing the story of His birth, our wish for you is that you may find in this wonderful season abiding spiritual comfort and joy.



Season's Greetings

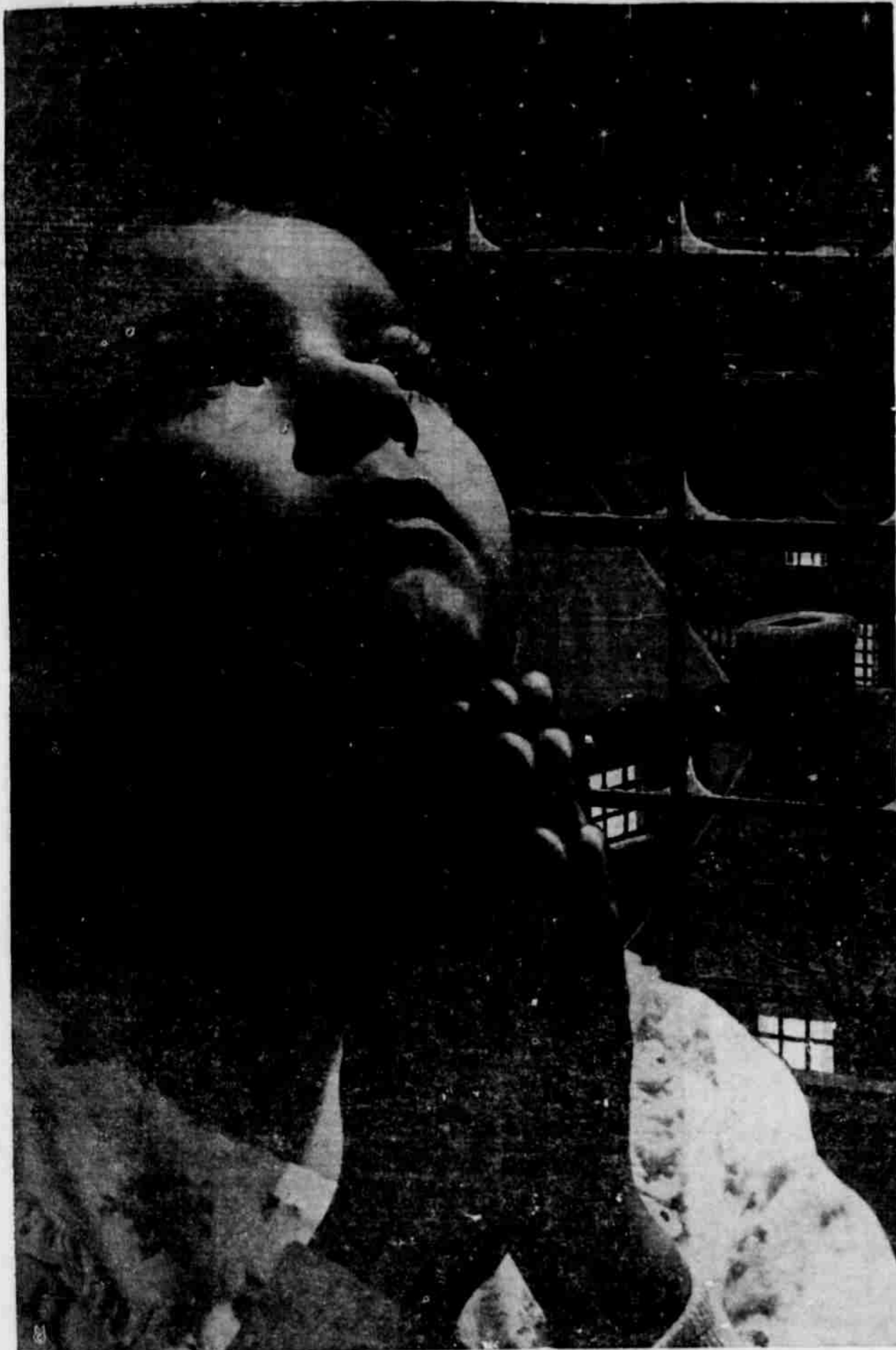
Happy holidays to you and yours! We send warm wishes by the heartfelt, with the hope that the joys of the season may long endure.

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

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Children's Christmas 'wants' cover wide field

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me the Biggest Bear book and a makeup set. And some candy and a collie dog and a cradle, too.
Love,
Janet Ramsay Cheshire
P. S. And don't forget about my two sisters and my two brothers, too.

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me some toys? I want a Wanted Dead or Alive gun. And I want a football and I want a pair of boxing gloves. And I want a bicycle too, and a rocket set, record player, and an electric train. And I want the Biggest Bear Book.
From Junny Dale Key

Dear Santa:
I am 8 years old. I would like to have a pair of boxing gloves and a baby bulldog, and a new bicycle. Tell Rudolph that our room has a copy of him on our school room door.
Love,
Grady Shytles

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me guns, a bow and arrow, a football and a rocket set.
Thank you,
Larry Barner

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a piano for Christmas.
Love, Santa,
Gwen

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me some guns, wanted dead or alive, Roy Roger guns, some balls, BB guns, some trains, some western shirts.
Elias

Dear Santa:
I want a doll and some skates and cradle and a makeup kit. A Tiny Tears doll too, some dishes, apples, candy and nuts.
Love,
Sharron Terrell

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a BB gun. A football, a train, a rocket set, a wagon, some western shirts, and a bicycle.
Thank you.
Robert Dale Pierce

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a Wanted Dead or Alive gun and a rocket set and an airport set and a train; and bring me some chocolate candy and do not forget the other girls and boys. And I will leave you some milk and cookies.
Merry Christmas.
Love,
Rocky Gribble

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me the Blue and Gray fort and the Cheyenne set and the Zorro watch.
Love,
Roy Matthews

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle and Cheyenne gun.
Love,
Arthur

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll, a ring, a jewelry box, and bracelet.
I love you,
Debra Hays

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a bicycle and a bride doll.
And remember all the other little boys and girls.
Love,
Debbie Lynn Gray

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a bicycle and a Wanted Dead or Alive gun. Will you please bring me a record player.
Look under the Christmas tree and there will be some pie and coffee.
Love, Santa,
Steve West

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a Tiny Tears doll, and some dishes, and a baton, and a makeup set, and a box of bath powder, and a bride doll, and a bicycle for Christmas. And some candy, too. And do not forget to give the other children some toys and candy.
Love, dear Santa,
Daisy Marie Smith

Will you please bring me a baton and a bick and a cradle and some bath powder and a doll for Christmas. Please don't forget about it. There will be something on our chimney for you.
Love,
Cathryn Susan Cates
P. S. Dot n' fr ubagsto eo
P. S. Don't forget about my little brother and sister and my big brother, too.
little brother and sister and my big brother too.

Dear Santa:
I want a football set, a red helmet with a double bar face guard, a red cotton knit jersey cotton football pants, college shoulder pads. I want an official football and a kicking tee.
I want a cactus carbine scope outfit, plus a gun case, and 750 BB's, gun oil.
Jimmy D. Bartlett

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a football and dinosaurs. Bring me nuts and candy and a record player please.
Don Maxey

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a football and a BB gun, for me. I know you are busy but please remember all the boys and girls.
And I forgot to get a bicycle and I love you Santa Claus.
Sammie Perez

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a doll and some dishes. Please do not forget about the other little girls and boys.
Love,
Tommie Fay York

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a Tiny Tears doll and some skates and a bride doll. Will you bring me some dishes? Will you bring me a bicycle? Will you bring me a ballerina doll?
I love you,
Virginia Saldivar

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a girl's bicycle and a bride doll. I want a pair of skates too. Also a bag of fruit and candy. But don't forget the other boys and girls.
Love,
Janice Hair

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a cabinet and dishes and a doll and a buggy and a doll house and doll clothes, and a house set, horse and saddle.
Love,
Levia Hill
Southland, Tex., Rt. 2

Dear Santa:
I want a Tiny Tears doll and her play pen, a play dress, play shoes, clothes closet. I want a kind of thing that you put a doll on and give her a bath. It has some things that mothers use for babies. Also some skates and a key.
Love,
Barbara Bartlett

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me headlights for my bicycle.
Love,
Robert

Dear Santa,
I would like doll clothes, stove, steel kitchen, a Friendly Mr. Octopus.
Marta Matthews

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a Tiny Tears doll and some clothes with a suitcase. I wish the suitcase would be pink and white.
I would want some fruit, I would like to have some nuts, apples, and oranges. My sister, Irene, would like to have a doll just like mine with some clothes. She would like to have a suitcase that is blue and white. My brother, Dale, would like a rifle and a Colt .45 and a cowboy hat. My sister and brother will want some fruit, too.
Your friend,
Martha Jo Walls

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a baby doll and some clothes with it, and a bicycle.
Love,
Beth Peel

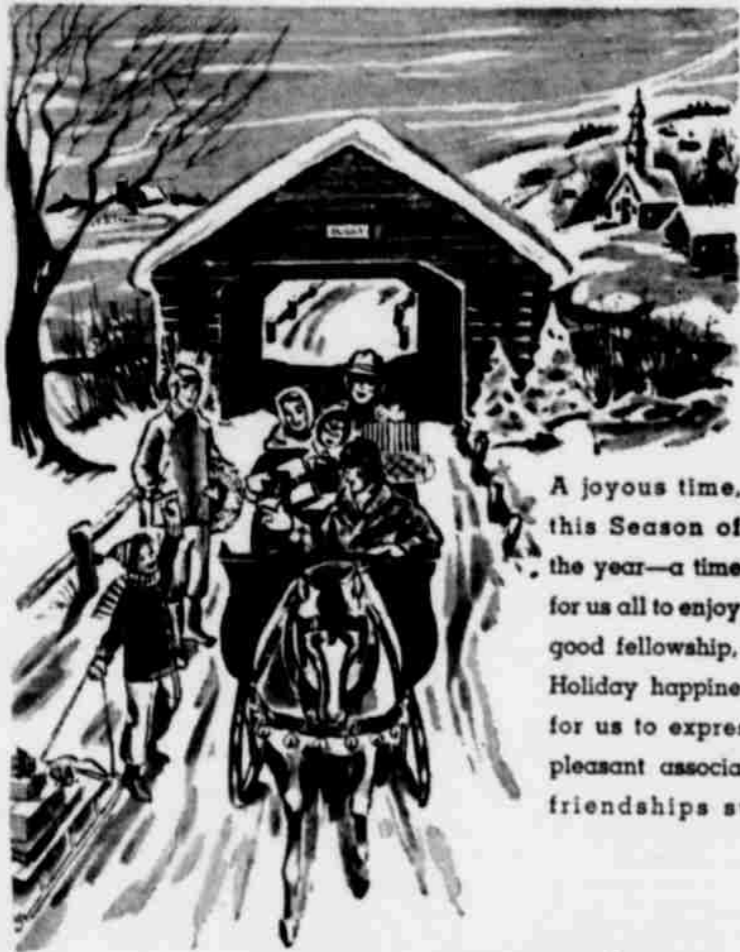
Dear Santa:
I want a BB Gun. I want a football. I want a pair of Colt .45. I want a rocket set. I want a banjo.
Happy Christmas to you, Santa,
Mike J.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 1 1/2 years old. Please bring me a rocking horse. Don't forget all of my little cousins.
I love you,
Joe Wayne Mason



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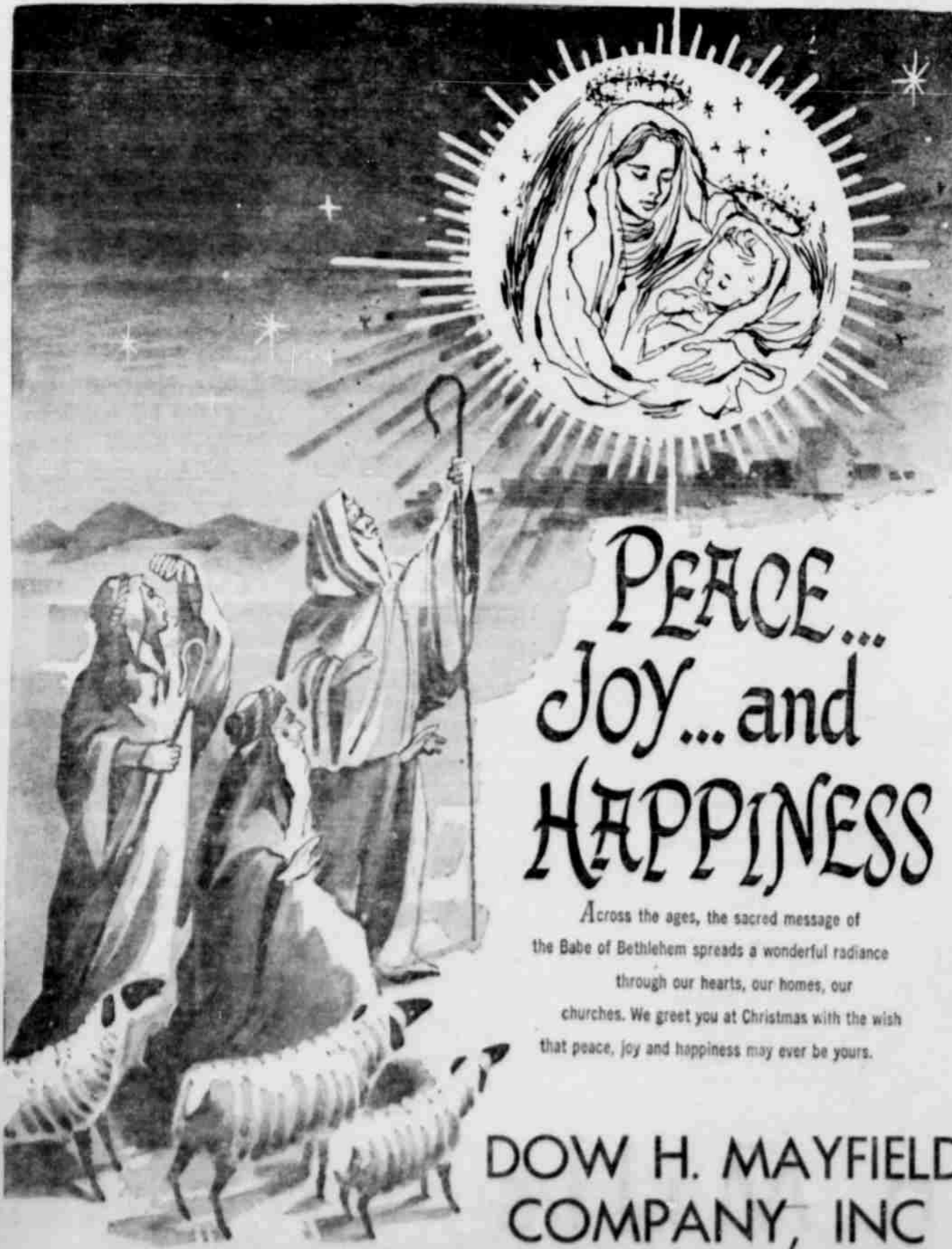
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GREETINGS



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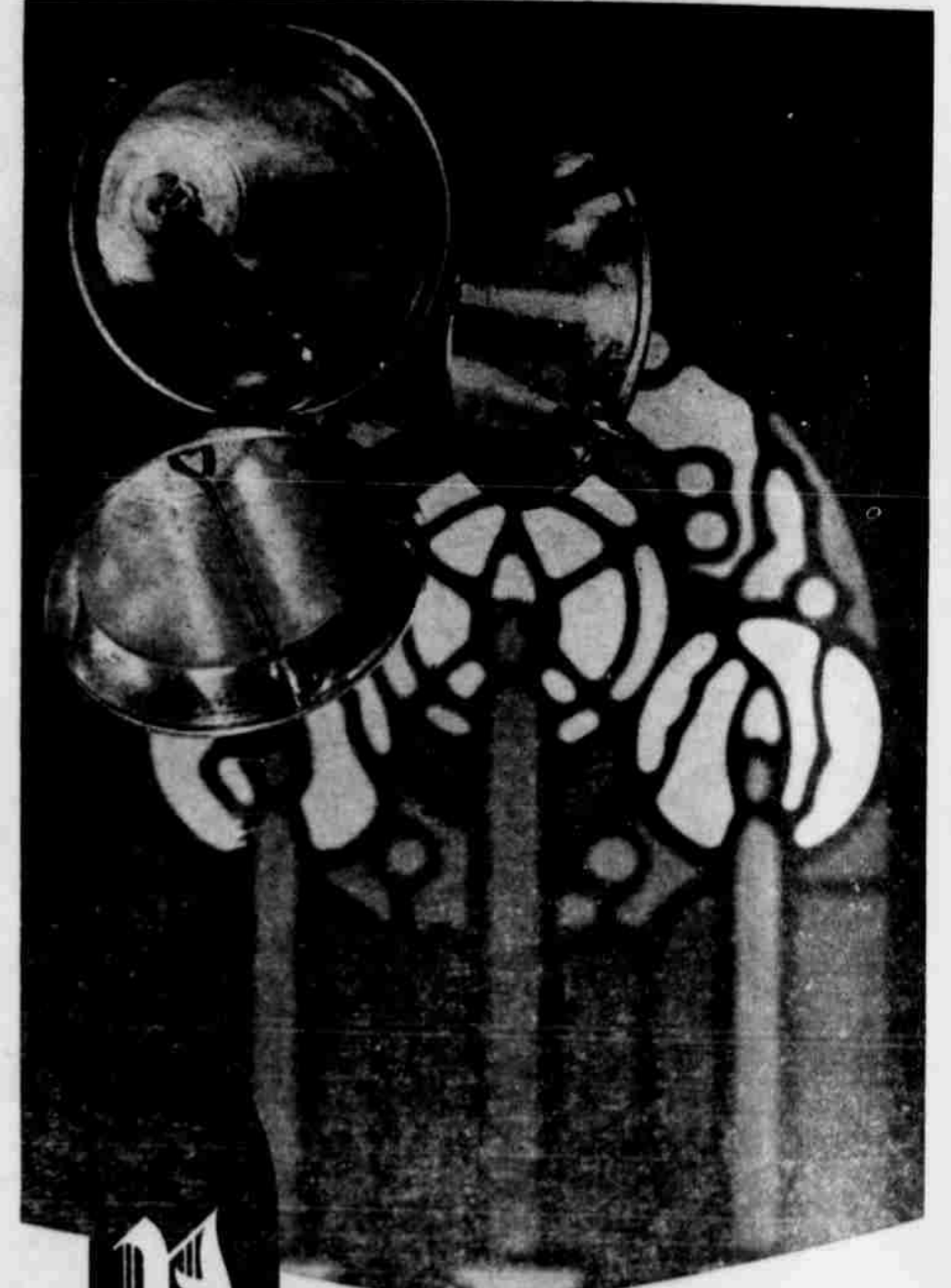


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Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Sleeping Beauty doll, a pair of red velvet shoes, a pair of house shoes, a Coke machine, and a blue baton.
Love,
Sharon Windham

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a train, rifle, typewriter, Have Gun, Will Travel set, Josh Randall rifle, Marshall Matt Dillon set, a Bat Masterson set, a Texas Ranger set.
Love,
Steve

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a baby bed for Christmas.
Please bring me a doll for Christmas.
Please bring me a bicycle for Christmas.
Merry Christmas to Santa Claus.
Love,
Carol B.

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a baby doll with real hair and clothes. My brother wants a pair of guns and a tractor. I would like to have a pogo stick, too. My brother and I would like to have a sunball to bounce.
Your friend,
Donna Carpenter

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Cheyenne rifle, steel, and make it out of wood and -or metal.
Love,
Terry
Route 2, Spur, Tex.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a radio, and a Colt .45, and I wish you a happy Christmas.
Love,
Don Collier

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll, doll clothes, too, and may I have some toy food?
Love,
Kay Herron

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Rifleman's gun.
Love,
John

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big doll, doll dishes, kitchen set, bicycle, horse and saddle, piano, pogo stick, washing machine, radio, doll house.
Love,
Jan Wilks

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bride doll.
Love,
Janie

Dear Santa:
I am a quiet and sweet little boy of 8 years old. I have tried to be good this year.
I would like an electric train, a car that pulls a boat on a trailer, nuts, candy and fruit.
Hope to see you somewhere Christmas.
Love,
Johnny Bilberry

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doctor set, I would like a pogo stick, too.
Love,
Jackie G.

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Love,
Carol Wilson

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a make-up set, a Toodles doll, a bicycle, and doll bunk beds.
Thank you,
Gay Bratcher

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Colt .45 gun and a Rifleman gun and a machine gun.
Love,
Ronnie

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Play Pal doll, a ring, and a bracelet.
I love you,
Nancy Norman

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a Paladin set and Winchester rifle. I would like to have an official football suit.
I would very much like an army suit and bazooka gun. I want a Pogo stick and cavalry set. I would like a guitar and watch.
Love,
Mike Levens

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a Betsy Wetsy doll, doll bunk beds, and a ring.
I love you,
Sandra Dixon

Dear Santa,
Please bring me two guns, two holsters, a football suit, and scooter.
I love you,
Jimmy McKamie

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a train and a Colt .45.
Love,
Tommy

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a typewriter. I am eight years old, but I still want one. I would like to have a pretty lady doll. Please bring me a pogo stick. Maybe a pair of high heels.
Love,
Kay Lofton

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a pair of play high heels. I would like a Dixie puppet. I want a pogo stick. I would like some nuts and other kinds of fruit. Thank you.
Love,
Judy Holman

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Play Pal doll, and table and chairs, perfume, and a make-up set.
I love you,
Nina Young

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring dishes. Will you bring me a doll, and a Teddy Bear?
I love you,
Rosie Collazo

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a bride doll, and Teddy Bear, and a bicycle, and a ring.
Thank you,
Kim Hundley

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a gun, and one holster, and boat.
I love you,
Ramon Valdez

Dear Santa:
I wish if you could you would bring me a holster and two guns set. Also a knife, a shooting score board, basketball and goal. Also a pair of house slippers. I hope I am not asking for too much. My mother is helping me write my letter.
Thanks so much Santa.
I am seven years old and in the first grade. I go to Southland School and have the dearest teacher, Mrs. Swindle.

Thanks again.
Love to you,
Lloyd Barker

Dear Santa:
I have been pretty good and would like for you to visit me. I want two trucks and some building blocks. If you can, please bring me a tractor and pickup like daddy's.
Love,
Lance Mathis

Dear Santa:
I am two years old and all I want is a doll buggy and a doll. Also a little stove and a table and chairs. Don't forget my little cousin, he's only a month old.
Love,
Maria Mathis

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a hoop slip and a ballerina doll, and a Tiny Tears doll. Please do not forget about my sisters.
Ginny Edwards

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- - In Our Churches - -

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Ronnie Parker, Minister
Sunday morning
Bible Study 9 a. m.
Sunday morning
Worship Service 10:00 a. m.
Bible Study 11:00 a. m.
Sunday evening
Worship Service 6:30 p. m.
Wednesday evening
Worship Service 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
C. B. (Bill) Hogue
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.
Radio Broadcast
KRWS 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Officers and Teachers
Meeting 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Service and
Bible Study 8:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal 8:45 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Eugene Matthews
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
M.Y.F. 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Second Monday
Methodist Men 7:30 p. m.
Second Wednesday
Board Meeting 7:30 p. m.

PLEASANT VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH
Elton Brian, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:30 p. m.
Wednesdays
Prayer Meeting and Bible
Study 8:00 p. m.
2nd and 4th Thursdays
W.M.U. and Bible
Study 8:00 p. m.

PLEASANT HOME BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. S. L. WILLIAMS
of Lubbock
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Training Service 8:30 p. m.
Second and Fourth Sundays
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
At Close City
Rev. Ed Bates
Sunday School Classes 10 a. m.
Worship Services 11 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday:
W.M.U. 9:00 a. m.
R. A. & G. A.
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Graydon Howell, Pastor
Sunday
Junior Choir 9:30 a. m.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.
Training Union 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
Monday
Brotherhood and
WMU 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.

POST CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY
R. W. Patterson, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
1st Tuesday Missionary
Service 7:00 p. m.
2nd Tuesday Prayer
Meeting 7:00 p. m.
3rd Tuesday Bible
Study 7:00 p. m.
Last Tuesday C.F.M.A.
Services 7:00 p. m.
Thursday Victory
Leaders 7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY (Spanish)
Fred Camacho, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Thurs. Eve. Worship 7:30 p. m.
Sat. Eve. Victory
Leaders 7:30 p. m.

GRAHAM CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Clinton Edwards
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Women's Organization 3 p. m.
2nd and 4th Mornings
1st and 3rd Thursdays
Mattie Williams
Circle 9:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Located at 115 West 14th St.
Sunday Morning
Worship Service 10:30 a. m.
Sunday Evening
Evening Service 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p. m.

CLOSE CITY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.

Glory to God
in the highest,
and on earth
peace, goodwill
toward men.

St. Luke 2:14



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

In Our Churches

JUSTICEBURG BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. Almon Martin
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
C.Y.F. 5:30 p. m.

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. James Erickson, Pastor
Rev. Emilio Tamame, Asst.
Sunday
Mass 8 a. m. and 10 a. m.
(Church located Northeast part of town)

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
5th & Ave. H
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Tuesday
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.

MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. M. C. Andrade
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service 11:00 a. m.
W.M.S. 12:15 p. m.
Brotherhood 12:15 p. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Worship Service 8:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Bible Doctrine
Studies 7:45 p. m.
Prayer Meeting 8:15 p. m.

"TODOS BIENVENIDOS"
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ASSEMBLY OF GOD
J. R. Brincefield
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.
Sunday
C. A. Service 6:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. Cecil Stowe
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service 10:45 a. m.
N.Y.P.S. 6:30 p. m.
Evening Service 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

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Dear Santa,
Please bring me a gun, one hol-
ster, and a bicycle.
I love you,
Victor Ayala

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a table, jewelry, a doll,
and some candy.
Thank you,
Rosita Ovalle



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Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me the book "All About Dinosaurs", a buckle gun set, three dinosaur skeletons, a Steve Canyon jet helmet, a farm set, a train, a helicopter. My brother, Scotty, wants a Cheyenne gun set, a Roy Rogers ranch set, a rifle, and a gun rack. We love you and thank you very much.
Keith and Scotty Bayer
P. S. We will be at Mama and Papa Teaff's for Christmas.

Dear Santa Claus:
How is it at the North Pole? We are okay in Texas, especially in Post. How is Mrs. Santa Claus? My, my, is she as pretty as you are? Well now I will tell you what I want from you. I want a pair of roller skates. Now I will tell you that my brother has been a bad boy. I wish you a Merry Christmas.
Kathy Irwin

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a very sweet little girl. I am three years old and quite a big baby.
For Christmas I would like to have a little piano and stool, also a doll and sewing machine, and some kind of wagon to put my dolly in, and Andy (my baby brother) wants a choo-choo train.
Please remember all the other good little boys and girls and may everyone have a very Merry Christmas. Thank you and bye-bye.
Lee Ann Williams
P. S. Please remember my pappas and grannys because I love them so much. Also mommy and daddy.

Dear Santa Claus:
This is going to be a little letter, because I'm just a little boy. For Christmas I want a train and car, also a dump truck and jeep. Mommy says I could use some new clothes too. Please be good to all the other little boys and girls all over the world and Merry Christmas to them.
Thank you,
Danny Guthrie

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy two years old. Please send me a rocking horse and a wagon for Christmas. I have been a good little boy.
Remember all the boys and girls everywhere.
Thank you,
Jan Olson

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring my little sister a baby doll with clothes and a baby buggy?
I would like you to bring me a bicycle, a Poor Pitiful Pearl doll and clothes for my other doll.
My brother would like a record player and an incubator.
Your friend,
Mara Jones

Dear Santa:
Please bring mama and me a Mercedes Benz, or a Jag like Harry's.
Your little friend,
Lorry Chapman

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a watch please. My mother said that I already have my Christmas present, my accordion. I would like to help others at Christmas time.
Kathlyn Lee

Dear Santa Claus:
For Christmas I would like a microscope and a squaw dress. I want my squaw dress white with gold.
Benita Noble

Dear Santa Claus:
I wish you would bring me a pair of guns, a truck, a few games, and some forts. I wish you would bring me a pony too, please, Santa Claus.
Randy Dunn

Dear Santa Claus:
I wish you would come to see me sometime. I would like to have a Fanner 50 gun and belt with the gun that shoots play bullets. I wish I had an electric train and a Rifleman gun.
Mike Lawrence

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a rifle, and a steam shovel. I would also like a new truck to hook my chain on.
Mark Terry

Dear Santa Claus:
I had a wonderful Christmas last year. This year I would like a bike and a new leash for my dog. I would like two figurines. The door will be unlocked because we have no chimney.
Petra Hill

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a Colt. 45.
Love,
Tim Flores

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a bassinet, a baby doll, a buggy, a doll house, a high chair and I would like an upstairs in the doll house. How is your wife? Merry Christmas.
Glenda Bilberry

Dear Santa Claus:
I wish I had a BB gun and a Rifleman rifle. I want an electric football game, Fanner and a horse painting set. I want an army set and an electric train with track and cars.
Tommy Duncan

Dear Santa Claus:
Thank you for the toys last year. This year I want a Marybel doll. I also want a necklace and bracelet. I also want a comb and brush. I want a cook set. I want some dishes.
Kathleen Zachary

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a big doll for Christmas. Please bring me shoes and clothes for Christmas. I want you to bring me two small dolls.
Josie Saldivar

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Rin Tin Tin set, a bicycle, an electric train, a tent.
Thank you,
Jimmy Simms



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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.



MR. AND MRS. WALTER JOHNSON

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bugle, rocket,
and scooter.
Thank you,
Randall Hudman

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a football, a cowboy hat,
a gun.
Thank you,
Jimmy Hale

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bicycle, and
a rocket and two guns.
I love you,
Mike Moriearty

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Rin Tin Tin
set, and an army set.
Thank you,
Ken Herron

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May health, happiness and good cheer
enter your home this Christmas and remain
there for years to come.

HUNDLEY'S
Men's and Boys' Wear

Guns, dolls high on 'want' list

Dear Santa Claus:
I'm a little girl almost two years
old and Mommie says I've been
pretty good most of the time. So
would you please bring me a baby
doll, TV dog and anything else you
want me to have.
Please remember all the other
boys and girls and especially my
aunt, Beth Peel.
Thanks, Santa.
Love,
D'Lynn Byrd
Snyder, Tex.

Dear Santa:
I am a little guy two years old.
Please bring me a tricycle, tele-
phone and a truck. I have been a
pretty good boy.
Bye-bye Santa.
Love,
Robert Doyle Wilke

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy six years old.
I have tried to be good this year.
Please bring me a dump truck,
building blocks and a service sta-
tion. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
G. B. Wilke

Dear Santa:
I am eight years old. I like you
very much. Please bring me a
doll, doll wardrobe, and some
dishes. Please don't forget all the
other girls and boys.
Bye, Santa,
Lillie Wilke

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy four years old
and I have tried to be good all
year long. Please bring me a pool
table, pump shotgun, an airplane
that flies in the air, and a little
tractor, with a plow. Please don't
forget all the other little boys and
girls everywhere and bring them
lots of toys too. Oh, yes, Santa
Claus, I will be at Stamford dur-
ing Christmas so come to see me
there.
Your little friend,
Randy Baldwin

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years
old and in the second grade at
Post school. I have been a pretty
good girl this year. I would like
you to bring me a Paladin gun
and holster set and derringier, a
real horse I can ride, a boxing set,
a bowling set, and a doll. Think
of all other boys and girls and
bring them what they want.
Thank you,
I love you,
Janet Sue Ray



4-H AWARDS WINNER

Roy Dee Gregg, 17, of Plainview, receives \$400 scholarship
from Frank W. Jenks, International Harvester president, dur-
ing 38th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. Roy was
one of the six winners in the National 4-H Boys' Agricul-
tural Awards Program sponsored by Harvester. In the fore-
ground is a miniature replica of Cyrus Hall McCormick's 1831
reaper which revolutionized agriculture.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 10 months
old. Please bring me a teddy
bear and a baby doll.
I love you,
Marla Sue Hutton

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy two years old.
I have been a pretty good boy this
year. Please bring me an airplane
and a farm set. Don't forget my
little cousin.
I love you,
Mark Hutton

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a pair of boots,
and a cowboy hat, and two guns.
I want a football.
Thank you,
Herbert Mitchell

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a football suit,
a monopoly set, and a chemistry
set.
Thank you,
Neff Walker

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Betsy Wetsy
doll, a doll bunk bed, a doll brace-
let, and a ring.
Love,
Patti Peel

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a cooking set,
a Betsy Wetsy doll, dishes, and
doll buggy.
I love you,
Kathleen Blacklock

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a cotton rope,
two guns, a tent, and a pair of
boots.
I love you,
Tim Lamb

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a pair
of skates and a baton and play
shoes.
Thank you, Santa, but do not
forget about the other boys and
girls this Christmas.
I love you, Santa.
Cynthia Kay King

Dear Santa:
My little brother and I are ha-
ving Mommie write this so you will
be sure and know what to bring us
on Christmas eve.
I want something Mommie says
a little girl isn't supposed to want,
which is a tractor and a pickup
truck like Pa-Paw's. I would like
a dolly to ride in the pick-up. Now
my little brother, Tracy Douglas,
would like a dog to sit on and
some kind of a pull toy.
We would really be grateful if
you would remember all of this.
Tina Jalone and
Tracy Douglas McAlister

Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Garland Roy Dud-
ley. I am two years old. I am a
good boy when my brother is not
around, but when we are together
we're not so good sometimes. You
probably know all we've done,
though. Like my brother, I'm not
asking for very much this year.
I just want a pair of guns and a
tricycle.
Have a Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year.
Your friend,
Garland Dudley



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SEASON'S GREETINGS

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we hope both your home and your heart
are filled with joy as you gather
with your dear ones to celebrate in the true
spirit of love and good fellowship.

POST INSURANCE AGENCY
MR. AND MRS. HAROLD LUCAS

Greetings
Wishing our friends
a merry Christmas
**GATE WAY
MOTEL**

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.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

Post teams beat Crosbyton twice

The Post Antelope boys' and girls' basketball teams wound up their pre-Christmas court activities by taking the Crosbyton teams into camp twice — at Crosbyton Friday night and on the home court Tuesday night.

At Crosbyton, the boys won, 48 to 35, and the girls scored a 38-28 victory. In the games here Tuesday night, the boys won, 53 to 30, and the girls, 20 to 17.

Coach Pete Murray's "shock troops" played about half the game Tuesday night as the Antelopes swept to their eighth victory against no defeats. At Crosbyton Friday night, it was a different story, with the Chiefs throwing a score into the cold-shooting Antelopes and holding a 12-7 lead at the end of the first quarter.

It's not time for guesswork when hunting

AUSTIN — "Guessing and hunting, like drinking and driving, don't mix" warns the Executive Secretary of the Texas Game and Fish Commission. "The famous first words of a hunter who has just killed his buddy is 'I thought it was a—'"

"This year's hunting accidents have been reasonably low considering the number of hunters going into the field each day," said the executive. "If all those planning to hunt this year will just resolve not to load their rifles until on the spot where they plan to hunt, keep the safety on and muzzle up until ready to sight in, and be certain that what they sight in is not another hunter, accident records this year will remain low."

"Excitement sometimes leaves our minds blank for seconds, time enough to miss a deer or kill a friend," said the executive. "If you're not positive it's game, don't squeeze the trigger. The chance out of a thousand that it isn't your game is too great a chance to take. It's far better to return empty handed than to take a chance on accidentally killing a friend."

A survey among United States executives reveals that nearly 30 per cent of them would like to retire between the ages of 56 and 62. Only 2 per cent want to retire under 48, while nearly 6 per cent set the age at 73 or over.

The island of Java in Indonesia is one of the world's most densely populated areas with about 1,000 people per square mile.

A 19-point second quarter enabled the Antelopes to take a 26-19 halftime lead, but the regulars stayed on the court to protect it until late in the third period.

The girls, paced by Peggy Ramsey's 17 points, had an easier time of it at Crosbyton, but had to pull all stops here Tuesday night to eke out a three-point win in a low-scoring affair. Glenda Whittenberg's nine points was high for Post, with Ramsey contributing six, all on free throws; Raynona Young, four, and Ann Morris, one.

Starting guards Beth Kemp, Danelia Bateman and Judy Clary played their usual consistent games, with good help from Jane Maxey and Sandra Stewart.

The box scores of the boys' games:

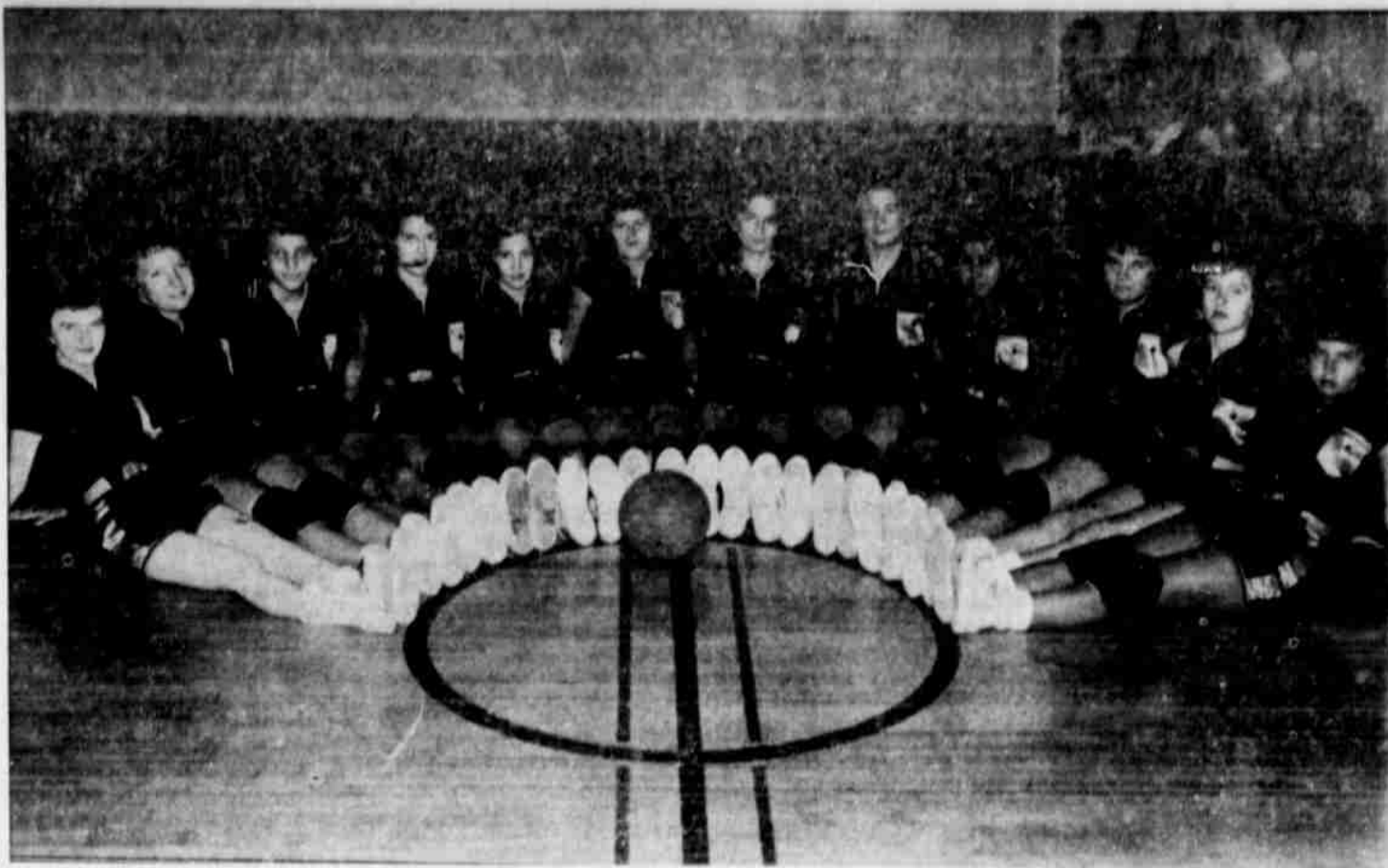
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Moore	0	6	4	6
Ivy	0	0	3	0
Edwards	6	3	4	15
Boyd	2	3	0	7
Stephens	0	2	5	2
Ogle	0	0	1	0
Potter	0	0	0	0
	8	4	17	30

POST	fg	ft	pf	tp
Rankin	3	1	1	7
Mayberry	2	0	1	4
Pierce	9	3	1	21
Didway	3	0	1	6
Schlehuber	1	1	0	3
Beard	1	5	1	7
Minor	0	0	1	0
Acker	0	0	1	0
Smith	0	1	2	1
Washburn	1	0	0	2
Hays	1	0	1	2
Mason	0	0	3	0
Claborn	0	0	0	0
	21	11	13	53

CROSBYTON	fg	ft	pf	tp
	5	6	3	16-30
POST		10	16	17-30

POST	fg	ft	pf	tp
Rankin	1	1	1	3
Mayberry	4	1	3	9
Pierce	6	3	3	15
Didway	4	0	4	8
Claborn	2	1	1	5
Minor	0	0	0	0
Beard	2	0	0	4
Acker	1	0	0	2
Washburn	0	1	0	0
Smith	0	0	0	0
Hays	1	0	0	2
Mason	0	0	2	0
	21	6	15	45

CROSBYTON	fg	ft	pf	tp
Moore	3	0	0	6
Boyd	1	1	2	3
Edwards	7	3	4	17
Stephens	2	4	3	8
Ivy	0	1	4	1
Potter	0	0	0	0
	13	9	13	35
POST		7	19	16-48
CROSBYTON		12	7	6-10-35



EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS WIN TOURNAMENT
Coach Billy Haha's 8th grade girls' team shown here won the championship trophy in the annual Slaton Junior High School Tournament. From left to right are Nancy Bingham, Marilyn Minor, Nita Wilson, Lynette Potts, Shirley Sappington, Mary Beth Ford, Linda McMahon, Linda Pennell, Romelia Solis, Linda Rogers, Marilyn Williams and Janee Pierce.—(Staff Photo)

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Post back given honorable mention on all-star team

Derwood Mayberry of Post received honorable mention at a halfback position on the Lubbock Avalanche - Journal's All - South Plains Team announced Tuesday.

Mayberry, a senior, is a two-year football letterman for the Antelopes.

Two District 3-AA players, tackle Danny Shipley and back Don Vickers, both of Floydada, were named to the first team on offense. On the defensive unit, Bill Gilliland of Floydada was selected at a guard spot and Freddie Walker of Spur at halfback.

District 3-AA players receiving honorable mention were Mayberry, ends Melton Webb and Woody McArthur of Spur and Richard Graves of Floydada; tackles Eddie Parks of Floydada and Z. B. Mayo of Spur; guards Larry Irby of Floydada, Marshall Murray of Spur and Larry Spruiell of Tahoka.

Center Bobby Christian of Floydada; quarterback Rodney Teague of Floydada; halfback Bubba Big-bam of Spur, and fullbacks David Bishop of Slaton and Jimmy Paronto of Spur.

NAME TAGS PROVIDED

AUSTIN — The next time you meet a game warden or biologist in the field you'll be able to remember his name while talking with him. Field personnel of the Game and Fish Commission now have name plates which will be worn over the left shirt pocket. They are being issued to men coming in contact with the public to assure easier identification of the men.

On home court Monday night

Post nips Snyder in two of three games

Post won two games to Snyder's one in contests here Monday night between the two schools' 7th, 8th and "B" teams.

Coach John Blocker's "B" team won, 49 to 39; Coach Gerald Loyd's 7th graders took a 15 to 9 decision, and Coach Glynn Gregg's 8th graders lost, 32 to 17.

In the "B" team game, Post led 27 to 14 at halftime. Donnie Hays was high scorer with 15 points, with Benny Schlehuber and Dewayne Capps each hitting 10, Mike Cornell, five; Leslie Acker, four;

Reserves divide pair at Slaton

The Post Antelope "B" and "C" teams split two games at Slaton Friday night, the "B" team winning, 30 to 13, and the "C" team losing, 35 to 23.

Coach John Blocker's "B" cagers held a 10-2 halftime lead. Top scorers for Post were Donnie Hays with 12 and Dewayne Capps with eight.

The "C" team, coached by Harold Teal, made a much better showing against Slaton than they did in a game against the same team here three weeks ago.

Jerry Ligon's 12 points was tops for Post in the "C" team game.

Venezuela's next railroad will be a 211-mile stretch between Barcelona, on the Caribbean coast, south to Ciudad Bolivar, on the Trimoco and east to Matanzas.

Antelopes to play

Early bird cage game

There's an old proverb that the early bird gets the worm, but which team it works for — the Post Antelopes or the Lubbock Monterey Lancers—remains to be seen.

The two teams take the court at 8 o'clock Monday morning in the first game of Lubbock's Caprock Holiday Tournament.

No doubt will be the earliest game ever played by a team from either school.

The Antelopes, undefeated in eight games, are competing in the Class A and AA bracket, along with the Lancers, Dimmitt, Silverton, Floydada, Tom S. Lubbock Cowhards, Farwell and McAdoo.

If Coach Pete Murray's quintet wins its early morning game with the Monterey team, it will play again at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday against the winner of the Dimmitt-Silverton game. If they lose to the Lancers, their next game will be at 9 a. m. Tuesday against the Dimmitt - Silverton loser.

Other first round games pair Floydada and the Cowhards and Farwell and McAdoo.

The tournament, which also includes a division for 3A and 4A teams, is to be played in the Lubbock Coliseum.

Santa Claus is the garbled American version of San Nicholas the Dutch name for a Roman Catholic bishop who became the patron saint of schoolboys during the Middle Ages, according to World Book Encyclopedia.

Classified ads get results.

Season's Greetings

Best wishes for the happiest of holiday seasons.

Our sincere gratitude for the privilege of serving you.

STEWART'S TEXACO SERVICE

515 N. Broadway Edsel Stewart

Christmastime

Here it is again...the happiest time of all! Eyes are brighter, heads higher, hearts lighter! It is our sincere hope that the inspiration and joy of this festive season last the year through! Merry Christmas!

POST AUTO SUPPLY

NOAH — MALCOLM — GEORGE
JOE — DAVE — PAT

Christmas Joy

In tune with the spirit of Christmas we extend holiday greetings to all our friends. It is our hope that this will be a most joyful Yuletide for everyone.

BASINGER GIN
SOUTHLAND
C. L. DRIVER, MANAGER

Greetings

Hang the stockings by the chimney, deck the house with holly, trim the tree and prepare to make merry! 'Tis the season of festivity... time for us to wish you and yours the best of everything!

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We extend to you our sincerest holiday greetings. May you enjoy the Peace, Hope and Love which is Christmas.

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'Bring Christmas to all,' children ask Santa

Dear Santa:

If you can I would like for you to take my .22 out of layaway and I would like some .22 shorts shells at Short Hardware.
With love,
Boyd Robert Noble

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy two and one-half years old and I would like a car, a Teddy bear, and Zippy monkey.
Thank you, Santa,
Larry Glen Blacklock

Dear Santa Claus:

For Christmas I would like a watch, an overnight bag, a jewelry box, a camera, and a little radio. Santa I will always remember the gifts you brought me.
Your friend,
Ann Byrd

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl, 21 months old, and live in Midland. Although, I haven't been too good, at times; I wonder if you would bring me a big rocking horse, anyway. And if you happen to have a little baby doll, a doll buggy, and a table and chairs left over—you could leave them under my tree, too.
Don't forget to leave all the boys and girls, everywhere, something; and be sure to remember my Aunt Zelika who lives at Post, because she is good most of the time.
Merry Christmas, Santa!
Love,
Vonville Stribling
4614 Cherokee
Midland, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a rifle and a baby sister.
Lots of love,
Jerry Johnson
Route 3

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a ballerina. And some canons, too. And a doll-house. I would like for you to bring me five dresses.
Merry Christmas.
With love,
Brenda Kay Parker

MERRY CHRISTMAS
Bruce Burney - Oil Hauling Inc.

HAPPY Holidays
At this time of year, we take a long look in two directions: backward with warm appreciation for your patronage, and forward with the happy anticipation of continuing to serve you.
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At this joyous season, we take pleasure in extending to you
Season's greetings
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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.
GULF WHOLESALE
LESTER NICHOLS ESTLEA NICHOLS

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like some nice things. I would like a record player and some records. I would like a monopoly game and a doll house; and some dresses for my little dolls.
Love,
Voda Beth Voss

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a motor scooter, showdown set, a missile base, wagon, and a rifle.
Love,
Don Cole

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like a bicycle, a football, a baseball, a BB gun, and a punching bag, to play with at home. I would like the toys because I have been wanting to buy the toys. That is all I would like.
Love,
George Fuentez

Dear Santa Claus:

What I want for Christmas is a Rock a Bye Tiny Tears. She cries real tears and she blows bubbles. I have been real good all year and have studied my lessons. I love you very much.
Love,
Geraldine Grove
P. S. I wish you a Merry, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like to have what is written on this page. I would like to have a Betsy McCall Pretty pack and a ballerina doll. I have been a pretty good girl.
Love,
Barbara Bingham

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a Palladin gun and a bicycle, size 26. And for my sister, she wants a doll and an ironing board. She wants a bicycle and a Tiny Tears doll. And my older sister wants a princess doll, for the twins a rocking horse.
Love,
Murphy Bowen

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a motor car.
(No name)

Dear Santa:

Please bring me an atomic missile base. I have been good. Have a safe rip. Give other good children what they want.
With love,
David Pierce

Dear Santa:

I want a coat. Come to my home. Rags wants a toy, I want a toy boat, and a pretty dog, and a pretty cat.
Thank you,
Stephanie Davis

Dear Santa:

I want some toys.
W. D. Sims

Dear Santa:

Make ice cream and come to see me. I want a doll, I want a dog.
Mickey Martin

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a doll, some blocks, and a Teddy bear.
I love you very much, Santa.
Rebecca Jane Blacklock

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a doll for Christmas. I will tell him that I love you.
Love,
Phyllis

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me an electric organ for Christmas. I love you.
Howard Keel

Dear Santa:

I want a dog, Bill, and I want some toys.
Ritalynn Butler

Dear Santa:

Flip wants a toy, and I want a baby. And Bill wants a ball, and Keith wants a dog.
Anita Joyce Little

Dear Santa:

I want a toy for baby.
Karen Sneed

Dear Santa:

I want a doll, I want a ball, I want a playhome.
Karen Pollard

Dear Santa:

Come to see me. Come to see W. T. I want a red doll.
Sherita Harper

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl three years old. I try to be a good girl so please bring me a Teen-Age doll and some doll clothes for my other dolls. Just anything else you want to bring me I would like very much.
I would like some fruit, candy and nuts.
Please don't forget the other little boys and girls.
I love you,
Nancy Jo Reno

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl, eight years old. I have been pretty good. So would you please bring me a doll, bed, dollhouse and furniture, dishes and cooking set, sewing machine and also a toy refrigerator.
I love you very much.
Kathleen Blacklock

Dear Santa Claus:

My name is Susan Diana. I am four years old and I would like a doll, dishes, buggy, table and chairs, dollhouse, furniture, and a stove.
With love,
Susan Diana Blacklock
P. S. I love you very much.

Dear Santa:

For Christmas I would like for you to bring me a jeep, set of guns, and a big truck. Also some candy and nuts. Please don't forget my cousins, Danny and JoBeth Huffman at Monahans.
Thank you,
Benny Greene

Dearest Santa:

I have been a good girl this year. I would like for you to bring me a buggy, high chair, and a dryer doll. And fill my stocking with fruit, candy, and nuts.
My big sister wants a car coat, a collection doll, clothes, china and games.
My little brother uses the bathroom now instead of his pants so I guess you can bring him a tricycle, train, and a big gun. We will leave you some milk and cookies.
Lots of love,
Debbie Ward

Dear Santa:

I have been a good boy. Please bring me a tool set, a Superman suit, and a set of the Golden Encyclopedias. Please bring my new baby brother a toy also.
Thank you,
Robin

Dear Santa:

My name is Ricky Joe. I am 7 years old and I would like a gun and holster set, spurs, and gloves. An army set, ball and bat, tool set. Also a farm set and a covered wagon.
Thank you,
Ricky Joe Blacklock

Dear Santa:

Christmas is about here. So would you bring me and my sister and brother skates. And for my daddy and mother, would you bring a new bedroom suite? But most of all, would you bring me a sewing machine. I have got to go now. I will see you Christmas.
With love,
Margie Julian

Dear Santa:

I am three years old and a very good girl. Please bring me a doll and buggy for Christmas.
Love,
Ann Odum

Dear Santa:

I want you to come to see me.
Eddie Gandy

Dear Santa:

I am five years old and for Christmas I would like a doll, buggy and please bring my little sister some toys.
Love,
Vicki Odum

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like a baby doll and a concentration game, and a bicycle. And some school supplies, like papers, pencils, and some candy for my stocking. Also a doll, scale, a stuffed dog, a nurse chest, colored bubbles, toy Coke dispenser.
Love,
Patsy Ann Pierce

Hi Santa:

How are you? Would you please bring my dog (Lassie) a new collar, and my horse (Sugar) a bridle. I would like to have an electric train and a fire engine. Would you bring my mother a barrel of gas so we can go to the country more often? Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Natha Jo Mears

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl three years old and I have been especially good the past two weeks.
Please bring me an iron and ironing board and a doll, doll clothes, and a suitcase.
Don't forget my little cousins and the other boys and girls.
I love you,
Sherita Kay Fluitt

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy. Please bring me an army set and a Roy Rogers set and some trucks and a jumping jack and an airplane and some boots, too. And a play horse, toy drum, a Cheyenne set, some Roy Rogers guns, and some Cheyenne guns, too, and some Johnny Ringo guns.
Yours truly,
James Stone

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a football suit, boxing gloves, rifle, and candy, fruit and nuts.
Your little friend,
Larry Moreman

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy. I am in the second grade. I want a police kit please.
Yours truly,
Gerald

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

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May your Holiday Season be jam-packed with much joy and Christmas merriment.

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To wish you all the joys of the Christmas Season
Rich in spiritual blessings... warm with the love and friendship that are so much a part of this sacred, happy time... Christmas comes to gladden every heart. We sincerely wish for you, our friends and neighbors, a full share of the many joys of the Christmas season.

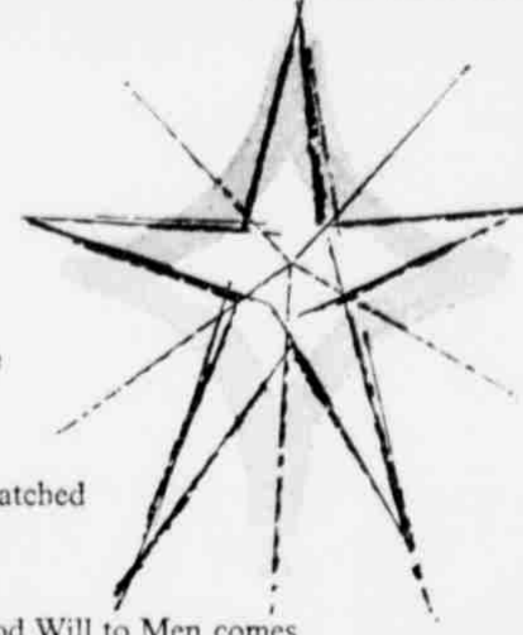
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BEST WISHES
All good luck, all good cheer, all good things we wish our many good friends at holiday time.
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THE POST DISPATCH

Publisher and Mrs. Jim Cornish, Editor Charles Didway, Society Editor Ruby Williams, Reporter Freda Teaff, Printer Don (Corkey) Ammons Intertype Operator Lee Fairly, and Pressman Abel Camacho

Persons born in June have a choice of three birthstones. Jewelers recommend pearl, moonstone or alexandrite. Read the classified ads. Haifa, Israel, is getting a plant to refine copper pyrites mined in Cyprus.

Maid of Cotton finals slated

Miss Enna McDaniel, 1960 South Plains Maid of Cotton, will fly to Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 27 to compete with 21 other finalists in the National Maid of Cotton Contest, Dec. 29-30.

Miss McDaniel, 21 year-old senior student at Texas Tech, was named South Plains Maid of Cotton on the evening of Nov. 24 at the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium, in competition with 17 other South Plains girls.

Since the contest, she has been called upon to appear at several social functions in the Lubbock area, and was on hand to greet the Mexican Ambassador to the U. S., H. E. Antonio Carrillo - Flores, when he arrived in Lubbock last week.

On the evening of Dec. 14, Miss McDaniel was the "star" in a style show which was the main program of the Lubbock Agriculture Club's Ladies Night held at Lubbock's Slide Road Community House.



GIVING CANDY FOR CHRISTMAS

These five members of the Little Homemakers 4-H Club are presenting Mrs. Will Cravy a box of candy they made. The girls, under the supervision of Mrs. Leta Smith, county home demonstration agent, distributed boxes of the candy to a number of Post's senior citizens as their Christmas project. From left to right are Sue Copple, Zelika Freeman, Barbara Bigham, Teresa Maddox and Sharon Bilberry.—(Staff Photo).

Children write Santa Claus

Dear Santa:

I want a big guitar and a big fiddle with a speaker, but you could bring me a surprise.

Love,

Dee Cecil Justice

P. S. I am in the first grade (Miss McWhirter's Room 114) and I am six years old.

Dear Santa:

I would like a nurse's kit for Christmas. And also for Christmas I would like two bicycle tires and tubes.

Your friend,

Sandra Jo McDonald

I want a make-up kit and a doll. I hope the doll is about 21 inches tall and I want some doll clothes, too. I want a pogo stick. And I want some clothes for myself.

Merry Christmas,

Jane Strofer

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a set of camping equipment. I want a tent, pots and pans, a life preserver, Red Cross kit, folding bed, and silverware with it. I would like a set of State flags and that is all I want.

Love,

David Yancey

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy. I am in the second grade. I want a gun I want a rifle, and I want a Cheyenne set. And I want a Roy Rogers set. I want a football set, an airplane and I want some boots.

Yours truly,

Jimmy

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy six years old and I have been a good boy most of the year. Please bring me a service station toy, a rifle, a "Wanted Dead or Alive Gun", a real live horse for my back yard. Please fill my stocking with goodies and remember all the boys and girls everywhere. I have a little sister and brother, please remember them, too.

Kyle Josey

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like to have a gun, a horn, and a few more things. I would like to have a few games. I hope you a Merry Christmas.

Roger Kirby

I am a girl of 9½ years old and am in the fourth grade. Thank you for the nice Christmas you gave me last year. This year I would like a beautiful baby doll like the one in Piggly Wiggly's food store that has four outfits. Santa, will you bring me a pogo stick or a basketball and a goal. I want a Coke machine also. Don't forget my little niece, Voncille Stribling, who lives in Midland, Texas. I wish you a Merry Christmas, Santa Claus.

Your friend,

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a bicycle, will you bring me a bicycle, and a ring, and a basketball, and a big airplane and some skates.

Your friend,

Joe Carrizalez

Best Wishes

Greetings of the season from all of us to all of you!

The Cowboy Store

CAROL DAVIS



Blessed Christmas

Blessed Christmas, time of happy hearts and uplifted spirits, is with us once again. And, at this glad season, our wish is with you... the wish that your Christmas may be rich in happiness, friendship, lasting joy.

R. J.'s FURNITURE CO.

R. J. BLACKLOCK



GREAT WISHES

To all our friends at Christmas, greetings and good wishes for a fine holiday season.

CLARY'S Service Station

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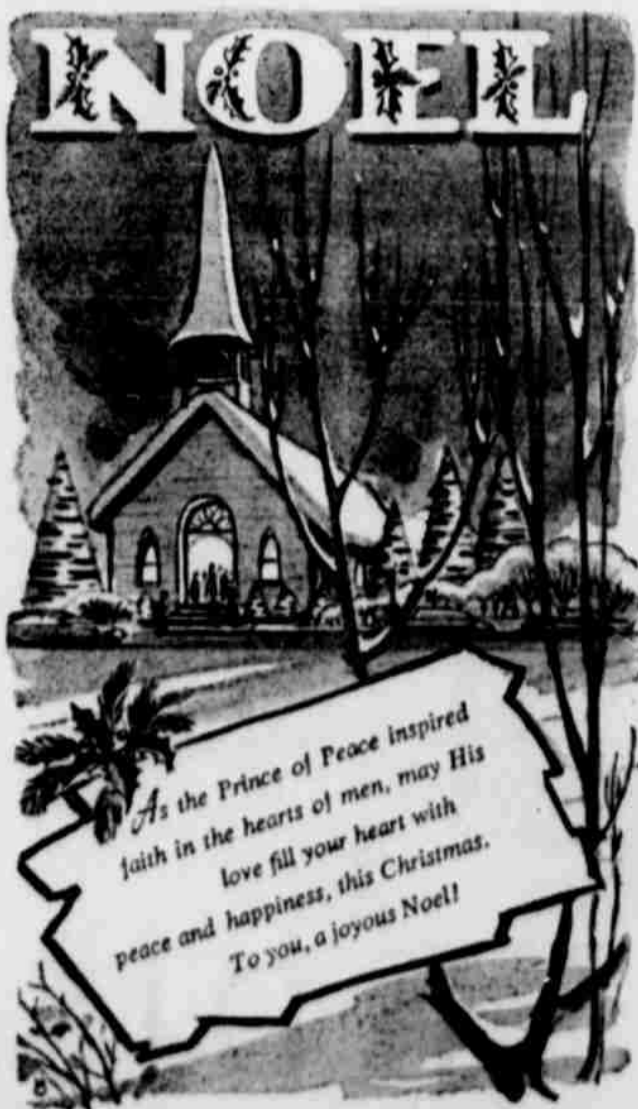
With warmest good wishes, we greet you at Christmas. As you reflect upon the true meaning of this Holy time, may rejoicing and the sublime spirit of peace and good will be yours.



Corner Grocery & Mkt.

L. A. and Alla Mae Presson,

Jim and Marvin



As the Prince of Peace inspired faith in the hearts of men, may His love fill your heart with peace and happiness, this Christmas. To you, a joyous Noel!

HODGES TRACTOR CO.

Everybody Reads The Dispatch Want Ads

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.

TEXAS ELECTRIC CO.

D. E. MORRIS

Merry Christmas

For you, we wish a wonderful Christmas, one that recalls in fullest meaning the holy time of the birth of our Lord.

CLOSE CITY GIN

E. A. HARGRAVE, MANAGER

Dear Customer

We will be closed both Christmas Day and Saturday to give our employes and their families a weekend holiday after the annual Christmas rush.

- Tom Power Ford, Inc.
- First National Bank
- Storie Motor Company
- Herring's
- Dowe H. Mayfield Co., Inc.
- R. J. Furniture
- Piggly Wiggly
- Shytles Implement Co.
- Welch Electric
- Marshall - Brown
- Forrest Lumber Co.



Once more the Christmas message is renewed in our hearts. May the spirit-lifting joys of the season be yours.

WEST SIDE CLEANERS
C. H. HARTEL



Just popped up to say a friendly "Hello" and wish you and yours much happiness throughout the Christmas season!

TOM'S PLACE
TOM AND OPAL WILLIAMS

Fine rains in north part of county came when everybody ready for them

By MRS. JESSE A. WARD
The fine rains which came last week is the big news for this area as crops were harvested and everyone was ready for it. About two and one-half to three inches seemed to be average for this area.

After weeks of illness in hospitals and confined to their home, Mrs. Tom Simms and her niece, Linda Davis, attended church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dabbs of Dallas are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Dabbs and family. They are also visiting her parents in Lubbock. Gerald is attending Medical College in Dallas. Mrs. Dabbs is a teacher in the Irving schools.

M. E. Morris, who was a patient six days in Mercy Hospital in Slaton, spent Thursday and Friday with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Maeker and family in Lubbock.

AMONG THOSE attending the last rites for Janice DeLynn Dixon, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dixon of Plainview Friday, were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hitt, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Robinson, Mrs. B. D. Robinson, Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hitt and Mrs. B. D. Robinson are the great-grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chilcoat and JoAnn left Sunday for Phoenix, Ariz., where they will spend the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

Donald and Dale Edmunds returned Saturday from a hunting trip to Moody. They reported a nice trip.

Among the college students home for the holidays are: Jerry Hitt, from Hardin Simmons in Abilene; J. W. Payton and Ronnie Dunn, from Texas Tech in Lubbock; Karen McGehee, Lubbock Christian College in Lubbock; Carolyn Ward, South Plains at Levelland and Jerrilyn Huddleston, ACC in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Huddleston and daughter of Dallas are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huddleston. Ronald is attending Medical College in Dallas.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milliken were Mrs. C. F. Holland of Mineral Wells, Mrs. W. B. Holland and children of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Milliken and daughters of Wolfforth, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Milliken and Jerry of Lake View, Mrs. D. H. Hatchett, Mrs. Lorene Shaw of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Seals, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Daidson and Louise.

Mrs. Kenneth Davies entertained the eighth grade class and their teacher and sponsor, Mr. Hill, in her home with a Christmas party Friday night.

A-1c **NED MYERS** from Dyess Air Base, Abilene, is spending a 15-day furlough with his wife, Bettye and daughter, Nedra of Lubbock; his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hunt, also of Lubbock, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers and family.

The Southland Baptist Church had their Christmas tree and program last Sunday night.

The Rev. and Mrs. Fortson, pastor of the Southland Baptist Church, left Monday to spend the Christmas holidays with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers from Sul Ross College, Alpine, are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers and family.

Mrs. Kenneth Davies entertained the women of the Southland Baptist Church with a Christmas party Friday afternoon in her home.

Soldier finishes parachute drills

FORT BRAGG, N. C. — Army Pvt. Walter C. Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Graham, Post, Tex., recently was graduated from the 82nd Airborne Division Jump School at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Graham received his parachutist wings after completing four weeks of intensive ground and aerial training which included five parachute jumps.

The 19-year-old soldier entered the Army last May and received basic training at Fort Hood, Tex. Before entering the Army, Graham was employed by the Piggly Wiggly Food Market. He is a 1959 graduate of Post High School.

LEAVING CHRISTMAS
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Williams and children, Vickey and Danny, are to leave Christmas morning for Caddo, to spend the Christmas weekend with her parents and other relatives and friends.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. George Mindieta became parents of a daughter Dec. 14 in the Garza Memorial Hospital. She weighed four pounds and eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Burgess announce the birth of a daughter, Bridget Winona, Dec. 17 in Garza Memorial Hospital. She weighed six pounds and nine ounces.

A son was born Dec. 20 to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gray in Garza Memorial Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and three ounces, and was named Rodney Jay.

HOME FROM ARMY
Sp-5 Walter F. Didway, who is stationed in the Army at Fort Belvoir, Va., arrived Friday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Didway, and his brother, Curtis.

Nigeria will start a tourist industry.

Post people attend meeting at college

Ten persons from Post attended an area-wide young peoples' meeting held recently on the campus of Lubbock Christian College.

After a dinner in the college cafeteria, the young people were entertained with a concert by the LCC band and A Cappella Chorus.

Stanley Lockhart, minister of the Harris and Irving Church of Christ in San Angelo, spoke during the devotional period on "The Challenge of the Age."

Approximately 1,000 persons from West Texas and New Mexico attended the meeting. Those attending from Post included: Layland Bratcher, Bouvie Duncan, Tommy Rinker, Joe Bob Trammell, Mrs. Ronnie Parker, Mary Gist, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cato.

WEEKEND IN LUBBOCK
Mr. and Mrs. Charley Williams and Mrs. H. C. Thompson spent the weekend in Lubbock. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Evans.

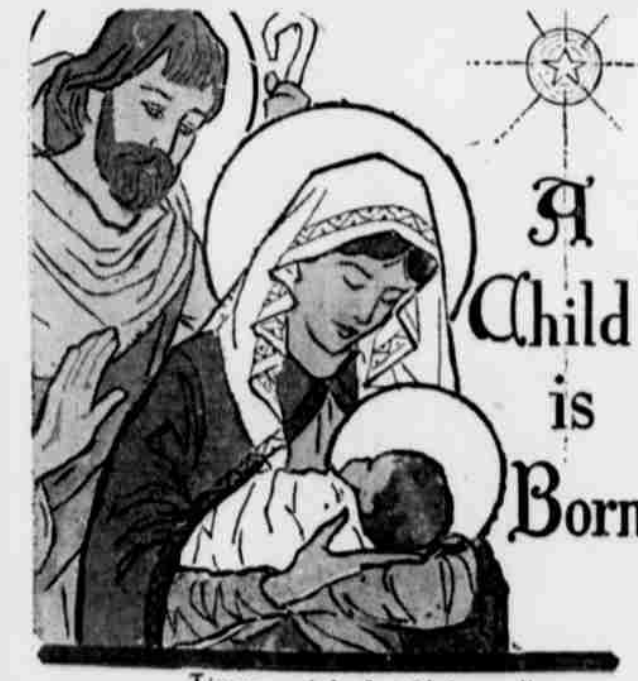
Wayne Kennedy of Snyder will be home over the Christmas holidays visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kennedy and Freda.



May happiness and contentment enter your home to bring you a **Joyful Christmas**
WELL SERVICE OIL CO.
MR. AND MRS. ODIS PALMER

Everybody Reads The Dispatch Want Ads

Joy AT CHRISTMAS
May peace and joy fill your heart at this happy Christmas season.
GARZA AUTO PARTS
JOE WILSON



A Child is Born

The story of the first Christmas lives on eternally. May the Season bring you great blessings.

Bowen Abstract Co.
MR. AND MRS. LEE BOWEN



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

BAKER ELECTRIC
LEW BAKER



May the Christmas holidays be filled with brightness for you and yours

SHAMROCK OF POST
LEO BENHAM — THOMAS YARBOROUGH
HAROLD HARRIS

Christmas

Within the next few days we will have lived in Post five years. We want to take the opportunity at this Christmas time to express our sincere appreciation to all of our many friends and customers, who have made our first five years here so wonderful.

We promise you fine folks we always will put forth every effort to operate a good sound bank and serve this community and area to the very best of our ability.

Soon we will be moving into our new building which we have planned and built in keeping with our policy of offering this area every banking service.

Wishing you and yours the happiest of Christmas seasons,

MR. AND MRS. IRBY G. METCALF, JR.

The First National Bank

"Small Enough To Be Friendly, Large Enough To Serve Your Every Banking Need"

Dear Santa Claus:
Here are some things that I would like for Christmas. I would like a camera, a bicycle, a knife, and the Rifleman's gun.
Sincerely yours,
Joe Bilbo

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy. I am in the second grade. I want a bicycle, Santa, and my sister wants a baby doll. My brother wants a bicycle.
Yours truly,
Albert Alberto Villa

Garza County SCHOOL PAGE

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Have You Heard??

The first Christmas party of the season turned out to be one of the prettiest events this year. Sharon Jobe, Mike Cornell and Jimmy Minor entertained about 60 guests at Minor's party house last Saturday night. Everyone looked real fabulous dressed semiformal. It's always good to get out of the ordinary and everyone really enjoyed dressing up for a change. Seems the exact center was most popular place—mistletoe, of course.

Does anyone know why so many of the freshman girls turned out for the Crosbyton game? Could it be they crave these basketball heroes?

Anne Morris had a cousin from Washington, D. C., visiting here

IN POST JUNIOR HIGH

Fashions are in the limelight

By Linda Hays
Phoenda Belk looked nice in her red push-up sweater.

Charles Blacklock looked nice in his red, blue and white shirt.

Frank Halford looked nice in his green and white flannel shirt.

Gary Brewer looked bright in his red shirt.

Alton Long looked nice in his blue shirt.

Ronnie Wilson's gray coat looked nice.

Cheryl Pennell really looked "red" in her red blouse and skirt!
Dolores Garza's red coat looked very nice.

Freddy Dodd looked Scottish in a plaid shirt. The colors were red, gray, and white.

Lois Gill looked nice in her orchid dress. Her white band was very nice, too.

Judy Keel looked real nice in her yellow shirt.

Linda Zuniga's blue shirt looked "snazzy".

Harol Barner looked very nice in his flannel shirt.

Linford Warren looked nice in a gray, blue and white shirt.

Marcia Newby looked nice in her blue sweater.

Donna Mathis looked very nice in her red quilted skirt. Her white sweater looked nice, too.

Sherry Taylor looked "cook-koo" in her red slacks. Her sweater with a hood was "keen".

Sheri Perdue looked nice in her blue and white dress. There were little stars on it.

Sherry Gist looked very nice in her gray dress. Her white blouse looked nice, too.

Tommy Messer looked neat in his plaid shirt.

Mrs. Hudman looked nice in her light brown dress. Her collar was a dark brown.

Mrs. Pierce's orange corsage looked very chic.

Mrs. Teal's light brown coat looked very nice.

Mr. Alexander's gray coat looked very dressy.

To the Seniors

Thank you so much for the lovely pot plant that you gave me. At a time of sadness, the remembrance meant more than I can express. Thank you, seniors.
Mrs. Bettye Scott

the first part of last week. Hey, Scottie, how did Curtis rate a date?

Everyone sure missed Mrs. Scott last Thursday. She was out of town to attend a funeral. We always miss a wonderful teacher like Mrs. Scott when she's not here.

College students, old PHS students, are coming home for Christmas. Among those already here are Bryan Williams, Howard Jones, Barbara Shytles, Lucy Trammell, Linda and Wayne Runkles, Marilyn Steel, and others. Also back home is Billy Hamilton, who is attending a military school.

Mary Beth had a slumber party Friday night. We ate hot dogs, candy, nuts, potato chips, and had Cokes. Those attending were: Nancy, Susie, Linda Freeman, Linda Rogers, Marilyn Minor, Marilyn W., Nita, Cheryl, Margie, and Aragan. Everyone had a blast!

Thursday, Dec. 10, the 8th grade sextet presented a program of four Christmas songs to the Zeta Tau Alpha Alumnae sorority club. Mrs. Cain of Lubbock was our hostess. The evening turned out very well and the songs were beautiful. The sextet was served cake and nuts after singing.

Seems as though bulky knit sweaters are especially popular with the boys of Post High. Boys, they look real suave, but . . .

If some of your classes seemed bare Friday it was probably because about half of the school was working on Christmas decorations. The decorations look real good this year. The scenes add a lot to the overall decorations of the town.

The cheerleaders finally got their pictures made for the annual Friday. They've been trying to get together since the last of October and have just now made it. Congratulations.

Some couples seen together are: Dorothy Kuykendoll and Robbi Wilson, Marianne Jones, and Royce Hart, Linda Kuykendoll and Wendell Duncan, Melanie Thompson and Jerry Windham, Karen Potts and Carol Davis.

Two more girls lucked out and got engagement rings. The lucky couples are Elaine Wheatley and Bobby Baxley and Sandra Kennedy and Mickey Priddy.

From the paper staff, best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Junior High reporter describes fashions

By Carol Camp
Delores Strofer looked "cool" in her fall colored skirt. Along with a white blouse and a brown vest over her blouse.

Billy Hahn had a gray striped shirt with a green pullover sweater over it.

Phyllis McMains looked cute in a flowered dress.

James Mears looked cute in a red, gray and black shirt.

Mrs. Florence looked nice in her blue dress.

Mrs. Williams looked lovely in her yellow suit.

Big time had at band party

By Peggy Butler

On Thursday night the band got together for their annual party in the band hall. It was decorated with large colored Christmas bulbs and icicles hanging from the lights. The tables had a candle in the center.

Refreshments of sandwiches and cold drinks were served.

Sandra Martin sang two songs, "O Holy Night", and her version of "Blue Moon". Then the group sang a group of Christmas carols.

Wayne Gamblin, Roger Camp, and Benny Schlehuber gave the band an impromptu version of "Joy to the World." They had a little trouble getting started. Sandra M. accompanied them and was scared to death by the first sound Wayne made, but they finally got started and did a very good job.

We then played games, directed by Frankie and Raynona. We had lots of fun.

Then we opened the presents. As is our custom, we got toys, to be given to some families that could use them. We had fun playing with them.

We are sorry that some could not come. The party broke up with everyone saying that they had a good time and looking forward to next year.

Christmas concert presented by band

By Peggy Butler

The band gave a Christmas concert Wednesday before we were dismissed for the holidays.

We hope everyone enjoyed the program . . . we enjoyed giving it.

JOINS SOCIAL CLUB

Miss Sandee Cross of Post has recently become a member of the DST Social Club at Tarleton State College, Stephenville. Miss Cross, who is a home economics major in her freshman year at TSC, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cross of Post.



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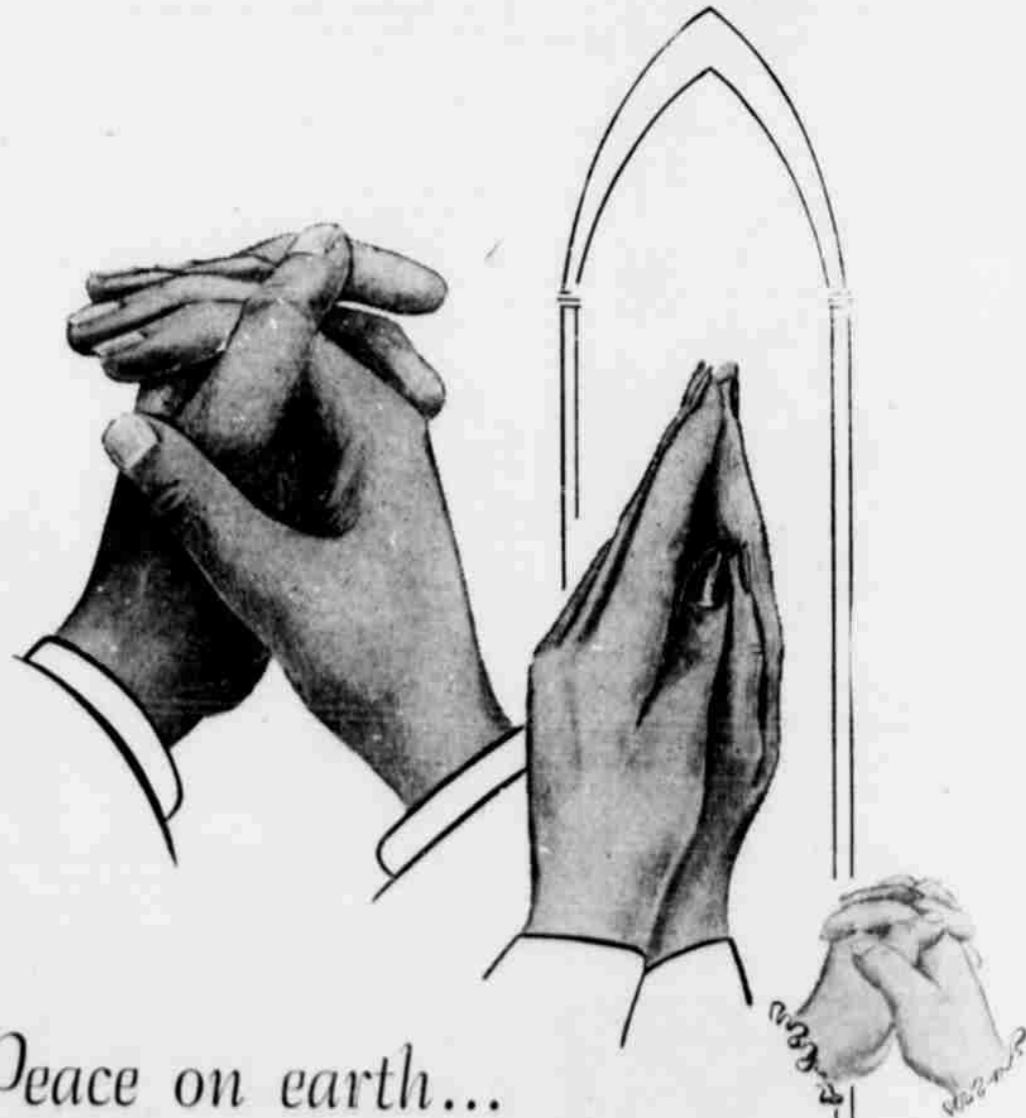
GREETINGS

Here's a holiday tradition we really cherish . . . time out to tell you how much your loyal friendship and patronage mean to us and to wish you and your family a very healthy, happy and cheerful festive season!

D. C. HILL BUTANE CO.
Hill & Hill, Inc.
D. C. (Billy) Hill



Garza Farm Store
EARL ROGERS



Peace on earth...
Good will to men...

FOR THIS WE PRAY—Amen

Hudman Funeral Home
Hudman Furniture Co.

Fashions reflect Yuletide season

By Melanie Thompson
Chris Cornish looked extra cute at Sharon, Jimmy, and Mike's party Saturday night. She wore a white lace dress with a tiered skirt and white satin shoes. Sandra Stewart's dress of emerald green lace made her look lovely. Lois Edwards was really dress-

Holiday visits being planned

By Kathy Stone
We all hope that Ruthell, Beth, Jane and Sandra have a happy Christmas—if their fellows get to come home. Tommy Bouchier is going to Snyder over the Christmas holidays. Beverly Young is going to Kermit to visit the Sunday after Christmas. Gary Howell is just "gonna wait for Santa."

Lewis and Travis are going to have a "ball" over the Christmas holidays. Jane Francis is going to visit Beth, and they will really have a blast! Joe Bob is planning on having a swell Christmas—maybe he will go to Tahoka. Kay Gordon and Bonnie are going to Merkel—maybe. Denise is going to visit her grandmother at Truscott. Margaret Ritchie is going to Lubbock for Christmas.

County records

Oil and Gas Leases
Cora Gulliams to General American Oil Co., part of Section 3, T&NO Survey.

G. D. Ellis and wife to D. G. Roberts, northwest quarter Section 1304, J. Hays.

Mid Seale and wife to D. G. Roberts, northeast quarter Section 1302, J. Hays.

J. F. Barron and wife to Shell Oil Co., northeast quarter Section 32 and northeast quarter Section 33, H&GN.

S. M. Swenson and others to Felmont Oil Co., south half northeast quarter and south half southwest quarter and north half southwest quarter Section 4; north half northwest quarter and south half southwest quarter and north half southeast quarter Section 35; north half northwest quarter, south half northeast quarter and north half of south half Section 39; north half northwest quarter and south half northeast quarter and north 124.355 acres of south half Section 40, H&GN.

Deeds
D. R. Payton and wife to Carl F. Payton, 206.6 acres south part of east half of Section 1421, TTRR, \$35,000.

M. H. Dooley and wife to Walter W. Smith and wife, Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 104, Post; \$4,000.

Harold W. Lucas and wife to Zella Karpe, Lots 5, 6 and 7, Block 53, Post; \$7,300.

L. R. Mason to Charlotte Martinez, east 67 feet of Lot 4 and north 14 feet of east 67 1/2 feet of Lot 5, Block 157, Post; \$2,000.

Frank Villa and wife to John Martinez Perez and wife, Lots 34 and 35, Block 2, Bingham Addition; \$300.

Marriage Licenses
Charles Wayne Morris and Sharon Ruth Wood; Dec. 11.
Frank Tillis and Cora Oliver; Dec. 14.

A petrochemical center will be developed at Yokkaichi City, Japan.

ed in Christmas colors in a full dark green dress and red shoes. Melinda Newby looked prettier than ever in a red lace over satin dress with matching red satin shoes. Glenda Whittenberg's pink lace dress with three-quarter length sleeves and a low back was really smart. The white wool sheath trimmed in white fur of Janene Haynie's looked real cute on her. Glenda Hutto looked real cute in a lavender print full dress and matching lavender shoes. Jane Francis wore a black velvet sheath with three-quarter length sleeves that was cut low in the back. It looked real nice. Marianne Jones looked cute the other day in toredor pants of blue and grey wool and a grey sweater. Sharon Jobe really was cute last week in a yellow sweater and a grey tweed skirt with yellow dots. The white leather skirt and vest of Ruth Miller's does things for her red hair. Speaking of red, Bonnie Duncan has a darling red sweater with a boat neck; it's really cute. Minnie Lee Mathis looks cute in her shaggy blue plaid skirt and matching bright blue sweater. Leta Stone looked especially nice the other day in grey and blue plaid pants and a white sweater with a big collar. Kathy Collier's new grey and green tweed skirt and vest goes real good with a pretty white blouse. Forrest Claborn looks like the new addition to the bulky knit sweater clan of PHS boys. Judy Morris has a brown and red plaid skirt that she wears a brown sweater with, real cute. Pat Wheatley looks great in emerald green, proved by her new bulky knit sweater with her white corduroy skirt making the outfit complete.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS
Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brewer and family Christmas day will be Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gerner and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mason and Lonnie of Southland, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gerner and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gerner, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gerner and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Miller and Linda Kay of Tahoka.

DISCHARGED FROM NAVY
Novis D. Furr, who was discharged from the Navy at Bremerton, Wash., Dec. 11, is here for Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Furr, and other relatives. Novis was in the Navy four years and was an electrician's mate third class at the time of his discharge.

McMurry Chanters present program

By Sharron Morris
The Post schools were privileged to have the McMurry Chanters for an assembly Wednesday of last week.

They sang many selections and done a marvelous job. The choir changed from their robes with the girls wearing different colored dresses with net overskirts. The boys changed into a blue jacket with black pants. They all looked real nice.

There were selections with only girls and some with only boys. There was a boys' quartet, which sang two songs. One was "Old McDonald Had a Farm". They had it arranged real cute. The McMurry Chanters are a beautiful group to listen to, and their director did a fine job. We hope they will come again soon.

WE PREDICT ...

THESE WILL GET THIS FOR CHRISTMAS

Rhea — Watch from Glenn
Melinda Newby — Boy friend catcher.
Chris Cornish — Toni home permanent
Marianne Jones—A new diving board
Glenn Polk—Eyelash curler
Dan Rankin—Red satin dancing shoes
Peggy Ramsey—1,000 Little Richard records
Travis Guy—Black leather jacket with Antelope on back
Jimmy Minor—Muscle - building kit
Jerry Stone — "100 Ways to Get Out of Your Shell"
Karen Potts—Bottle of crown cleaner
Don Richardson — Girl to match his black car
Sharon Jobe—Box of reducing pills
Leta Stone—Christmas spirit.

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Bible Thoughts

"What Think Ye of Christ?"

By Ronnie Parker



This question of greatest importance is asked in Matthew 22:42. "What think ye of Christ? Whose son is He? It is the cornerstone of the faith and the hope of the world. What man thinks of Christ determines the destiny of his soul. Man must think something. The skeptic denies Christ, but the thought that Jesus might be all he claims to be is disturbing and alarming.

"Whose son is He?" has been the battle ground for centuries. Elders should see in Christ the Chief Shepherd, 1 Pet. 5:4
Doctors see in Him the Great Physician.
Lawyers see in Him an advocate, 1 John 2:1
Preachers see in Him a text, 1 Cor. 2:2
Soldiers see in Him a captain, Heb. 2:10
A servant sees in Him the Good Master, Matt. 23:10
A ruler sees in Him his Lord, Act 2:36
A statesman sees in Him the Lawgiver, Gal. 6:2
A sinner sees in Him a Saviour, Matt. 1:21
God sees in Him a faithful Son whom he appointed heir of all things and whom he set over all the work of His church.
THE POST CHURCH OF CHRIST INVITES YOU TO EVERY SERVICE.



HAPPY Holidays

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

HI-WAY CAFE
Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Miller



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!

INCE OIL COMPANY
LEON CLARY



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!

GARZA TIRE COMPANY
MAX GORDON



Christmas...

How wonderful is Christmas, and the message that it brings, of Peace and Good Will to All! How it warms every heart, brightens every eye and lightens every care! As we joyously celebrate this Holy Day we wish that the glow of happiness that it brings may lastingly abide with you.

R. E. Cox Lumber Co.

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High Tops, Boys' Oxfords, Patent Slippers and Brown Straps
Sizes 6 through 8 1/2

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Ladies' Nylon Quilted Robes

in pinks and blues, solids and figures

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Only \$4.99



May you have a full measure of all the joys of the season!

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Sweetwater schedules Quarter Horse Show

SWEETWATER — Nolan County's new \$400,000 coliseum and livestock center is nearing completion on a 13-acre site in Newman Park here. The Sweetwater Quarter Horse Show Dec. 31 will be the first public event in the new center.

More than 125 Quarter Horses are expected, Supt. Charles E. Boyd Jr. said.

WEEKEND GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Short of Lubbock were home over the weekend visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Short.

TO VISIT ANDERSONS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Anderson Christmas day will be Mr. and Mrs. Stelzer Julian and Ann of Carlsbad, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Anderson of Lubbock.

Several Christmas parties held in Graham community homes, churches

By MRS. DILLARD THOMPSON

This year has almost come to a close and I begin my column for this week, I would like to wish a "Merry, Merry Christmas" to each and everyone.

Most children have expressed their wishes for a white Christmas, while most of the men seem to be pretty well pleased to have this rain continue falling.

Several parties have been held this last week in observance of Christmas. One was at the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon, when Mrs. Bryan Maxey was host for a party for her class, the beginners. Gifts were exchanged by Carolyn and Debbie Ledbetter, Ritchie and Karen Pollard, Beth Peel, Guy Troy Nelson, Donnie Maxey, Donna and Melvinia Stewart, Terry Lawrence, Susie Cowdrey, Stephanie Davis, a visitor, David Sparlin, and three little Lynch girls of Lubbock.

Henry Lynch spoke Sunday at the Church of Christ. He, Mrs. Lynch and their daughters were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Stone.

SUNDAY GUESTS in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fluit and sons were Mrs. Maud Thomas, Jerry Bush, G. T. Mason, and Ray Nelson. Afternoon visitors were Mrs. Morris McClellan and Mrs. Wayland McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowdrey and grandson, David Sparlin, visited in San Angelo Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gregg and Judy of Ropesville and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gregg and granddaughter of New Home visited Monday evening in the Earl Gregg home. Word had been received that their brother, Roy Gregg of Thomasville, N. C., had surgery Monday and is in critical condition. Earl, Jess, Morris and Ralph Gregg all left Tuesday for North Carolina to be with him.

Mrs. O. H. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaMond and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Edwards Jr. and family of Grassland and Mrs. H. W. Edwards Sr. of Tahoka, all attended the wedding in the Littlefield First Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for their grandson and nephew, Joe Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hoover, and Miss Pat Street. Rev. A. B. Cockrell, former pastor of the First Methodist Church in Post, performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover flew to Dallas for their honeymoon.

It seems several are on the sick list with a virus. Among them Debra Oden and her nephew, Diane Maxey was ill last week. Mrs. Fred Gossett took sick Saturday night and was admitted to Lubbock Methodist Hospital Sunday and was scheduled to undergo surgery Monday. Also, Mrs. J. N. Gossett is still a patient in Garza Memorial Hospital. A speedy recovery is wished for all.

Mrs. Joe Aimo and Joe and Britie came in last Wednesday from an extended visit in Arizona with Aimo's folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Davis were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Howard, Kenneth and Keith.

WEEKEND GUESTS of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mason and family were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Mason of Lubbock.

Christine Morris spent Sunday with her sister and family, the Gene Kennedys, and attended the Christmas tree Sunday evening at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dee Jones and children carried their aunt, Mrs. Sallie Sherry home to Brownfield Thursday and spent the night with her. Mrs. Sherry had been visiting here several days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowdrey and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Peel visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon at the Methodist Hospital

with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gossett.

Approximately 60 enjoyed the Christmas tree and program Sunday evening at the Methodist Church. After the program, several mothers and youngsters went Christmas caroling.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fluit visited last Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gandy, near Tahoka.

Clarky Cowdrey is home from Lubbock Christian College for the holidays and is also on the sick list. A big wish, Clarky, for a speedy get well.

Rev. and Mrs. Elbert Nelson and son were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bush and Rickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Maxey visited in Abilene Monday in the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frost Maxey and other relatives.

Mrs. Lonnie Peel and Mrs. Glenn Davis were in Tahoka Friday afternoon.

THOSE ATTENDING the Golden Wedding anniversary at Sudan Sunday from Post, for Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Ray, former residents of the Grassland community, were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. W. Morris, and her brothers, Alfred and Oscar Oden; a sister-in-law, Mrs. W. A. Oden. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Morris and Joel, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Morris, Mrs. Emory Stevens, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gregg.

Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gregg of New Home and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gregg of Ropesville.

It seems there are quite a few new cars in the community. Among these is a new Ford at the Carter Gene White home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Barron and daughter arrived Friday evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mason and other relatives. Several gathered Friday evening in the Mason home to visit the Barrons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Thompson did some visiting around Monday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClellan, Joe and Britie Aimo.

Christine Morris, who suffered a broken collar bone several weeks ago is looking forward to getting out of her cast about Monday. It seems she has begun to wear glasses during the past few days, too. Good luck, Christi, for a brighter New Year.

Saturday guests in the Bryan Maxey home were her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hawley, and her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Forcade and daughter of Lynwood, Calif. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Quannah Maxey and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Floyd.

Mrs. Oscar Oden was a weekend guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Oden.

Mrs. Victor Arnold, Cecilia and Mike, were overnight visitors Saturday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Morris also visited Saturday afternoon and were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Morris and family. Among others visiting since Thursday in the Thompson home were Roy Ehrig, Quannah Maxey, Bryan Maxey and Betty Jones.

Mrs. Quannah Maxey and Jane, Patsy Thompson and Sandra Stewart were among those attending the Christmas party Monday evening in the home of Coach and Mrs. N. R. King for the fourth period gym class.

GUESTS OF HARTS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boy Hart and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wood Byrd and children of Clairemont, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Fowler and John of Anniston, Ala., Ares Fowler of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. James Dye and Donna.

Hospital Notes

Admitted

Inocicio Moline, medical
Ethel Bruton, medical
Betty Burgess, obstetrical
Mrs. G. R. Cowley, medical
Mrs. L. Martinez, medical
Mrs. Tom Leake, medical
Mrs. J. W. Gray, obstetrical

Dismissed

Pete Morgan
Bobbie Morgan
Inocicio Moline
Rory Matthews
Ruby Soules
Lee Byrd
Mrs. Betty Burgess
Mrs. Tom Leake
Ethel Bruton
Mrs. George Mendieta
Mrs. Lewis Martinez

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hudman over the Christmas holidays are their daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Polk and son of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. James Bagwell of Midland.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Fowler and John of Anniston, Ala., are visiting in the home of their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Boy Hart over the Christmas holidays.

Something to sell? Advertise in The Dispatch classified columns.

25 turkeys are given Saturday

Twenty-five persons received turkeys Saturday afternoon at the Post Volunteer Fire Department's annual Christmas event, held on the parking lot at the new First National Bank building.

Cooperating with the fire department in the annual turkey giveaway were 25 Post business firms. Santa Claus rode in on the new city fire truck, gave candy to the children and then talked to dozens of the tiny tots to find out what they want for Christmas.

The turkey winners were as follows:

Walter Josey, F. H. Hodges, Mildred Massey, Winnie Goss, O. Seals, Tom Henderson, Alva Heiskell, Mrs. B. J. Echols, Shorty Hester, Ott Nance, Irvin McDouglo, J. T. Shepherd, W. O. Fluit Sr., Louise Valdez;

Melba Stone, Mrs. L. G. Thuet Sr., R. V. Thomas, J. W. Redman, Ann Greer, Pat King, H. F. Ainsworth, L. T. Irvin, C. L. Morris and A. P. Hedrick.

GUESTS OF SCHMIDTS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schmidt over the Christmas holidays will be their children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Schmidt of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schmidt of Knox City, and Andy Schmidt, who attends Southern Methodist University.

Pete Pennell winner of new Valiant auto

I. S. (Pete) Pennell, who lives north of Post, won the Valiant automobile awarded Friday night at the Tower Theatre.

Johnny Hopkins, theatre manager, said Pennell told him he owned a pick-up but did not own an automobile—until he won the new Valiant.

The theatre manager also said Pennell called on and thanked each of the merchants who participated in the theatre's annual automobile give-away.

Santa Fe buying 60 locomotives

Santa Fe Railway has placed orders for 60 new 2400 H. P. diesel locomotives at an approximate cost of \$13.6 million, Ernest S. Marsh, president, announced today.

Thirty-five of the new locomotives will come from the Electromotive Division of General Motors Corporation and 25 from the American Locomotive Company. Deliveries are expected in the first half of 1960.



With the hope that the season will bring you abiding happiness.

Murrie L. D.



"And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them..." May the words of the Christmas story be a joy and blessing to you at this holy season.

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To all our good friends, we send our warmest thanks for their patronage and good will, along with our heartiest wishes for their happiness throughout the Holiday season.

GREETINGS

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Greetings

Good wishes and greetings go from us to you at Christmas time, with the hope that you and yours may enjoy all the happiness that goes with a real old-fashioned Yuletide.

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Out of a Holy night came a message of Peace on Earth, and the happiness of eternal hope, faith and joy. We wish for you this happiness, at Christmas, and for many years to come.

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A Blessed Christmas

A joyous Christmas to you... and may the precious blessings of the season abide with you and yours... peace and hope, faith and good will.

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MR. AND MRS. J. C. KENDALL

Greetings of the Season

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We are very happy indeed to take this opportunity to tell you how much we appreciate the privilege and pleasure of serving you. It's our sincere wish that Santa brings you just what you're hoping for and that life holds many joyous occasions in store for you and all those who are dearest to you.

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