

'Merry Christmas' Is Our Greeting To All Churches Celebrate Christmas In Appropriate Programs

BUGBEE PAINTINGS ATTRACT CROWDS

COUNTY INTEREST IN ART PROVEN BY HEAVY WEEK-END ATTENDANCE

Sponsored by The Clarendon News the Harold D. Bugbee art exhibit at the Womens Club Room Saturday and Sunday afternoons proved of unusual interest at this busy time of the year when around seven hundred Clarendon, Lela Lake, Hedley and Donley County people came to study and admire the unusual array of oil paintings...

SANTA DELIGHTS KIDDIES MONDAY

DONLEY COUNTY LITTLE FOLKS RECEIVE BAG OF CANDY FROM SAINT NICK

Monday afternoon in the Pastime Theatre the kiddies of Donley county, some 600 of them, were greeted by their old friend, Santa Claus, in a manner which will live long in the memory of each child.

City Complimented By Health Officer

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LOCAL CHURCHES PLANS COMPLETE

ALL CHURCHES WILL PRESENT EITHER TREES OR PROGRAMS.

The churches of the city will further the Christmas spirit with programs and Christmas trees at each of the different churches. The Methodist people will observe Christmas with a "White Christmas" in the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Teachers To Meet Here for League Work

All the teachers of the county are requested to meet at the Junior High School building in Clarendon, Saturday, January 3rd, at 9:00 p. m. for the purpose of outlining a program for the County Interscholastic League meet.

Rev. S. E. Allison Writes to Friends

Below is a letter recently received by the News from Rev. S. E. Allison. Carlsbad, N. M., Dec. 9, 1930. An Open Letter To The Clarendon News: I take this means of sending greetings and best wishes to our many friends in Clarendon...

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Visits Relatives



Little Miss Allene Beville, the six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Beville, Jr., of 2042 Washington Street, Amarillo, Texas, and who is spending part of the holidays here with her grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Baird and grandfather, A. M. Beville, Sr.

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Students and Teachers Home for Holidays

The population of the city has increased a great deal over the week-end with the arrival of the young men and women who have been carrying on their studies in the various institutions of learning in the state.

FORMER CLARENDON BOY IS PASTOR AT ROANOKE

The News is in receipt of a church bulletin from the Methodist Church at Roanoke, Texas, where Wesley Polk is pastor for this year. The bulletin was sent to C. L. Polk his father, and in turn it was passed on to the News.

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THE STAFF OF
THE CLARENDON NEWS
WISHES ALL OUR READERS
A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND
A BRIGHT AND HAPPY 1931

Santa Claus Letters

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
As Christmas will soon be here I must let you know to please bring me a rubber ball, pair of gloves and fill my stocking with lots of goodies. Wishing you a Merry Christmas.
Your little friend,
AILEEN KUTCH.

Some new little cars, a drum to beat and some candy. Bring Ben some tiny cars and a little bitty stick horse. That's about enough for us both.

Your friend,
JIM BOYKIN.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy in the fourth grade. Please bring me a pair of gloves, and a overcoat to wear to school.

Your little friend,
C. L. GOLLIHUGH.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a climbing tractor and a teddy bear. Some fruit, nuts and candy.

RALPH MORROW.

Goldstone, Texas,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to come to see me. Bring me a big doll that goes to sleep and says Mama and a fountain pen and some nuts and oranges, apples and candy. I am 9 years old. Also bring Billie Jack, my little brother a drum and a big ball and a wagon and some fruit and nuts and candy. He is one year old.

Your little friend,
CORAL LEE JORDAN.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 13, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 6 years old, and I wish you would bring my sister and I a new doll apiece. Junior wants a wagon, and baby brother a rattle. Some candy, fruit and nuts, please.

Your little friends,
Dorothy Mae and Jo Veda Hutto.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 13, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like to have a big doll with curly hair. My sister 11 years old wants one too, to put in her doll buggy you gave her last Christmas.

My other sister wants a wrist-watch. She is 13. Oh, yes I want a little trunk too. Much love to you.

CAPITOLA SULLIVAN.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 13, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am writing you a few lines. I am a little girl seven years old. I go to school. I am in the first grade and I want a doll and doll buggy and some candy and apples. I am going to try and meet you when you come to Clarendon Saturday. So wishing you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Years. Good bye.

LENA JEWEL WILLIAMS.

Clarendon, Texas,
December 12, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
How are you? Fine I hope. I want a tool box, a football, a bicycle, a pair of boots, some candy, nuts, apples and oranges.

Your friend,
RAYMOND HAYS.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 13, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
As this is my first year in Texas, I like to forget to write until I saw the other children's letters. So I thought I would write to you and see if it would do any good.

We are very poor. Daddy made a share crop this year and we didn't get very far. So if you can do anything for me I would be pleased with anything you bring.

Flora Belle Morgan.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a doll and doll buggy, some sparklers and firecrackers, candy, nuts and fruit.

My name is Flora Bell Morgan and I am five years old.

Your little friend,
FLORA BELLE MORGAN.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me some new toys. I'd like a new tricycle (and take this one back), a new airplane, 'cause I lost mine this morning.

I have 6 little sisters. I am 9 years old. So good bye Santa.
JAMES LOOPER.

Clarendon, Texas,
December 13, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 10 years old and I go to school. My name is James BLACKMAN and I want a belt and a pocket knife and some nuts and candy and some fruit.

Yours truly,
JAMES BLACKMAN.

Hedley, Texas,
Dec. 12, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a little doll and an embroidery set. I am a little girl eight years old. I am in the third grade at school.

Merry Christmas,
HELEN PEDEEN.

Rt. 2, Hedley, Texas,
Dec. 12, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I live away down here at Windy Valley on the Atteberry Ranch. It maybe out of your way some, but I hope you will find me. On account of these hard times I'm only asking for two things, besides the candy, nuts and fruit, that you always bring. Santa I want a pretty doll and a cooking set, the kind that would be just right for a little six year old girl.

I am a fairly good little girl and trying to be better every day.

Lots of love,
RUTH PEDEEN.

P. S. If you are hungry there will be hot coffee on the range and a cake on the table. I'd like to have a little cabinet, but if you can't bring it that's all right. Maybe I can do without it this year.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am 10 years old and in the 4th grade. I am not asking for much. Santa I want a sewing machine and a big rubber ball and lots of candy, nuts and fruit. Well I guess that is all. Good bye and I hope you good luck.

Your little friend,
VIOLA CLEMMONS.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl in the third grade. I go to Goldston school. Please bring me a big rubber ball and some candy and some nuts. I have been a good little girl. I am 9 years old.

MARY LOU CLEMMONS.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy in the third grade. I go to school at Goldston. Please bring me a gun. Many thanks, Your little friend.

JACK HARRIS.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am 10 years old. I am in the fourth grade. I am not asking for much this year. I want a little sewing machine and a big

rubber ball, candy, nuts and other fruit. I hope you good luck.

Your friend,
JOHNNIE LAVERNE RHODES.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
How are you? Fine I hope. I am a little boy 8 years old and go to school at Goldston. I am in the third grade. Santa please bring me a big ball and some candy and nuts and some apples. That is all for this time.

Your little friend,
J. B. MARTIN.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy ten years old. I am in the third grade. Will you bring me a coaster wagon, some candy, nuts and fruit. With love and best wishes for a Merry Christmas to you.

LOYD HAHN.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good little girl. I go to school at Goldston. I have a nice teacher. I like her very well. I want you to bring me a box of stationary.

Your friend,
RUBY BONNETT.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am the fourth grade. I go to school at Goldston. I have a nice teacher. I like her very well. I want you to bring me a box of stationary.

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Goldston School,
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Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl in the fourth grade. I have been a good little girl. I want you to bring me a box of stationary and some candy, oranges, apples and nuts.

Yours truly,
DORA LEE STANFORD.

Goldston School,
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy in the third grade. I go to school at Goldston. Please bring me a little car.

Your friend,
LEONARD BARRETT.

Clarendon, Texas,
December 12, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good little boy and I want you to bring me a knife and a pair of boots and some candy and nuts.

Yours truly,
OSCAR BUTLER.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 11, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am not expecting much this Christmas for cotton crops were short.

I want you to bring me a little wash board, tub and candy, apples, oranges, bananas, grapes and nuts.

I want you to remember my Grandma and Grandpa. They live at Wellington.

"HERE'RE THE GROCERIES!"



TO EVERYBODY

It is our sincere wish that you and yours will have a Merry Christmas and that the New Year will be a Happy and Prosperous one for you.

The business with which you have favored us has been appreciated and we trust that the combination of Quality, Service and Price has been sufficient to warrant your continued confidence in our products.

SHELTON & SANFORD

Groceries and Feeds
PHONES 186 AND 421

I want a little sewing machine too. That's all.

Sincerely yours,
LAVERNE MARSHALL.

Clarendon, Texas,
Dec. 11, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a coaster wagon and some apples, oranges, nuts and candy. I am 9 years of age. Please don't forget my brothers and little sister.

Yours truly,
DONALD TOWNSON.

Clarendon, Texas,
December 12, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a little train and track, fruit, candy and nuts. I want some fireworks too.

Thank you,
ROBERT HENRY NAYLOR.

Clarendon, Texas,
December 12, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
We are looking for you to visit us on Christmas eve as we have tried to be real good little girls. Please bring each of us a doll,



TURKEYS CHICKENS

All dressed and ready for you to use. Order now that you may get them when you want them.

Our Choice Baby Beef is the best you have ever seen. Try Spring Lamb for a change.

Chesapeake Oysters
Brick Chili

Castleberry's Market

Phone 93

aluminum dishes and some house shoes.

Your little friends,
Joveta and Carol Alice McKee.

Clarendon, Texas,
December 12, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I've been a good boy all the time. Please bring me an air gun

a cowboy suit, a horn, candy, fruit, nuts and anything you want to bring me. Good bye.

Your friend,
GEORGE WATSON.

Clarendon, Texas,
December 12, 1930.

P. S. Bring me some pretty agates.

Read the For Rent Ads.



Everything

That's best in life—but above all, a full measure of HAPPINESS—may it be yours this Christmas.

Clifford & Ray

Phone 5 or 412

We'll Deliver any of these for you.

VEGETABLES—for the Christmas dinner. Fresh as they are grown—as crisp and flavorful as the best cook would want them. Ample variety ready for you.

Specials for Friday and Saturday

Macaroni,	Or Spaghetti, 4 Pkgs. for	25c
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Hominy	3 Medium Cans	25c
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Pickles	Bread and Butter,	25c
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Mayonnaise	Gem, Pint Jar	30c
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Cocoa	Pound Can Monarch, "The Best"	25c
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Cleanser	Lighthouse, Per Can,	5c
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Salt	Figaro Smoke, Per Can	80c
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"Makes Smoke-House Smoking Unnecessary"

Coffee	Wamba, 3 lb. Can	\$1.10
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Be certain to get your S. & H. Green Stamps with cash purchases and with all accounts paid in full by the tenth of the month. This by order of the Sperry & Hutchinson Company.

Untie Your Hands . . .

A 1931 Resolution

More than likely you've envied the freedom of some of your more fortunate friends who are able to have kitchen and household help. You've wished that you, too, could enjoy their leisure hours for the enjoyment of the better things of life. New Year's Resolutions are usually looked upon as promises easily forgotten or broken—but here's one you should make . . . and keep:

Determine to make a thorough investigation of the many time, labor and money-saving appliances which can be operated economically by electricity. Make up your mind to avail yourself of the many happy hours of freedom you can expect through the application of these appliances to your own problems.

These remarkable "Electrical Servants" are unusually easy to own and to operate. You will find them efficient servants which will not only work without pay—but actually make substantial cash savings for you each month.

Start the New Year right. Untie Your Hands for 1931 and for countless years to follow.

West Texas Utilities Company

Narrative Report of Year's Activities Issued By County Agent T. R. Broun

ENTIRE PROGRAM OF WORK FOR 1930 IS FOUND IN INTERESTING FORM.

The annual report from the office of the County Agent has been released by the agent, T. R. Broun, for publication in this week's issue of The Clarendon News. The report prepared by County Agent Broun constitutes the entire activity of the local office for the year coming to a close. In spite of the bad year the agent has done a remarkable lot of work, which has been of inestimable value to the farmers and producers of the county.

The program of work as outlined at the beginning of the year called for 10 demonstrations pertaining to corn, 30 demonstrations with grain sorghum, 10 demonstrations with alfalfa and sweetclover, 20 demonstrations with cotton, 20 with fruit, 5,000 acres in terracing, 30 demonstrations with poultry, and 15 in dairying.

The report follows: **Corn and Grain Sorghum**

There were twelve farmers furnished pure seed corn for demonstrations on White Dent, Yellow Dent and Reece Deep Rooted White Dent. Then there were a few that planted some June Corn to give it a test as a comparison.

All of the corn was practically a failure. The yield was so small that no results were recorded. In every place that the Reece Corn was in the test it made some corn and on the average it doubled the yield of any other variety.

Milo and Kafir

There were four thousand pounds of Certified Seed distributed between one hundred and twenty farmers. This was planted on two thousand acres, this placed some in each of the thirty communities of the County.

There was no question in the mind of any man that saw the comparison of certified seed with the other kinds of seed. The certified seed had every good quality that was expected, one was that it would not make a record yield in a year that was visited by a National Drought, which came in June and was broken in September.

The yield was not shown for two reasons, one was caused by the dry weather not letting the difference be shown and the other was that this small increase could have been easily caused by the time of planting and preparation of the field before planting.

Cotton

The cotton work was in co-operation with the gin men of the County. The gin men bought twelve car loads of pure seed and three meetings were held in which a pure seed program was given. The idea was talked with every farmer in the Farmer County Agent conversation.

The results were four hundred and seventy six farmers planted five thousand acres of certified cotton seed.

There were no marked difference in the yield in pounds per acre but the difference was in the quality of the County's crop.

Last year there was three-fourths of the crop that was an extreme short staple. This year the crop was one half a good length that measured fifteen sixteenths or better. This difference demanded a difference of from one half to two cents per pound. The crop would have been more even if this 'Worlds Record Drought' had missed the County.

This fall the ginners went to a considerable trouble to keep the seed pure by cleaning their gins and catching the good seed for the next years planting. It is expected that this will give even a greater increase in quality because of the increase interest that is being shown by the farmers.

Alfalfa and Sweet Clover

The work on alfalfa and sweetclover in Donley County was to get the farmers interested in growing alfalfa and sweetclover for home use and market.

There were twelve farmers that seeded two hundred and forty acres in alfalfa in September. So no results were derived from this year crop.

There were seven men that has sown sweetclover for a pasture, the acreage in clover was sixty. This work was done to start on a Dairying Plan next year. By growing these crops the dairy farmer can cut the cost of production and also increase the quantity at the same time.

In 1931 there will be considerable more interest in these two crops. There will likely be 1000 acres planted in the county.

Potatoes
There was one demonstration on potatoes, this was to increase the yield and quality. There were six acres planted. A part of the plot was treated with ashes from burned cotton burs. There was no cost except the work applying the ash.

The results were an increase of fifteen bushels to the acre. The total yield averaged one, hundred bushels per acre.

Fruit
There were twenty one method demonstrations given care of the orchards and vineyards. This started twenty one farmers with their work caring for the trees and grapes.

The frost and hail storm stopped the crop off short on all but one which was an apple orchard.

The work on this one apple orchard was carefully carried through the first part of the year then the high wind almost prevented the use of the spray. Then the results were not what they should have been. The estimated increase in yield was five bushels per acre.

Prairie Dogs

The work on the prairie dogs was carried on with the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce and the Biological Department.

There were nineteen men used the 950 pounds of poison on about 1000 acres of infested land. The majority of these men got a perfect kill on the second time over the work. Others followed the second operation with carbon to get the final results.

Terracing

The terracing was worked out by training men to operate the farm level and the terrace graders. There were forty five demonstrations given in training manner and the farmers fell in line reluctantly and it went over 5000 acres in three months from February until planting time.

There were eight farm levels purchased by the farmers which used them in a rapid manner. There were 286 farmers that constructed terraces and the majority were not damaged by a six inch rain that fell on the seventh of September.

The benefit derived from this work was very noticeable on all of the different places. The value was estimated to be from ten percent to one hundred percent, in quality and quantity of production.

There is a demand for twenty thousand acres to be terraced this winter and spring, and there will likely be fully that amount done with favorable weather conditions.

Poultry

Forty two demonstrations were started on the work with poultry during the year. There were one or more for each of the communities in the County and there was an increase demand for more information as the months passed by.

There were ten thousand two hundred and seventy five birds that were in this work and the profit that was derived from this year's work was \$1,284.00. The profit was derived by culling and feeding mostly.

One flock of 200 birds with an expense of \$250 for a house and \$509.10 for feed and \$108.30 for baby chicks. Showed a total income of \$1,204.14 making a net profit of \$336.74.

Dairying
The work on dairying was practically all on feeding. This was done by the use of their home grown feed being balanced to get a combination of sweetclover and sudan grass for pasture in

County Home Demonstrator Reports Year of Womens and Girls Club Work

FINAL REPORT REVEALS GREAT ADVANCEMENT IN CLUB WORK IN COUNTY.

Miss Martha Buttrill, Home Demonstrator Agent, in her final report of the year's work, reveals the fact that a splendid organization of 4-H clubs have been functioning smoothly the past year with a wonderful amount of work being accomplished. The report is not entirely complete, according to Miss Buttrill, and a great deal more has been accomplished than is shown in the report.

There are 11 women's clubs in the county with a membership of 204 ladies, with 138 club girls composing the 9 Girl's Clubs of the county. In each of the clubs there has been demonstrations in living room, garden, 4-H pantry, poultry, and some dairy demonstrations.

70 women planted and worked with year-round gardens, 40 women raised new vegetables, 48 women used fertilizer, 20 women constructed hot beds, 27 women planted fruit trees, 20 girls planted fruit trees, 4 women planted shrubs in the yard, 33 girls planted shrubs in their yards.

Poultry

The women cared for 7871 hens this year, with the girl's raising 614 hens. In the production there were 4658 dozen eggs reported and 4643 birds were sold and accounted for with the total income from above reaching \$2,882.00.

Cream receipts netted the dairy producers \$4,659.50, with 6959 pounds of butter being produced.

Two Donley County women were interested in home industries, selling \$49.00 worth in Donley County.

4-H Pantry

The 4-H Pantry projects brought out some wonderful interest among the club women of the county with Mrs. J. C. Estlack, Mrs. R. W. Fowlkes, and Mrs. W. A. Poovey having the most remarkable reports. Mrs. Estlack canned 383 quarts of vegetables and meat with the valuation of the commodities totaling \$202.60. Mrs. Fowlkes canned 449 quarts of vegetables and meat, dried 26 pounds of fruit, 50 pounds of vegetables, and made 5 quarts of kraut. All this brought in a total value of \$196.46.

Mrs. Poovey canned 548 quarts of vegetables and meat with a valuation of \$287.15. The club women of the county have canned a total of 4976 quarts of fruit, 468 quarts dried fruit, 5508 quarts canned vegetables, 316 dried vegetables, 1179 quarts canned meat, 17932 quarts cured meat, 1137 quarts jelly, 1021 quarts preserves, 1526 quarts relish, 697 quarts fruit juice. The total value of the goods canned by the club women in the maximum production.

the summer and spring and rye for winter was the green feed that was used for a year round green feed. Milo or another grain sorghum ground with cotton seed meal was used for the conservates. Some dry hay was used as a filler in connection with the green pasture.

In the twenty one demonstrations there were not one that showed a loss when the account was balanced. There were 186 cows in this test that made a profit of twenty dollars each or a total of \$2,520.00 for the year.

Donley amounts to \$10,228.20.

Clothing

The club women have been very active in the clothing work, making 2599 garments, while the girls have been making 193 garments. This makes a total of 2792 articles of clothing which have been made by club women and girls.

Home Improvements
In the home improvement department of the club work the following improvements have been accounted for in the member's homes, 5 new washing machines, 2 kitchen sinks, 3 cabinets, 3 gas and electric connections, two pressure cookers, 2 sealers, 1 refrigerator and 35 small utensils.

Home Furnishings
The following articles have been accounted for by the club members in the county in the home furnishings group, 83 dresser scarfs, 403 pillow slips, 11 bridged rugs, 6 hooked rugs, 31 other type rugs, 63 luncheon sets, 28 table cloths and 18 quilts. Seven living rooms were demonstrated, 174 pieces of furniture were refinished, 4 added curtains, 26 walls were refinished, 4 refinished woodwork, 7 installed lighting, 38 dining rooms refinished, 39 bed rooms remodeled, 72 other rooms remodeled and 110 floors refinished.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Clarendon, Texas.
Dec. 11, 1930.
Letters remaining in this office unclaimed for the week ending Dec. 13, 1930:
Bell, Mrs. May
Bell, Julian H.
Bennett, Mrs. Georgia B.
Clark, T. L.

Sure Way to Stop Night Coughs
FAMOUS PRESCRIPTION BRINGS ALMOST INSTANT RELIEF.
Night coughs, or coughs caused by a cold or irritated throat, can now be stopped within 15 minutes by a doctor's prescription called Thoxine which works on an entirely different principle from ordinary medicines. It has a quick double action, it relieves the irritation and goes direct to the initial cause. Thoxine contains no harmful drugs, is pleasant tasting and safe for the whole family. Guaranteed to give better and quicker relief for coughs or sore throats than anything you have ever tried or you can have your money back, 35c, 60c, and \$1.00 bottles. Sold by Stocking's Drug Store and all other good drug stores.

Kidney Acids Break Sleep
If Getting Up Nights, Backache, frequent day calls, Leg Pains, Nervousness, or Burning, due to functional Bladder Irritation, in acid conditions, makes you feel tired, depressed and discouraged, try the Cystex Test. Works fast, starts circulating thru the system in 15 minutes. Praised by thousands for rapid and positive action. Buy these conditions, improve restful sleep and energy, or money back. Only 60c at
Douglas & Goldston Drug Co.

Dentry, M. T.
Fowler, Paul
Goode, J. N.
Henry, Louis
Jackson, Mrs. Bessie
Johnson, W. C.
Kirk, J. E.
Killough, Lucille
Puttes, Sudie
Roman, Emanuel
Sparkman, Geo. E.
Sorrell, Marshall
Sosa, Luis
Woods, Odie
Wilson, Billie
Charles H. Bugbee, P. M.
Clarendon, Texas.
December 12, 1930.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a new dollie for Christmas and some fruits and nuts and candy please.
Merry Christmas,
EDNA LEE MAHAFFEY.

WACO DISTRICT CLERK PRAISES CRAZY WATER
SAYS FOR STOMACH TROUBLE CRAZY WATER HAS NO EQUAL.

I first started using Crazy Water thirty years ago for stomach trouble and in a short time I found my trouble gone. When I first came to Mineral Wells, I could eat nothing containing eggs, sweet milk, and a few other foods, but after being here a week, I ate anything placed before me. I have been coming back to Mineral Wells every year since then, and regard Crazy Water at Mineral Wells, Texas, as the best water on earth for stomach trouble and all kinds of nervous trouble.

R. V. McClain,
Dist. Clerk Past Thirty Years.
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The new million dollar Crazy Water Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground. It is modern, fire-proof and complete in every detail. It is natural to think it would be expensive to stop at this magnificent hotel; yet, you can enjoy its genuine hospitality, pleasing service and receive the benefits of the Crazy Mineral Water Treatment at very reasonable rates. Write them for full and complete information.

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Try as you will you cannot give your scalp, hair and complexion the expert attention you will receive in our beauty parlors. Not only have we the modern equipment, but we have the skilled operators who specialize in the different branches of beauty culture which enables our establishment to render an efficient and highly satisfactory service.



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Apples	Winesap, 100 Size	Dozen ----- 35c	Pk. ----- 65c	Box ----- \$2.50
Nuts	No. 1 Grade	Walnuts ----- 32c	Almonds ----- 23c	B. Nuts ----- 24c
Mixed Nuts	Equal Parts, Per Lb.			25c
Candies	White Swan Chocolate, No Better Made	Per lb. ----- 35c	5 lb. Box ----- \$1.60	
Peanut Fudge	Fresh, Per Lb.			19c
Christmas Mix	2 Lbs.			25c
Oats	Large Package			20c
		Figs, Med. Size ----- 19c		
		Peach, 16 oz. ----- 26c		
		Apricot, 16 oz. ----- 26c		
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	2 lb. Size ----- 50c			
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Trade with us and your Christmas will be more Merry and the New Year Happier.

Lowe's Store

Phone 18 PROMPT DELIVERY Phone 401

At This Time

We want to thank you for the business you have given us in 1930 and wish you a Merry Christmas and a New Year of Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Goldston Bros.

In Passing

May we stop for a moment to express our sincere appreciation for the favors you have shown us in the year just closing and wish for you and yours a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

And a

HAPPY NEW YEAR

We should like to extend you an invitation for a continuation of your patronage during the year just ahead.

Bryan-Miller Co.

Men's Furnishings

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

And "THANK YOU"

To each and every one of you who have helped, and who are helping to make this our

SHOE SALE of the CENTURY

Such an outstanding success!
Best Wishes for the New Year!

Rathjen's Shoe Store

SHOES and HOSIERY
CLARENDON, TEXAS
P. S. Sale will be continued until further Notice.

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Clarendon Lodge No. 700, A. F. & A. M.: Meets second Friday night in each month. Homer Parsons, W. M.; E. A. Thompson, Secretary.



FIRST TUESDAY NIGHT EACH MONTH Auburn E. Clark Post No. 126. Regular meetings First Tuesday night in each month. Legion Hall. C. E. Miller, Commander. G. L. Boykin, Adjutant.



FOR RENT—Complete furnished house. Mrs. A. W. McLean. 393fc

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Fresh Country Butter; Guaranteed and Delivered. 50c Pound. Call 952B Mrs. R. O. Thomas. (52pd.)

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LOST

LOST: Grown male Police dog. Dark markings, answers to name of "CHIEF". Return or notify Clarendon News for reward.

FOR TRADE



FOR TRADE—Will trade residence property on paving for Donley County or Plains farm of moderate size. House has 6 rooms and is modern, now rented. Phone News for owners name.

FOR TRADE: Rhode Island pullets for hogs or good milk cow. Phone 437, Clyde Gilbert. (52pd.)

MISCELLANEOUS

POSTED NOTICE

The public is hereby warned that hunting and wood hauling is forbidden in the R. O. Pasture. All trespassers will be vigorously prosecuted. (3fc) W. J. LEWIS.

POSTED NOTICE

This is to notify the public that all of the J. A. Pastures are posted, and hunting, trapping or fishing is not permitted and all trespassers will be prosecuted. CLINTON HENRY, Asst. Mgr.

POSTED NOTICE

Word ranch against wood hauling and trespassing of any kind. Commerce Trust Company, Chamberlain, Knorpp, Wheatly, Agents. (3fc)

WANTED

WANTED—Clean, light weight cotton rags. Buttons and snaps must be removed. Bring to the News office. 183fc

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Clarendon, Texas, will be held in the office of the bank on the second Thursday in January 1931, same being the 13th day of January 1931, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. W. W. Taylor, Cashier. (2c)

NOTICE

After January 1st all quart milk bottles will be bought back for 10c, a reduction of 5c per bottle under the old price. Only quart bottles will be effected with the change. KNIGHT'S DAIRY.

ITEMS OF INTEREST IN DONLEY

SUNNY VIEW

This cold winter weather reminds us that Christmas is very near and may be a white Christmas.

Mrs. D. B. Bailey has been suffering with a severe cold this week but is better at this writing. Lilly Pearl, the small child of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wood, has been real sick this week but is better now.

J. N. Riley is some better after being sick and in bed for some time with bronchial trouble. Mrs. Bill Knowles of Lelia Lake was to see her brother, Mr. J. N. Riley, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Humphrey of Clarendon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wood. The ladies of the Rebekah Lodge met in the home of Mrs. L. L. Taylor Thursday and quilted a quilt to send to the Old Folks in the I. O. O. F. Home at Ennis. All took a dish of cats. Had a real feast and a most enjoyable day.

Mrs. J. C. Wood and Miss Della of Martin, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wood Saturday. Mrs. W. A. Bailey, Miss Eula Haley and Mrs. A. M. Lanham were among those who called on Mrs. L. L. Taylor, Monday night to work on a quilt for the I. O. O. F. Home.

Mr. W. E. Harlan was to see Mr. D. B. Bailey Saturday afternoon. Mr. Harden believes in improvement as he already has the lumber hauled out to his farm where he will put in new floors and ceiling.

D. B. Bailey had all his teeth extracted this week and intends having a new set made in the near future, but says he can save "grub" and eat corn mush for a while.

Mrs. S. T. Clayton and Miss Marie Trostle of Clarendon, motored to Amarillo Saturday morning where they met Miss Bessie Lee Clayton, who teaches school at Beverly. She accompanied them home and will spend the Christmas holidays with homefolks.

Mrs. Lonnie Wood of Clarendon called on Mrs. Perry Wood Sunday afternoon. Miss Eula Allen, who is teaching near Jericho, is with homefolks for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Clayton, Miss Bessie Lee and brother, Thomas, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey of Goldston.

Miss Sadie Gray, who teaches here in Sunnyview school and boards with Mrs. Allen spent Sunday in Clarendon visiting her sister, Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spann of Memphis were supper guests of his sister, Mrs. S. T. Clayton, Sunday night and visited with them until bed time.

Neal Bogard helped the Presbyterians put their Christmas tree up in the basement of the church Sunday afternoon.

Miss Eula Haley spent Wednesday with Mrs. L. L. Taylor in Clarendon. Miss Louise Batson of Memphis, and Mr. Quin Aten of Lelia Lake, were supper guests of her sister, Mrs. Sam Roberts, Sunday evening.

Fontayne Elmore of Goldston, called on A. M. Lanham Monday morning. I close wishing the editor and News force, all the correspondents and all who contribute to this good paper a very happy Christmas and successful new year.

LELIA LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Eanes and little daughter left Monday for Shawnee, Oklahoma, where they will spend the holidays in the home of the lady's parents. Mr. W. P. Howard and daughter, Misses Maud and Opal, visited relatives in Childress Thursday, returning Friday.

GOLDSTON

Rev. Gattis preached Sunday morning and Rev. Reavis Sunday night. A good sized crowd attended Sunday School in the afternoon.

Mrs. Monty Garrison and children of Childress, are visiting in the Elmore home. W. H. Gray motored to Amarillo last Saturday and brought his daughter, Miss Cleo, home to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Veazy and Mrs. Floyd Shannon and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Grant Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Goldston and children visited relatives in Clarendon last Saturday. We are sorry to report that Mr. and Mrs. Andy Campbell's little boy fell from a swing at school last Friday and broke a thigh. He is now in the hospital at Clarendon. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Rev. Gattis took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Sunday night. Floyd Shannon was a Clarendon visitor last Saturday.

J. M. Shannon spent Friday night with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. McDonald, of the Martin community. Lillian Francis was on the sick list the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Owens were down from Jericho last Sunday visiting friends. Odell Mantooth and Miss Tressa Pope went to Hollis, Okla., last Saturday where they were united in marriage. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Otis Spier.

Mr. Spier was a Clarendon visitor last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Grant received a message last week that Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bray of Ft. Worth,

William Walling were business visitors to Wellington Thursday.

were the parents of an 8 1/4 pound boy, which arrived on the 18th.

O. B. Bryant helped Mr. Grant stack feed last week.

Carl Dilli visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shannon last Sunday.

We have been having some real winter weather the last few days.

Our Greeting

To you at this season brings the best wishes for a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

And a

HAPPY NEW YEAR

It has been our pleasure to serve you during the year past and we should like to continue to merit your business through the New Year.

Visit Us—We're Glad to Have You

DOUGLAS & GOLDSTON DRUG COMPANY

IT'S YOUR DRUG STORE—USE IT

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

Shop at
PIGGLY WIGGLY
and spend the difference on
Christmas Gifts

We Thank You

For the goodly measure of patronage that has been ours during the year of 1930 just drawing to a close.

It Is Our Desire

To continue to merit your business during the coming year of 1931 and extend our wish for a

VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

And a

HAPPY NEW YEAR

U. J. Boston

Greetings:

The good will of our patrons and friends is one of our most treasured assets. The spirit of the season brings to us renewed appreciation of old associates and of the value of new friends.

May your Christmas be happy and may success attend your New Year, is the cordial wish of

Henry D. Tomb

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IN SOCIETY

MRS. SAM BRASWELL, JR., EDITOR
Telephone Number 359

Party Honors Miss Mildred Stewart

The home of Mrs. Ralph Dunbar of Pampa, was the scene of a lovely miscellaneous shower Wednesday in honor of Miss Mildred Stewart whose marriage to R. E. Koller will take place Christmas day in Clarendon. Hostesses for this affair were: Mrs. Ralph Dunbar, Mrs. Floyd McConnell and Miss Clarice Fuller.

The home of Mrs. Dunbar was beautifully and elaborately decorated carrying out the holiday color scheme. Bridge tables, accessories were, also symbolic of the Christmas season.

Party at Clarendon Hotel

Friday evening Miss Lucille Allen and Miss Edna Montgomery entertained a number of friends at the Clarendon Hotel. After all the guests had assembled and each received a green and red paper that they were taken to the banquet room which was beautifully decorated in Christmas colors. The large table around which the guests were seated was centered with a miniature house snow covered on an artificial background. On either end of the table were tall red and green candles. Attractive place cards and nut cups made very effective favors.

Christmas Party Wednesday Afternoon

The home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Stallings was the scene of a lovely Christmas party Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. G. L. Boykin and Miss Fray Stallings entertained their violin and piano pupils.

Business and Professional Women's Club

The regular session of the Business and Professional Women's Club will be held Tuesday evening, 6:15 at the Clarendon Hotel. This will be a social event in the form of a Christmas party. All members please come.

B. P. R. Club Entertained

The B. P. R. club was royally entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter Thursday evening, December 18th with a delightful Christmas party. The Porter home was attractively decorated with all that makes the Yuletide decorative motif complete. Decorations consisted of a beautiful tree, wreaths of holly, mistletoe, bitter-sweets, salax leaves and moss. Forty-two games were enjoyed by the guests until a late hour. High score went to S. M. Braswell. Low score went to J. R. Porter. Santa Claus then delivered

a gift to each guest from the loaded tree. A desert course was served to club members as follows: Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Boykin, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Braswell, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rathjen, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter.

Miss Lodi Green Has Slumber Party

Monday evening Miss Lodi Green entertained a number of friends with a slumber party at her home. Bridge games proved very interesting and entertaining until a late hour.

Christmas Tree for Old Maid Society

The annual Christmas tree party sponsored by the Old Maid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. O. L. Fink, Tuesday with Miss Florence Fink as hostess.

Gives Bridge Social

Monday afternoon Miss Florence Fink entertained at her home for her guest, Miss Mary Becker. The Fink home was attractively decorated in Christmas colors.

Informal Dinner Party

Monday, December 22, the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bass was the scene of a lovely informal dinner. The evening was filled with many kinds of amusements such as playing of bridge and 42 games, contests and music and readings.

Entertains Friends With Dinner Party

Monday evening Miss Berkeley Ryan was hostess to a large number of friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ryan. A lovely turkey dinner was served on a beautifully decorated table. The table was decorated with the Christmas color scheme.

Dr. J. G. Sherman
DENTIST
Room 3 Goldston Bldg.
Res. Phone 251 Office Phone 48

Clynell Gilbert, Ruth Cauthen, Laura Black, Pauline Atteberry of Amarillo, Geraldine Pratt, Marjorie White, Eleanor Morris, Vera Noland, Evelyn Murphy, Jo Ella Stewart and the hostess, Miss Berkeley Ryan.

Christmas Party at Morrison Home

Misses Lotta Bourland, Herloise Burrell and Eva Lee Morrison were hostess to a Christmas party Monday evening, December 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrison.

First Presbyterian Church

Robert S. McKee, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Come early for the opening song service.

St. John Baptist Church

Rev. L. L. Swan, Rector. Services for Christmas. Church School Christmas tree entertainment at the Parish house, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Windows Filled

(Continued from Page One) elty type on display surrounded by appropriate decorations. From this point in the journey around to all the show windows Mr. Window Shopper leaves the first block and promptly is faced with the attractive windows of the Goldston Bros. Jewelry Co., and the Rexall Store. Long streamers of fleece with holly and wreaths make up the decorations with a snow floor covered with sleet forming the background. Many gifts and jewelry form the contents of the right window, with the various drug store gifts, taking up the right window.

Christmas trees and other Christmas decorations featuring a varied assortment of gifts and a complete line of fireworks.

S. W. Lowe has a large tree decorated in the usual holiday manner under which is found all sorts of candy, fruits and nuts for the season. The Home Bakery is gay with its decorations around the delightful foods offered from the ovens of the establishment. A. N. Wood's Grocery also catches the eye of Mr. Window Shopper with the Shapely Christmas tree and the decorations over the delicious Christmas canned goods which are displayed about.

Christmas tree. This last window ends the tour made by Mr. Window Shopper of the decorated windows in the city of Clarendon.

Mrs. Tom Murphy and little daughter, Alma Louise, returned to their home in Dalhart, last week after having spent several weeks in the home of Mrs. Murphy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor.

Clarendon, Texas. Dec. 11, 1930. Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy 7 years old in the first grade. Please don't forget to bring me just a gun and a box of pencils and colors, all in a box.

Batteries

Regardless of what you want to pay we have the Battery for you. Whether you're looking for the greatest thrift or the highest quality—you'll get satisfaction in one of our Batteries.

Battery Repair

And Charging will be done with the best of equipment. Slow charging machine for Radio Batteries and Eight Hour Service on Car Batteries.

Generator and Starter

We are equipped to take care of all Generator, Starter or Electrical trouble you may have.

CHESTER TALLEY

Has charge of our Battery and Electrical Department and all work is Guaranteed to give satisfaction.

BENNETT'S Super Service Station

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Merry Christmas To You!

As Christmas draws near and 1930 is about to pass into discard, we want to express our sincere appreciation for your past courtesies and assure you of our efforts to further merit your valued good-will. May 1931 bring you and yours the utmost in prosperity and happiness.

Hanna-Pope & Co.

"A Pleasure to Serve You"

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A One-Man Job Throughout—The Oliver Hart-Parr Row Crop

Of course, the first thing you notice about the Oliver Hart-Parr Row Crop Tractor is those tireless wheels. But look closer, and you'll see that the way the tractor is put together is just as new, just as revolutionary, as the wheels.

It's assembled in units. The engine is one unit. The steering mechanism is another. The rear axle and axle carrier is still another. In all there are 8 units and each one can be removed quickly and easily—a one-man job. And they're all combined into the sturdiest most practical general purpose tractor ever built.

The Row Crop doesn't need adjustments often. But when an adjustment is needed, the job can be done quickly and easily by one man.

Come to our store and let us tell you about the revolutionary features of the new Row Crop.

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