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Visiting with Mrs. Mildred Wells last Friday were Mrs. Thelma Thompson and Mamie Lou Rayburn, of Plainview. After lunch they were joined by Mildred Hil. ton and visited with the C.H. Roses and the Clay Muncys. Mrs. Wells spent the

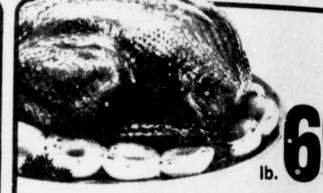
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# udents appeal to the ayatollah

s note: Students in Terry Dear Sir, history classes at Lockney High School wrote letters to the h Ruhollah Khomeini urging ian Moslem leader to free the ans being held hostage in the Embassy in Tehran. They that chances were slim of the receiving mail, so they elected the ayatolla himself. All the students wrote the Iranian some of the better letters are here. The letters are addressed neini, in care of the Iranian in Washington, D.C.)

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on't think God is too enthused ur conduct in keeping the there. I don't think you would as to capture some of your for no reason at all, and not let don't think you need to keep e there. If you really had any at all you would let them go. sure, if you were a Christian, ald want to spend Christmas ur family, like the hostages cause it is a special time for all

> Sincerly Yours, Shawnda Brock

I've written this letter to you to talk about the American men and women you are holding hostage there in Iran. I don't think its rightfu!ly fair that you are holding Americans hostage, just because you want the Shah back. Well personally, I think you should let the hostages go, since we do not have the Shah in our country.

Respectfully yours, Jason Duane Hill

Dear Sir,

I'm from Lockney and I watch the news most every night and I've seen the hostages and the guards making sure no one comes in. As a Christmas present, I would like to have the hostages home for Christmas and to have Christmas just like all other Christians. All the people you have as hostages have families just like the people who are holding the hostages have families too. How would you feel if you were captured by some other country and they wouldn't let you go for Christmas. How would your feel? If you think about it, you might remember what Abraham Lincoln said, "Those who deny freedom to others, do not deserve it themselves, and cannot long retain it." I think that you probably don't want to have World War III just like we don't

The families of the hostages and their parents are very worried, I'm sure, and know they want them out for Christmas. Please think about it. If you had Christmas you would want to be out. Please change your mind. Sincerly yours,

Shandra Bybee

I would like to express my concern for what has happened in Tehran. I feel that if your country wants the Shah back, they should take only legal action. The hostages would probably like to go home for the celebration of Christmas. I would like to thank you for returning the 13 hostages. This that you have done is absolutly absurd. So please, at

least let them have a Christmas of their Just please remember the people you have are from the land of the free home, the home of the brave.

Respectfully Yours Susan Pinner

In my opinion, what you are doing isn't very nice. Now, we haven't done anything as mean as this to you. God doesn't appreciate people who are mean. If you love God, you will want to go to heaven. I don't think that your chances of making it there are too great, if you keep holding our innocent people hostage. How would you feel if we kept you hostage? I don't think you would enjoy it too much, now would you? All I can say is that your actions are very childish. May I ask you to at least give them a Christmas, mainly if you don't plan to let them go in time for Christmas. If you were a Christian you wouldn't like having Christmas all by yourself and they don't either. All I want for Christmas is for you to think twice about this whole mess and let all of those poor, innocent, scared, and of those poor, lonesome people go.
Respectfully Yours,

Angie Gaskins

More letters on page 3



PAUL HARRIS AWARDS - Two long-time Lockney Rotary Club members, Bob Miller and J.D. Copeland, received Paul Harris Fellowship Foundation Award medallions at the Rotary

Christmas party last week. A \$1,000 international scholarship will be awarded in the name of the Lockney Rotary Club for each recipient. Miller and Copeland were chosen for their many years of service to the club.

# No injuries in turnover

An Oklahoma man escaped injury early Friday morning when his 18wheeler overturned on Matador Highway about two miles east of Floydada. Joe Schowengerdt, 23, of Frederick, Ok., told Department of Public Safety troopers Keith Gross and Joe Lopez that he was approaching the city on his way to Lubbock with a load of cotton seed

The steering spun out of control, Schowengerdt told the troopers, then locked. The truck began to skid in the soft dirt and overturned, spilling engine oil and cotton seed into the bar ditch.

when the truck edged onto the soft

The two troopers remained on the scene to deter oncoming traffic away from the obstacle until wreckers were

able to remove the truck. The driver of the truck did not receive a citation, according to Trooper Lopez.

## Cotton crop poorer than expected

With the cotton harvest 98 percent complete, evidence mounted in Floyd County this week that local farmers would not fare so well this season as in past years.

An informal survey of county gins revealed that the yield was less than expected, as was the overall quality of the crop. Estimates of the quality and quantity of cotton by ginners ranged from "not as good as last year" to

Floyd County extension agent Jett Major reported that area farmers planted a total of 241,000 acres in cotton this

spring. After the hail and rain earlier this year, only about 160,000 acres, or two-thirds of the total planted, reached the harvested.

The north and west sections of the county suffered the worst losses from the bad weather. Major noted. The best yields came in from the southern part of the county, he said.

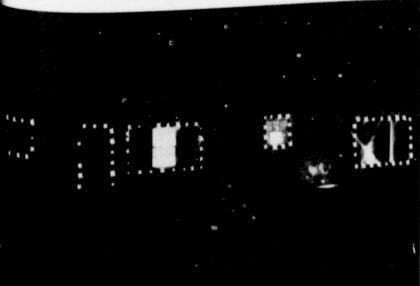
"It looked good on the stalk," Major said Friday "and I estimated that it would yield about a bale or a bale and a quarter to the acre, but actual yields are averaging a little less that a bale to the

'A lot of trash in the lint reduced the

vields quite a bit," Major said. "It was certainly not an exceptional year. We had the darndest weather I ever saw this year. One punch after another really hurt the farmers.

But there was a bright spot for some farmers. Many who lost their cotton crop early in the year switched their acreage to soybeans and produced a

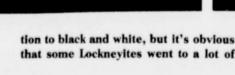
very good crop. According to Jett, farmers who made the changeover planted an estimated 60,000 acres of soybeans. The most soybeans reported planted in the past was in the neighborhood of 20,000 acres, Major said.



YULETIDE LIGHTS — Christmas lights at several Lockney residences brighten



the holiday-season nights. The multicolored lights lose a lot in the transla-





trouble to provide the cheerful holiday

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# v Horns win



SINGERS — Some of the singers in the were [front] Carol Gonzales, Cathy ria Martinet, Id fourth-grade Christmas program at Davis, Leslie Martinez, Rose Ellen Cortez. Lockney Elementary School Tuesday Arjona, Debbie Hernandez, [back] Glo-



CHRISTMAS PROGRAM — Among the fourth graders in the elementary-school

ohme Widener, Ricky Hernandez, Fernando Elias, Ismael Silva, Tracy Carl-Christmas program Tuesday were Jerton, Javier Garza, Todd Hallmark, The Lock

High School's Hustlin's Koester said. "Both team and all the kids enjoye

so far this year Thursday

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Rowel **Variety** 

Happy Anniversary

Dec. 23 — Dale and Katie Pierce, Frank and Lena Hawkins

Dec. 24 - Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Willis, Keith and Geneva Stansell, Joe and Birda Foster, Hank and Dona Winter, Manuel and Melinda DeLeon, Lee and Minnie Wright

Dec. 25 — Joe and Barbara Cunyus Dec. 27 — Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drabek Dec. 28 - Dan and Reeda Cay Smith, Kenneth and Donna Blenden, Buck and Bobbie Kellison

Dec. 29 - Rudy and Wanda Zachary

**CARD OF THANKS** We appreciate the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our

beloved mother. Your prayers, words of consolation, visits, cards, the floral tribute, and food brought for the family showed your

compassion for our sorrow. May God richly bless each of you, and give you good friends to share your joy and sadness.

Raymond & Leona Watson J.B. & Lady Jameson and families

Mama Mattie

I remember Mama So very well. Each day of her life Had a story to tell.

She cared for Daddy As a good wife should do, But she also cared For Grandma, too.

She did so at times When she was in pain, But she never, Never did complain. A jolly, happy person

And I can still hear her Tease and laugh with glee. Memories are treasures that We have to store,

And I know you have So many more. So when you are lonely And feel so sad, Think on memories and Be very glad.

Her life was pleasant Her life was rare. Now she's in Heaven With no pain or care.

December 11, 1979 Jontha Lee Mercer This poem was dedicated to the memory of Mrs. J.B. (Mattie) Jame-

# Happy Birthday

Dec. 23 — Colt Golden, Danny Cunyus, Arnold Alaniz Dec. 24 — Rainey Davis, Faye Sams, Ofelia Mata, Donnie Bybee, W.L. Carthel, Jimmy Brotherton, Byron Ford, Maye Belt, Elvia Rendon

Dec. 26 - Adrian Ramirez, Jeremy Class of '28 Ware, Elton Blenden, Rodrigo Rodriquez, Sharon Kinard

Dec. 27 - Nora Arjona, Roland Murray, Marjorie Holcomb Dec. 28 — Enda Cox, Timothy Mitchell, Margarito Arellano Jr., Cruz Peralez, Karen Ford, Clifford Byron Brock, Cody Jackson, Bob Wright Dec. 29 — Belinda Vasquez, Jessie Arjona, Mary Solis, patti Christy,

Justin Adams, Thomas Rendon

Dec. 25 — Jessie Nuncio, Hershel Carthel, Sally Salinas, Lana Rogers,

Carmen Vasquez, Tracy Beedy, John Mathis Jr., Esterline Mathis, Edith

The Pleasant Valley School of 1928 is pictured [along with the rest of the student body] in this photograph provided by R.C. Mitchell. Mitchell, valedictorian of the graduating seventh-grade class, is third from left on the top row. The salutatorian, Katherin Harris Ball, is third from left on the second row from the top.

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> dents presented a Christmas program Tuesday at Lockney Elementary School.

played by [left to right, front] Virginia Ozbirn, J. Silva, Troy Bigham, Matt Williams, cio.

Missy Hayes [left] was the Star of the Boyd Jackson, Bertha Garcia, [back]

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# Sports

# nghorns lose double overtime

High School's Hustlin' finally bowed 66-61 to Mulehorn Mules in a double-overthall game Thursday night in y gym. The score was tied at end of regulation and at 57 st overtime period. a super game," Lockney Koester said. "Both teams

best game of the year."

, and all the kids enjoyed of the contest," he added.

Four of the five Lockney starters scored in double figures. Jeffrey Mc-Cormick was high for the 'Horns with 21 points, Arnold Alaniz and Steve Warren managed 12 each, and Nick Christian netted 10. Mike Northcutt led the Mules with 28 points (18 in the first half), and James Atwood scored 13.

The kids played hard and well....We just didn't hit the basket at the right time," Koester declared.

# dy Horns beat Mules this really does bother me. The hostages in Iran really want to come home. I wish that all of the

ckney High School girls' team turned in their best ce so far this year Thursday ch Marsha Sharp said, when ated Muleshoe 44-37 in a game. The Muleshoe team 11-1 record going into the they'd defeated "...some d people," Sharp said. "... ate to win the game.... is one of the better teams

ed all year." Horns led 10-6 at the end of ter 21-18 at the half, and ing the fourth quarter. They ercent of their field-goal

attempts and hit 67 percent from the

"We finally put together four quar-ters of good basketball by all five people," Sharp said after the game. I thought our post people did a good job of defensing their big (6-1) people."

Rebecca Evans, with 16 points, led the scoring. Julie Frizzell scored 10, Penny Sterling and Tammy Hayes six each. Shelly Dunham paced Muleshoe with 13 points.

The Lady Horns break until after Christmas. At 4 p.m. December 27, they play Pampa in the first round of the

# y Horns win JV game

42-41 in basketball Thursday the Lady Horns were ahead at each period. (12-10, 20-18,

robably Lockney's best game is year, coaches said. The JV

junior varsity girls edged girls showed a lot of poise when it got

Rhonda Brotherton scored 16 points, high for the game and a career high for Brotherton. Patricia Torrez put in 12 for Lockney, Kay Reay added six, Gingie Wilson netted four, Elizabeth Mathis notched three points, and Martha Gonzales got one.

# boys outscore Mules

onghorn junior varsity out-uleshoe's JV team 56-36 here afternoon. Junior McDonald ers with 21 points. McDonald Kidd were top Lockney s. Tyke Dipprey went five-the free-throw line.

Coach Greg Fuiten said he was very pleased with the impressive win, the fourth victory of the season for the JV

A Muleshoe-Lockney rematch is scheduled January 3, when the Longhorns

# More letters to Khomeini

Continued from page one

Dear Sir,

I am writing this letter because I feel very strongly about this situation in Iran. I am not trying to make anything worse, but I do care very much about what is happening to the hostages in

I would like to know all about this situation and how it got started. I don't think any of this is right. Why would you take innocent people just because of the Shah. You accuse him of stealing money, and all kinds of things that you say belong to you. Well, the Shah has the right to take anything because he owns Iran. Practically everything in Iran belongs to him.

President Carter is really trying to negotiate with Iran but you just want the Shah. I really do respect you, but

hostages were free and I also wish we could come up with a solution to all of

> Respectfully yours, Veronica Martinez

Dear Sir,

I am behind the United States government all the way.

You have no right to hold Americans hostage, because they did not do anything to Iran. In other words, it is not right at all. You should not try to kill the Shah. All he tried to do was to bring airplanes and cars and other things into Iran, "Please let our people go!"

I don't think you are a good religious leader. All you are doing is leading Iran's people into wanting to kill the Shah. The Shah did do a few wrong things, but not as many as you and your followers think so. The Shah is dying of cancer, even if Iran and its people don't think so. If you have "murdered" any Americans or Iranians, it is a sin here in the United States and you will be punished and no one else.

Sincerely yours,

I would like to requote one of Abraham Lincoln's most famous quotes for your benefit, "Those who deny freedom to others, do not deserve it themselves, and cannot long retain it."
So I'm asking you to let the hostages go and forget about the Shah. What's past is past. If the Shah is returned to your country, you would kill him anyway, and I don't think that's right. If you were to kill or hurt the hostages or even put them on trial, you could possibly start World War III, and nobody wants that

Respectfully Yours,

# Everybody here in school and the United States thinks you are doing something wrong. I think so too,

because I watch the news everyday. Our government is trying their very hardest to think of a solution. In Iran you are breaking the International law which I'm sure, you don't care about. We cannot run the Shah over to you and your people. The government in the United States cannot do that. I hope you grew up in the Oklahoma Hills, got understand my letter, and I hope you and the United States work something her late husband owned and operated out. I'll continue to watch the news.

I think this country and your country have enough problems without your C.L. "Chick" Calloway. Don Vernon, people causing this trouble with the Jean Newton, Herman Cunningham, American hostages. I don't see what all Ethel Carrol, Inez Phillips, Nora Ayres of this is solving, the Shah isn't in American anymore, and even if he was, nobody could make him go to Iran. Because this is a free country, we can't force anybody to go anywhere. I don't see why you should hold innocent people responsbile for something our country can't do anything peaceful about. We've tried to deal peacefully with you. I think its about time you let them go. They've suffered enough. As Abraham Lincoln would say "Those who deny freedom do not deserve it themselves and cannot long reatin it." Sincerely.

Crissy Carthel

Dear Sir.

I think the situation in Iran is a very bad example on your country. The way you're treating the Americans there is definitely not the way we're treating your people here. I would like to know, why did the students only take a certain group of Americans and not all of them? I hope that your next move is the right move, in not hurting any of the

> Respectfully vours, Marie Hernandez

I think that your being unfair by letting those students continue to hold our American people. In case you didn't know, you're breaking international law. As Abraham Lincoln once said, quote, "Those who deny freedom to others, do not deserve it themselves, and cannot long retain it." If you continue holding the hostages, you may have to find that out the hard way.

I'm sure sir, that Muslims have religious holidays just as we do. On December 25, we celebrate the birth of our lord and giving the hostages their present you could give to those hostages and the people of the U.S.

I hope you can see my point.

Repectfully yours,

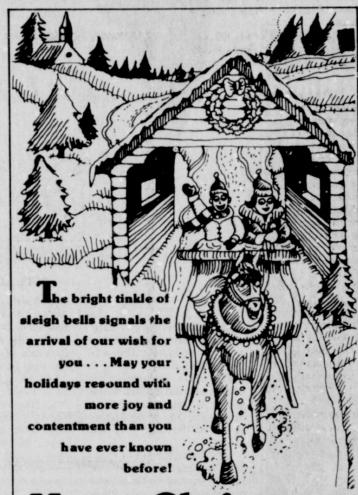
Stephanie Bybee

# WHOZIT

married and moved to Texas. She and two cafes in Lockney. She's been a Respectfully Yours, Evelia Elias Lockney resident for 32 years. Who is she? Call The Beacon, 652-3318, to register your guess. Last week's Lockney Whozit must have been an easy one. Seven persons called to identify

"ready-mix man."





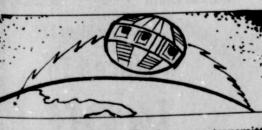
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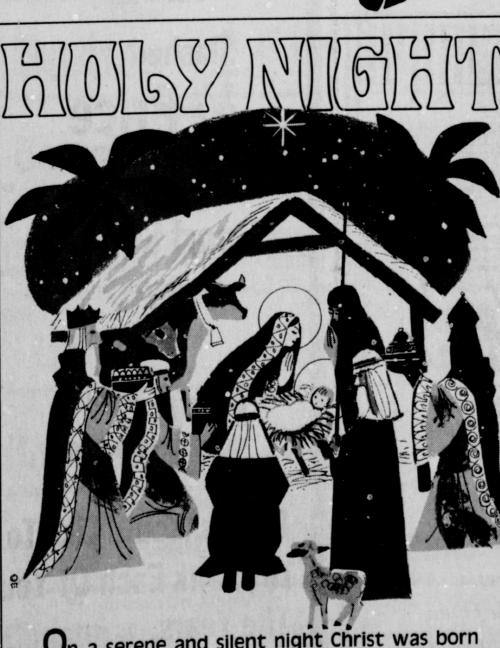


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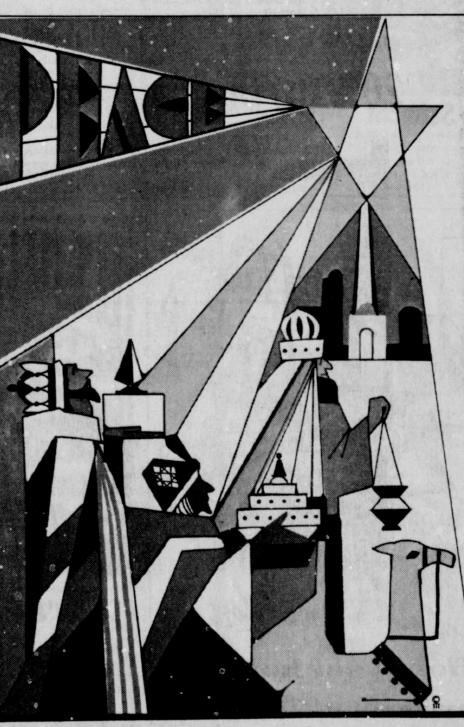
anta and we predict your oliday will be one grand round of merriment and glee! Thanks all.

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ed by [left to right, front] Virginia

Troy Cigham, Matt Williams,

Jackson, Bertha Garcia, [back]

[front] Carol Gonzales, Cathy Leslie Martinez, Rose Ellen Debbie Hernandez, [back] Glo-

# Miss Howard, Reid married in Lubbock

Miss Kathryn Suzanne Howard became the bride of Allen Reid on Friday Nov-ember 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the Melanie Park Baptist Church in Lubbock. Brother Hardy officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Howard of Floydada. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Bennett of Lubbock.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father. She wore a formal length gown of white embroidered lace with long cathedral train, fitted bishop sleeves and square neckline. She carried a bouquet of one dozen tiny red roses, trimmed with miniature white mums, babys breath and white lace.

"Something old" was a three strand parl necklace belonging to the bride's



mother. She borrowed a ruby red ring from Nancy Barker and her wedding attire was 'something new.'

The bride presented her mother and the mother of the groom a miniature yellow rose as she was being escorted out of the church by the

Mrs. David Barker of Floydada was maid of honor and Linda Crass of Lubbock was bridesmaid. They wore identical burgundy floor length dresses and carried bouquets of roses and mums.

Rick Perkins of Oklahoma was best man and Garv Perkins of Lubbock was groomsman. Ushers were Eugene How-

ard, brother of the bride, and Scott Hardy of Lubbock. Organist was Jerrie Proc-

tor. Soloist Mark Hardy sang "The Wedding Song," accompanied on his guitar. Candlelighters were Deanne Howard, sister of the bride, and Sheryl Bennett,

sister of the groom. Decorations of the church included a large white unity candle at the center of the altar on a gold candle stand

dles on a large gold stand forming the background. On each side of the altar was a basket of freshly cut flowers.

Special guests attending from Floydada were Mrs. Dan Hagood, Mrs. Ralph Rucker, Mrs. Randy Bertrant, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. David Barker and Mrs. Lloyds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keesee of Lubbock.

Reception reception was held following the wedding ceremony in the fellowship hall of

Hagood was the scene of a bridal shower December 8 honoring Kathy Howard, now the bride of Allen Reid of Lubbock.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Hagood, Mrs. Al Howard, Kathy and Mrs. B.C. Bennett, mother of the groom. Deanne Howard registered guests. Special guests were the groom's grandmother and aunt from

Hot cider, coffee, cookies and mints were served to the guests by Mrs. J.C. Anderson. The table was covered

the church. A white lace cloth with a yellow underlay covered the table. The centerpiece was a bouquet of red and white carnations. A three-tiered wedding cake decorated in burgundy red and yellow roses, yellow punch, mints and nuts were served in silver and crystal appointments.

Sisters of the bride and groom, and Henry, helped shower the newlyweds with rice as they departed. The couple now make their

home in Lubbock.

the top tier of the wedding cake as centerpiece. Candelabra held red candles on a gold stand, to add a "touch"

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Dan Hagood were Mmes. Ralph Rucker, J.C. Anderson, A.C. Carthel, Randy Bertrand, Rex Harrison, James Spurlock, Keith Reeves, David Barker and Roger Poage. The hostess gift was a set of king size sheets with matching pillow



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net Tuesday night for ular session and to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hall of the members and Idalou are the parents of a son, Miles Rodney, born Friday, December 14 at 8:06 a.m. in Health Sciences Hospital in Lubbock. Miles Rodney, weighed 3 payeds 2 nilies with a supper stew, cornbread, akes, pies and coffee. ne enjoyed the food lowship and parted each other a Merry ney weighed 3 pounds 3 and Happy New

Grandparents are Mr. and

the magic of

Mrs. D.L. Miller of Barwise Community near Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hall of Petersburg.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Docia Manning of the Floydada Nursing Home, Mrs. Pernie Miller of Sanger, and Mr. Selwyn Smith of Iran.

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Holiday!

Ho, Ho, Ho,

And Thanks.

Wishes For An

El Progreso members enjoy Christmas party

El Progreso Study Club

Sunday, December 23, 1979

members met in the home of Marie Brock recently for the

club Christmas party.

Delicious refreshments, made by Hazel Johnson, were served as the guests

the Christmas story "The Raggy Cloak," gifts were exchanged with secret pals.

Those present were Ann

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L.C.C. Associates have Christmas CONSUMER V CHECKLIST party in Smith home

The Lockney L.C.C. Associates had their Christmas party on December 17 in the lovely home of Dorothy Smith. The meeting was opened by everyone drawing a scripture and then reading it to everyone else. There was no business to

Janie Carter read an entirely different version of "Twas the Night Before Christmas." All those present contributed to the sto-

Gifts were exchanged in the traditional manner by

"Merry Christmas" was wished by all present to all

olyn McDaniel.

drawing numbers and then choosing the gift. Everyone always looks forward to this. All kinds of Christmas goodies were served along with hot punch and coffee.

present, who were: Alma Baxter, Cheryl Bradley, Faye Sams, Tommie Williams, Wynona Allison, Mary Glenn Degge, Mavis Ree-cer, Janie Klein, Myrl Wofford, Annabel Bramlet, Leo Montandon, Cindy Ward, Carol Huggins, Miss Carter, Mrs. Smith, and guest Car-

Brock, Arla Copeland, Faye Ferguson, Hazel Johnson, Bobbie Kellison, Ann Del After Pauline Sams told Quebe, Dimon Schacht, Jos-Taylor, Pauline Sams, Derothy Smith, LaVerna Sams, Alice Mitchell and Cornelia Johnson.

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Susan Savage, Donald Hyepock Wed

Susan Diane Savage became the bride of Donald Monroe Hyepock on December 3. The bride is the daughter of Jessie Savage of Lockney. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hyepock of Bonham.

The 1:30-p.m. ceremony was conducted in the groom's parents' home. The maid of honor was Donna Hyepock, and the best man was Jerry Hyepock.

The bride's sleeveless dress was made of white chiffon with a V neck. She borrowed a fingertip veil from her sister, Elizabeth. Her something new was a heart locket, a gift from the groom. She carried a bouquet of white silk daisies and yellow rosebuds.

After going to Dallas for their honeymoon, the newlyweds are making their home

FTA Christmas party held in

Melanie Foster's home

The Lockney Future Teachers of America held its annual Christmas party Monday night at the home of Melanie Foster. The party was planned by Melanie and her committee members, Rhonda Brotherton, Gingie Wilson, Devra Baker and Tammy Williams.

FTA members enjoyed playing games in the basement before and after eating goodies brought by the members.

The FTA members and their sponsor, Mrs. Tommy Sherman, would like to thank the Fosters for their hospitality.

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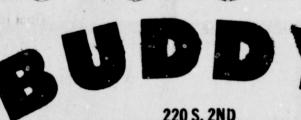
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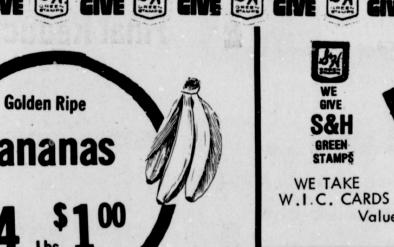
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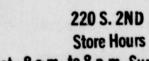
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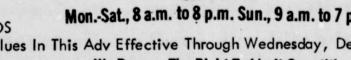












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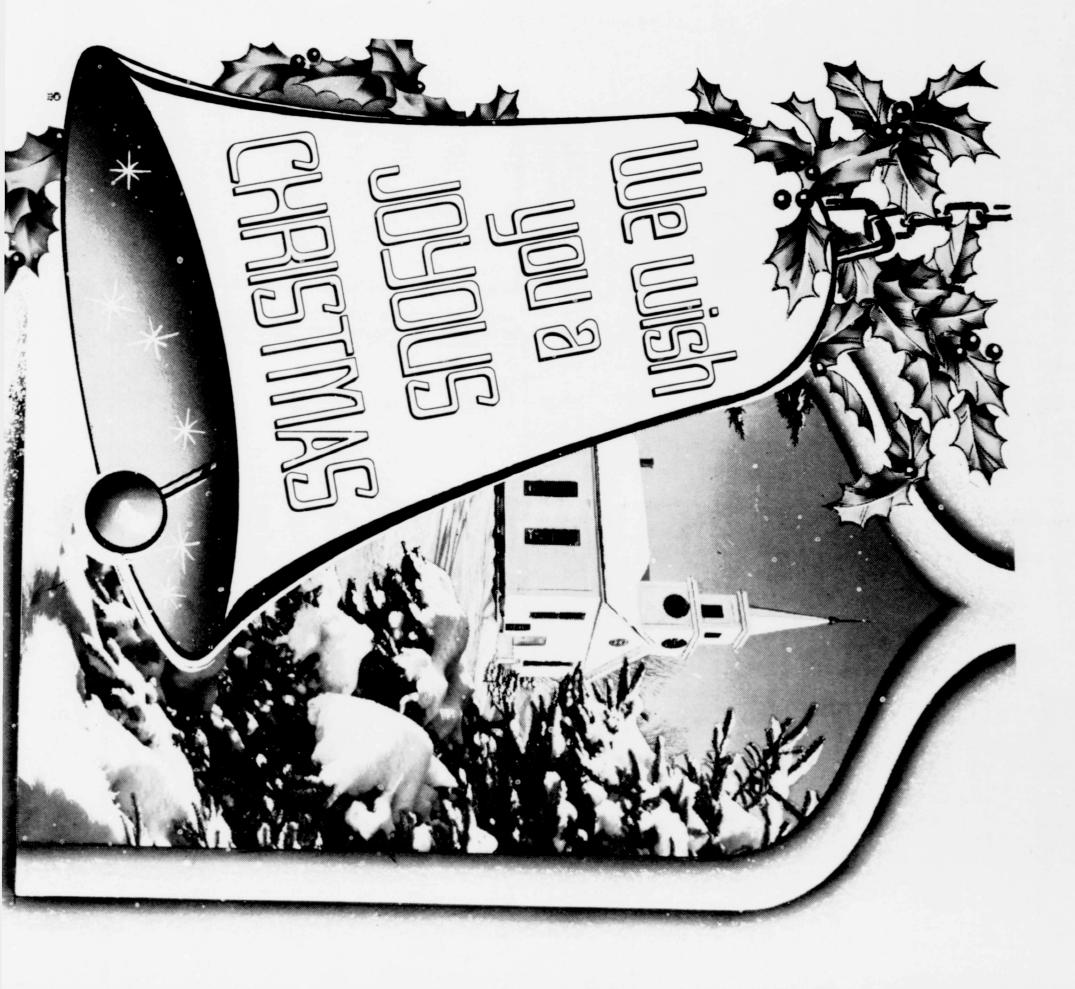
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7:00

(2) (3) RELIGIOUS

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(12) MORNING SHOW
(13) 7:30
(2) WORDS OF HOPE (MON.)

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ROCK CONCERT
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700 CLUB LOVE SPECIAL NEWS

1 NIGHTBEAT 12:30

4 SOUTHERN BASKETBALL PREVIEW

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12:50

MOVIE -(WESTERN) \*\*\* "Man From Colorado" 1948 Glenn Ford, William Holden. A brutal federal judge takes tyrannical hold of the territory. (2 hrs.)

1:00 © PTL PROGRAM ABC NEWS
THE ROCK SHOW 1:30

THE LESSON
MOVIE-(DRAMA)\*\*\* "Juarez" 1939 Paul Muni, Bette Davis. Pictures the conflict of Mexican-Indian liberator and Hapsburg Prince Maximilian for Mexco's freedom from France, (2 hrs., 40

mins.)
(10) MOVIE -(SCIENCE FICTION)\*

"Year 2889" 1965 Paul Peterson,
Charla Doarty. Seven people and monster remain alive after four billion people
have been annihilated by nuclear bombs and fallout. (2 hrs.)

2:00 (2) REX HUMBARD 6 HOLIDAY AT MELODYLAND

6 THE GOOD LIFE
10 MOVIE-(COMEDY-DRAMA)\*\*\*
"Woman's World" 1954 Fred Mac-Murray, June Allyson. An automobile tycoon, seeking a successor to his general manager, brings three of the company's top men with their wives to New York for observation. (2 hrs.) 2:50

9 NEWS 2:55

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4:00

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MONDAY NIGHT MOVIE The Gift Of Love 1978 Stars: Marie Osmond,
Timothy Bottoms. A rich girl falls in love
with an almost penniless young man in
this poignant story sut at Christmastime
in New York City in the 1890s. (2 hrs.)
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-(MUSICAL-COMEDY) \*\*\*
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HBO MOVIE-(COMEDY) \*\* "Herbie Rides Again" 1974 Ken Berry, Stefanie Powers. The further adventures of Herbie the Love Bug. (G) (97 mins.) 10:00

(10) MOVIE

-(SPECTACULAR-CLASSIC) \*\*\*

"A Christmas Carol" 1951 Alastair
Sim, Kathleen Harrison. Dickens' famous
classic of a miserly old man and how he is
brought to change on Christmas Eve. (2
hrs.)

10:15 HBOMOVIE-(ADVENTURE)\*\*\* 1/2 "The 5th Musketeer" 1979 Beau Bridges, Ursula Andress. Swaggering

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10:30

MOVIE -(DRAMA) \*\* ½

"Cheaters" 1945 Joseph Schildkraut, Bille Burke. Self-indulgent family invites 'charity case' to share Christmas with them, and he changes their outlook.

(90 mins.)

MOVIE -(COMEDY) \*\* "Christmas In Connecticut" 1945 Barbara Stanwyck, Dennis Morgan. A Sailor, recovering from eighteen days on a raft, is invited to spend Christmas at the home of a magazine writer of recipes who can't cock and falls in love with her. (2 hrs.)
1:00

4 MOVIE (COMEDY) \*\*\* 1/2 "Mr. Deeds Goes To Town" 1936 Gary Cooper, Jean Arthur. A naive millionaire, duped by the girl reporter he loves, decidestogiveafortuneaway. (2hrs., 20

3:00 10 MOVIE -(ROMANCE) \*\*\*
"Holiday Affair" 1948 Robert Mitchum, Janet Leigh. A war widow with a
young son must choose between two suitors. (110 mins.)

3:20 MOVIE -(FANTASY) \*\*\* "Bishop's Wife" 1948 Cary Grant, David Niven. A young Bishop who has lost the common touch and marital happiness because of his all engrossing dream of erecting a Cathedral, is helped by 'Dudley, a friendly spirit. (2 hrs., 5 mins.)

MOVIE-(MYSTERY)\*\* "Falcon Takes Over" 1942 George Sanders, Lynn Bari. A criminal gang sets a trap for the Falcon. (75 mins.)

MOVIE -(COMEDY-FANTASY) 5:25 Brass Bottle" 1964 Tony Randall, Barbara Eden. A young man buys an old brass bottle for his future fatherin-law...it produces a genie which, in its efforts to help him, almost breaks up his romance and involves him in a senatorial inquiry. (110 mins.) 5:40

10 ALL NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

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(4) MOVIE -(COMEDY-DRAMA)

(5) "Kathy O' 1958 Dan Duryea,
Patty McCormick. Fun begins when a
ponytailed movie star with a temper and
talent makes life miserable for a studio
publicity man. (115 mins.)

**AFTERNOON** 

12:40 4 MOVIE -(DRAMA) \*\*\* ½ "Bells Of Saint Mary's" 1945 Bing Crosby, Ingrid Bergman. A priest and a nunrebuild a failing parochial school by enticing a skin flint to donate land and a new building. (2 hrs., 30 mins.)

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TUESDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES 'Suddenly, Love' 1978 Stars: Cindy Williams, Paul Shenar. A young womanfromthe ghetto falls deeply inlove with a socially prominent lawyer and mar-ries him over the objections of his family.

9:00 HBO MOVIE-(MUSICAL)\*\*\* "The Wiz" 1978 Diana Ross, Richard Pryor. ZestyfilmversionofthesmashBroadway musical take-off on 'The Wizard of Oz' (Rated G) (2 hrs., 13 mins.) 10:00

10 MOVIE -(COMEDY) \*\* 1/2 "Susan Slept Here" 1954 Dick Powell, Debbie Reynolds. A Hollywood script writer is given protective custody of a girl over Christmas and falls in love with her. (2 hrs.)

10:30

9 MOVIE -(DRAMA-MUSICAL) \*\* "Young At Heart" 1954 Frank Sina-tra, Doris Day. Arranger elopes with com-poser's fiancee, but finds going tough. The lovers quarrel but a family reunion and an accident bring them together. (2

hrs., 30 mins.)

13 CBS LATE MOVIE 'QUO VADIS' 195 1 Stars: Robert Taylor, Deborah Kerr. Set during the Roman Empire under Nero, a Roman soldier falls in love with a Chris-tian girl and falls into disfavor. 11:00

4 MOVIE -(COMEDY) \*\* 1/2 "Princess O'Rourke" 1943 Olivia de Havilland, Robert Cummings. A princess comes to America and falls in love with a Yank. (2 hrs.) 11:30

TUESDAY MOVIE OF THE WEEK 'Young Pioneers Christmas' 1978 Stars: Linda Purl, Roger Kern. The very sensitive story of a courageous cou-ple in the 1870's who, although deeply stricken by personal grief, vercome their feelings to extend the gift of friend-ship at Christmas. 1:00

"Beyond Mombaea" 1957 Cornel
Wilde, Donna Reed. A man arrives in
Mombasa, Africa to find his brother killed
by 'Leopard Men.' (115 mins.)
1:30

9 MCVIE -(COMEDY-FANTASY) 1/2 "Here Comes Mr. Jordan 1941 Robert Montgomery, Claude Rains. A prizefighter, sent to heaven before his time, if forced to find a new body to occupy. (2 hrs.) 2:55

4 MOVIE -(DRAMA) \*\*\* "Boots Malone<sup>11</sup> 1952 William Holden, Johnny Stewart. A young boy leaves home and meetsamanwho... (2 hrs., 15 mins.) 4:40 meetsamanwhotrainshimtobeajockey

10 MOVIE -(ADVENTURE) \*\* 1/2 "Lafayette Escadrille" 1958 Tab Hunter, David Janssen. The story of the famous W.W.I French flying legion. (110

CATHRDAY DEC. 29, 1979 MORNING

8:30 9 MOVIE -(COMEDY) \*\* "Feudin Fools" 1952 Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall. Bowery Boys comedy. (90 mins.) 9:00

4 MOVIE -(COMEDY-MUSICAL) \*\*\* "Cover Girl" 1944 Rita Hayworth, Gene Kelly. Comedy centering around the life of a glamorous model, the dancer she loves, and the wealthy magazine editor who was once in love with her grand

mother. (2 hrs.) 10:00 9 MOVIE -(SPECTACULAR) \*\*\* "David and Goliath" 1960 Orson Welles, Ivo Payer. Ayoung boy confronts a giant Philistine warrior. (90 mins.)

4 MOVIE -(ADVENTURE) \*\* 1/2 "White Witch Doctor" 1953 Susan Hayward, Robert Mitchum. A nurse, who goes to the upper reaches of the Congoin the early 1900's to fulfill a duty to her husband, bears hardships in winning confidences of the natives. (2 hrs.)

**AFTERNOON** 

12:30 MOVIE -(CARTOON) \*\* "Hey There, It's Yogi Bear" 1961 Voices of Mel Blanc, J. Pat O'Malley. Yogi comes out of hibernation and winds up introuble.

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2:30

9 MOVIE -(COMEDY) \*\* 1/2 "It Ain't Hay" 1943 Bud Abbott, Lou Costello. A champion horse is mistakenly given away, causing riotous confusion.

(90 mins.)
(10) MOVIE -(HORROR) \*
"Graveyard of Horror" 1971 Bill Curran, Yocasta Grey. Inventing the murder of his wife and the disappearance of his brother, a mis.) robbers. (90 mins.) 3:00 of his brother, a man is captured by grave

-(ADVENTURE-WESTERN) \*\*
"Four Faces West" 1948 Joel
McCrea, Frances Dee. Outlaw and womanheloves win out against bank rob-bery, mortgage foreclosure, siege of diphtheria and snakebite. (2 hrs.) 4:00

10 MOVIE - (MUSICAL-COMEDY) \*\*\* "Wonder Man" 1945 Danny Kaye, Virginia Mayo. The story of a brash young nightclub entertainer and his studious twin brother who is implicated in

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Bell Jar" 1979 Marilyn Hassett, Julie Harris. Sensitive drama based on Sylvia Path's autobiography of a young woman searching for identity who suddenly bottles up her emotions and desperately withdraws into herself. (Rated R) (114 8:00

8:00

MOVIE -(MUSICAL) \*\*\* "SIIK
Stockings" 1957 Fred Astaire, Cyd
Charisse. A cold female Russian diplomat is warmed up by a movie director,
man-about-town in Paris. (2 hrs.)
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10:45 HBO MOVIE-(COMEDY)\*\*\* "The Brink's Job" 1978 Peter Falk, Peter Boyle. Comical portrayal of the inepti-tude of the gang that pulled off the most successful heist in American history. (Rated PG) (118 mins.) 11:00

MOVIE-(DRAMA)\*\*\* "FourFor Texas" 1963 Frank Sinatra, Dean Mar-tin. Two feuding men are united in a com-mon cause thanks to a scheme by a crooked banker. (2 hrs.) 12:50

9 MOVIE -(WESTERN) \*\*\* "Man From Colorado" 1948 Glenn Ford, m Holden. A brutal federal judge takes tyrannical hold of the territory. (2

1:30

4 MOVIE-(DRAMA)\*\*\* "Juarez" 1939 Paul Muni, Bette Davis. Pictures the conflict of Mexican-Indian liberator and Hapsburg Prince Maximilian for Mex ico's freedom from France, (2 hrs., 40

10 MOVIE -(SCIENCE FICTION) \* "Year 2889" 1965 Paul Peterson, Charla Doarty. Seven people and mon-ster remain alive after four billion people have been annihilated by nuclear bombs and fallout. (2 hrs.) 2:30

10 MOVIE-(COMEDY-DRAMA)\*\*\* 'Woman's World" 1954 Fred Mac-Murray, June Allyson. An automobile tycoon, seeking a successor to his general manager, brings three of the company's top men with their wives to New York for observation. (2 hrs.)

-(ADVENTURE-DRAMA) "Tyrant" 1972 Richard Johnson, Martha Hyer. A desperate battle between Roman legions and Barbarian Armies results in near disaster for the Romans because of a traitor. (2 hrs.)

10 MOVIE -(COMEDY) \*\* 1/2 "A Likely Story" 1947 Barbara Hale, Bill Williams. A veterinarian thinking he's about to die, takes a last fling, finds romance and has misadventures with crooks. (110 mins.)

Roy Clark is set to act as one of the hosts for 'The Sensational, Shocking, Wonderful, Wacky '70s,' a two-hour NBC-TV special airing New Year's Eve.



Roy Clark

The show, produced by Dick Clark, recaps the 'decade without an identity,' looking at not only the entertainment side, but the news events, the heroes, and those who have left us during the '70s.

On a recent appearance on 'The Tonight Show,' Roy Clark commented on some of his earlier hit records. Many of our readers have asked about a source for those first hit recordings. The Roy Clark Collection—two complete alburns of Roy Clark hit singles on one eight track tape—is available along with an 8 x 10 photo and a career bio sheet, for \$9.95 postpaid from Writers Country Enterprises, Box 2112, Asheville, N.C. 28802.

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## **Following Merchants**

**AFTERNOON** 12:00 CORAL RIDGE PRESBYTERIAN 6 REX HUMBARD
DIRECTIONS 9 MOVIÉ -(SCIENCE FICTION) \* "The Christmas Martian" 1971 T AFC WILD CARD GAME 12:30 10 IT IS WRITTEN 1:00
2 WORLD OF PENTECOST
6 CHRIST CHURCH
7 CHAMPIONSHIPS OF THE U.S.
GOLF ASSOCIATION 10 ON THE SQUARE 2 DEAF HEAR MOVIE-(SPECTACULAR)\*\*1/2
"Sodom and Gomorrah" 1961 FANFARRIA FALCON 9 MOVIE (MUSICAL-BIOGRAPHICAL) \*\*

6 CHRIST IN THE HOME

1 NEW MEXICO REPORT

CHURCH
4 DR. E.J. DANIELS
10 BASS FISHIN' AMERICA
11 JIMMY SWAGGART
12 THIS IS THE LIFE

THE STORY

10 RUFF HOUSE

1 SACRED HEART

7:00 THE LESSON

PTL PROGRAM

9 THREE SCOPE

2 CHAPEL HOUR 6 PATTERN FOR LIVING 10 N.B.A. BMX

**II** DAY OF DISCOVERY

HOUR OF POWER

JIMMY SWAGGART

CELEBRITY

**ORAL ROBERTS** 

2 CHANGED LIVES

JIMMY SWAGGART

WESTBROOK HOSPITAL B JERRY FALWELL

2 SPIRITUAL AWAKENING

MARY TYLER MOORE
CHRISTMAS CHOIR

HOUR OF POWER

T REX HUMBARD

13 SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:30 10 DAY OF DISCOVERY

1 FACE THE NATION

10 ORAL ROBERTS

10 REX HUMBARD

A BETTERLIFE

1 TOM LANDRY SHOW

I LIVING YOUR RELIGION

11:00

2 TIME OF DELIVERANCE
6 TODAY IN BIBLE PROPHECY
PIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

2 6 ORAL ROBERTS
4 MOVIE-(COMEDY)\*\*½ "Move
Over, Darling" 1963 James Garner,
Doris Day. After missing for seven years

and believed dead, a woman returns on

her husband's wedding day. (2 hrs.)

1 LONE RANGER

1 NFC WILD CARD GAME

-(BIOGRAPHICAL-DRAMA) \*\* 1/2

"Francis of Assisi" 1961 Bradford
Dillman, Dolores Hart. Religious epic
about the founding of a school for monks.

10:00

2 IN TOUCH
6 MORNING WORSHIP HOUR
PHIL DONAHUE SHOW

PAULINO
EVANGELIST
CHRISTMAS CHOIR

13 JAMES ROBISON PRESENTS 8:30
PROPHECY IN THE NEWS
HERITAGE

AMAZING GRACE BIBLE
CLASS

HERITAGE OF FAITH

METHODIST CHURCH

BERNAL

7:45 CHRISTMAS MASS FOR

9 NEWS 10 AUTO QUIZ 1 HOUR OF POWER

SHUT-INS

6 ABUNDANT LIVING

6:00

JIMMY SWAGGART EVER INCREASING FAITH

6:30

② DAWSONMEMORIALBAPTIST

4 THREE STOOGES AND FRIENDS

"Night and Day" 1946 Cary Grant 2:00 AT HOME WITH THE BIBLE FAITH THAT SINGS
SI SE PUEDE
TARZAN HBO RICHLITTLE: A CHRISTMAS

2:30
2 MISSIONARIES IN ACTION
6 CHURCH IN THE HOME

2 HE LIVES WRESTLING
MOVIE -(DRAMA) \*\* 1/2 "The MARCUS WELBY TO BE ANNOUNCED
HBO MOVIE -(JUVENILE) \*\* 1/2
"The Christmas That Almost

Wasn't" 1966 Rossano Brazzi 3:30

2 THINK ABOUT TOMORROW

CHRISTMAS AT PENN STATE (6) DAVE LOMBARDI

4:00

② WIDE WORLD OF TRUTH

FIRING LINE 6 A SONG OF PRAISE WORLD CUP SKIING
MOVIE -(CLASSIC) \*\*\* "A
Christmas Carol" 1938

**W** PORTER WAGONER SHOW JERRY FALWELL LUCY SHOW JIMMY SWAGGART

JIMMY SWAGGARI
JOY OF CHRISTMAS
THAT NASHVILLE MUSIC
HBOMOVIE-(DRAMA)\*\*\* ½ "The
Lion In Winter" 1968 5:00 4 WRESTLING
CHRISTMASTIME WITH MISTERROGERS

O COSMIC CHRISTMAS

10 MOVIE-(WESTERN-DRAMA) \*\* 'AllMineto Give" 1956 Glynis Johns

ADAM 12
B LAST OF THE WILD

5:30 ② ⑥ FOCUS ON THE FAMILY ABC NEWS
MOVIE -(MUSICAL) \*\*\* 1/2
"Hans Christian Andersen" 1952

M NBC NEWS B CBS NEWS

EVENING 6:00 JIMMY SWAGGART MOVIE -(FANTASY) \*\* "Sleeping Beauty" 1965

THE 70'S: AN ECONOMIC

 SUNDAY CELEBRATION
 SCOOBY GOES HOLLYWOOD DISNEY'S WONDERFUL WORLD 'From All Of Us To All Of You'

1 60 MINUTES 7:00 REX HUMBARD JOY OF BACH LET GO-LET GOD

MORK AND MINDY 10 MOVIE-(DRAMA)\*\*\* 1/2 "Since You Went Away" 1944 THE BIG EVENT

B ARCHIE BUNKER'S PLACE HBO MOVIE tleRomance" Laurence Olivier

7:30 SPECIAL

30 MINUTES
SUNDAY NIGHT MOVIE

CHRISTMAS CHOIR 1 ONE DAY AT A TIME 8:00 700 CLUB IT'S ALWAYS CHRISTMAS MASTERPIECE THEATRE

REV. HILTON SUTTON REV. HILTON SUTTON
 POPE JOHN PAUL II 'The Visitor
 We Won't Forget' (60 mins.)
 ALICE 6 LET GOD LOVE YOU
THE JEFFERSONS

9:00 4 COMEBACK
5 CHRISTMAS LACE

KOINONIA LAWRENCE WELK SHOW PRIME TIME SUNDAY TRAPPER JOHN M.D. DAVID SHEEHAN'S

HOLLYWOOD 2 6 CROSSROADS

OVER EASY Host: Hugh Downs.
HBO RICHLITTLE: A CHRISTMAS

CAROL

10:00 2 NEWSIGHT

4 OPEN UP

6 PRAISE THE LORD

7 9 10 13 NEWS

10 MOVIE -(FANTASY) \*\*\* "Bishop's Wife" 1948 Cary Grant

10:30 2 INSIGHT POP GOES THE COUNTRY MOVIE -(DRAMA-MUSICAL)
 "Going My Way" 1944

 NBC LATE NIGHT MOVIE
 BILL DANCE OUTDOORS
 HBO '79 NATIONAL GYMNASTIC

CHAMPIONSHIPS
11:00

NASHVILLE ON THE ROAD
MOVIE -(DRAMA) \*\*\* "TY
Chase" 1966 Marlon Brando

PTL PROGRAM
HBO MOVIE-(DRAMA)\*\*1/2 "Last

Wave" 1978 12:00

MOVIE -(WESTERN) \*\*\*
"These Thousand Hills" 1959

(6) BEHIND THE SCENES (10) NEWS 12:30 ABC NEWS

10 OPEN LINE 6 PTL PROGRAM
10 ALL THE PEOPLE

9 NIGHTBEAT 1:31

(9) CROMIE CIRCLE

2:00 4 MOVIE -(DRAMA) \*\*\* ½ "Compulsion" 1959 Orson Weiles 10 MCVIE (JOINED IN PROGRESS)

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9 NEWS 4:15
WORLD AT LARGE

4 LISTEN 6 PTL PROGRAM 4 ATHLETES

2 POSS BAGLEY SHOW 4 NEWS

MON THRU FRI

MORNING 5:00 ® RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING

5:30

6 RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING

5:55

TOP O' THE MORNING 4 THREE STOOGES; LITTLE

RASCALS
PTL PROGRAM

The Floyd County Hesperian

The Lockney Beacon

PROGRAMMING
FAMILY AFFAIR GOOD MORNING AMERICA RAY RAYNER AND HIS TODAY MORNING SHOW 7:30 WORDS OF HOPE (MON.) Festival Of Praise (TUE.)

4 ROMPER ROOM

6 RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING 8:00

2 6 R PROGRAMMING 1 LUCY SHOW 2 GROOVIE GOOLIES RELIGIOUS B CAPTAIN KANGAROO 8:30

2 6 PROGRAMMING RELIGIOUS 4 GREEN ACRES
1 DREAM OF JEANNIE
10 FRAN CARLTON SHOW 9:00

2 700 CLUB MOVIE (EXC.TUE.) 'Elondie'
(MON.), 'Tom Brown's Schooldays'
(WED.), 'Jack And The Witch' (THUR.),
'Alakazam The Great' (FRI.)

B RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING PHIL DONAHUE SHOW

PHIL DONAHUE SHOW
 MOVIE 'The Lady Eve' (MON.).
 'Dogs To The Rescue' (TUE.), 'Holiday' (WED.), 'Bonnie Prince Charlie' (THUR.), 'The Americano' (FRI.)
 CARTOONS
 CARD SHARKS
 BEAT THE CLOCK

RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING HOLLYWOOD SQUARES WHEW!

10:00

8 PTL PROGRAM
LAVERNE AND SHIRLEY
10 FUN WORLD 10 FUN WORLD OF HANNA BARBERA

HIGH ROLLERS
PRICE IS RIGHT
10:30 RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING

FAMILY FEUD ROMPER ROOM WHEEL OF FORTUNE

11:00 ROSS BAGLEY SHOW LOVE AMERICAN STYLE D \$20,000 PYRAMID
PHIL DONAHUE SHOW
BEWITCHED
MINDREADERS
PYOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
11:30

MOVIE (EXC.TUE.) 'Glory (MON.), 'Dick Tracy, Detective' (WED.), 'Bikini Beach' (THUR.), 'Perils Of

MORNING MAGAZINE 10 ROOM 222 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW

**AFTERNOON** 

12:00

(a) RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING
(b) ALL MY CHILDREN
(c) BOZO'S CIRCUS
(c) BIG VALLEY DB NEWS 12:30 RELIGIOUS

PROGRAMMING DAYS OF OUR LIVES
AS THE WORLD TURNS 1:00 RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING

PTL PROGRAM
D LOVE AMERICAN STYLE
D PHIL DONAHUE SHOW 1:30 RELIGIOUS

2 § RELIGI
PROGRAMMING

4 GIGGLESNORT HOTEL

1 LOVE AMERICAN STYLE DOCTORS
GUIDING LIGHT 2:00 2 6 700 CLUB 4 ILOVE LUCY

GENERAL HOSPITAL

ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW MEDICAL CENTER 4 FLINTSTONES

VILLA ALEGRE

GROOVIE GOOLIES 1 ONE DAY AT A TIME HBO CIRCUS WORLD CHÂM-PIONSHIPS (TUE.) 4 SPECTREMAN

SESAME STREET
DEDGE OF NIGHT **BUGS BUNNY AND FRIENDS** 10 MOVIE 'Christmas Eve' (MON.),
'Santa And The Three Bears' (TUE.),
'McHale's Navy Joines The Air Force'
(WED.), 'McHale's Navy (THUR.), '5000
Fingers Of Dr. T.' (FRI.)

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TERRI MARQUIS

# Artist of week is

## Terri Marquis

Terri Marquis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Marquis, is artist of the week at Art Southwest in Floydada. A landscape she painted in oils may be viewed this week in the studio/gallery. She has been taking lessons from Winnie Carthel for about six

Terri is a freshman at Floydada High School. Among her hobbies are playing basketball and the piano. She has a brother, Troy, who is a senior at FHS.

Reinforce school education Include a variety of nutritious foods in planning meals at home, advises a foods and nutrition specialist, Mary K. Sweeten, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Ser-

Children are better able to retain nutrition knowledge learned at school when it is reinforced by favorable nutrition knowledge learned at school when it is reinforced by favorable nutrition practices in the home, she

# **NEWS & REVIEWS**

Media Center First Baptist Church Floydada

BY BETH PRATT

Slow down and read a special story to your children during the holiday season. The Mysterious Star by Joanne Marxhausen is a tender story, aglow with mystery and wonder. It enlightens the heart with the true meaning of Christmas.

As Jamie's father reads the Christmas story, Jamie runs to the window and looks for the Christmas star..... Jamie's father tells him that if he keeps looking he will find the star, but not in the

The next day Jamie begins his long walk to find the star. Along the way he finds others in need: a friendless little girl whom he comforts, a lonely old man on a park bench with whom he shares his peanut butter and jelly sandwich, and others in need to share his love. It will warm your heart to see that in giving himself to others, Jamie does indeed find his

Christmas stories are available in the media center. Select one that will add to the joy of the season. The time you spend to read a story to your children may well be the most significant gift you can

Both programs of Christmas music presented by the adult choir and the children's choirs last Sunday will be available in the media center. We are adding these to our permanent collection of cassette tapes because of the excellent quality of both programs. Those of you who missed either of the services can find out what you missed by checking out these tapes.

In January and February we will be doing an inventory in the media center. A nice Christmas present for the library staff would be the return of all overdue media. It would certainly simplify the inventory procedure. We also will welcome volunteers to help with this inventory.

## Gray piano students presented in recital

The Senior Citizens met Thursday December 20 for their Christmas dinner.

There were 73 members, one new member and 19 visitors. The program was pre-sented by a chorus from the Della Plain community directed by Mrs. LaVada Garrett, a teacher from junior

NEEDLEWORK

**Quilt Care** 

Careful laundering, prope storage and attention to repairs will prolong the life of quilts and quilted items. To

wash a quilt by machine, use a mild detergent and

gentle agitation. Avoid bleach, harsh detergents or

too much detergent because

chemicals weaken textiles.

Do not spin dry. This strains

Store quilts by rolling them up in clean sheets. Don't use plastic; it doesn't

were Annie Taylor, Gertie Campbell, Goldie Jacobs, Lou Williams and Tarvia Williams. A poem was read by Lou Ann Williams.

Following the program a bountiful meal was enjoyed by the group and gifts were exchanged before the meeting was adjourned. The Senior Citizens wish to high school. Participating

express their sincere gratitude to all the citizens of Floydada who have taken time and effort to bring programs and entertainmen

to them during the past year. Also a special thanks to those who gave gifts and donations to the fund drives.

Marriage License Manuel Morales and Isa-

bel Gonzales. Sylvia Guzman. Jay Kee Lackey and Julie

Mattie Jameson, will and appl. to probate.

Warranty Deeds

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ley to Seung K and Kyung Shin Hong, L-9, 10, B-13, J. Strickland, S/3'-L-5, All L-6, N/2-L-7, B-39, Lockney.

Payne to Stephen H. Newsome et al, 158 acres, Floyd. Simon Herrera to Serapio and Olga Ovalle, L-2, B-99, Floydada.

Alta Louise Barnes to Jack Don Barnes, 320 acres,

Perry Implement Co. Inc. to John R. Page, parcel, AB. Wanda J. Akin to John M.

and Carolyn K. Ross, 320 acres, Floyd. Ab.-274. John M. and Eula Holmes to Johnnie P. McKinney, W/2, L-8, 9, 10, B-30, Lock-

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# ARM & RANCH NEWS



# Beef producers to vote on research program

Beef producers will yote early in 1980 on whether they want a nationally coordinated beef research and information program.

The upcoming referendum was an-

nounced today by assistant secretary of agriculture P.R. Smith. He said beef producers will be asked to register for the referendum between Jan. 28 and They'll vote by secret ballot Feb.

The order issued by the Department of Agriculture authorizing the program provided for a beef board of up to 68

producers to administer the program. There would be as many as five non-voting consumer advisors to the

Each state or geographic area would be represented on the board in propor-tion to its share of the U.S. cattle

The program would be funded by assessments based on the value of cattle sold. During the first two years of the program, assessments could be up to two-tenths of one percent of the value of cattle sold (20 cents per \$100).

recommend an increase up to five-tenths of one percent of the value of

rattle sold (20 cents per \$100).

After two years, the board could recommend an increase up to fivetenths of one percent.

All sellers in the marketing chain would be assessed. The buyer at the point of slaughter would deduct the total assessment and forward it to the board. Any producer could request and receive a refund of the assessment

COTTON DISASTER: If, because of

weather conditions, your farm did not

make a good crop, you may be eligible

for a low yield payment. An application

must be made within 15 days after harvest on each low yielding farm and

while the crop residue is still apparent.

cards were mailed to all farm opera-

tors. Please take these to your gin and

get them filled out. Check the number

of bales and total production. Sign

them and bring them to the ASCS

county office soon.
SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRA-

TION: Producers who have sustained

economic losses from natural weather

disasters and who are interested in an

SBA loan, may visit the SBA Sattellite Office in Floydada at the Farm Bureau Office each Thursday from 1:00 P.M.

LONG TERM AGREEMENTS: A sign-up period for LTA applications has

been set for January 14 through 18.

This is for long term conservation contracts not to exceed 5 years. The

same practices as the ones listed under our regular ACP will be cost-

WOOL INCENTIVE PROGRAM: If

you have sold any wool or unshorn lambs this year, you should bring in

your sales invoices now and file for

your incentive payment. January 31,

1980 is the final date for applying for

1979 marketing incentive payment.

until 3:00 P.M.

shared.

COTTON PRODUCTION: ASCS-503

NAMES COUNTY COMMITTEES

**ASCS** reports on

agricultural stabilization

AA and MQ.

Ray Fitzgerald, administrator of the department's Agricultural and Conservation Service, said his agency will conduct the referendum. The department's Agricultural Marketing Service would monitor the program.

Rules for registering and voting in referendums have changed, noted Fitzgerald. He said the department deter mined that 10 days (8 working days) would be sufficient for all producers to register and that the four-day voting period would result in a more efficient voting procedure and reduce administrative costs.

A similar order, issued in 1977, although favored by 56.4 percent of voting producers, did not receive the required two-thirds approval. Since that time, the Beef Research and Information Act has been amended by Congress so that a majority of producers will be sufficient for approval of the order.

Following the change in legislation, beef industry organizations proposed a new order. A public hearing has been held in five locations. Based on the After two years, the board could hearing testimony, the department ecommend an increase up to five- issued a recommended decision and order in September.

Comments were accepted for 45 days and were considered in developing the order announced today.

Producers may register and vote at local ASCS offices. Registration and voting can be completed by mail if informaton and ballots are requested in

The order and notice of referendum is scheduled for publication in the

1980 ANNUAL PROGRAMS: The

ASCS has the following programs

available in Floyd County: Agricultural

Conservation Program, CCC Loan

Program, Bee Indemnity Program, Emergency Feed Program, Wool In-centive Program, Feed Grain, Wheat

and Upland Cotton Program, Peanut

HOLIDAYS: This office will be

closed Tuesday December 25 in obser-

vance of Christmas Day and on

Tuesday January 1 in observance of

New Years Day. ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPA-

TION: Eligibility for participation in all

programs administered by ASCS is

established under law without regard

to race, color, religion, sex or National

COMMITTEE ELECTIONS: Effec-

tive January 1, 1980 the County and

Community Committeemen are as

COUNTY COMMITTEE: Jack Stan-

sell, chairman, L.B. Brandes, vice-

chairman, H.L. Porter, Jr., regular

member, Maurice Campbell, first alternate, Oscar Golden, second alternate.
COMMUNITY COMMITTEES:

ren Mathis, Gale McPherson.

than Johnson, John Dunlap.

"A" Community: Bill Sherman, War-

"B" COMMUNITY: Don Bean, Na-

"C" COMMUNITY: Edwin E. Tee-

ter, F.L. Montandon, Jr., Oscar Gold-

Federal Register Dec. 14.
Copies of the order can be obtained from the Livestock, Poultry, Grain and Seed Division, AMS, Room 2610-S. U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 2025).

Referendum rules can be obtained from local ASCS offices or from the Emergency and Indemnity Programs Division, ASCS, Room 4095-S, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

# FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

The Cotton Subcommittee of the House Agriculture Committee December 29 will hold what has been referred to as "all-purpose" hearings in Lubbock. Hearings will begin at 9 a.m. in Lubbock's Civic Center and must be concluded by 1 p.m. to allow subcommittee members to meet plane schedules. Witnesses are being asked to limit oral statements to 10 minutes each.

Subcommittee Chairman David Bowen, Democrat of Mississippi, has said the committee expects to hear comment from all segments of the industry on "administrative and legislative effectiveness in handling the current cotton program, with emphasis on target price, loan and set-aside decisions; expansion of U.S. cotton export markets and future opportunities in this area; the farm structure issue, on which hearings now are being conducted by USDA; the impact of government regulations, such as OSHA cotton dust standards, and the need for continuing government research efforts to meet problems such as cotton dust, poor yields and energy shortages."

Bowen added that the seven subcommittee members also would welome testimony on other matters of concern to the industry.

At Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, which will provide one of the witnesses, preparations are being made to present arguments in favor of

legislative and other policies previously adopted by its 50-man Board of Direc-

PCG President Joe D. Unfred of New Home has called a meeting of the organization's executive committee for December 18, at which the principles of established PCG positions will be used as the base for formulating a comprehensive statement.

At its most recent meeting the PCG Board voted to recommend to USDA (1) a 15 percent voluntary set-aside with set-aside payments sufficient to attract producer participation, (2) loan and target prices at the highest levels permitted by law, (3) new legislation that will prevent the loan in 1980 from falling below the 50.23-cent level of 1979, and (4) continuation of loans on seed cotton stored in ricks or modules. The Board also approved a proposal

that would allow the CommodityCredit Corporation commercial export sales program to become self-supporting instead of depending on annual appropriations to provide funds for credit to inance agricultural exports. This could be done by allowing loan repayments, which now go back to the U.S. Treasury, to go into a CCC capita! credit account and be used for future loans.

Under "other matters of concern," the PCG statement is also expected to reiterate its board resolution expressing strong support for Cotton Incorporated.

# Farm Burea Facts

INTEREST RATES

In November, the Farm Bureau Report quoted an article from DO. ANE's AGRICULTURAL REPORT to is 61.4% the effect that state usury laws limiting interest rates charged by state banks in Arkansas, Texas, and California had been pre-empted until July 1981 by a law signed by President Carter on November 5. However, it appears from studying the text of the law that it would apply only in Arkansas.

This is because the law pertains only to states having a constitutional provision that all contracts for a greater annual rate of interest that 10 percent shall be void. Arkansas is the only state with such a provision. The Texas Constitution specifies in Article 16, Section 11 that the legislature shall fix maximum interest rates, with the 10 percent annual limit applying only where the legislature is silent. Therefore, Texas interest rate ceilings on agriculture loans are not affected by the new federal law.

FARM PROGRAM COSTS Printed on pages 292-293 is the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Commodity Credit Corporation's annual report for the fiscal year ending on August 31, 1979. The purpose of this article is to provide information to county Farm Bureau members as to the reported cost of agricultural programs.

The reported cost of all the programs for the fiscal year ending on August 31, 1979, was \$4,727,975,980 which is 97.69% of the \$4,840,016,103 reported for the fiscal year ending on August 31, 1978. These figures include storage, handling, transportation and sales

Net inventory loss for the current fiscal year was \$333,360,099 including \$119,096,845 donated commodities. Losses related to the total dairy

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authority and er program - progr reported at \$8.579

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duling. This amount RTUNITIES were \$1,527.35 \$1,114,590,597 in princi

the farm foods and m are divided as follo farm value, 32%; trus other costs 18%.

# Research News Report

Growers who want to know the vice specialists, but latest research information about energy use and production in agriculture will want to mark their calendars for February 14, 1980. That day marks the Annual Crop Production and Utilization Symposium at the Texas A&M Research and Extension center at Amarillo, according to Dr. G.B. Thompson, director of research. The event will start at 9:30 in the morning and continue until 3:50 in the afternoon.

The keynote address will be "Energy...What Lies Ahead," by T.B. Pickens, president of Mesa Petroleum. According to Dr. B.A. Stewart, research director at the USDA Agricultural Research Center at Bushland,

the rest of the program will be pre-sented by USDA and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station scientists, and Texas Agricultural Extension Sering are Energy Use in Topics in the i

# Bentsen beef import bill okayed

Washington, D.C. - The Senate oved the Bentsen Counter-cyclical

stability to the cattle industry, helping both consumers and producers of beef by helping to even out the jarring boom-to-bust cycles of the cattle business. I will give our country a stable, predictable and reasonable meat import policy which we have needed for a long

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# Cotton

COTTON HEARINGS SET: The House Cotton Subcommittee will hold field hearings on "the state of the industry," Chairman David Bowen (D-Miss.) has announced. Schedule is a follows: Dec. 27, 10 a.m., High School Auditorium, Greenwood, Miss.; Dec. 29, 9 a.m., Civic Center, Lubbock, Tex., and Jan. 4, 9:30 a.m., Picadilly Inn, Fresno, Calif.

EXPORTS CONTINUE STRONG: Sales of 263,700 running bales of upland cotton during the week ended Dec. 2 brought the season's total to 7,234,100. China purchased 122,200 bales for 1979-80 to bring its total commitment for the year to 2,117,400. Other major buyers were Taiwan, 28,200 bales; Japan, 27,700; and Hong Kong, 25,000. The week's exports of 170,600 bales were the highest this marketing year, pushing the season's total to 1,878,000, compared with

# Today

SENATOR TO ADDRESS NCC MEET: The ranking minority member of the Senate Agriculture Committee, Sen. Jesse Helms (R-N.C.), will address National Cotton Council delegates at New Orleans next month. Helms practiced a successful career as a journalist and broadcaster before beginning his first term in 1973. NCC's annual meeting is set for Jan. 27-29 at Hyatt Regency Hotel CLINE TO CHAIR MEET: Lloyd

Cline, Lamesa, Tex., cotton producer, will serve as general chairman of the 1980 Beltwide Cotton Production-Mechanization Conference January 9-10 in St. Louis. The meeting is sponsored by the National Cotton Council in cooperation with other AND COTTON YESTERDAY:

Cotton was grown in China as a decorative plant in 700 A.D.

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Finance Committee on Thursday ap-Beef Import Bill.

The bill was originally introduced by Senator Lloyd Bentsen in early 1978 and was given overwhelming approval by Congress later in the year, but was vetoed by the President. A slightly modified version was introduced in the new Congress this year. "It appears that we have finally

reached the goal of a reasonable and workable counter-cyclical beef import bill. The House last month approved this compromise proposal 352-48 and the administration, during Finance Committee hearings in September, testified in favor of it," Bentsen said.

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# Farm Bureau Facts

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In November, the Farm Bureau eport quoted an article from DO NE's AGRICULTURAL REPORT to effect that state usury laws limiting terest rates charged by state banks Arkansas, Texas, and California had n pre-empted until July 1981 by a signed by President Carter on cember 5. However, it appears from udying the text of the law that it ould apply only in Arkansas.

This is because the law pertains only

states having a constitutional provion that all contracts for a greater mual rate of interest that 10 percent all be void. Arkansas is the only state th such a provision. The Texas onstitution specifies in Article 16, ction 11 that the legislature shall fix eximum interest rates, with the 10 cent annual limit applying only ere the legislature is silent. There-Texas interest rate ceilings on iculture loans are not affected by new federal law.

FARM PROGRAM COSTS Printed on pages 292-293 is the ricultural Stabilization and Conserion Service Commonity Credit Coration's annual report for the fiscal ending on August 31, 1979. The ose of this article is to provide rmation to county Farm Bureau mbers as to the reported cost of icultural programs.

reported cost of all the programs the fiscal year ending on August 31, , was \$4,727,975,980 which is 9% of the \$4,840,016,103 reported uscal year ending on August 31. These figures include storage, lling, transportation and sales

t inventory loss for the current year was \$333,360,099 including ,096,845 donated commodities. related to the total dairy

\$204,721,332 is by far the large any single commodity reports 61.4% of all inventory milk product inves \$139,619,563 acco

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Total payments made to prothe cotton, feed grains, rice, wheat programs for the curve year, are \$1,928,178,157.0 feed grains account for 48.1 payments for the current fisch \$929,115,904.

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Export credit sales for far were \$1,527,356,033 of \$1,114,590,597 in principal w FARM FOODS COST

The 1979 Fall edition of the the farm foods and mar are divided as follows: laber farm value, 32%; trans profits, 5%; packaging, 8%; other costs 18%.

# Research News Report

rowers who want to know the st research information about gy use and production in agricul-will want to mark their calendars ebruary 14, 1980. That day marks Annual Crop Production and Utili-Symposium at the Texas A&M arch and Extension center at rillo, according to Dr. G.B. Thompdirector of research. The event start at 9:30 in the morning and ue until 3:50 in the afternoon. e keynote address will be "En-.. What Lies Ahead," by T.B. s, president of Mesa Petroleum. ording to Dr. B.A. Stewart, rch director at the USDA Agrial Research Center at Bushland, st of the program will be pre-by USDA and Texas Agricul-Experiment Station scientists,

Subjects to be discussed in the ing are Energy Use for Food Intion, Capturing Solar Energy by and Harnessing the Wind.

Topics in the first session in the s

afternoon will be Irrigation

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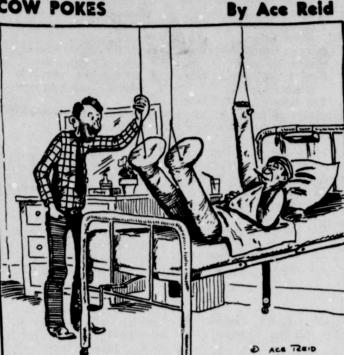
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L is for the little things that matter to me

O is for the ornaments that decorate the tree. V is for vanilla in the cakes

and pies. E is for eight stocking decorated with a key. S is fer the shepards watching with both eyes.

M is for the manger where he lays to rest.

E is for the elfs who makes our toys the best.

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## Senior Citizens have Christmas dinner

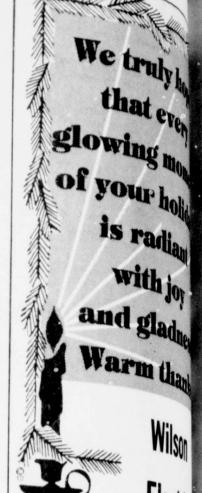
Religious and popular and Troy Neeley. Christmas selections were performed by piano students of Mrs. Dell Gray on December 16 at the First Baptist Church in Floyd da. Presented in Mrs. Gray's first recital, since moving from Lubbock earlier this year, were Devvn Neeley, Shane Orman, Jane Willson, Libby Anderson, Joey Thayer, Shayla Moore, Paige Cannon, Jeannie Jackson, Lori Higginbotham, Jill Smith, Jill Willson, Angie Anderson, Jeff Matsler, Mary Ann Rainer, Misty Orman, Anna Leta Bradshaw, Terri Marquis, Greg Thompson, Troy Marquis, Kay Lyn Rainer, Treva Hambright, Terri Lloyd, Shawnda Sanders,

Guest vocal soloist, Bobby Rainer, accompanied by Troy Neeley, completed the student segment of the program. The finale, featuring Mrs. Gray on piano and her husband, Bill, on drums, consisted of a medley of popular Christmas numbers. A reception for students, parents, and invited guests was held following the recital

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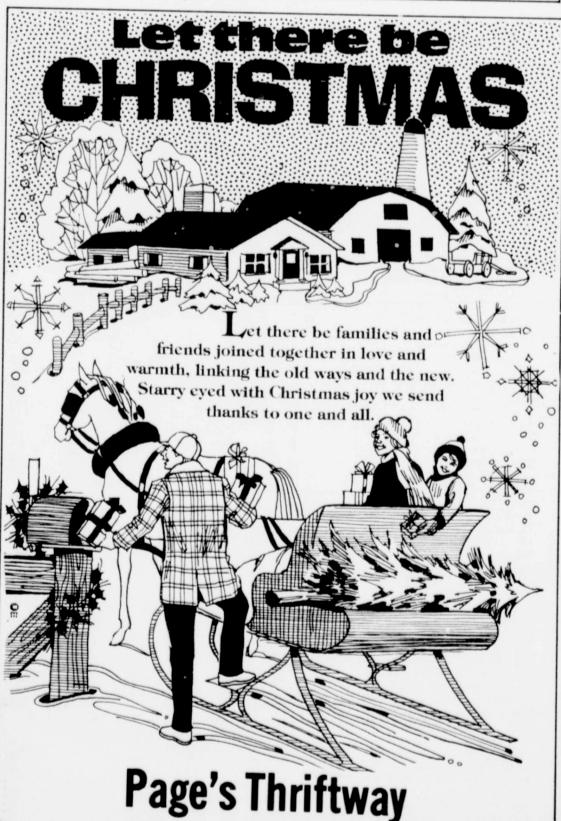
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drink called a Bishop, very ingredients we leave to your popular in Northern European individual taste and imagina-



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sented unto him gifts; gold, frankincense, and myrrh."

Matthew 2:11 St. Matthew tells us that the Wise Men selected these exotic treasures, above all others, as their special offerings to the baby Jesus. They were the first Christmas gifts

The gifts brought by the Three Kings all had magical associations: gold for the sun mystery, frankincense as the smoke-maker, and myrrh, the healer. The Wise Men had occult powers.

the young child with Mary tribute, express the love and his mother, and . . . pre- awe Christ evokes in all who believe in Him. The Bible names the gifts . . . gold, frankincense and myrrh. Each has its obvious worth; there are rich, symbolic meanings as well.

Church scholars consider the gold to mean love or Christ as King of the World; the frankincense, prayer or Christ as the King of Heaven; the myrrh, suffering or a symbol of Christ's approaching sacrifice.

The Bible does not mention containers for the gifts, were also believed to have artists over the centuries were worthy gifts for the have created them. A casket Prince of Peace.

"They (the wise men) saw The Magi, kneeling in holds the gold coins, a vessel for the frankincense, an urn for the myrrh.

Today we easily recognize the value of the gold, but we are not as familiar with the value of frankincense and myrrh. These two aromatic resins, used in making incense, were very costly at the time of the Birth of Christ. To this day they are used at many Christian

An old poem which expressed the ancient belief that "incense owns a deity neigh" is further evidence that frankincense and myrrh りょうど んりょうど んりょうど んじょうく んきらく んきらく んりょうと んりょうく んきょう くんこうしょ

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## Discarding your Christmas treea happy ending

Wondering if there is any tradition concerned with when a Christmas tree should be dismantled and taken down? January 6th, Epiphany or Twelfth Night, marks the traditional end of the holiday and used to be observed by the burning of the tree and greens.

However there can be a happier end for your tree . . one you will enjoy and find rewarding. Setting your tree up outdoors and hanging it with popcorn strings and suet makes a beautiful, natural bird feeder. Think of the fun you'll have observing your lively feathered friends through the months to follow!

> MERRY CHRISTMAS !



Blessed were the shepherds who came to Bethlenem and found Mary and the Child. We share their great wonder and awe as we celebrate the miraculous Birth, and give thanks.

**Wishing Our Customers A Merry Christmas** And A Prosperous New Year.

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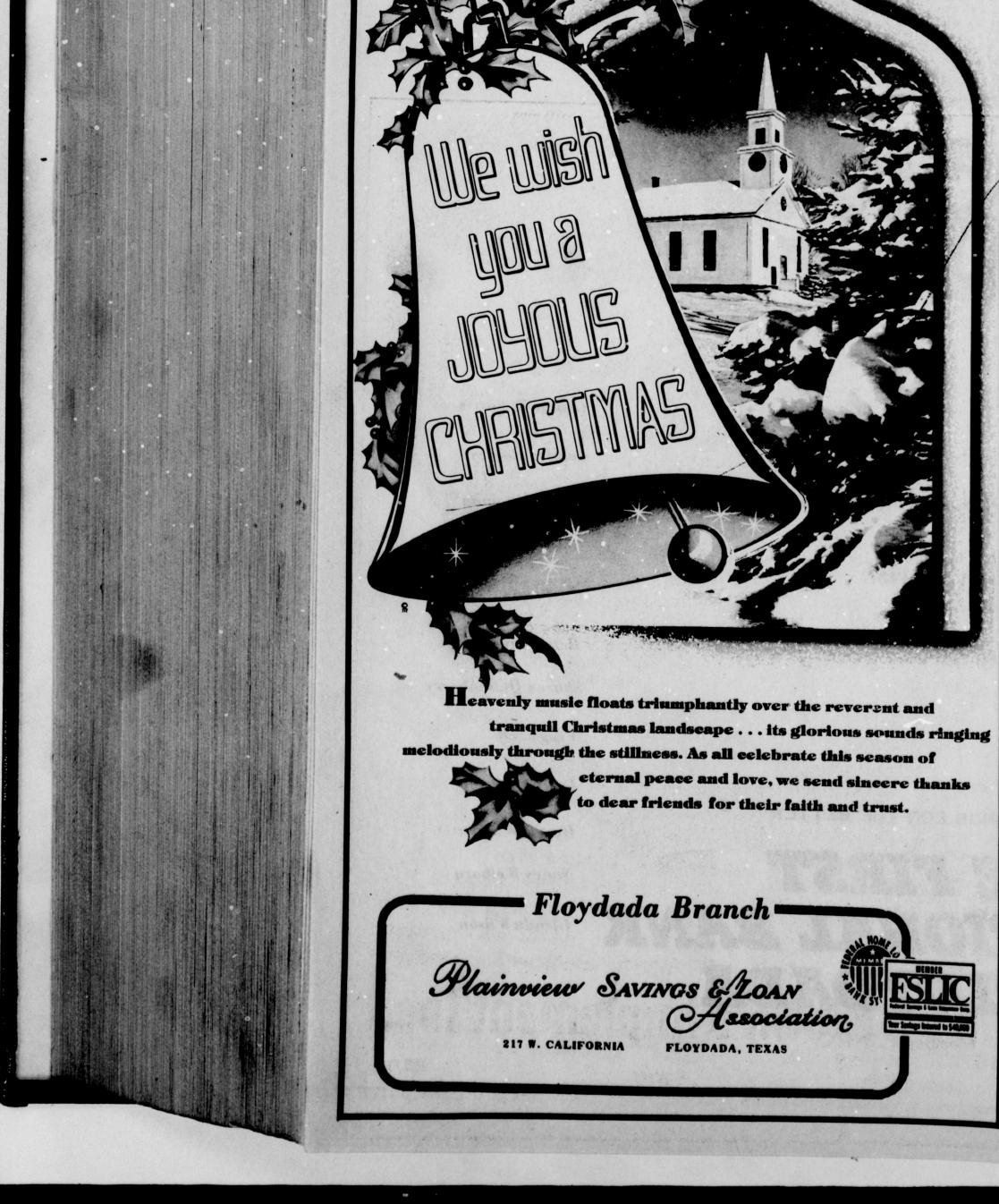
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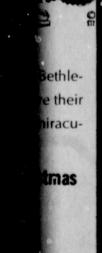
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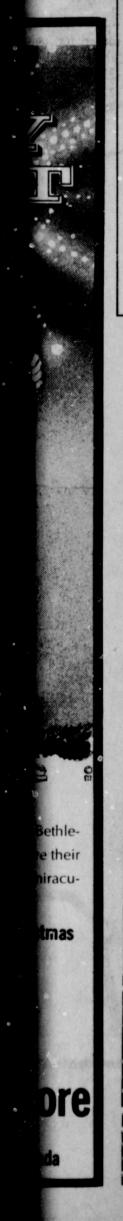
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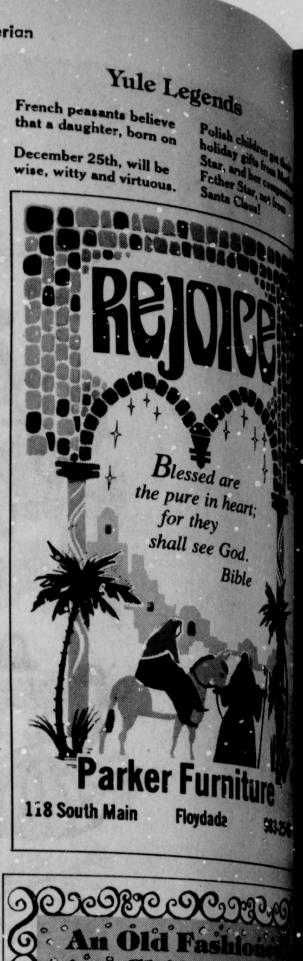
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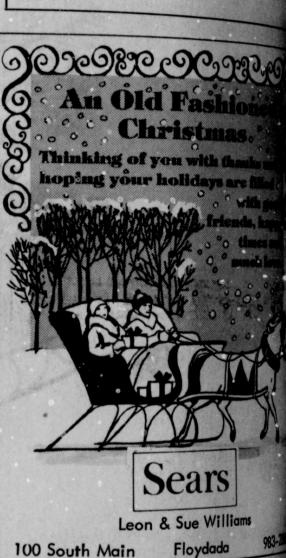
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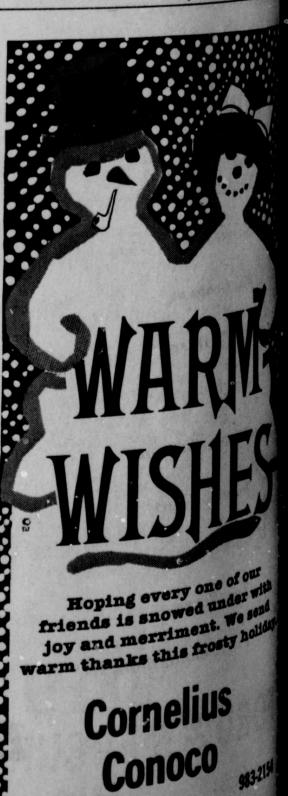
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Display of Japanese doll figures, at annual Hungarian Bride and Scotch boy dolls. Both



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Festival of Dolls, parallels Christmas crèche. are dressed colorfully in authentic costumes.

# A Prized Personal Collection of Dolls Shows Favorites From Around the World

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People in all parts of the world collect dolls. Among the many notables who enjoyed this hobby we find Victoria, future Queen of England the late Queen Marie of Koumania, Eugene Field the poet, Montezuma,

bold Aztec emperor. Rosemary Sullivan of New York, has a large, fascinating collection of old and contemporary dolls. Three time president of the National Doll and Toy Collectors Club of New York City, she is as

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enthusiastic about collecting today as when she first started. A Chinese bride and groom, bought when she was ten years old were the beginning of a life-long hobby. The proud possessor of 450 dolls, Mrs. Sullivan says she buys each "just because she likes

The National Doll and Toy Collectors Club of New York City, one of 550 branches of the United Federation of Doll Clubs in the United States, was the first doll collectors club. It was founded in New York City by Mary Lewis in 1937. Today there are doll clubs in 17 countries abroad,

A visit with Mrs. Sullivan is like a trip to Toyland, that merry, magical place so dear to all our hearts! Her dolls are a colorful and exciting feast for the eyes. A large, beautiful doll, resting easily n an old wicker rocking chair, has long, golden hair and is wearing girl's clothing that was fashionable at the time she was made, about 1918 - 1920. Her pretty rosy face is American bisque chi-Old dolls, prized by collec-

tors, tell us a great deal about how people lived long ago. Fashion dolls, which appeared originally in France about 600 years ago, were sent abroad to show what fine clothes the French could make, and were wearing. Only the very rich could afford them and they were very popular among the well in the American colonies. Fashion dolls were not 'play'' dolls for children, but for chic ladies, for whom they took the place of fashion magazines.

Mrs. Sullivan owns ar exceptionally fine French fashion doll. Made about 1870, it has a delicate bisque face and soft kid body. She is dressed in a finely detailed, white morning dress, brown side-button shoes, and a smart chapeaux tops her beautiful, blond coiffeur. A fringed parasol completes her wardrobe, and mademoi selle has her own trunk! Playdolls with more child

like proportions appeared in the late 1800's and Mrs. Sullivan has many of these "babies." A Scotch boy in full regalia, stands out hand-somely in his clan plaid kilt. Next to him, is a Hungarian bride doll, in a festive dress native to the village from which she comes. She has a pretty painted face and wears red leather boots, a brightly printed challis outer dress, silk apron, scarf, and an elaborate head dress of flowers, gilt ornaments and

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A glass case shows a group of authentically costumed Japanese figures. Mrs. Sullivan explains that the figures must be part of the display. Richly dressed emperor and empress dolls are placed on the highest shelf, so that none can look down at them. Serving maids, musicians and other figures are arranged in order of their importance, with household

and trousseau articles. These are festival dolls, not play dolls, that adorn this handsome show. The Japanese pay the highest honor to their dolls during the three day Festival of Dolls held in March each year. The celebration is sometimes called "Girl's Festival," because all Japanese girls celebrate their birthday at this time, even if it falls on

another day. The festival dolls are brought out only for this special occasion, when the children proudly exhibit their treasures and entertain friends who come to visit them. Tea is served to family, friends and the dolls. Japanese children look forward to this holiday, much as children in other countries look forward to Christmas! A family of English "Pear-

ly" dolls, a pair of contemporary Thai dancing figures, soft, loveable stuffed dolls that represent children of different, ethnic backgrounds, a miniature Henry VIII complete with royal jewels, are fascinating to see!

Dolls are more popular today than ever. Skilled a family life education spe craftspeople design new dolls and create entire wardrobes and accessories for

them. The National Institute of American Doll Artists is one such talented group.

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Dolls created by any member are documented and may not be copied or entered into any competition. They are considered works of art and quite unique. Several of these highly prized dolls are in Mrs. Sullivan's collection, one modeled after her

At holiday time it is not unusual to find Mrs. Sullivan's dolls exhibited in libraries, clubs, museums and department stores. Hopefully you'll come across some of them, so you too can share the pleasure of their charming company.

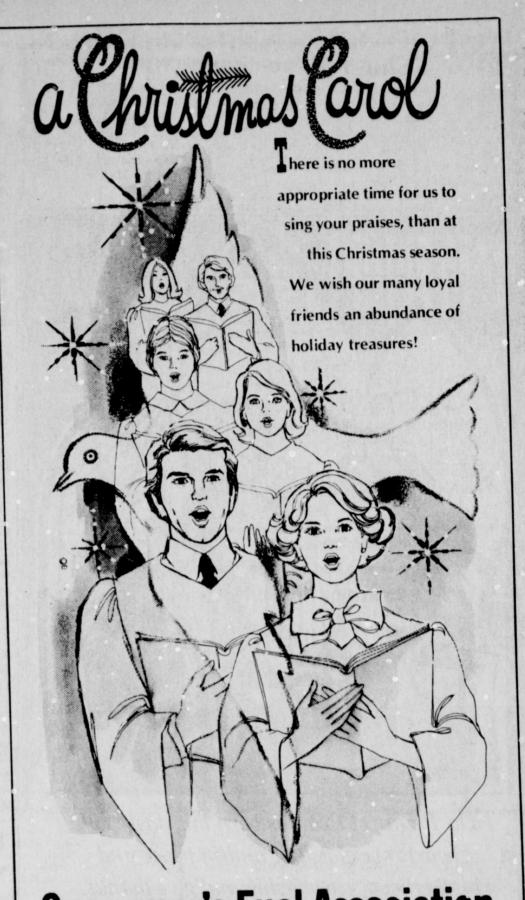
Proper shoe care

Proper care of shoes will prolong their wear-life, says Nancy Brown, a clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Ser-

Polish before wearing to protect from dirt or wetness, she recommends. If they do get wet, stuff with paper and allow to dry at room temperature, Miss Brown adds.

On family policy
When integrating children from previous marriages into a new home, parents and stepparents need an honest and effective family policy to follow.

Otherwise, somebody gets left out, says Dorthy Taylor, cialist with the Texas Agri-







Doll with American bisque face, soft ringlets. About 1918-1920.



French Fashion Doll in beautiful authentic ensemble. About 1870.





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Miniature Henry VIII doll complete with royal jewels and furs.

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# Children love cone-cups

they love to bake them. Christmas "cone cups" are fun and a marvelous treat, iced and decorated with bright hol-

Most youngsters love cup- cones half full of cake batter cakes . . . they love to eat 'em and bake in a slow oven on a cookie sheet. Serve plain or iced, and best of all, there are no crumby cupcake liners left over. They're also great to have along on a car trip for a Fill flat-bottom ice cream snack, and again, no litter!



The Prince of Peace is born this day! With hearts overflowing, and in peace and brotherhood, we worship and give thanks.

# The Divine Glory of the Madonna and Celebrated by a Great, Distinguished

The Madonna and Child takes precedence over the most important art subjects that the Christian religion has inspired. Sculptors and painters produced their greatest works portraying the Madonna and Child during the Renaissance, and it was in this period that the Della Robbia family founded their famous school for terra cotta sculpture in Florence, Italy.

## The Della Robia Family

Three generations of this prominent family continued in their craft: Luca, his nephew Andrea, and Andrea's son Giovanni. Much of their work, done in relief, was designed to be placed in a building, over a door or against a wall.

## Original Use of Color

It was Luca who introduced glaze over pigment on terra cotta, using vivid blue for backgrounds and opaque white for figures and details, sometimes picked out in other colors as well.

A Legacy to Prize

Luca Della Robbia 1400-1482), born Florence, started his career as goldsmith, before he turned to sculpture. He is best known for his work in terra cotta and his figures of the Madonna and Child are prized by museums and collectors all over the world. In his will, cessfully glazing terra cotta to made wide use of terra cotta. examples of his work can be nificance of the Madonna and tuled



THE ADORATION - Della Robbia Madonna and Child, beautiful and intricate wall piece. The Pierpont Morgan Library, New York, N.Y.

his nephew Andrea.

**Famous Works** Thanks to his uncle, Andrea Luca left his secret for suc- Della Robbia (1435-1525)

Be Crafty and Clever at Holiday Time

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Wondering what to give your friends that won't put a **Cone Gin** crimp in your allowance? Macaroni jewelry is easy and inexpensive to make and your pals will love it! You'll need some elbow macaroni, food Cone,Texas coloring, and colored yarn.



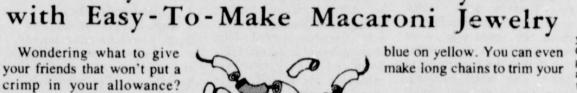
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Decide how many necklaces or bracelets you want to make. Dye the approximate amount of macaroni in dishes partially filled with food colorings mixed with water. Let the macaroni dry over night on waxed paper. String the pieces



onto various colored yarns tree! Tip the yarn with a piece . . you might string pink of tape for easier stringing and macaroni on green yarn, or knot the ends to finish them, painting cobalt blue underglaze

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It began in 1895 when Harold Bing of the Bing & Grondahl China Company of Denmark decided to launch a new tradition based on the legend of an old one. The old: the Christmastime giving of decorated folk by those folk less common The new: The Christmastime giving of decorated porcelain plates by anyone who could afford the 50¢ price to anyone

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ing worth over \$3,000. Bing & Grondahl issued a second Christmasplate in 1896, a third in 1897, and their eightyfourth this year-all in "Copenhagen blue and white." Other china makers tried to duplicate the success of the Bing & Grondahl plates with their own Christmas offerings: in 1908, Royal Copenhagen of Denmark launched a Christmas plate series that continues to delight. And its colors? Blue and white, of course. Rosenthal, of Ba-



Thinking of dear friends, old and new, and wishing them all a season of unending old fashioned delights! 101 North 2nd EXXON

Mothers: Feed Hungry Children &

Even a single dollar can provide food for a child who's very hungry. Hun-dreds of thousands of Cambodian children are facing death from starvation They are trying to exist on bark, leaves and roots. There is virtually no medical care, and clothing, medicine, shelter and educational materials are in incredibly short supply.

You can help bring food and medical supplies to the suffering chil-dren of Cambodia.

Fortunately, a Christian humanitarian agency, World Vision International, is trying to help. Besides working in Cambodia the agency is also involved in an extensive relief and medical program helping Cambodian refugees along the Thailand border.

It needs, however, over \$5 million worth of supplies. You can help by responding to its international appeal to raise that money. Contributions can be sent to World Vision International, Box O., Pasadena, California

origin of the western tradi-

tion of decorating homes

with greenery at Christmas

Centuries ago, on the

sixth day of a new moon, a

white-robed priest armed

with a golden sickle could

be seen harvesting mistle-

toe. The Druids believed the

plant was too sacred to be

collected by just anyone.

Traditions change, of

course, and today anyone

willing to venture out into

An unusual, festive

A very personal collection of treasured Christmas toys All year round Norma bells ring gaily every time things because of their and Irv Bahrt enjoy their the wheels turn. Christmas things, toys and

bank; American 1880-1920. From the collection of Mr. and Mrs. Irv Bahrt.

decorations reminiscent of holidays past, all gathered patiently and lovingly. Mrs. Bahrt. an enormously talented painter, began collecting Christmas mementos as a girl. Mr. Bahrt joined her in her never ending search

when they were married. In their large assortment of Yule treasures is a tiny sled, originally used as a pencil box. A Christmas scene is painted on it, the soft colors muted with age. Another find is a little girl called Daisy who speeds along in a horse drawn sleigh, the sleigh

A cast iron Santa Claus bank, six inches high, still works. Put a penny into Santa's hand, push a lever

Top left: Decorated wooden sled pencil-box; 1910-1920. Bottom left: "Daisy" in her

musical horse drawn sleigh; American, about 1880-1910. Right: Cast iron Santa Claus

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and Santa drops the penny into the chimney for safe keeping. One of the Bahrt's special ornaments is a figure about 14 inches high that is probably Father Frost or Father Christmas. He has a touch of red on his peaked hat, a full, white beard, high black boots, arms folded and hands tucked into the sleeves of his tunic jacket. On Christmas day he will grace the Bahrt's dinner table, as he has for many

Mrs. Bahrt enjoys collecting her Christmas winter and summer.

old style and flavor. She says "I love the faded colors, quaint scenes and fashions because they tell how people lived long ago.'

Mr. Bahrt tells about having thrown out a set of old quintuplet dolls that Mrs. Bahrt owned when they were first married, some twenty-five years ago About three years ago he finally was able to locate another set of quintuplets for which he had to pay \$600 . . . considerably more than the original dolls cost!

The Bahrts never nave too much of Christmas and they keep their lovely things where they can see and enjoy them every day,

Beautiful old music rings through a tuneful Yuletide

Hand bells, instruments several centuries old, are enjoying a popularity in this country that they have never known before. The playing of hand bells, their tones mellow and pure, accompanies many candlelight carol services in churches at the Yule-

The change ringers of England, who rang tower bells by pulling ropes, are said to have invented hand bells about three hundred years ago. To keep warm and to spare their neighbors, they practiced at home, and so improvised the original hand

Padding on the clapper and a spring mechanism prevent the bell from ringing more than once when it is thrust forward. The quality of the sound can be varied by swinging the bell after it rings, but this takes an advanced player. A really adept bell ringer can manage more than two bells, by picking up and putting others down on a table in front of him. Bell ringers wear gloves so they will not tarnish the highly polished bronze surface and so spoil the tuning.

There are two foundries in Pennsylvania that manufacture hand bells in this country. The foundry that produces the most hand bells abroad, is in London, where most of the work is still done by hand. The bronze bells are tuned precisely, to notes in a chromatic scale, ranging over as many as five octaves. The smaller they are, the higher the pitch; the larger they are, the

Hand bell music has been likened to that of an organ, warm and ethereal, and it surely adds a unique flavor to the stirring and harmonious sounds of the holiday!

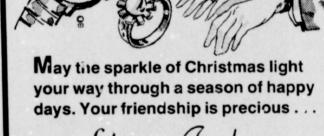


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making music as it moves;



THEN: Some 45 centuries ago, an emperor of ancient China, it's believed, wrote a book that showed people then understood the human circulatory system and the function of the heart.

NOW: Until recently that's about as far as the care of heart disease went. In the 1960s, heart transand, more recently, the first artificial heart was developed. Domingo Liotta, one of the great, life-saving sci-

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heartening news for us all



As all the cherished customs of this magic holiday surround our special friends, we know it's time to extend our sincere Yuletide wishes to you all. May the thanks we send your way add to the happy hours of your holiday. **Seasons Greeting From The Perrys** Floyd County Implement



Color woodcut by Joseph Domjan, born 1907. iful woodcut makes use of many intricate and patterns. The Metropolitan Museum of Art, gift

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MAGI AND HIS RETINUE - From the collection of Christmas creche figures, second half

18th century. The Metropolitan Museum of Art, gift of Loretta Hines Howard, 1964.

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THE NATIVITY - From the collection of Christmas creche figures, second half



Many people put off buying small stocking stuffers until the very last minute. Christmas stockings are as much a part of the holiday as decorating the tree, family dinners and gifts, and should be chosen with that in mind. How about some of the following?

Polychromed terra cotta.

Neapolitan, second half

Art, Gift of Loretta H.

18th century. The Metropolitan Museum of

Howard, 1964.

Mini-puzzles for children and

· Finger puppets for the little

kids. Imaginative ones are available in stores or try crocheting them yourself. Key chains with appropriate hobby charms or nameplate.

Toasty sleep-socks rolled into a colorful ball.

Small change purse or minia-

Art supplies, box of crayons, safety scissors.

Soft sculpture dolls.

· Pretty hair barretts. · Multi-purpose Swiss knife.



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# Baroque Christmas Tree Glorious Holiday Tradition Merry

of magic and wonder . . . one feels thrust back complex installation each year. of magic and wonder . . . one feels thrust back in time. Crowds ebb and flow through its vast in time. Crowds ebb and flow through its vast and Creche display includes three basic ele-

ago, this handsome holiday spectacle has scene at the Inn has been enhanced by a charm-Yorkers and out-of-town visitors.

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of Christmas May the true spirit of an old fashioned Christmas light your way in peace and good will, and may all the happiness



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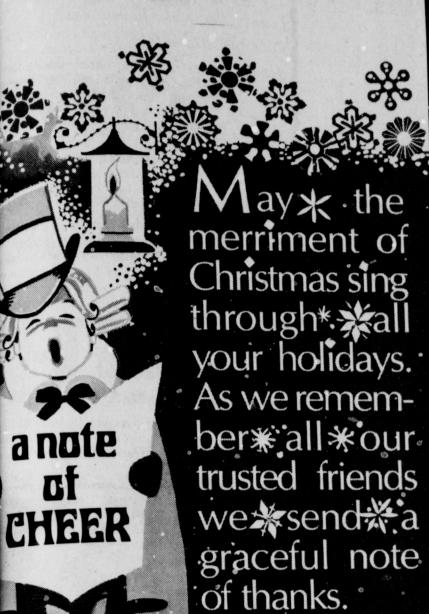
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Merry Christmas! Repair Surprise! Surprise! Have a Hearty Barbequed Christmas Dinner!

Section 2

How about a Christmas

Sunday, December 23, 1979

barbeque! The Christmas holidays are celebrated in many parts of this country, and around the world, in warm and often tropical climates. How appropriate to ask friends and family to share a Christmas barbeque dinner! This recipe for an unusual and tasty main course, and some of the trimmings, should add variety to a heretofore traditional menu.

After serving your favorite hors d'oeuvre and holiday potions try this barbequed honey glazed pork loin . . . you may never serve anything else at Christmas again!

Barbequed Honey Glazed Pork Loin:

About 3 hours before you plan to serve, prepare outdoor covered grill, using manufacturer's instructions for indirect heat cooking.

Glaze: Stir 1/2 cup honey, 1 teaspoon ground ginger and ¼ cup brandy together in a bowl. Mix well and set

Roast: Rub 1 tablespoon salt and 1 teaspoon cracked pepper into a 4½ pound dou-ble top loin pork roast. Insert

trimmings. Grilled Scalloped Pota-

Peel a medium size potato

last 1/2 hour of cooking.

Set meat on previously

heated platter, remove

strings and let stand about 15

minutes. While waiting to

carve roast, set out salad and

for each serving. On squares He and place roast on grill, of aluminum foil, lay thin over drip pan, with fat side slices in overlapping layers up. Roast 21/2 hours on covered grill, adding more briquettes to sides of grill every hour, as directed by manufacturer. Baste meat often with Honey Glaze during

and dot with 1 tablespoon butter, salt and pepper. Add 2 tablespoons milk. Seal package with double fold and cook on grill, close to coals for about 15 minutes.

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Test for tenderness, and if

Orange slaw or a salad combining fresh orange sections, avocado slices and romaine lettuce will add piquant flavor and holiday color to your delicious feast! Enjoy! Enjoy!

As a boy at school he made

many youthful inventions,

though considered a poor

student. Newton, a modest

man, made many significant

discoveries. By passing a

beam of sunlight through a

prism, he showed that white

light is made up of the

rainbow's colors. He con-

structed a reflecting teles-

cope to use in his studies.

And he was the first to state

Maurice Utrillo the French

painter, a Christmas child,

had little cheer or happiness

December 25, 1883, son of an

unknown father and a mother

who was a model for many of

his life. He was born

the laws of gravitation.

Kids...Fun-To-Make Christmas Presents!

When you give a gift you make yourself it shows you really care. Surprise Mom and Dad, or a special friend, with a set of brightly colored coasters or a gay Christmas tree ornament!
They're a snap to make and you'll probably find the supplies right around the house. If not, they cost very little to buy.

THINGS YOU NEED: Corrugated cardboard Christmas gift wrap or cards

Colored yarn if making decorations

Paint brush

Varnish and scissors Cut a circle from the cardboard, about 3-31/2 inches in size. Trace around the rim of a wide glass or jar for this. You need 1 circle for each coaster or ornament. Cut same size circle from the gift wrap or colored greeting card and glue onto cardboard circle, pressing down from center to outer edges. When glue is dry apply 1 coat of varnish—let dry overnight. Apply a second coat of varnish and let dry again overnight. (Clean the varnish brush after you use it so it doesn't get hard). You now have a pretty waterproof coaster. A set of four makes a handsome gift!

If you want to make tree decorations, continue as follows: Glue colored yarr, around edge of finished coaster. Cut a 5 inch piece of matching or other color yarn and glue onto back of coaster making a loop at the top. Now it's ready to hang or your tree or to give!

# FIRE SAFETY TIPS FROM SNUFFY®

During this year's holi-

day excitement, your chil- plan to use outside are dren can be a big help in specifically labeled for outnecessary reseal for longer keeping your home safe door use. Since outdoor from fire. "Make fire safety a prolonged exposure, remove

part of your holiday them as soon as the holiday plans," advises Snuffy<sup>®</sup>, the season is over. Burger King® Talking Fire Engine. "Ask your kids to keep a look out for 'hot ] spots' (fire hazards)." Watch for burning cigarettes left unattended by guests, or wrapping paper and flammable decorations placed too close to an open fire, candles or exposed light

Evergreens should be freshly dren and fabrics. cut-shedding needles are a sure sign of dryness.

tip stand in an area away rugo where they can become from drafty exists and worn or frayed without sources of heat. Natural your knowledge. Teach your trees should be kept in water kids to unplug the lights and discarded after a maxi- from the wall outlet (by mum of two weeks. Your grasping the plug, not by kids can check the water pulling on the cord) before level daily and replenish it you leave the house or go

Throw your tree out. Don't try to burn it in your big dinner too. Kids like fireplace. Trees are unsea- to help, but keep them soned green wood, difficult away from the stove. Close to burn, and produce a great oven doors, turn pot handles deal of smoke. Also, don't in and wear tight fitting build roaring fires with gift sleeves when working near wrappings. This could ignite lit burners. the soot in the chimney and

Holiday lights, inside and outdoors, are a great way to brighten up the holidays. Have your children help check last year's lights for worn or frayed wires and loose or cracked sockets. When purchasing new sets, look for the Underwriters' checked for fire hazards.

A SAFE AND SPIRITED HOLIDAY

Make sure the lights you lights are not designed for



on metal trees. Sharp metal Trimming the tree can edges could cut the cord provide fun-filled hours for insulation. Use colored spot the family, but make sure lights to illuminate the tree that all decorations are fire- instead. Floodlights get proof and that artificial quite hot, however, so keep trees are fire retardant. them away from small chil-

Don't overload extension cords or light strings, and Place your tree in a non-never run the wires under

Don't buy highly combustible toys or those that require flammable liquids. Look for the UL label on electric toys, and make sure that toys which might generate sparks are kept well away from the tree.

Don't let your family fall victim to a holiday fire. Following these suggestions Laboratories label to ensure from Snuffy can tip the that the lights have been scales in favor of holiday

# Notable Christmas Birthdays

What do Clara Barton, Evangeline Booth, Maurice Utrillo and Sir Isaac Newton have in common? Something very special! These famous people all share the same festive birthday . . . Decem-

ber 25th! Clara Barton, best known for helping found the American Red Cross, served as its esident for many years. She was born on Christmas Day 1821. in Oxford Massachusetts. In 1854, she became the first woman clerk in the U.S. Patent Office, a fact which does no doubt please feminists today. Soon after the outbreak of the Civil War, Clara Barton began the work of carrying supplies to soldiers and nursing wounded men on the battlefields. Her deeds attracted national attention and she was known as "The Angel of the Battlefield." It was Miss Barton who realized that the Red Cross could be helpful to civilians as well as to soldiers in

times of calamity.

Evangeline Booth, born on Christmas Day 1865, was the seventh child of William Booth, founder of The Salvation Army. She gained recognition as a musician, composer and orator in her native England. Miss Booth became national commander of The Salvation Army in the United States in 1904 and served until 1934. During World War I the Salvation Army Lassies, under her guidance, spent Christmas as well as many other days, ministering to the needs of American Doughboys in

Sir Isaac Newton, English scientist, astronomer and mathematician was born on Christmas Day 1642 at Woolsthorpe, I incolnshire.

the painters in Montmartre. Utrillo was very shy and drawn both as a child and adult. The streets and buildings of Paris furnished much of the subject matter for his

best paintings. Reproduc-tions of many of his works, particularly those of the sparkling white dome of the Montmartre Church of Sacre Coeur, are used by the thousands every year on Christmas cards.

# 'Great" Ideas Dept.

Because some ills are ac-companied by a loss of appetite, some people have had the "great" idea that fasting would cure all ills. Medical experts point out that, in most cases, this idea is strictly



In what is probably an effort to improve conditions for workers, the government had some "great" ideas about regulating the cotton industry. Economics experts point out this would raise clothing prices and so hurt a lot of working people. Many people are writing their legislators to learn their opinion of these unneeded regulations.

Some people once had the "great" idea that the best vay to cure a toothache was



Instead of taking out French doors, create the illusion of more space in a room by

and may all your HRISTMASES BRIGHT! Our sincere thanks to our many friends and patrons for a wonderful year.... and our appreciation for your cooperation and support. Floydada

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The next time you're in a bookstore, you might like to ask whether it plans to participate in this program-or already does.

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# The Miracle of Christmas

The merry rejoicing at Christmas, celebrating the Birth of Christ, seeks to recapture the glory and wonder of the Nativity. People everywhere come together in warmth and goodwill, recalling the Source of the Spirit that binds them together.

Although Christmas is celebrated all over the world, it is not really known whether or not Jesus, as a boy, ever had a birthday party. Jews of His time did not celebrate birthdays... such observances were for kings and other important people, who lived in palaces. With or without birthday parties, Jesus had an enchanted childhood, so say the legends.

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One such story says He made mud-pie birds one rainy day, and as He finished them, they flew away. For having bowed down to give its fruit to His Holy Mother January 1 Mother, Jesus rewarded a palm tree by having a cutting of it planted in Paradise.

The Magic of Christmas is happily contagious, transforming the world in an atmosphere of brotherhood and anticipation. Its magic brings families together, inspires a spirit of generosity and giving, and fills the heart with a heady lightheartedness long remembered from one's childhood. For it is in childhood that the magic of the Yuletide is felt most keenly. The air quivers with excitement and the promise of things to come. Pungent smells fill the house and little ones can hardly sleep, for listening to the furtive sounds of mom and dad tiptoeing and whispering and wrapping for into the

tiptoeing and whispering and wrapping, far into the An old French proverb says "Miracles happen only to those who believe in them." Surely, we can all believe! Surely we can reinforce our faith in miracles!

your sewing box. Their fra-grance will last long after wrapping those odd shaped things that never seem to

fit ir to any box. Wrap and tie with brightly colored yarn . . . several different

Pomander balls make the holidays are gone. beautiful gifts trimmed up with velvet ribbons, lace and pretty braid. Tie them Elmer & Matt CHRISTMAS WRAP Aluminum foil makes any prettily from bits and pieces you have tucked away in Floydada gift special looking and is colors at the same time! The Year That Was 1979 As we start our Christmas celebration and look forward to 1980, we of Martin & Company wish to thank in a big way the International Harvester Dealers of Floydada, Matador, Silverton, Plain-view, and Ralls. These dealers have sold us needed parts so we could get going in 1979. We also wish for a Happy Christmas and a better New Year to our several hundred customers who have made the 1979 year our reatest sales of parts in my 60 years in In 1978, I cancelled the Harvester contract by mutual agreement. It was never put in writing that we could continue getting repairs until someone took my place as the I.H. Dealer. This could have been easily done by mutual agreement as the contract states. It seems like you have to owe something to get this extension. Mr. Garlock, District Manager, and Mr. Arrington, Sales Manager, asked that the Dallas management grant this request.

On 1-1-79, all undelivered orders were cancelled and all shipments stopped. It was up to us to get help from other dealers and supply companies.

companies.

I believe every supply company in the U.S.A. asked for our business. We have purchased parts by the thousands of dollars at a time. The I.H. parts strike of 11-1-79 showed our customers that a part didn't have to be in an I.H. box to be the same as what I.H. puts out. The strike has been a help to us as far as bats, brushes, bearings, pulleys, and many other items.

Early in 1979, many of our customers traded for other makes of machines. Many people

thought I have been mistreated and some of our help began looking for a new job.

Our new repair help have made many errors in their work especially not tightening bolts. This caused some customers to be unhappy but we have always tried to correct these errors at our expense. We believe in 1980 these things will be corrected.

Last week we were presented with a 100 year plaque. It showed that I.H. had appreciated Martin & Company over a 60 year period. It seems that the head office of l.H. would like for

seems that the head office of I.H. would like for us to be some part of I.H.

Two business families, Martin & Company and I.H.C., have spent a lifetime together. Several years ago I.H. adopted some help to change a successful businessman's way of operating. In 1975, I.H. wrote me that I had to get a new manager to operate my business and I had to move out of town and build a new building plus other changes. These demands didn't suite international Harvesters old friend of many years. So after four years, I just cancelled the years. So after four years, I just cancelled the contract with nc offers to sell my business. I just had to take other means to operate the business which so far has been very successful.

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

Mark Martin /s/ Mark Martin Martin & Company

Santa's merry spirit enhances every dazzling moment of the magic of Christmas . . . the sharing and caring of family and friends. Loaded with good wishes, we reach out to say thanks and to hope you have a beautiful, bountiful holiday!

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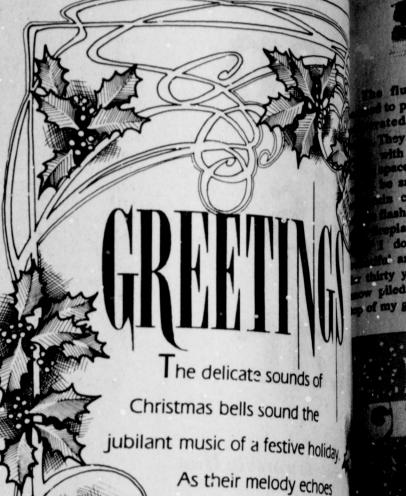


Festive Name "Merry Christmas" in June? September? It is for a lovely young lady in Sacramento, California, whose

name is truly Merry Cheree Christmas! In answer to endless inuniries and as many jokes, this charming young woman never tires of explaining that her name really is way and I guess I'm looking for an old-fashioned Merry Christmas, and is for an old-fashioned type of person who that type

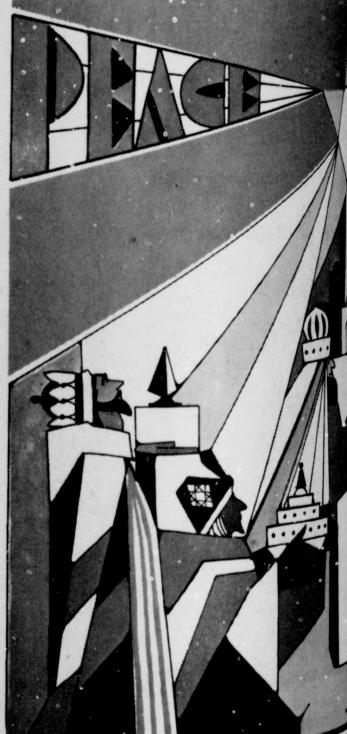
erable amount of time answering the many people who write her. She start writing her Christmas care

Asked about marris proposals and changing her name, Miss Christmas N sponded "Well, I've serior ly thought about mar a couple of times, but raised the old-fash Merry Christinas, spelled just that way. She of person who thinks like



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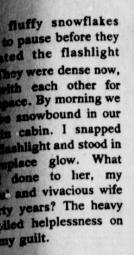
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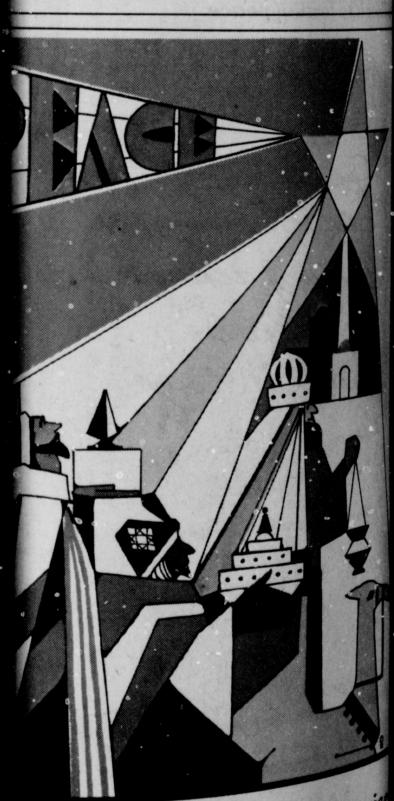


The delicate sounds of Christmas bells sound the jubilant music of a festive holiday.

As their melody echoes we chime in with our fervent thanks.

# **DARTY GIN**

Dougherty



May the Peace and Promis pristmas fill your heart with jo less you and yours for all time! Me offer our sincere gratitud our friends.

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A Christmas Story by Alfred Walker

> The snow was merely the lock pin in the tragedy which I had visited on Jane. The opening scene was played at the beginning of last summer when I first began to think seriously about retiring. I was only fifty-two - too young to retire. I had always loved the law and retirement would definitely mean a reduction in income. My friends thought I was kidding. Not Jane; she knew me too well. I did fool her

As we gather together to share the joy of the holiday with those love, we greet old friends and say thanks.

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though. She thought I was going through a phase some sort of male menopause - which would pass in She patiently discussed the idea with me, at least once a day, all summer. I like the practice of law, I admitted; and I enjoyed our friends - our entire life style. Yet I fancied that I was

treadmills go - but a treadmill none the less. I wanted off. I wanted to walk along new trails, and I wanted to begin while I was still young enough to see

shackled to a treadmill - not

an unpleasant treadmill as

due time.

Specifically, I wanted to go to the mountains and write a book. (Well, doesn't everybody want to retire and write a book?) We had acquired the cabin in the Sacramento mountains of New Mexico about seven years previously. It was 600 miles from Austin but we gladly made the long trek at every opportunity - two weeks in the summer and a few days at Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter. It was our haven of rest, our sanctuary of beauty, peace and restoration. The cabin hung on the side of a mountain in an extremely remote region. There was no electricity. The nearest neighbor was seven miles away. The roads were little better than deer trails. We loved it.

It was back to nature chopping wood, hauling water, fishing, hiking, im-

proving the cabin, discovering the habits of the deer. bears, elk and turkeys. The beauty and majesty of the place made for a mysterious simplicity that restored the soul. To Jane I admitted that I did not know how to write a book, but I reasoned that in our mountain paradise, I would patiently learn how. Strictly to myself, I reasoned that I could do almost anything in the land of mountain top experiences. And what of failures? In that place even

failures would be fun.

We traded our traditional roles. Jare was now the practical, logical one. She spread her logic persistently but tenderly. Our two daughters were educated and financially independent, yes; but we would nevertheless be forced to cut corners and scale down our standard of living - a standard to which we had become addicted. We would be putting six hundred miles between us and our daughters, parents, friends, not to mention an entirely comfortable life style. We had worked hard to achieve this pleasant niche, and pursuit was not the sole ingredient of happiness.

In the end, we compromised, but her gentle love nudged her into the worst end of the bargain. I would tions, but we would divide time between the mountains and Austin. To relieve financial pressures, we would lease our house and rent a small apartment in Austin. We would try to have the best of both worlds. It was all

The hitch was that autumn rolled to a close and we still had not managed to lease our house. It seemed that our price was too high. I was despondent because we wanted to get the house leased and get moved to an apartment before Christmas. We had laid definite plants to have Christmes with our cabin. The children were looking forward to it as much or more than we. We would allow nothing to interfere. Our furthur plan was for the girls to return immediately after Christmas but we would leased, Jane and I would be forced to return immediatley. We would not commit ourselves to the new life until the house was leased.

Just as I had resigned myself to an indefinitely postponed starting date, a tenant dropped out of the move into the house on December 29th. I was estatic. We could now stay in eyed Jane wanted to know. We didn't have time to locate

could move out and store our realization that "tomorrow" furniture somewhere. Then, might well be a month away. after we came down out of wasn't living up to my end would never get out. completely, but I was close enough that she didn't have Jane was tossing and turnit. And so it was that we and she seemed to relax. If it feverishly packed and moved doesn't drift, we might make all our personal effects and it, I thought. Sometime in the them in a warehouse.

tasy land. We chopped down

our own Christmas tree and

decorated it with strings of

popcorn and homemade

ornaments — angels, Santa Clauses and animals. There

was enough snow for sled-

ding and inner tubeing, and

the ice was solid for skating.

We played cards, sang, ex-

changed gifts, and ate and

ate in front of the fireplace

where the friendly pine log

came for the girls to depart.

The dark snow clouds were

already gathering. Jane

wept. She's always a bit

teary eyed when the kids

leave, but she had never

broken dov n before. I tried

to console her by admitting

that I too was experiencing a

case of post Christmas

emptiness. With firm con-

viction and confidence I

assured her that our reaction

was normal and would

quickly pass. All we needed

to do was stay busy. At my

urging, we took a hike in the

warmth of the cabin, Jane

cumulated through the

When we returned to the

falling snow.

the mountains."

All too soon the afternoon

fire snapped its approval.

It was still pitch dark when I got up. My stomach was burning, and I felt faintly mauseous. I started the coffee and turned the disturb Jane. I was in time to hear the announcer tell about heavy snows in the mountains and predict more snow

from the septic tank. I gave

and strong winds today. Weakly I walked to the window, seeking solace from the sunrise. Slowly the darkness melted and the first pink streaks of dawn crowned the heads of the snow-flocked firs on the distant mountain top.

Unaccountable at first, I felt my spirits began to rise with the sun. Then it dawned on me that the clouds were gone, and the wind was not blowing. Oh, there was a gentle breeze, but nothing more. The snow was about twelve inches deep, but I could see the outlines of the road. There were no deep drifts. Our faithful four wheel drive Scout could get

I bounded up the steps of was uncommonly silent. I the sleeping loft, grabbed didn't push. At length she Jane and hugged her. She blurted, "We don't have a came awake, wild eyed. 'What's the matter?'

home!" And she began to again. I was she screamed. I pulled her face against

'What do you mean?" mine. "Nothing is the We have a home right here in matter. We're going back to Austin this morning and 'No, we do not," she build a nest." firmly declared. "This is an solated vacation spot. It's a temporary retreat. It's bad HANDLE TONS OF RESPONSIBILITY enough to be separated from my family and all of my 16 HOURS A MONTH. lovely things that I've ac-

Like a tank. Or a tractor trailer. Or a bulldozer. These are just a few of the challenging skills you can learn in your local Army Reyears. But the thing I can't seem to endure is that we serve unit. And you'll earn a good don't have a home. We don't extra income, for serving 16 hours have a place to go back to." I didn't offer further aryear. For details, contact your Army Representative, listed in the Yellow Pages under "Recruiting." gument. She's tired, I thought. She'li be O.K. in a day or two. I persuaded her to drink a cup of hot chocolate and put her to bed. As I William

tern and sat staring into the fire. Home. Maybe home is where the heart is, and ARMY RESERVE. Jane's heart is not here, I mused. My mind was suddenly crowded with thoughts

perately homesick I was when I first went away to college. At the end of the first two months I hitch-hiked home. I covered the 300 miles with eighteen different motorists. Most of the rides were rather short and some were rough and uncomfortable. But my heart was light. I was going home! sick days in the army. I wasn't the only one either. what we had done at home remain for several weeks, and what we were going to possibly months. It was the do when we got back home. last part of the plan that was Yes, and I thought of the only going down the drain. Since Christmas I had been forced the house had not been to spend away from home. I never to be away from home Christmas again.

On and on the thoughts home, the poems of home, the stories of home. Finally came the revelation that blue - four days before sooner. "If homesickness is Christmas. He wanted to so horrible, how much more horrible is 'no home

We will go back to Austin the mountains after Christ- tomorrow, I resolved, and mas. HOW? - my misty establish a home. The next time we come up here, we will have a home awaiting a suitable apartment, much our return. It was then that I less to move in, before our had shone the flashlight out departure for the mountains. of the window and True, I admitted. But we experienced the chilling

the mountains in the spring, checked again. Already the we would find a nice apart- fleecy stuff was six inches ment. Jane reluctantly but deep on the porch railing. If gracefully agreed. After all, it snowed all night and a bargain is a bargain. I drifted the least bit, we

When I crawled into bed, the heart to make a point of ing. I cuddled her in my arms household articles and stored night, the wind got up. I

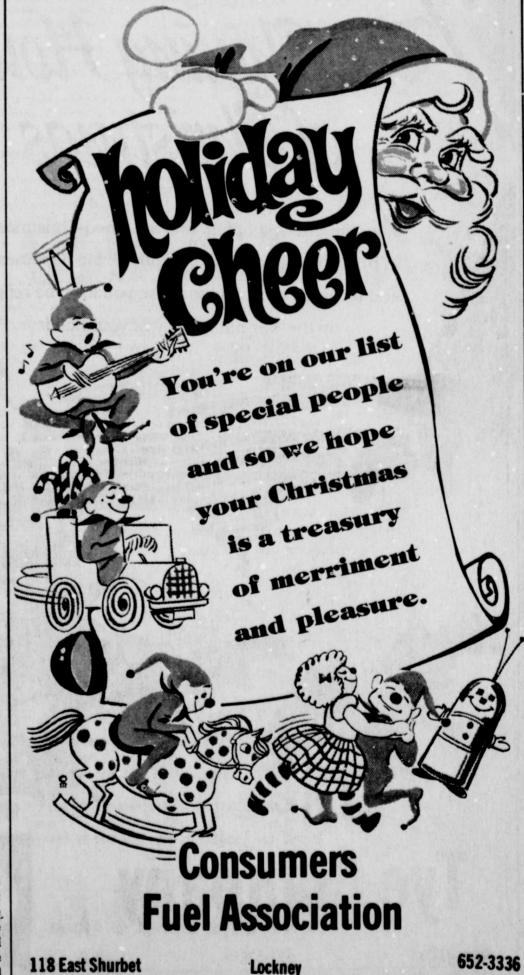


Records show the first clock was built about 1360. It was made of iron with a 500-pound weight and only one nand. It was off about two hours a day.



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While you happily dream of the

sweet delights of a sugar plum world,

we hope its fairy tale magic fills your

holidays with dazzling delights.

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Decorating with holiday greenery and bright red berries is an old and lovely tradition. However these bright plants are naturally

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filled with potent chemicals and can be dangerous. Ancient living closer to the earth and more fam-

iliar with plants than most of

the glow

and glimmer

of Christmas we are

reminded of the many dear

friends we cherish. We hope

our friendship will continue to burn

brightly through this and every season.

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and bad" in leaves, cones

Romantic mistletoe is for kissing under and decora-

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us, knew about the "good tion, but the pale green and bad" in leaves, cones leaves and waxy white berries contain natural poisons, and are dangerous!

The yew berry, pinkish red and translucent, is also poisonous when eaten. Oddly enough yew berries have no harmful effect when eaten by birds. Our feathered friends have enzyme systems that render the poison found in yew berries, harmless!

Holly berries, shiny and sparkly red are far less dangerous, but can also upset the stomach.

It is important to discourage infants and children from tasting the tempting looking berries of holly and yew and Jerusalem cherries, whose attractive fruit is potentially dangerous. chemicals are capable of inducing vomiting, paralysis and could be fatal in sufficient quantities.

So remember . . . a word to the wise . . . and most important, to little ones!

## Lavish Feast

At Christmas, in the year 1492, when Columbus was spending his day in the New world, King Henry VII gave one of his most sumptuous feasts. The King (1485 -1509), the Queen and members of the court dined on no less than 120 different dishes . . . with peacock as its

climax! He observed holiday customs, lavishly, to say the least, serving among the many delicacies a popular dish called "frumenty," niade by adding sugar and spices to boiling hulled

# Greeting cards have colorful, historic sources

Each year researchers come up with more and more fascinating information about the origins of Christmas and New Year greetings.

Greeting cards are usually made of stiff paper or card-board, but cloth, vellum, leather, celluloid, metal, wood, clay, cork, and new materials have been added to their designs. Cards and their messages vary in size. In 1929 an inscribed grain of rice was presented as a Christmas greeting to the Prince of Wales, and in 1924, President Calvin Coolidge received a Christmas card that measured

In ancient Egypt the New Year was celebrated by the exchange of symbolic presents such as scent bottles and scarabs inscribed "an ab nab" ("all good luck"). The Romans exchanged strenae, originally branches of laurel or olive, often coated with gold leaf. Symbols of seasonal good will, such as a Roman lamp and the figure of Victory surrounded by strenae, were combined on objects of baked clay, with the inscription "Anno Novo faustum felix tibi sit" ("May the New Year be happy and lucky for you"). The acknowledgment of the New Year with the exchanges of good will continued in Europe through the early days of Christianity.

In the 15th century, master wood engravers produced inscribed prints which had the same intent as the modern Christmas and New Year cards. One of these shows the Christ Child with halo, before a cross holding a scroll on which appears "Ein gust selig ior" ("A good and happy year"). During the 18th and early 19th centuries, copper plate engravers were producing prints and calendars for the New Year and greetings by merchants and tradesmen

Recognized as the first Christmas card is one designed in England by J. C. Horsley, in 1843 for his friend Sir Henry Cole. An edition of 1,000 copies was placed on sale at Feix Summerly's Treasure House in London in 1846. They were printed by lithography on stiff cardboard, in dark sepia and hand colored. The design snows a family party in progress, beneath which is the greeting, "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to You."

A similar card was designed by W. M. Egley of London and produced as an etching in 1848. While this card is more elaborate, its design suggests a relationship to the Cole-Horsley card. The same may be said of an American Christmas card of the same period, designed by R. H. Pease of Albany, N.Y., which bore the inscription, "Pease's Great Variety Store in The Temple of Fancy." Sentiment cards were exchanged and collected in the United States from 1830 to the Civil War and many baye survived from 1830 to the Civil War and many have survived . . . among them an "expanding heart" Christmas present or greeting card in purse form, dating from about 1859.

Today you can say Merry Christmas in Macedonian, Greek, Hungarian, any one of 32 languages plus Braille. There are greeting cards available in our polyglot nation in Polish, Spanish, Japanese, Armenian, Croatian, Chinese, Macedonian, Portuguese, Greek, Swedish, Norwegian Hungarian, Lithuanian, to name just a few. Distributed throughout the United States, many are produced in this country, others come from abroad.

It was noted by one of the manufacturers of these Christmas cards, that whenever there is turmoil or a revolution in a foreign country, the sales in that language soar. Since type faces in some languages are unavailable, many of the exotic messages are photographed from the originals. In the case of some Chinese messages, a waiter in a Chinese restaurant who is also an artist, wrote the greetings on a piece of paper from which they were photographed and reproduced.

## That Doggie in the Window Giving a Pet for Christmas

regular inoculations.

A stop at the local shop for

leash and collar, dishes, toys

and grooming equipment

and then it's home for many

happy hours of love, devotion

you've been eyeing a over, and make a date for cuddly bundle of fur frelicking in the window of your neighborhood pet shop, with thoughts of the happy surprise it will be for someone. come Christmas morn, there are some important questions you'll want to ask yourself, and answer, before taking a pet home.

There are more considerations involved than just "love at first sight," since puppies become dogs in very short order, so it's important to choose one that fits into the home he or she will be part

Will he or she be living in an apartment or house, with small children, what is your income? Some breeds can't tolerate the rough-housing of little children, some purely bred animals are more tense and independent than others. Buying a pure bred can be expensive to start with, and the first year with any dog involves a license, inoculations, collar, leash, dishes, toys, grooming utensils and food.

The American Kennel Club in New York City will be happy to send you a free list of breeders, if it's a pure bred you're after. For a mixed breed, or possibly a pure bred found straying, try your local SPCA or animal shelter. There is usually a wide range of choices and you'll be saving an unwanted puppy or dog from being "put to sleep."

Although male dogs are more popular than females and usually cost more, females will usually adjust to pethood more readily. And a female can be spayed to spare you the problems of mating and a litter. Look for a clean, glossy coat, white teeth with firm pink gums, eyes that are alert and not runny. Avoid a puppy with a pot belly, it could be a sign of worms, and one with the sniffles or who seems itchy. Any owner or agency should be able to give you proof that the animal has had at least one shot and a deworming. Find out too, as much as you can about the breed and full size of the dog you are adopting. Stop at the veterinarian's on your way nome for a thorough going

## TREATS FOR THE HOLIDAYS I

Peppermint oranges - Roll resh oranges gently on table top to soften, and cut small hole on the top of each one. Insert stick of peppermint candy. Small fry can suck the juice through the candy stick, making a double treat!

Burning the Yule The burning of Yule log is a custom handed down by the English who settled in

America. On Christmas eve

the log, set on the hearth, is kindled with the remains of the log from the previous

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Upon hearing the glorious message,

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rejoice and celebrate, as we too,

proclaim the King.

and adore Him. This Christmas let us

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The Shining Hours \\
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We wish you every\*

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lot of unusual things happened in

usual to the natives.

Pinto mules did, thougi.

ville were strangers to mules. The road from the railhead, about 50 miles away, straggled and jerked across the desert at the hase of the San Rafael Swell. Along the way three quicksandbottomed streams had to be forded. Sandstorms often obliterated the narrow road and if a wagon slipped off it sank fast into the deep sand and it might take hours to pull it out. Between the monstrous jagged claws of the San Rafael Swell there was some feed and a few ranches but the trails were rough and narrow. The roads to the big spreads around the Henrys led up through stream beds and over narrow trails scratched on the faces of precipitous canyon walls. So, pack mule trains were the best answers to any freight hauling. Sometimes there were as many as

20 mules in one of these trains and there were a lot of trains. Little wonder that the breeding of mules became a big business in Hanksville.

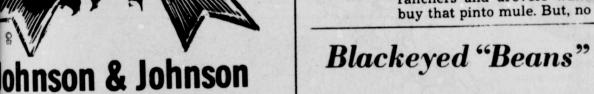
With the mares dropping these hybrid beasts by the dozens it shouldn't seem unusual that a mutation should take place. And it did.

One day a mule colt was born

with white markings—a pinto.
According to all the rules of mule breeding this should have been impossible—but there it was! In the barber shop, in the saloon, in the blacksmith shop, in the livery stable, in Charlie Gibbon's store, at casual street gatherings and in the homes the unusual event was discussed and analyzed. Some advanced, what they thought was, a scientific theory. And, they could have been right. Some saw the event as a "sign"

that something disastrous was going to happen to the country and especially to Hanksville. It is possible, too, that a few interpreted the "sign" as the coming of something good and wonderful.

Immediately, a number of ranchers and drovers wanted to buy that pinto mule. But, no mat-



Prepare blackeyed "beans" hours. for a traditional New Year's For

That's correct, this everpopular New Year's dish is not really a pea--it's a bean, a foods and nutrition spe-

For New Year's Day

cialist, Marilyn Haggard, But, tradition dictates that blackeyed peas are known as peas--and will probably con-tinue to be called peas.

Whether pea or bean, no New Year's day celebration would seem right without them, the specialist points

Miss Haggard is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.
PREPARATION

When preparing blackeyed peas, soak the peas before cooking to reduce cooking First, boil them in water

for two minutes, remove from the heat and soak for one hour. Now, they're ready t

Or, to soak the peas overnight, start with the twominute boil-the brief boil will keep them from souring and help prevent hard skins. Then, leave the peas to soak until the next day.

SEASONING Season with one teaspoon salt for each cup of dry peas, the specialist continues. Salt pork and bacon are old standbys for seasoning, but chopped ham or smoked turkey left from the Christmas celebration are great

Add pepper, garlie and oregano is small amounts-one-fourth teaspoon per pound of dry peas--to enhance flavor.

'SLOW COOKING'

the soaked beans in water on "high" for two and one-half

**Box 388** 

Santa loudly sounds our

wishes for you . . . may

our hearth and home be

lied to overflowing with

holiday's bright delight

# Suriday, December 23, 1979 The Pinto Mule

These two-colored mules were worth their weight in gold in Hanksville.

By Chris Jensen

Around the turn of the century a Hanksville, Utah, on the Dirty Devil River. Cattle rustlers, horse thieves, train robbers on the lam, footloose cowboys and sandscoured ranchers, plus a peppering of the English dudes who managed the big spreads around the Henrys, mingled with the townspeople. Butch Cassidy, in his Sunday best clothes, often came over from his nearby Robber's Roost hangout to visit with the merchants and ranchers. Zane Gray was searching throughout the remote areas gathering materials for his western stories. And, years later the old-timers, talking about these things, would shake their heads and hint mysteriously about a lot of other things that "went

But these things didn't seem un-

Not that the people of Hanks-

ter how high the price offered the breeder refused to sell. While the unusual creature did bring a good many curiosity seekers that were pests it also brought some that were buyers. Things might have settled down had not, about a year later, the same combination of mare and jack produced another

pinto mule. This time the owner was interested in selling-to the highest bidder. The bidding was brisk. The lucky new owner hinted he had paid plenty but would never mention the exact price. The pinto mule was placed at the head of his

In anticipation of another pinto mule being born drovers, rancliers and even thirty-dollar a month ranch hands placed orders for the next colt and at astronomical prices. Several ranch hands pledged their entire year's wages to be able to own such an animal. Trading of these pledges ran the prices up even more. So, not only was owning such an animal a thing to be greatly desired, but a good investment as well. Dozens of eager buyers were always ready with cash on the line.

And, a few more pinto mules were born. The fortunate owners flaunted their prize possessions. A pack train drover would often realign his train at the edge of town with the pinto mule at the lead carrying no pack at all. Then the train would walk at its slowest pace down the main street the drover making sure that as many as possible would get to see his treasure. A cowboy or ranch hand would tie his pinto mule to the most prominent hitching rail in town. Then stand around and brag about his prize to whatever envious and admiring townspeople that gathered there.

Thus, and probably the only time in history, owning a mule became a status symbol.

And that did seem unusual even to the natives of Hanksville

IT'S A FACT!

Southeast Asian refugees need homes. Tens of thousands are living on the sea in overloaded and undersupplied boats. Many nations are ignoring the tragic plight of these people. A few countries are not.

In the forefront of nations that are offering homes, jobs and education to these refugees is Argentina. An estimated 5,000 refugees will be arriving in Argentina, and the people of that coun-try are finding them the jobs and the homes they need. That could take some of the burden off the U.S.





Let there be families and or friends joined together in love and warmth, linking the old ways and the new. Starry eyed with Christmas joy we send thanks to one and all

**Reecers Cleaners** 

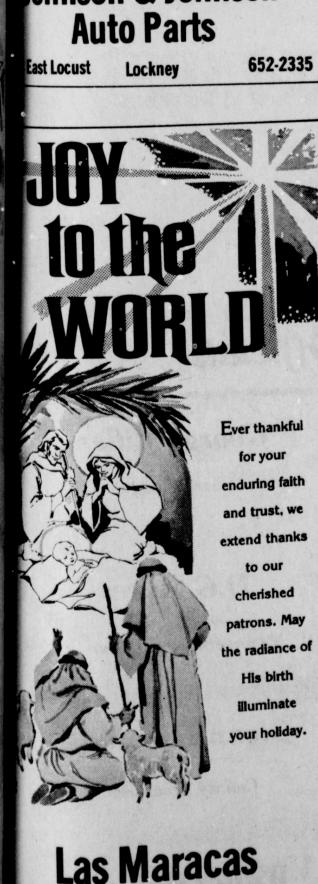
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Jim & Gloria Gomez

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Ever thankful for your enduring faith and trust, we

extend thanks to our

cherished patrons. May the radiance of His birth

In the slow cooker, soak the peas overnight, then cook

Reduce control setting to "low", add seasonings and meat and cook for eight to 10

**Fierros & Sons Ready Mix** Lockney



Santa's merry spirit enhances every dazzling moment of the magic of Christmas . . . the sharing and caring of family and friends. Loaded with good wishes, we reach out to say thanks and to hope you have a beautiful, bountiful holiday!

# This Christmas Message From The Following Public Officials:

Jonelle Fawver

Tax Assessor-Collector

Choise Smith

County Judge

Fred Cardinal

**County Sheriff** 

Mary L. McPherson

District Clerk

O.M. Watson, Jr.

County Auditor

Kenneth Bain, Jr.

County Attorney

Randy Hollums

District Attorney

Mr. And Mrs. Aaron Carthel Commissioner Precinct 1

Mr. And Mrs. Jack Lackey

Commissioner Precinct 4

Mr. And Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Jr.

Commissioner Precinct 3

Snow Flake

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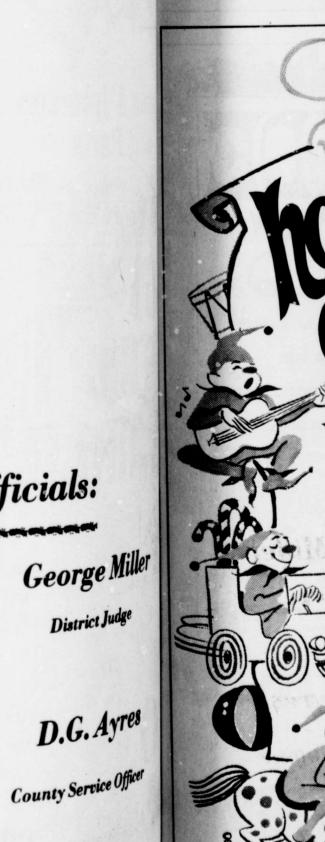
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Stick a large
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**Floyd County** 

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As we gather together to share the

lessings and joy of the holiday with those

we love, we greet old friends and say thanks.

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You're on our list

of special people

and so we hope

**Providence Farm Supply** 

your Christmas

is a treasury

of merriment

and pleasure.

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CHRISTMAS PRESENT - Robert Sapolsky is Amahl, and Teresa Stratas is his mother in the GE Theater production of "Amahl and the Night Visi tors," which will be telecast on PBS Channel 5 television Saturday a t 7 p.m., December 22.

# FOR A SAFE HOLIDAY

During the Christmas and New Year weekends, thousands of Texas motorists will be burning their headlights day and night as a visible reminder to Join this effort to make the Holidays

others to drive safely.

accident-free. Your Texas Department of Public Safety

## Calorie Counts to Help You Through the Holidays

With so many goodies surrounding us at holiday time, who wants to diet? It can be a bore! However, a little careful planning can keep you full and happy, and your waistline from expanding. We offer a few hints to help you beat "the battle of the bulge." Calorie count is in parentheses:

6 shrimp (90)...3½ ounces white wine and soda (85)...5 artichoke hearts (55)...10 pretzel sticks (30)...2 stuffed green olives (15)...6 oysters (65)...1 slice pumpernickel (80) . . . 1 nectarine (30) . . . 2 ounces rare roast beef (95) . . . 8 small gumdrops (35) . . . 1 teaspoon caviar (25) . . . 1 stalk celery (5) . . . 1 ounce camember (85) . . . 1 8 oz. glass milk (160) . . . 1 good slice calves liner (75) liver (75) . . . 1 cup cottage cheese (240) . . . 1 Ritz cracker (20) . . . 1 Wheat Thin (10) . . . water, try a quart



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Holiday Plants,

**Decorations** 

## Hazardous

With the holiday season rapidly approaching, care must be taken to insure that in all the hustle and bustle that accidental poisonings do not occur, warns the Texas State Poison Center. "Holiday plants and decorations can cause considerable prob-blems," warns Michael Ellis, director of the Texas State Poison Center.

"Plants, such as the poinsettia, Christmas holly, mistletoe, and the Jerusalem cherry can all cause prob-lems if left where small children can get to them," Ellis noted. "Although the poinsettia is not the deadly plant it is often misrepre-sented as, if the leaques or stems are eaten or chewed on, frequently we see fairly severe vomiting and diar-rhea. This in itself can cause dehydration problems small children.

"If holly berries are eaten they can produce severe vomiting and diarrhea, due to a number of extremely irritating substances found in both the red and green berries. Mistletoe, on the other hand, has proven dead-ly when ingested in any

quantity," Ellis noted. "The bright red berries of the Jerusalem cherry can be mistaken for tomatoes by small children, and the consequences may prove se-

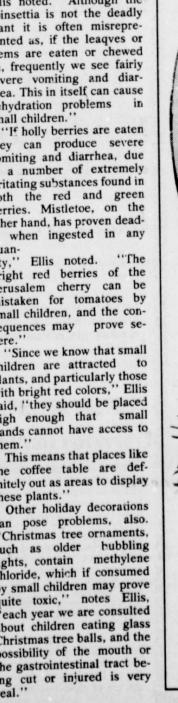
"Since we know that small children are attracted to plants, and particularly those with bright red colors," Ellis said, "they should be placed high enough that small hands cannot have access to

This means that places like the coffee table are definitely out as areas to display these plants."

can pose problems, also. "Christmas tree ornaments, such as older bubbling lights, contain methylene chloride, which if consumed by small children may prove quite toxic," notes Ellis, "each year we are consulted about children eating glass Christmas tree balls, and the possibility of the mouth or the gastrointestinal tract being cut or injured is very

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# Yuletide Turkey Can Be Just As Special The Second Time Around

An elaborate turkey din-ner at Christmas time yields untold dividends in second day lunches and dinners. You'll enjoy these delicious menus . . . and so will your

family. The best part is that they're so tempting you'll never think of them as

EASY TURKEY LOAF 6 cups turkey finely chopped

WISHING YOU A VERY

MERRY CHRISTMAS

May your blessings increase and may your home

be filled with happiness. In appreciation . . . thanks.

Sun-Vue Fertilizer

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to grow and give are flowering bulbs. They can be forced into winter bloom easily and are available at flower shops, nurseries and often in five and ten cent stores. Paper white narcissus will bloom in 6 to 7 weeks, hyacinths in 10 to 12 weeks, amaryllis in 4 to 6 weeks. Plan to give them just as the flowers are about to open. They are welcome gifts that make a colorful display in any home!

Paperwhite Narcissus-Place 4 to 6 bulbs, about 2" apart in a shallow bowl containing colorful pebbles and water. Twist bulbs gently and firmly into pebbles so they stand straight, and are about 1/2" under the top surface of the pebbles. The bowl need not be deep, 4" to 5" will do. Set to root in cool, dark spot for about 4 weeks or until tops have sprouted. Keep water

Some of the most fragrant, beautiful plants level always to base of bulb. Move to a bright or sunny window sill or shelf. Continue to the Holy Panny was not water. Blossoms though short lasting, are wonalone when they took refuge in the stable at Bethlehem.

Hyacinths—Follow directions for paper- brown robin, perched on a whites using only two or three bulbs to pot. rafter, watched the three Hyacinths prefer a slightly cooler place to Magi present their gifts to hibernate while rooting and take a few weeks the newly born Christ Child. longer to sprout. Their beautiful, varied color that something upon the source of the blooms make a handsome centerpiece.

Amaryllis—These large bulbs with their striking lilylike blossoms come in many vivid coling lilylike blossoms control lilylike b ors. Plant 1 bulb to a pot filled with average potting soil, leaving one-third of the bulb exposed. Keep in a sunny, bright window, watering sparingly until stem appears. Increase water as bud expands.

provide a blunt end scissors.

until Christmas. Paste the

strips into circles, linking

them to form a chain. Tape or

the child's eye level, some-

Let the child tear or cut a

link off every night. As the

holiday nears, she or he will

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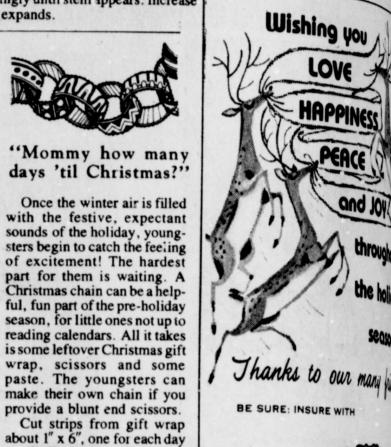
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# Making Old Fashioned, Spicy 3 Gingerbread Men Cookies...

One of the special and most delicious customs at Christmas is snappy, spicy gingerbread men cookies. Since the whole family loves them, why not have the whole family join together in a happy baking spree? Here's our quick 'n' easy

1 cup packed brown sugar 1 cup margarine or butter, softened 1¼ cups molasses l teaspoon salt

Gingerbread Cookies:

1 tablespoon baking soda 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon teaspoon ground allspice l teaspoon ground cloves teaspoon ground ginger 3 cups all-purpose flour plus 5-6 cups (to be used later) 8" gingerbread man cookie is some leftover Christmas gift

Early in day: In a large paste. The youngsters can bowl with mixer at low make their own chain if you speed, beat first 11 ingredients, until just mixed, constantly scraping bowl with rubber spatula. Increasing speed to medium, beat 2 more minutes, scraping tack the chain on the wall, at wooden spoon, stir additional 5 to 6 cups of flour into dough, to make it stiff. Divide dough in half and wrap in plastic wrap. Dough can be used immediately or refrigerated for up to two

Preheat oven to 350° F. On a lightly floured surface roll half the dough with a lightly floured rolling pin, until 1/6" thick. With gingerbread man cookie cutter, cut as many cookies as possible. Using a pancake turner, arrange cookies on lightly greased cookie sheet, handling carefully. Bake 12 minutes until cookie edges are firm; loosen cookies



from sheet and remove to wire rack to cool.

Reroll scraps and using remaining dough, repeat. Using white frosting, prepared or your own home made favorite, and raisins,

decorate gingerbread men. Recipe makes about 2 dozen cookies.

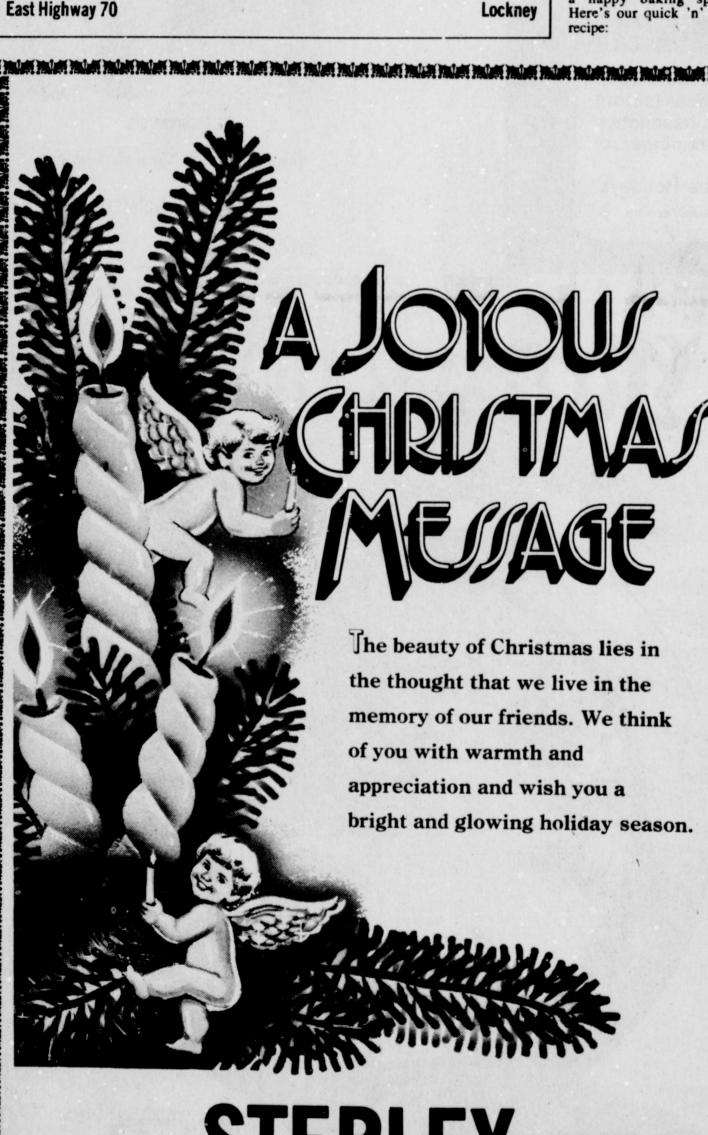
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POTATO BOATS Scoop out baked Idaho potatoes leaving ½ inch shell, using half a large potato per portion. Mash and season scooped potato pulp and set aside. Heat diced turkey in cream sauce. (Use your judgment as to amount of sauce according to quantity of turkey you are using.) Fill scooped potato shells with turkey mixture. Fill pastry tube with mashed potato mix and squeeze to form a border around each potato boat. Bake in 400° oven until brown.

This is a great dish for youngsters since it is easy to manage and doesn't need any cutting up. Try a little grated cheese over the top of each boat before putting in the oven, for extra zip.

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