

Merry Christmas



Santa Will Be Back

Michael Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaw of Texico, had a great time recently visiting with Santa Claus and telling him about all the things he wants for Christmas. Michael was one of many children who enjoyed chatting with the jolly gentleman in red after the December 1 Variety Show at Texico High School. Following that sneak visit, Santa returned to the North Pole where he is now hard at work with last minute preparations for the traditional Christmas Eve delivery run. (Texico School Photo)

62nd Annual - -

Okla. Lane To Present Christmas Program

The Oklahoma Lane Community will observe its 62nd annual Community Christmas Tree Program this Christmas Eve, (Sunday) at 7 p.m. at the Oklahoma Lane Community Center.

This year's program is entitled "The Meaning of the Christmas Tree." It is expected to last approximately one hour, according to Roy Donaldson, chairman. Everyone is invited to attend the annual event, Donaldson said.

Santa Claus will also attend the festivities, bearing candy and gifts for everyone. A short business meeting will be conducted shortly before the program begins.

For further information contact Roy Donaldson or Harold Carpenter.

Christmas, New Year - -

Area Churches Schedule Many Holiday Services

With the holiday season only days away several area churches have planned services for Christmas and New Year's.

Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will hold a regular service at 11 a.m. CST December 24 with a special informal communion service to follow at 5 p.m. CST. The usual men's prayer breakfast will not be held December 25 or January 1.

The Methodist Church will have a "watch night" service December 31 beginning at 11:30 p.m. CST in the sanctuary. Prior to that members of the church are asked to gather at 8 p.m. for fellowship prior to the special service. Everyone is asked to bring sandwiches, salads, desserts and games for a "pot luck" meal together.

Farwell Baptist Church will have a regular service at 11

a.m. CST Christmas Eve and a special Christmas service that day at 5 p.m. CST.

Farwell Church of Christ will hold regular services at 10:45 a.m. CST on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve with fellowship to follow the December 31 service.

The Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church will have regular services at 11 a.m. CST on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. Another service is also scheduled for 6 p.m. CST on December 31.

The Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church held its special Christmas service on December 17. As of early this week no plans had been made for New Year's services.

First Baptist Church in Texico will hold its regular Christmas service at 10:45 a.m. MST. Christmas Eve, that evening they will present the "Christmas Story" in song beginning at 6:30 p.m. MST. No church training union classes will be held that evening.

Regular services will also be held December 31 at 10:45 a.m. MST. A "watch night" service is scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m. MST New Year's Eve and will conclude shortly after midnight. During that time they will sing songs and view the Don Knotts film, "The Apple Dumpling Gang."

The Lord's Supper will be observed shortly after midnight.

Children of the church presented their Christmas cantata Wednesday. Caroling followed the program. Mrs. Self of Clovis also presented a dramatization of Lottie Moon,

charges is centered on approximately \$5,000 dating back to Oct. 20, 1977.

According to the investigative agencies it was decided to focus the investigation and the charges on the lesser amount. The offense would change only in number, not degree.

No warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mrs. Wiehl. Instead she will be notified to appear in district court for arraignment on the charges. No date has been set.

The case will be handled by District Judge Reuben Nieves.

Mayor Turnbough said late Monday that he could not speak of the Grand Jury proceedings. He added that the City of Texico was not sure yet whether they would be able to recover the missing funds.

Mrs. Wiehl was City Clerk at Texico from 1963 until she resigned March 10 of this year. No reason was given at the time for Mrs. Wiehl's resignation.

The missing funds first

came to light several months ago when an audit of Texico's books from July 1, 1976 through February 1978 indicated that funds were missing. An investigation was conducted by the state auditor's office and a Clovis accounting firm.

Texico City officials were to finally receive a copy of the audit this week. Throughout the investigation they had no access to the document. City officials, said the matter was handled in that way because once Texico had received a copy of the audit it would have become public records.

In the indictment Mrs. Wiehl is charged with 12 counts of embezzlement of more than \$100 but less than \$2,500, each of which is a fourth-degree felony; four counts of embezzlement involving \$100 or less, each a "high court" misdemeanor.

Also included in the indictment are 16 counts of failure to deposit public money, each providing for a third-degree felony.

There are also six counts of tempering with public records, each a fourth-degree felony.

The first charge is an embezzlement charge. It says: "That on or about the 20th day of October, 1977, in Curry County, the above named defendant did embezzle or convert to her own use, a thing of value, to wit: United States currency, with which she had been entrusted, with fraudulent intent to deprive the City of Texico, the owner thereof, said thing of value having a value exceeding \$100, but not more than \$2,500 contrary to the provisions of Section 40A-16-7, NMSA 1953 Compilation as amended."

The embezzlement counts cite 16 dates between Oct. 20, 1977, and March 9, 1978, one day before Mrs. Wiehl's resignation.

The wording of the various counts of failure to deposit public money is as follows: "That on or about the 20th day of October, 1977, in Curry County (Continued on Page 2)

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Clara Wiehl - -

Former Texico Clerk Indicted On 38 Counts

Light the Christmas candle! Decorate with sprigs of pine! As you gather together friends to celebrate the time-honored traditions of this joyous season, may your hearts be filled with peace and harmony. We're wishing you a Christmas glowing with old-fashioned warmth, child-like radiance and every happiness.

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ASCS Program Committees Named

County and Community Committees for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service have been chosen to serve for the coming year according to Prentice L. Mills, County Executive Director. As a result of the recent elections the following were named:

David Grimsley, Friona area farmer, was elected to serve as Chairman of the County Committee for the coming year; Tom Caldwell of Oklahoma Lane was chosen to serve as Vice-Chairman; J.W. "Dub" Gammon of Lazbuddie is the third regular member; Floyd Schueler of Rhea is the 1st alternate; and Tom Beauchamp of Bovina is the 2nd alternate.

Community Committeemen elected were: Elected in Community "A" were: Royce "Gene" Welch, Chairman; Phillip Weatherly and "Teddy" Fangman, mem-

bers; and Floyd Reeve and Larry Potts, alternates.

Elected in Community "B" were: Jim Roy Daniel, Chairman; Gene Paul Jarman and Jerry Don Glover, members; and Elvis Powell and Merriman Vise, alternates.

Elected in Community "C" were: Leon Ware, Chairman; Doyle Johnson and Edwin Lide, members; and Mike Beauchamp and Bill Martin, alternates.

Farmer elected ASCS County Committees are charged with the responsibility of administering the national farm programs at the local level. This is a very important function and of real consequence in this immediate area.

Community Committeemen assist the county committee in this endeavor and work to help keep farmers informed of program provisions.

a Baptist missionary to China. St. John Lutheran Church at Lariat will stage its children's Christmas Eve program December 24 at 6 p.m. CST. Regular services will be held Christmas Day at 10:30 a.m. CST. A communion service

will be held December 31 at 7:30 p.m. CST.

The Texico Assembly of God Church held its Christmas services December 17. Regular services for Christmas Eve will be held at 9:15 a.m.

New Light Baptist Church of

Farwell will hold Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve services at 11 a.m. CST. Rev. J.L. Pollard of St. John Baptist Church in Clovis will conduct the services during the temporary absence of Rev. Thomas Spikes, pastor.



Meets President Carter

Beulah K. Hobbs of Farwell was recently greeted by President Jimmy Carter on the south lawn of the White House when her son, James, and his musical group, the Lazy B. Wranglers, performed at a White House barbecue. Pictured with Mrs. Hobbs are James, right, and Tom Justin, who are members of the authentic western quartet. Among the songs performed in the hour-long concert were "Cool, Cool Water," "Tumbling Tumbleweeds," "Ghost Riders," and "Wyoming" sung by Hobbs; and "Colorado," new song sung by Wranglers Hobbs and Jeff Chandler. Mrs. Carter gave a short welcoming speech, to which Hobbs responded with a few words of appreciation.

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Mrs. J.J. Spurlin Rites Conducted Thursday

Funeral services for Vicki Spurlin of Alpine, Tex., former Farwell resident, were conducted Thursday of last week at the Methodist Church in Alpine. Burial was in the Deming, N.M. cemetery on Friday.

Mrs. Spurlin is survived by her husband, Rev. J.J. Spurlin of Alpine; one daughter, Lavern of Lawton, Okla.; two sons, J.R. Spurlin of Deming and Jerry Spurlin of Gallup; her mother, Mrs. Gladys Spillers of Alpine; two sisters-in-law, Treva Chambliss of Harker Heights, Tex., and Jeroldine Baumgart of Clovis; and several grandchildren, nieces and nephews.



New Texico Pastor

Rev. A.W. Harris has been named pastor at the Texico Assembly of God Church. He and his wife, Clara May, helped build the present church facility in 1947. Before the church was built they held services in their home. The Harrises returned to Texico in 1975 and accepted the pastorage of the church last week. Harris is holding the birthday greeting card he received August 16 from Rosalyn and Jimmy Carter on the occasion of his 82nd birthday.

Assembly Of God Church - -

A.W. Harris Named Pastor In Texico

Rev. A.W. Harris, 82, is the new pastor of the Texico Assembly of God Church. Harris is no stranger to that post, having helped construct the present church facility in 1947. Harris and his wife, Clara May, have also lived in Texico several times during Harris' career more recently moving back to the community in 1975.

He was named pastor of the church again last week.

When Harris celebrated his 82nd birthday - August 16 - he had a special surprise waiting for him - a birthday greeting card from Rosalyn and Jimmy Carter.

He has served as pastor of various Assembly of God Churches for the past 55 years. Harris studied at what was known at one time as the Assembly of God College in Amarillo.

Harris has pastored in Lamesa, Clarendon, Big

Springs, Colorado City, Eunice and Clovis.

He said he became a minister because he "accepted God's call." Harris said he "feels his role is great" and "tries to inspire people to lead a dedicated life." Mrs. Harris also preaches.

In addition to assisting the building project in Texico, Harris has helped build churches in Lamesa and Littlefield. Back in 1947 before the present church building was constructed, the Harrises held services in their home.

When the Harrises moved back to Texico in 1975 he continued to help people even though he was not pastor of the church. However, the church had been without a pastor since August. When asked by the people to become their pastor again, Harris gladly accepted.

The Harrises have five children. Before she and Harris were married, Mrs. Harris taught grades one through eight in a one room schoolhouse. A daughter and granddaughter are presently teaching school in Lamesa.

ANNOUNCEMENT - -

Our offices will be open ONLY the first Saturday of each month from 8:30 A.M. until 12:00 noon. We will be closed all day on other Saturdays. Weekdays we are open from 8:30 A.M. to 5 P.M.

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Hospital Notes

Buil Dollar of Burnet, Tex., former Farwell resident and son of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Dollar of Farwell, recently underwent a kidney transplant

at Breckenridge Hospital in Austin. He returned home December 12 and is reported to be "doing fine" now. Dollar's address is Box 87, Burnet, Tx. 78611.

Gary Cain, son of Weldon and Pat Cain of Texico, is recuperating from surgery at the Shriners' Hospital in Houston. He is expected to return home around the end of the month.

Charles Norton of Artesia, N.M., son of Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Norton of Farwell, recently broke his leg and is presently hospitalized in room 342 of St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell. He is expected to be hospitalized for several weeks.

Woodrow Lovelace of Farwell was admitted to High Plains Hospital in Clovis Thursday of last week and underwent surgery Friday. He returned home Monday and is reported to be "feeling better."

Fortenberry Hears Cases

Parmer County Judge Paul Fortenberry this week fined Arturo Alberto Garcia, 36, and Julian Delgado, 24, both of El Paso, \$250 plus court costs for possession of marijuana less than two ounces.

Lazbuddie Young Homemakers Have Family Christmas Party

Lazbuddie Young Homemakers held their annual family Christmas party, Saturday evening, Dec. 9, in the high school homemaking department.

A feeling of Christmas cheer was spread to all as they entered the gala decorated room. Christmas centerpieces and decorations were placed throughout the room. Christmas music was played during the party. The tables were covered with snowpeople-patterned table cloths. Matching Christmas paperware was used to serve the food.

Snowpeople and candles made up centerpieces for the tables. Clay Mimms gave the invocation. Assorted sandwiches, chips, dips, relish trays, a variety of Christmas desserts, soft drinks, coffee, and tea were served to those attending.

After all had eaten, Santa Claus stopped by for a visit. Several sat on Santa's knee and told him what they wished for. Christmas stockings were purchased by the club for each child. Under the tree was a gift for each child attending. Santa handed out the stockings and gifts. After Santa's departure the couples attending exchanged gifts. The rest of the evening was spent playing cards, dominoes, and or just visiting.

Mrs. Clay Mimms, president called a short business meeting, as the regular monthly

meeting was cancelled due to bad weather. Christmas cards were signed for the Senior Citizens, by each member. Mrs. Darrell Mason volunteered to purchase and deliver Christmas gifts to each of the Special Senior Citizens.

A letter was read concerning the Area I Activity Day to be held in Dimmitt, Tuesday, Dec. 12. Several planned to attend. A picture was shown to members of the fruit baskets that were fixed up and delivered to the Special Senior Citizens for Thanksgiving. Members were told that Mrs. Effie Jennings had given another money donation to the club.

Mrs. Jimmie Dale Seaton, socials chairman, had fixed a box for members to fill with baked goods and fruit, to be taken to two needy families in Lazbuddie and to the Muleshoe Nursing Home. Mrs. Seaton was to see that these items were delivered.

Jessica Burch drew for the candle ring wreath decorated in Christmas motif. The winner was Mrs. Kirby Burch. Mrs. Harroll Redwine donated the door prize.

Among those families attending were Mr. and Mrs.

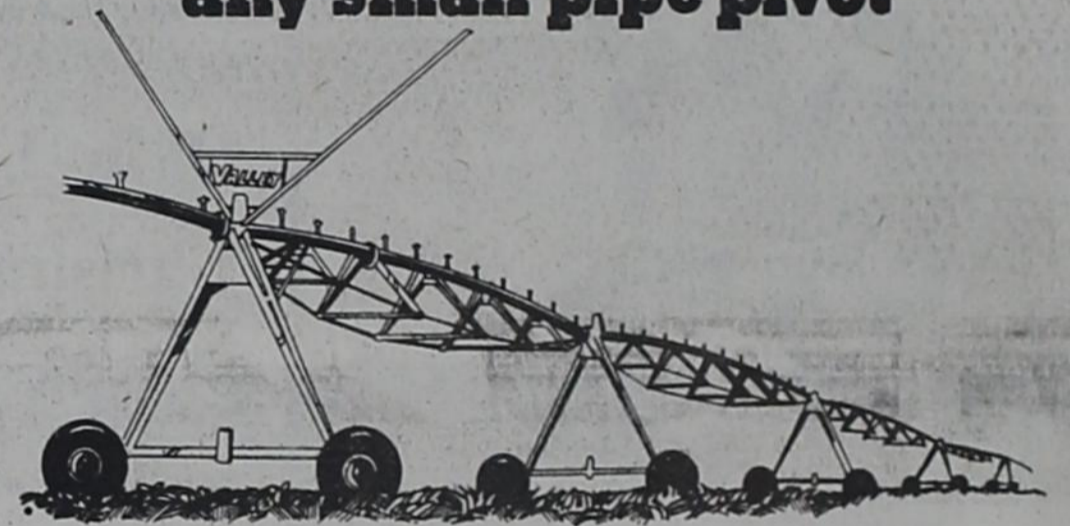
Lloyd Bradshaw, Casey and Lori; Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Burch, Jessica and Keith; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collum, Tracy, Cristy, and Britton; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Engelking and Heather;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gallman and Joanna; Mr. and Mrs. Skip Magby, Dawnda and Mandy; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Mason, Sean, Shana, and Sheldon; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Mimms; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Putnun, James, Phillip, and Timothy; Mr. and Mrs. Harroll Redwine, Susan and Russell; Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Renner, Brandon and Misty; Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Seaton, and Miss Traci Lee, Mrs. Seaton's sister; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Vice, Tammy and Jana; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Weir and Dawn.

The next scheduled monthly meeting of the Lazbuddie Young Homemakers will be Thursday, Jan. 4, at 2 p.m. in the homemaking department. The program will be "Members' Own Crafts and Hobbies."



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Farwell



This I Know - - -

by Leonard Harper

Minster
 Farwell Church of Christ



There is no substitute for a good father! While that is a statement few if any would deny it is still much easier to say than to be. In hope of helping in these critical times we offer this advice:

1. **DON'T UNDERESTIMATE THE IMPORTANCE OF YOUR ROLE.** As the family head you will help affect the destiny of community, nation and world. And, of course, you will vitally affect the destiny of your family.

2. **GIVE YOUR HOME TOP PRIORITY.** No matter how successful you may be at earning a living it cannot compensate for failure as a father. Home must come first.

3. **BE A GOOD LISTENER.** Young people must talk out their problems and find answers to their questions. If they cannot turn to their father who will they turn too?

4. **SET AN EXAMPLE FOR YOUR CHILDREN.** Young people are quick to see when you do not practice what you preach. Be truthful, trustworthy, and fair. Let them see you read the Bible and hear you pray.

5. **TEACH THEM TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY.** Don't hand them everything on a platter. Let them learn early that everybody has responsibility and maturity is shown in accepting and discharging it.

6. **NURTURE THEIR SPIRITUAL LIFE.** Instill in them a sense of God's greatness and love. Let them see that the Bible adds meaning and direction to their lives. Worship God with them regularly. Show them by word and deed that God's kingdom is first in your life. Encourage their obedience to God early in life.



Winner Of Shotgun

J.C. Smith of Clovis, left, was winner of the Remington 1100 12-gauge shotgun which was given away recently by the Texico-Farwell Lions Club. Smith beams with pleasure as he is presented the gun by John Getz, Lions Club member who sold him the winning ticket. Proceeds from the giveaway will be used for the Lions Club sight conservation program.

Blaze Destroys Building Friday Near Texico

Several units from the Texico, Farwell and Clovis fire departments were called to a fire at a building Friday, 3 1/2 miles west of Texico, to combat a raging blaze which consumed the structure. Lewis Cooper, Texico fireman, said the building was vacant at the time of the blaze. The fire was believed to

have been started by a short in the electrical wiring system, but the official investigation has not been completed. No damage estimates were available at press time. The 40x60 foot building was made of frame and stucco. Cooper said that he spotted the blaze as he was returning to Texico from Clovis.

New Light Baptist - -

Workers Clean Up Local Church Site

Several volunteers worked Thursday of last week to clean up the site of the New Light Baptist Church in Farwell, recently destroyed by an explosion.

Lewis Foster, spokesman for the church, said they "cleaned up the site and hauled away the debris."

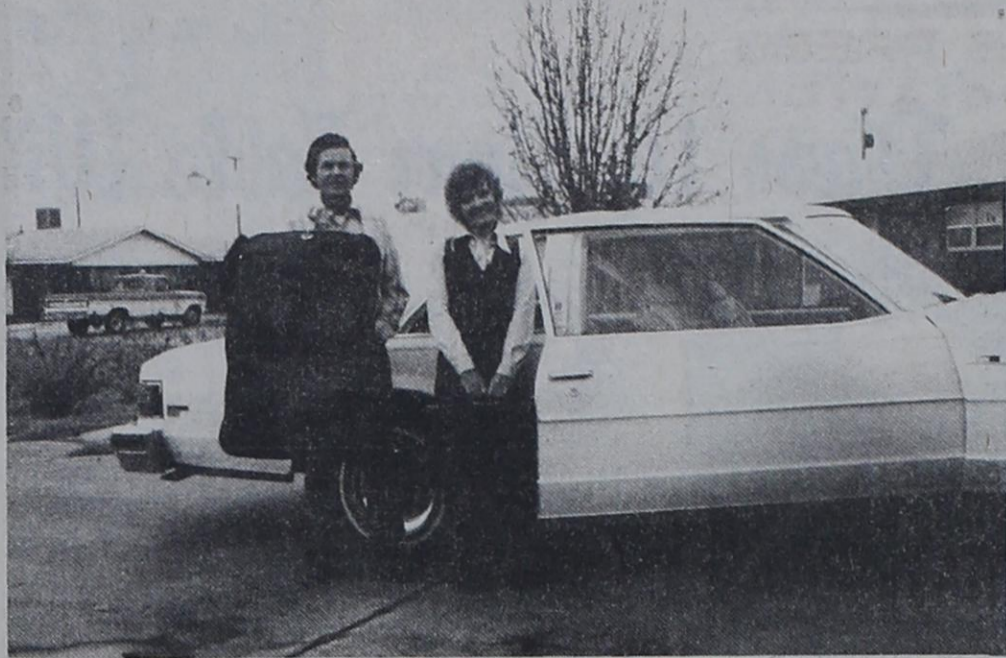
If everything goes according to plan, Foster said, they will begin laying the foundation for the new church building January 15.

In the future he said workers would also be needed to clean up the bricks not destroyed by the blast.

Foster said many local

persons assisted with the clean up operation, including W.O. Chadwick who donated two trucks and Jerry Monk who donated a wheelbarrow. According to Foster, Joe Schilling donated a front end loader which he also operated himself.

Members of the congregation also helped, he said.



Ready For Sun Bowl

Jerry and Elaine Roddam of Farwell are all packed and ready to head for El Paso and the Sun Bowl football game featuring Texas vs. Maryland on December 23. Roddam actually won tickets to the Cotton Bowl (plus \$50) in the 20th Annual Merchants Football Contest which was completed recently, but the second place winner, Beulah Williams, offered to exchange the tickets so members of her family could attend the Cotton Bowl game. As second place winner, Mrs. Williams received the Sun Bowl tickets and \$25. The Cotton Bowl game between Notre Dame and Houston will be January 1. The Roddams are traveling to the game in style as they have recently purchased a new car in which they plan to make the trip.

Offices, Businesses Set Holiday Schedules

Several businesses and offices in the Twin Cities will be closed for the Christmas holidays.

The Texico and Farwell post offices will be closed Christmas Day. The Security State Bank and the Texico branch of the Citizens Bank of Clovis

will also be closed that day.

Farwell and Texico city halls will be closed December 25-26. Parmer County Courthouse will also be closed Christmas Day and the following Monday, but the sheriff's office will remain open throughout the holiday as usual.

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Clean-Up Task

Many volunteers with heavy equipment converged on the site of the New Light Baptist Church in Farwell Thursday of last week, working to clean away the rubble and debris left from an explosion which recently destroyed the church building. Current plans call for laying the foundation for a new church next month. Workers will also salvage and clean up the bricks which were not destroyed in the blast.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,

I want a baseball suit and I want a football suit too. I help people. I break up fights and be nice.

Love, Tice

Dear Santa,

I want a new watch. I want some new shoes. I want some Dallas Cowboy cheerleader playing cards. I help my mom and dad.

Love, Michael

Dear Santa,

I help my Grandfather. I want a race track and I want a cattletruck. I want a trainset and a cowboy set. I like Santa's Reindeer.

Love, Terry

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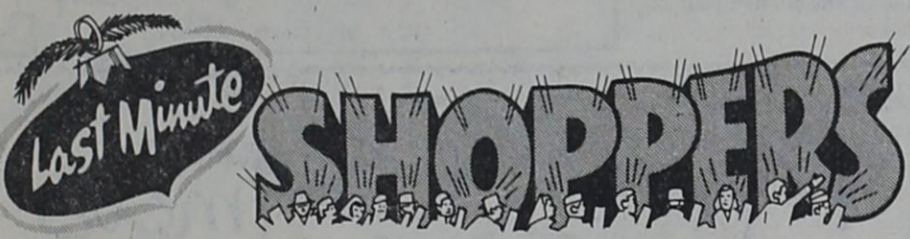
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ROSE DRUG



There's always something special about "Christmases Past" — things that become traditional. And one of those special things for Tribune readers (especially the female group) are the recipes shared by local and area cooks.

As in the past, this year's section includes a variety of recipes featuring everything from "soup to nuts" — pre-dinner dips to after dinner desserts and lots of good things in-between.

Mrs. Bob (Carrie) Anderson of Farwell shares the following recipe for a delightful dip for all sorts of raw vegetables.

CURRY SAUCE FOR RAW VEGETABLES

- 1/2 c. mayonnaise
- 1 c. sour cream
- 2 T. lemon juice
- 1 t. curry powder
- 1/2 t. paprika
- 2 T. minced parsley
- 1/2 t. dried tarragon
- 2 T. grated onion
- 2 t. prepared mustard
- 1 T. minced chives
- Salt and pepper to taste

Combine all ingredients. Chill overnight. Use as dip for assortment of raw vegetables.

Carrie says that the following recipe "came from a friend who got it from a friend."

VERMICELLI SALAD

- 10 oz. pkg. Vermicelli (broken into small pieces and cooked as directed on package)
- 3 T. lemon juice
- 4 T. cooking oil
- 3 T. Accent

Marinate above ingredients overnight in refrigerator. In separate bowl, chop finely and mix:

- 1 pint mayonnaise
- 1 can ripe olives (chopped) with juice
- 1 bunch green onions
- 1 bell pepper
- 6 stalks celery
- 1 large jar chopped pimentos with juice

Refrigerate overnight. Next morning, combine all ingredients and refrigerate for at least 8 hours. This will keep for two weeks. Serves 20.



Mrs. Elmer (Jewel) Scott shares three recipes for readers this year, including a delicious dessert, hearty yeast biscuits and tasty cookies made with oatmeal.

BANANA SPLIT (Refrigerated Dessert)

Crust: Prepare graham cracker crust by mixing 1 stick oleo (melted) and 2 cups graham

cracker crumbs. Mix well and press into a 9x13 Pyrex dish and chill.

Filling

- 2 sticks oleo
- 1 lb. box powdered sugar
- 2 eggs, beaten well
- 1 t. vanilla
- 1 t. butter flavoring

Beat ingredients on high speed mixer for 15 minutes. Spread on crust and chill. Take 4 bananas, cut lengthwise and place on top of filling, then spread one large can crushed pineapple (well drained) over bananas. Cover dessert with large carton Cool Whip. Top with chopped nuts and maraschino cherries. Chill before serving.

OATMEAL COOKIES

- 1 c. brown sugar
- 1 c. white sugar
- 1 c. corn oil
- 1 c. butter
- 1 egg
- 1 t. vanilla
- 1 t. soda
- 1 t. cream of tartar
- 1/4 t. salt
- 1 c. coconut
- 1 c. Rice Krispies cereal
- 1 c. quick oats
- 3/2 c. flour
- 1 c. pecans (chopped)
- 1/2 c. chocolate chips (optional)

Bake at 325 degrees for 10 minutes.

YEAST BISCUITS

- 1 scant c. warm water
- 3 t. sugar
- 1 pkg. dry yeast (dissolve in warm water)
- 2 c. flour
- 1/4 c. Mazola oil
- 2 t. salt

Mix. Let rise 30 minutes. Make into rolls. Bake 20 minutes at 350 degrees.



A holiday fruit cake and a cranberry salad are recipes being shared by Mrs. Edward (Lennie) Engram of Farwell.

CRANBERRY JELLO SALAD

- 1 c. water
- 1 c. sugar
- 2 c. cranberries

Combine and cook until berries pop. Add 15 large marshmallows and stir until dissolved. Remove from heat and add 1 pkg. cherry or black cherry gelatin. Stir until dissolved. Add 1 c. chopped nuts, 1 c. chopped apples, 1 c. chopped celery. Pour into mold and chill.

APPLESAUCE CAKE

- 1 c. butter
- 2 c. sugar
- 2 c. applesauce (or one can)

Sift together 4 c. flour, 1 t. cinnamon, 1/4 t. nutmeg, 1/4 t. cloves, 2 t. soda and dash of salt. Add 2 c. nuts, 2 c. dates, candied cherries, pineapple or citron — just anything you want to put in it. Bake at 325 degrees 1 1/2 hours or until done.



Recipes for two rich desserts are being shared by Mrs. Charles (Margaret) Aycock of Farwell.

MILLION DOLLAR POUND CAKE

- 3 c. sugar
- 1 lb. butter or margarine
- 6 eggs (at room temperature)
- 4 c. all-purpose flour
- 3/4 c. milk
- 1 t. almond extract
- 1 t. vanilla extract

Combine sugar and butter; cream until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add flour to creamed mixture alternately with milk, beating well after each addition. Pour batter into well greased and floured 10-inch tube pan (a Bundt pan will not hold all of the batter). Bake at 300 degrees for 1 hour and 40 minutes or until cake tests done.

DATE BARS

- In mixing bowl combine: 1 c. brown sugar, 1/2 c. flour, 3/4 c. margarine (melted), 1/4 c. quick oatmeal, 1 t. soda.

Reserve 3/4 cup oatmeal mixture. Pat remaining oatmeal mixture into bottom of greased 9x13 pan. Spread with Date Filling (recipe below). Crumble reserved oatmeal mixture on top. Bake 25-30 minutes at 350 degrees. Let cool, then cut into 50 small bars.

DATE FILLING

- 8 oz. chopped dates
- 1/2 c. sugar
- 3/4 c. water
- 1 T. flour

Combine in saucepan and cook over medium heat until thickened.



Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa, My name is Jarrod and I have been a very good boy this year. I am one year old and I would like for you to bring me a Folks Wagon, some blocks and a pickup that picks up blocks. I love you very much, Santa.

Love, Jarrod Franse

P.S. Please bring my daddy a toy, too, so I will be able to play with mine. Thank you.

Shared by Area Homemakers

Dress Up Your Table With Family Favorite Foods

These next few recipes have been submitted by wives of members of Clovis Shrine Club. Most of these are for dishes the Shriners wives take to the Club's family picnics and parties.

From the kitchen of Mrs. Roy (Butch) Whitmore come recipes for three different and very tasty foods.

CREOLE CORN

Saute an onion and green pepper. Add 1 can tomatoes and 2 cans shoe peg white corn. Simmer until thick.

BOURBON WIENERS

Saute onion. Add 2 c. bourbon, 3 pounds wieners cut into bite size, 2 T. Tabasco sauce, 1/2 t. Louisiana hot sauce, and simmer for two hours.

ICE BOX ROLLS

In 1/4 cup warm water, add 2 yeast cakes. Scald 2 c. milk, add 1/2 c. butter, 2 T. salt and 3/4 c. sugar. Cool. Add with yeast mixture. Beat in 2 eggs and 3 c. flour.

Knead in 3 more c. flour. Let rise 2 to 3 hours. Put in refrigerator. When ready to use, fix dough into rolls and let rise. Makes 4 to 5 dozen rolls. Use as needed. Keeps 2-3 weeks.



Two favorite cakes enjoyed by the Shriners and their families are baked by Mrs. Jack (Mary) Hopkins. She shares these two recipes with our readers.

WESTERNER

- 3 sticks margarine or butter
- 1 1-lb. box powdered sugar
- 6 eggs
- 1 powdered sugar box full of sifted flour
- 1 t. lemon juice
- 1 T. vanilla

Have eggs and margarine at room temperature. Cream margarine. Add powdered sugar, beat until fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Sift flour three times; add gradually to batter. Add flavorings and mix well. Bake in 10 inch tube pan which has been greased and floured. Bake 1 1/2 hours at 325 degrees. Cool 4 minutes, then invert pan. (Wonderful served plain, with

whipped cream, fruit or ice cream, or use your favorite frosting.)

FAMOUS BACARDI RUM CAKE

- Cake: 1 c. chopped pecans or walnuts
- 1 18 1/2 oz. pkg. yellow cake mix
- 1-3/4 oz. pkg. instant vanilla pudding mix
- 4 eggs
- 1/2 c. cold water
- 1/2 c. Wesson oil
- 1/2 c. Bacardi dark rum (80 proof)

Preheat oven to 325 degrees and grease and flour 10 inch tube or 12 c. Bundt pan. Sprinkle nuts over bottom of pan. Mix all cake ingredients together. Pour batter over nuts. Bake 1 hour. Cool. Invert on serving plate. Prick top. Drizzle and smooth glaze evenly over top and sides. Allow cake to absorb glaze. Repeat until glaze is all used.

Glaze:

- 1/4 lb. butter
- 1/4 c. water
- 1 c. granulated sugar
- 1/2 c. Bacardi dark rum (80 proof)

Melt butter in saucepan. Stir in water and sugar. Boil 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Stir in rum.

(Optional) Decorate with whole maraschino cherries and border of sugar frosting or whipped cream. Serve with seedless grapes dusted with powdered sugar.



Another Shriners' wife, Mrs. Charles (Coral) Whitaker, also shares three cake recipes.

CARROT CAKE WITH PINEAPPLE

- 2 1/4 c. flour
- 1 1/2 tsp. soda
- 2 tsp. baking powder
- 1 tsp. salt
- 2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 1/2 c. cooking oil
- 2 c. sugar
- 4 eggs
- 2 c. grated carrots
- 1 sm can crushed pineapple

- 3/4 c. chopped nuts
- 1 tsp. vanilla

Sift first five dry ingredients together; set aside. Mix oil, sugar and eggs, beating after each egg addition. Add dry ingredients; mix well. Add carrots, pineapple and nuts. Grease and flour tube pan. Bake one hour at 325 degrees. Cool. Frost with the following:

- 1 lb. powdered sugar
- 1 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese
- 1/2 c. nuts
- 1 tbsp. cream

Mix all ingredients together, and spread over cooled cake.

APPLE SAUCE CAKE

- 1 1/2 c. sugar
- 1/4 c. butter
- 2 eggs
- 1 1/2 c. unsweetened applesauce
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp. cloves
- 2 c. flour
- 2 tsp. soda
- 1 c. raisins
- 1 c. chopped nuts
- 1 tsp. vanilla

Cream butter and sugar, add beaten eggs, applesauce; sift spices, salt, soda with flour and add to first mixture with raisins, nuts and vanilla. Bake one hour at 350 degrees in greased and floured tube pan. No icing necessary. May be served with whipped cream if desired.

NEVER FAIL CHOCOLATE CAKE

- 2 c. sugar
- 2 c. flour
- 2 sticks oleo
- 4 Tbsp. cocoa
- 1 c. water
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 2 eggs
- 1 tsp. soda
- dash salt
- 1/2 c. buttermilk

Melt oleomargarine and cocoa, add water and bring to a boil. Add above mixture to flour and sugar. Add the slightly beaten eggs, soda, salt, buttermilk and vanilla. Pour in 9x13 greased and floured pan. Bake at 400 degrees for 30 minutes. Pour icing on hot cake.

- Icing: 1 box powdered sugar
- 1 stick oleo
- 4 Tbsp. cocoa
- 6 Tbsp. milk

Bring to a boil. Remove from heat and add 1/2 to 1 cup chopped nuts, 1 tsp. vanilla. Beat until smooth and pour on hot cake.



BROCCOLI DIP

- 1 stick garlic cheese
- 1 can mushroom soup
- 1 box chopped broccoli
- Tabasco sauce to taste

Cut up cheese and add to soup. Microwave about 3 minutes on high until cheese is melted. Punch holes in box of broccoli-microwave 5 minutes on high. Add to cheese mixture. This is good served hot or cold. If you use conventional cooking method instead of microwave, be sure that broccoli is well drained before adding to cheese mixture.

HOT SPICED DRINK

Mix well: 4 1/2 c. water and 1 c. brown sugar

Place above mixture in 30-cup percolator and add the following ingredients:

- 9 c. unsweetened pineapple juice
- 9 c. cranberry juice cocktail
- Mix well in percolator. Then place the following ingredients in coffee ground container: 1/4 t. salt, 4 cinnamon sticks (broken into pieces), 4 1/2 t. whole cloves

Serve when perking cycle is completed. This makes 23 cups or more and is excellent to have for club meetings etc.

SNICKERDOODLES

- 1 c. margarine
- 1 1/2 c. sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 t. salt
- 1 t. soda
- 2 t. cream of tartar
- 2 3/4 c. flour
- Cream butter and sugar. Add eggs. Mix well. Then add rest of ingredients. Chill dough. Roll dough into walnut size balls. Roll balls in (Continued on Next Page)

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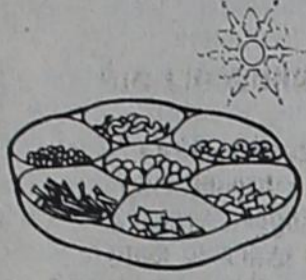
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Family Favorite Foods Shared . . .

(Continued from Previous Page) mixture of 2 T. sugar and 2 T. cinnamon. Place on cookie sheet. Bake in 400 degree oven 10 minutes or until golden brown.



Marsha Miller shares recipes for a hearty corn dish and a coffee cake that's just right for holiday coffee breaks.

JEWISH COFFEE CAKE

3 sticks margarine
2 c. sugar
4 eggs
2 t. vanilla
2 c. sour cream
3 c. flour
2 t. soda
½ t. salt

Cream margarine and sugar. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add sour cream and vanilla. Fold in flour, salt and soda. Fill baking tins half full of cake mixture and sprinkle one half of cinnamon mixture: ¾ c. sugar
4 t. cinnamon

Mrs. Lula Maye Sims, who has for many years been turning out good food and has even had printed a cookbook full of tasty recipes, submits the following:

REFRIGERATOR BRAN MUFFINS

Pour 1 c. boiling water over 1 c. 100 percent Nabisco Bran. Let cool.
Cream ½ c. Crisco, 1 c. sugar, 2 eggs, 1 pint buttermilk. Add bran mixture.
Sift together 2½ c. flour, ½ t. salt and 2½ t. soda. Add flour mixture and 2 c. Kellogg's All Bran to Crisco mixture. Fold in only until dry ingredients are moistened. Bake in greased muffin tins 15-20 minutes at 400 degrees. (Store batter in glass container in refrigerator. Will keep 5-6 weeks.)

STUFFED CABBAGE

1½ lbs. pork, ground coarse
1½ lbs. beef, ground coarse
2 eggs
3 T. raw rice (not instant)
1 onion, minced
salt and pepper to taste
cabbage head with large leaves

Mix meat, eggs, rice, onion, salt and pepper. Wilt cabbage leaves. Roll meat in leaves and stuff ends in. Place in cooker. Sieve 1 can tomatoes over rolls. Pour 1 can kraut and juice over rolls. Add water enough to almost cover. Cook 3-4 hours slowly. (Tomato juice may be substituted for tomatoes and water.)



From the kitchen of Mrs. James (June) Montgomery comes this recipe for a different kind of cookie.

CHERRY WINKS

½ c. shortening
½ c. sugar
1 t. grated lemon peel
1 t. vanilla
1 egg
2 T. milk
1 c. flour
½ t. baking powder
¼ t. soda
¼ t. salt

Thoroughly cream together first four ingredients. Add egg

and milk and beat. Sift dry ingredients together and add to creamed mixture, mixing well. Roll dough by teaspoons in crushed Sugar Frosted Flakes. Place two inches apart on greased cookie sheet, topping each with ½ maraschino cherry or other topping. Bake at 400 degrees about 12 minutes. Cool and remove from pan. Makes 3 dozen.



Mrs. Dave (Betty) Shober gives two recipes for foods that will come in handy during the holidays.

CHEESE BALLS

½ c. margarine
2 c. grated sharp cheddar cheese
1 c. flour
dash red pepper, garlic salt

Blend cheese and margarine, stir in flour, garlic salt and red pepper. Mix well and wrap around green olives. Place on cookie sheet and freeze until ready to serve. Bake about 10 minutes at 450 degrees or until golden brown.

SPAGHETTI SALAD

1¼ pounds spaghetti
½ red onion
½ green pepper
1 cucumber
2 tomatoes
Italian salad dressing
Schilling salad season

Break spaghetti in thirds and cook according to package directions. Rinse good in cold water and drain. Chop the red onion, green pepper, cucumber and tomatoes and mix with spaghetti. Add Italian dressing (approximately 2 cups) and Schilling season to taste, salt and pepper. Chill. It tastes best if it stands a day before serving.

Ruth SS Class Has Meeting

Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church of Texico met recently in the home of Kathryn Bourlon with Ann Schloss serving as co-hostess.

Mrs. Schloss gave the devotional, reading from Psalms 103:1-12, a lesson on "forget not."

Mrs. S.G. Jones led in prayer. Mrs. Bourlon read two poems entitled, "Slow Me Down Lord," and "Why Not Every Day."

Class members decided to give a gift to their teacher Mrs. Helen Bowers, who was hospitalized at that time.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee were served to Mesdames Schloss, Bourlon, S.G. Jones, Hettie Harrison and Gracie Dane.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
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Love
Jennifer Williams.



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Texico Woman's Club Has Christmas Party

Texico Woman's Club held its annual Christmas party Monday night in the home of Kay Coffey. The program was presented by Sabrina Kittrell, student at Eastern New Mexico University, who was last year's recipient of the Club's annual scholarship. Also present were Tonye Harrington and Teresa Turner. Last summer the Club sponsored their participation in Girls State.

Members exchanged gifts

and also brought stocking stuffers for the Convalescent Center.

Refreshments of apricot bread, strawberry bread, candy, coffee and spiced tea were served to Ann Cooper, Audrey Kittrell, Marcia Leavell, Ann Killough, Maureen Caywood, Aileen Teel, Margie Crooks, Juanita Hadley, Tonye Harrington, Sabrina Kittrell, Debra Coffey and the hostesses, Caren Spearman and Kay Coffey.

Texico WMU Has Recent Bible Study

The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church in Texico met recently for a Bible Study with chairman Mrs. Velma Kelley in charge. The program opened with Mrs. Harvey Hudnall at the piano playing "Faith Is The Victory."

The program was on "Witnessing To The Jews" and scripture readings were taken from several passages in Acts, Romans and Matthew.

Mrs. Hudnall gave the call to prayer for missionaries having birthdays on that day. Mrs. Nora Day then gave the prayer.

During the short business

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby This and That, Big Teddy Be'ar and I want a real horse and a ice snoe man you put ies in it, and you get a icey. I am 6 year old.

Amanda Easley

Actkinsons Feted At Anniversary Party

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Actkinson were guests of honor at a party given to celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Dec. 16, at the Johnny Actkinson home at Farwell.

The party, which was a complete surprise to the honorees, was hosted by their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Actkinson, Jeff, Greg and Jill, of Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Actkinson, Kelle and Kevin of Decatur.

The invited guests all stayed hidden from the guests of honor until the appropriate time. But the special surprise of the occasion was the appearance of Bobby Actkinson who had flown in especially for the event. His family was unable to accompany him for the short stay.

Among those on hand to help celebrate the occasion besides the honorees and the hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Talley, Mrs. Ruby Garner, Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Wilhite, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Angeley, Mr.

and Mrs. Claud Wilemon, Mrs. Ceal Stanford and Mrs. Virgil Williams, all of Muleshoe; Also, Barbara Wilhite of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs.

Willie Welch of Maple. Guests enjoyed visiting and reminiscing and were served refreshments of wedding cake, punch and snacks.



Married 70 Years

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Osborne, residents at Farwell Convalescent Center, will observe their 70th wedding anniversary Christmas Eve. They were married in 1908 in Canyon. A special memento of the occasion for the couple will be a telegram of congratulations from President Carter. They will also be mentioned in the Paul Harvey commentary. Osborne, 96, was born Dec. 1, 1882 in Johnson City, Tex. Mrs. Osborne, 89, was born June 16, 1889 in Flagstaff, Ariz. They moved to Ft. Sumner, N.M., in 1911 where they lived until recently.



Wedding Reminder

Pamela Sue Erwin and Richard Cornelison will exchange wedding vows Saturday, Dec. 30, at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Farwell. All friends and relatives are invited.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Mildred Erwin of Farwell and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Cornelison of Odessa.

Weldon Danes Have Early Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dane of Texico celebrated an "early Christmas" Sunday with his children and their families. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Race and children of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClure and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Dane and children, all of Canyon; and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Dane of Texico.

They all exchanged gifts and enjoyed a Christmas dinner.

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Scramble For Rebound

Texico Wolverine Tonye Harrington fights for control of the ball in a game during last week's Dora Tournament. Tonye was the leading scorer in the tournament in which the Green and White finished third. (Texico School Photo)

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Texico Varsity - -

Boys Lose Own Invitational; Girls Third In Dora Tourney

Texico Wolverines finished eighth in the boys basketball invitational tournament this weekend, losing to San Jon, 52-41; Dora, 60-50; and Amistad, 54-51.

Logan finished first followed by Ft. Sumner, San Jon, Melrose, Dora, Tatum and Amistad.

The varsity girls finished third in the Dora Invitational tournament. The final game had been postponed until

Monday at which time the Wolverines defeated Dora, 48-30, to garner third place.

Tuesday of last week the varsity girls lost to Clovis JV, 37-36.

In the San Jon game leading scorers were Britt Crooks, 9; Eloy Ortiz and James Hadley, 8 each. Also scoring were Keith Hadley, 6; Jimmy Reid, 5; James Barfield, 3; and Neal Haile, 2. K. Hadley was the leading rebounder with 9.

"We just did not shoot well enough to win," coach Billy Carlyle said. "You cannot give up rebounding and shoot poorly and still expect to win. When we are out-sized we are just going to have to outshoot the other team. San Jon had six players over six feet tall," Carlyle continued.

"You won't outshoot a team like this when your tallest kid is only six feet tall. We are improving steadily though and

I think we will win a lot of games when we get rolling."

Double figure scorers in the Dora game were Ortiz and K. Hadley with 14 each.

Others adding points were Barfield, 8; Reid and Haile, 4 each; and J. Hadley, Crooks and Steve Kittrell, 2 each. K. Hadley led in rebounds with 9.

"We played a good defensive game but we just can't get the ball in the hoop," Carlyle said.

"We're shooting 35 percent from the field and giving up a lot of rebounds. We must improve offensively if we are to win."

High point men in the Amistad game were K. Hadley and Haile, 10 each. Also scoring were Ortiz and Reid, 8 each; Crooks, 6; J. Hadley, 4; Barfield, 3; and Kittrell, 2. K. Hadley again led in rebounds with 9.

"It was a very poor game for us," Carlyle said. We have a lot to work on."

The Wolverines next action will be the Clayton Tournament January 4-6.

Rucker, 6 each; Lori Harrington, 4.

Rebounders were Tonye, 15; and Lisa, 10.

"This was our worst game of the season," coach Roy King said. "We missed lay-ups and free shots. I think most of the girls were tired because this was our fourth game in five nights," he said.

The varsity girls will travel to Grady January 2 and to Tucumcari January 5.

Junior High - -

Texico Cage Teams Play Many Games

The Texico Junior High boys were busy last week winning all six of their basketball games.

Action got underway last Monday when the 7th-9th grade teams traveled to Clovis to take on Gattis Junior High. The 8th team bested Gattis 7A, 50-31; the 9th graders swatted the Gattis 8th team, 50-36; and the 7th graders defeated the Gattis 7B team, 56-38.

The young Wolverines continued their winning ways Tuesday, hosting Marshall Junior High of Clovis and winning all three games. Texico's 7B team clouted Marshall 7B, 35-25; Texico 7A rolled past Marshall, 7A, 56-29; and Texico's 8A team smashed Marshall 8A, 60-53.

The junior high girls were also quite busy, winning five of eight games, and the 9th girls took second in the Clovis Friendship Tournament.

The combined girls 7th-9th team narrowly slipped past the Melrose combined team, 35-32, Monday night of this week.

This past weekend the 9th girls participated in the Clovis Friendship Tournament claiming second place. In the first round they defeated Yucca, 39-35, and in the second game they ran past Marshall, 46-38. However, in the final action of the tournament they lost to Gattis, 33-30.

The 8th grade girls defeated Gattis, 27-16, Monday of last week and lost to Marshall last Tuesday, 24-22. The 9th grade girls lost a close game to Gattis last Monday, 42-37; but clobbered Marshall, 48-12,

Tuesday of last week.

Double figure scorers in the Texico 8th game were Felix Jimenez, 17; and Paul Salguero, 14. Also scoring were Earl Bibbs, 6; Doyle Duncan and Danny Reid, 4 each; Lynn Tubbs, and Jessie Orozco, 2 each.

"Felix made two left-handed layups and he is dominating the right-handed lay-ups as well. He can really shoot the ball," commented coach Cecil Davis.

"Paul played his best game in two years. He made 14 points, rebounded well and was a superior floor general. It was really a physical game, but the referees let the game get out of control," Davis said.

"The second string played the third quarter and part of the fourth, but the first team had to get back into the battle because the Gattis Cubs were trying to close the gap in the fourth quarter. I was proud of our full court man-for-man defense."

The Texico 8th graders are 4-0.

Leading scorers in the Texico 9th game were Tony Tubbs, 13; Mike Arnold, 12; and Jeff Day, 10. Also scoring were Todd Gerles, 8; James Kelley and Kent Harding, 4 each; Willie Bibbs, 3; and Jeff

Dunsworth, 2.

Their record is 4-1.

"The freshmen avenged an

earlier defeat this season by beating the Gattis Cubs 56-36." (Continued on Page 9)

Varsity Boys - -

Coach Carlyle Comments On Wolverine Players

(Editor's Note: Coach Billy Carlyle submitted the following comments about the Texico varsity boys basketball team.)

James Hadley, junior, is a returning letterman this year. We will depend on him for a lot of rebounding. His quickness and jumping ability have really improved.

James Barfield, senior, is a returning letterman. He is very consistent in his performance and we look for him to be a great boost to the team.

Eloy Ortiz, senior, is a returning letterman. He is our best defensive man and present scoring leader.

Keith Hadley, senior, is a returning letterman. His speed on the court and outside shooting ability are really aids to the team. Right now he leads in rebounding.

Jimmy Reid, senior, is a first year varsity player. He had a strong year last year on the junior varsity squad and we look for him to do a lot of rebounding for us.

Neal Haile, junior, is a first year varsity member. He played strong offense last year on the JV team and we look for him to score a lot of points for us this year.

Britt Crooks, junior, is a first year varsity member. He played strong offense last year on the JV team. He had a very high free throw average. We look for him to continue his performance for us this year.

Steve Kittrell, junior, is a first year varsity member. He has improved more than anyone on the team and is still making progress. We look for him to do a lot of good things this year.



Wolverine Cage Action

In last weekend's Texico Invitational Tournament action, Neal Haile (#22) waits for the rebound while Eloy Ortiz (#20) and Steve Kittrell (#30) also wait to assist in the play. The Wolverines met Amistad in their final tournament game. (Texico School Photo)



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Muleshoe Tourney Next - -

Steers, Steerettes Lose In Tournament

The Farwell Steers and Steerettes both lost in the Friona Tournament last weekend. The Steerettes were defeated by Canyon JV, 36-34, and they lost to the host team, 59-41.

The Steers defeated Brownfield, 81-72; but lost the next two games to Friona and Vega, 53-47, and 60-47.

Making points in the Steerettes game with the Canyon JV were Paula Christian, 10;

Jana Berry, 6; Lisa McClenney, April Coffman, and Sharmy Christian, 4 each; Lisa Hughes and Karyn Blain, 3 each.

In the Friona game the varsity girls who scored were April 10; Sharmy, 8; Yolanda Martin, Paula, and Jana, 4 each; Lisa M., 3; Lisa H., Karyn and Kim, 2 each.

Steers scoring in the Brownfield game were Mark Owen,

26; Rowdy Chandler, 14; Kayle Watts, 12; D.D. Foster, 11; Radney Robertson and James Castleberry, 8 each; and Robin Roberts, 2.

Steers making points in the Friona game were Watts and Randy Geries, 10 each; Chandler and Owen, 8 each; Castleberry and Foster, 4 each; and Robertson, 3.

In the Vega game Steers scoring points were Owen, 15; Watts, 12; Chandler, 8; Geries,

4; Foster, Robertson and Max Lonsdale, 2 each.

"We played and hustled well but we shot too poorly to win," coach Mike Martin said.

The Steers and Steerettes will participate in the Muleshoe Tournament Dec. 28-30. Next action for the varsity and JV teams is slated for January 2 when they host Friona, and January 5 when they travel to Olton.

First Team - -

Owen Named To All-District

Farwell Steer Mark Owen was recently named first team All-District punter, sharing the honors with Cary of Bovina.

This fact was not made sufficiently clear in the December 8 issue of the Tribune which named the District 3-A honorees. The story should have read "four Steers awarded first team All-District honors" instead of listing only three.

Owen was also given honorable mention as defensive back.

Jr. High Teams Split Games With Bovina

Farwell Junior High roundballers split games with Bovina Monday of this week at Bovina. The 7th Yearlings defeated their opponents, 21-20, but the 8th Yearlings lost 33-15. The 7th girls won, 24-16, and the 8th girls lost, 34-17.

Those scoring in the 7th Yearlings game were Alan Eubank, 9; Raymond Sierra, 6; Manuel Cantu, 4; and Todd Christian, 2.

Making points for the 8th Yearlings were Frank Cantu, 7; Elcio Silva, 6; and Wade Kent, 2.

Scoring for the 7th girls were Lezlie Castleberry, 14; Suzahn Inman, 6; and Cassie Chavers, 4.

Making points for the 8th girls were Jennifer Williams, 7; Sandra Haight, 6; Sandra Coates and Kelly Davis, 2 each.

Next games for junior high teams are slated for January 4 and January 8 when they host Springlake-Earth and Hart.



Happy Holiday!

May your holidays be blessed with dreams fulfilled and hopes renewed.

Rip's Western Wear

Texico

Farwell JV Girls Win Second In Tournament

Farwell's Junior Varsity boys and girls teams played in a tournament at Springlake-Earth last weekend with the girls coming out in second place and the boys going down in defeat in a close game with Springlake in the second round.

In an early morning game on Thursday the JV girls edged Happy 19-17. The JV boys also beat the Happy team 35-31 in Thursday action.

On Friday morning the girls defeated Springlake-Earth 30-20, but the boys team lost a squeaker 24-23 to the host team.

Later that same day the girls defeated Bovina 38-37 in a tough fought overtime bat-

tle. In the finals on Saturday night the girls lost 25-24 to Littlefield to take second place in the tournament.

The JV girls might well be dubbed "the cardiac kids," since of six games they played last week, four of them were decided by one or two points.

Girls scoring in the game with Happy were Janene Berry, 7; Ginger Ellison and Lari Curtis, 4 each; Karen Magness and Tracy Williams, 2 each.

In the game with Springlake-Earth the scoring went as follows: Ginger, 11; Robin Vinton, 9; Karen, 6; and Janene, 4.

Ginger and Janene each

made 11 points in the Bovina game, followed by Karen, 7; Robin, 6; Tracy, 2; and Lari, 1. In the Littlefield game the scorers were Janene, 9; Ginger, 5; Karen, 4; Robin, 3; Lari, 2; and Janie Cantu, 1.

Of the Bovina game, Coach Bill Phillips said, "It was a super effort by all the girls, especially considering it was their second game of the day. Rebounding and ball handling were our strong points and our free throw shooting was excellent." Tracy Williams shot two pressure free throws to win the game with only five seconds on the clock.

Following the Littlefield game Coach Phillips said, "It

was a tough loss for us, but the girls never quit. They worked hard during the tournament and I am extremely proud of all the girls."

Making points for the JV boys in the Happy game were Craig Kaltwasser, 17; Boyd White and Richard Carpenter, 6 each; Richard May, 4; and Byron Mayfield, 2.

Those scoring in the Springlake-Earth game were White, 8; Kaltwasser, 7; May, 6; and Carpenter, 2.

The JV teams will play again January 2 when they host the JV teams from Friona.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa, I would like a Play-Doh Barber Shop, a Dancerella doll, a milking cow, and an anteater. I will leave you a snack.

Thank you, Amanda Curtis

Dear Santa Claus, My name is Sherri and my little sisters name is Christi. I am 10 years old, and my sister is 5. I want a camra for Christmas and I also want a New T.V. for my room. My

sister wants a baby Wet 'n care and a Baby Alive. I might be at our grandmas house at Christmas

Love, Sherri and Christi Curtis

P.S. We will leave you cookies and milk.

Dear Santa Claus, My name is Jason, I am nine years old. If you can, please bring me a chutes away, football, and Mr. Quarterback.

Please don't forget my little sister, Monica Jean, she is four years old. She wants a Pianosaur, a Barbie Doll, and a doll buggy.

Thank you, Jason & Monica Turner

Dear Santa we live in Texas. and do you know what I want for christmas. I want a star wars x-wing fighter for christmas and a chutes Away for christmas. And I want a Luke Skiwalker akshon fegyer.

sisitre And my sister want a hospital for christmas and she want a charle angels Dolls and a baby-Boys for christmas. Brother And my brother want a little farm house for christmas and a little bench tools. I hope you have a happy christmas.

Bye Bye Santa Erik, Heather and Ivan Burton

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Sports

By Shirley Gorman

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa, Would you please bring Bea and me a play sink and refrigerator, and maybe a couple of other toys. Please bring Bea some kind of doll. Thank you.

Love, Amy & Bea Foster

Dear Santa, I've been a good boy this year, well, almost a good boy. Santa, I love you, and Santa, I love toys. I love all the things you bring me. I would love to have a saddle and a watch. I would like to have some surprises. And Santa, I love all your elves.

Love, Joe

P.S. DeDaddy was a good boy!

Dear Santa, I want a Sindy Doll and her house and clothes. I also want a high chair for my baby. I have been a good girl.

Love, Amy Chadwick

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Convalescent Center Chit Chat

As Reported by the Center Staff

The December birthday party was held Friday. Celebrating their birthdays were J.A. Osborne, 96; Myrtle Latham, 89; and Edna Martin, 92.

Two Farwell Young Homemakers - Sheree Montgomery and Marilyn Rains - brought two cakes in the shape of Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus, decorated in traditional red and white.

"The cakes were so lovely that the residents almost wouldn't let us cut them," Floe Copeland, assistant administrator, said.

Strawberry punch and ice cream completed the refreshments. Music was provided by Jerry Canada, Clovis, guitar; Leroy Kilmer, fiddle; and his daughter, Melba, piano; both of Melrose.

A picture slide presentation of the Halloween party was also shown. "Everyone enjoyed seeing themselves and

trying to figure out who the spooks were," Mrs. Copeland said.

Special thanks to Alvenia Cox for helping with the party, she said.

Willie Shield's daughter-in-law, Beatrice Shields of Portales, made Christmas bells - red, green, and silver - from medicine cups to be used to decorate the Center.

"As has been the custom during the past three years your response to the stocking stuffer project has been tremendous," reports Mrs. Copeland. "We have enough stuffers to put several items in each resident's stocking. Many thanks to all the people in the community who donated these items so that our residents may have a truly Merry Christmas."

Two of the residents will have a nice Christmas thanks to the people of the Panhandle and the Empty Stocking Fund which is based in Amarillo.

The Dickinson family donated a large basket of fresh fruit to the staff of the Convalescent Center.

Residents had a good time Monday afternoon making little packages of candy to go in each resident's stocking. Helping with the project was Linda Winegeart, activity director.

Everyone is excited about the Christmas Party to be held this Thursday at 6 p.m. Much to the residents' enjoyment several carolers have visited the Center. A Clovis flower shop donated a poinsettia for everyone to enjoy.

The first through third grade Sunday School classes of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church and teacher Sudie Foster brought handmade vases covered with colorful material and filled with artificial flowers for all the bedfast residents.

New admissions are Gladys Wingo of Farwell, Dora Ema Simmons of Clovis, and Edith Wilmes of Portales.

Michael Murdick of Ft. Worth visited Annie Callahan. Visiting Dick and Annie Dunn were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Duey of Ft. Sumner; Herbert McClure of Albuquerque, and Margaret Cook of Ft. Sumner. Byron Shields of Portales visited his mother, Willie Shields.

Visiting Harold Mardis were his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Mardis. He is also Ruth Myer's grandson.

Wanda Kittrell of Muleshoe visited her daughter, Thelma Kittrell.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Osborne were Mrs. Hubert McClure of Albuquerque. Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Cure of Olton visited her father, Mr. Walton. Visiting Nina Dickinson were her sons Grover and Clyde of Tucumcari and her daughter, Allene West of Hereford.

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL FROM EVERYONE AT THE FARWELL CONVALESCENT CENTER.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa
I want a Luminos and a viper and cylon. space fighter
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Ryan Spearman

Dear Santa,
I want a Star Wars Book
I wanta Star Trek.

Louie Judah

Dear Santa,
I want a Marzon and a typewriter. I want a toy kitchen, too. I even want 100 crayolas. I even want my own toy house. I've been a good girl.

Love,
Shannon Smith

Legal Notice

NO. 4434

TO: ANY SHERIFF OR CONSTABLE WITHIN THE STATE OF TEXAS:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return date thereof, in a newspaper published in Parmer County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the following is a true copy:

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS §

To George G. Wright, the unknown heirs of George G. Wright, Mrs. George G. Wright (whose christian name is unknown), the unknown heirs of Mrs. George G. Wright, Phillip Moore, the unknown heirs of Phillip Moore, the unknown wife and/or wives, if any, of Phillip Moore, the unknown heirs of the unknown wife and/or wives of Phillip Moore, John Moore, the unknown heirs of John Moore, the unknown wife and/or wives, if any, of John Moore, and the unknown heirs of the unknown wife and/or wives, if any, of John Moore, defendants in the cause numbered and styled hereunder.

You are hereby commanded to appear before the honorable District Court, 154th Judicial District of Parmer County, Texas, at the courthouse in Farwell, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from December 12th, 1978, the date of issuance of this citation, such date being the 29th day of January, 1979, by filing a written answer to Plaintiffs' petition that was filed in said Court on December 12th, 1978, numbered 4434, on the docket of said Court, and styled El Roy Wilson and wife, Faye E. Wilson, v. George G. Wright, et al; Phillip Moore, et al; and John Moore, et al, defendants.

The nature of this suit, briefly stated is one of trespass to try title, in which Plaintiffs, for cause of action would respectfully show the Court:

1. That on or about the 1st day of November, 1978, El Roy Wilson and wife, Faye E. Wilson, were lawfully in fee simple, seized and possessed of realty situated in the town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and legally described as Lots Three (3) and Four (4) in Block Forty-Five (45), in the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by plat of said Town of Friona, recorded in the Deed Records of the County of Parmer, Texas, in Vol. Five (5), page 241 et seq., together with all and singular the rights, hereditaments and appurtenances to said premises belonging or any wise incident and appurtenant thereto; are entitled to possession of said realty, which said realty contains less than 160 acres of land, and being the same land described in Deed

from George G. Wright to Phillip Moore and John Moore, dated January 15, 1907, along with other lands therein described, and recorded in Vol. 6, page 64, of the Parmer County Deed Records; also the same property described in Deed from Pearl Kinsley, individually and surviving wife of R.H. Kinsley, deceased, to Edgar Boggess, dated January 3, 1948, and recorded in Vol. 66, at page 600 et seq. of said Deed Records; and also the same property described in Deed from Edgar Boggess and wife, Bessie Boggess to El Roy Wilson, dated December 18, 1952, and recorded in Vol. 76, page 171 et seq. of the Parmer County Deed Records; and

2. That Defendants unlawfully entered on said premises and ejected Plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from them the possession thereof. Plaintiffs pray for judgment for title and possession of said land and for other and further relief to which they are entitled, as is more fully shown by Plaintiffs' petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve it and make due return thereof according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof. Issued under my hand and seal of said Court at Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, on the 12th day of December, A.D., 1978.

SEAL

DOROTHY QUICKEL, Clerk of the District Court, 154th Judicial District of Parmer County, Texas.

Published in State Line Tribune Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1978 and Jan. 5, 1979.

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: S.H. WITHERS, and wife, NELLIE WITHERS, W.O. HARRIS, and wife, M.L. HARRIS, J.R. BOYLE, R.H. YOUNG and E.H. ROBINSON, the unknown husband or husbands, and the unknown wife or wives of each of said parties, all of whose present whereabouts and place of residence are unknown, and if deceased, then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives all of whom are unknown, and whose places of residence are unknown, and all unknown claimants whose places of residence and whereabouts are unknown. Defendants, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the

issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 22nd day of January, 1979, at or before ten o'clock a.m. before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Farwell, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 7th day of December, 1978, in this cause, numbered 4429 on the docket of said court, and styled:

PAUL HOWARD, Plaintiff VS. S.H. WITHERS, ET AL, Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows:

Paul Howard is Plaintiff, and S.H. Withers, and wife, Nellie Withers, W.O. Harris, and wife, M.L. Harris, J.R. Boyle, R.H. Young and E.H. Robinson, the unknown husband or husbands, and the unknown wife or wives of each of said parties, all of whose present whereabouts and place of residence are unknown, and if deceased, then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown, and whose places of residence are unknown, and all unknown claimants, are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff is suing in trespass to try title to recover title to and possession of:

All of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block 1, and all of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, of Block 2, and all of Lots 1, 2, 3 and the East 12.5 feet of Lot 4, Block 3, of the Robinson Addition to the Town of Farwell, Texas, being a part of Garden Lots 13, 14 and 44, of Section 31, Township 9 South, Range 1 East, of a Capitol Syndicate Subdivision, of Parmer County, Texas.

In the alternative Plaintiff pleads and invokes the 5- and 10-year statutes of limitations as same apply to land titles in the State of Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officers executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1978.

SEAL

ATTEST:

Dorothy Quickel Clerk, District Court, Parmer County, Texas

By Dorothy Lovelace Deputy

Published in State Line Tribune Dec. 22, 29, 1978, Jan. 5, 12, 1979.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Farwell Independent School Dist. will receive sealed bids for the re-roofing of 3 school buildings. Specifications may be picked up at the Superintendent's office by contacting James Craig Adams, Assit.

Bids will be opened Jan. 15, 1979 at 8:30 P.M. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Published in the State Line Tribune Dec. 22, Dec. 28, 1978, and Jan. 5, Jan. 12, 1979.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,
I am four years old and have tried to be good this year. Please bring me a Baby Wet 'n Care, cash register and a Fisher-Price Garage. My baby sister Holly is 18 months old and would like a Snuggles doll and a wagon. We will leave some milk and cookies by the tree.

I love you,
Becky Donaldson



Christmas Handwork

Nora Edens, resident at Farwell Convalescent Center, never seems to have an idle moment as she is always busy making something for someone. The Christmas holiday certainly has been no exception. Mrs. Edens is pictured with a wreath, Santa Claus head and patchwork dog which are among the many things she has made this holiday.

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Farwell Fifth Graders Give Christmas Play



Present Christmas Play

These five students were among the fifth graders at Farwell Elementary who presented a Christmas play, "The Adventures of Nicholas," Wednesday. The leading characters were, from left, Clarissa Hobbs, Mrs. Vogel; Kevin Hogan; Otto; Allan Spence, Captain Vogel; Victor Haden, Nicholas; and Jesse Anzaldua, Squire. The play was written by Helen Siteri.

SWCD News

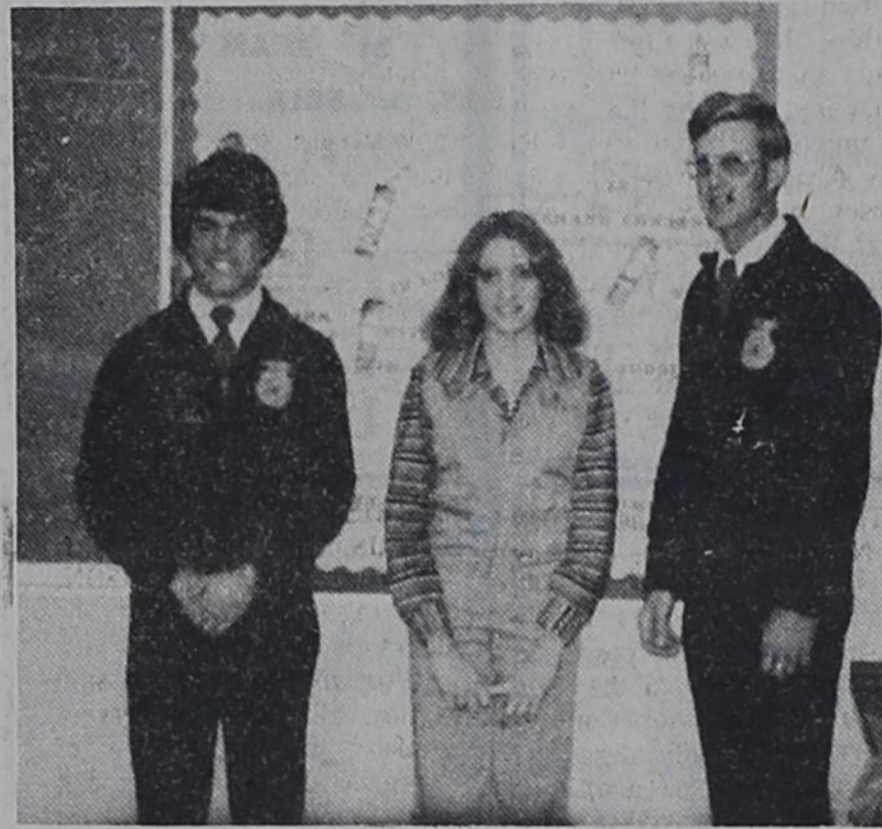
It is estimated that a well planned, established windbreak can save up to 30 percent in heating and cooling costs. Two or three rows of trees not only protect the farmstead from high winds, they also improve the beauty, privacy, and overall quality of life within their boundaries.

Again this year the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District is sponsoring a windbreak tree planting program. To participate in the program, the owner must have at least two acres of rural land and agree not to use the trees for ornamental or landscaping purposes. These trees cannot be resold as living

trees.

When ordered through conservation district the cost is surprisingly low. The cost for potted trees is \$13 for 30 trees, a \$18 for 100 barerooted trees. Although they are a little higher in price the potted trees are more generally recommended since they do not require a nursery type environment the first year as the bare rooted trees do.

Although the trees will not be delivered until the first week in April you should place your order no later than Feb. 1 to insure delivery. To place your order or for more information contact your local Soil Conservation Service in Friona.



Visit FFA

Pam Southard, president of Texico Future Farmers of America Chapter, recently greeted two FFA representatives of District IV: Jamie Widner of Melrose, left, district president and state first vice-president, and Rex Wilson of Carrizzo, state president. Pam also serves as secretary of District IV. Wilson and Widner were in Texico to visit the local chapter. (Texico School Photo)

Farwell fifth graders Wednesday presented a Christmas play, "The Adventures of Nicholas," by Helen Siteri for the elementary school.

Nicholas was a little boy who loved to carve toys for children at Christmas time. After he died children continued to hang their stockings and they were always filled at Christmas.

Narrators were Renee Bartley, DeAnn Curtis and Sheri Thigpen.

Other members of the cast included Victor Haden, Nicholas; Allan Spence, Captain Vogel; Clarissa Hobbs, Mrs. Vogel; Kevin Hogan, Otto; Twila Donaldson, Margaret; Sheryl Stanton, Gretchen; Jesse Anzaldua, Squire; Andy Hughes, Bertran Marsden;

Also, Gracie Ortega, Widow Aspen; Steven Jaime, Eric; Elva Whitesides, Eric's mother; Blake Kelley, Peter; Jeannette Chavers, Holly; Al-

ma Nicholas, Holly's mother; Brent Stephens and Kevin Owen, villagers.

Prop boys were Bobby Ford, Kendall Coates and Jeffrey McClenney. Announcers were Mark Cox and Cindy Simmons.

The scenery was painted by the fifth grade art classes and Mike Barker; Carlos Nicholas, Manuela Terrazas, Mark Cox, Allan Spence and Clarissa Hobbs.

Texico Junior High Cage Results

(Continued from Page 6)

Davis said. Gattis played without the services of Darryl Chavez their star center who made 24 points in the first game against us.

Offensive leaders were Tony, Mike, Jeff and Todd. Players who executed a sound hustling type defense were Jeff, Mike, Todd and Kent. Jeff rebounded with power and determination," Davis said.

"This is the first time the freshmen have beaten the Gattis 8th graders. It is tough to beat Gattis in their own gym but the young Wolverines wanted to win. We knew we had to hustle and play smart to win so everyone played their best," he said.

Leading scorers in the Texico 7th game were Gilbert Sadoval and Ronnie Landis, 19 each; and Kevin West, 10. Also scoring were Dennis Chavez, 4; and Ronnie Dunswoth and Joe Stewart, 2 each. Their record is 4-0.

"Gilbert and Ronnie were good offensive players," Davis said. "Kevin got into early foul trouble and this cut down on his point output. This was the best game that Ronnie has turned in this year. He dominated both backboards with his height, strength and jumping ability," Davis said.

"The full court press was effective at times, but it presented them the opportunity to make a lot of lay-ups. Both teams committed 20 fouls each," Davis said.

Those scoring in the Texico 7B game were Gilbert Sadoval, 16; Dennis Chavez, 10; and Joe Stewart, 9.

"Dennis, Joe and Gilbert made all of the points but Rodney Dickerson and Jeff Johnson played outstanding defensive games," Davis said. "I was really happy with the outcome and I was pleased with their third quarter performance. This is the first game for this team and they are now 1-0.

"It was a nip-and-tuck game until we started to pull away in the third and fourth quarters. It is good to win, but it is really important that these boys get to play the full game as playing time will develop these young athletes faster than anything else."

Making points in the Texico 7A game were Ronnie Landis, 23; Kevin West, 16; Ronnie Dunswoth, 7; Gilbert Sando-

val, 5; Joe Stewart, 3; and Dennis Chavez, 2.

"Ronnie and Kevin were the dominant figures throughout the game on offense, defense and rebounding," Davis said. "The free throw shooting was outstanding. The 66% percent was to be applauded; Kevin made 8 of 11 for 72% percent and Gilbert hit five of 6 for 83% percent.

"The 7th graders are learning a lot of basketball by playing a full court man-for-man press. The pressure they keep on the opponents usually gets to them by the fourth quarter," he said.

"Dale Autrey, Jeff Holland and Wade Hicks played their best games of the year. This is really a strong team. If they continue to improve they will have a good chance to win the Portales Tournament. They are 5-0," Davis said.

Making points in the Texico 8A game were Paul Salguero, 15; Earl Bibbs, 14; Felix Jiminez, and Tony Cavallero, 10; Doyle Duncan, 8; Lynn Tubbs, 3.

"Sixty points is a lot of points for an 8th grade team to make, but giving up 53 points is a signal for the coach to work harder on defense," Davis said. "It might be said that it is easier and more fun to learn to shoot and score than it is to roll up your sleeves and to determine not to let your opponent score."

Making points in the combined girls 7th-9th teams were Tracy Dobbs, 17; Tammy Landis, 6; Jo Hill, 5; Jill Jesko, 4; Lisa Crooks, 2; and Sharlet Taylor, 1.

"We played just good enough to win," coach Roy King said. "We were still hurting without the services of Ruth Scott who was ill. We won the game on the free throw line. Some of the girls are outstanding free throw shooters," he said. The freshman record is 7-3.

Scoring points in the 9th girls game with Yucca were Ruth Scott, 22; Lisa Crooks, 6; Tracy Dobbs, 4; Jo Beth Hill, 3; and Tammy Landis and Jill Jesko, 2 each.

"Ruth played an outstanding game," King said. "This was a big victory for us because we had never beaten Yucca before."

In the Marshall game the 9th grade girls making points

were Ruth, 22; Tammy, 8; Jo and Jill, 6 each; and Lisa 4.

"Ruth played her second straight game with 22 points and 18 rebounds," King said. "We got into foul trouble early in the first quarter when four starters got three fouls each. At the end of the game we were just letting them shoot so we would have enough to finish the game," King said.

Tracy missed the final tournament game with an ankle injury.

Scoring in the Gattis championship game were 9th graders Tammy, 10; Jo and Tracy, 8 each; and Jill, 4. Ruth Scott who made 44 points in two games did not play.

"We put up a good fight," King said. "I think we showed everyone that we could play a good ball game without Ruth. There is no doubt in my mind that we would have won with a whole team healthy," King said.

Making points in the 8th girls game with Gattis December 11 were Tammy Landis, 18; Pam Hoyle, 7; and Valda Cavallero, 2.

"Tammy played her best game of the year," King said. "We lost to Gattis the first ball game, 10-9, then reversed the decision Monday night (Dec. 11). We have improved a lot since the first game," he continued.

Eighth girls making points in the Dec. 12 game with Marshall were Pam, 11; Tammy, 9; and Valda, 2.

Those scoring in the 9th girls game with Gattis, Dec. 11 were Ruth, 13; Tracy, 11; Jill, 6; Jo, 4; Lisa, 3.

Making points in the 9th girls game with Marshall, Dec. 12 were Tracy, 16; Ruth, 12; Lisa, 8; Jo, 6; Jill, 4; and Esther Esparza, 2.

"We completely dominated the game," King said. "Tracy played a good game."

The Texico 7th, 8th and 9th grade boys teams will see their next action January 6 when they travel to Bovina. The 7th and 8th girls will travel to Grady January 2. The 8th and 9th girls will host Bovina January 6.

Texico's This, That And The Other

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Christmas parties have been an important part of the Texico Schools' social life in this last two weeks prior to the Christmas holidays. Each elementary class had classroom parties on Wednesday just before school was dismissed for the holidays.

On Monday night, the FHA and FFA had a joint Christmas party in the school cafeteria. FHA members went caroling before the party began, and then joined the FFA members at the school to play games, exchange gifts, and have refreshments. Faculty and staff members had their annual party at a Clovis restaurant on Tuesday evening. The party is sponsored by the Texico Education Association.

The elementary teachers' gift to the elementary students was a private showing of the movie, "The Apple Dumpling Gang," on Wednesday morning. Students in the junior high and high school had either two extra days off for the holidays if they were fortunate enough to be exempt from semester tests or they were presented with semester tests in lieu of a "gift."

Sixth graders will be starting a world geography unit in January. They have recently completed a unit of study about the United States.

Many of the elementary classes made Christmas decorations from a salt and flour mixture for their classroom trees. They have also made presents.

Members of the sixth grade class are selling Texico stadium cushions for \$3.50. All proceeds from the sales will go into a band fund for a trip to Six Flags in 1980.

Mrs. Jerry Tharp won the painting sponsored by the sixth grade class in a drawing at the band concert Sunday. The painting was donated to the class by Linda McCormick, and all proceeds will go into the Gary Cain Hospital Trust Fund.

The Texico Junior Class has reduced the price of their candy to \$1 per box in order to complete their sales in a shorter period of time.

Junior Class parents postponed the drawing for the handmade patchwork quilt until January 12 at the Homecoming game. Tickets may be purchased until that

Renovation and remodeling projects have recently been completed on the school offices and gymnasium. A brick windbreak was constructed for the main gym entrance. In the high school building, an additional office was constructed to be utilized for school record storage. Also scheduled in remodeling plans will be new carpet for the elementary and junior high libraries.

Cheery best wishes for a warm and happy holiday.

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COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending December 6, 1978 in County Clerk office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

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WD - John P.A. Drager - Hollis Horton, Jr. - Sec. 14, Blk. A, Rhea Bro.

WD - K.R. McClaran - Terry A. Lusk - E 20 ft. lot 16 & lots 17, 18, 19, 20, Blk. 76 Bovina.

WD - Donald W. Gatlin - Everett Louis Gee - lots 9, 10, Blk. 71, Friona.

WD - Jesse D. Spencer, Jr. - Donna Testerman - lot 13 & E 20' lot 14, Blk. 2, Ridgeview Add. Friona.

WD - Tom Bonds - Elliott Petroleum Co. - lots 15, 16, 17, Blk. 3, Gardner's Sub. Bovina.

WD - Elliott Petroleum Co. - Bovina Wheat Growers - lots 12 thru 17, Blk. 3 Gardner's Sub. - lots off W/side lot 1e, Blk. 1, Mansfield all in Bovina.

WD - E.M. Jack - Friona Industries, Inc. - lots 1 & 2 & 3, Blk. 5 McMillen & Fergus, Friona.

WD - E.G. Phipps - Robin Baize - lots 9 thru 12, Blk. 34 Friona.

WD - E.G. Phipps - Veterans Land Board - NE 1/4 Sec. 16, T14S; R4E.

OGL - Leta Rutland, et al - J.D. Cobb - NW 1/4 Sec. 34, Blk. Z, Johnson.

WD - Frio Development Co. Inc. - Jon Mack Roden - W 30 ft. lot 17, Blk. 3, Western Add. Friona.

WD - C. Glenn Floyd - Toribio Monarrez - lots 1 & 2, Blk. 42, Friona.

WD - L.L. Deaton - Friona Industries, Inc. - lots 1, 2, & 3, Blk. 5, McMillen & Fergus, Friona.

WD - C.W. Stallings - Nathalie E. Stallings - Pt. lots 1 thru 5, Blk. 75, Bovina.

WD - Clara Malouf - Pira Brent, Tr. - Sec. 5, T11S; R3E.

WD - C.R. Elliott - Nicolas Ocampos - lot 6, Blk. 14, Bovina.

WD - Nellie White - Jack W. White - lot 2, Blk. 2, Hicks Friona.

Around The Twin Cities

Farwell City Council will meet next Wednesday, Dec. 27, at 4 p.m. in the City Hall.

District Cases Heard This Week

Two cases were handled in district court this week by Judge Pat Boone, Jr.

Willie Braillif, Jr., pleaded guilty to criminal mischief and was sentenced to four years probation.

Michael Madden pleaded guilty to theft and was sentenced to five years probation.

SHERIFF'S REPORT

Parmer County Sheriff Charles Lovelace reports that vandals shot up a mail box belonging to J.C. Redwine who lives eight miles southeast of Bovina.

A battery was taken from a well motor on the Charles Myers place near Friona. A tool box was reported stolen from a tractor in the field on the E.G. Phipps place north of Friona, Lovelace said.

Vandals also used three different guns to shoot out the security light on the Friona ag. barn, he said.

Ben Mesman, six miles east of Farwell, reports that one of his Holstein calves is missing, Lovelace said.

Burglars broke into the Friona Wheat Growers building, breaking the glass in a side door to gain entry. Approximately \$15 was taken from the candy box and the safe was rolled away on a dolly, Lovelace said. In addition to important papers, Lovelace said the safe also contained \$300 in cash in an envelope.

Lovelace said the building was ransacked during the break-in.

Farwell City Marshal's Report

Farwell City Marshal Ronnie Mitchell reports that he answered a call to a disturbance at Allsup's store at 2:30 a.m. Tuesday, but no one was arrested.

He also reported that Alfred Rubio of Friona received three years probation in district court Monday for possession of marijuana under two ounces. Mitchell said he arrested Rubio along with a juvenile last July 22.

FIRE CALLS

The Texico and the Farwell Volunteer Fire Departments reported several fire calls since the last report.

On December 15 Texico was called to a grass fire located three-fourths of a mile north of Texico. That same day they fought a house fire southwest of Stuckey's. The fire trucks were called back to the house on December 16. Units from Farwell also answered the house fire call on the 15th.

On December 17 Farwell answered a call to a grass fire behind Pay 'N Save. They fought another grass fire Monday on Second Street. Tuesday they were called to a grass fire behind the skating rink and later that day they made two runs to the Lariat Gin fire. At the gin a burr pile had caught fire. A few cotton trailers were damaged slightly. The burr pile fire was contained and allowed to burn itself out.

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D.E. Hammit, Jr.
Water Superintendent
City of Farwell

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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Assembly Of God

Rev. A.W. Harris
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6:30 p.m.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

Fr. Gino Correa, OFM
Confession - Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass - 10 a.m.
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Thomas J. Spikes - Pastor
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Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Evening Services - 6:30 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church

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United Pentecostal Church

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Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.

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Harvey Whittenburg - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
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Moody Smith - Pastor
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West Camp Baptist Church

Lewis Johnson - Pastor
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Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church

Herman J. Scheiter - Pastor
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TWO MINUTES WITH THE BIBLE

BY CORNELIUS R. STAM, PRES.
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PEACE ON EARTH?

When Christ was born of Mary, the angels praised God and sang: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men" (Luke 2:14).

This glad carol of the angels seems farther from the truth today than it ever was, and as a result many have become cynical and have concluded that the Bible is not true, that the angel's song was but a pleasant, hopeful thought. Those who feel this way don't know their Bibles very well, though, or they would know why we have such unrest today, instead of peace.


Our Lord was indeed the long-promised King, through whom His people and the whole world were to enjoy peace and true prosperity. John the Baptist appeared as the King's herald. The twelve apostles went forth "preaching the gospel of the kingdom" (Matt. 4:23). The four Gospel records are filled with proofs and demonstrations of Christ's royal rights. But the King was rejected, as God has prophesied He would be at His first advent (1 Pet. 1:11). Over His cross Pilate placed a sign, saying: "This is Jesus, the King of the Jews."

Today, then, the King is a royal Exile from the world over which He should be reigning.

Is it strange, then, that we do not yet enjoy peace on earth? The second Psalm describes the folly of the nations and their rulers in ignoring this basic fact and predicting that God will laugh, as it were, at their derision as they seek to run the world without His Son.

Thank God, this period of Christ's rejection is also a wonderful period of grace. When sin had risen to its height, God saved Saul of Tarsus, the leader of the world's rebellion against Christ, and sent him forth to proclaim "the gospel of the grace of God" (Acts 20:24), the good news that "Christ died for our sins," and that any sinner may be reconciled to God by faith in Christ. This is why the Bible calls the divine administration under which we are living "the dispensation of the grace of God" (Eph. 3:2). So, while "peace on earth" awaits a future day, we may now have "peace with God, through our Lord Jesus Christ" (Rom. 5:1).


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Clovis Resident's Hobby Records History In Wood

by Celia Johnson
Texico Journalism Student

Calvin Mason is a Panhandle boy who discovered that his love for woodworking went beyond making gun racks and toys for his two sons.

Mason was born in Clovis, grew up on a farm near Lazbuddie, and graduated from high school in Muleshoe. He now lives in Clovis. He attended San Angelo College and West Texas State University. He is one of few artists in this part of the country adept at the art called Intarsia, or wood inlay.

The history of laying wood into furniture dates back 3,500 years. More recently in the Thirteenth Century in Italy, this art form was called Intarsia. From this, Mason has developed the art into what he calls Pictorial Intarsia (Artistry in Wood).

He is a self-taught artist and uses tools he made himself. He uses an electric hot knife and various other kinds of knives.

Mason begins each picture with a pencil sketch from which he derives his inlay design. He then takes thin sheets of wood, cuts it into shapes, and fits all the pieces together to form the picture. He uses the French Polish technique to varnish the picture and finishes by putting it in a frame he has designed and made out of wood he has obtained from old barns or houses.

He gets the ideas for his designs from taking pictures of family travels. The Masons take a lot of little back roads when they travel. Most of his snapshots are from the Texas-New Mexico area.

Mason's unique hobby began when he came upon an inlaid picture from Europe. He researched, got books, and tried it his own way.

The wood for his designs comes from importers in New York City, San Antonio, and Houston. The wood comes from all over the world - Mexico, Brazil, the Admana Islands, and the East Indies.

The different colors, grains and shadings are what makes this art unique. Mason said he lets the wood do most of the work.

His subjects range from wooden windmills, decaying barns, desert scenes, chopping blocks, Indians in full head-dress, and other subjects typical of the Southwest. Since no two pieces of wood are ever alike, the pictures cannot be duplicated. Each picture is not only original, but it is also unique.

Mason works from 35 to 65 hours on each picture.

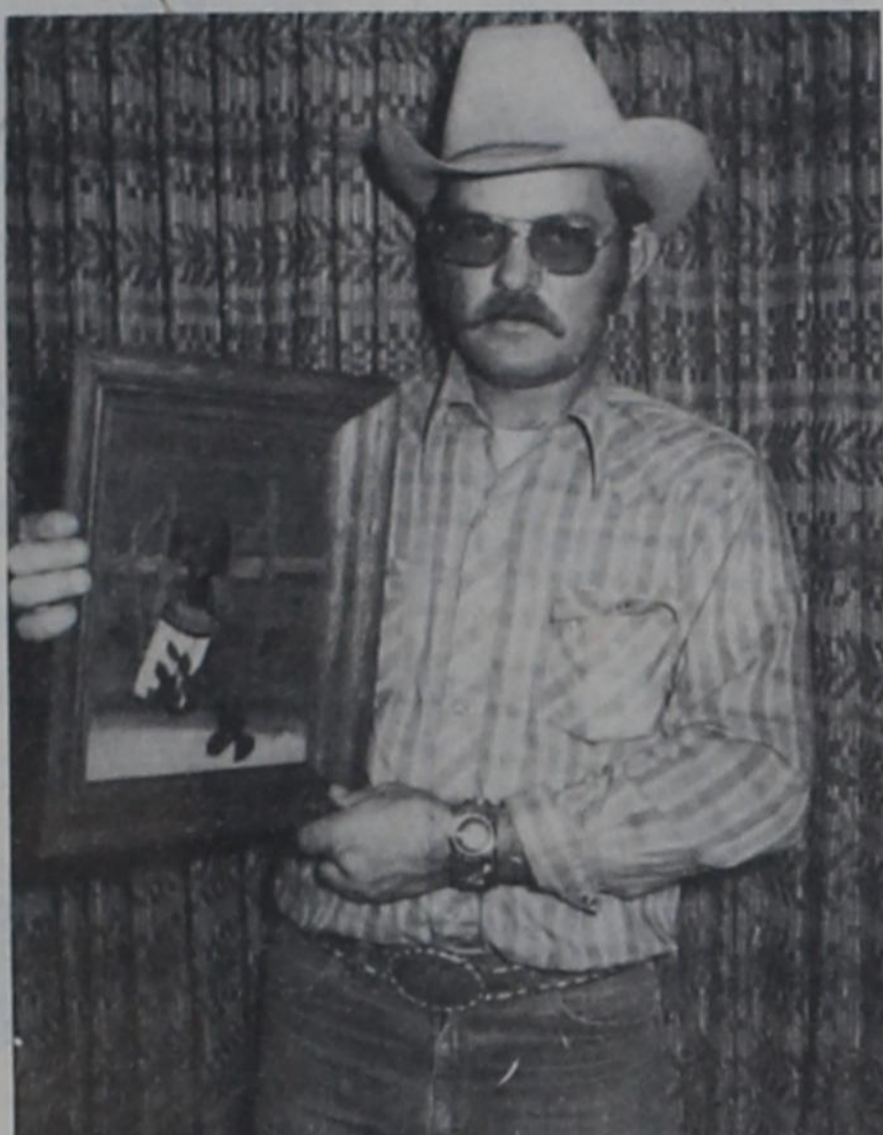
There are many times when Mason will sit up all night working on a picture. His wife,

Donna, will watch him and keep him going. He does his work at home.

Mason says in the last four years Donna, and his two sons, Shannon and Grady, have become his art critics. They have watched him make around 100 pictures. He hopes that one of his two sons will take up his work when he gets older.

He now works at Worley Mills as superintendent, but someday hopes to spend full time on his art.

Mason says, "Art is a luxury. When the economy is good, artwork sells; but when the economy is tight, art is not a necessity."



Artistry In Wood

Calvin Mason of Clovis has an interesting hobby, the preservation of history through wood. He has developed his art, which he calls Pictorial Intarsia, from the ancient art form called Intarsia which dates back 3,500 years. Mason is an entirely self-taught artist, and his work is achieved by knife cutting each piece of wood. All the wood is in its natural state, with only a hand rubbed finish used to bring out the natural coloring and grain. Since no two pieces of wood are exactly alike, no picture can ever be duplicated.



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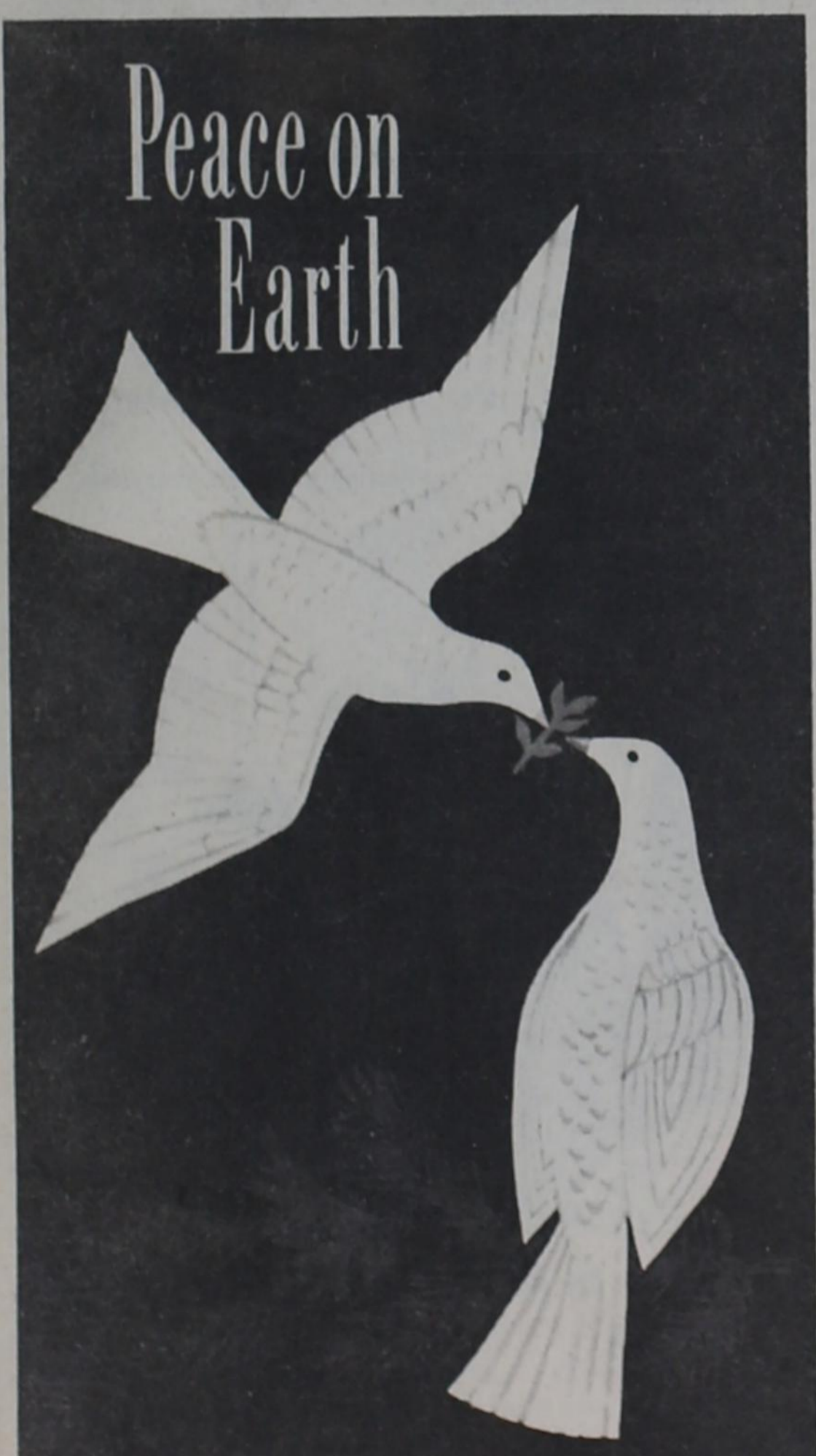
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Love, Dena

Dear Santa,
I want a John Deer tractor and combine and some plows. I sweep the barn for my Daddy and I carry out the trash and I help my Mama do the dishes.

Love, Doug

Dear Santa,
I've been good to my mother and father and my grandfather and grandmother. I want a mini bike for Christmas. I wish for a bike and a wagon for Christmas and a Stretch-



Armstrong.

Love, Heath

Dear Santa,
I want a new big toy truck and I want a watch and I want a car set and playing cards. I help my Mother for toys.

Love, Paul

Dear Santa,
I want a motorcycle and a Hee Haw game with a dice. I want a Stretch Armstrong. I want it because I want to play with them. I have been good to my friends. I love my mother and Dad.

Love, Carl

Dear Santa,
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Love, Nancy



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Love,
Richie Gulley

To Santa
Please give me, a spiderman, electric airplain, football and

Clint Kelley
I am 6 years old
Dear Santa Claus,
Time: 8:40 pm.

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Love
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Dear Santa
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Love
Penny Pierce

Dear Santa
I have been a good boy. Please bring me a pocket knife and a flashlight. Please bring me a electric battleship. I love you Santa.

Marty Jim Walker
Please bring my little sister Meredith a doll.

Love,
Matthew Walker

Dear Santa,
I am trying to be a good little boy. Please bring me a tractor and a plow.

I love you,
Matthew Walker

Dear Santa
How are you. Hope all the deer are o.k.
I would like for you to bring me a Bugs Bunny telephone see & say. I would aslo like to have a guitar.

Love you
Kade Kent
702-3rd Farwell Texas

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy, and would you please leave me a "Choo-Choo" train at A'pa's house this Christmas Cause that's where I'll be.

Thanks Santa,
Clay Curtis

Dear Santa
I would like to have a race track. And a record player. And a watch and a rudolf red nose record. I have been a good boy

I Love You
Mac Spears

P.S. Could I have a pair of coveralls for cold days, and working days

Dear Santa,
I want Star Wars lazer game, Star bird, Starbird launching pad, a pare of overalls and make it size 9 1/2 or 8 1/2 and a



Early Santa Visit

Before returning to the North Pole to prepare for his annual Christmas Eve visit, Santa Claus dropped by the Farwell Church of Christ Day School to visit with the four-year-olds and present each with a sack of fruit and nuts. Joe Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Norris of Texico, sits on Santa's knee while telling all about the things he wants for Christmas.

Blessings of Christmas

May the serenity of peace and a bounty of joy enter your life this blessed time... Merry Christmas!

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FARWELL AUTOMOTIVE
Tom Lindop

At This Season of The Year

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	Gilbert Aragon	

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Tri Delta Observes 'Sleighbell Day'

Members of the High Plains Alumnae Chapter of Delta Delta Delta presented a small Christmas tree, gaily decorated with Christmas cookies, bows, and candy canes, to the pediatric area of the Clovis High Plains Hospital on Tuesday, Dec. 5, to observe "Sleighbell Day" which is a national project of Tri Delta Sorority.

The tree with edible decorations is an annual project of the alumnae chapter, and for the past two years members of Girl Scout Cadet Troop #64 have assisted in preparing the Christmas cookies to wrap and hang on the tree. This year's ornaments in shapes of bells and pine trees were made by Ann Goudy of the scout troop and by Barbara Anthony. The girls were assisted by Sarah Goudy, vice president of the alumnae chapter and advisor for Troop #64.

Mary Carol Hartley is alumnae chairman for "Sleighbell Day." Past projects have included gifts of money and

small items of furniture for the hospital children's ward.

"Sleighbell Day" was proclaimed by a unanimous decision at the 1974 Tri Delta national convention to provide a continuing program of support for oncology (tumor) and hematology (blood) research and treatment in children.

Alumnae and collegiate Tri Deltas set aside the first Tuesday in December to focus

on this project, and each year hours of service and thousands of dollars are contributed for research of cancer in children, pediatric hospitals, and to children's wards in hospitals throughout the US and Canada.

The Sleighbell project is in addition to Tri Delta's scholarship program and the Delta Century Fund which will be used on the Fraternity's 100th birthday in 1988.



Decorating Center

Floe Copeland, left, assistant administrator at Farwell Convalescent Center, and Linda Winegeart, activity director, were busy recently putting up wall decorations. Numerous organizations and members of the community have helped the Center's staff and residents decorate for the holiday season.



Tree Decorations

Teresa Golledge, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Golledge, and Rhonda Tharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Tharp, are pictured decorating the Christmas tree which is located in the dining area of Farwell Convalescent Center. They are members of the Texico FHA chapter that sponsored the decorating of the tree as a chapter project.



We wish you joy . . . in laughter and good cheer . . . joy in gifts and glad surprises . . . joy in friends and family . . . joy at Christmas, with all its deep meaning. May the true old-fashioned joys of the season come to you . . . and linger long.



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Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,

I want a baby alive. She's the one that can drink and eat and she can even use the bathroom in her pants. I've done lots of things. I've helped my mom wash dishes and I want some new crayons. I want 100 crayons.

Love, June Ortiz

Dear Santa,

I have been good. I hope you have a good Christmas. I'm getting along o.k. I'm getting ready for your arrival.

Love, Billy

P.S. Have a nice trip!

Dear Santa,

I have been getting good grades in school. I have been good. Would you bring me a peach bike? I will have some cookies under the Christmas tree. It will be peanut butter cookies.

Love, Schree

Dear Santa,

I want a train set and a bicycle and a race car set because I cleaned up my bedroom and I have done what my mother has told me.

Love, Mike

Dear Santa,

I want a bike for Christmas. I want a watch for Christmas. I want a dog for Christmas. I was good to my mother and my dad.

Love, Patsy



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This is the joyous season,

when the heart takes over and the enduring purpose of our lives is directed towards the achievement of the ancient vision of Peace on Earth, Good Will to All Men.



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From All Of Us To All Of You

Bill Christian

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Maxine Shaw

Ray Hungate Enjoys Genealogy, Handwork

by Shirley Gorman

Ray R. Hungate of Clovis, a longtime resident of this area, is very knowledgeable about local history as well as the roots of his family, extending back for many generations. The Hungates originally settled in America from York, England. The name which means "Keeper of the Hounds" is depicted in the family coat-of-arms. Several years ago one of the descendants of the original Hungate settlers began to search through family records, tracing the family's roots back to England. That search has culminated into several vol-

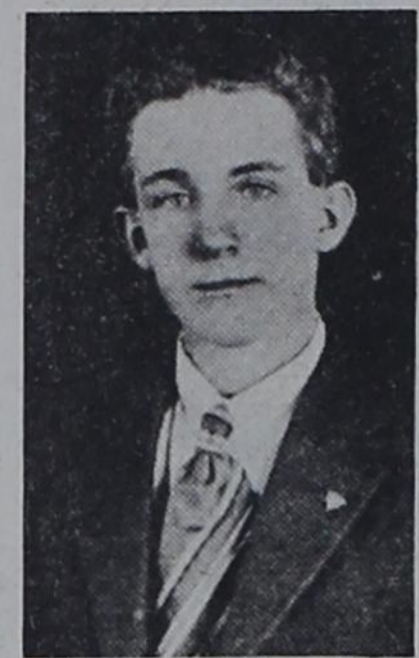
umes of pictures and little known facts about the Hungate family. Each year a journal is published updating the family's news and happenings. A Hungate Family Historical Society has also been founded and Hungate is a card carrying member. Reunions are held every year and a national Hungate family reunion takes place every two years. Last year, Hungate said two of his sons, journeyed to York, where the American and the English Hungates held an historical meeting. He is very proud of his family history and will spend hours talking about it when given the

opportunity. Hungate, a retired postal employee, and his wife, Prudence, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary this April. He was born in Nebraska and moved to this area with his family when he was nearly 11 years old. "It took two box cars to move us," Hungate said, "one for the stock and one for the household goods." "When we arrived in Bovina March 10, 1920, there were 10 inches of snow on the ground," he recalled. "Our first home was located south of Pleasant Hill." His family's first home in this area was a relinquishment homestead. At that time anyone could homestead 160 acres maximum if they worked and improved the land for three years. Someone else relinquished their claim and the Hungate family refilled the claim in their name and began the three-year work of homesteading the land. Later, Hungate said the homestead filing acreage was increased to one-half section. He explained that the adjoining quarter to their property had been filed on, but since no one lived there Hungate said his dad put in a claim for the land. It was granted and the Hungate holdings were increased by a half-section of land. The Clovisite attended school in Pleasant Hill beginning in the fifth grade. Since different grades were then sometimes located in the same one-room building, Hungate said you really "had to concentrate to pay attention to your work." Then the Pleasant Hill School consisted of a concrete block building which

was not yet finished on the inside. "We brought our own books and some of the students brought cowchips to burn in the stove," he reminisced. "I remember peeling the bark from trees to use as fire starters," he said. At that time Pleasant Hill School could accommodate only the first eight grades. Later the community got together and decided to add additional rooms to the building for a high school. The 9th grade was added first and then the others followed until they had all 12 grades, Hungate explained. In 1916 the high school was finished, consisting of several teaching rooms and an auditorium. Hungate was a member of the first graduating class in 1917. After graduating he attended Kingfisher College in Oklahoma, studying general academic subjects. After acquir-

ing only a little more than a semester's worth of credits, Hungate joined his fellow buddies in enlisting in the service. He was a member of the Medical Corps of the Army's Fifth Cavalry, but did not see action in World War I. He spent almost a year in the service. During that time, Hungate recalls, the great flu epidemic of 1918 hit. After his Army service, Hungate went to work for the El Paso and Southwest Railroad Company as a general billing clerk in the accounting office. Rather than join the spreading strike he quit that post in September of 1919. By this time Hungate had married Prudence. She had attended Farwell Schools and they had met at a basketball game. They then returned to this area where Hungate became a store manager for Plains Buying and Selling Associa-

tion, a chain mercantile store. This branch store was located at where is now First Street and Axtell in Clovis. Feed, coal and implements were sold. The main store was (Continued on Page 6)



RAY R. HUNGATE
1917 Graduate



MR. AND MRS. RAY HUNGATE

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa
I'm a little girl who is almost one year old. I want a baby doll and a littled red wagon. I have been a good little girl most of the time.
I Love You!
Brandy Hall *****

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Curtis I would like to have a new bike and a Teddy Bear, Drums, Digital Derby and Stretch octopus an Max Machine and a pinball game, clue, Wonderful Waterfals, Sleeping Dog.
Love Curtis Chisom
Age 7 2 grade *****

Robot, Speed Burners, and a trout pole. I love you very much. I hope you give me all the things I asked for. you are a very good fellow.
Love,
Michael *****

Dear Santa
I want a Energized spider man and Frosty Snowman Sno-cone. And a Denver Broncos Jacket.
Love
Andria Chadwick *****

Dear Santa
I want a batman B-B gun and a Star Trek. and truck.
Bill Christian *****

My name, Emiliano Lovat
My number is 481-9329
My box number 240.
Dear, Santa
I want a racing track and a bat and a ball and. Nearf football *****

Dear Santa, I want a Baby wet-n- care. And a tape-recorder, and a typewriter, and a Dancearella, and a Mandy.
love,
Kristi *****

Dear Santa,
I Do Good I want a woman doll. I want a Big Teddy Bear and I am in first grade and I an 6
Kelli Rene Hicks *****

Dear Santa,
I wanta truck, rocket, racing truck in the dark. B-B gun Stretch Octopus. police car jeep I love you Santa.
Jason Longo I'm 7 *****

Dear Santa
I want a Scrub a Dub Dolly and a Sessume street town. Have a safe trip. See you Christmas.
Love,
Tomell *****

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Pleasant Hill High - -

Hungate's Prize Possession: Vintage Copy 1917 Annual

Everyone usually has a special possession or memento which is prized above all else. To Ray Hungate of Clovis, longtime resident of this area, such a cherished possession is a copy of the 1917 Pleasant Hill High School Annual.

Hungate, one of the four first graduates of the now defunct school, served as assistant editor for the annual. The senior class colors were green and gold, the flower, pink carnation and the motto "Instrumus Aedificium Inde Crescemus."

In the high school census statistics, Hungate was known

as Charlie Chaplin, his byword was "gee" and quietness was his characteristic. Hungate's ambition was to be an evangelist and the census predicted he would be a missionary.

Covers for the yearbook were of black construction paper and the pages were held together with heavy yarn - a far cry from the hardbound sleek productions of today, but every bit as meaningful to those who call Pleasant Hill their alma mater.

Numerous local businesses carried advertisements in the back pages. The book was

printed by the now defunct Texico-Farwell News.

(Editor's Note: On this page are reproductions of pictures, stories and advertisements that appeared in the 1917 edition of the Pleasant Hill High School yearbook which is a prized possession of Ray Hungate of Clovis who was a senior at Pleasant Hill that year. Unlike today's listing of athletic records of the various teams, the 1917 annual staff members simply wrote a few paragraphs describing the team's success or failure during the season.)



1917 Boys Basketball Team

Composing the boys basketball team at Pleasant Hill back in '17 were Byron Barnes and Jerry Blackwell who played forwards; Frank Martin, center; Glenn Snodderly, captain, and Ray Hungate, who played guards; and Clifford Gallagher, referee.

One of the annual staff members had this to say about the boys basketball team's efforts in 1917:

Although the boys of the basketball team did not accomplish their object, still in their efforts they did some playing that is worthy of space and mention. As the season came in, they resolved to work for the County Championship and immediately began preparation to make a vigorous, and if possible, a successful campaign on their opponents.

After a careful selection of the boys desirable for the team, they were temporarily halted and embarrassed by lack of financial support, which all had expected. This inconvenience very nearly proved disastrous, but was overcome by the boys themselves, who paid expenses, and were now more determined than ever to attain the longed for position. This and many other minor obstacles were met and surmounted before the boys were able to get a game.

The P. H. quintet lost the (Continued on Next Page)

HAPPY HOLIDAY



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1917 Girls Basketball Team

Members of Pleasant Hill's 1917 girls basketball team included, from left, standing, Inez Taylor, Dessie Singleterry, Carrie Bell and Mary Kays. Seated, from left, are Elsie Gallagher, Fay Clark and Marjory Kays.

The following comments were written by a member of the annual staff concerning Pleasant Hill's first attempt to field a girls basketball team:

The girls' basketball team has done much that is worthy of attention. Although this is the first girls team Pleasant Hill can boast of, they played with a determination that could not be equaled by teams of experience who were working under the same embarrassing conditions.

The forwards were Marjory Kays and Dessie Singleterry; centers, Carrie Bell and Faye Clark; guards, Mary Kays, (Captain) and Elsie Gallagher.

Their clean, fast systematic playing attracted the public attention and admiration and drew forth many compliments.

The team was at a disadvantage because they did not start until late, consequently they were defeated throughout the season, but rising after each fall as they did, is not only commendable but an assurance that victory will crown their efforts.

H.G.S.

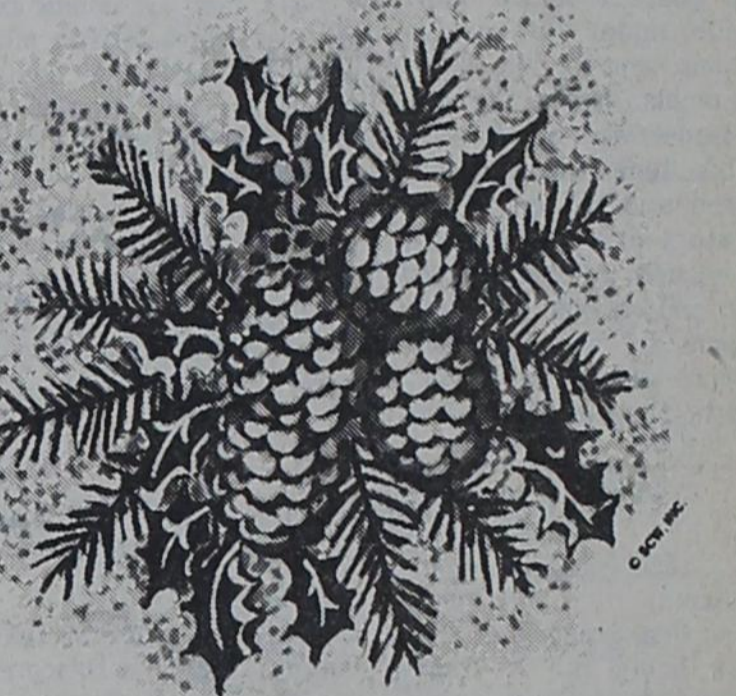
Best Wishes

Merry Christmas! Health, Wealth and Laughter be yours now and through the New Year!



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Greetings OF THE SEASON



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James Montgomery, June Montgomery, Janet Deaton.

It's our fond hope that the holidays find you happy, sharing the rich gifts of the season with those you love. May your days be filled with mirth, warmth and good feeling.

We cordially invite you to come and visit us
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5400 Mabry Drive - Clovis, N.M.



May each of us
bring the best
of our hearts
and souls to Him
as we celebrate again
the miracle of His love.

Christmas Greetings



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HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS, WELL SUPPLIES, FURNITURE, QUEENSWARE.



Barry Hardware

Barry Hardware Store of Clovis still uses the same signature today as it used on its ad in the 1917 yearbook published for Pleasant Hill High School. At that time the hardware firm operated a business in Texico-Farwell; however, the facility is now in Clovis.

1917 Boys Basketball . . .

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first game in scores, but in effect it was a success as it caused a little more determined effort to be put forth. It also helped in placing the players according to their qualifications. As a result, Blackwell was put on as right forward, and his ability to throw goals from a short distance, under unfavorable conditions, won for him many compliments during the season. Barnes was left forward and his long throws were admired and lauded by the spectators every where the team visited. Martin jumped center and among his many opponents he met his equal only once during the season. Hungate, whose speed and

good judgment was always noticeable, played left guard so efficiently as to be considered an indispensable factor of the team. Snodderly, the captain, played right guard with such celerity, efficiency, and unflinching judgment and guidance that he was considered the right arm of the team.

Clean, fast, systematic playing was characteristic of the team and were the qualities which carried the team so close to the coveted goal, the county championship.

The last game proved to be their Waterloo, but they took defeat as nobly and honorably as they strove to avoid it, and wished their opponents success.

G.S.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Baby, Heartbeat Santa Claus, angels and Barbie.

Love
LaShona

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Dancerella, angels-2, ear muffs, a lunch box, and a purse. Thank you!

Love,
Karen

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Baby Wet 'n Care, 2 angels, Dancerella, purse, and Baby That A. Way. Thank you!

Love
Carolyn Smith

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me dishes a Barbie Doll, swimming pool and a purse. Thank you!

Love,
Rosalba

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TEXICO, NEW MEXICO

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Visit our store and hear the Indian Legend, the Talking Machine of a Rubber Tree.

Our Examiners Will Supply You the Cheapest of Drugs.

Red Cross Pharmacy

Many persons in the Twin Cities still remember the Red Cross Pharmacy of Texico which was an advertiser in the Pleasant Hill School yearbook in 1917. Texico's drug store was housed in the south western portion of the present Rip's Western Wear Store on Main Street.

Ray Hungate . . . (Continued from Page 4)

located in the 200 block of Clovis's main street.

Another branch of the store was located in Farwell at the east end of the block where Rose Drug is presently located.

Hungate worked for the mercantile company until 1924 when he decided he wanted to continue his education; however that was not an easy task as he now had a growing family to support.

Hungate attended college in Montezuma, N.M., for three months before going to work for the Santa Fe Railroad. He served as yard and express clerk until 1932. The nation was in the grip of a depression then and Hungate was laid off, since he did not have enough job seniority.

"My whiskers were too short," Hungate said, quoting the favorite railroad expression of the time. "That's why I lost my job."

For a time he worked at the

Ratford Grocery Company located in Clovis where White's Auto Parts is today.

Later he went to work for the Clovis Post Office and remained there until his retirement in 1968, after 33½ years of service.

Even though Hungate has not had to follow a nine-to-five schedule these past few years he has not been idle. Since he never had time for hobbies before his retirement, he has taken full advantage of the free time to work on the things he has discovered he likes to do.

His very creative hands and mind have fashioned such things as latch hook rugs, needlepoint pillows, etc., and all kinds of bead work. "I had to do something," Hungate said. "I wanted to stay busy."

Mrs. Hungate has done hand work all of her married life, so it was quite natural for her husband to follow suit once he had retired. "The only prob-

lem is that we give away most of what we make," she said.

Mrs. Hungate, the former Prudence Schlueter, graduated from Farwell High School in 1916. She remembers traveling to school by horse and buggy and some very, very cold days.

She said she and Roy Melugin of Clovis are the only surviving members of the 1916 Farwell graduating class.

Even before they were married, Mrs. Hungate said she always remembered the

Hungate family as "being good neighbors."

In those early days when the Hungates were growing up in this area, they said homesteads were located on all quarter sections of land. A house or dugout and a barn and corral for the livestock were also located on each piece of land, Hungate said.

The Hungates, who have lived on Prairieview Drive, for the past 15 years, are an active couple who intend to stay busy doing things and enjoying life to the fullest.

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C.V. Steed

One of the advertisers in the 1917 edition of the Pleasant Hill High School annual was C.V. Steed, Undertaker and Embalmer. The Steed-Todd Funeral Home of Clovis is still in business and bears part of the old family name.

Glad Tidings



A Christmas wish for all our friends: May all the joys the season lends find their way around your tree and brighten up your family.



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Farwell Convalescent Center - -

Residents Recall Cherished Memories Of Past Christmases

by Shirley Gorman

Memories of past Christmases are precious to the residents at Farwell Convalescent Center. Recently, several residents shared some of those memories and past holiday experiences with me.

As a little girl growing up on a farm in Fayette County, Tex., Bertha Kaltwasser, 91, remembers putting up the tree "only a day or two before Christmas." She and her four brothers and two sisters made all the decorations and put them on the tree. Stringing popcorn was a favorite decoration.

They did not hang stockings and toys were almost nonexistent, but on Christmas morning Bertha said she and her brothers and sisters each had their own sack of cookies and candies. The Christmas dinner they enjoyed was "just like any other dinner."

Years later when Mrs. Kaltwasser married, Christmases changed a little for her family of two boys and one girl. The tree was still put up just before Christmas but this

time the decorations included lighted candles and iced cookies which could be eaten later. Presents were opened Christmas morning with the children receiving clothes but no toys, she said.

Dick Dunn, 89, who grew up in Vernon, Ill., recalls many a cold, snowy Christmas. Skating on frozen lakes was a fun pastime. The Duns owned a meat market and they lived in a home adjoining the market.

Santa Claus was a big mystery to eight-year-old Dunn and his 10-year-old brother. How was he to get into the Dunn home? After all they had no chimney. Somehow Dunn's parents always managed to explain things sufficiently, until one Christmas the two brothers decided to wait up for Santa and "catch him in the act."

At the sound of a noise they sprang from their hiding places - but it was only their dad stuffing their stockings. That was the end of Santa's treats for the boys.

The Dunn family did not have a lot of money but

Christmas dinner usually consisted of chicken or turkey, plenty of dressing, but not very many desserts.

Annie Dunn, 79, spent her childhood on a sheep ranch in Ft. Sumner, N.M. She and Dick will have been married 50 years this January 2.

As a little girl in Ft. Sumner, Christmas did not include a tree but stockings were hung on the wall, filled with extras like candy and dried fruit, which they did not have during the year.

Mrs. Dunn said they always sang carols in church and at school, and of course Santa Claus always popped in to visit the school children before Christmas Eve.

Of today's Christmas celebrations, Mrs. Dunn says she enjoys the little children singing carols best of all. Otherwise, just like Charlie Brown, she feels that Christmas has become "too commercial."

Albert Osborne, 96, has fond memories of chopping down a cedar tree and decorating it with paper cut-outs. He grew

up near Austin and said he knew the late Lyndon Johnson when he was two years old.

Big logs were burned in the fireplace, and Christmas also meant apples, oranges and firecrackers, Osborne said. Wild turkey usually formed the core of the Christmas meal. Stockings were hung by the fireplace and on Christmas morning they received fruit, candy and a spinning top which Osborne said he liked to "make sing."

Osborne's wife, Elizabeth, 89, spent her girlhood on a ranch in the northern part of Arizona. Her first memories of Christmas date back to her sixth year.

"Sometimes we would have a tree," she said. "And when we did we decorated it with strings of popcorn. We hung stockings too, sometimes by the fireplace if we had one."

Mrs. Osborne and her sister usually received a doll, while their brother got a pop gun. Christmas dinner was "wild turkey and all the trimmings."

After the Osbornes married they lived in New Mexico. (Continued on Next Page)



Stringing Popcorn

Just like the "olden" days, Lois Poteet, a resident at Farwell Convalescent Center, is stringing popcorn to be used as Christmas tree decorations. The holidays are a busy time at the Center with many of the residents pitching in to decorate the facility.

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Hang up the holly,
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To be jolly!

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Center Residents' Memories Of Past Christmases . . .

(Continued from Previous Page) Christmas for their son and two daughters meant getting a tree and decorating it together.

Christa Gohlke, 76, grew up on a farm in Vernon, Tex. Christmas for her family centered around the Christmas story and religious programs at church.

For the traditional holiday they chopped down a tree in the woods and decorated it with paper cut-outs, strings of popcorn and raisins and cookies. On Christmas Day they had oranges to eat.

A special tradition was Santa Claus who always brought the cookie cutter from which they made their Christmas cookies. Later -- quite mysteriously -- the cutters disappeared until next year when Santa once again came to visit.

One holiday in particular was special because Santa Claus and his reindeer did visit their home, or so it appeared at the time. Mrs. Gohlke's mother had been nursing a sick friend. Christa and her younger brother filled a trough with corn for Santa's reindeer who were sure to come that night. The next morning the trough was empty and they were sure the reindeers had enjoyed a good meal.

What actually happened was that the husband of the sick woman had taken Christa's mother home and while waiting for her to get a few things for the return trip, his horses had eaten all the corn.

Someone in the neighborhood always dressed as Santa Claus and went to visit each house. Christa remembers sitting on Santa's lap.

Mrs. Gohlke recalls that they sometimes received toys and clothes, but they did not exchange gifts. Christmas usually meant cookies galore and she especially liked the

sugar cookies, pepper nuts and butter cookies, which would "melt in your mouth."

Cora Baker, 78, spent her first Christmases on a farm in western Oklahoma. The tree was decorated with strings of cranberries and the branches were wrapped in cotton. Sometimes after Santa Claus had made his visit, Mrs. Baker recalls that some of the gifts would be broken or chipped.

"Now why would Santie do that?" they always asked. Later Mrs. Baker said they realized that their father brought their gifts to them on horseback loaded in a sack.

Mrs. Baker said that after her mother died and her father remarried there were

18 children in the family. But that first year after her mother died, Mrs. Baker said Santa did not come.

"In those days we always managed to have two pairs of shoes, one for school and one for church, and clothes for both school and church," she said.

She described Christmas dinner as "out of this world," adding "we had cakes, pies, vegetables and chicken or a roast. But no fruit salad like we have today," she said.

"We usually had enough food to last the week after Christmas."

In later years after Mrs. Baker married and was rearing two children in the oil fields, she said she played

Santa Claus for her children.

Willie Shields, who will be 84 this coming March 2, grew up 30 miles east of Dallas in Rockwall County.

Christmas meant chopping down a tree in the woods and trimming it with paper cut-outs, strings of popcorn and lighted candles. Stockings were hung every year beginning with the oldest child down to the youngest one. The stockings were always filled with oranges, apples, candy and peppermint canes and nuts.

Mrs. Shields said her job for the holidays was to boil the ham. Christmas was a grand time and the meal was always (Continued on Next Page)



GREETINGS


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activities fill your hearts with
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Decorate Tree

Dick Dunn, Convalescent Center resident, recently enjoyed helping Amanda Easley, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Easley, and Jennifer Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Williams, decorate the Christmas tree which is located in the lobby. Amanda and Jennifer are members of Texico-Farwell Brownie, Troop Number 385 who made the decorations and placed them on the tree.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a B.B. gun, Santa Claus, bicycle, lunch box.

Love,
Byron
Thank You *****

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Baby Heartbeat, bicycle, Dorcere, and a Lunchbox
Baby wet in n Care
Thauk you!

Love,
Ysidra

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Chalkboard, bicycle Barbie Doll, Purse, lunchbox,
Thank you!

Love,
Valerie *****

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a desk, and chair, and Dancerella, and angels.

Thank you!
Love,
Konni.

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a motorcycle, bow and arrows, and a B.B. gun. Thank you!

Love,
Hector *****

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a motorcycle, a bicycle, a guitar, and money. Thank you!

Love,
Brian *****

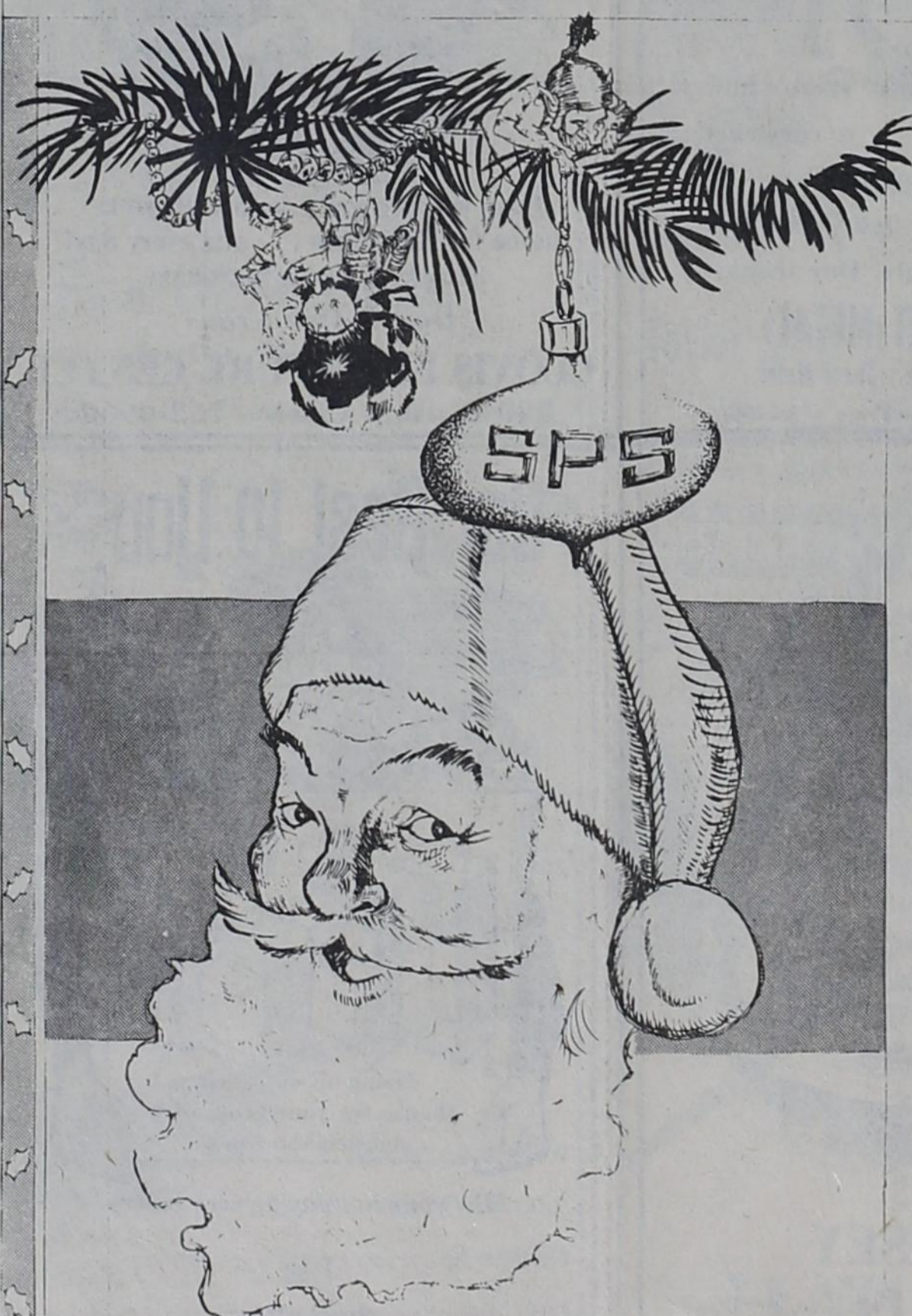
Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico.

Please bring, me a bicycle, mettens, lunchbox, Santa Claus, Dancerella, purse,
Thank you!

Lave,
Leslie, *****

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Sewing machine, Dancerella, dishes, a Barbie Doll, and angels.

Love,
Leonor



May all the Good things in Life be Yours

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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL OUR WONDERFUL FRIENDS



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Center Residents' Memories Of Past Christmases . . .

(Continued from Previous Page) very good because her mother was an excellent cook. Living on a farm, they always had plenty of their own fresh products to enjoy.

"It was a happy day," she said. "We always had a crowd around and we sang carols." Mrs. Shields said she used to sing soprano in the cantata's at church.

In later years when she married and had a family of her own, she said she enjoyed Christmas best when her children were at home. For her daughter's Christmas presents, she bought dolls and made clothes for them.

When Ruby Hulse, 82, was a child they cut their own tree near her home in St. Joe, Tex. She reports that they always hung their stockings on the fireplace and they were always filled with candy, popcorn and small toys.

"I always have believed in Santa Claus and I always will," she said. Mrs. Hulse taught school for over 50 years. "We always managed to have a tree in the school room." The children made most of the decorations.

"We always enjoyed many Christmas stories in the weeks before and after Christmas," she said. "We also drew names and everyone received a gift." The faculty also drew names and exchanged gifts.

Lyra Holland, 93, was raised

near Red Oak, Iowa, and she remembers always cutting down a tree for Christmas.

"We always had a lot of snow this time of year," she said. "We also usually managed to have a present or two under the tree."

Mrs. Holland reports that when they first came to this part of the country they did not have any trees so they decorated a big tumble weed instead.

Milton Poteet, 78, lived on farms and ranches as a small boy growing up in Estellene, Tex. For his 10th Christmas, he remembers, he received an air rifle.

The Poteets did not have a tree but they always hung stockings by the fireplace, which Santa filled with apples, oranges, nuts and toys. They ate turkey for Christmas dinner. Poteet said he always likes Christmas because "of the special things to eat."

Poteet's wife, Lois, 76, grew up in Crosby County, Tex. According to her, they never had a tree but always hung stockings on the wall to be filled on Christmas Eve. "We usually received quite a few gifts," she said.

Mrs. Poteet said her fondest memories are of her father taking them outside early on Christmas morning to see the tracks left by Santa and his reindeer. She says she and her brother would follow the tracks all day but they never

found Santa Claus.

Mary McDerman, 66, grew up in a large log cabin with a big fireplace in Roff, Okla. Since they didn't have a tree they would hang the biggest stockings they could find near the fireplace. Santa also filled the stockings with apples, oranges, nuts and candy. This was quite an accomplishment because there were 14 children in the family.

Years later when Mrs. McDerman was preparing Christmas for her family, she said that her daughter, Lucille Franse of Farwell, always made the star for the top of the tree.

Lois Massey, 81, enjoyed her first Christmases in Celest, Tex. Sometimes they would have a tree, but usually they would just hang stockings. Since Mrs. Massey usually managed to receive a doll each Christmas she soon had enough to go from wall to wall in her room.

Whatever the memories or cherished Christmas traditions, the holidays are always a special time of year for everyone of all ages.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa
I Want The Woopsi doll And Tumbulina And Some Sunday Shoes Please get my Little Brother Stretch Armstrong And Spider man

Love
Shelly

Dear Santa
Please bring me a Play-Doh Barber Shop, a Dancerella doll, a Baby Wet and Care and a Connect Four game.

Thank you
Sonya

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Child's sewing machine and a stuffed horse.

I love you,
Lucretia Foster



Festive Air

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas around Farwell Convalescent Center. Numerous Christmas trees and other decorations have been placed throughout the Center, adding to the holiday spirit. Pictured placing a few decorations on this tree are Cora Baker, left, and Albert and Elizabeth Osborne.



Our Christmas Wishes

May you enjoy the Best Wishes for a healthy and Happy Holiday Season in the comfort of family and friends.

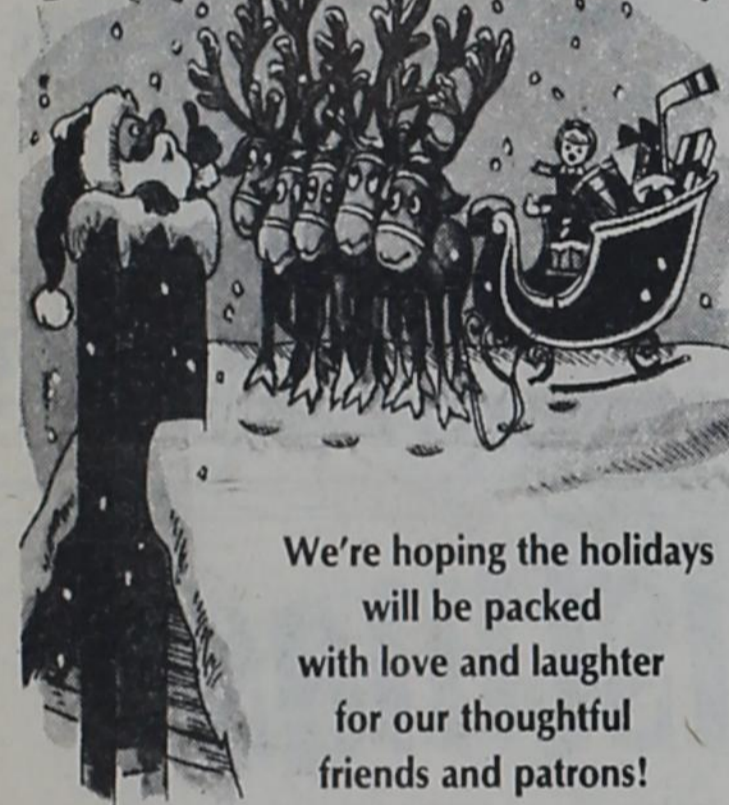
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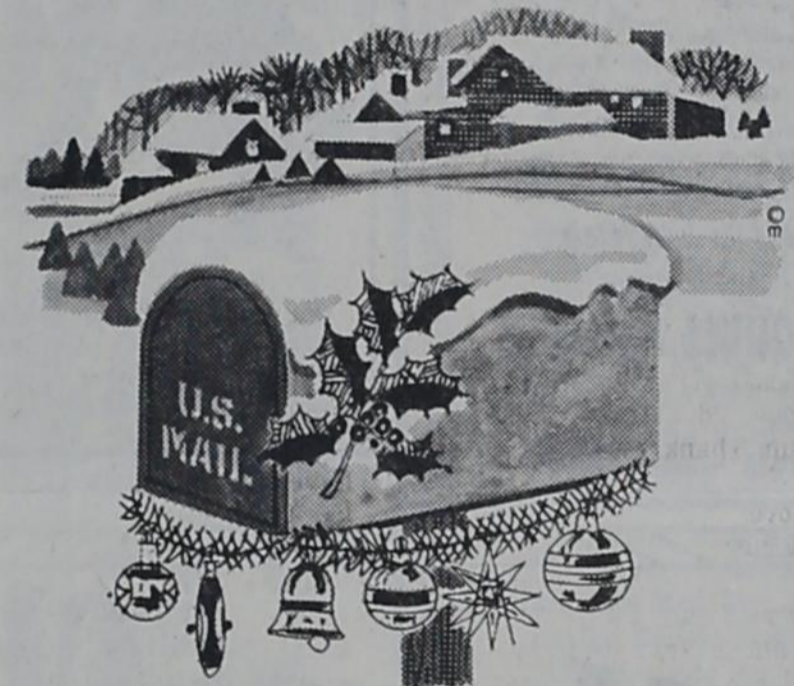
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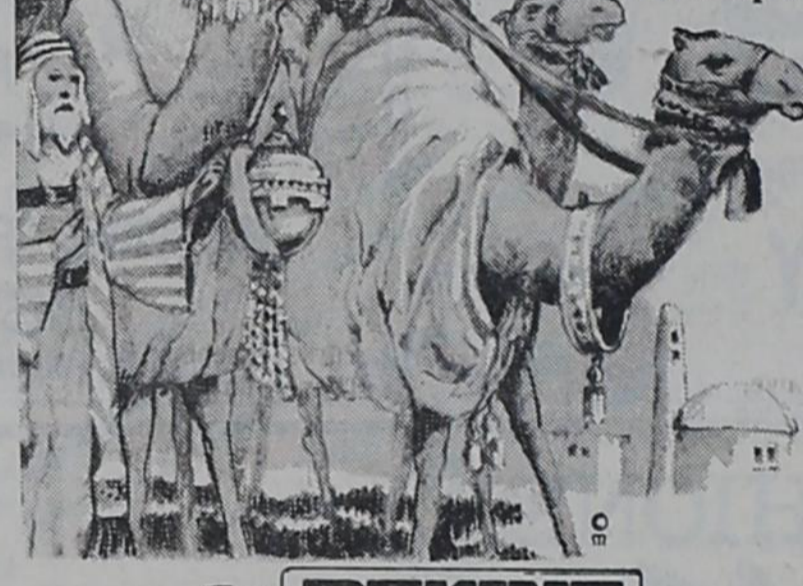


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Dear Santa,
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Dear Santa
Walkie Talkie
Spider man
Spider man car

and a set of racing cars.

Love Jeremy.

Dear Santa
I want a blue mini bike. BB Gun Star Wars tie fighter and i also want go cart.

love Matt Geuther

Dear Santa Claus
I would like you to bring me a toss across, a tugboat shower, a bubble yum doll, and a coke machine, for christmas. I have been a real good girl this year. Have a merry christmas.

Love you,
Marla Marsh

p.s. I'll have some brownies for you.

cats eye
Bingo
tape Bech Boys
10 speed
Sweats suit
Pay Doll game

Stephen Ketcherside

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Sunshine family and farm.

I Love You,
Robin Foster

very nice to us and it is fun to bring presents and i want a dance rella and a Bike

Tina

Dear Santa
I have been a goo boy. I want Clothes and Toys for Christmas. Big Wheel. Play Knife Godzilla M & hog truck

Love Jimmy Armstrong

Love,
Jimmy Singer

P.S. we dont have a Chimney you can use the front door.

Dear Santa,
I want a green machine, Nerf Cycle, Super Jock Football, Thunder Jets and SSP Smash-Up Derby.

Lonnie-Paul

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been good, Santa Claus. Would you bring me a baby Wet and Care, a gold suitcase, a game, and a record. I will have my stocking up for you to fill with goodies.

Love
Angie White

Dear Santa
I want a Baby wet n care.
I want Cake and Decorate.
I want Super Master
I want Stretch Moster Mind
I want Jaws game.
I want Mouse trap.
I want Operation.
I want Super Bowl.

Love. Brenda Moser

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year so I feel pleased to write you a letter and ask you for a toy. I am not asking for much. Just a Starwar Play Dow.

Thank you very much.
Benny

Dear Santa,
I am Six years Old and In The first grade. I would like to have A Coat, Sweatsuit, Baton, Typewriter, for Christmas, my Brother wants a riding Toy.

love Danna

Dear Santa
I tried to be good I love You Please Bring me something nice

Love Ella

Dear Santa
I want a doll and a stove and a bicycle.

Heather

Dear Santa
I have been good I want a BB gun and a game of Operation

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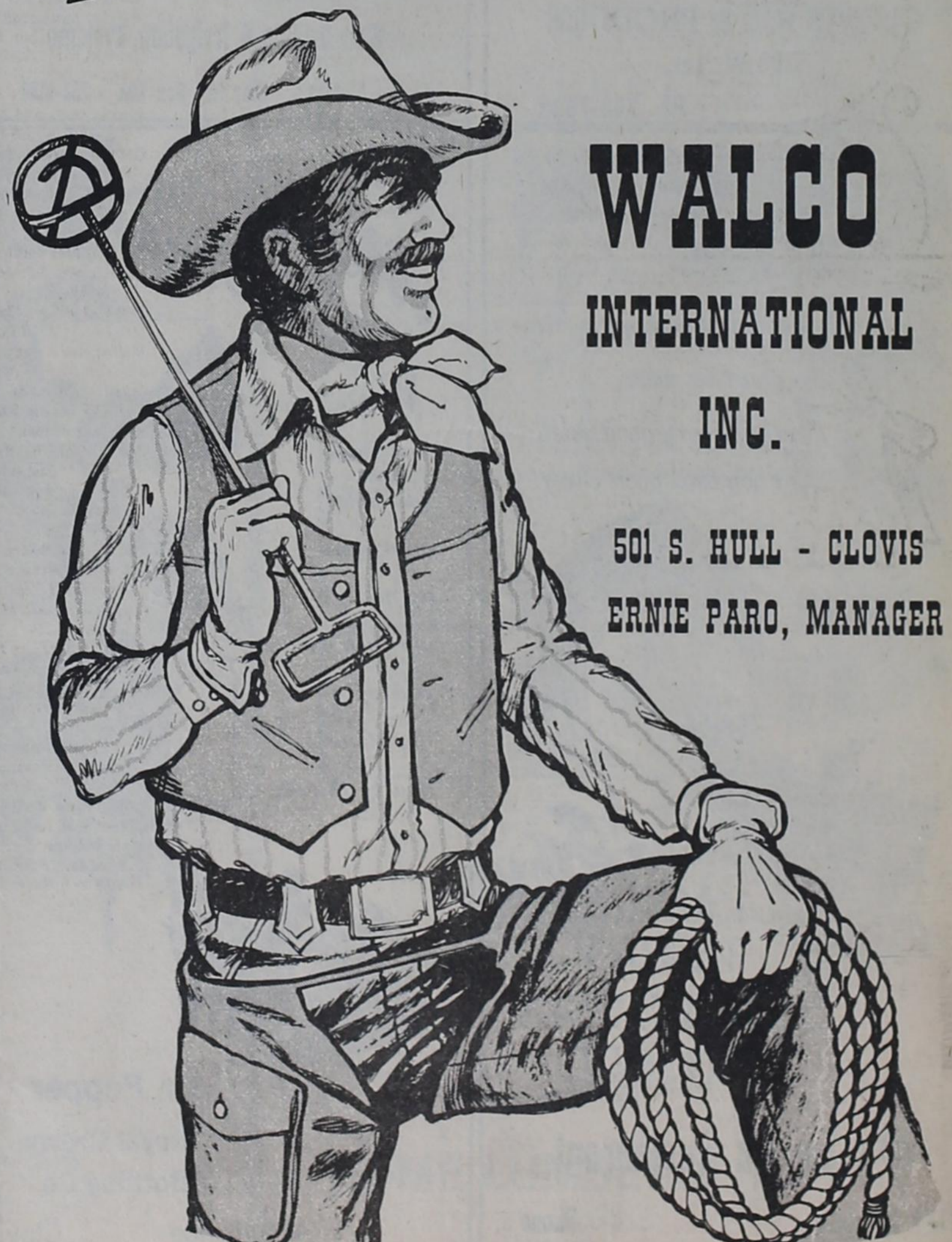
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Dear Santa
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and a record and earring, and some cloths, and some pictures, and a ring, and some books to read. I will leave you a glass of milk and some cookies on the table.

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Santa? How are all of your reindeer. I have tried to be good. I want an electric racing set, a Pinball Machine, and a Bad News Bear and some other stuffed animals. I will leave you some milk and cookies on the table.

I Love you Santa
Your friend Lupe Arce

Dear Santa
I want a watch
I want a max machine
I want a pajamas
I want a litebrite
I been a good boy.

Love,
Lance Castleberry

Love you
Kyle

Dear Santa
My name is Tammie Caron. I am 6 years old and I've been a good girl.

Dear Santa
I want A Drum and a Big Stuffed Tiger and a Tonka Truck and a Star Bird Thank You

I would like a Barbie van or Jeep & a Barbie swimming pool.

Your Friend
Trent Schilling

My little brother John would like a marching micky mouse and a Van. We'll leave you some brownies and milk.

Dear Santa,
I want a whoopsie doll head-dresser easy bake cradle bunk bed table high chair Dear Santa I Love you

Love And God Bless you,
Tammie Caron

Chasity

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Baby Alive and her stroller Also a special gown I'll try to be good.

Dear Santa,
I want a racing track, and a police car, and a jeep truck. I love you. I am good in School.

Love Kara Nealey Camp

Jason Christian

Dear Santa
I'm a little Stinker but Please bring me a zoom zoom Motorcycle and a gun I'll try to do better.

Dear Santa
I want a woman Wonder book want a doll doll nurse

Love Klay Michael Camp

I love Rudolph
Monica Salguero

Dear Santa
I want a doll, and some boots,

Dear Santa
How have you been. I've been ok. We the most Beautiful Christmas tree. We have 28 Presents and mom is still Buying more. What I really want a racing car track. And I think that's what mom is going to get me. I hope she doese cause I really want it. I am sending this letter to you Because I like you very very much! And I love everyBody even my teacher Because of the reason why I love my teacher was Because she helped me learn and if I didn't now how to add or subtract I would Be stupid. Well I got to go this is Sammy Herrera saying goodby
MERRY CHRISTMAS
HO! HO! HO!

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Dancerella and a Baby That A Way Thank you!

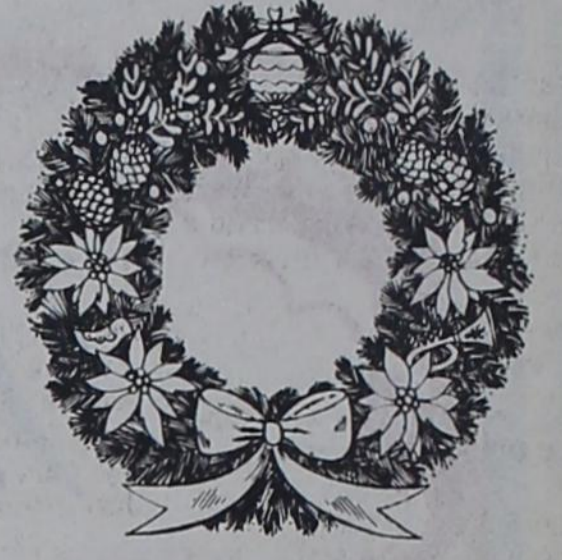
Love,
Tiffany

Dear Santa,
I want a whoopsey doll and Stretch Octopus.

Lisa Harrison



Christmas Greetings
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A Happy New Year



May you and your loved ones enjoy the blessings of peace throughout the year.

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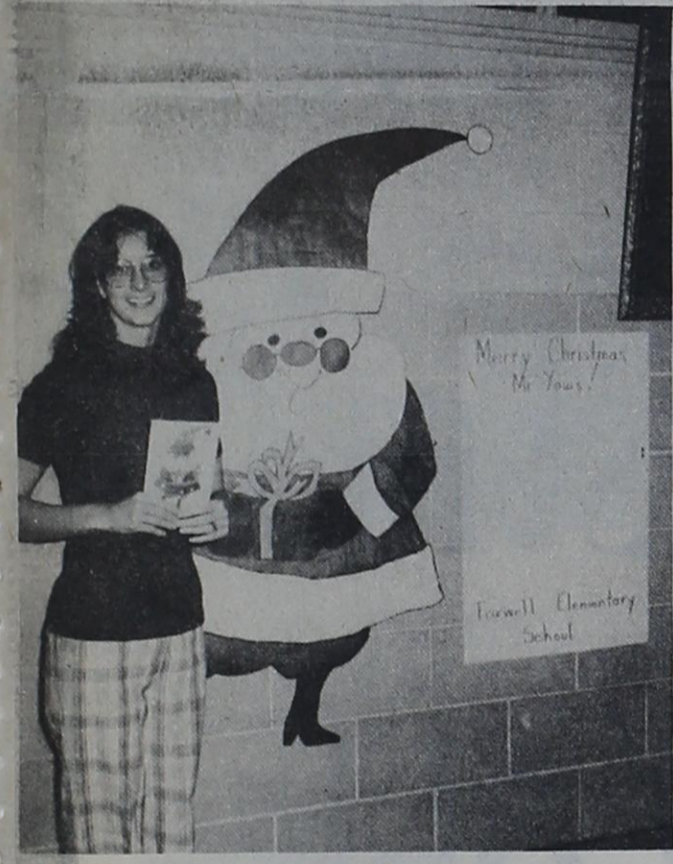
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Sherilyn Thigpen, fifth grader and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thigpen, and Michael Sanchez, sixth grader, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sanchez, are shown with the fifth and sixth graders' Christmas tree at Farwell Elementary School. All of the decorations, from Santa Clauses to candy canes and paper rings, were made by the students in their art classes. Since the fifth and sixth grades are departmentalized, this tree is located in the hall of the elementary school. The other grades have their trees in their own classrooms.



Merry Christmas Mr. Yows

When the students and teachers at Farwell Elementary School want to wish their principal, Jerry Yows, a "Merry Christmas" they do so in a big way. Nancy Alana, fourth grade teacher, is shown beside the large Santa Claus cut-out which she made. Students and teachers signed the Christmas greeting card at right. Mrs. Alana is holding the original Christmas card from which she projected the larger Santa Claus.



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Zuni Indian Youth Happy In New Home

By Shirley Gorman

With a warm, responsive smile and a willing readiness to talk about himself, Greg Yawakia, a 16-year-old full blooded Zuni Indian, has captured the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Rod Copeland, their daughters, Robin, 10, and Amy, 8; and the students at Clovis High School.

Greg arrived in Clovis a few months ago to live with the Copelands, his legal guardians. He is in many ways the son they always tried to adopt.

Mrs. Copeland is the activity director at Farwell Convalescent Center and before classes started in the fall, Greg often accompanied her to work. It did not take him long to get acquainted with everyone and to win them over with his gentle ways.

Greg is also a big hit in the Copeland household as both Amy and Robin look up to him as their "big brother." On the first day of school as they all gathered on the bus for the ride to school, both girls slightly embarrassed the newest addition to their family by loudly proclaiming to all that he was indeed their "brother."

Copeland, for many years the lone male in a household of females, is pleased to have Greg come to live with them. "It's about time I got someone on my side around here," he observed.

Everyone is pleased with Greg's arrival, but it was a long, long time in coming.

For several years the Copelands have been trying to adopt a son, but mountains of red tape and scores of rules and regulations always seemed to get in the way. One such regulation requires that the newly-adoptive mother not work for six months after the adoption is okayed. But a few months ago, when this particular problem arose, Mrs. Copeland was working to earn her license to administer a nursing home. So once again they were forced to put aside their plan to adopt a son.

But then things began to change for the better. The pastor of Calvary Baptist Church in Clovis put them in touch with the pastor of the Baptist Mission on the Zuni

Indian Reservation in New Mexico.

They originally wanted to take two boys, around the ages of six and eight, but months passed and they did not hear anything more from Zuni. Finally they were notified that Greg was available, and after a family conference, they decided to open their hearts and the door of their home to him.

And so Greg came to live with the Copelands and to enroll at Clovis High School where he is a sophomore. And where, incidentally, he is fast becoming very popular, especially with the female members of the student body.

Since Greg is easy to talk to and easy to get to know it is no wonder that his friends in this area are now legion, and that he has found a new home through which he intends to realize his ultimate dream of graduating from high school and going on to college.

Presently he thinks he would like to become a veterinarian. Living with the Copelands is certainly good training for the young Indian lad as they have a menagerie of animals including - at last count - seven horses, five cows, two baby calves, three goats, chickens, pigs and an array of dogs, puppies and cats.

Greg fits in very nicely with his new human as well as animal families.

Since Greg has both a mother and stepfather living in Zuni, he is not really adoptable, Mrs. Copeland said. But they (the Copelands) are his legal guardians, and as such, they are solely responsible for his support and upkeep, receiving no aid from any agency etc.

However, even though Greg has a mother and stepfather, he had lived with his grandmother and grandfather on the reservation since he was seven years old. Family problems caused the change in living quarters for the young lad.

And for years the arrangement was an amicable one. But Greg is a young man who would like to see the world and live according to his own dictates and not those designated by the centuries old Zuni religion. And since his

grandparents, who are elderly people, are very devout Zuni Indians it eventually became very difficult for Greg to realize his dreams of furthering his education and making

a life for himself away from the reservation.

Also, according to Greg, the situation on the reservation itself is not very good. Education is available, but it

is very difficult for serious students to learn. Problems such as drugs, liquor and violence are prevalent, just as they sometimes exist in non-reservation schools. Many stu-

dents drop out before completing the basic high school requirements, and it is not unusual for them to get married at age 16.

Education itself is not held in very high esteem by some Zuni families, Greg said. Non-Indian instructors staff the reservation schools and a white judge hears all cases which come before the court. However, if he cannot come to a decision the 12 man Council, which serves for four years at a time, decides the case.

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Copeland And 'Adopted' Son

Greg Yawakia, full-blooded Zuni Indian, center, is pictured with his new family, from left, Rod Copeland, his wife, Floe, and their daughters, Robin and Amy. The little lasses aren't really as tall as their new brother because they are standing on the fireplace. Greg, who formerly lived on the Zuni Reservation in New Mexico, came to live with the Copelands in time for the fall semester at Clovis High School.



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Zuni Indian Youth . . .

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Greg also said that the law enforcement on the reservation is often very lax, adding that the Indian policemen were not very conscientious in their work.

While Greg knows much about his people, their religion and the ways of being a Zuni Indian, he finds it hard to observe their customs. He has never been a dancer, but he speaks freely of their traditions. He also does not like to fast, which is required for 10 days out of every 30. A blue corn meal mixture is the only sustenance which may be eaten during the fast, but water may be taken.

During the Christmas holidays -- a time when the average American is gorging himself on all the latest holiday delicacies -- the Zuni Indians must fast again. Greg said the reason for such frequent fasting is to secure good health and wealth for the family of the ones fasting.

Sometimes to take refuge from the past beliefs of his people which still dominate the Zuni Indians, Greg would go to the Baptist Mission on the reservation, often staying there for hours at a time.

Several weeks before moving to Clovis he asked the pastor of the church to find him another place to live. He

did just that and since Greg's mother consented, he came to live with the Copelands. At first, Greg was to live with a family in Estancia, N.M., but since that arrangement did not work out, he came to be an integral part of the Copeland family.

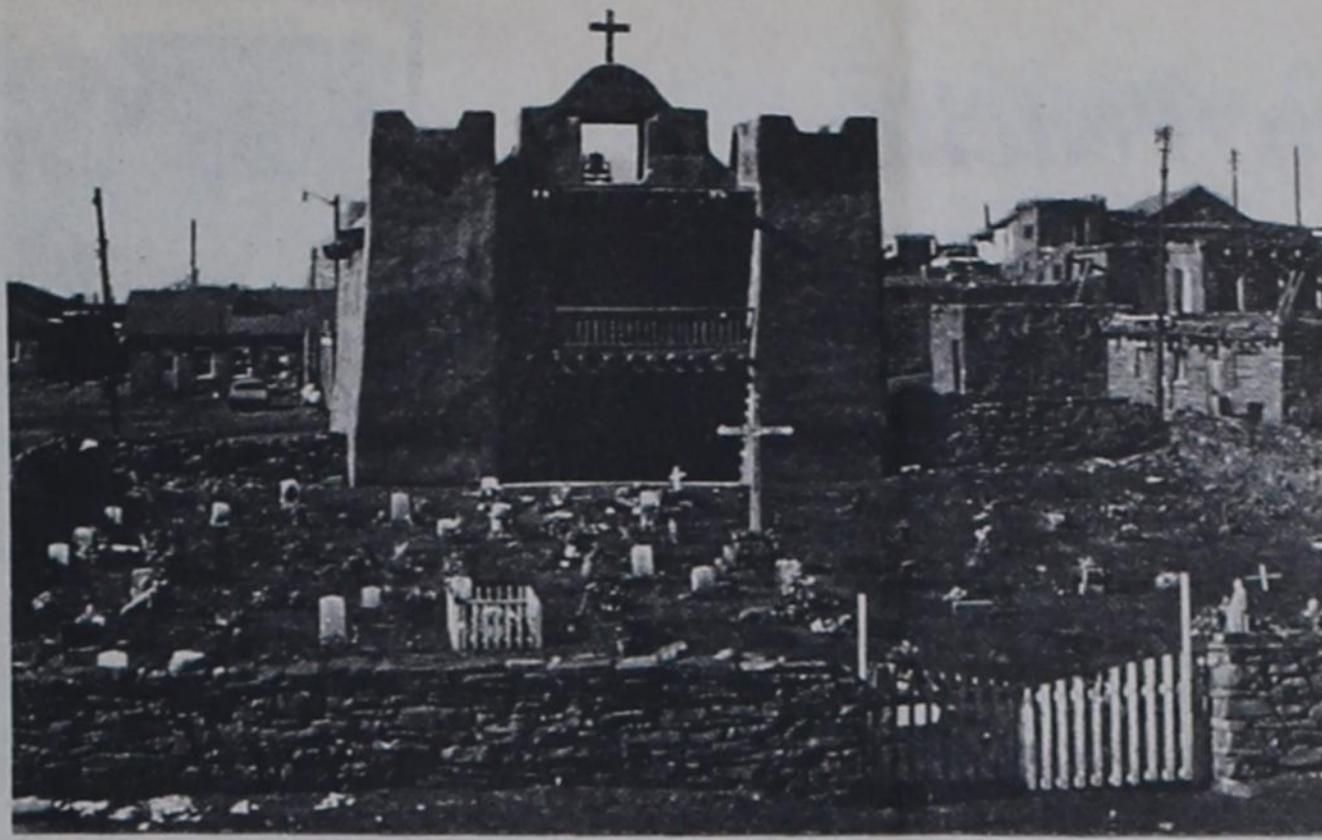
He has an older brother, two younger brothers and two sisters. An adopted nephew also lives with his family.

Greg has settled into life as a Clovis High sophomore very well. He will play the cornet in the band and is looking forward to the upcoming band trip to Orlando, Fla.

Right now Greg feels he is pointed in the right direction. After graduating from high school he plans to attend college. Finances will not be a problem as the resources are available for the Zuni Indians to go to college.

But even though Greg is at times at odds with his heritage he does understand it and can explain it in terms that non-Indians can understand. It just is not the way he wants to live his life.

Shalakois -- Indian dancers -- wearing Katchinas or tall head dresses, often perform according to Zuni tradition on a yearly basis. The Katchinas add height to the dancers, sometimes making them ap-



Old Zuni Mission

This Old Zuni Mission was first built in 1629 and restored in 1973. It is located in Zuni, N.M. Cortez and his men first began its construction, but later Catholic priests finished the task. By the time they began their work of building the mission all that remained of the original structure was the church bell. The graveyard is still used today. The Khiva, (the little building on the right) is used by the Indian dancers as a "resting place."

pear to be 10 feet tall, Greg said.

The Shalakois are an important part of the initiation tradition which has no age limit, he said. They come down from the Sacred Mountain, dance all night, then enjoy races, and eating and drinking the next day.

Indian women work hard to help prepare the dancers, but they themselves cannot be dancers, Greg said. Eight Indians known as "mud heads" carry the Shalakois to

the dancing grounds so that their feet do not touch the ground. Indians remain as dancers until they die, Greg said. The Shalakois dance in late November or early December.

During the time of these celebrations Indians from other nearby tribes take part in the festivities. Sometimes as many as 25,000 people gather for the dances. The special beehive ovens, shaped like igloos, are constantly in use baking the Indian bread. The

thick haze emitted by these ovens look like fog, Greg said.

His grandmother makes the special ovens and bakes bread in them as well. The women tend to the ovens Greg said, adding that his grandmother is one of the few people who possess the knowledge of how to construct the igloo-like ovens.

The dances are open to everyone, he said. During those times the normal reservation population of 5,000 swells to many times that

number. Visitors are other Indians as well as non-Indians from all parts of the United States. The Zuni Reservation is located close to Gallup, N.M. and extends to the Arizona border and beyond.

Rain dancers also perform every summer regardless of whether moisture is needed or not, Greg said. Many preparations precede the traditional dance beginning with the lengthy walk to secure water for the festivities.

Greg said his grandmother's brother-in-law selects the Indians who are to fetch the water from Katchina Lake in St. John, Ariz., which is a part of the Zuni Reservation. The 90-year-old man used to accompany the group of about 100 people who trekked the 400 miles in four days, each carrying back one quart of water to be used for the annual rain dance.

Now the old man's son will take over the duties of selecting the walkers and accompanying them on the long journey, Greg said.

The Zuni tribe has its own Salt Lake back now and even gathering salt is steeped in Indian tradition. The men of the tribe go after the salt, carrying it back in bags where the women will grind it. But in order for the women to get the needed salt they must wash the salt off the bodies of the men who gathered it.

But the Salt Lake did not always belong to the Zuni Tribe. It was theirs originally then it became the property of the federal government and finally -- following a six-year

battle -- they bought the lake back for 25 cents per acre. During the struggle to reclaim the lake Greg said many of the old Indian leaders had to travel to Washington, D.C.

At the Baptist Mission on the reservation Greg worked for several years as a translator for the young Indian children, often translating English to the Zuni language.

Greg is also familiar with the history of the Old Zuni Mission on the reservation originally constructed in 1629 by the explorer Cortez and his men. They started the first church building, but Catholic priests later finished it.

When the priests started to rebuild the church all that remained of the former building was the bell. Greg said that Zuni was one of the fabled Seven Cities of Gold.

A cemetery is still located in front of the church, and it is still in use today. Greg said his great-grandfather is buried there. Graves are three deep in the ground.

Located near the church is a small building used as a "resting place" for the Zuni Indian dancers as well as other ceremonies. Under this small house or Khiva, lie the hundreds of years old remains of the original Zuni buildings, Greg said.

Give-away dances are common he said, explaining that the dancers would throw things (like food etc.) at the audience during their performance.

The mission was restored in 1973 and a new facility, also in use today -- Saint Anthony

Indian Mission -- was built in 1879. It is located north of the original site and is used for most of the religious ceremonies. The mission, since it has no heating facility, is used on a limited basis such as on Sundays only.

The Zuni Indians have many beliefs, some which parallel Biblical happenings. During the Great Flood it was believed that all Zuni tribespeople took shelter on the top of a mountain now called Sacred Mountain. According to Zuni legend, Noah's Ark and the statues of a man and woman who turned to stone are believed to be located there.

Zuni children, according to Greg, are told that if they misbehave a "boogey" man will come down from the Sacred Mountain and "get them." In the olden days he said people were killed for not believing in the Zuni religion.

Zuni funerals are conducted throughout the night he said. Witch doctors and medicine men still operate on the reservation and exert a control over the Indians in some instances, Greg said.

He said Zuni Indians like to race cross country and recently a 72-year-old man won the 13 mile marathon race. The Zuni Tribe is known for its hand made jewelry.

Greg Yawakia, one of Clovis' newest residents, has the best of two worlds -- the rich tradition of the Zuni people and the promise of a bright tomorrow with families like the Copelands offering support and help along the way.

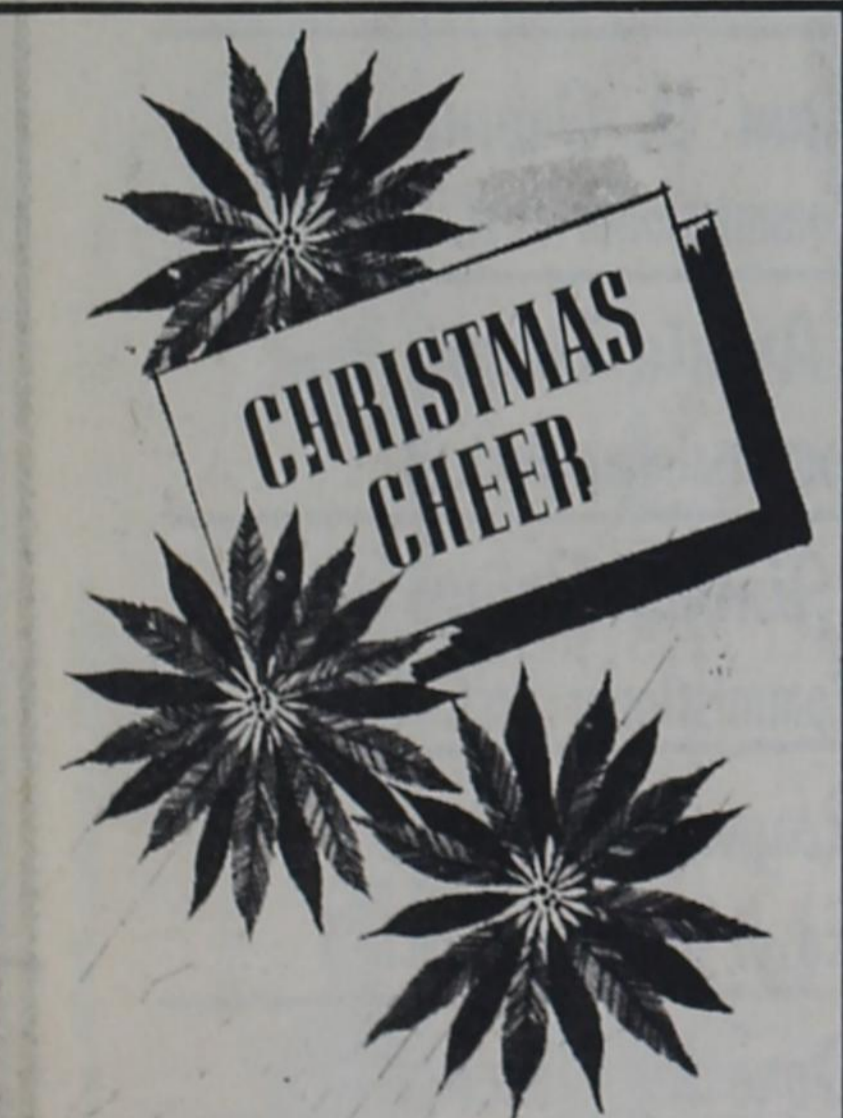


Sacred Mountain



Old Mission Interior

Pictured is the interior of the Old Zuni Mission at Zuni, N.M. The pictures arranged along the walls were all hand painted. Due to lack of heating facilities the old mission is only used occasionally, mainly for special days and celebrations.



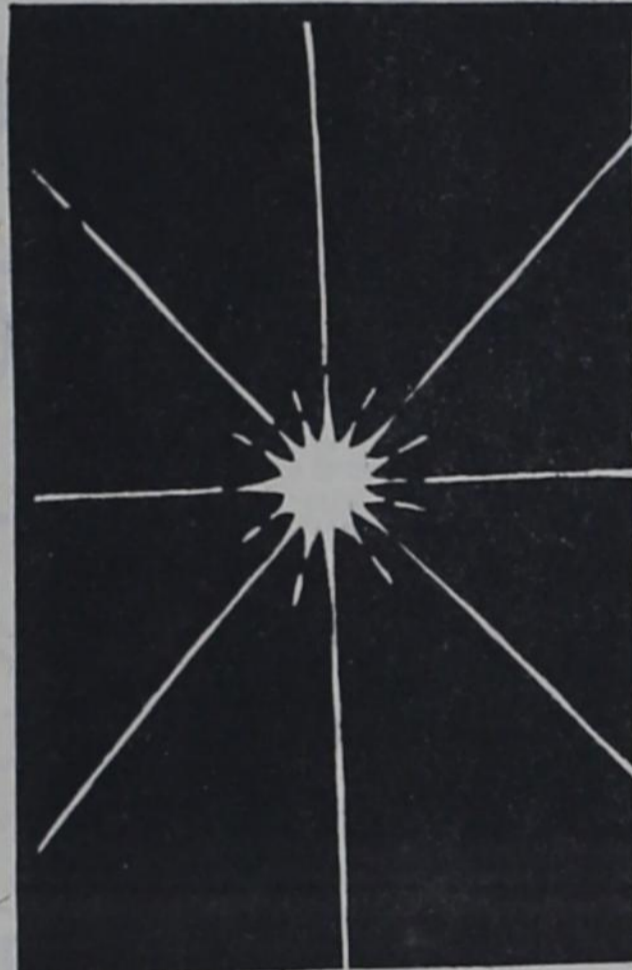
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Farwell Kindergarten Teacher Loves Working With Children

By Shirley Gorman

Being five years old can be lots of fun. But being five years old and having to go to school sometimes isn't always so much fun. Unless, of course, the little type attends Farwell Kindergarten and has Marcia Cole for a teacher. In that particular learning situation anything can and usually does happen.

Even though Mrs. Cole has taught kindergarten at Farwell for only the past four years, she is not new to the field of little ones. She taught for two years in the pre-school lab at Eastern New Mexico University, training kindergarten teachers. In Albuquerque, she taught first grade for one year. In Tulsa, Okla., she headed the child care and pre-school program at a Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Cole originally received her child study degree and pre-school certification at Stephens Junior College at Columbia, Mo. Since then, she has earned her B.A. and M.A. at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales. She has degrees in elementary education with a kindergarten certification. Mrs. Cole minored in voice, creative writing and English.

For one year she studied in Oslo, Norway, on a scholarship. "That was a fun-learning experience," she said.

Working with little children has always interested Mrs. Cole. While in high school she first encountered little people when she worked with the junior choir at a Methodist church in Clovis.

Mrs. Cole takes her job very

seriously. Recently she had an article published in the August 1978 issue of Texas Outlook magazine entitled "Why Kindergarten?" In the informative and well-written article, Mrs. Cole explains some basic truths about herself and her chosen field.

She believes that you have to love working with little children before you can be a successful kindergarten teacher. Just by talking to her it is obvious that Mrs. Cole is very wrapped up in her work, thoroughly enjoying every moment of even the most hectic, topsy-turvy day.

"I really like the refreshing honesty of the five-year-olds," she explained. "At this age they have not learned how to be inhibited. If they do not understand something they will tell you so, whereas older children tend to be more fearful of admitting that they do not catch on to the instruction."

Mrs. Cole teaches both a morning and an afternoon class. She is ably assisted by Eva Ancira who Mrs. Cole praises highly. "She is a great help to me and we work very well together."

Mrs. Cole brings a positive approach to the kindergarten program at Farwell. Instead of specifically telling a child "no" she tries to change their "bad" behavior into something good by giving them something else to do.

For instance, instead of telling a child, "no, you cannot sit on the table," she might say for instance "Chairs are made for sitting," thereby getting the same message across without using a nega-

tive approach.

Or in another instance, another child might be used to show the erring five-year-old how to sit in a chair rather than on a table. Mrs. Cole says the method works very well and can easily be used at home too.

At one time, kindergarten was more of a baby sitting service with the children, taking naps and eating snacks.

Not so with today's five-year-olds in Mrs. Cole's class. They work to learn, and have fun in the process.

Mrs. Cole's basic philosophy is to take a child from where he is and to take him as far as he can go.

"Not all children start at the same level so they do not all finish on the same level either," Mrs. Cole explained. "I believe that children should

be allowed to absorb just as much knowledge and skills as they are capable of understanding."

Mrs. Cole also offers extra help to the less developed kindergartners without holding the others back or pushing the others too far too fast.

"One thing I try to instill in all children is a love of learning and a desire to go to (Continued on Next Page)



Kindergarten Fun

Children who attend Farwell Kindergarten learn about many things while having fun in the process. Marcia Cole, kindergarten teacher, shows Heath Dollar, center, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dollar, and Greg Actkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Actkinson, how to paint leaves. Mrs. Cole has been teaching kindergarten at Farwell Schools for the past four years, conducting a morning and an afternoon session to accommodate all the students.

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Let's Play

Playing is an essential part of learning at kindergarten, and before these three youngsters settle down to the business of learning about letters, numbers and such, they are shown some toys they may play with. Eya Ancira, Farwell kindergarten aide, shows various toys to (from left) Cindy Meeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Meeks; Leticia Diaz, daughter of Rosa and Pedro Diaz; and Brandy Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Martin.

Farwell Kindergarten Teacher . . .

(Continued from Previous Page) school. If they come away from this class with that, then I feel as if I have accomplished something," Mrs. Cole explained.

The children in Mrs. Cole's room learn about many things as the year progresses. They are taught the basic numbers and phonetic sounds as well as how to print their names.

"We do a lot of physical marching because it helps us understand the marching order of numbers and letters and sentences," Mrs. Cole said. "We help the students to distinguish between the number 3 and the number 34," she explained. "In each instance they learn the different name."

The children also learn the marching order of the letters of the alphabet which simply means that they learn the proper sequence of letters. They are taught geometric figures as a prelude to learning about letters and their different shapes.

Children at this level do not actually read nor are they taught reading as such, she

said, but they learn words by a combination of sounds and pictures which depict different words or groups of words.

The energetic five-year-olds are taught about the seasons, and growing things such as plants. They also learn to be self-reliant and to do things for themselves. Mrs. Cole said this helps them to have a good feeling of accomplishment that they actually did something no matter how slight the task might have been.

Making and baking things are also a big part of the five-year-olds' school year. This past September they cooked apples. In October they made pumpkin pies with each student being assigned a different task, from planning and preparation to eating and cleaning up. The recipes are always placed on the blackboard and each step is gone over in its proper order so that the children learn the correct sequence to follow in a recipe.

November is reserved for the Pilgrim's Feast and December is for making and

frosting Christmas cookies. In March after learning the tale of the Leprechaun, they make stone soup which is actually a vegetable soup mixture. Each child brings something for the soup and the special ingredient is also the "magic" stone just like the Leprechaun used in the story.

May is the month of the end-of-the-year picnic and fun time at the city park. They also have a "make-up" day and learn about good hygienic habits.

Mrs. Cole does not issue report cards, but instead each child's parents receive periodic progress reports - how the child is doing. Parents are also welcome to sit in on classroom sessions.

Mrs. Cole is perfectly content to be doing just what she is doing - teaching two groups of energetic, "livewire" five-year-olds who are as anxious to learn and participate as she is to teach and guide them.

Hollies For Attractive Landscapes

Most people only associate Holly with the holiday season, but the Holly family contains many versatile and attractive shrubs for Texas landscapes.

"Some of the Holly family's finest members are native to vast areas of Texas," says Dr. William C. Welch, landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"The American Holly is native to the eastern third of the state and grows well in a variety of situations. Greenleaf and Savannah are American Holly selections that make excellent hedges or specimen plants."

The native yaupon, also a member of the Holly family, grows abundantly over large areas of Texas. It can be used as hedges, specimens and multi-trunk trees. The dwarf yaupon is one of the most useful low-growing evergreens for borders, mass plantings and specimens.

There also are some oriental species that do well in Texas, according to Welch, but some of them are more susceptible to scale insects than native plants.

"The best time to transplant hollies is during their dormant period, usually November through March in most of Texas," Welch explains. "Con-

tainer grown nursery plants can be moved any time if adequate care is taken."

Welch says large plants should be balled and burlapped rather than bare rooted. He also suggests frequent watering and a 2-inch mulch of leaves, pine straw or similar material.

"When selecting hollies from the native state, remember that only the female is fruit bearing," advises Welch. "Digging a plant with a few berries can assure a potential for future fruiting."



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Unusual Christmas Tree

If you happen by Nancy Alana's fourth grade classroom at Farwell Elementary School, you will find the door decorated with a somewhat unusual Christmas tree. The tree is made from construction paper and cut into the shape of many human hands - each bearing the name of the pupils in the classroom. Two of Mrs. Alana's students who echo the message "We Wish You a Merry Christmas" are Shonda Foster, daughter of Lewis Foster and Billie Foster and Dana White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert White.

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SPS Home Advisor - -

Festive Foods Are Fun And Easy To Prepare



by Shirley Gorman

A few weeks before Christmas, Connie Moyers, the Southwestern Public Service home advisor, presented a Festive Foods demonstration in Clovis.

Besides demonstrating a variety of dishes, she also gave helpful hints for preparing festive foods and utilizing time-saving kitchen appliances such as microwave ovens, processors, slow cookers and blenders.

Several recipes used in the demonstration specified a particular appliance, but she said that all recipes can usually be adapted to fit different appliances.

"To convert a microwave oven recipe to a regular oven, multiply the specified time by four," she said. In adapting regular recipes for microwaves, the reverse is true.

"It is a good idea to take off another two to three minutes when converting from microwave to regular oven," she continued. "Then test the dish and if necessary let it bake a little longer. That's better than ruining it by overbaking."

When fixing recipes which call for eggs, cheese or milk, Connie said that it is a good idea to slow the microwave oven down. "If your microwave has a probe, use it to test the dishes to see if they are done."

Some microwave ovens now come with racks which allow several dishes to be baked at one time.

When microwave ovens were first introduced several years ago, popcorn was popped in them, but Connie says it is not a good idea to use your microwave as a popcorn popper. "Microwaves need the moisture in foods, and popcorn is too dry. It might damage your microwave."

Connie also advised the audience to cook foods in a microwave oven in a circular pattern. "Foods cook better that way."

She explained that different dishes may be used in microwaves but to be sure they should be tested before actual use. Each microwave manufacturer uses a different technique to test dishes, she said, but one way is to place a dish in the oven with a cup of water in it. "If the dish gets hot and the water does not then don't use the dish," she said.

In preparing one of the many dishes served following the demonstration, Connie said it is best to turn the blenders and processors on and off as

you are preparing foods. While preparing the potatoes to fit in the processor, Connie said she did not peel them because "they taste better and are more nutritional with the peelings on."

To brown a pie crust in the microwave oven, Connie applied a light coat of Worcestershire sauce, "for those who think a pie crust must be brown to be done."

Also in using a blender, she said it was best to place the liquid ingredients on the bottom.

Connie advised everyone to be especially careful of the blades of the processors and, if there were any problems or dissatisfaction with the appliances to consult the manufacturer.

For the busy woman on the go, Connie said a "time saver" is to keep a pound of ground beef browned and stored in the refrigerator for instant use.

The following are copies of the recipes used in the Festive Foods demonstration:

Hamburger Dip

- 1 lb. ground beef
- 1 lb. American cheese, cubed
- 1 8-oz. can tomatoes and green chilies
- 2 t. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/2 t. chili powder

Brown ground beef. Add other ingredients and cook on low heat until cheese is melted and the mixture is hot and bubbly.

For cooking in a slow cooker, cook on high heat for 1 hour or on low for two hours.

For quick cooking, heat in a microwave oven until cheese is melted and the dip is hot.

Cranberry-Orange Twinkle

- Lemon slices
- Cranberry cocktail
- 1 bottle (28 oz.) orange-flavored carbonated beverage, chilled
- 1 bottle (28 oz.) carbonated water, chilled
- Fresh mint (optional)
- Put a lemon slice in each section of ice-cube tray and fill with cranberry cocktail. Freeze. Mix orange-flavored carbonated beverage and carbonated water just before serving. Serve over cranberry ice cubes. Top with mint sprigs. Makes about 2 quarts.

Kool-Punch

- 1 can (12 oz.) orange juice
- 1 pkg. cherry Kool-Aid or beverage mix
- 1 c. sugar
- 1 bottle (32 oz.) 7-Up

Dilute orange juice as directed; add Kool-Aid, sugar and 7-Up. Stir. Serves 30.

Amazing Coconut Pie

- 2 c. milk
- 3/4 c. sugar
- 1/2 c. biscuit mix
- 4 eggs
- 1/4 c. margarine
- 1 1/2 t. vanilla
- 1 c. coconut

Combine all ingredients, except coconut, in electric blender. Cover and blend on low speed for three minutes. Pour into greased 9-inch pie pan. Let stand about five minutes; then sprinkle with coconut. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes. Serve warm or cold.

Pumpkin Cake Roll

- 3 eggs
- 1 c. sugar
- 2/3 c. pumpkin
- 1 t. lemon juice
- 3/4 c. flour
- 1 t. baking powder
- 2 t. cinnamon
- 1 t. ginger
- 1/2 t. nutmeg
- 1/2 t. salt
- 1 c. finely chopped walnuts

Beat eggs with an electric mixer on high speed for five minutes, gradually adding sugar. Mix in pumpkin and lemon juice. Sift flour, baking powder, spices and salt together; fold into pumpkin mixture. Spread into a greased and floured 15x10x1-inch pan.

Top with finely chopped walnuts. Bake at 375 degrees for 15 minutes. While hot turn out on a towel sprinkled with powdered sugar. Starting at the narrow end, roll towel and cake together, cool, unroll and spread filling over cake.

- Filling:
- 1 c. sifted powdered sugar
- 2 pkgs. (3 oz. each) cream cheese
- 4 T. margarine
- 1/2 t. vanilla
- Combine ingredients; beat until smooth and spread over cooled cake. Roll and chill. Makes 8 servings.

- Frosting: (optional)
- 1 pkg. Dream Whip
- 1 small box butter pecan instant pudding
- 2 c. milk
- Blend all ingredients. Spread on cake.

Oniony Steak and Potatoes

- 1 T. salad oil
- 1 lb. beef round steak, cut 1/2 inch thick
- 1 envelope onion soup mix
- 4 medium potatoes, thinly sliced

- 1 1/2 t. salt
- 1/4 t. pepper
- 2 1/2 c. water
- 1 pkg. (9 oz.) frozen Italian green beans
- 2 T. flour
- 1/2 c. water

Place salad oil in a 12-inch skillet and heat on medium heat. Brown steak on both sides. Stir in onion soup mix, potatoes, salt, pepper and 2 1/2 cups water; heat to boiling. Reduce heat to low; cover and simmer 10-15 minutes. Add green beans, cover and cook 10-15 minutes longer or until meat and vegetables are tender. Remove meat and vegetables to warm platter; keep warm.

Blend flour and 1/2 cup water until smooth; gradually stir mixture into hot liquid in skillet and cook; stirring constantly, until thickened. Serve gravy with meat and vegetables. Serves four.

NOTE: Green beans may be cooked in the microwave in their own package approximately five minutes and then added to the skillet. The gravy may also be prepared in the microwave.

Zucchini Casserole

- 4 T. butter, melted
- 1 to 1 1/2 c. bread cubes
- 2 c. zucchini, thinly sliced
- 1/4 c. chopped green pepper
- 1/4 c. chopped onion
- 1 c. chopped tomato salt and pepper
- 1/4 lb. American cheese, grated

Melt butter and pour over bread cubes. In a greased casserole make three layers of zucchini, green pepper, onion and tomato; season each layer with salt and pepper. Top each layer with bread cubes and cheese. Cover and bake in a 325 degree oven for one hour or until zucchini is tender.

Quiche Lorraine

- 10 slices bacon
- 9-inch unbaked pastry shell
- 1 1/2 c. grated Swiss cheese
- 3 eggs
- 1/2 c. light cream or evaporated milk
- 1/4 t. salt
- 1/8 t. pepper
- 1 T. chopped chives

Arrange bacon in layers on glass plate or in baking dish. Cover with paper towels. Microwave 5 1/2 to 7 minutes or until crisp. Microwave pastry shell for two minutes. Crumble bacon and add with cheese to pastry shell. Combine remaining ingredients; beat until smooth. Pour over cheese mixture. Microwave 11 to 12 minutes or until filling is set,

rotating plate once or twice.

Bacon 'N Cheese Pie (Processor)

- 1 unbaked 9-inch pie crust
- 1/2 lb. Swiss cheese
- 8 slices bacon
- 4 eggs
- 1 1/4 c. milk
- 1 t. chives
- 1/2 t. salt
- 1/4 t. pepper
- Nutmeg
- Place a piece of aluminum foil over pie crust in pan and

fill with dry beans to weight down pastry and prevent it from puffing as it bakes. Bake at 375 degrees for 20 minutes. Remove foil and beans. Shred cheese with shredding blade. Transfer to mixing bowl. Position knife blade and add bacon and eggs. Process about 10 seconds until bacon is chopped. Pour over cheese. Add milk, chives, salt and pepper to cheese mixture. Stir to blend thoroughly. Pour into hot, partially baked pie crust. Sprinkle surface with nutmeg.

Bake at 375 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes, or until knife inserted in center comes out clean. Let cool 10 minutes before serving.

Pie Crust (Processor)

- 2 c. flour
- 1 t. salt
- 1/2 c. butter, frozen and cut into six pieces
- 1/2 c. cold water
- Place flour, salt and butter in processor bowl; use the knife blade assembly in the food processor. Process until butter is evenly cut into flour

- 20 seconds. While processor is on, quickly add water through the food chute all at once. Process until dough forms a ball - 20 to 30 seconds. Remove from bowl; divide in half and shape into balls. Chill 1/2 hour before using, if possible. Roll out according to your favorite method. Makes two nine-inch pie crusts.

For pie crust using lard, follow above recipe instructions except increase flour to 2 1/4 cups and use 1/4 lb. chilled lard instead of the butter.

NOTE: There is no need to sift the flour. Instead stir it in the canister three or four times before measuring to fluff it slightly. Measure into dry measuring cups, leveling off with a straight edge.



Festive Foods Demonstration

Connie Moyers, Southwestern Public Service home advisor, recently presented a Festive Foods demonstration in Clovis. She is pictured demonstrating one of the many uses of a food processor. Only moments before she used the handy little device to whip up a pie crust for a coconut pie. Connie demonstrated the use of several time saving kitchen appliances, shared helpful culinary hints and provided those who attended the demonstration with many good recipes to use for the holiday season as well as throughout the year.



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At WTSU - -

Darren Sudderth Wins Top Prize In Archery

by Shirley Gorman

When Darren Sudderth loads, takes aim and shoots he is firing a bow and arrow and not a rifle. The West Texas State University freshman wields the 45-pound bow like it was born in his arms. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Sudderth of Farwell.

Natural ability, good instincts and love for the sport propelled the young man to walk away with the top prize in the WTSU beginner's archery class tournament in November. Sudderth scored a total of 233 points for first place, besting the school record of 197 points by a wide margin.

Twelve young men including Sudderth competed in the archery contest. A separate

tournament was conducted for the female members of the archery class.

Each contestant shot a series of three arrows, ten different times, at a target strategically placed 25 yards away.

Besides breaking the school record and claiming the first place trophy, Sudderth also earned his archery certificate. He uses a Bear Compound Bow with 30-inch arrows.

Sudderth would like to pursue his studies in archery taking the intermediate course next semester and the advanced course next year. However even if he does not enroll in the remaining two classes, Sudderth feels he has learned enough to pursue the sport on his own now.

If he does sign up for the

intermediate class, he will be eligible to compete on the WTSU archery team - something his instructor is hoping for.

Prior to enrolling at WTSU, Sudderth said he had had no other archery experience.

"When I was a freshman at Farwell High, Coach Owen used to let me shoot a bow sometimes, but that was about all I had ever done," he said.

Sudderth has learned many things since signing up for the beginner's course. "I learned safety features and the correct form in shooting the bow and arrow."

"I wear a hunting glove on my right hand and an arm guard for my left arm," he explained. "You can hurt yourself if you are not careful."

Sudderth said you utilize the muscles in your back when you shoot a bow and arrow. "If your arms hurt then you know you are not doing it right," he explained. "Also when you use your arms, your grip is shaky and that makes it hard to shoot well. The bow has a sight on it just like a rifle and it can be just as deadly," Sudderth said.

"Archery is a fun sport and someday I would like to go hunting with just a bow and arrow. Basically I think I am an outdoors person," he said. "I'd like to pursue this interest. I think it can be a lot of fun."



Ready, Aim, Shoot

Darren Sudderth, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Sudderth of Farwell, demonstrates the proper stance and poise utilized in shooting a bow and arrow. Sudderth, a freshman at West Texas State University at Canyon, recently garnered first place in the beginner's archery tournament with 233 points - breaking the school record by 36 points. The trophy he received is shown, on the ledge in front of him.

Lessons For Children - -

Katy Coloring Books Tell Proper Drug Usage

By Shirley Gorman

"Hello. My name is Katy, and I'm here to teach you about drugs and health with my new coloring book. Now let's see, I think my crayons are here somewhere."

Thus begins "Katy's Coloring Book About Drugs and Health" which is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration.

Katy is a kangaroo and is colored green in the book. Throughout the pages of the coloring book, she and her animal friends give important information about taking drugs prescribed by doctors only when an individual is sick.

The special book is part of the constant war on drug abuse which has long plagued this nation and the rest of the world. The coloring book is designed to acquaint small children with valuable lessons concerning drugs and the proper time to take them.

Each page emphasizes a different point which is amply illustrated. A guideline for parents is also included to enable them to use the book with their children.

One such lesson says, "Drugs help you get well when they are prescribed by your doctor and given to you by your parents."

Another says, "Only parents give you drugs. You must never take anything from the medicine cabinet by yourself." Still another point made is, "Well people who foolishly take drugs for fun can only become sick." And there are many more.

The coloring book is available through Farwell City Marshal Ronnie Mitchell. During the 1977-78 school year, Marcia Cole, Farwell Kindergarten teacher, utilized the coloring books within the framework of her own classroom schedule.

They tackled a page a day, learning all about the different lessons associated with making the wrong decision concerning drugs of any kind.

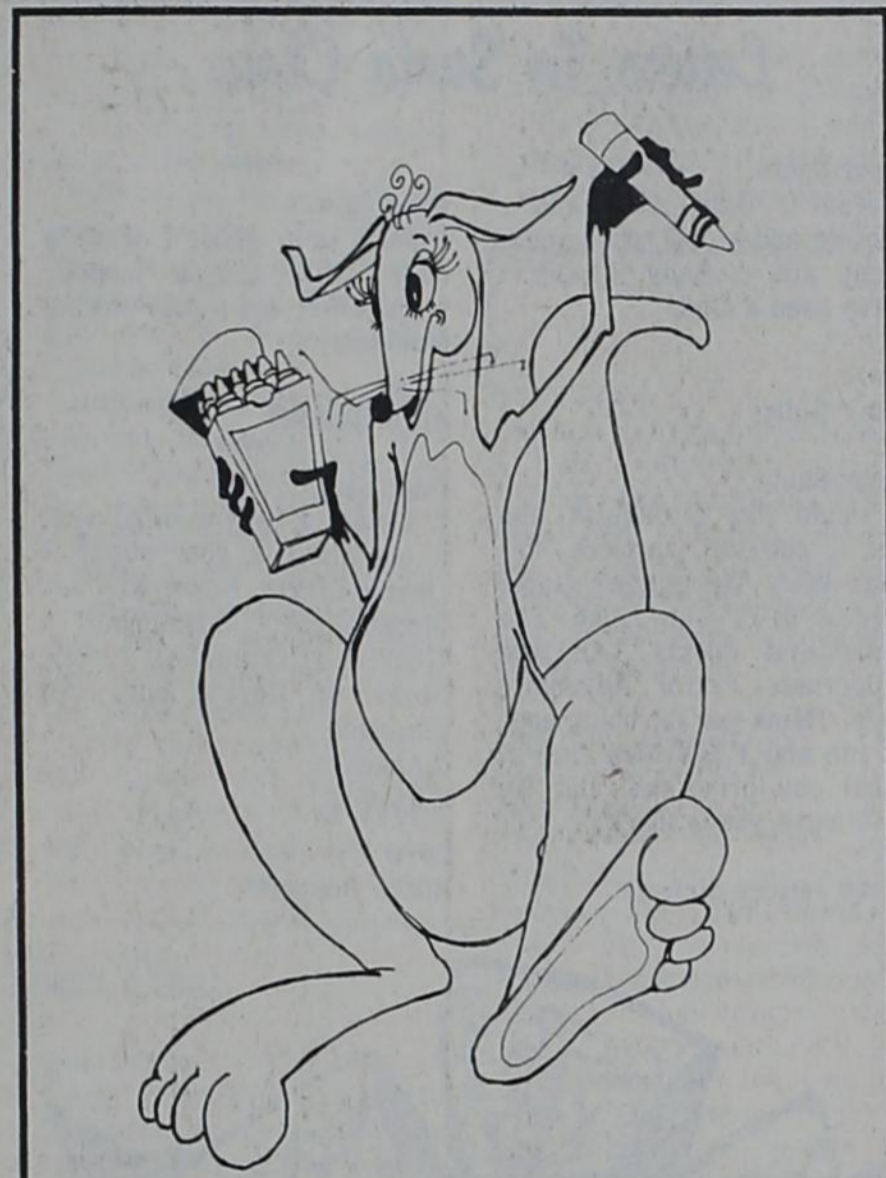
Mrs. Cole said she likes the books and found them useful.

She added that they went beyond the normal intended use of the coloring books, because they also explained the words in the sentences and the sounds of the letters in each word.

Besides learning proper drug usage, the children also colored the pictures, further emphasizing the correct drug usage procedure.

The Drug Enforcement Administration issues the coloring books in the hopes that young children will begin to learn about proper and improper use of drugs, and thus avoid becoming a statistic or a victim of the problem in the future.

Prevention through education is the goal of the organization.



Color Me Green

Katy Kangaroo is a delightful creature who has a coloring book named after her - Katy's Coloring Book About Drugs and Health. Throughout her pages, she attempts to inform young children about correct and incorrect use of drugs. The books, issued by the U.S. Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration, are designed to prevent future misuse of drugs through education. Last school year, Marcia Cole, Farwell kindergarten teacher, obtained several books through Farwell City Marshal Ronnie Mitchell and utilized them in her classes.

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Dear Santa,

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Love,
Dana White *****

Dear Santa Clase

I want a Airplane firing controll stik. Greg wants a Heavy-duty Logging Truck and a Nascar set. Jill wants a doll with a boddel and a bed. Love Jeff & Greg & Jill Atkinson *****

Dear Santa Claus

I have been good. For Christmas I want a stuffed pony, a green machine, a new bridle, a new Pair of

cowboy boots, a play horse, a fuzzy pumper pet shot, and a football.

Kristi Lovelace. *****

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From David M.S. *****

Dear Santa,

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Love, Kathy Lingnau

P.s. I will leave Some milk and cookies for you and some carrots for the reindeers. *****

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At Farwell - -

Driver's Ed Students Learn Through Doing

by Shirley Gorman

In the state of Texas, teenagers cannot obtain a valid driver's license before the age of 18 unless they pass a driver's education course. Farwell youngsters faced with this dilemma turn to Jerry Dee Owen for assistance. The high school and junior high teacher also serves as the official driver's education instructor, a post he has held for the past seven years.

Students generally learn the "bookwork" of driving during regular classroom instruction throughout the school year and practice their driving in the summer months. They earn one-quarter credit for the course.

Each course lasts ten weeks with the present session slated to end in February. Another class will begin then and conclude at the end of the school year.

Owen said he instructs approximately 50 students per year. Presently, his classroom enrollment lists 27 driver's education pupils.

These students are responsible for 32 classroom hours of study. Each one is given a worksheet to fill out on which they mark the different learning phases they complete during the 10-week course.

Once that is done, they are ready to take the written test in order to receive their instructional permit which allows them to drive with any licensed driver over 18. The test is given in Friona by a Texas Department of Public Safety officer.

To enter the driver's education class at Farwell, a student must be 15 years old on or before the first day of class.

In addition to classroom instruction, students must also spend a total of six hours

driving as well as six hours observing.

"We usually start driving in June and July and each student drives for 30 minutes at a time. We go in groups of three," Owen said. During that time, Owen said they put approximately 7,000 miles on the car.

Once all the requirements have been met and the student is 16 years old, he is then eligible to have the driving restriction removed from his license.

Students who take driver's education under Owen are "put through their paces." During the classroom phase, they study the text "Drive Right" which comes with two workbooks, and the Texas Driving Handbook. Students cut out pictures of accidents from area newspapers and mount them on posterboard for future study.

Owen also shows numerous

films pertaining to the dangers of drinking and driving and taking drugs and driving. Driver's education students also see films about accidents.

Following phase one, students get down to the "serious" business of driving. Owen takes them on training cruises to Clovis as well as around town.

"Since they will be driving in Clovis it makes sense to let them learn how to do it," Owen said. "We travel the trouble spots in Clovis and even drag main street."

During the summer, they also travel at dusk in order to give students a "feel" of all types of driving conditions.

During the driving phase, students are also treated to a type of obstacle course featuring cones which allow them to learn to maneuver and turn the car.

Requirements state that of the six hours of driving experiences, one must be the obstacle course, two in rural areas and three in the city.

Owen said all requirements for the course are set by the Texas State Board of Education.

"We usually travel to Clovis on the four lane highway and come home on the two-lane highway in order to qualify for the rural driving part," Owen said.

Until last summer, the Farwell driver's education students maintained a perfect

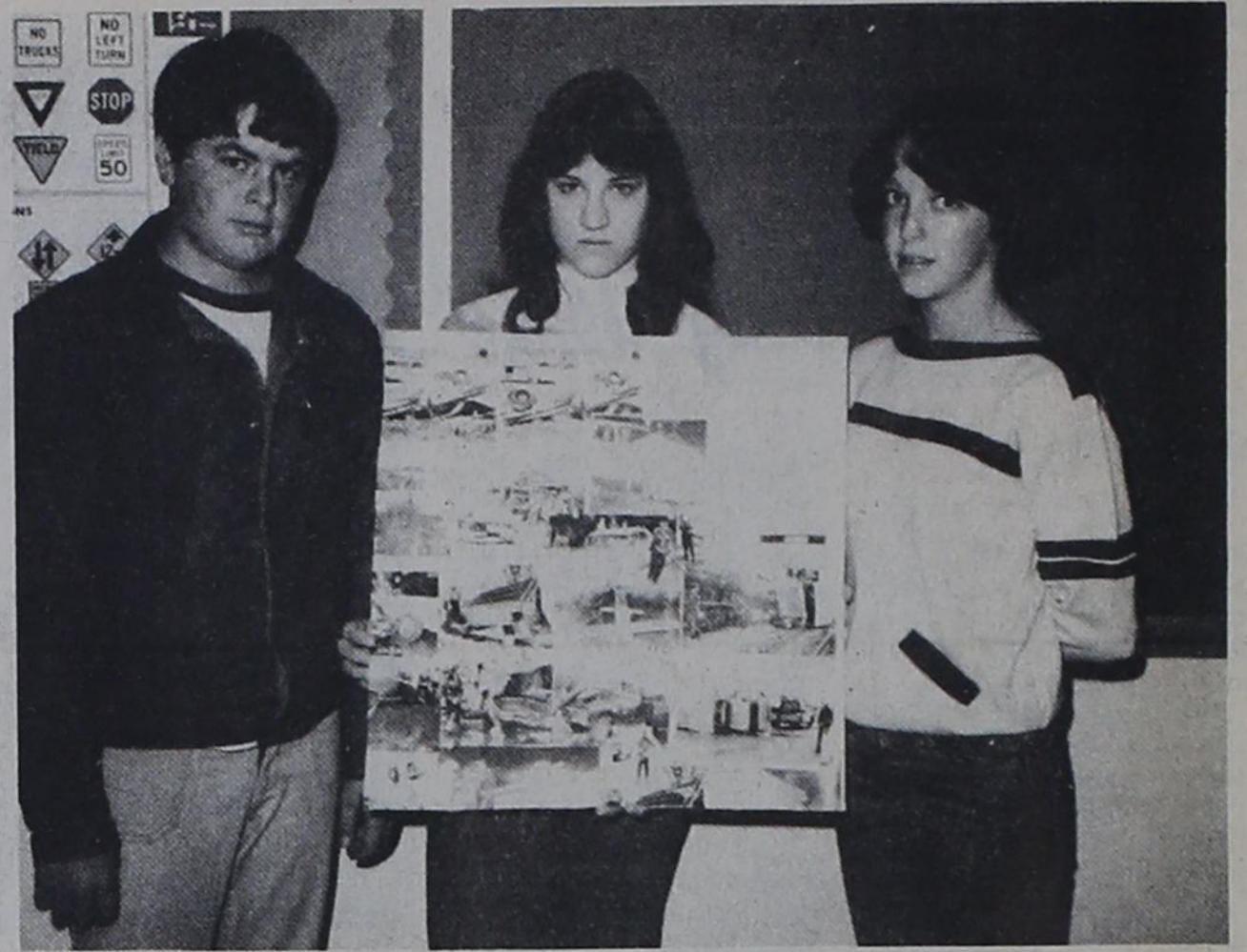
driving record. Some students in the driver's education car was involved in a minor accident, "but it wasn't our fault," Owen said.

Owen is no stranger to teaching driver's education, having done so at Farwell for the past seven years. During that time he has observed all kinds of drivers.

"Girls are the best drivers because they have a more cautious attitude, are easier to teach and are more conscientious," he said. "They are also more mature and thoughtful about their responsibilities."

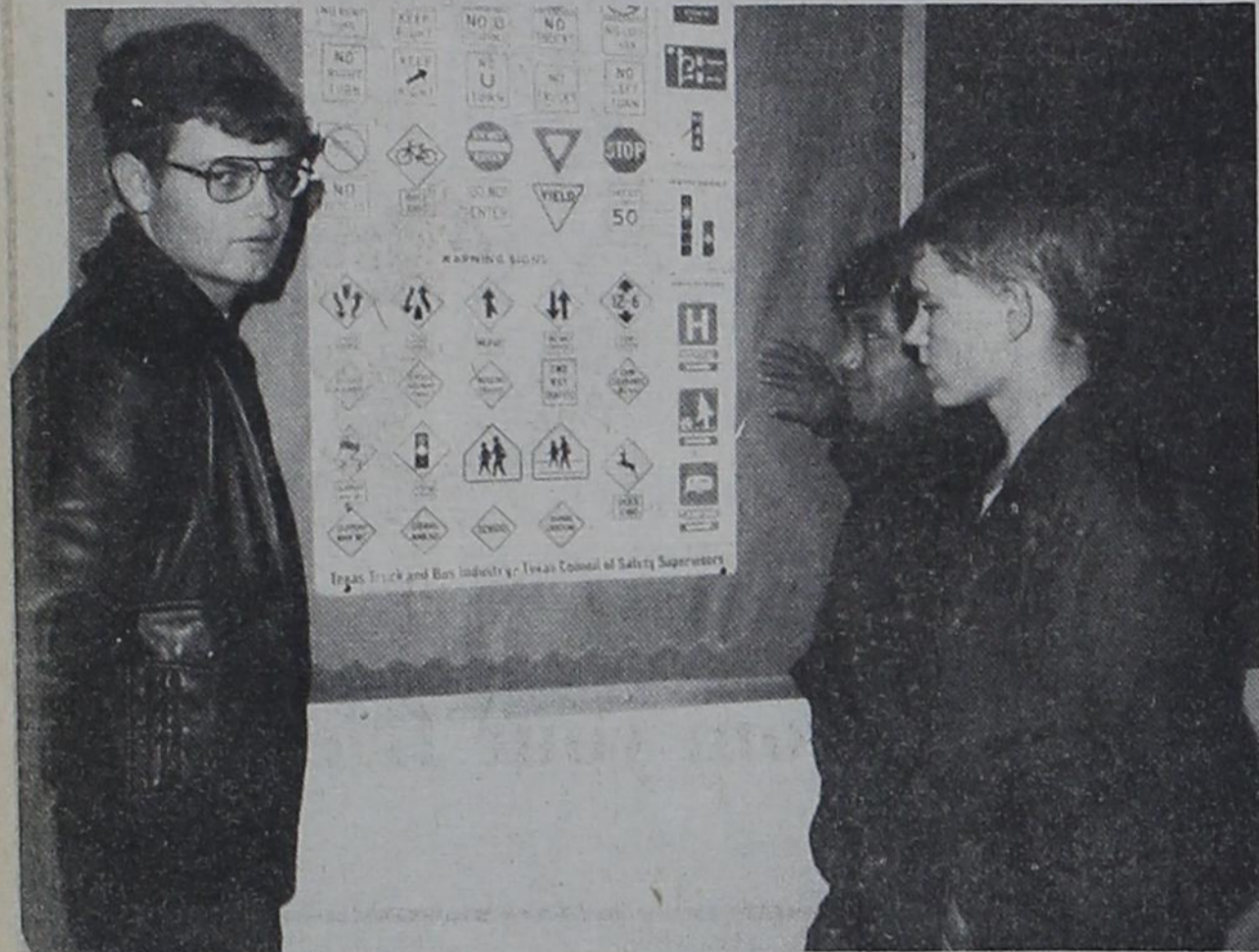
Before 15-year-olds begin the course the school nurse tests them for any handicaps or vision difficulties.

"Sometimes I have students with tunnel vision and I have to teach them to move their head more. In general those with handicaps are taught to overcome as best they can," Owen said.



Learning To Drive

These three Farwell driver's education students are studying about accidents as part of the classroom phase of the program. Displaying a poster of accident pictures are, from left, Scott Bass, Donna Meeks and Lari Curtis. Besides learning about accidents and ways to avoid them, the 15-year-olds also study driving texts and the Texas driving handbook.



Studying Road Signs

These 15-year-olds, students in Farwell driver's education class, are studying the numerous road signs they will encounter once they begin driving. Viewing the chart of road signs are, from left, Billy Hull, Johnny Vidarri and Doug Teel. They will complete the classroom instruction in February and begin practice driving next summer. Jerry Dee Owen is the instructor.



Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa Cluse:

I have tried to be a nice little boy. thank you For all the toys from last year, I have tried to keep them in good shape to. Santa for this year I would like to have:

1. bike
2. walkie-talkie's
3. star-war's game
4. kiss toy's
5. puppets
6. guitars

Santa I love you and so dose my brothers & sisters and mommy and daddy. Merry Christmas and happy New Year

love
Ruben Galvan *****

Dear Santa.

I want a Baby Alive and a bicycle and a doll house and a Benji and a Baby Stroller I have been a Good

Love
Amy Gulley *****

Dear Santa,

I would like GodZILLA and the 3, sho-Gun warriors, The Star Wars Tie fighters Game and a B-B Gun. also The Daredevil sports Van and wilderness Patrol Adventure Sets. Thank-you for being good to me and I will take care of what you bring me. and We will leave you a snack.

Love
Jeffrey Stewart.

Dear Santa,

I have been good. I want a baby Doll and a wonder woman doll and a play sewing Machine.

Love
April Haseloff *****

Dear Santa

1. I want a baby-wet-and-cart. 2. big wheel. 3. good puppy. 4. Deluxe Doctor, Nurse Kits and Medical cart 5. Matchbox. 6 U-Drive-It featuring. 7. SSP Smash-up Derby. pool and brcanada 2-Angelica 6-lisabeth

Love
Audra Beavers

Dear Santa,

I wanta milk cow and a horse. I love Dixon. I love Rudolph

Jeanette Robinson 7 *****

Dear Santu,

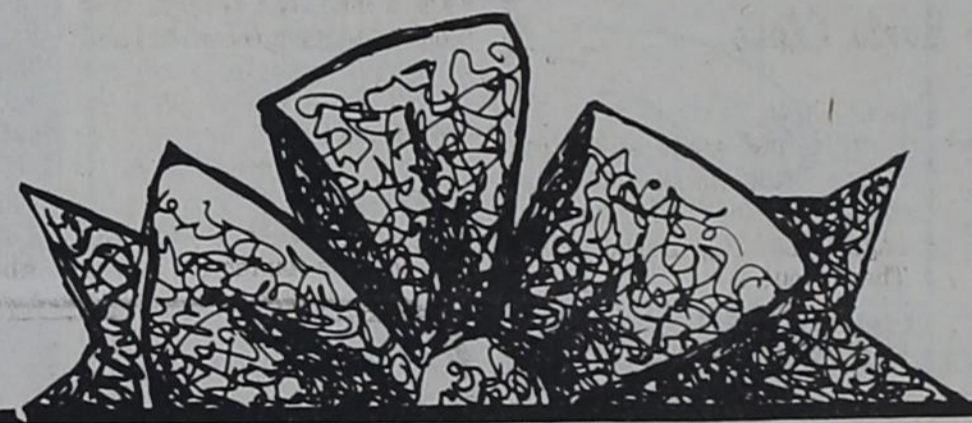
I want a baby doll and a worder woman book. I will leve you a cooky. I will leve you sum milk. I am 7 years old.

Tasha Rucker *****

Dear Santo,

I want a real horse and a baby doll Good I am 6

Visty Curry *****



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Bernice Norton Fern Christian Irene Henson

Texico Teenagers Begin At Age 14

by Shirley Gorman

Teenagers in the state of New Mexico may obtain their limited driving permit at age 14, if they successfully complete the classroom phase of driver's education. The following year - after meeting all the driver's education requirements - they may then get their valid, unrestricted operator's license at age 15.

"Even without driver's ed instruction, teenagers in New Mexico may get their driver's license at the age of 16, if they pass all the requirements and if their parents sign for them," says Kenneth Shaw, driver's education instructor at Texico Schools.

Shaw, who obtained his certification to teach driver's education at Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, has been heading the department at Texico for the past four years.

"I really like it," he said. "It's the best course I have ever taught because the students really do want to learn. When we have finished the course, we feel as if we have accomplished something," Shaw continued.

He said he has not noticed any difference in teaching either boys or girls to drive. "They all want to learn and they all work at it."

Motorcycle safety is not included in the Texico driver's education course. To be qualified to teach motorcycle safety, Shaw would have to be certified in that area, and thus far, he does not contemplate doing that.

Even though New Mexico law says that teenagers can obtain their license at age 16 without driver's education, Shaw said he has no trouble filling his classes. "They are still interested in learning to

drive through the course," he said.

The number of students during any given year varies. Thirty-three freshmen will complete the driving requirements this school year.

Shaw uses the text "Sportsmanlike Driving" and the New Mexico Driver's manual. Besides these, he utilizes guest speakers and numerous films.

"We study wrecks, and the students usually bring in pictures of accidents which have occurred in the area," Shaw said.

"I give them tests over each chapter as well as whatever other material we have covered," Shaw explained.

The test for the permit to drive with a certified instructor is administered in Clovis.

During the freshman year at Texico High School, the students continue the learning process through practice driving. They must drive for six hours and observe for eight hours, Shaw said.

Since the only way to learn to drive is "to get into traffic situations," Shaw takes the beginners over the streets of Clovis during the driving phase of the course.

"Sometimes the students are nervous at first," Shaw said, "but I'm not uncomfortable with them. In case I need it, I have what the students call a 'chicken brake.'"

Requirements for the course are set forth by the New Mexico State Board of Education. Shaw feels the course is "beneficial to teenagers."

High school students who move into the area, and who have not had driver's education, are allowed to enroll in the course, Shaw said.

Once the requirements of the course have been met, they receive a card saying they have successfully completed the course.



Ready To Drive

Kenneth Shaw, right, and these three Texico driver's education students, from left, Sammy Garcia, Johnny Cantu and James Robertson, are ready to begin special driving training in the driver's education vehicle. Shaw is the instructor for the course as well as Texico Junior High principal. Students take the classroom phase during the latter part of the eighth grade and begin practice driving as freshmen.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby in a Basket and a Baby wet.n.care and a Barbie Star traveller Motor home and a Barbie camera and a outdoor playhouse toy refrigerator Drink dispenser. Santa please bring some of the things I asked for.

love Amy Johnson *****

Dear Santa,
Thank you for what you brought me last year, please remember Kaci and chance. I want a bike, two records, and a baby tender love dirnks, and wets.

love Kendra *****

Dear Santa
I want you to bring Me a toy and it is a bulldozer and a

dumptruck And a play combine and a tenspeed bike and a bee-bee-Gun and a Skateboard and a Organ and a cowboy siut and some holsters with pistols and a cowboy hat and a army set with Jeeps and soldiors, and Spider man Well Santa That is all I Want for this Christmas I hope you can get them,
Merry Christmas to you and you'er elvls

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Dear Santa,
for christmas I would I like a bat and ball a nite-glow. I lik a ricing car. Track with ten cars and I would like a little christmas tree.

Thank you
Love
Abel Lopez

Dear Santa
I would like a Godzella Moztr! And have a happy Christmas

Love Dean Fant *****

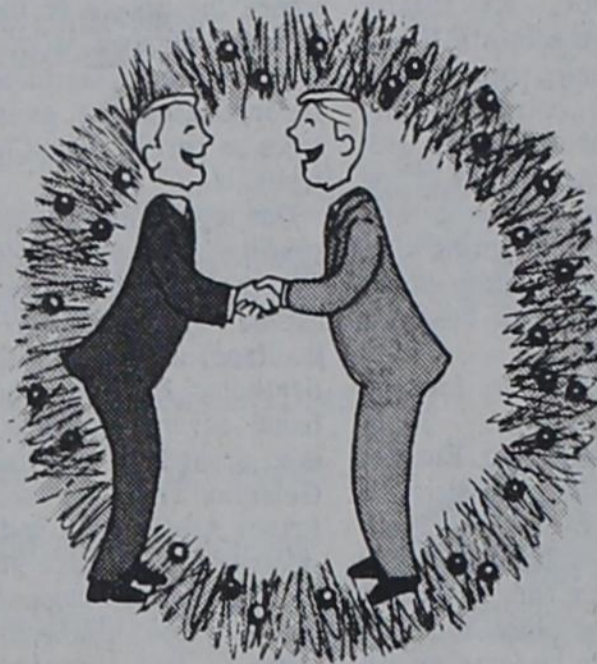
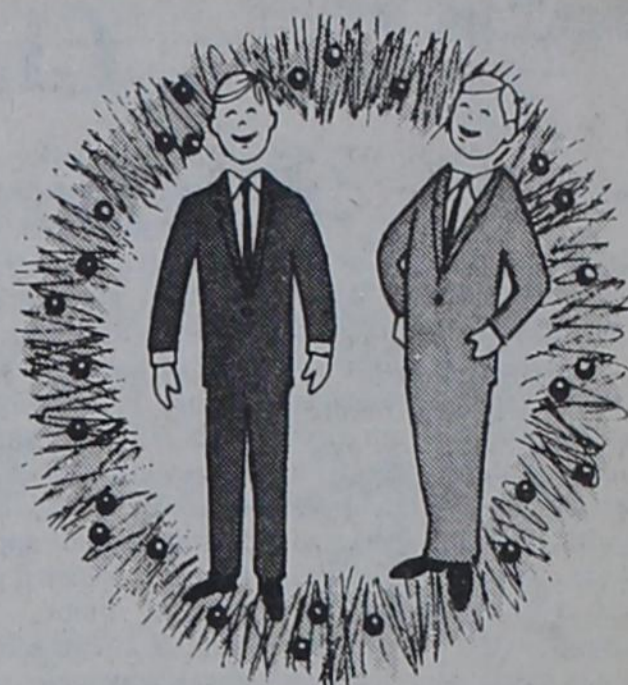
Dear Santa
I want a baby that away. And a baby alive. And some new clothes

Darla Armstrong *****

Dear Santa,
I've been good this year I want a Dallas Cowboy helmet for me, and one for my little brother. I would also like a race car set and a Snoppy watch.

Love
Brian Haseloff *****

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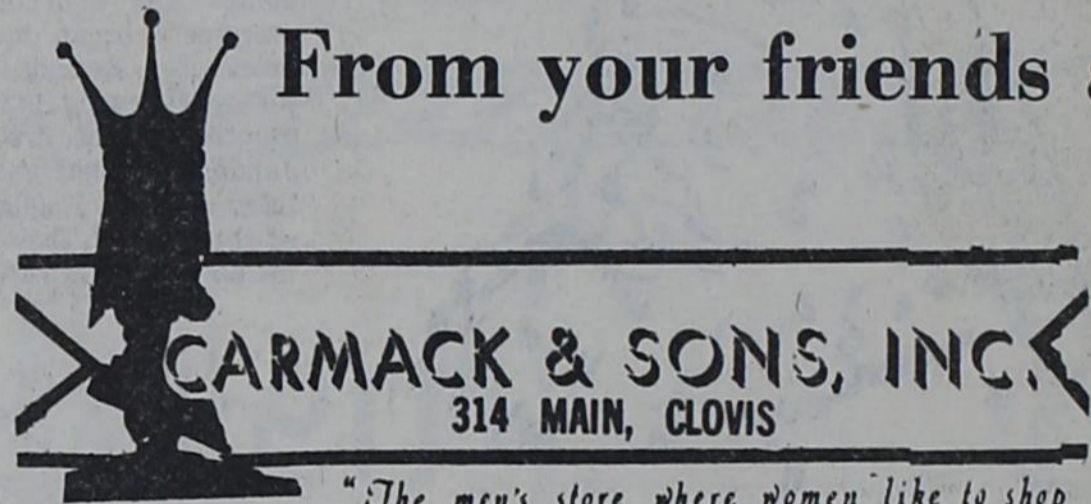
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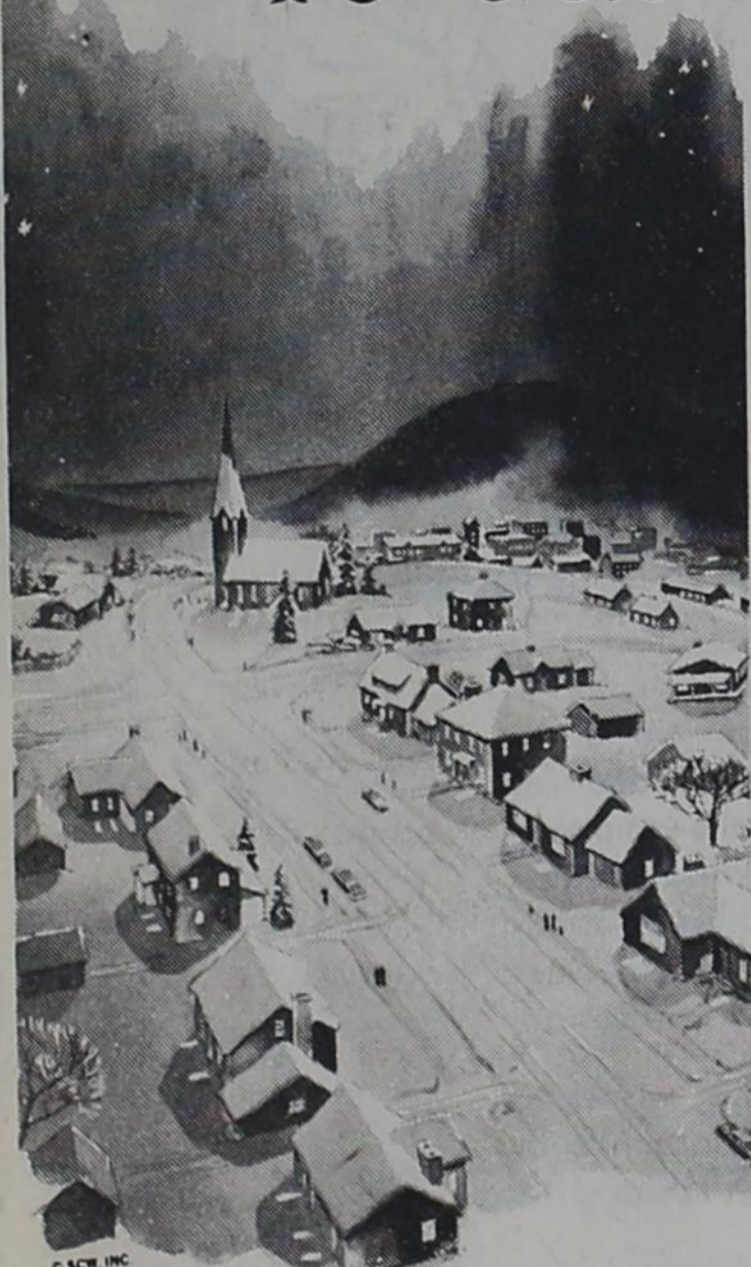
Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Baby Thank you!

Love,
Melissa *****

Dear Santa,
I am in first grade in Texico. Please bring me a Baby Wet 'n Care, Dancerella, angles, angels, Sewing, Barbie Doll, Thank you!

Love Edith Jo, *****

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Christmas Celebration Marked By Many Symbols

by Shirley Gorman

Christmas, a merry time of year, is shrouded with traditions dating back hundreds of years. Today's typical Christmas would not be complete without a visit from the mythical Santa Claus who resides at the North Pole along with his wife, elves and reindeers. Other traditional symbols of Christmas are the Christmas tree, the star, Christmas cards, yule log and the mistletoe.

St. Nicholas, a bishop of Myra in Asia Minor in the A. D.'s 300, is considered to be a forerunner of the jolly man in red who dashes about each Christmas Eve handing out presents to all the good children in the world as they lie in their beds asleep and no doubt dreaming of what they will find under the tree in the morning.

St. Nicholas was a very generous man who liked to surprise people with gifts. Eventually people came to believe that all surprise gifts came from him. When the people in the Netherlands chose St. Nick to be the patron saint of children he became quite famous indeed. Today of course the generous person who goes around dispensing presents is called Santa Claus and no Christmas would be quite the same without him and his reindeers—especially Rudolph the one with the shiny red nose.

It is a commonly known fact that Santa is supposed to slide

down chimneys on Christmas Eve with a sack of presents slung over his shoulder. But what is not common knowledge is how that particular part of the Santa legend came to be. It actually originated from an Old Norse legend. Apparently the Norse people believed that the goddess Hertha would appear in the fireplace bringing good fortune to the home. Eventually Hertha became Santa Claus and the chimney became the most popular entry into any home. And for the homes with no chimney the parents of the children always found a way to assure their offspring that chimney or no chimney Santa would not miss their home on Christmas Eve.

The actual name for the Christmas do-gooder — Santa Claus — hailed from Europe. Early day Dutch settlers in New York called St. Nick Sinterklass. The symbol proved popular with American children and they adopted Santa Claus to be forevermore a special part of any Christmas observance.

In 1823 Clement C. Moore, an American minister and poet, first described the traditional Santa clothes and sleigh and reindeer in a poem he wrote entitled, "A Visit From St. Nicholas." Later the poem was retitled "The Night Before Christmas" and what Christmas would be complete without reading it at least once for little children and adults alike.

Pretty trees from green to

silver and gold usually deck the homes and business establishments today during the Christmas season. These evergreens—be they real, artificial, plain or flocked—are usually always trimmed with lights, colorful ornaments, tinsel and other decorations.

Again the origin of the Christmas tree goes back centuries to Scandanavia where the people of the land once worshipped trees. After they became Christians they incorporated the evergreen trees as part of their Christian festivals.

One legend which is approximately 1,200 years old said that an English missionary named Winfried (later called Boniface) was passing through northern Europe when he found several heathens gathered around an oak tree near Geismar ready to sacrifice Prince Asulf to the god Thor. Winfried managed to stop the sacrifice and he chopped down the oak tree. Immediately a young fir tree appeared in its place. The missionary told the

An old English rhyme is as follows: "Holly and Ivy box and bay, put in church on Christmas Day." Today poinsettias are also used with evergreens to decorate homes for Christmas.

The people of Germany are believed to be the first people to use Christmas tree decorations.



They brightened their evergreens with stars, angels, toys, gilded nuts, and candles wrapped in bright papers. Later, tinsel and lighted candles were used. However the usage of lighted candles died out in America many years ago because of the danger of the tree catching fire.

To decorate their trees the people in Scandanavia used to use fish nets and little flags. Now many use cookies, apples and gilded nuts. The people in Poland used bright paper ornaments and candles.

In the United States, early decorations were handmade paper ornaments, candy canes, strings of cranberries and popcorn. Today, many of these items have been replaced by shiny colored balls and electric lights.

The star is considered to be a universal Christmas symbol. It was first mentioned in the book of Matthew 2:1-2. Jesus is often referred to as the "Light of the World". Martin Luther was perhaps the first man to use lights on a Christmas tree. According to a popular story, he used lights to represent the glory and beauty of the stars above on the night of Christ's birthday. In Ireland, people leave a

candle burning in the window to light the way for the Christ Child on Christmas Eve. Many churches in the United States also have candlelight services on Christmas Eve.

In the Netherlands, young men in colorful costumes carry a lantern holding many lighted candles as they stroll through the streets singing carols.

Christmas cards — another traditional symbol — have been exchanged only since the mid 1800's. The first ones, on sale in 1843, were believed to be printed by a London company. Soon printed Christmas cards became as popular as hand written notes. Louis Prang, a Boston lithographer, printed multicolored cards in 1865. They were first sold in England and ten years later were on sale in United States.

Many families like to burn a yule log for the holiday season. The custom of burning the Juul (yool) log originated with the Norse and Anglo-Saxon peoples who burned a huge oak log once a year to honor the god of Thunder Thor. Later when they became Christians they incorporated the burning of the log into their Christian ceremonies.

The Scandanavians used the word yule to mean Christian. In Lithuania the word for Christmas really means "log evening." The yule log was

become associated with the Christmas holiday. Druids, ancient Celtic priests, used the sprigs of the plant as a charm and 100 years ago some European people used it at religious gatherings. A common use of mistletoe today is to hang it over doorways and anyone caught standing underneath it is likely to get a holiday kiss.

Christmas—a time of peace on earth and good will toward all men; shopping for gifts, picking out a tree; decorating it and being with family and



friends for a joyous celebration and exchange of presents and felicitations—is traditionally observed on December 25; but it was not always so. For over 300 years many people of many lands celebrated Christ's birthdate on various days. But in A. D. 354, Pope Liberius of Rome designated December 25 as Christ's birthday. He probably chose that particular date because the citizens of Rome already observed it as the feast of Saturn or the birthday of the sun. Christians praised Christ rather than Saturn as the Light of the World.

Christmas in ancient Egypt celebrated Christmas on January 6, and today many Eastern Orthodox churches still respect that date. And for a time Christmas was really referred to as Xmas. In the early Christian church, the X was regarded as the first symbol of Christ's name. The X was also frequently used as a holy symbol; thus for some it is still used as a proper designation for Christmas. Others shun the term Xmas

however, feeling that it detracts from the true observance of Christmas which is to celebrate the birthdate of the Christ Child.

For a number of years people observed Christmas as a religious festival only. Eventually though more and more customs unrelated to the church developed and became an important part of the holiday.

The English citizens living during the Middle Ages regarded Christmas as the merriest day of the year, often having rowdy celebrations throughout the day. The situation deteriorated so badly that in 1643 the Puritans outlawed the celebration of Christmas.

The New England colonists copied their European brethren and enacted Blue Laws for Massachusetts Bay and the New Haven colonies, even outlawing mince pies. But immigrants brought with them Christmas customs from many lands and the tradition gradually took root again, developing into the type of Christmas

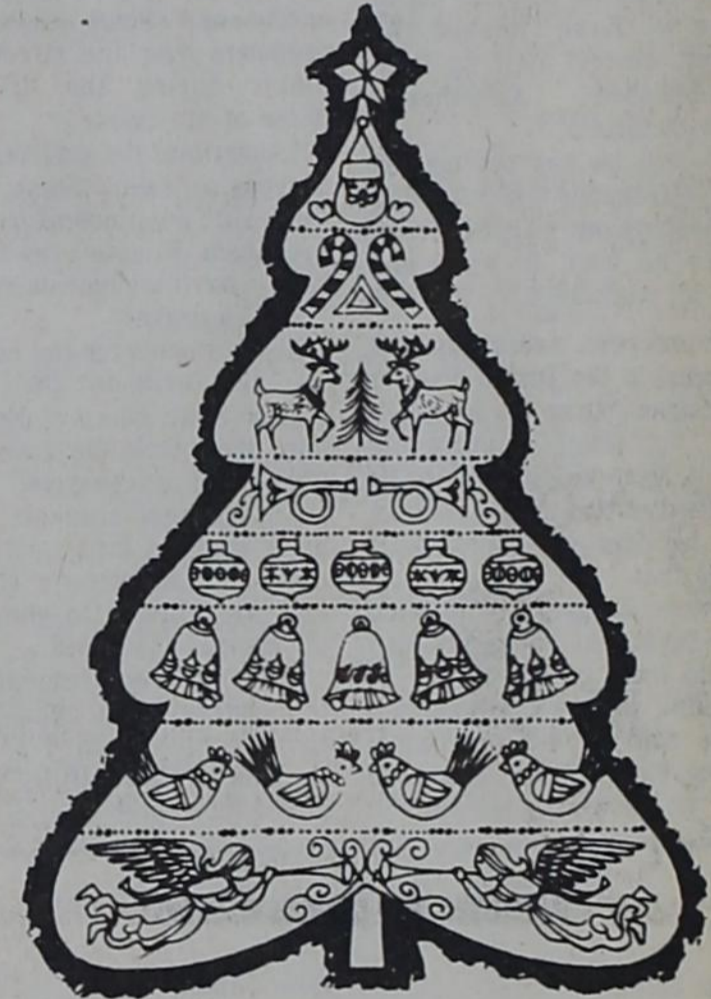
that the average family observes today.

It is not unusual around the month of December for people to be inundated with ads imploring them to buy a certain gift or to see children in line waiting to talk to Santa Claus. It is also not unusual for manufacturer's to begin planning for next year's Christmas as soon as one Christmas holiday ends.

People also usually select their trees in December, and decorating them can be a big family event. Approximately one-half of the trees used in the U.S. comes from Canadian forests.

Christmas is also a time for giving, loving, caring and sharing. It is a time to be together and to be happy. For many, attending church services is as important as gathering around the Christmas tree for the annual gift exchange and assembling at the dinner table for yet another holiday feast.

Christmas is a good time of (Continued on Next Page)



heathens that the tree represented Christ.

The custom of decorating homes and churches with evergreens began in ancient times. The Romans believed that exchanging green tree branches on the first day in January brought good luck. Later after the English adopted the practice, they changed the date to December 25.



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Farwell 7th Graders - -

Texas History Students Make Old Indian Missions

The students in Liz Phillips' seventh grade Texas History class at Farwell School recently constructed replicas of the old Texas Indian mission as a class project. After completing the mission the results were judged and the top three winners announced.

A mission entitled San Sebastian was awarded first place. Students creating it were Norine Jones, Suzhan Inman, Tami Goldsmith and Sheran Smallwood.

Second place went to San Francisco de Espado constructed by Erlene Rudd,

Shelly Ford, Geretta Hutchins and Tony Meeks.

The Alama 1839 received third place. Those working on it were Raymond Garcia, Manuel Cantu, Todd Christian, Berny Mesman and Santiago Lucio.

Judges were Billie Worley, James Williams and Glen Morton.

The missions were constructed from sugar cubes, and the outside texture was made of either sand or adobe mud. They were colored with either coffee or tea.

The bells in the tower of the first place mission were also constructed of sugar.

The total project lasted about two weeks in all.



Indian Missions

These Farwell seventh graders recently took first place in the Missions of Texas project conducted by Mrs. Liz Phillips. Their winning mission named San Sebastian is pictured in the center. Those constructing the winning mission are, from left, Norine Jones, Suzhan Inman, Tami Goldsmith and Sheran Smallwood. The mission on the right won second place and the other finished third. The project was part of their Texas History class assignment.

Symbols . . .

(Continued from Previous Page) year, important to all for various reasons, from the birthday of Christ to a visit from Santa Claus. It is a famous holiday which has been around for centuries and will continue to be an important part in the lives of free people.

Christmas is observed by many people throughout the land and in many ways, but through it all the one common denominator is that all the customs, practices and traditions of today's Christmas has its roots buried far in the past.

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Love Chris

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spider man three wheler bee-bee gun and a skateboard well that is all I want I hope you have a Good christmas

Love Jaime Mendoza

I love Santa
Santa brings toys and presents and Santa is very nice to us and it is fun to bring presents and i want a dance rella/and a bike

Gina

Dear santa claus,
I want a baby doll and a mini wave and a Ken doll and a play record-player.

Thank you. Janel.

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
I want a Luminoso and Spiderman Suit Bear I Love Santa

Todd Cash

Dear Santu,
I want a racing track. Electric train I drink milk. Good Do you have a real rudolph.

Marcus Schauf.

Dear Santa,
I want a baby This and That I will Leve som kookes and milk out for you. I am. 7. I wont a Ice I have Ben good.

April

Dear Santa
I wanta Wonder woman doll Baby This and That Coke Machine I am 6 years old I am in 1 Grade

Teresa ann Meier

Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa
I want a' bike, and a bee-bee-gun, and a play combine, and a skateboard, and a cowboy suit with guns and Holsters, and an army set with jeeps and soldiers, Honda Kick-n-go, inergised spider man, and a three wheeler, green machine
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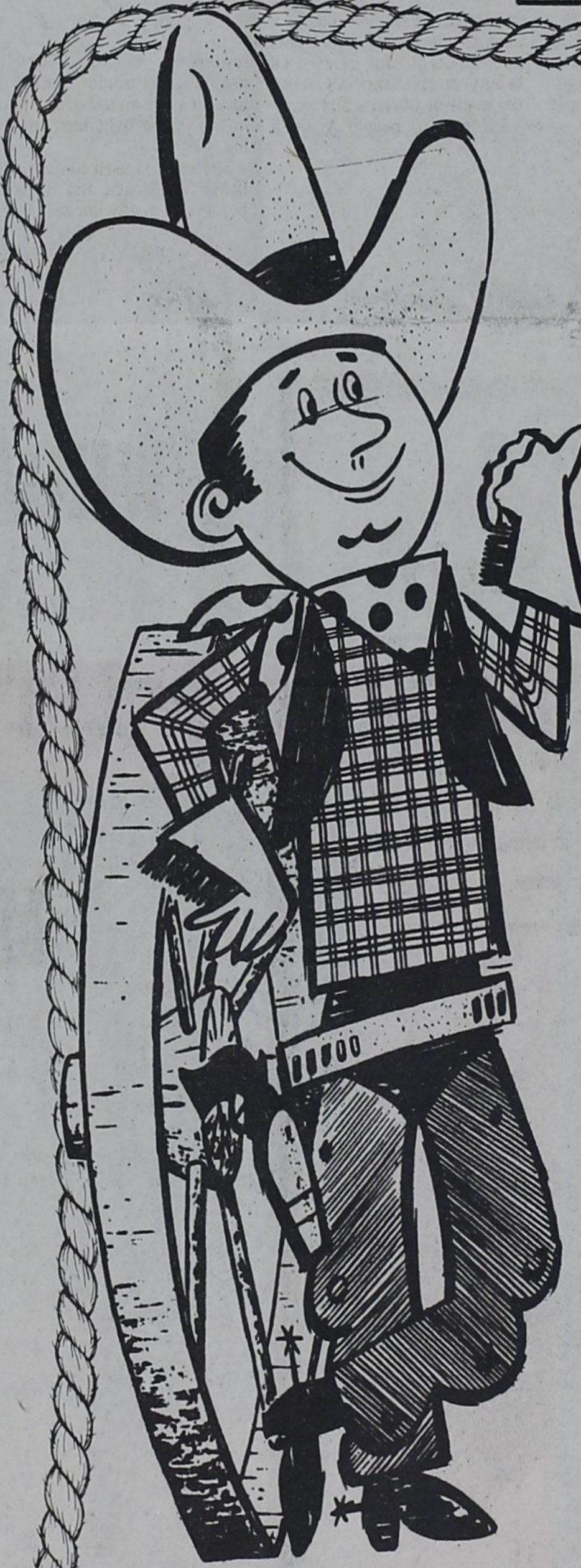
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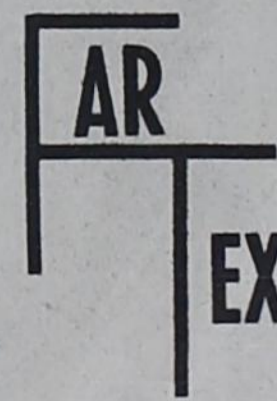
Merry Christmas

May your crop of calves grow bigger,
And your range grass never fail,
May your waterholes stay open,
May you ride on easy trail,

May you never reach for leather,
Nor your saddle horse grow lame,
May you dab your loop on critters
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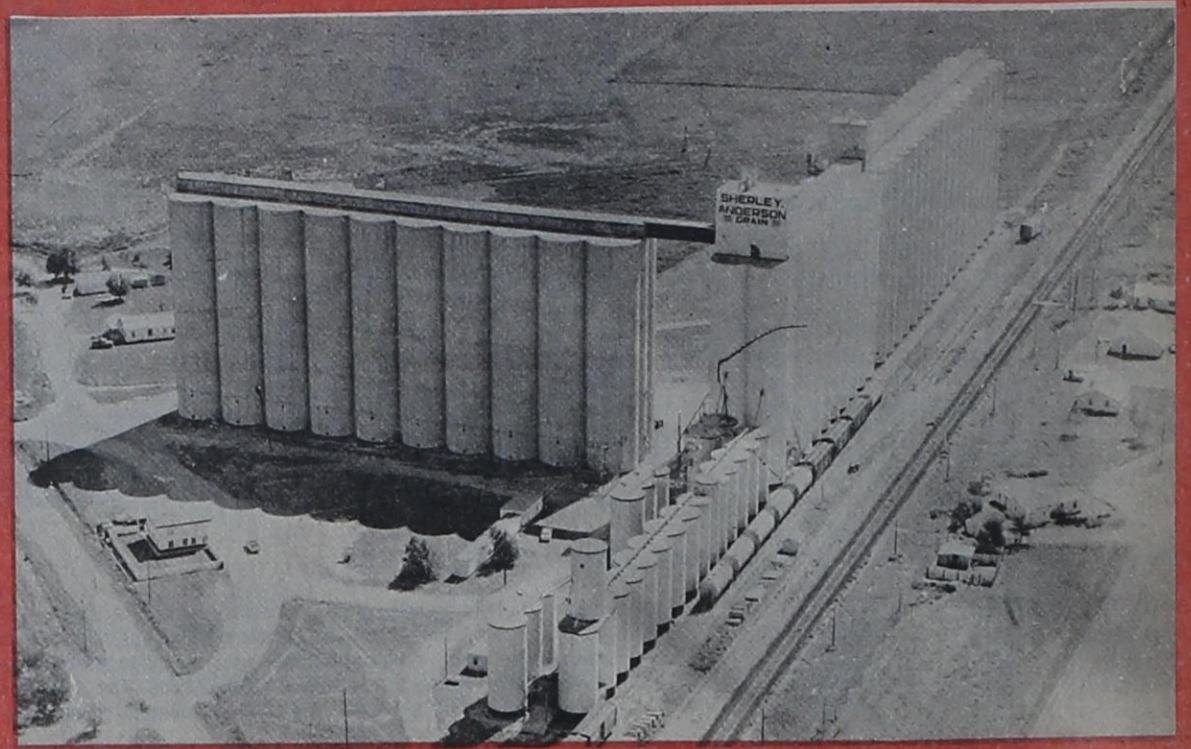
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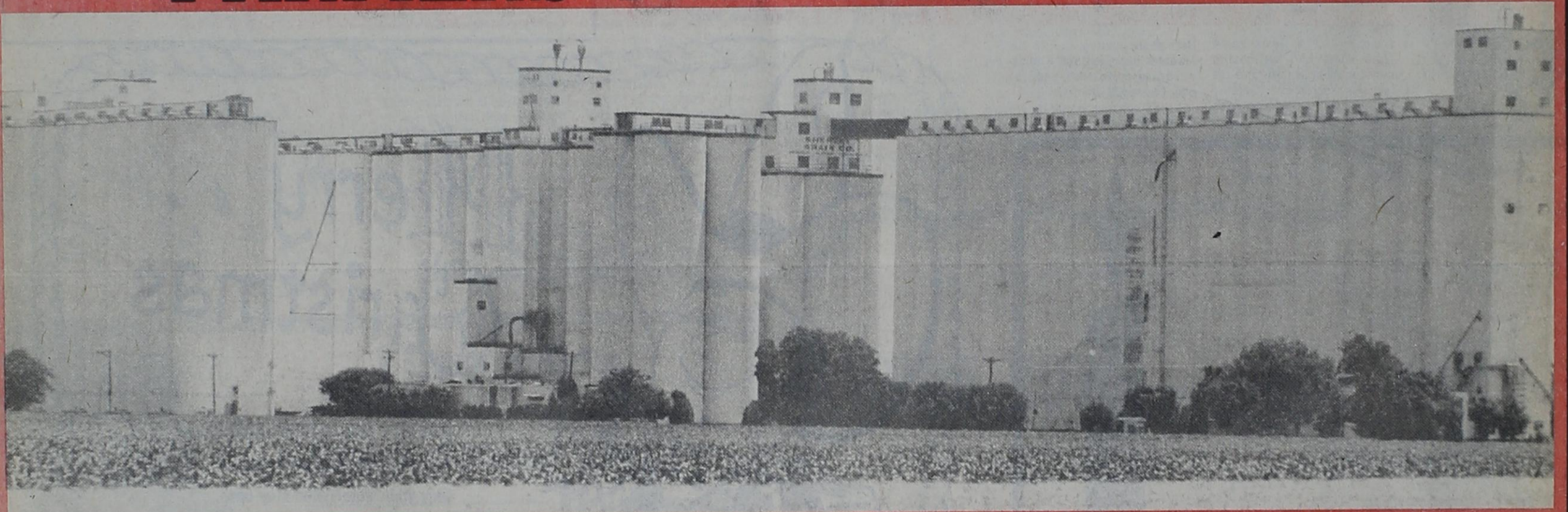
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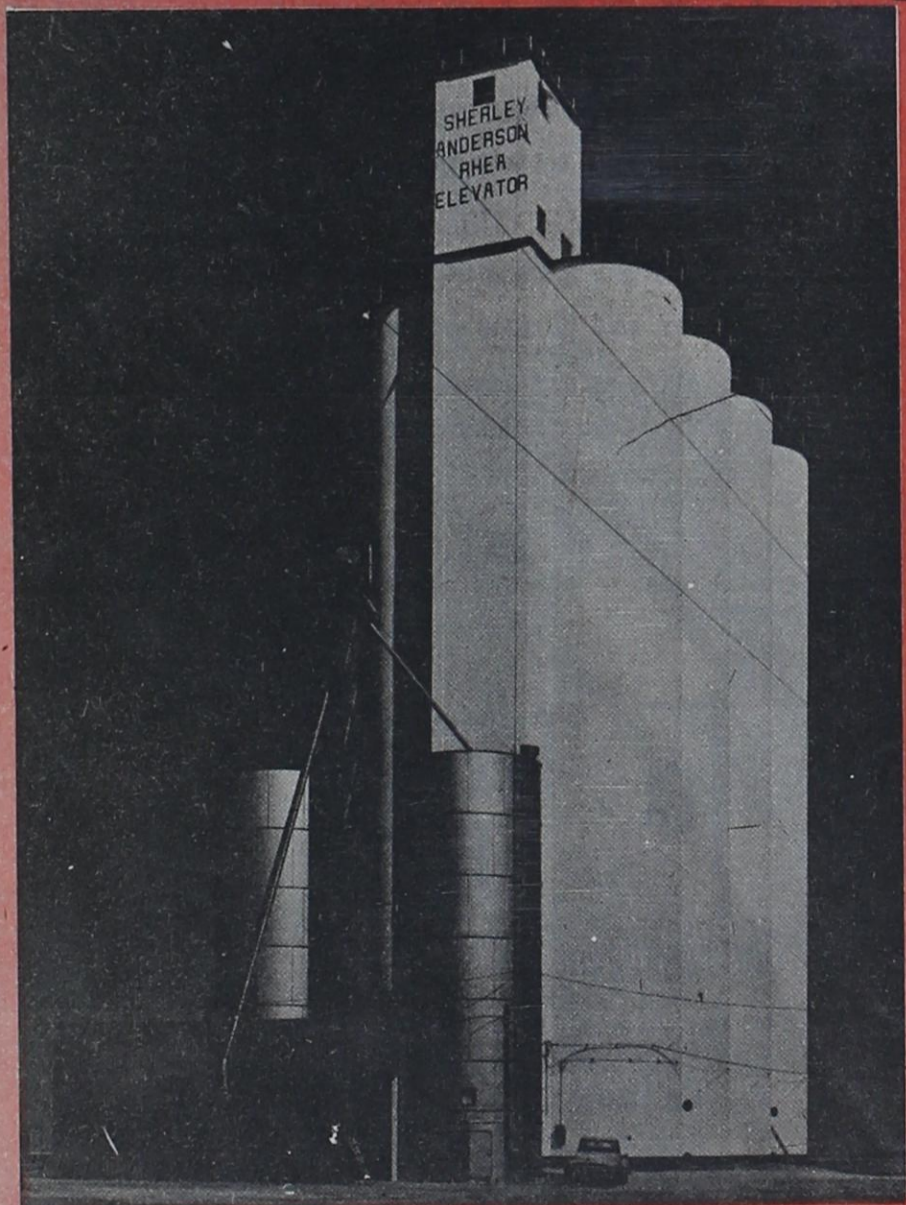
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