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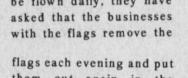
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Jaycees Urge Flag Respect

Muleshoe Jaycee Presi- flag chairman and his crew flying a flag daily in remembrance of the 50 hostages currently being held by militants in Iran. Although the Jaycee's



mornings.



Rev. Herman Schelter, the pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church at Lariat has announced special services to be conducted at the church.

A Christmas Eve service program at 6 p.m. on December 24.

is 10 a.m. and a New Year's Eve Worship of Communion Service will be at 7 p.m. on December 31, according to the pastor of the church. *****

West Texas State University's forensic team will compete in El Paso Community College's forensic tournament on Friday and Saturday, January 4-5.

Three WTSU students from Muleshoe competing in the tournament are John Dean, Muleshoe senior, who will be competing in extemporaneous and impromptu speaking; Vivian Briscoe, Muleshoe freshman, in prose and Ernie Vela, Muleshoe freshman, in poetry. Vela will also compete in dramatic duo.

dent Johnny St. Clair has initially put out the flags to issued a reminder to all be flown daily, they have local businessmen who are asked that the businesses

them out again in the

It was explained again, that federal law does not allow flags to be out at night, or in wet and stormy weather.

The Jaycee president has asked that all persons who are leaving their flags out overnight, please remove them from the flagholder and put them inside at night.

There is also another will feature at children's danger in leaving the flags outside overnight. In at least one instance, a flag was removed from a holder Christmas Day worship and taken from the city.

> A surprised Texas Tech student found he had been traced to his home in Midland, after a private citizen reported seeing a

flag taken by a young man driving a car with the same license as the vehicle registered to the student.

He did agree to return the flag to Muleshoe right away after he received the telephone call from City Police Lt. Jerry Hicks. **Terry Field Opens Office For Insurance**



And... they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and when they had

Holiday Season Keeps Muleshoe Police Busy Car Crashes During

Mules Even Up Season With 4-4

diac Kids' are at it again. In case you didn't know, they still come through, and still have winning ways, but it sure is after a 'cliffhanger' ballgame.

At Lockney Friday the boys' basketball team demonstrated their winning ways but it was after a double overtime game.

A large crowd of Mule Mania fans were on hand, and showed their affection and dedication to all Muleshoe High School sports as the Mules tied up with Lockney at the end of the third, and again at the end of the fourth quarters of action.

At the end of the double overtime game, the Mules were victorious at 66-61, but that was after the game was tied at 54-54 to conclude regulation play.

, ollowing the first overtime, the score was still all

Lazbuddie

Coach Wins

SP Honors

Dewayne Sexton, who

took over the Lazbuddie

Longhorns when the team

was down and had posted

with the team last week.

Five years after taking

over the team, he turned

B Coach of the Year.

Pss-ss-sst!! Those 'Kar- Mules, demonstrating that they can come through when the going is tough, and maintaining the close concentration necessary to show they are winners, were victorious.

> Basketball Coach Mike Mayberry said the team is continuing to show they are of the material it takes to be a "winner" as the young basketball season gets well underway now.

He praised not only the team, but the all-important fans who are attending the games from Muleshoe.

Mike Northcutt paced the team to their victory with 28 points in the game.

The Lockney victory allowed the Mules to even out the season going into the Christmas holidays at a record of 4-4.

The Mules were also second place winners in the Tulia tournament last

As a brief, high wind accident just southwest of ushered a new cold front the Muleshoe City Limits through the area early on a dead end road. The driver of the vehicle re-Friday night, Muleshoe ceived slight injuries in the City Police also found a accident. brief flurry of activity that

Chase In Muleshoe

the night on Friday. As City Police Lt. Jerry Hicks and Officer Hal Bynum were just thinking about going home from their second shift duties, the duo found themselves in a police chase on city streets.

Although the officers originally planned to stop a vehicle for a routine traffic violation, they found themselves winding through the streets in a zig-zag fashion from West American Blvd. to Main Street. When the pursued ve-

hicle reached the south end of Main Street, the young driver failed to negotiate the curve and went into a skid on the street still damp from an earlier shower.

Once again, the branding irons were heated at A&M University in readiness for another branding ceremony. Recently, the Palo Pinto County ranchers recorded their brands on the walls of the Kleberg Animal and Food Science Center, located on the A&M University campus.

And, once again, true Texas hospitality reigned, as the Palo Pinto County ranchers shared their ceremony with Mrs. Jim Denison of Houston, as she The sliding vehicle went placed her grandfather's off the end of the pave- ranch brand on the panel ment, then rolled end over designated for the ranch-

stretched through most of **New Brand Burned In** At A& M

Polly Otwell, the former bookkeeper for Muleshoe Publishing Co., publishers of the Muleshoe and Bailey County Journals, terminated her employment at The Journal, effective last week.

Registration for the upcoming spring semester at West Texas State University will be Wednesday January 9, at the WTSU activities center.

"Spring registration information packets will be mailed on December 27 to students' university post office box, and also to those who don't have a mailing address, the packets will be mailed to their homes," said Clarice F. Guill, assistant to the registrar.

Registration opens January 9 at 8:40 a.m. and concludes at 7:20 p.m., with students being admitted to the registration area by alphabetical order.

From the Journal Staff:

Terry Field and his wife, Charlotte, have opened the Field Insurance Co. office in Muleshoe, to join the list of new businesses in the city.

They are located at 1534 West American Blvd. between Leal's and Baker Farm Supply. Terry, the son of former

Muleshoe City Manager and Mrs. Albert Field, was a 1968 graduate of Muleshoe High School.

His wife is a 1970 gradland and moved to Bailey uate of MHS. They attend-County with his parents ed West Texas State University in Canyon before moving to Plainview. In 1973, they returned to Muleshoe and entered the

insurance business. The Fields said they will be handling all types of

insurance, personal and commercial, and will be insuring such as houses, cars, boats, and other personal belongings. They will also be insuring businesses and their contents as well as handle liability, workmen's compensation

and life and health. Mrs. Field will be working with her husband. They are the parents of Jody, age six and Bryan, three.

opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense,

and myrrh.

Bobby Don (Bob) Hen-

derson, has authorized the

Journal to officially an-

nounce his candidacy for

Sheriff of Bailey County,

subject to the Democratic

He was born at Level-

Henderson attended two

schools in south and south-

western Bailey County,

Watson and Three Way.

Following completion of

two years in the U.S.

from the Army, Henderson

Bailey County.

1, 1970.

Following his discharge

Army.

primary in May, 1980.

while still an infant.

Bob Henderson Announces Candidacy For Sheriff

For eight and one half years, he served as a livestock inspector for the Texas Animal Health Commission before again being employed by the Bailey County Sheriff's office.

Matthew 2:11

Effective February 1, 1979, he was again employed by Sheriff Clements, this time as chief deputy.

Henderson and his wife,

his school years, he spent moved to San Antonio where he spent the next 44 months as a city police officer before returning to On April 1, 1964, he was employed by Bailey County Sheriff Dee Clements as a deputy sheriff, a position he held until January

BOB HENDERSON

week in Tulia. tied up, at 56-56, but the

Now, the teams will be off for a few days for the Christmas holidays, with action resuming in the near future.

> Unfortunately, the Mulettes found the Lockney girls' team 'hot' and ready to play.

The Mulettes lost 44-37 to Lockney.

five wins in three years, High pointer for the was awarded for his efforts Mulettes was Shelly Dunham with 13 points, fol-He was named the Avalowed by Janie Richards. lanche Journal 1979 Class who had eight points.

> The loss was the second for the Mulettes this year.

After taking over the Dalton, Eady **Found Guilty** In Theft Cases

> Criminal jury trials have been conducted in Mulesbeen conducted in Muleshoe this week.

Michael Lee Dalton, of Littlefield, was found guilty by a jury of burglary. Dalton turned down a sentence by the jury, and was assessed a life sentence after District Judge First team defense play-Pat Boone determined he ers are Russell Windham, was guilty of being a junior linebacker; Apolonhabitual violator.

io Sanchez, senior defen-Friday, another jury desive back and kicker termined that Chris Eady, Dennis Steinbock, senior. also of Littlefield, was Honorable mention on guilty of theft. The jury the offensive team went to asked that Eady be given a 10 year probated sentence.

end. Officers Hicks and Bynum found the young driver, and sole occupant of the vehicle to be uniniured. The driver of the vehicle

was jailed on multi-traffic violations. Later, while on routine patrol, City Officer Mike Shewmake stopped a car for another violation, and parents of five young person. sons were called to the

Bailey County Law Enforcement Center to take their children home. Back on the streets on

patrol again, Officer Shewmake found a broken window in a local business. and the owner was summoned to the business to allow the officer to check for a possible burglary. Early Friday night, DPS Trooper Jim Dulin was

An early pioneer family of Bailey County, the Andersons purchased and operated what was known as the Anderson Ranch, southwest of Muleshoe. Their brand was a quarter circle over an open 'A and was registered in Bailey County on September 15, 1917. It was the fifth brand registered in the county, according to Bailey County records.



DAVY JEAN ANDERSON DENISON



ers of Bailey County. Mrs. Denison also registered the grand in the A&M . Kleberg Animal and Food Science Service Center brand file.

Mrs. Denison is the former Davy Jean Anderson, daughter of the late David S. Anderson, and the granddaughter of the late George Allen Ander-

team in 1975, he has turned them into the zone champions and strung together three straight winning seasons. According to Russ Parsons, sportswriter for the Lubbock paper,. Sexton is "a coach who turned his team from dog house to

top dog.' 'Horns named to All South Plains Honors include Andy Rogers, junior quarterback for the Longhorns; Rengie Treider, senior tackle and Keihm Smith, senior guard.

Quentin Mimms, end.

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files a claim with the In-

within 180 days of the crime. The claimant must

also have reported the

crime to authorities within

72 hours to be eligible for

Crime victims may re-

Accident Board

dustrial

compensation.



AUSTIN-As of January 1 crime victims and citizens



who suffer personal injury ceive up to a maximum of \$50,000. This maximum or death in the prevention of crime or the appresum is broken down as a hension of criminals may be maximum of \$150 per week, reimbursed for pain and loss plus \$30 a week for each child, not to exceed \$75. of income as a result of Medical and funeral exaction taken by the 66th Legislature. penses are also included. Under the new Crime Vic-

Victims of family crimes, such as battered spouses and tims Compensation Act, any abused children, and victims Texas resident damaged by a crime in Texas after Janof automobile accidents are excluded from the act. uary 1 may be eligible for The program is not funded compensation if he or she

from taxpayer dollars, but rather from fines imposed on the offenders themselves. Starting September 1, persons convicted of a felony have been required to pay a \$15 surcharge, and persons convicted of a misdemeanor involving \$200 or

more have been required to pay a \$10 surcharge. These charges are expected to raise approximately \$2.2 million for the fiscal year 1980.

This new law will place the responsibility of crime's consequences where it rightfully belongs --- on the criminal. But more importantly, it will help alleviate some of the financial hardships placed on the innocent victims of crime. Victims of crime have been neg-

Former County **Resident Rites** Held Thursday

Henry Albert Ellis, 88, died Tuesday in the hospital at Brownfield where he had been hospitalized for one week. Ellis was a former resident of Bailey County.

He was born at Decatur on January 31, 1891. He was united in marriage to Clara Neutzler Muller on December 7, 1935 at Muleshoe. At the time of his death, he was living in Tatum, N.M. where he had been a resident since 1957.

World War I, having served in the U.S. Army. He was also a member of the First Baptist Church in Tatum and a member of the Lovington Barracks.

on Thursday at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church at

He is survived by his wife, Clara; a son, A. J. Ellis, Tombean, Tex., two step-daughters, Mrs. Lenora Richardson, McDonald, N.M. and Mrs. Evelyn Slater, Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. Arvie Hinson, Rush Springs, Okla.; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Ralph Ethridge Funeral Held Here Friday

Funeral services for a longtime Bailey County resident, Ralph E. Ethridge, 62, were conducted at 3 p.m. Friday in the First Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Gene Prevo, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church and Rev. Joe Stone, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church, officiating. Burial followed in Bailey County Memorial Park under direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home.

Ethridge died at 7:15

four sisters, Mrs.

ships all three, Christmas Day? ships all three,

RALPH E. ETHRIDGE

"I Saw Three

Ships" is a

Popular Carol

I saw three ships come

morning?

were there, On Christmas Day, on Christmas Day; were there. On Christmas Day in the morning.

ships all three, On Christmas Day, on Christmas Day; ships all three, morning?

Bethlehem, On Christmas Day, on Christmas Day; O they sailed into Bethlehem, On Christmas Day in the morning. And all the bells on earth shall ring, On Christmas Day, on Christmas Day; And all the bells on earth

shall ring,

morning.

On Christmas Day in the

Make A

Merry

Mobile

Christmas is a wonderful

time for family craft proj-

in. To create a merry bile for decorating y home this holiday sea: you only need two y hangers, and some ribb plus construction paper a crayons. Wind ribbon around each

ects, and here's one the

youngsters can happily

hanger, except for the tops. Have the handyman of the house cut off one of the tops, and then have him wire the two hangers together, criss-

cross, as shown in the accompanying illustration.

Have the youngsters draw simple shapes such as bells, candy canes and drums on construction paper, filling in the shapes with crayon, on both sides. (You can also add glitter with glue, if you wish.)

Tape string in various lengths to each decoration, and tie to hangers.

Finish the project with a big bow and hang it high for a merry, mobile reminder of the holiday season!





Ellis was a veteran of

Services were conducted

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3. Tiny Tim said it: "God

4. After Jesus was born,

7. An old Christmas carol is called "I Saw___Ships."

8. Advent begins ____ weeks before Christmas.

9. Chanukah, the Festival of Lights, lasts for ____ days.

10. "Oh, what fun it is to ride in a ____-horse open sleigh!"



Answers to Puzzle 1. "The Twelve Days of Christmas."

2. Santa has eight tiny reindeer.

3. "God bless us, every

5. The Star of David has

six points.

used two drumsticks.

7. "I Saw Three Ships."

9. Chanukah lasts for eight days. 10. "... in a one-horse

Jesus, has ____ points. 6. The little drummer boy played on his drum with _drumsticks, for the baby Jesus.

old and lovely tradition. However these bright plants are natu-

with plants than most of us, knew about the "good and bad" in leaves, cones and buds.



Here's a Holiday Puzzler:

Kids! Here's a fun quiz, to test your memory on some bless us, every ____!" of the numbers connected with the holiday season. See if you can supply the missthe _____ Wise Men brought ing number for each sen-Him gifts of gold, frankintence. (You'll find the answers at the end of the test if

by _____ tiny reineeer.

Holiday Greenery

rally filled with potent chemicals and can be dangerous.

the pale green leaves and waxy white berries contain natural poisons, and are dangerous!

The yew berry, pinkish red and translucent, is also poisonous when eaten. Oddly enough yew berries have no harmful effect



How . Santa's Workshop **Met Christmas Crisis**

There was an uproar in Santa's Workshop. Here it was December 20th, and only two-thirds of the orders for toys had been filled.

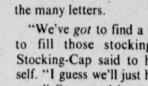
If something wasn't done soon, there would be a lot of disappointed little children on Christmas morning, all over the world!

"Just look at all these unfilled orders," said Stocking-Cap, who was in charge of loading up Santa's sleigh. "Shirley's expecting her dollhouse in California, and little Eddie in Germany wants a go-cart for Christmas." Stocking-Cap was plainly exasperated, as he waved the pile of letters in the face of Jingle-Jo, who was in charge of the Elves' Production Department.



"What can we do? We're working just as hard as we can," she answered, blowing at a curl that had come undone.

"Well, you're just going to have to work faster,' Stocking-Cap muttered, leafing anxiously through



he can come up with a good idea."

ready for his arduous trip around the world. There were so many things to be taken care of, such as checking each of his eight reindeer to make sure they were in good condition for the long trip.

Cap's tale of woe with surprise. This had never happened before.

Santa.

The Board of Elves was quickly called into conference, but Santa soon discovered that it had been pointless to do so. All they did was to try and put the blame on each other, and after an hour of Elvish argu-

Suddenly, Santa stood up. "I think I've found a solution to our problem," he announced. All the Elves on the Board applauded. (They

He listened to Stocking-

ing, they were right back where they started.

knew Santa would come through and had really been





"We've got to find a way to fill those stockings, Stocking-Cap said to himself. "I guess we'll just have to tell Santa and hope that

Santa was busy getting

in the Boardroom. The Elves all felt a little guilty, for they knew they had been busily pushing papers around while the other Elves did all the work.

where they were welcomed with great relief by the overworked little Elves in Production.

"This may be a matter for the Board of Elves," said

And that's why little girls

and boys throughout the world will happily enjoy

stalling tor time.)

ever you say!"

"You may not be so pleased when you hear my suggestion," Santa warned

them. "Of course, we will,

Santa!" insisted the Elves.

"We'll go along with what-

"In that case, let's all go

down to the Workshop and

help out Jingle-Jo and all

her Elves! What we need

There was a loud silence

But, like true Elves, they

rose to meet the crisis. One

by one, they fell in behind

Santa and together they

marched to the Workshop,

now is more Elf-power!"

their shiny, new toys from Santa this Christmas!

"They (the wise men) saw the young child with Mary his mother, and . . . presented unto him gifts; gold, frankincense, and myrrh." Matthew 2:11

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

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

that "incense owns a deity neigh" is further evidence that frankincense and myrrh were worthy gifts for the

Prince of Peace.

May the glorious light of Christmas bring you, and those you love, enduring Hope and Happiness. To all, special thanks.

cense and myrrh. you turn the page upside 5. The Star of David, down.) named for an ancestor of 1. A popular holiday song is called "The ____ Days of Christmas." 2. Santa's sleigh is pulled

and Berries

Decorating with holiday greenery and bright red berries is an

Ancient people, living closer to the earth and more familiar

Romantic mistletoe is for kissing under and decoration, but

one!" 4. The Three Wise Men, 6. The little drummer boy

8. Advent begins four

weeks before Christmas.

open sleigh!"



Thanks





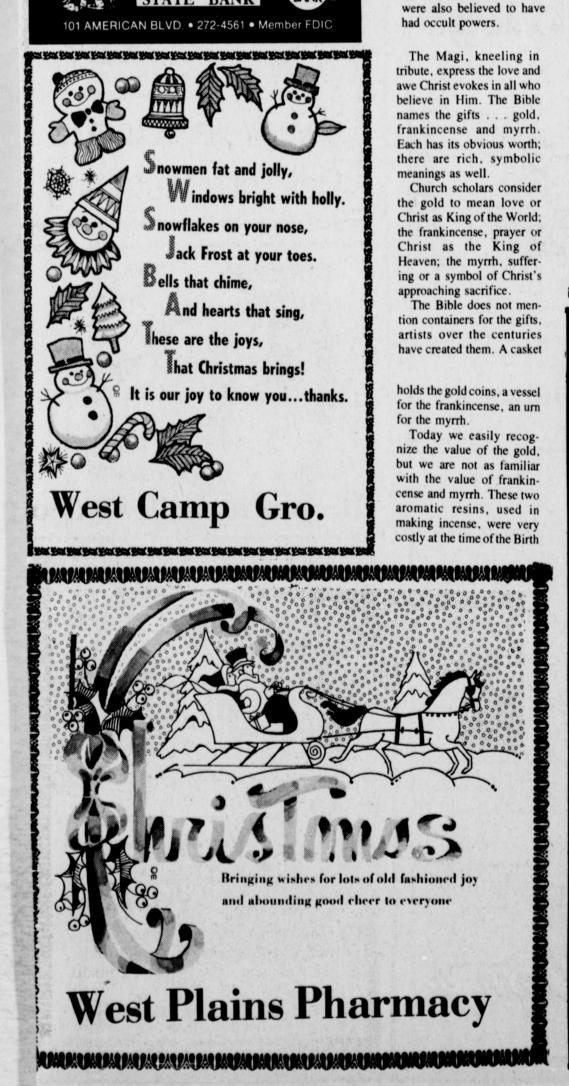
of Christ. To this day they altars.

An old poem which expressed the ancient belief

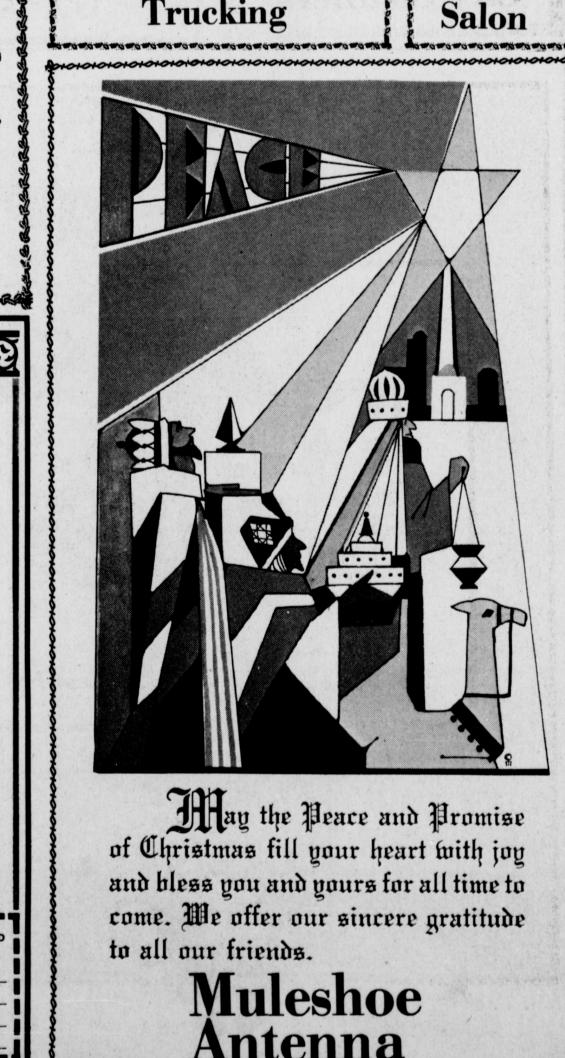
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* A Child's Christmas *





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Homemakers Family Christmas Party

On Tuesday, December assorted candy dish. 11 at 7 p.m. the Muleshoe Young Homemakers met at the 16th and Ave. D Church of Christ. The Young Homemakers had family Christmas party this year.

Santa came and gave the children presents and candy. All the children sat on Santa's lap and told him what they wanted for Christmas.

They gave Santa an son and children. Mr. and

Everyone brought gag gifts and the members exchanged gifts with their

secret pals. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Noble and family, Rita Lane, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davenport and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Magby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Trussell and family, Jean Richard-

Mrs. James Byers and and children, Teresa McGarrah and child, Mr. family, Mary Autroy and and Lanny Knowles and children, Evelyn Pope and children, Becky Street and children, Diane Bock. Dorine Harbin, and Mr. child, Ann Taylor, Mr. and and Mrs. Randol Copley Mrs. Wayne Copley and family, Debbie Jo Kemp and family.

Children love cone-cups

"Bank on us

for **Banking**"

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Most youngsters love cupcakes . . . they love to eat 'em they love to bake them. Christmas "cone cups" are fun and a marvelous treat, iced and decorated with bright holiday gumdrops. Fill flat-bottom ice cream

cones half full of cake batter and bake in a slow oven on a cookie sheet. Serve plain or iced, and best of all, there are no crumby cupcake liners left over. They're also great to have along on a car trip for a snack, and again, no litter!



Trussell, from the Mule-

Anne Camp showed the films, "The Mole and the Umbrella, and "The Little Engine that Could", then Linda Trussell read "How the Grinch Stole Christmas".

surprise visit from who

shoe Young Homemakers conducted the activities.



Assisting in the afte:

noon's hospitalities were

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald

Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Butch

Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Keith

Taylor, Mr. and Mrs.

Wayland Ethridge, and

Mr. and Mrs. W.T.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse

Rodriquez, of Friona, are

the proud parents of a new

son, Mark Anthony, born

Mark has one brother.

and Mrs. Joe Rodriquez all

Grandparents are Mr.

Mrs. Raymond Corral of

Great Grandparents are

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

Mark Anthony

Rodriguez

Latest

Arrivals

Watsoin.

Mrs. Gary Albertson, was the scene Sunday, December 16, of a Christmas reception honoring, Rev. and Mrs. Joe Stone, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church of Muleshoe. Festive holidays decorations provided the setting as the Stones, assisted by the Ablertson's, greeting friends throughout the

The serving table was covered with a white cloth and was centered with a Christmas arrangement of red candles surrounded by greenery and red bows. Punch, coffee, and a variety of fruit breads were

afternoon.

served from silver and received a treat, and got to

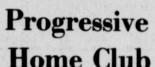
Dec. 16, at 1:37 p.m. in the tell him what they wanted West Plains Medical Cenfor Christmas. ter. He weighed 8 lbs. and The final film, "Silver 4 oz. Sprus, Santa's smallest elf" told how he helps Jesse Jr., nine and one Santa get in the house, if half months. His grandthe chimney is too small, parents are, Mr. and Mrs. or there is no chimney at Casinm Ramirez and Mr. a 11

Last Wednesday Anne Camp had a story hour for 58 children, from the Goodwill Kindergarten, and the Methodist Childrens Center.

This week, every one has been enjoying the beautiful Christmas music on FM radio.

We, at the library would like to wish all our patrons a safe, and happy holiday season.

from the 22 thru the 25, open again on the 26.



Norene Thomas, enter-

tained the Progressive Homes Club, Wednesday 19 with 6 members pre-

The program

sent.

was brought by Lucille Harper. Secret pals were revieled parents, Pat and Louise

attending. Rita Lane and Linda **ATTEND THE CHURCH**

Library

News

By Anne Camp

A special Christmas

Storyhour was held Wed-

OF YOUR CHOICE



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Roy L. Sikes, Pastor

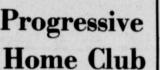
SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION **Rev. Ynes Aleman**

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH 314 Ave. B

of Friona. **Orlando** Lee Corral Mr. and Mrs. Cris Carral of Friona, are the proud parents of a new baby boy, born Dec. 16, at

11:24 p.m. and weighed 8 lbs, and 5 oz. He has been named Orlando Lee. Orlando has a brother, Christapher,

Lee, two years old. The library will close and Mrs. Billy Hernandez of Friona and Mrs. and



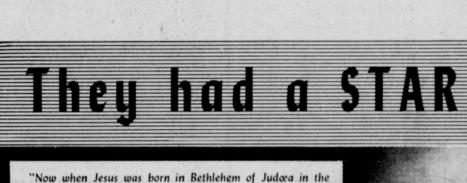
Vega Sr., Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Corral of Mexico.

Earnest Carl Minyard

Mexico.

Monica and Stephanie Minyard, along with their

nesday morning at the library with 30 children The children enjoyed a else, Santa Claus. They



days of Herod the King, behold, there came wise men from t to Jerusalem, saying, Where is he that is born King

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Ninth and Ave. C

hrum

Cheery best wishes

Garage and Supply

for a warm and

happy holiday.

Lazbuddie

Dana Shunko, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 130 W. Ave. G. Rev. Walter Bartholf Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.

LATIN AMERICAN **METHODIST MISSION** Ave. D and Fifth Street R.Q. Chavez, Pastor

THE COMMUNITY CHURCH



107 E. Third Isaias Cardenas, Pastor

RICHLAND HILLS BAPTIST

17th and West Ave. D

East Third and Ave. E.

H.D. Hunter, Pastor Morton Highway

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH James Williams, Pastor 1733 W. Ave. C

PROGRESS SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH Clifford Slay, Pastor 1st and 3rd Sundays

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. David Hamblin 507 West Second, Muleshoe

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN Lariat, Texas Herman J. Schelter-Pastor Sunday School Classes 10:00 a.m. Worship Services 11:00 a.m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH 621 South First **Elder Bernard Gowens**

MULESHOE CHURCH OF CHRIST David Cox, minister Clovis Highway

JEHOVAH WITNESS Friona Highway Boyd Lowery, Minister

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH Father Terry Burke Northeast of City in Morrison Edition

MULESHOE ASSEMBLY OF GOD 517 S. First **Rev. Joe Stone**

of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east and are come to worship him."

Yes, they had a star ... Today we have churches to guide us to our Saviour. Come worship the Lord in his house.



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

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and Christmas gifts exchanged and New officers elected for 1980.

They are President-Norene Thomas, Vice President-Lucile Harper, Secretary-Roxie Hoover, Tresure-Vera Engleking.

The club will meet with Naoma Black, Jan. 19. The hostess, Norene Thomas, served refreshments to Naoma Black, Lucille Harper, Margrett Epton, Roxie Hoover, and Vera Engleking.

Minyard, wish to announce the arrival of a baby brother, Earnest Carl. Earnest arrived Decem-

ber 8 at 11:20 a.m. at the Amherst Community Hospital. He weighed nine pounds, 15 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Williamson and Rhoda Minyard of Sudan; and the new arrival's great-grandmother is Madge Williamson of Clovis.



King Crab Artichoke Dip is a delicious hot hors d'oeuvre that is sure to make a hit with party guests.

Just four ingredients are needed to make this gourmet crab dip. Sliced Alaska King crab and chopped artichoke hearts are combined with mayonnaise and grated Parmesan cheese. The mixture is placed under the broiler until bubbly and golden, then accompanied with large size corn chips for dipping.

Alaska King crab is a tender, juicy and deligibly flavored prime seafood harvested in icy North Pacific waters. The white meat is marked with bright red coloration and is ready to enjoy as it comes from the defrosted package.

KING CRAB ARTICHOKE DIP

1 package (6 to 8 oz.) frozen Alaska King crab, thawed 1 can (14-1/2 oz.) artichoke hearts

1-1/2 cups mayonnaise 1 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Corn chips (large dipping size)

Drain and slice crab, reserving portion of leg piece for garnish if desired. Drain and chop artichoke hearts. Combine crab, artichoke hearts, mayonnaise and Parmesan cheese. Turn into shallow baking dish. Place under broiler until hot and bubbly and top is slightly browned. Serve hot with corn chips for dipping. Makes about 3 cups dip.



The term "meat packing" comes to us from early American colonists, who salted their pork and packed it in barrels for use during the winter.

Study Club **Christmas** Party

The Muleshoe Study Club, held their regular Christmas party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gilbreath, December 13.

Turkey and dressing and all the trimmings were served to the following members and their husbands, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Bartholf, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Costen, Mr. and Mrs. Dollie Arnn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shain and Janet, Mrs. A.C. Neely, Mrs. Horace Blackburn, Mrs. John Agee, Mrs. Barry Lewis, Mrs. Wilma Thompson, Mrs. Betty Jo Carpenter and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbreath.

After dinner the group exchanged gifts and sang Christmas Carols.

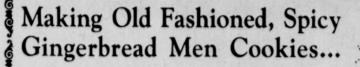
The Muleshoe Twisters beam, fourth on bars and Gymnastic Team compeated last Saturday, in Clovis,

N.M., against Marshall

Jr. High gymnastic team. The Twister's "A" team girls took many honors. Sherri Bessire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bessire won first in vault, fifth on beam, first on bars, and first in floor exercise.

Melissa Wilbanks. daughter of Mr. and Mrs Paul Wilbanks placed fifth on beam and third on floor exercise.

Tonda Gunstream. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gunstream, won third in vault, third on



One of the special and speed, beat first 11 ingremost delicious customs at dients, until just mixed, con-Christmas is snappy, spicy stantly scraping bowl with gingerbread men cookies. rubber spatula. Increasing Since the whole family loves speed to medium, beat 2 them, why not have the more minutes, scraping whole family join together in occasionally. Using a a happy baking spree? Here's our quick 'n' easy wooden spoon, stir additional 5 to 6 cups of flour into dough, to make it stiff. **Gingerbread Cookies:** Divide dough in half and 1 cup packed brown sugar wrap in plastic wrap. Dough can be used immediately or refrigerated for up to two 1 cup margarine or butter,

recipe:

3 eggs

softened

cutter

days. 1¼ cups molasses Preheat oven to 350° F. On a lightly floured surface l teaspoon salt roll half the dough with a tablespoon baking soda 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon lightly floured rolling pin, l teaspoon ground allspice until 1/8" thick. With gingerteaspoon ground cloves bread man cookie cutter, cut teaspoon ground ginger as many cookies as possible. 3 cups all-purpose flour plus Using a pancake turner, 5-6 cups (to be used later) arrange cookies on lightly greased cookie sheet, han-8" gingerbread man cookie dling carefully. Bake 12 Early in day: In a large minutes until cookie edges bowl with mixer at low are firm; loosen cookies



from sheet and remove to wire rack to cool. Reroll scraps and using remaining dough, repeat. Using white frosting, prepared or your own home made favorite, and raisins, decorate gingerbread men. Recipe makes about 2 dozen cookies.

mas. I would like a pair of skates and would you bring me a doll named Soft Tina, I like the presents you brought me last year. Oh and I want a trampoline. Happy New year



The TOPS Club met Thursday, December 20 at 6 p.m. in the community room of Bailey County

Clara Lou Jones, president, called the meeting to order and Evelene Harris called the roll with 21 members present.

Weekly best loser was ond runner-up.

Moore celebrated her birthday.

pals were revealed.

Linda Vinson received material for three weeks weight loss and Evelyn

Following the meeting, a Christmas party was held, with everyone exchanging gifts and secret

Would you mind bringing me a trampoline, a whoopsy doll and a baby Muleshoe, Texas 79347 alive with a baby carriage, December 4, 1979 and a Minnie record Dear Santa Claus.

and Elvs.

Muchelle Stout

1520 West Ave. D.

December 4, 1979

Dear Santa Claus,

Muleshoe Texas 79347

Love

I hope you and your wife presents that you gave my will have a Merry Christbrother and me. have a Merry Christmas. Love, Selina K. Gonzalez

1801 W Ave I Muleshoe Texas 79347 December 4, 1979 Dear Santa.

stereo.

Your Pal

Chris Young

This is what I want for Christmas: The Jaws game and suckerman and a set of Leggo and a pot of fflowers for my mother, and some speakers for our

Santa Claus and your wife Dear Santa, My name is Audra Lee and I am going to be three years old in January. 1 have a new baby brother

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named Justin. He is real tiny. It snowed the other day so I made Frosty the Snowman. He didn't run

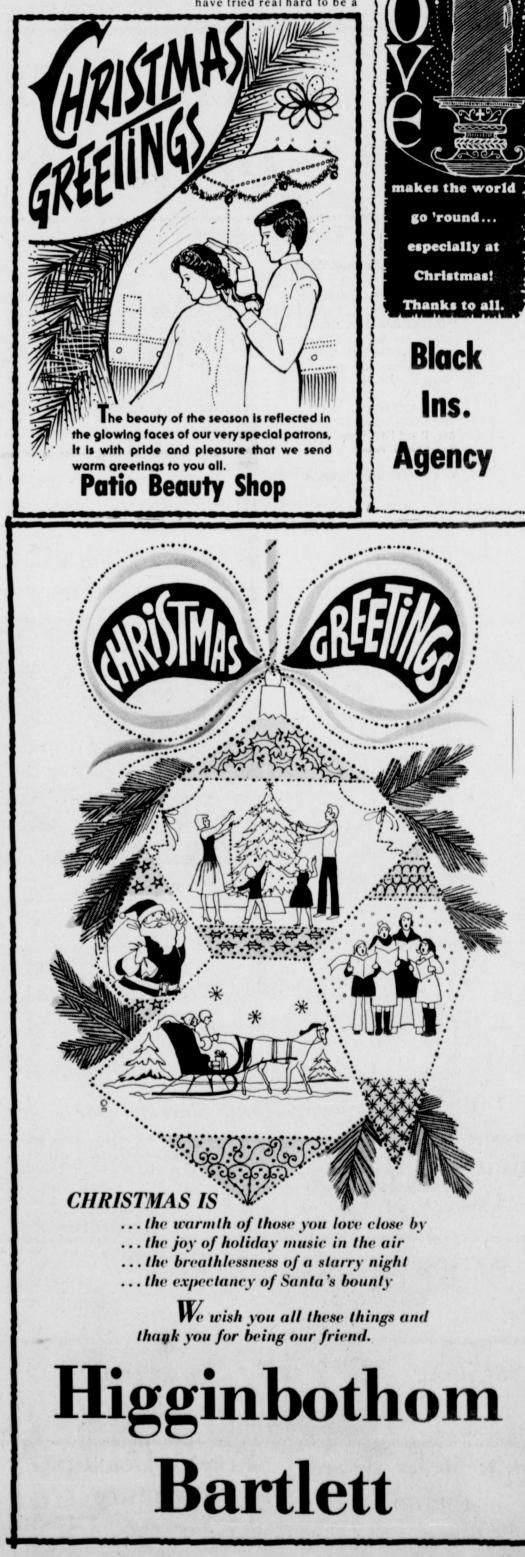
and play with me. My daddy helped me put on his buttons. I saw you and sat on

your lap, but my Mama player. Thank you for the said I should write and tell you what I would like you to bring me. I would like a pink baby with a bottle and a rattle like my little brother. Pink is my favorite color. My little brother doesn't

know what he wants, but he always listens to my December 3, 1979 musical bear so I think he Dear Santa, needs one.

going to make cookies for and a train and B.B. gun. you and I will leave them by our Christmas Tree. It Adrin Medina sure is a pretty tree. I put the balls on.

We dont't have a chimney so you will have to come in the front door. I forgot to tell you that I have tried real hard to be a



good girl. You know it is so hard, but I have really tried.

Well I will see you on Christmas Eve. Love and Sugars Audra Lee

Dear Santa,

I want a weight set, disco roller skates, drum set. How are you? How is Mrs. Santa? My aunt had a baby boy last year. His name is T.J. 1 play with him a lot. I like him to. He doesn't know you yet. But I do.

> Love, Scott Terrell

Town Bula Texas I want a bike and a toy

My Mama and L are car. And a pair of shoes Your friend

in floor exercise. bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buc Campbell placed fourth in vault and first on

second in floor exercise.

fifth on floor exercise.

Chandra

K-K Flowers, daughter

the uneven bars.

Jerry Engleking, won fifth in vault, first on beam, second on bars and second The Twister's "B" team girls scored very high in each event. Kristi Camp-

Cynthia Lane, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Lional



of Mr. and Mrs. Charles in vaulting. Flowers placed fourth on Michelle Finney, beam, third on bars, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finney won third in Engleking, vaulting, third on balance daughter of Mr. and Mrs. beam, first on uneaven

> exercise. Britt Engleking, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Engelking won third in floor exercise, third on bars and fourth on the balance beam.

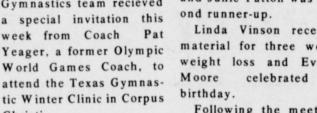
The Twister's Boy's team made an excellent showing by taking eighteen awards.

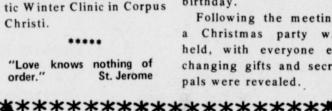
Michael Angeley, son of "Love knows nothing of Mr. and Mrs. Ken order. Angeley, won fifth on parallel bars, first in vaulting, first on rings and third on pommell horse. Ronald Briggs, son of Mrs. Rosemary Briggs, won fifth on the horse, fifth on the rings, and second on the vault. Todd Bessire, son of Mr. nd Mrs. Travis Bessire, placed fifth on high bar and fifth in floor exercise. Holiday Wes Hanks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hanks, placed third on vault and fouth on rings. Brett King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max King won May our pleasant fourth on vault, and first relationship continue on side horse and fifth on rings. to flower and grow Lance King, also son throughout a of Mr. and Mrs. Max happy and healthy King, won second on side horse, second on rings, Christmas Holiday! and fifth place on vault. **Bakers** Farm Greg Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young placed fourth on the side horse. Chaun Gunstream, son Blessings to All

Electric Cooperative.

is an all around National Junior Colleges. He accompanied

Brenda Murphy; first runner-up was Ruth Clements The Muleshoe Twisters and Janie Patton was sec-Gymnastics team recieved





Supply

Twisters Take Honors In New Mexico Lane, placed first in floor

exercise, third on bars,

second on beam, and first

bars, and third in floor

of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gunstream, also recieved a ribbon for participation.

Champion, of

Christi.

his team to Clovis.

Coach Waldo Casarez is a N.M. State Champion in rings and parallel bars and

It's great to keep in touch with those who mean so much! Wishing you a wonderful holiday!



As Christmas bells ring out their message of good cheer, we want to extend our best wishes to all our wonderful patrons. It's been a pleasure to serve you.

Bratcher Motor Supply

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Music Enhances Christmas Season

What would Christmas be like without music? It's hard to imagine 'celebrating the holiday season without the strains of "Silent Night" or "Joy to the World" expressing the wonder and hope we feel at Christ's birth.

Sheriff

the former Ruby Pearson, are the parents of three sons; Jimmy of Muleshoe and Bobby and Kenny, both of Canyon. For the past several years, Mrs. Henderson has been employed by the city on the Bookmobile that travels through four counties.

The candidate's mother, Edna Henderson, is a resident of Muleshoe.

He said of his candidacy for Sheriff of Bailey County, "If elected, I pledge to do the best job I know how to do. I will appreciate your vote and your support in the upcoming Democratic primary."

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Pd. Pol. Adv. Angels Sing).

Fortunately, we have music to enhance the holidays, and it's been present since that very first Christmas, when the heavenly host performed their extraordinary "Christmas Concert" for some awestruck shep-

herds in the hills near Bethlehem. Since that night, there

have been countless carols written, cantatas composed, and popular songs written about Christmas.

Everyone has a holiday preference and chances are, you'll be hearing your own particular musical favorite sometime this season, whether it's piped into your local department store or performed by the church choir.

Some Christmas carols have famous composers such as Adolphe Adam (O Holy Night) and Felix Mendelssohn (Hark! The Herald

Today's Christmas Tree, And How It Came to Be!

Why do we have Christmas trees? The custom can be traced to the early pagan days of Northern Europe. Natives used holly, evergreen, and mistletoe to decorate their homes at midwinter. The greens were thought to encourage the cohabitation of friendly spirits during the winter solstice.

European Christians enjoyed the color and fragrance of the greens and continued the practice long after the pagan significance was forgotten.

Pageant plays as we know them today developed from the miracle plays of the Middle Ages. These programs depicted religious stories and moral themes. Because they were performed in churches, scenery

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WITH REGULAR STORE

entire garden of Eden was represented by a fir tree with apples tied upon it. Soon, it became known as the Paradise Tree. Ironically, this present-day symbol of the Nativity originated as a representation of the Fall of Man. In 1450, when secular plays were banned, the symbolic tree was brought into the home as an object lesson. The evergreen symbolized morality, and the apples, sin. Later, cookies and sweets were hung as a reminder of the "sweetness"

was kept to a minimum. The

SEASON'S GREEPINGS

of the Savior's Redemption. Decorative treats were expanded to include candy canes and popcorn chains. Later, the moralistic character of the tree gradually faded as glittering ornaments and figures took the place of apples and wafers.

Legend attributes the first lighted tree to Martin Luther's 16th century attempt to recreate the beautiful, snowy evergreens of Germany. Candles were originally used on such trees and were later replaced by electric facsimiles. Through the years, lighting designs have been revised to today's present varieties.

The tradition of decorating Christmas trees in the How beautiful and bright. United States began in 1776 during the American Revolution, when Hessian soldiers brought the custom from their native Germany. A short while later, in 1804, How beautiful and bright. a Christmas tree was mentioned as part of a holiday celebration at Fort Dear-The sight of thee at Christmas tide born, Illinois. With little objection, the traditional tree became an integral part of a 19th century Christmas and the practice of decorating holiday trees has continued ever since. Today, more than two-thirds of American homes have a beautiful tree as part of their holiday How beautiful and bright. decorations. **Christmas Date** It wasn't until 320 A.D. that December 25th was officially designated as Christmas Day. Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home Ph. 272-4574 In a world overflowing with love and good will, let there be contentment for everyone. Thanks to you all. Tide Products

Sending a gift of warm Christmas wishes to our

Thanks.

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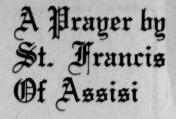
many fine friends. May your holiday suit you perfectly.



- O Christmas tree, O Christmas Tree
- O Christmas tree, O Christmas tree,

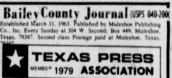
Spreads hope & gladness far & wide.

O Christmas tree, O Christmas tree,

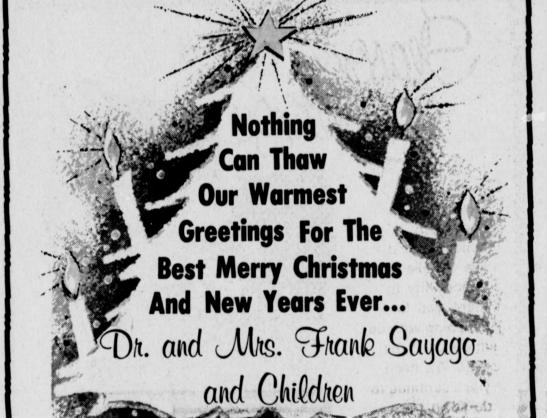


Lord, make me an instrument of your peace Where there is hatred, let me sow love; Where there is injury, pardon; Where there is despair, hope; Where there is darkness, light; Where there is sadness, joy. O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much Seek to be consoled as to console; To be understood, as to understand; To be loved, as to love; For it is in giving that we receive: It is in pardoning that we are pardoned; And it is in dying that we are born To eternal life.





Muleshoe





Here's Wishing You And Yours A Very **Merry Christmas From Your Friends** And Neighbors At Anthonys.

We're Open 'Til 5 p.m. Christmas Eve For Your Last Minute Shopping Needs. Shop At Your Local Anthony's Christmas And After For Year-Around Friendly Service. Merry Christmas

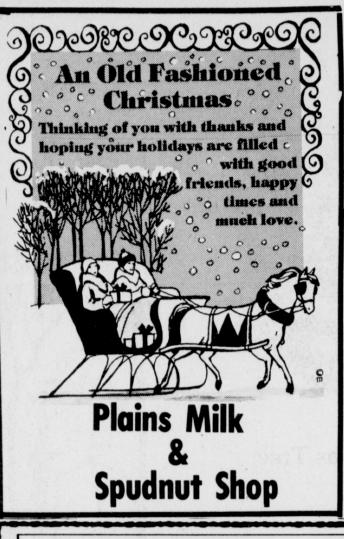
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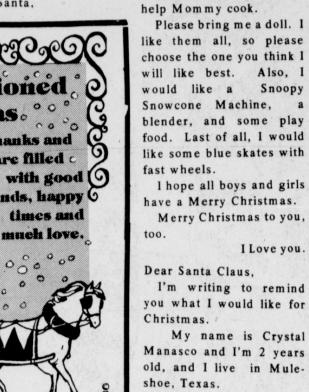
1816 W. Ave. H Muleshoe, Texas December 4, 1979 Dear Santa Claus Santa I hope you have fun Dear Santa,



on Christmas I sean all the I like you very much so reindeer and Rudolph to I bring me some star wars like be in Texas. it is fun I people and give me a used to live in Bakersfield picture of you and I would and I have abut ten cats like a ccamera with film in but some of thim is afraid it so I can take pictures of of use but thay are fun if us on Christmas morning. you can git thim with out But especially I want some mack thim run. and I want oil paints to paint on some a stuff bear Merry Christpaper. I am eight and a mas Santa Claus. half years old. Your friend.

Love Shelly Hancock *****

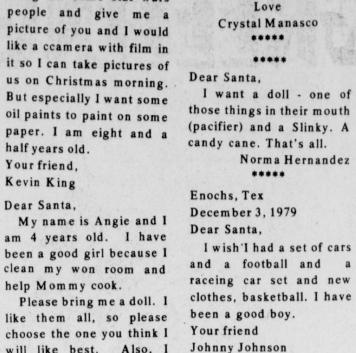
I want a record player on 1814 West Ave D. Christmas and my sister Muleshoe, Texas 79347 what's some records. December 5, 1979



Kevin King

Dear Santa,

a baby doll.



year, too.

some more goodies this

***** Box 29 Maple, Tx. November 3, 1979 Dear Santa. I want a 10 speed and a

football and a basket ball and a raceing track and a pack of cars. I Love you. From Pablo Banda Maple, Texas Nov. 30, 1979 Dear Santa,

drink.

Maple, Texas Dec. 3, 1979

***** Dear Santa Claus,

Love.

want a baby crib too.We will have something for you to eat and drink. Love You! 'your friend, Jeanine Robertson ***** Belybore November 30, 1979 Dear Santa, I want for Christmas a watch, a bike, a radio, a doll, and a babe crib. That's all I want for Christmas. I hope thet I was a good girl. I love you Lilly Cavazas

Dear Santa,

I want a bike and a

kitchen set. That's all I

want. I don't know if I've

been good or not, but I

hope I was. Oh, I forgot I

Love.

ALL.

car.

Love.

costumes. Ridge riders 2 pak xr 75. Kyle Stancell ***** Dear Santa Clause

How are you doing, I am doing find. How cold is it at the North Pole. It is kind of cold here in Muleshoe, Texas. I am Sheila Garner. Will you please bring me a Baby this n that. And a blue and white girl bike

***** Dear Santa,

lio.

Maria Pacheco

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Patricia San Juan strong, a Superman, a Superman costume, a race Dear Santa, car. I want a bike, a toy barn Love, and a train and that's all. George Barron Martin Estrada Dear Santa, I want a truck and a play Dear Santa, motorcycle. I want a bike and a tractor. Love, **Gilberto** Reyes ***** Dear Santa, I want a bike, a car, a tractor, and that's all. Love, **Rodolpho Nunes** ***** Dear Santa, I want a truck and a race **Ricky Diaz** *****

Dear Santa, I want a truck, a bicycle, and a play motorcycle. Love. **Reic Cisneros** *****

Dear Santa. I want a Stretch Arm-

Love, Lenny Pineda ***** Dear Santa, I want a truck, a play house that is orange. Love. Ubaldo Olivas ***** Dear Santa.

I want a bicycle. I have been a good girl. Love, Carmen Franco *****

Dear Santa, I want a doll with clothes and bibs, a little doll set with a father, mother and babies, and a small Santa Claus doll.

Love, lorena Ronquillo ***** Dear Santa Claus,

good boy. Love, Filemon Guzman ***** Dear Santa Claus, I want a Baby Alive, a bike. Thats all. Love, Lori Baeza ***** Dear Santa, I want Incredible Hulk, Spider man, Hot Wheels, a dump truck and a tree. That's all. Love, Alfredo Santos ***** Dear Santa Claus, I want a doll. Love, Claudia Reyes

I want a truck and a car. I

want a tractor. I've been a

Rt.2 Muleshoe, Texas 79347 December 4, 1979 Dear Santa Claus, I want a race track and some boots too. Thank you for the presents from last year.

Your friend, Timmy Shipman *****





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Love,

Santa.

Love,

Dear Santa,

play watch.

Dear Santa Claus,

Love,



A Letter From Santa

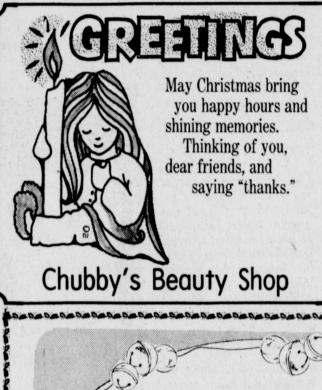
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Dear Santa. I want a Hot Wheel Bike -It's a police bike.

PIPELINES SOLD, REPAIRED, INSTALLED GATED PIPE ALUMINUM FITTINGS PVC TRANSITE CONCRETE SIDEROLLS PIVOT SYSTEMS NEW WELL TIE INS PIVOT SYSTEM HOOKUPS SYSTEMS VALVES INSTALLED LEAKS FIXED PIERCE, WATERMAN, IRECO FITTINGS

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happy holiday from Santa, his fleetfooted team and us. We thank all our good friends and hope they will enjoy a

house. I have been a good girl. James Garcia Love, Diana Gardea Dear Santa Claus, I want a doll and some Dear Santa, dolly clothes. I love you I want a doll. I help take care of my baby. That's all. Angelica Hernandez Love, Mari Almanza I want Stretch Arm-Dear Santa Claus. strong, Spider Man and a I want a doll wis clothes. I love you Santa Claus. Love, Orlando Camarena Gloria Guillen

.... Dear Santa, I want a baby doll and a I want a frigerator, and a house and telephone too

and a gingerbread man. And thas all. Love. Yvette Hernandes

Dear Santa. I want a doll, and a bicycle, some doll clothes

and that's all. Love. Marsha Mendoza

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Dear Santa Claus, I'm to little to write, but my Grams is helping me. I'm just 2 years old. I live at Dimmitt, but I stay at my Grams and Papa's house as much as I stay at my house. Gram's and Papa lives at Muleshoe out on a farm. I like it. I've been a pretty good boy. I help Papa work. I

help work on the cotton stripper and combine and tractor and everything

and Hulk.

Damon Parker ***** Rt.4 Box 12

Rt. 2 Box 43 I saw you last Sat. after Muleshoe, Texas 79347 the parade, but Gram's December 5, 1979 said I needed to write you Dear Santa a letter so you wouldn't I hope you will get me a forget what I told you. fan and a pelletgun and pellets. I hope you have a Santa could you, please, Merry Christmas.

> Love Jimmy P. **Letters** To **The Editor**

In 1961 state government turned to the sales tax as a means of getting out of the property tax business. The tax has proven to be a strong backbone for state

government's financial operations. It can continut to be our strong suit -- so iong as we don't abandon the state's right and ability to turn to it when needed. But we will abandon that right and that ability if we let the cities, the schools and the counties saddle

the sales tax with every increase and every new sales tax proposal they are making. As Mike Kingston said

in the Dallas Morning News, we would be facing the highest sales tax in the nation. I am enclosing a copy of Mr. Kingston's

schools and counties, a city



sales tax of three percent munity wants such a treas proposed by the Texas mendous increase. Municipal League (along And I certainly don't with the state's four and believe that 350,000 peothe transit authorities' ple who collect the sales

genius New York City.

sales taxes.

45 other states.

ana's local governments

Texas cities get 8.8 per-

cent of their local tax

incomer from the sales tax.

Hand-in-hand, the state of

Louisiana has an income

tax and leans on it for 19

percent of the state's tax

believe the taxpayers of

Texas are willing to take

on such a drastic increase

in the sales tax. Business

pays some 58 percent of all

But, most of all, i can't

income.

one) would put us at eight tax from their customers percent -- a number match- want any more responsibiled only by that financial ity in this area for the meager one percent hand-At that rate we lose ling fee they get.

forever the ability of the The state can be a state to turn again to the helpmate to the cities, but sales tax, and we lose the it can't be everyone's ability of Texas business to Sugar Daddy with the compete with our neigh- sales tax. There are other boring states, the rest of options open to the cities, the Sunbelt and all other hard though the decisions major industrial states -- may be.

all of whom have lower The sales tax may look like an easy way out, but it Should that come about, is a shortsighted solution. there is no doubt that we We would be trading a would ultimately be look- short-term benefit for a ing at a state income tax. long-term damage in a It has already happened in state throttled with an income tax and unable to Our neighbor Louisiana compete in the national

is a good example. Louisimarketplace. depend on their three per-Sincerely, cent sales tax for 42 per-**Bob Bullock**

cent of their local tax Comptroller of Public Acincome. By comparison, counts.

DPSPredicts

The Department of Public Safety late last week estimated that 123 persons would be killed in motor vehicle mishaps during the forthcoming Christmas and New Year holiday periods.

DPS Director Wilson E. Speir estimated that 67 persons would be killed

during the Christmas h day weekend and t another 56 persons wo be killed during the N Year holiday weekend The DPS director said bot counts are 102 hours long Speir added that the Christmas count started at 6 p.m. December 21 and continues until midnight December 25, while the New Year count starts at 6 p.m. December 28 and continues until midnight

January 1. Speir said that statewide traffic deaths are presently running about six percent ahead of the record pace of a year ago. Last year, there were 3,980 persons killed statewide in motor vehicle crashes.

At the end of preliminary holiday counts last year, 57 deaths were reported during the Christmas period and 39 during the New Year holidays.

Speir said all available DPS troopers would be on duty. State troopers and local officers will be working together to keep traffic moving safely. "I have asked our officers to place special emphasis on removing drunks and reckless drivers from Texas streets and highways," he

"We will continue to work with the news media to keep motorists posted on unusual traffic conditions and to advise them where and why serious holiday wrecks are occurring," Speir said.

added



Don't forget Nenner and Airy, either. I love you, Dear Santa. I am writing to ask you to bring my 20 month old brother a Micky mouse talking telephone and some cars. I am 6 and in

am a hard worker.

Please don't forget.

happy.

Dink

bring me a race-car set and

a motorcycle. I would be so

Please don't forget Tiffy -

she lives at Dimmitt, too,

and is my cousin. I love her

- she is 2 yrs. old, too.

kindergarden. I have been mischief and nice would you please bring me a Race track, bicycle, shoes size 1, clothes, 7 slim extra long pants, and size 8 shirt if you can manage it. Santa please be good to my

Thank you Santa. I will have some cookies and milk waiting for you. Love,

Moma and Daddy too.

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Dear Santa,

Clinton and Clifton Know My name is Damon and

article. I'm 6 years old. I have Even if you ignore the tried to be good this year.

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Deadline For Classified Ads Is 11:00 **Tuesdays And Fridays**

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CLASSIFIED RATES Ist insertion, per word5.11 Minimum Charge \$1.80	Two bedroom, double carport, corner lot, \$19,000.	FOR SALE: 1973 model Castle Mobile Home 14 x 68. Call 965-2666. 8-46s-tfc
2nd Insertion, and thereafter	Four bedroom on Ave. J, \$26,500.	SMALLWOOD REAL
per word \$.09 Minimum Charge \$1.50 CARD OF THANKS 25 words \$3.00 Over 25 words	60 x 70 Brick building on highway 70. Excellent Business location.	ESTATE 272-4838 232 MainStreet Joe Smallwood & Ricky Smallwood
charged at regular classified rates Classified Display \$1.55 per column inch Double Rate for	Three bedroom, single garage in Lenau Addi- tion, \$28,500.	907 W. 7th, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, car port, brick, fenced back yard.
Blind Ads. DEADLINE FOR INSERTION 11 a.m. Tues. for Thurs. 11 a.m. Fti. for Sun.	FARMS RANCHES HOMES JOHN W. SMITH, Broker	New brick homes, 3 bed- room, 2 bath. 8-43s-tfc
WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CLASSIFY, REVISE OR REJECT ANY AD.	HIGHWAY 214 NORTH MULESHOE, TEXAS	FOR SALE OR LEASE PURCHASE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, large living-
NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY ERROR AFTER AD HAS RUN	TOWN and	room and den, 2 car gar- age. In Country Club Addi- tion. Call 272-3029.
ONCE.	COUNTRY	8-48s-tfc
1. PERSONALS WE BUY USED FURNITURE & APPLIANCES	REAL ESTATE 806-272-4678 or 4307 8-50t-tfc	KREBBS REALESTATE 122 W. Ave. C Ph. 272-3191 All Your Real Estate Needs.
CALL 272-3030 HARVEY BASS APPLIANCE 1-18s-tfc	Box 627 - 109 5th St. Farwell, Texes 79325 Phone (806) 481-3288 or 481-9149	Ivy in Country Club Ad-
3. HELP WANTED EXPERIENCE John Deere	160 acres North of Pro- gress, good water area, 1 well, priced to sell.	dition. Call 214-572-9264 or 214-572-5628 after 5 p.m. 8-43t-tfc
parts personnel, insurance paid, vacation, uniforms, sick leave. Call 257-3785 after 6 p.m.	160 Acres northwest of Muleshoe, 2 wells, lays good. on FM highway.	FOR SALE: Two labors of land. Call 272-3923. 3-49t-tfc
3-46t-tfc OPERATOR WANTED: Contact Faye Montgomery at Patia Beauty Shop	160 Acres near Nichols Gin, 1 ¹ / ₂ miles north of Highway 70. Good water area, lays good.	88ACRES FOR SALE: Close into town, 6" well, 60 acres in hay, 20 acres wheat. Low interest loan.
at Patio Beauty Shop. Phone 272-4318.	WENEED YOUR FARM	Contact 272-5578 from 8 til

Making Old Fashioned, Spicy Gingerbread Men Cookies. One of the special and

most delicious customs at Christmas is snappy, spicy gingerbread men cookies. Since the whole family loves them, why not have the

FOR SALE- One 403 Moline motor in good shape, with one 50 HP Gearhead, in good shape. New cooling coil, new drive shaft, concrete motor stand. \$1,400.00 for whole package. Call Woody Lambert at 272-4726 (days) or 272-4889 (nights) or call Ricky Barrett at 272-3808. 11-51t-tfc ***********************

12 HOUSEHOLE ITEMS ********************** Repossesed houseful of furniture includes 2 bedroom suits, living room suit, 3 living room tables, dinette set, refrigerator, stove, washer and dryer. Can be bought all or part, take over payments. Free delivery. **DISCOUNT FURNITURE** 7th and Prince

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*********************** SALE: 14. FARM PROPERTY TO well, RENT acres ********************** loan.

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whole family join together in a happy baking spree? Here's our quick 'n' easy recipe: **Gingerbread** Cookies: l cup packed brown sugar

3 eggs 1 cup margarine or butter, softened 1¹/₄ cups molasses teaspoon salt tablespoon baking soda

teaspoon ground cinnamon teaspoon ground allspice teaspoon ground cloves teaspoon ground ginger 3 cups all-purpose flour plus 5-6 cups (to be used later) 8" gingerbread man cookie cutter

Early in day: In a large bowl with mixer at low speed, beat first 11 ingre-

dients, until just mixed, constantly scraping bowl with rubber spatula. Increasing speed to medium, beat 2 more minutes, scraping occasionally. Using a wooden spoon, stir additional 5 to 6 cups of flour into dough, to make it stiff. Divide dough in half and wrap in plastic wrap. Dough can be used immediately or refrigerated for up to two days. Preheat oven to 350° F. On a lightly floured surface

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8676, Portales, N.M. after

DOG

roll half the dough with a lightly floured rolling pin, until '%'' thick. With gingerbread man cookie cutter, cut as many cookies as possible. Using a pancake turner, arrange cookies on lightly greased cookie sheet, handling carefully. Bake 12 minutes until cookie edges are firm; loosen cookies



from sheet and remove to wire rack to cool. Reroll scraps and using

remaining dough, repeat. Using white frosting, prepared or your own home made favorite, and raisins, decorate gingerbread men. Recipe makes about 2 dozen cookies.

The Many **Customs** of Christmas

Card Of Thanks

To the community of Muleshoe, for the support and comfort given, for the gifts of food, flowers, the cards and messages of sympathy and especially to Dr. Gary Albertson, Dr.

Once again, the most joyous of holiday seasons is upon us, bringing a spiritual renewal and strengthening of family bonds. Among all these holiday traditions are found many of long-ago and enchanting history.

The hanging of mistletoe is a practice derived from the British custom of the "Kissing Ball." This special ornament was made from evergreen branches and was hung in a passageway. A berry was removed each time a kiss was exchanged. Once all berries were removed, kissing ceased. Decorative wreaths for

doors and windows are traditions thought to have been inspired by the great Della Robbia family of Florence, Italy. This popular wreath pattern of fruit and foliage was originally made to resemble small, circular garlands, surrounding tiny figurines. Gradually, the round greens grew in size until ready to stand as art in themselves.

The practice of hanging Christmas stockings began in Southern Europe. Legend states that an old man was in despair because he had no money for his daughters' dowries. Saint Nicholas, hearing of the man's plight, dropped a bag of gold down the oldster's chimney. The gift traveled

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that Wilson Appliance whose principal business office is at 117 Main, Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas, on November 1, 1979, became incorporated under the firm name of Wilson Ap-

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pliance, Inc. Dated: November 1, 19-

> s/s/Gordon Wilson Gordon Wilson

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Christmas

TO ALL OUR

FRIENDS &

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stocking, hung upon the

The next year, friends and

neighbors hung out their

prettiest stockings in anti-

cipation of the coming of the

generous Saint. Today, the

practice of hanging these

picturesque socks remains

one of the happiest of

Christmas traditions.

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Eight flee East Germany in homemade balloon.

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PART TIME TO \$100 PER WEEK: Ladies work from your home on new telephone program. Earn \$4 to \$6 per hour. For appointment Call 272-3346. 3-49s-tfc

NEEDED: Someone to help care for elderly woman during day while convalescing. 272-4614 nights, 272-3413 during day. 3-50s-tfc

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PARTTIME: Construction reporter for the Muleshoe area. Person should be well-acquainted throughout the area and be able to seek out proposed and committed residential projects. If interested, write Box 1108, Amarillo, Texas, 79105, for application. 3-51s-2tsc

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FOR SALE: 78 acres 6 north east of Muleshoe on YL pavement, good water, 20 percent down, owner finance balance for 10 years. Ph. (days) 272-3819, home 385-5613. 8-51t-tfc

NEAR MULESHOE- 425 acres Alfalfa, 2 tractscircles- sideroll- 2 bedroom home- working pens- cattle shed- Financing available. Clarence Mason- 806-924. 7748, bill York- 806-795. 5591: Bill York and Assoc. Realtors 806-795-5591. 8-49s-8tp

TWO BEDROOM MOB-ILE HOME for sale. Call 272-3319 after 6 p.m. 8-48t-tfc

OUR FARM & RANCH LISTINGS 320 Acres in Lazbuddie area, good water area, circular sprinkler, 1 mile off highway. 160 Acres irrigated. Circle Sprinkler, 2 wells, 200 ft. water plus. 3 bedroom house, new steel barn. On highway northwest of Muleshoe. 80 A irrigated with sideroll sprinkler, 6 inch

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bedroom, 2 bath, brick, carpet, drapes, carport, fenced backyard. 1627 W. Ave. C. Call 272-4794 daytime, 272-3791 evenings for appointment. 8-44s-tfc

sell. Call 272-4403.

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HOUSE FOR SALE: 3

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath stucco home, cellar and lots of extras, must 8-43t-tfc

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5, 272-3658 after 5 p.m. 8-49s-tfc For all your real estate needs Call: **GLAZE & GOFORTH** 112 Ave. C 272-4208 8-11s-tfc FOR SALE: 160 Acres, for \$400 acre. Two 4 inch wells, on pavement 5 1/2 miles Southwest of Sudan. Call Sudan 227-2498. 8-50t-4tc ********************** **10. FARM EQUIP. FOR** SALE ********************** FOR SALE: Model 33 J.D. cotton stripper. 24-A Hesston stripper, basket model, fits J.D. 4010 - 4020. Call 946-3679. 10-42s-tfc FOR SALE: 60 horse electric motor. Phone 806-965-2177. Delter Wenner. 10-51t-16tp FOR SALE: 1 new 6 row Lilliston Roll cultivator with burning off discs. 1 new Wylie Spray Rig, 8 row with 400 gallon poly tank, 1 Green gear head -75 HP, 1 lot of stand pipes. Call 825-3822.

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11. FOR SALE OB TRADE *********************** FOR SALE: Desk, chair and filing cabinet. R. C. Allen register, older National Cash register. Call 272-4607. 11-51s-2tc

> **** Being frank is the road

to unpopularity, unfortunately.

ESTABLISHED 15-49s-5tp FARMER needs extra

farm land in Muleshoe WATERLESS Cookware. area. Size no problem. Multiply Stainless, Home Irrigated or dryland. Can demonstration Price, \$500. furnish references. Call Warehouse Offer, \$195. Walter Little Jr. Home Call 1-303-591-1331. 825-3960, Mobile 272-15-50t-5tp

********************** FOR SALE: Toy Fox **15. MISCELLANEOUS** Terrier puppy, 9 weeks ********************** old. A perfect Christmas FOR SALE: Lake CB, \$35, gift. Call 272-3382. Portable typewriter, \$40. 15-51t-2tc call 272-4144 after 6 p.m.

15-49t-htfc GROOMING TREFLAN FOR SALE: Watson Chemical and Barber Grooming Aca-Application. 272-4737. 15-51s-tfc

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MULESHOE JAYCEES-are now taking orders for Post Oak firewood. \$110 Full cord delivered. To place an order, phone 272-5231 or 272-5077 after 6 p.m. or see Johnny St. Clair or Kent Kelley. 15-51s-tfc

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FARMS TO BE SOLD: 150 Acres, home 2 wells 160 Acres, home, barns, 1 well, pump back pit with

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Bruce Purdy, the nursing staff of West Plains Medical Center and Mr. Frank Ellis and staff of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home ---Our grateful thanks.

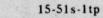
The family of --Lenora Boness 15-51s-1tp

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Words cannot express how much we appreciate the calls, the visits, the words of comfort, the prayers, the food and flowers during the passing of our loved one. A special thanks to Dr. Gregory, also to Art Willey and the Nursing Home for their loving care, to Bro. Glen Harlin for the comforting message.

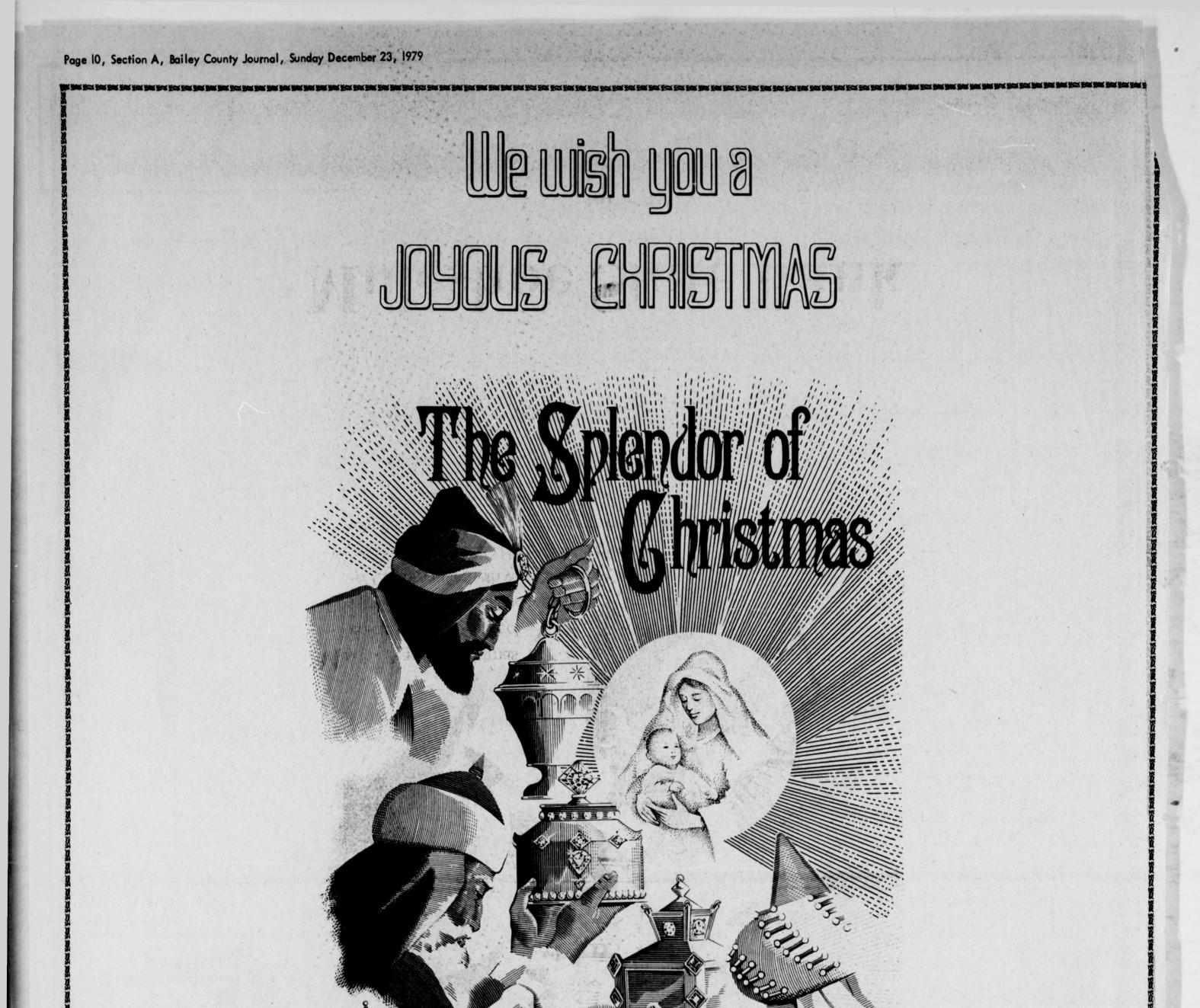
May God Bless each of

Joe and Irene Jones and boys Jimmy and Betty Wilkerson and girls The Shanks Brothers and Sisters, Nephews and Nieces.



you





May the Peace of Christmas enfold you...the Cheer of Christmas comfort you...and the Spirit of Christmas live with you always. As we rejoice and celebrate His glorious coming we offer thanks for the cherished gift of your friendship.

Muleshoe State Bank

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From Our House To Yours

Happy Holidays To Those We Love And See Each Day And Other Loved Ones Far Away To All Good Friends Whose Friendship Mean So Much And Those With Whom We're Somehow Out Of Touch...

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Dear Santa,



Box 64 Sudan, Tex. 79371 December 3, 1979 Dear Santa.

I want a new football, crash up derby, didgetal derby game, mini bike, penball machine, some little cars and some little motorcycles, remote control car, and a gas airplane.

Curtis Don Tucker Dear Santa.

I want a dolly - just any kind, and another dolly, and a play little bear.



That's all. I will be at my Grandma's. And I'll leave you some milk and cookies. Linda Carrasco

I hav ben lookin forward too yur comin this year. I wuld like a Dallas cowboy cherleeder poster.

wanted a Dallas cowboy cheerleader. Dear Santa Claus.

car set. I am goin to leave some milk and cake for you.# I have ben a pretty good boy this year.

Love Daniel ***** Dear Santa:

How is Rudolph doing? Is his nose still bright? I Yours truly, have been a good boy this year. I would like for you to bring me a talking story book and a peddle pick-up. I hope Mrs. Santa is doing

Santa on Saturday. I have a 14-month old sister. Her name is Jeri Lynne. She would like for ***** you to bring her a baby

> doll and a little car to ride on and a jack-in-a-box. We will leave cookies and milk for you.

My brother said he Jason and Jeri Burreson

I wuld also like a race I would like a bike, a Baby Alive, a book. Yesenia Trevino

***** Dear Santa, I want a bicycle and some guns.

> Love Galin Latham *****

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Love

Dear Santa Claus, I want a Woopsee Doll and some skates, cake baker, a Kissing Barbie o.k. I am going to Santa Doll, and perfume maker,

Land to see you and Mrs. I want a Barbie Doll House and Barbie Van. Love Audree Anzaldua ***** Dear Santa Claus, I want a bike Christmas. Love Jonathan Villa *****

> Merry Christmas, Dear Santa Claus. I want a Death Star Space Station, a X-Wing Fighter and Tie Fighter, and a Big-Trac and a Star Trek Enterprise and a race track with race cars and a , Thank you. diesel truck with a big trailer and a dump truck. Love Ernest Moravec ***** Dear Santa,

I want a refrigerator, Mary Muffin Stroller, Burp-n-Baby and that's all. I would take a gun for my daddy and for my mom I would take some clothes, and for Heath a Dallas Cowboy Shirt. For my Grandma's-some clothes.

love **Danny Barrett** ***** Dear Santa Claus, I want a play dog, a Barbie Doll, a play doctor thing and that's all for me. Bring my brother a new coloring book and new colors. Love

> ***** Dear Santa, I want a Jaws Game.

Papa can use daddy's

Love

Ronda Scott

I want two race cars, a

fire truck, a race track and

cars, and superman,

Hulk, a Spiderman Motor-

Love

San Roberts

I want some skates, Big

Wheel, race car, Super-

man, a van, a tractor, a

Love

Jody Stevenson

I want a John Deere

Truck and tractor and two

John Deere plows. Please

bring my brother a record

and my sister a doll house

and a doll. Bring my

mother a new dress and

my daddy some new boots.

That's all

cycle, a red race car.

Dear Santa Claus,

bear and horses.

Dear Santa Claus,

Incredible

gun.

for

Dear Santa,

spiderman,

them big round things that you can take the buttons off and all the Star Wars people in the castle one of the other robot officers, and one of those space ships that flies as tall as the house and flies all by it self. Santa Claus, you can go out to my dragon and a Christmas Dolly and a Starfish and a sea horse and a dancing doll.

Love Luci Perez ***** Dear Santa Claus, l want some chaps, a vest and a bicycle and a spaceship Game, a Darth Vader game, a R2-D2 and Dart Game and that's all. Love

Justin Morris **** Dear Santa Claus, I want a Miss Piggy Puppet and a bike and a trampoline. Thats all I want for Christmas. Tell Mrs. Santa Claus Hi? for me. Santa I hope you have a Merry Christmas. Love Michelle Stevenson *****

Dear Santa, I am fine. How are you? It snowed in Muleshoe Friday. My granpa and grandma Presser and Jody & Carlo their dog are coming. Grandpa and grandma Adams and Princess their dog are coming. My Uncle Henry and granpa Faulkner are coming and Uncl Rocky and Aunt Carol Shane Matt and Jeffery are coming for Christmas. I would like a pellet gun and two negro football players about 3 inches of the Oakland Raiders. No 21 Cliff Branch and No. 22 Athur Whittington. See you later alligator. Your friend,

Chris Faulkner

I am in the fourth grade.

I'm 9 years old. How are

you. I've been a good

girl. I want a baton for

Christmas. Santa some-

times I think of you as

Love

Roxanne

Richards

Dear Santa,

being God.

Dear Santa

a pair of coveralls and a 22 calibor double barrel pistol. I will make you some cookies and Koolaid. Your friend, Guy Dale P.S. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

calculator, a pair of chaps,

***** Dear Santa, I want a Teddy Bear and some new perfume and that is all that I want. Yours truly, Carmen T. Espinoza

***** Dear Santa, I want a ten speed and a Meliniun falcon. How's the weather up there? Now I know why you wear heavy clothes. Thanks for

the Star Wars Space Station from last year. Thanks alot Donnie Nowlin P.S. Thanks for the Battle Star Glactica Junk. ***** Dear Sant Claus, I want a Godzilla and a car. Love Christopher Ramos ***** Dear Santa Claus, I want a Bee Gees guitar and a star wars and a Godzilla and that thing that walks and the space

ship you can put toys in.

Love

Anthony Garcia

I want a Baby-That-A

Way and super Fasion

Barbie Face and Sweetie

Face and Woopsee Doll,

and this play house, a

refrigerator and stove, a

poster of Santa Claus and

my brother wants a bicycle

and skates and my baby

Love

Donna Jaramillo

I want a bike with

training wheels and brakes

that stop. I want a pick-up

and a car and I want a

brother a little car.

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus,

cookies, a Santa Claus Napkin and some milk. I love you Cody Lane ***** Deer Santa.

> I hav ben lookin forward too yur comin this year. I wuld like a Dallas cowboy cheerleeder poster. My brother said he wanted a Dallas cowboy

horse trailer with two

horses in it. I think that's

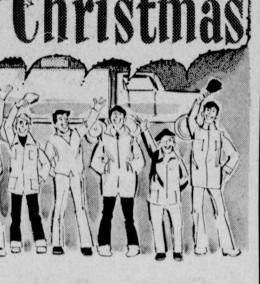
all. I will leave you

something to eat-two

cheerleeder. I wuld also like a race car set. I am goin to leave some milk and cake for vou.

I have ben a pretty good boy this year. Love Daniel





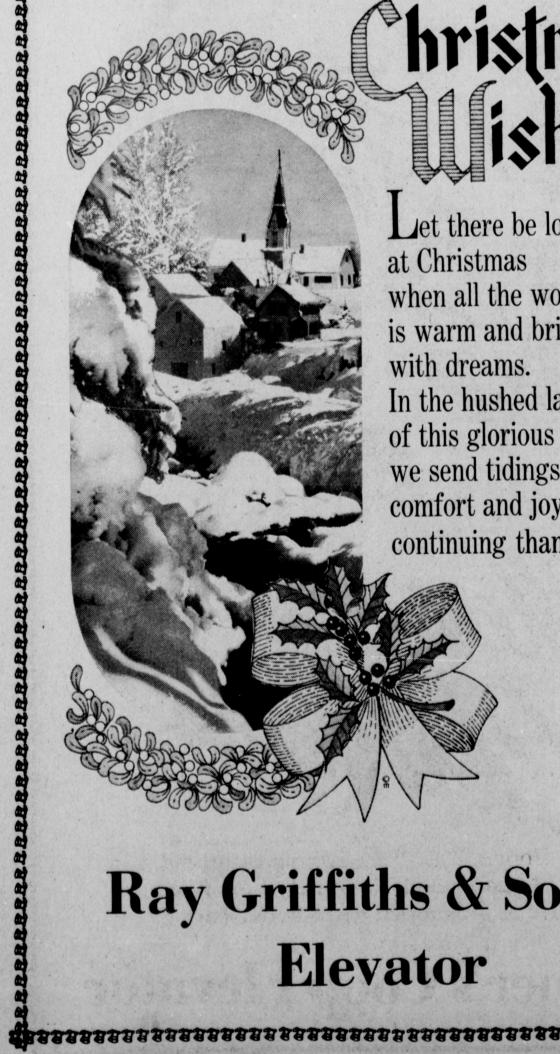
Richls Car Wash

We raise our voices in praise of our fine friends and patrons and wish them may blessings

Valerie Patton

a monster thing - Star Wars - R2-D2 also - and a Star Wars Castle and one of them big star wars space ship that sky walker can ride in. I want a dinasor that a man can ride in and one of them that fly thing that flies and that's all. Oh I want one of

I want some white skates with red and blue grandpa's or my Pa-Pa's to stripes, size 3 for Christ-



hristmas ishes

Jet there be love at Christmas when all the world is warm and bright with dreams. In the hushed landscape of this glorious season, we send tidings of comfort and joy and continuing thanks to all!

Ray Griffiths & Sons Elevator

get some gas for my Love spaceship if you will be Elizabeth Posadas very quiet. Love Jason Redwine with polyurethane ***** wheels. We will have some cookies and milk. Dear Santa. ***** I want a jogging doll, and an umbrella and Dear Santa, dishes and a van, a lollipop I want a digital math

Santa's pack is

of happy days, gifts of

To his bounty we add.

Western

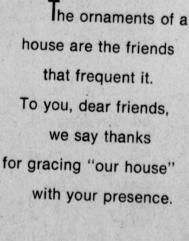
Auto

overflowing with gifts

joy and friendship.

our warm thanks.







Western Drug



Dear Santa.

Will you please bring me a T.E.A.M.M.A.? Also an Electronic Kid. A 300X Telecsope and a Student Chemistry Lab set and a pocket Microscope. I wish you a Merry

Christmas. Yours Truly, Lance *****

Dear Santa,

My name is Kevin and I am 8 years old and will you please bring me a beginners rock tumbler set. Please bring me a Shoot-Out-in-Space. Please bring me Junior Size Pool Table. Please bring me a Spinout Hot Wheels and please bring me some art instructions.

> Love Kevin ***** Star Route Goodland, Tex. 79327

December 3, 1979 Dear Santa, Please bring me a BB



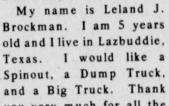
Gun for Christmas and an Easy Bake oven, a new saddle and Bridle, a new Three Wheeler, A Blip, it to snow, and my cousin to have a happy wedding. Your friend. Jodie Wheeler *****

Dear Santa, My name is Clay Crant and I am 4 years old. Would you please bring me a service station, a

guitar, a tire engine and Cowboy guns for Christ-Please bring Mama & Daddy and Kevin and Laurey something too. I think Kevin wants a pick-up.

I have been a good boy sometimes. Love Clay Grant

Dear Santa, Please bring me Barbie doll, house and a bicycle and a Wagon and some paper dolls and a book about Santa Claus and a record and some glue and a pencil and that's all. Love Laurie Estrada *****



Dear Santa,

some toys. I want kinda and milk. little and kinda big cars. I want a race car set with two semis and two cars. My brother, Gage, wants the same things I'm getting a "Dukes of Hazzard" car and I'm getting a "Spiderman" car. My mama wants some clothes for Christmas.

Can't you give my daddy some "unushirts" in my mommys and daddys sizes sizes? Thank you,

Billy Tosh, Jr. *****

Dear Santa, I want a bronc saddle to throw on my sawhorse to make him buck. I think that will be all. Bring toys and clothes for Kendra. Brad Kendrick

Dear Santa, I want a Superman doll,

and I want one of those Batman and robin that stick. And one of those punching bags and trampoline. Some of those play blocks and one of those projectors and a bicycle bike. And a few puzzles. One of those fire trucks that hat that makes the sound. Some playdough and one of those globes and a nerf football.

Brandon Bara ***** Dear Santa,

I want a bottle baby and a doll house a big one with

.... Dear Santa, i want a baton. A teddy bear and a ring - a real diamond! A dancing baby I will be at my house and

! will leave you some cookies and milk. I love you. Sheila Humiston *****

Dear Santa,

I want a jewelry box, a red ring, a brown doll. A play table, a bicycle, shoes for me, a little play mice, a little play house, a little toy box, a chair. I want candy. I love you, Santa. **Connie Flores** Dear Santa,

I would like a toy train and I would like a Star Wars play Gun, and I would like some of the people from Star Wars, and I would like the Star Wars Spaceships, and I guess I'll have some little cars. And I would like a watch. And that will be all. I will be at our new house.

> **Coy Collins** *****

Dear Santa,

Bring me a motorcycle. a bicycle, a buggy with a boat on it. I want me a Big Wheel and a motorcycle behind my back and another boat and a big thing that goes fast, two

elephant. Misty Sawyer Love Melissa Toombs

> ***** Dear Santa Claus, I want a Van Set and that's all I want. Love Love Robert Whisenhunt

.... Dear Santa Claus, I would like a Chips Police Set, a Logger Truck, a truck to haul things in and a GMAC Truck and an International truck, and a loader set and that's all. Love Steven Noble ***** Dear Santa Claus,

I want a little doll and doll bottle. Anything you want to bring me. Love Cecila Castillo ***** Dear Santa Claus, I want a Frostie the

Snowman Snow cone Machine, a shoot-away airplane. てもうとうき みょうぶくちょうものものものものものものも



For my little sister, Dear Santa, please bring a little suit.

Love Michael Porras ***** Dear Santa Claus, I would like some Match-Box cars, truck, with race cars in it. My

sister Angela wants a kitchen and baby doll. talks. That's all we want. Love Andy Crawford Dear Santa,

I want a trampoline and a new refrigerator and a new toy box and that's all. I will be at my house and I will leave you some cookies and milk. Marsha Autry *****

Dear Santa, I want a doll that eats a bottle and a blue bike, a Dance-a-rella Doll. I will leave you some candy on my table. I will be at my grandmommy's. That's all Jennifer McManis

I want a race car set with Spiderman race car. A motorcycle with batteries, and a motorcycle that you roll with your hands. I want a Cookie Monster

puppet and a two wheeled blue bike. And a thing that you pull the string and it That's all, Shawn Kelly

Dear Santa Claus, I would like two doll's, and a play Christmas tree. Kristin Chitwood ***** Dear Santa Claus, I would like a hichair, a stroller for my dolls.

From Jennifer Royal ***** Dear Santa Claus, Would you bring me my daddy home for Christmas, tractor and a car, and some candy.

Ammie Lewallen



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Dear Santa,

I want a Baby Rash and a Dance-a-rella and a cuddle-up baby and some dishes that come with cups and plates and spoons and forks and knives. And 1 Barbie Doll with clothes and a bathing suit. A doll that can take a bath. Norma Ortega

Dear Santa,

I want a training wheel bicycle and the doll that has rash on her bottom all the time when she drinks her bottle. And a wagon and a doll that drinks and eats. My brother always wants a truck and a red bicycl. He wants a toy fireman truck.

I want a red teddy bear for me. Santa Claus, bring my baby brother a baby pen.

> Hove you, That's all!

Rees Hillin



Hope all my friends, young and old, big and small, find gifts of joy filled with love and wrapped with tender caring!

Farmer's Coop Elevator

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Dear Santa:



Dear Santa, I want to have a truck

and an airplane and some little cars and a little racing car. And I want a horse that has a swimming pool where they drink water from and a play butterfly that flies around. And I want a real skinny school buses that belong to cars, and some play glasses. That's all.

> Mike Mata *****

Dear Santa:

I am seven years old. Please bring me a train set, bean bag, Dallas Cowboy bicycle, some star



wars people. I have tried to be a good boy this year.

Love you, **Jason Box**

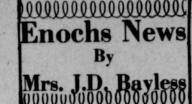
Please bring me a pretty necklace for my stocking. Please bring me a blue bicycle with a basket on both sides. Also, I would like a Whoopsee Doll and a bean bag.

I have been a pretty good girl this year. Love,

D'Anne Box P. S. Please bring my baby brother, Darren, whatever you think he would like. *****

Dear Santa: I am three years old. Please bring me some star wars people, a yellow bicycle, a space ship toy box and a bean bag.

I have tried to be a good boy this year, but it sure is hard sometimes. Love you,



Mrs. Flora Viola Nichols, died Sunday evening, November 25, at the Methodist Hospital Lubbock, following

lengthy ilness, Funeral services were Wednesday 10:00 a.m. November 28 at the Enochs Bapitst Church. Officiating Rev. Charlie Shaw of Seminole. Paulbearers were her grandsons, Jerry Dale Nichols, Richard Nichols, Brian Nichols, Donnie Nichols, Michael Nichols, Larry Davis and Dewayne Nichols. Burial was in the

in Littlefield. ***** Word was received the past week that L.G. Harris of Andrews fell and broke his arm and crushed

Littlefield Memorial Park,

Lillie Snitker was his hip, he was a former

in



resident of Enochs.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless, was in Muleshoe Monday morning to be with his brother Roy Bayless, as he underwent gallstone surgery, at the West Plains Hospital. *****

The Cotton harvest has been full swing the past several weeks some of the farmers are through with their cotton. *****

George Henderson, of Azle, died Monday evening following a lengthy illness, His services were 2:00 p.m. Thursday at Azle, The Hendersons were residents of the Watson community for year. He was a brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless of Enochs and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Coffman of Muleshoe. A brother of

Mrs. Fernie Bell of Muleshoe *****

afternoon. ***** Mr. and Mrs. Buford

patient in the West Plains

Hospital in Muleshoe, Fri-

day afternoon till Sunday

Peterson, attended funeral service of his aunt, Mrs. Artie Whiteside Wednesday at 2:30 at Burkburnett. They also attended the funeral for her brother-in-

law's mother, Mrs. Eva Lee Canon 2:00 p.m., Saturday at Victory Baptist Church at Hart. *****

The Methodist Church had dinner at the Chruch and Rev. C.T. McMaster of Littlefield brought the message. *****

There will be Christmas party, sponsored by the Lions Club, 7:30 Thursday, December 20th at the Bula-Enochs Community Center. Everyone come bring a covered dish and a exchange gift. The parents of children bring an exchange gift for their children and enjoy the evening for Santa Clause will be there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee and son Ron from Tucson, Arizaon were dinner guests in the home of his Uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless. They were all suppler guests in the home of Mrs. Billie Bayless in Muleshoe then they spent the night with J.D. Bayless'. They came for the funeral services of his uncle Roy Bayless. *****

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snitker Sunday was their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spencer of Friona. *****

Mrs. Virgina Cardwell Aledo arrived from Wednesday for a visit with her daughter, Rev. ad Mrs. Mike Heady. *****

L.G. Harris of Andrews a former resident of Enochs was Thursday, December 6, at 2:00 p.m at the Enochs Baptist Burial was in Church.

Enochs Cemetery. Mr. Harris would have been 84 December 15. Mr. Harris is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Francis Riley of Andrew, Mrs. Neva Joyce Brannan of Andrews and Mrs. Zelma Phillips of Levelland and several grandchildren and some great-grandchildren. *****

We wish to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud to Enochs, they bought the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cox and have got moved.

Brooke Sinclair of Muleshoe spend Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pollard and went to the ball game with them. His parents came Sunday for him. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nichols and Christen returned home during the weekend after spending 2 months with his parents, the Dale Nichols, he helped with the grain and cotton harvest.

***** The Enochs W.M.U. had their Lottie Moon Misssion program Monday, Tuesday and Friday, with each one having a part in the program with an average attendance of 10. Mrs. Buford Peterson was in each program.

***** Mr. and Mrs. Chester Petree attended the funeral service of her brother-in-law Charlie Williamson 10:00 a.m. Monday in Lubbock.

***** Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols Friday were his sister, Mrs. L.B. Davis of Shallowater, and his aunt,

Mrs. Ruby Caperton of Lubbock. ***** Mrs. Gracy Swanner of Lubbock and her daughter, Mrs. Avenell Moffeit of

Cushing, Oklahoma were dinner guests in the home of J.D. Bayless's Monday.

home of Mrs. E.N. McCall Thursday at 2:00 p.m. Their program consisted of Christmas Carrols led by Mrs. Mike Heady, Devotional by Mrs. J.W. Layton, She read the Christmas Carrols led by Christmas story from Luke 2: 1-20, Prayer by Mrs. Bill Key. Mrs. Dale Nichols read a poem the Cowboys Christmas Prayer, they

played games of Holiday quiz from the Bible. They exchanged gifts and Mrs. J.D. Bayless offered the blessing for the refreshments. The hostess, Mrs. McCall served cakes, candys punch, and coffee. There were 12 present and the Hostess Mrs. McCall

**** W.L. Key of Amherst came from the hospital to spend some time with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key.

and three visitors, Mrs.

Gary Welch and children.

The Methodist Church had their Christmas Party Sunday with a tree and exchanged gifts, and their Christmas dinner with turkey, chicken and dress ing with all of the trim. ming there were several visitors from Morton, Rev. Marvin Gregory of Morton

braught the Message. ***** Curtis Snitker and son Glenn of Hart visited his

parents the Clifford Snitkers last week. ***** Mr. and Mrs. Sid Key visited her children, Claude Wayne and Vonna also Mr. and Mrs. Weldon

Walker at Roswell, N.M. recently ***** Mrs. J.C. Snitker hosted a party for a group,

at their home the past week, they played music, had refreshments . of Chips, dips, cookies, coffee and punch.

***** Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless Thursday was a

Barbour of Muleshoe. *****

Jim Cox and daughter Mary spent last Tuesday night with his father, Mr. andMrs. Johnie Cox. *****

A cold front came through Thursday and snowed that afternoon and night; got 4 and one half inches which was appreciated. Another front came through Sunday and the high for the day was 20 degrees and 10 degrees Monday morning. ****

Bula Baptist Church had their Christmas Service Sunday night with a supper. The young people had their program and Christmas party Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler also Dub and Rachel Berry at Littlefield last week.

***** West Plains **Medical Center** Report

ADMITTED

Dec. 17, Richard Rymer, Wilson Anderson, Charlie Villarrel, Connie Beversdorf

Dec. 18, Edith Henson, Jose Villarrell, Edna Reed, Ester Rodriquez, Edwin C. Nieman, June Green.

Dec. 19, Ignaco Franco, Antonio Helguin, Linda Masters, Dollie Glover, Mildred Burreson, W.B. Bradon, Scott Springfield, Robert Wariner, Lucille Lewis, Libby Keller, Melanie Blackwell

Dec. 20, Sherry Barrett DISMISSED

Dec. 17, Norman Lee, Dorshan Jennings, N.C. Moore, Marshal Cook, Manuel Martin, Jo Blackwell

Dec. 18, Norma Rodriquez and baby boy, Herbert Sowder, Diana Correll and baby boy, Oberieta LeVeque

Dec. 19, Kevin Smith,

Ester Rodriquez, Wesley

A JOYOU

The beauty of Christmas lies in the thought that we live in the memory of our friends. We think of you with warmth and appreciation and wish you a bright and glowing holiday season.

Muleshoe Coop. Cins

nephew Myron Bayless The Baptist women had from Richmond, Washinga Christmas party at the ton and his friend Babe

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WRONG SIZE?

If He Did,

We'll Gladly Exchange It

If Santa goofed on your Christmas gift, bring

it to Anthony's! We'll exchange it for another

item of equivalent value. And it doesn't even

have to be from an Anthony store. We'll

exchange your gift, NO MATTER WHAT

STORE IT CAME FROM, as long as it is

WRONG COLOR?

Hanks Dec. 20. Wilson Anderson, Imacio Franco, Jose Vellarreal, Linda Masters, W.O. Lackey, Richard Rymer, Connie Bevers-

dorf.

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Sudan News By Evelyn Ritchie

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Black of Route one, Sudan announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Sheryl Lynn, to Nathan Lee Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Ray of Chidress. The couple plans to be married Saturday, December 29, at 6 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Sudan.

The bride elect graduated from Sudan High School, attended Tech and is presently employed by Texas Commerce Bank of Lubbock.

The future ridegroom graduated from Childress High School and is attending Texas Tech. *****

Melody Poe remains a patient in the Littlefield Hospital. *****

Linda Locke and Rose Pinkuton have been released from the Littlefield Hospital. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kropp have been in Amarillo the last few days where he was a medical patient in the St. Anthony's Hospital there. *****

Mrs. J.V. Bouldin of Friona visited recently with Mrs. Edna Dent. *****

Mrs. Vioal Core has returned from California where she visited her son and family during the Thanksgiving holidays. *****

Martha Withrow, student at ACU in Abilene, was a Thanksgiving holiday visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Withrow. *****

The United Methodist Women Guide Circle met Tuesday, December 4 in the church parlor with Mrs. Marvin Tollett and Mrs. Herb Potter as hostesses for their Christmas program. Mrs. W.C. Masten presided over the meeting. "The Christmas Story' was presented by Mrs. Bob Duke. The group sang Christmas Carols. ***** Others present were

Mrs. Bill Curry, Mrs. Marion Williams, Mrs. Albert Gentry, Mrs. James Wallace, and guests included Mrs. Kerry Hurst,

Mrs. T.M. Smith, Mrs. Wayne Rogers and Mrs. Bruce Newman. *****

The Delta Kappa Gama chapter met Saturday, December 1, at the First Baptist Church in Earth for their annual Christmas dinner and meeting. A Christmas prayer was

given and "The Christmas Story" was presented by Dyanne Humphrys. The group sang Christweeks article.

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stationed at Reese Air

the quilt at the drawing of

Church bazaar.

Rhonda Minyard won

mas Carols and gifts were exchanged. Attending from Sudan were Mary Smith, Thelma

Wiseman, Elsie Wilson, Maxine Nichols, Loretta Reid, Dyanna Humphrys and Mary Tollett. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Terrell have returned from Elk City, Oklahoma where they were to visit their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKenzie during the Thanksgiving Holidays.

from Among those Sudan who were in Pep on Thanksgving Day were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tollett and Burke and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Markham.

***** Mr. and Mrs. Mark Goodman and Tracy of Clovis visited Friday with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Ritchie.

***** Debbie Hall has been released from the Methodist Hospital where she underwent tests. *****

Marley Hall and Debbie were in Muleshoe Wednesday to see Mrs. Jimmy Williams and infant son, Carol Don. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carpenter were in Muleshoe Wednesday to meet his new Massingale. grandson, Carol Don. **** Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson of Whiteface, Pam Bruton and Natasha of Levelland were here Friday to visit with their daughter and parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Bob Nelson. Mr. and Mrs. They attended the ball- Summer and Sheila were game while here. in Albuquerque, N.M. during the weekend to see ***** Brenna Eicke of Rui- his father who is ill in the doso, N.M. was a recent hospital there.

visitor with Mr. and Mrs. ***** Buth Hall and Debbie. Mr. and Mrs. Bob ***** Nelson was in Plainview Recently visiting Mr. recently on business. and Mrs. Billy Hanna were *****

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mr. and Mrs. Claud Pegram of Boerne, Texas. Krapp and Mr. and Mrs. Their home was uninten-G.C. Ritchie were in Clovis tionally omitted in last recently for dinner at the El Monterrey. *****

Joining Marge Nelson Wynelle Williams and for the JV tournaments in Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Wil-Amherst last Friday and liams and Sara were in Saturday were Mr. and Floydada during the week-Mrs. J.T. Henderson, Pam end for an art show-sale. Bruton and Notasha and *****

Daina and Steve Hender-Renee Austin, daughter son of Levelland. of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert ***** Austin of Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Dick West former Sudan residents, have returned home from and James Lloyd Camp-Lake Brownwood where bell will be united in they have been for several marriage Saturday December 15 at the Meadow-**** brook United Methodist

Gary Logan of Amarillo Church in Ft. Worth. was a recent visitor with ***** his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Charles Logan. Baker of Spearman visited ***** last week with their

Madge Beauchamp left parents, Mrs. Mae Baker this week fro Cadig, Ohio and Mrs. Wareena Roark. ***** to be with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Cap-Mr. and Mrs. Dood ers. Mrs. Capers under- Haragan were in Sweetwent surgery last week water last weekend to and it was reported that attend an art show. she is doing well. *****

Sandra Humphrey and Mr. and Mrs. Barry Martha Markham attend-Neetles and Christa have ed an art show last weekbeen visiting her parents, end in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Card-*****

R.C. Williams was in Lubbock one day last week Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne to assist his daughter and Phillips and family have family, the Johnny Bates moved to Lubbock follow- move into a house they ing his return from Ice- have recently purchased. land. Phillips will be *****

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Williams and Sara moved this week to Lubbock. They have been residing here in his parents, Mr. and Mrs. the United Methodist R.C. Williams. *****

Mrs. Karen Gore and Don Qualls was in Stephanie of Odessa spent Littlefield Thanksgiving several days last week with Day to be with his sister her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wayne Doty and Donald.

While here they visited in

Littlefield with her other brother and family, the David Dotys.

bible.

Others present were

Snow, Tuby Ingle, Louise

Parrish, Wareena Roark,

Dee Aills, Wanda Soren-

sen, Winona Dudgeon,

Thelma Vinson, Louise

Gatewood, and a guest,

ical patient in the St.

Anthony's Hospital in

Mr. and Mrs. Guy San-

ders had their daughters,

and grandchildren home

for Thanksgiving dinner,

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Thomas

of Morton and children

Peggy Thomas of Dallas

and Ted Thomas of Lubb-

ock and Mrs. Ralph Beas-

ley and Renee also Ronals

of Lubbock.

Claud Kropp was a med-

Precious Johnson.

Amarillo last week.

Oletta

Rosie

Harvey,

Quida Parrish,

Reese, Jean

Marie Beckett,

Bob

***** Darren Provence, Carl Burnett and Rich Hill moved recently into the house on Connerce Street. ***** Melody Poe was recently released from, the

Littlefied Hospital as was Linda Locke and Rose Pinkerton. *****

The TEL Class of the Baptist Church met Tuesday, Dec. 4 for their social in the home of Mrs. Hazel Savage as hostess and Mrs. Alma Burnett,

co-hostess. Refreshments were served and gifts exchanged President Alma Burnett, presided over the meeting and Miss Ruby gave the opening prayer. The devotional on "The Meaning of Christmas"

was brought by Ruth Mrs. Glen Gaston left for Bakes. She read the home Tuesday she had Christmas Story from the



Dear Santa, been staying with her parents, the Tom Bogards kissing Barbie Doll, Swerecuperating from hip suretie Face, and a toy cat and gerv. some big finger paints.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Autry were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Silhan and children of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Autry and children of Muleshoe.



Dear Santa الم ومن مع ومن مع

Dear Santa Clause, I want Baby Bath, you know it has a shower. That mouse game. That's all. **Tiffany Angeley**

know what else. that's all, I guess. Thank you, Margarita Posadas I know I want a Baby Rash.

Please bring me a

I want a big yellow

dump truck and a race car

set that changes tracks.

And a bag to keep my stuff

in when I come home and

have to ride the bus.

Thank you Santa,

I love you, Santa

Jill Noble

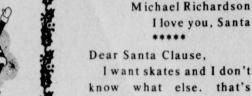
That's all.

Dear Santa,

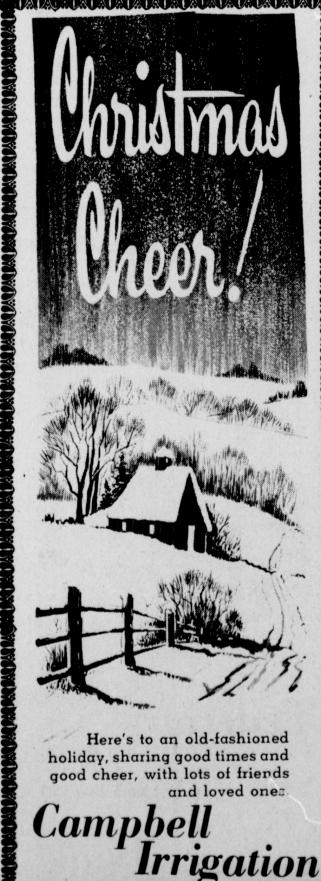
Dear Santa, I want a football and a record palyer. I love you and your reindeer.

your friend Joe



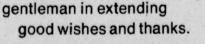








Santa greets one and all With a smile on his face! We join this jolly



Lambert Cleaners

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May the spirit of brotherhood and good will be yours throughout the Yuletide and its sacred message echo around the world, for all to share. Thanks to our friends.....may you go in peace.

Lazbuddie Farmers Supply Inc. FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES

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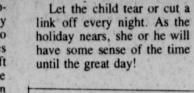
"Mommy how many days 'til Christmas?"



Once the winter air is filled with the festive, expectant sounds of the holiday, youngsters begin to catch the feeling of excitement! The hardest part for them is waiting. A

Christmas chain can be a helpful, fun part of the pre-holiday season, for little ones not up to reading calendars. All it takes is some leftover Christmas gift wrap, scissors and some paste. The youngsters can make their own chain if you provide a blunt end scissors. Cut strips from gift wrap about 1" x 6", one for each day until Christmas. Paste the

strips into circles, linking them to form a chain. Tape or tack the chain on the wall, at the child's eye level, someplace easy to reach.



Lazbuddie News Marsha Collum

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bradshaw and Stevie of Abilene spent Thanksgiving day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw and brother and family, Mr.

and Mrs. Lloyd Bradshaw,

North of Lazbuddie last Wednesday. Some 80 persons attended from the surrounding areas.

Hosting the bazaar were Mrs. Hinkson and Mrs. Jerry Smith. Others displaying homemade gifts other than Marilyn and Donna, were Ronald Elliott, Hester Barnes, Joy Smith Runyon of Earth, Debbie Parker and Marsha

Collum.

Refreshments were served the guests as they browsed among the gifts. Fruit slush punch was served in half pint iars;

assorted mini-muffins with sauce, sausage pinwheels. **Ricky Seatons.** and party mix were also served.

Those hosting the event were very pleased with the response and hope to have this become an annual event in Lazbuddie around the time of the

Mr. and Mrs. Danny O'Donald of Amarillo were down for the Thanksgiving weekend spending time with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Seaton, the Harrol Redwines, the Jim-

my Dale Seatons and the Mr. and Mrs. Johnny

Mitchell, Shonda and Scotty, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his family at St. Jo. Frank Hinkson I spent

several days in Turkey, ***** Tex. last week with his son, Mike and family.

munity are busy trying to

week, Dewayne, Karen and Kelly Sexton. They are from Wildorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Barnes are visiting with family and friends in Oklahoma, Tennessee, and Kentucky.

> Three Way News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

wind up the cotton harvest Mr. and Mrs. George and the wives are buzzing Tyson, were in Lubbock, busily around getting all Thursday night on busiprepared for the Christmas ness. *****

Mrs. Adolph Wittner and Mrs. B.J. Emerson was in Lubbock, Saturday shopping. *****

Mrs. H.W. Garvin visited her daughter, the Kenneth Fox family, Sunday in Clovis. *****

Baby girl Newton, was A medical patient, in a Littlefield hospital, this past week. *****

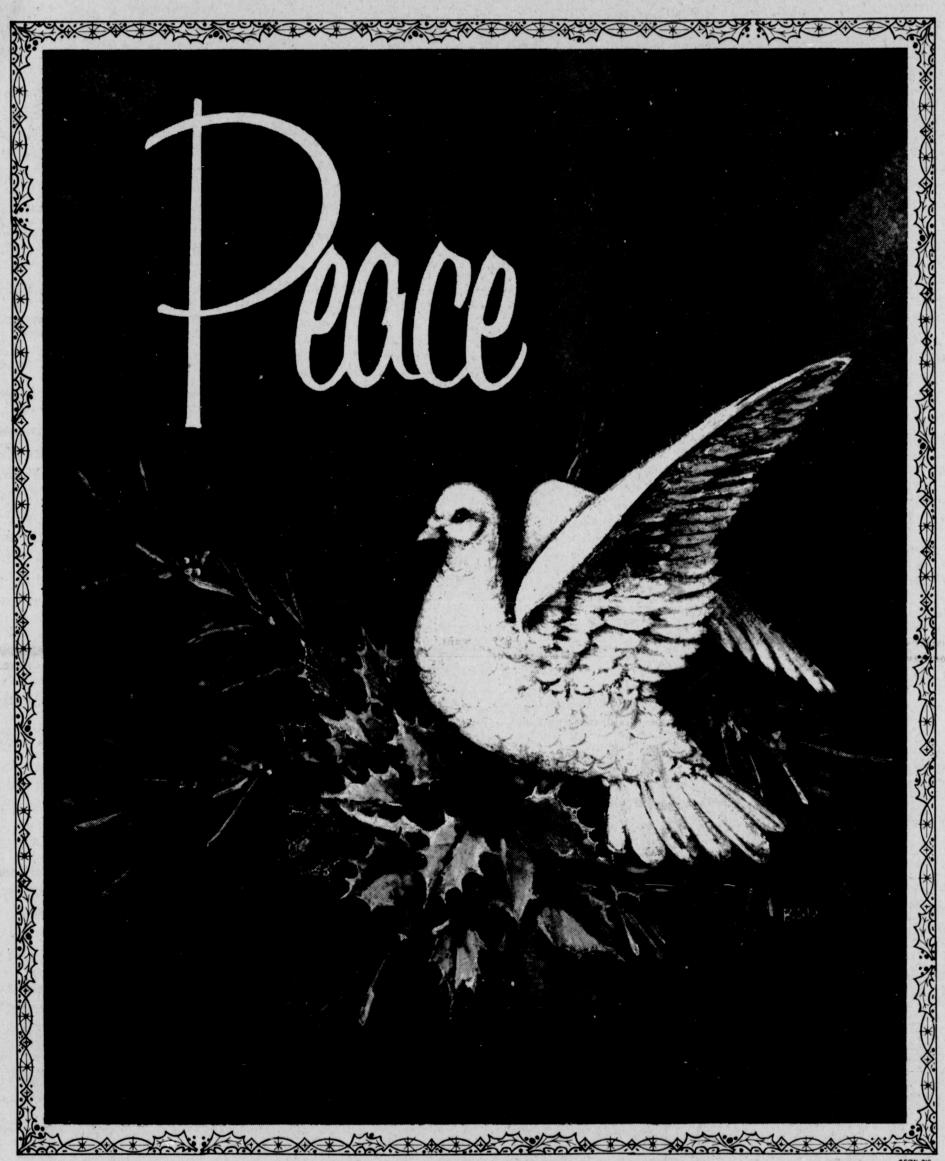
Mrs. Jack Furgeson, was in Clovis Wednesday shopping. *****

Three Way basketball teams, played in the Lazbuddy tournament, the past week with Three Way girls winning third place. *****

Mrs. Jack Furgeson, visited her daughter, the Jim Greens, in Shallowater Sunday, and brought her grandaughter home with her.

Mrs. Joe Sowder is staying in Muleshoe with her mother who is ill. *****

Jody Flowere from Muleshoe, spent the week end with her grandparents, the Adolph Wittners.



.... Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDonald, Kim and Mr. and Mrs. Don McDonald were in Colorado Springs last week to attend the funeral of J. J. and Don's nephew, who was killed in an automobile accident

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holidays.

The farmers in the com-

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Jacobson of Adrian visited

with the Glen Lust family

after the Lazbuddie-Ad-

rian game last week. The

Jacobsons and the Lusts

are college friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert

during the early week. Mr. and Mrs. Clay Mimms and Blake spent Thanksgiving Day in Abernathy with her family, Mr.

and Mrs. W. T. Settle. ***** Several Lazbuddie resi-

dents had booths at the Christmas Bazaar held on Saturday in Muleshoe at the Civic Center. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky B. Seaton were in Wilson Sunday visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee and her sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Mc-Dafde are visiting their daughter and family this

.... Mr. and Mrs. Ricky B. Seaton spent Thanksgiving

Casey and Lori.

in Panhandle with the Bill Mayfield family, Mrs. Seaton's aunt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rogers, Drew, Jana, and Jami spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting with Andy's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Rogers

of Finley, Okla. ***** A Christmas Gift Bazaar

was held in the home of Mrs. Frank Hinkson I.

Christmas holidays.

Long ago when the world was young, came the miracle called Christmas, a miracle ever after ennobling the spirit of man. For in the birth of the Prince of Peace came . . . "a Saviour which is Christ the Lord."







Dear Sant Claus, My name is Jacki and

. I'm 5 years old. Since I've been a good girl this year I'd like you to bring me a Barbie house with a real Elevator and a Barbie Car. To go along with it I'd want a Ken to keep Barbie Company and some clothes for each of them. I am planning to stay a wake and watch you come down the chimney with my toys. Then I'll give you cookies and Kool-Aid. So I'll see you then. Love, Jacki Hart

***** Dear Santa.

My name is Heath and I'm Jacki's younger brother, and I'm 2 years old. I am not quite old enough to know what I want, (I want everything) so I let my Mommy help me decide what I want from you for Christmas. (Also I've been pretty good) Please bring me a Fisher-Price Cash Register and Record Player. Also A "Wags" that can walk with me and hold his bone. Thank you and maybe your "Ho, Ho, Ho" will wake me up when you get to our house.

Love, Heath Hart

Dear Santa Claus, My name is Justin Williams, well its really Billy Justin Williams but everybody calls me Justin. That name should sound familiar by now, cause I write you every year (well, my Mama and I write you). I bet you can't guess how old I am now --2 & 4 years old. Can you believe it! This year I am going to

write a letter for sister, in

Christmas night for you. 1 Dear Santa, hope you'll bring what I want. I want a Houston Oiler football suit and a motor-

cycle. My sister wants some tapes, records and Snoopy tote bag. I hope you can get my dad a watch and my mom a

diamond ring. I might leave you a present. Tell Mrs. Santa I like her too. Oh, and pet the reindeer for me.

> Yours truly, Charles E. Latimer ***** Box 97 Goodland, Tx.

Dear Santa. How are you? How is the weather? Everything is fine here. I would like: 1 snowmobile 1 flying saucer 1 \$210.95 computer race track 2 Genie Lamps 1 little brother-exterminator Sincerely yours, Madison Sowder P.S. Don't forget to fasten your seat belt! Rt.2 Box 197-B ***** Muleshoe, Texas 79347 Dear Santa Claus, I would lik a doll that December 4, 1979 suckes a bottle, babie, and Dear Santa Claus,

a doll that spray her hair. from ***** Dear Santa Claus, I would like a truck, tractor, fire truck and police car.

Dear Santa Claus, I would lik a tent, and a beautiful girl, a rocket and a truck.

incredible haulk and some new clothes for m y mother. Amy McManis

Dear Santa Claus, I would lik a doll, and to

wish you a Merry Christ-

l want a red bike. A little car. I'll be at my house.

Larry Jaramillo ***** Rt. 2 box 280b Muleshoe, Texas 79347 December 4, 1979 Dear Santa Claus, I hope you don't go through any trouble getting the presents. I want a washable doll and Merlin, perfume maker and that is all. I will try to leave some milk and cake or cookies.

Love Carrol

December 3, 1979 Rt.1 Box 127 Muleshoe, Texas 79347

December 4, 1979 Dear Santa Claus, I want a trampoline and a Mickey Mouse record player. Santa 1 hope you have a nice Christmas. Thank you for the presents you gave me last year. Love. Josephine V. *****

Monica much trouble.

From Charlie Villareal *****

Christmas.

Yours truly,

Dear Santa.

DeAun Crozier

this Christmas. Tell Mrs.

Chad McCormick

Dear Santa Claus, I would lik a baby,

Dear Santa Please bring me a TV Truck. or a Simon Sez

Dummy. And a record and a surprise. My name is Collin Robison and I am six years old. ***** 1721 West Ave D Muleshoe, Texas 79347 December 4, 1979 Dear Santa I hope you have "Merry Christmas". would like a football suit with a helmet that has a stripe threw the middle and three stripes across. I want the football suit to be a Muleshoe Mules suit. I would also like a electronic football game. My brother wants a football suit with a helmet like mine. and an electronic football game. He would like his football suit to be a Dallas Cowboy's suit. And that is

all Love. Chris Black ***** Dear Santa.

I want a Superman and a Godzella and a play Jaws and a Six Dollar Man. I'll see you Christmas. Joshua Alanis *****

Dear Santa.

I want to thank you for I want you to bring me a the stuff you gave to me. Snuggles Doll and one of My sister wants some those deals - it's a baby perfume and my mom that you feed and it goes to wants a pair of housethe bathroom. One other thing I want is like Love, shoes. I hope it is not too Tiffany's, it's a Baby Bath. Merry I'll give my brother a truck for Christmas. He wants you to bring another kind of a truck. Please bring my mom a thing that pops corn and you see it come out. I love you. I hope you're feeling well

***** Claus and the elves "hi" Dear Santa. for us. Don't forget the

I want a swing set and a reindeer too. Santa, be bike. I want a toy box. I careful not to come down want a soldier suit. And a our chimney if there is a play gun. I want a new bed fire in the fireplace. We and some new clothes. I love all of you. Will you want some little toy people please bring April a Baby and a house for the people Look and Love and Jon with a garage and a car. Robin a Crisscross Crash. We hope you have enough . Letter

Dear Santa,

I want a bicycle with training wheels. I want a dolly that goes in the bathtub. I want a bean bag to get on to watch T.V. Thank You, D'Anne Box

***** Dear Santa, I want a Victoria Doll and a new bike. Thank you, 1 Bye, Shea Wilbanks

***** Dear Santa Clause, I e want some skates and a blue car.

> Marcos Bryan ***** Dear Santa:

I am 5 years old and my mom is helping me write this letter. I have been a good little boy. I would like a race car track, a red and white truck and a blue truck. I also would like some space toys. Please make sure all children get some toys for Christmas. I live in Cozad, Nebraska but I will be in Muleshoe, Texas visiting my Grandparents the Edd Edminston's and my Aunt Glenna and lots of other relatives so please leave

my toys at 523 West 5th. I will leaves you a piece of pie since you liked it so well last year.

Brandon Olds

***** Dear Santa,

I sure wanted you to know that me and my sister Sheila will be at Grandmother Freemans in Jessica Orozco Ruidoso Christmas Eve. Now then if you are coming that way I'd sure like to have a Honda X-L 70, and a Simon game. I'll be sure to leave you some cake and milk on the table. Be careful, and have a Merry-X-Mas.

Love Rammie Garner *****

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I want some toys for X mas. l want a Benji sleeping bag and a Howdy Doody puppet. My brother wants some trucks.

David and Austin Parmer P.S. We love you Santa. *****

Dear Santa My name is Christy Lynn Profitt. I am 4 years old. My birthday Christmas Day, then I will be 5 years old. Please bring me a typewriter, and each a sketch, a baby, and a play washing machine and dryer. My baby brother's name is Jackie Wayne Proffitt Jr. He is one year old. He can't talk very good yet but we think he wants a telephone and some trucks. Also I want a new dress. Thank you Santa. I have been good . I will leave you some

Dear Santa: I am seven years old and in the first grade. Would you please bring me a Snoopy Knapsack, Super Ken, Barbie Doll House and a car for Barbie, also

the Mr. Mouth game. I love you.

D'Ann Prater *****

Dear Santa. I hope you have been feeling good. I hope so !!! Well I want a trampoline and a new bike. I've got two brothers and three sisters and me. My BIG! brother and sister are married. And the rest are at home. I've been having fun but I better go now by.

> Your friend Janice Wheeler

Dear Santa.

I like you a lot. I wat a trampoline, and a Cocker Spaniel for Christmas. And please be nice to other people around the world. And another thing please bring me all the things I want.

Your pal Sincerely



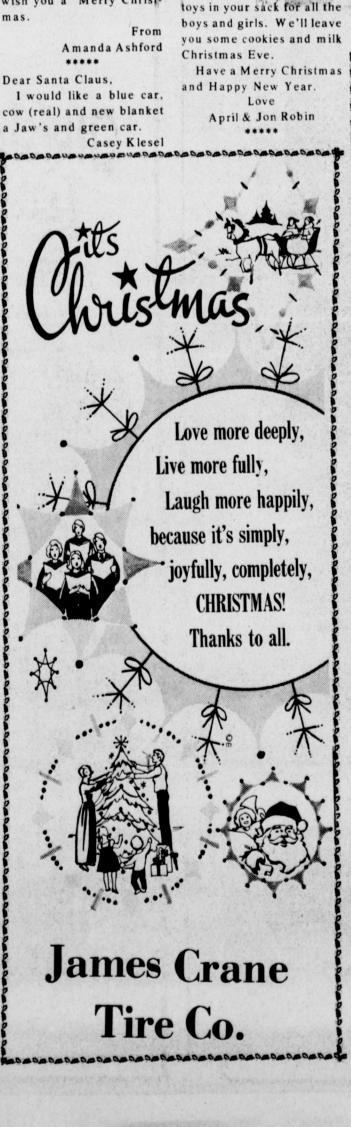
this letter too, okay? My Mom says one letters just as good as two. My baby sister is so pretty, I guess she's allright for a girl. Her name is Julie Fawne Williams. Me and my sister were very good this year. Oh, did you remember we live in Abilene now. We were born in Muleshoe, Dr. Albertson helped my Mama get us to Muleshoe and a bunch of my relatives helped get us to Abilene. If you don't know how to get to our house just ask any of my grannies or my paw-paw or grandad or great pawpaw. Can you believe I have four grannies! Gosh! My daddy and Mama says two of them are "great" grannies. I used to not know what that means, but now I do, I think they're great, too.

Well, anyway I would like you to bring me a record player, and records and hungry-hungry hippogame. Anything else you throw in will be fine with me. And Julie sure would like a pretty baby doll, some dishes and a play grocery cart. She likes everthing, though. And please remember to get every little girl and boy something nice. I will put a little snack out for you. I know a sleigh-ride takes a lot outta ya!

Your Friends, Justin and Julie Williams P.S. Julie says, "I love you, Santa!" at least I think that's what she said. *****

St. Rt. 1, Box 26 Morton, Texas December 3, 1979 Dear Santa, I would like a big stuffed inimal, roller skates, a notorcycle, and a horse for 'hristmas. Thats about all or this Christmas. Your friend. Shelli Terrell *****

car Santa, I will be waiting on





Here's to our acquaintances, old and new, who have helped us through 1978 and who have made each day a little happier for us. Happy New Year!

> San Francisco Cafe

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