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Merry Christmas

SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN

NO CAVALRYMAN NEXT WEEK

DUE TO THE HOLIDAYS THERE WILL BE NO CAVALRYMAN NEXT WEEK, DECEMBER 30, 1983. IT JUST SEEMS AS IT WAS YESTERDAY THAT CHRISTMAS WAS HERE BUT IT MUST HAVE BEEN A YEAR AGO. ALL THE COMPUTERS WILL BE QUIET (EXCEPT FOR CRYSTAL'S PLAYING OF THE GAMES..

THE CAVALRYMAN WILL BE ON THE STANDS AGAIN ON JANUARY 7, 1984.

MAY CHRIST GIVE TO YOU AT THIS TIME AND FOR ALWAYS HIS PEACE IN YOUR SOUL, HIS PRESENCE IN YOUR HEART, HIS POWER IN YOUR LIFE.



AMATEUR RADIO OPERATOR/ ASTRONAUT, Dr. OWEN GARRIOT, W5LFL, gave "Ham" Operators a real Christmas present in the form of the opportunity to communicate with the first Amateur Operator to operate from Space. Garriot has been a licensed radio amateur since he was a teenager. He operated with a small hand held unit during his off-duty-hours and contacted "hams" around the world.

Some of those contacted were: King Hussein, Senator Barry Goldwater and local amateur, George Loos, W5LFG.

Garriot gives full credit to amateur radio for giving him a start in his electronics career. He has a Ph D in Electrical Engineering and has gone about as far as you can go in the field !

THE KINNEY CAVALRYMAN

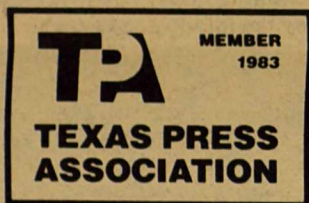
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YOU CAN'T BE WRONG ALL THE
TIME, EVEN A BROKEN CLOCK IS
RIGHT TWICE A DAY



LETTERS TO
THE EDITOR

TO THE EDITOR
KINNEY CAVALRYMAN
BRACKETTVILLE

Two of the finest attributes
of Brackettville are the
younger generation and City's
History and Historical
Buildings. The town of
Brackettville commenced in
1852 along with the
establishment of Fort Clark.
The population fluctuated with
the operations conducted at
the Fort until Fort Clark was
closed in 1946. Our population
and opportunities slowly began
decaying after the Fort closed
as evidence by the drop in
population from 2,300 in 1950
to 1,432 in 1970. When the
Fort re-opened in 1971 as a
retirement resort the City
began an upward swing to 1,676
residents in 1980. Today our
best estimate, based on
figures available, we are
approaching or just passed the
1800 figure.

We must have a progressive
comprehensive plan to ensure
orderly and timely expansion.
We need to progress but what
is progress? Webster defines
it as growth or development--
continuous improvement. These
are all things that are good
for the City. Why then do so
many shun the word. The old
cliche is we do not want
change.

Progress is change that is
beneficial to all. Progress
is finding and creating job
opportunities for our present
residents. Progress is
creating job opportunities for
our High School and College
educated students. Progress is
retaining and attracting the
talent of the younger
generation so they have the
opportunity to live in
Kettville and raise their
families.

Those that do not want
Progress--are they really
saying they want our younger
generation to continue to have
to leave the area to find
suitable employment? Why are
so many afraid of progress? Is
it because they cannot adapt
to beneficial change? Are
those opposed to progress
afraid they cannot keep up or
cannot compete? Are they used

to being given things without
working or earning them? Have
we created a caste system of
haves and havenots? Have we
created a Community commanded
by landowners and welfare
workers?

There is not a person in
Brackettville or Kinney County
that would not benefit from
some progress. Can not we
improve our Community by first
participating in elections and
insuring competent, interested
and available representation?
Cannot we as a Community
working together foster better
relations? with visitors to
enhance our tourist trade?
Cannot we as City residents
welcome and foster the trade
and expertise of the area
ranchers? Cannot we as City
residents develop, in
conjunction with Fort Clark
Springs, a progressive
Community that can offer an
abundance of opportunities for
all? Cannot we as a Community
dollars the entire County
develop this area as a haven
for all honest law abiding
Citizens with pride and
dignity?

The City can help attract
tourist to Alamo Village and
Fort Clark Springs. The City
can help attract small
business, new industry, new
opportunities that will
benefit us all. The City can
continue to help develop our
blighted areas. The monies
generated are being planned
and set aside to expand,

improve and develop present
and projected areas of
development.

Mistakes can and will be
made. Every penny of your tax
dollars is budgeted for and
accountable for by your City
Council. The budget and
Council meetings are and have
been open to all. The Council
has and I am sure will
continue to act on what they
believe to be in the best
interest of the City.

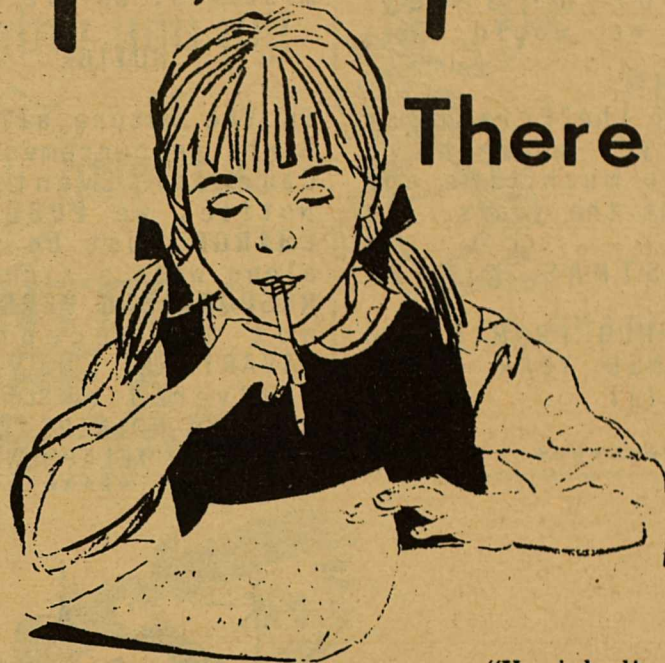
Next month your Mayor will
be calling a City election in
April for a Mayor and three
(3) Council members. Use your
voting rights to insure your
elected official speak and act
for you.

A vocal few should not and
must not dictate to the
majority.

Respectfully,
/s/ W.M. Thurber

Yes, Virginia

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This traditional Christmas story has been a part of *The Republican's* Christmas edition for many years ... because the substance is eternally fresh and the message just as pertinent now as when it was first written 79 years ago.)



There Is a Santa Claus!

New York, N.Y.
September 8, 1897

Dear Editor:

I am 8 years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says, "If you see it in the Sun it's so." Please tell me the truth— is there a Santa Claus?

Yours truly,
Virginia O'Hanlon

"Yes, indeed!

"Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age — they do not believe except what they see — they think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible to their little minds.

"All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little.

"In this great universe of ours, man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole truth and knowledge.

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus.

"He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

"Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies!

"You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus — the most real things in the world are those neither children nor men can see.

"Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there — nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are unseen and unseeable in the world.

"You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, or even the united strength of all the strongest men, that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside the curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty of all glory beyond.

"Is it all real? — ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

"No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives, and he lives forever — a thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten thousand years from now he will continue to make glad the hearts of childhood."

—Francis B. Church
The New York Sun



Peace on Earth Good Will Toward Men

LIBRARY NOTES

BOOKS



Mrs. Charolette Corey
Kinney County Librarian

This time of year brings to mind all the blessings we have received throughout the years. The library has particularly been blessed by the patronage of both the old and the young. We've continued to make new friends and others have moved or passed away. The list of names of all the government servants who have helped us is too long to name, but we do appreciate those who have served on our County Commissioners' Court and City Council.

We thank all those who have served as Library Board Trustees and Kinney County Lay Representatives.

We thank all the businesses

which have helped us throughout the years.

Their generosity helped keep us going (Thank You, George for your news column space.)

We thank all the Clubs who have contributed to us--especially our "Mother" club, The New World Study Club", without we would not exist today.

We thank all the "Friends of the Library" who have contributed so much time and effort through the years.

MERRY CHRISTMAS KINNEY COUNTY....
HERE'S A BIG HUG FROM ME TO YOU....HAPPY NEW YEAR & GOD BLESS YOU ALL !!!

CORRECTION

Last week we spelled the name Angela Bayer wrong in the birth announcement and stated the baby's weight 6lbs 14oz, which should have been 4 ozs. We apologize for these mistakes, we are only human.

NOTICE

In the future all Thank You's; Birth Announcements; Community Calendar Events and other Notices we PUBLISH FREE OF CHARGE must be written copy along with a signature by a RESPONSIBLE PERSON or it will not be accepted by the CAVARYMAN. They also must be delivered to the office or mailed--NOTHING WILL BE TAKEN OVER THE TELEPHONE !!



Christmas wrap

Aluminum foil makes any gift special looking and is especially marvelous for wrapping those odd shaped things that never seem to fit into any box. Wrap and tie with brightly colored yarn . . . several different colors at the same time!

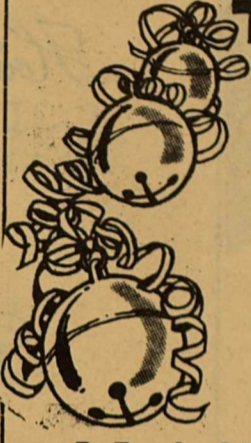




Wishing you joy
at
Christmas!

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**YULETIDE
GREETINGS
TO ALL**



THE
CLINIC
PHARMACY

B.E. & CHARLOTTE SWEET

Greetings for
Christmas and the
New Year

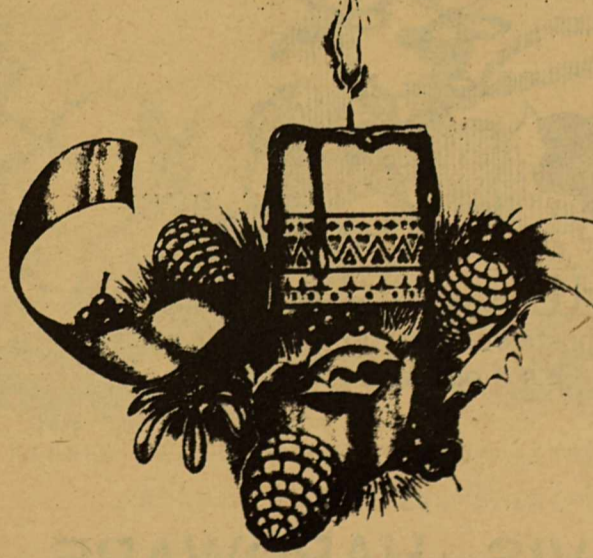
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MR. & MRS.
WARREN OUTLAW

the Kinney **Cavalryman**

HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON

GEORGE, JUDY,
CRYSTAL, AND
" PEGASUS "

*With warmest wishes
for a very Merry Christmas
and the happiest of new years.*



Wishing you
bright moments
To enjoy while
they're here,
And sending
warm thanks
To our friends
far and near.

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DEL RIO**



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in extending
warmest
thoughts and
best wishes
for a
wonderful
holiday from
beginning
to end.

**THE
BIZZELL
FAMILY**



OWEN
JONES

We're sure your holidays will be filled with the bright harmony that only Christmas brings.

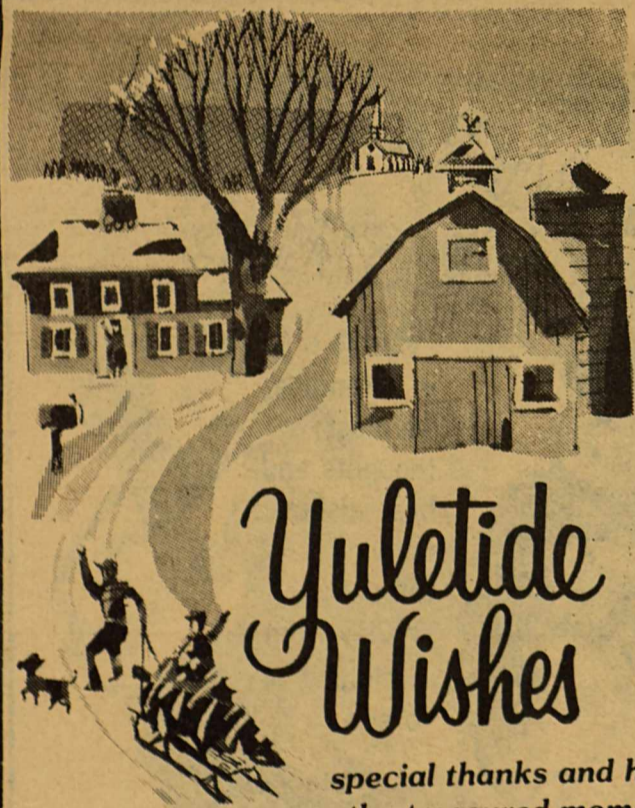
*Best Wishes For the
Holidays and for Health
and Happiness
Throughout the Year*



AS A SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL OUR PATRONS.....

STOP BY FROM 8AM TO 5 PM ON CHRISTMAS EVE AND JOIN IN THE CELEBRATION.....

C & L MINIMAX



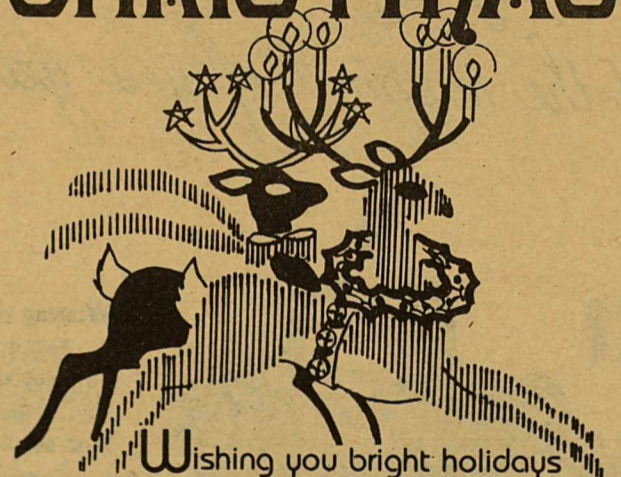
*Yuletide
Wishes*

Extending special thanks and hoping that the treasured moments you share with those you love will bring you much happiness and joy.

THE LONGHORN

RESTAURANT, MOTEL & LOUNGE

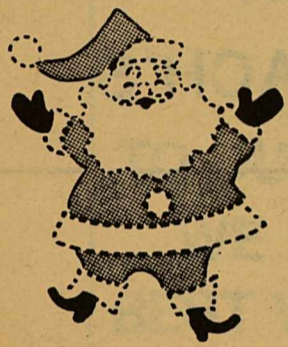
MERRY CHRISTMAS



Wishing you bright holidays as Christmas lights up the world. It's a pleasure to serve you.

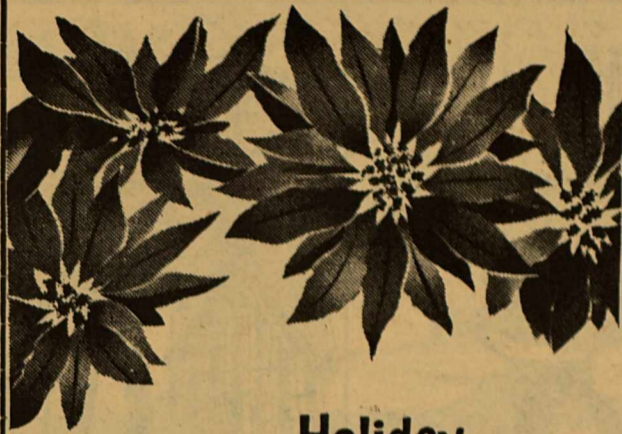
DAVIS HARDWARE
& RANCH SUPPLY

Whatever you want
the most. that's what
this wishes you!



**STOP-N-SHOP
&
EXXON**

EVELYN & R.L. TARTT



Holiday
GREETINGS

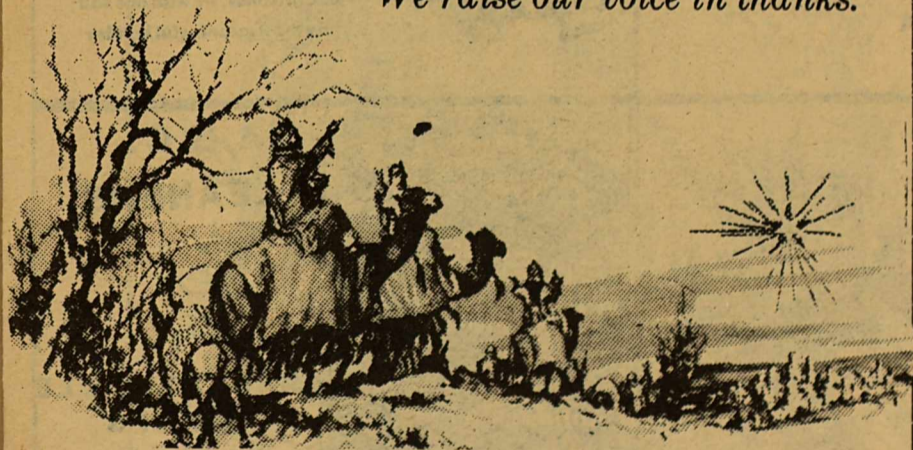
*May our pleasant
relationship continue
to flower and grow
throughout a
happy and healthy
Christmas Holiday!*



**DUDLEY & DORIS
HARRISON**

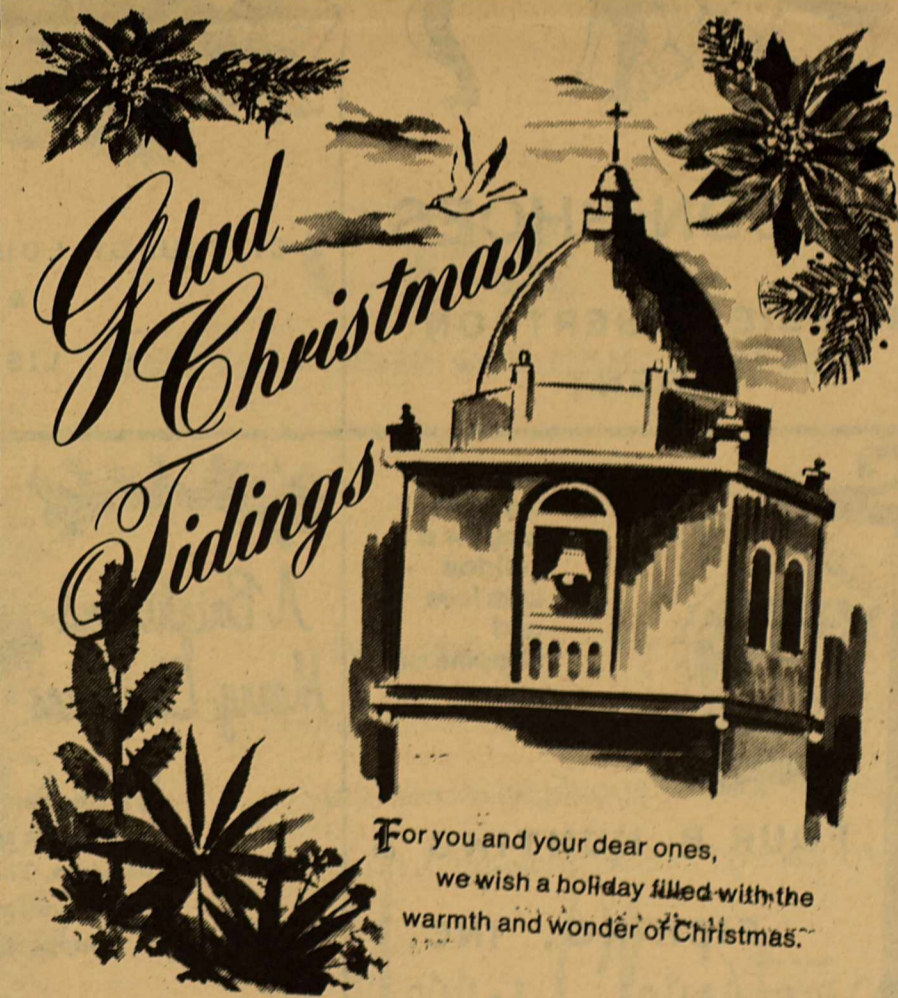
Blessings at Christmas

*Let Peace encircle the world
and all men walk hand in hand.
We raise our voice in thanks.*



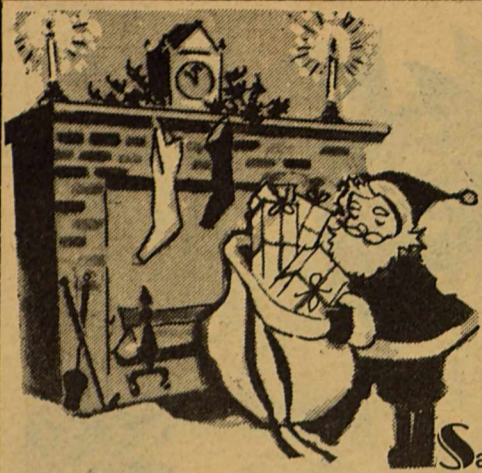
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 BEATRICE ROCHA PETE BLAND
 LOUIS DIMERY JESSE GARCIA
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 MARTHA TAYLOR
DEPUTY TAX COLLECTOR:
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*For you and your dear ones,
we wish a holiday filled with the
warmth and wonder of Christmas.*

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THELMA AND LINDA SHARP

Santa slips in with a thousand and one wishes stacked in his pack for a Merry, Merry Christmas. From us to you, thanks.



WM. & EARLENE THURBER

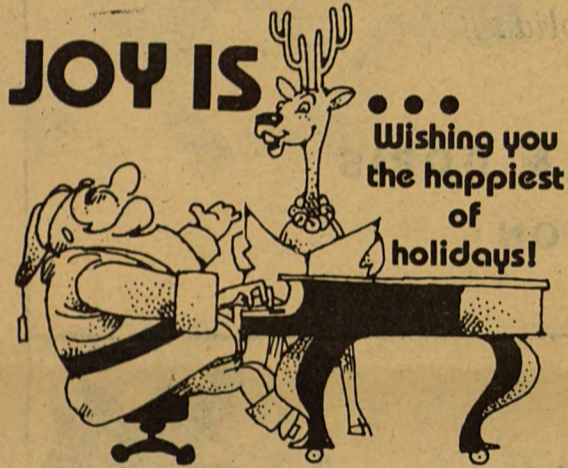
With special thanks for your warmth and friendship we wish you a very

Merry Christmas

Holiday Greetings and many warm wishes for the New Year

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THE ALEX SCHUBACH'S



JOY IS ... Wishing you the happiest of holidays!

MASON SHOES
ROBBIE ROBERTSON
AGENT

Merry Christmas

Reflecting at Christmas, we give thanks to our many friends.



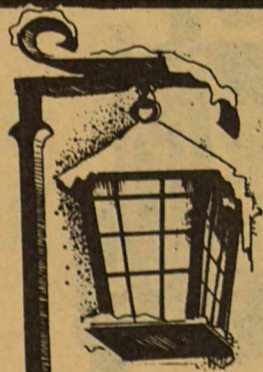
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GLORY



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Inspired by the rich symbols of Christmas, we wish one and all a most meaningful holiday



Light the way for a holiday with love and happiness!

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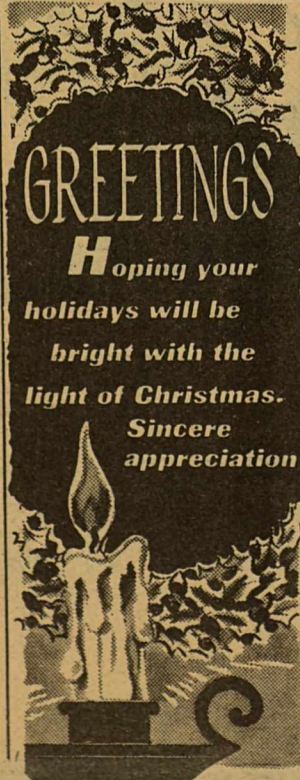
FORD DODSON



A Bright and Merry Christmas

With every good wish for the holidays. Thanks for your loyal support.

TIM WARD & Family



GREETINGS

Hoping your holidays will be bright with the light of Christmas. Sincere appreciation

A.B.C. CLEANERS

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Yuletide GREETINGS



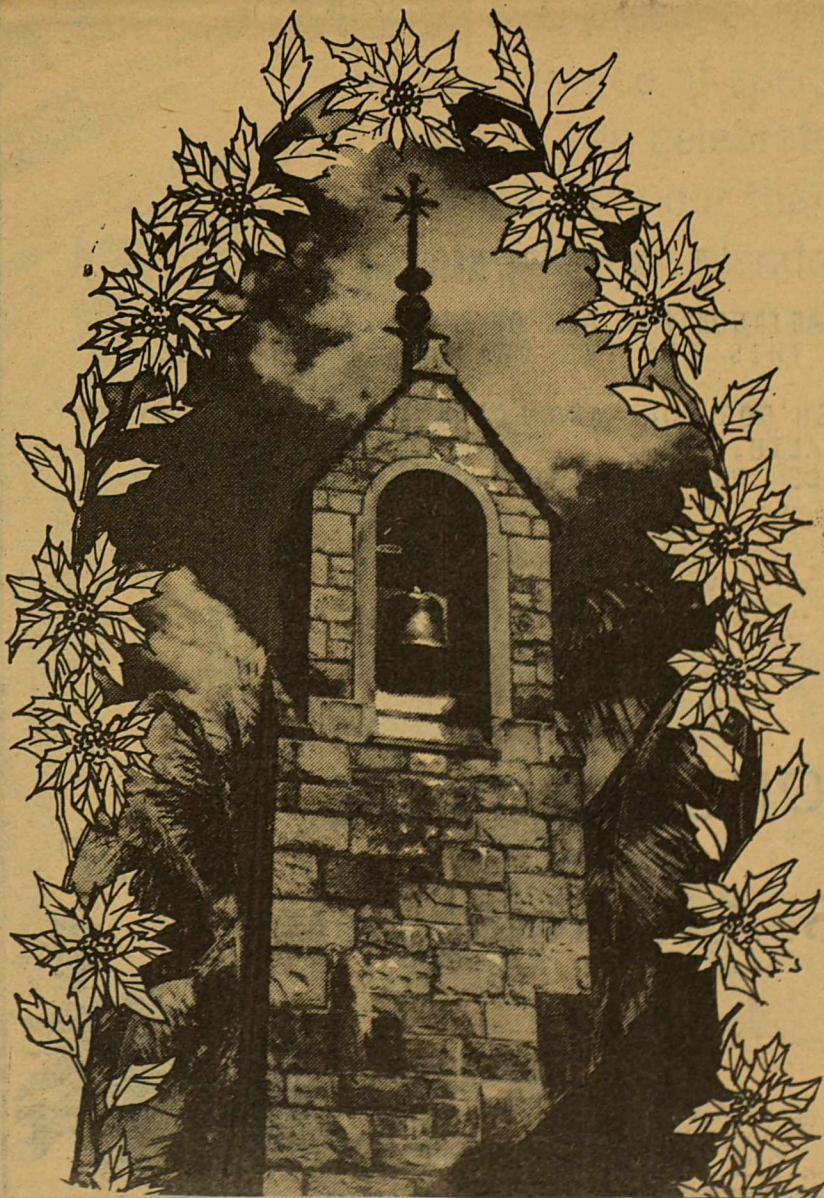
Though times may ever change, replacing old customs with new, one thing that will never change is our warm wish to you... Merry Christmas!

TO OUR FRIENDS

WE APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE MAY 1984 BE YOUR BEST YEAR, CHRISTIAN WISE, HEALTH WISE, WEALTH WISE

WE LOVE OUR COMMUNITY !

ALAMO VILLAGE and SHAHAN W RANCH



CP & L

CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

May the splendor of the season
bring you and yours the grandest times
yet...filled with joyous harmony, true
love and everlasting peace! Thanks to all!

Merry Christmas



May the seeds of love
and hope flower for you and your
loved ones at Christmas time. Our
best wishes and thanks.

SAGEBRUSH SHOPPE II

MELANIE, JOHN, JOLEE, SUNNI, BEN, BONNIE
AND TERRI JONES AND "BLACKJACK"



We'd like to say thank you for your
graciousness in all our dealings and for
the opportunity to be of service.

Have a Great Holiday

T & A SERVICE STATION

Greetings to All!

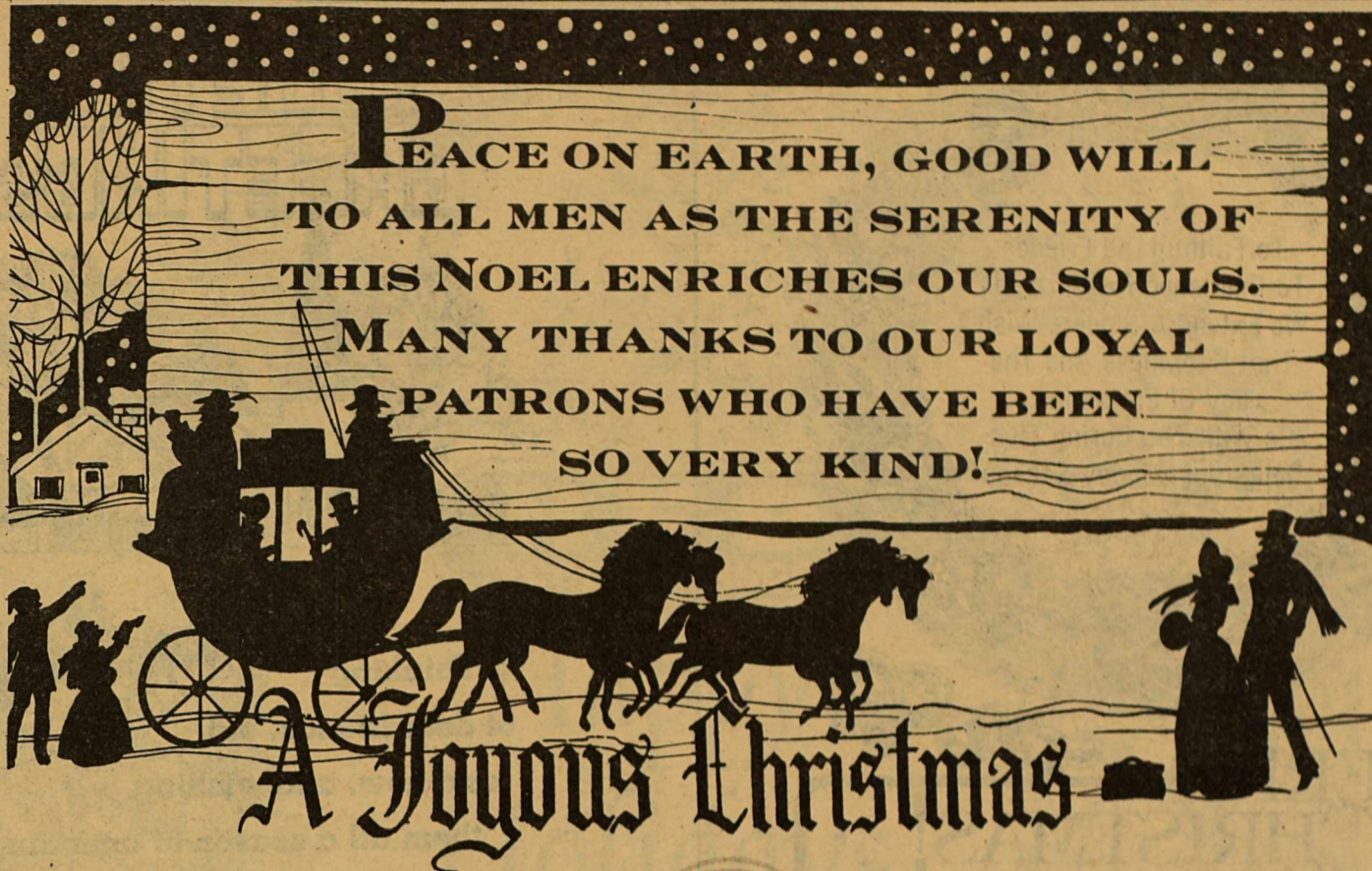


A CHRISTMAS WISH

WITH GRATITUDE FOR ALL OF OUR BLESSINGS
DURING THIS FESTIVE SEASON, AT THIS HOLY
TIME,
OUR WISH FOR YOU, AND FOR ALL OF US, IS JOY,
GOOD HEALTH,
AND PEACE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

**CONGRESSMAN
AND
MRS. CHICK KAZEN**





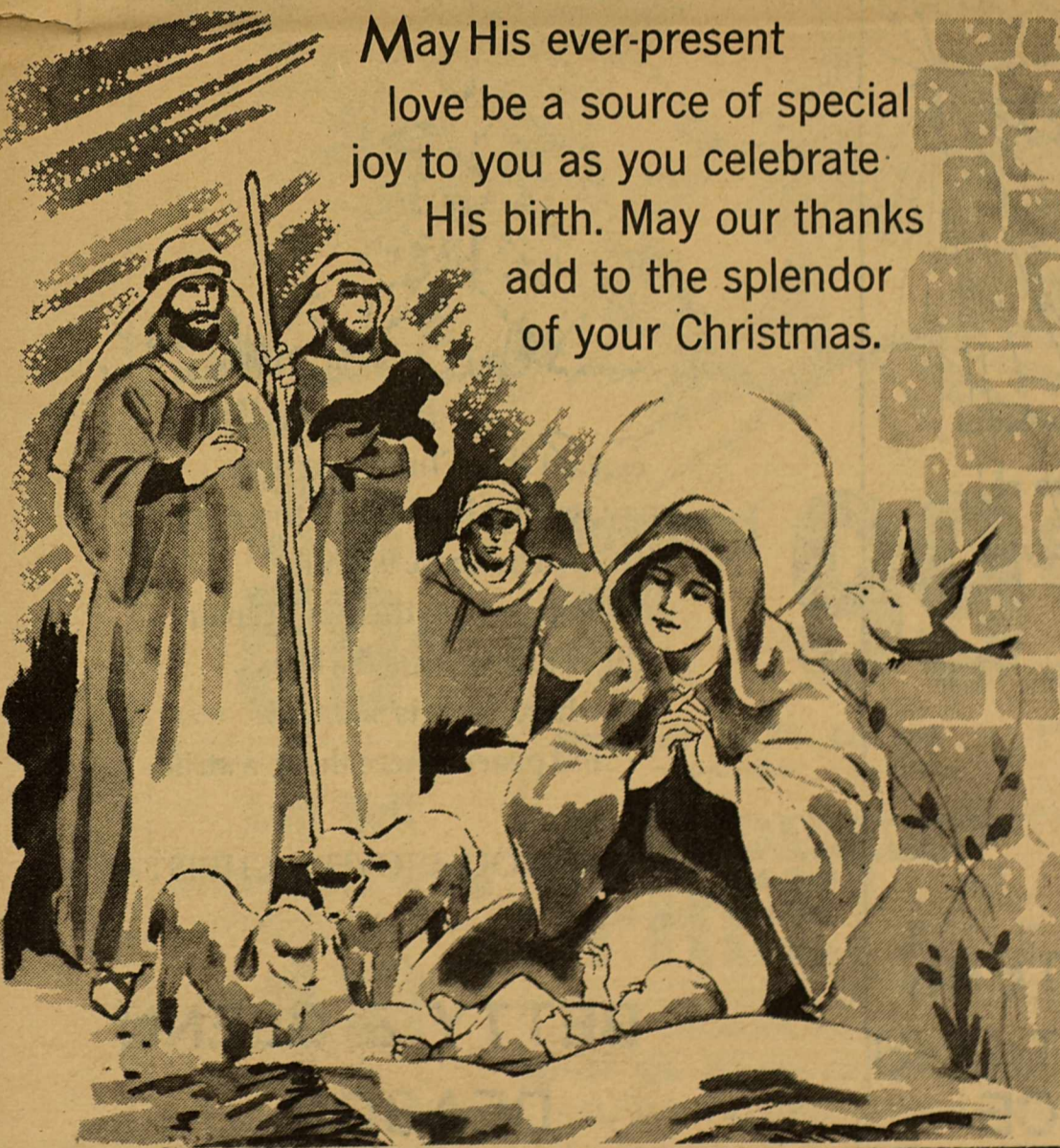
PEACE ON EARTH, GOOD WILL
 TO ALL MEN AS THE SERENITY OF
 THIS NOEL ENRICHES OUR SOULS.
 MANY THANKS TO OUR LOYAL
 PATRONS WHO HAVE BEEN
 SO VERY KIND!

A Joyous Christmas

First Savings
 of Uvalde

Division of Home Savings & Loan Association, Lufkin

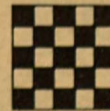
May His ever-present
 love be a source of special
 joy to you as you celebrate
 His birth. May our thanks
 add to the splendor
 of your Christmas.



*Let us
 Adore Him*

"TEN MINUTE OIL CHANGE"

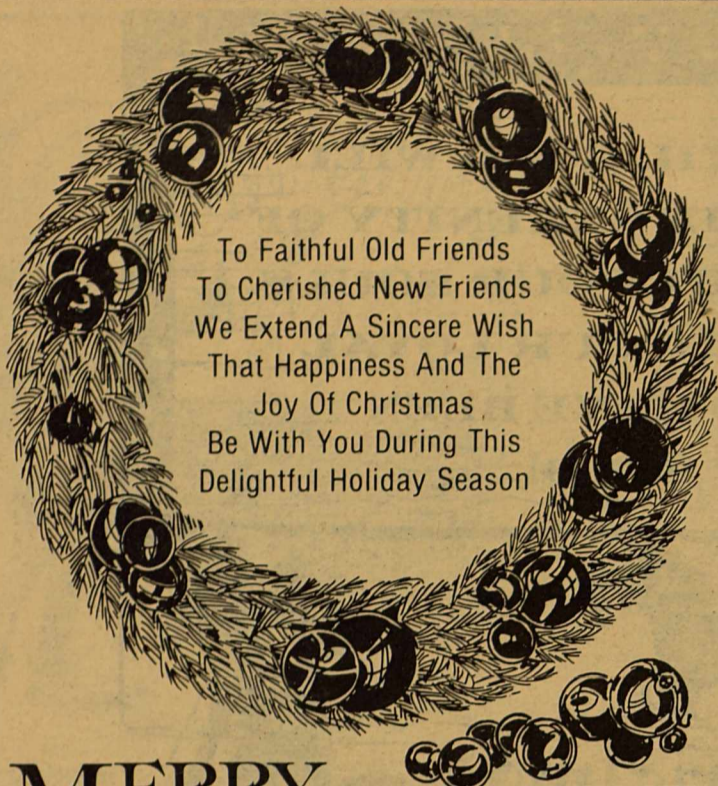
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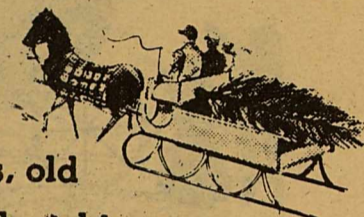
To Faithful Old Friends
To Cherished New Friends
We Extend A Sincere Wish
That Happiness And The
Joy Of Christmas
Be With You During This
Delightful Holiday Season

**MERRY
CHRISTMAS!**

THE FIRST STATE BANK

MEMBER F.D.I.C.

YULETIDE GREETINGS



Thinking
of dear friends, old
and new, and wishing
them all a season of unending,
old fashioned delights!

**THE
PAUL MALONE
FAMILY**

Christmas Love

May His ever-present
love be a source of
special joy to you.



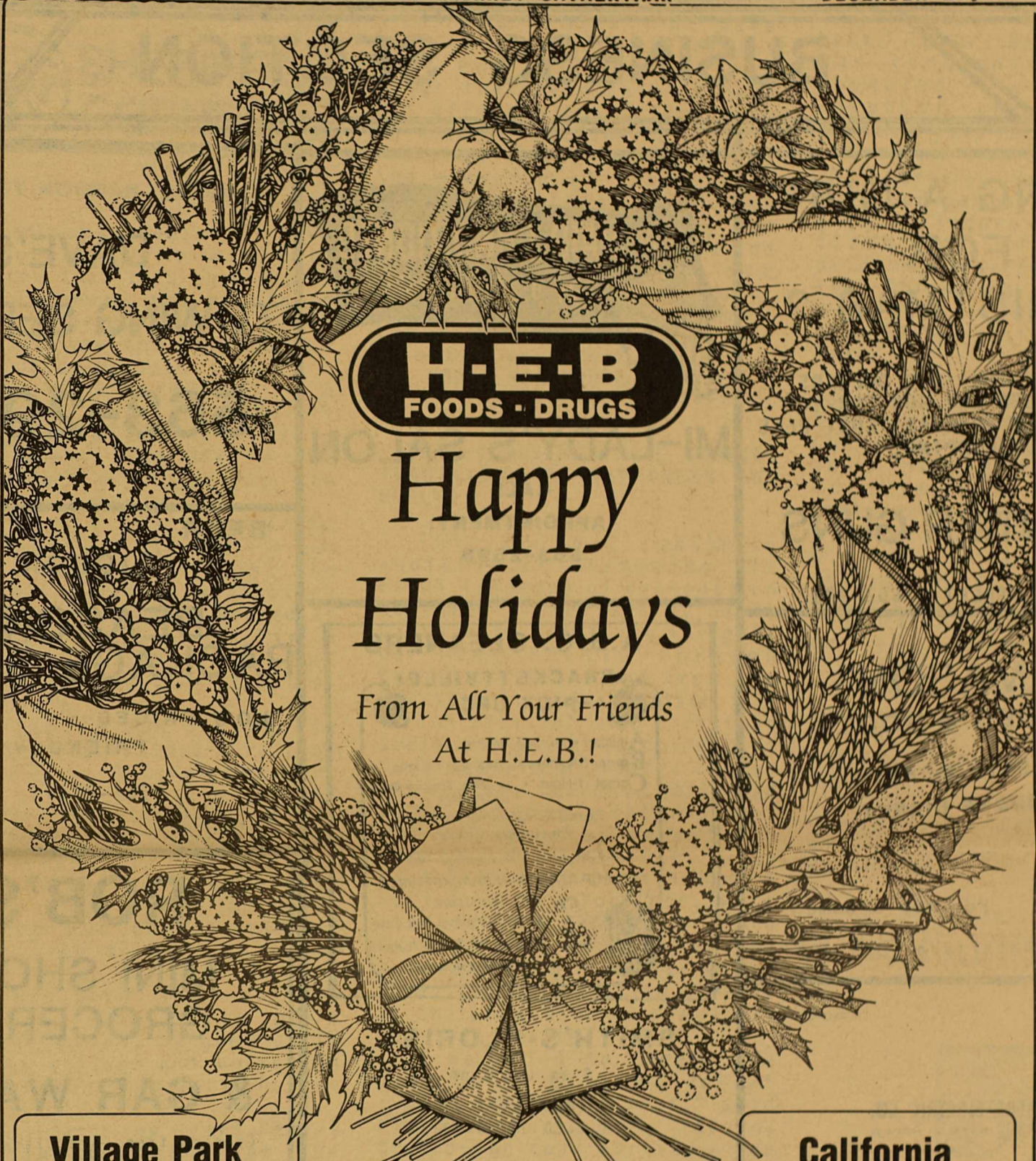
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At this Christmas time,
may we find love where there is hate,
faith where there is doubt,
hope where there is despair,
light where there is darkness,
joy where there is sadness,
and peace where there is strife.

WISHING YOU A JOYFUL CHRISTMAS

**BETTY & GLENN
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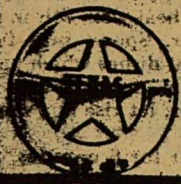
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SHERIFF'S CORNER

BY NORMAN HOOTEN

The Christmas season is here and hopefully we will all remember that this should be a time of peace and happiness and love for our fellow man as we celebrate the birthday of Lord, Jesus Christ.

This week's column is a Christmas greeting from all of us with the Sheriff's Department, Tax Office and County Jail to all of you, the people we serve.

So many times we see the word X-mas substituted for the correct word Christmas, and though the intent may not be there, it has always seemed as if some people are, in a fashion, crossing out Christ from the true spirit of the season.

My family and I recently received a Christmas card from a family of friends that are dear to us. This card had included in it a short story of the life, death, and resurrection of Christ, our Lord and Savior. The message is so clear and pure it touched our hearts and we would like to pass it on to you.

He was born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He grew up in another village and worked in a carpenter shop until he was thirty.

Then for three years He was an itinerant preacher. He never held an office. He never traveled over two hundred miles from the place where He was born.

He did none of the things one usually associates with greatness. He was only thirty-three when the tide of public opinion turned against Him. He was turned over to His enemies and went through the mockery of a trial.

He was nailed to a cross between two thieves. When He was dead, He was laid in a borrowed grave. But nothing could keep Him in that grave.

Three days later He arose!

Nineteen centuries have come and gone, and today He is the central figure of the human race and the leader of mankind's progress.

All the armies that have ever marched, all the navies that ever sailed, all the kings that ever reigned have not affected the life of man as that ONE SOLITARY LIFE!!

May the life, the love, and the presence of Jesus bless your home this Christmas season. Let the lion and the lamb lie together in peace and let us put aside our differences, large and small as we celebrate the season of the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

GOD BLESS YOU ALL !!

1983 CHRISTMAS SEAL CARRIES TRADITIONS OF HAPPINESS AND HEALTH

This holiday season, in addition to bestowing his usual largesse of presents on children of the world, Santa Claus will be giving the gift of lung health through Christmas Seals and from the American Lung Association.

The official 1983 Christmas Seals and their matching gift tags feature a classic Santa: rosy-faced, bearded, jolly and wise. The richly colored Seal was designed by artist Bob Larkin under the direction of Kent Salisbury of Salisbury & Salisbury, New York and, with its glowing, laughing Santa is a fitting emblem for the American Lung Association of Texas, an organization devoted to the promotion of clean air and lung health.

"We tried to create the most nostalgic, universal symbol could think of," said Mr. Salisbury. And, indeed, the design team arrived at an image of old Saint Nick reminiscent of the Santa generations Americans have enjoyed through the renderings of such artists as Thomas Nast, Norman Rockwell, and Haddon Sundblom.

In ancient times, St. Nicholas was much as a gift giver as our Santa is today, but, unlike the healthy old man we know, the 4th Century Saint Nicholas was a somber willowly fellow.

Then, in 1882, C. Clement Moore, a New York theology professor, wrote a poem for his children entitled "A Visit From St. Nicholas," describing St. Nick as "a right jolly old elf, lively and quick, dressed all in fur, a bundle of toys flung on his

back." Later, Nast, the Civil War cartoonist who also invented the Republican elephant and Democratic donkey, gave Santa his first red coat. And in the early 20th Century, Haddon Sundblom advanced Santa from an elfin cartoon figure to a hearty, flesh and blood man in paintings for Coca Cola. The 1983 Christmas Seal carries with it all of these accumulated positive images of Santa.

In addition, the Seal carries with it a 76-year-old tradition of hope and success. Christmas Seals were first sold in 1907 to combat tuberculosis and were instrumental in the progress toward defeat of that disease. Today, the Seals enliven 60 million American homes each holiday season and support the year-round work of the American Lung Association of Texas, fighting for clean air and combatting a wide variety of lung diseases, such as emphysema, asthma, chronic bronchitis and lung cancer.

The American Lung Association of Texas, the Christmas Seal People, urge Americans to "Take care of your lungs. They're only human. And, fight lung disease with with contributions to Christmas Seals".



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MERRY CHRISTMAS



BRACKETTVILLE CHURCH

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(Southern Baptist) Sunday School..... 9:45am Worship Service.....11:00am Worship Ser (Sun)... 7:00pm Prayer Meeting (Wed) 7:00pm REV. RONNIE WATSON *****

FRONTIER BAPTIST CHURCH

(Southern Baptist) Sunday School.....10:00am Worship service.....11:00am Prayer Meeting(Sun). 7:30pm Prayer Meeting(Wed). 7:30pm REV. JOE TOWNSEND *****

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

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