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## Deficiency Payments Probable For Cotton

### All Farmers Receive Same Payment Rate

According to Rusty Williamson, Bailey County AS CS Executive Director, the deficiency payment on wheat is 15 cents; barley, 11 cents, and, of course the deficiency payment on cotton will not be decided until after the end of the year, when the national average can be determined by the amount of cotton marketed.

High Plains cotton harvest is still rolling in high gear; and according to agricultural economists, farmers stand to collect from four to seven cents a pound in federal deficiency payments since cash prices are suppressed.

The difference between the farm program target price and the national farm level price creates the amount of deficiency payment, according to Dr. Carl Anderson, TAES cotton marketing economist.

#### Missing Girl Located In Arizona

A long distance telephone Monday night ended several weeks of agonized waiting for the parents of fifteen year old Jamie LeFebre.

The call came from Jamie, who finally had surfaced at an aunt's home in Mesa, Arizona. From all accounts the girl appeared to be safe and sound.

Jamie disappeared from her parent's home here in Muleshoe sometime during the night of November 28 or the early morning hours of the 29th. She left no clue as to her whereabouts and did not take any clothes and only a small amount of money.

According to Jamie's brother, Jamie had caught

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Since the August decline of the 65 cent average price of cotton, the prices have been steadily declining. Anderson stated that due to this decline, deficiency payments to farmers are a distinct probability.

High interest rates together with plentiful cotton supplies and weak demands will likely keep market prices depressed throughout the 1981 calendar year. Deficiency payments will be figured on the difference between the weighted monthly average price received by the farmers in 1981 and the target price.

All farmers will receive the same payment rate, despite the price received for their cotton, or whether or not cotton has been placed in the government price support loan program.

According to ag economists, payments will be based on the farm program acreage and established yield on each farm. Deficiency payments are limited to a combined total of \$50,000 per person under the upland cotton, wheat and feed grain programs. Payments are expected to be made in February.

#### Lazbuddie First Baptist Plan Music Specials

The combined choirs of First Baptist Church, Lazbuddie, Texas will be performing the musical drama "Come, Messiah, Come". This musical drama is presented in two acts, and features several soloists. The presentation will be Saturday night, December 19, at 8:00 p.m.

Jeanne Rogers, renowned soloist for the James

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## Policy Change, Ag Barn Top School Board Agenda

The Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees met December 14 to open bids on the vocational agriculture barn and to consider the best bid. There were twelve bidders on the barn, and the board still has the best bids under consideration.

Ben Roming, Ernest Ramm, R.D. Angeley, Harold Horne and Tom Jinks were instructed by the board to visit buildings constructed by the two low bidder who were Wallace Buildings in Littlefield and Nowell Industries in Plainview.

Superintendent, Harold Horne gave the tax collection report and the board approved changes to the tax roll.

Also under consideration by the board was the altering of a school bus route.

The resignation of Nickie Landers was approved by the board effective January 8, 1982. Gaylord Lathan was employed as a math teacher to replace the vacancy. Lathan has nine years experience teaching math in Panhandle and Amarillo. The past few years, he has been farming in the Earth Community.

The board approved changes in the school board policy manual which will bring the policy up-to-date with Senate Bill 341, which is the non-renewal act for professional personnel.

Election officials who conducted the school bond election on November 24 were approved for pay-

ment. Also regarding the bond issue, the board discussed the needs identified in the issue, realizing that making note of the fact that these needs still exist. No decisions were made concerning the re-presentation of the issue.

In the superintendent's report of school activities, it was noted that the total enrollment in the schools as of December 10, 1981 was 1,723, which is an increase of 42 students over the 1979 reported at the same time last year. Horne pointed out the fact that the Muleshoe schools are growing. A report as to the number of students

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## High Plains Cotton Prices Still Lower

High Plains cotton prices eased again during the week ended December 10, according to Mack Bennett, Area Director for USDA's Marketing Services Office at Lubbock. A few thousand bales have entered Commodity Credit's cotton loan.

### Jennyslippers' Barbeque Successful

The Jennyslippers (Women's Division of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture) met Monday at 12 noon for their regular monthly meeting, and a salad luncheon at the Civic Center.

There were 21 members present and one new member, Mrs. Robert Sanders.

Vivian White gave a treasurer's report indicating that after all the bills were paid from the barbeque lunch, the organization earned about \$850.00. Con't on page 4, col. 1

staples 31 and 32, mike 35-49 for around 44.00 cents per pound, down 85 points from one week earlier, Bennett said.

Ideal weather allowed cotton harvesting to remain near a peak. By mid-week, the 1981 High Plains crop was estimated at 75 percent off-the-stalk. Near 50 percent was ginned and 35 percent had been received by the Lubbock marketing Services Office.

Lubbock's Marketing Services Office classed 194,000 samples during the week ended December 10 for a season's total of 707,000. This compares with 933,000 graded by the same date last year.

About 11 percent was grade 32, 45 percent was grade 42 and 33 percent was grade 52. About 48 percent was reduced one grade because of bark.

Staples were 37 percent staple 31, 38 percent staple 32 and 11 percent staple 33 for an average of 31.6 thirty-seconds of an inch.

Micronaire was 31 per-

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SANTA ARRIVES....(L to R) Mike Richardson, Candle; Johnny Noble, Santa; and Lenny Pineda, Teddy Bear; will all star in the musical "A Magic Time" Thursday, December 17 in the cafeteria of Neil B. Dillman Elementary. The program is produced by second grade students. All parents and friends are urged to attend.

## Coliseum, Civic Center Guidelines Amended

The Bailey County Commissioner's Court met Monday for their regular meeting.

Meeting with the Commissioners Court were J.E. Meeks, James Golaz, James Williams, and Brock Sanders, representing the Bailey County Ministerial Alliance. The representatives met in regard to the use of the Coliseum for religious groups and with a

### Speech Students Give Rotary Program

The Muleshoe Rotary met Tuesday for their weekly meeting. Guests were Wayne Precure, Doran Reynolds and Dr. David Hamblin.

Don McElroy had charge of the program. Two high school speech students, Jeff Combs and Freddy Vela entertained.

At the December 8th program Bill Long and Al Jones from the National Wildlife Refuge brought the program.

### Local Karate Academy Has Family Night

On Monday, December 7, West Texas Karate Academy held its first Family Night. Over one hundred people were in attendance to watch demonstrations given by the students.

Demonstrations consisted of various techniques such as one-step sparring, forms, self-defense, movies of various karate tournaments, breaking of boards and bricks, and free fighting. Refreshment were also served.

Danny Kelley, head instructor, expressed his ap-

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request that the Coliseum be opened for meetings of the various religious groups. Following a discussion by the Commissioners and order was passed that the operational guidelines of the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum, which were approved on September 5, 1978 be amended; and, that the Coliseum be opened to the ministerial alliance and other religious groups. The same rental fees and schedules shall apply to these religious groups that apply to other organizations.

The Commissioner's Court also passed an order to transfer all monies presently in the Road District 1A, interest and sinking

## Texas DPS Cautions Holiday Motorists

"Traditionally, excessive speed and alcohol are the leading violations that cause holiday traffic accidents," said Major C.W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, Region 5. Because of this, special emphasis will be placed on these violators during the holiday season and all DPS personnel will make a special effort to try and reduce this needless waste of lives.

Major Bell noted that Texas is running 6% above last year in traffic fatalities, and a new record was set last year when 4,524 persons were killed. Last year in Texas he stated someone died in a traffic accident on an average of one each hour and 59 minutes, and someone was injured every 2 minutes and 50 seconds. "There is no excuse for this waste of human lives and human

suffering," he stated. This time of year should be happy and joyous time. For most people it will be a Con't on page 4, col. 1

### Richland Hills Schedules Cantata

On Sunday, December 20 at 7:00 p.m. the Richland Hills Baptist Church will present their Christmas cantata "The Birthday of the King". This cantata is an inspirational, telling the birth of the King in song. The spirit through revelation tells the story in a very unique and glorious way.

In connection, the Junior choir will present "Ring the Bells". The young people under the direction of Levenia Garlington are excited with their story and want to share the story Con't on page 4, col. 2



Navy Seaman Apprentice Fagela J. Ruben, son of Irene Garcia, 202 W. 5th, Muleshoe, has returned from a extended deployment to the Indian Ocean. He is crewmember aboard the aircraft carrier USS America, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

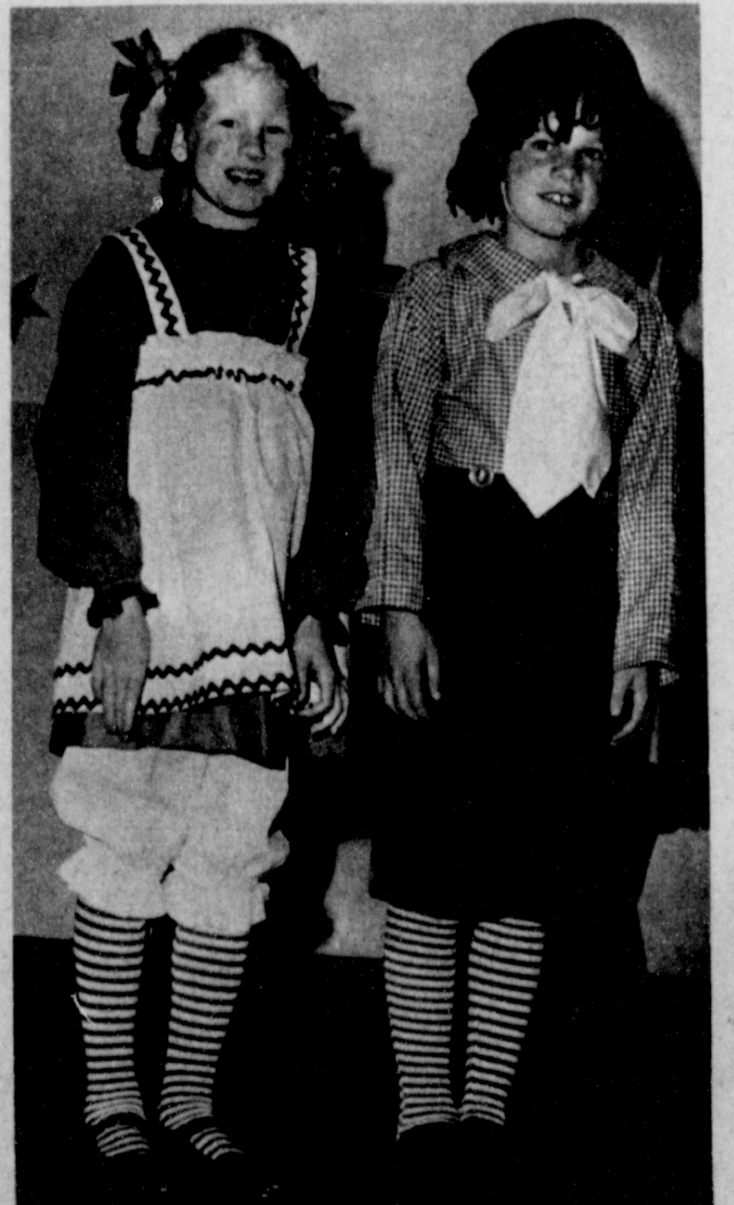
Brent N. Gunter of Muleshoe is among 48 Texas A&M University students chosen for listing in the 1981-82 "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

The national honor is bestowed on the basis of academics, campus-community service, activities leadership and potential.

Gunter, a senior animal science major, is the son of John W. Gunter, Jr.



AG OPEN HOUSE...Muleshoe Ag Boosters sponsored an open house Monday, December 14. Reports from ag students who attended the recent National Convention were heard, along with slides of ag-related activities in the Chapter.



MAGIC TIME....Raggedy Ann played by Erin Kelly (on left) and Raggedy Andy played by Stephen Noble will be seen in the musical "A Magic Time" produced by the second grade at Neil B. Dillman Elementary School, Thursday, December 17 at 2 p.m. All parents and friends are urged to attend.

## Mexican Fiesta Luncheon Honors Greyson Rennels

Master Greyson Lamb Rennels, three week old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rennels was honored with a Mexican Fiesta luncheon Tuesday afternoon, Dec-

ember 8, at El Nuevo Leal's Restaurant.

Special guests at the introductory luncheon were the honoree's grandfather Gil Lamb and his mother Magann.

Guests were given a birth announcement which was a printed letter to Santa written by big brothers Gilbert and Payton, telling about their new baby brother.

The serving table was accented by a yellow and blue decorated baby cake, served from a crystal dish belonging to Greyson's great grandmother, the late Mag Singleton. "It's A Boy" blue coconut flavored suckers were given to the guests as favors.

Assisting with the luncheon were Mrs. John Blackwell, Mrs. Ed Cox and Judy Lambert.

### Courtney Legg Honored On First Birthday

Courtney Legg was honored November 28 on her first birthday with a party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Legg.

Raggedy Ann and Andy theme was carried out in the decorations.

Cake and punch were served to those attending, who included her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moss and Mrs. Ernest Legg all of Sudan, her great grand parents, Mrs. Theresa Baccus of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Baccus of Sudan and Betty and Austin Muller of Littlefield, Mrs. Velma Reasoner, Amy and Michael of Levelland, Nancy Legg, Heather and Justin Harrison, Kay Nell, Rhonda, Jason and Brandon Taylor of Lubbock, Nell and T.J. Ingle Tracy Provence and Dustin, Mary and Krysten Naker of Lubbock, Marie Allen of Littlefield, Mitzi Bea Glasscock, Kelli and Garrett Flowers and Phyllis Lynn and Jennifer and Candance all of Sudan.



GILLROBERT AND GREYSON RENNELS

### December Birthdays Celebrated

A birthday party was held Thursday, Dec. 10 at 2:30 p.m. at the Muleshoe Nursing Home, honoring the residents who celebrated their birthdays in the month of December.

The party was hosted by the Needmore Community Club. Decorators Nursery and Floral provided the corsages for the ladies and boutonnières for the gentlemen.

Celebrating birthdays were Ora Roberts born 12-9-1900, Willie Steinbock 12-26-1901, Lottie Hall 12-11-1901, Charles Long 12-22-1898 and Effie Smith 12-2-1902.

Courtesy is so cheap that most people take no interest in it.

The best way to sleep soundly is to live sensibly and think sanely.

## The Creative Woman

"Creative Table Settings" is the topic to be presented by Jewell Limacher Extension Home Economist for Chaves County, Roswell, on "The Creative Woman" show. Mrs. Limacher says we should forget the words "everyday" and "company". Our family as well as our friends are guests when they sit down at our table. We should get all of our table accessories into active circulation, combine patterns, blend different dishes, mix flatwear and interject novel table covers and centerpieces.

There's much which can be done to make your table as colorful and inviting as the pictures you see in magazines. It's all in knowing how, and Mrs. Limacher will be showing how to create some interesting table settings.

Mrs. Martha Schueler, Friona, Texas, will be on again to demonstrate solid chocolate molding. She will also talk about coloring the chocolates, flavoring and

softening the chocolates. Booklets on "Martha's Candies" and "Creative Table Settings" will be offered to viewers.

The kitchen set for "The Creative Woman" show is made possible primarily by Poyner's White Auto Store Inc. of Portales who has furnished a Jenn-Air microwave oven, a Jenn-Air Convection/Radiant bake oven and a Jenn-Air grill-surface unit.

"The Creative Woman" is seen on Channel 3 at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and at 2:00 p.m. on Saturdays. The show is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden. Viewers outside Portales can request copies of printed materials by calling on KENW-TV's toll free telephone numbers. These are New Mexico 1-800-432-2361 and Texas: 1-800-545-2359. Portales & Roosevelt County viewers are asked to call 562-2112. All callers should call during the week between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

### Sudan UMW Holds Salad Supper

Ladies of the First United Methodist Church in Sudan held their Christmas party Monday evening at the local church with a salad supper.

Miss Bertha Vereen, Mrs. M.H. Tollett and Wayne Rogers served as hostesses for the occasion.

The tables were decorated with Christmas trees, candles, and tinsel. A decorated tree also adorned the fellowship hall.

Mrs. Bob Drake was in charge of the program. Several Christmas carols were sung and an interesting program was given on real Christmas experiences of real people.

Readers taking part were Mrs. Frank Lane, Mrs. Mary Tollett, Mrs. Rhoda Minyard, and Mrs. J.H. Wallace. Mrs. Phillip Lopez closed the program with prayer.

Names were drawn for special Christmas remembrances during the holiday season.

A short business meeting was held and voted to hold a bazaar next year. Time and date will be decided later.

Present for the meeting were Rev. Kerry Hurst, Mrs. Bob Drake, Mrs. Frank Lane, Mrs. Joe Markham, Mrs. Eloese Curry, Mrs. Richard Black, Mrs. Ray May, Mrs. Wayne Rogers, Mrs. Wix Gaston, Mrs. Marion Williams, Mrs. B.M. Newman, Mrs. Phillip Lopez, Mrs. H.H. Potter, Mrs. F.M. Smith, Mrs. Charles Rich, Mrs. M.H. Tollett, Mrs. Hazel Gaston, Mrs. Rhoda Minyard, Mrs. Mary Olds, Mrs. Nell Gentry, Mrs. James Wallace and Miss Bertha Vereen.



AARP OFFICERS.....Officers for the new year were installed at Tuesday's AARP meeting. Pictured from left Myrtle Creamer, president; Clara Lou Jones, treasurer; John Gunter, board member; Jewel Pool, board member; and Lena Hawkins, vice president. Not pictured Mary Farely, secretary.

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2 LB. POLY BAG

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# Hance Warns Of Potential Disaster In Ag Economy

U.S. Rep. Kent Hance (D-Texas) has predicted a major depression in the West Texas agri-business economy if the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) takes certain actions over the next few months.

"It is rumored that almost 1,000 potential farm foreclosures or liquidations will be activated in the West Texas farming communities," said Hance. "This could trigger similar actions in other agriculture financial areas to double this number of foreclosures or liquidations and make the farm picture extremely bleak for the next two years."

"For those of us who understand agriculture, this will affect virtually every business and family in West Texas. We could easily experience a situation like the great Depression and the President needs to take immediate action to attack the problem as such."

"The President knows I am unilaterally opposed to his line of reasoning regarding the farm program," Hance said. "But the way the picture looks now there is little hope of help from the President. The Farm Bill which Congress is considering is a total disaster. I voted against it in the House and unless the President can be urged to reconsider his stand I will strongly oppose the farm bill on final passage."

The Texas congressman was especially critical of the recent efforts by the Administration to increase foreign aid and food stamp appropriation while maintaining a hard line regard-

## Jennyslippers...

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concession stand was also operated on Saturday, December 5 in conjunction with the Christmas Parade and the Bazaar.

January 21, 1982 will be the next meeting and it will be held in the Muleshoe State Bank meeting room at 7 p.m. The various committee chairmen will give progress reports at that time.

## Jamie...

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a ride with a lady truck driver and had been traveling with her over the period of time she had been missing, going as far as Chicago, Illinois.

Jamie's mother left early Tuesday morning for a flight to Arizona to return the girl home.

## Lazbuddie...

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Robison Evangelistic Association, will be in concert at the First Baptist Church in Lazbuddie, Sunday evening, December 20, at 6 p.m.

Mrs. Rogers has appeared on crusade and concert stages throughout the world and is featured regularly on many varied television and radio ministries. She has several recordings to her credit.

The church wishes to extend a warm welcome to all who would attend.

## DPS...

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tragic time because of an accident.

Major Bell concluded by saying, "Most of these tragic traffic deaths could be prevented if the motorist would use good judgement and obey traffic law."

ing farm policy; all within four weeks of abandoning a goal of a balanced budget by 1984.

"The President and his advisors opposed us on an amendment by Congressman (Charles) Stenholm which would have provided for a mandatory crop set-aside program, without subsidy, and would have saved almost \$2 billion in 1982 in addition to helping the farm economy."

"The present farm policy of the President has only added to the problems brought on by the farm policies of the past three Presidents in which a cheap raw materials line of reasoning has been favored at the expense of our farmers. Every major agricultural country in the world protects its farmers better than does the United States under the present line of thinking. We have not had an adequate farm

## Texas Cotton Grading Procedure Questioned

U.S. Sen. John Tower (R-Texas) this week expressed concern about apparent inequities which have resulted from changes in the manner Texas cotton is graded.

In a letter to Secretary of Agriculture John R. Block, Tower noted that the Agriculture Marketing Service recently has undertaken changes in the manner in which the Altus, Oklahoma, classing office grades cotton.

"I have received numerous complaints that cotton samples from the same producer with the same quality have been graded differently," Tower said.

The senior senator from Texas asked Block to look into the situation, and emphasized the need for grading procedures for cotton to be "consistent, equitable and fair."

"Cotton classed at a lower grade obviously brings a lower price. Farmers who have had cotton from the very same field graded at different levels are justifiably concerned about what has happened, particularly since this year for the first time they are paying a fee for the service. Farmers must be able

## Prices...

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cent 35-49, 17 percent 33-34, 31 percent 30-32, 17 percent 27-29 and four percent 26 or below for an average of 33 for the week.

Breaking strength averaged 23 grams per tex. Gins paid growers \$70 to \$85 per ton for Cottonseed.

## Cantata...

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with you. The organist is Brenda Robinson, the pianist Peggy Sanders. You are invited to share these stories of Christ and his love.

## Karate...

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preciation to all those who attended and supported the students. He also thanked his students for a good job of giving the demonstrations and for the very nice warm up suit given to him for a Christmas present. Also thanks to those who helped with all the refreshments.

West Texas Karate is located at 215 E. Ave. B and is associated with Hawkins and Purdy School of Dance and Gymnastics.

Regular exercise is the secret of old age.

program in the past five years and under the present thinking in Washington the prospects for any improvement in the foreseeable future are dim."

"One of the ways we can solve our budget problems is by creating a strong farm program whereby our farmers can make a decent living by supplying food and fiber for the world. When the farmers are operating at a profit they pay additional taxes and this would also greatly help in balancing the budget."

"The FmHA officials have assured me they are going to try to work out financial programs with the good management farmers to help keep some of them in operation," Hance added. "But the picture looks very bleak unless we can change farm policy thinking with the President and his major advisors."

to feel confident they will receive fair and even-handed treatment for each shipment of cotton," Tower said.

## Public employees forfeit vacation time

COLLEGE STATION — The director of a state agency says he has heard enough complaints about lazy public employees — more than half his professional staff lost a total of 16 weeks of annual leave because they were too busy to take it.

Dr. Konrad Eugster, executive director of the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory at Texas A&M University, said 17 of his workers lost a total of 650 hours of paid leave because they were unable to take off from their jobs before Aug. 31.

Under state policy, employees are allowed to carry only a limited number of accrued vacation hours over from one fiscal year to the next. Any amount over that limit is simply lost, or as Eugster prefers to put it, "donated" to the people of Texas.

These staff members were advised by written memoranda and numerous oral communications that they would lose some of their leave time if they did not take it before Aug. 31," said Eugster. "They decided instead to place the state's interest ahead of their personal convenience."

## Board...

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being served in the MISD by Special Education revealed that there are 157 students served. Ten of the 157 are in the early childhood class and one student is under three years of age.

School Board President, Jim Shafer appointed four standing committees to be in existence for the MISD. These committees are: Buildings and Grounds, Ben Roming, Ernest Ramm and Jim Shafer. Curriculum: Ronnie Holt, R.D. Angeley, Jim Shafer. Finance: Royce Harris, Gene McGuire, Jim Shafer. Personnel: Royce Harris, Ben Roming and Jim Shafer.

These committees will work with the school administration in working out problems concerning the four topics.

Superintendent Horne's report also showed that the average daily attendance for the 1981-82 second six weeks was 1605.03 as compared with the 1980-81 figure of 1595.75. This showed an average daily attendance increase of ten of the second six weeks which ended the middle of November.

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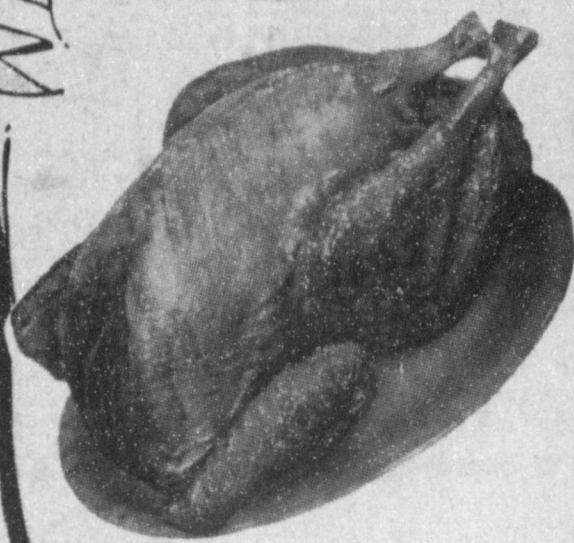
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By Lyndell Williams  
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AUSTIN — With the state's primary election only five months away, there are still only two announced Democratic contenders to incumbent Gov. Bill Clements. State Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong, the latest announced candidate claims he is the only candidate in the race who has served in both the legislative and executive branches of government.

Fresh off a five-day, 21-city state tour, the Austin lawyer-rancher has raised something less than \$100,000 toward what he predicts will be a Democratic primary campaign costing \$2-3 million. He expects a bulk of his contributions to come after the Feb. 1 filing deadline.

Meanwhile, Tyler State Sen. Peyton McKnight got a big boost in his efforts to unseat Clements, as over 5,000 attended his birthday party-fundraiser at Billy Bob's Texas nightclub in Fort Worth.

The star-studded event is reported to have netted the campaign close to \$900,000 at last count. McKnight is said to be planning a similar fundraiser in the Houston area, probably to be held at Gilley's club in nearby Pasadena.

#### Gives Deposition

Governor Bill Clements dropped his threat of a U.S. Supreme Court appeal and gave his deposition to attorneys arguing the congressional redistricting lawsuit.

The attorneys had pushed for Clements' deposition in order to learn his political involvement in the hammering out of the compromise plan during this summer's special session. Clements resisted on the grounds of executive privilege.

But with time running out on the redistricting issue, Clements apparently decided further delay could only hurt the plan, which he wants approved in time for the May primaries.

And, as he related to the press, he did not want to take a chance on losing the executive privilege issue, which would have set a bad precedent for future governors.

The attorneys who questioned Clements during the deposition did not come up with any dark political secrets, if such was their plan. In nearly two hours of testimony, Clements painted his role as minimal, and stressed his one objective was the creation of a black district in Dallas.

#### Liberals Angered

Clements said the creation of such a district angered liberals because it endangered Democrat Congressman Jim Mattox, but that liberals often use minorities to their own advantage.

"I never drew a map, I never drew a line on a map," he said.

"So far as my staff is concerned, I'm sure they were all drawing lines. You know, this was the greatest game going on in town."

It's no political secret that Clements wanted the black district to endanger liberals Mattox and Martin Frost, but another liberal Congressman is facing a strong challenger, but not through re-

districting.

Thirty-year veteran Congressman Jack Brooks, who narrowly avoided a loss last election, will face three opponents in the Democratic primary. Two of them, W. L. "Bubba" Pate and Tom Combs, are from Brooks' hometown, which he lost heavily in 1980. The third, Galveston legislator Doug McLeod, is generally considered to have the inside track in unseating Brooks in what may well be one of the toughest campaigns in the state.

#### Legislative Redistricting

The lawsuits challenging the redistricting plans for the Texas Senate and House of Representatives will be decided by a panel of three district judges from Dallas.

The two suits will be tried simultaneously because of the legal similarities.

#### Hats in the Rings

Of course, the redistricting delays have played havoc in the minds of future candidates who don't know whether to announce for office because they still don't know what territory they will be campaigning.

But as time runs out for prospective candidates, some

are indicating they are ready to take the plunge.

Speaker Bill Clayton told friends at his recent fundraiser that he will make a formal announcement soon for the Land Commissioner's race. Clayton, who had delayed such an announcement until January, is undoubtedly worried about the prospects of Midland Sen. Pete Snellson entering the race. Snellson is expected to decide one way or another in the next two weeks.

#### More Insects

Agriculture Commissioner Reagan Brown has not been shy about picking on insects. First it was Medflies and now he says imported fire ants are a threat and must be sprayed.

He is reportedly giving credence to rumors that State Rep. Dan Kubiak, of gasohol renown, will run against him next spring. Three weeks ago, Kubiak publicly criticized Brown for not spraying the hazardous pests.

Brown countered Kubiak in the press by saying that fire ants did not "move" much in the winter and it was the wrong season to spray. Now Brown says their eradication is imperative.

Kubiak is being encouraged to run by a conservative faction of the agricultural sector which does not particularly like Brown, but is unhappy with already-announced candidate Jim Hightower, a liberal.

#### Two-Party Election?

The furor in the primary jockeying is occurring mostly in the Democratic Camp. Republicans, for the most part, are fielding a single candidate for each office, but a runner who will be well financed. The GOP is picking its shots carefully, and will likely select some winners in what may well be the first bona fide two-party election in Texas in a long time.

#### Short Takes

1980 statistics show Texas led the nation in child-abuse deaths with a total of 110. Criminal charges were filed in 48 per cent of last year's deaths.

Raymond Frank, former Travis County sheriff, charged Comptroller Bob Bullock should have paid approximately \$7,000 to reimburse the state for his air-

plane flight to California for treatment for alcoholism. Bullock paid \$2,229, which an aide said was the exact amount calculated following guidelines set by the attorney general's office.

Republican State Senator Walter Mengden, Houston, an announced candidate for the U.S. Senate, said he was surprised by the results of a poll in his district showing 52.2 per cent of the 27,000 respondents favor sterilization of welfare recipients.

### Enochs News By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mrs. J.W. Layton, Mrs. Juanita Snow and Mrs. Edward Crume received word Monday morning that their sister, Mrs. Vida Cash was admitted to the hospital with pneumonia.

The cotton harvest is under way. They have ginned 250 bales of the Farmers Co-op gin. The grain harvest is still in full swing.

A loaded double decker truck passed a pickup north of Enochs and overturned. The driver wasn't hurt, killed one cow and broke the legs of some.

J.W. Layton was dismissed from Methodist Hospital Wednesday, Nov. 4. His nephew Lee Olan Chick of Borger, Mrs. Juanita Snow of Muleshoe are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Layton to help out while he is recuperating. Visitors Saturday was his sister, Mrs. Dora Johnson of Brownwood, two nieces, Jerry Terrel, and Laveria Gaines of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless was in Muleshoe Friday morning on business, they visited Mrs. Brinker and Mrs. Ona Tiffie at the Nursing Home, they also visited with her nephew, Jim Swanner.

Rev. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham of Fluvanna were guests in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless Thursday afternoon and spent the night with them.



The House-Senate Conference Committee December 8, after more than a month of debate, reported a compromise 1982-85 farm bill. The Senate approved the committee's action December 10, setting the stage for a momentous vote in the House, probably on December 15 or 16.

If a majority of House members vote for the compromise, Agriculture Secretary Block will sign the bill into law. Otherwise, by the time these words appear in print, the whole mess will be back in conference committee with a future as uncertain as West Texas weather.

However it can be assumed that whatever farm law governs cotton production, there'll be some mechanism whereby the Secretary can restrict (or attempt to restrict) the acreage planted to cotton. And there is much speculation as to whether and how that mechanism may be used.

Looking purely at the numbers, a set-aside or other means to reduce 1982 cotton production would certainly be in order.

When the Secretary looks at a 15.6 million-bale U.S. crop this year and subtracts combined domestic mill use and exports of only 13 million bales, leaving a carryover on August 1, 1982, almost double the 1981 carryover of about 2.7 million, he has to think set-aside.

In all likelihood, though, his only means to reduce acreage in 1982 will be to require, as a condition of eligibility for program benefits, that producers reduce 1982 plantings by a percentage of the previous year's or two years' plantings.

The extent of participation in such a program would depend primarily on (1) what the Secretary's regulations would permit or require producers to do with the non-cotton acreage and (2) what program benefits, if any, would be lost to the producer who opted not to reduce acreage. And this latter question may not be answered for some time to come.

More suspicious minds are attempting to predict the Secretary's set-aside decision from another angle.

They expect the Secretary to require a reduction in cotton acreage and mandate that acreage taken out of cotton be devoted to the most expensive care and/or conservation uses he can think of.

These wary souls reason, not without logic, that while this course of action might not reduce cotton acreage, it would drive most producers out of the program, thus making them ineligible for any price deficiency payments that may be due in 1982.

**EDITORIAL**

**Proposition 13 Again**

Several years ago Howard Jarvis organized fed-up taxpayers in California and got Proposition 13, which limited property taxes to reasonable levels, adopted in a statewide referendum. Critics at the time claimed all sorts of dire results if the amendment passed.

It was said schools would close, fire departments would shut down, police protection would disappear, etc. What happened? None of the above. There were layoffs just after 13 went into effect. A state surplus helped ease the transition.

But after the initial readjustment, things returned to normal. Some 103,000 state and local government jobs were eliminated—largely through attrition. New private sector jobs made up for those lost, and when government workers turned to private employment, that reduced the cost of government and increased tax revenues.

Congressman Skip Bafalis (a likely G.O.P. gubernatorial candidate in Florida next year) says in his state local governments have largely ignored the message from California voters. He says Florida voters are increasingly angry, because a 1980 election mandate for less local government is also largely being ignored.

Instead of responding to the trend, and demands of hard-pressed taxpayers, assessment authorities in county after county are in fact raising millage and assessments and failing to trim budgets to the bone. That has produced a number of protest movements in Florida, including one led by Howard Jarvis.

Jarvis, and other groups in Florida, seek to put a cap on local taxes, as was done in California. Bafalis thinks such a cap is overdue. If Jarvis and others win their fight in Florida next year, the result is likely to be an accelerated national reform movement in this direction.

**Allen & Judgment**

Richard Allen may not have done anything illegal which would bar him from his job as national security advisor, but his actions, revealed in disclosures in the press in recent weeks, raise serious question as to judgment.

One is hard-pressed to accept the story that he forgot about a thousand dollars in an envelope. One is unimpressed by his receipt of other gifts. One is less than comfortable with his financial transactions just prior to taking office in the White House. The various payments he has received in the past, while all legal, also raise questions.

It seems that all presidents of late have been saddled with liabilities soon after taking office. Lyndon Johnson had his shocks. Richard Nixon was not without his, was himself among them. Jimmy Carter had to rid himself of his dearest friend, and booster. Now Ronald Reagan is beset with problems involving David Stockman and Richard Allen.

Stockman, it now seems, might have been right in what he argued for (excise tax increases and cuts in defense spending so the budget could be balanced). His mistake was mouthing frustration in a way which implied others, disagreeing, were insincere.

Allen's case is a matter of questionable judgment, and credibility. He has lost the support of the majority of Americans on both counts, and probably should not—in the interest of the Reagan Administration—return to his job.

**Letters To The Editor**

Dear Editor,

Everyone has heard the old adage "Hindsight is 20-20". Many of us are now seeing very clearly the results of the recent bond election.

Obviously, many voters did not realize how important the issues of the bond election are to the community of Muleshoe. Per-

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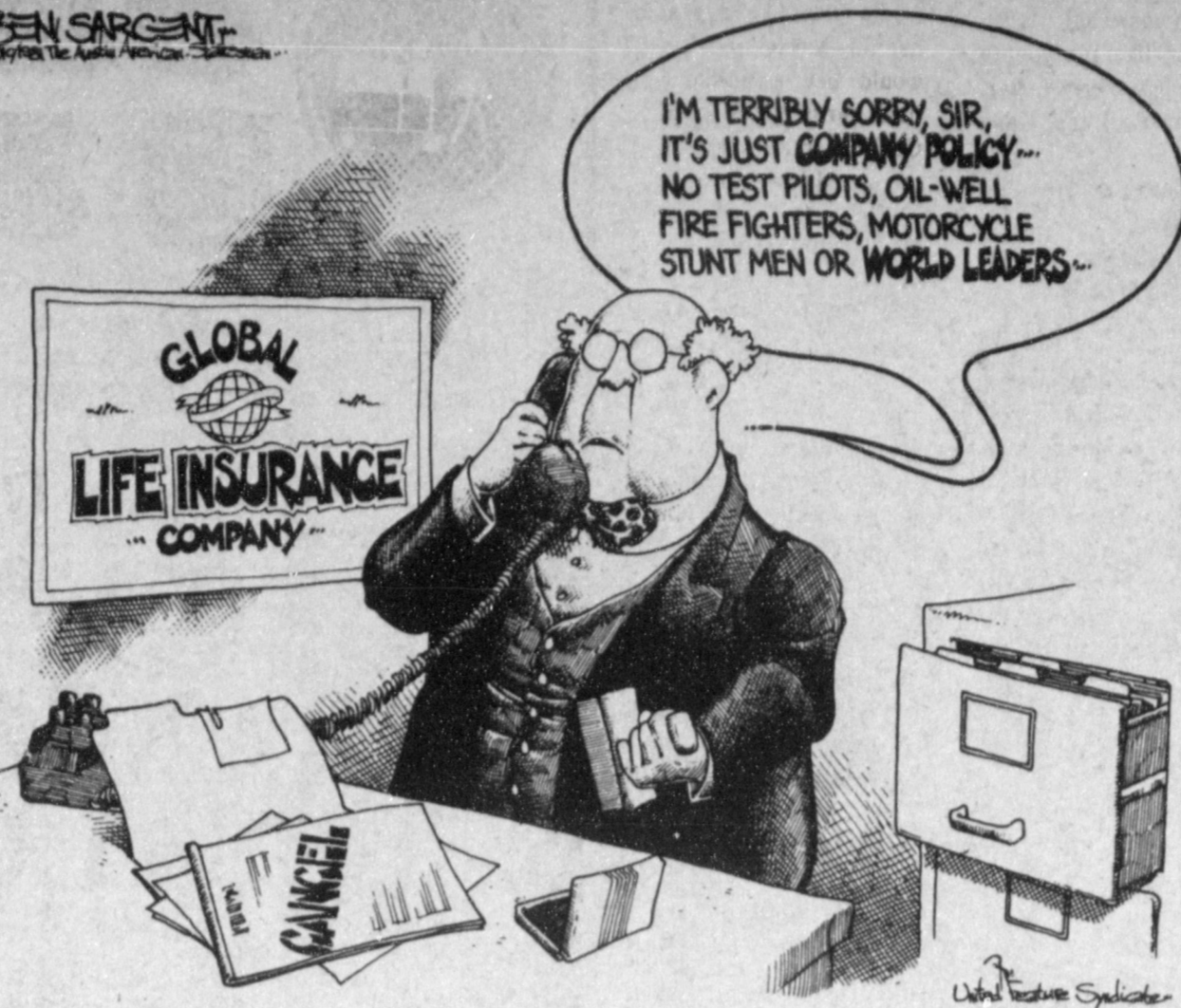
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**CAPITOL UPDATE**

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Each year, as many as 1.8 million children disappear from their families. The ensuing ordeal is a nightmare for distraught parents, grandparents and friends. All too often, the child is found dead, sometimes hundreds of miles away, or never found at all.

Yet, there is no systematic national communications system to help trace these children. In contrast, when a car, firearm, or even a refrigerator is reported stolen, law enforcement officers all over the nation are notified almost immediately so that they can lend their assistance in the case.

To remedy this gap in our law enforcement system, and to help find missing children wherever they are, I am cosponsoring the "Missing Child Act." This bill would establish a national computer information network, and increase the number of names and identifying information in the FBI's computer system.

The bill also would establish for the first time a national computerized clearing house for information about bodies found without evidence to identify them.

In addition, the attorney general would collect and maintain information -- from federal, state and local officials, and from parents or relatives -- which could assist in locating a missing child. This would be true of all cases, including runaways and victims of parental kidnapping, and would not impose a minimum length of time the child must be missing before action is taken.

A significant difference in current law would be a provision to allow parents to list a child on the computer, though only law enforcement officials could retrieve the information.

This is the sort of program the federal government should institute. The federal government would not be taking over any state or local function, but rather would be providing information exchange which it is in a unique position to do.

I know my fellow Texans share my concern for families which have suffered the agonies of a missing child.

**The Speaker Reports**



by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN—The credit for the accomplishments and the successes of our state belongs to the men and women who worked so hard to make our state what it is today. They met the challenge of building a state that is the best in the nation, and this state and nation stands in debt to them.

Now many of these people face another challenge, that is, successfully continuing life in our great state. Long ago a philosopher made a statement that still holds true today; "To know how to grow old is the master work of wisdom, and one of the most difficult chapters in the great art of living."

Texas has the fifth largest population of older citizens in the nation due to the fact that since 1900 those people over 60 have increased four times as fast as those under 60. Also, in recent years there has been a significant influx of newly retired persons to our state.

We in the 67th session of the Texas Legislature responded to the concerns of the aging in as many areas as possible. The Texas Department on Aging was created. It is expected to coordinate government and private agency and facility programs, encourage the establishment of Area Agencies on Aging for the development of local level services, sponsor voluntary community rehabilitation and recreational facilities as well as conduct studies on the special problems of aging.

One critical issue addressed by the Legislature relates to the abuse of elderly individuals. A new law now says that when intentional criminal conduct includes serious bodily harm to an elderly person, the offense will be a felony of the first degree, instead of a second degree felony. Additionally, the Legislature has established a program of protective services for persons sixty-five years of age

or older.

We do not know yet how federal cutbacks will affect our programs for the aging, but we do know that we have an obligation to always seek to get the most value from our tax dollars. By

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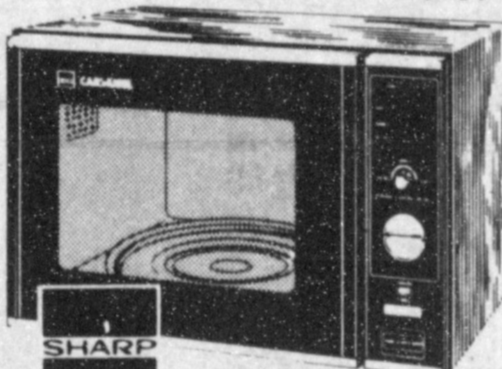
eliminating waste and inefficiency, we can make large steps in absorbing the impact of any possible cutbacks and continue to address the needs of older Texans. The charge for the future is great, but every generation has been challenged. We today need to look ahead to the immediate future for our older people. We need also to be wise enough to think far into the future, to plan beyond the next decade.



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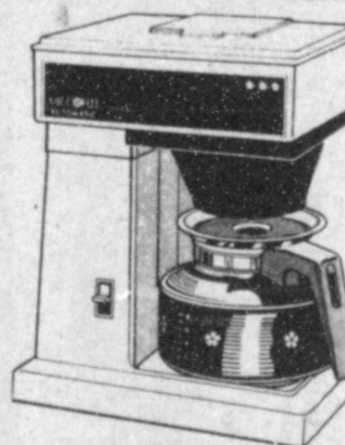


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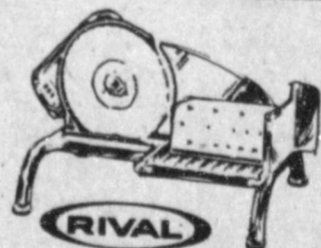
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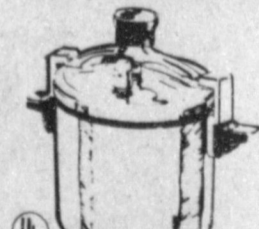
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Chad Freeman

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I would like a baby won't let go, and a baby cries for you. Also a baby buggy and a little table. And a baby that feels like a real baby. And a strawberry shortcake doll and a new set of blocks and a super-woman doll, a peg board with pegs, a coloring book and some colors and a poster and a play like telephone and a play pen and a little sanata claus decoration and some magic markers and a ruler. That's all.  
Leann Sandefer

Dear Santa  
I told you that I wanted a wagon and a big miss piggy. I want a little sewing machine.  
Martha Ann Sanders

Dear Santa  
I want a doll, a tepee toes, a play candle, a toy bell, a box of Kleenex, a toy chain, some toy eggs, a toy kitchen with some play food, a play house, a toy school building a toy clown and a toy water fountain.  
That's all  
Amy McManis

Dear Santa  
I want some candy.  
Juan Rangel

Dear Santa  
I want a gun for christ-mas.  
Taank You  
Ubaldo olivas

Dear Santa Claus  
I am 2 years old, so I asked my moma if she would write this letter for me.

I would like a Volkswagon Rabbit battery operated car or a baby doll for Christmas.

My stocking is hung next to the Christmas tree.

Mama is baking you a German Chocolate cake, we will leave it on the kitchen table, there will be lots of milk in the ice box.

Hope you have a merry Christmas and I love you Santa.

Love,  
Brandy Lynn Lloyd

Dear Santa Clause,  
My name is Kimberely Robberson I live in Muleshoe Texas. I am five years old I get to go to kindergarten next year. Would you please bring me these presents for Christmas, a ball, teddybear, doll (with a hat, clothes, bottle), clothes, candy (but dont tell my mom cause it gives me cavetys), games like Gme five, puzzles, and books please bring me those toys and also bring all of the kids at mesuary school toys for Christmas. Thank You

Love  
Kimberly Robberson  
I Love You,  
Santa

Dear Santa,  
I'm writing this letter to tell you what I want. I don't know what I want. Maybe a Rubiks Cube. I really don't want nothing. Well Bye!

Sincerely,  
Christy Mata

Dear Santa  
My name is Melissa. I am seven years old.

I would like for you to bring me Sew-Perfect, Barbie Dream Pool and Tippy Toe Doll.

I will leave cookies and milk for you.

Thank you,  
Melissa Lopez

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a new curl iron and a new car a trams am brand new. I would like to have a present for every friend of mine. Santa I would like to have five new pairs of silk pants one for me and one pair for each of my friends. And Santa, can my father and mother get a truck and some money. And my sisters get some dolis.

Sincerely yours truly  
Josie Garcia

Dear Santa Clause

I would like about ten things and here they are gocar, bike, boxing gloves, pellet gun, race track, cuff hand, a television with intelevision on it, a CB, and a camera.

sencercly yours  
Lorenzo Fuentes

Dear Santa

I would like a bicycle a am fm radio an eight track tape play a pooltable a waterbed a new room by myself some bb's and to ques

P.S. I'll leave some cook- ie and milk  
yours truly  
Allan ven

Dear Santa,

I would like a remote control car. Also I want a Santa Claus that has a light inside. But what I want most is a record of the Little River Band with the song The Night Owls.

Thank You  
Love  
Jemy Bruns  
7 hird Grade

Dear Santa  
I would like a watch.  
Casey Estep

Dear Santa,  
I would like a new doll. I would also like a remote control barbie car. I also would like a barbie and flash cards ND A RUBIXS CUBE. Santa I would like a ten speed too! I love you.  
Sherry LeAnn Wisian  
3rd grade

P.S. I'll leave you some cookies and milk thanks.

Dear Santa,

All I want is skates. Sorry, a radio and a doll.  
Laura Franco  
3rd grade  
10 years old

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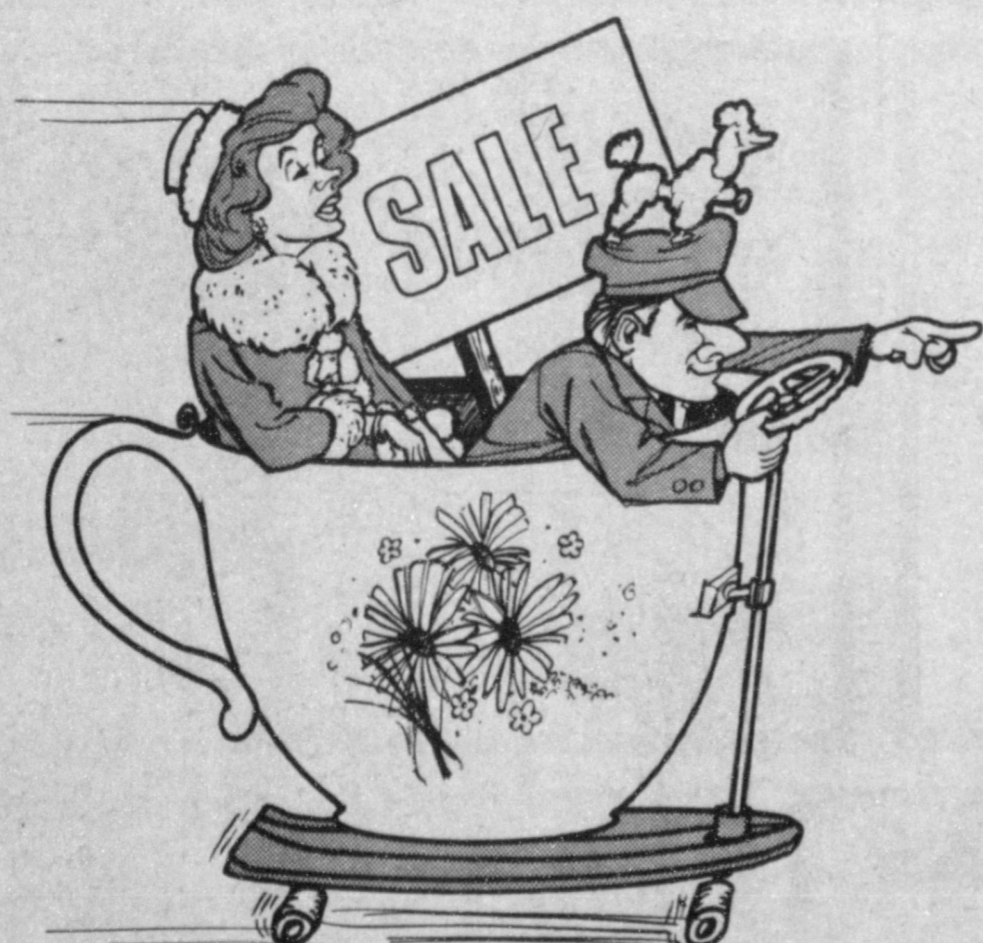
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# Christmas Ornaments Dangerous To Pets

'Tis the season to be jolly, but the very things that make the Christmas season bright and gay, may be the things that can turn Christmas into a tragedy for your family pet.

"The Christmas tree, with colored lights and balls, tinsel, and artificial snow is a tempting curiosity for your cats and puppies. Extra caution should be used to keep your pets out of the tree branches," said Dr. Ben Johnston, president of the Texas Veterinary Medical Association.

Inquisitive, frisky pets may decide to munch, crunch, attack or swallow decorative tree items such as glass balls, electric light wires, tinsel and string.

"Dogs and cats find ornaments and tinsel attrac-

live, and they chew them and swallow them as if they were a bone. Glass ornaments splinter on contact and can cause perforation of the animal's gastric or intestinal wall," said Johnston, a Houston veterinarian.

Aluminum tinsel may contain a lead base and can be toxic to the animal. Tinsel and string are also harmful because they can ball up in the intestine and cause blockage.

Chewing on the wires of colored lights can cause electric shock and has proved fatal to many pets. Those that survive usually have severe mouth burns that require immediate veterinary treatment.

The best way to keep your family pet safe from

such tragedies is prevention, said the TVMA president. Decorations should be kept high on the tree or the tree should be placed on a table out of reach of pets. Pets should not be left alone with the tree.

If an emergency does arise, contact your veterinarian immediately.

Don't forget that holly,

poinsettias and mistletoe are especially dangerous toxins at this time of year. Make sure these poisonous substances are kept well out of the family pet's reach.

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No duty is more urgent than that of returning thanks.  
-St. Ambrose.

## Inexpensive test can prevent equine "blue baby" deaths

COLLEGE STATION — A \$10 blood serum test that could prevent the death of a potential Secretariat or Man o' War due to a "blue baby" syndrome in horses is now available through the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory at Texas A&M University.

Scientists hope the beginning of the 1981-82 foaling season which begins in December will bring more requests for the test, which has only been available since early this year and is

still widely unknown, said Dr. Bruce Abbott of the TVMDL, a branch of the Texas A&M University System.

Blue babies in horses, referred to by researchers as NI (neonatal isoerythrolysis), occurs in only 1 percent of all foals.

But NI syndrome — triggered in the first few days of the foal's life by antibodies produced by the pregnant mare in her colostrum (the nutrient-rich fluid that begins to flow just prior to the milk in nursing mothers) — is often fatal, explained Abbott.

The test is designed to detect the presence of the antibodies

in the mare before the foal is born, said Abbott, who developed the procedure with technician Leigh Ann Smith.

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### Eddie Zimmerman Zimmerman Rites Held Wednesday

Services for Eddie Zimmerman, 60, were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, December 16 in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church with Father Patrick Maher, pastor, officiating.

Military graveside services were conducted at Bailey County Memorial Park. Burial was under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Zimmerman died at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock.

A Chicago, Illinois native, he was born March 25, 1921 and moved to Muleshoe six years ago from Portales, N.M. He married the former Adeline Ford, August 27, 1941 in Chicago, Illinois. He was owner and manager of the Muleshoe Manor Motel & Apartments, a veteran of WW II serving in the U.S. Army and a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Adeline; two daughters, Mrs. Joyce Modica of Millston, Wis. and Mrs. Barbara Dalfino of Lombard, Ill.; one sister, Mrs. Pearl Kingsbury of St. Charles, Ill.; three brothers, George of Milwaukee, Wis. Harold of Aurora, Ill. and Charlie of Arlington Heights, Ill. and three grandchildren.

### R.C. Martin Services Held In Paducah

Masonic graveside services for R.C. Martin, 75 of Paducah were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 12 in Garden of Memories Cemetery in Paducah.

Burial was under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Paducah. Martin died at 3:45 a.m. Friday in Richard Memorial Hospital.

The Honegrove native moved to Cottle County in 1916 and to Paducah in 1965. He married the former Prudence Hendricks January 1, 1923, in Paducah. He was a retired farmer and rancher and a member of the Masonic Lodge of Muleshoe.

Survivors include his wife, Prudence; two sons, Robert Calvin of Spurry and Ernest of Muleshoe; two daughters, Florence Mae Sharp of Rockport and Leatrice Mardis of Graham; one brother, J.T. of Paducah; three sisters, Elsie Lee Allen of Paducah and Mary Fish and Frances Stewart, both of Dallas; 13 grandchildren; and nine great grandchildren.

### BIBLE VERSE

"His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace."

1. Who wrote the above words?
2. Of whom was he speaking?
3. How long before the birth of Christ were these words spoken?
4. Where may this verse be found?

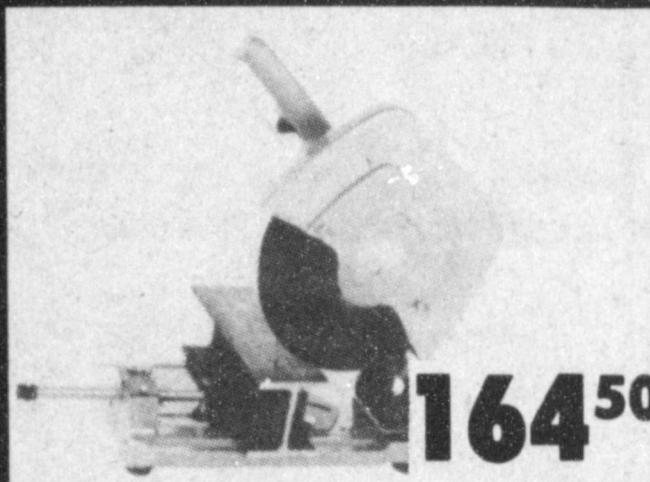
Answer to Bible Verse

1. Isaiah the prophet.
2. Jesus Christ, the long promised Messiah.
3. More than four hundred years B.C.
4. Isaiah 9:6.



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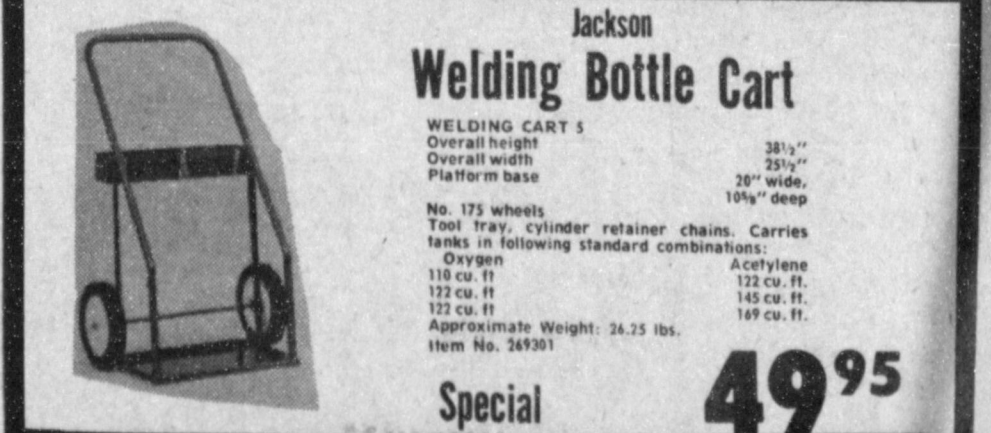
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**Sudan News**

By Evelyn Ritchie

Rev. and Mrs. L.W. Baker of Idalou visited his brother, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Baker of Amherst, formerly of Sudan. Also visiting with them were their children, Floyd and Penny Baker of Amarillo and Marion Mansel and children of Littlefield.

Carol Williams of Colorado arrived home this Thanksgiving holidays to spend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Williams and also in the wedding party for Cindy Powell and Jimmy Nichols.

W.O. Willingham remains a patient in the Amherst Hospital where it was reported that he is resting well. He may be

**The Sandhills Philosopher**

Editor's note: The Sandhill Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sandy Creek starts to explain why there's so much slipshod work going on these days.

Dear editor: It always happens, on the home level and the national level.

Just when you think you're going to come out even this month and maybe even save a little, a tire blows out or the TV set burns out.

On the national level, right when Washington is trying to cut expenses and whittle some on the national debt, a special commission comes out with a report that 200,000 bridges in the country need repairing, at a cost of about \$40 billion.

This throws a kink in politicians who respond to a question they don't want to answer by saying "I'll cross that bridge when I come to it." They may not be able to cross it even when they get to it.

There's something about this country that's hard to explain. We can't seem to do things right. Who built those sorry bridges? Why are so many cars called back to correct faulty parts? Why are there so many bad welds in atomic power plants? Why does the inside of a new hotel collapse? Why does it cost four times the original estimate to build a submarine or a war plane? Why did the Air Force build a shuttle launch tower in a spot so windy the shuttle can't be launched? How come the Navy built a multi-million-dollar set of bunkers to store weapons in with a roof that leaks? Why didn't they think to change the oil filter in the space shuttle? Why did that doctor operate on the wrong eye? Why can't repairmen repair?

There's got to be an answer somewhere to all this absent-minded, slipshod way of doing things.

But I haven't got time to figure it out right now. A neighbor just came by to tell me my cows are out on the road. I forgot and left a gate open.

Yours faithfully,  
J.A.

moved in the near future to Methodist in Lubbock.

Rev. and Mrs. Cliff Houghton and Heather were in El Paso to attend the wedding of this brother, Bill to Sandra Christopher. They spent the holidays in Midland with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Houghton and Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Ainsworth.

Thanksgiving holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wix Gaston and girls were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Gouley and children and also Phillip and Joanna Lambert all of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Nettles and girls of Anchorage, Alaska arrived in Dallas on December 2 and came on to Sudan for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell. The Cardwells met them in Dallas.

Spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ford are their children, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ford, Jason and Kevin of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Billy John Ford, Steven and Michael of Lubbock. Also joining them will be their other son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ford, Cherie and Hyla.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Smith and boys spent Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams Gromowsky of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Webb of Borger visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with their daughter and family, Coach and Mrs. Cliff Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Baker hosted their family Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday, when Mr. & Mrs. Terry Obenhaus and children of Muleshoe joined them.

Spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray and Mrs. Mable Reed were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Newcomer of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams of Edinburg and Tanya. Also joining them were their other daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roby Lynn and girls.

Billye Doty was in Hobbs recently, when she took her granddaughter, Amanda Mapp back home following a few days visit.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bellar and boys were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Hine of Ruidoso, her sister, Lt. Catherine Hine of Albuquerque and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H.B. Richards and an aunt, Mrs. Lillian Satterwhite all of Amarillo.

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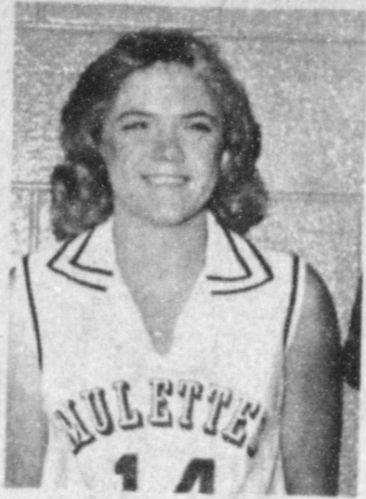
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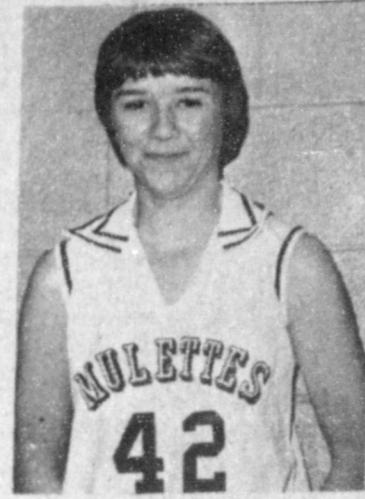
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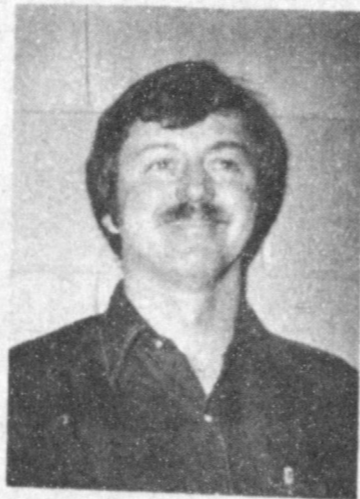
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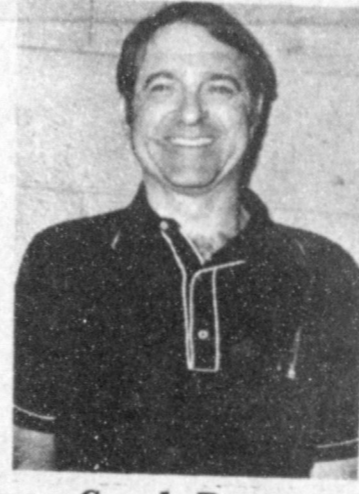
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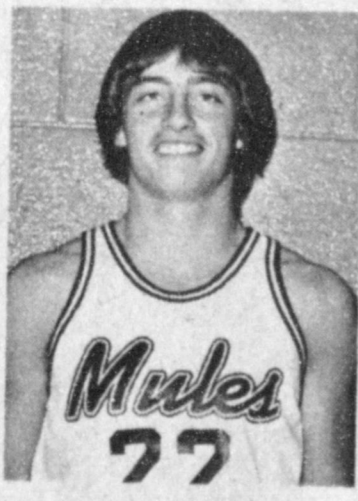
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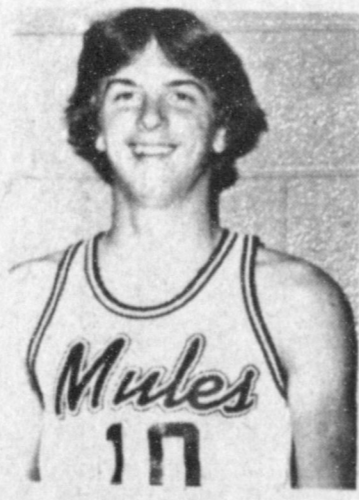
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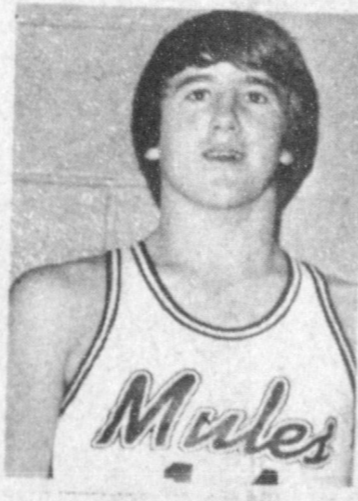
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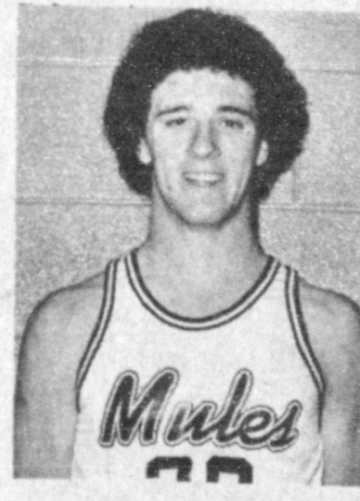
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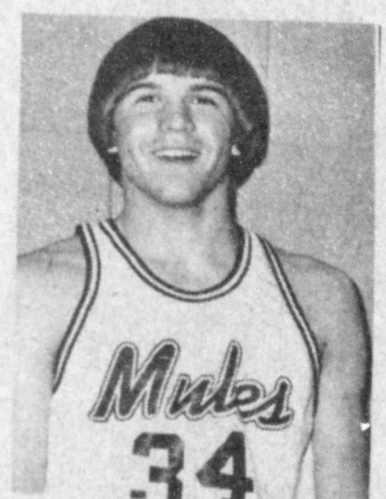
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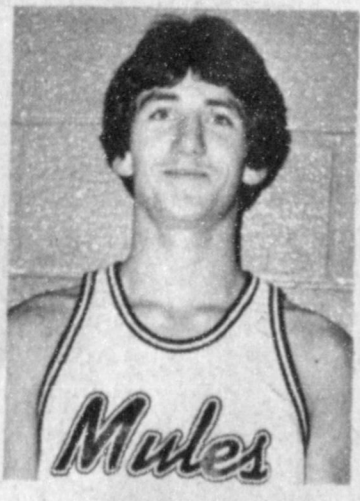
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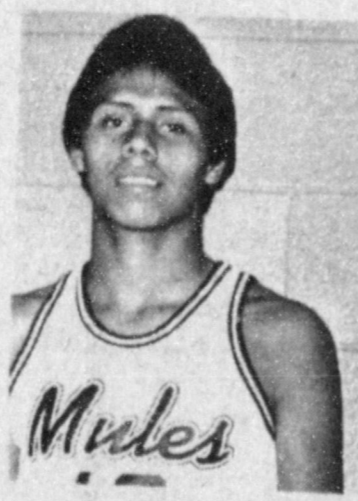
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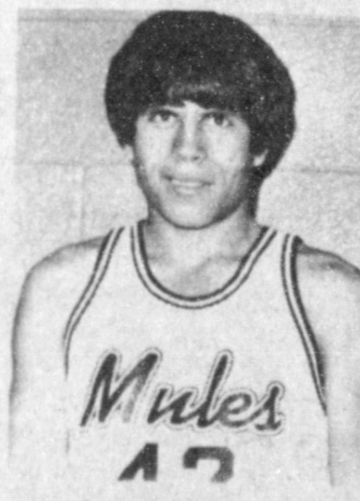
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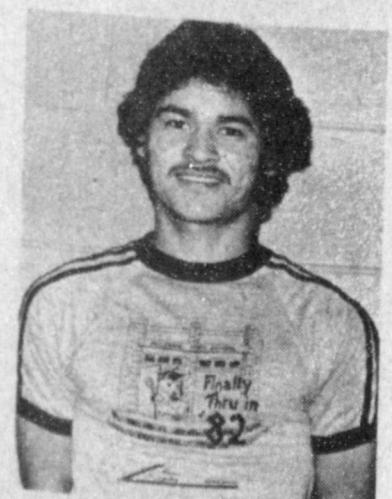
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# Farmers Advised To Look Into Cotton Loan Price

Farmers should look into the matter of putting the cotton into the current government loans, say Cotton Fanning of Plain Cotton Growers, Incorporated. Fanning explains that the farmer has little to lose by doing this since he can withdraw the cotton from the loan in the event prices escalate enough for it to be feasible. If at the end of 18 months, the farmer does not renew his loan, the government takes over and will pay any storage charges and interest accumulated. In the event the farmer does decide to withdraw from the loan, he would, of course, be liable for these charges plus the repayment of the loan price.

The following information is published from an article by Fanning which recently ran in another area paper.

It has come to the attention of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. Lubbock, that some High Plains farmers are selling a portion of their cotton on the cash market for less money than it would bring in the non-recourse government loan.

Incredible? Not really. Under present circumstances, it could happen to anybody.

First, all cotton this year is selling close to the loan price. Second, High Plains buyers generally aren't paying a premium for any cotton stapling over an inch. They are filling orders for inch and below cotton, they explain, and gain no price advantage by delivering the longer staples.

But the loan price for strict low middling light spot cotton stapling 1-1/16 inches (42-34) is 49.35 cents a pound, 4.05 cents per pound more than the 45.30 cent loan price of the same grade stapling only an inch.

Also, when sold in the cash market the merchant deducts about 85 points to



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cover storage and loading out charges, a charge that isn't made on cotton going into the loan.

Any seller of a single bale of 42-34 cotton who is offered 44.35 cents per pound would recognize that he could get over \$20 more for that bale by going to the loan. But High Plains cotton isn't sold a bale at a time or in even running lots.

Its sold in mixed lots that may have 100 or more bales that staple an inch or less and five, 10, 15, or 20 bales longer than an inch.

A buyer, for example, may offer 250 points over the loan for the entire lot. The net producer payment, after subtracting the 85-point storage and loading charge, of course, is only 165 points over the loan level.

And a close inspection of the recap will often show that the physical price being paid for bales stapling above an inch is not 165 points over the loan level for that staple length but 165 points over the one-inch loan rate, which, in fact, is well below the true loan value of those bales.

Some producers sell their cotton in this manner because it is a little more convenient to dispose of the whole lot in a single sale, and often they may go away feeling "Cheated."

But both PCG officials and even some cotton buyers suggest a better way. Producers, they say, should get an offer on the cotton in a lot that staples an inch or less, figure what they can get in the loan for

cotton over an inch, then compare the total with what the buyer offers for the whole lot.

Under current market conditions many growers will be surprised, says PCG president Gary Ivey of Ralls, to find they can increase total current income by going to the loan with their better cottons and at the same time reserve the right to sell their equity in those cottons should the opportunity present itself later.

Ivey also emphasizes that the government loan is a non-recourse loan, meaning that if prices during the loan period do not rise enough to cover interest and carrying charges the farmer is under no obligation to redeem the cotton and pay those charges.

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# Letters To Santa



Dear Santa-  
I want some boots and some trucks that races. Larry want a bike, Tammy wants a doll and a baby crib. Sammy want some cars and a police. I want a bike too- Sammy and Tammy a bike.  
Love  
Jerry Berry

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want some tennis shoes for Christmas. I want a Star Trek Model and Darth Nadar and a magic hat and a magic wand. My baby brother wants a little car.  
Love  
Reggie Jaramillo

Dear Santa  
I want play kitten and a Munchy Mouth Monkey and a doll and a Barbie.  
Love  
Kristina Soto

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want the Dukes with the Police.  
Love  
Frank Guzman

Dear Santa Claus-  
I love you- I want a race set and a train set and a new tricycle. That's all I want.  
Love  
Chanse Bruns

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want some magic clothes so I can be invisible and some to make me fly. I want a big motorcycle and a magic case. I want some magic clothes so I can turn into anything. I love you.  
Jarrod Little

Dear Santa  
I want a Merry-go-round Stroller and I can't remember the rest- I think a Baby Laugh and Cry and that is all.  
Love  
April Franklin

Dear Santa-  
I want just any kind of doll you want me to have. I want a play chair and desk. I want a whistle.  
Love  
Linda Berry

Dear Santa  
I want a Snoopy with a red nightgown and a little red hood on with a little red ball on the top of the hood. Luke want a little wagon.  
Love  
Leah Bruns

Dear Santa Claus,  
My name is Jason Barrett. I am 4 1/2 years old. I've been writing to you ever since I've been here. And I still have those two bratty sisters that boss me around. I've tried to be a nice boy, but that's real hard for me!  
For X-mas this year I want a toy motorcycle, The Dukes of Hazzard General Lee Car with Bo & Luke, Tonto, cars, airplanes, and some Star Wars toys.  
I guess this is all since my mom told me I had to stop. Please give Aunt Dana, Uncle B.J. & Uncle Rickey a toy for X-mas.  
We will leave you some apples & oranges out for you to eat. We bought them from our cousin Michael.  
Merry X-mas!  
Love,  
Jason Barrett  
P.S. I love my "Mimi", "Poppy", Grandma & Grandpa!

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want a Christmas Tree- and some toys.  
Love  
Chelton Patel

Dear Santa Claus-  
Would you get me some oys. Robert, my baby brother, wants ome boots, my mom wants a ring and dad wants some britches.  
Love  
Justin Gardner

Dear Santa Claus-  
A dolly, a rocking chair, a baby bed- that's what I want for Christmas.  
Love  
Christina Villarreal

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want a bike like the Dukes and my little brother Jessie wants a bike. I don't know what my dad wants.  
Love  
Freddie Esquibel

Dear Santa-  
I wish it was Christmas. Please bring me some make-up and a doll that you think I would like. I would like a refrigerator, stove, dishes and table. That's all I can get for Christmas.  
Love  
Brenna Wheeler

Dear Santa-  
I love you- I want some colors and a coloring book, a kitchen, a Herbie and a little house.  
Love  
Christy Garcia

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want a football and a yellow bike and that's all I want.  
Love  
Simon Chavez

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want a football suit, shoulder pads and a helmet.  
Love  
Roy Perez

Dear Santa-  
I love you Santa Claus- I want a coloring book, a Barbie Doll and a little desk. I don't know what my sister Monica wants.  
Love  
Amy Pacheco

McShane wants a Chips helicopter, trucks, and Fisher Price Heliport. Please Santa would you try to get these gifts for them? Also, would you please tell Torrie & McShane that we all love & miss them very much and that we hope to see them real soon? (Thank you!)

Now, as for myself, all I want is a gun & a Electric Motorcycle and 3 trucks & a Movie Camera. My mommy & Daddy said that if I'm real good, I might get some gifts and candy in my stocking from you! Is that true Santa? I sure do hope so. Cause I've been working real hard to be good.

Also Santa, would you please bring my Daffy a Atari video Cassette game? Then we'll all have something to play with when the snow finally gets here, and we can't go outside to play. My mommy wants a new pair of Nurseing shoes; Cause she's worn her's out working in water so much. My Grandmam & Grand-paw Free would like for you to bring them a new bed for my Uncle Lance, cause his old bed is to short for him. My Great Grandmam & Great-Grand-paw Davis only want two things for Christmas, and that is some time off from working at the Garage. And peace & harmony. As for my Pa Pa Elmer Davis, he want some time off of work so that he can go to Louisiana to see Torrie & McShane. And Theresa wants a stereo for Christmas- so she can listen to her gospel albums. So Santa, could you please try & bring- them what they need for Christmas? Something else Santa, My Daddy Steve- would like for you to put me in his stocking- so he can have me with him on Christmas day this year. But moma said that- you didn't have a big enough stocking. So I'd just have to wait & fly on a plane. My Grandmam Pos-

ton what some money- for Christmas so we can buy a new car. And my Grand-paw Poston wants my Moma to let me have that new BB gun that- he bought me, for his Christmas present. But she says I'm still to little for it. And that I have to wait till I big before- I get a real gun like that.

Santa, I have one more thing to ask- you before I go, If you pass by Gods house could you please tell Jesus Happy Birthday- And ask god to watch over all my family- and friends? P.S. and Santa please- Don't forget to put a new battery in- Rudolph's nose or his light might go out- and you might get lost.

Also, my Mommy helped me write you this- letter cause I'm to little to spell. And I Know this is along letter Santa But I love my family and I want them all to be remembered. Thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule, just to read my letter. God Bless you Santa! I love You!  
Love,  
Timothy Roy Owen Poston  
423 West 6th St.  
Muleshoe Texas

Dear Santa Claus,  
I love you- I want a baby doll for Christmas. I want a Barbie Doll swimming pool and a Barbie Doll and I don't know what else.  
Love  
Emily Harris

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want a Barbie Doll, some shoes, some socks, new pants and a shirt and kitchen things.  
Love  
Ofelia Martinez

Dear Santa Claus  
Please bring me a Superman, a Bugs Bunny, a Batman, and Robin also Dukes of Hazzard.  
Love  
Robert Jaime

Dear Santa-  
I want a farm set, a football and a lollipop dragon and a play Santa Claus and a play watch and a Big Bird Clock and Shelley wants a Twin Barbie and I think she want a slide to go with the Barbie and a play table.  
Love  
Casey Elliott

Dear Santa Claus-  
I want a green silk jacket a Ken doll, a baby Barbie Doll. Daddy wants a knife and I don't know what mommy wants.  
I love you Santa Claus  
Love  
Wendi Carpenter

Dear Santa  
I am 7 years old. Please bring me a bike and a football I have been a little good.  
Love  
Joe

Dear Santa  
I want a bicycle and some Strawberry Shortcake stuff. I'd like a Jack-in-the-box. and another doll. Thanks for all Christmas things.  
Amanda St. Clair

Dear Santa Claus-  
I love you Santa- please bring me a baby that cries and a Cut and Grow Doll. One of my brother wants a race track and I don't know what my other brother wants. My mommy and daddy don't want anything.  
Love  
Amanda Clements

Dear Santa-  
I wanted something for Christmas but I can't remember what it was- I also want a Betty Crocker oven. I want a real kitten.  
Love  
Courtney Tanksley

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a team america  
Love  
Robby

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a suit of the greatest american hero  
Love martin

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a basketball and ball.  
Love Mike

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I would like to have sunny Bunc Partitioned Wall Board, a speak & spell, Sears writer 4, and electronic toy cash register  
Thank you!  
Tisha Young  
4th grade

Dear Santa,  
Hi my name is Anna Jaramillo and I am 10 years old and in the fourth grade My teachers name is Mrs. Costen. I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas Sanata what I want is a set of barbies and some uno cards. I am now going to tell you what my family wants. My dad want a pool table. My mom want a camera. And my sister wants a fresh 'n fancy. My Brother wants a racetrack. My other Brother wants the same thing. My other sister wants a strawberry shortcake. My little brother wants anything.  
Anna Jaramillo

Dear Santa,  
I want some skates for Christmas and I want them to a stop so will you please get me some or if you do not find some skates. I would like a bike so will you please get me a bike. I like bikes so I would not be walking all the time. and I want a typewriter and a barbie dolls and electric watch black broad too and sorry game and a jump rope. But what I want best is the bike and electric watch.  
Angelita Arrendondo

Dear Santa,  
I want a bigtrack and atari and football and a Dallas cowboy football suit and a race car track and cars and a train seat.  
Cooper Black

Dear Santa,  
I want a motorcycly and a usi electric truck and football and a baseball net and baseball and football net and a kickintee and a new bat.  
Charlie Reyna  
1103 W Ave B

Dear Santa,  
I am 9 years old and in fourth grade. I want an Atari game set with a space invaders cartridge for it. A clue game. A Golden dream barbie and barbie dream house with furniture. A wallet with a place to put your pictures in. And a stereo or a camera or a telephone any kind of stuffed animal a game machine called Blip and a game called electronic battelship.  
Kimberly Harris  
1915 West Avenue D

Dear Santa,  
I want a pair of roller skates and jewelry, games clothes an old fashion doll barbie doll clothes a backpack nail polish cherry tip gloss chapstick 4 tiny smurfs boots sandals and match box dolls a watch that plays music.  
Christy Rae Self  
336 Avenue K

Dear Santa,  
I want a black overalls and a watch, a atheletic basketball and some games like, pay-day, sorry, connect four, perfection. Electronic Touchdown and some jewelry. and some strawberry shortcake, and Berry Wear Doll, and atari, space invaders, and my 10 speed.  
Elizabeth Garcia  
224 W. 8th  
4th Grade

Dear Santa,  
I want a new pink dress. I want a pretty purse. I want a sachel to carry my books in. I want a new jewelry box. I want a new coat. I want a bed spread. I want a radio. I want a skirt and top. I want a new clipboard I want a new sweater I want a new book. I want a stapler. I want a calculator. I want some barettes. I want a set of markers. I want a little booshelf. I want some new sandals. I want a pencil holder. I want a pair of blue and white roller skates.  
The End  
Robbie Garrison

Dear Santa,  
I want a Galaxian 2 and Sporty tote bag. I want a stuffed Snoopy and Stawberry Shortcake. I want want a ring. I want a Golden dream barbie. I want a pair of boots. I want a mondhie chie.  
Terri Whitecotton  
903 West 8th

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have atari and a "Trans an" and a play truck and to have some little hot wheels and a race track that trucks go on it.  
Brett Pylant  
503 West 5th

Dear Santa  
I want a truck that races a tree, a car racer, a cowboy and indian set with horses, some tinkor toys, some blocks, one racer truck for my brother Juna, some gloves, toys, the David Monster toy, some air-planes and a medicine airplane man, some pigs, a car that the door will open and a nice place, some big trucks, a man on a motorcycle some birds and a farm and some cows, a bike with mickey mouse, a little turkey with a little boy to love him, some little lockers, one boy having a coat with it raining, a little boy to go with the car, some puzzles some marching boys, long ranger and tonto, duke's car 2 motorcycles with a road, and a policeman on the dukes of hazzard, another car for my brother, one little boy doll, elephants, one little boy that wants to be big, a little paddle, one chicken with a little chich one little egg, bugs bunny with a lot of eggs, some toy water, some little bells and a little christmas tree, a truck with a little truck in back, a little santa claus to go in the sky, a little tger, some tennis shoes, a goat a little tree on a farm, a little boat, one dog to stay in the house, some frogs in the water. I want to tell Santa that a little boy eats at school, a little basket, a rope, a little train, one little boy little to play baseball. That's all. I want a football.  
Daniel Madrid

Dear Santa  
I want some toys, a football, and Indian hat, a cowboy hat, a tree. That's all.  
Bharatbhai Patel

Dear Santa  
I want an arobics cube and a bike.  
Catherine Espinoza

Dear Santa  
I want some clay, a star, an apple, a banana, a horse, a cow, a rabbit, a red fire.  
Nati Fuentes

Dear Santa,  
Dear Reindeer, I want a dukes of hazzard and a motorcycle with a road on it.  
Timothy Flaharity

Dar Santa  
Hi I love you. I would like a barbie house, a play kitchen, a stroller with a tepee toes dolls, and a horn to play outside. Also a sharpener. I have alot of toys at home. Some make-up and a snowman like Jackie's.  
Meagan Morris

Dear Santa  
I would like a train.  
Jesse Gonzales

Dear Santa  
I want a racing tracks, toys, a dump truck, cars.  
That's all  
Jr. Lozano

Dear Santa  
I want a doll.  
Nora Alfaro

Hi Santa Claus,  
I want a nut cracker soldier. I need another football, because my other one got run over. Also a baseball bat because I don't have one. I'd like a football suit and I don't know what else except one more thing- an electric airplane.  
Thank you,  
Gage Angeley

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a 4 by 4. (It's a little car like Chad has) I want a motorcycle. I need a Houston Oiler sleeping bag I've been good. Thank you.  
Brian Box

Dear Santa Claus,  
I think I want another big train (the other one didn't work) I want one package.  
Thank you,  
Troy Maxwell

Hi Santa Claus,  
You know the one that's cut off at the neck and you curl the hair and put on make up it's a girl, that's what I want. My mother will get more make up for it. I'd like a baby dolly.  
Goodbye,  
Casie Dodd

Dear Santa,  
I want a basketball with a basketball goal and a bike, a dallas cowboy bike. I also want star wars people.  
Bye,  
Chad Montgomery

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want Star Wars and a 10 speed. I told you at the Parade that I wanted a motorcycle and a race car set and a motorcycle set. I forgot to say the Star Wars when I saw you.  
Thank you,  
Troy Watson.

Dear Santa Claus,  
I didn't get to tell you at the Parade. i want a race car set and a motorcycle set and star wars. I want a saw that's green to cut trees to help PaPa. I like to help him!  
Thank you.  
Charles Villarreal

Dear Santa,  
I want a dollie that wets and cries and that's all.  
Thank you  
Phoebe Gomez

Dear Santa,  
I want a dress for Christmas, A shirt for my daddy, and I want another doll and shoes and a baby carriage.  
Raquel Baeza

I love Santa Claus.  
I want a Dukes of Hazzard T-shirt. I like Dukes of Hazzard. I want a Mickey Mouse dolly. I might het one of those houses that has a living room, and a dining room and a kitchen and a bed room. I want a tape recorder. I want a deal that flashes on the door to see comedies. I just Thank you for being Santa Claus.  
Shane Schuster

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a Tip Toe Doll and a Merry-go-round stroller and Mr. Pop and a Pretty Cut and Grow. (Her hair gros back) I want a bike.  
Thank you fof giving me toys.  
Stacy Duncan

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Star War figure.  
Love Lenny

Dear Santa  
I am 7 years old. I have been good. Will you please bring me a football and a socker ball.  
Love Alfredo

Dear Santa  
Please bring me a bikde I am 7 years old and I have been good  
Leve Johnny

Dear Santa:  
my name is Ricky I am 7 years old. I want a bike and a wagon.

Dear Santa  
Santa I want a Big wagon. I want toys. I want a truck. I want a tractor  
My name is Cody Lane I am 8 I been very good

Dear Santa:  
My name is Misty and I am 7 years old. I want a dolly. I will leave you Some coffee.  
Love Misty stringer

Dear Santa  
My Name is Martin I am 7 years old. Please bring me a truck and a bike.  
Love Martin

Dear Santa  
Will you please bring me a nurses Kit and a pot maker and a Pretty Cut and Grow  
Love Ammie

Dear Santa  
My name is Elpidio I am 8 years old Please bring me football and two cars  
Love: Elpidio

Dear Santa  
I am 8 years old Please bring me a bike and one for my baby brother I have been good  
Love Norma

Dear Santa  
I am 9 years old Please bring me a big and little bike for my brother. I have been good.  
Love, Lisa coleman

Dear Santa  
I want a bike please I am 7 years old I have been good Also please bring me a football.  
Love Marcos

Dear Santa  
I want a pretty doll for my sister. Also a three wheeler. I am 7 years old.  
Love Jeff Rey

Dear Santa  
I am 7 years old Please

bring me a air jammer road rammer  
Love Michael

Dear Santa  
I am 7 years old Please bring me a hot wheels and a Dukes car race track  
Love Jorge

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a car that is black.  
Love,  
Oscar Olivias

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll, that can play.  
Love,  
Patricia Franco

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a car that is orange. I want a gun. And a motorcycle.  
Love,  
Miguel Mendoza

Dear Santa,  
I want a dolly, a ball, a box with kitty cats. A car.  
Love,  
Jobi Martinez

Dear Santa,  
I want a car and a gun, I want a race car. That's all.  
Love,  
Joe Garcia

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll.  
Love,  
Gloria Mendoza

Dear Santa,  
I want a truck that comes with horses.  
Love,  
Enrique Estrada

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a doll with a bottle and some clothes. And a baby bath and shampoo.  
Love,  
Irma Fuentes

Dear Santa,  
I want a big doll that cries and a book for the doll.  
Love,  
Rocio Canales

Dear Santa,  
I want a purse.  
Love,  
Astrid Guardiola

Dear Santa,  
I want some toys- a doll That's all.  
Love,  
Rebecca Sanchez

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a dolly, and a car for my brother. And a box to play with.  
Love,  
Gregoria Marrufo

Dear Santa,  
I want a little truck, and a semi-trailer truck.  
Love,  
Raymond Ortega

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll, and a little chair, and that's all.  
Love,  
Margarita Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll that crawls and some dishes and clothes for the doll, bottles, shoes, for the doll.  
Love,  
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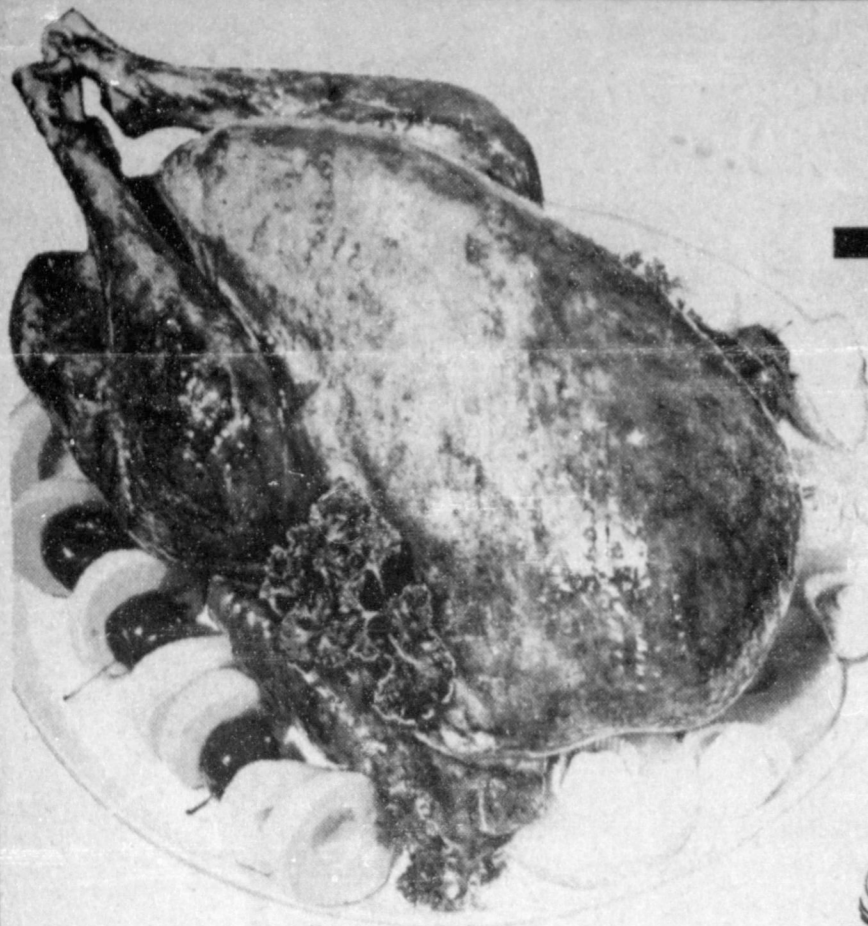
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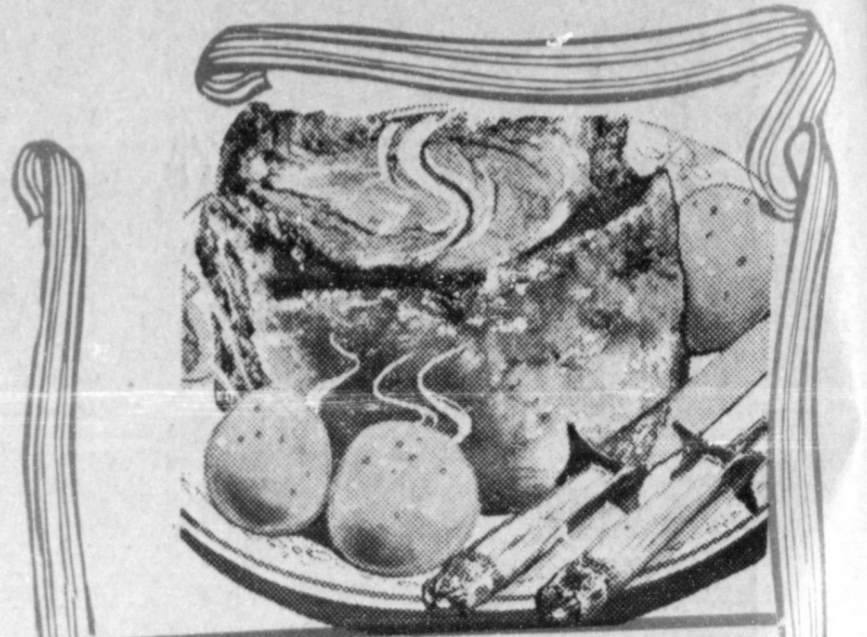
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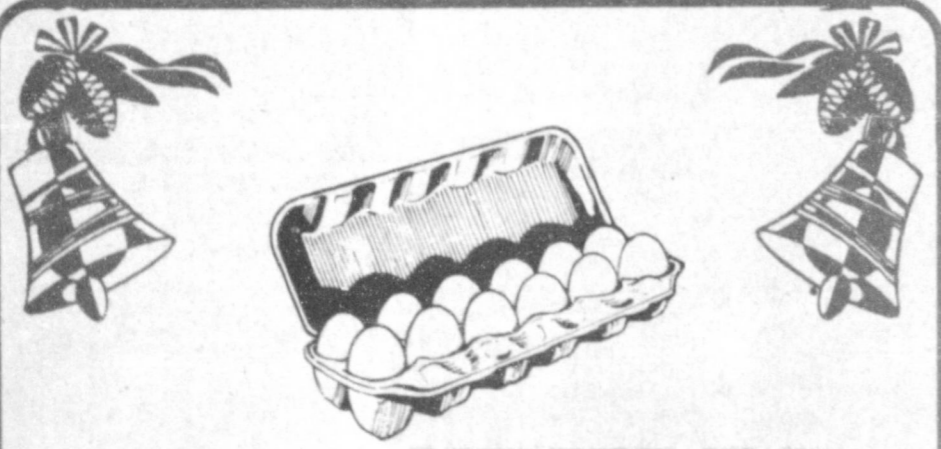
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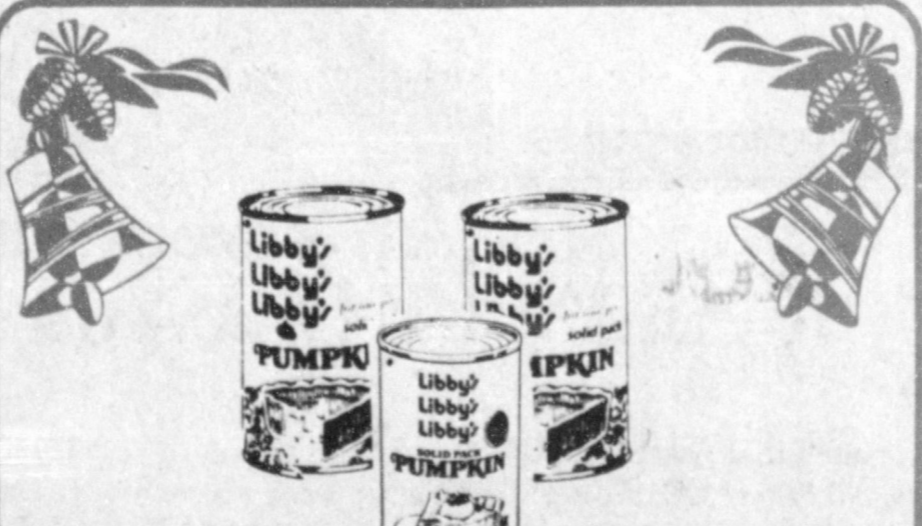
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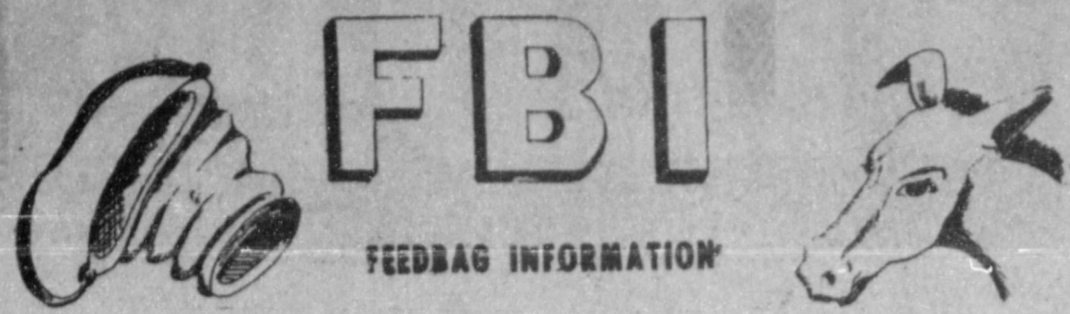
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## At Muleshoe Junior High



# American Folk Lore Studied

Students in sixth grade reading recently studied American Folklore. As one part of their study, students were assigned to rewrite a fairy tale, telling the story from the opposite viewpoint. Chosen as the best story was the following, written by Jennifer Green, Sawnya Branscum, and Sue Haire.

One day while I was enjoying a good meal of fried chicken, mashed potatoes, and hot rolls, I noticed a small speck climbing into my plate. Thinking it was some kind of bug, I flicked it off the table. Not giving it another thought, I asked my wife to get me my magic harp. While my harp was still playing for me, I fell asleep.

A strange smell woke me up from my nap. Recognizing the smell, I cried out, "Fe fi fo fum, I smell the blood of an Englishman!"

I noticed that my harp was missing. Just then, I saw the strange speck running out the door with it.

### 7th Mules

### Defeated

The 7th grade Mules basketball team traveled to Littlefield to face the tough Wildcats Monday, December 7th. The final score of the hard fought basketball game was 20-48, Wildcats.

The high pointers for the Mules were Norman Perez, Darren Albertson, Roger Pena, and Steve Neptune, each having a score of 4 points. The second high pointers were Roy Ramos and Sidney Lewis with 2 points each.

(Now to be a big 50 foot giant like me, to see a little speck running out the door with your magic harp is quite a surprise.)

Now for a few days, the little speck kept returning and stealing my valuable possessions, including my hen that lays golden eggs

### Annual Staff News

The annual staff is having a signature page again this year. You can sign your name for 25 cents. The page looks really neat in the annual, so come by room 22 at ten after twelve any day this week. Get your signature in before it's too late.

Speaking of the annual staff, we are working fast and furiously, since pictures are coming in every day.

The eighth grade Mulettes are getting off to a great start. They are two and 0. Good luck on a great season.

Is everybody ready for the Christmas holidays? I surely am, and I hope that everybody has a great holiday. The eighth grade Student Council members put up the Christmas tree last Thursday. It really looks great in the Hall.

Monday, the seventh and eighth grade girls and boys played Dimmitt. The girls played there while the boys played here.

Let there be peace, that most precious gift, this Christmas, 1981, and let it be so throughout 1982.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

and my bag of gold.

The next day, as I was returning home from chopping wood, I heard my wife whisper, "Hide behind this pan, Jack!" When I walked into the kitchen, I saw a head peek around from behind a pan. I reached for the little twirp, but he eluded me and shimmied down the table leg. I chased him out of the house, down the road, where he looked like he disappeared into the ground.

When I reached the spot in the road where he disappeared, I saw a strange plant growing out of the ground, and I started down after Jack. When I was half way down what turned out to be a beanstalk, I saw Jack with an axe, chopping down the beanstalk. Before I knew what was happening, I was falling to earth. I landed with a boom. Everyone thought that was the end of me. But only I know I discovered an underground city of smurfs and am living with them happily.

### Mulettes Lose To Wildcats

Last Monday, the 7th grade Mulettes lost to Littlefield by a score of 35 to 13.

Debbie Isaac was the high pointer for the Mulettes with 6 points. Shannon Felton was next with 3, followed by Genie Lopez and Leah Bell, who tied with 2 points each. The Mulettes rebounded 5 times and had 2 steals. They made 4 free throws. Come out and support the Mulettes.

# MJHS Spotlight Bilingual Classes

Spotlighted this week at Muleshoe Jr. High is the sixth grade Bilingual class, taught by Mrs. Ruth Page, aided by Mrs. Hope Gonzales. This class is to meet the needs of the students who do not read and understand the English language as quickly as their grade level as is needed. This is a self contained room where all subjects are taught to students with limited ability to speak the English language. Mrs. Page commented, "We have a small group, so Mrs. Gonzales, the aide and I can work with each individual as his needs arise."

We have only two students that do not use the English language as the primary language. We are delighted with the progress they are making in speaking and understanding the English language.

In our room we are teaching the students how to study by pointing out

### Mules Fall To Littlefield

The 8th grade Mules went to Littlefield Monday December 7 to play the Littlefield Wildcats. The Wildcats were seeking revenge after falling to the Mules, Saturday, in the Muleshoe Tournament.

The Wildcats took an early lead of 12-0 and through the first half were under control. In the second the Wildcats increased their lead and the game 50-31.

High pointers were Jay Stovall with 11 points and Lester Burks with 8 points. David Vela had 4 points, Loy Triana had 3 points, Monte Horne and Scott Calvert had 2 points and Jarrod had 1 point. The Mules next game is here, December 14, against the Dimmitt Bobcats.

what to look for and why as they study the different subjects. We are trying to get them to think and to figure out the unknown. We stress the importance of reading, learning math and how to speak and write the English language as these are used in their daily lives.

Materials presented to the students to help them understand the subject matter are maps, films, tapes and the System 80, as well as text books.

We are encouraged with the improvement that the students are making in their attitude toward each other and life in general. The study habits are improving, and they show pride in their work when they have done a good piece of work.

### Mulettes Tame Wildcats

This past Monday the 8th grade Mulettes played the Littlefield Wildcats and won 26-15. Brenda Ellis was high pointer with 7 points. Julie Sanders, Nina Sandoval, and Meishelle Logsdon were second with 6 points.

The lead of the ballgame bounced back and forth between the Mulettes and the Wildcats throughout most of the ballgame. In the fourth quarter, the Mulettes took control of the game to win.

The Mulettes appreciate your support. The next game the Mulettes play will be against Dimmitt there.

### Three Way News By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Millasa Green from Shallowater is visiting her grandparents, the Jack Furgesons.

Three Way high school football team played Texline Friday night on the home field with Three Way winning the game. Three Way has won 8 games out of 9.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson was in Lubbock to play for the senior citizens dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Long and daughter from Amarillo, visited the S.G. Longs this weekend.

Farmers are busy pulling cotton and harvesting the grain crops. Gins in the community are all ginning some cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson played for a senior citizen dance in Portales Saturday night.

Mrs. Bulah Toombs visited her daughter, the Bob Vinsons in Morton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Henrich from Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, the Bobby Foley family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nelson from Seagraves spent the weekend visiting her sister, the Robert Kindles.

Mr. and Mrs. S.G. Long visited Mrs. H.W. Garvin Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Bulah Toombs spent Sunday in Morton with her daughter, the Bob Vinsons.

Mrs. Rayford Masten Spent Wednesday in Whit-harrel visiting her daughter, the James Pollards.

Several of the Three Way 4H girls were in the sew and cooking competition in Muleshoe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sower were in Lubbock Thursday on business.

The Enochs Methodist church had lunch at the church Sunday. Visitors were Debby Green from Muleshoe and Carolyn Snitter from Lubbock.

Farmers have been very busy the past week pulling cotton. Gins are running 24 hours a day.

Mrs. Bill Davis and children from Arch, N.M. and Jean Piercy from Lubbock visited their brother and family the Jack Reeves Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson spent Thursday and Friday in Lubbock with their daughter the Tommy Durhams.

Mrs. Joe Wheeler visited in Levelland Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Fred Carter.

Mrs. Bobby Kindle and girls spent the weekend in Roswell with her mother, Mrs. J.T. Lemons.

Some people always sigh in thanking God. -E.B. Browning.

Dinner guest in the Bill Dupler home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dupler and Susan from Andrews, Mr. and Ms. Hugh Dupler from Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dupler from Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs.

Jerrel Layton from Enochs, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Dupler and baby from Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dupler and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dupler and baby and Mrs. Minnie Dupler all from Maple.

### West Plains Medical Center Report

ADMITTED  
Dec. 10, Willie Carothers, Sabrina Loffin, Andrea Wallace, Heneretta Ruiz, Sean Shipman, Thurman Bartlett

Dec. 11, Wesley Foster, Ashlee Longo, Henry Hittinga, Hilda Wright, Carroll Redwine, Ruth Marie Arndt, Gibson Milburn, Brandon Hall, Orpha Bartley

Dec. 12, Winnie Berry, Viola Baylets  
Dec. 13, Walter Sebring, Evalyn Wicker, Blanche Awbrey, Harry Jesko, R.D. Dale

Dec. 14, Marie Spears

DISMISSED  
Dec. 10, Charlotte Campbell, Pecos Chumley, Louva Kersey, Bonnie Green, Willie Copeland

Dec. 11, Ruth Nowell, Rosa Toscano, Emmitt Dean

Dec. 12, Fred Horner, Brandon Hall, Andrea Wallace

Dec. 13, Brenda Griggs, John Seid

Dec. 14, Evalyn Wicker, Carrol Redwine, Marie Arndt, Holly Millasp

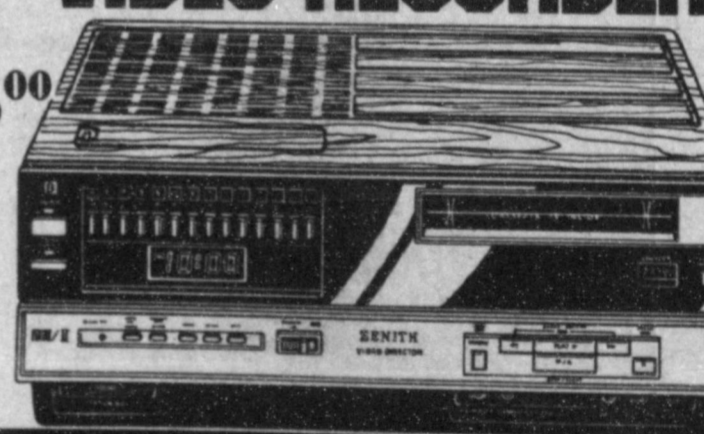
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said you would have me  
walking in a month."  
"Good, I'm glad to hear  
that."  
"Yeah, I had to sell my  
car when I got your bill."

Expert  
As the FBI agent passed  
through the village he noted  
amazing evidence of target  
shooting. There were num-  
berless bull's-eyes on fences  
with a bullet hole exactly  
through the center. He  
wanted to meet the marks-  
man and was introduced to  
the village idiot. "How do  
you shoot like that?" he  
asked.  
"Easy," was the answer.  
"I shoot first and draw the  
circle afterward."

No Good At All  
Mrs. Smith-dear, did you  
notice the handsome fur coat  
worn by the young lady in  
front of us in church today?  
Mr. Smith-No, I'm afraid  
I didn't. I was doing most of  
the time.  
Mrs. Smith-Hub, a lot of  
good it does you to go to  
church.

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By April Rhodes  
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**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATE OF W. MURL STEVENSON, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of W. Murl Stevenson, Deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 14th day of December, 1981, in the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered, in the county

below named, are hereby required to present the same to me at the address below given, before suit upon same are barred by the general statutes of limitations, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is 323 West Avenue J, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

Dated this the 14th day of December, 1981.

Bessie Mae Stevenson (s)  
Bessie Mae Stevenson,  
Executrix of the Estate of  
W. Murl Stevenson,  
Deceased, No. 1479, in the  
County Court of  
Bailey County, Texas.

15-51t-1tp

### Card of Thanks

The family of R.D. Gilliland wishes to express our many thanks to our many friends for the food, flowers & prayers during the loss of our loved one. A special thanks to Dr. Parry, Dr. Allgood and the nurses at the hospital. May God bless you all.

Mrs. Edith Gilliland, Mr. & Mrs. Bud Gilliland & Family, Wayne & Tamara Gilliland, Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Gilliland & Family, Mr. & Mrs. John Stevens & Family, Mr. & Mrs. Tony Jones & Family, Mr. & Mrs. J.R. King & Family

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I want a football and some guns, and a little car and that's all.  
Love,  
Jaime Barron

Dear Santa,  
I want a Little doll. With a Little pushing crib. The tippy toe doll, too  
Thank you, Santa  
Cipi Torres  
3 grade Mrs Oliver

Dear Santa,  
I want some toys, a truck with a horse trailer and a horse, and a dump truck.  
Love,  
Antonio Cruz

Dear Santa,  
I would like a motorcycle and a racetrack for Christmas. I want to have a construction Set.  
love  
Billy Mowery

Dear Santa,  
I want a slave one. I want a race car and race track. I want an air jammer road rammer. I want a rubix cube.  
Thank you. I will leave you some cookies and milk.  
from Damon Parker  
8 years old  
third grade

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a real baby puppy and some skates size 13 and a doll named Tippy toes. Santa I will leave you some cookies  
Thank you  
Love, Yesenia Garcia

From Sammy Berry to Santa,  
Dear Santa, I would like a Bike and a cowboy hat. I would like a tape-recorder. I would also like a puppy and a bag of puppy chow.  
Thank you Santa,  
Sammy Berry

Dear Santa,  
My name is Scotty Long, and I want the Dukes of Hazzard race track. I want a tonk truck and I want the Dallas Cowboys suit.  
Thank you,  
Scotty Long

Dear Santa,  
I want a playhouse and dishes, and a littel horse and lots of toys.  
Love,  
Valentina Rodriguez

Dear Santa,  
I want a dump truck, a play jeep, and a tractor and that' all.  
Love, Marcos Reyes

Dear Santa,  
I want a motor cycle, one I can play with and a truck that carries animals. I want a truck that carries boats and motorcycles, and a truck that has a button so it can go., That's it.  
Thank you and bye,  
Freddy Perez, Jr.

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll, and that's all.  
Love,  
David Olivarez

Dear Santa,  
I want a play school house.  
Love,  
Carlos Torres

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll like Casies', with make up.  
Marlo Hendricks

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll, a cat, That's all.  
Love,  
Joanna Anzaldua

Dear Santa,  
I want a red ball and a car. And a truck. That's all of it.  
Love,  
Salome Cisneros

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll that will work.  
Love,  
Ruby Estrada

Dear Santa,  
I want a red car.  
Love,  
Joel Sigala

Dear Santa,  
I want a Strawberry Shortcake doll. I saw you at the Western Store by my Grandma's house. I want a little Santa Claus coloring book.  
Bye,  
Shawnee Ruthstrom

Dear Santa Claus  
I want you to know what I want for Christmas. I want the Dukes of Hazzard I want a fire set and a farm play toy and a Mr. Potato head. That's all  
Bye,  
Shawn Wheeler

Dear Santa,  
Strawberry shortcake dolls are what I want. Thank you for bringing Christmas things. I'd like a Teddy Bear and the frong part of a choo-choo train. That's my three things.  
Bye,  
Kelli Caldwell

Dear Sanat Claus,  
I want a western Barbie. I want a stuffed animal, maybe a monkey. I'd like a stuffed Santa Claus.  
Thank you  
Michelle Jaramillo

I want a truck that has a button and takes off by itself. I want a bike not a 10 speed. and 1 football and a pick-up and a motor-cycle that has 3 wheels but it's a toy and an airplane. That's all.

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Dear Santa,  
I like you! I want an electric jet that you hold the handles and it flies. I would like a picture of Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer. That's all.  
Americo Aguirre

Dear Santa,  
I want a Barbie car that goes for real. It has batteries. And I want a play house that you can put toys in. I want a flute and roller skates because my are broke. I guess that's all.  
Thank you  
Jenna Glover

Dear Santa,  
I would like a bike a watch and some barrettes a new pair of shoes some new clows and some skets and a baton and eney thang you besize boys stuf like cars after shave and all that stuf you know what I mean Santa. and I thought of some more stuf thet I want some ear rings rings a nelklis purfume and you know the rest the best Santa Claus in The world  
Merry Crstmas!  
Lisa Shaw  
Rt. 2 Box 68

Dear Santa,  
I want a kitten that's not real. I want a barbie (any king) That's all. Thank you.  
Melita Garcia

Dear Santa,  
I want a baby Soft Sound (it acts like a real baby) I want a record player and a radio. And one more thing-moon boots. My brother needs something too. I think he wants a Winnie the Pooh.  
Thank you,  
Brooke Sinclair

Dear Santa,  
I want a racing track. I'd like some little cars. That's all.  
Thank you  
Ernic Perez

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a racing track, and a car that's on the Dukes of Hazzard. I want a bike.  
Thank you  
Mark Garcia

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a motorcycle like the one on Chips.  
Love  
Jessy

Hi, dear Santa,  
I want a doll you take the bottle out of their mouth and they cry, you put it back in and they stop. I want a purse.  
Bye and Thank you,  
Lakisha Morgan

Dear Santa,  
I want a fishbowl with fish. And I want a girl-friend cause I don't have one. I want a dog and cars. And I want atari. And a new bike. And want some candy and toys in my stocking. And my family wants a big Christmas tree. And I want a motorcycle. And a tv for my room.  
David Pedroza  
901 gum str. 8 xc  
4 grade

Dear Santa,  
I want a little car, a gun and that's all.  
Love,  
Rogelio Pacheco

Dear Santa,  
I want a little doll and dishes and that's all.  
Love,  
Oralia Mendoza

Dear Santa,  
I want a little doll and dishes and a table and a baby bed and that's all.  
Love,  
Olga Martinez

Dear Santa,  
I want gloves for Christmas (red ones). I want a dolly and another dolly called Tippy Toes and I guess that's all.  
Thank you,  
Monica Gallegos

Dear Santa,  
I would like a bike a watch and some barrettes a new pair of shoes some new clows and some skets and a baton and eney thang you besize boys stuf like cars after shave and all that stuf you know what I mean Santa. and I thought of some more stuf thet I want some ear rings rings a nelklis purfume and you know the rest the best Santa Claus in The world  
Merry Crstmas!  
Lisa Shaw  
Rt. 2 Box 68

Dear Santa,  
I want a typewriter and a ten speed bike, shoes, and some toys but, what ever you give me I will like it. And I will like some games and clothes.  
I'm 10 yers old and I'm in fourth grade Mrs. Costen is my teacher she is very nice.  
Say Hi to Mrs. Santa and the elves and Dancer Dasher Prancer Vixen, Comet Qupet Doner and Biston specialy will you say hi to Rodofe the red nose reindeer!  
Michelle Gutierrez  
4th grade

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll with blonde hair, ice snowman that you can make snowcones with, I want some make-up, books with things that you can make. That's all I want.  
Jackie Thomas

Dear Santa,  
I want a pair of roller skates and a barbie and I would like some games, and jewelry, and some barrettes all kinds of color, and most of all clothes. And old fashion dolls. and socks and pants. And finger nail polish and chapstick and bubble gum lip gloss. and a baton and some shoes as tennie shoes sandals boots and tops with pictures on it. And a tiptoos doll. And a watch. And a pen for school. You are nice. And I want a new toothbrush and a curling iron.  
Cathy Daniel  
Box 534 Farwell Texas

Dear Santa,  
I want a shopping cart, an oven, a coloring book, a raggedy ann doll, a donald duck coloring book. A bambi book, play santa claus and a drum my brother ? ball and play set.  
Misty Davenport

Dear Santa,  
Hello, I love you, I want a Santa Claus doll, a white horse and an angel doll, frosty the snowman, dukes of hazzard race car and a star wars case, a bionic man doll, batman and robin, wonder woman, spiderman, superman, a superman suit, a batman suit, robin suit, spiderman suit, a turkey suit, frosty the snowman suit, a bat toy, a wind up car. That's all.  
Darrell Henderson.

Dear Santa,  
I would like a gocart, sports tote bag, and blue sport walet, basketball.  
Love,  
Amy Harrison

Dear Santa,  
I would like a motorcycle and a helmet to come with it, and some records like Kenny Rogers and a lot of other records.  
Monty Black  
Rt. 2 Muleshoe

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Dear Santa,  
How are you I am fine could you please bring me a big bicycle and one pair of boots and two pairs pants and shirts? I am 11 years old.  
Hilda Trevizo Midella  
4th grade

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I want a shopping cart, an oven, a coloring book, a raggedy ann doll, a donald duck coloring book. A bambi book, play santa claus and a drum my brother ? ball and play set.  
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shoes and clothes, a coloring book and crayons, a little car, a candel, a little camera. That's all.  
Nicole Alanis

Dear Santa,  
Happy New Year! Give us some presents. I love you.  
Carol Murphy

Dear Santa,  
Come down the chimney I want some dishes, and my brother wants a bike, my mother says my other brother want a duke of hazzard car.  
Lisa Garcia

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike, some toys, some cars, some paints, a watch, some campbell soup and a BB gun that's all.  
Ismael Casanova

Dear Santa,  
I would like a baby. I want some play money That's all  
Misty Murphy

Dear Santa,  
I want a game for Christmas. Also I would like some play money, a little chain, and a play counter, and an indian hat. That's all. I want my sister to have a play house.  
Ronnie Viss

Dear Santa,  
I want a firetruck, a pool table, a fire hat and a santa claus suit.  
Tommy Wolfe



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