

## Santa To Visit In Silverton Friday

The Silverton Young Homemakers have been in touch with Santa Claus at his home at the North Pole and have made arrangements for him to come to Silverton. He will be here Friday, December 22, at 2:30 p.m. on the courthouse square.

Santa said he wants all you little boys and girls to have your Christmas list ready. "See you real soon," he said.

## Sponsors Needed For Pictures

Sponsors are needed to pay for the pictures of the junior high and high school Owls and Owlettes which are now on display in the gymnasium.

If you will sponsor one or more of the pictures, please contact Mary Jane Patton or Shirley Durham.

## Ralls Wins Three Games Here

Ralls journeyed to Silverton last Friday night and won three games from the Owls and Owlettes.

The junior varsity Owlettes lost their match by a 34-21 margin, led in scoring by Scotti Fleming who caged 10 points. Susie Tipton and Katy Francis tossed in four points each, and Shelly Harris added three points.

Owllette JV 5 12 15 21  
Ralls 6 8 20 34

The varsity Owlettes dropped their game, 49-44. Twila Wood led the team in scoring with a 15-point effort, closely followed by Staci Mayfield who tossed in 12 points. Connie Rowell added eight points; Ruegena Davidson, six; Sally Northcutt, two, and Kim Cornett, one point.

Owlettes 8 18 30 44  
Ralls 14 34 40 49

The Owls also lost their game 38-35, after leading much of the time. Paul Brannon and Diji Couch shared the scoring honors with 10 points each. Kyle Bean added eight; Kirk Durham and Earl Jarrett, three points each, and James Alan Patton rang up a point from the line.

Owls 6 26 34 35  
Ralls 6 13 23 38

## Grady Leases Texaco Station

Gary Grady has leased the Texaco Service Station in Silverton, following the retirement of Ashel McDaniel who had operated the station for 15 years.

Grady also has been associated with the station for a number of years.

## INFANT BURIED AT LUBBOCK WEDNESDAY OF LAST WEEK

Shon Harve Masey, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Masey of Lubbock, died December 11 and was buried December 13 in Resthaven Babyland at Lubbock.

The baby was born at the Health Sciences Center in Lubbock December 8. He weighed eight pounds and nine ounces.

Survivors include his parents, Harve and Linda Masey; a nine-year-old sister, Theresa; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Masey, all of Lubbock; great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Seif of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Masey of Roaring Springs and Mrs. Lydia Hammond of Lubbock.

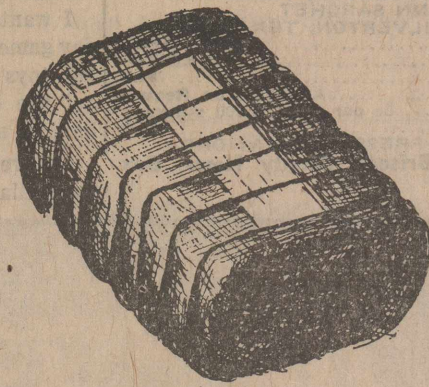
## CHRISTMAS DINNER HELD HERE SATURDAY

The Silverton Young Homemakers had their annual Christmas Dinner Saturday in the P.C.A. community room. A surprise visit by Santa Claus, bearing gifts for the children and husbands, highlighted the evening of fun and games.

Those attending were Vici Baird, Doug, Jeanny and Lance Bradford, Fred, Lois and Staci Hill, Phil, Kathi, Teddy Tom and Stoney Hubbard, Steve, Judy, Tonette and Terry Miller, Orville and Carolyn Turner, Robert, Scott and Christopher Davis, Tobe Riddell and Bobby Gattis.

Mrs. John T. Francis entered Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Sunday and is continuing to receive treatment.

## Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie



# Briscoe County News

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## County Livestock Show Slated Jan. 13

The Briscoe County Livestock Committee met December 13 at 7:00 a.m. in the Silverton vocational agriculture building and discussed plans for the 1979 Livestock Show.

The show will be held on Saturday, January 13, 1979, at the county show barn in Silverton. Judge will be Jerry Hawkins of Clarendon College; announcer, Donnie Martin, and show superintendent, Don Cornett. The livestock show is being sponsored by the Briscoe County Livestock Show Committee.

Classes will include: BARROWS: Light Chester White, Heavy Chester White, Light Duroc, Heavy Duroc, Hampshire, Spotted Poland China and Yorkshire, Crossbred; STEERS: Lightweight and Heavyweight;

LAMBS: Light Finewool, Heavy Finewool, Light Finewool Crossbred, Heavy Finewool Crossbred, Hampshire and Suffolk, Light Southdown, Heavy Southdown; POULTRY and SHOWMANSHIP.

**SCHEDULE FOR SHOW**  
Friday, January 12, 1979: 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.—All livestock must be weighed in and in place.

All superintendents in charge of weighing.

Saturday, January 13, 1979: 9:00 a.m., Poultry Judging, Thomas Perkins, superintendent; 10:00 a.m., Swine Judging, J. E. Patton, superintendent; 1:00 p.m., Sheep Judging, Joe Edd Helms, superintendent; 2:00 p.m., Steer Judging, Harold Edwards, superintendent.

Don Cornett is chairman and Earnest Kiker is secretary-treasurer of the Livestock Show Board of Directors. Members of the board are Joe Brannon, Harvey McJimsey, Stanley Fogerson, J. E. Patton, Harold Edwards, Jerry Baird, Riley Harris, Joe Edd Helms, Donald Hughes, Mabry Greenhaw, David Tipton, Robert Haley Hill, Jerry Patton, Walter Bean, John Thacker, Bennie Reagan, Thomas Perkins, Doug Forbes, Donnie Martin, Joe Ike Clay and Billy Shannon.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

All exhibits will be under the control of the management but the show will in no case be responsible for any damage that may occur.

All steers must be on the show grounds and in place Friday, January 12, 1979. Steer entry fee is \$3.00 per head which must be paid when steer is weighed in Friday.

All sheep and swine must be on the show grounds and weighed in Friday, January 12, 1979. Entry fee is \$1.50 per head for both lambs and barrows. There will be no entry fee for poultry.

Animals must remain on the grounds until all judging is complete, and will be dismissed by superintendent.

All exhibitors must be bonified members of active FFA Chapters or 4-H Clubs in Briscoe County.

All animals must have been the property of the owner and exhibitor throughout the feeding period. Such feeding period shall have begun the reasonable length of time before the show required to give animal sufficient finish for market.

Each exhibitor shall exhibit his own animal and be responsible for its care while on the show grounds, unless otherwise granted permission by the show superintendent.

Each exhibitor may enter no more than three animals in each the steer, barrow and lamb classes.

All bedding for the animals will be furnished by the show; no straw will be permitted.

Animals will be divided into the classes listed following weigh-

in. Anyone wishing to make a donation for the youth of this county is invited to contact any member of the Briscoe County Livestock Show Committee.



LESA FRANCIS

## Miss Lesa Francis Is Winner Of DAR Scholarship

Miss Lesa Francis was presented a Sarah Ross Jarvis scholarship of \$200 with which to continue her education in the nursing profession at the meeting of the Mary McCoy Baines Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution Wednesday, December 13, in Plainview.

Another \$200 will be presented to Miss Francis for her second year of training in the Methodist Hospital School of Nursing.

Miss Francis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Francis of Silverton. An honor student in Silverton High School before her graduation, she maintained a 92.33 average. She has completed 36 hours of prerequisite courses at West Texas State University where she averaged a grade point of 3.5.

Not only an honor student, Miss Francis was DAR Girl, received a Social Studies Award, was chosen Who's Who by the Silverton faculty and Who's Who Among American High School Students.

The scholarship is named for Sarah Ross Jarvis who came to Hale County for the purpose of helping care for her sister's seven children and to assist in the delivery of the eighth one. Because she was needed she remained in Hale County and ministered in a nurse's capacity to many people in their homes before there was a hospital. She lived to be nearly 100 years of age. She was the first registered nurse in Hale County and a member of DAR.

The DAR Chapter began giving the scholarships in 1966.

## Mrs. Nance Hosts Club Christmas Party

Mrs. J. D. Nance hosted the Christmas party for the Southwestern Home Demonstration Club Thursday.

Mrs. C. O. Allard, the Sunshine Girl, brought cards to be signed and sent to the sick among the members.

Christmas gifts were brought and sacked to be delivered to the nursing homes.

In keeping with the Christmas season, Mrs. Nance gave the devotional from Isaiah 9:6, and read a short story, "The Anno Domini." Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald led the group in the THDA Prayer. Mrs. Elton Cantwell read the Club

## CHRISTMAS

by Jennifer Martin

*Christmas is a feeling you get around a certain time of year. This feeling makes you so happy and bubbly. It makes you love everyone and everything. It makes you want to do something special for all those dear people you love.*

*Christmas is a tree with all your traditional ornaments dangling in the blinking colors that make your heart sing. It's climbing the stool to put the star on the top of the tree with your brothers and sisters holding your legs so you won't fall—but you almost do anyway—Then you laugh so hard you DO fall—but you're rescued before you ruin that stately green masterpiece.*

*Christmas is driving up and down the streets with your little nephew to look at all the pretty lights, blinking and twinkling their little hearts out because they're so happy it's Christmas.*

*And Santa Claus in his sleigh, that is "Christmas" to all the little bodies—and the nativity scenes that remind you what Christmas is really about, and adds a little more of that SPECIAL love to your heart. And something in the important part of your insides whispers "Thank you, God."*

*Christmas is going caroling on a trailer of hay and you're so cold your little toes feel like ice cubes, and your voice is frozen and doesn't EVEN have the right tune. But that's okay because it IS coming out, and the singing is from your heart anyway.*

*Christmas is going to the city to shop and getting stuck in a traffic jam and loving every minute of it. The little people get lost from their mothers and a voice comes on the speaker and says, "Little Johnny has lost his mommy and he's wearing a red coat and green socks." And every mommy in the store wonders what color of socks they put on their little person this morning (which was such a long time ago, on this long shopping day). And every eye does a double take to look at all the beautiful decorations the malls spent a fortune on. But they're worth every penny 'cause it adds a little more of that special love to your heart . . .*

*Christmas is getting kissed under the mistletoe after standing casually under it for two hours . . .*

*Christmas is making all that especially pretty candy, and fruitcakes, and pies. And having so much food you'll swear you'll burst any minute.*

*Christmas is those special songs you hear playing in all the stores and in your home and on the streets that put you in a Christmas mood and add a little more of that special love to your heart.*

*Christmas is the anticipation of the little people (and grown ups) of opening all those splendid packages, sitting under the tree just tempting you. And Christmas is the smell that the cedar tree leaves in your house, mixed with the smell of candles and candy and love.*

*Christmas is red and green, and silver bells and gold bells, and chimneys, and the hope for snow. But the snow doesn't really matter 'cause everyone is so excited they forget about it if it doesn't come. Besides, how many Christmases can you remember without snow and how many Christmases can you remember that were good?*

*Christmas is everyone coming home and those at home worrying that some won't make it. But they do, because Christmas is a time to be home.*

*Christmas is the prayer before the feast.*

*Christmas is finding THE RIGHT tree.*

*Christmas is almost forgetting to get Charley a present but remembering just in time. And Christmas is being remembered by someone you forgot long ago. Christmas is getting cards and stringing them up. And Christmas is sending out cards, too, and trying to remember who all you sent them to last year, and how many more to send this year.*

*Christmas is having parties and going to parties 'til you think you can't go anymore.*

*Christmas is the love in your heart that keeps building up and building up, 'til you're so happy you can cry when you open that present you hoped for so much but never thought you'd get.*

*Christmas is leaving cookies and milk out for Santa and trying to catch him in the act—and never being able to. And Christmas is getting up on Christmas morning and unloading your stocking and playing with all those MARVELOUS toys.*

*But what Christmas really is, is the love in everyone's hearts that motivates them to share their lives and their love with everyone else and be one in brotherhood with Christ, whose birthday we are celebrating.*

Creed and Mrs. Allen Kellum read "My Daily Creed."

Mrs. Rex Holt helped with the refreshments.

Mrs. Thomas Perkins will be the club hostess in January, and officers will be installed for 1980.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet visited Saturday in the home of Mrs. J. M. Hill in Tullia. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill, Brad and Brian joined them for lunch at a Tullia restaurant.



CYNTHIA EDWARDS

## Silverton Girl Wins State Contest

Cynthia Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Edwards, won the junior division of the state "Make It With Wool" Contest in San Angelo December 9. She modeled a three-piece dress of wool challis. The blouse and skirt were constructed from a 100% wool print of explosive pinks with a touch of black. The black vest and narrow fringed tie are also of 100% wool.

She will be accompanied to Las Vegas, Nevada January 27 by Mrs.

## Junior 4-H Club Has Meeting

December 13 the Briscoe County Junior 4-H Club had a meeting at the P.C.A. community room. They talked about a skating party December 21. They also talked about stock shows, and when their pigs, sheep and steers would be checked so they could be showed in the stock show.

They saw a film about showing steers, clipping and getting steers ready for showing.

Those present at the meeting were Kerry Baird, Eric Patton, Alesha Patton, Kori Baird, Ron Denton, Shellie Cornett, David Schott, Clay Schott, Scotty Harris, Scott Davis, Cal Brannon, Russell Bingham, Joe Ted Edwards, Stacie Chappell, Jeannita Stephens, Stephen Stephens, Debbie Wadlow, Carman Juarez and Kristy Fogerson. The leaders present were Earnest Kiker and Vicki Bean. They decided our next meeting would be January 10.

Mrs. Charles Sarchet and Mrs. Leo Fleming visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sarchet in Lubbock Friday.

Jord Hollingsworth underwent surgery Tuesday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

L. D. Griffin fell from the roof of his home Friday afternoon as he was putting up Christmas lights, landing on a brick fence. He splintered his left arm from the shoulder to the wrist. It was an open wound, and he was rushed to Tullia for first aid before

## JUNIOR HIGH GAMES CANCELLED BY ILLNESS

The junior high games scheduled Monday night were cancelled due to illness. Absenteeism has been running very high in the Silverton Schools this week, with the local doctor seeing record numbers of students and adults every day.

Olos Chitty is continuing to receive treatment at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tullia, after suffering a heart attack several days ago.

Carl Wayne Woods is undergoing tests this week at the hospital in Canyon.

A. C. Whitworth of Doole, state "Make It With Wool" director, on an expense paid trip to compete for national honors.

Other winners of the state contest were Rebecca Harrison from Lexington, senior division, and Louise Jennings of Menard, adult division.

Miss Edwards won the right to compete in the state contest by winning in District I competition November 18 in Lubbock. Mrs. Ted Sprague, her aunt, and Mrs. Chester Burnett, her grandmother, both of Tullia, accompanied Miss Edwards and her mother to San Angelo.

The purpose of the "Make It Yourself With Wool" Contest is to focus attention on the beauty and versatility of wool; to encourage use of this incomparable fabric or yarn in sewing, knitting or crocheting fashionable garments; to offer young experts the opportunity to compete for valuable prizes and win recognition for their sewing, knitting or crocheting skills.

## PREPARED CHILDBIRTH CLASSES TO BEGIN SOON

The next series of prepared childbirth classes using the Lamaze Method will begin Monday, January 8, 1979 in Tullia.

The classes will be each Monday night from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. for six weeks. They will be taught by Gwyn Shannon, R. N.

For further information and registration in the class call Gwyn Shannon at 995-2831.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cowell were hosts for the Cowell Family Christmas Sunday. Those attending from Amarillo were a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Cowell, Brent and Benita, a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Snider, Todd and Tonya; also Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Henderson, Zane and Wayne, Mrs. Joe Kitchens, Jana, Heather and Brandon, all of Silverton.

being taken to an Amarillo hospital for emergency surgery. The bone was pinned from the elbow to the wrist. He returned home Monday afternoon.



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**Dear Santa**

I want a skateboard and a Pay-day game and a Benji game. I liked my toys last year and don't forget the other girls and boys and have a merry Christmas.

Love,  
 Julia

DEAR SANTA,  
 Would you give me a skateboard, fire truck and a cattle truck.

Thank you for the things you gave me last year.  
 Under the tree there are chocolate chip cookies.

Love,  
 Terry

DEAR SANTA,  
 Would you bring me a blow dryer, curling iron, electronic quarterback.

Thank you for the things you gave me last year.  
 Under the tree there will be chocolate chip cookies and milk.

Love,  
 Tonnette

DEAR SANTA,  
 I am a little girl four years old. I have been as good as a four-year-old can be.

I would like a play stove, Rub-a-Dub Dolly, Tug-Boat Shower, and some play dishes. Thank you for what you brought me last year.

Love,  
 Amy Minyard

DEAR SANTA,  
 I have been good this year. Please bring me a Baby Wet 'n Care, a Barbie, a bike or a kick 'n go, Mr. Mouth, Flat Cat, Pop-up Pinball and a Marching Mickey Mouse.

Missy Minyard

DEAR SANTA,  
 I have tried to be a good boy. I would like a motorcycle and a surprise. Thank you.

Love,  
 Casey Frizzell

DEAR SANTA,  
 I want a Shogun Warrior and a bunch of surprises.

Love,  
 Jamie

DEAR SANTA,  
 My name is Anthony. I am six years old. I would like for you to bring me a blue bicycle, some barbells and a van. I've tried to be good, but you know how six-year-old boys are. Please don't forget all my cousins and friends. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

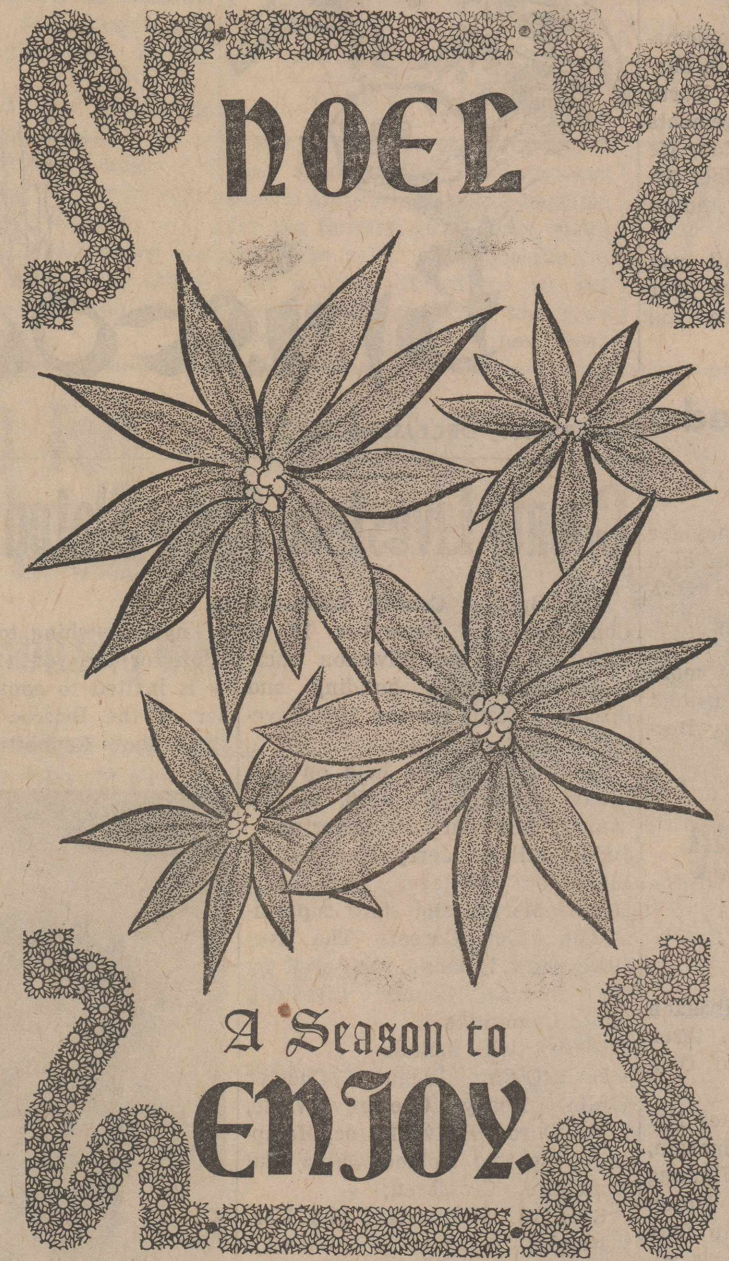
Anthony Minyard



We are singing with joy this holiday season as we extend our best wishes to all of our friends for a happy Christmas.

WE WILL BE CLOSED DECEMBER 24 AND 25

**JERRY'S MALT SHOP**



IT IS OUR WISH THAT YOUR CHRISTMAS WILL BE MOST WARM AND HAPPY.

**Jones Dept. Store**

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SHURFINE PURE 4 OZ.	79c	
EAGLE BRAND 14 OZ.	69c	
CAMPFIRE 16 OZ.	3.51	
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SHURFINE WHOLE 16 OZ.	2.51	
DEL MONTE WHOLE 16 OZ.	3.51	
SHURFINE 17 OZ.	2.89c	
SHURFINE DARK RED 15 OZ.	3.51	
SHURFINE FAMILY SIZE 9 1/2 OZ. CHUNK LIGHT TUNA	89c	
HOLSUM THROWN MANZANILLA 5 OZ.	79c	
SHURFINE WHOLE 16 OZ.	63c	
SHURFINE 18 OZ.	69c	
SHURFINE 18 OZ.	53c	
SHURFINE 38 OZ.	\$1.43	

NESTEA 3 OZ. INSTANT PURE TEA	\$1.99
SHURFINE 60 CT. PAPER NAPKINS	2.39c
SHURFINE 1/2 GALLON BLEACH	49c
1/2 GALLON WISK	\$2.39
CLOVERLAKE WHIPPING CREAM	
SOUR CREAM 1/2 pt.	3 FOR \$1.00
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Shurfine Non-Dairy WHIPPED TOPPING	49c
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SHURFRESH GRADE A TURKEYS lb.	79c
COUNTRY PRIDE GRADE A HENS lb.	69c
BONELESS CHUCK ROAST lb.	\$1.49
STEW MEAT lb.	\$1.49
SHURFRESH BOLOGNA 12 oz. pkg.	89c
SHURFRESH FRANKS 12 oz. pkg.	89c
SHURFRESH FULLY COOKED BONELESS HALF HAMS	\$2.39
SHURFRESH FULLY COOKED 3 LB. COOKED HAMS	\$5.99

**NANCE'S Food Store**



# Merry Christmas

May you share with those you love, the blessings, big and small  
That make this Christmas holiday your brightest one of all.  
And through the year that lies ahead may every day renew  
The Hope and Faith and Happiness that Christmas brought to you.

Fred and Vivone Arnold  
Pokey, Deb, Sally and Jess Arnold  
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Claude and Verna Allison  
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Josephine Anderson  
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Charlsie Arnold  
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Nannie Bomar  
Lula Bellinger  
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The Perry Brunsons  
Luree Burson  
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Tommy and Deb Burson  
Brent and Tammy Brannon  
Johnnie and Dean Burson  
Walter, Bobbye, Brent, Kyle and Casey Bean  
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Jim and Agnes Brooks  
Mildred and Troy Burson  
Bill and Della Boling and family  
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Edwin and Mildred Davis  
Fred, Pat, Tammi and Neal Edwards  
The Harold Edwards  
Myrt Edwards  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Estes  
Ruby Lee and Bryant Eddleman  
Letha Elms  
Mrs. Lucille Eddleman and Mark  
Beulah Evans  
Stan, Lynda, Kristy and Penni Fogerson  
Guinn, Pat, Nanette, Kim and DeLynn Fitzgerald  
Berle and Aloha Fisch  
Jarus, LaTrella, Michael and Kinan Flowers  
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Wayland and Florene Fitzgerald  
Ware and Sylvia Fogerson  
Lynn, Kathy, Jamie and Casey Frizzell

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Allen and Frances Kellum  
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Ashel and Mildred McDaniel  
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Gary, Ramona, Dusty and Vanessa Martin  
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Arthur and Ann McJimsey  
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Jerry and Martha Millhollon  
Daisy Montgomery  
Maxine Morris  
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J. L. and Bettye Ruth Williams, Scotty Roberts and Stella Arnold  
Shorty and Ruth West  
Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wallace  
Aaron and Mary Lane Younger, Gary and Rhett  
The Riley Ziegler family

Those whose names appear on this page extend to you their personal Christmas greetings. They have donated to the L.O.A. Junior Study Club Christmas Greeting fund instead of sending greeting cards locally, and have helped to make possible the purchase of Storm Windows and Doors for the Silverton Senior Citizens Center.



# Miss McDonough Is Shower Honoree

Miss Michelle McDonough, bride-elect of Barry Francis, was guest of honor at a tea and miscellaneous shower from 2:30 until 3:30 Saturday afternoon in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank in Silvertown.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Elton Cantwell and presented to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. John McDonough of Plainview, and to the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Alvie Francis of Silvertown.

Miss Katy Francis of Silvertown, sister of the prospective bridegroom, presided at the registry, securing the guests' signatures in the bride's book.

The refreshment table was covered with a white lace-edged cloth accented with a blue and white centerpiece. Assorted cookies, punch, nuts and mints were served by Miss Becky Francis, a student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock and sister of the prospective bridegroom, and Mrs. Wendell Hardin of Silvertown. Blue rice paper napkins and crystal appointments were used.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Elton Cantwell, Mrs. Earl Cantwell, Mrs. Fred Arnold, Mrs. Lowell Callaway, Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Buck Hardin, Mrs. Wendell Hardin, Mrs. Clifton Stodghill, Mrs. Bob Rauch, Mrs. Charles Sarchet, Mrs. Harold Storie, Mrs. Riley Ziegler, Mrs. Aubrey Rowell, Mrs. Jarus Flowers, Mrs. Joe Brannon and Mrs. J. D. Nance.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Boone McCracken and Mrs. Ralph Carter, grandmother and aunt of the prospective bridegroom and Mrs. Estelle Davidson, all of Quitaque, and Mrs. Alma Monk of Lubbock, another aunt of the prospective bridegroom.

The bride-elect was also honored at pre-nuptial courtesies in Canyon and Plainview.

Miss McDonough was also honored at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Roger Senter at 1310 Seventh Avenue in Canyon on December 7. On November 21, she was honoree at a lingerie shower at the home of Cindy Caswell in Amarillo.

A coffee Saturday, December 2,

and miscellaneous shower honored Miss McDonough in the home of Mrs. J. D. Sams, 800 Canyon, in Plainview, where a color scheme of blue with white prevailed in decorations.

The serving table was draped with a white cloth and held a centerpiece of blue silk cysanthemums and crystal candelabra bearing blue tapers. Serving pieces included an antique silver chafing dish, crystal bowl of fruit, and silver tea service.

Special guests included Miss McDonough's mother and the mother and sister of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Alvie Francis and Miss Becky Francis.

Additional hostesses were Mes. Owen Egger, Hubert Settiff, J. P. Senter, Weldon McCullough, Birt Lane, Lawrence Hughes, Vincent Brittan, Worthy Cantwell, Cleburne Annett, Rickey Sanders, Marion Gion, Wendell Senter, Lawrence Bedwell and David Adams.

The couple will be married December 29.

DEAR SANTA,

Please bring me a race car T.V. and a big football. Thanks for the gifts you brought last year. I have broken most of them, but I had fun.

Mom will have cookies for you and the reindeer and you can have one of my hats to keep you warm.

Love,  
Braden Towe

DEAR SANTA,

I have been a pretty good boy all year. I am five years old. I would like to have a small motorcycle, a Shogun Warrior and a book. I will leave you some cookies and milk and some oats for the reindeer.

I love you,  
Christopher Davis  
Silvertown, Texas

P. S. Please leave something for my brothers and all the boys and girls everywhere.

DEAR SANTA,

I'm two years old. I have tried to be a good little boy this year. For Christmas I am asking for a big wheels and other surprises.

Please don't forget all my friends and all the other children.

Love,  
Colby Self

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,

I want a tri-sport. And a B-B gun. And a pick-up.

From Frank

DEAR SANTA,

Thank you for the presents you brought me last year. This year I am asking for a Baby Wet and Care and an alarm clock to get me up in the morning. Please bring me a toy microwave oven and a refrigerator. Take care of Rudolph. I love you and all the reindeer.

Julie Towe

DEAR SANTA CLAUS and Reindeer and Rudolph, too,

I'm a good girl. I'm a big girl, too! Please bring me a baby doll, toys, a Rudolph and candy in my sock that has the angel on it blowing a horn. A see saw! That's what I want. Bring Tara a present, too!

I'm a good girl!  
Holly Nance

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Olive of PETERSBURG visited Betty Olive Sunday.

Recent visitors in the home of Mildred Brooks were her son-in-law, Ronnie Drewry and friends, Bill Clark, Randy Shelly and Gregg Smith, all of Huntsville.

The group was joined by Bill and Roy Brooks and Carl Minyard to hunt quail and pheasant. The group had good luck hunting.

All the men from Huntsville are employed at the state prison. It was the first time the three men had been to West Texas.

From every spire on Christmas Eve the Christmas bells ring out their messages of goodwill and cheer.

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,

I have been good this year. I am hoping to find toys under the Christmas tree from you. I want an alarm clock with a radio on it and a calculator. And a dart game.

Love,  
Tara Nance

TEAMS SPLIT PAIR

OF GAMES WITH HEDLEY

Silvertown's Owls burst into the winning column here Tuesday night with a 53-50 victory over the Hedley Owls. Earl Jarrett led the team's offense with a 22-point effort and also led in the rebounding department by pulling down five.

The team hit 19 of 47 field goals (40%) and 15 of 26 charity tosses (56%).

Other scoring was by Kyle Bean, eight; Paul Brannon and Bill Denton, six each; James Alan Patton and Diji Couch, four each, and Kirk Durham, two points.

Davidson led the offense by scoring 14 points and led the rebounding with 12. Twila Wood pulled down eight rebounds.

Other scoring was by Annette Fleming, six; Staci Mayfield, five, and Connie Rowell, four points.

The Silvertown girls hit 36% of their field goals attempted and 43% of their free throws.



Season's Greetings

We would like to thank you for your patronage over the last 15 years. We have enjoyed servicing your vehicles and the association with our friends. We are retiring from business at the first of the year, but would like to take this opportunity to say Merry Christmas and wish you a prosperous New Year

Ashel and Mildred McDaniel

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Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Evening ..... 7:00 p.m.



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Joy to all

Wishing you a garden full of warm greetings for the holiday season to all of our fine friends and patrons. We hope your holidays are warm, happy and filled with friendship.

We hope that the true meaning of the Christmas Season will bless your home with love and peace this most holy of holidays.

We have enjoyed your patronage and we hope that we can continue to work with you in the future.

We will be closed December 25 through January 1.

Potpourri

Berniece Wood

Evelyn Wood



### Miss Francis Feted at Bridal Courtesy

Miss Lesa Francis, bride-elect of James Johnson, was guest of honor at a coffee and miscellaneous shower Saturday, December 16, from 10:00 until 11:00 in the morning in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank in Silverton. Guests were received by Mrs. Elton Cantwell and presented to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. John T. Francis of Silverton, and to the mother of her fiancé, Mrs. Elmore Johnson of Lubbock. Mrs. David McCoy and Miss Donna Rowell served refreshments from a table centered with a Christmas candle arrangement. A white China tea service completed the table appointments. Miss Brenda Cantwell presided at the guest registry.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Cantwell were Mrs. Ashel McDaniel, Mrs. Fred Arnold, Mrs. Bob Rauch, Mrs. Harold Storie, Mrs. J. D. Nance, Mrs. Joe Brannon, Mrs. Walter Bean, Mrs. Riley Ziegler, Mrs. Charlie Payne, Mrs. Troy Jones, Mrs. W. D. Rowell, Miss Donna Rowell, Mrs. Lowell Calla-

way, Mrs. J. W. Reid, Mrs. A. R. Martin and Mrs. David McCoy. Special guests included Miss Gladys Johnson and Miss Sharla Wynn, Lubbock; Mrs. Fred Corde, Seagraves; Mrs. Gary House and Page, Olton, and Mrs. Elven House, Tulia.

### Children Honored At Christmas Party

The children of the Progressive Extension Homemakers were honored with a Christmas party held at the P.C.A. on Tuesday, December 12, at 3:30 p.m.

Santa Claus made a surprise visit and presented each child with a Santa Claus filled with candy. Cookies and punch were enjoyed by all.

Those attending were Reba and Colby Self, Sandra and Trent Smith, Sheryl and Alisha Breedlove, Anita, Brian, Amy and Kayla Ramsey, Beth, Tammi and Julie Wood, Ramona, Dusty and Vanessa Martin, Shawn and Laura Barbour, Marsha Green, Sally, Alison,

### Annual Christmas Party Held In Brunson Home

The Progressive Extension Homemakers met at the home of Marsha Brunson Monday night, December 11, for the annual Christmas party. Each member brought a dish to complete the buffet supper.

The meal consisted of smoked turkey, salads, meatballs, dips, chips, candies, cookies, cakes and Christmas punch. After enjoying the delicious meal, the group exchanged gifts.

Those attending the Christmas party were Marsha Brunson, Denise Kellum, Ramona Martin, Marsha Green, Sandra Smith, Dorothy Martin, Donna Rowell, Debbie Barbour, Roma Martin, Sheryl Breedlove, Anita Ramsey, Sally Grimland, Christi Davidson, Reba Self, Celia Martin, Debbie Weaks, Beverly Minyard, Vicki Bean, Tisa Whitfill, Beth Wood and Nedra Hardin.

Jennifer and Jeffrey Grimland and Dorothy, Brian and Kami Martin.

### Renfro Family Christmas Held

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes were in Vernon over the weekend to attend the R. E. Renfro Family Christmas Dinner Party at the family home of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Renfro. Gayle Renfro and Mrs. Billie L. Overmyer were the host and hostess for the annual affair on Saturday evening, December 16.

The home was beautifully decorated with Christmas festivity. Everyone started arriving around 4:00 p.m. Saturday. Activity abounded aplenty with fun and games, and at 6:00 o'clock a delicious traditional Christmas Turkey Dinner was served. Then the arrival of old "Santa" (who has been played by Gayle Renfro for many years) brought much excitement to all.

The last part of the evening was the surprise honoring of their brother, R. H. Renfro, and presenting him with a loving cup inscribed "The Renfro Award" and a gift. This is to be an annual event at the Family Christmas Get-Together. Various members of

### KIKER'S KORNER

Earnest C. Kiker, Briscoe County Extension Agent, Small and part-time beef producers in Briscoe County need to be concerned with an adequate, yet simplified management system for their beef herds.

Following is the outline of a program emphasizing minimum management and health requirements for spring calving cows that are generally basic for such an operation:

January 1—Calving commences. Increase nutrition to cows nursing calves; watch calves for scours.

February 1—Have veterinarian conduct a breeding soundness evaluation of your herd bull.

March 1—Vaccinate cows for vibriosis and leptospirosis; deworm cows; control lice; vaccinate older calves for blackleg, malignant edema, Black's disease and leptospirosis.

April 1—Turn bulls with cows to begin breeding season.

May 15—Vaccinate all calves for blackleg, malignant edema, Black's disease and leptospirosis; castrate, dehorn and identify calves; control hornflies.

June 30—Remove bulls from cows to end breeding season; control grubs; vaccinate all heifer calves for brucellosis; consider supplemental protein on late summer pastures.

October 1—Wean calves and re-vaccinate all calves for blackleg, malignant edema, Black's disease and leptospirosis; brand

replacement heifers with individual identification; deworm cows; pregnancy test cows; check body condition of cows; sort and provide supplemental feed as necessary.

While this program doesn't give all the answers, it provides a working guide for part-time producers. If producers take the necessary steps in health care and herd management at a few key times during the year, then they can generally keep their cattle herds in good shape.

The Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood is the place, and January 13-14 are the dates for a 4-H Teen Leader and Advisor Retreat. This weekend training will include lots of fun-filled and action-packed learning activities for 4-H Teen and Adult Leaders who work with younger 4-H members. For further information and registration details, those interested in participating should contact the Briscoe County Extension office located in the basement of the county courthouse or phone 823-2343.

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ed by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion, or national origin.

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**MIX VEGETABLES**

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**CAKE MIX** **69¢**

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<b>SWANSONS</b>	<b>CHICKEN BROTH</b>	<b>2 FOR 49¢</b>
<b>KRAFT 8 OZ.</b>	<b>MARSHMALLOW CREAM</b>	<b>39¢</b>
<b>RANCH STYLE</b>	<b>BLACKEYE PEAS</b>	<b>4 FOR \$1.00</b>
<b>DREAM WHIP</b>	<b>TOPPING MIX</b> 6 oz.	<b>99¢</b>
<b>SHURFINE</b>	<b>CATSUP</b> 32 oz.	<b>89¢</b>
<b>STARKIST TUNA</b>		<b>69¢</b>
<b>DAWN KING</b>	<b>DISHWASHING DETERGENT</b>	<b>\$1.39</b>
<b>OLD SOUTH</b>	<b>PIE SHELLS</b>	<b>2 FOR 63¢</b>
<b>PARKAY</b>	<b>OLEO</b> lb. qtrs.	<b>69¢</b>
<b>NABISCO</b>	<b>VANILLA WAFERS</b>	<b>59¢</b>
	<b>RITZ CRACKERS</b> lb.	<b>79¢</b>
	<b>RIGHT GUARD DEODORANT</b>	<b>\$1.09</b>
	<b>SCOPE MOUTH WASH</b> 12 oz.	<b>\$1.39</b>
<b>WIZARD DECORATIVE PINE SCENT</b>	<b>AIR FRESHNER</b>	<b>99¢</b>

**\* Quality Produce**

<b>ORANGES</b> Choice Navel lb.	<b>29¢</b>
<b>DELICIOUS APPLES</b> Wash. Red lb.	<b>31¢</b>
<b>TEXAS CABBAGE</b> lb.	<b>10¢</b>
<b>CELERY</b> Fresh Stalk each	<b>29¢</b>
<b>GREEN ONIONS</b> bunch	<b>2 FOR 29¢</b>
<b>POTATOES</b> All Purpose Rus. 10 lb.	<b>75¢</b>

**\* Fresh Meats**

<b>SHURFRESH</b>	<b>TURKEYS</b> All Sizes lb.	<b>79¢</b>
	<b>PORK CHOPS</b> Extra Lean lb.	<b>\$1.39</b>
	<b>PORK SAUSAGE</b> Market Made lb.	<b>\$1.19</b>
	<b>PORK ROAST</b> loin Cut lb.	<b>\$1.19</b>
	<b>SLAB BACON</b> Sliced lb.	<b>\$1.39</b>

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the family will be honored and each will get to keep the loving cup for a year until the next Christmas get-together.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, Silverton; R. L. Renfro, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Renfro, Vernon, and the host and hostess, Gayle Renfro and Mrs. Billie L. Overmyer. The grandchildren and great-grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Renfro, Shawn, Allan and Kevin, Vernon; Rev. and Mrs. Randy Hughes, Amy and Matthew, Mineral Wells. Robert Hughes, Chicago, Illinois was unable to be there, but he sent a beautiful Christmas flower arrangement for the home and called Saturday evening to wish everyone a merry Christmas.



**BEST WISHES**

THINKING ABOUT ALL OF OUR FRIENDS THIS HOLIDAY SEASON AND WISHING THEM THE BEST FOR THE YEAR TO COME.

**Theron and Frances Crass**



**Best Wishes**

We would like to proclaim the merriest of Christmases to all of our friends. We enjoy doing business with you and we hope that we can be of service in the future.

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**Dear Santa**

DEAR SANTA,  
My name is Heath Allen May and I am two years old. I have been a very good boy this year. I live in Plainview but I will be at Nana and Big Daddy's house in Silverton for Christmas. I would like some cowboy boots, a fire truck and some Tinkertoys. Please bring my cousin, Alisha, a skateboard.  
I will leave you some milk and cookies. Be careful coming down the chimney.  
Love,  
Heath Allen May  
Plainview, Texas

DEAR SANTA,  
I am three years old and live at 1205 South Main Street, Silverton, Texas.  
Please bring me a skateboard (one that I can lay down on), a Mr. Mouth game and I think a doll.  
I have tried and tried to be good.  
Don't forget my cousins, the Ramsey kids, and all the other boys and girls.

Love,  
Alisha Breedlove  
P. S. The elf, Mr. Silver Spur, will let you in my house because I don't have a chimney like Nana and Grandad.

DEAR SANTA,  
My name is Staci and I have been a pretty good little girl this year. Would you please bring me a toy typewriter like Grandmother's, a new doll and new clothes. Please remember that Chris, Bradley and Kelli will be at Grandmother's, Stephanie, Jennifer, Shelly, Melissa, Jay and Robby will be at Nannie's, Micheal will be at home, and all my little friends. I will leave you some cookies and milk.  
I love you,  
Staci Hill

DEAR SANTA,  
My name is Kami Martin. I am three years old. I am good once in a while. I would like a baby doll like Marsha's, a watch, a baby bed and some more dishes. I will try to be a better little girl.  
Love,  
Kami  
P. S. Don't forget all the other

girls and boys.

DEAR SANTA,  
My name is Brian Martin. I am five years old. I would like a watch, a bicycle, a wagon and an Elvis T-shirt. I will try and be better and not bug my little sister quite as much.  
Love,  
Brian

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,  
What I want for Christmas is a skate board and some roller skates and a doll named Baby Curly and a hot iron roller and some candy and a teddy bear and a kitty and a new ball and a new rabbit and a hot cycle and a Baby This 'n That and a Bubble Gum Doll and a Pink Panther doll.  
Love,  
Avonna Kay Miller

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,  
I have been a good girl this year. Would you please bring me a Softina Doll and a Baby Heart Beat. I would also like a hot cycle and a doll house and lots of candy.  
My baby brother, Rusty, has been a good boy. Please bring

him a work bench to work on and a little roller horse to ride. Also bring him lots of candy, too.

Love,  
Crystal and Rusty Miller

DEAR SANTA,  
I would like a pair of white skates and a baby doll and the Suzann Summers doll and Bamba sheets and a book to read and an angel perfume bottle and a peek-a-boo mouse and a clay mouse and a loving lion.  
Love,  
Carey Blackerby

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,  
Santa, please bring me a wagon and a clean-up set corning ware and cooking factory and a lincoln logs, deluxe pool table and a coin register.  
Love,  
Venita Asebedo

DEAR SANTA,  
My name is Jana and I am seven years old. I would like very much for you to bring me a pretty doll for Christmas. I would also like some perfume and lots of pretty things.

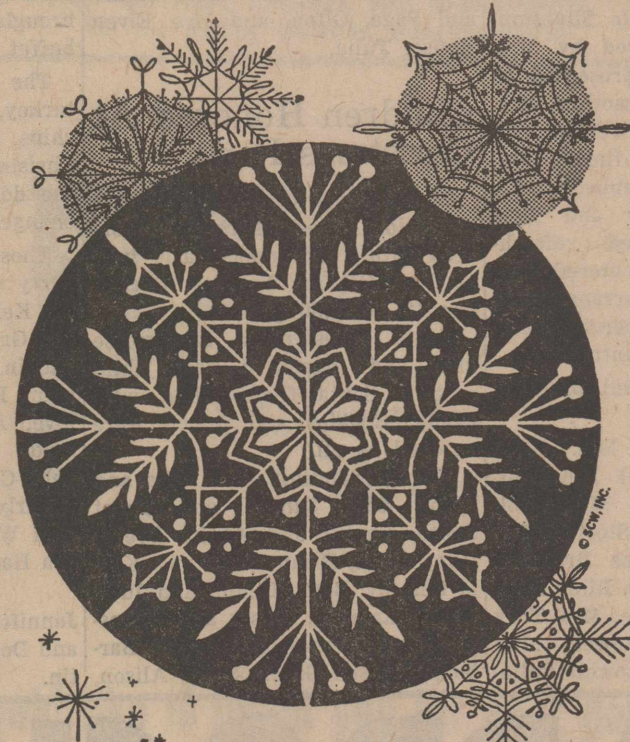
My name is Heather and I am five years old. I have tried to be a good girl and I want you to bring me a doll without batteries and lots of other toys. I especially want an Operation Game.

My name is Brandon and I am three years old. I have been a pretty good boy and I really would like for you to bring me a train set and some more toys.

We hope to see you soon.  
We love you,  
Jana, Heather and  
Brandon Kitchens

**AT CHRISTMAS**  
The purpose of a grandfather is to see that among all the educational toys, the child gets one present that's fun!

**HOLIDAY GREETINGS**



*Let happiness and goodwill abound during this the most joyous and holy of seasons.*

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**O come,  
all ye  
faithful,  
joyful  
and  
triumphant!**

*Joyous Christmas hymns ring out, sounding a message of peace and love to all mankind throughout this Holy Season.*

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DEAR SANTA,

My name is Katrice. I am nine years old. Would you please bring me a record player that plays all sizes of records and all speeds, a funtime oven, and a cake and decorating set and a Barbie doll with some more clothes? Please remember all my friends and cousins. And remember all the other little girls and boys. I will leave

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Love always,  
Katrice Minyard

DEAR SANTA,

I want an off road buggy and I want an electric train. I want a ball gun.

Thank you,  
Kendal

DEAR SANTA,

I want a pink Off the Road

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Thank you,  
Stacy

DEAR SANTA,

I would like some Star Wars people and an "X Wing" Fighter, Ti Fighter and that's all. Tell Rudolph hello and polish up his shiny nose.

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I will leave you a snack by the Christmas tree because I know you will be hungry. Be careful on your trip and don't forget any boys and girls.

I love you,  
Robby Weaks

DEAR SANTA,

My Mommie is helping me write this because I am only 2½ years

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a stroller for her. You brought me a stroller last year, but I sat in it and it broke so please bring another.

I hope all the little boys and

girls have been good enough to get just what they want.

Give Rudolph a hug for me.  
Love,  
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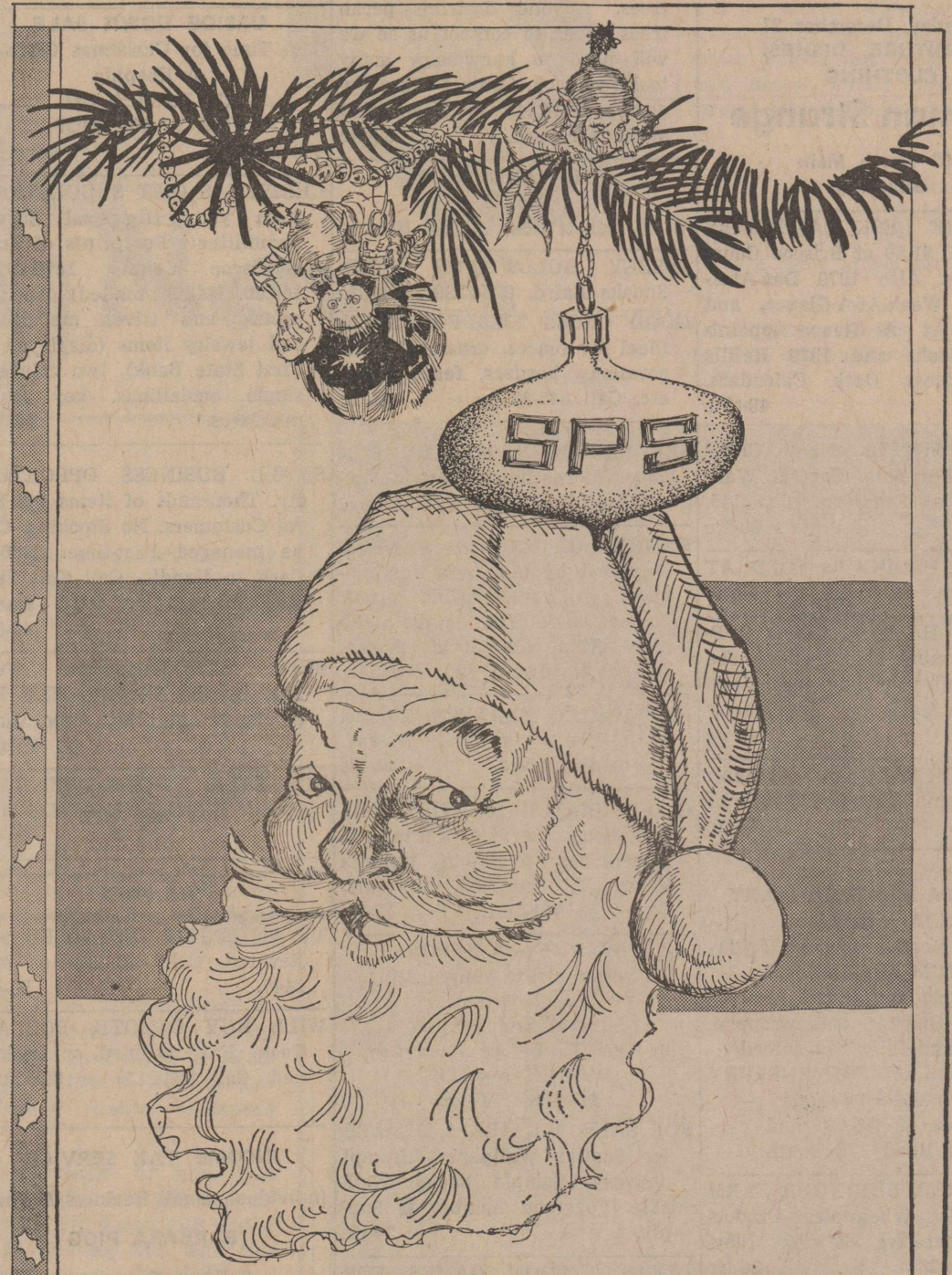


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Many thanks to each of you for  
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shown while I was in the hospital,  
for the flowers, gifts, cards, visits,  
telephone calls, and especially for  
your prayers offered for me and  
our loved ones. Also the good  
food and visits since I have been

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