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Little Folks Still Writing to Santa

Dear Santa,
Please bring us a sleepy doll piece and a set of dishes and some fruit and nuts and candy. Please don't forget us. We remain your friends,
Janis Faye and Annie Mae Bevel

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy. I am ten years old. I am in the third grade and I am on the farm. Please bring me a set of tools and a pencil box.
Your friend,
Kenneth Nicholson

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy four years old. I want you to please bring me a little tractor and a little pair of boots.
Your little friend,
Elvis Hutchinson

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a football.
Kenneth Ingram

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy ten years old. I want you to please bring me a football, a ball glove, a bicycle, a steam shovel and a dump truck.
Your little friend,
John Gand

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy nine years old. I want you to please bring me a suit of clothes, a pair of booties and a little tractor. But please do not forget my nine month old brother and bring him a rubber ball.
Your little friend,
Frances Louis Montandon Jr.

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl eight years old. I want you to please bring me a rain coat, some boots and a large ball. I want some nuts and fruit too.
Your little friend,
Emma Sue Thompson

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl ten years old. I want you to please bring me a watch.
Your little friend,
Lillian Hutchinson

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a pair of cowboy boots and a cowboy suit.
Your friend,
Leroy Stubbs

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a football.
Joe Sauls Fudge

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll, a wrist watch and a trunk.
Your friend,
Hazel May Simmons

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bicycle and a train and a basket ball.
Your friend,
L. N. Bridges Jr.

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy nine years old. I want you to please bring me a truck, some nuts and some apples.
Your friend,
Doyle Graham

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy nine years old. I want you to please bring me a truck, a ship and an airplane and some apples, nuts and candy.
Your little friend,
Dalworth Autrey

Dear Santa,
Please bring me an airgun and a wrist watch.
Your friend,
Spencer Lee Liles

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll, a set of tools and a pencil box.
Your friend,
Crutcher

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll and a doll buggy and apples and oranges.
Your friend,
Josephine Ivey

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll and a doll buggy and apples and oranges.
Your friend,
Josephine Ivey

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy nine years old. I want you to bring me a pair of skates. I want a snow sled too. I want a little car, I want a tractor and I want a wagon too.
Your dear friend,
Paul Edward

Dear Santa,
Please bring me an airgun.
Your friend,
J. B. Brown

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a little bank and a wrist watch.
Your friend,
Marie Brock

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll, a bicycle and some tinker toys and a wrist watch.
Your friend,
Wanda Nations

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll with curls. Bring me a doll buggy to put my doll in. Bring me a wrist watch.
Your friend,
Virginia Ivey

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll and a wrist watch and a tricycle.
Your friend,
Margaret Geniece Dutton

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a daisy pump air gun and three boxes of bee-hives and a pair of gloves.
Yours,
Wayne Eads

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little girl nine years old. I want you to please bring me a watch and some house shoes.
Your little friend,
Bobby McCarty

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little boy nine years old. I want you to please bring me a little wooden airplane and a football, a pair of gloves, a painting book and a tractor. I want a story book and a coaster wagon.
Your little friend,
Glén Huntsman

The rest of the letters to Santa will be published in the Herald and mailed next Monday. We will mail the papers early in the week to Santa will be sure to get all the letters before Christmas day. If you have not written to Santa yet, write and bring it to the office Saturday.

Birthdays Honored

The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. A. Wilson. The occasion was a social honoring the natal days of Mrs. C. C. Hoge and Mrs. J. W. Smith, two of the most valuable members of the society. Mrs. Wilson was assisted by Mrs. T. S. Edwards.

Christmas motifs and decorations were used artistically about the reception rooms, the scheme being carried out in the refreshments. Several unusually interesting games were played, the last being interrupted by the arrival of Santa Claus. The beloved old saint invited the ladies (who early in the afternoon under the spell of Mrs. Edwards' magic wand, had turned into children again and presented a gift to each.

Following a delicious collation consisting of salad, olives, cranberry sauce, cake and coffee was served. Plate favors were hand painted photographs of the guests (the resemblance being strikingly noticeable).

Both the honorees were successful in blowing out the candles on their cakes and proved themselves very generous by dividing the birthday cake with their "girl friends".

SCHOOL TO CLOSE FRIDAY FOR HOLIDAYS

School will close Friday afternoon for a week of vacation for the Christmas holidays. The superintendent, J. W. Cloud, states that a program and a Christmas tree have been arranged for the first seven grades, to which the public is invited. The program will begin about 2:00 p. m. Mrs. Both and Mrs. Warren have charge of the program while other teachers of the first seven grades are completing arrangements for the tree. This will be given in the main auditorium.

We regret to state, Mr. Cloud also said, that one of our teachers has been called home in the sudden death of her father. Miss Carlisle received a message from her mother Saturday night of the death and left immediately for Abilene where she met her brother and made the rest of the trip.

Mrs. Horace Eintey is teaching for Miss Carlisle.

SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH SUNDAY

Reverend A. R. Caudle announces this week that there will be two services at the First Christian Church Sunday. The subjects of the morning sermon will be "Where is He" and for the evening "The Cross of the Year". All are invited to be present and hear these worthwhile messages. There is always a welcome to all at the friendly church.

O'Brien Man Arraigned On Arson Count

C. Matura Waives Preliminary Trial at Haskell; Bonds Set at \$1,000

HASKELL, Dec. 15.—arranged here today on two charges of arson, C. Matura, elderly cement worker and oil well driller of O'Brien, pleaded not guilty before Justice D. T. Dotson and waived examining trial. Bond was fixed at \$500 in each case.

Two fires, originating in the rear and on the outside of a house at O'Brien, Saturday night within a few hours of each other, resulted in the filing of the charges. Matura was arrested at his home in O'Brien early Sunday, suffering from birdshot wounds about the knees.

The house is owned by T. G. Carney and occupied by Mrs. O. Z. Melton, aged widow, and her married children. The first fire was discovered about 10 o'clock Saturday night a pile of cedar bark and other kindling material having been placed at the corner of the resident and touched off. Neighbors assisted in extinguishing the blaze.

The second fire was discovered after Mrs. Melton and her daughter-in-law, returning from the theatre had seen a man in the yard. The younger woman ran two blocks to notify her husband and a brother-in-law, who armed themselves with shotguns. As they returned to the house, they saw a man leaving and opened fire. He escaped. A corner of the house was ablaze under Mrs. Melton's room.

Sheriff Sarrels of Haskell was called and Matura's arrest followed.

Court records of Haskell county reveal that Matura, two years ago completed a five-year prison sentence assessed in 1923 in Throckmorton county for the slaying of George Page of Haskell county.

The Western Produce has shipped near six cars of turkeys during the Thanksgiving and Christmas market days. Each car carried around 1100 turkeys. Mr. Nations reports the Knox City turkeys as the nicest fatted, best dressed turkeys on the market.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Song Service
11:20 Special Music
11:30 Sermon
12:00 Benediction
P. M.
6:30 B. Y. P. U.
7:15 Song Service
8:00 Sermon
Come we need you.

Sunset Reflections

The Thespian Players entertained Friday night with a social in honor of Miss Bacon, our charming and capable teacher of expression. The rooms and hall were adorned with pleasing Christmas decorations.

An attempt was made to express our appreciation of Miss Bacon by presenting her a lovely vase of flowers. A few appropriate words of commendation were spoken by Superintendent Bowman. Several contests and games were played under the direction of Christine Clowds.

Mr. Verhalen defeated Mr. Bowman in a Donkey Braying Contest. He was presented a toy donkey. In an apple-eating contest, Dolly Nix, by being very greedy won a box of candy against T. R. Bushy. Mr. Day won a sack of peanuts in a Peanut Hunt, but for some reason he did not get to eat very many. Jack Smith won a blue horn for being the best cry baby in the Aunt Melindy Contest.

After several games were played, delicious refreshments of chicken sandwiches, salad, potato chips and chocolate were served to about forty-five members and guests.

The school regrets that Miss Bacon has left. She was an excellent teacher chief organizer of the Thespian Players. Everyone appreciates the efforts that she put forth for the school.

A number of high school students and teachers accompanied the Eaglets to Knox City, Friday afternoon, to enjoy a good game. Both teams did some splendid playing but the Eaglets were defeated by the small margin of 9 to 7.

The Knox City Junior team will play Sunset Eaglets at Sunset, the week following Christmas holidays.

Following a short chapel program Friday afternoon, school will close for Christmas. It will reopen December 29.

The high school students are looking forward to Christmas just the same as their little brothers and sisters. They are all hoping that Santa Claus stops by if he can't stay long.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Following is the program which will be given at the Methodist church Sunday night at seven o'clock. Joy to the World, congregation Silent night, congregation Concerning Christmas, Mable Clents O' Little Town of Bethlehem, congregation Christmas of Other Nations, Nine little girls The Bethlehem Babe, Junior boys and girls A Tale of Christmas Eve, Lucille Carley Christmas Song, Doyle and Dale Graham While Shepherds Watched, Senior boys "There's a Song in the Air", Ladies Duet "We Three Kings of the Orient are", Trio by Men Benediction, Reverend Mann.

Mr. R. M. Herring's Sunday School Class of intermediate boys recently organized a basketball team and are looking for a bit of competition by teams from other Sunday Schools. Mr. Herring's boys will begin practice under the direction of Mr. J. W. Cloud.

Mr. Herring and the boys hope to match a game with another Sunday School team in town in the very near future.

AT RANDOM

We understand that a group enjoying a bird feast recently became aware of the fact that Harry Wilbank can eat more birds (whether Canary or Jay or what kind) than any one other man known. At least, that is the report made for the At Random column this week.

It is reported that Russel Boyd is an excellent "late hour" dishwasher. Harry must also have been there to have been able to make the report.

We are glad to see Mrs. Ables back at her place at Bryant Links this week.

We understand there is another little Nation added to the United States this week.

Hospital Notes

Those in the Hospital Tuesday were Mrs. T. E. Robbins of Knox City, Miss Cowan of Rochester and Cecil Stogdill of Truscott.

Mrs. Robbins is doing nicely, hospital authorities stated. Mrs. Stogdill of Truscott was in the Hospital Sunday to see her son Cecil. Mrs. Norman and two daughters of Rule were guests of Mrs. Cowan Sunday and Mrs. Martin of Lorenza has been visiting Mrs. Robbins. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and little daughter of Abilene visited Miss Cowan Sunday.

Mrs. Tanzer and Mrs. P. B. Baker spent last Friday in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Bowen of Wellington left the Hospital last week going to the home of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Campsey of Knox City. Mrs. Bowen is doing well.

At the Methodist Church

The subject of the sermon Sunday morning will be The Significance of the Advent season. Do we appreciate its significance? A few days ago "Believe it or not" called attention to the fact that Thanksgiving was originally a solemn fast day. So it was, and observed with religious ceremony. How near are we today to the original Thanksgiving spirit?

Christmas time, the time of the advent of the world's Redeemer, was originally a time of terrible import to men's minds whether friendly or unfriendly toward it. It was a time when men's lives were attuned to hear voices from the spirit world, a time that early saints referred to as "Holy", and when they stooped to listen again for the angel chorus. Christmas was originally a commemoration of the time when "The Word became first and dwelt among men" and when "The people which sat in darkness saw a great light." To them it was a time freighted with destiny. Do we today recognize its full and true significance? What was, and what is the significance of the Advent season will be discussed at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

This is one of two great seasons of the year when every person, especially those who profess to be Christians ought to be at church somewhere. If your place is not at another church you are invited to be at the Methodist church Sunday morning. The evening hour will be given over to a special program consisting of a pageant, musical numbers readings and other special features. You are invited.

O. A. Roberts of Duncan Oklahoma recently bought 160 acres of land three miles east of Knox City from Mr. Tomlinson. The land joins Mr. Roberts 50 acres on the east. Shirley Parks instigated the sale.


COTTON REPORT

There were 22,796 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Knox County from the crop of 1930 prior to December the 1st, 1930 as compared with 18,525 bales ginned to December the 1st, 1927.

MICKIE SAYS—

WERE PROUD OF THE WAY YOU BUSINESSMEN SUPPORT YOUR HOME NEWSPAPER WITH ADVERTISING, JOB PRINTING AND SUBSCRIPTIONS! WE SURE APPRECIATE IT, AND WHEN YOU WANT ANY FAVORS, FELLERS, FEEL FREE TO CALL ON US





See Santa Claus

at our store Saturday, Dec. 20 at 1 P M

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R. C. EDWARDS

Dental Surgeon

West end Farmers State Bank

Building

Knox City, Texas

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Oldest Paper in Knox County
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H. B. Sweeney, Publisher

Entered in the Postoffice at Knox City, Texas for transportation through the mails as second class matter.

One Year 1.00
Six Months75

THE CHILDREN'S SEASON

Christmas is, of all times of the year the children's season. The giving of presents to children at Christmas-time is as old as Christianity itself, for it was begun by the three Wise Men of the East. Who came to Bethlehem, where the Child lay in the manger, bringing gifts.

It is easy to forget what it is that Christmas commemorates. It is easy to think of it merely as a holiday time, a time when there is a great deal of shopping to be done, when the stores are crowded and everybody is busy wrapping up Christmas packages, and the postman are overloaded and grown-ups as well as children are looking forward expectantly to see what they are going to get for Christmas presents.

The spirit of Christmas is or should be, the spirit of universal love, of peaceful goodwill between all mankind. Christmas marks the anniversary of a new era, the setting aside of the old laws of vengeance and hatred, of exact and even justice regardless of mercy. We too often forget that. We too easily forget that the message which the Heavenly host brought to earth on that night nearly two thousand years ago was a message of love and joy.

It is meet and proper that we should exchange presents among our friends and loved ones, but the great

est joy of Christmas time comes from the gifts we give the children. Joy for the children, even greater joy for the giver. Whatever our own state of happiness or sorrow, we grown-ups owe it to ourselves, to the spirit and tradition which Christmas commemorates, and to the children themselves, to see that every one of them at least, has a Merry Christmas.

Among the hundreds of students who will leave for their homes when Texas Christian University dismisses for the Christmas holidays will be Miss Margaret Reeder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reeder of Knox City.

Miss Reeder is a sophomore at T. C. U. and is majoring in English. She is a member of the Upsilon chapter of which she is secretary-treasurer.

— T. C. U. News Service

KONJOLA ENDS RHEUMATISM

Kidney and Bowel Trouble Also Yield To Amazing Power of New Medicine



MR. JACK J. FISHER

"I suffered frightfully from rheu-

matism for eighteen years," said Mr. Jack J. Fisher, well-known cook, residing at 300 Fahay street, Fort Worth. "The pains were mostly in my lower limbs but my entire body was affected. I was handicapped in my work because of the misery of this ailment. Constipation finally became an added misery. I tried many remedies over a period of years but got no results until I tried Konjola.

"I began to improve in health from the very first bottle of this medicine, and constipation has not bothered me since I began the treatment. My kidneys have been strengthened and although the pains of rheumatism seemed worse for a time, they gradually disappeared and today there is not a trace of this ailment.

Konjola should be taken over a six to eight week period in the average case.

Konjola is sold in Knox City at The Orient Drug Store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

Get your shipment of Konjola during the holidays from the Knox City Dairy. Call 100.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Farmer of Seymour were here over the weekend to see Mother Farmer.

Mrs. V. G. Martin of Lorenza was here over the weekend with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Moseley and daughter, Claudie Sue, visited in Merkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Nations are the proud parents of a new baby girl, who arrived Monday morning.

Miss Robbie Wyatt of Stanton is spending two weeks with Miss Alene Griffith.

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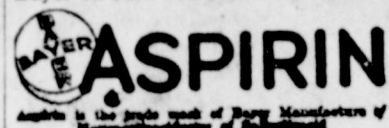
Everything in the Jewelry line you might think of giving as a Christmas Gift is here, at prices so low they will astonish you.

Some of these Jewelry gifts are very inexpensive.

Orient Drug Store



Doubtless you are one of millions who have found prompt relief from that occasional headache in Bayer Aspirin. But until you invoke its aid for more serious pain, you'll endure much needless suffering! Try it for neuralgia or neuritis. Even for rheumatism. It comforts quickly, and harmlessly. Doctors prescribe it; say it does not affect the heart. Genuine Aspirin has Bayer on each box and tablet.



A Sour Stomach

In the same time it takes a dose of soda to bring a little temporary relief of gas and sour stomach, Phillips Milk of Magnesia has acidity completely checked, and the digestive organs all tranquilized. Once you have tried this form of relief you will cease to worry about your diet and experience a new freedom in eating.

This pleasant preparation is just as good for children, too. Use it whenever coated tongue or fetid breath signals need of a sweetener. Physicians will tell you that every spoonful of Phillips Milk of Magnesia neutralizes many times the volume in acid. Get the genuine, the name Phillips is important. Imitations do not act the same!

PHILLIPS Milk of Magnesia

BIGGER AND BETTER

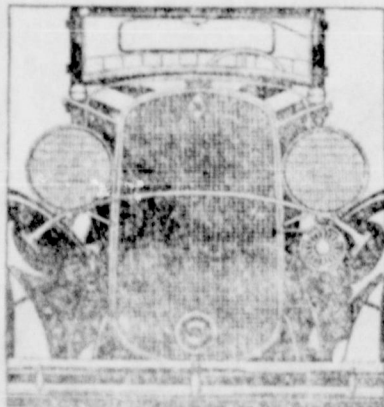
THE GREAT AMERICAN VALUE

Fine-car distinction and quality in the new Chevrolet Six

Again, Chevrolet and General Motors have utilized their combined resources to establish a new and higher standard of value for the American motor car.

The new Chevrolet represents a type of economical transportation that America has long anticipated—a low-priced six styled with such striking talent and good taste, so smartly beautiful and complete in its perfection of detail, so advanced and refined mechanically that you will immediately recognize it as the Great American Value.

This great value is the outcome of four basic Chevrolet advantages: (1) The savings of volume production in nineteen immense, modern plants. (2) The economies which result from great purchasing power. (3) The benefits of continu-



Front view of the new Chevrolet Sport Coupe

ous research in General Motors laboratories and on the General Motors Proving Ground. And (4) the close association with the Fisher Body Corporation who, this year, have surpassed all their previous achievements in developing bodies of outstanding quality, refinement and value.

These basic advantages have made it possible to build a finer car at lower cost. They have enabled

Chevrolet to offer a car with a longer wheelbase—greater roominess and comfort—strikingly smarter style—impressive new luxury—more thoroughly satisfactory performance—greater dependability. And to pass on these savings of efficient manufacturing to the buyer in the form of lower prices!

AT NEW LOW PRICES

The Phaeton.....	\$510	The Coach.....	\$545	Sport Coupe with rumble seat	\$575
The Roadster.....	\$475	Standard Coupe.....	\$535	Standard Sedan.....	\$635
Sport Roadster with rumble seat.	\$495	Standard Five-Window Coupe..	\$545	Special Sedan.....	\$650

SPECIAL EQUIPMENT EXTRA
Chevrolet Trucks from \$355 to \$695
All prices f. o. b. Flint, Michigan

NEW

CHEVROLET

SIX

IT'S WISE TO CHOOSE A SIX

Wm. C. Cresswell Chevrolet Co.
Knox City, Texas

Community Christmas Tree

There will be a community Christmas tree at the Legion Hall Wednesday night, December 24, sponsored by the American Legion. There will be a present and fruit for every child. Everybody is invited and it is hoped that every child in town will be there. Rich or poor, come!

Wednesday Night Dec. 24

THE FRUITS OF LABOR

The only lasting benefit that can come from a prosperous harvest season is when the fruits of labor have been stored away against future need.

For the individual, there is no protection that can equal the accumulation of a Reserve Account in a strong bank. It provides working capital; makes possible the grasping of opportunities; it is an ever-present fund with which to weather seasons of sickness, accident, or other adversity. In short, it is a bulwark of protection for the certainties of today and the uncertainties of tomorrow.

Because we know the blessings that attend the building of a strong Reserve Bank Account, we urge the people of this community to put something aside in a Special Reserve from each harvest deposit.

TALK TO US ABOUT A RESERVE ACCOUNT AT THIS BANK
The First National Bank
Knox City, Texas
25 Years

Texas Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

December 19 and 20

Ken Maynard

in

"KINGS OF THE SADDLE"

with comedy

o

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

December 22 and 23

The greatest picture of all time

"ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT"

with comedy

o

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

December 24 and 25

"THE SQUEALER"

With

Holt, Dorothy Revier and Matt

With Comedy

O'BRIEN LADIES HAVE QUILTING

Thirty eight ladies of the O'Brien community met at the Baptist church on Thursday of last week and quilted eight quilts. Three other quilts were donated by Mrs. John Reed, who has been able to return home from the Wichita Sanitarium. The Thanksgiving and Christmas spirit prevailed. "It is more blessed to give than to receive". The following ladies were present: Mesdames Dickson, West, Banner, Hitchcock, Link, Reeves, Griffin, R. P. and E. J. and C. A. Barnard, LaDuke, Welsh, Shaw, Reed, Vainoy, Johnston, Thomas, Lambert, Busbee, Pierson, DuPrey, Wharton, Bryant, Telf, Fancher, Melton, B. W. and Wayne Barnett, Brown, Hawkins, Tate, Pickett and the Misses Reeves, Walworth, Johnston and Lambert.

DR. T. P. FRIZZELL
Physician and Surgeon
Knox City, Texas

Miss Potter Wins First in Art Exhibit

Miss Hazel Potter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Potter, won first place in the adult division of the art exhibit held Monday by the art club of Knox City, of which Mrs. Bobbie Bradberry is instructor.

The works were on display in the Knox City Hardware. Second prize in the adult division was won by Mrs. Carl Davis.

First prize in the junior division was won by Mary Eliza Clark and the second by Wynell Edwards. The pictures in the exhibit were highly complimented by the judges and others viewing them during the day.

J. A. Wilson and daughter, Florence and Elizabeth and Rheba, left Thursday morning for Floyd to return home Friday by way of Lubbok bringing with them Jack Wilson who is attending Tech.

Mrs. E. Q. Warren and Fred spent Saturday in Wichita.

Mrs. Zae Hamrock and children spent the past weekend with relatives in Wichita Falls.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the annual meeting of the stockholders of The First National Bank of Knox City, Texas will be held at the office of said bank on the 13th day of January, 1937 at 2:00 o'clock p. m. for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. A. Wilson, Cashier.

The services at the Nazarene Tabernacle are getting started off pretty well. We are planning a revival and sign of which we hope to make definite announcements about next week.

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. also 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to all services.

Revs. Theo. and Myrtle Ahern, pastors.

Mrs. M. A. Reeder and daughter Mary, Mrs. C. J. Reese and Miss Alice Cause visited in Wichita Saturday.

Save Your Money

Only two short weeks and our big early order discount will be off. Place your order this month and save from 15 percent to 50 percent on your chicks for next year.

I WANT SOME MAIZE

I will take 1 ton of maize on an order for 200 chicks, and 2 tons on an order for 500 chicks. I will pay \$26.00 per ton for your maize delivered, and give you the benefit of my early order discount on chicks.

PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT

Millions of hens have been sold this year, and the man who goes ahead this next year will stock up with dependable layers and reap the harvest next fall.

200 HENS ON YOUR FARM WILL PAY THEIR FEED BILL AND YOUR GROCERY BILL. Give the hens a place this next year in your farm program. Save money by placing your order this month.

White Leghorns, Reds, Barred Rocks
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is a doctor's Prescription for COLDS and HEADACHES. It is the most speedy remedy known. 666 also in tablets



Pre-Inventory Sale

Beginning Friday, December 12 and lasting through Saturday, December 20 we are offering the following articles and the low prices quoted. We want to move these things before the first of the year so take advantage of these low prices.

- ONE KITCHEN CABINET \$37.50 ONLY **\$27.50**
- HOT BLAST STOVES \$22.50 NOW **\$15.00**
- BREAD KNIVES, 75 CENT FOR ONLY **50c**
- KNIVES, 65 CENT FOR ONLY **25c**
- PAINTS ARE ALL ONE THIRD OFF
- GAS STOVES, ALL SPECIALLY PRICED.

Knox City Hardware

Crazy Water Relieves Greenville Man of Rheumatism

Once Friends Gave Him up, Now They Marvel at his Health

After having been down with muscular rheumatism for some weeks I was taken to Mineral Wells in an S. B. Neer and Co. Ambulance at the city on August 1st, 1927. I did not have physical strength to participate in or benefit from the bathing facilities at the time, although I left off practically all medicines, none of which seemed to benefit me and drank Crazy Water regularly and systematically for some six weeks. I came back home relieved almost entirely of my suffering and returned there later to take advantage of it. My life is a pleasure to know. My friends are very congratulatory and frequently mention the fact that they never expected to see me out and going as I am again.

P. S. Lake
Greenville, Texas

The new million dollar city at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground. It is modern, fire-proof and complete in every detail. It is natural to think it would be expensive to stay at the magnificent Hotel; yet, you can enjoy its complete hotel facilities at a very low price. The Hotel is a beautiful building, and the service is of the highest order. It is a place where you can enjoy the best of everything.

What Will you do



When your Children Cry for It

There is hardly a household that hasn't heard of Castoria! At least five million homes are never without it. If there are children in your family, there's about daily need of its comfort. And any night may find you very thankful there's a bottle in the house. Just a few drops, and that colic or constipation is relieved, or diarrhea checked. A vegetable product; a baby remedy meant for you-folks. Castoria is about the only thing you have ever heard doctors advise giving to infants. Stronger medicines are dangerous to a tiny baby, however harmless they may be to grown-ups. Good old Castoria! Remember the name and remember to buy it. It may spare you a sleepless, anxious night. It is always ready, always safe to use; in emergencies, or for everyday ailments. Any hour of the day or night that baby becomes fretful, or restless, Castoria will never more popular with mothers than it is today. Every druggist has it.



Hearts Hungry for Love

THREE beardless, war-weary, love-starved youths who for months had heard nothing but coarse jokes, harsh commands. Three bright-eyed tender French girls whose hearts melted for "les pauvres garcons" and who called a welcome to them, took their tired heads in soft strong arms. One of many supremely human episodes in

ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT

ENICH MARIA
REMARQUE'S great novel.
Presented by
CARL LAEMMLE
A CARL LAEMMLE, Jr.
Production
Directed by
LEWIS MILESTONE



Texas Theatre
Monday & Tuesday
December 22 & 23



OLD FOLKS SAY DR. CALDWELL WAS RIGHT

The basis of treating sickness has not changed since Dr. Caldwell left Medical College in 1875, nor since he placed on the market the laxative prescription he had used in his practice. He treated constipation, biliousness, headaches, mental depression, indigestion, sour stomach and other indispositions entirely by means of simple vegetable laxatives, herbs and roots. These are still the basis of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a combination of sense and other mild herbs with pepsin. The simpler the remedy for constipation, the safer for the child and for you. And as you can get results in a mild and safe way by using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, why take chances with "strong drugs"? A bottle will last several months, and all can use it with pleasure to the last, gentle in action and free from

Hurray For Christmas

\$2,500.00 in diamond rings, beautiful watches, set rings, silver pieces, and other pretty Christmas gifts to be sold at our absolute sacrifice, 50 percent off. Yes, one half off on every piece of jewelry in this store. Hamilton \$17 jewel only 1, \$10.00 7 and 15 jewel Waltham, Elgin and Hampden, all standard works guaranteed \$6.00 to \$9.00 Buy her a watch or a diamond ring for Christmas.

McEvoy, The Jeweler
Knox City, Texas

Notice

We now have our feed mill in operation and are prepared to grind any thing from an old shoe to a white elephant. Grind and mix your feed and avoid the waste.

City Feed Store



We have just received and unloaded a car load of Farmalls.

Wash Your Hands ... A 1931 Resolution



How likely you've envied the freedom of some more fortunate friends who are able to have and household help. You've wished that you could enjoy their leisure hours for the enjoyment of your own things of life. Resolutions are usually looked upon as forgotten or broken—but here's one that's ... and keep: Make a thorough investigation of the money-saving appliances which economically by electricity. Make up your mind yourself of the many happy hours you can expect through the application of your own problems. "Electrical Servants" are unusually efficient. You will find them efficient and only work without pay—but they will save you cash savings for you each year. Wash Your Hands—for Hygiene.



OLD SANTA CLAUS IS COMING

ONLY 5 MORE DAYS IN WHICH TO DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

To every member of the family from Baby to Grand Dad we are pleased to announce that we have fairly jammed our store with Gifts and Toys that will make you happy on Christmas morning. Useful and interesting Toys are here from every land, and very special care has been taken in the selection of gifts for Grown-ups, and the price is BELOW what YOU USUALLY PAY.

BELOW ARE A FEW SUGGESTIONS THAT WILL ASSIST YOU IN SELECTING GIFTS

For Father

- Ties
- Hats
- Shoes
- Gloves
- Boots
- Pajamas
- Mufflers
- Supporters
- Silk Hose
- Wool Hose
- Shaving Sets
- House Shoes
- Dress Shirts
- Flannel Shirts
- Silk Underwear
- Fancy Suspenders
- Initial Belt Buckle

For Mother

- Coats
- Rings
- Beads
- Dishes
- Gloves
- Vanities
- Aluminum
- Stationery
- Toilet Sets
- Gift China
- House Shoes
- Silk Hosiery
- Wall Plaques
- Silk Dresses
- Handkerchiefs
- Silk Underwear

For Boys

- Hose
- Caps
- Shoes
- Shirts
- Gloves
- Trucks
- Boots
- Tractors
- Sweaters
- Tie Sets
- Air Rifles
- Supporters
- Foot Balls
- Army Tanks
- Black Boards
- Handkerchiefs
- Allsteel Wagons

For Girls

- Hose
- Balls
- Dolls
- Rings
- Beads
- Coats
- Books
- Games
- Vanities
- Perfumes
- Stationery
- Sweaters
- Paint Set
- Toilet Sets
- Handkerchiefs
- Electric Irons
- Electric Stoves

SPECIAL NOTICE

We have prepared ample space in which to take care of your packages until Christmas.

Remember folks that our stock of winter goods is on sale at prices that will make your \$\$\$\$ do double duty.

Wall Dry Goods Co.

"The Christmas Store for Everybody"

BIRTHS AND DEATHS OVER SIX YEARS FOR KNOX COUNTY

The official report on births and deaths in Knox County covering the period from and including 1924 to 1929. The report is furnished by the United States Department of Health which department has been urging a closer cooperation of the various states and counties in compiling this very valuable information to the proper authorities, and Judge Bailey is the person to whom to make reports here.

The report sent out by the Department of Health, shows the following birth and death in Knox county for the years named: 1924, 221 births and 46 deaths, 1925, 272 births and 59 deaths, 1926, 299 births and 72 deaths, 1927, 342 births and 79 deaths, 1928, 261 births and 112 deaths.

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BALL BOYS WIN TWO GAMES FRIDAY

Independents Score 13 to 0

The two ball games played by two teams from Knox City last Friday resulted in great favor of the local teams.

The Independent foot ball boys, playing at Munday, won with a score of 13 to nothing. Outstanding players for the local team were J. B. Ferguson and Pat Otman. Thomas Ferguson was hurt during the game, has a shoulder knocked out of place. Basket ball, played by the Junior boys of the High school, against the Junior Sun Set team on the home field, resulted with a score of nine to seven, favoring the local team.

Knox City had a good attendance at both games.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hitchcock of Bonarton visited relatives here over the weekend. They, with Mrs. Bobbie Bradberry, spent Saturday in Wichita, Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodson entertained three of the barbers of Knox City and their wives Tuesday night with a 42 party. They were Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Reed and the Goodsons. Doughnuts and candy were partaken of during the games.

Gordon Acker went to Abilene Tuesday to bring his mother home. She has been in Abilene about a week.

Mrs. T. P. Frizzell and Mrs. Russell Boyd entertained with a Bridge party Monday night in the home of Mrs. Frizzell.

Mrs. Buck Bohannon of Plainview is here last week with her daughter, C. J. Bohannon.

Mrs. J. B. Fortenberry spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Bert Weaver, in Munday.

Mr. Bill Wyatt of Hankin is spending Christmas with his sister, Mrs. W. M. Griffith.

Lots of good whipping cream now at the Knox City Dairy Phone 100 L. W. Graham.

Mrs. S. G. Graham of Vera and Mrs. Lula J. Carter of Fort Worth are here for the holidays with relatives, L. W. Graham and family.

Sweet Inquirer (to hotel clerk) — "How much are your rooms?" Clerk — "Five dollars up to twelve."

Same — "How much for one all night."

Mrs. Vernon Sweatt of the plains came in Tuesday night to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bohannon.

The B. W. M. U. met Monday afternoon at the church at which time the ladies finished packing the Christmas box for Buckners Orphan Home.

Miss Ermine Alvis of Rochester spent the weekend here with her aunt, Mrs. Joe Averett.

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Milton Bradberry has the flu.

Beginning Monday, I will make all deliveries from the local stores for those who want their orders delivered, to be paid by the individual. Within city limits each delivery costs. Deliveries made from 8 to 10 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. m. Telephone your order to the store and instruct groceryman to have it delivered.

J. E. Cook

The Herald will come out early next week. Get yours Tuesday.

There are some who think, but do not speak, and there are many who speak who do not think. Which class represents you?

Friday and Sat. Specials

Spuds, Number 1 Colorado's per peck .35

Compound, 8 pound pail .93

Coffee, M. J. B. 3 lb. can 1.17

Soap, P and G or Crystal White 10 bars .38

Raisins, Market Day 4 pound package .33

Peanut Butter, Armour's 2 lb jars .33 5 lb bucket .75

Powdered Sugar, 1 lb pkgs 3 for .25

Crackers, 2 pound Saltines .29 3 pound B. C. C. Soda .38

Oranges, Small size per dozen .17 3 dozen for .50

Snuff, 6 ounces Garrett or Honest .29

Syrup, Brer Rabbit per gallon Golden Star per gallon

Prepared Mustard, quart jar .10

J. M. Edwards Self Serv Store



The All Around Gift Store

Take your gift list to Bryant Link Company where gifts for all members of the family are artistically packed in Holiday boxes and ready for either mailing or the final dainty wrapping.



Gift Hand Bags

This comprehensive group of hand bags is the answer to your gift problem. Every bag a smart fashion—every bag an outstanding value. Priced

\$1.75 to \$7.95



Christmas Shirts

Such shirts you have never seen such fine quality at such a low price. Just the kind of a gift men will appreciate. A wide assortment of patterns to select from. Priced.

\$1.00 to \$1.95

The Haberdashery Shop

Bryant-Link Company

Knox City's Leading Department Store