Knox Connibulaterald you know I am your friend. Dear Santa, My name is Samuel Woodward. I am in the third grade, Santa, when City, attending the will you be at Knox City? I want ing the All Star to see you before Christmas. I hope held in Munday. that you will come soon. Well, I the league will be that you will come soon. Well, I the league will be guess that I will tell you what I Weinert, Benjamin. want for Christmas, I want a little Knox City. wosen, and some fire crackers and Samuel Woodward Following is the POSTER THEMES ear Santa, How are you? I am in the third Benjamin vs Knox Ci first half. Moorhouse and Best Fire Prevention Posters Weinert vs Gorce at Gores Cartisle entertained Sunday Pollowing are the names of the ening with a quall supper at the pupils making the best posters in of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ashthe grades. The rooms were beautifully First Grade decorated with large Christmas Beils Vera Hathway, Jack Stubbs and and red and green ropes from which Jimmie Wilson. icicles were hanging. The reflection Second Grade of the colored ights from the chand-Doris Elaine Clonts and Allen elier on th icieles cast a glow of soft varied colors in the room. In the Beginning with the third grade, center of the dining table was a he Bapistry in the church. the children had to make posters was better than being "good" small Christmas tree. In the center and write themes, so we give the The other outstanding number of each of the four tables was a tall names of the best of both. red taper surrounded at the base 'O'er Manger Bed", was equally as Third Grade Themes fine. A manger erected at the front by springs of mistletoe. Nellie Hathway, Marvin McCarty of the pulpit held the infant babe The menu consisted of fruit cock-Januery 9, Saturday and Aldine Huntsman. while "mother" sang her lulaby. The tail served in grapefruit baskets Benjamin vs Goree at Goree baby was the little kirl of Reverend Third Grade Posters with handles of mistetoe. The dinner Weinert vs Munday at Munday Nelie Hathway, Dorothy Gore and and Mrs. Shrap while the mother was plate contained quail, cheese balls, Knox City vs Sunset at Sunset portrayed by Mrs. Gordon Acker. The Melvin Dutton. eranberry jelly, potato balls, peas January 15, Friday baby was precious while Mrs. Acker Third Grade (Divson 2) Themes in tonbale cases, hot rolls, a con-Santa, my name is Rufus Doyal Weinert vs Knox City at Sunset Paul hoge, Leroy Stubbs, Annie geated fruit salad, and coffee was as usual excellent. White. Dear Santa, I want some fire Goree vs Munday at Munday Mae Rice, Wayne Eads and DeAiva Mrs. E. Q. Warren, whom the edit Christmas colors were carried out works, a tool box and dog colar Benjamin vs Sunset at Sunset or held responsible for this program, by the last course, cherry pie. the third Hammons. Third Grade (Division 2) Posters January 22, Friday states that she is only a small part The guests were Messers and Mesmy teach-Paul Edward Benedict, Geneva for my baby dog. Weinert vs Sunset at Sunset of its success, that it was the thorodames Henry Jones, Orland Jami-Rufus White Liles, Spencer Liles, Margaret Dutugh cooperation of every teacher in Goree vs Knox City at Goree son, Roy Baker, and Jimmie Ashg her some ton and George Wall. Benjamin vs Munday at Munday. the school that made this program croft; Misses Sydna Edwards, and We know Santa is happy again this week as he reads the letter of Fourth Grade Themes The second half will be played as Elizabeth Deavers, Messers W. T. bring me so fine. Anyway, it was good. Louis Montandon Jr., Glen Huntsanother little boy who did not forabove An all star tournament will Averitt, Reeder Smith, F. H. Lindwrist watch man, and Geneva Walker. get others. Just a pair of boots, Sane other little be held at the end of the season. NO HERALD NEXT WEEK sey and Henry Arledge. ta, after you have filled every other Fourth Grade Themes Superintendent Davenport, of the sock. Who could ask for less? Sunset School, was elected Director ? CLUB SOCIAL

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Dear Santa. Please be very kind to little children who are not able to buy things for themselves. Bring them some but most of warm clothes and fruit and nuts and candy. Then if you have a pair of boots left, will you please give them to me? I want some firecrackers, fruit, candy and nuts. Don't forget my sister way out in Mexico. Love to Santa.

W. A. Ables

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a paint book, a little machine, a little baby doll and a little wash tub. And I want Santa bring all the little girls and boys omething for Christmas. I am in the third grade. I am nine years old. rite Cagle. I My name is

Nells Hathaway

Dear Santa.

is Harold Daniel Junior. Santa are guests during the Holidays, Mr. and patronage that we have succeeded, you busy making toys? I know you Mrs. J. F. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. H. if succeeded we have, in publishing Cox. are making toys. I want you to bring R. Malone and baby and Mrs. J. A. the Herald and doing the bits of baver. I want of dishes, and me a tool box and a set of marbles Webb and babies all of Dalas. chairs, and and some nuts, a cowbey suit and some candy some candy. This is all. Goodbye. Harold

Dear Santa.

Bring me a ring dor Jura Jean. I want a table, I want three chairs. I want some oranges. Iwant some ame is Alline for you. I am apples. My teacher's

Your friend, Barbara Jo Stevenson

with eyes that Dear Santa Claus, Please bring me a big doll a ball and a purse. Thanks to Santa, Udell Darden

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa, I want two little cars ie. I am n the and an air gun a bicycle and I want an airplane and train and I want me beebees for a top.

Your friend, Gerald Averitt

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a football, a base ball and a bat and a knife. I am nine years old. Your friend,

Horace Potter

Dear Santa,

Please bring me some candy and a doll and a pair of gloves. I am

Your friend, Doly B. Hodges

and some little Dear Santa Claus,

Please bring me a doll and some candy and nuts. We hope that the other children will get what they want.

Your friend, Zena Bolin

Dear Santa Claus, Please bring me a doll in a trunk, and some clothes, and some dishes and a table also.

Winnie Mae Nance

Turn to Page 4 Please

Miss Irene Holand entertained a few of her friends last Saturday night in the home of her aunt, Mrs. H. L. White. The Christmas spirit was prevalent in decorations about the rooms. Following games of 42 refreshments of hot punch and cake were served. Those enjoying the evening wer Misss Alice Rees, Mildrd Dutton, Wilma Lowrey, Mozell Cochran, Exa Mae Leaverton, Joe Mrs. H. L. White and daughter, Lena of Spiritual and Material Blessings the gifts, a contest was held and Fayne, and Irene.

of the League and Sam Hampton of

Gorce, secretary and treasurer, \$5.00

from each Gym Sunset, Munday and

Goree will be used for buying a

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MISS HOLLAND ENTERTAINS

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can newspaper:

Virginia O'Hanlon.'

prehensible by their little minds,

of truth and knowledge.

As has been the custom of this

paper for the past many years, there will be no paper during the week of the New Year's Day. The next Herald will appear in the mail in the afternoon of Thursday, January Ith, cetting to you on the morning of the 8th. We ask that all readers save your news during the Holidays and bring it to the Hreald office the first week in the new year and it will ap-

pear in the Herald that week. Again, as is the custom of the Herald family, we are leaving Wednes day for Thornton to spend Christmas with Mother. Be there no other material joy on Christmas day, there will be the foy of being "Home" We wish you at a very Merry iChristmas and a good New Year. Let us hope that Gad, in His infinite Wisdom and Love, wil bring us a year

We are truly grateful for the busi-Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and Mr. ness the people of the town have to see me this Christmas. My name and Mrs. J. B. Jones and Mr. given us. It has been through your

Is There a Santa Claus?

A little girl once wrote the following letter to a large Ameri-

"Dear Editor: I am eight years old. Some of my little friends

Here is the reply that the editor sent to this little girl;

"Al minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's are

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly

say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says, 'if you see it in the Sun,

it's so.' Please tell me the truth; is there a Santa Caus?--

"Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected

by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except

what they see. They think that nothing can be which is not com-

little. In this great universe of ours, man is a mere insect, an

ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about

him as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole

as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they

abound, and give to our life its highest beauty and Joy. Alas! How

dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would

be dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no child

like faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this ex-

istence. We should have no enjoyment except sense and sight. The

eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be existing

in faries! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all

the chimneys on Christmas give to catch Santa Claus, but even if

they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove?

Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign there is no Santa

Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither

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

One of the most charming and entertaining socials of the Christmas season yet given in the city was that last Tuesday evening given by the members of the ? Club.

The scene of the social was the home of Miss Reeder, which was completely transformed to meet with the dreams of boys and girls of fairy land and Santa Claus. The soft glow of colored lights revealed to the guests beautiful reception rooms tables set for a perfect meal and christmas tree just read hearts with joy. On the completion of each course, of the three course christmas dinner, couples were forced, by some enticing, amusing, new feature, to change partners, Following the dinner and the reception of

Young men present for this oc-

CAR OWNERS URGED TO PAY

Knox county are urged to register fire department at once. their cars for 1932 in their home county.

Motor vehcle taxes, it was explained remained in the county wher they are paid. By payment of taxes in the home county, it was added the money derived will be made availabe for work in the precinct of the tax pay-

METHODIST MINUTES

Our attendance last Sunday a surprise to the pastor and a cad one. We had a fine interest in all departments. We hope that if you are not in Sunday School some where that you will come to ours. We will do our best to give you something that will help you in your every day life. I want it to be the aim of every teacher in theSunday School to be prepared to help the ones n their clas ses in their everyday life.

There were a number I am sure that expected to help with the offering to the Orphans and you did not get to come and you are still willing to help so drop it in one of the boxes that you will find at several of the business houses or give it to me anytime that you can in the next few days. I want us to make our offering to this cause one that we will not be ashamed of when we come to face all our deeds.

Come to the services next Sunday and lets have a great day in worship. Jim H. Sharp, Pastor Methodist

Mrs. Della Short and daughter Addie will leave Wednesday for Brownwood where they will visit Mrs. Short's brother.

Georgia Mae Stubbs, Roy Roger Smith and Ruth McGee,

Fifth Grade Posters Billie Bess Benedict, Nina Vandever and Mary Lee Hackfied.

Following are the best themes written by the third fourth and fifthe grade pupils. Read them and lears what the children can do.

> FIRE PREVENTION (By Paul Hoge)

In this country every year, many thes and million dollars worth of

property are destroyed by fire. Ninety per cent of these fires are caused by carelessness. There are many ways that we can prevent fire es. Being careful with matches, gaso line, coal oil, and fire works are ways you can help your town some and community. If your house has an attic you should look at it and see if there is any rubbish, in it. cassion were Messers Reeder Smith. If there is, clean, it out. Look in T. B. Dean, Otis F. Martin, Ancil other places too, such as cellars, Waldrip, Lonnie Cassle and Buford barns and smoke houses. When you have cleaned these, your house and Words are insufficient to reveal its surroundings will not be in so the beauty of this party and the much danger of fire. Keep your fuel pleasure of the evening for all the in a safe place. Do not carry matches with you. When you are camping, you should see that the fire is out. When you are camping on a windy CAR TAXES IN HOME COUNTIES day, you should dig a ditch to put your fire in. When your house catch-Car vehicle owners residing in es fire, you should telephone the

> FIRE PREVENTION (By Junior Montandon)

Unnecessary fires that are sometimes in big buildings could be prevented by keeping matches away from rats, or keep them off the floot so that nobody would step on them. If you are starting a fire do not throw kerosene on a burning blaze, because the blaze might go up the stove pipe and set the house on fire and purn up every thing in it. The fire wick might not get there in

> FIRE PREVENTION (By Georgia Mae Stubbs)

In this week in the study of fire prevention I think we should stay each way fires are caused. We should learn their prevention.

There are fires from cigarettes arelessly thrown in trash, in the forests, in ripe grain fields, in dry pastures, causing millions of dollars damage each year.

Then draperies hung near stoves cause many houses to burn. As well as careless use of kerosene in starting in kerosenestoves.

Think of the damage that is done just by one little match.

Once in Chicago many years ago amaiden was milking her cow by lantern light. The cow kicked over he lantern, setting fire to the cow shed. It spread rapidly because at that time they didn't have the powerful fire trucks that they have day, It burned and burned days and days, causing millione of dollars of damage. If this maiden had only place ed her lantern carefully, think of the tragedy it would have provented

chidren nor men can see. Did you ever see faries dancing on the lawn? Of course not: but that's no proof that they are not there Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unsecable in the world. "You might tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes

the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the super al buty and glory beyond. Is it all real. Ah, Virginia, in all the world there is nothing else real and abiding. "No Santa Cigus? Thank God! he lives, and he lives forever.

A thousand years from now Virginia, may, ten times ten thousand years from now he will betines to make slad the heart of childhood."--(Casual Essay

To You

Of words, there are many

and the thoughts they can

express are legion-but none can mean more than

our sincere Merry Christ-

Wm. Cameron Co.

Two Times That

When you have thought

of all the good things which come to you this Christmas -double them and that

will be our wish for you

in this Merry Christmas

Frizzell Drug Store

T. S. Edwards, M. D. hertained their boy friends Surgery and diseases

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The merchants and business men of Knox City

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Cheer and Good Fellowship

May cheer and good fellowship prevail for you this Christmas. May your hearts ever be lighted with the beacon of loyalty which has let us call ourselves your friends,

We appreciate the business you have given us in the past and hope to merit your continued confidence,

J. M. Edwards Self Service Gro.



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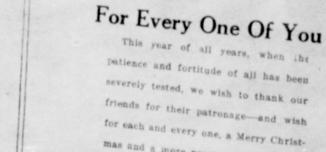
The Citizens State Bank



In Appreciation

The holiday season again affords us an opportunity to extend Greetings to our friends and patrons—and wish them all-happiness in the days ahead.

City Tailor Shop



mas and a more prosperous New Year. Western Produce Company

Two Little Words

"Merry Christmas."-Those two

words have behind them all our good

wishes for your future happiness-mix-

ed with gratitude for your loyal support

White Mercantile Company DRY GOODS-READY-TO-WEAR SHOES

of us in the past.



Greetings

We deeply appreciate the patronage You have given us during the past year and hope to merit your continued confidence. We also wish you the best Yuletide Greetings.

Warren Brothers

Best Wishes

To the chorus of greetings, allow us to add our very best wishes for a right Merry Christmas and the happiest of New Years to you and yours.

Ashcroft Chevrolet Co.







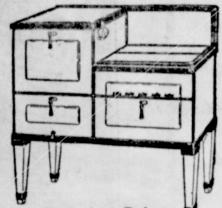
MODERA Wise Man Her Something Useful



TS, this year, are en for utility and Nobody wants les, and the most practical gift ld is a modern gas range.

a new era of tter cooking rife's kitchen

del Gas Ranges have feature for the houseence time clock, en control, insulated dern gas ranges cost less te and there is still time stalled before Christmas.



Your Gas Appliance Dealer or your Gas Company has a wide selection of up-to-date models.

llapsible Cranberry Sauce... For the Christmas Menu!

> 1 qt (1 lb.) cramberries 2 cups of sugar 2 cupe of boiling water

Place berries in the bolling water. Cook 6 to 6 minutes by the clock, and then turn off heat. Press fruit through sieve and add sugar. Place on fire and stir faithfully with wooden spoon until mixture is rolling in a bubbling boil. Turn of gas and pour into ecolord glass or

Western Gas Co.



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POPULAR MECHANICS

200 East Ontario Street CHICAGO, ILL.



Greetings

The gay and happy season of feasting and merry-making—the time when peace and good-will inhabit every heart-time when gift-gladden both donor and receptor is here, and welcome. Our thoughts are pleasantly diffused with memories of past holidays and in ectatic realization of this present joyous Yultide we extend to you the Greetines of the Season.

The First National Bank Knox City, Texas

mad scramble for the best chairs and rolls. The young ladies finally reson with toast and cinamon rolls and cued their hidden garments and went home to sleep and get ready for the last of the relay Saturday

> As a grand climax, Miss Hazel Potter entertained with a dinner Sat urday night." The following guests lones and Panny Farmer, Miss Jac juline Reese and Claud Stovall, Miss diss Bernice Raney and Charles Mc-

tleman should propery seat a lady and were served pineapple cocktail Dores Elaine Clonts and Jeanne naids and brought out the meat course which consisted of baked chicken, dressing, gravy, potatoes, ranberry jelly and pear salad.

Between courses we found that we had been mistaken in thinking that Santa was depressed because to ou amesement, he had brought gifts and left each child (?) present some thing on a Christmas Tree., Hezal

low silenty, how silently, The wonderous gift is given! o God imparts to human hearts The blessings of His heaven. to ear may hear His coming, But in this word of sin, Where meek souls will receive Him

The dear Christ enters in

holy Child of Bethlehem! Descend to us, we pray;

We hear the Christmas angel The great glad tidings tell; Oh come to us, abide with us,

Believe It Or Not

Boy wants Sam Bo Doll

Almong the interesting letters reeived at the Herald office this week is one from little Travis Dean, Read

Dear Santa, I'm a little boy of 31 years. I each school at K. C. H. S. Please gring me a Sam Bo Doll.

> Yours. Travis Dean

Enjoy Christmas by equipping our radio set with new batteries and new tubes, and hear the old year ut and the new in. Complete stock of radio batteries and tubes at the Ashcroft Chevrolet Company



BABIES are Upset

BABY ills and ailments seem twice as serious at night. A sudden cry may mean colic. Or a sudden attack of diarrhea. How would you meet this emergency—tonight? Have you a bottle of Castoria ready?

For the protection of your wee of for your own peace of mind keep old, reliable preparation always on he

