

Emergency Grain Program Extended Through Feb. 15

Walter T. McKay, state director of the Farmers Home Administration, this week advised Wilburn A. Satterwhite, county supervisor, of the extension of the Emergency Feed Grain Program in Knox, Baylor and Throckmorton counties.

Under this extension, farmers and ranchers may now file applications through February 15, 1957 for a supply of feed grain necessary to carry their basic livestock herds through March 15, 1957.

Mr. McKay also advised that the Emergency Roughage Program will also be extended. However, there will be a delay in accepting applications for roughages until sometime in early January, since financial aspects of the program are being worked out in Washington.

Munday Bank Plans 'Open House' in Remodeled Quarters

No longer will that "push cart" be used to transport valuable papers and records from the First National Bank building in Munday to temporary banking quarters across the street north. This operation was begun on April 21, 1956, when banking quarters were moved for remodeling the old building.

Last Monday, without much fanfare, bank employees "set up shop" in their new quarters—the newly remodeled building which has been made into one of the most convenient and attractive for banking facilities in this area. The employees just moved in and went to work.

There were a number of flowers, however, from firms and friends of the bank in recognition of the completion of a tremendous remodeling task.

The building is not completed, with some work yet to be done on the upper story, but officials and employees of the bank were anxious to get in and get adjusted to their new surroundings.

W. E. Braly, president, and other officials of the bank have set the date for their formal opening for the week end following Christmas, at which time practically all the work will be completed.

Officers and directors will be hosts to area bankers at an open house Saturday, Dec. 29, from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

Then from 2 to 5 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 30, the general public will be invited to the formal opening.

TOMMY GAGE MEMBER OF HONORARY FRATERNITY

Tommy W. Gage, University of Texas student, is a new member of Nu Chapter of Rho Chi, honorary pharmaceutical fraternity.

Gage, senior pharmacy student, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gage. He is a member of Kappa Psi, pharmaceutical society, and is an honor roll student.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Keck will spend Christmas with relatives in Ranger.

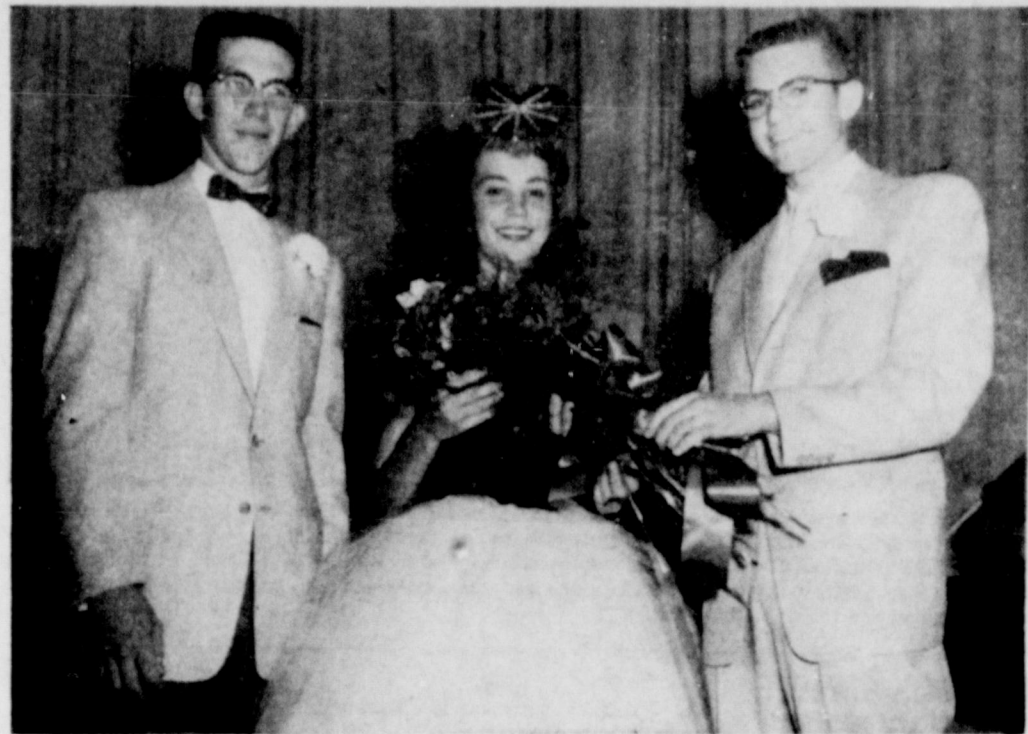
Benjamin Proud Of State Approved Water Supply

The City of Benjamin, which for so many years had a short (and muddy) water supply, is now one of the very few towns in this section allowed to display signs reading "Public Water Supply Approved, State Health Department."

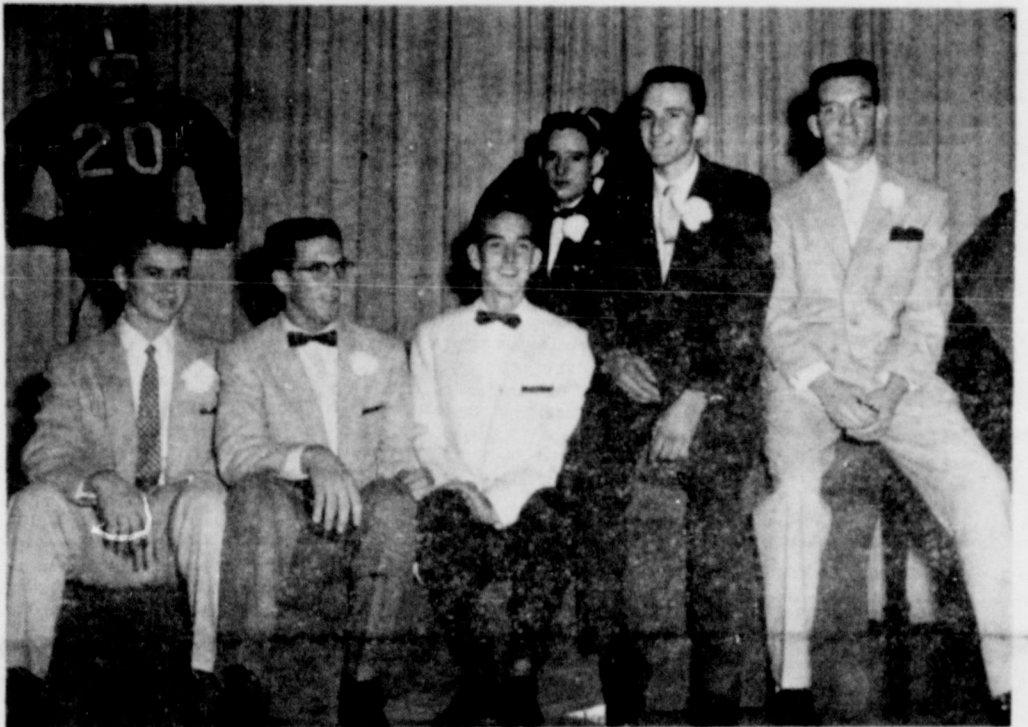
The city received four large steel signs Wednesday, and they will be put up at the city limits of Benjamin as soon as the weather clears, according to City Secretary W. M. Hertel. No other town in Knox County has a water supply and system approved by the State Health Department, and very few in this section of West Texas, Hertel said.

The specifications for approval are very rigid, with one of the conditions being that there must be a certain retention time on chlorination.

Benjamin's municipal water is purchased from the Knox County Water Improvement District No. 1. It comes from wells on the T. B. Hertel farm 4½ miles east of Jamison Roadside Park north of Knox City, and travels through 10½ miles of pipeline before reaching the 250,000 gallon storage tanks at the Benjamin City Lake.



Charlotte Cornett was crowned "Football Sweetheart" Tuesday, Dec. 11, at the annual banquet honoring members of the Greyhound football team. The sweetheart was chosen by team members, and her identity was kept secret until the coronation. She was crowned by Bill Yarbrough, and Rip Collins, Jr., presented her a bouquet of red carnations. The two boys were co-captains of the Greyhound squad. Dick Todd, athletic director of Midwestern University, Wichita Falls, was principal speaker at the banquet.



The final high school football activity for these boys was the recent banquet honoring members of the Greyhound football team. Pictured left to right are Benny Stephens, Bill Yarbrough, David Neil Perdue (team manager), Hoyt Lovelace, Bobby Driver and Rip Collins, Jr. The boys are all seniors, and will receive their high school diplomas in the spring.

BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN TO SERVE AS DANIEL'S SECRETARY OF STATE

Governor-elect Price Daniel announced this week that he will appoint Zollie Steakley, former assistant attorney general, as Secretary of State January 15.

Steakley, well known Austin and Sweetwater lawyer, is the brother of Dan Steakley, Knox City automobile dealer.

The term of the secretary of state runs concurrently with the term of governor. Daniel said he will make the formal appointment after he is sworn in.

Steakley, 48, served as assistant attorney general under Gerald Mann and was special assistant when Daniel was attorney general. He has been in private practice in Austin for the past 10 years in the firm of Smith and Steakley. He said he would sever all connections with the firm.

"I am happy that an able and outstanding citizen like Zollie Steakley, at the sacrifice of a successful and established law practice, has agreed to serve in this highly important state office created by the framers of our constitution," Daniel said in a written statement.

Steakley replied, also in a statement:

"I am honored by the governor elect in this appointment to serve

as secretary of state. I did not seek the office, but I believe in Price Daniel and in his program of good government for Texas. I will be proud to be a part of his administration."

Steakley was born in Rotan Aug. 29, 1908, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Steakley. His father now lives in Sweetwater. He is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University and the University of Texas Law School.

He served as a U. S. Naval officer during World War II and was placed on inactive duty in the Naval Reserve.

Tri-County Medical Society Meets

The Tri-County Medical Society and its Auxiliary met for dinner at the Terry Cafe in Munday Tuesday night.

Special guests were Dr. and Mrs. Travis Smith and Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams of Abilene. Dr. Smith is a member of the 13th District Medical Council, and Dr. Williams is pathologist at Hendrick Memorial Hospital.

Following dinner, the doctors met in Dr. R. L. Newsom's office for the election of new officers. Dr. J. J. Massa of Seymour was retained as president and Dr. C. G. Markward of Knox City was elected secretary, replacing Dr. Newsom.

Highway Department to Spend \$225,600 in County

The Texas Highway Department will spend \$225,600 for improvements on highways in Knox County during 1957. D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer, has announced. This is in addition to the regular construction and maintenance program.

The State Highway Commission has approved the appropriation of \$225,600 to improve already existing highways in the county, and there will be little or no right-of-way requirements, Greer said. At the December meeting of the Highway Commission, \$30 million was allotted to

196 Texas counties for road improvement during 1957. The \$30 million is being spent for shoulder widening, seal coat jobs, additional surfacing, and for widening of structures in these counties.

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The eight projects in Knox County will be under the supervision of Herbert Cunningham of Munday, resident engineer.

"We should have this program moving by spring," Greer said. "We believe the \$225,600 spent in Knox County will go a long way toward bringing these highways up to date."

The money will be spent in Knox County on the following projects:

On FM 143 from King County line to Knox City, a distance of 12.2 miles, widen base and surface on 6.9 miles and seal coat 5.3 miles.

On FM 2279 from Haskell county line to FM 143, a distance of 6.4 miles, seal coat.

On FM 266 from Goree to U.S. 82, a distance of 12.9 miles, seal coat.

On FM 267 from Munday to U.S. 82, a distance of 11.0 miles, seal coat.

On FM 1587 from Munday to Haskell County line, a distance of 6.1 miles, seal coat.

On FM 1043 from State 222 north and east to State 222, a distance of 2.5 miles, seal coat.

On State 222 from Knox City to Munday, a distance of 12.1 miles, seal coat.

On State 283 from Foard County line to Haskell County line, a distance of 30.2 miles, seal coat.

Services Scheduled at Assembly of God During Holidays

Gospel services will be held at the Assembly of God Church in Knox City Christmas Eve and Christmas night, it was announced Friday.

A revival meeting is in progress at the church. It was originally planned to hold services every night except Saturday nights and Dec. 24 and 25.

"Plan to bring your family to the meeting both Christmas eve and Christmas night. There will be no services on Saturday nights," Rev. F. E. Starrick, pastor, said.

The Branham-Steele evangelistic team is conducting the revival.

Study Club Members Entertain Husbands At Christmas Party

Seventy-five members and guests of the 1946 Study Club held their annual Christmas party Thursday night at Roddy's Dining Room. Mrs. Edd Smart, Mrs. Bill Colwell and Mrs. Neil Perdue were hostesses.

Tables were decorated with candles and greenery and Christmas scenes. A turkey dinner was served.

Following dinner Mrs. Rip Collins gave two readings. Mrs. Jerry Cobb and Miss Sue Guinn sang "Sisters" and "Winter Wonderland," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Kenneth Myers.

Games were played following the program.

Band Calendars Still Available

There are a number of extra band calendars to be sold. Mrs. Guy Robinson, an officer of the Band Boosters, said this week.

Mrs. Robinson suggested a calendar, with a picture of the school band on front, as a suitable gift for relatives of band members. Those wanting to buy one or more may see Mr. or Mrs. Jack Fisher, co-chairmen of the calendar committee.

HIGHWAY PATROL TO CRACK DOWN ON HOLIDAY TRAFFIC VIOLATORS

Capt. K. B. Hallmark Jr., commanding officer of the Wichita Falls district, Texas Highway Patrol, this week warned motorists that the Highway Patrol will crack down on traffic law violators during the holidays, in an effort to hold down the death and accident rate.

"Once again we approach a holiday season and once again some of us will forget whose birthday we celebrate," Capt. Hallmark said. "Some of us will get full of alcoholic spirits and forget the spirit of Christ. Once

again many of us will get in our cars and get out on the streets and highways and forget the rights of others, yes even forget common courtesy, and cause sorrow and suffering to our fellow man. It is ironic that we should celebrate our Savior's birth by having a week or more of slaughter on our streets and highways.

"We of the Texas Highway Patrol wish all of you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, and pledge that we will leave no stone unturned in our attempt to make your holiday season a safe one. Patrolmen in this district will work longer hours and we pledge that the potential killer on our highways will get no mercy from us. We will arrest the speeder and the drinking driver whenever and wherever we find him. Each year these drivers have persisted in carrying out their grim task of slaughter during our December holiday season.

"This year once again we pledge to the careful law abiding driver that we will do all in our power to help you to be here January 1st, and out of the hospital. Please help us in every way you can in order that we may do our job. Slow down, keep your mind on your driving, and leave off the alcohol when driving and you stand a good chance to be well and happy January 1, 1957."

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Berkeley and three children of Brookfield, Md., are expected to arrive Sunday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Propps. Mrs. Berkeley is the former Marjorie Propps.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jenkins of San Diego, Calif., are here to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Deane and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jenkins of Rochester.



Dr. T. S. Edwards and Dr. R. C. Edwards are standing at the rear of the former's Jeep station which is loaded with seven deer brought back from South Texas by their hunting party. The party consisted of the two doctors, Henry Jones, Rudolph Hackfield Sr., Rudolph Hackfield Jr., R. P. Barnard, and Howard Hendrix, camp cook. The older members of the party have been making the hunt annually for 21 years, and said their luck this year was the best ever. One of the deer was a 12-point buck with probably the largest spread of any they have ever killed.

Knox City Band To Give Concert at Ft. Worth Stock Show

Friday, February 1, will be "Knox City Day" at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Ft. Worth, it was announced this week.

Band director W. J. Morris accepted an invitation from exposition officials for the Knox City School Band to give a concert as one of the feature's of the day's program.

A special block of tickets will be available for Knox Citizens attending the show on that day.

and this
by RENE
Merry Christmas
like only a few weeks
we were wishing you a
Christmas, 1955!
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that's a sign we're get-
ter, or perhaps it's be-
has only rained three
times since our last
column.
...
this is our Christmas
1956, and it's the plumb
meetings and thanks from
merchants, and of
Santa Claus from your
neighbor's child.
...
the merchants are
you for your patronage,
to thank the merchants
cooperation, not only
me, but throughout the
...
also to the children for
Santa Claus letters... how
we have filled our
bins this week?
...
last of all, thank goodness,
the Christmas issue is about
for the mail!
...
the Herald is being printed
days early so our readers—
this area, at least—will re-
it before Christmas.
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ish on Wednesday, we have
trouble with our news
because the paper is
on Thursday... and we
to beat around the bush by
things like "was to be"
were to have been."
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this week we just gave up,
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matter if the paper is dated
it, everything in it was writ-
later than Saturday, Dec.
...
last issue was published
no days ago... Not much
happened since then except
the day in between the two
was the shortest day of
year and—the calendar says
beginning of winter.
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winter has just started, we
some pretty cold weather
all!
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sometimes in the past, in our
issue of the year, we've writ-
about how dry the year has
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just proves that we
write about something we
nothing about... because
don't know what a dry year
is to this year!
...
the rain this week—and
again last night—was
the nicest Christmas gift
Citizens could receive, and
make everyone enjoy Christ-
little more. Perhaps 1957
be that wet, bumper-crop
we've all been looking for.
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forget there won't be
paper published on Dec.
this is it!
...
But we'll be back with another
on January 5... and in the
time the Herald publishers
all the help wish you and



Rites Held at Bowie For Former Resident Of Knox County

Funeral services were held Monday, Dec. 10 at 3 p. m. from Burgess Funeral Chapel in Bowie for William T. (Wid) Myers, 83, former Truscott resident who died at his home near Bowie

Sunday. He had been in declining health for several years.

Rev. T. B. Bradshaw, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Bowie, officiated. Burial was in Brushy Cemetery near Bowie.

Mr. Myers was born May 12, 1875 in Blanton, Hill County, Texas. He had lived in Montague County since 1931.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Calvin of Ft. Worth, Preston of Refugio and Floyd of Bowie; three daughters, Mrs. Mae Chowning of El Paso, Mrs. Edna Short of Port Lavaca and Mrs. Beulah Nichols of Kamay; one brother, George Myers of Torrance, Calif.; one half-brother, Ralph Myers of Gilliland; five half-sisters, Mrs. J. C. Eubank, Truscott, Mrs. Lillie Ryder of Benjamin, Mrs. C. C. Lewis of Yakima, Wash., Mrs. Dudley Pitts of Altus, Okla. and Mrs. Jess Boykin of Rule; 17 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

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A group of teen-agers "fell-in" and finished the interior of the new community youth center, getting it ready for the first entertainment Saturday night, Dec. 22. Shown painting the walls are Patricia Compton, Rip Collins Jr., Benny Stephens, Joe Lynn Cash, David Perdue and Joey Watkins. The center was built by the city and painted on the outside, but the interior was left for the teen-agers to finish and furnish.

Four Deadlines Facing Veterans

Four major deadlines face veterans now being released or discharged from active duty with the armed forces, officials of the Veterans Administration said this week.

The most important deadline concerns GI insurance and affects veterans who have been released from active service since Sept. 4, 1956.

Instead of having 120 days in which to apply for a special type of five-year, nonconvertible GI insurance, these newly discharged veterans must apply before midnight, Dec. 31, 1956.

This deadline was set by the recently enacted servicemen's and veterans' survivors benefits act which revised the death benefits program for the beneficiaries of veterans who die as a result of

service.

Veterans with service during the Korean conflict (June 27, 1950 through Jan. 31, 1955) should remember that they have three years from the date of discharge or separation to apply for education and training under the GI Bill.

Korean veterans should also keep in mind that most of them have only a year from the date of their discharge or separation in which to apply for dental treatment.

Exceptions to the one-year rule are those veterans who are receiving disability compensation for a service-connected dental condition or those veterans whose dental disabilities are as a result of combat injuries or service injuries. They may apply at any time.

The same rules apply to peace-time veterans and six-month enlistees except that the latter two groups must have been discharged for disability incurred in line of duty or are receiving VA compensation for a service-connected disability.

GI home loan deadline for veterans of the Korean conflict period is Jan. 31, 1965.

SANTA LETTERS

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a train set, a BB gun, a tool set and an army rifle.
Thank you Santa,
Glen Smart

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a train, a BB gun, a punching bag and boxing gloves.
Thank you,
Mart Bolin

Dear Santa:
I want a BB gun, ball, bat and glove. Please bring me some nuts and candy too.
Your friend,
James Strickland

Dear Santa:
I want a doll and some dishes. Please bring me some nuts and candy too.
Your friend,
Wanda Strickland

Dear Santa:
I want a gun and a big truck for Christmas. Please bring me some nuts and candy.
Your friend,
Paul Strickland

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a pair of guns and a knife and scabbard. Please bring me a cap.
Love, Your Friend,
Anthony Logsdon

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll house and a doll, a nurse's kit, a red bicycle and a record player.
Love,
Becky Lowrey

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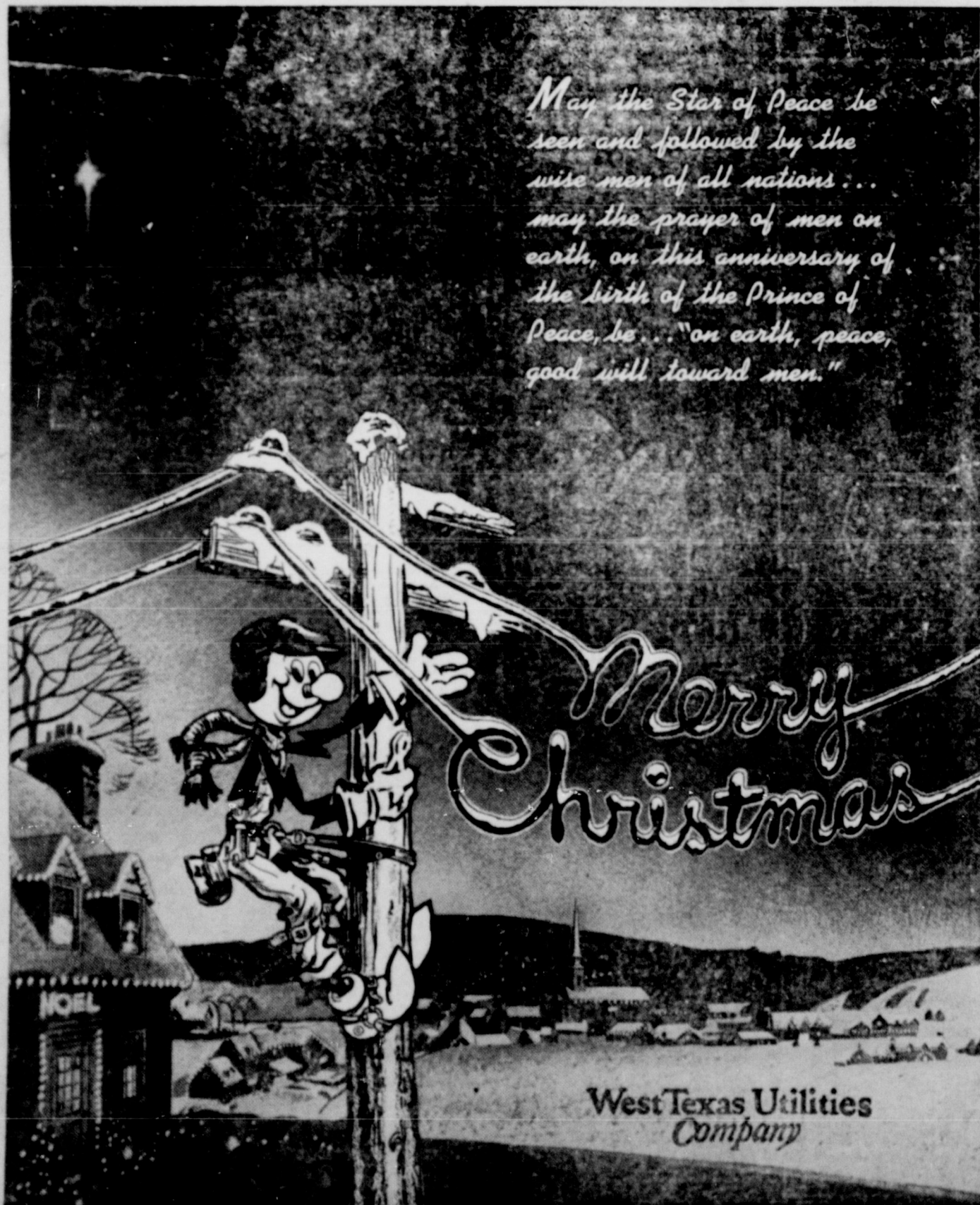


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West Texas Utilities Company

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAuley and Charles C. of Lubbock are spending Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McAuley Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gene Bradberry and son plan to spend Christmas in Dallas visiting her brother, Jimmie Ewell, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Vaughan plan to visit relatives and friends in Ft. Worth and Milford during the holidays. Mrs. Vaughan is a teacher in the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulric Lea and Jimmy will spend Christmas in Amarillo with Mrs. Lea's mother and other relatives and friends.

Holiday guests of Mr. Otis Harbert are their children, Mrs. J. R. Hughey, and Mrs. Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vin children left Saturday for Kansas to spend Christmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith to spend Christmas with daughter, Mrs. Arville Coy family in Childress.

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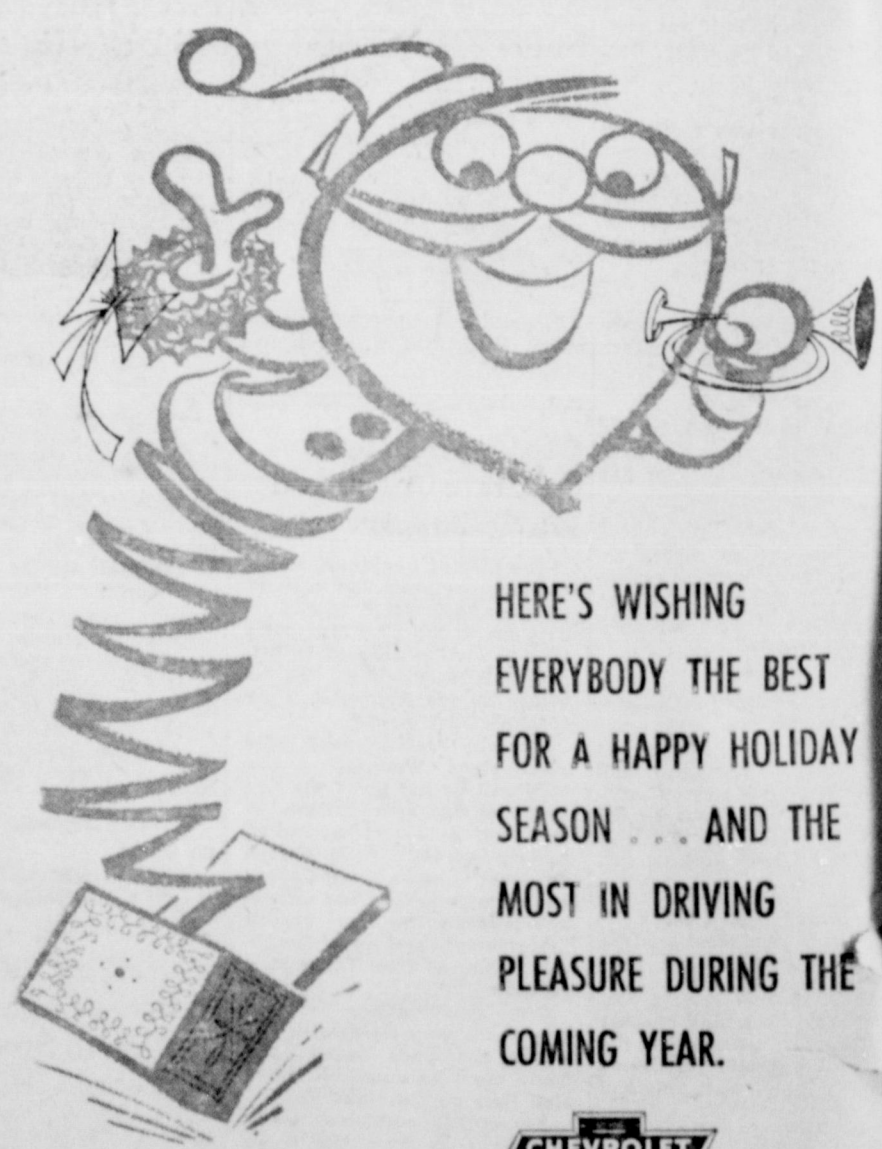
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Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa:
I am six years old and I am in the first grade. Please bring me a football suit and a cowboy hat.
Love,
Ronnie Hughes

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll and a nurse kit. I am six years old and in the first grade. I have been good.
With Love,
Glenda Dunn

2913 N. Henderson
Odessa, Texas

Dear Santa:
This is my first Christmas since I have been big enough to know a little about it. See, I'm only one year old.

Please bring me a doll and a hobby horse. Also bring all other little boys and girls something nice.
Remember my Mema and Pa and Granny who live at Knox City.

I love you,
Susie Sellers

Dear Santa Claus:
Would you please bring me a doll and some dishes, and a baton and a dress, too?
Thank you, Santa Claus.
Jane Espinoza

O'Brien School

Dear Santa:
I would like an electric toaster for my Mother and a dress shirt for my Daddy. Please bring me a lineman's tool belt. Please do not forget my brother and sister and my good teacher Mrs. Gibson.

Love,
Randall Mason

Dear Santa:
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a real doll with real hair, a doll buggy, a dressing table, play sweeper, a set of dishes, and a grocery cart for my doll.

I have a little brother. He likes trucks, tractors, hammers, just anything you have.
Don't forget anybody.
Love,
Karen Clonts

O'Brien School

Dear Santa:
My name is Trudy Elaine Woodall and I am seven years old.

For Christmas I would like a coke machine, and I would like a Wedding Doll too. And a suit case for the clothes.

For my Father I would like an electric shaver.
And for my mother I would like some stockings.

Love,
Trudy Woodall

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy seven years old. I am in the first grade, a good boy. Please bring me a football suit.

Love,
Dennis Schmidt

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
I want a bracelet, Ellie wants a typewriter, Lavin wants a camera. Mother wants a big dinner.

Your friend,
June Lewis

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a football.

Amador Gonzales

Dear Santa:
Would you please bring me a baking set and a game and a doll.

Mary Ann Reese

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am five years old and I have a little sister, two. Please bring us Tiny Tears dolls, some little suit cases and a table and chairs.

We love you and will be waiting for you to come to see us.
Lots of love,
Claudia Jean and
Diane Barnard

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years old. I am in the first grade and I have been a good girl.
Please bring me a pair of skates and a bride doll.

Love,
Beverly Wright

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a doll. Its name is Lambie Pie. Please don't forget my little sister and the other boys and girls.

Love,
Judy Ann Meinzer

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle and a basketball and the net, and a baseball bat and a baseball glove.
Your friend,
Frank Perez Jr.

Dear Santa:
I am six years old, and I have been a good girl.

I would like a Tiny Tears doll that cries real tears, a Bride Doll with a suit case and clothes, and a Walking Doll.

Santa, please eat my cookies and milk I'll leave for you.
Love and kisses,
Carolyn Bradford

O'Brien, Texas

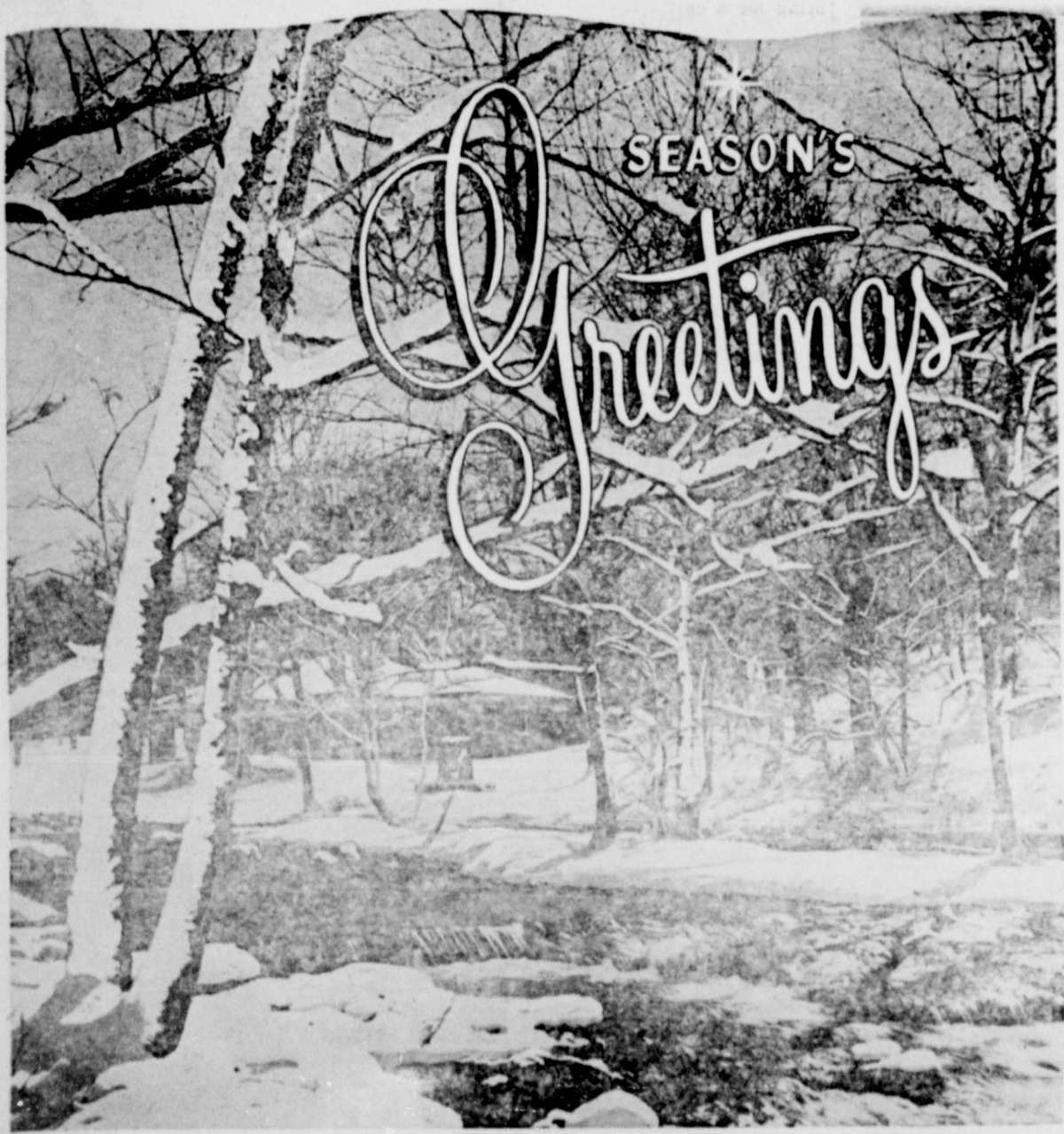
Dear Santa:
I have been a pretty good girl this year.
I would like some skates for Christmas.

I would also like an accordion. And also a baby Bannister.
I love you,
Shirley

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a bride doll with clothes and a suit case.
Santa, I will have refreshments for you by the Xmas tree.
Love,
Renda Dutton



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Merry Christmas to all!

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MRS. RUTH WRIGHT
MRS. LEE COATES

Santa Letters

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl six years old. I have been good. I am in the first grade.

Bring me a cake set and a Toodles baby doll and a jewelry box and a nurse kit. You will find some food on the table.

Love,
Sherri Sutton

Route 2
O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a Sweater Doll and china dishes. I wish that you would bring me a play chest of drawers. And don't forget my brother and mother and father and don't forget to fill my stocking.

Love,
Dianna Underwood

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years old. I am in the first grade and I have been a good girl.

Please bring me a bicycle and a doll with roller skates.

Love,
Colleen Averitt

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me a record player, foot scooter, guns and scabbards. Don't forget my Granddads and Grandmothers. They have been good too. Hope to see you Christmas.

Love,
Sammy Lynn Tankersley

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a football and a football suit, and a bat.

I have been a good boy.
Love,
Steve Wilson

O'Brien, Rt. 1

Dear Santa:
I would like a BB gun and a train. Robin wants a walking doll and doll clothes. Please bring all the other boys and girls lots of toys.

I love you,
Freddy Clark

Dear Santa:
I would like a Foto-Electric football set, a Rawlings basketball like the school's, a pair of red basketball knee pads.

Love,
Brack Shaver

Dear Santa:
I have been a good boy. I am 6 years old. Please bring me a cowboy suit, some guns and a cement mixer truck. Also some fruit, nuts and candy.

Love,
Junior Swearingen

P. S.: Please bring my brothers and sisters what they want too.

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a BB gun and a little car. I want a big bicycle. Please bring me a big red ball. Will you bring me a little wagon I will like to have a baseball suit. I will have some good little gloves.

Love,
Albert Rameiz

And don't forget my mother and father.

Dear Santa:
I am five years old. I would like to have a blackboard and a train. Please bring me some fruit and nuts and candy. Please don't forget Mommy and Daddy and my sister and brother.

With love,
Benny Adams

Dear Santa:
I am a good boy in the first grade. Please bring me a set of guns and since it has been so dry this year I guess that will be plenty.

Thanks.
Love,
Mickey Logan

P. S.: You will find some cookies and milk on the table.

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a walking doll, that talks also, a doll buggy, table and chairs. And fill my sock with candy and fruit.

And don't forget the other little children in town. Please think of Sue and Randy.

I have been good.
Rolanda Stubbs

Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Anne Hoge. I am 5 and a half years old.

I want a Betsy Wetsy doll, and a J. Fred Muggs, and a Bathingette.

Thank you very much.
Love,
Anne Hoge

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good boy. Please bring me a bicycle, cowboy outfit and a doctor's kit. Don't forget the other boys and girls.

Love,
Kenny Lawson

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I would like to have a BB gun and two guns, and I want a car and a ball and a wagon.

Love,
Frank Aguilar

Dear Santa:
I would like a Toodles boy doll with some clothes. I would like to have two sweaters. I would like to have a real watch and a View-Master and a doctor kit and a Uncle Wiggly game.

Yours truly,
Jan Sutton

O'Brien, Rt. 1

Dear Santa:
I would like to have a nurse kit and Linda Doll with layette. In the layette: night gown, dress, coat, washcloth and towel, socks, booties, rattler, pacifier, bottle. Don't forget Mother and Father. Please fill my stocking.

With love,
Vickie Caldwell

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
I'm a little boy five years old, and Mommie says I've been a pretty good boy.

Please come to see me and leave a big red wagon, boxing gloves, socker bag, and a cap rifle with a telescopic sight on it. Please visit all the kids and my Uncle Sug and all the soldier boys.

Thanks a million,
Tommy Leek

Dear Santa:
I would like to have a Toodles baby doll with some clothes. I would like a white coat and some sweaters and a cake set. Don't forget my sisters.

Love,
Cheryl Sutton

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a John Deere tractor, gun and airplane.

Please bring it to me.
I have been a good boy.
Billy Mack

THE KNOX COUNTY HERALD, THURSDAY, DEC. 2



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Dear Santa:
I am a good boy in the first grade. Please bring me a set of guns and since it has been so dry this year I guess that will be plenty.

Thanks.
Love,
Mickey Logan

P. S.: You will find some cookies and milk on the table.

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a walking doll, that talks also, a doll buggy, table and chairs. And fill my sock with candy and fruit.

And don't forget the other little children in town. Please think of Sue and Randy.

I have been good.
Rolanda Stubbs

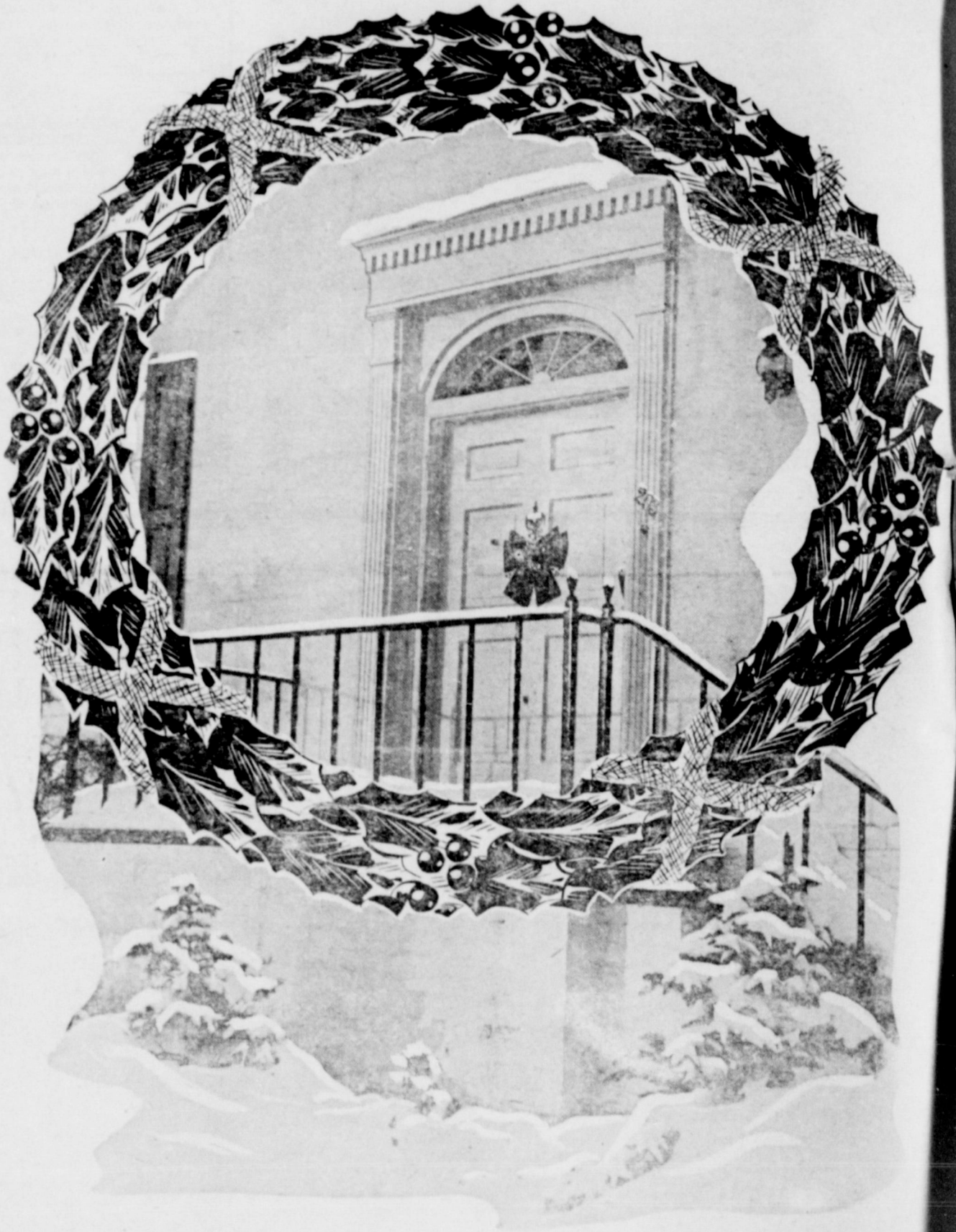
Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Anne Hoge. I am 5 and a half years old.

I want a Betsy Wetsy doll, and a J. Fred Muggs, and a Bathingette.

Thank you very much.
Love,
Anne Hoge

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good boy. Please bring me a bicycle, cowboy outfit and a doctor's kit. Don't forget the other boys and girls.

Love,
Kenny Lawson



It's always such a pleasure to get in touch with you like this when Christmastime is here. It is a time for remembering old acquaintances, renewing old friendships — a time when eyes are alight and hearts are warm with the glow of giving and sharing happiness. May we add our wish that all of you, our friends and patrons, may enjoy the blessings of a very Merry Christmas!

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TO ONE AND ALL FOR
A MERRY CHRISTMAS**

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Letters to Santa Claus



MERRY CHRISTMAS to all our friends —
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Dear Santa:
Would you please bring me a bicycle. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Doug Hall

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a baby doll and a cooking set. Judy wants a doll too.
Love,
Penny Meinzer

Dear Santa:
I am three years old and I want a shotgun, couple of trucks and a bag of candy. I have a little sister Peggy, and please bring her a doll, a doll buggy and a table and chairs.
Joe and Peggy Hester

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a bicycle and bring me an archery set and please bring my brother a rocking horse.
I have been a good boy and my brother has been a good boy too.
Love,
Terry and Jimmy Duraso

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Ballerina doll, some clothes for her and a nurse kit.
My little brother Randy would like a Saddle TV Seat, a big car and some blocks.
Don't forget other boys and girls.
Love,
Roma Sue Egenbacher

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a ballet doll and a gown. Don't forget Debra wants a doll.
Thank you Santa.
Love,
Vicky Ann Holcomb

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a BB gun.
Your friend,
Bobby Smith

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a majorette suit and dishes. Don't forget Nickey wants a gun. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Cynthia Johnston

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a football suit for Christmas.
Love,
Zane Maddox

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a ballet doll and a gown. Don't forget Debra wants a doll.
Thank you Santa.
Love,
Vicky Ann Holcomb

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a BB gun.
Your friend,
Bobby Smith

O'Brien, Texas
Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old.
I have been very good.
I want a 25 inch walking doll and food mix set and a junior McCall pretty pac.
Love,
Judy Stark

O'Brien, Texas
Dear Santa:
I am six years old and am in the first grade. Please bring me a cowboy suit and a play knife and a gun.
Lenward Duncan

O'Brien, Texas
Dear Santa Claus:
I am writing you to tell you what I want you to bring me for Christmas. I want a square log set, a robot and boat with a real motor, a football with a stand and an Annie Oakley rifle and canteen set, and a road grader. If you can't bring all of these, please bring a few of them.
Thanks a lot, Santa.
Your little friend,
Ronnie Hodges
P. S.: I would like to have a line-man's tool set, and have my bicycle painted up and the tires fixed up and then it will be like a brand new bike.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle and a doll with clothes.
My brother wants a bicycle too, and a monkey.
Love,
Cheryl Campbell

Dear Santa Claus:
Would you please bring a doll and a baton? Thank you Santa Claus.
Love,
Linda Wilson

O'Brien School
Dear Santa:
I want a walking doll, a bicycle and a pretty ball.
With love,
Ofelia Nieto

O'Brien, Texas
Dear Santa:
Please bring me a bicycle and a tractor.
Love,
Gabino Lara

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a train and a doctor's kit. Don't forget Jimmy.
Love,
Billy Groves

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a BB gun and a football. Gary wants a rocking chair.
Love,
Charles Burt

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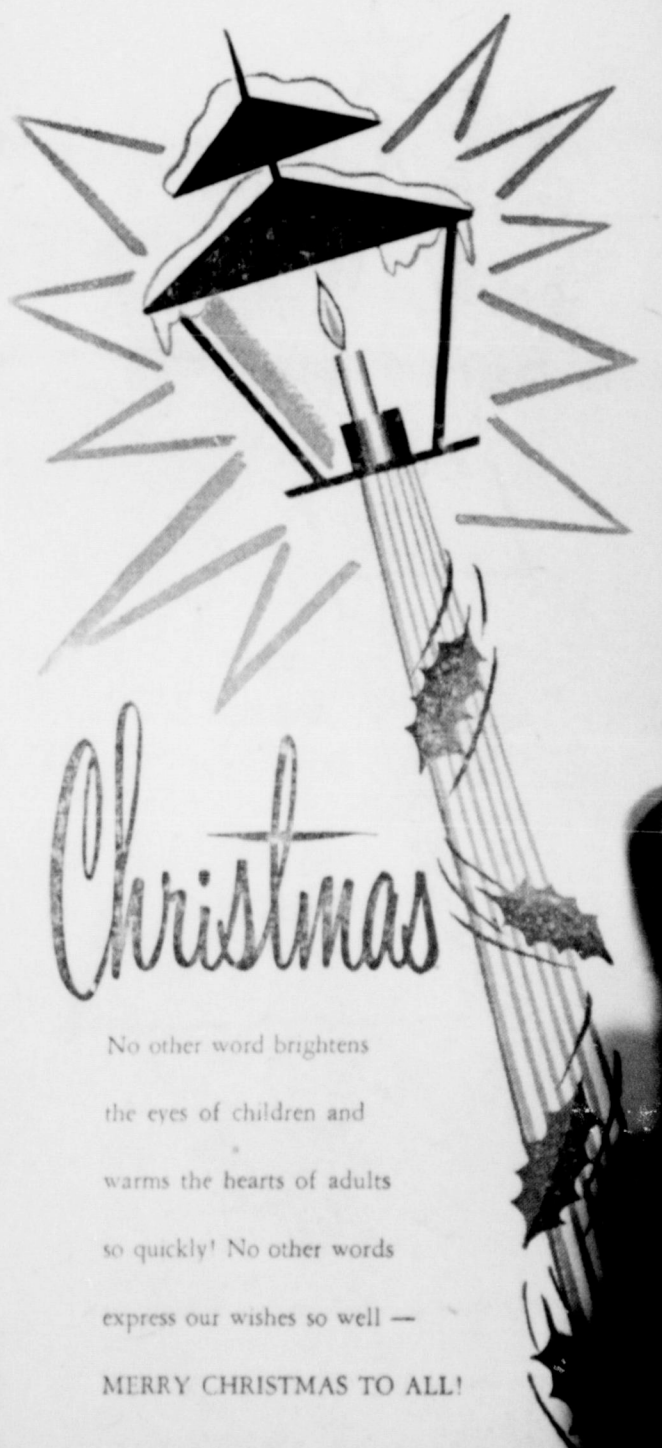
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and Employees

Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me two guns, a bicycle, a football and some candy.
Your friend,
Robert Espinoza

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a BB gun.
Love,
Lorenzo Leija

Knox City Clinic

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Dentist
Dr. R. C. Edwards

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 5 years old. My name is Jalene. I've been good. I think, so would you please bring me a Tiny Tears doll with some clothes, a Big Sister doll with high heels, a little car, a play TV set, a bicycle, another baton, some new clothes and lots of goodies to eat.
Please don't forget all my little friends and my pet parakeet, Pretty Boy. He has been good too, he can even say Merry Christmas.

Worlds of love,
Jalene Browning

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a big doll that walks and a comb set and nuts and candy.
Love,
Nellie Escobedo

Edmondson, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy six years old. I want a Prairie Ranger double holster set, shotgun, cattle truck, ship, and a Lone Ranger guitar.
My little brother Lonnie is three. He wants a double holster set and a truck. My little two year old brother, Danny, wants a double holster set and a big doll.
Santa we won't be home. Will you please come to see us at our Grandmother's, 211 Donohoo St., Marlin, Texas?
Love,
Gary Cook

Dear Santa Claus:
Would you please bring me a Tiny Tears doll. And a dress. And some new shoes and a coloring book.
Thank you,
Linda Rea

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl five and a half years old.
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll with hair, a table and chairs, and dishes. Some candy and nuts if you have any left.
Thank you very much.
You will find a Coke in the Frigidaire if you'd like one.
I love you,
Betty Hodges.
P. S.: I have been pretty good I think.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle, a football. Bring Nina a walking doll. David wants a football suit.
Yours truly,
Larry Fry

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a big doll, a bicycle and a red sled. I think Art would like a rubber hammer.
Love,
Carolyn Crownover

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll, a bicycle, a doctor's kit, and candy too.
Love,
Linda Abbott

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a wagon and a ball glove and bat.
Don't forget the other children.
Love,
Ruth White

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle. And I wish you a Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Sharman Watkins

O'Brien School
Dear Santa:
Please send me a doll and a dress for my Christmas.
Love,
Leona Wright

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl one year old. Please bring me a doll, some pull toys and some candy and fruit.
Love,
Jo Anne White

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a pair of skates and a bicycle, and my brother a truck.
Your friend,
Rodney Wright

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a BB gun and some BB's, and a flying platform. I have been a pretty good boy.
With love,
Jackie Howell

Knox City, Texas
Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Baby Doll and a doll bed and some doll clothes. I need a new house coat, and I would like to have an over-night case.
Love,
Barbara Jo Harper

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years old. I am in the first grade and I have been a good girl.
Please bring me a bicycle and that is all.
Love,
Gala Watkins

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a farm set, a BB gun, a slide, a train, a truck, a watch and a football.
Love,
Jessie Joe Wilson

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle, a farm set, a BB gun, a slide, a train, a watch, a truck.
My brother wants a ball, a toy bird, a truck and a cowboy suit.
Love,
Don Ed

Dear Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll, a cap, candy, a bicycle, a purse and a doll house.
Your Friend,
Eva Espinoza

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a football suit and a watch and a ring.
I have been good part of the time. My sister has been pretty good, too.
Love,
Jerry Myers

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle and a baby bottle set and don't forget the other boys and girls.
Love,
Helen Myers

Knox City, Texas
Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Big Sister Hi Heel walking doll. Please bring my sister a Big Sister Hi Heel walking doll, too.
Love,
Jeanette Vinita

Dear Santa:
Please send me a Daisy Eagle with real 2X scope mounted BB gun, and a bicycle.
Be sure not to forget the other boys and girls.
Your friend,
Lupe Aquero

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Will you bring my sister Tida a Tiny Tears doll with hair, and some clothes and a suitcase and a toy piano for Christmas.
Will you bring me a Tiny Tears doll with hair and some clothes and a suitcase and a toy piano for Christmas.
Love,
Donna Parker

Knox City, Texas
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a 23 inch Bride doll, a vacuum cleaner, a baton and an accordion, and a pair of house shoes.
Love,
Shirley Rushing

Dear Santa:
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a table and chair to do my lessons on? Please remember my brother Johnny.
Love,
Carolyn Capers

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Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
How are you? I would like a baton for Christmas. I would also like a disc. I would like to have a story book. I would like to have the story of Pinocchio.
Your friend,
Janice Mace

Dear Santa:
I am nine years old. Will you please bring me a Tiny Tears doll and some skates? I would like candy and fruit and nuts.
Please don't forget my brother and Mother and Daddy.
Love,
Sue Adams



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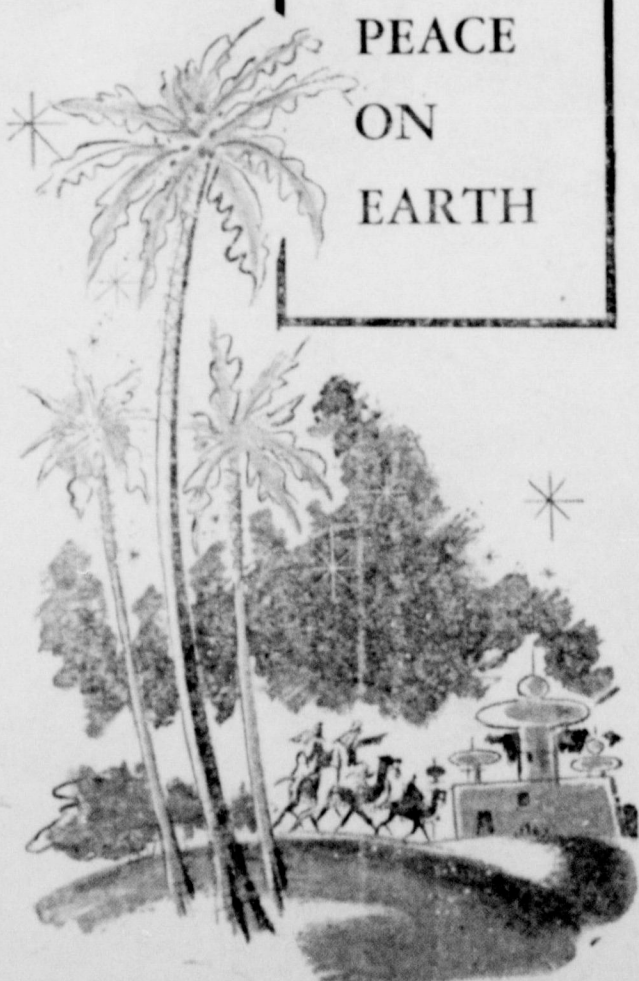
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Letters to Santa Claus

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll, and a basket for my bicycle. And bring my mother some dishes.
And my father a hammer. And please bring the little boys and girls something.
With love,
Zena Ann Bolin

O'Brien School

Dear Santa Claus:
1. I want an electric train.
2. I want a John Deere that will raise the plows up.
3. I want a BB gun.
4. I want a Roy Rogers gun.
5. I want a bicycle.
Thank you.
Love,
Terry Lee Hester

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a Bride Doll with some clothes, and a baton.
Love
Frances Rushing

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and I have been a good girl.
Please bring me a bride doll, a cowgirl suit and two holsters with guns. I would like a baton too.
Love,
Judy Rushing

Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old and have been a good boy.
Please bring me a shiny red bicycle, a Lone Ranger suit. For my little brother I want a pretty train and a jungle set.
Your friend,
Johnny Carver

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a cowboy hat and boots and a set of guns.
I have been a good boy. I am seven years old and in the first grade in school.
Love,
Harvey Burt

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I would like you to bring me a football suit and also a set of Roy Rogers guns and also a ball glove and also a scooter too.
Love,
Mike James Hewitt

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a cooking set and a baton, a doll and a shirt and a nurse kit.
Your friend,
Rebecca Lillian Howell

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a cowboy shirt, cowboy trousers, cowboy spurs, a scabbard and a toy monkey.
Thank you.
Love,
Mike Hicks

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
I want 2 guns, a cowboy hat, and a pair of boots, please.
Your friend,
Leon Strickland Jr.

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
I would like to have an electric train. If I can't have a train I would like to have a pony and saddle and bridle.
Your friend,
Carl Lynn Brock

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me an electric train and a model plane that runs. I hope you have a good Christmas.
Your friend,
Gary Campbell

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a doll and some clothes for her. I would like a Cootie and a Bingo game. And I would like a nurse kit.
My little brother wants a gun set.
I hope you have a nice Christmas, and I hope the other children have a nice one, too.
My little brother and I would like some candy, too.
Your friend,
Linda Fletcher

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll and some dishes. My sister wants a doll and some dishes too. My brother wants a baseball and bat.
Love,
Mildred Marie Posey

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
I want a bicycle and a model car.
I want Jerry to have a play horn and I want Lu Ann to have a Tiny Tears doll and a doll bed.
Please bring my teacher a beautiful pair of earrings and a necklace.
Your friend,
Ronny Colwell

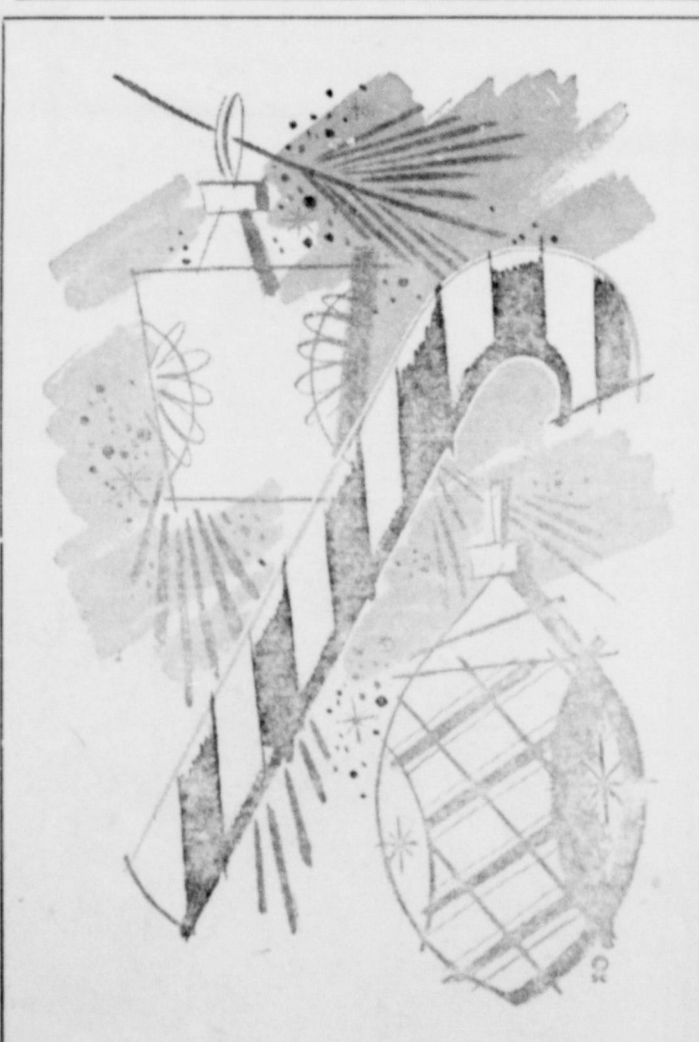
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Santa Claus I want a pair of boots. I also want a pair of blue jeans and a shirt.
Your friend,
Douglas Schmidt



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Merry Christmas to all our friends! May it be a truly festive and joyous one!

Knox City Motor Co.

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me an electric train and a football suit and a Boy Scout knife.
Your friend,
Pat Shannon

O'Brien School

Dear Santa:
I want a Walking Doll and some dishes for my Christmas.
I love you, Santa,
Mary Abila

2913 N. Henderson
Odessa, Texas

Dear Santa:
Here it is almost time for your yearly visit once more and I know you must be getting lots of mail. I hope you don't forget anyone this year. Remember all the little kids overseas who need so very many things.
Santa, please try and find room for me a Tiny Tears doll and some dishes. I like to help Momie with my little sister and also help in the house. I am three years old.
I love you,
Sandy Sellers

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a bicycle for Christmas and a ring for Christmas too. Thank you, Santa Claus.
Your friend,
Vicky Eakman

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a football and please bring me a knife and a Chemistry set and a motor scooter. And a Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Philip Williams

Dear Santa:
Would you please bring me an electric train, and a pair of boots and a watch? And don't forget the other children.
Your friend,
Eddy Smith

Knox City, Texas

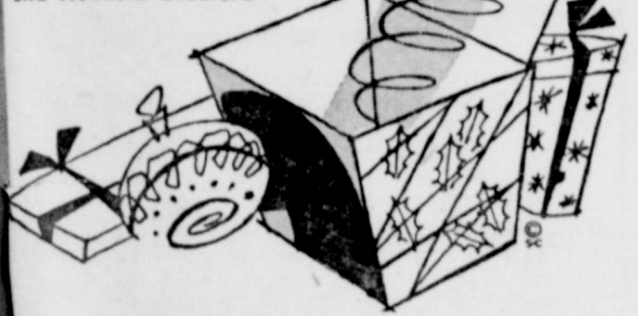
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a cannon with eight shells and bring me a hunting knife and a scabbard. Please bring me an electric train.
Your friend,
Johnny Hendrix



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Santa Letters

Dear Santa Claus:
My name is David Paul Hoge. I am 7 and a half years old. I want an erector set with an electric motor, tool chest, and a construction camp. Thank you very much.

Love,
David Paul Hoge
Box 577, Knox City

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a big baby doll, a buggy and a cook set. Also some fruit, nuts and candy.

Love,
Joyce Swearingen

P. S.: Please bring my baby sister a doll, some blocks and a teddy bear.

Benjamin, Texas

Dear Santa:
Bring me a Robin Hood set and a set of guns. Don't you forget little Rickie out in Merced, California, and all the other boys and girls.

Jerry Leaverton

Dear Santa:
I hope you are feeling well, Santa.

Please bring me these things—Daisy Red Ryder BB gun. Radio station with 2-way phones.

Bobby Smith

O'Brien, Texas
Route 1

Dear Santa:
I will be in Bisbee, Ariz, for Christmas. I have a pretty doll, so will you bring me a suitcase of clothes for my doll and an ironing board and iron. My little brother Lee would like a teddy bear. Don't forget all the other little boys and girls.

Love,
Janet Lynn Clark

Dear Santa:
I am a very good boy. I am 4 years old. Please bring me a cowboy suit, guns and a cattle truck and a road grader. I would like to have some fruit, nuts and candy.

Love,
Phillip Swearingen

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YOU and each of You are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Knox County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse of said county in the City of Benjamin, Knox County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday the 14th day of January 1957, and answer in writing the petition of W. F. Snody, Plaintiff, in Cause Number 5161 styled W. F. Snody vs T. S. Whiteley et al, in which W. F. Snody is Plaintiff and those persons are defendants who are first named in this citation and to whom it is directed, which petition was filed in said Court on the 30th day of November, 1956, and the nature of which said suit is as follows:

A suit in Trespass to Try Title to the following lots and blocks of land situated in the T. S. Whiteley Addition to the Town of Benjamin, Knox County, Texas, and more particularly described as follows: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, in Block No. 5; Lots 1, 2, 6, 9, 10, 11, and 12, in Block No. 2; Lots 1, 4, 9, 11, 12, 2, and 3,

in Block No. 3; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, and 12, in Block No. 6; All of Block No. 7; All of Block No. 10; All of Block No. 11; All of Block No. 12; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, in Block No. 4; all in Whiteley addition to Town of Benjamin, Knox County, Texas, as shown by the map or plat recorded in Knox County, Texas, in the office of the County Clerk; wherein the Plaintiff is claiming title in fee simple to the above land by deeds and by limitations.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness A. E. Propps, Clerk of the District Court of Knox County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in the City of Benjamin, This 30th day of November, 1956.

A. E. Propps
Clerk of the District Court of Knox County, Texas

Issued this 30th day of November, 1956.

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Warmest
Wishes for
Christmas



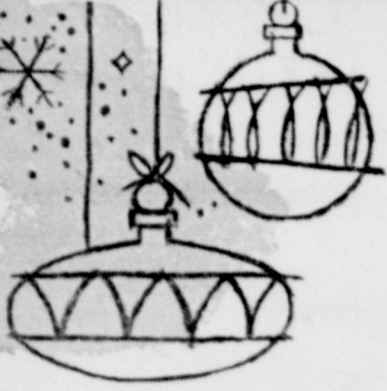
Cordially wishing you all a jolly Yuletide Season!

Just a friendly wish that under the glittering ornaments on your Christmas tree you may find a double measure of happiness. To you and your loved ones — A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Flos' Beauty Shop
Flo Huntsman

Holcomb's Garage
A. T. Holcomb

MERRY CHRISTMAS



JOHN A. SMITH
Knox County Tax Assessor-Collector



May your Christmas ring with laughter! May your Holidays be merry. May your dearest wishes all come true!

Hamm's Service Station
Olvis Hamm



BEST WISHES TO ALL OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

Knox County Lumber Co.



At this Holiday Season, we would like to wish all of you, our friends and patrons, a Wonderful Christmas!

Egenbacher Implements

Letters to Santa Claus



Dear Santa:
My name is Paul Ware Graham. I am 6 years old, in the first grade.
I want a Dick Tracy wrist radio, a golden trumpet, a 2-in-1 pistol, a turbo jet car, a remote control robot, a fencing set, electric train, a basketball. Any of these toys will be nice. See that other boys and girls get toys, too.
Love,
Paul Ware

Dear Santa:
I want a doll with lots of clothes and be sure she has some shoes.
Please give all the other boys and girls some toys.
You will find me at my Mother Steve's house.
Thank you,
Cornelia Ann Roberts

201 E. Nobles
Tucumcari, N. M.
Dear Santa:
I am a good little girl who lives in New Mexico but at Christmas I visit my grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brothers.
Will you please bring me a doll house with people and tables and beds, and a doll that walks. I hope you can find me on the farm.
Please bring lots of toys to all good little girls and boys. Thank you, Santa, and a Merry Christmas to you.
Love,
Danita Teague

Dear Santa:
Will you please bring me a bicycle for Christmas?
Eddie Dean Large
Knox City, Texas
I am nine years old.

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years old. I am in the first grade and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a girl doll and some candy.
Love,
Elizabeth Contreras

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years old and I am in the first grade and I have been a good girl.
Please bring me a Big Sister high heeled doll.
Love,
Shirlene Vinita

Aspermont, Texas
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Zip Monkey, toy piano and wooden beads.
Love,
Kathy Poe

Dear Santa:
I would like to have a Red Riding Hood doll and some doll clothes. I would like to have a pink coat, too. Be sure and bring something for my two big sisters, and some nuts and candy.
I love you,
Jackie Perry

712 North Kelly
Odessa, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I know you've got lots of boys and girls to visit, so I'm not asking for much. Please bring me a football, tractor and drum.
I've tried to be a good boy but it sure is hard to do when you're only 2 and a half years old. Don't forget all the other children.
I love you,
Johnny Paul Leek

7-Y-B Ranger Troop
Halawa Homes
Aiea, Oaha, T. H.

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 5 months old. Will you please bring me a doll and things that a baby needs.
My grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Buchanan.
Love,
Cathie Louise Hughes

Knox City, Texas
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy not quite a year old. I would like a doll, a rocking chair, wagon and boots.
Love,
Jerry Lynn Buchanan

Terminal, Texas
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy going on three years old. Please bring me a cowboy suit and boots, candy and nuts. And don't forget my little brother, Dewayne.
Love,
James E. Buchanan

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl six years old. I am in the first grade and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a doll with high heels and a nurse kit.
Love,
Cathy Richardson

Dear Santa:
I am seven years old and have been a good boy. Please bring me a pair of holsters and guns, a cavalry set, fire truck set, some new shoes and a bolt for a teeter-totter.
Love,
Tommy Reed

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a baby doll with a bottle, a play school bus and some puzzles.
My daddy sure would like for you to bring me a train, but since I'm only two years old, I'd rather have the doll.
Love,
Debbie Anne Wall

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy 4 years old, and would like very much for you to bring me a double barrel shot gun. Not a real one, but a play one with play shotgun shells. I would like for you to bring me a cannon truck and some silver scabbards.
Please remember all the other little boys and girls, too.
There will be some cake waiting for you when you come by.
I love you,
Gary Maek Garrison

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll, a record player, dishes, a doll buggy and guns and holster. I have been a good girl. Thank you.
Love,
Theresa Kaye Abbott

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I have been a good boy. Would you please bring me a football suit, scooter and billfold. I would also like a set of Roy Rogers guns.
My brother Mike and I want a football together. I would like some candy, fruit and nuts in my stocking.
Don't forget any little children. I am five years old.
Love,
David Hewitt



Best wishes for
a very Merry
Christmas to all!

**J. T. May
Variety**

O'Brien, Texas
Dear Santa:
I will be five years old the 18th of this month. I would like to have a small doll, a record player with records, a doll house with furniture, a truck with little cans and some candy.
I love you,
Mary Lynn Adkins

O'Brien, Texas
Dear Santa:
I have been real good this year. Please bring me a tricycle, stick horse and a little tractor. I would like some candy, fruit and chewing gum in my stocking. I am two years old.
Love,
Gary Hewitt

Dear Santa:
I wish you would bring me a real clarinet, an English bike, and some nice clothes to wear.
I am very proud of what you brought me last year.
Bring other kids toys, too.
Your loving friend,
Ila Kay Hutchinson

Dear Santa Claus:
Would you please bring me a ski suit for my doll, a baking set and a doll.
From
Susan Kay Reese

O'Brien, Texas
Dear Santa:
I am Jim Wann. I'm 3 years old and I have a little sister, I. Her name is Carol.
Please bring her a doll and some surprises.
I'd like a sidewalk bike.
Please don't forget to bring the toys we have asked for, for we have been good children.
Carol and Jim Wann

Silent Night

May all the rich blessings of this Holy Season be yours throughout the year!

COVEY BUTANE & SERVICE STATION
O. S. COVEY
O'BRIEN, TEXAS

May the blessings of peace and good will that came into the world almost two thousand years ago be yours at Christmastime!
Merry Christmas To All!

Graham Electric
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Graham

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SHERIFF

to All -- at this
Merry Christmas Time!

**H. T. MELTON
SHERIFF**

WITH THANKS TO OUR MANY CUSTOMERS,
WE SAY, "MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!"

Reed's Drive-In Grocery
Mrs. C. A. Reed and Charles

In Your Christmas stocking, may you find our warmest greetings, wrapped in appreciation for your past patronage and tied with our sincere friendship!

Ottis Cash Service Station
Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Cash and Joe
Willard and Weldon Skiles

Santa Letters

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good boy.
Please bring me an electric train, all shiny, gray and red, a tractor big enough to ride on, and a baseball.
Love,
Tommy Woodward

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a scabbard and a watch?
Thank you,
J. Dow Warren
1304 South 7th St.
Waco, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl named Kimmy Molton. I am 4 years old.
I will spend Christmas in Hale Center.
I want you to please take me a bicycle to my home and a surprise to Hale Center.
I have been a good girl.
I love you,
Kimmy

Knox City, Texas
Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good girl.
Bring me a Bride Doll, a suit case, a cowgirl suit, a pair of holsters, a cowgirl hat, some school shoes and some new clothes.
Love,
Gail Cornett
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a baseball and a bat and a glove. And I hope all the children in the world have a good Christmas and they get all the things they want. And I hope you have a nice Christmas too.
My sister would like to have a doll and dishes.
Your friend,
Gary Posey
O'Brien School

Dear Santa:
I would like a Balla Doll and some clothes for the doll and a suit case for the clothes to go in.
Love,
Nelda Covey

Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old and have been a real good girl.
Please bring me some school shoes. For my sister bring a new baton. I wish I had a fuzzy Teddy Bear.
Love and Kisses,
Diane Thomas
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll that can walk and comb her hair, a bicycle, a baton, a nurse set and a bracelet. I hope you have a Happy Christmas and be sure to give the other children gifts too.
Your friend,
Lucy Aquero
2913 N. Henderson
Odessa, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy five years old and have been a good boy most of the year. I help Mommie take care of my little sister.
Please, Santa, remember all the needy children this Christmas and see that each of them gets a gift.
Bring me a gun and some games. Also remember my little sisters, Sandy and Susie.
Love,
Rickie Sellers

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy five years old and live at Roy's Courts here in Knox City.
Please bring me a big two-gun holster set, punching bag, View Master, a belt with my name on it and a big cowboy buckle, and a big dump truck.
I will hang up my stockings so you can fill it with candy and nuts.
Please don't disappoint me as I have been a pretty good boy. Don't forget all the other good little boys and girls all over the world.
With love,
Kent Thompson
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old and have been good most of the time.
I do not study hard but please bring me a pretty doll and some candy.
Love,
Olga Espinoza
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a chubby little boy in the first grade. I work hard and deserve these presents.
Please give me a filling station set and one big cap gun, one baseball bat and a ball. No, don't bring the ball, I forgot. I have one. Bring some candy, fruit and nuts instead.
Love,
Gary Lynn Wheeler

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a doll for Christmas and sister a doll too. My brother wants a ball.
Your friend,
Sherlen Abston
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a punching bag, a watch, a crow set. Please bring Tony a fire truck, pound ing bench and caterpillar pull.
Love,
Judy Land

Dear Santa:
Would you please bring me a baking set and dishes, and my little sister wants a doll and a suit case.
Thank you, Santa,
Jan Ann Denton
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Tiny Tears doll and a Doll-E-Bed with a sterilizer and the other things that go with it.
Have a Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Cecelia Cargill
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please send me a walking doll? I am going to school and I am in the fourth grade.
I would like to have a baton. And do not forget my friends. And please bring us some nuts and candy.
Yours truly,
Mary Kathy Burlison

Dear Santa Claus:
I am in the first grade and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a Bride Doll and a purse.
If I get these things I promise to study my lessons more.
Love,
Geneva Hagle
Knox City Elem. School

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a billfold and a doll bed.
Love,
Linda Denton
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring a doll and please bring a telephone set with real lights, and a princess set, and please bring the boys and girls what they want and fill their stockings.
Love,
Nancy Jo Smith
Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a bicycle for Christmas. Dear Santa have a good Christmas and please bring me a bicycle.
Your friend,
Eddie Dean Large

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a motor scooter and some house shoes for my mother and father. And please bring my brother a motor scooter too. Please bring my grandmother a washing machine. And please bring my Grandfather some clothes.
Your friend,
Larry Whiter

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a walking doll, a bicycle, a baton and a nurse set. I hope you have a Merry Christmas, and take other children gifts, too.
Your friend,
Carolina Rocha

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a Monopoly set and a knife and I hope you will have a very Merry Christmas and to all of the country.
Your friend,
Greg Knight

Dear Santa Claus:
I am eight years old and have been a good boy.
Please bring me a B-B gun, a bicycle, and a wagon.
Love,
Mike Rodriguez

Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old and have been a good boy.
Please bring me an fire truck and two guns.
Your friend,
Edwin Byrd



GREETINGS

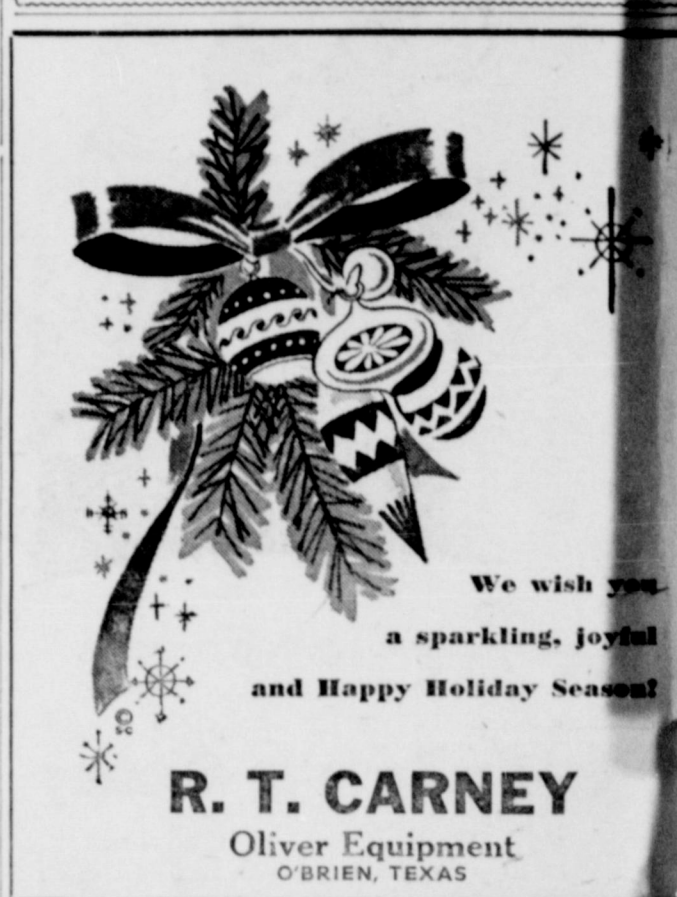
We wish you every joy and blessing of this happy Christmas Season!

Nola's Beauty Shop
NOLA COVEY
Phone 2051



It is our hope that this Christmastime will be the merriest you have ever known!

MABEL'S LAUNDRY
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutchinson



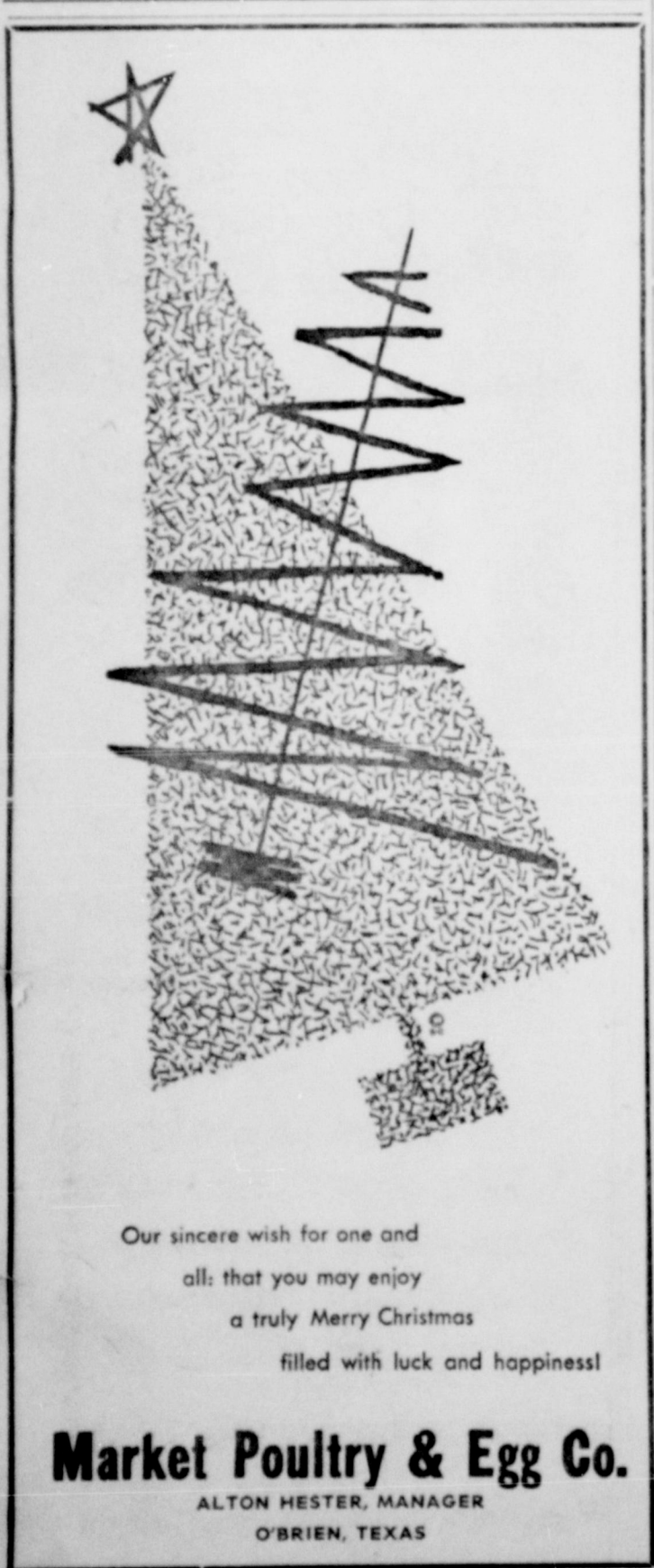
We wish you a sparkling, joyful and Happy Holiday Season!

R. T. CARNEY
Oliver Equipment
O'BRIEN, TEXAS



Merry Christmas to all our loyal friends and customers, and wishing the best of everything for you!

CITY CLEANERS
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carr



Our sincere wish for one and all: that you may enjoy a truly Merry Christmas filled with luck and happiness!

Market Poultry & Egg Co.
ALTON HESTER, MANAGER
O'BRIEN, TEXAS



A very MERRY CHRISTMAS to all

Our entire staff joins in wishing you a Christmas that is filled with peace and happiness!

Model Cleaners and Tailors
Marvin and Butch Goodson



May all the good things come your way at Christmas!

To our many customers and friends, our sincere wishes for your happiness and a Merry, Merry Christmas to you all

WE WILL BE CLOSED DECEMBER 25th AND 26th

City Cafe
Curtis and Opal Coates

Letters to Santa Claus

Knox City, Texas
Nov. 27, 1956

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a princess doll with two pairs of high heels, an every-day dress, an evening dress, a pair of earrings that can be taken off, a cape lined in velvet, a robe, a pair of p. j.'s, a Sunday dress and a crown. An inter-com set. A sewing machine. Some magnetic pick-up sticks. A Donald Duck slide projector. A cub printing press. And anything else.

From
Sue Steakley.

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a little bicycle, a gun. Please bring me a little bicycle and two guns. I am in the third grade.

With love,
David Del Hierro

O'Brien, Route 1

Dear Santa:
I want a bicycle, doll and a dress, cabinet set, and don't forget my mother and father.

Love,
Sandra Morris

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years old. I am in the first grade and I have been very good. Please bring me a bride doll and a suitcase.

Love,
Mary Ann Reyes

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I would like to have a record player, some records, a set of guns, some candy, fruit and nuts and anything else you want to bring me.

Love,
Jim Edd Adkins

Dear Santa Claus:

I am six years old and have been a good mosquito.

Please bring me a fire boat, a white Lone Ranger hat, a desk to study on, a barn yard set, an army set with a truck with a spot light and a jeep.

Love and kisses,
Johnny H. Bradberry

P. S.: Santa Claus, I will have a glass of milk and a sandwich waiting for you.

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl six years old. I have been a good girl. Please bring me a wedding doll and a jewelry box.

Love,
Frances Hendrix

Dear Santa:

I want a pajama doll, a horn and a cook set. I would like fruit and nuts and candy.

Please remember all the little boys and girls overseas.

Love,
Glenda Swearingen

Arlington, Va.

Dear Santa:
I like you. Christmas will be here soon. I hope that you will make some toys for us, but will say one thing—I hope that you send toys to all of us, to Janet and Susan and Father and Mother and me. I hope you a merry Christmas.

This is the kind of toys we want. I would like two sleds for Susan and me. I want a Cub Scout flash light and field glasses, a Cub Scout sky rocket with a stand and a bamboo bead kit. Bring Susan some dry dolls and I want Janet to have a flipping dog. I would like a sling powered plane kit and wooden airplanes and crystal radio kit.

Love,
Bill Graham

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a doll with high heels and an evening dress and a doctor kit and some paper dolls. Don't forget Mother and Father and Brother.

Love,
Jill

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl seven years old. I am in the first grade and I have been a good girl.

Please bring me a doll and some house shoes.

P. S.: You will find some food on the table.

Love,
Velvet Verhalen

Dear Santa:

May I please have a tiny doll, a doll bed and a suitcase. Don't forget my brother Mark and all the other children.

I love you,
Mary Beth Anderson

Dear Santa Claus:

Would you please bring me a musical Teddy Bear.

From
Debbie Lynn Reese

O'Brien, Route 1

Dear Santa:
I want a basketball and a Betsy Wetsy doll and a paint set and do not forget my little brother Wayne and fill our stockings full of nuts, apples, oranges and candy.

Love,
Gail Rowan

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I would like to have a Betsy Wetsy doll, a Doll-E-Layette and an electric stove.

Love,
Carol Cox

Ponca City, Oklahoma
314 South Birch Street

Dear Santa Claus:
I want some guns and a jeep I can ride in. I want a road grader and a big, big dump truck. Remember my cousins, Mike and Danny, and my friend Tommy Leak.

Your friend,
Tommie Collins

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a set of guns with two holsters. Also a pair of chaps and a cowboy tie. I am 5 years old and have been a good boy.

Thank you,
David Ray Speck

P. S. I almost forgot to ask for a pair of Roy Rogers house shoes.

O'Brien

Dear Santa:
I would like a football and a gun and holster set for Christmas.

Remember all the little boys and girls.

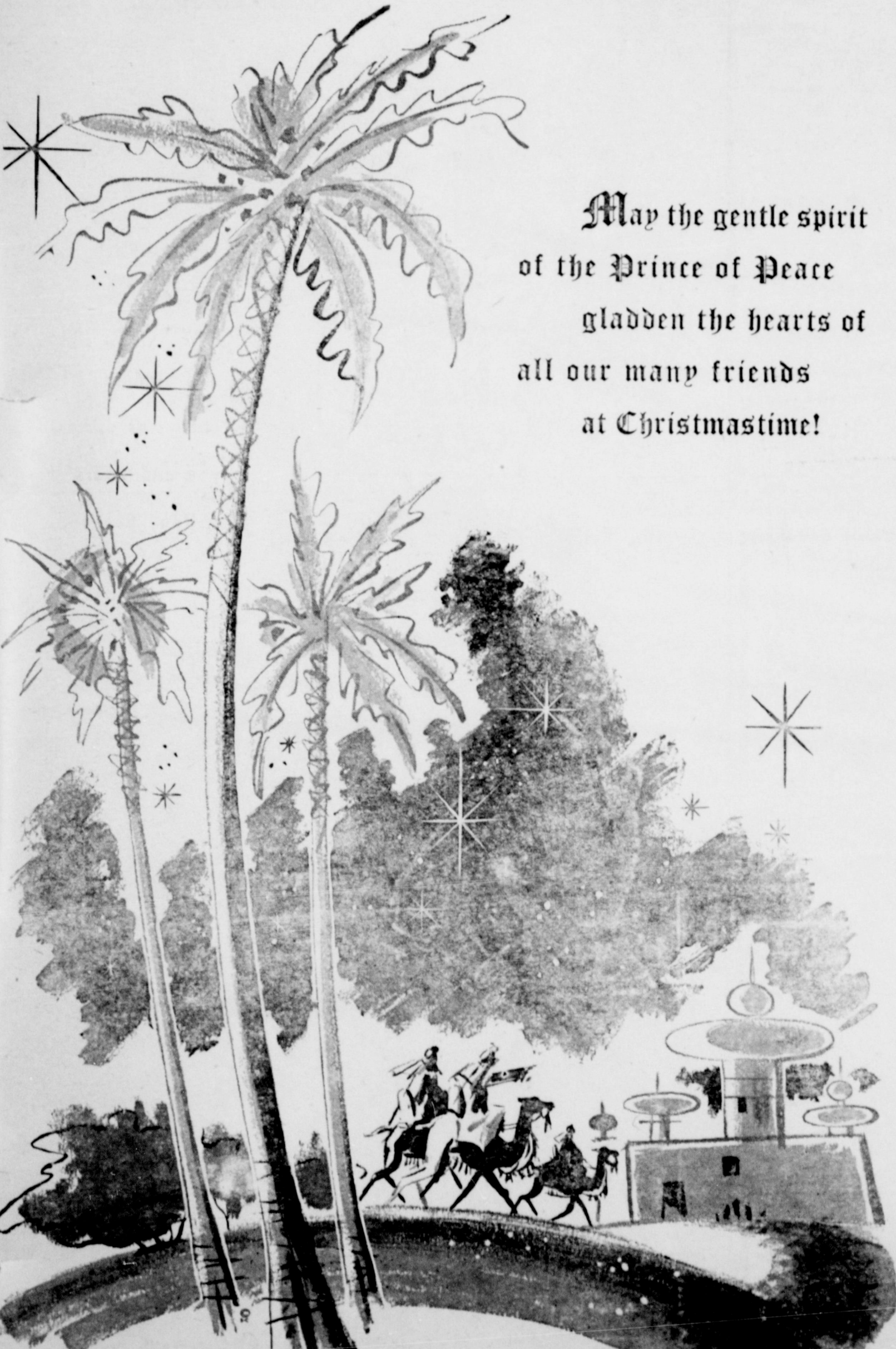
John McAda



May the spirit of
Christmas bless you
and yours and bring
you much happiness!

L. W. Graham
Real Estate and
Insurance

May the gentle spirit
of the Prince of Peace
gladden the hearts of
all our many friends
at Christmastime!



OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF
The Citizens State Bank
MEMBER F. D. I. C.



If we could choose a special gift
for each of you, we'd wish you
happiness at this Christmas
Season, warm friends to share
it, and good fortune for all in
the years ahead.

Watson & Reyes Service Station
Wayne Watson Steve Reyes

Santa Letters

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 2 years old. I would like for you to please bring me a little car, and a doll, and also a piano. Don't forget all the other little girls and boys.
Love,
Pam Pack

Dear Santa Claus:
Please send me a toy horse and a train, and a set of little cars.
Your friend,
David Perez

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy six years old. I am in the first grade and I have been a good boy.
Please bring me a ball and six-guns.
Love,
Salvador Banda

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy seven years old and I am in the first grade and I have been a good boy.
Please bring me a football suit.
Love,
Gary Adams

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll that walks and talks and a wagon and dishes.
Your friend,
Lucy Perez

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little 2 and a half year old girl and live with my brother and parents at Roy's Courts in Knox City.

I have been an extra good little girl this year, so am asking you to bring me a doll and doll buggy, dishes, iron and ironing board, knock-out bench and a little two-gun and holster set.
Don't forget to put something under the tree for my Mother and Daddy as they usually don't get anything.
With love,
Raynell Thompson

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 8 years old. I would like for you to bring me a record player and a string of pearls and earbobs to match it.
Santa, don't forget the other boys and girls.
Love,
Betty Middlebrook

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six and in the first grade. My teacher calls me "Lightning" because I won't hurry. But I am a pretty good boy.

Please bring me an electric train that smokes, a farm set, an army set, too, a two-gun holster set with bullets, a red bicycle, a red wagon, and a tricycle for my brother, Don.
Love,
Mike Turner

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a pretty doll and a blanket.
Love,
Nina Kay Fry

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a basketball and a net.
Your friend,
Louisa Perez

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me two dolls (one a bride doll), a nurse set, a doctor set and a doll house.
Love,
Jill Thompson

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 7 years old and I have been very good.
I would like a doll, lots of clothes, a cooking set and a dish pan set.
Don't forget the other boys and girls.
Love,
Sandra Walling

O'Brien

Dear Santa:
I would like a steel safe and a pair of binoculars.
Love,
David Ellis

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl, six years old, in the first grade, and I have been a good girl.
Please bring me some skates and a baton.
Your friend,
Elaine Denton

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll that walks and talks and a wagon and dishes.
Your friend,
Vicki Perez

Dear Santa:
Please bring me some toys, clothes and candy.
Love,
Henry Rodriguez

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like a doll, a cooking set, a set of dishes. I would like two guns, a record player and records, and I'd like a pair of tap-dancing shoes and a Davy Crockett set.
Thank you, Santa
Wanda Sue Dotson

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a Hi-Heel Doll with furs (mink, please).
Love,
Libby Jo Mitchell

P. S.: Santa, I wish I had a desk to study on.

Dear Santa:
We are twin boys in the first grade and we have been good boys most of the time.
Please bring us some Sunday clothes and candy. Thank you.
Love,
Jessie and Joe Rodriguez

P. S. We are six years old.

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy seven years old. I am in the first grade and I have been a good boy. Please bring me a football and a saw and a cap.
I love you,
Amador Gonzales

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a mechanical robot and a puppet and some gloves. Hope you have a nice Christmas.
Your friend,
Candy Carr

December 10, 1956

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good girl.

Please bring me a life size baby doll, and a bed for it, a set of bottles for baby. Bring me a white cowgirl hat. I want some candy kisses in my sock, and an apple, too.
Love,
Carolyn Goldston



Greetings

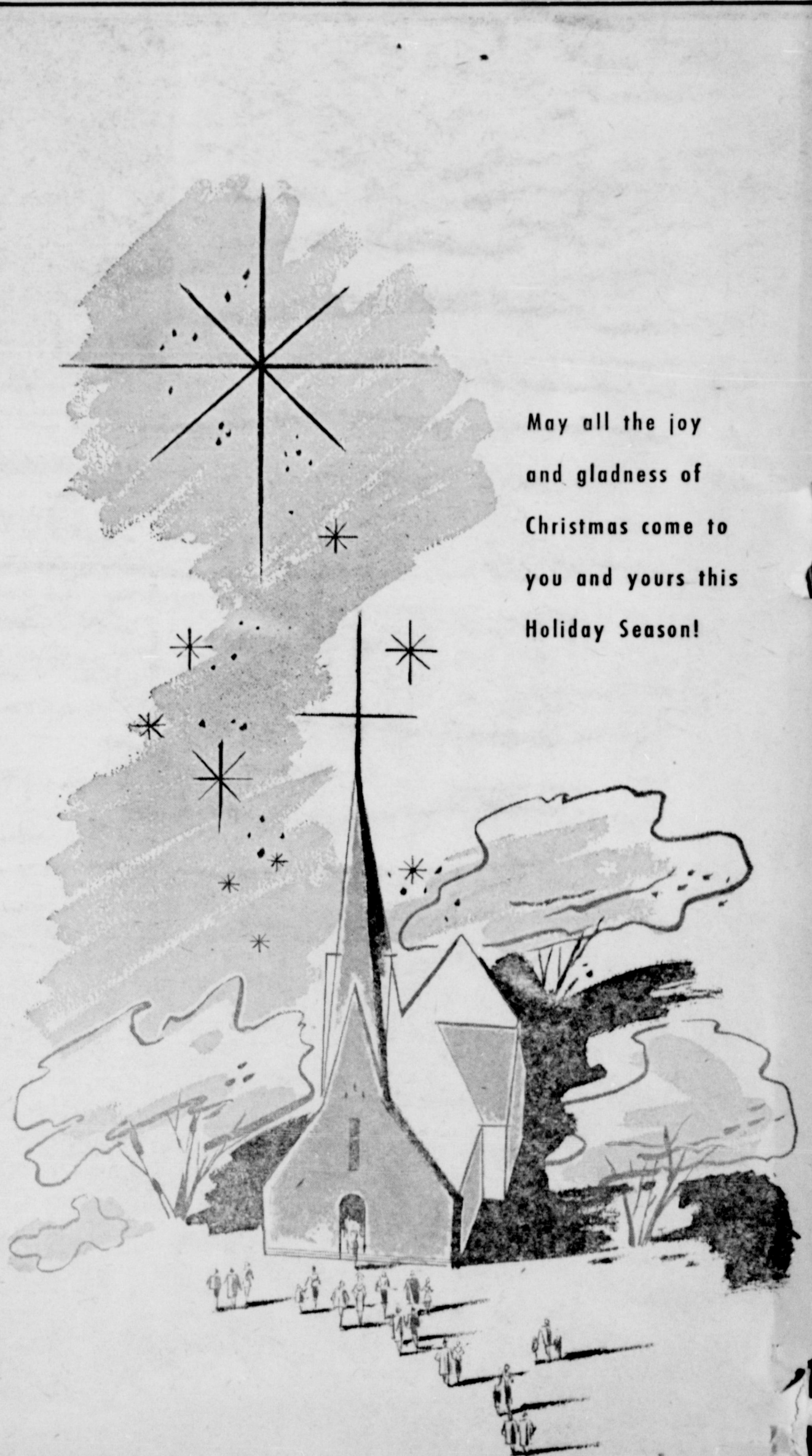
Cheery wishes for a Merry Christmas!

J. M. Averitt and Son
INSURANCE



May your Christmas be abundant in joy, peace and every happiness!

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Denton and Family



May all the joy and gladness of Christmas come to you and yours this Holiday Season!

JONES DRUG STORE

Your Retail Store

MRS. PEARCE BURNS . . . CHESTENE WATSON . . . JEANETTE PACK
NEAL LOGAN . . . HENRY JONES

O'Brien Co-Operative Gin Co.

O'Brien, Texas

Santa Letters

Knox City, Texas

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Love,
Pam Pack

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With love,
Raynell Thompson

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 8 years old. I would like for you to bring me a record player and a string of pearls and earbobs to match it.
Santa, don't forget the other boys and girls.
Love,
Betty Middlebrook

O'Brien, Texas

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Dear Santa Claus:
I am six and in the first grade. My teacher calls me "Lightning" because I won't hurry. But I am a pretty good boy.
Please bring me an electric train that smokes, a farm set, an army set, too, a two-gun holster set with bullets, a red bicycle, a red wagon, and a tricycle for my brother, Don.
Love,
Mike Turner

Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a pretty doll and a blanket.
Love,
Nina Kay Fry

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a basketball and a net.
Your friend,
Louisa Perez

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa:
Please bring me two dolls (one a bride doll), a nurse set, a doctor set and a doll house.
Love,
Jill Thompson

O'Brien, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 7 years old and I have been very good.
I would like a doll, lots of clothes, a cooking set and a dish pan set.
Don't forget the other boys and girls.
Love,
Sandra Walling

O'Brien

Dear Santa:
I would like a steel safe and a pair of binoculars.
Love,
David Ellis

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl, six years old, in the first grade, and I have been a good girl.
Please bring me some skates and a baton.
Your friend,
Elaine Denton

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll that walks and talks and a wagon and dishes.
Your friend,
Vicki Perez

Dear Santa:
Please bring me some toys, clothes and candy.
Love,
Henry Rodriguez

Dear Santa:
I would like a doll, a cooking set, a set of dishes. I would like two guns, a record player and records, and I'd like a pair of tap-dancing shoes and a Davy Crockett set.
Thank you, Santa
Wanda Sue Dotson

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a Hi-Heel Doll with furs (mink, please).
Love,
Libby Jo Mitchell

P. S.: Santa, I wish I had a desk to study on.

Dear Santa:
We are twin boys in the first grade and we have been good boys most of the time.
Please bring us some Sunday clothes and candy. Thank you.
Love,
Jessie and Joe Rodriguez

P. S. We are six years old.

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy seven years old. I am in the first grade and I have been a good boy. Please bring me a football and a saw and a cap.
I love you,
Amador Gonzales

Knox City, Texas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a mechanical robot and a puppet and some gloves. Hope you have a nice Christmas.
Your friend,
Candy Carr

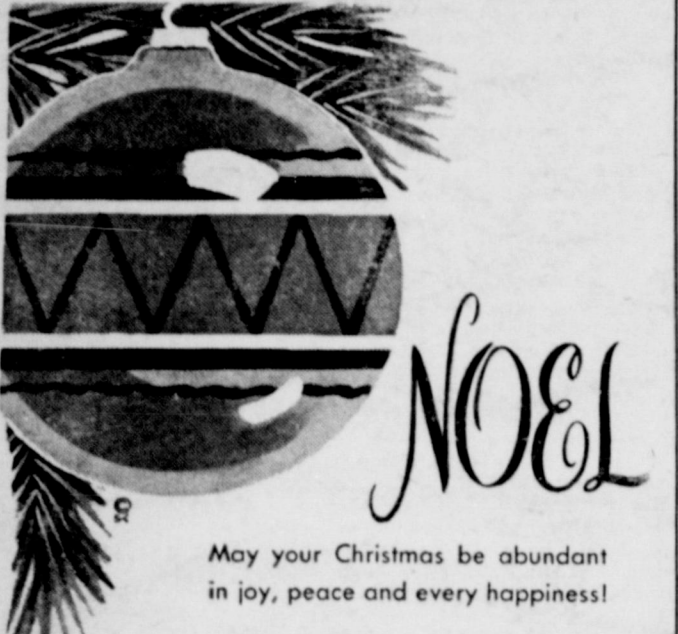
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Dear Santa Claus:
I am six years old and have been a good girl.
Please bring me a life size baby doll, and a bed for it, a set of bottles for baby. Bring me a white cowgirl hat. I want some candy kisses in my sock, and an apple, too.
Love,
Carolyn Goldston



Greetings
Cheery wishes for a Merry Christmas!


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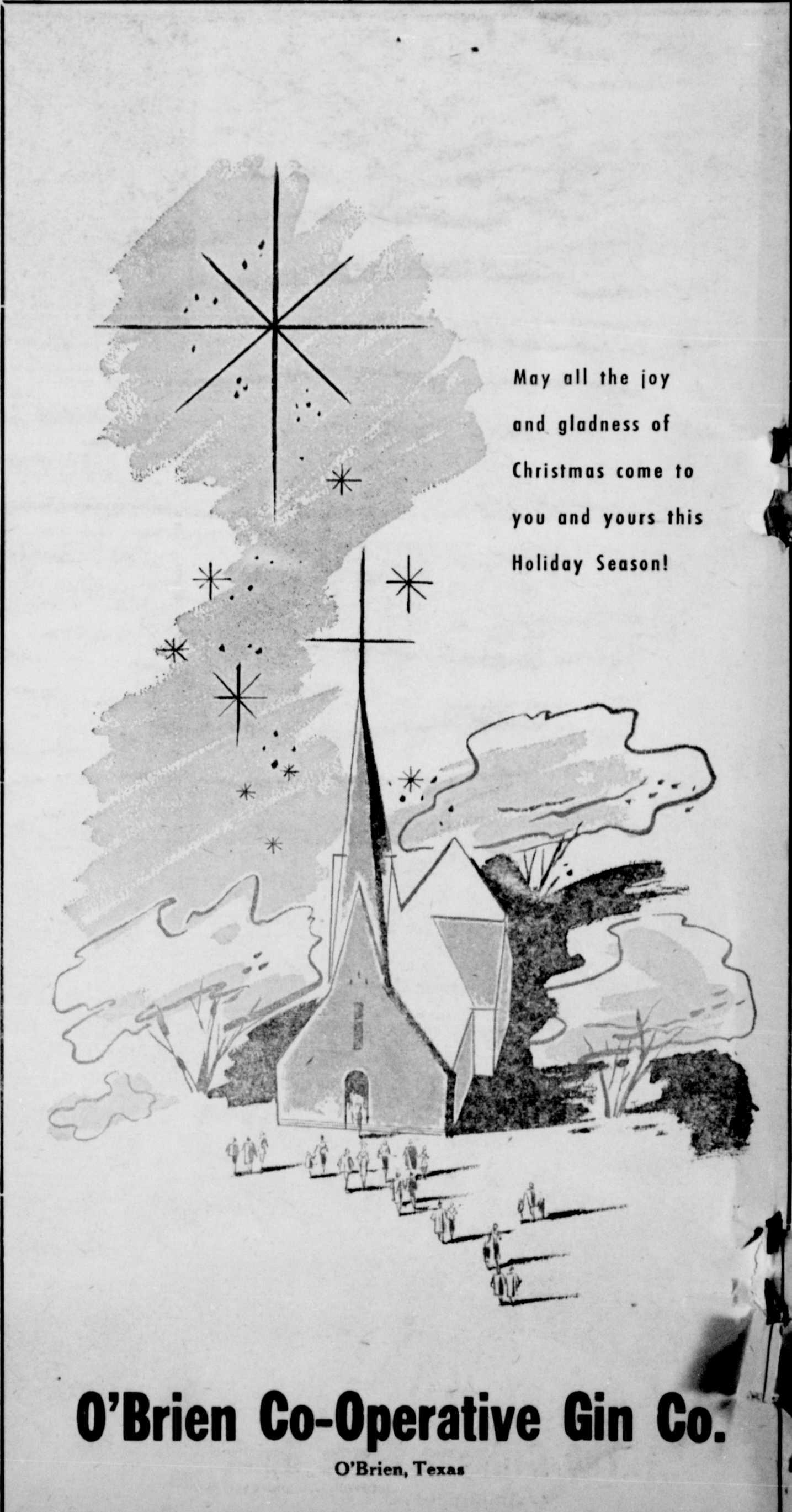
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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Denton and Family



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