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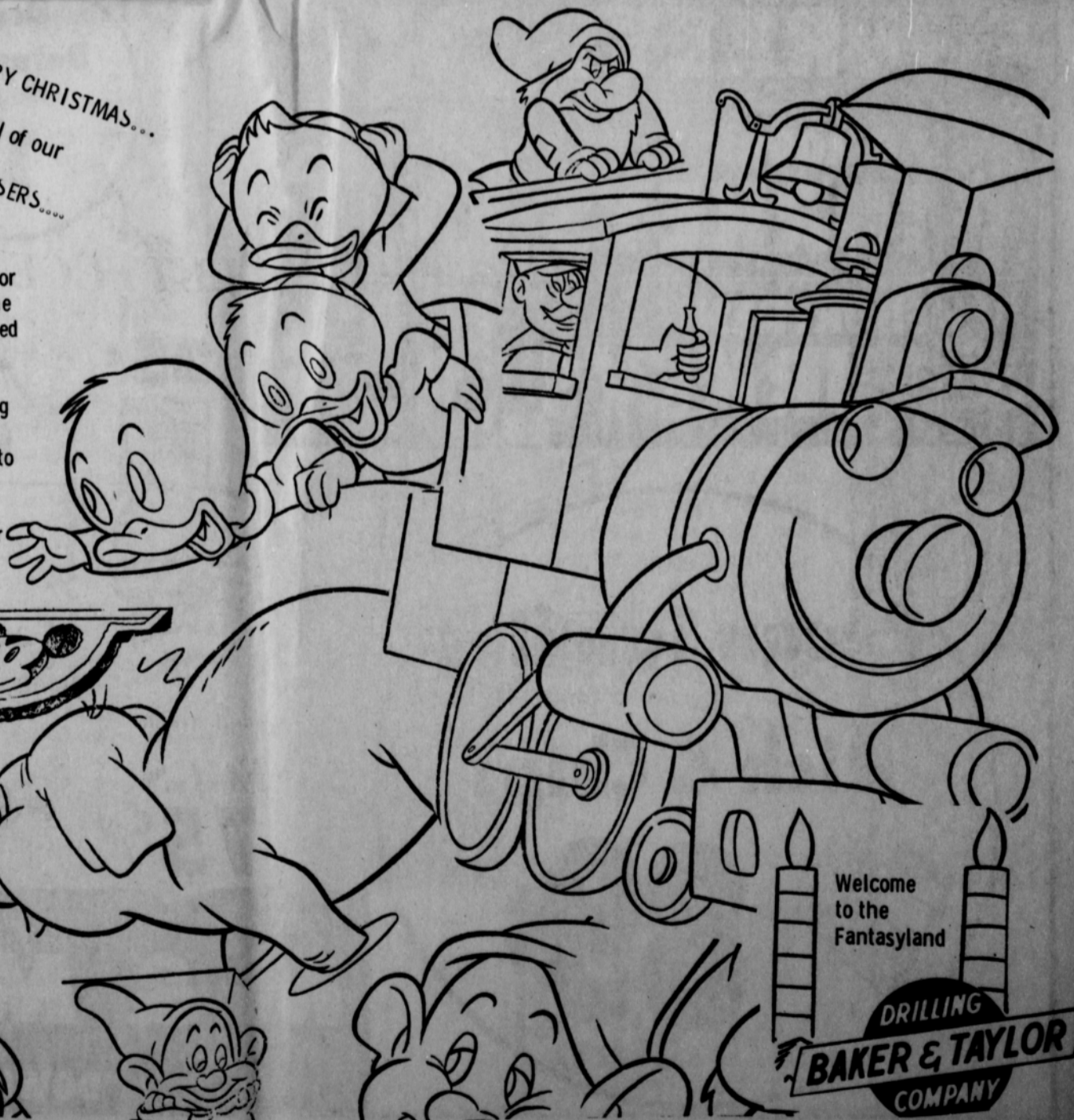
MERRY CHRISTMAS...  
from all of our  
ADVERTISERS....

### A SPECIAL THANKS TO BAKER AND TAYLOR

This newspaper would like to thank the Baker and Taylor organization for their wonderful Christmas display at the Little League park in Spearman. The display will be lighted through January 1st, if the weather does not get so bad that it will be impossible to keep the display intact.

We have received calls from all over the area, wanting us to thank Baker and Taylor for this unbelievable Fantasyland. We especially want to extend an invitation to everyone in the area to go by each night and view the Christmasy fantasy. We feel that it really gives both "young and old" the true Christmas and Happy New Year spirit.

Thanks once again to Baker and Taylor.



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Fantasyland

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WE GIVE GREEN STAMPS

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BATTERIES  
2 FOR 39¢  
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HARVEST BRAND  
**HAMS**  
3 TO 5 LB. AVG.  
BONELESS  
FULLY COOKED  
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DRY CURED EPICURE  
**HAMS** FULLY COOKED  
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PUMPKIN OR APPLE  
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**COOL WHIP** 9 OZ. CARTON **45¢**

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**17¢**

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**BISCUITS**  
BUTTER TASTIN  
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**OLEO**  
REG. QTRS. 1 LB. CRTN. **49¢**

BELL DAIRY SPECIALS  
**EGG NOG MIX** QT **65¢**

"MIX OR MATCH"  
WHIPPING CREAM SOUR CREAM  
CHIP 'N' DIP  
8 OZ. CRTNS. **\$1**



KRAFT'S QUART JAR  
**MIRACLE WHIP**  
**94¢**

MARYLAND CLUB  
**COFFEE**  
1 LB. CAN ALL GRINDS REG. \$1.53  
**98¢**



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## DOUBLE STAMPS

- SUN. DEC. 21ST
- MON. DEC. 22ND
- TUES. DEC. 23RD
- WED. DEC. 24TH

UNITED SUPER MKTS. WILL BE CLOSED DEC. 25TH



• BONELESS  
• FULLY COOKED  
**HAMS** FARMLAND 3 LB. CAN

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WE HAVE AVAILABLE COUNTRY PRIDE

- DUCKS • GEESE
- TURKEY BREASTS
- TURKEY ROASTS
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- CORNISH GAMB MENS



ALKA-SELTZER 25 CT. **69¢**

FRESH FROZEN CHICKEN LIVERS **89¢** LB.

DOLD SLAB SLICED **BACON** LB. **\$1<sup>09</sup>**

## TURKEYS

GRADE 'A' SELF BASTING

HUBBARD HOUSE

18 TO 22 LB. AVG.

10 TO 14 LB. AVG.

# 49¢ 59¢

"UNITED'S TRU-TENDR GRAIN FED STEER BEEF!"

**CHUCK ROAST** BLADE CUT **78¢** LB.

**GROUND BEEF** FRESH FAMILY PACK LB. **68¢**  
**BONELESS STEW** EXTRA LEAN CUBES OF BEEF LB. **\$1<sup>29</sup>**  
**STEAK** UNITED'S TRU TENDR BEEF • ROUND • RIB • SIRLOIN LB. **\$1<sup>29</sup>**



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**KRAFT MARSHMALLOWS MINIATURES** 10 OZ. PKG. **39¢**  
**HOLSUM THROWN STUFFED OLIVES** 5 OZ. JAR **59¢**  
**BAKER CHOC. FLAVOR CHIPS** 12 OZ. PKG. **59¢**  
**CHICKEN BROTH** SWEET SUE 13 1/2 OZ. CAN **19¢**  
**DEL MONTE ALL VARIETIES PINEAPPLE** 15 1/2 OZ. CAN **39¢**  
**CUT GREEN BEANS** WHITE SWAN 303 CANS **\$1<sup>60</sup>**  
**ORLEANS LOUISIANA COVE OYSTERS** 8 OZ. CAN **59¢**  
**WHITE SWAN FRUIT COCKTAIL** 16 OZ. CANS **\$1<sup>30</sup>**

**JELLO CRANBERRY SAUCE** 3 OZ. PKG. **5 FOR \$1**  
**FINE FARE NO. 300 CAN SUGURY SAM CUT YAMS** 22 OZ. SQUAT CAN **39¢**  
**ELLIS PECANS** HALVES PIECES 6 OZ. **79¢**  
**DIAMOND SHELLLED WALNUTS** 10 OZ. PKG. **89¢**  
**MIXED NUTS** TOM SCOTT 13 1/2 OZ. CAN **69¢**  
**RAW PEANUTS** FISCHER 12 OZ. PKG. **49¢**  
**BAKER'S ANGEL FLAKE COCONUT** 15' OFF 14 OZ. PKG. **79¢**  
**EAGLE BRAND MILK** BORDEN'S 14 OZ. CAN **49¢**

**DEL MONTE MANDARIN ORANGES** 11 OZ. CANS **3 \$1**  
**KLEENEX DINNER NAPKINS** ASS'T. 50 CT. **39¢**  
**CHINET COMPARTMENT PLATES** 15 CT. **79¢**  
**REYNOLD'S FOIL** 25 FT. ROLL **29¢**  
**HERSHEY CHOC. SYRUP** 16 OZ. CAN **45¢**  
**LIQUID IVORY** 22 OZ. 10' OFF **69¢**

**LIGHT CRUST FLOUR** 5 LB. BAG **49¢**

**UNITED BROWN 'N SERVE ROLLS** 12 CT. PKGS. **\$1**

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PRICES GOOD THRU' DEC. 24TH







### Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Smith, Pampa, Texas, formerly of Minneola, Kansas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Debi to Bruce Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson, Minneola. The bride-elect is Asst. Manager for The Shoe Center in Dodge City, Ks. Her fiancé is engaged in farming south of Minneola. April 24 is the wedding date set by the couple. The Smith's are former Spearman residents.



### All Region Band Members

On December 6, 1975 the area High School Bands in classes B/A and AA competed for chair positions in the 1976 All-Region Band which will be held in Amarillo High School on January 9th and 10th, 1976. Tryouts were held at Panhandle High School and over 530 students participated for band membership. The class B/A All-Region Band is composed of 96 students from the area's class B and A bands. The class AA Band is also composed of 96 students from the area's High School AA bands. From the original 530 students trying out only 192 bandmen were actually selected for membership in one of the two select performing groups. Students from the Lynx Band who were selected for membership in the AA All-Region Band include Lonita Greene---Baritone Saxophone (1st chair) Rhoda Bingham---Alto Clarinet (2nd chair) Tisha Platt---Contra-Bass Clarinet (1st chair) Stephanie Floyd---Contra-Bass Clarinet (2nd chair) David Evans---Alto Saxophone (2nd chair) Mike Pack---Trombone (4th chair) Gary Bridges---Cornet (8th chair) Tammy Bynum---Flute(alter.) David Stafford---Cornet Darlita Pierce and Denise

Destimone will also serve as the two Region Band secretaries and are assisting with the organizational work. The All-Region Bands in Class AAA-AAAA have also been selected as have the Junior High Band from Classes CC-CCC. The entire All-Region Bands concert from Junior High B/A, AA, and AAA-AAAA will perform their various selections at Amarillo High School Auditorium on Saturday, January 10th. The Junior High All-Region Band will perform at 2:00 P.M., the B/A Region Band performs at 3:00 P.M., the AA Region Band which includes the Spearman Band students performs at 4:00 P.M. and the AAA-AAAA performs at 5:00 P.M. The clinicians for the Region Bands include: Dr. Gary Garner---WTSU in Canyon directing the Region Junior High Band; Mr. Harris Brinson of San Angelo State College in San Angelo, Texas will direct the AA Region Band; Dr. Charles Traylor of Abilene Christian College in Abilene, Texas will direct the B/A Region Band (Dr. Traylor is a native of Spearman and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Traylor); Dr. A. Clyde Rolier will direct the AAA-AAAA Region Band. Vic Kyler, the director of the Spearman Lynx Band is the co-ordinator and organizer for the Class B/A and AA Region Bands.

### County Employees

#### Enjoy Holiday Party

Employees of Hansford County and their families enjoyed a delicious Christmas Dinner Thursday night, December 11th, at the Hansford County Agricultural-Recreational Building in Spearman. The evening was highlighted by a surprise visit from Santa Claus. Those in attendance were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dry, Dan & Pam; Marie & Alenna Gould; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Renner; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Proctor; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dennis; Jim Ratliff; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanders, Brent & Brad; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Close and Sue; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Frank Close; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Haden, Jimmy and Billy Ray; Mr. and Mrs. George C. Lowe; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Stevens; Frank Karr; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vernon and Tracy;

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Venneman; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ste wart; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Martin and Todd; Bill Martin; David Martin; Jerry Floyd; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Floyd; Mr. and Mrs. John Sims, Heidi and Shawn; Sheriff and Mrs. R. L. McFarlin, Kellye and Robbie; Mr. and Mrs. Harold King and Shane; Mrs. R. A. Massingill and Christopher; Judge and Mrs. Johnnie Lee and Johnette; Mrs. Selma Reneau; Mrs. Celestine Thompson; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Upchurch and Jason; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Davis; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mackie and Glen Ray; Miss Dallasee Reynolds; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin States; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson and Tony; Mrs. Verna Gail Keim; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bratton; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Green and Ron; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny White.

### FARM AND RANCH NEWS

by Joe VanZandt

Some of you may have heard rumors during the last few days about me. I would guess that there might be some truth in what you may have heard.

On February 1, 1976, I will start working in Pampa as the Gray County Extension Agent (Agriculture). It is hard to leave the friends and good people of Hansford County that we have enjoyed working with since September, 1972. My family and I regret leaving lots of friends.

However, the opportunity for advancement presented itself and I felt like it was the thing to do.

Mr. Paul Gross, District Extension Agent, Amarillo is in the process of selecting a replacement to be presented to the County Commissioners Court sometime in January. I feel like that a new agent will be named around the middle of January.

It is time to get those corn fields plowed before our cold January weather hits. Every unplowed corn field that remains so during our very cold weather, serves as a hibernation site for the Southwestern Corn borer. You can greatly reduce the number of overwintering corn borers by getting the corn root crowns plowed so they will be exposed to the very cold weather.

One unplowed corn field can serve as a source for borers to infest surrounding fields next spring and summer.

As Christmas season rolls around, some of you may be receiving a new house plant and you may wonder how to care for it. A new publication, MP-1223 - DECORATING WITH HOUSE-PLANTS, is available through the County Extension office. It is a 6 page full color publication providing information on the care and use of the more commonly used foliage plants for growing indoors.

I still have copies of the Farmers Tax Guide for 1976. If you need to do some income tax work, a copy of this guide will be helpful for farmers. This tax year is about to come to a close

and you may need to calculate your tax situation. It might be beneficial to buy or sell something before the end of the year.

#### Scouts To Go Caroling

The Girl Scouts will go Christmas Caroling on December 22nd.

Girls are asked to meet at the Scout House about dark. They will be transported around town for their caroling in pickups.

Anyone wishing to go along with the Girl Scouts is welcome. Also anyone who has a pickup that they would drive and take some of the girls is asked to do so.

#### Hansford Implement Christmas Party

Hansford Implement Co. held its Christmas party Wednesday, Dec. 17 at the Implement house. The dinner was catered by Sutters of Borger.

The company employees presented owner Gene Cudd with a gift.

After dinner those present enjoyed dancing and visiting punch and snacks.

Attending were Messrs. & Mrs. Gene Cudd, John Sutterfield, Louis Miesner, Charles Bartz, Steve Benton, Joe Cage, Bobby Bulls, Gordon Collins, Frank Edwards, Odell Fanning, William King, W. T. McAdams, Jim McLain, Norlan Winegamer, Vernon Wit, David Beaver, Norman Peters and Doug Bames, Kent Benton, Doug Brown, Galen Coates, Bobby Mosier, Bill Whitson, Arlan Winegamer, Bonnie Davis of Amarillo, Russell Scott, Carolyn Byers, Ramon Cantu, Dennis DeArmond, Patrick Ooley, Bobby Fanning, Penny Pigg of Amarillo, Billy Hazelwood and John Schaeffer.

#### Library To Close Dec. 25-29

The Hansford Library will be closed from Dec. 25 thru Dec. 29, for the Christmas Holidays.



From the employees of

# GRUVER FARM SUPPLY

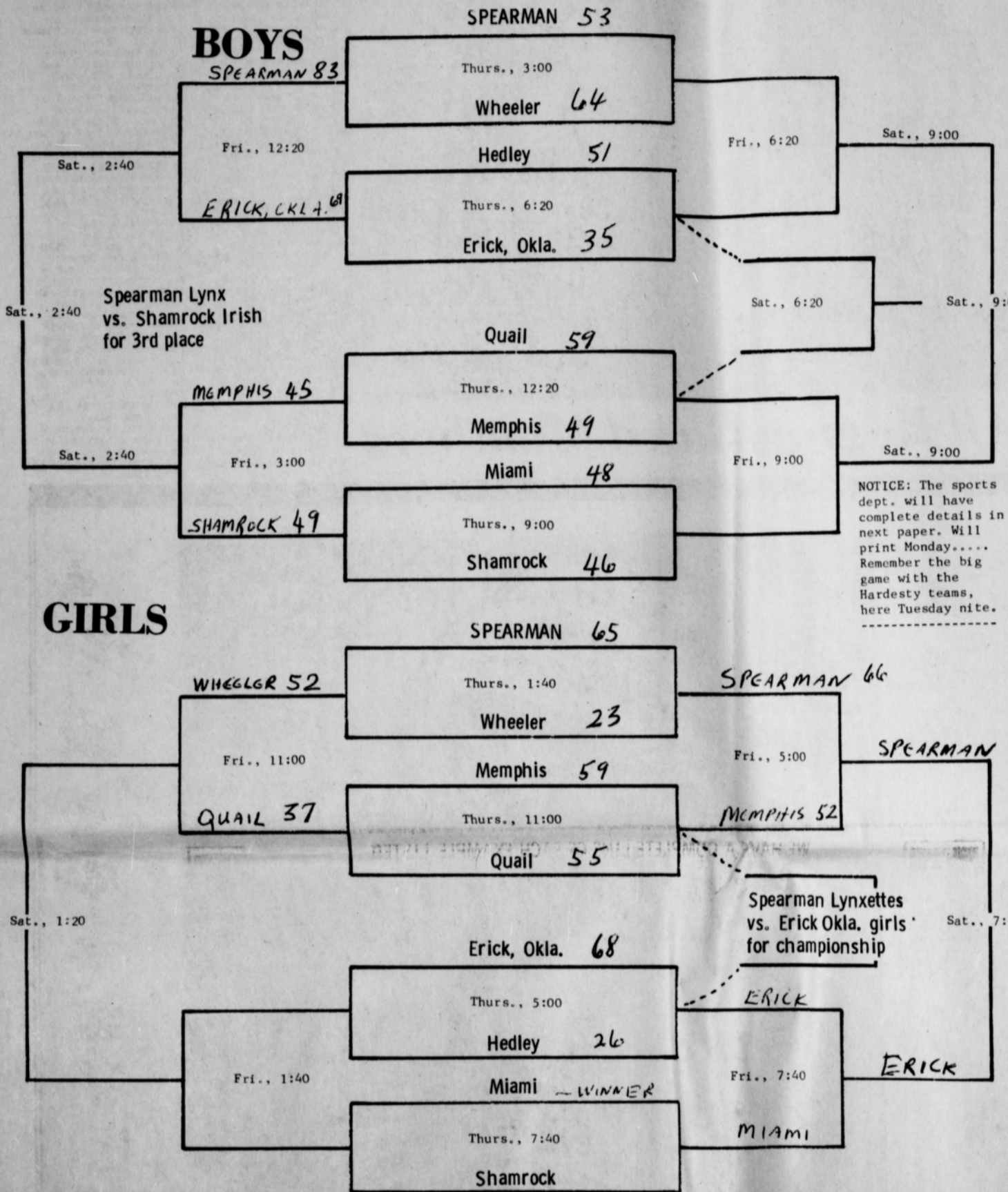
GRUVER

We Come Again to the Season of Christmas and the Minds of Men Turn Aside Centuries to Recall the Ever-constant Story of the Holy Birth at Bethlehem. We Wish to One and All the Joy and Peace of this Greatest Holiday.

# Shamrock Irish Classic

BASKETBALL  
TOURNAMENT  
Shamrock, Texas

Dec. 18, 19, & 20



## Girl Scout News

Brownie Troop #42 met Tuesday, December 16th in the Girl Scout House with leaders, Mrs. Charles Hall, Mrs. Bill Gaither, Marietta Davis, Joyce Cummings and Tonya McBride for their Christmas party. The girls enjoyed a gift exchange and singing Christmas carols. Refreshments of Christmas cookies and punch were served to members, Sheila Brand, Cheryl Coleman, Linda Evans, Angela Gaither, Rhonda Hall, Becky Hamilton, Dana Irlbeck, Alicia Langston, Carlee Lovett, Diana Martin, Raquel Rios, D'Lynn Orr, Shannon Vernon, Kim Younger, Tammy Ring and Mary Ann Evans. Next meeting will be January 6th in the Scout House.

Brownie Troop #65 met Thursday, December 18th in the Girl Scout House with leaders, Mrs. Bruce Womble and Marietta Davis. The girls exchanged gifts and sang Christmas carols. Refreshments of cakes and snowman ice cream bars were served to members, Kelly Groves, Stephanie Hays, Janise Kyler, Jeannie Laird, Tisha Pearce, Rosa Pierce, Genny Womble, Michelle Wright, LaGettie Temple, Lee Barnes, Ann Barnes, Karla Latta and Donna Martin. Next meeting will be January 8th in the Scout House with Karla Latta as hostess.

## Bride-Elect Is Honored

A pre-nuptial shower was held Thursday evening, December 18th for Miss Cindy Sims. She is the bride-elect of Terry Morris. The couple will be married December 23rd in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Guests called between the hours of 7:30 - 8:30 P.M. in the home of Mrs. Walter Spoonemore, 709 Lee Drive, bringing many useful and lovely gifts for the couple. Miss Simms was pinned with a white carnation corsage. She presented hostesses, Betty Janzen, Virginia Cates, Billy Carrell, Mary Brown, Sybil Miller and Bonita Reimer, with boxes of stationary notes. Helping her open her many gifts were her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Simms and Mrs. Jerry Morris. The serving table carried out the bride-elects colors of pink and white. The table was draped with white cloth, overlaid with white lace and centered with a Christmas candelabra. Appointments were gold flatware and serving pieces. A white cake decorated with pink roses was served with pink wassail. Hostesses alternated at the serving table.

## Bridge Clubs

The Ladies Dinner Bridge Club held its Christmas meeting Wednesday, December 17th in the home of Mrs. Bill K. Jackson. High score was held by Mrs. Jackson, second high was held by Mrs. Glen Mackie and the traveling prize was won by Mrs. S. B. Sheets. A delicious dinner and a gift exchange was enjoyed by guests, Mrs. S. B. Sheets and Mrs. Newell Allen and by members, Mesdames: Jim Evans, Glen Mackie, Sid Evans, Don DeArmond, Troy Sloan, and hostess, Mrs. Jackson. Next meeting will be January 19th in the home of Mrs. Joel Lackey.

Mrs. Preston Scott was hostess for the Hi-Lo Bridge Club Christmas party Thursday evening in her home. Mrs. John Berry had high score and Mrs. Leonard Jameson had low. Members attending and enjoying a delicious dinner and gift exchange were Mesdames: Berry, Jameson, Vi Whitson, R. E. Lee, Gertrude Archer, Faye Lynch, Bill Gandy and the hostess.

The Grand Slam Bridge Club met Thursday, December 18th in the home of Mrs. Dennis Nelson. High was won by Mrs. Roy Flowers and second high was won by Mrs. Monty Blackman. Delicious refreshments were served to guests, Mesdames: Kent Guthrie, Dick Courris, Tom Latta and Cecil Biggen and to members, Mesdames: Roy Flowers, Jack Lasater, Mack McCormack, Clark Mires, Monty Blackman, Ed Zschiesche, Wayne Garrett and hostess, Mrs. Nelson. Next meeting will be January 15th in the home of Mrs. S. B. Sheets.

## B&T Women Enjoy Luncheon

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fisher is their son, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Fisher from the Bermuda Islands. The Baker & Taylor Women met Tuesday, December 16th in the Home Demonstration Club Room for their Christmas luncheon and gift exchange. Hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Bobby Parker. Other members present were Mesdames: Jack Hamilton, Jim Thomas, Roy Bulls, K. C. Loftin, Mack McCormack, Donnie Mach, Gilbert Salgado, Jack Jackson, Ike Richeson, Carlos Kenda and Jack Carroll. The Baker & Taylor Women are to travel to Amarillo January 20th to the home of Mrs. Don Bowie for a luncheon and art exhibit.

NOTICE: The sports dept. will have complete details in next paper. Will print Monday..... Remember the big game with the Hardesty teams, here Tuesday nite.

The following merchants wish you a very Merry Christmas Be sure and attend Shamrock tourney

<p>OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY</p>	<p><b>LIL' LYNX SHOPPE</b> YOUR CHILD SPECIALISTS BE SURE AND SHOP HERE WE WILL BE OPEN TILL 9:00 412 Davis Spearmen, Texas</p>	<p>659-3625 <b>YORK ELECTRIC</b> WE DO ALL TYPES OF ELECTRICAL WIRING We Want Your Business DOWNTOWN SPEARMAN Spearmen, Texas</p>	<p><b>Gruver State Bank</b></p>
<p><b>Speartex Grain Co.</b> Spearmen Texas</p>	<p><b>COOP CONSUMERS SALES</b></p>	<p><b>Tucker Water Well Service</b> 659-3013 Spearmen, Texas</p>	<p><b>Booster Ag Chem. Inc.</b> Burl Buchanan, Manager</p>
<p><b>White House Lumber Co.</b> of Spearmen</p>	<p><b>Jr. Lusby Cats</b> 923-5371 Canadian 859-2146 Spearmen</p>	<p><b>Kentucky Fried Chicken</b> Perryton, Texas "It's Finger Lickin' Good" Phone Ahead 435-3811 We Prepare Food For Any Size Group</p>	<p>THE HANSFORD PLAINSMAN</p>



# BOWLING NEWS

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES 12-17-75

	W	L
Lyon Ins. Agcy.	39	21
Wardrobe Cls.	35	25
Sprmn Auto Spl.	34	26
Doug Ous	31	29
Cates	30	30
Ideal	16	44

## HANSFORD IMP. PENDING PANHANDLE ESTRN.

	W	L
HIGH TEAM SERIES Cates	2221	
Lyon Ins. Agcy.	2202	
Doug Ous	2186	

## HIGH TEAM GAME

	W	L
Lyon Ins. Agcy.	777	
Doug Ous	754	
Wardrobe Cls.	740	

## HIGH MEN SERIES

	W	L
Verlin Behne	498	
Harry Stumpf	495	
Jim Nicholson	484	

## HIGH LADIES SERIES

	W	L
Jane Meek	484	
Judy Black	468	
Hazel Stumpf	454	

## HIGH LADIES GAME

	W	L
Jane Meek	177	
Judy Black	170	
Hazel Stumpf	168	

## THURSDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE 12-11-75

	W	L
Anthony Elec.	41	11
Merchants	39	13
Hagen & Villines	29	23

## HANSFORD IMP.

	W	L
Sprmn. Ind. Eng.	24	28
Kenda & Gray	21	31
Kelp & Woolley	16	36

## HIGH TEAM SERIES

	W	L
Anthony Elec.	1830	
Merchants	1739	
Sprmn. Ind. Eng.	1632	

## HIGH TEAM GAME

	W	L
Anthony Elec.	659	
Sprmn. Ind. Eng.	640	
Anthony Elec.	614	

## HIGH IND. SERIES MEN

	W	L
Verlin Behne	570	
Tommy Reger	518	
Bruce Loewen-hagen	446	

## HIGH IND. GAME MEN

	W	L
Verlin Behne	223	
Bobby Evenson	200	
Tommy Reger	199	

## HIGH IND. SERIES WOMEN

	W	L
Sharon Cook	460	
Anita Falkner	436	
Judy Evenson	410	

## HIGH IND. GAME WOMEN

	W	L
Sharon Cook	178	
Marcy Gray	172	
Barbara Taylor	161	

Dear Santa:  
I've been nice this year. I've been going with my Daddy and helping him. Please bring me a race car track and a G. I. Joe that goes under water. I want some cowboy chaps too. That's all. Bring Daddy some cologne. Santa you know what to bring my brother and sister. I love you,  
Slavin Sparks

Dear Santa:  
I want a big bike. I am trying to be a good boy. I will write my name better. I want a combine. Bring Hilda a doll. Beatrice wants a doll. Raul wants a snowmobile. Bring John a combine. Love,  
Javier Escalante

Dear Santa Claus. Please bring me a motorcycle. I really need one because I don't have one. I am trying to be good and it shore is hard! Sheri wants a dolly. My momma wants an exerciser--Daddy needs a model. Bring Granny J a new car. Granomma needs a brand new bed. I love you Santa Claus.  
Kevin Falkner

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want Baby Alive. I need a stove. I want a little Christmas tree. Alex wants a truck. I am a good girl. I help momma cook and help daddy clean his truck. My mommy wants a new stove and refrigerator. Daddy wants a new pickup. I love you.  
Susanna Renteria

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good boy. Please bring me a semi truck, rocket, Nerf football.  
Paul Winn

Dear Santa,  
My name is Angie Pugh. I would like you to bring the other children something too. Santa Claus I want a three speed for Christmas. Bring my sister a kurling im, and my mom some new lamps. and my dad a new suit.  
From Angie,  
I love you.

Dear Santa,  
I would like a doll. I would like some doll clothes. Please fill my stocking. Love,  
Sharon

Dear Santa Claus,  
My name is Brian. I want a bike and a Eval Kuneval car and speshuly a slad.  
From Brian

Dear Santa,  
My name is Pamela. I want a little puppy for my baby brother, and a guitar for my brother, and a bike for my little brother. And for me I would like a Scoot and Scat Away and a Baby Tender Love. I love you.  
From Pamela

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a doll for Christmas and do you have a doll that you can fix her hair and put make-up on her. I hope you do. You usually have everything don't you Santa. Another thing I want is a jewel magic. That's all Santa.  
Love,  
Lori

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a basketball for Christmas and a pair of skates to. A temberrena a suet to. I hope all the other children get a present to.  
From Rebecca, I love you.

Dear Santa Claus  
I love you. I love Christmas to. It is when Jesus was born. I would like for other kids to get a gift and I want to get a pair of pom-poms.  
Love,  
Shanna

Dear Santa,  
My name is Raelynn. I would like a big Santa Claus and reindeer with a sled. I hope that all the children in the world get a presun.  
I love you.  
Rae Lynn

Dear Santa,  
I love Christmas and I would like a Evil Kenevil Van set and a bow-and-astro and for my sister please bring her a doll and a bottle.  
Love,  
Shawn

Dear Santa,  
I want a gocart and a racetrack with cars and a magic set to and a pair of boots and a nice tool kit. Thank you. Have a nice Christmas.  
Bob, Jarvis

Dear Santa  
I am a boy I want a motor bike and a Timex and a five speed and a magic set. I am in 3rd grade. I am nine years old. I have five brothers and one sister.  
Love  
Teddy

Dear Santa,  
I want a Snoopy Tooth Brush, and a Ten Speed, and doll, and jewalmagic, a Record player, Snoopy pencil sharpner.  
Happy Christmas Santa.  
Donna Martin

Dear Santa. I want a sled. a magic hat, a football that is all I want.  
Steve Burke

Dear Santa,  
I want a six meoon dolr mah. And a football. And a football suit, and some rolr skates. Dear Santa I love you,  
Scott

Dear Santa,  
I love you I want a bike from you Dear Sanata  
Love,  
Jim

Dear Santa,  
I want a football and a soot. My name is Emie Joe. I want a helmet and a Evilknvl. Have a happy happy day Santa.  
From Emie Joe I love you.

Dear Santa Claus,  
I love you Santa Claus. My name is Alex. I love Christmas. Santa you are nice. I want a Evel Knevel and a truck and a Jack box and a toe truck.  
From Alex

Dear Santa  
I love you. I want a gunt.  
Stacy

Dear Santa:  
I am eight years. I am in Mrs. Bergin's class. I want a love note and a trampoline, a Tiffany Tailor. I wish the other boys and girls a Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Cheryl TeBeest  
Box 387  
Gruver, Texas

Dear Santa:  
I am nine years old. I am in the third grade. I am a girl. I want a Pizza Hur Cooking Place. And I want a Baby That'away. I want a male hamster, a long dress, and a big heavy coat.  
Love,  
Deaitra Virden  
Box 595  
Gruver

Dear Santa:  
I want a motorcycle and trapalan. I want a football, a football suit, I want roller skates, a shot gun, and a new house. Santa I wish you a Merry Christmas.  
Rance O'Brien  
Star Route  
Guymon, Oklahoma

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a boy. I am eight years old. I want a professional football and a mini bike. My teacher is Ms. Bergin and she is a nice teacher. I want a brother for Christmas. I wish you a Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Chad Logsdon  
Star Route  
Guymon, Oklahoma

Dear Santa:  
I am eight years old and I am in Mrs. Bergin's class. I want a pair of skates and a Barbie doll.  
Love,  
Linda Vasquez  
Box 386  
Gruver

Dear Santa:  
I am 8 years old and in the third grade. I would like a globe for Christmas and some T. V. Magic Cards. I hope everybody has a Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Holly Holt  
Box 661, Gruver, Texas

Dear Santa:  
I would like a Crossman

b. b. gun with a 4X scope. Meredith would like a refrigerator and a sink and a stove.  
Love,  
Wesley Wood,  
Box 370, Gruver

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a good girl. I want a real live puppy. Please bring me a Baby Tender Love doll with lots of clothes. My sister wants some clothes. My little brother wants some new pants. My Daddy would like a new hat and Mama wants shoes. I love you, see you Christmas.  
Susí Domíquez

Dear Santa Claus:  
I've been a good girl. I've been helping Mama a lot. Please bring me a dolly. My brother Steven would like a ball. Michael, my baby brother, needs some new pajamas. I want my Grandmother to have a necklace and my Grandpa to have a hat. I'll see you Christmas. I like you and I love you.  
Kristi King

Dear Santa:  
I am nine year's old, in the third grade, and I like sports. My little brother wants a horse, a play bull dozer and an electric train. I want a Schwinn Scrambler and a watch.  
I hope everyone gets what they want. I wish you Merry Christmas and everyone too.  
Love,  
Bret Hobbs  
Box 457, Gruver

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a minebike and two pair of pajamas. And I want a football with a football stand. I want an eight track tape player. My Daddy wants a truck a plain truck with a floor shift handle. and my Dad would like a pair of steel work boots. And I nearly forgot my mother. My mother wants a new house. And oh' I forgot to tell you. I want a new typewriter. I love you.  
Luis Gallegos  
Box 174, Gruver

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a toy typewriter. My sister wants a birthstone ring. My brother wants an eight

- REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
DECEMBER 22, 1975
- PLEDGE AND INVOCATION
  - MINUTES OF REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF 12/8/75 AND SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF 12/15/75
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  - PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING AN ASSESSMENT PROGRAM FOR THE PAVING OF 9TH STREET FROM ROLAND TO HWY 207
  - CONSIDERATION OF LEASE AGREEMENT FOR NEW AMBULANCE WITH P. E. M. S.
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  - CONSIDERATION OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM AND WATER IMPROVEMENTS
  - DISCUSSION OF 1975 VOTING RIGHTS ACT
  - CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS TO ORDINANCE #378 OF THE BUILDING CODE
  - CONSIDERATION OF PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION ON PAT UNDERWOOD'S ZONING REQUEST
  - CONSIDERATION OF APPOINTMENT OF ACTING MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE
  - ACTING CITY MANAGER'S REPORT ON TAXES, CASH POSITION, FINANCE & SYSTEM
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I want a horse black horse.  
My daddy to get a Christmas  
bonus, to get good grades,  
and a Jewie Magic.  
From Genna Womble

Dear Santa,  
I have been wanting a  
hoola hoop for long time,  
and I would like to have  
one this Christmas.  
I would get an organ from  
my mother but she said it  
was too much to spend on a  
gift.  
I would like to have a  
Pom-Pom-Pets and a Baby  
That Away.  
Love, Tischa Percy

Dear Santa,  
I have been waiting for  
Christmas to come. I had  
fun last year too. I want  
about three or four things.  
I want a Baby That Away,  
a pottery wheel shop, a  
magic set, a Baby Crissy.  
Love,  
Sheila Schneider

Dear Santa,  
I had a very nice Christmas  
last year. I guess I have  
been a nice girl this year  
too.  
I would like to have a ten-  
speed bike, some new clothes.  
Have a Jolly Christmas.  
Love,  
Teresa Tindell

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good little  
boy. I Love you. thank  
you for last years presents.  
Please bring me a bow an  
arrow for Christmas.  
I like Christmas very much.  
Ho! Ho! Ho!  
Love,  
Cole Ivey

Dear Santa,  
Christmas is my favorite  
holiday, and the most fun  
is putting up the Christmas  
tree.  
I want a Bean-bag chair,  
and a afghan kit.  
Love,  
Loree Morris

Dear Santa  
I like your Reindeers and  
I have been Wondering if  
Roodoph has been sad or  
happy.  
Love,  
Mike Bass

Dear Santa,  
I hope you have me on  
your list good. Because I  
don't want a lump coal in  
my Christmas stocking. I  
think I have been good.  
Have I? Well I want a  
pellet gun, a rock polisher.  
Love,  
Danny Close

I want a pair of hunting  
boots and a German  
Shepherd for Christmas.  
Love,  
Mary Pearson

Dear Santa,  
Will you send me a TV  
a radio, a Baton and a new  
Bike. I do not want a doll,  
but I do want a record  
player.  
Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Rosa Pierce

Dear Santa,  
I think I have been good  
this year. I would like a  
sled and a Bless You Baby  
Tinder Love and a Tessie  
Talk. We are going to  
Busties and Grandads.  
Love,  
Judith Jackson

Dear Santa,  
I have been good. Please  
come soon. My family is  
waiting for you.  
My brother wants a cat.  
I want 2 caves. My Mother  
wants a long rob. My Dad  
wants a hoi fence charger.  
My dogs want more rabbits  
to chase.  
Love,  
Travis Patterson

Dear Santa  
I have been waiting for  
Christmas all year. I hope  
you will bring me a race-  
track. My sister wants a  
baby doll. She is 2. My  
other sister wants a Baby  
That Away. I hope you  
will bring all of this to us.  
Love,  
Tammy Savage

Dear Santa,  
Are you going to be on  
time this year? Are you  
going to be here December  
25 to bring boys and girls  
presents? I hope so, I  
love presents so much.  
Hope you will come.  
Love,  
Ross Donahu

Dear Santa  
I have been good. Did  
you know that I like Christ-  
mas? I want a pencil  
sharpner with batteriels. I  
also want a snowcone maker  
and Barbie and Ken clothes.  
Love,  
Janis Kyle

Dear Santa,  
Thank you for all the  
things you gave me last  
year. I have enjoyed every  
thing you gave me last  
year.  
I have been a good girl  
this year. I want a Hula  
hoop and a ten speed bike.  
Good luck on your journey.  
Love,  
Andrea Archer

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good boy.  
My brother has been in  
the hospital. He had pneu-  
monia. I play nice. I  
play right. I like toys.  
I want a sled, little basket-  
ball game, watch.  
Love,  
Brian Paul

Dear Santa,  
My name is Jeannie Laird.  
I have been a good girl.  
I am eight years old. I  
have two brothers, and a  
mom and dad. I live on  
James Street.  
I want a hoola hoop, a  
Tiffany Taylor Barbie, a  
lite brite, jewel magic set,  
and a neck chocker.  
Love,  
Jeannie Laird

Dear Santa,  
I have been very good and  
I think I should get at least  
one toy.  
I would like to have a  
"Evel KenEvel" for Christ-  
mas. I hope everyone  
has a Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Kyle Lewis

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good girl.  
This is what I want for  
Christmas.  
A Snoopy toothbrush, a  
mastermaker a dollhouse,  
a play pitzahut, a doll,  
and a magic set.  
Love,  
Karla Latta

Dear Santa,  
I hope I've been good.  
All of my Christmases have  
been fun. We've all redy  
got 24 presents under our  
tree and We hope to get  
some more from you. I  
want a Ventriloquist doll.  
Love,  
Tonya Drummond

Dear Santa,  
I have been good. Do  
you know what I want? I  
want a baby that-away  
and ten speed.  
Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Stephanie Hayes

Dear Santa,  
Are you going to be on  
time this year? If you are  
DO NOT come down the  
chimney because the vent  
will be closed.

Dear Santa,  
I like you because when  
you laugh your belly shakes.  
I would like you to bring  
me a jewel magic and a  
poodle and a sleeping bag  
with spearmint gum on it.  
Love,  
Stephanie Friemel

Dear Santa,  
I like you because when  
you laugh your belly shakes.  
Your belly is as big as a  
bowl full of jelly. Will  
you bring me a hockey-  
game?  
Love,  
Nicholas Lee Windsorfer

Dear Santa,  
I hope you give us nice  
things in our stockings  
like last year. My mom  
has been pretty good. I  
think I have been to. I  
going to look for you on  
Christmas Eve.  
Love,  
JoAnne Odegaard

Dear Santa,  
Last year you bot me a  
walky talky this year I  
want a motobike, football,  
longhandels, gunset, knife  
and I wish you a happy  
Christmas. Mary Christmas.  
Bryan Glenn Gray  
811 S. Roland 2736

Dear Santa,  
I would like a air hockey  
game. And a tape recorder.  
And a John tractor and  
plow set. And a Kawasaki  
90. Well I guess it's time  
to go now and have a  
Merry Christmas.  
Your friend  
Bob C.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want one pennyman.  
Tommy Thomas

Dear Santa Claus,  
For Christmas I want a  
lifelike baby and a stuffed  
Lassie.  
That is all I want.  
Love,  
Trina Gordon

Dear Santa Claus,  
For Christmas I would  
like Baby Botrus, and  
Johny West, and, Thunder-  
bolt and Commaiche.  
Love,  
Shannon Natalie Vernon

Dear Santa Claus,  
For Christmas I want a  
bike and I want a baby  
alive and I want a pop  
corn maker.  
Love,  
Shannon Lea Rylant

Dear Santa Claus,  
For Christmas I would  
like a Indian-jewelry Maker  
and a puzzle and Christmas  
record. That is all I want.  
Love,  
Kim Scroggs

Dear Santa Claus,  
For Christmas I would  
like a B-B-Gun and a bow  
and arrow and a mini Bike  
and a Magic Shooting  
Gallery, and a trampolean,  
two Walkie talkies.  
Love,  
Kyle Kirk

Dear Santa Claus,  
For Christmas I want a  
Whach and a tent and a  
typewriter and a radio and  
a baby that-a-way.  
Love,  
Vicki

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a  
doll that eats and drinks.  
It is Baby Alive.  
Love,  
Diana

Dear Santa Claus:  
I love the things you  
brought me last year.  
This year I want two  
walkie talkies, a bike and  
a might mo dump truck.  
I want some little cars  
and one of your reindeers.  
My mother wants a sewing  
machine and a dishwasher,  
three good boys. My  
daddy wants a pickup and  
a motorcycle. My brothers  
want some little cars and  
trucks.  
With all my love,  
Richie Ford  
Box 361, Gruver

Dear Santa:  
How are you doing? I  
am doing just fine. Will  
you bring me a 4-10 shot-  
gun, a color TV, and a  
scope for my shotgun?  
Love,  
Trevor

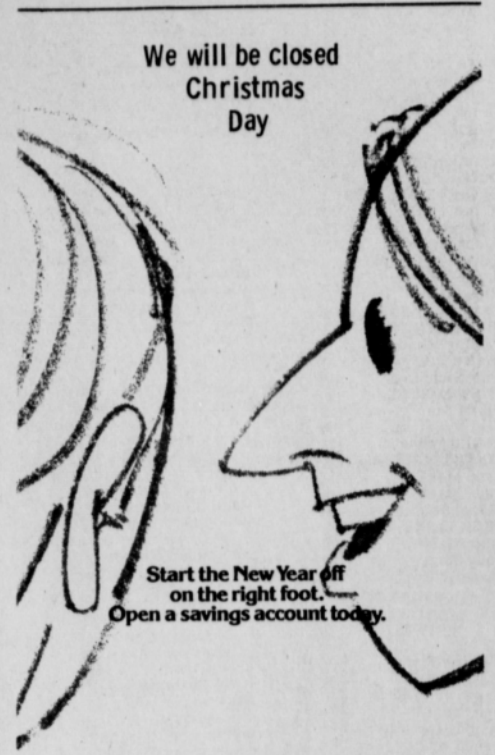
Dear Santa:  
I want a football for  
Christmas and a football  
suit and sled.  
Love,  
Tim

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a T. V. Please  
bring me a pelut gun that  
pumps up and a lamp and  
pillow please. I hope every  
boy and girl gets a nice  
toy.  
Love,  
Gregg Haight

Dear Santa:  
I would like a Sweet  
Ties Doll Doll and a  
basketball too, and also  
a Baby Skat Away and a  
Sixwheeler too and a Dear  
Devild Debby. Have a  
Merry Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Tina Westerfield.

Dear Santa:  
I want a Madam Alex-  
ander doll and a bike and  
a Baby Dreams and a  
candle with a picture of a  
litttle girl on it. And I  
want a Baby that Away. I  
hope every boy and girl  
gets a nice present. How  
are things up at the North  
Pole? I love you very much.  
Love,  
Esther Burleson

Dear Santa:  
I would like a Baby That  
Away. I also want a Barby.  
What is it like in the North  
Pole? How do you get to  
the top of the house so you  
can go down the chimney?  
Love,  
Shanda



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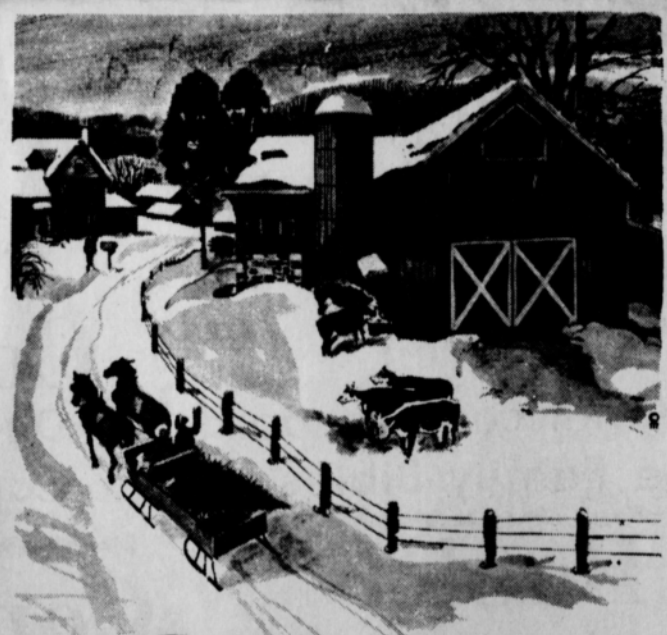


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Anthony, Mickey Nobles, Woodville Jarvis, J. L. Denman, F. J. Hoskins, Russell Pogue and Altha Groves.

Next meeting will be January 7th at the First Baptist Church.

### Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Clarence Pettit, Reba Fox, Karl Nielsen, Christine Cunningham and daughter, Scotty Scroggs, Ruth Lackey, Claude Newell, Efran Rios, Martinez baby, Terry Hysell and Veleta Bowen.

Dismissed were Cleo Helker, Kesse Kell, Julie Kille, Cathy Ware, Leo Frazier, Albert Bakehouse, Dorothy Perry, Alberta Pshigoda, Clyde Holman, Norman Gilmore, Glenna McMullan, Janice Smith and Glenna Holland.

### C of C Women Install Officers

The Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce met Monday, December 15th in the Library Club Room with President, Mrs. Travis Davis presiding. Miss Dorothy Roden, Chairman for the Decorations for the Chamber of Commerce Banquet announced the theme for the banquet would be "And That's The Way It Was." A salad luncheon was enjoyed by members. Mesdames: C. D. Riggins, Celestine Thompson, Russell Townsend, R. E. Lee, E. J. Callaway, E. L. Collins, Jim Fowler, Jim McLain, Albert Mackie, Sam Wysong, John Sutterfield, Vance Snider, and Dorothy Roden.

The women's Division met Monday evening, December 15th at Martin's Steak Garden. A delicious supper was enjoyed in the Garden Room prior to installation of officers.

Mrs. Travis Davis installed the following officers for 1976: President - Mrs. John Sutterfield; Vice President - Mrs. Ronnie Schaefer; Secretary - Mrs. C. D. Riggins; Treasurer - Mrs. Jim McLain; and Parliamentarian - Mrs. Russell Townsend.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and a treasury report was given.



Santa, and one of Santa's little helpers, Miss Hansford County, was in Gruver early this week... Miss Hansford County is Denise Desimone, and Santa is one of the best in the county... Guess who?



### Baptist Women Meet

The Baptist Young Women met Wednesday, December 17th at the First Baptist Church for Mission Action. The members brought items from home for a "used" shower for Mrs. Moyer and brought Christmas gifts and wrapped them for Mrs. Moyer and her grandchildren.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bobby Vallery to members. Mesdames: Boyd Dean, Bobby Evenson, Glen Gray, Gilbert Harnish, Wesley Jarvis, Roy Franklin Russell, Luke Stewart and Buford Baker. Next meeting will be January 7th.

The Baptist Women Study Group met Wednesday, December 17th in the home

of Mrs. Glen Hiller. President, Mrs. J. L. Denman presided over the meeting.

A prayer was offered for the ill. Mrs. Woodville Jarvis read the Prayer Calendar and Mrs. Arthur Adkison led in prayer for the birthday missionaries.

Mrs. Mable Edwards was in charge of the program on Missions in Uruguay. Ms.

Russell Pogue acted as moderator and questions were asked by Mrs. Glen Hiller, Mrs. F. J. Hoskins and Mrs. Arthur Adkison. Ms. L. L. Anthony closed the meeting with prayer.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Hiller to members. Mesdames: Fred Holt, Arthur Adkison, A. F. Loftin, Ed Hutton, Mable Edwards, L. L.

### HD CLUB NEWS

The Old Hansford Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, December 16th in the home of Mrs. Roscoe Nelson for their Annual Christmas Coffee.

The devotional was a Christmas story from Luke 2.

A gift exchange was held and members drew new secret pals for the next year. Refreshments of home-

made cinnamon rolls, coffee, tea and candy canes were served by Mrs. Nelson to members. Mesdames: G. I. Brown, B. A. Byers, Irvin Delk, Virgil Floyd, Glen Mackie, L. W. Rosenbaum, Gordon Parrish, Elzey Vanderburg, Jacob Regier and H. M. Shedeck.

Next meeting will be January 6th in the home of Mrs. Shedeck.

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*The brightest star of all shown above Bethlehem that night. Three wise men, kings from afar, had followed the star for countless miles, their search ending when its bright light fell upon a simple stable.*

*Shepherds tending their sheep in the fields nearby also found their way to the stable. A messenger had appeared, saying that a king would be born in humble surroundings this night.*

*And so a King was born. The King of Peace. The King of Hope. He was born as a child of Mary, who had come to Bethlehem with Joseph the Carpenter. The law decreed that all citizens annually visit their native city so a tax count might be conducted by Roman authorities. Because they were of the family of David, they had made a long journey from Nazareth.*

*In the only shelter available, the stables at the rear of the crowded inn, the child was born — Jesus Christ. In official records he was the son of Joseph the Carpenter and his wife, Mary. Of mild concern to the authorities was the rumor among some citizens that*

*Mary was a virgin mother and that the birth of the child was something of a miracle, the fulfillment of a long-written prophecy that the lineage of David would bring forth a king and a saviour of the people.*

*Indeed, the name Jesus Christ means "Son of David," and "Messiah," also "the anointed one," and "Savior." The three kings, the Magi — were Caspar, Melchior and Belthazar. They had followed the star because they believed it would lead them to the Messiah. The shepherds were told to go to the stable to pay homage to the newborn king of kings.*

*This was the first Christmas. The birth of Christ. Here began that One Great Life upon earth, a life of dedication, service, and lasting testimony to God's love for all mankind.*

*Through long centuries and changing civilizations, the meaning of Christmas is constant. There can be no more universal holiday, no greater hope for now and hereafter than that which lies in the heritage of Christmas.*

*This is the night when Christ was born.*

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LETTERS TO SANTA

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Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like Walkie Talkies and Six Million Dollar Man for Christmas. Love, Julio Barcia

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a bike and some boots for Christmas. Love, Noe Gonzales

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a Train Set and Walkie Talkies for Christmas. Love, Willie Vera

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a Walkie Talkie and a Play-Doh Pumper for Christmas. Love, Carl Kizziar

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a Camera and Snoopy Pencil Sharpener for Christmas. Love, Jim Briscoe

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Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like The Six Million Dollar Man and Tent for Christmas. Love, Joe Bob Etheredge

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like B-B gun and Pellet gun for Christmas. Love, Gabriel Rios

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a tent and Mini-Bike for Christmas. Love, Todd Martin

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like Magic Set and Srink for Christmas. Love, Andy Jeo Shimek

Dear Santa, I am in Second Grade and have been good. I would like doll and ring for Christmas. Love, Kim Younger

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and been good. I would like a doll and a Baby Alive for Christmas. Love, Tammy Ring

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a Super Toe and Magic Set for Christmas. Love, Damon Goodheart

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a guitar and Magic Set for Christmas. Love, Angela Gaither

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a Talking doll and Talking Alarm Clock for Christmas. Love, Nancy Queen

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like doll and trampoline for Christmas. Love, Alicia Langston

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a ring and the Sunshine Family for Christmas. Love, Lizzy Clark

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a 3-Speed Bike and a Give-A-Show Projector for Christmas. Love, Ruben Gomez

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like Record Player and Winnie Pooh Puppet for Christmas. Love, Jesse Moore

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like Baby Alive and Raggedy Ann for Christmas. Love, Pat Ochoa

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like B-B Gun and Train for Christmas. Love, Jaime Gomez

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like a Pellet Gun and Safety Darts for Christmas. Love, Jimmy Smith

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade and have been good. I would like Lite Brite and a Toy Puppy for Christmas. Love, Carl Miller

Dear Santa, I would like to have a pair of blue tennis shoes, a orange nerf football and a pair of levis. I would also like candy and fruit in my stocking. I love you. Scott Swan

Dear Santa, I would like a pair of boots, pajamas and pants. I would also like a record player and fruit and candy in my stocking. I love you. Stacie Swan

Dear Santa, I am five years old. I want a Weebles tree house. I want a real mood ring. I also want a Baby Crissy and a toes-n-tum, a Bugs Bunny Radio, Bugs Bunny Pencil Holder, nerf football. I have been a good girl this year. I live on Wanda Drive. Love you, Karl Lou Schneider

Dear Santa, Please, come early! I would like Evel Knievel and Steve Austin. I will leave you some hot chocolate and some cookies. I would also like a sled, please. Thank you! Love, Wade Wright

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. I would like to have a Moto Bike and some Walkie Talkies, and some games. A thumbs up! 500. Love, Timmy Willis

Dear Santa, I am going to watch a bunch of Christmas shows. I already watched YES, VIRGINIA and Rudueph. I want a stuffed animal, a shirt and pants and Electric Football. Love, Tony Sturgeon

Dear Santa, Please bring me a Baby-That-Away, Big Wheel and Bike. I've been a good girl. Thank you. April Davis

Dear Santa: I want a little white cat for Christmas. I want a bike and a "Baby That Away" and a swimming pool. I hope you are well I am looking forward to meeting you this Christmas. Thank you. Beatrice Escalante

Dear Santa: I would like a three speed bike and a stationery set and a baby that away for Christmas. I hope I get it, too. If you do I will leave some candy on the

table. Thank you. Merry Christmas and a happy new year. I love you, Kim Bradley

Dear Santa: Please bring me a bike and a set of keys for Christmas. My sister wants a Love not Doll. I hope you're well, Santa. On Christmas is the fun. Love, Bart Shapley

Dear Santa: I would like to have a pair of boots and some clothes. I also would like a target, and maybe a bow and arrow and a pogo stick. I would like a pair of brown jeans, please. Hope you can bring them. Santa I hope you like things to eat. I may leave you some. I may even give you a present. I hope you can bring all the children something. I'm glad you brought me what I wanted last year. You are a good friend to me. Write soon. I love you. Denetta Booth

Dear Santa: I would like to have a pool table, and a pony and a B. b. gun. Santa I want you to be fine and I hope you get well. and give other boys and girls toys. Thank you Santa. I love you Santa. Enrique Chaveyz Rios

Dear Santa: Santa, could you give me a white poodle, please? Santa, I love you and I hope you love me too. How are you and the elves? I don't want you to get sick so you can't come at Christmas. Don't work hard. I love you. Rose Lee Johnson

Dear Santa: I am 8 years old and I have a teacher. Her name is Mrs. Bergin. You know what I want? Well I want a Barbie Beauty Center and a Mystery game and a Rub-a-dub Doll. My baby cousin wants a play truck and a play tractor. And you're so handsome and I believe in you. And don't forget the poor people. Have a Happy

Christmas and a Happy New Year. Love, Cleo Canales, Box 758, Sunray, Texas 79086

Dear Santa: I'm eight years old. I'm in the third grade and I want a tape recorder for Christmas. I would like some levis and I wish you a merry, merry Christmas. Marvin, Box 471 Gruver, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I would like a Baby-Twist-T, some roller skates, and a Dairy Queen Doll. My little brother would like a group of cam. Merry Christmas. Ho. Ho. Ho. Love, Tencha Dominguez Route 3, Gruver, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I want a tent to go camping in and some undershirts and a trampoline. I've been a good boy. Your pal, Ron Green

Dear Santa: I would like some shot gun shells and a walkie talkie. My little brother wants a combine and a tractor. Love, Raul Escalante, Box 123, Gruver

Dear Santa Claus: I am a boy. I am eight years old. I want a professional football and a mini-bike. My teacher is Mrs. Bergin and she is a nice teacher. I want a brother for Christmas. I wish you a Merry Christmas. Love, Chad Logsdon Star Route Guymon, Oklahoma 73942

Dear Santa: I am eight years old. My teacher is Mrs. Bergin. She is very pretty and nice. Everyone needs a toy Santa. There are only two things that I want: a Tiffany Taylor and a stereo. My mother wants a little horse shoe ring. Merry Christmas! Love, Jackie Sparks, Box 572, Gruver, Texas

Dear Santa Claus: I want a combine. I want a motorcycle. My brother wants a trampoline. My momma wants a new kitchen set. My Daddy wants a new pickup. Brian wants a motorcycle. I am a good boy. Love, Scott Haggard

Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good boy and I will try lots harder. Really! I want a new horse. I want an electric train and a 2 wheel drive. I want a pickup and a new trailer. Bret would like a mini-bike. My momma needs a new micro-wave. My dad needs a new saddle. I am your buddy. Love, Billy Henderson

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bicycle, B-B gun, and a horse saddle and reins. Love, Billy Henderson

Dear Santa, Please bring me a baby-that-a-way, snow cone maker, and a barbi doll. Love, Becky Crawford

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Dear Santa, Please bring me a kite, a truck, and a flute. Love, Jacob Moreno.

Dear Santa, Please bring me a CB walkie talk and a Buffalo Bill sweat shirt. Love, Brandon Wood

Dear Santa, Please bring me a baby doll, snow cone maker. Love, Dixie Tucker

my sisters Christy and Brendy something to play with too. I love you, Chad

don't get stuck in the chimney!

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a Million dollar man, cleats, Nerf football, bike trailer. I love you, Larry Wilks

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a motorcycle, football, tool box. Love, Tim Stedje

cleats, football. I love you, Keith Bradley

Dear Santa Claus: I would like a truck for Christmas. Please bring me a tractor. See you Christmas. Lupe Moreno

Dear Santa, Please bring me a plant, CB walkie-talkie, and a mini-bike. Love, Bucky Lamb

Dear Santa, Please bring me a walkie-talkie, a B-B gun, and a plow. Love, Dale Red

Dear Santa, Please bring me a baby tender love. Love, Sherry Griggs

Dear Santa, I am a little girl 4 years old and I have been very nice. Would you please bring me Baby Dreams for Christmas. Please bring my brother something too and Mama and Daddy. Oh yes, I forgot. I need a high chair for my baby so I can feed her. I love you, Connie Jo Red

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a truck, boat, trailer. I love you, Craig Waddell

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a motorcycle, G. I. Joe Submarine and cleats. I love you, Tommy Barber

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll clothes, rope, and a doll. Love, Elizabeth Moreno

Dear Santa: Please bring me a baby that-way, a growing up Skipper, a baby Crissie. Love, Lisa Chapman

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bean bag, play typewriter, and Snoopy. Love, Tasha Cluck

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bow and arrow, a walkie talkie and a candy cane. Love, John Cooper

Dear Santa Claus, My name is Christy Brown and I'm 4 years old. I've been a pretty good girl this year and I hope you'll bring me a new baby and a close 'n play for Christmas. We will be at Nonnie's house. Please don't forget my brother Chad and bring our baby sister Brendy a crib gym and a doll. Thank you Santa. I love you, Christy.

Dear Santa Claus, I love you. Would you bring my brother, Matthew, a Happy Hobo, a Sit and Spin, and a gun and a holster. Santa I have been pretty good this year. Would you please bring me a purple and white guitar. Thank you for my presents last year. Love, Brian Hoel P. S. I will leave some homemade cookies and chocolate milk by the fireplace. Be careful and

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a Barbie, angel, telescope. I love you, Santa, Dala Shapley

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll, doll clothes, telephone. I love you, Brenda Trevino

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a jewelry, candy, book. I love you, Santa, Kathryn Gumfory

Dear Santa, Please bring me a b-b gun, Santa Claus light, and a horse. Love, Darwin Wilks

Dear Santa, Please bring me a B-B gun, a wagon, and a robot. Love, Allen Burke

Dear Santa, Please bring me some jewelry, a snow cone machine, and a walking doll. Love, Lori Deakin

Dear Santa, My name is Chad Brown and I'm 2 years old. I'm a pretty good boy most of the time. I'd like to have a Joey and a Tunerville Choo Choo for Christmas. I'll be at Nonnie's house in Memphis. Please bring

Love, Brian Hoel P. S. I will leave some homemade cookies and chocolate milk by the fireplace. Be careful and

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll, doll clothes, and a bike. I love you, Santa, Julie Collins

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Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a jewelry, candy, Barbie doll. Jill Garrett

Dear Santa, Please bring me a snow conw maker, baby dog, and a necklace. Love, Lisa Westerfield

Dear Santa, Please bring me a train, race car, and a tiny miny-moe. Love, Clay Smith

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bicycle, a big stuffed Santa, and a baby carriage. Love, Andrea Johnson

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a 6 Million Dollar man, bike, trailer, and nerf football. I love you, Santa, Mickey McDonald

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a semi,

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a guitar, Santa, and rocket. I luv yuw, Michael Booth

### Christmas Greetings 1975



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Dear Santa, I am going to watch a bunch of Christmas shows. I already watched YES, VIRGINIA and Rudolph. I want a stuffed animal, a shirt and pants and Electric Football.
Dear Santa, Please bring me a Baby-That-Away, Big Wheel and Bike. I've been a good girl.
Dear Santa, I want a little white cat for Christmas. I want a bike and a "Baby That Away" and a swimming pool. I hope you are well I am looking forward to meeting you this Christmas.
Dear Santa, I would like a three speed bike and a stationery set and a baby that away for Christmas. I hope I get it, too. If you do I will leave some candy on the table. Thank you. Merry Christmas and a happy new year.
Dear Santa: Please bring me a bike and a set of keys for Christmas. My sister wants a Love not Doll. I hope you're well, Santa. On Christmas is the fun.
Dear Santa: I would like to have a pair of boots and some clothes. I also would like a target, and maybe a bow and arrow and a pogo stick. I would like a pair of brown jeans, please. Hope you can bring them.
Dear Santa: I am 8 years old and I have a teacher. Her name is Mrs. Bergin. You know what I want? Well I want a Barbie Beauty Center and a Mystery game and a Rub-a-dub Doll. My baby cousin wants a play truck and a play tractor. And you're so handsome and I believe in you. And don't forget the poor people. Have a Happy Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Dear Santa: I would like to have a pool table, and a pony and a B. B. gun. Santa I want you to be fine and I hope you get well, and give other boys and girls toys. Thank you Santa. I love you Santa. Enrique Chavez Rios
Dear Santa: Santa, could you give me a white poodle, please? Santa, I love you and I hope you love me too. How are you and the elves? I don't want you to get sick so you can't come at Christmas. Don't work hard. I love you. Rose Lee Johnson
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Double GUNN BROS. Stamps Mon., Tues., Wed. WITH \$2.50 OR MORE PURCHASE.

IDEAL FOOD STORES WE WILL CLOSE 7 P.M. CHRISTMAS EVE. PRICES EFFECTIVE THRU 7 P.M. CHRISTMAS EVE, WED., DEC. 24th. SHOP AHEAD FOR THE HOLIDAY... WE WILL BE CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY. BUTCHER BLOCK BEEF Rib Roast \$1.69. CENTER CUT Pork Loin Roast \$1.59. CORN KING FULLY COOKED Boneless Hams \$1.79. GOLD MEDAL Baking Needs! ENRICHED FLOUR Gold Medal 5-LB. BAG 68c. TOM THUMB PECAN PIECES 6-OZ. BAG 78c. FOLGER'S COFFEE Dinner Rolls 28c. CRISCO PURE VEGETABLE SHORTENING CRISCO 3-LB. CAN \$1.48. POLAROID Polacolor "2" Film \$4.18. EVEREADY BATTERIES Heavy Duty "D" Eveready Batteries 58c. Whipping Cream 28c. Parkay Oleo 56c. COTTAGE CHEESE 89c.



Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good boy at school and home. Please bring me a train and a truck. Mommy wants a gold ring. Daddy wants a clock. My brothers want a football. My family wants a Christmas tree. I like you Santa Claus. Manuel Rodriguez

Dear Santa, Please bring me a kite, a truck, and a flute. Love, Jacob Moreno.

Dear Santa, Please bring me a CB walkie talk and a Buffalo Bill sweat shirt. Love, Brandon Wood

Dear Santa, Please bring me a baby doll, snow cone maker. Love, Dixie Tucker

my sisters Christy and Brendy something to play with too. I love you, Chad

don't get stuck in the chimney!

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a Million dollar man, cleats, Nerf football, bike trailer. I love you, Larry Wilks

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a motorcycle, football, tool box. Love, Tim Stedje

cleats, football. I love you, Keith Bradley I love you'

Dear Santa Claus: I would like a truck for Christmas. Please bring me a tractor. See you Christmas. Lupe Moreno

Dear Santa, Please bring me a kite, a flag, and a drum. Love, David Herrera

Dear Santa, Please bring me a walkie-talkie, a B-B gun, and a plow. Love, Dale Red

Dear Santa, Please bring me a baby tender love. Love, Sherry Griggs

Dear Santa, I am a little girl 4 years old and I have been very nice. Would you please bring me Baby Dreams for Christmas. Please bring my brothers something too and Mama and Daddy. Oh yes, I forgot, I need a high chair for my baby so I can feed her. I love you, Connie Jo Red

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a truck, boat, trailer. I love you, Craig Waddell

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a motorcycle, G. I. Joe Submarine and cleats. I love you, Tommy Barber

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll clothes, rope, and a doll. Love, Elizabeth Moreno

Dear Santa: Please bring me a baby-that-way, a growing up Skipper, a baby Crissie. Love, Lisa Chapman

Dear Santa, Please bring me a plant, CB walkie-talkie, and a mini-bike. Love, Bucky Lamb

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bow and arrow, a walkie talkie and a candy cane. Love, John Cooper

Dear Santa Claus, My name is Christy Brown and I'm 4 years old. I've been a pretty good girl this year and I hope you'll bring me a new baby and a close 'n play for Christmas. We will be at Nonnie's house. Please don't forget my brother Chad and bring our baby sister Brendy a crib gym and a doll. Thank you Santa. I love you, Christy.

Dear Santa Claus, I love you. Would you bring my brother, Matthew, a Happy Hobo, a 5 ft and Spin, and a gun and a holster. Santa I have been pretty good this year. Would you please bring me a purple and white guitar. Thank you for my presents last year. Love, Brian Hoel P. S. I will leave some homemade cookies and chocolate milk by the fireplace. Be careful and

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a Barbie, angel, telescope. I love you, Santa, Dala Shapley

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll, boots books. Love, Dee Beaver

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a jewelry, candy, book. I love you, Santa, Kathryn Gumfory

Dear Santa, Please bring me a b-b gun, Santa Claus light, and a horse. Love, Darvin Wilks

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bean bag, play typewriter, and Snoopy. Love, Tessa Cluck

Dear Santa, Please bring me some jewelry, a snow cone machine, and a walking doll. Love, Lori Deakin

Dear Santa, My name is Chad Brown and I'm 2 years old. I'm a pretty good boy most of the time. I'd like to have a Joey and a Tunerville Choo Choo for Christmas. I'll be at Nonnie's house in Memphis. Please bring

Love, Brian Hoel P. S. I will leave some homemade cookies and chocolate milk by the fireplace. Be careful and

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll, doll clothes, and a bike. I love you, Santa, Julie Collins

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll, doll clothes, telephone. I love you, Brenda Trevino

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl. Please bring me a jewelry, candy, Barbie doll. Jill Garrett

Dear Santa, Please bring me a snow cone maker, baby dog, and a necklace. Love, Lisa Westerfield

Dear Santa, Please bring me a B-B gun, a wagon, and a robot. Love, Allen Burke

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bicycle, a big stuffed Santa, and a baby carriage. Love, Andrea Johnson

Love, Lori Deakin

Love, Brian Hoel

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a 6 Million Dollar man, bike, trailer, and nerf football. Luv you Santa, Mickey McDonald

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a semi,

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. Please bring me a guitar, Santa, and rocket. I luv yuw, Michael Booth

# Christmas Greetings 1975



We wish all our friends a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Instead of sending cards this year, we have donated our money to the Hospital Auxiliary Fund for the Hansford County Hospital:

- Gwenfred Lackey
- Tom & Helen Etter
- Sparks Laundry
- Mr. & Mrs. P.A. Lyon, Jr.
- Gertrude Jones
- Juanita Logan
- Mrs. Walter Wilmeth
- Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Butt
- Edith Womble
- Mr. & Mrs. John Brown
- Phil & Marguerite Jenkins
- Mr. & Mrs. Deacon Clement
- Mr. & Mrs. F.B. Schubert
- Mr. & Mrs. Jack Carroll
- Gus & Clementine Renner
- Elsie Mathews
- Emmett R. Sanders
- Carl & Peggy Archer
- Mr. and Mrs. Craig Hutchison
- Faye Lynch
- Mr. & Mrs. Terry Curtis
- Preston & Edith Smith
- Mr. & Mrs. Condee Ellison
- Mr. & Mrs. Harry Stumpf
- James & Nell Cummings
- Mr. & Mrs. S.M. Anderson
- Mrs. C.A. Kleeberger
- Gene & Frances Cudd
- Bernice V. Brown
- Mrs. H.M. Shedeck
- Owen & Babe Pendergraft
- Everett & Dixie Tracy
- Mrs. Mildred Daily
- Judge & Mrs. Johnnie C. Lee
- Mr. & Mrs. Don Schumann
- Irvin, Betty & Jerry Pat Davis
- Mr. & Mrs. Larry N. Holt
- Bill & Lemmie Russell
- Mr. & Mrs. Floyd Close & D'Anda
- Mary Sparks
- Anthony Electric
- Mr. & Mrs. L.L. Anthony
- Deta Blodgett
- Charlene McClellan
- Mr. & Mrs. J.W. Gibner
- Mrs. Fred J. Hoskins
- Vera Campbell
- Mr. & Mrs. Glen O. Hiller
- R.L. McClellan
- Don & Gwen Smith
- Mr. & Mrs. Freeman Barkley
- Mrs. Garrett Allen
- Eck & Mary Lee
- Mr. & Mrs. Ed Garner
- Wesley & Magda Garnett
- Mr. & Mrs. Bruce H. Sheets
- John & Sammie Bishop
- Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Bort
- The George C. Lowe Family
- Mr. & Mrs. Bob Crawford
- Rev. & Mrs. J.W. Duke
- Mr. & Mrs. M.W. Lackey
- Pauline Hale
- Mr. & Mrs. Alvin Cator
- Mr. & Mrs. John D. Crawford
- Sonny & Mona Beth Windom
- Mr. & Mrs. John Venneman
- Mr. & Mrs. Bill Bratton
- Mr. & Mrs. J.B. Buchanan
- Mrs. Frank Davis
- Mr. & Mrs. Allan Dennison
- Friday Wise
- Clarence & Reta Pettitt
- Dorothy & Max Baggerly
- Mr. & Mrs. F.J. Largent
- Mr. & Mrs. Howard Barkley
- Joe & Neva Day
- Dub & Marva Hanners
- Lura Belle Crawford
- Mr. & Mrs. E.J. Copeland
- Irwin & Susan Deik
- Ted, Sonya, Jayne, Dalene & Julie Godfrey

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# GAMERAMA

**YOU COULD BE OUR NEXT BIG WINNER!**

PRIZE	NO. OF TICKETS	ODDS	NO. OF TICKETS	ODDS	NO. OF TICKETS	ODDS		
\$1,000	1	1:100,000	\$500	1	1:50,000	\$250	1	1:25,000
\$100	10	1:10,000	\$50	10	1:5,000	\$25	10	1:2,500
\$50	100	1:1,000	\$25	100	1:500	\$10	100	1:500
\$25	1,000	1:100	\$10	1,000	1:100	\$5	1,000	1:100
\$10	10,000	1:10	\$5	10,000	1:10	\$2	10,000	1:10
\$5	100,000	1:1	\$2	100,000	1:1	\$1	100,000	1:1
TOTAL	200,000			200,000			200,000	

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SWIFT'S PREMIUM GRADE "A" 4 TO 16-LB. Sliced Turkey \$1.39

MEADOWDALE 2-LB. PKG. \$2.57

GULF SIZE, FRESH-FROSTED MEDIUM SHRIMP \$3.99

WILSON'S MEAT OR BEEF SKINLESS FRANKS 12-OZ. PKG. 79¢

WILSON'S ASSORTED LUNCHEON MEATS 4-OZ. PKG. 69¢

WILSON'S VARIETY PACK LUNCHEON MEATS 12-OZ. PKG. \$1.49

WILSON'S FULLY COOKED HAM PATTIES 10-OZ. CAN \$2.79

RODO ASSORTED LUNCHEON MEATS 12-OZ. PKG. \$1.05

**OUR NEWEST \$1000 WINNER CONGRATULATIONS TO:**

## Delinda Waltman Hays, Kansas

**OTHER \$1000 WINNERS:**

- HAROLD BLACKMON, Pampa, Tx.
- MRS. H. SCHIBBELHUT, Ulysses, Kans.
- LESLIE KURTH, Alva, Okla.

**NEW \$100 WINNERS:**

- RAYMOND BROWN, Garden City
- W. J. JEAN, LaVerne, Okla.
- ALLER RAY ANDERSON, Pampa, Tx.
- MABLE GROUNDS, Hooker, Okla.
- ROBY IERN PENNOCK, Dalhart, Tx.
- CHARLES WILLIAMS, Amarillo, Tx.
- JUDY SANDERS, Perryton, Tx.
- MRS. GENE GUINN, Alva, Okla.

**NEW \$20 WINNERS:**

PATRICIA GROCE, Waukomis, Okla. — GERTRUDE DEVINE, Woodward, Okla. — DEBORAH FREEMAN, Pampa, Tex. — KIRVEN ROPER, Dalhart, Tex. — AKANNI ADIO-ODUOLA, Hays, Kans. — MRS. C. L. LAYMAN JR., Hereford, Tex. — GAYLE POOLE, Perryton, Tex. — INEZ WASINGER, Garden City, Kans. — ELSENE SPARKS, Perryton, Tex. —

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MEADOWDALE, ALL FLAVORS

**Ice Cream 78¢**

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58¢

48¢

44¢

44¢

89¢

78¢

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TEXAS RUBY RED

## GRAPEFRUIT 4 '1

CALIFORNIA

## Navel Oranges 5 '100

CALIFORNIA ZIPPER SKIN

## Tangerines 4 '100

IMPORTED Chestnuts 98¢

CALIFORNIA Pitted Dates 98¢

CALIFORNIA Unpitted Dates 98¢

FRESH Roasted Peanuts 69¢

U.S. NO. 1 Southern Yams 3 \$100

CALIFORNIA Calmeria Grapes 59¢

FRESH, CRISP Rome Beauty Apples 4 \$100

IN THE SHELL New Crop Pecans 89¢

IN THE SHELL English Walnuts 59¢

# SEASON'S GREETINGS

May all there is of Christmas be with all of you this holiday.



From the faculty,

Spearman, Gruver and Morse school systems...

The Spearman Reporter

The Gruver Statesman

The Hansford Plainsman

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 22  
 Rotary Club - Martin's Steak Garden  
 Hansford Lodge #1040 A. F. & A. M. - Hansford Lodge Hall  
 TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23  
 Lion's Club - Plains Restaurant  
 WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24  
 HAVE

A HAPPY CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

## Contribute to Girlstown Christmas Fund

If you want to really get that "Christmas Spirit", consider a contribution to the Girlstown Christmas Fund.

The 5th annual "coat-and-shoe campaign", sponsored by Lions Clubs of District 2T-1, is now underway with a goal of providing each Girlstown citizen a gift certificate of \$75 for Christmas.

"As we have discovered in years past, it will mark the first time for some of the girls to pick out a new coat," said Larr Fuller, Governor of District 2T-1.

The three Girlstown campuses at Whiteface, Borger and Austin now have 106 girls enrolled. Any funds raised over the amount needed for the gift certificates will be presented to Girlstown for use in operating expenses.

The contribution appeal goes out to all residents in the Panhandle and South Plains. Checks can be mailed locally to Box 247, Gruver, or can be sent to the Girlstown

## Calendar Of Events

Christmas Fund, P. O. Box 67, Amarillo, TX 79105.

Co-chairmen of the drive include Jack Tompkins, KAMR TV, Bedford Forrest, KVII TV, Ron Slover, KPDA TV, Royce Bodiford, KGNC Radio and Barbara Boone, Amarillo News-Globe.



## Order Your Commemorative Coins

Orders are now being taken for the 1975 Second Hansford County Commemorative Coin.

The coins have not arrived as yet, but they should be here any time. Call 659-3330 for information.

The present owners of the first (1974) issue, serial numbered coins, have exclusive right and ownership of all future issues if they so desire. All other orders will be filled on a

first come, first served basis.

The new side of the coin depicts the Kiowa-Comanche Buffalo Hunt in 1975. The art work was by Mary Alice Gibner.

There are a few 1974 coins still available that would make lovely Christmas presents. Stop by the Chamber office today for your Christmas shopping.

## Cancer Board Meets

Members of the Hansford County American Cancer Society met at the Hospitality Room of the Spearman Bank last Tuesday evening for the regular meeting of the group. Due to the rush of holiday activities only three members were present including Mrs. Ted McClellan and Mrs. Bill Maupin of Gruver and Freeman Barkley of Spearman.

An incomplete report was submitted by Mr. Barkley on the recent Bike-A-Thon which garnered in \$3,738.00 to help swell funds in the fight against cancer. More money which has been committed has not as yet been tabulated. Memorials, according to Mr. Barkley, amounted to \$645.00 so far this year.

Presiding at the Tuesday meeting was Mrs. McClellan, vice-president of the Board. Those present tentatively approved a \$10,000.00 goal for the 1976 Hansford Unit of the American Cancer Society. The next meeting for the group will be the third Thursday in February 1976 to be held at the home of Mrs. McClellan in Gruver.

"Nixie is a postal term meaning mail which for some reason cannot be delivered.

There are many ways to say it, but we still prefer

# Merry Christmas



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## Hansford Implement Co.

# CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



We send warm and friendly wishes to all our friends, old and new. May your holiday be one to remember in all the years to come.

**B**  
**J.L. BROCK AGENCY**



It is a little known fact, but the simple act of using jumper cable to start (boost) a car with a dead battery can lead to severe personal injury. It's true!

A good Samaritan in California was helping his neighbor start his car by jumping the battery. The battery exploded and our hero got a face full of sulfuric acid for his trouble. A man in Pennsylvania noticed another charging his battery incorrectly, when he attempted to rearrange the cables from the charger there was some sparking, and the battery exploded.

The reason for both of these accidents, and many others, is the fact that a battery being charged produces hydrogen gas, a very combustible and explosive element. The longer a battery is charged the greater the accumulation of hydrogen, and the greater the danger of a serious explosion. All that is required is a single spark as one connects either of the jumper cables to a battery post.

How does one avoid such an occurrence? Simple. Just follow the step-by-step procedure given below whenever you need to jump one battery to another.

1. Insure that the ignition switch and all electric accessories, including the lights, are turned off if both cars.
2. Verify that both batteries are rated for the same voltage. Most automotive-type batteries are 12-volt models these days; but many older cars, as well as some of the smaller models may have a 6-volt battery.
3. Remove the dustcaps from each cell of both batteries, and make certain that the electrolyte reaches the FULL mark. If not, ordinary tap water can be used to top-

off each cell if distilled water is not available. If the dead battery is to be recharged, the dustcaps should be left off to prevent any buildup of pressure due to the rapid release of hydrogen gas from the battery fluid.

4. Cover the battery opening to prevent any splashing acid from reaching your skin or clothing. Your handkerchief will suffice.
5. Attach only one jumper cable at a time. Connect one end of the RED jumper cable to the positive terminal of the good battery first. This is the terminal marked with a +, a P, or POS. Then connect the other end to the positive terminal of the dead battery.
6. Connect one end of the BLACK jumper cable to the negative terminal of the good battery. This is the terminal marked with a -, an N, or NEG. Then connect the other end to a point on the frame of the car with the dead battery at least 18 inches from the battery.
7. Start the engine of the car with the good battery. Allow the car to warm up for a few minutes, holding engine speed to a fast idle.
8. Start the engine of the car with the dead battery. If the engine starts, proceed to Step 9. If it doesn't, turn off the ignition and wait several minutes. Don't flood the engine with too much gasoline. If the battery is completely dead, wait about half an hour so the battery may be charged by the running car. Try to start the dead car again. Now, if successful, proceed to Step 9. If the car cannot be started, see a mechanic.
9. Disconnect the jumper cables by reversing the order in which they were connected. Keep the car with the bad battery running at a fast idle until it is warmed up. The chance of stalling is thus greatly reduced.
10. Replace the dustcaps on the dead battery. Some final notes: It's always best to determine why the car didn't start in the first place and have the car adjusted or repaired. Repeated batt-

ery boosts are unwise and unsafe. Also, because of the hydrogen gas present when batteries are involved, NEVER smoke a cigarette near a battery that is being charged.  
Smokey

## School Menu

MONDAY, DEC. 22  
Chicken and Noodles  
Mashed Potatoes  
Buttered Peas  
Tossed Salad-Dressing  
Peanut Butter Blend  
Hot Rolls-Butter  
Milk  
HIGH SCHOOL CHOICE  
Roast & Gravy

TUESDAY, DEC. 23  
Pizza Burger  
Tater Tot-Catsup  
Buttered Corn  
Fruit Cup  
Chocolate Cake  
Milk  
HIGH SCHOOL CHOICE  
Ham Salad Sandwich  
MERRY

CHRISTMAS  
AND  
A  
HAPPY  
NEW  
YEAR



## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ellsworth are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Gayle Lynn to Archie Lee Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith. The wedding will be January 24 in the First Baptist Church.



## Christmas Special

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## Christmas Cheer throughout the year

... and that's just what the folks at

**North Plains Electric Cooperative, Inc.**

Perryton, Texas

**Wish for YOU!**

Operating in Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchinson.





THESE LOVELY YOUNG MISSES were one of the features of the Teresa Dance Studio's Christmas party held Sunday. They are left to right, Brandi DeArmond, Anna Hutchison, Wendy Slater, Kyla Nelson and Shanda Graham.



Santa arrives at the Dance Studio party...

### Dance Studio Christmas Party

Teresa's Dance Studio had its Christmas Party Sunday, December 14 at 9:30. It was held in the High School Cafeteria. The party was attended by about 350 people.

The program consisted of 8 dances.

#### SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN

Tracy Logsdon, Dawn York, Rhonda Matthews, Michele Savage, Kristi Wright, Melissa McLain, Linda Evans, Carie Ann Guthrie, April Abston, Tessa Cluck, Sandy McLeod and Kim Jenkins.

#### JINGLE BELLS

Brandi DeArmond, Anna Hutchison, Kyla Nelson, Wendy Slater, Shanda Graham.

#### FROSTY THE SNOWMAN

Sara Blackburn, Jane Ann Windsorfer, Margie Evans, Deana Turner, Jennifer Martin, Amy Ellis, Christa Sims and Shannon Groves.

#### RUDOLPH THE RED NOSE REINDEER

Tracy Logsdon, Rudolph Karen Davis, Anissa Everson, Jan Crawford, Melissa Beck, Patty Bellows, Kay Beeson, Haley Lair, Jennifer Turner, La Don Drummond, Laci Lasater, Misha Lesly.

#### I SAW MOMMIE KISSING SANTA CLAUS

Melissa Floyd, Carly Shieldlight, Holly Meyer, Paige Pittman, Elisa Hoover, Kristin Dunnahoo, Julie Countiss, Colleen McCormack.

#### SILVER BELLS

Eddie Clemmons, Pam Clawson, Shelley Friemel, Cammye Gee.

#### LITTLE DRUMMER BOY

Stephanie Hayes, Kayla Russell, Kim Nelson, Lea Ann Gibner, Lana Paul, Lisa Price, Sara Avila.

#### SILENT NIGHT

Anne Marie Jarvis, Leslie Larkey, Jana Pittman, Carlee Dixon, Nancy Queen, Julie Latta, Denise Rojas.

Jill McLain, Joanna White, Shelly Dunnahoo, Sharie McCoy, Jennifer Yarbrough.

Then all the students sang "We Wish You A Merry Christmas." After the program, refreshments were served to all the students and guests.

Teresa gave all the students their Christmas presents.

The program was attended by a very special guest, to whom the 1st dance was dedicated to - Santa Claus.

### PSU Enrollment

Jan. 6

Enrollment for the second semester at Panhandle State University will be Tuesday, January 6 between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. in the student Union Ballroom.

Schedules of classes, both day and evening may be received by contacting the Registrar's office.

To enroll, student must report to the registrar's office for a permit to enroll, then report to the Student Union Ballroom. Students will be admitted to the Ballroom upon presentation of the permit to enroll. Students must have advisor approval of their trial study sheet and then must pick up class cards at the departmental tables and report back to the registrar's table for check out.

All fees must be paid in the business office.

Classwork begins Wednesday, January 7. Student needing to take the ACT test should report Monday, January 5 at 1:00 p.m. to room 127 Hamilton Building.

For further information, contact the Office of the Registrar, Panhandle State University, Goodwell, OK. 73939.

Fly's wings vibrate 330 times a second.



Every year at this time we look forward to wishing you the very best. It's a custom we hope will last for a very long time. Our deepest appreciation for your loyalty and our heartiest

## CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

### AT THIS HOLY SEASON

Peace ■ The goal of Men of Good Will for centuries  
 ■ The promise of Peace shines as brightly today as did the Star of Bethlehem twenty centuries ago  
 ■ It leads us onward, through every trial and crisis toward that day when there is Peace in every heart and every house . . . Peace in every nation the wide world over ■ May the Peace of Christmas attend you and your family always ■



# EQUITY



## Holy Night

For on this night a child is born and the angels sing. Joy be with you this Christmas.

**Berry Cleaners**  
 Dan Sally  
 Denise

## Submit Entries For Citizen Of The Year

- Citizen of the Year award Guidelines:  
The Guidelines Are:
1. Citizen of the community.
  2. Unselfish with time and capabilities for the betterment of the community.
  3. Friend of those in need.
  4. Concern for his fellow person, community and country.
  5. Above all must be of outstanding character, dependability and reliability.

(Please follow these guidelines when nominating your choice for the citizen of the year award. We encourage you to submit your entry by January 10, 1976. The decision of the judges will be final. The award will be presented at the Annual Membership Banquet, Saturday, January 31, 1976.

NOMINATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY LETTER OR FORM ONLY - NO PETITION OR PHONE CALLS WILL BE ACCEPTED. YOUR CO-OPERATION WILL BE MOST APPRECIATED.

Please return your entry to the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, P. O. Box 161 Spearman, Texas by January 10, 1976. A box will be available for your entry, if you would like to stop by the Chamber office, 211 Main.

### Continental Offers Christmas Package Fare

Continental Trailways announced Monday, that children's tickets may be purchased for \$1.00 if under 12 years of age and traveling with a parent or guardian. This rate is effective through



The Spearman Lynxettes are shown above as they prepared for the Shamrock tournament.



Scenes from the 108 point scoring record game... The Lynx set a new school record Tuesday night, when they scored this many points... Reid was credited with making the 100th point for the Lynx victory...

January 19, 1976. Tickets must be purchased between December 15 and January 4.

Check with your local Continental Trailways agent, phone 3446 for further information.

## Martin's Steak Garden

Full time or part time HELP NEEDED. Apply in person to Eddie Martin at Martin's Steak Garden Hiway 207 South, in Spearman, Texas....

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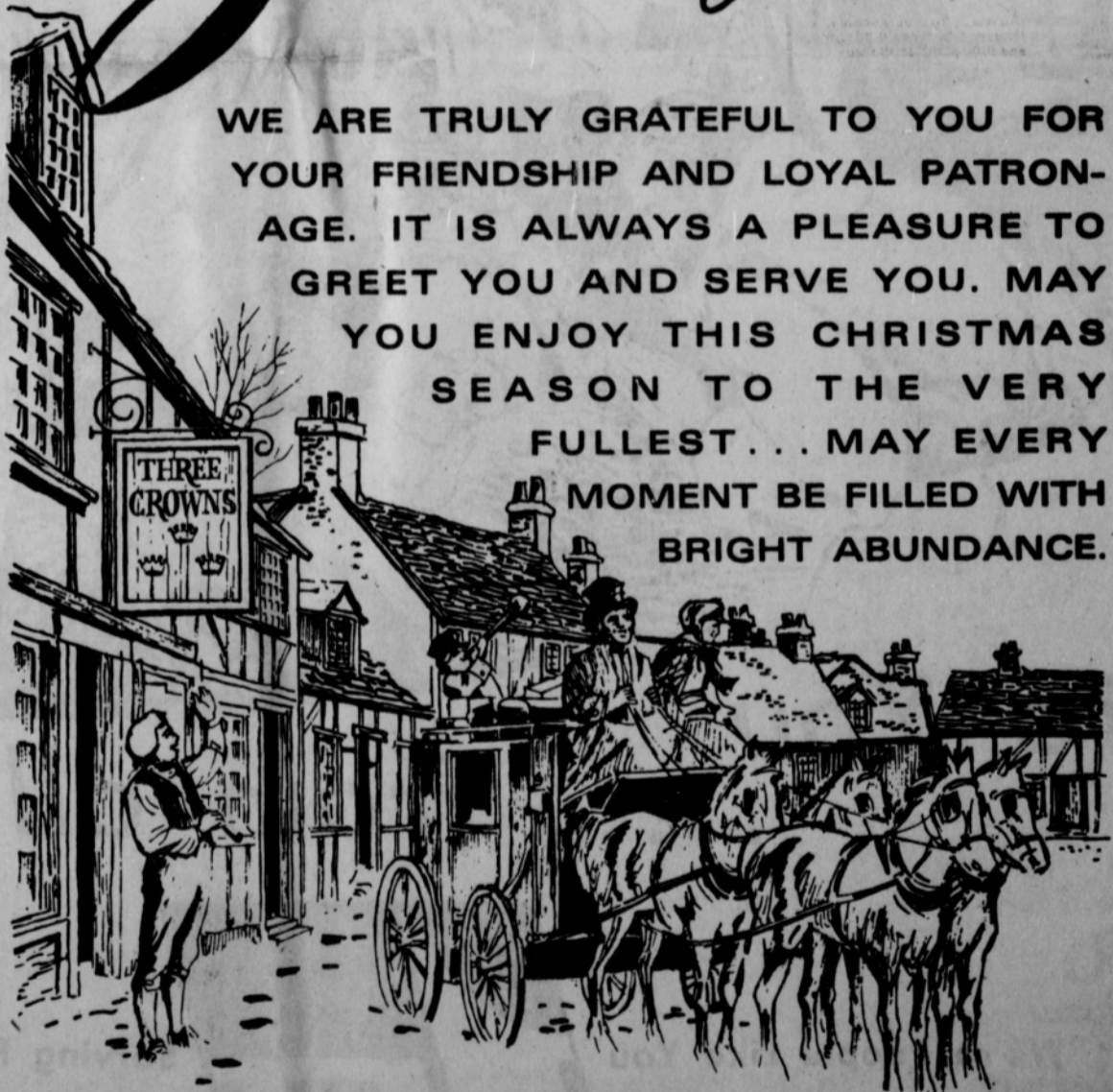
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Spearman

# Greetings

WE ARE TRULY GRATEFUL TO YOU FOR YOUR FRIENDSHIP AND LOYAL PATRONAGE. IT IS ALWAYS A PLEASURE TO GREET YOU AND SERVE YOU. MAY YOU ENJOY THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON TO THE VERY FULLEST... MAY EVERY MOMENT BE FILLED WITH BRIGHT ABUNDANCE.



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# Christmas



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Dear Santa Claus:  
I help Mommy and I'm a good girl. Please bring me a new dolly and a stocking full of toys. Would you bring Mommy a dress and Daddy some new house shoes. Pam would like a teddy bear. I'll see you Christmas. I love you.  
Jessica Ledbetter

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been good all year. Please I want a Bless You Tender Love. Mama wants a necklace with turquoise in it. Bring Daddy a brand new blue shirt. My sister would like a diary. And Chad wants some new Sunday shoes. I love you.  
Troy Logsdon

Dear Santa Claus:  
I've been good. I want a doll. And I want some pajamas for my mama. My Daddy needs some new house shoes. I'll see you Christmas. I love you.  
Angel Morrison

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a good girl. Would you bring me a doll and some clothes for her. I want some new shoes and a brush and comb set. My mother wants a necklace and earrings. My Father wants new pants and my brothers need some new belts. I like you Santa.  
Raquel Renteria

Dear Santa Claus:  
I've been helping Daddy and I'm a good boy. Please bring me a Six Million Dollar man and an ice cream machine. I would also like a Magic Cat. Would you bring my Daddy a tie and my Mama a pink dress. One of my sisters wants a lunch pail. I love you and I'll see you Christmas.  
Jason Turner

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me a shrink magic and a magic duck shooting gallery and a watch. Remember Marcel and Brooke. Santa. I love you.  
Trey Roberts

Dear Santa:  
I am in Mrs. Ellison's room and I have been good. Please bring me a baby-that-away, a magic set of cards, and a stuffed Hippo. Santa don't forget Ashley. Love and Kisses  
Sally Holt

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me a record, a bike, and a doll.  
Love and kisses,  
Rosa Moreno.

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me a motorcycle, a race car and boxers.  
Love,  
Ross Renner

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me Baby Alive, a jewelry box and a basket ball. Love and kisses, Anne Potts. Santa, bring Jeanne a little doll. She is my little sister.

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. Real good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please Santa bring me a Barbie some clothes for her and a basketball. Santa please bring Shannon a in-loader if you will.  
Love,  
Audra Burke

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me a doll, a bike, and a watch.  
Love,  
Sally Olivarez

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me a doll that cries mama and papa and a jewelry box.  
Love and Kisses  
Cindy Dixon

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me a shrink magic, a paint set, and Santa just any thing else you have for me. I love you Santa.  
Steve Duncan

Dear Santa:  
I have been good. I am in Mrs. Ellison's room. Please bring me a Baby go That-away, bank and a bed. Love and Kisses.  
Hilda Escalante

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a trampoline. I would like Steve Austin. I am a good boy. I don't bother my momma and I help Daddy move his machines. Bring Momma some plates. Daddy needs a belt. I love you Santa.  
Steven Mitchell

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a train and a Steve Austin. Justin would like a combine. Momma wants a dress. Daddy needs a motorcycle. I am a good boy. I help make the beds.  
Love,  
Jason Snovelle

Dear Santa Claus:  
I'm a good girl. I want a trampoline. I want a bicycle without training wheels. I need a lunch pail. Eva wants a trampoline and a toy heart and a little dolly. I love you.  
Shell Babbs

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a piano and a doll. I need a doll house. Debbie wants a puzzle. Daddy wants some boots. Mother would love an apron. I am a good girl all of the time. I always clean my mother's house. I give my Daddy stuff to make him happy. I love you Santa Claus.  
Christie Burton.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been a good girl. Please bring me a dolly. My sister wants a car. My brother wants a car, too. That's 2 cars. My momma wants new silverware. My Daddy wants a snowmobile. I love you.  
Malissa Fairbanks

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a dolly. My sister wants a bike. Paul wants a tractor. I will be a good girl. I love you.  
Lucia Galaviz



## Insurance Corner

### Fire Quiz For Children

1. True or False: If there is a fire in your house, you should not tell anyone, but, first, call the fire department. **Ans: False.** Always get everyone out of the house first. Then notify the fire department.
2. True or False: Smoke contains poisonous gases and can kill you if you breathe much of it. **Ans: True.** The best way to avoid smoke is to keep as low as possible because smoke rises and works its way downward in a room.
3. True or False: You should always sleep with your bedroom door closed. **Ans: True.** A closed door is the best defense against spreading fire.
4. True or False: If your clothes catch on fire, you should run for help. **Ans: False.** Running is the worst thing you can do. Wrap yourself in a blanket or rug or roll on the floor or ground to smother the flames.

This information has been brought to you as a public service by John R. Collard, Jr., your one-stop answer to complete business and personal insurance protection. Life, home, auto, group insurance and profit-sharing plans. See John R. Collard, Jr., 405 Davis St., Telephone 659-2501.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a trampoline. I want a dolly. I want a Dusty-Barbie doll. Tim wants a snowmobile. Jim wants a model. Rhonda wants a ring. Donna wants a necklace. Momma would like new silverware and new dishes. I want for Daddy a new shirt. Love to Santa Claus from Kristi Heddlins.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a Barbie doll. My brother wants a little car. I am a good girl. I help mother clean house and daddy clean the pick-up. I want you to bring mom a car. Dad a pick-up.  
Love,  
Raquel Mathews

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been a good boy. I will not cry anymore if you will bring me a pay loader. Billy wants a G. 1. Joe. John wants a white pickup. Mommy wants a new white car. I love you.  
Glenn Crawford

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a good girl. I baby sit my sister and help daddy irrigate. I want a trampoline and a new puzzle. Cora Lee needs a new plastic bottle. I need a new school--you know what--oh yeah--chalk board, cause it's busted. Momma needs a new shirt and pants. Daddy needs new boots and new fishing blanket. Love to Santa Claus.  
Holly Meyer

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good girl. Please bring me a doll, socks, doll house.  
Love,  
Shari Falkner

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good girl. Please bring me boots, rub-a-dub doll, ball.  
Love,  
Joni Barron

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Nina Hendricks and Mary Hutton were in Cache, Oklahoma this week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Nancy Kirk Felder, former Spearman resident. Mrs. Hendricks and Mrs.

Hutton went on to Marlow, Oklahoma where they visited with Mrs. Hutton's mother, Mrs. Roy Dyer and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dennis and Allen.



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**Two Octogenarians Honored**

Two Gruver personages were honored Sunday afternoon with a birthday reception noting the 80th birthdays of Mrs. Elizabeth McClellan and Mr.

R. L. (Bob) Thom. Many close friends called during the hours of 3:00 to 4:30 P.M. at the Fellowship Hall of the First Christian Church in Gruver to wish these dear people well and many happy returns.

Guests were served holiday punch, coffee and rose-decorated birthday cake from a table resplendently laid with an exquisite hand-embroidered cut-work linen cloth, centered by the three-tiered birthday cake with the table decor completed by the sparkling crystal punch service and the elegant silver coffee service. Presiding at the serving table were family members of Mrs. McClellan and Mr. Thom including Mrs.

Thom, Mrs. Rue Sanders, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo McClellan, Jr. At the register table which was covered with a miniature white felt Christmas tree skirt was Mrs. Billy Jarvis, sister of Mrs. McClellan's from Morse.

The Sunday afternoon affair marked the December 4th birthday of Mr. Thom and the December 16th birthday of Mrs. McClellan, the former Elizabeth Beck. Poinsettia marked the tables in the Fellowship Hall which was gay with holiday decorations and a Christmas tree.

Several out-of-towners braved the brisk December weather and were among the more than eighty persons attending the delightful affair.

Among those from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Moore Jones of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Jon Jarvis, Stinnett; Mrs. Eleanor Reed, L. R. McClellan, Mrs. Vera Beth Hicks, Lee McClellan, all of Spearman; Arnold Beck, Goodwell.

The Statesman joins with the community by wishing these two many happy returns on this, their eightieth birthday!

**Linda Stedje Receives Honors**

WTSU--Linda C. Stedje, a junior at West Texas State University from Gruver, has been initiated into Alpha Chi, national honor society.

Miss Stedje, is of the upper 10 percent of the junior class at WTSU.

Miss Stedje, a nursing major, is the daughter of Mrs. Jane Stedje, Star Route, Gruver.

**Turnaround Halts Voter Registration**

Applications for registration of county voters will not be mailed out after all.

Earlier in the year County Tax Collectors in each county, under the provisions of Senate Bill 300, was to mail out applications to re-register between the dates of November 5 and December 15.

Court Action had held up the new voting registration act until December 10, and few counties had time to get the application forms in the mail before Dec. 16.

So, after all this tying and untying of legislative knots, the situation now calls for no action on the part of the voter.

Provisions of the act which still are in effect require that the county tax collectors mail out new voter certificates after February 1.

From that point forward, new voter certificates will be mailed out every two years.

Besides creating confusion,

**T.E.L. Class Enjoys Party**

The T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church had their Christmas party at Martin's Steak Garden Wednesday, December 17th.

As guests arrived out of the cold weather, hot, steaming cups of wassail was served.

A Christmas gift exchange was enjoyed following a one o'clock luncheon served in the Garden Room.

Those present included Mrs. Lera Langston, Ruby Wilbanks, Esther Stewart, Emma McGurk, Bertie Lewis, Susan Wagnon, Alma Kizzlar, Hattie Mackie, Teacher, Mrs. Billy Miller and Assistant Teacher, Miss Altha Groves.

A special guest was Mrs. Alice Nivins of Dumas. She is the special nurse that calls in the homes of these ladies.

Vanilla, in its natural states, is a long green bean.

the new act has the single effect of eliminating the old voter registration provision which required the re-registration of voters every three years through the voting process; a person was considered registered three years after any particular vote.

Under the new system, voters will remain on rolls indefinitely, or until a tax collector in another location informs the tax collector here that the voter has re-registered in that place. Also, of course, the voter can notify the office of a move.

The certificates will go out by nonforwardable mail, and if the certificates come back to the office because the voter was not at the registered address, then the voter will be struck from the voter lists.



During this most special season of the year, we most appreciate the warmth and good will of neighbors and friends.

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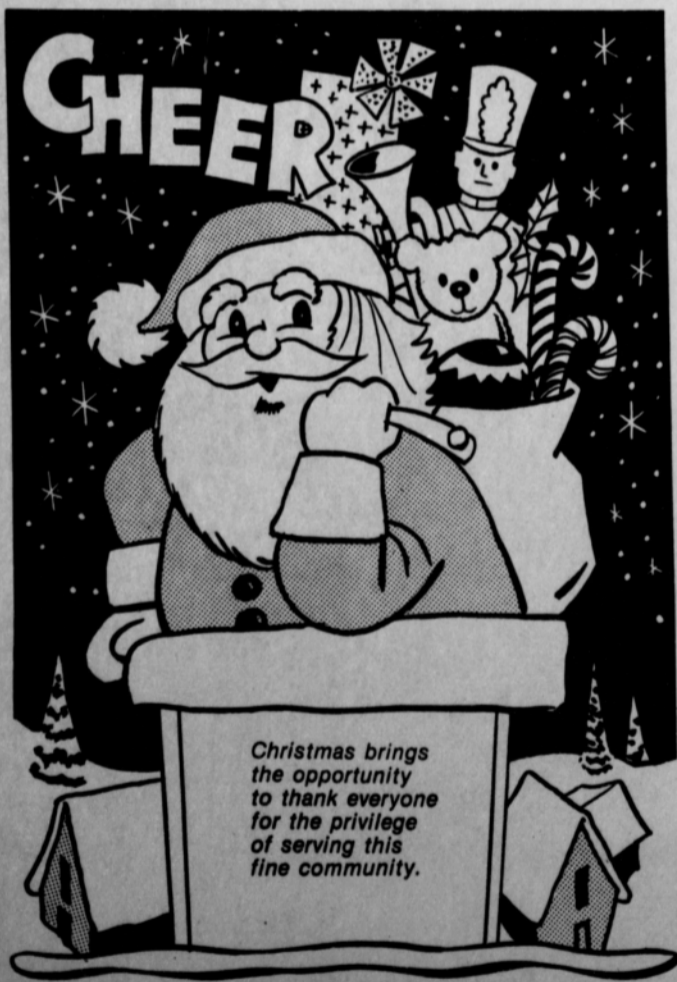
Individual Retirement Act  
**IRA**  
15% OR \$1,500  
WHICH EVER IS LESS

The changes in the law can be explained to you in the time it takes you to drink coffee and eat a donut.... Total time 4 minutes, 57 seconds

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Christmas brings the opportunity to thank everyone for the privilege of serving this fine community.

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# Greetings

Merry Christmas

and happy New Year.



We open a new page in the book of life and may write our destiny day-to-day. We wish for all good health, good friends, only the best of times.

## B & B Farm Industries Inc.

### Three Accidents Investigated

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated three accidents on rural highways in Hansford County during the month of December, 1975, according to Sergeant C. E. Henderson, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and three persons injured. The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first 11 months of 1975 shows a total of 40 accidents resulting in no persons killed and 25 persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for November, 1975, shows a total of 530 accidents resulting in 14 persons killed and 258 persons injured, as compared to November, 1974, with 497 accidents resulting in 10 persons killed and 229 persons injured. This was 33 more accidents, four more killed, and 29 more injured in 1975 at the same period of time.

The traffic deaths for the month of November, 1975, occurred in the following counties: Two each in Swisher and Wilbarger; and one each in Clay, Crosby, Lubbock, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Wichita, Hutchinson, Oldham, and Wheeler.

### Thrift Shop To Close For Holidays

The Thrift Shop will be closed for the next three consecutive Saturdays and will be open again January 10th.

The ladies of the Thrift Shop wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

### Pecans Still Available

The Home Demonstration Council still has pecans for sale. Anyone wishing to purchase pecans at \$2.50 a pound may do so by calling 659-2030 or by stopping by the Home Demonstration Agent's office at the Court House. Pecans will be delivered if necessary.



Pictured are the member of the west Texas state university livestock judging team who recently entered the Panhandle State University livestock judging clinic held on Dec. 6. The clinic is designed to give area college livestock judging teams practice and experience in judging competition. Front Row (l-r) Harry Fulton, Wildorado, TX.; Mark Hargrave, Happy, TX.; Mona Jamison, Lamesa, TX.; Larry Fulton, Wildorado, TX. Second Row (l-r) J. H. Lain, Lockney, TX.; Mike Busby, Slayton, TX.; David Harbour, Spearman, TX.; Jim McManigal, Coach.

### Luminarias Available For Christmas Lighting

What are luminarias? Luminarias are made by placing long-burning candles in sand in the bottom of paper sacks. When the candles are lit they give off a soft golden glow. The luminarias are set in front of each house about 10 feet apart.

When are luminarias lit? Light up time for the luminarias is traditionally 6:00 p.m. on Christmas Eve when residents all over town will light up luminarias in unison to make Spearman truly calm and bright on Christmas Eve.

How can I obtain luminarias? The International Sunday School Class of the First United Methodist Church will be taking orders for luminarias from now until December 22. The sets will consist of enough material for 6 luminarias. The sets will

sell for \$1.00 per set. Order forms for the luminaria sets are available at many of the downtown stores or you may call the church office 3220. If you would like one or more of these sets delivered to your home, place your name and address on the order sheet. If you would like to have your luminarias delivered a specific date, please note this by your name. THANK YOU.

### Collard Sets Open House

John R. Collard, Jr. will have an open house on December 23 from 2 to 5 p.m. and December 24 from 9 to 12 a.m. at his office at 405 Davis Street

to serve the cakes that were purchased at the Cub Scout Bake Sale held last week. Everyone is invited to stop by and sample some of the baking done by the Cub Scouts and their fathers.

### Doll House To Be Given Away

The Christian Women's Fellowship is going to give away the doll house that was built by Fred and Marilyn Groves and donated by them. This will be a donation to the CWF. Be sure and go by the Gift Box and see the doll house. You may make your donation there or to any CWF member.

The dollhouse will be given away Dec. 22 at 10 a.m. You do not have to be present to win.

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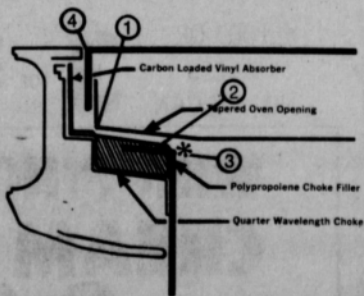
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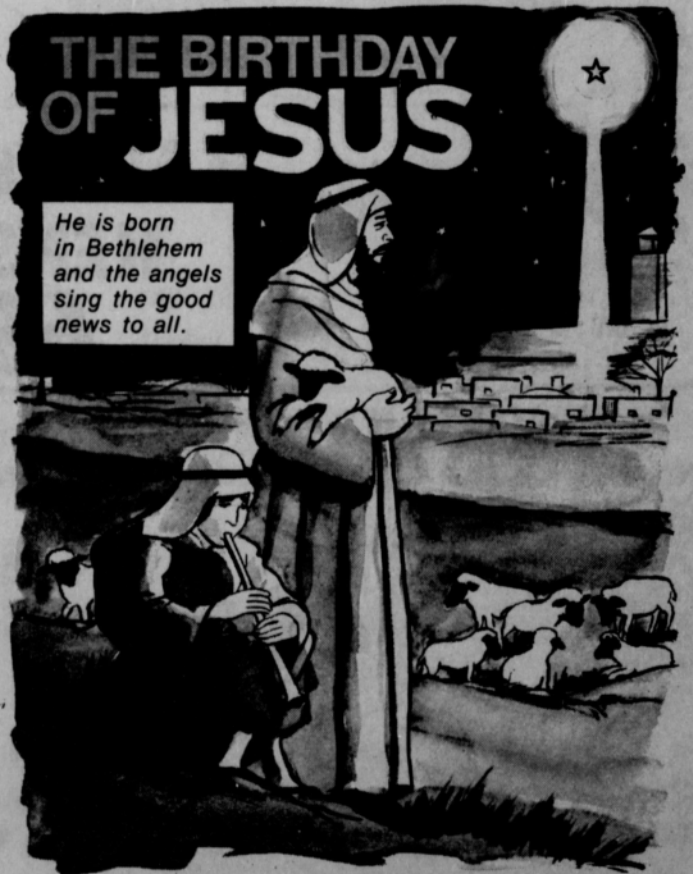
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## THE BIRTHDAY OF JESUS

He is born in Bethlehem and the angels sing the good news to all.



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**Stuffing Mix** BOND PKG. **49¢**

**MILK** SHURFINE EVA PORATED TALL CAN **29¢**

**Red Punch** HAWAIIAN 46 oz CAN **59¢**

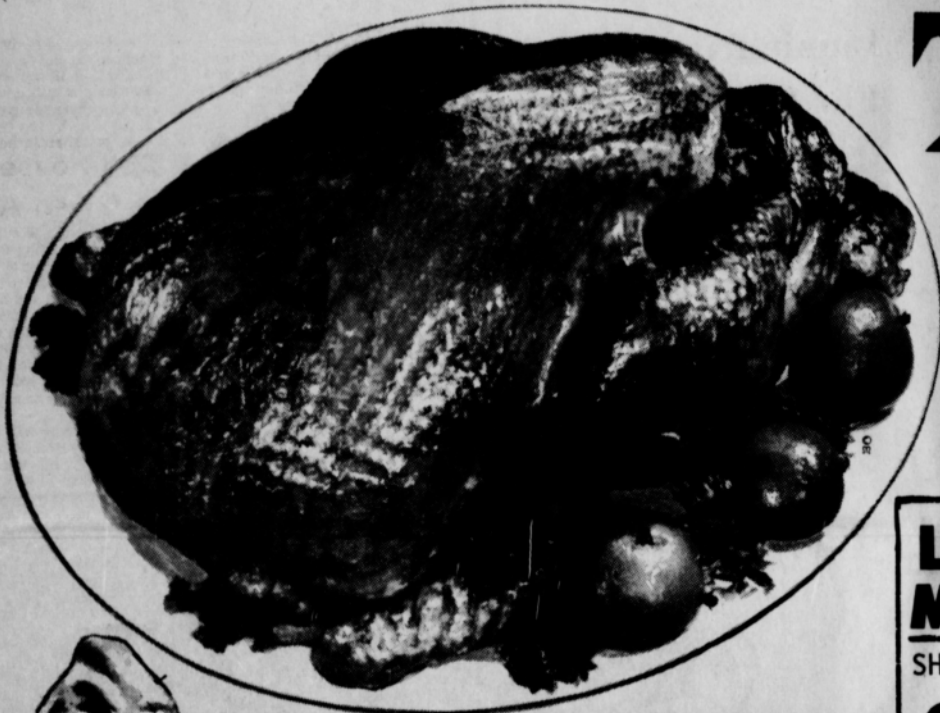
**Baby Food** GERBER'S STRAINED **2 FOR 29¢**

**Cool Whip** 9 oz. SIZE **69¢**

**Pineapple** D.M. CRISHED FLAT CAN **29¢**

**Ripe Olives** LINDSAY MEDIUM SIZE PITTED TALL CAN **55¢**

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ALL SIZES

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LB.

LEE'S THIN SLICED  
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4 LBS. to 6 LBS. **69¢** lb.

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TENDER CRUST  
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**ROLLS** PKG. **39¢**

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**SWEET POTATOES**  
NO. 3 CAN **39¢**

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**Peaches**  
SLICED OR HALVES **3 for \$1**  
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## MENU GUIDE

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