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Ask Us

Q. — What is the cost of additions, repairs, remodeling of the Hermleigh ISD superintendent's house?

A. — School officials respond that the total amount charged as "capital outlay" was $27,300. They note the actual amount spent on the house is difficult to determine since some of the contract labor and the material purchased was used in the school buildings also. Their best estimate of the cost of the house repair is between $25,000 and $26,000. They note this was the first major repair work done to the house in more than 15 years.

County bale count in excess of 32,000

In excess of 32,000 bales have now been ginned in Scurry County as the 1985 cotton harvest nears 70 percent complete.

The count Monday afternoon was 32,161 bales ginned.

Local ag officials have predicted a total count this year of up to 48,000 bales.

Last spring, some 59,000 acres were planted here in cotton.

It is estimated from 55,000 to 57,000 of these acres will eventually be harvested.

The average lint yield for the county is expected to run around 350 pounds per acre.

A good cotton year for the county is set at from 60,000 to 65,000 bales.

This year will mark the second time locally produced cotton will be assessed a fee "at the gin."

The Scurry County Cotton Producers Commodity Board has set this assessment at one-half cent per pound — the same charged with the 1984 harvest.

Proceeds from the assessment are placed in an interest-bearing account for future use in cotton pest-control programs.

Estimated bales from the eight gins serving Scurry County as of Monday afternoon were:

China Grove	3,205 bales
Dunn Gin	2,500 bales.
Farmers Co-Op.	6,250 bales
Fluvanna Gin	3,699 bales
Hermleigh Gin	1,650 bales
Inadale Coop	7,500 bales
Ira Gin	3,015 bales
Paymaster Gin	4,342 bales



FIRST PLACE — The Gary and Kathy Landes residence at 5504 Cedar Creek Dr. has been awarded first place honors in the 1985 Snyder Jaycee Christmas Lighting Contest. (SDN Staff Photo)



SECOND PLACE — Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruner of 4115 Jacksboro Ave. won the second place prize in the Jaycees Christmas contest with this yard display. (SDN Staff Photo)



THIRD PLACE — The third place prize for the 1985 Jaycees Christmas Lighting ccontest was awarded to this display of Santa Claus and lights at the Ned Byrd residence at 3603 40th St. (SDN Staff Photo)

Salaries at college fall below average

The average salary paid to professional staffers at Western Texas College is below the state weighted average for public community colleges, according to figures released by the Texas College and University System Coordinating Board.

The average salary for faculty members in general academic programs was listed at $29,916 for the 49 community colleges in Texas.

At WTC, the average figure was $26,662.

Regarding salaries across the state, it was noted these are some 3.8 percent higher this year compared to last.

The average pay exceeds $30,000 in 14 of the 49 community college districts. The highest averages are found at Del Mar College in Corpus Christi ($32,537); San Jacinto College in Pasadena ($32,377); and Central Texas College in Killeen

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DAY 'TIL CHRISTMAS

Most public entities closed till Thursday

Most public institutions in Snyder will reopen Thursday following a Christmas mid-week holiday.

The exception will be state offices, which were to close Tuesday and will not reopen until Friday.

Offices affected include the Department of Highways and Public Transportation and the Texas Employment Commission.

Entities to be closed Wednesday are all county facilities to include the courthouse, library, health unit and welfare offices, Snyder city hall, appraisal district offices, the Snyder post office, and the Ag Service Center, to include SCS and ASCS offices.

Snyder's banks and savings and loans will be closed Wednesday also.

All will reopen for business as usual Thursday.

'Snoopy' Christmas selected top display

Gary and Kathy Landes of 5504 Cedar Creek Dr. have been declared the winners of this year's Snyder Jaycees Christmas Lighting Contest.

The Landes home features Snoopy and Woodstock in the front yard along with a lighted star on the chimney. Included in the display are lighted trees in the front yard and strings of lights along the eaves and roof lines of the house.

Second prize for 1985 was won by the Sam Bruner residence at 4115 Jacksboro Ave.

The Bruner residence featured a Christmas in America theme with a floodlit Santa Claus carrying an American flag on his sleigh pulled by four reindeer.

The Ned Byrd residence at 3603 40th St. was judged third best of the year with lighted eaves and flower beds in conjunction with a lighted Santa Claus and nativity scene.

Prizes for the winners are merchandise gift certificates in the amounts of $50, $25, and $10. These will be mailed to them.

Other local homes entered in the 1985 contest were:

— John A. Nobles at 3003 Austin Ave.

— Charles Anderson at 2903 32nd St.

— Sonny Greenfield at 3202 42nd St.

— Carol Raborn at 211 34th St.

— Merle Griffin at 2801 Ave. W.

— Ray Wagner at 2301 Ave. T.

— W.E. Cox at 2100 Huffman Ave.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Merry Christmas."

It was bound to happen--a sign of the times.

It occurred in Snyder when a woman took her grandson to see Santa Claus while Christmas shopping.

Santa listened to the boy's request and then finished up by giving him a candy cane.

"What do you say to Santa?" the boy's grandmother asked.

"Charge it," declared the youngster.

Remember those bumper stickers which read, "I brake for garage sales."

Our favorite bumper sticker of the season was a takeoff of that particular bumper slogan. It read: "I stop under all mistletoe."

The Wall Street Journal last week had an appropriate cartoon which showed a youngster sitting in Santa's lap. The boy was telling Santa:

"I've only been bad so my parents would bribe me to be good."

We've been given the name of 10 Snyder couples who have been married 62 years or more. You still have time to send in the names, as the SDN is attempting to find the couple who has been married the longest.

We plan some type of celebration to honor all these "newlyweds."

A tip of the hat to all the volunteers who made the Goodfellows and Toys for Tots operation a success. To those who thought more of the other fellow than for themselves, here's a holiday greeting for you.

"Once more we share the holidays
And we greet old friends and new.
We lay aside all worldly thoughts
And love and joy shine through.
And in this Christmas season
This is our wish for you:
That the warmth of Christmas kindness
May last the whole year through.

SDN begins profile of 1985's top news stories

(Editor's Note: With this issue the SDN begins its annual review of the events that made the news in Scurry County during the past 12 months. This installment profiles the first two months of the year.)

As 1985 began here, locals were given the first official indication that dreams for a new industry for Snyder were not to be.

The county also tabulated a final bale count on likely the worst cotton year ever here.

On the positive side, a rising country and western star created a host of new local fans, and a Snyder football great received hometown recognition.

In between, a long-standing question related to construction of a new city street was finally decided by the voters.

The following is a chronological retelling of some of the events which made the news during January and February.

JANUARY 4

—The highest deposit figure in the history of Snyder financial institutions was posted at the end of 1984, it was reported today.

Year-end deposit figures at three Snyder banks and two savings and loan institutions showed total deposits were $247.8 million — an increase of $11.5 million over the same time last year.

JANUARY 6

—The future of Snyder's fledgling industry — King's Highway Mobile Industries — has been officially placed on hold by its Dallas-based owners First Tarent Corp., it was reported today.

The decision to move the King's Highway "Class A" motor home manufacturing facility

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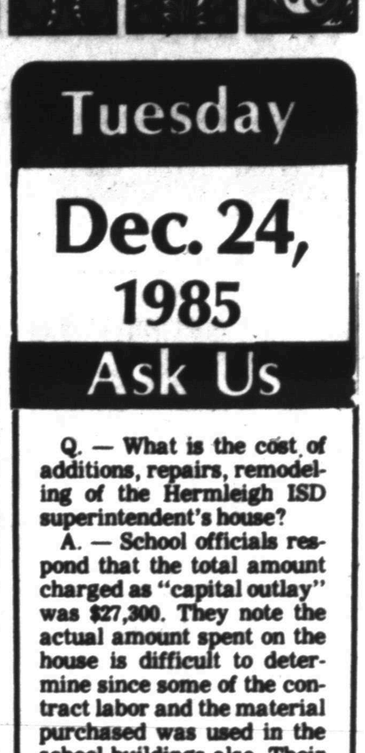

In Brief

Claim rejected

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — A jury rejected the claims of the family of a dead smoker on Monday, deciding by a vote of 9-3 that the R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. was not liable for the man's death.

Local

Said improved

Medical personnel at Lubbock General Hospital upgraded the condition of 21-year-old Richard Guzman of 3009 Ave. F from critical to serious Monday afternoon.

Guzman was taken from Snyder to the Lubbock Hospital after being wounded in the chest by a single .22 cal. bullet Saturday night.

He remains in the hospital's critical care unit.

His injuries were the result of an altercation between himself and another man at a residence in the 2200 Block of 32nd St. shortly before 9:30 p.m. Saturday.

To skip issue

The Snyder Daily News will not publish an issue Christmas Day to allow employees a holiday with their families.

The newspaper office will reopen Thursday and resume its normal publication schedule at that time.

Weather

Snyder Area Forecast: Tuesday: fair. Colder with highs near 60. Northeast and east wind 10 to 20 mph.

Forecast for Christmas Day: mostly fair. Colder with highs mid 50s. Lows near 30.

Woman in Gunter stitches her past

GUNTER, Texas (AP) — Marguerite Hunter's history is pieced together, scrap by scrap, square by square, in hundreds of her quilts.

"The other day a friend said, 'You have so many quilts, why don't you sell some?'

"Well, I thought about that. Then I pulled out this quilt and looked at it. Here, here's a piece of my mother's dress. And this is a scrap from my son's shirt, and this is from my husband's pajamas. I could go on and on. Every scrap, every piece, has a story behind it. Every scrap means something to me."

Mrs. Hunter, 71, estimates she has sewn maybe 200 quilts since she learned to sew at age six.

Her country home is filled with her work: Lone Stars and Flower Gardens, Ocean Waves and Log Cabins, quilts to warm the coldest night.

"Back when I was young, quilting was a necessity. We had to have quilts to stay warm. We had one quilt for the parents, one for the boys, one for the girls, one for company. We made the everyday quilts out of dark material, so they wouldn't show soil."

When she married rancher Benton Hunter 49 years ago, Mrs. Hunter made quilts from feed sacks on their Grayson County ranch.

"I made everything from those sacks: dresses, shirts, underwear. I guess I'm a fabricholic. I can't stand to throw away a piece of cloth."

Quilting, she says, warms the inside as well as the out.

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A Christmas story... Photos by Shirley A. Gorman



Oh, boy! My persons aren't home yet. Now is the time for me to play with the packages.



I just can't resist candy canes.



I'd better hurry and finish inspecting the packages before my persons get home.



They'll never know I was up there.

Julie, short for Juliet as in Romeo and Juliet, lives with her persons, David and Cindy Lee, in Snyder.

Under 'volcano': Mafia in New York

NEW YORK (AP) — One of the American Mafia's founding godfathers, Joseph Bonanno, called this city "The Volcano," a cauldron of money, power and intrigue where "most of the old boys died in the conflagration."

Last week Paul Castellano joined the likes of "Joe the Boss" Masseria, Albert Anastasia, Carmine Galante and Joseph Colombo — New York mob bosses of the past half-century who commanded great respect yet came to violent ends.

Through it all, the city has remained the Mafia's capital, home of about half its members and five of its largest, most wealthy crime families.

As Gay Talese noted in his Bonanno family history, "Honor Thy Father," New York is where the money is, "a hijacker's paradise, a town of tall shadows, sharp angles and crooked people from top to bottom."

Despite aging members, internal wars and federal indictments, the Mafia's five New York families — Gambino, Genovese, Luchese, Colombo and Bonanno — diminish the standard of living of millions, ranging from workers whose interests are sold out by their corrupt unions to heroin addicts who must steal to maintain their habits.

According to law enforcement officials:

—Mob extortion drives construction costs in the city about 20 percent higher than necessary.

—A mob garbage carting monopoly on Long Island costs consumers about $10 million a year. In the city, the monopoly probably hikes commercial garbage collection fees about 50 percent.

—Despite a decline, the Mafia still is involved in importing a substantial amount of the heroin that enters greater New York.

Organized crime, according to John Hogan, head of the FBI's New York bureau, "hits us on the job, hits us in stores, hits us in the houses we live in, on the roads we drive on."

But the Mafia is a paradox: a legend born of 50 years of underworld invincibility has now attracted withering attention from law enforcement agencies, and has never seemed more vulnerable or more disorganized.

Virtually every major Mafia leader in New York is under indictment or in prison. On Thursday, a reputed rising star, Michael Franzese, was accused in a federal indictment of defrauding the state of New Jersey of more than $3 million in gasoline taxes.

Franzese is 33, but most of the Mafia is getting old. Three of the city's top four bosses are over 65. In 1983, a police list of the Gambino family's 250 members included only 10 men under 50.

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CHRISTMAS SPIRIT — Members of the Atheneum Study Club gathered for a Christmas party Dec. 10 in the Snyder Country Club. The women donated canned goods and wrapped toys to Snyder Goodfellows for local children and families. Those hosting the affair included (from left) Irene Masters, Janet Brown and Wilma Dillard. Other members enjoying the festivities were Rosie Floyd, Anne von Roeder, Martha Huddleston, Jonnie Harber, Shirley Jones, Dorothy Kayser, Barbara McGee, Teddie Hatcher, Elizabeth Potts and Susie Miller. (Club Photo)



PRESENT CHRISTMAS MUSIC — Members of the handbell choir of Colonial Hill Baptist Church recently presented a program of Christmas music to residents of Snyder Nursing Center. Those participating included (from left) Shelley Gibson, Diana Best, Kathy Duncan, Andrea Garner, Ellen Rumpff, Glenda Boyd, Mickey Williams, Jeanie Rice, Mary Pryor, Mary Ellen Campbell, Kathy Post and director Jerald Garner. (Center Photo)

Craftsmen becoming more involved in developing modern product ideas

By BARBARA MAYER
AP Newsfeatures

Good-looking and useful home furnishings products often start as an idea. Later, they are transformed into usefulness by refining the idea in successive prototypes.

But where do the ideas come from? Frequently, the answer is found in a company's sales department, where a gap in the market has been perceived, or on a trade show sales floor, when manufacturers observe one of their number doing excellent business with a new product.

Rarely have mass-produced items begun life in the mind of a craftsman or craft artist. Yet, by virtue of their education, skills and interests, craftsmen are particularly well-suited to conceptualize new products and to carry them through the prototype phase.

Over the years, perhaps because of a lack of interest on both sides, instances of cooperation have been token efforts at best, according to Paul Smith, director of the American Craft Museum. Lately, however, there have been signs that this historic separation is breaking down and the result may be more interesting products for the home.

These signs include a recent competition organized by the American Craft Council, six new groups of bath fixtures being introduced by Kohler Corp., and some efforts at cooperation between glass artists and glass manufacturers in West Virginia.

A strong impetus to the spirit of cooperation is that many younger craftsmen are interested in designing for mass production, said Smith. In the past, he added, craftsmen were less eager to pursue this goal. But what was once thought too commercial to be interesting is now perceived as respectable, and it is also quite respectable for craftsmen to earn part of their living by devising efficient designs suitable for mass production.

One indication of the growth of interest in this work is shown by the large number of entries when the American Craft Council held a competition to design objects for use. More than 647 craftsmen submitted 3,128 slides of product prototypes and a jury of design professionals and crafts authorities chose 27 designers and 44 objects for an exhibition. The pieces were offered for sale in limited quantities as part of a benefit for the organization held late this fall in New York. They will also be exhibited in Baltimore and West Springfield, Mass., in 1986 during craft fairs sponsored by the craft group.

Group learns about children's eye care

Bright Ideas Extension Homemakers held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday at the Texas Electric Reddy Room with president Jackie Sloan presiding.

Dr. Bryan Cave, an optometrist, spoke to the group about children's eye care. Dr. Cave has been practicing in Snyder for approximately 17 months.

He explained to the women that eye specialists can examine children as young as two years of age. If a child under two seems to have vision problems, they can also be diagnosed.

Cave also discussed the new surgical procedure, radial keratotomy, used to reduce nearsightedness. He advised the group to consider the procedure as a last resort.

Tammi Cusser was named new public relations chairwoman.

Bright Ideas homemakers began making plans for made for a special project to be held this summer to benefit Noah Project. Debbie Lindsey will head a committee to include Lorrie Cooley and Jackie Sloan.

Hostesses for the meeting were Debbie Lindsey, Tammi Cusser and Jackie Sloan.

Teresa Lain of Family Fitness will discuss fitness for mothers and children during the group's next meeting Jan. 7.



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♣ K 10 9 7 5 4

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♥ 8 7
♦ J 10 9 7 3
♣ J

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♦ K Q
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Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: South

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2 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♣ K

takes the ace and continues with the club 10. Declarer goes up with dummy's queen, but East ruffs that trick. A diamond is now led back to the queen and ace, and West happily takes the setting trick with the club nine.

Was Pringle's strange opening lead his own peculiar way of sending his opponents a Christmas greeting? If so, it was really a Greek gift. Note that a low club lead poses no problem for declarer, who would win with the club queen and then force out the heart ace. Now a club might be ruffed by East, but declarer would play low on that trick, still retaining his club ace for a winner after trumps have been drawn.

The Christmas greeting did not really come from fictional Pringle but rather from ingenious bridge author Frank Stewart, whose book will entertain not only during this holiday season and future ones, but throughout the year.

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Beware gifts of Trojan horses

By James Jacoby

In Frank Stewart's fictional "A Christmas Stocking," his opponent on opening lead is the dreaded Millard Pringle. On a routine auction, Frank arrives at four hearts. After fumbling with his cards awhile, Pringle finally produces the opening lead of the club king. At first that looks like a Christmas present, but declarer cannot escape a sense of foreboding when East follows with the club jack. He wins the club ace and plays a trump. West

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Community Calendar

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Ladies Golf Association; tee time, 9 a.m.

Masonic Lodge; degrees and training; 7 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Chapel of Roses, Avenue K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Avenue K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-8325 or 537-2102.

THURSDAY

Movie Time; Scurry County Library; 9:30 a.m.

Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6:30 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 6 p.m.

H.F.T. Weight Control Class; Pat Dennis Studio on West 30th St. 6:30 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 6:15 p.m. For more information call 573-9688.

Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; Trinity United Methodist Church; 7:30 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-0476 or 573-1357.

FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.

Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous; Avenue K and 13th St.; Chapel of Roses; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Avenue K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-8325 or 573-2101.

SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

People Without Partners, 42 at Inadale Community Center; 6:30 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-9045.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-0476 or 573-1357.

Scurry County Museum, Western Texas College, open from 1-4 p.m.

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Create ornaments for nursing home

The Pack 36 and 258 of the Cub Scouts shared their Christmas spirit when they delivered handmade Christmas ornaments to Snyder Oaks Care Center on Monday.

Leader for Pack 36 is Trudy Garcia, Pat Carroll, Kathy Post and Lola Wagner. Leaders for Pack 258 are Peggy Byrom and Thelma Deere.

Ted Bigham
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Jerry Vestal, C.P.A.
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McCarthy recalls glory days

HOUSTON (AP) — Guests at the 1949 opening of the Shamrock Hotel still talk about the posh event — the fresh shamrocks shipped in from Ireland, the river of champagne and the swimming pool, touted as the world's largest.

But harder times have fallen on the hotel, a monument to the Irish that will close its doors next summer.

The Texas Medical Center last week bought the 1,100-room Shamrock from Hilton Hotels Corp. for $14.9 million. The old hotel has been ailing in recent years from falling occupancy rates.

Medical center officials say they bought the Shamrock for its land — not for the building — and will probably tear the hotel down. The Shamrock's doors will close June 30.

The Shamrock was a home away from home for numerous presidents, stars and foreign dignitaries, and oilman Glenn McCarthy, who built the hotel, says he doesn't know why anyone would want to change the huge old building.

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Letter to Santa

Dear Santa Claus,

I am 7 years old, my nam is Sebastian Albarez I live on 101 Browning Street. For Christmas I want Hordak and a nija suit. And I wish for world peace ad for Ethiopians to have food. And if you can I want a cabbage patch kid. too.

Love
Sebastian Albarez

On Oct. 1, 1949, Communist Party Chairman Mao Tse-tung raised the first flag of the People's Republic of China in a proclamation ceremony in Peking.

Joy
May every heart and home be rich in the radiance of Christmas joy. To you, our dear friends, many thanks.
McLeod's Jewelers
Mike & Helen

Dear Santa,
We the students of Hermleigh High School have been discussing what we want for Christmas. We have, at times, let our dreams and imagination run rampant and have wished for expensive cars, diamonds and other material items. However, when we seriously thought about what we really want — it is something we already have. We have a good school, close friends, and we are happy and content. We hope the voters in the Hermleigh Independent School District will vote, January 18, against the abolishment of our school. We are not asking for anything for Christmas, except to keep what we already have. It is a very simple request — all we want for Christmas is to keep our school.
Sincerely,
Tricia Romero, Cathey Turner, Ben Smith, RexAnne Reynolds, Patricia Jones, Junior Castillo, Rodney Foster, Joe Mireles, Jeffrey Rosenbach, Arthur Sanchez, Tim Roberts R, Billy Joe Glennaway, Lori Tate, Beverly Sanders, Edward Guzman, Barbara Brown, Daniel Ramey, Eva Romero, Ronny Garrett, Lucy Mireles, HAL TURNER, Bobby Brown, Cynthia Guzman, Carmen Mireles, Anna Mireles
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THE NUTCRACKER by The Joe Kubert School



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Likely jury excused

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Given the season, it did not take long for a man with a flowing white beard to be excused from jury duty in El Paso County District Court.

Eugene Ball told District Judge Matt Railey last week that he had commitments in the days ahead. Among them, parties for handicapped children where he portrays Santa Claus without aid of false whiskers.

"I can't bear the thought of depriving 200 handicapped children of Santa Claus," the judge said after consulting with attorneys in the case, "And if we keep you here, who knows what we'll get for Christmas."

Ball said thanks and added that he'd like to serve on a jury, come summer.

Nominations sought

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department is seeking nominations for 12 members of the National Dairy Promotion and Research Board.

Agriculture Secretary John Block said the nominations will be due by Jan. 20. Certified producer organizations and other farm organizations are eligible to submit nominations for the three-year terms that will begin May 1, 1986, and end April 30, 1989.

Block will appoint board members from the group of nominees to fill vacancies created by current members whose initial two-year terms will expire.

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Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Dec. 25, 1985

Your holdings are apt to be far greater at the end of the coming year than they will be when the year begins. Large gains may be in the offing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Conditions are promising today pertaining to your material desires. Santa may treat you more generously than you expected. Major changes are ahead for Capricorns in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, Box 1846, Cincinnati, OH 45201. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) One of your greatest assets is your ability to make friends with people from all walks of life. Today, this quality will be in full gear.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Those reliable little hunches you've learned to depend on will be on target today. Intuition, blended with logic, will serve as your guide.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) To effectively please a group today, single out the key people and function close to them. Don't try to cater to the unenthusiastic.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Material aspects are extremely favorable for you today. There could be a surprise in store when you're given something you didn't expect.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) In your dealings with loved ones today, keep the broader picture before you. All of the small factors will fall into place once you perceive the general outline.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Valuable confidential information will be disclosed to you today. You'll eventually benefit from it, but for the present, secrecy is essential.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Your fair and generous nature will be pronounced today. Lucky are those who will be involved with you on a one-to-one basis.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Opportunities to advance or enhance your material position in life will be bigger than usual today. One in particular will be especially significant.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) There is something much grander and advantageous behind what will appear to be merely a gesture of good will from one who loves you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov.22) Today you'll be on the minds of people with whom you have strong emotional ties. Each may try to upstage the other in doing nice things for you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Paint your canvas with bold strokes today because your larger ideas will have greater chances of succeeding than your smaller ones.

Dec. 26, 1985

An interesting situation may develop in the year ahead that could lead to a change in your occupation. The alteration could offer you more glamorous benefits.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Alliances or partnerships should not be hastily formed today with people about whom you know little. Take time to do more investigating. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker set instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail $2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, Box 1846, Cincinnati, OH 45201.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your productivity can be stepped up at this time, provided you treat the tasks that face you more responsibly than you are now doing.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) No one wants to deprive you of having a good time. But just be sure that you don't spend more hours playing than you do producing.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Even if you feel someone undeserving is getting the breaks you should be getting, don't behave in a petty or envious fashion today. The wheel will turn.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A big idea you've been toying with won't get off the ground unless you stop fantasizing and start taking some positive actions. Begin now.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your sharpness as a shopper might not be in full force today. Examine all merchandise carefully so you don't end up buying illusion instead of quality.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It's important to be candid with someone close to you today. Incomplete disclosures could cause complications down the line.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Analyze your motives today if there is someone you intend to help. Don't do it just because you think you'll get praise from others.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Budget your time wisely today regarding your less important interests and activities. Poor scheduling could greatly reduce your productivity.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your standing in the eyes of your peers is a trifle fragile today. Friends will be carefully watching to see if you honor your promises.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov.22) Vagueness or poor judgment could cause your plans to go awry today. Take time to map out your every move before swinging into action.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Try to be more watchful and cautious than usual in your commercial involvements today. If you get careless, you might lose money.

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Two minor mishaps

Two minor traffic mishaps were reported in rural Scurry County over the weekend.

Involved in the first — at 6:30 a.m. Saturday — was a 1985 Pontiac driven by Roy Lee Beaver of Fluvanna.

Beaver struck a horse while traveling on County Road 253 about 7.8 miles northwest of Snyder.

Business Highway 84 in Hermleigh was the scene of the second accident at 10:20 a.m. Saturday.

Involved in it were a 1979 Chevrolet driven by Russell Gregory Mraz of Hermleigh and a 1982 Ford driven by Von Dale Jones of Hermleigh.

No injuries resulted from either accident.

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Cleveland's 8-8 mark worst ever to make NFL playoffs

by The Associated Press

The National Football League playoffs begin Saturday with nine of the 10 best teams in the NFL taking part.

The other is the Cleveland Browns, who won the American Football Conference's Central Division with an 8-8 record, becoming the worst team ever to make the NFL playoffs.

Meanwhile, the 11-5 Denver Broncos are out, courtesy of the league's complicated tie-breaker procedures that left them behind the New York Jets and New England Patriots, also 11-5. That makes the Broncos the best team to miss the playoffs since 1977, when only one wild-card team made it from each conference and the Miami Dolphins missed out despite a 10-4 record.

But that doesn't mean much to Cleveland, which lost to the Jets 37-10 Sunday. They had made it anyway on Saturday when the New York Giants beat Pittsburgh.

Cleveland enters the playoffs with a record that is one-half game poorer than the previous worst - Minnesota's 8-7-1 that captured the NFC Central in 1978.

"We're 8-8 and we'll make no apologies," Cleveland Coach Marty Schottenheimer said after Sunday's game. "Everybody knew the rules at the beginning of the season."

The playoffs begin Saturday at 4 p.m. EST when the Jets host the New England Patriots, 34-23 winners over Cincinnati, in the AFC wild-card game at Giants Stadium in East Rutherford, N.J.

The NFC wild-card game will be at the same site at 1 p.m. EST Sunday when the Giants, who made it by beating the Steelers 28-10, play host to San Francisco. The defending champion 49ers, who started out 3-4, clinched the final spot by beating Dallas 31-16 Sunday.

That outcome eliminated Washington, which also finished 10-6 but lost to San Francisco earlier this year. It was the first time out of the playoffs for Washington since 1981.

The times for the quarterfinal games Jan. 5-6 aren't set yet, but the general framework is settled.

In the AFC, the Jets-Patriots winner will travel to Los Angeles to meet the Raiders and the Browns will be at Miami against the Dolphins, who clinched the AFC East title by shutting out Buffalo 28-0 Sunday.

In the NFC, the 49ers-Giants winner plays at Chicago against the Bears, who clinched the Central division five weeks ago and beat Detroit 37-17 Sunday to finish 15-1. The Rams, 11-4 going into tonight's game at Anaheim against the Raiders, will be at home to the Cowboys, who finished 10-6.

The Bears will hold the home-field advantage through the NFC playoffs.

Hanifan gets axed as Cardinal coach

ST. LOUIS (AP) - Jim Hanifan says his ordeal as coach of the St. Louis Cardinals might qualify him for another line of work.

"It was a fact that certain guys did not play up to what we thought they should or what they had in the past," Hanifan said Sunday, a day after being fired as the Cardinals completed a 5-11 season. "I should have a doctorate in psychology for the time I spent in (studying) that area."

Hanifan, 52, who was fired along with his entire staff, blamed his ouster mostly on the National Football League team's offensive futility.

"There were two areas that I think really affected us. One was that we were not able to put points on the board," Hanifan said. "We could move the football. We could not move from the 20-yard line in. I feel that permeated the rest of the team."

The second part of the breakdown lay with failures by field-goal units through much of the campaign, Hanifan added.

Hanifan was fired two hours after a 27-16 defeat Saturday against the Washington Redskins at Busch Stadium.

Team owner William V. Bidwill described his reasons for the firing in a terse prepared statement.

"I made the decision in the best interest of the team," Bidwell said. "Jim Hanifan is a fine man, a good football coach and a good friend. I wish Jim and his staff well in their future endeavors."

Bidwill's announcement didn't mention when a successor to Hanifan would be selected.

Hanifan's six-season record with St. Louis was 39-50-1, including a playoff defeat in 1982.

SPORTS

Sweden confirms tennis supremacy

MUNICH, West Germany (AP) - Sweden confirmed its supremacy as the world's top tennis nation by clinching its second straight Davis Cup title with a dramatic 3-2 victory over West Germany.

Stefan Edberg came from behind to beat Michael Westphal 3-6, 7-5, 6-4, 6-3 Sunday in the last of the five matches in the final series to retain Sweden's title in a surprisingly close match against a West German team led by Wimbledon champion Boris Becker.

Edberg, the 19-year-old Australian Open champion, trailed against Westphal, the world's 51st-ranked player, before rallying to win the decisive match.

"I struggled but I kept on fighting even when I wasn't playing well," Edberg said.

Sweden retained the title it won last year over the United States. Its first Davis Cup title came 10 years ago with a victory over Czechoslovakia. It lost to Australia in the 1983 final.

Becker defeated Sweden's top player, Mats Wilander, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3, on Sunday to level the score at 2-2 and keep alive German hopes.

Wilander won the opening singles Friday against Westphal 6-3, 6-4, 10-8, while Becker overcame Edberg 6-3, 3-6, 7-5, 8-6.

Wilander and Joakim Nystrom beat Becker and Andreas Maurer 6-4, 6-2, 6-1 in Saturday's doubles to give Sweden a 2-1 lead going into the final day.

In addition to winning the Davis Cup, Sweden was the only nation to produce winners of two Grand Slam events this year. Wilander won the French Open and Edberg beat Wilander in the final of the Australian Open.

Sweden's depth in high-ranking players proved decisive in the face of a strong West German challenge led by Becker.

Becker, ranked sixth in the world, was in devastating form against Wilander, ranked No. 3 in the world.

Hole-in-one

Bud Pinkerton fired a hole-in-one on the No. 1 green at Western Texas College Golf Course last Sunday.

Pinkerton used a 7-iron.

Witnesses were Scotty Scott and Danny Chastain.

College cage 20

How the Top Twenty teams in the Associated Press' college basketball poll fared:

No.1, North Carolina (10-0) beat Jacksonville 69-65; beat Stanford 89-55; beat Citadel 104-51.

No.2, Michigan (10-0) beat Northern Michigan 98-76.

No.3, Duke (9-0) beat Davidson 69-62.

No.4, Syracuse (7-0) beat St. Bonaventure 83-64.

No.5, Georgetown (8-0) beat American 83-59; beat No. 18, DePaul 85-70.

No.6, Kansas (9-1) beat Arkansas 89-78.

No.7, Georgia Tech (7-1) beat Old Dominion 86-66; beat Texas A&M 83-56; beat Jacksonville 72-53.

No.8, Oklahoma (9-0) beat New Orleans 103-85.

No.9, Louisiana State (11-0) beat Lamar 74-57; beat Texas 72-65; beat Southeast Louisiana 82-61; beat Southern U. 91-83.

No.10, Memphis State (8-0) beat Mississippi 73-56.

No.11, St. John's (9-1) beat Niagara 104-61.

No.12, Nevada-Las Vegas (7-1) beat San Diego State 105-65; beat Iona 82-63.

No.13, Kentucky (7-1) beat East Caroline 86-52; beat Pepperdine 88-56.

No.14, Alabama-Birmingham (11-1) beat Cincinnati 69-53; beat Campbell 89-46; beat Tennessee-Chattanooga 76-60.

No.15, Illinois (7-2) beat Missouri 67-55.

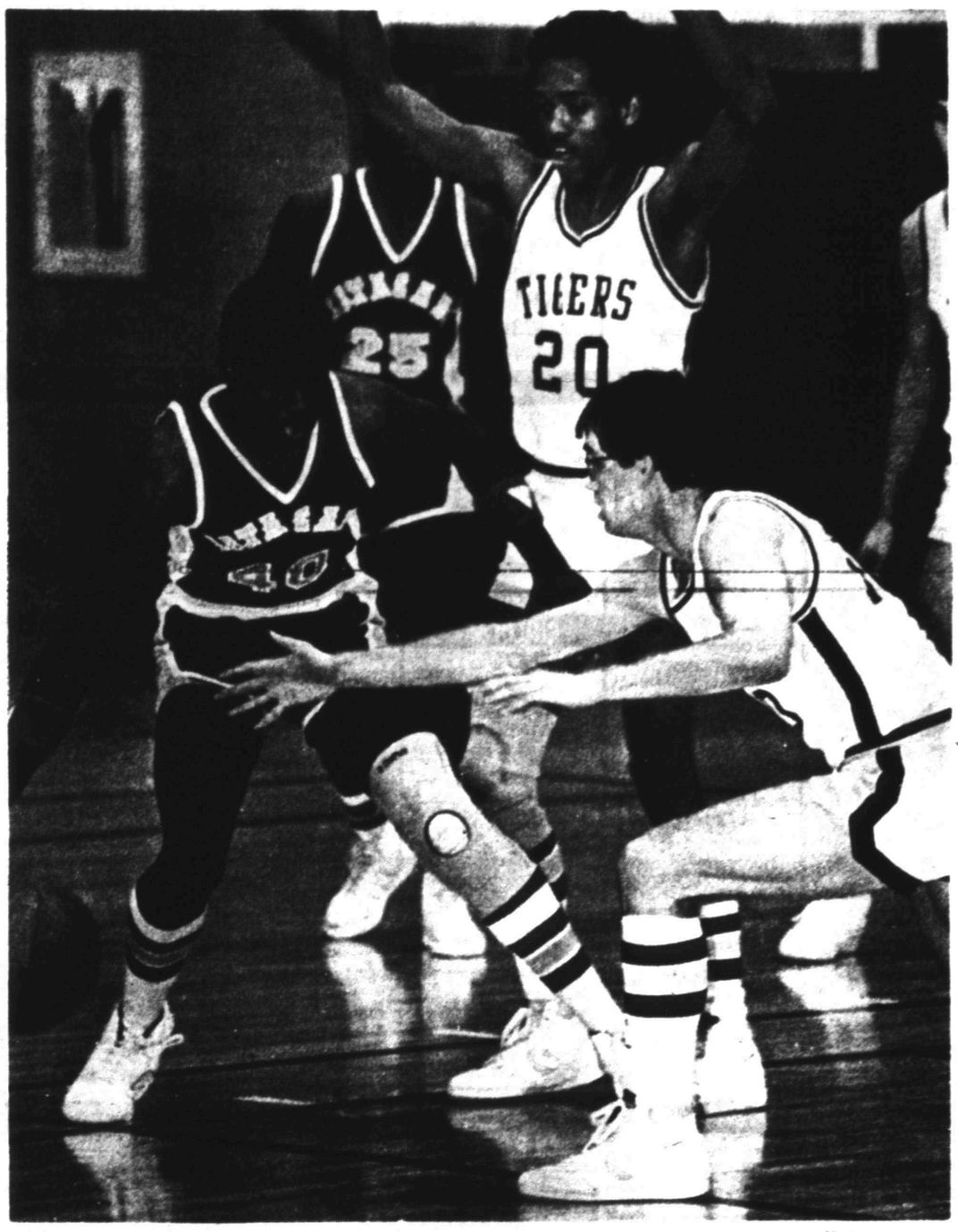
No.16, Louisville (6-2) beat No. 17, Indiana 65-63.

No.17, Indiana (6-2) lost to No. 16, Louisville 65-63; beat Iowa State 86-65.

No.18, DePaul (5-1) beat Northwestern 70-67; lost to No. 5, Georgetown 85-70.

No.19, Notre Dame (5-1) beat Valparaiso 86-54.

No.20, Virginia Tech (8-1) beat West Virginia 76-69.



PREPARE FOR DISTRICT – Snyder's Tigers completed their pre-season slate Saturday by defeating Roswell, N.M. in the Reese AFB Tournament. The Tigers, 9-3, will now begin workouts for the District 2-4A campaign which begins Jan. 2 in Lamesa. Above, Bobby Scott (20) and Todd Pollard throw up a defensive wall. (SDN Staff Photo)

Sports summaries

WJCAC glance

WJCAC WOMEN

Team	Conference W	Conference L	Season W	Season L
Odessa	3	0	15	0
Frank Phillips	2	1	6	7
Western Texas	1	1	12	5
South Plains	1	1	10	5
Clarendon	1	1	6	3
New Mexico JC	0	1	9	3
Howard	0	3	5	10

Dec. 2 Results: CC 71, NMJC 67; WTC 77, Blinn JC 68 (non-conference).

Dec. 5 Results: WTC 72, HC 59; OC 80, FPC 38; SPC 109, LCC JV 52 (non-conference).

Dec. 7 Results: FPC 74, HC 68.

Dec. 9 Results: OC 74, WTC 69; SPC 75, HC 55, FPC 70, Clarendon 60.

Dec. 12 Results: OC 77, SPC 50; FPC at NM-JC postponed.

WJCAC MEN

Team	Conference W	Conference L	Season W	Season L
Midland	3	0	13	0
South Plains	3	1	12	4
Western Texas	2	1	11	5
Howard	2	1	7	8
New Mexico JC	1	1	9	4
Clarendon	1	1	4	5
Odessa	1	2	10	6
NMMI	0	3	8	4
Frank Phillips	0	3	4	10

Dec. 2 Results: MC 81, SPC 71; NMJC 80, CC 71.

Dec. 3 Results: WTC 80, NMMI 76.

Dec. 5 Results: HC 80, WTC 72; OC 75, FPC 74; SPC 98, NMMI 86; MC 90, NMJC 81.

Dec. 7 Results: HC 69, FPC 65.

Dec. 9 Results: WTC 92, OC 75; MC 70, NMMI 57; SPC 73, HC 64; CC 79, FPC 62.

Dec. 12 Results: SPC 75, OC 56; FPC at NM-JC and NMMI at HC postponed. WTC at ASU JV (non-conference) cancelled.

Boy's Schedule

1985-86 Snyder High

Boy's Varsity Basketball

J	2	Lamesa*	Lamesa	8:00
J	4	Monahans*	Monahans	3:30
J	7	LakeView*	Snyder	8:00
J	10	Ft.Stockton*	Snyder	8:00
J	14	Sweetwater*	Sweetwater	8:00
J	17	Pecos*	Snyder	8:00
J	21	Lamesa*	Snyder	8:00
J	24	Andrews*	Andrews	8:00
J	28	LakeView*	San Angelo	8:00
J	31	Monahans*	Snyder	8:00
F	4	Sweetwater*	Snyder	8:00
F	7	Ft.Stockton*	Ft.Stockton	8:00
F	11	Andrews*	Andrews	7:30
F	14	Pecos*	Pecos	8:00

* - District game

NOTE: Junior Varsity games start 1½ hours before varsity games. All varsity games are preceded by junior varsity games except for tournament dates.

Girl's Schedule

1985-86 Snyder High

Girl's Varsity Basketball

J	2	Lamesa*	Snyder	8:00
J	4	Monahans*	Snyder	2:30
J	7	LakeView*	San Angelo	8:00
J	10	Ft.Stockton*	Ft.Stockton	8:00
J	14	Sweetwater*	Snyder	8:00
J	17	Pecos*	Pecos	8:00
J	21	Lamesa*	Lamesa	8:00
J	24	Andrews*	Snyder	8:00
J	28	LakeView*	LakeView	8:00
J	31	Monahans*	Monahans	8:00
F	4	Sweetwater*	Sweetwater	8:00
F	7	Ft.Stockton*	Snyder	8:00

*- District game

NOTE: Junior Varsity games start 1½ hours before varsity games. All varsity games are preceded by junior varsity games except for tournament dates and the following exceptions: Nov 26 at C-City, JV at 4.

Girl's 2-4A

District 2-4A Girls

Team	District W	District L	Season W	Season L
Sweetwater	2	0	13	0
Lamesa	2	0	8	8
Snyder	1	1	12	1
Andrews	1	1	9	1
LakeView	1	1	8	7
Monahans	1	1	4	8
FortStockton	0	2	7	7
Pecos	0	2	4	8

Tuesday's Results- Andrews 80, Snyder 76; Sweetwater 61, Pecos 38; Lamesa 36, Monahans 28; Lake View 41, Fort Stockton 34.

Friday's Results- Snyder 63, Pecos 37; Sweetwater 62, Andrews 32; Lamesa 47, Fort Stockton 43; Monhans 38, Lake View 28.

January 2 Games- Lamesa at Snyder, Andrews at Monahans, Pecos at Fort Stockton, Lake View at Sweetwater.

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10 years ago...

Spirit of 1975 was marked by novelty

By Paul Elie

On Christmas morning 1975, thousands of Americans woke up to find rocks in their stockings.

That year, the most popular stocking stuffer was the Pet Rock, a $3.95 rock in a box, complete with owner's manual and care intructions.

Novelty was an appropriate cornerstone for the 1975 holiday — quickly forgotten, but easy to recall. It was a season of fads.

Digital watches, which followed pocket calculators into the growing electronics market, sold for anywhere from $30 to $300. Warm-up suits were not just for athletes anymore; people who had never even thought of exercising put them on their gift lists, vowing to sweat away those extra holiday pounds, no doubt. Kids asked for Ideal's Evel Kneivel Stunt Cycle as well as the usual Legos and Tonka trucks. And latecomers were finally learning that summer's dance craze — the Hustle.

HOW WE CELEBRATED

CHRISTMAS 1975

Yet it also had been a season of enormous giving — of the practical kind that keep an economy alive. Like the one given Mayor Abraham Beame and 8 million New Yorkers on Nov. 26, when President Ford approved a $2.3 billion federal loan to the city, saving it from bankruptcy.

Those gifts showed the nation was recovering. Earlier in the year, Americans — still feeling the effects of the world oil crisis — had suffered some setbacks.

In May, U.S. diplomats had finally left South Vietnam in defeat when the country fell to the communists. In September, the president's life had been threatened twice — first by Lynette "Squeaky" Fromme and then by Sara Jane Moore. And the U.S. economy had faltered, with the rate of unemployment rising above 9 percent; and the gross national product dropping drastically before picking up near the holidays.



BICENTENNIAL ITEMS were popular gifts, as the colors of Christmas 1975 were not just red and green, but red, white and blue.

By Christmastime, the public was looking forward.

Upcoming in 1976 was the nation's Bicentennial. The celebration had already begun — 13-star flags were flying, and "Bicentennial Minutes" had joined "All in the Family" and "Chico and the Man" on TV. Beneath the Christmas tree, dozens of gifts carried the stylized stars and stripes that symbolized America's 200th anniversary — patriotic mittens, caps, neckties and even star-spangled bicycles. In 1975 the colors of Christmas were not just red and green, but red, white and blue.

1976 was also to be an election year, of course. On Dec. 24, 1975, Ford officially entered the New Hampshire Republican primary, and pundits were already making early predictions. Would the front-running Hubert Humphrey defeat Fred Harris, Terry Sanford, Edmund Muskie and Birch Bayh to capture the Democratic nomination? On Christmas Day, as part of a series on Democratic presidential candidates, The New York Times profiled Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, who was considered a strong contender for the nomination. The next day the newspaper profiled a long shot — Jimmy Carter.

Meanwhile, New York magazine profiled Ford's only Republican opponent. "Everyone *knows* Ronald Reagan is a joke," their cover story read. "But he may be the best public speaker in America."

In sports, Oklahoma would soon be college football's national champion, Ohio State running back Archie Griffin had been awarded his second consecutive Heisman Trophy, and Sports Illustrated had named baseball's Pete Rose of the world champion Cincinnati Reds as its "Sportsman of the Year."

Even more action was taking place in the courtrooms, though.

In both baseball and football, courts struck down rules that had restricted a player's right to sell his skills to the highest bidder. That holiday season, players in both sports could anticipate the million-dollar salaries that rule the games today.

For most Americans, expectations were more modest: a chance to gather with their families and share good times and gifts — a record or a book or a winter night at the movies.

The most popular films were: "The Sunshine Boys," Robert Redford's "Three Days of the Condor" and Sidney Poitier's "Let's Do It Again" (with Bill Cosby). Billboard magazine listed Silver Convention's "Fly, Robin, Fly" as the week's best-selling single; but the most popular gift albums were two best-of collections — "Chicago's Greatest Hits"and "Elton John's Greatest Hits." The season's hottest books were Agatha Christie's "Curtain," E.L. Doctorow's "Ragtime," "Sylvia Porter's Money Book," and, for the discerning, the $45 "Art Treasures of the Vatican."

Much of the nation spent the holiday season seeing those movies, listening to those records, beginning those books. Discovering the difference between an LCD watch and an LED one. Waiting for warm-up suit weather.

On Christmas night 1975, most Americans weren't thinking about the Bicentennial or the upcoming election. Some had already forgotten their pet rocks.

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Births

Linda and Junior Garcia of Snyder are the parents of a baby boy born Friday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. The baby, named Lindsey Cortez, weighed nine pounds, seven ounces and was welcomed home by a brother and a sister.

Grandparents include Anita and Isidro Garcia Sr. of California and Bill Dodson of Snyder.

Researchers find an odd molecule

HOUSTON (AP) — Several Rice University scientists noticed two months ago that their laser machine was producing unusual spherical carbon molecules that they had never seen before.

The researchers quite by accident had found carbon 60, which they nicknamed "Buckyballs," a discovery that has taken the international scientific community by storm.

The researchers say their finding is especially surprising because carbon is one of the most common elements in the universe and therefore one that scientists know most about, said chemistry professor Richard Smalley of the Rice Quantum Institute.

Smalley said Rice researchers for years had been zapping various materials — from tungsten to diamonds — with a laser to see what would happen.

Longer terms coming

AUSTIN (AP) — Convicted criminals in Travis County are receiving longer sentences in the wake of a new state law requiring that jurors be instructed about parole laws before deciding on punishment.

"Almost every one of the jurors that I've talked to since we put that in has stated that they voted for a longer sentence than they would have had they not known about the parole laws," says state District Judge Bob Perkins.

Linda Powell, an Austin lawyer, said she has represented two defendants in jury trials since the law took effect Sept. 1 and she notices the same thing.

"In talking to the jurors afterwards, they said that they considered (parole) very substantially in deciding on a final sentence," Ms. Powell said.

"They figured out how much they thought he ought to serve and then increased it. They're usually giving two to three times how much they actually want him to serve. Every lawyer that I've talked to is saying the same thing. The jurors are saying they are definitely considering it, and they are coming out with stiffer sentences as a result," she said.

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Dear Abby



Christmas Classic Evokes The Spirit of the Season

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Many years ago you had a letter in your column from a little girl named Virginia who wrote to say that her friends had told her there was no Santa Claus. Your response to Virginia captured the spirit of Christmas and the Santa Claus story so beautifully, I wish you would run it again.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER, BALTIMORE

DEAR TEACHER: To set the record straight, the piece to which you refer is a famous, well-loved classic titled, "Yes, Virginia, There Is a Santa Claus."

It was written in 1897 by Francis P. Church, who was, at the time, the editor of the now defunct New York Sun.

He wrote it in response to this letter:

"Dear Editor:

"I am 8 years old.

"Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus.

"Papa says, 'If you see it in the Sun, it's so.'

"Please tell me the truth. Is there a Santa Claus?"—Virginia O'Hanlon

Dear Virginia: Your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except what they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little.

In this great universe of ours, man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! How dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus. It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias.

There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus.

The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are unseen and unseeable in this world.

You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart.

Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernatural beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

No Santa Claus! Thank God he lives, and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay 10 times 10,000 years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.

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CONFIDENTIAL TO MY READERS: Have a merry Christmas. If you're driving, please don't drink. And if you're drinking, please don't drive.

DEAR READERS: An update on the progress of "Operation Dear Abby": It all started on Sept. 27 when Mel Hebert, a U.S. Marine stationed on Okinawa, wrote to say there were a lot of lonely soldiers who needed mail, so I asked my readers to write to Mel, who had promised to distribute their letters to Marines who wanted a pen pal.

First, a letter from Mel:

DEAR ABBY: Whew! Truly unbelievable is the only way to describe the response. In the past weeks, over 30,000 letters have been received! Your readers are wonderful, Abby!

As you well know, I can't answer all these letters personally, but with help from my project officers, we've been able to distribute letters throughout the entire island of Okinawa, and although I can't assure a reply to each and every letter, we are doing our best to get them all answered.

I just want to say that you and your readers have made a lot of Marines and sailors on this end of the world very happy. Thanks again!

SEMPER FIDELES, MEL IN OKINAWA

Now, let's hear it from the men themselves:

DEAR ABBY: The success of "Operation Dear Abby" has been phenomenal, with mail pouring in at the rate of some 3,000-plus letters per day. Corporal Hebert has assigned the distribution to the Marine camps here on the island, and personnel from Camp Schwab in northern Okinawa to Camp Kinser in southern Okinawa are receiving your letters. The boost of morale has been profound, and a lot of us now feel that "America cares."

Undoubtedly, a lot of friendships will be forged from this effort. Some will last a lifetime, others for only a fortnight. From the grandmother and the widow, to the sweet 16-year-old, we thank you for your interest in our profession and our duty. The hundreds of pictures, your descriptions of your towns, and the accounts of your lifestyles are relished.

America, we are truly proud to be in a capacity to serve you and protect our way of life. A quote says it all too well: "Freedom has a sweet savor that the protected will never know." Abby, please sign us ...

THE MARINES ON OKINAWA, JAPAN

DEAR ABBY: Please settle this because I don't want to go through the same thing next year.

We have been married for three years, and both sets of parents live in our town. We both come from large families.

My mother always makes a big Thanksgiving dinner and so does my mother-in-law. My folks have their dinner at 3 p.m. and my mother-in-law serves at 5 p.m. We don't want to hurt any feelings, so we go to both places. Naturally we are stuffed after the 3 p.m. dinner, but try to do justice to the 5 p.m. dinner.

My mother gets mad because we have to eat and run, and his mother gets mad because we don't eat enough.

We want to keep everybody happy. Is there a solution?

STUFFED TURKEYS

DEAR STUFFED: Plan one: Alternate. Go to your parents one year and your in-laws the next, so you can do justice to both. Plan Two: Eat heartily at the 3 p.m. dinner, but save dessert for the 5 p.m. meal.

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DEAR ABBY: I'm writing a novel called "The Married Priest." But what do I know about being married? Nothing. And what do I know about priests? Nothing.

I am a young author (8 years of age) that needs help. Can you help me?

SHARA SVENDSEN, JUNEAU, ALASKA

DEAR SHARA: I think it's wonderful that you want to become an author, but in order to write a novel about a priest, you must first get some facts about the priesthood. If there's a priest in Juneau who is willing to help you, I hope he will write to me so I can put him in touch with you. Good luck, Shara.

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(Is your social life in a slump? Lonely? Get Abby's updated, revised and expanded booklet, "How to Be Popular"—for people of all ages. Send your name and address clearly printed with a check or money order for $2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents) self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Popularity, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

A tidal wave in the Dutch West Indies claimed 1,200 lives in 1907.

An earthquake in Avezza, Italy, claimed 29,000 lives in 1915.

William "Buffalo Bill" Cody, plainsman, scout and showman, died in 1917.

SDN starts review for 1985's top news

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from Snyder back to Southern California was confirmed earlier by a company spokesman.

—Purchase of the Owens Department Store building on College Ave. was revealed today by Snyder Publishing Co. Inc.

The new facility will house the operations of the Snyder Daily News and its affiliated offset press facility.

JANUARY 7

—The operation of the local Montgomery Ward catalogue store will change effective Feb. 28 — a switch that will see the closing of the outlet location at 1923 25th St.

It was reported today that catalogue orders for Montgomery Wards will still be honored locally, however.

JANUARY 10

—Today was "Tony Degrate Day" in Snyder — activities which ended with a recognition banquet at the Snyder Country Club.

In addition to Degrate — this year's Lombardi Award winner and a 1981 graduate of SHS — University of Texas Football Coach Fred Akers was the special guest.

JANUARY 14

—County commissioners voted among themselves today to fill three expiring positions on the Cogdell Memorial Hospital Board, naming at vote's end two new members to the appointed body which governs the facility's operation.

New members will be Jack Denman and Ralph Price. John Jarrell was re-appointed to the board.

JANUARY 17

—Officials with the Texas National Guard have announced reorganization of the 111th Engineering Battalion effective Feb. 1 — a change which will see the Snyder-based Company E switch from a poontoon bridge company to combat engineer status, it was reported today.

JANUARY 18

—The appearance here yesterday of country and western singer George Strait prompted possibly the largest audience ever counted for an entertainment event in the Scurry County Colliseum, it was reported today.

JANUARY 19

—The question of annexing some 60.5 acres west of Snyder into the city limits — which opponents called a "symbolic" vote regarding the construction of Houston Parkway here — received a majority "yes" vote today from Snyder voters.

Only 20 votes separated those for and those against, however, in a light turnout totaling some 282 ballots.

JANUARY 22

—Initial estimates for a less than 5,000 bale cotton year for Scurry County are proving accurate as the 1984 harvest season moves into the final weeks of January, 1985.

It was reported today this total makes 1984 the worst crop year ever reported for the county regarding cotton production, local ag officials say.

JANUARY 23

—It was reported today that renovation expected to equal some $750,000-plus has begun at Snyder's Texas National Guard Armory — the local home of the newly reorganized Co. D of the 111th Engineering Battalion.

—Final approval for a new juvenile-adult probation officer for Scurry County was reported today. Accepting the post will be Larry Wayne Thompson, 27.

JANUARY 24

—Dan Callaway, justice of the peace for Pct. 1 here since 1979, was named today to the additional duties of municipal judge for the city of Snyder.

JANUARY 28

—Scurry County Attorney Gary Terrell informed county commissioners today that he will be resigning his position effective April 1 as part of a planned move from Snyder.

Terrell, who joined the Lubbock-based law firm of McWhorter, Cobb and Johnson last October, will be closing the local branch office of that firm and relocating to Lubbock.

FEBRUARY 1

—County school students and teachers received the first unscheduled holiday of the 1984-85 school year today as heavy snow prompted administrators to call off classes.

FEBRUARY 5

—The official student count for Western Texas College's spring semester was reported today — an indication that WTC has recorded the second highest enrollment in its 14-year history.

A total of 1,337 students have enrolled for the spring semester.

FEBRUARY 10

—An apparent explosion of a leaking high pressure air hose caused serious head injuries to a 14-year-old county youth, injuries which left him in critical condition at Lubbock's St. Mary's Hospital, it was reported today.

Injured was Stacy Browning, who underwent eight hours of surgery in Lubbock the night of the injury.

FEBRUARY 11

—Mike Line was chosen by county commissioners today to fill out an unexpired term for county attorney here.

FEBRUARY 20

—Jay Mayo and Debra Wilson, two Snyder High School seniors who had previously been chosed class favorites, were named Mr. and Miss SHS, today.

Seek reward

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas bankers have stepped up efforts to start a statewide reward program to discourage would-be extortionists after the wives of three central Texas bankers were taken hostage in recent incidents.

"This type of crime is becoming much more common, no doubt about it," said Chris Williston, an official with the Texas Bankers Association.

The wife of a San Antonio banker was killed in September, and this month bankers' wives in Austin and Kerrville have been held in extortion attempts.

Report rates WTC salaries

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($32,130).

WTC's average salary was fourth when compared to the five community colleges within a 100-mile radius of Snyder.

The salary figures reported for these include:

—Odessa College: highest salary, $43,186; lowest salary, $23,000; average salary, $31,838.

—Midland College: highest salary, $38,122; lowest salary, $24,708; average salary, $30,974.

—South Plains College: highest salary, $35,319; lowest salary, $21,200; average salary, $28,687.

—Western Texas College: highest salary, $33,763; lowest salary, $19,204; average salary, $26,682.

—Howard County Junior College: highest salary, $32,460; lowest salary, $20,633; average salary, $26,578.

The Coordinating Board's survey included four-year universities and colleges also. The average salaries reported for these schools was $42,436 for full professors; $32,159 for associate professors; $26,928 for assistant professors; and $20,513 for instructors.

The highest average salaries within the state are reported by The University of Texas at Austin ($37,650); University of Houston-University Park ($36,913); The University of Texas at Dallas ($36,145); Texas A&M ($35,626); and Texas Tech University ($34,948).

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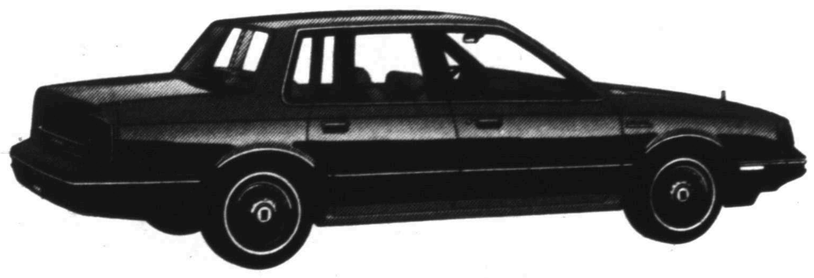

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Medication needs changing

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT — I was overmedicated with Inderal, and dry mouth and throat resulted. I have no saliva at all. Will pilocarpine help? Do you have any suggestions?

DEAR READER — Even small amounts of the beta-blocker Inderal can cause dry mouth. Ask your doctor to change you to another medicine, rather than having you try to overcome the side-effects of one medicine by using another. Chewing gum may stimulate saliva production. Remember that dry mouth may be caused by factors other than medication, so ask your doctor about this.

DEAR DR. GOTT — What is an IGE blood test for allergies? Is it more accurate than the scratch test?

DEAR READER — The disease-fighting proteins (globulins) in our bodies can be separated into groups: A, E, G, and so forth. By measuring immunoglobulin E (IGE), allergists can partially assess a person's allergic response, the way the patient reacts to substances that cause allergies.

On the other hand, by introducing tiny amounts of material into the skin and measuring the subsequent swelling and redness, an allergist can determine precisely what components the patient is reacting to. Therefore, the IGE test gives general information; skin testing provides more specific data. Both types of tests can be useful in evaluating an allergic patient.

DEAR DR. GOTT — I am a 29-year-old female. I recently found very unsightly broken veins on my thighs and ankles. What causes them? Is there anything I can do to make them go away or to prevent them?

DEAR READER — You seem to be describing a variety of varicose veins. The tendency to vein swelling may be inherited. Elastic stockings or supportive wrapping may help prevent further distension of the blood vessels. Elevation of the feet on a hassock or footstool (after work) may relieve pressure in the veins. If the condition progresses, you may have to consider surgical removal of the dilated veins, a procedure called venous stripping. Ask your doctor to keep an eye on the situation and advise you what to do.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My diaphragm has ballooned on the right side, pushing up into the bottom of my right lung. Do you know the cause and consequences, and is there anything that can be done for it? Could this be connected to the fact that, 10 years ago, I had a mastectomy on my right side?

DEAR READER — As we breathe, the broad, flat diaphragmatic muscles contract and suck air into the lungs. If one of the two diaphragm sheets does not contract, air will not enter one lung. Therefore, we need both diagphragms to function normally.

Ballooning of the diaphragm usually indicates that the muscle is not contracting. This could be due to congenital malformation. However, in adults, the disorder is usually caused by loss of nerve impulses to the muscle. The diaphragm doesn't contract because it is not stimulated; hence, it rises up instead of moving down with each breath.

I do not know why your diaphragm is malfunctioning; your doctor will need to order special tests to find out why such an important muscle is not working properly. If you had a mastectomy (breast removal) because of a growth, it is possible that during the past 10 years, the tumor may have regrown and is now interfering with the diaphragmatic nerves. Regardless of its cause, your condition certainly appears to need attention.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My brother, 66, is a severe diabetic with heart problems and bleeding, itching sores all over his body. He was under the care of a diabetic specialist in a clinic for six weeks last year, and in all of this time, his blood sugar level has never stabilized. I've heard that these sores are a rare type of shingles and that some kind of medication can help. Do you know of anything that we can use?

DEAR READER — Uncontrolled diabetes can cause an astounding array of skin problems, not the least of which is chronic (or recurrent) infection. I wouldn't presume to diagnose you brother's dermatological difficulty, but I am certain it will not come under control until his diabetes is regulated. If one diabetic specialist cannot help, try another — and keep trying until your brother's basic disease, diabetes, is in check.

DEAR DR. GOTT — I am a 29-year-old female. About a year ago I began to have involuntary muscle twitching, mostly in my leg calves and upper arms. It's like the "eye-twitching" almost everyone has experienced. My doctor told me not to worry. It's now more frequent, and I've noticed other problems: spots in my field of vision, poor balance, limb numbness and slowed reaction time. My doctor says it's stress. I'd like to get a second opinion, but don't know what type of specialist to see.

DEAR READER — Although some of your symptoms could be stress-related, the constellation of problems suggest to me that you need a thorough and careful neurological evaluation. Don't waste any time getting to a neurologist, an M.D. who specializes in diseases of the nervous system. If there is no neurologist in your community, make an appointment in the neurology clinic of the nearest university hospital.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My problem is a sluggish bowel. There's just no "oomph," as if nobody's home — no gas, no gurgling. Enemas and suppositories don't help. The only time I've had regular comfortable movements in the last three years is when I was on an antibiotic. When the medicine stopped, so did my bowels. I'm on medicine for high blood pressure and have had some abnormal bleeding. What ideas do you have about this? This is not the sort of problem TV shows are made about.

DEAR READER — Your unpleasant problem may be the result of intestinal hypomotility — a sluggish bowel. But I'm more intrigued by the possibility that the disorder may be the direct result of the high-blood-pressure medicine you are taking. Ask you doctor about this and request that he refer you to a gastroenterologist for definitive evaluation.

Send your questions to Dr. Gott in care of this newspaper at P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101. Due to volume of mail, individual questions cannot be answered. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns.

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Production of catfish has increased

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American catfish farmer is chalking up another corker of a year in terms of production, according the the latest figures by the Agriculture Department.

Production of farm-raised catfish in November was 14.8 million pounds, live weight, up 18 percent from November 1984, the department's Crop Reporting Board said.

In all, catfish production in the first 11 months of 1985 totaled 178.5 million pounds, an increase of 25 percent from a year earlier.

Prices paid to growers averaged 70 cents per pound, up five cents from November 1984, the report said.



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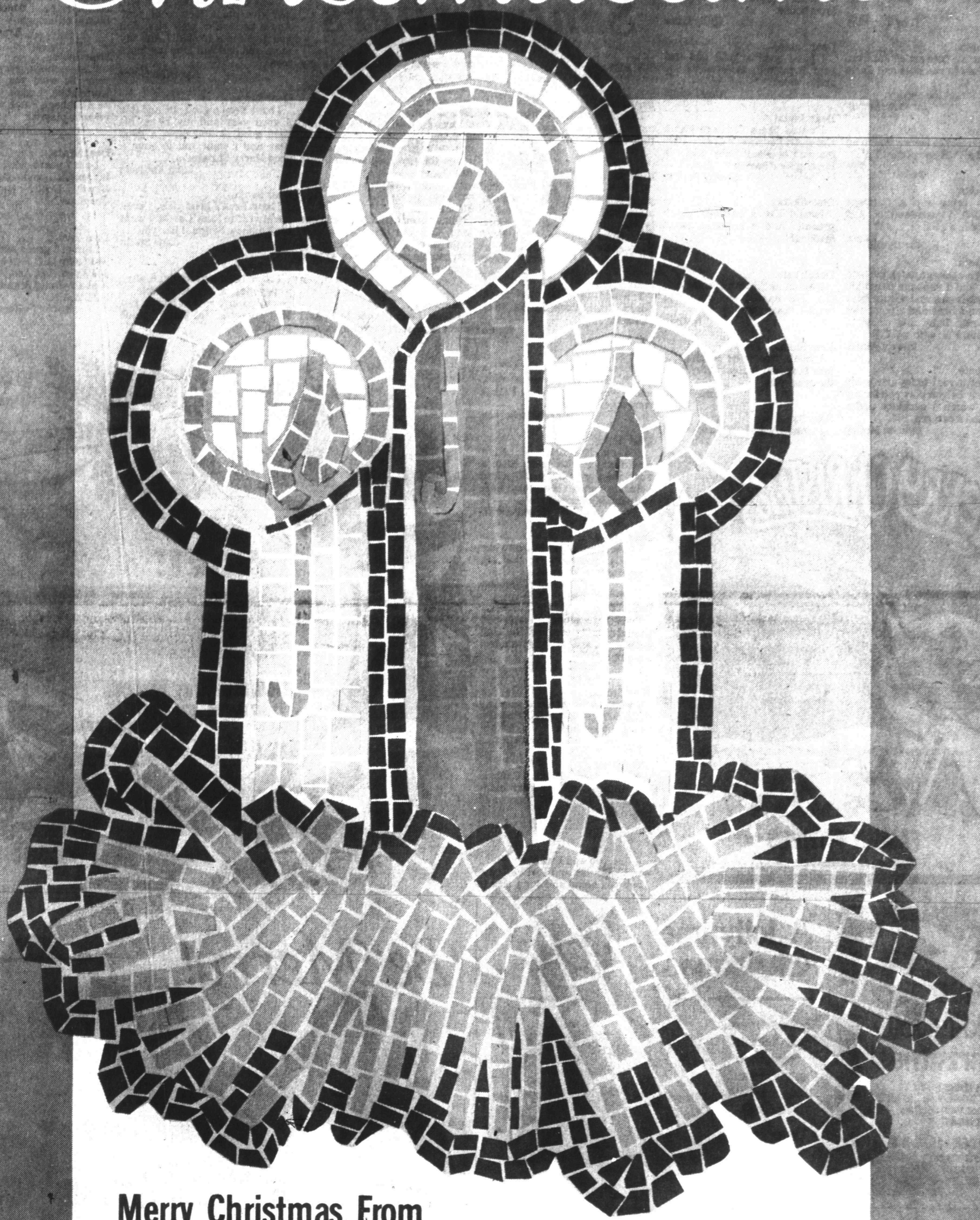

Merry Christmas From

The Snyder Daily News

Peter Gott, M.D.

DR. GOTT

Medication needs changing

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT — I was overmedicated with Inderal, and dry mouth and throat resulted. I have no saliva at all. Will pilocarpine help? Do you have any suggestions?

DEAR READER — Even small amounts of the beta-blocker Inderal can cause dry mouth. Ask your doctor to change you to another medicine, rather than having you try to overcome the side-effects of one medicine by using another. Chewing gum may stimulate saliva production. Remember that dry mouth may be caused by factors other than medication, so ask your doctor about this.

DEAR DR. GOTT — What is an IGE blood test for allergies? Is it more accurate than the scratch test?

DEAR READER — The disease-fighting proteins (globulins) in our bodies can be separated into groups: A, E, G, and so forth. By measuring immunoglobulin E (IGE), allergists can partially assess a person's allergic response, the way the patient reacts to substances that cause allergies.

On the other hand, by introducing tiny amounts of material into the skin and measuring the subsequent swelling and redness, an allergist can determine precisely what components the patient is reacting to. Therefore, the IGE test gives general information; skin testing provides more specific data. Both types of tests can be useful in evaluating an allergic patient.

DEAR DR. GOTT — I am a 29-year-old female. I recently found very unsightly broken veins on my thighs and ankles. What causes them? Is there anything I can do to make them go away or to prevent them?

DEAR READER — You seem to be describing a variety of varicose veins. The tendency to vein swelling may be inherited. Elastic stockings or supportive wrapping may help prevent further distension of the blood vessels. Elevation of the feet on a hassock or footstool (after work) may relieve pressure in the veins. If the condition progresses, you may have to consider surgical removal of the dilated veins, a procedure called venous stripping. Ask your doctor to keep an eye on the situation and advise you what to do.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My diaphragm has ballooned on the right side, pushing up into the bottom of my right lung. Do you know the cause and consequences, and is there anything that can be done for it? Could this be connected to the fact that, 10 years ago, I had a mastectomy on my right side?

DEAR READER — As we breathe, the broad, flat diaphragmatic muscles contract and suck air into the lungs. If one of the two diaphragm sheets does not contract, air will not enter one lung. Therefore, we need both diagphragms to function normally.

Ballooning of the diaphragm usually indicates that the muscle is not contracting. This could be due to congenital malformation. However, in adults, the disorder is usually caused by loss of nerve impulses to the muscle. The diaphragm doesn't contract because it is not stimulated; hence, it rises up instead of moving down with each breath.

I do not know why your diaphragm is malfunctioning; your doctor will need to order special tests to find out why such an important muscle is not working properly. If you had a mastectomy (breast removal) because of a growth, it is possible that during the past 10 years, the tumor may have regrown and is now interfering with the diaphragmatic nerves. Regardless of its cause, your condition certainly appears to need attention.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My brother, 66, is a severe diabetic with heart problems and bleeding, itching sores all over his body. He was under the care of a diabetic specialist in a clinic for six weeks last year, and in all of this time, his blood sugar level has never stabilized. I've heard that these sores are a rare type of shingles and that some kind of medication can help. Do you know of anything that we can use?

DEAR READER — Uncontrolled diabetes can cause an astounding array of skin problems, not the least of which is chronic (or recurrent) infection. I wouldn't presume to diagnose you brother's dermatological difficulty, but I am certain it will not come under control until his diabetes is regulated. If one diabetic specialist cannot help, try another — and keep trying until your brother's basic disease, diabetes, is in check.

DEAR DR. GOTT — I am a 29-year-old female. About a year ago I began to have involuntary muscle twitching, mostly in my leg calves and upper arms. It's like the "eye-twitching" almost everyone has experienced. My doctor told me not to worry. It's now more frequent, and I've noticed other problems: spots in my field of vision, poor balance, limb numbness and slowed reaction time. My doctor says it's stress. I'd like to get a second opinion, but don't know what type of specialist to see.

DEAR READER — Although some of your symptoms could be stress-related, the constellation of problems suggest to me that you need a thorough and careful neurological evaluation. Don't waste any time getting to a neurologist, an M.D. who specializes in diseases of the nervous system. If there is no neurologist in your community, make an appointment in the neurology clinic of the nearest university hospital.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My problem is a sluggish bowel. There's just no "oomph," as if nobody's home — no gas, no gurgling. Enemas and suppositories don't help. The only time I've had regular comfortable movements in the last three years is when I was on an antibiotic. When the medicine stopped, so did my bowels. I'm on medicine for high blood pressure and have had some abnormal bleeding. What ideas do you have about this? This is not the sort of problem TV shows are made about.

DEAR READER — Your unpleasant problem may be the result of intestinal hypomotility — a sluggish bowel. But I'm more intrigued by the possibility that the disorder may be the direct result of the high-blood-pressure medicine you are taking. Ask you doctor about this and request that he refer you to a gastroenterologist for definitive evaluation.

Send your questions to Dr. Gott in care of this newspaper at P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101. Due to volume of mail, individual questions cannot be answered. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns.

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Production of catfish has increased

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American catfish farmer is chalking up another corker of a year in terms of production, according the the latest figures by the Agriculture Department.

Production of farm-raised catfish in November was 14.8 million pounds, live weight, up 18 percent from November 1984, the department's Crop Reporting Board said.

In all, catfish production in the first 11 months of 1985 totaled 178.5 million pounds, an increase of 25 percent from a year earlier.

Prices paid to growers averaged 70 cents per pound, up five cents from November 1984, the report said.



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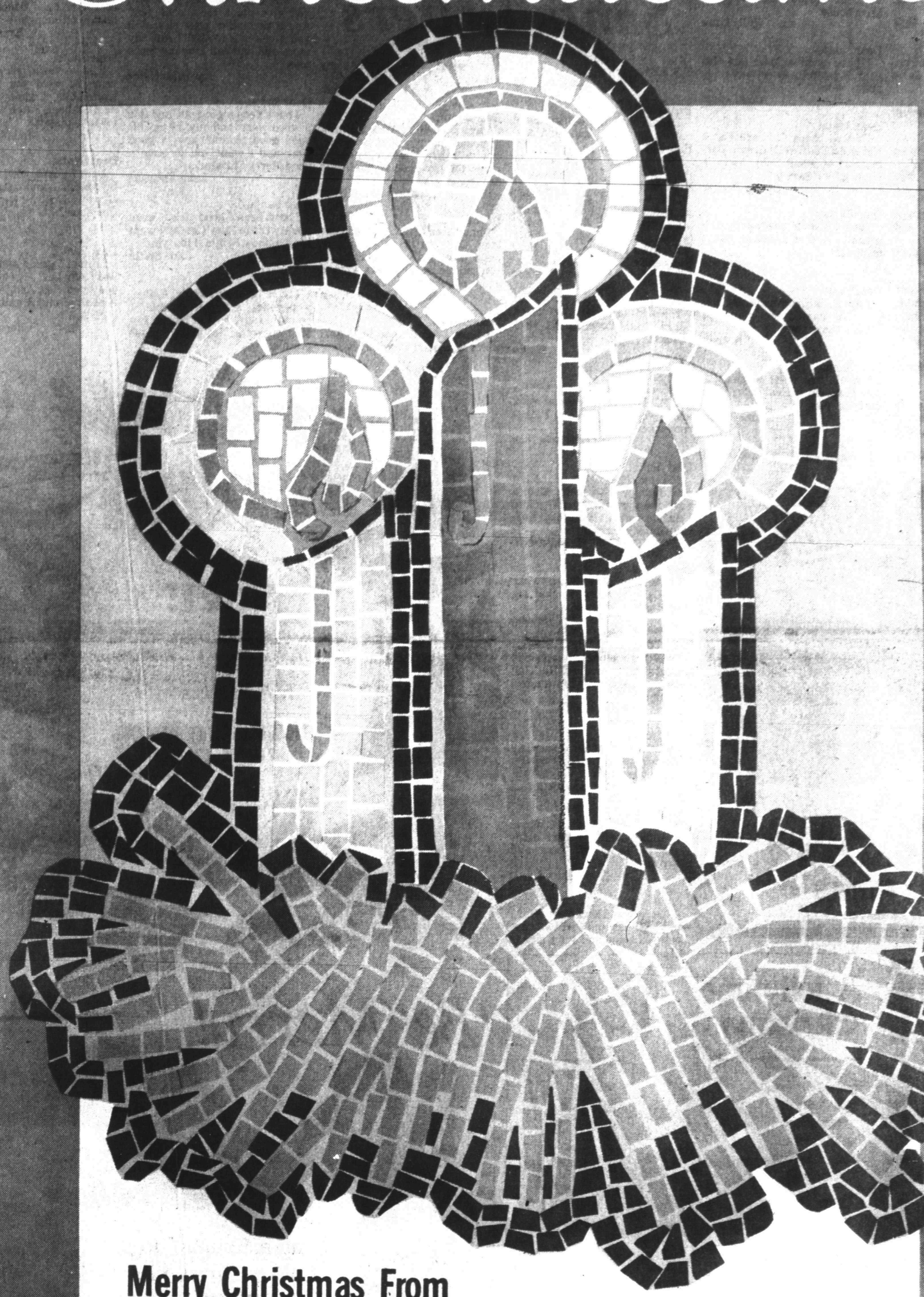
Christmastime



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SEASON'S Greetings with Santa Letters

Dear Santa,
I want a bike training wheels on it. Skates. Thank you
Love you
Jessica Carizales

Dear Santa,
I Would like a drum and a he man and a Beat Street tape and a 4-wheeler and a 50 motorcycle.
Love,
Peter

Dear Santa,
I want a four weeler a TV, HBO a cheer bear a VCR, soccer ball, plant a football, go bot, treeweeler sum pants, dog, clown.
Tony Terrazas

Dear Santa,
I want the hole set of VoLtron, Big set of Microscopes and Casio pocket T.V.
Don't forget the needey.
Jared McArthur

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Warm up suit and a VCR and pocket T.V.
Tye

Dear Santa,
Pleas bring me a Cabbage Patch Doll. A mouse suit too. And I have been a good girl.
Laura

Dear Santa,
Iwant a cabbage patch kid with a tooth and a cabbage patch kid with eyeglasses and a hugs bear and grams bear and a computer and a real baby and a hug a bunch and T.V. with a V.C.R.
Mendy Winter

Dear Santa,
I want a real baby and a my Littl pony baby a play pen for my dolls a watch a necklace and a purse and a camera.
Belinda McCoy

Dear Santa,
I want a toy that runs on a battery. Here it is ? A bigfoot and a bike and the Animal and zoo animals. And a train track. And a farm house.
Billy Luna

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. Bring me a sweet secret toy and a raido.
Amy Griggs

Dear Santa,
I would like a Cabbage Patch Kid and a Peaches 'n Cream Barbie and a Real Baby and a Loveng New Barbie.
Stacey Parker

Dear Santa,
Iwould like a cabbage patch preemie and a cabbage patch feeder set.
Cela

Dear Santa,
I would like a transformer and G.I. Joe named tan man and taseall. tanck you.
Nathan

Dear Santa,
I would like some earrings, a jam box, and a Real Baby with the eyes open.
Jami Brown

Dear Santa,
I want a V.C.R., a Strereo and T.V. SET.
Klayton Kelly

Dear Santa,
I would like a Baby-Brite, some more Chic jeans, and an Upsy-Baby. Thank-you.
Joylynn

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year, Would you please bring me a Hugga Bunch doll, Real baby, typewriter and desk. My little sister Kim wants a Sleepy Real Baby and a Hugga Bunch doll.
Carrie Walker

Dear Santa,
I would like the G.I. black board, Fright Zone, Rhino, Switchblade.
Kevin

Dear Santa,
I would like computer, a V.C.R., Thunder Punch he-man, and a vew other things. Please remember the needy.
Bryant Roberson

Dear Santa,
I would like a Hoppo and a pound puppy with spots. Also, a boy Preemie with a pacifier and a Barbie workout center and Earring And My Pony nursery.
Brandi Smith

Dear Santa,
I have been a bad boy all year long. Can you bring me that big trainsformer. And a bike.
Scott Williamson

Dear Santa,
I will like a glober a water-bed a unicorn and a picnic of Rudolph wil be fine. what i really want is a standupdoll.
Monica Harbin

Dear Santa,
I want a grams bear. ANd a My little pony. It is firefly. I need a pair of houseshoes.
Brooke Cozart

Dear Santa,
I love you and I want a Chubble and a stuffed puppy n kitty tennis Garfield, a paint pen and Starlite.
Ashley Lewis

Dear Santa,
I like you and I want my Baby sister a preset and I will allways Love you agine and I am nice to and I want you to come to my school.
Renee Lujan

Dear Santa,
I was good all year long, I want a pound puppy, and a white, orange Kitten please. and to mygs for my special mom and dad.
Rebecka Anne Grant

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. all year long. Can you bring me a cabbage patch kis witch glasses. If you can please let me know? And a pair of boots.
Selena Sutton

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. As I worte last year, I want a waterbed. And as for my little brother, he says "Toys."
Andy Overhulser

Dear Santa,
I was a good boy this year. Will you give me a picture of you? And a picture of your elfs. Will you give me a football? And my mom and dad will give me more toys.
Aaron McGuire

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl and it is a good year and my sister his been good to and have a good year and i want you to have a good Merry Christmas.
Lena Atkinson

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girls. I want the My Little Pony Castle. I want the Rainbow Bright. I like you.
Jana Smith

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I want a peaches n cream barbie, 2 pound puppy, barbie house, birbie corvette, cabbage patch premie.
Monica Roberson

Dear Santa,
you are some-thing special Santa. and I Love I been a special Girl aLL year. and I hope the most is I wash the the; love you to.
Lynn Graves

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I want a bicycle, skateboard. Are Christmas tree is in are living room.
Kami Brown

Dear Santa,
for Christmas i want just a few things I want a football and a computer but I donot thank I've been good enough.
Brandon Rollins

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. So wold you bring me a trampoline, I want you to bring ne a cabbage Patch with glasses. I want a playcat.
Melinda Heffernan

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. I would like 3 big goldfish. and a jam box and a Howdy Doody puppet. Mini-Crossbow.
Glenn

Dear Santa,
I am in 2 grade and I am nine I want sum G.I. Joes and Sum G.I. Joe's vehicles. And jambox and a Alabamatame A gader M.A.S.K. H.E.M.A.N.
Jeremy Lemons



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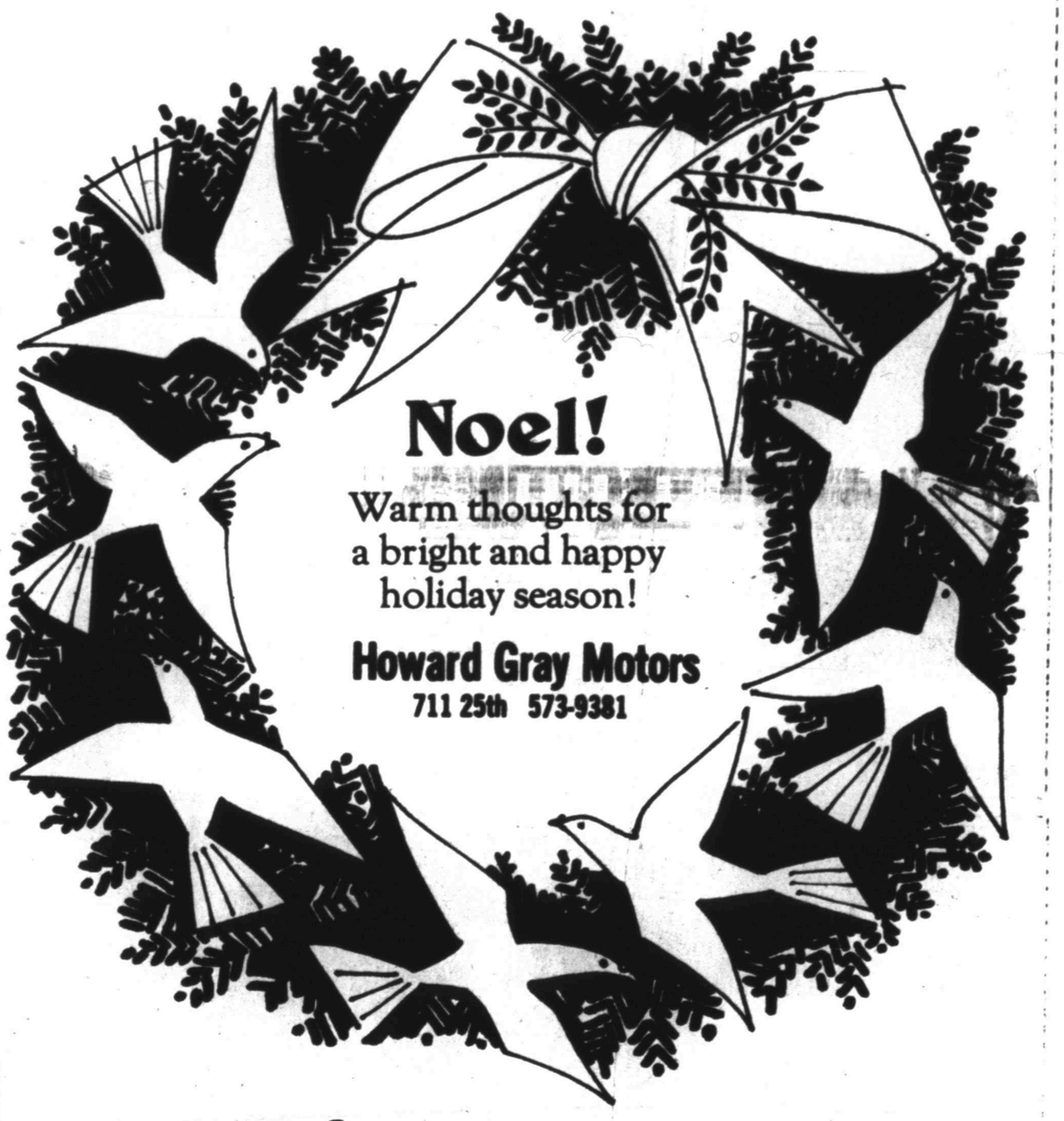
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Dear Santa,
I want a bike and a doll and a computer and a typewriter and a camera and a little Pony Snowboots.
BLanca Alfaro

Dear Santa,
I want a computer and a lamb and a 4-wheeler and a hunting knife.
Kevin

Dear Santa,
I want a pound puppy and a play clown for Christmas. My sister wants a Cabbage Patch doll. I hope your reindeer can pull the sleigh in the sky.
Justin Stribling

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie, clothes and Ken. My brother wants a Spider Web-Man, Karate Ki and a belt. I like Santa.
Rachel Orosco

Dear Santa,
I want a Cabbage Patch doll and Snoopy for Christmas. My brother wants a Care-Bear and He-Man.
Kate Odom

Dear Santa,
I am in third grade. I have been a good boy all year. I want a jambox, voltran, z matic cap, gun set, a Elvis Presley doll, and a stuffed wicket doll. I would also like a pretty dress for my mommy and a shot gun for my daddy. I have blind hair and I have a horse named goldy.
Merry Christmas
Love, Jason York

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl. Mrs. Sparlin has taught me how to do a whole bunch of things. I have long blonde hair. I love Christmas. I have my stocking ready for you. I will lay you out some cookies and milk. I want a Barbie doll exercise machine, some barbie dolls too. A tea set.
Merry Christmas. Love ya.
Holly Sanders

Dear Santa,
I'm a girl, I am in third grade. I have been a good girl. Santa this is what I want for christmas, a real baby doll, cabbage patch doll, get in shape girl stuff, make it and bake it, some new shoes, new dresses. Barbie clothes, and a tea party set.
C'Ella Clayton

Dear Santa,
I am a girl. I am nine years old and am in the third grade. I have brown hair and green eyes. I will be in New Mexico Christmas Day. This is the list of what I want for Christmas. A microwave, with mix, money, a new doll, chalk board with chalk, a new tooth where I lost one, another stocking full of candy and stuff, new clothes, skates, another microwave for my mom, a Higenbothams Bartlet certificate for a chicken feeder for my dad and for my brother something else casle Greyskull, and a new barbie dolls, computer, a new set of stuff like paints, chalk crayons too but most of all love. And a cabbage patch kid or preemie to every one who read this note Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Audrey

Dear Santa,
I am a boy I am nine years old. My name is David Perez. This year I want a remote control car, a train set and a computer.
David Perez

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a wooden train and a play house and one of Mrs. Sparlin's dogs, I like them. Most of all a whole bunch of USA Navy stuff. And a real plaine. Elvis Presley albums and tapes.
Christopher Paul Harris

Dear Santa,
I am almost nine years old. My name is Kari. All I want is an Apple 2-C and a curling iron with a brush on it and a cheer leading Kimberly.
Kari

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a good boy all year. I hope you will bring me a go-cart. I hope you bring my sister a little doll. Bring my little brother knight rider. Bring my mother a pretty dress. Bring my dad a shotgun and some bullets.
Mike Navejar

Dear Santa,
I have black hair and I have been a good boy. And wish you would bring me a 2020 shot gun, and a live puppy, and a dress for my mother. and a bb gun for my father.
David Yanez

Dear Santa,
Please give me something, I want a wall racer and a corke gun, and a jutbox and Mask rhino, and a color tv, a 2000 remote control robot and remote control lanbgene.
Jack Haley

Dear Santa,
I am nine years old. I have been a good boy. I want a ten speed, a stereo, a football and a nutcracker.
Jason Carroll

Dear Santa
I would like Snake Mountain, Boulder Hill play set, Dragonfly, XHH, Creepy Creatures, Beast Walker, and wicket stuffed animal.
Corey Chester

Dear Santa,
I would like Gobot, shoes, toys.

Dear Santa,
I would like race track and jam box.
Jay Ball

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a pellet gun, organ, and computer.
Chris Post

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a glove, jam box, and animal claw.
Scott Sanders

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a pellet gun and stero.
Heath Porter

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me an organ.
Gabriel Gutierez

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a cat, Barbie set, car, and clothes.
Rita Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I would like jam box, trap jaw, gobots.
Thomas Ramirez

Dear Santa,
I would like Atari, race track, jam box.
Chris Hams

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Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a machine gun and jambox.
Frank Alvarez

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a robot, tv, and a car.
Zeb Alexander

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a toy microwave & Cabbage Patch doll.
Deann Page

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a stero, cat, and computer.
April Wallace

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a cat q Barbie house and a car.
Tabitha Dunnam

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a Barbie set, doll, clothes and car.
Cathy Hoyle

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a machine gun, three wheeler, and a train.
Ricky Cornwell

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a toy car, bat and Barbie doll.
Rhea Hembree

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a bring a cat and telescope.
Cole Johnson

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. I have been good. For Christmas I would loke Carebear, Goldengirl Castle, Cabbage Patch Doll.
Brandy Roberge

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. I have been good. Fpr Christmas I would like tapes, bike, lunch box.
Jimmy Murphy

Dear Santa,
I am 6 years old. I have been good. I would like a kitten, a green down, a book.
Jamie Hillis

Dear Santa,
I am 6 years old. I have been good. For Christmas I would like phone, tv, radio.
Missy Ward

Dear Santa,
I am 6 years old. I have been good. For Christmas I would like a book, Carebear, Cabbage Patch Doll.

Dear Santa,
I would like a skeletor.
Eric Davis

Dear Santa,
I would like TV, ring, phone.
Maribeth Dillaha

Dear Santa,
I would like He-man, truck, car.
Tommy Rocha

Dear Santa,
I would like Cabbage Patch Doll, Bike, goldengirl Castle.
Candice Mills

Dear Santa,
I would like trampoline, jambox, swing set.
Lisha Leatherwood

Dear Santa,
I would like HeMan toys, baseball glove, hot rod.

Dear Santa,
I would like Bald-Cabbage Patch Kid, Goldengirl Castle.
Sha Marricle

Dear Santa Claus,
This year I would like to have a drieme set, a phone, a motore
Your friend
Jeremy Wells

Dear Santa,
I would like He man toy.
Nolan Lewis

Dear Santa,
I would like a bike.
Tywayne Rivers

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a computer, electric train, premie Cabbage Patch doll.
Hollye Ferris

Dear Santa,
I would like a ball, car, He-man toy.
Azhi Saleem

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Brite, a Hugh-a-Bunch that has purple hair, a rainbow care bear, and a Peach and cream Barbie doll. I want a Barbie doll with the house and a Barbie doll workout center.
Kristy Bollinger

Dear Santa,
I want a Love-a-lot Bear, some clothes for me, and a Hugh-a-bunch with pink hair.
Christine Ervin

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby First Born and some white diapers. I also want a purple blanket for my baby.
Kassie Drain

Dear Santa,
I want a Cabbage Patch, a baby bed, a bottle, a blanket, and a kitchen
Brandee Hand

Dear Santa,
I want Superman toys, He-man toys, Mask toys, and a boy Cabbage patch.
Bobby Burnett

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a mini moter-cycle and a robot that cleans up trash this year. I have been very good.
Your friend,
Kevin Mueller

Dear Santa Clause,
What I want for Christmas I do not think you can get for me. But I will tell you. I want a radio, alam clock and a jambox and 15 Cabbage Patch Kids. I hope you can get a lest one of these gifts.
Love,
Paige Gayle

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a cabbage patch kid (with pacifier), a pound puppy, a barbie and a alarm.
Love,
Melissa Garvin

P.M. I will leave some cookies and milk.

Dear Santa,
I would like a lasso, B.M.X. bike and a remote controll airplane.
Your Friend
Mark Bullard

Dear Santa Clause,
I want you to bring me a trapset, a jambox, a bike and a football
Your friend,
Marc Sparlin

Dear Santa,
Thank you for giving me what I wanted last year. Please give me what I want this year.
Love, Jessica Gray

Dear Santa Claus,
For Christmas I want a Pound Puppy and an Electric Train set and a Teddy Ruxpim.
Your friend,
Josh Palmer

Dear Santa
Santa I would like some rings and earrings to.
Love
Christie
Timmons

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I want a ten speed. I don't want a lot of candy. I loved what you gave me last year. I'm sure I'll love every thing you give me this year.
Love,
Jimmy Hall

I want a motercicle for Christamas because I live by some dirt rodes. I also want another cat. A girl one. My last wish is a trampulean
Love
Britt Kennedy

Dear Santa,
Thank you for everything you have gave me. I want a go cart for christmas this year and He-Man.
Your Friend,
Greg McAden

Dear Santa
Thank you for what I got last year. I want a cabbage patch kid and a three wheeler and a rock tumbler. I also whant jewlry and thats all.
Love You
Brooke Lowrance

Dear Santa,
I want a big monky with a dress on you can find one at the now shop in Ladack and I want some snowman earings to mach the pin I have.
love,
Ellen Strayhorn

Dear Santa,
This year on Christmas I want new vidio games like Frogger, Q-Burt, A camra (automatic) $10.00. Thank You.
Nathaniel Tolle

Dear Santa.
I have been a good girl. I want lots of toies for Christmas. Get me what you think is right. Thank you for the letter you sent me. I enjoyed it.
Yours
truely
Farrah

Dear Saint Nic.
I would like a My Little pony dream castle plus a skatboard better than the one I have.
Good Girl,
Lauri
Allen

Dear, Santa Cluase
I want skates and clothes for Christmas thank you for what you gave me last year.
Love,
Kandy Gard

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a new bed room suit. When you come to my house there will be some milk and cookies.
love,
Timmy Clark

Dear Santa Clause
This year for Cristmas I want a Cabbage Patch world travler and a Cabbage Patch with freckles or glasses. I also want a huge teddy bear and lots of other stuff.
Love, Kelly

Dear, Santa
This year I hope to get nice gifts. I won't some cloths and a few toys.
Your friend,
Reagan Key

Dear Santa, I want a augh Bear for Christmas.
Love,
Melissa
Myers

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a musical glow worm, a doll named Christina, a doctor kit, a Care Bear desk and chair set, a snow cone machine, a Hop-popopotamus, a Pound Puppy and a gun like the one I got at the fair.
Eric and Brooke Pruitt
P.S. I will leave you some milk and cookies and carrots for the reindeer.

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Pound Puppy for Christmas.
Beth Ann Richter

Santa Claus,
How are you feeling? How are your elves doing? Are you working hard Santa Claus? I watched your movie last night. My favorite part was when you did the super-duper looper and saved Joe and Patch.
I would like the "fright zone" for Christmas. I would also like a "glow worm" baby and a new sword. I would also like a Spidor.
Brian Grace

Dear Santa,
I wanta Barbie and a Barbie kitchen. I want some Barbie and Ken clothes. I also need some gloves.
Mandieig Heaton

Dear Santa,
I would like a real baby, clothes for my baby and a stroller.
Haley (at Stanfield)

Santa Claus,
I have been a very good boy. I want the animal claw and the mean machine. I want the Rhino truck and the drill sergent. The Bully too.
Chris Riley

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Santa Claus,
How are you? I am very excited about Christmas. Would you please bring me a BMX bicycle and a bald headed boy Cabbage Patch. I have been pretty good. Please remember my sister Amanda and my brother Brandon. Be careful.
Kelly Gentry.

Dear Santa,
I want a bike, army cloths and a new gun. I have tried to be a good boy this past year, so please remember this as you select my items. Please don't forget my two sisters--Christy will need some raddle toys and Cassie wants a kitchen. Christy will be here Christmas Eve. Santa, don't forget all the boys and girls at the state school. We all love you and will leave you a treat on the front door.
Jay Callaway

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control car with no strings so it can go farther. I also want a bicycle with training wheels.
Larry Brown

Santa Claus,
I have been good so please bring me a Jambox, a stuffed dog, a mash truck, a new shirt and a harmonica. I love you.
Sean Duncan

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a secret heart bear, exercise barbie doll and a get in shape girl. I have been a good girl.
Sarah Pierce

Santa Claus,
I want a b-b gun and a remote control car. Also I want a football suit. Please send me atari.
Love, Kyle

Santa Claus,
Please give me a gobot watch and I want a ring for my mom. For my dad, I want a computer. For my brother, he wants a radio. My other brother wants a bike. I want a real gun and a bike. My sister wants a barbie doll.
Paul Martinez

Dear Santa,
Please give me a video game. Give my dad a new tv set. Give my mother a Suburban and my brothers a remote control car.
Oliver Lee Vasquez

Santa Claus,
I would not mind a new bike with a red helmet. I would also like some gobots.
Michael Paul McQuerry

Dear Santa,
This Christmas, Santa, I wat a commodore b4 and some games for my commodore 1b. I want some gobots and a GI Joo airplane and the battleship. I would like a new football and soccerball and a new tee for my football.
Phillip Ratliff

Santa Claus,
Please get me a piano for Christmas and I want a whole bunch of amy grant tapes. For my mommy I want to get her some money to buy a new house in New York or Ohio. For my daddy, I want to buy him a new gray van with a tape player in the back and front. I want to buy my brother Tony a whole collection of gobots. I want to buy my brother Daniel a transformer.
Nancy Hernandez

Santa Claus,
I want a hat and some gloves. Please bring me a Dukes of Hazzard. And some men and women. I want a bike with red and black on it. And five trucks and six cars. That's it.
Alvin Koski

Santa Claus,
I want a race track. I want some hitops. I want a hacky sack. I want a train track. I want a Skeleto and he man and a castle. I want two battle cats.
Roland Morin

Dear Santa,
I want a stocking filled with candy. I want a Barbie doll. I want a candy cane. I want Snickers. Micheal Jackson glove. Rainbow Brite.
Linda Olivraez
Dear Santa,
I want a He-man set. I want a hacky sack. I want a hitops. I want a big foot. I want a go cart. I've been good.
Kevin Baker

Santa Claus,
I would like rhino the Mash truck. And a GhostBuster tape and a switchblade. The helicopter from the Mash set.
Richard Halford

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. I would like a Care Bear. And a Little Pony. And a Doll. And also Roller Skates.
Niki Claborn

Dear Santa,
I want a gobot for my brother and I want some bikes for my brothers and I want barbie dolls for my sister. I want a stove for my mom and I want a toolbox for my dad. I want a puppy for me.
Shon Villasano

Santa Claus,
I hope you are having a nice day at the North Pole. As for me, I am. I hope you bring me four gobots. And I hope you get me a he-man and the castle. I hope you get me this on Christmas Day.
Joel Salinas

Santa Claus,
I want a bike for Christmas. Then I want a gobot watch. I want a baseball bat. Then I want a Breakin cassette for Christmas. I want a gun for Christmas.
Juan Dominguez

Santa Claus,
Please give me a real three-wheeler on Christmas day. I want a gobot watch, a tv, a bike and some boots. I wold like a belt with my name on it, guns, grenades and a real pellet gun.
Chris Mills

Dear Santa,
What I would like for Christmas is a cowboy hat and a B.B. gun and some school clothes. And some transformers and some football stuff also a football. If I play football with my friends, I'll have the stuff. And have been waiting a long time for a waterbed and clubhouse. And I would like a lot of stuffed animals, some more books for my bookcase, a T.V. for my room, a computer, and some money because I am poor on money. All I have is pennies. And some more of indoor and outdoor games. I hope I don't overload your slay. I'm sure I didn't. And a merry Christmas to you.
Robert McDorman

Dear Santa Claus,
I like you! You have to come to our play. The play is called Symbols of Christmas. Here is my list: preemie crib, Garfield Doll, careset, jambox, puppy, Library Card, Sheera, clothes. So, that was my list. Can you make it snow? If so, make it. Please read this letter. I want to send you a card. Let me have your address.
Amy Carroll

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Please come to me and my little brother. I want tapes. My brother wants a little puppy.
Ronnie and Billie

Dear Santa Claws
How have you been? For Christmas I would like a bike and a small computer. Santa my mom wants a VCR. And my brother wants a truck and car.
Todd Goodlett

Dear Santa,
I want Lake Side flying Devils for me. A radio watch for my brother. I would like a bike for both of us to share. a collor for our dog. Leader One from the transformers. A suit for dad, and a ring for mom.
Mike Jaramillo

Dear Santa Claus,
Hi! Christmas is fun and I want a cabbage patch doll and a new shirt and pant set for Christmas. And for grandma I want a new dress and for grandpa I want a pair of pants. For my grandma and grandpa in Missouri I want a pair of pants and for grandma I want a dress. For Heather and Hidy I wnat a dress and a pair of 501 levis.
Alicia Souder

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you doing? I'm doing fine. My mom and dad want a new car. I want a three wheeler and my sister wants a cabbagepatch doll for Chritmas.
Bobby Egan

Dear Santa Claus,
This is what I want for Christmas. I want some clothes and a new doll and some boots. Merry Christmas.
Christy Torres

Dear Santa Claus,
For Christmas I want a ten speed bike. My grand mother wants a new coffee maker. My grad pa wants a new lawn mower. I hope you have a safe Christmas this year.
Billy Wayne Souder

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a T.V., a jambox, a bike, a transformer train track, a pair of shoes, clothes, and a remote control plane.
Clinton Garcia

Dear Santa,
I was wondring how cold it would be at the Northpole. Another thing, I would not want to live there. I do not know how you would stay warm. You must have heavy clothes to stay warm.
Eric Dean

Dear Santa Claus,
I want some robots and clothes for Christmas. My Mom wants a blue Suburban. My Dad wants a dulie, and also my two brothers can not make up their minds.
Thomas Henderson

Dear Santa Claue,
I have been a good girl.
I would like to have a new cabbage patch kid.
And a 4 wheeler.
A pony to ride.
And please bring my mom a dress.
Or maybe a new puppy or dog; girl.
And a whole lot more.
Shelley Renee Sharp
P.S And a cat; girl

Dear Santa,
I'm writing to tell you I've been half good and half bad and to tell you what I want for Christmas. The first thing I want for Christmas is a Cabbage Patch kid that is a boy, a jambox, and also a 3 wheeler.
Isabel Ybarra

Dear Santa Claus,
This is what I would like for Christmas. A new doll and some new clothes. And a new Jukebox.
Cyntia Insel

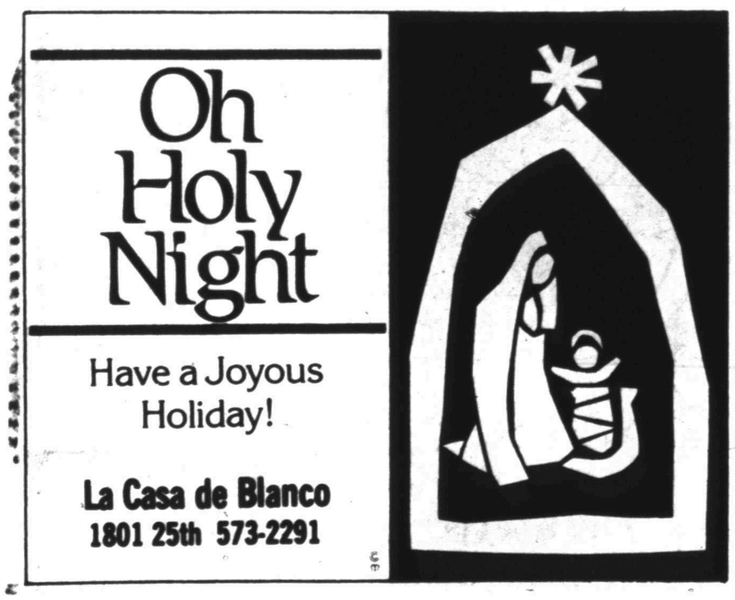
Dear Santa Claus,
I wnat a truch with a trailor. My family wants a new pickup or a car.
Billy Norman
P.S. We will leave you some milk.

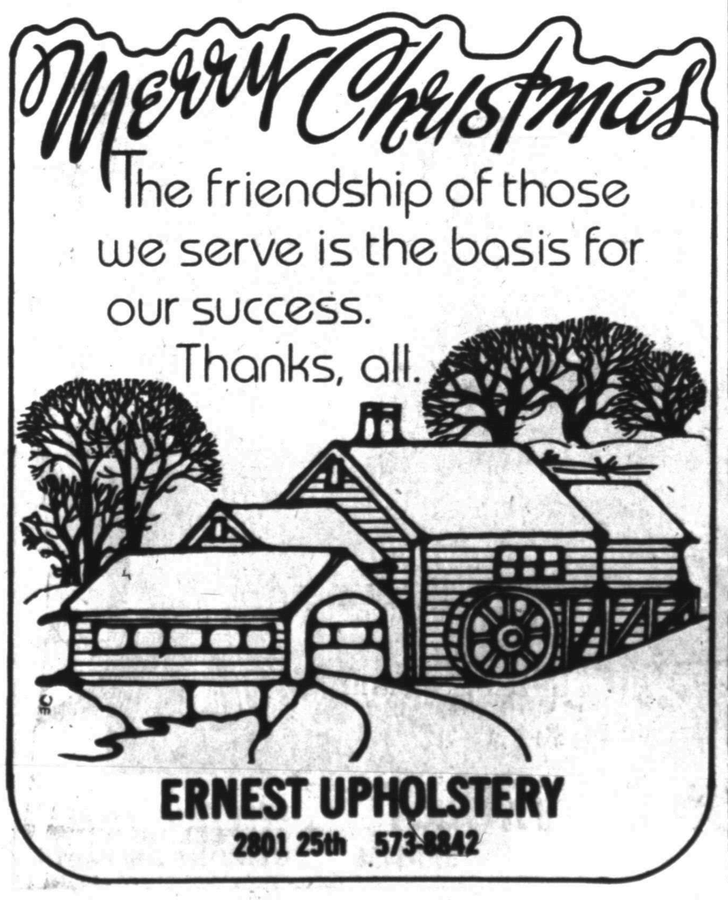
Dear Santa Claus,
Do you like peatnut butter cookies or chocolatechip cookies? I like peanut butter I would like to have some more wrestlers and a wrestling ring to fight with and a king kong trunk or a mean machine.
Jamey Frazier

Dear Santa,
I would like pieces for a train.
Christopher Brown









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We welcome in this holiday season with special appreciation to our faithful patrons. Wishing all the blessings to everyone. May the joy of Christmas remain with you throughout the year.
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Dear Santa Claus,
I'am just writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. I'am hoping to get the twin Cabbage Patch Kids and a lot of clothes and shoes and I want a dirt bike and my stocking full of fruit and candies and little toies. And a jambox well that's all I want, but this is all I'll put on here. I hope Sant Claus comes to my house.
P.S. I want the Cabbage Patch Kids with glasses and one with braces.
Amy Jill Garza

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a Baby Bright, Cabbage Patch horse and bicycle.
Shelley York

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a BB gun an box and bicycle.
Nathan Souder

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me Barbie furniture and Cabbage Patch doll.
Mel Gaddis

Dear Santa,
I hope I get three pairs of chic jeans and a jam box with tapes. And some shirts. With some Lee baggies and a Cabbage Patch Doll with glasses. And some ear rings and necklace. And a stuffed cat.
Sherri Strong

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a new bike and a Cabbage Patch kid, some new sweaters and a new blouse.
Valerie Pio

Dear Santa,
My name is Mae Marie Wyatt I'm 6 yeas old I'm very good for my mother ad dad. I want a new bike cause mine got swiped. a dollhouse for my wheebles a baby that swims and one with a stoller and clothes. I'll leave cookie and hot cocoa.
I love you
Mae

Dear Santa,
This year I want some clothes, a Jazz Trans Former, and a Evil Hord figur of He-Man that comes in a box.
Love
Ryan Hatter
P.S. Say hi to Mrs. and the raindeer!

Santa Claus,
I want a hug a bunch for Christmas and a pink bike too. I want a hug a bunch for my sister and a pink bike for my sister Christmas too.
Amanda Luera

Dear Santa,
I want a stuffed elphant and a cacy and shoes size 13 small. Please bring these.
Eva 3

Dear Santa,
I want a small pickup, socks and a shirt
Please bring these.
Flipe 2

Dear Santa,
I'm only 8 months old. so this is my first Christmas I don't know to much about toys but since its my first Christmas could you bring me a glow-worm.
Love
Amy Amanda Garcia

Dear Santa,
I want a small pair of shoes size 1 and a rocking horse small.

Dear Santa,
I want dear Santa to bring me a race car set. I have a little brother. His name is Blake Joshua I want a shuffletown train. I want some new Legos. I want to bake you some cookies ad leave them on the table. I want to put the Christmas tree in the kitchen. I was good this year.
Love
Bradley Grimmett

Dear Santa,
I want a backhole and a dumptruck a tractor whith a plow and a train sett a dart-board and dart sett.
Curt Rinehart

Dear Santa Clause,
Myname is Randy and I want an action racing set headquarters of skeltor and tyco super cliffhangers with glow in the dark.
Love you
Randy Hernandez

Hi Santa,
My name is Rosie Lee Ann Wyatt. I'm 2½ please leave me dolls dooks dishes and stuffed animals too. Please bring some nice things for my big sisters Sara and Mae their nice to me and they like toys a lot too.
Thank you,
Santa Claus
Hugs and kisses,
Rosie

Dear Santa Clause,
My name is Brooke and I am five years old. Santa I've been trying to be good but sometimes I can't help it so please understand. this is what I want if you can. Cabbage Patch baby, Wuzzle, Hugga-Bunch, Chubbles, a pretty dress, and Under cover bear, baby Big Bird, a Spot Lot doggie and a Travel bag.
Thank you,
Brooke Henderson

Dear Santa Clause,
My name is Jessica and I'm 8 months. And I have a sister named Laurie and a Brother named Randy. And there very nice to me. And since this is my first Christmas I want a Glow-worm and a Teddybear to keep me warm.
Love you,
Jessica Lanore Hernandez

Dear Santa Claus,
I'm 5 years old and I would like a playin table and a purse, a playin make-up set for Christmas.
I Love you,
April Ann Garcia

Dear Santa,
I want a pair of skates. and a new bicycle. and the make it and bake it oven and a three-wheeler that has a motor.
Love Kristi

Dear SAnta,
I want a pair of skates and a new bicycle. and the make and bake it oven. and a three-wheeler. that has a motor.
Love Cinnamon

Dear Santa Clause,
Please bring me a He-man Master of the Univers, I want some more 2600 Atari Tapes. I want to get mom a diamond ring.
I wat a Walkie Talkie. I want a trampalin.
I'll leave some cookies and milk on the table for you. I love you very much!
Clint Lewis

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a trampoline and a Walkie Talkie
I love you Santa.
And I want a bracelet for Mom. I'm 7 years old my name is Cody Lewis.
Love Cody

Dear Santa,
You can bring me some G.I. Joe man. Please bring me also some He Man's and cothes to wear. And also bring some thing for sister and mom and dad to.
I Love you,
Robbie Freeman

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Castle Grayskull and a Bedtime Bear for Christmas. Also, please bring my brother Ryan a new cowboy belt. Be sure to look on our table for some hot chocolate and cookes for you and your reindeer.
Love,
Brett Gibson

Dear Santa,
Bring me pretty barbie, get in shap girls. Baby-pony wuzzle pound puppy care bear puppy brite muppet babie.
Love
Alissa

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a new book, stinker (a He-man guy), and Teddy Ruxpin Bear.
Love
Ben Brown

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring me a Barbie Doll man with the wedding clothes and the fairy dolls.
Love,
Christina Bullard

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a blue bike, Big Wheels and Big Foot.
Love,
Sammy Garcia

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring me the man on the telephone that tells jokes, a brand new coat, a bean bag, a laughing dolly ad a mouse that crawls.
Love,
Candy Gonce

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring me a sirt and some jeans and a doll that walks.
Love,
Helen Huestis

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring my daddy a cordless telephone. I want some goldfish and Kasey the Robot that talks and one of those cook ovens that really cooks and one that sprinkles stuff and it turns out to be animals.
Love
Samantha Keller

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring me sme games and a stuffed kitten.
Love,
Amber Lyle

Dear Santa,
Pleae being me all the bad girls and al the good girls of Shera and all the hoses and ducks and stuff and the little guy.
Love,
Erin Maytubby

Dear Santa,
Please bring me my Real Baby, a big stroller, some tpes and a Glo-Worm.
Love,
Lisa McNair

Dear Santa Claus,
I' have been very good girl. I help my techer grade papers. I help other techers do things. Do you no what I want for christmas. I bet you don't. I want a trampolene.
Love,
Jolene Young


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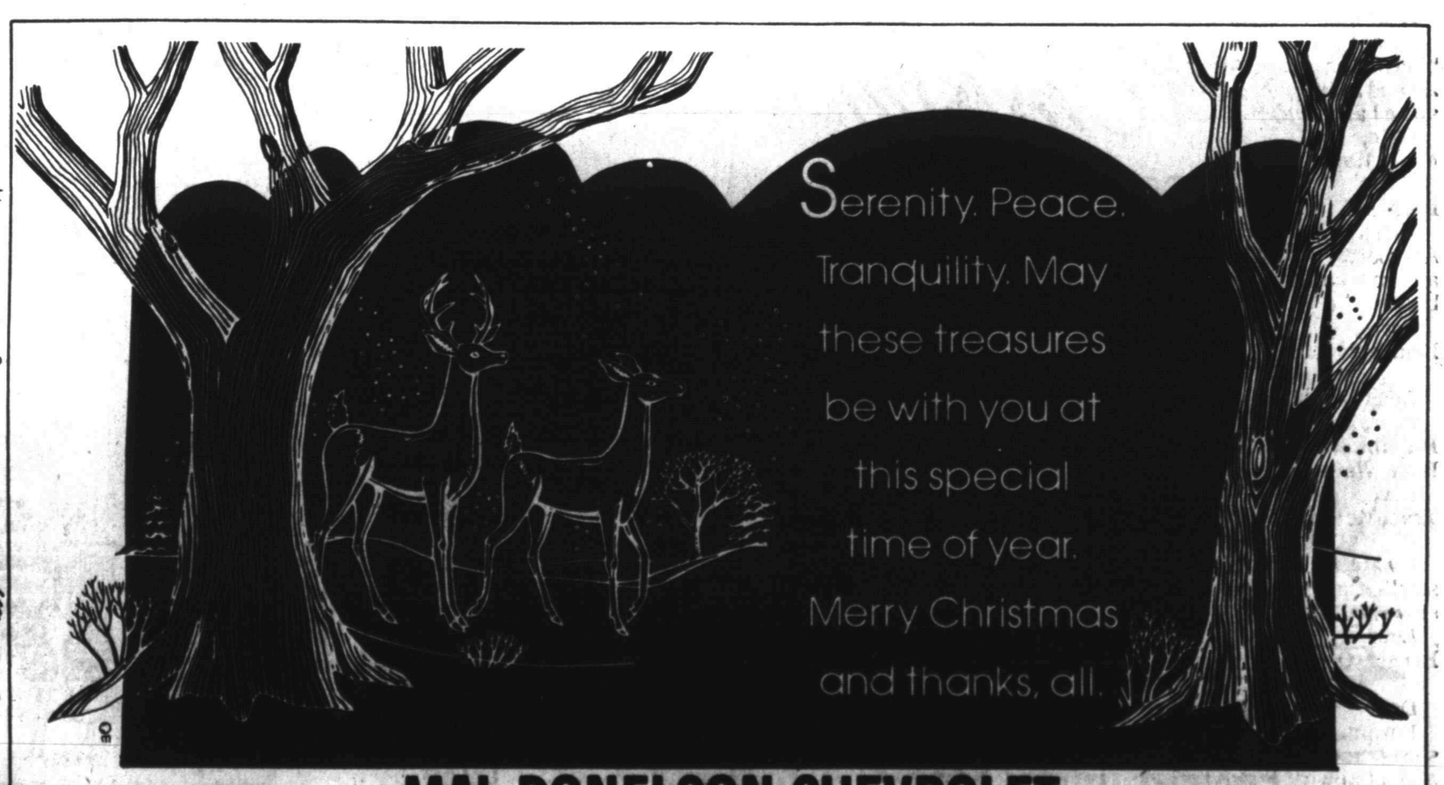
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Dear Santa,
Please bring me an electric car and a stomper.
Love
Matthew Preston

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll with a dress on with an elephant on the front of her and a big Mama or a Daddy monkey. It was in the mall in Lubbock in The Nail shop.
Love,
Carol Strayhorn

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring me a Speak Easy Robot and a tape recorder and a play tow truck.
Love
William Wood

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring me a bear that talks, a doll, a play horsie and a boy that's riding a horsie and a motorcycle.
Love,
Priscilla Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
Pleae bring me a Duster Buster and Adam.
Love,
Dustin Couch

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Crash-Up Car, a play gun, and a choo-choo train with a track.
Love,
Clay Berryman

Dear Santa Claus,
what I whant for christmas is some train track piecese and a snake mountain and a buddy and the animal and at is all.
Love,
Mat Powell

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a warter bed. I want a teddyrurspin. I want a dog. I want a watch. I want a Santa. I want some cloths. I want a swimming suit. I want some magnets. I want a camouflage. I want a robot eraser I ant a Christmas tree trampoline.
Love,
Tucker Tom Collier

Dear Santa Claus,
I wemt a bike and I went a bat and ball and a watch and a four wheel chard I went a dog and a cat and a Cabbage Patch and a trampoline and tape player and robot eraser.
Your frind,
Adrian Rodriguez

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Hugga Bunch and a preemie and carrier to. and a walker to thats all.
Love,
Amy Vaughan

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Teddy Ruxspin and a Barbie to and Ewalk.
Love, Vanessa Early

Dear Santa Claus,
I want Animl bumdelion and a crakup thank you.
your Frind
Ricky Prucella

Dear Santaclaus,
I want a pair of skates, and two cabbage patch kids and some barbie dolls pleas get me all thees thing.
Love,
Ericka Roedl

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a carebear and a Cabbage Patch and skates and a wuzzle and a preemie and a dollhouse and a barbie and real babby.
Love,
Misty May

Dear Santa Claus,
Will you bring me a carebear. And butter Bear and a watch and a barbie and her workshop and a bike.
Love,
Bridget moore

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a TV Barbie dall Hugabunch, Cabbage Patch Bear, Water bed and Sheersah.
Love,
Traci Murphy

I want a Cabbag Patch and a stroller and a Barbie doll bike to stove and a table.
Love,
Bernice Ozuna

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a barbie house and a stereo and a Cabbage Patch kid and a Cabbage Patch Kid book it is.
Love,
Angelica Vargas

Dear Santa Claus,
This is what I want for Christmas. I want tebby ruxspin and a three wheeler and a bike and I want a watch and I want the animal truck and a transformer and casey the robot and a walkme and thas what I want for Christmas
Love,
Carl Hickey

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Safetykit knife and also a Chinese Star and a Camouflage suit and a sword and I want motorcycle 23 and a Robot and owe more a pistol and red tapeplayer.
Love,
Chad Shelton

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Cabbage Patch and too dolls and a warterbed and a Barbiehouse and a stereo and a littlebed.
Love,
Amy Luera

Dear Santa,
I have been good. And I am very hape with what I got from you last year. Will you get me a Pound Puppy and Boy Preemie Cabbage And a Ted Rex Bear and a dog shirt.
Love,
Tonya Terry

Dear Santa,
How are you? Thank you for the presents last year. I want a Cabbage patch preemie, a bicycle a Kasy, a pound puppy, a Barbie house and a Barbie and Care Bear cousin.
Love, Angie Simpson
Oh, and I have Been A good Girl.

Dear Santa,
I love you and the whole world but there's ownly one thing we're missing and that's gifts but I can remeber the things last year they were great.
Love,
Jeremy Castillo

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Thank you for the toys from last year. I want a remote control airplane. Bring my big brother a remote control helicpoter.
Love,
Scott Upton

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am fine. I have been a good girl. I liked the presents I got last year. I wood lack a Cabbage Patch Preemie and a Pound Puppy.
Love,
Julie Lang

Dear Santa,
How have you been? Thank you for the gifts last year. Here's what I want for Christmas. I want a Motorcycle and Soccerball and a police car.
Love, Justin Locknane

Dear Santa,
How are you? thank you for the things last year. What I want is a T.V. and a Casye tape recorder and a He-man and Pound Puppy and Care Bear cousin and a Piano.
Love,
Jacob Crawford

Dear Santa,
I'm in second grade. I have been good. Can I have a Cabbage Patch and tape recorder and a go cart and tree, Care Bear Cousin, and some clothes and some shoes and gloves and Kasy tape recorder and a pound puppy and a Tv.
Love,
Melissa Davis

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the stuf that you gave me last year for Christmas.
I have been a good girl this year.
I want a Three Wheeler and a Cabbage Patch Kid and A Preemie Cabbage Patch.
I want A Ten speed and A Cabbage Patch Kid That rides a Bicycle.
Love,
Miranda Wilson

Dear Santa,
I wish you can bring me A Oven for my MoM.
And for my Dad A toolbox And for my sistr A Barbie set. And for my little sistr A Pound Puppy. fore my little bruther I want A He man And for me I want a Care Bear cousin.
Love,
Loretta Moreno

Dear Santa,
How have you been?
I want a Kasy. I want a cash register. I want a Go-cart. I want a 3 wheeler. I want a Fright Zone. I want a Motorcycle. I want a care Bear cousin. I want a pound Puppy. I have been good this year.
Love,
Brandon Wilson

Dear Santa,
I have been good. Thank you for the presents last year. I want a she-ra castle and she-ras house and casy, a bike and Baby care bear, and a watch.
Love,
Jennifer Gordon

Dear Santa,
I am 8. I am in the second grade. How are you. thank you for the pressant last year. I want a bike and heman and a Fright Zone and Helicopter and Go Cart and Three Wheeler.
Love,
Tommy Torres

Dear Santa,
What I want is a real puppy, pink an pretty Barbie, Care Bear cousin, Cash Register, Cabbage Patch preemie, bicycle, A gift for my mother and father, and a pound puppy.
Love,
Lisa Johnson

Dear Santa,
I am a boy. I am nine years old. I have been good. I have brown hair good teeth. I have brown eyes. I like you and I like toys. Here is a list of things I want a remote control car, and I want a gobots desk boy. I want some cars and some candy and one more thing a ted e. Bear.
Charlie Almanza
Merry Christmas
Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Please come to see me and my two sisters. I want some pretty new clothes.
Thank you dear Santa.
Don Herrera

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Please come to see me and my brother and my two sisters. I want a Bow and arrow.
Thank you,
Victor Hightower

Dear SAnta,
I've been a very good girl this year. I hope you and Mrs. Claus andyour elves and the reindeer are doing well. Will you please bring me a (sterio) (tent), (get in shape girl) and if you can (pound puppy).
Have a very Mary Chitmas.
P.S. There's some milk and pie near the fireplace.
Love,
Donnis McHaney

Dear Santa and Miss Santa,
I want a gobot. And I want a boulderhill. Then I want a Thunder-Hawk.
Love,
Joey Sanchez

For Santa,
To Santa will you bring me a Jam box and a Cabbage Patch and a Cabbage Patch gown.
Love Kelly Beck

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like to have Puncher He-Man Moss-Man Skeltor Spike-Or. Snake-Mountain, Casalle-Crakelle. Mask, Thunder-Hawk Rino and most of all the Fortress. A Stirio with 4 speakers and for my dad some tapes. And for mom a dress size 5 small.
From Cory Botts

Dear Santa,
Hope you have a MERRY CHRISTMAS. I have been good boy. Say hi to Mrs. Santa and I want a dart gun and switch blade mask, boulder hill mask.
From Jack Hudgins

Dear Santa,
I want a three-wheeler G.I. Joe Orbot.
Love,
Jimmy Digby

Santa Claus,
I would like a bike, and a doll. I want flash cards, notebook and a doll house. Santa I deserve these things because I do what my mom says and what Ray says.
Michelle Y. Carroll

Santa Claus,
I went to the Kmart and you were not there. My mom said that you were going to be there. Santa I miss you. I hope you come back. I want a toy and it is a truck.
Daniel Gutierrez

Dear Santa,
Hope you and the elfs are doing O.K. I have been a very good girl this year. Please bring some of thse things in the list. (get in shape- girl), (stero) (trampoline) (three wheeler) (four wheeler) (B-B gun) thank you very much don't bring all of these things. You and your elfs can pick out the things that are easy to mack.
P.S. Theres some cooks and milk on the table. Have a Happy Christmas.
Love,
Rebel Rainwater

Dear Santa,
Would you get me a Jam Box for Christmas and a bike and a game called operation? I have been a good boy. Would you get the toys for me please.
From Mickey Fuentez
Merry Christmas Santa!!

Dear Santa,
I have been very good girl this year.
So will you bring me something? I hope you ad Mrs. Santa have a happy Christmas. This is what I want:
Ear Muffs, New Moon boots, New clothes, trip to Ruidoso, Pound Puppy, Wuzzle, Sweet Secert, Sterio Telphone.
With Love,
Hearther Ward

Santa Claus,
I have been good. I help keep the animals warm. I help my dad at work one day. For Christmas I want a microscope, Castlegray skull, Pelet gun, tape casset with Am-Fm radio and tape, Clue the game, modle and rollerskates.
Daniel Sanders

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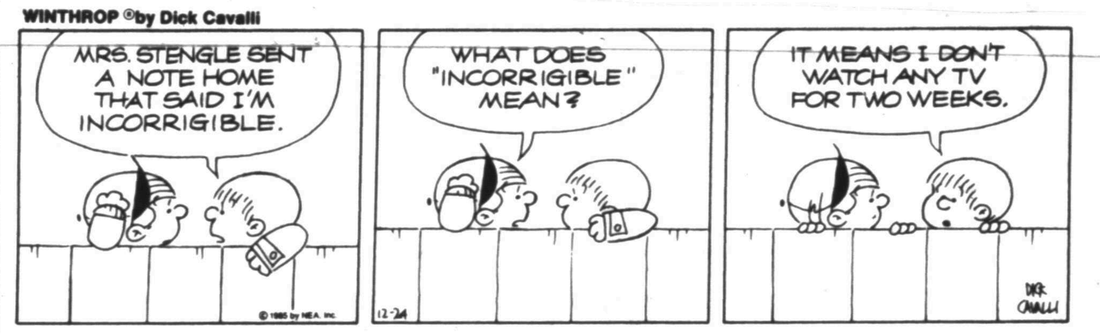

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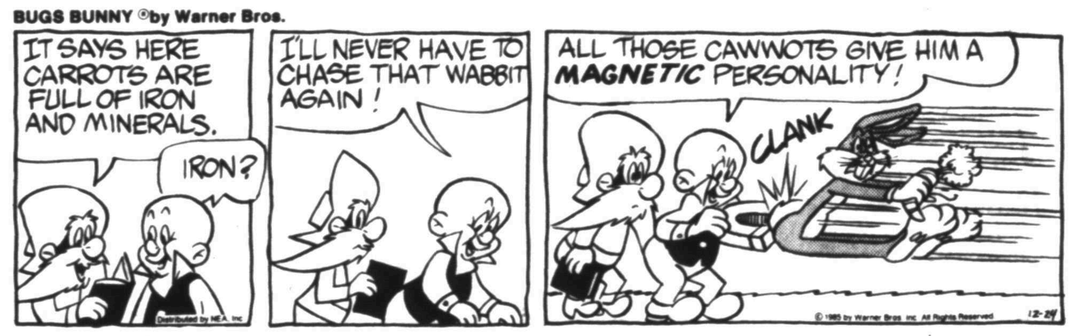

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PUZZLE

ACROSS

1 Objects of worship
6 Bohemian reformer
10 Deny
12 Olympic athlete Bruce ____
14 River in Texas
15 Provoke
16 Compass point
17 Novel
19 Javanese tree
20 Life jacket (2 wds.)
23 Feeble-minded person
26 Highest note
27 Swiss river
30 Wise king of Pylos
32 Actress ____ May
34 Chief ore of lead
35 Turned over
36 Chemical suffix
37 Spy group (abbr.)
39 Encounters
40 Inductance units
42 Israeli folk dance
45 Same (comb. form)
46 Hindu deity
49 Helpless
51 Western state
54 More insignificant
55 Out of bed
56 Locality
57 That is (Lat., 2 wds.)

DOWN

1 Hostels
2 God (Lat.)
3 Curved molding
4 Fond du ____, Wis.
5 Female saint (abbr.)
6 Curse
7 Full-length
8 Small sample of cloth
9 Bristle
11 Old slave
12 Gem merchant
13 Legal matter
18 Sheep
20 Small particle
21 Immediately (2 wds.)
22 Biblical dancer
23 Woman's name
24 College head
25 Small island
27 Wing (Fr.)
28 Dill seed
29 Cincinnati ball club
31 Monaco prince
33 Pub drinks
38 Art (Lat.)
40 Custom
41 Island off Scotland
42 Marching cadence
43 Burden
44 Hindu queen
46 Urn
47 Cooling drinks
48 Argot
50 Robert E. ____
52 Silkworm
53 Refer to (Lat., abbr.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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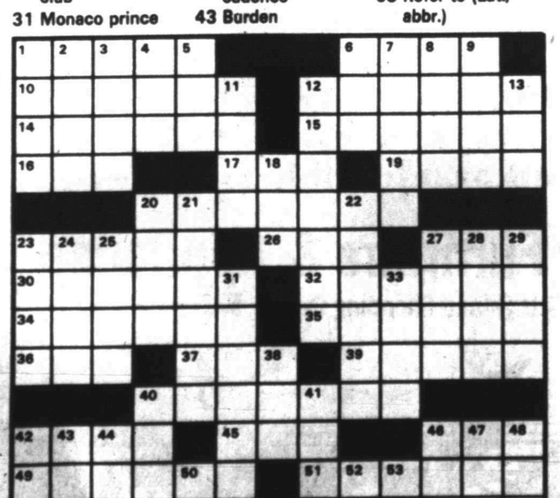

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LAFF-A-DAY



"To assemble this toy you will need a hammer, a pair of pliers, a screwdriver and most of the night."

DENNIS THE MENACE



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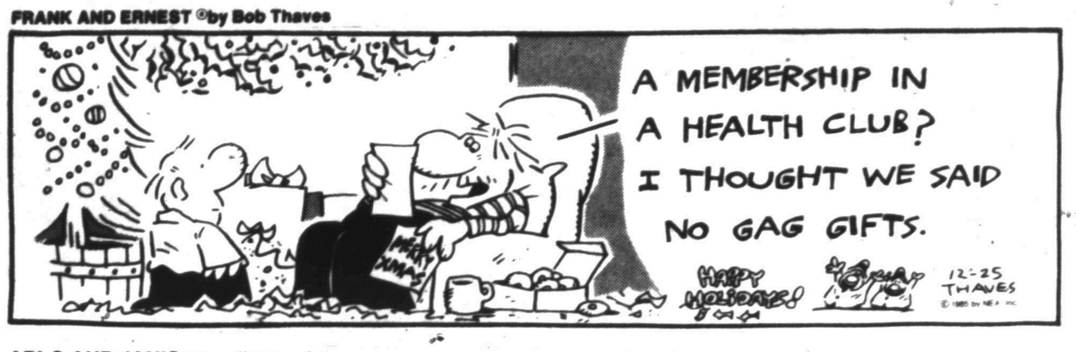

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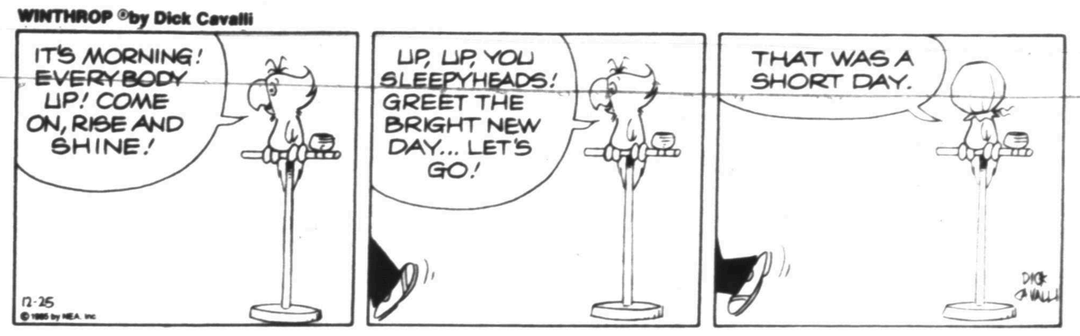

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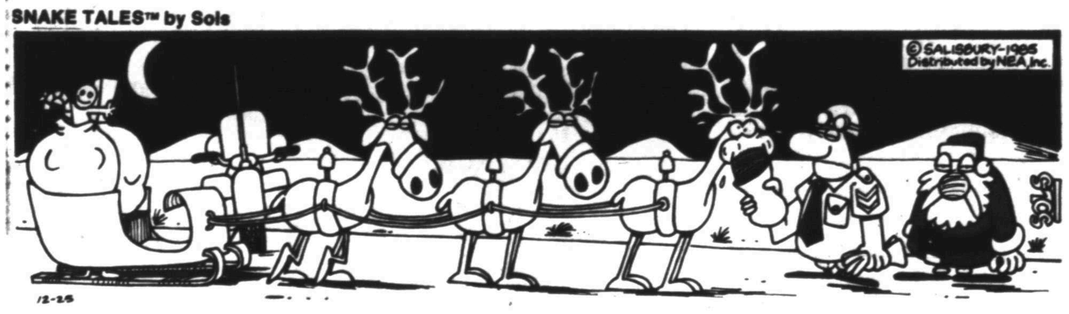

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PUZZLE NEA

ACROSS

1 Radiation measure
4 Target seeker
9 College cheer
12 Sidereal hour angle (abbr.)
13 Cotton fabric
14 Openings
15 Erich ____ Stroheim
16 Attu's neighbor
17 Indian unit of weight
18 Small person
20 Staunch
22 1550, Roman
24 Royal Scottish Academy (abbr.)
25 Weal
28 Native metal
30 Conduit
34 Garden tools
35 Mortar mixer
36 Dancer Bolger
37 Gone from home
38 Genetic material (abbr.)
39 Piece of merchandise
40 Lawyer (abbr.)
42 Consume
43 Bravos (Sp.)
44 Peculiar
46 Building wing
48 Whimper
51 Ancient Roman magistrate
55 Fled
56 Fish-eating mammal
60 Farm animal
61 Participle ending
62 Large sea duck
63 Actress Novak
64 Mao ____ tung
65 Property titles
66 Mrs., in Madrid (abbr.)

DOWN

1 Invitation response (abbr.)
2 Nautical cry
3 Mild expletive
4 Resin
5 3, Roman
6 First copies (abbr.)
7 BPOE member
8 Old silver coins of Spain
9 Blushing
10 Locale
11 Large barb of a feather
19 French women (abbr.)
21 Cereal grass
23 Reigned
24 Deduction
25 Horse command
26 Month (Fr.)
27 Latvian
29 Genus of frogs
31 Soviet river
32 Denude
33 Ogles
39 Upland plain
41 Over there
45 Deposited moisture
47 Gazes
48 Legal paper
49 ____ Christian Andersen
50 Author of "Picnic"
52 Irritates
53 Den
54 Jane Austen title
57 Hasten
58 Summer drink
59 Went before

Answer to Previous Puzzle

I	D	O	L	S				H	U	S	S			
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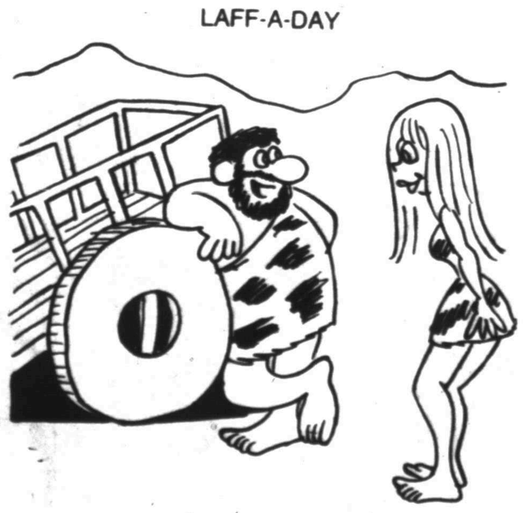

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"I got the idea for the wheel one day while eating a pizza."

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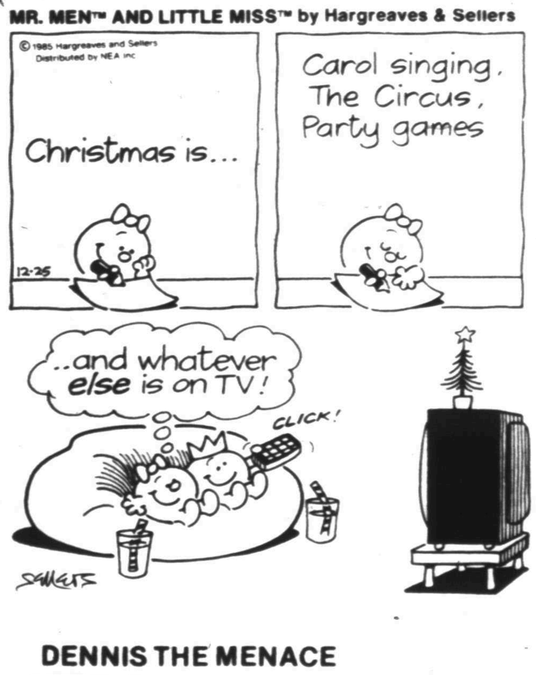

DENNIS THE MENACE



"I THINK YOU'D BETTER OPEN MY PRESENT TO YOU, MOM... IT'S CHEWIN' A HOLE IN THE BOX!"

Dear Santa,
I want some money. Buy me a toy, some candy, a coloring book, a reading book, some candy canes, and thats all.
Love, Frank (at North Elementary)

Dear Santa,
How are you? I want a racing track and King Kong. I want you to get my mom a clock.
Ricardo Canas

Dear Santa,
I want a book, a transformer, a car, a game, a teddy bear, a jacket, new shoes, a racing track, an airplane, a candle, some new colors, mittens, boots and a school box.
Isaac Maldonado

Santa Claus,
I want a doll and a watch. My mother wants a watch. My brother Aaron wants He-Man. My dad wants a record player.
Angel Keahey

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy, a dress for my mom and a play car. My dad wants a watch. I wanted to tell you "Hi."
Kathy Guerra

Dear Santa,
I want you to bring me a truck. My mother wants a blanket. My sister wants a bike. My other sister wants a ball.
Ricky Amador

Dear Santa,
I want a tiger, new truck, dumpster, red car and Superman for Christmas. My sister wants a doll. My other sister wants a Cabbage Patch doll. I hope you are well this Christmas.
John Armstrong

Dear Santa,
I want a water dealer, Knight Rider, car, army gun and a policeman gun for Christmas. Would you please bring my brother a car
Monte Beaver

Dear Santa,
I love you. How are you doing? I want a remote control car, a transformer, a Go-Bot, a Max and thats all. I hope you feel better.
Jarod Smith

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Pound Puppy, Pound puppy clothes, and a chipmunk tape.
Rylan Higgins

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. I am glad you are going to come see me. I want you to bring me a Big Bird computer, a motorcycle, a big wheel, dune buggy and a cowboy string. I want some boxing gloves too. So I can fight with my uncle. A race car and a sister baby. I'll leave you some cookies.
Jeremy Wright

Dear Santa,
I been good. My brother to clean up the room, I help clean up the hall. My brothers wants a telescope I want a game watch. I want a dart gun. I want roller skates.
Richie Campbell.

Dear Santa,
I ned a bb gun bcuse the cats are geting cold and get in the window and eat the food. I will ned a chemistry set and a microscope for disease of a rat. I will look.
Tommy Felay

Santa Claus,
My name is Nikolos McMillan. I am in second grade at West Elementary. I have tried to be good this year. Would you please bring me the GI Joe aircraft carrier, Cobra twins and a Jungle Hunt ATARI game.

Dear Santa,
My name is Jeremy Beard. I am in second grade at West Elementary. I have tried to be good this year. I would like a remote control car, and also a remote control airplane. and a go cart.

Dear Santa,
My name is Amber Longorio. Would you please bring me Cheer Bear, Rainbow Brite, Stuffed Baby girl Monkey.

Dear Santa,
My name is Phil Beasley. Would you please bring me a logging truck Nascar raceing set and a BB gun.

Dear Santa,
My name is Sallie Hatter. Would you please bring me an Americon Flag, $150 dollars and a jam box.

Dear Santa,
My name is Jeremy Griggs. Would you bring me a compond bow and a BB gun and a bike.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. There are many things I want and deserve. The thing I would like are, a baby My Little Pony, clothes for my Cabbage Patch Kid and a primie.
Tell Rudolph I said hi. I think Rudolph is the best reindeer. I like his song he made.
Amy Eicke

Dear Santa,
I think I have been pretty good this year. I know I might have got in a few fights with my brother. I want an Ussy Baby doll. And I think I want some miniature Cabbage Patch Strawberry shortcake, Getalong gang and Herself the elf figures. I think you could give my grandmother a cordless phone. You see I want a barby doll house. I think you should rely bring my grandmother that cordless phone.
Robyn Hornsberger

Dear Saint Nick,
This Christmas I want a Gocart and Thunder Punch Heman. My brother wants a Army suit and a Thunder Punch Heman too. My brother and I have been good Santa. Santa, I hope you have a happy Christmas.
Kyle Strickland

Santa Claus,
I would like a model airplane set and car set. Because I have been good. I would like a new transformer toy and a He-Man figure. Because I have not argued with my brother in a while. I have one question. How are your raindeer?
Jim Forshee

Dear Saint Nick,
How are you and Mrs. Claus? I have been portley nice. My brother has been portely bad. I want a 900 power microscope with a viewer. Oh don't forget the frog egg and the tappole set and the plant set and the make it your self lenses. I go to school at East Elem. I hope you have a nice Christmas.
Kyle Lewis

Dear Santa,
Santa I think you are nice. I would like to have some brown boots size 13. Why? because I obey my mother. I would like a Care bear and clothes. Please get two B-B guns for Eddie and Adrian for Christmas. We all love you.
Becky Rodriquez

Dear Santa,
My name is William Coy Smith. I am writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. What I want is a pellet gun. a remote contrell Robet, Ten feet tall, a soword lik He Mans made of steel, a Survial Knife with a carnaf losh hoser a train race track, a remote contrell Big Foot, a Dirt bike, a ten speed, a deer gun, a tether balla, carnaflosh pants and tee shirt, a Mask gator.
Love William

Dear Santa,
I want to have Day-to-Night Barbie Set and a Barbie Dream Bed and Dream Time Barbie. And all so I want a Barbie Dream Kitchen Set and allso I want a Barbie Glamour Home and a Barbie Silver Vette. And a Barbie Spectacular Fashion. And a Day-to-Night Ken. And a Day-to-Night Barbie Dolls. And a Baby Brite Doll. and I want the Heart Family. Meet the Heart Family Mom, Dad and the twins. And I want a Baby Kickie Doll. And I want a Princess of Power Figures Shera and Catro and Angella and Glimmer and Bow. I want a Shera and Swift Wind and Catra and Storm. She-ra's Crystal Castle. I want a Upsi baby. And I want two girl Cabbage Kids. And my first Barbie.
I liked the things that you gave me last year. And I've been a good girl.
I love you Santa,
from your best friend,
Dawn Crowder

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. Please bring me a doll and a big wheel. My little sister Katie would like a dolla nd a toy-box. She has been good too. Merry Christmas. Tell your reindeers Hi.
Love,
Laurie & Katie Kerley

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Shawndalyn Callaway, I am 9 years old. I have been very good this year. I would like it if you would bring me Get in shape Girls, and a Cassette-Player. Would you bring me Barbie Stuff. Thank you for what you brought me last year.
We will leave some cookies and milk.
Thanks & Love,
Shawndalyn Callaway
P.S. Would you bring me a real live puppy, and some Cabbage Patch clothes for a boy.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Caleb CAllaway, I am 4 yrs. old. I have been a fairly good boy this year. I would like it if you could bring me a My Buddy Doll, a Knight Rider gun. A Knight Rider Bicycle and some G.I. Joe Action figures. Thank you for what you brought me last year.
We will leave some cookies and milk.
Thanks & Love,
Caleb Callaway

Dear Santa,
My name is Sheena Callaway, I am 2 yrs. and 9 mths old. I have been a pretty good girl this year. Would you please bring me a Real Baby or a My Buddy Doll, either one will be fine. Also some Cabbage patch clothes for my Preemie.
Thanks for what I got last year. We will leave milk and cookies.
Thanks and Love,
Sheena Callaway

Dear Santa,
Please bring me some barbie dolls, barbie clothes, stickers, candy, a sewing kit a play sewing machine, my little ponys, cabbage patch doll, books, jewlry, jewlry box, family of heart, care bears, play make-up rainbow brite doll and herhorse, princess of power dolls and the horse. Well that's all. It's a lot but you don't have to give me all of it. How are you doing? How is Mrs. Santa Claus? How are your reindeer? I've be a good girl this year. My family and I are doing fine. We're going to leave out some cookies and milk. So be sure to eat some. Well I hope you have a nice trip. Be careful, ok.
Love,
Susan Marie Freeman

Dear Santa,
My name is Denise Tovar. Would you please bring me baby Santa, a red dress, a doll fairy.

Dear Santa,
My name is Beau McLeod. Would you please bring me. He man, Football, Key car.

Santa Claus,
My name is Adrienne Bailey. Would you please bring me a robot, a cassette player and a big baby doll.

Dear Santa,
My name is Banyan Winkler. Would you please bring me a real dog, puppy brite and a key car.

Dear Santa,
My name is Harper Buchanan. Would you please bring me a G.I. Joe, Bandset, and a computer.

Santa Claus,
My name is Stacie Grice. Would you bring me a piano, a babybrite, a bike. My big sister wants a 10 speed my little sister wants a stero.

Dear Santa,
My name is Alma Carrizales. Would you bring me a doll, bicycle and a play house.

Santa Claus,
My name is Preston Smith. Would you please bring me a motorcycle, remote control truck and a TV set.

Dear Santa,
My name is Waylon Wilcox. Would you please bring me a Walkie-Talkie, Drum set, 37 key Electric Organ.

Santa Claus,
My name is Lindse Gordy. Would you please bring me a long car set, and a car four wheel.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kayla Drain. Would you please bring me a Baby First Born, a Baby Girlla Monkey, a Diaper Bag, a infant seat, Diapers, Get in Shape.

O Come Let Us Adore Him
May peace on earth and good will to all mankind prevail as we celebrate the miracle of Christmas.
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In the joyous Christmas spirit, we extend our greetings to those whose friendship we value so much.
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1909 40th 573-5341

Greetings
Here's hoping that the season delivers Christmas joy to you and yours!
Snyder Motor Inc.
E. 1601 E. Hwy. 573-1766

Dear Santa,
I want a Rainbow Brite baby, a Make and Bake and a Rainbow Brite puppy dog.
Misty Williams

Dear Santa,
My name is Beth Murray. Would you bring me a doll, bicycle tire, puppy and my brother wants a pound puppy.

Santa Claus,
My name is Brock Gard. Please bring me a 16 garge gun, a remote control car, a teddy bear.

Dear Santa,
My name is J.J. Self. Would you please bring me a toy tractor, and a toy helicopter, and a bicycle.

Santa Claus,
My name is Melissa Bredemeyer. Would you please bring me a typewriter, bicycle horn, a real calculator.

Dear Santa,
I want some Transformer houseshoes, a pound puppy, and a Snake Mountain.
Chris Halbert

Dear Santa,
I want a Castl Grayskull, a Snake Mountain, a Spidor. Get sister a She-Ra, a Barbie doll, and an orange cup she can drink out of. I love you Santie Claus.
Eric Hill

Santa Claus,
I want some play animals on wheels, a 4 by 4, and a Stomper. Come down to Snyder to see me cause I've moved.
Joey Smith

Dear Santa,
I want houseshoes, and a Rainbow Brite, and a Rainbow Brite house. I love you.
Jenny Pounds

Dear Santa,
I sure want a B-B gun, and a play gun and a play knife. How are you?
Eldon Scott

Santa Claus,
I want a Hugga-Bunch, a pair of gloves and a hat. Have a good trip to my house.
Veronica Block

Santa Claus,
I want a She-Ra and her castle, and her horse, Swift Wind. I love you.
Monica Blume

Dear Santa,
I want some new clothes, and some new shoes, and a game. Love.
Melissa Pratt

Dear Santa,
I'd like a diamond and pearl ring, and a new comb. And I would really like a gold fish.
Wade Yearwood

Dear Santa,
I want a Poochie Purse, a Poochie diary, and My little Pony baby nursery.
Jenise Judah

Dear Santa,
I want one of them Upsy Babies, and I want one of them baskets you put on your bike, and I want a necklace that has a Care Bear on it.
Kelly Brown

Dear Santa,
Well, I want a new football, as I've been playing this fall, a new record player and a new tape recorder.
John Border
P.S., my brother might like a toy car and a play gun and holster set.

Santa Claus,
I want a Bashasorus, and Castle Grayskull, and Fisto. I love you Santa.
Steven Powell

Dear Santa,
I want a Rainbow Brite, a Raggedy Ann, and a Barbie house. I would also like some new clothes. I've been good.
Mandy Shelton

Dear Santa,
I want a He-Man , a Skeletor, and Battle Cat and Panthor, and a Castle Grayskull. Thank you.
Ricky Luna

Dear Santa,
I love you! Please bring me a Snake Mountain, a Castle Grayskull, and some new clothes.
Pete Olivarez

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie, and a Sleepy-Real Baby, and a Hugga-Bunch. Thank You Santa. My daddy needs some new gloves and mommy needs some new clothes.
Amanda Scott

Santa Claus,
I want new shoes, new doll, and some new clothes. I love you very much.
Carla Norwood

Santa Claus,
I want a play house, Snyder hat with a phone on top, and ice skates. I will have milk and cookies for you. I love you.
Casey Doyle

Dear Santa,
I want a She-Ra, her horse, and house. I hope you like my milk and cookies. I love you and have a very Merry Christmas.
Shandy Killoms

Dear Santa,
I want a Battle Armour He-Man, and a pair of new Tranformer pajamas. Please bring my brother, Jonathan, a blue firetruck.
Michael Hensley

Dear Santa,
I want a Upsy-Baby, Coke machine, and doll things. Merry Christmas to you and your Mother.
Daysha Weaver

Dear Santa,
I want a pair of roller skates, new clothes and Rainbow Brite doll. I love you
Cindy Manier

Dear Santa,
I want some He-Man things. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.
Chad Wright

Santa Claus,
I want a jackhamer, pool table, and some new clothes. I will have you some cookies and my house. Thank you for all the things. See you soon.
Todd Hall

Santa Claus,
I want a blue bike, new car, and baseball. I have been very good. Please come to my house. I love you.
P.J. Cooley

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie doll, a small chalkboard, and a cash register.
Jennifer Seabourn

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a stuffed animal that is a bear.
Tyrel Sterling

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Karate Suit, a gun, and a wagon.
Jeffery Beights

Dear Santa,
I want a bicycle, a toy, and a reading book.
Rusty Epling

Dear Santa,
I want a black bike, football, and some new snow boots. I have some good cookies for you. I love you.
David Drum

Santa Claus,
Will you bring me a go cart and a motorcycle? One more thing. Do you know what that is? It is a commadore 64. My big sister's name is Brandy Word. She wants a telphone. My moms name is Debbie. She wants some jewelry. My dad wants a 128 computer.
Bryan Word

Dear Santa,
You are very sweet and nice. My mother wants some jewelry. Please get my dad more money. I want some candy in my stocking. My brother and sister want to move. My sister, my brother and I have been nice. I will leave you some milk and cookies.
Angela Cooley

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year Santa. I want a pound puppy and a trampoline, and a bike, and a brithday bear, and a small pool table.
Jodi White

Dear Santa,
I want Teddy-Rocks bear (a talking bear).
Angela Bollinger

Dear Santa,
I want a motocycle, a remote control car, some legos, a skeletor with Snake Mountain, and a He-man with his car. I also want a Go Bot.
David Smith

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I want a doll for Christmas
Scarlett Towery

Dear Santa,
I love you you are a very good man
Joey Shelton

Dear Santa,
I want some toys, some crayons, and a coloring book. I want a big box of colors with globs of colors in it. I also want two necklaces like Kassie's.
Tammy Garcia

Dear Santa,
I have been nice to girls. I want some new boots and a rifle and a picture of Stanta Claus.
Jeffrey Levens



Sing we now of Christmas in praise of all our blessings. May love, hope and peace prevail in our hearts and minds as we wish you a joyous day.

In appreciation of the very pleasant association we enjoy with you.

Hair Haven
Jackie Nail, Betty Hildreth, Tammy Milton, Frankie Estep

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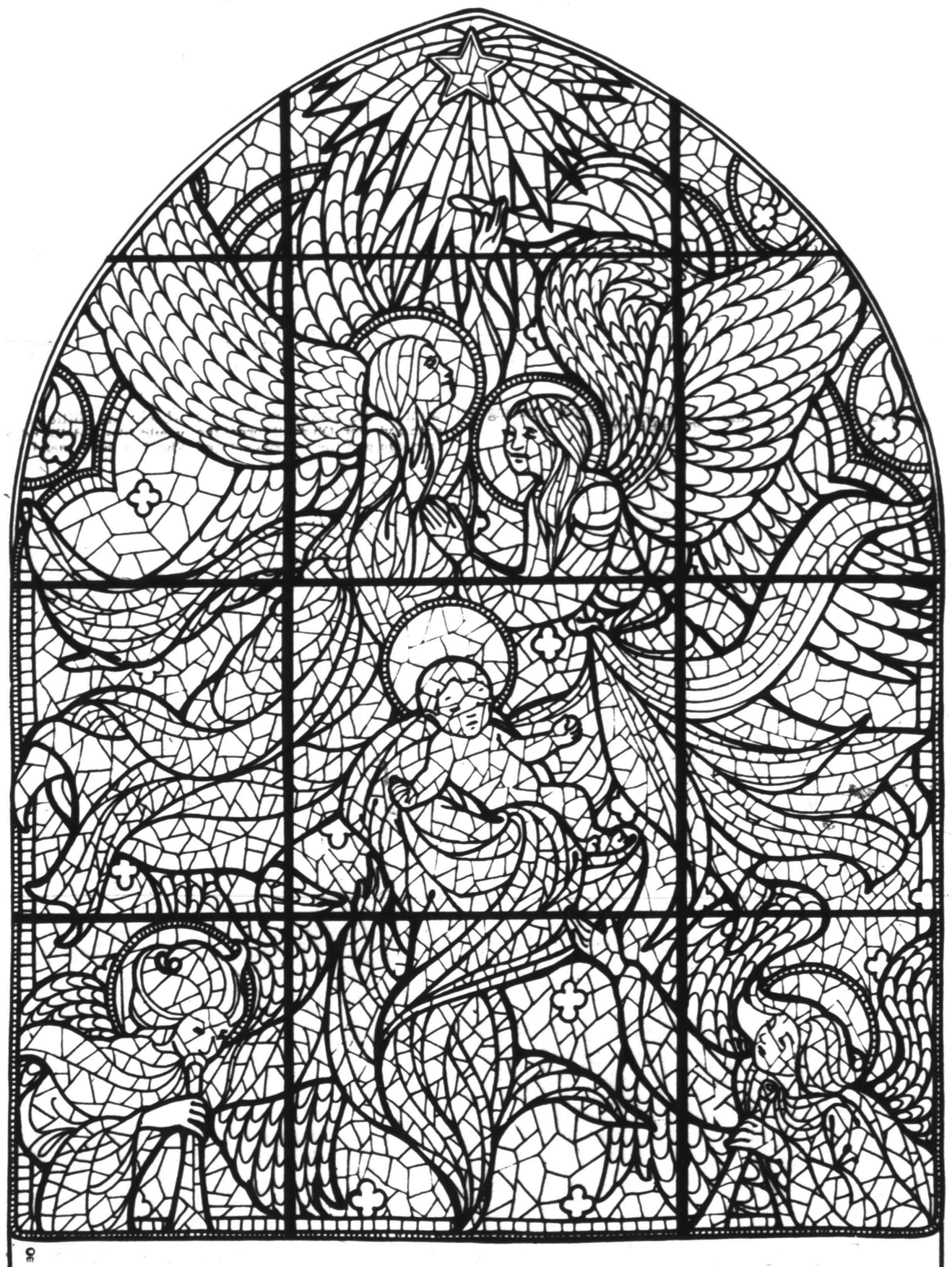

May all the colorful sights and sounds of this holy time of year make your day all the more special as you celebrate with those you love. Heartfelt wishes for a wonderful Christmas season to our kind friends.

holiday blessings to all!

WEST TEXAS STATE BANK

1901 26th Member F.D.I.C. 573-5441

Dear Santa,
I want a He-man. I want a battle cat g i joe Ive been very good. traier Teddy Ruxpin I litopsa BB gun
Robert Whatern

Dear Santa,
I want a Rain bow Brite Baby Brite and Upsy Baby Star Lite Teddyrux pin wuzzles carebear cousin. radio baby with a bonoll. I've been good. Barbie
Sherry Finnegan

Dear Santa,
I want a Rainbow Brite
I want a Barbie
I want a upsy baby
I want a starlite
I been good
I want a get in shape girl
Jessica Gomez

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie
I been good to day
I live in Avenwe G
I have a white and green house
I want a stocking full of candy
Consuelo Salinas

Dear Santa,
I want a baby Brite.
I want a sock of candy.
I want a starLite.
I want a big Cabbage Patch kid.
I want a carebear.
I've been good.
Michelle Garza

Dear Santa,
I want a get in shape girl I want a car for my mom
I want a He man
I want a BB gun for Granpa
I want a Barbie
I've been good
Christy Castillo

Dear Santa,
I want a new beke and a train set and a game.
I been good.
in I want a optimist prime. and I'll lave milk and cook for you
Anthony Martinez

Dear Santa,
I want a bike.
I want a raieinbow brite.
I want a cabbage path kid.
I want a sock of candy.
I want a real baby.
I been good.
Jennifer Luna

Dear Santa,
I want He-man and battle cat. I been good.
I want a train track and hitops.
I want a Skeletor and his cat to and the castle of gray skull.
I want stockings of candys.
Jessie Carrisalez

Dear Santa,
How are you? Well I am fine. What I would like for ChristMas. I would like a Computer for ChristMas. I have been using Computer here at School, that's all.
Daniel Granado

Dear Santa,
For Chrismas I want a soccerball and jambox and a computer.
Henry Garza

Dear Santa,
I want a microscope and a telescope and I want people who are hungry and I want people to have food and clothing and I would like the People in Africa to have food and clothing
Tanner Means

Dear Santa,
I would like a cabbage patch kid. and a doll and I would like to five the poor people who are weak that live in Ethiopia that are very very poor and I wish that they would have food to eat.
Rita Rubio

Dear Santa,
I would computer for Christmas. And I would also like for the people in Ethiopia to have food and clean water to drink. And also money and clothes and for them to have a Merry Christmas. The people in the hospital have a Merry Christmas too.
Stephanie Ann Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I would like the Masters of the Universe. Please let the poor get rich and have a Merry Christmas.
John Garcia

Dear Santa,
I would like My Real Baby and a baby buggy. And I would lik the peopl who do not have food and clothing to have some, and also a Merry Christmas.
Elaina D Duke

Dear Santa,
I would like a GI Joe and a He-man, and give some good and clothes and toys to Ethiopia, and I hope they will have a Merry Christmas.
Mark Stagner

Dear Santa,
I would like a stuffed animal Rudolph and a stuffed animal Santa Claus too. I would like all the poor to have what they need. Merry Christmas!
Tricia Cunnington

Dear Santa,
I wish I had a doll and a dress. I wish tht Ethiopia had food and clothes. Merry Christmas.
Laura Davis

Dear Santa,
I would like a Modena tape for Christmas. And I wish for the people in the Hospital to have a very Merry Christmas. How is it up there in the North Pole? We are just fine
MERRY CHRISTMAS
Veronica Rae Sparks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want pants. And I wish for world peace and for and for Ethiopians to have food.
Sebastian Albarez

Dear Santa,
I reall don't care what I get. But what I really what is for those who don't have food to have a Merry Christmas anyway. And I hope they soon get food. Please deliver food for them.
Mandy Baker

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bicycle when you come to my house. I will have some milk and cookies for you. I live on 502 Ave. T. Street
Shawn

Santa Claus,
I wont a BB gun and some clothes and a three wheeler a collar for my dog and some games for my Atari. Thank you Santa.
Merry Christmas
Greg Kitchens

Dear Saint Nick,
Hi! I wish I could have a Cabbage Patch kid and an Ewok. I wish you a Merry Christmas
Elizabeth Franklin

Dear Santa,
How are you. I am 7 years old. I want a tent and MASK a transet a turbo 300 race set. Credit Card band.
Shawn Wittie

Dear Santa,
I am 8 years old. I would like a cowboy hat and a gun that comes with a holster. And a camera and a football. I would like a mask and a Tonto and his horse. And a trans formers. And some Go bots and the Masters of the Universe.
Jeremy Howard

Dear Santa,
how old are you? I want a jambox and a mittens and beat street tape.
Love, Pete

Santa Claus,
Please bring me a Chubbie. I want a Casey and a Teddy Ruspin. Would you bring me a Cabbage Patch Kid?
Misty Clem

Dear Saint Nick
I want the She-Re collection and Crystal Castle for Christmas. Give my sister a ring with a horse head and with a diamond eye.
Mary Jo Patrick

Hi Santa
I've been a good girl all year long. I'm hoping to get a typewritter, cabbage patch shoes, a teddy Ruxpin, and poundpuppie and an aquarium with fish in it. Also Santa, cabbage patch girl with red hair and a pacifier. Most of all for my mom I want her to have some snake skin boots and boots for me and for my dad a coat. For my brothers, a good pair of gloves. I also want some snowboots.
LaVeeda Newsome

Dear Santa,
I want seven presents for Christmas. I want Hulk Hogan, and He-Man and a puzzle and Fisto and a Transformer and castle grayskull and Hordak.
Rodolfo Sias

Dear Santa,
I want a jambox, a He Man colction, too Skaltor, his evlis, and a blue remote control car. Merry Christmas to you. Please bring my mother a diamond ring. Please bring my father a recliner chair that's comfortable for his back. Please bring my sisters Cabbage Patch Kids.
Terry Lee Collins

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control motor cycle. And I want a jam box. But the most thing I want is all the wrestling men and the He Man men. Warm fuzzies.
Torrie Le Bean

Dear Saint Nick,
I am eight years old. Cherie and I would like a real looking baby doll and I would like a big robot to help me with my work. Cherie and I would like to have Teddy Ruxpin. I would like a ten speed. And get Cherie any other toys you want to give her. I would like the She-Ra collection with the animals and Christle Castle.
Tanya Garaway
P.S. Cherie and I would like a twin cabbage patch kid.

Dear Santa,
I want Crystal Castle, Cabbage Patch Kid dolls and some clothes. My mom wants a diamond ring and dad wants a shotgun. My brother wants the whole collection of the Masters of the Universe and some clothes. My mom and dad want some clothes too.
Angie Ramirez

Dear Santa,
I hope you are filling well to come on Christmas Eve. I want the clexon of She-Re. And my mom would like a robe.
Jenny Valdez

Santa Claus,
I want a Cabbage Patch Doll, Cheer Bear and a Lite Bright. My sister wants some clothes. My mom wants a diamond ring and my dad wants a chain for Christmas.
Rebecca Johnston

Peace
From us to you, have a very merry Noel!
Williamson-Steakley Insurance Agency
1111 Old LUbbock Hwy. 573-3635

Fondest Holiday Greetings
This Christmas, may joy and peace surround you and yours.
ANDY'S PAINT & BODY SHOP
2106 Ave. R. 573-8961

Pearl
On Christmas day, and every day, our very best to all our friends.
Snyder Laundry & Dry Cleaning
1401 26th 573-0137

Happy, Healthy Holiday!
We share with all our sincere wishes for a heartfelt holiday season.
Burgess-McWilliams Pharmacy
3706 College 573-7582

It's Christmas!
Wishing you seasonal joy abloom with love and peace.
Express It
1804 26th 573-3360

A dashing good time to all our loyal friends! Have a merry!
4100 College 573-7620

Aglow with Love
As the warmth of holiday candles light the season, may every heart be warmed by the glow of good friends.
Merle Norman
2513 College
573-6512

"HARK, THE HERALD ANGELS SING!"
THE HAIR STATION
2005 25th Street
Sandi Pavlik, Lawanna Vincent, Tammy Fine, Debbie McCoy, Lois Eicke, Carol Hildebrand & Michelle Killion

Dear Santa,
I am going to have a good Christmas. I hope you bring me alot of toys. My mom is going to give me alot of toys. Will you bring me alot of cars and a remote control car and an 8 wheeler. I want some little people and a jambox. And please bring me a He Man collection and a Z28. Will you please bring mom a diamond ring and my dad a gun? Will you bring my sister a new baby and my brother a water gun?
Bartley Mills

Dear Santa,
I want a red remote control car. And I also want a headphone set. But most of all I want a Star Wars type of game. But I really hope we can give you some milk and cookies.
Clay Koening

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a shawl and a sweater with pictures of Cabbage Patch Kids and some Preemie clothes for my Cabbage Patch Kid. And please bring me a watch. Please bring my sister some of the my little ponies and bring my brother an electric plane with remote control, and please bring my mother a very nice, nice coat. Please bring my dad a pair of jeans, please get my grandma a real pretty dress, and please get my grandpa some nice boots.
Holly Renee Jones

Dear Santa,
I want a Z28 for Christmas. Please bring my mother a recliner set. Bring my father a van. My sisters want a Hug-a-Bunch. All my family wants some thing for Christmas.
Joe A. Guerrero

Dear Santa,
Please bring a baby Care Bear, a Cabbage Patch Doll and a Barbie doll. I would like to bring a watch for my mother
C.J. Holloway

Dear Santa,
I want some toys like army toys, Star Wars, legos, some books and also paints.
Jerry Cervantez

Dear Santa,
I love you. I want Casey, Alphia, Teddy Ruckpin, and Shee-Ra Castle. I also want a Cheer Bear and a Hug-a-bunch. I love the eight reindeer.
Shauna Huddleston

Dear Santa,
I want a car that has remote control. I want you to bring my brother a He-Man. I want a robot for my brother. I want a doll for my sister. I want a new car for my dad and for my mom I would like a whole bunch of perfume.
Rudy Martinez

Dear Santa,
Will you please get me a 3 wheeler for Christmas? Please try to get my mom bubble bath. I like you Santa Claus. Come every year. Goodby for this year.
Christina Pippin

Santa Claus,
I would like a jam-box, some jewelery, and neat clothes. Would you get my mom and dad some jewelry and clothes? Would you get my sister a Koosas?
Merry Christmas
P.S. You don't have to get me everything in this letter.
Michelle Martin

Dear Santa,
I want a go cart or a mini-bike. I want a model spaceship. My brother wants a remote control car, My mother needs a knife. My dad needs a new chair. My dog needs a new doghouse.
Jason Stearmer

Dear Santa,
Will you bring a trampoline? My mom needs some jewelry. I want a motorcycle please. Will you bring me a Carebear? I want a soccer goal. I want some He-Man figures.
John Clinkinbeard

Santa Claus,
I would like a Barbie house, and some Barbie clothes for Ken and Barbie. My sister would like a bike and Real Baby. My mom would like some perfume, and my dad a golf club and golf balls.
Lindsay Daniell

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Are you working hard? Thank you for giving us things, that we need all these Christmases. May I have a preemie Cabbage Patch? I want more stuff too. Will you give my mom stuff she needs and my dad what he needs?
Shanna Block

Dear Santa,
This year I need a new skateboard and a couple of games. My mom wants a stereo. There are two more things I want. I want a jambox, and a pair of house shoes. My sister lost her preemy. Would you make her a new one?
Daniel Sierra

Santa Claus,
I want a Rock Tumbler and a Barbie Motrcycle. My dad wants a Exrsize set. Please get me a preemie with a pacifier.
Jiletta Kubena

Dear Santa,
Santa, we might not have a Christmas, but if we do have a Christmas, I want my ears pierced, gold watch and mostly clothes. We all want a nice Christmas.
Melanie Bandy

Santa Claus,
I would like a Mask toy. I would also like some Trans Formers. And also I would like Air Wolf model. My mom would like jewelry. My dad would like some new shirts. And my sister would like Prinses of Power. Thank you for coming every year.
Glenn Griggs

Santa Claus,
Hi, Santa I have been very good this year. I want a piano and twin cabbage patch kids. I want my Cabbage Patch kids to be girls, and I want some clothes for my Cabbage Patch kid. Also I want some clothes for my boy Cabbage Patch. Thank you.
Brandy Atkinson

Dear Santa,
Thank you for everything you got me last year. I want a stuffed panda, and a Barbie dream house for Christmas. My mom wants a necklace. My dad wants some disks to put in his computer.
Kelli Lacik

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Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy.
I would like to have Snake Mountain and a He-Man jogging suit.
Brady Collier

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy.
I would like to have a He-Man collection and a Play school.
Max Fawver

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and have been a good boy.
I would like to have a basketball and a football.
David Garcia

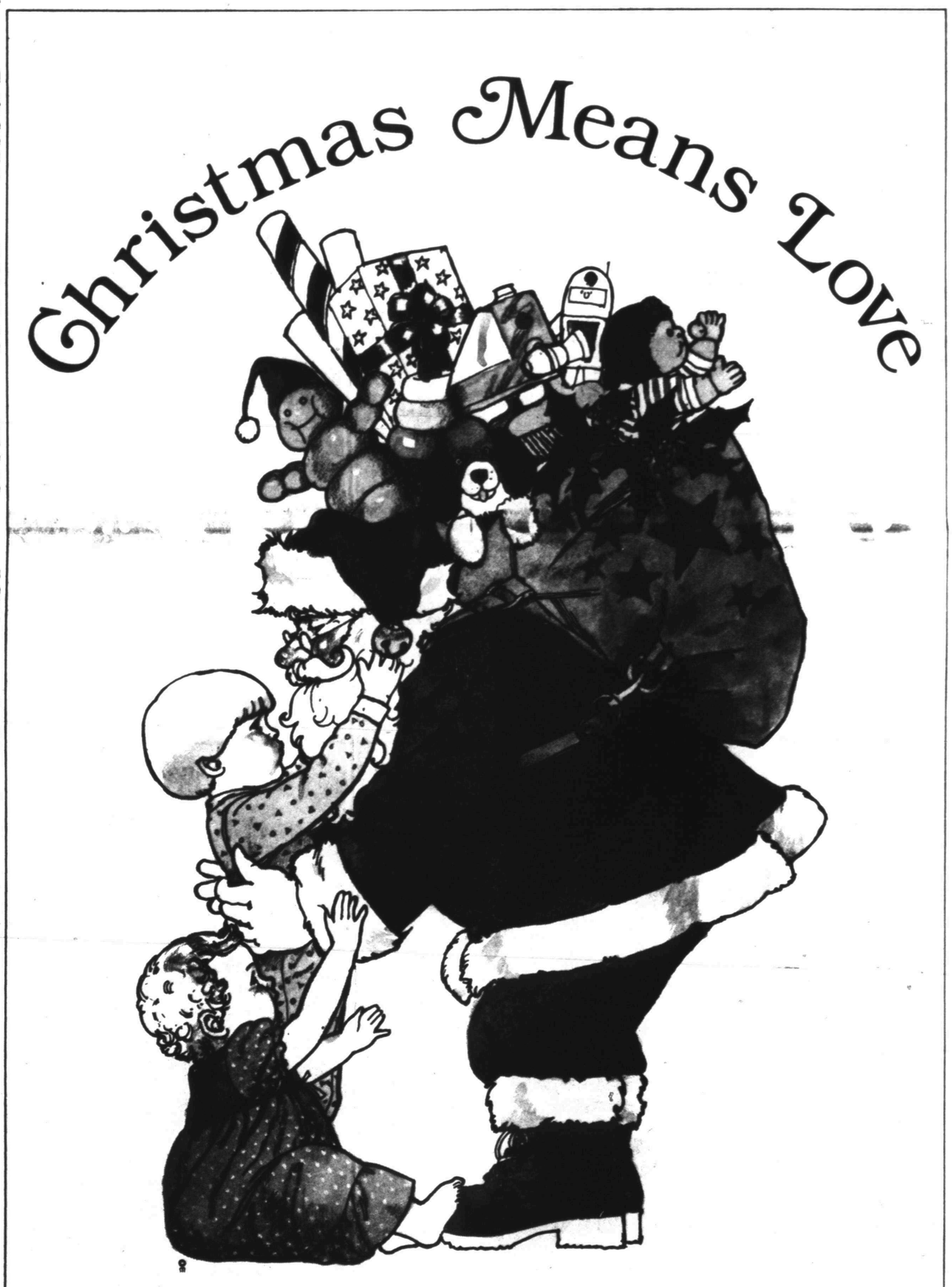
Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a My Little Pony and a Cabbage Patch doll. I am 5.
Kristen Lelek

Dear Santa,
I am five years old and I have been a good boy.
I would like a football and a basketball for Christmas.
Chris Riggins

Dear Santa,
I am five years old and I have been a good boy.
I would like a truck, and a tractor with diggers at the front and back.
Nathan Sorrells

Dear Santa,
I am 5 years old and I have been a good boy.
I would like a He-Man and a truck for Christmas.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you bring me some play make-up and w awaterbed. I am 5.
Teresa Early



The nicest thoughts that Christmas brings to mind are those that include the feelings of love, peace and brotherhood that we all cherish. At this happy time, we would like to extend our sincere thanks to all of you who've been so kind and thoughtful.

KIDS DUDS
Richard and Debra
Susan, Debbie, Sherri and Stacy
1806 26th 573-1639

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a bicycle and some Barbie clothes. I am 5.
Christina Sauceda

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy.
I would like to have a Mer-Man and a Castle Grayskull for Christmas.
Chad Chaney

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy.
I would like to have a He-Man and a big bicycle.
Michael Hornsburger

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a Cabbage Patch doll and a Sherah doll. I am 6.
Tina Hightower

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a Preemie doll and a sweatsuit. I am 5.
Traci Eicke.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me some school clothes and a Barbie. I am 6.
Lori Sanders

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me atypewriter with a tv and a big bicycle. I am 5.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please being me a Peaches'n Cream Barbie and a Baby Brite. I qm 6.
Christy Tankersley

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a doll that cries when you take out its pacifer and a baby buggy. I am 5.
Jackie

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy.
I would like to have a crane tower and a fire truck.
Zackaary Briseno

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy.
I would like a set of Mask toys and a transformer set.
Nicholas Romero

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me some race cars and a Barbie. I am 5.
Jenny Bigham

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Cabbage Patch Doll for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Lila Beth King

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Longhorn football LL suit for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Chad Carter

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Cabbage Patch doll for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Melissa Miles

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Boulder Hill set for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Cory Trujillo

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Real Bake Oven for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Erin McDonald

Dear Santa,
Please bring me four wheeler for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Been Cook

Dear Santa,
Please bring me doll for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Micheline Tolle

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Setyeo for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Greg Herrera

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a battery four-wheeler for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Kraig Billingsley

Dear Santa,
Please bring me bike for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Gary Brooks

Dear Santa,
Please bring me parachute pants for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Crystal Lee

Dear Santa,
Please bring me tent for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Jason Eckert

Dear Santa,
Please bring me bicycle for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Kevin Joel

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Knight Rider bicycle and a watch for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Daniel Parker

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a B-B gun, a car set, and a train set for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Trevor Thompson

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a fourwheeler for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Jeremy Jack

Dear Santa,
I Love you, Santa. I would like a new football suit and a soccer ball. I would like a playlike gasoline plant like my Papa's. If I have a new brother or sister by Christmas please bring them a toy or two. Tell Rudolph hellow for me.
Love
Wesley Howell

Dear Santa,
Please bring me some Play Dough, a tape recorder and a Care Bear for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
April Fletcher

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Billfold Tedd Ruxspin for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Shane West

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie doll and a cassette tape player for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Amanda Perez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Care Bear and my brother Jason a Cabbage Patch Doll for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Rachel Billingsley

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a radio and a 4 wheeler for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Jason Loper

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a new pair of tennis shoes and a Real Baby doll for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Melissa Flores

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a girl a cabbage doll with a pacifer in her mouth for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Mindy Green

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Cabbage Patch doll, a Glo Bug and a playhouse for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Joe Mac Cheyne

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Glo worm and a horse for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Audrey Hernandez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie bicycle and a Real Baby doll for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Cordelia Shea Seaton

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a 3 wheeler, and a bicycle and bring my sister Lindsey a Cabbage Patch for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Jason Bawcum

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a G.I. Joe tent, a sheriff's motor cycle with a helmet, and a Mr. T suit for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Brandon Hackfield

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a B-B gun, and a motor cycle for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Danny Bennett

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baby Rainbo Bright a trampoline, and a stuffed poodle for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Vanessa Britton

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Hot Wheel, and a puppy for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Robert Escobedo

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bicycle, and a Cabbage Patch doll for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.
Love,
Jenny Hughes

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a robot, a bicycle, and a trampoline for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year.
Love,
Dustin Fish

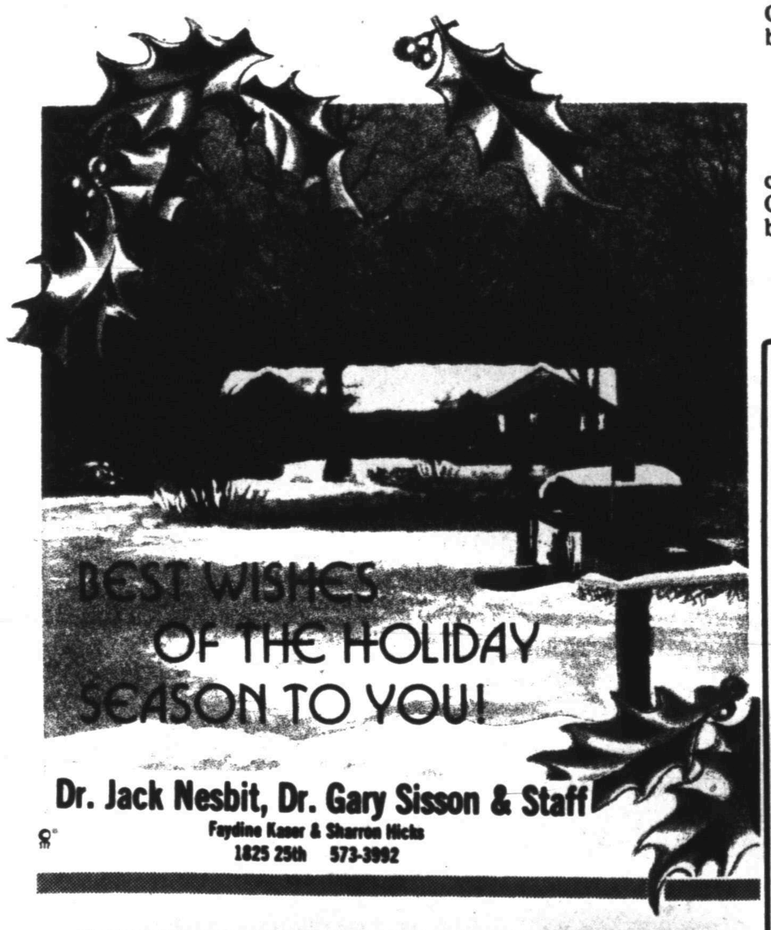
Dear Santa Claus,
For Christmas I want a bicycle. My brother and sister have already written you. Pleast eat the cookies at my house.
Chad Neal

Dear Santa Claus,
My mother wants a writing pen. Santa, would you look in your refrigerator and get some milk and we will buy you some cookies. Can I have a car for Christmas? A hot rod. Tell your wife "Hi." I love Santa.
Ty Jones

Dear Santa,
I want a Nightrider and I want a He-Man Castle. About my baby sister, please, Santa Claus, bring her a doll. I have been good.
Randy Hernandez

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a doll--a Cabbage Patch, and I want a Barbie. Please bring my brother a He-Man. I am in First Grade.
Michelle Silva

Dear Santa Claus,
I like to have a Snake Mountain and a He-Man Skelletor and a Aminal Truck. Please bring a lipstick for my Mother and a doll for my sister and a truck for my brother. I like school. Thank you for the presents.
Edward Capetillo



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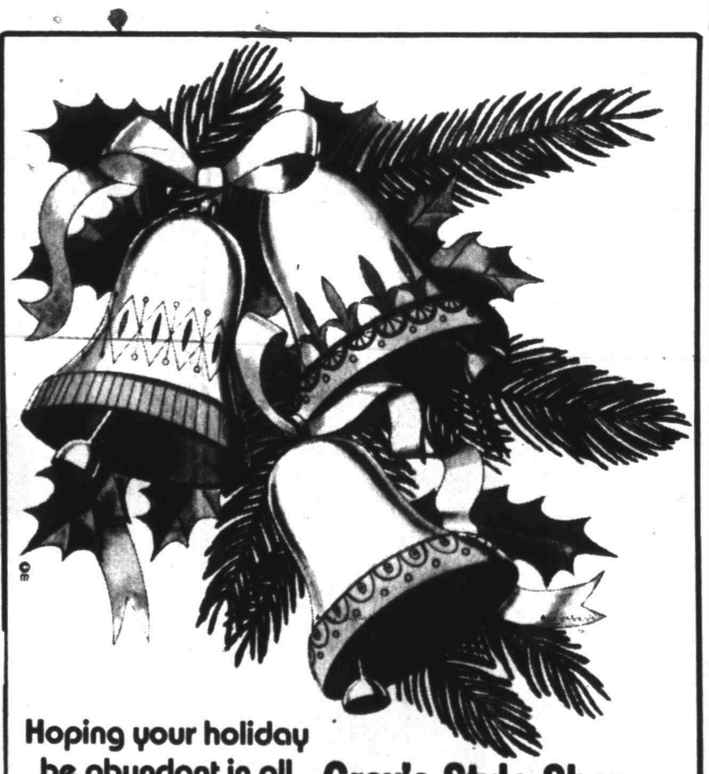
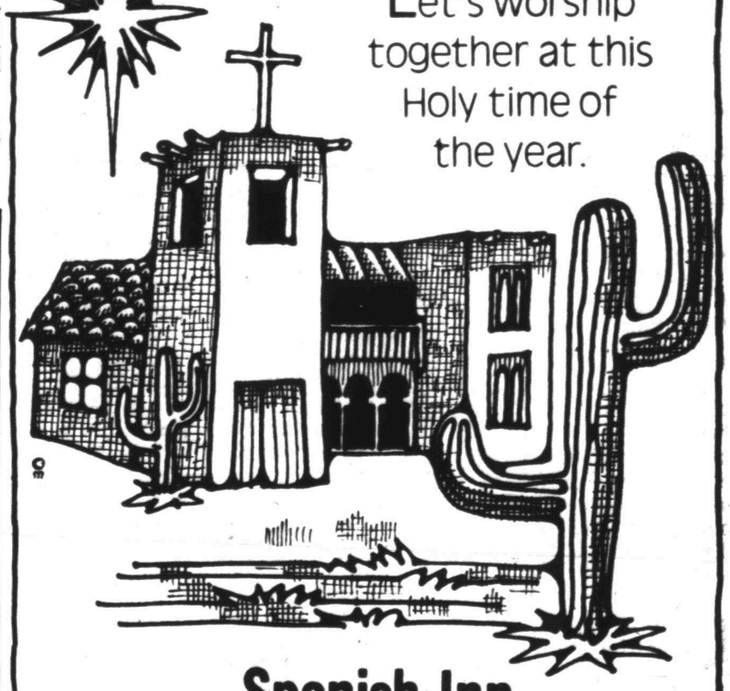

Hoping your holiday be abundant in all good things!
Gray's Style Shop
2511 College 573-2972

Let's worship together at this Holy time of the year.

Spanish Inn
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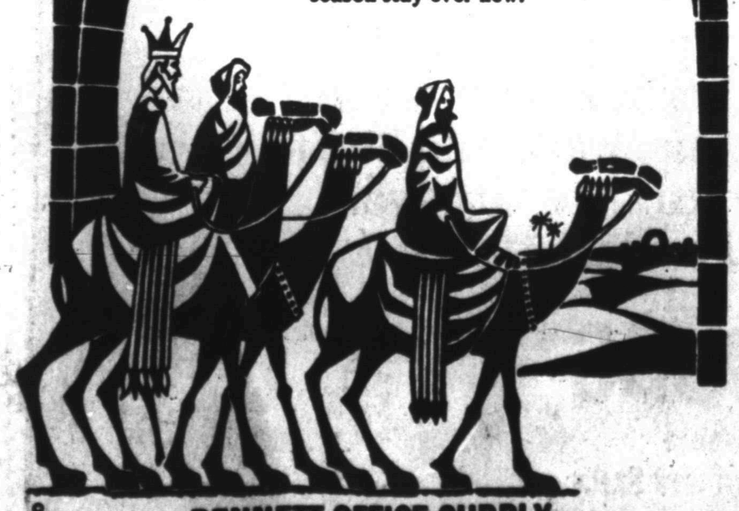
Peace On Earth
What better time to say to you, may the miracle of the season stay ever new.

1819 25th BENNETT OFFICE SUPPLY 573-4011

Yuletide Greetings
To know and serve you this past year was a true delight. Thanks and Merry Christmas!

D&D Auto Supply
1905 College
573-6391

Glad Tidings
Now that the holidays are here, it is our joy to say a special "thanks" to all those we hold dear. Your friendship has made us proud.
Rhodes Welding
Thank You Snyder and the Surrounding Area for 36 Years of Service

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like to have a MASK Thunderhawk, Boulder Hill Play Set and Mask Gator for Christmas.
Chad McMillan

Dear Santa,
I want to get a racing car, a He-Man Castle, and a Mountain Snake for Christmas. Please get my Momma a dress and my Dad some new pants. And a dollor for my sister.
Corey Helms

Dear Santa Claus,
Bring me a bike and a Upsy Baby and a Cabbage Patch. Please bring my sister a Ten-Speed. Please bring my mother a radio and a typewriter. I have been good.
Devon Reed

Dear Santa,
Please bring Micelle a My Pony set and bring Shawna a Strawberry Shortcake. Please bring my Mom a nightgown and please bring my Dad a pair of boots. I want a Cherie Doll and a Cabbage Patch Kid for myself. I have been good and I help my Mom wash dishes.
Norma Maldonado

Dear Santa,
May I have a Barbie Doll for Christmas? My sister wants a Barbie Doll, too, and my Mother needs a new tablecloth. May she have one for Christmas? My Daddy is good worker and makes a lot of money.
Chrystal Mitchell

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a He-Man Castle and a puzzle and a football suit. My brother wants My Buddy. Thank you very much.
Marc Ruiz

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Casey Robot and a piano and a pony. My sister wants a Peaches and Cream Barbie Doll and a piano. I like school. I have been good.
Amber Conoly

Dear Santa,
I want a race track for Christmas. My sister wants a doll for Christmas. Please bring my Mom a little TV. I have been very good this year.
Chad Keith

Dear Santa,
I want a new Hot Wheels Setie, some dog food for my dog, Popcorn. Please bring a Cabbage Patch for my sister, Sara. And bring some new reeds for Amy's clarinet. I have been a good boy and I would like you to let Rudolph come, too.
Brad Jamison

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a toy for Christmas, a doll--a Hug-A-Bunch for Christmas. I also want a jacket for Christmas. Please bring a necklace for my Mother and a gun for my Daddy. I've been a good girl.
Elizabeth Holloway

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a candy cane and I want a train set and I want a mask. My sister would like a Barbie doll. That's all. Thank You.
David Richardson

Dear Santa,
I want a doll for my baby sister. I want a He-Man Skelletor for myself. I want a necklace for my Mom and a 18-wheeler for myself.
Albert Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a new jewelry box for Christmas and a dress. A transformer for my little brother, Jimmy, and some boots. I've been good.
Joanne Gernertt

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a He-Man Castle and a Skelletor for Christmas. I have been so good!
Pablo Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you bring me a Shera doll and a Cabbage Patch kid. I am 5.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you bring me 2 Barbie's & swimming pool and a Mop-Top Hair Shop. I am 6.
Kim McGraw

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a boots and dress and pants, blouse. I am 6.
Lola Martinez

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a bike. I am 5.
Melissa Free

Dear Santa Claus, I want some dolls and I want some books. I want some rings and I want a new teddy bear.
Dena Atkinson

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been missing you so much but now I am happy. I have been expecting you. And now your here. I want you to no what I want for Christmas. I want a computer and I want two Cabbage Patch Kids and I want walkiy talkiys. And I want a rub-a round.
Michelle Spencer

Dear Santa claus,
It is Christmas now. And I would like a Cabbage Patch Preemy and a care bear. And that is it.
Stephanie

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Computer and a prieemie. And a scottie dog and a cat.
Kelly Hart

Dear Father Christmas,
Hi, I'd like to tell what I want. I'd like a school a movie theatre, a mansion, a zilloon $, and a kitten.
Brooks Pratt

Dear Santa,
I am 6 and I have been a good boy. I would like a Castle grey skull and a Webester.
Daniel Williams

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy. I would like a Smokey Skaker and a Boat.
Michael Stagner

Dear Santa,
I am 6 and I have been a good boy. I would like aa Smokey Shaker and a Snake Mountain.
Seth Crawford

Dear Santa,
I a, 5 and I have been a good bpy. I would like a He-Man and a Snake Mountain.
Ray Jasso

Dear Santa,
I am 6 and I have been a good boy. I would like a Smokey Shaker and new boots.
Eric Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy. I would like a Roper Boots and a Thunder Punch He-Man.
Kerry Strickland

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy. I would like to have a He-Man (all of He-Man guys) and a Snake Mountain.Landon Bowers

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy. I would like a Birt Bike and a Smokey Shaker.
A. J. Jones

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you bring me a trampoline and Mop-Top Hair Shop. I am 5.
Stacey Robertson

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a Barbie doll and a swimming pool. I am 6.
Marissa Wilson

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. Would you please bring me a Cheerleader skirt and a Snow-Cone machine. I am 5.
Cece Valadez

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been good. I want a computer and a Cabbage Patch Kid for Christmas. I want a desk for me to play school and a trampoline. and I want a teddy bear too.
Jessica Sierra

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Cabbage Patch Kid and a Peaches 'n Cream Barbie and a Real Baby.
Lacey Parker

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Cabbage Pach Kid or a Care Bear. And I want the Love-a-Lot Bear. Or I want you?
Camelia Sosa

Dear Santa Claus,
I love your fluffy soft beard. My sister wants a tricycle and a puzzel. I want a camra and a Cabbag Patch. I want the camra to have film in it. I want a chain neclas and a chain braslet.
Jennifer Riojas

Dear Santa, This is the Chistnas list Fist for me I want a GI Jo Battle ship and a GI Joe Bass and a lot of GI Jo figures and a GI Joe Brip I layer and for my mom I want her a pretty dress and for dad a duodle brest suit.
Derek

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a forweeler fror Christmas. And I want a front-hand brack froer My bike. And I want par of skes. and one Moer thing a Steryoe.
Ricky

Dear Santa,
I am 8 years old, and I have 3 brothers. I want a bike, and fight zone, and I want woder women,green lighters, clark side, Deraad, gobots. My brother Toby wants thru k, and my other brother wants the Bridgelayer.
Nathan

Dear Santa,
I would like to realy realy want a trampalean for christmas and a truck called the animal and a gobot watch and a corba lace with some corba figuors and some pocket cars and maby a new bike.
Lee Idom

Dear Santa,
I want a My little pony, cabbeg pach kid, care bear, barbey doll, jambox.
Jamie

Dear Santa Claus,
I wish you have a good Merry Christmas and your wife too. I want for Christmas is some primeie cloths and cabbage cloths, a pair of new clothes, and a new bike, some play money, some new clothes for my barbies. For my sister speak and math, a desk, new lunchbox.
Monica Martinez

Dear Santa Claus,
I am 8 years old. I'm an 3rd grader in Stanfield Elementry in Mrs. Hamby's class. I want a Barbi Bubbling Spa Barbi Eletric Moter bike, clothes. How is Mrs. Santa? I'm doing fine. I'v been good this year. For the poor people help them get food. That's because I want them to have a Merry Christmas.
Brooke Kubena

Dear Santa,
I want a Black Cabbage Patch Kid and a Real Baby. And a Heart Family and house. And a Wuzzle and a gaint Care Bare. And you have a happy Christmas.
Robyn Beckham

Dear Santa, This Chrismas I want a Autobot Corrvette tracks, red alert, Hovercraft, fright zone, Bolder hill play set, switchblade, Stompers Speedsters Twistrack, thunderpunch.
Michael

Dear Santa,
I want real baby and Balarina suit and a Cabbage Patch Play Pen thats all I can have I have been very very good Santa. I hope you can stop by my house my brother wants beast man Hordak Castle and Go-Bot.
Christa
P.S. Merry Christmas

Dear Santa,
If you can, I would like a puppy, a Barbie house, a Day to Night Barbie, a Barbie Outdoor Romance, and a Three Wheeler. That is all I want for Christmas.
Jennifer Rios

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I hope you're doing fine. I'm fine, I guess. How are the reindeers and the elves? We are putting on a play about "Symbols of Christmas." It is very good. This is what I want — a three wheeler if you have one and a Cabbage Patch Kid. And also have a safe trip when you deliver your presents, ok. Merry Christmas Santa.
Brigette Braziel

Dear Santa,
I know you have a lot of toys to deliver this Christmas. But I would like a bike, because mine is broken. I would like an apple 2c computer. I hope that you have a Merry Christmas.
Jason Pierce

Dear Santa,
If you can, would you bring me some construx, Jackhammer, Pirahna, Gator, a case for my construx,Thunderhawk, Rhino, Switchblade and Boulder Hill. I would also like some good clothes.
Cory Lelek

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I am nine years old. I have brown hair. I want a bed bugs game, and a preemie cabage patch kid, and a koosa. My mom said I need a new stereo.
Jennifer King
P.S. Have a Merry Christmas!

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a computer and some clothes. If you have a coin ring try to bring me one, and I want a piano, too.
Jamie Beck













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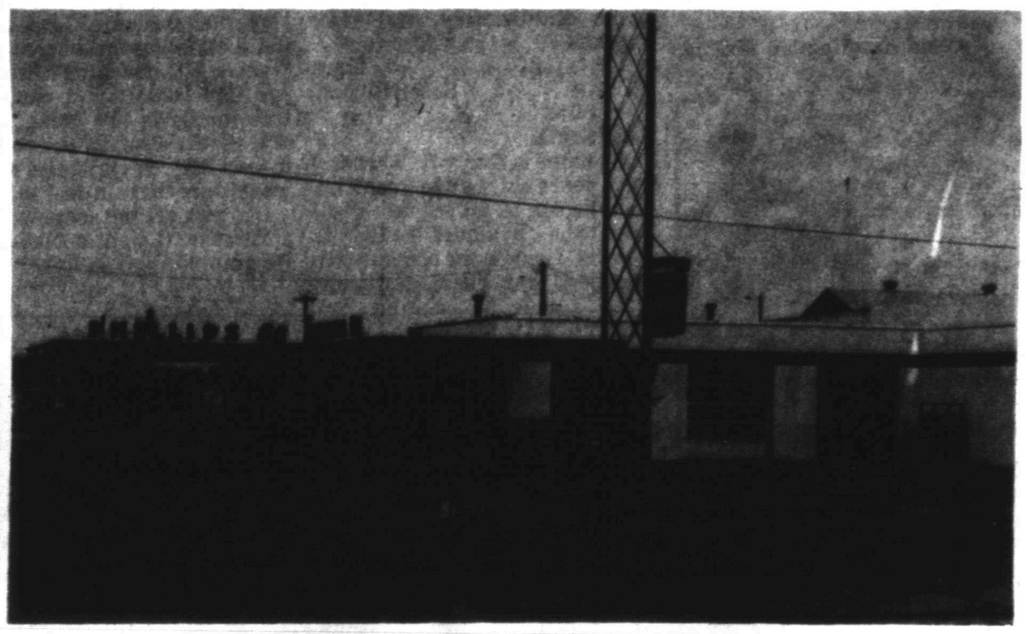

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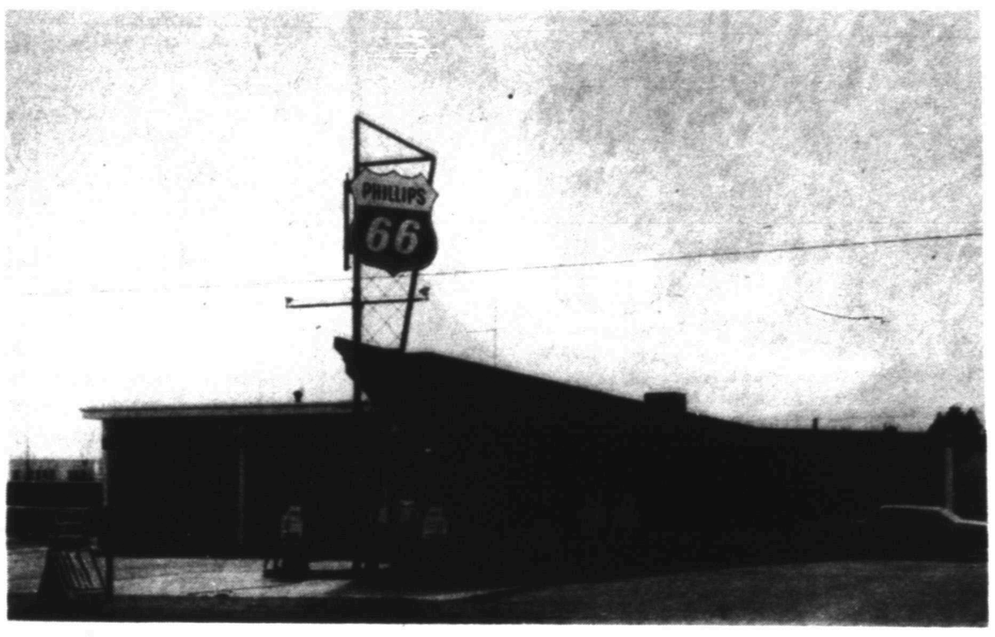

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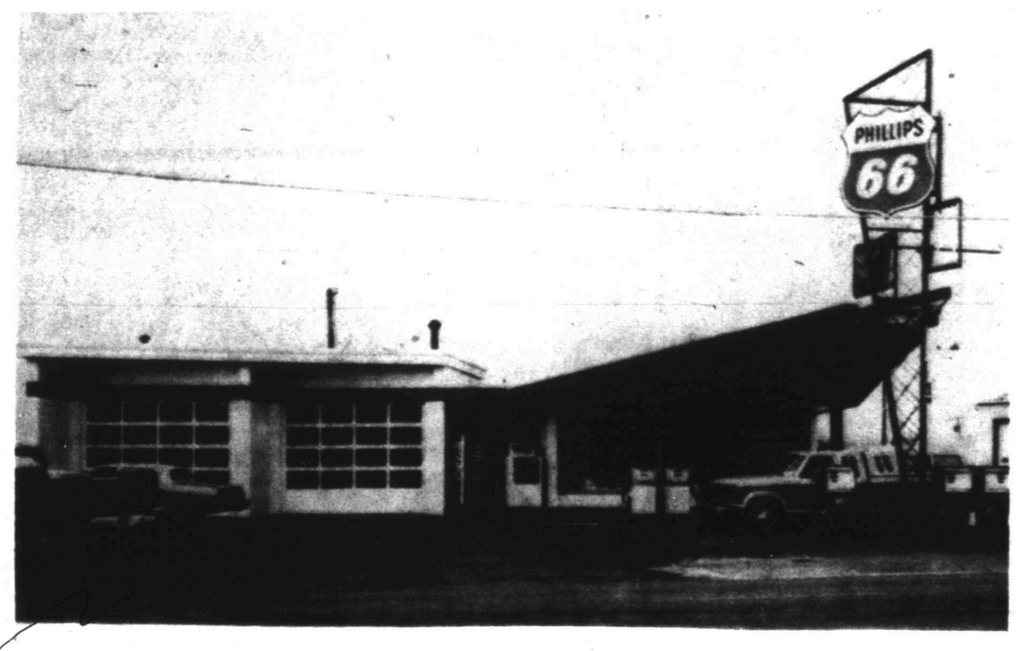

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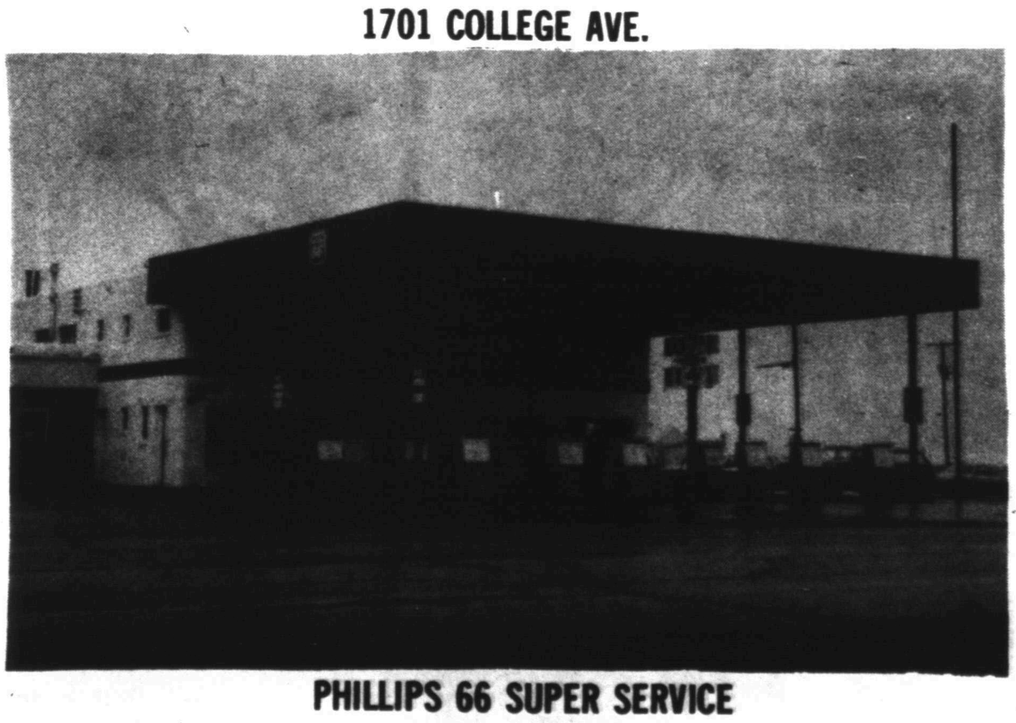

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EAST HIGHWAY

PHILLIPS 66

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SEASON'S Greetings with Santa Letters

Dear Santa,
I would like to have an animal 4x4 stumper for Christmas, Santa. I would like a walkie-talkie, rollerskates, thunder punch he-man, and the rest of the stuff for the bunkbed. It would be nice to have all those things for Christmas. I would like a BB gun or an air gun.

Aaron Purcella

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I am doing all right, I guess. I don't want a bunch, I just want a few things for Christmas. I would like a new bike for Christmas. Mine is broken and I would like a boom box and I would like a telescope for Christmas. And one more thing, a new bb gun.

Stephen Campbell

Dear Santa,
I don't want too many toys, but I want a remote controlled airplane and a collie puppy. The best of all is a three-wheeler if you have some money.

Melinda Estrada

Dear Santa,
I want a big train set and a super go bot. I will set some cookies and milk out for you. Maybe you could also give me a key car.

Kelly Kirkpatrick

Dear Santa Claus,
I want an electric piano, some Transformers, some mask vehicles and one robot.

David Krenek

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like somethings from Super Powers such as Hawkman, Green Arrow, Desead, the Hall of Justice etc... Also something from Mask like Thunderhawk, Gator or Switchblade. I would also like the DC Super-Powers role playing Game.
Merry Christmas

Craig Row

Dear Santa,
My name is Stephanie Buchanan. I go to East Elementry I am in the third grade. my teacher is Mrs. Goldsmith. I have three brothers and 3 cats, 1 dog, a hamster and fish. I would like twin cabbage patch kids and a big chalkbord.
P.S. I will leave you cookies & milk.

Love,
Stephanie

Dear Santa,
I would like He-man and batteat Santa. I'm in third grade. I go to East Elementry. My name is Casey. I will give you something.

Love,
Casey

Dear Santa Claus,
I am in 3rd grade.
I go to East Elem.
I live at 417 30th st.
My teacher is Mrs. Goldsmith.
I hope you bring me a coumputer.
I got one brother.

To: Santa Claus
From Joey Castillo

Dear Santa,
My name is Susan Bigham. I am eight years old, and in third grade. I go to East Elementary. I like school. I have one sister, and a mother, grandma, and a dad.
For Christmas I would like a game of monopoly, and some suprises.

Love,
Susan Bigham

Dear Santa,
My name is Emily R. Warner. I am 8 years old. I go to East Elm. I am hoping to get a gym suite. I want to be a gymnast like Lary L. Reaton. I can do the splits. And a backbend, cartwheal, and many other things. Thank you for the sleeping bag. I have two crazy brothers. Jason is one of my brothers he is 13 years old. My other brother is Steven he is 15.

Love,
Emily Rianne Warner
P.S. Dont leave crumbs!!!

Dear Santa,
My name is Brandin Roberge. I am eight years old. My eyes are brown. I go to school at East Elem. I am in third grade. I like anything you give me.

Love,
Brandin Roberge

Dear Santa,
I am in thrid grade. I am in East Elem. I want a doll, tape player, pound puppy, junp rope and a Merry Christmas.

Love,
Keri Hoyle

Dear Santa
How is your wife. How are you doing. I am fine. What I would like is a computer. I come from Snyder Texas. I go to school at East Elem. I will leave some cookies and milk.

Love Randy Heard.
PS don't make a mess

Dear Santa,
How are you this year Santa. I am going to build a frosy the snow man this year. Can you wait in till christmas gets here santa? I get a big bunch on christmas eve. My room has a christmas tree in it. We are going to put some prezzets undor it. can I ride in your slay on christmas night I want to see the rain deer to.
Can you get me some toies for christmas? I want a bike and a BB gun.

Love Lewis


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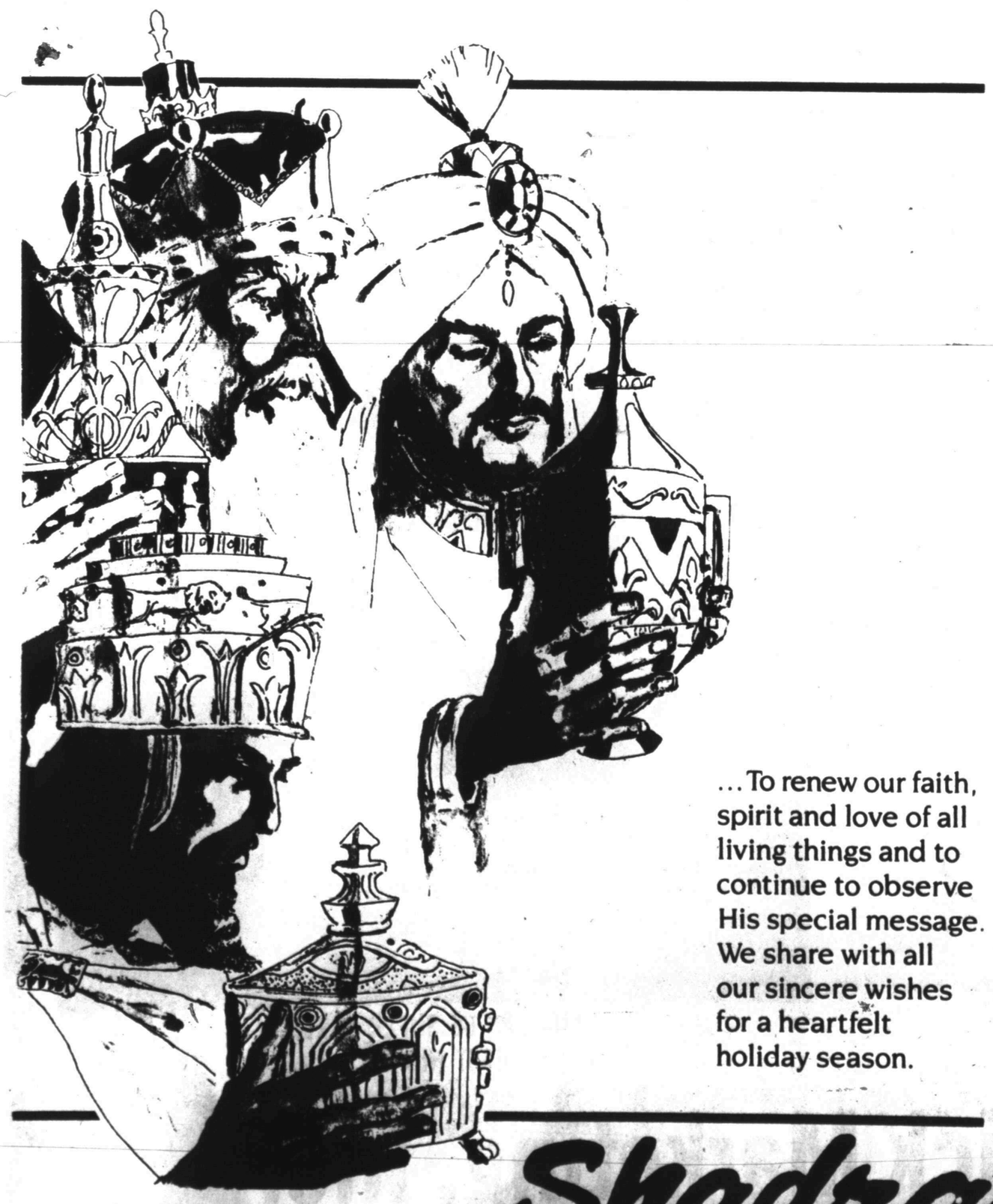
...To renew our faith, spirit and love of all living things and to continue to observe His special message. We share with all our sincere wishes for a heartfelt holiday season.
Shadras

Joy
May every heart and home be rich in the radiance of Christmas joy. To you, our dear friends, many thanks.
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MERRY CHRISTMAS
In the true spirit of Yuletide, we wish you all goodwill and abiding friendship. We are so proud to have served you.
POLYNESIAN GARDENS

Dear Santa,
I want a bribe, ken, skiper, dremhoue, pj, angel face, trace, frist bribe, dolls, honey, cristel bribe, funshine bare, brave hart boin, hert famly, huge a bunch tackle and giggle, pond pupie, lucke, jump rope, prime and cimp bear.

your friend,
Tina Wagner

P.S. don't spell the milk.

Dear Santa,
My name is: Kristi Beth Head. I go to East Elem. and I'm in 3rd grade. I like you very much. I would like for you to send me some of the following things:
Princess of Power Doll, Day to Night Barbie, Swift Wind, Catra, Frosta, Angela, Glimer, Tickles & Gigglet, Pound Puppy (gray), VCR Tapes, Rock & Roll tapes, AND A MERRY X-MAS!!!

Love,
Kristi Beth Head

Dear Santa,
I am Ricky Post. I have been good this year. I don't want much this year. I would like a t.v. and a parrot and a robot. Please bring me these three things. I'm in third grade and go to East Elem. Snyder Texas. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love,
Ricky Post

Dear Santa,
Please bung me a Cabbage Patch kid, piano, or a pound puppy. If you can't I would like $37.95 plus tax. Then I could go buy myself a Cabbage Patch kid. And if I can't have that, anything will be fine. Will you try to get me a Cabbage Patch kid, piano, pound puppy, or a $1000. The money is to get everyone Ise a gift. And my teacher a big gift.

Love,
Jeannie Galloway
4 grade
East Elem.

Dear Santa,
How have you been lately? I hope you have been fine. I've been wanting a B.B. gun for a year. Where do you live Santa? Will you please answer my questions? I hope you'll write back. Christmas brings joy to everybody. I hope you bring me a B.B. gun. Santa you make everybody happy, and a very Merry Christmas to you.
Merry Christmas
Ho, Ho, Ho.

from your friend,
Hitesh Bhakta
4th grade, Mrs. Gartman
East Elem.

Dear Santa,
I want a pair of shoes, bike, claw, gizmo, lion, computer apple 2c, animal drawing book, and dog. Have a Merry Christmas.

Jimmy Davis

Dear Santa,
I would like a telescope and some money for Christmas. And one more thing, stuffed animal.

Jimmy Henry

Dear Santa,
I've seen you in the Andrews civic center. I am going to call you. You are very famous everywhere. Would you please bring me a B.B. gun, and a remote control air plane? I hope you like the drinks I put out for you. I hope your trip around the world is safe and you don't get stuck in a chimney. Tell hi to Dancer, Prancer Viden, Blixen, Dasher, Doner and Rudolph.

Brian Upton

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I would like to have a radio, some clothes, and games for Christmas. And the cookies and milk will be there when you come. Merry Christmas.

Craig Long

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am fine. O.K. let's get down to business. For Christmas I want The Animal and a Pound Puppy. They're so cute. Boy I will try to name everything. I want a set of drums and guitar and a synthesizer and a keyboard plus a piano. Gosh this is hard. I want a computer and a mistletoe to hang over my door. Plus a picture of a reindeer and Rudolph kissing. And I want a camera. I want a game cartridge and a T.V.
P.S. I want something for my whole family.

Lance Robertson

Dear Santa,
This year for Christmas I would like a Cabbage Patch Kid, a VCR, a computer, and a phone in my room. I would also like Pound Puppy, a lot of make-up, some jewelry, and a bunch of clothes.

Elizabeth Mackey

Dear Santa Claus
I have been very very good Don't you think that Christmas Is a pleasantest of all.

Mrs. Lewis' 2nd Grade
East Elementary

Dear Santa Claus,
I want some now clothes.
I want some now hemans.
I want a now bike.
I have been good.

from Wayne
Mrs. Lewis' 2nd Grade
East Elementary

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been good.
I want a trampolene.
I want a new sockerball.
I want a new bmx bike about a size middle size.
I want new shoes.
I want a toy named Construx.

From, Chris Mackey
in Mrs. Lewis' 2nd Grade
East Elementary

Dear, Santa Claus
I have been good this year. I what a computer, and a daddy dog, and a kitten, and a Snake Mountain, and He-man and Battlecat.

Mrs. Lewis' 2nd Grade
East Elementary
Love
Will Clay Collier

Dear Santa Claus
I have been very very very good. I want a doll it is a real baby, and some shoes, and some cabbage patch kids clothes, and some pants, and shirts.

Lisa Thamez

Dear, Santa Claus
I have been very good this year. Please bring me these things, a Preemie, a gocart, a car, a computer, a tiny Christmas tree, some diapers, and some Cabbege Patch Twins, and a kitten.

Love,
Jannica
Mrs. Lewis's 2nd grade

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been good. I want a get in shape girls and I want Kasey, and I want a cabbage patch and I want new shoes and I want a dress.
Have a merry Christmas.

love,
Erica Ann Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I have been Good this year and want a new real baby. A trampolene and that is about all to a very nice man.

from Nicole Lawrence
in Mrs. Lewis 2nd Grade
East Elementar

Dear Santa,
I have acted my best. Can I have a Casio player middel size.
Merry Crismas Santa

Love Andy Leyva
Mrs. Lewis 2nd Grade
East Elementary

Dear Santa Claus
I have beenn very very Good!
I want a Cabbage Patch Kids record.
I want a record of Frosty the snowman.
I want some clothes I want some pants.
I want and shirts.
please come to my house on Christmas.
I want new shoes.
Merry Merry Christmas.
I Love you Santa Claus.

From Sharon Lee Egan
Mrs. Lewis' 2nd Grade
East Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a bike and a new girl friend. My brother wants a Trans Former. My mother wants a teapot for Christmas. I like you Santa.

Andy Hickman

Dear Santa,
I want some doll clothes. I would also like a ring, necklace and earrings with a jewerly box. Please bring me some skates. My brother wants some army stuff.

Gewn Ann Loper

Dear Santa,
I want a doll that crys, braclet, purse and play make-up. Will you please bring my brother a little car and a play gun? Please bring my mom some flowers. My dad wants a tool box. My sister want a doll.

Jenny Arispe

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl Santa. I want a school back-pack, pink bike and some heart-shaped earrings. My brother wants some throw stars.

Michelle McBroom

Dear Santa,
I want a playhouse and a Barbie Doll. I want a Babydoll and a gam. I hope I get whant I want.

Rachel Reyes

Dear Santa,
I would like you to bring me a barbiedoll. Would you bring me a bike and I would like a doll.

Melissa

Dear Santa,
I want a playhouse for Christmas. I hope I get what I want for Christmas.

Amanda Blue Clark

Dear Santa,
I want a bike and a three wheeler. And I want He Man and Sleletor and Leech.

Adrian Collazo

Dear Santa,
I would like to thank you for bring me my bike and a Rainbowbite doll.

Rosie Amamdor

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. What have you been doing? I want a bike for Christmas.

John Busby

Merry Christmas
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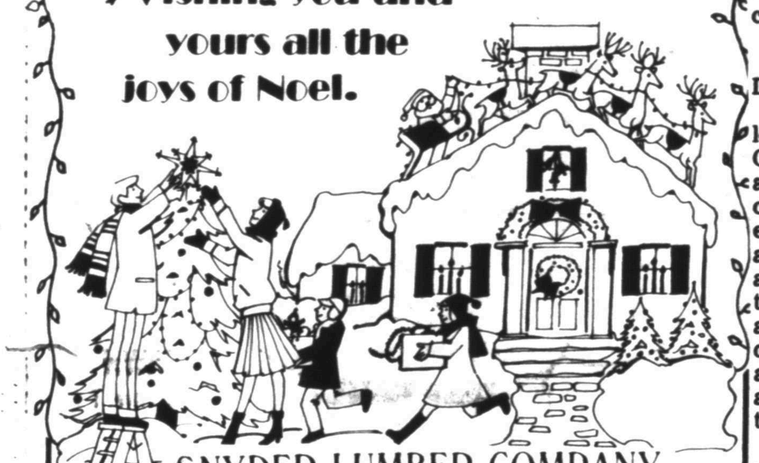
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District Clerk
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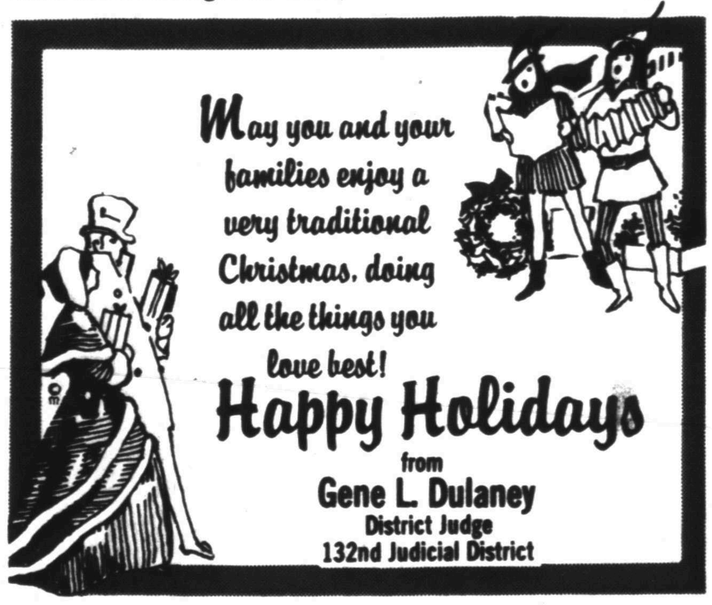
Carolyn Harrington
Trina Rodgers


May you and your families enjoy a very traditional Christmas, doing all the things you love best!
Happy Holidays
from
Gene L. Dulaney
District Judge
132nd Judicial District


The most wonderful time of year is here! Celebrate with those you hold most dear.
Hassie & Betty Sneed
County Commissioner


Thanks so much for your help, valued patrons, for a very successful year!
Preston & Etta Wilson
County Judge


Greetings!
May the special nicities of an old-fashioned Christmas surround you and yours.
BILLY WAYNE THOMPSON
County Treasurer


The brightest wishes for a happy holiday season are being sent your way.
Our very special thanks are also in order!
Merry Christmas!
Beverly Ainsworth
County Clerk
Frances Billingsley
Jonna Vee Miller
Mildred Hollis
Sandra West


HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO EVERYONE
Duaine Davis and Family
County Commissioner


PEACE ON EARTH THIS CHRISTMAS
C.D. Gray, Jr. & Family
County Commissioner

Dear Santa,
I want a pair of mittens and a playhouse and a picture of you.
Tina Hobbs

Dear Santa,
For this Christmas I want a pound puppy ! want black. and a doll.
Sara

Dear Santa,
I would like you to bring me a present lika bike and a bigrig. I want a car.
Florentino Lee

Dear Santa,
I want a doll and a tv and a ghettoblaster and a bike and a typwriter and a piano and also a camera and pupper I am 7 good by Santa.
April

Dear Santa,
I am seven years old. I want a my little Pony and a little truck for my brother and a toy candy cane for my baby cozen. also a basball and ball bat gluf. and waterbed for my Mom and dad.
Jessica Rocha

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. I would like a toy microwave and a computer and a typewriter, piano, roller skates, care bears, camera, mike it and bake it, barbies, My Littel pony, puppet, ghettoblaster.
Michelle

Dear Santa,
I am 7 years old. I am in 2nd grade. I want a jambox Beat Street tape.
Andy Sosa

Dear Santa,
I would like a wheeler and 50 and a BeeBee gun and rifle Mack and a 22.
Jame Baily

Dear Santa,
I'm eight years old I would like a computer, Typewriter, carebear, microwave, piano, roller skats, makeit and bakeit, barbies, My Little ponies, corvertbl, dolls, lipstick, perfume, picture of you.
Angelia

Dear Santa,
I want a glow worm and a star for the Christmas tree and new clothes your friend.
Katye

Dear Santa,
I want three wheeler, jam box, and mack steel. your friend.
Luke

Dear Santa,
How are your reindeers I love your elves and how are things at the north pole. For Christmas I wat cabbage patch twins and a 2 speed bike and some cabbage patch clothes.
Rebecca

Dear Santa,
How are your elves and reindeer for Christmas please bring me clothes and boots and a Girl Cabbage Patch.
Kathy

Dear Santa,
How are your elves and reindeer For Christmas bring me twin Cabbage patch Kids and doll house with dolls and furniture and bring me barbie work out center.
Kasey

Dear Santa,
I want some sweat shirt and pants. And what ever you bring will be fine.
Christy

Dear Santa,
I want a four Wheeler and a COat like my daddy and a football and a basketball.
Eric

Dear Santa,
I want a telescope and a microscope.
Josh

Dear Santa,
I want a new sled and new shoes and a new coat.
Jason

Dear Santa,
can I please have a black ninja Suit and a electric organ and a magic set.
Patrick Jordan

Dear Santa,
How are your elves and reindeer for Christmas please bring me three wheeler soccerball telescope Marry Christmas Santa Claus.
Jeffrey

Dear Santa,
I want you to bring me a 10 speed and kick and go and a castle graysKull.
Benji

Dear Santa,
How are your elves and reindeer? For Christmas please bring me a camera and Film and a pound puppy that is gray.
Michelle Banta

Dear Santa,
I want a koosa. How are your elves and reindeer For Christmas please bring me a pound puppy.
Matthew

Dear Santa,
I got a magic set last year. I want a Another magic set and microscope and army clothes.
Ryan

Dear Santa,
How are your elves and reindeer For Christmaas Please bring me 3 wheeler my butemask gusstarsh n microscope.
Terry

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Preemie doll, Care Bear, and some new clothes.
Magan Wadleigh

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Teddy Bear, Care Bear, and a Bike.
Raechele Wemken

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bike, Spike Orr, Spide Orr.
Chad Stewart

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Please bring an Eastern Indego Snake, a Spide Orr, and a He-man Tent, And A Smoke Maker.
Kevin Lacik

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bike, He-man Spike orr, and bring my Sister a Barbee doll. I have been a good boy.
Josh Harbin

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Bike, Preemie doll, and bring my brother a He-Man tent.
Julie Doolittle

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Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Castle, He-man play House, and a coat, a sleeping bag and tent. I hve been a good boy.
Roger Rankin

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Smoke Maker, an animal, and new clothes. Bring my sister a Teddy Bear.
Shayd Martin

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Bike, Fright Zone, Spike Orr.
Waylon Jackson

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. I want a He-Man, Sleeping bag and tent.
Mark Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me the Fright Zone.
Jared Dennis

Dear Santa,
I want a Cabbage Patch doll, and a Teddy Bear. Please bring my Brother a He-Man Tent.
Rachael Evans

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Cabbage Patch Doll, Care Bear, Barabee doll, Bear, and a Body Suit.
Libby Ann Bishop

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Bright doll, and a Bike, and a Cabbage patch Tent.
Deandra Woods

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Bright doll, and a Care Bear.
Norma Martinez

Dear Santa,
I want a Cabbage Preemie, and I want my ears pierced, and clothes.
Rebecca Bandy

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbee doll, and a Care Bear. I have been a good girl.
Lyndee Brown

Dear Santa,
I want a bike skatbord basketball set and my buddy.
Brad

Dear Santa,
Me and Jerremy are the ownly ones in the class that beleve in you every oneels thiks that you are facles just a farytal but I don't I beleven you.
Here is what I want for Chrismas — a new radeo and a teliphon becaus my mom sayes I don't need toys.
Jerica

Dear Santa,
I want a BB gun with bulets, and soccerball. I want a Kansas Chiefs foot ball suit, and three wheller. Going back to foot ball, I would like a Dallas Cowboy suit if you can't give a Kansas Chiefs suit.
Chris

Dear Santa,
I hope that you and Mrs. Santa are reade for this christmas. by! Thers so many thing I want for christmas. Seats see can I have a new can of beat.
Mandy

Dear Santa,
I want a cabbage patch kid preemie with a pasifier in its mouth and I want it a boy. I also want a play pen for my cabbage patch. I also want a bumb bed for my cabbage patch also. I also want preemie cloths for girls and boys.
Patty Olivarez

Dear Santa,
I want a stuffed vincorne a white one and a pink nose and pink paws and a yellow horn and a big big one.
Satana

Dear Santa, I would like a purse and a wallet and I whould like a cramu and I whould like a playpen and purfem.
Crystal

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a bike, go car, and a dog, a tv, and a commadoor 64, and a stero, a big go bot, and I want a basket ball and a throwing star, and some numechucks, and a foot ball.
David

Dear Santa this year I want a computer. Also I want a puppy. Please send my mom and dad something. And also I want a artere and some cartegers. Please send me a foot ball suit. And I want a machine gun b-b gun. Please send me throwing stars and nunchucks.
Shae
PS. Tell Mrs. santa caluse Marey Christmas.

Dear Santa,
I want a b.b. pistol for Chistmas and I also want a telascope and I want a ski out fit and I want a jet hockey and I want a picture of you and I'll leve you some fudge and cookies and some milk
Jeremy Perkins

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a mechein BB gun. Santa I would like to have a foot ball suit. Santa I would like to have a new 3 wheeler. I would all so like a sled. Sant I would like to have a train. Santa I would like to have a shoting star.
Nathan

Dear Santa,
How are your raindeer. How a you and Miss Santa Caluse. I hope your elf are making toys. What I want for Christmas is a real baby, a Tedd bear, and a carrier. Thank you for the stuff you gave me last year.
Lynn Northcott

Dear Santa,
I hope you have a Merry Christmas. Do you know that its Gods Birthday. Santa I want a picture of you in your slay and the reindears pulling it. Oh ya all I want is a little hug from you.
Christopher Grace

Dear Santa,
Do you know what I want for Chrismas I want a cabbge patch kid and a cabbge patch stroller and cabbge patch cufrt seat and most of all I want a raido and a wallet and a purse.
Jennifer Lea Merritt

Dear Santa,
I hope you and Mrs. Santa are feeling well and hope you are eating a buch I won't all cands of toys.
Amy Choate

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a doll and a dog. I want some shoes and some books.
Chassidy

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a remote control Dune buggy. I want a castle greyskul. I want a he-man.
Eddie Manier

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Crab Hydrafoil.
I want a speed-boat.
I want a dunebuggy.
Carl Strelecki

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a good girl. I am wanting a three wheeler and a Cabbage patch Kid and a teddy bear and really really my sis taken away.
Haley Ingram

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Preemie, and a water bed, and I would like a new bed room.
Amber

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a good girl. And this is a list of things I have ben wanting.
A care bear cousin. I want a stuffed animal.
I have been wanting some roller skates.
I have been wanting a gold braclet to where to school.
I want some bunkbeds for my babies.

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a big water gun and a go Boat and a race track with cars. I would like a capgun.
Dale Marcus

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good girl.
I would like a Barbie Doll Set and a Love-a-lot Care Bear.
Rachel Garcia

Dear Santa,
I am 6 and I have been a good girl.
I would like a Birthday Care Bear and a doll.
Griselda Sanchez

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. would you bring me a Animal vehicle and a robot. I am 5.
Jerrod Rinehart

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. would you bring me a Mask Thunderhawd and a Switchblade Venom. I am 5.
Eric Lang

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Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy. I would like a Smokey Shaker and a bike.
Jacob Tovar

Dear Santa,
I am 6 and I have been a good boy. I would like a trampoline and a football.
Kyle Beck

Dear Santa,
I am 6 and I have been a good girl. I would like a bigger bicycle and a Barbie with her horse.
Brandy Isbell

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy. I would like a smokey Shaker and a nerf football.
Cory Chesser

Dear Santa,
I am 6 and I have been a good girl. I would like a snowman and a musical phone.
Veronica Hermosillo

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good girl. I would like a Barbie Doll and a Birthday Care Bear.
Christina Arnold

Dear Santa.
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a Voltron and a Mighty Orbots?
Jeremy Hegedus

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good girl. I would like a Heavy Baby and a Upsy Baby.
Mikella Tidwell

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a Voltron and a He-man. i am 6.
Trey Green

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a racing car and a frey bicycle. I am 5.
Carey Harris

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good boy. I would like an animal behicle and a knight rider talking car.
V. T. Roberson II

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good girl. I would like a Pony Castle and a Hug-a-bunch.
Christy Brown

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a He-man mek a neck and handcuff. I am 6.
Josue Coronado

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good girl. I would like a new Christmas tree and a Barbie doll.
Carolyn Blair

Dear Santa,
I am 5 and I have been a good girl. I would like a Secret Care Bear and a Pretend Telephone.
Michelle Tovar

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a good boy. I want some toys. I want a strong guy with muscles; Hulk Hogan and all the junk yard guys. I want a buzer that goes with the bees that fly and the Castle Herman and all those things. Say hi to the elves for me. Thank you.
Love,
Kade Kubena
P.S. Daddy wants the exercise thing like Terry gots. Please bring Jiletta Sheera and I will take it out of the box and play with it.

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a fright zone and a Mickey Mouse Telephone that you can call the Walt Disney characters and talk to them.
I have been a good boy most of the time.
Love
Corey Lee Knipe

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a Eagle force commando set and a A-team assault rifle. I am 5.
Adam Norris

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a transformer and a He-Man. I am 5.
Christopher Jones

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a My buddy and Super Friends. I am 5.
Andrew Carroll

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Would you bring me a musical telephone and Superman collection. I am 6.
Matthew Davis

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Care Bear, and a Cabbage Patch Doll with hair and a pretty dress. Bring my little brother Joshua a stuffed toy to hug.
Love,
Ashley Bouher and
Joshua Bouher

Dear Santa,
I live in Thorndale but I'm going to be in Snyder at my Pa Pa's house Christmas. Please bring me a Barbie Doll Workout Center and a pretty dress.
I have been a good girl.
Love,
Shannon Jill Hood



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THE GIFTS OF CHRISTMAS

A gift of love from the innkeeper's child

By Madge Harrah

Sarah pulled her small bare feet up under the ragged hem of her robe. She huddled beneath the rough wooden table and peered out at more feet.

Big feet. Dusty feet. Some feet in sandals, some bare, all hurrying about as though they belonged to people with important things to do. But then, Sarah thought sadly, grown-ups always had important things to do.

"Get out of my way, Sarah," her father would scold. "Can't you see I have a customer to take care of?"

Or her aunt, stern-faced and frowning: "Don't just sit there, child. Go and fetch some more water from the well — and hurry."

No one seemed to have time to hold Sarah anymore, or even to smile. Not since her mother had gone away, taking her new baby brother along. The angels had come for them, her father had explained.

Sarah shivered, remembering. Why would the angels take her mother and brother when Sarah needed them? Angels were mean, she decided.

"I have no more rooms. Go somewhere else." Her father's voice — he sounded cross.

Sarah lifted her head, peeking sideways from under the table. She could see the dirt-covered sandals of a man just inside the open doorway. He was probably another one of those strangers who'd come flocking into town the past few days, Sarah decided.

"But the other inns are full," the stranger was saying. He sounded tired. Sarah scooted forward a little so she could look up at the man. "It's my wife," he went on. "She's going to have a baby. It's already coming."

A baby.

Sarah crept from under the table and inched over to peek from behind her father's legs. In the glow of lamplight streaming through the doorway, she saw a young woman wrapped in a shawl, huddled wearily on the back of a donkey. The woman turned her face then, and saw Sarah, too. She smiled.

Sarah's heart lurched. No one had smiled at her like that since her mother had left with the angels. Urgently, Sarah tugged at her father's sleeve.

"Father —"

He jerked away. "Go, child. Can't you see I'm busy?"

Sarah flinched at her father's impatient tone. She looked again toward the woman, who drew her shawl closer against the bitter night wind.

"Father, please — let them stay."

"There's no room, I said."

Sarah knew that was true. Her own small pallet had been moved to the foot of her aunt's cot in the shed behind the kitchen so that others might sleep in her usual corner. But the woman looked so tired...

"The stable, Father. Could they stay there?"

"Well —" her father said at last, speaking to the man. "How would you feel about that?"

The man hesitated. "I don't know..."

Sarah heard the woman call softly, "Please, Joseph. The straw in the stable will make a soft bed."

The man called Joseph hesitated only a moment longer before nodding. "All right, then." And to Sarah, "Thank you, little one."

After the man had stepped outside, Sarah's father closed the door. "You should be in bed," he growled. "Away with you now."

Sarah turned and dodged through the crowded rooms toward the shed. But later, as she lay curled on her thin pallet, she found herself thinking of the baby. Would it be a boy? Would it be frightened of the donkey? Would it cry?

When her aunt finally entered with a lamp, Sarah quickly closed her eyes, pretending to be asleep. She heard the cot creak as her aunt settled for the night. Soon there came the sound of gentle snoring.

But Sarah felt puzzled. She could still see light flickering against her closed eyelids. Perhaps her aunt had forgotten to blow out the lamp. She opened her eyes just a little and then blinked in surprise at the brightness that came pouring through the one small window above her pallet.

She rose quietly and stood on tiptoe, peering out into the night. A shiver of shock went down her spine. Hovering over the stable was a large "bird" with light streaming from its body.

Sarah squinted against the glare and saw that the "bird" was a person. A person with wings. Her mother had once told her that angels had wings.

An angel — coming to take this mother and the new baby.

Her whole body burning with anger, she turned, slipped from the shed and pelted toward the stable, ignoring the pebbles that bruised her feet. Gasping for breath, Sarah dashed through the stable doorway.

She jarred to a halt, taking in the scene before her. The mother sat on a stool looking down at a baby in her arms. Nearby, the man leaned on his staff. He was smiling at the mother.

"No!" cried Sarah, darting toward the angel who was now floating in through the open window. When he folded his wings and touched down, Sarah grabbed his robe, kicking him in the shins with her stubby toes. "You can't take them. I won't let you. The baby's new. And weak... I'm strong... Take me, instead."

She plopped down hard on the floor and dug her feet into the straw while still hanging onto the angel's robe with both fists. Then she heard a laugh, a deep rumbling from the angel like thunder following a summer storm.

"No, little Sarah," he smiled. "I'm not here to take them away. I'm here to bring people to them. Would you like to be the first?"

Reaching down, he scooped her up as though she were a puff of wool, strode forward and plopped her down before the mother and the baby.

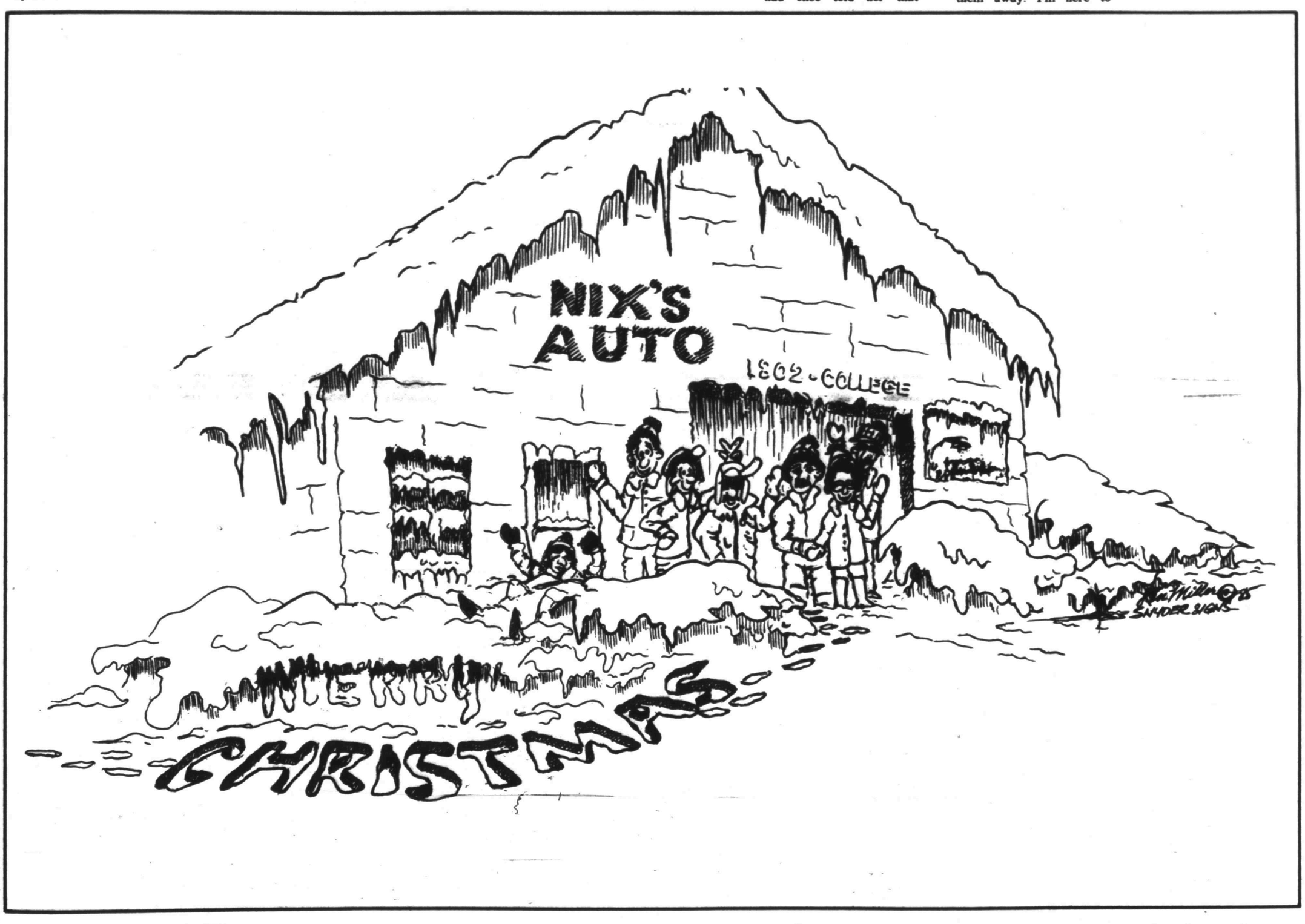
"I choose Sarah to bring your first gift," he said to mother and child. "She has offered you her life, which was refused. Instead, she gives you her love."

The baby twisted about in his mother's arms. He reached toward Sarah.

"He accepts your gift, Sarah," said the angel gently. "And someday when he is grown into a man, he'll give you an eternal gift — then you'll understand."

Sarah wondered what those words meant. She pushed them to the back of her mind, to think about another time.

All she sensed now was that, somehow, the baby and his mother were safe. The mother leaned over and put an arm around Sarah's shoulders, drawing her close. Sarah sighed as she rested her head against this mother's knee. She had a feeling of being loved, as though her own mother and brother might even be nearby.





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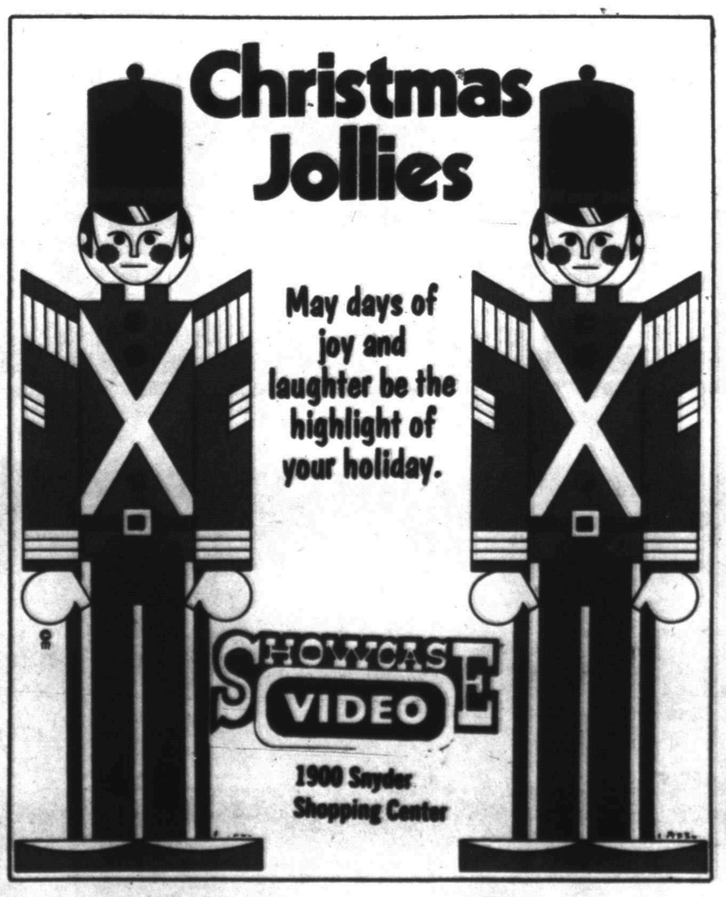

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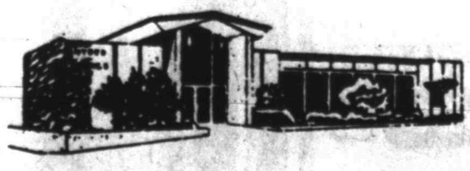

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