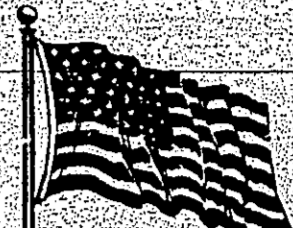


Merry Christmas



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Football Squads Feted By Booster Club Monday Night



The Woodville Eagles' Booster Club feted the football squads Monday night with a barbecue of donated wild game catered by John Spillway's Hobbies in Woodville. The booster club is distributing the food to Quarterback Jimmy King and Smiley, Milton, Warren, Lawrence Rainey and Jimmy Brown.

Most Stores To Close Saturday And Monday For Christmas



'Littlest' Bike Earner

Deana Elliott, 2-1/2 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Elliott of Warren, became the "littlest" person to earn a bicycle in the Booster's Earn-A-Bike campaign. She brought in 25 new subscriptions Monday and picked up this new bicycle at Western Auto.

Other boys and girls who are working to earn a bicycle by selling new subscriptions to the Booster are urged to finish up soon since the Booster subscription campaign will end January 1. At that time Booster subscription prices will advance from \$3 to \$3.50 in county. The advance in rates represents a steady increase in postal and printing costs over the past two years.

Most stores and business places in Woodville will close Monday, December 27, to give employees an extra day for the Christmas holidays. Since Christmas falls on Saturday this year the merchants will continue a policy of closing two days for the holiday by also taking Monday off. Fred Sullivan, chairman of the retail merchants committee, said that all stores with the exception of drive-in and neighborhood groceries, service stations and some eating places have indicated they will be closed.

Citizens State Bank will be closed Friday, December 24, as will Gulf States Utilities, and be open Monday, Brookshire Brothers, following a company policy in all its stores, will be open Monday, as will Birdwell's.

Tyler County courthouse will close both Friday, December 24, and Monday, December 27, according to County Judge Tom D. Mann.

Drug stores will be open Monday. Jarrott's will also be open until noon Sunday, closing Saturday only for Christmas. Bob's Prescription Shop and Griffin's Pharmacy will be closed as usual Sunday but will be open Monday.

Postmaster H. M. Durham said the Woodville postoffice will close at noon Friday, December 24, and remain closed until Monday morning, December 27, when it will be open the regular hours. The postoffice will have the same schedule for New Year's, closing at noon Friday, December 31 and reopening for usual hours on Monday, January 3.

The City of Woodville will close city hall both Saturday and Monday, according to City Secretary Walton Davis. The Highway Patrol, sheriff's department and Woodville Police Department will be on duty throughout both the Christmas and New Year's holidays. In anticipation of the large number of cars on the highways they have urged motorists to use extreme caution through the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

Little Miss Tyler County Contestants Deadline January 15

Mrs. Peggy Morrell and Mrs. Irene Sheffield has announced that January 15 is the deadline for the little girls who wish to appear in the "Miss Tyler County Pageant" to register.

There will be two age groups entered. There will be no escorts, and all will appear in sports attire.

The first age group is 4 years of age through 6 years. The second group is 7 years of age through 9 years. To register a child call Mrs. Morrell at 283-3942 or Mrs. Sheffield at 283-3989.

This will be the second year for the children in this age group to appear in the pageant. February 5, at 7:30 p.m. is the date for the "Miss Tyler County" pageant, at the Kirby High School auditorium.

Phone your news to 283-2434

Drive Carefully—The Automobile Is Not The Only Thing That Can Be Recalled By The Maker

The Texas Department of Public Safety has predicted that 52 persons will die in traffic accidents during the long Christmas holiday period beginning at 6 p.m. Friday, and that another 46 will die during the New Year holiday.

Local Highway Patrolmen, sheriffs deputies and city police will work throughout both weekends to remind motorists to slow down on the streets and highways and not to drink and drive.

Local highway patrolmen pulled five more drivers off the highways this past weekend in their continuing drive to take drivers who are intoxicated off the highways.

Gov. Preston Smith has expressed "shock and dismay" at the prediction that nearly 100 persons will die in holiday traffic in Texas over the Christmas and New Year's weekends.

"To us, it is intolerable that we continue to accept the death of our fellow Texans at such an alarming rate," the Governor said after reviewing Department of Public Safety estimates that 52 persons will die on Texas streets and highways during the Christmas weekend and 46 more will be killed during the New Year's weekend.

"We wish we could dismiss the DPS estimates as simply too high," Gov. Smith said. "But, past experience has shown that the estimates have been consistently very close to the ultimate toll."

"We view these predictions with shock and dismay," the Governor said. "And we pledge the most vigorous efforts of the state to keep the toll well below this expectation." The Governor said the drivers of Texas have demonstrated that careful driving can result in lower death tolls. "During the Thanksgiving weekend, deaths were no higher than an average day's toll," despite the

heavy holiday travel," he said. "This was following an all-out public appeal to encourage safe driving and during a safety blitz by state and local law enforcement officials," the Governor said. "An average of approximately 10 traffic deaths occur each day on Texas streets and highways. Approximately 43 died during the four-day Thanksgiving period."

"This proves that 'drive friendly' works," the Governor said. "Drive Friendly" is the theme of a traffic safety campaign contributed as a public service by the state's communications media.

"Accordingly, we will again distribute reminders to Texas drivers through the news media, urging them to 'drive friendly,'" Gov. Smith said. He explained that the ads, on television and radio and in the newspapers include tips on driving habits that contribute to safer driving.

"In addition, we will again appeal to law enforcement officials to crack down on violators," the chief executive said. "When we view predictions that nearly 100 Texans will die during the holiday weekend, it is particularly disturbing to recall that one-half of all fatal accidents appear to involve a driver who is drunk," the Governor said.

"We will warn Texas drivers to the dangers of driving after drinking," he said. "And we will appeal to law enforcement officers to be especially alert for the drunk driver."

Fourth Monday Court To Be Held

District Judge H. A. Coe will be here for his regular jury court session Monday, according to Deputy District Clerk Margorie Landers. Other courthouse offices will be closed that day.

On the fourth Monday of each month Judge Coe hears divorce petitions, takes guilty pleas in criminal cases, and handles any other matter coming up which does not require a jury.

The final week of the December session of 88th District Court beginning Tuesday will not require a jury. The criminal docket, set to begin that day, has been continued except for cases in which defendants' attorneys and District Attorney Stanley Coe have indicated to the court that a jury panel will not be needed.

Pine Hills Plans Western Dance

Pine Hills Country Club members and guests will bring in the New Year with a western dance with music provided by the Country Music Establishment featuring recording artist Clynesse Primrose. Jerry Fournelle and Elmer Hall and their guitars will be part of the group. The music will begin at 9 p.m. Friday, December 31, and all members and their guests are invited.

Wee Wisdom Pupils In Christmas Program

(Pictures at left) The Wee Wisdom Day School had its Christmas program Monday with the four and five year old pupils donning robes and singing Christmas Carols before an audience of parents and friends. The 43 pupils were dressed in robes with red and green streamers in keeping with the Christmas colors. Teachers in the school who prepared the children for the program are Mrs. Carolyn Faulkner, Mrs. Gwen Sterling, and Mrs. Marjorie Hill.

Rainfall 10 Inches For Month

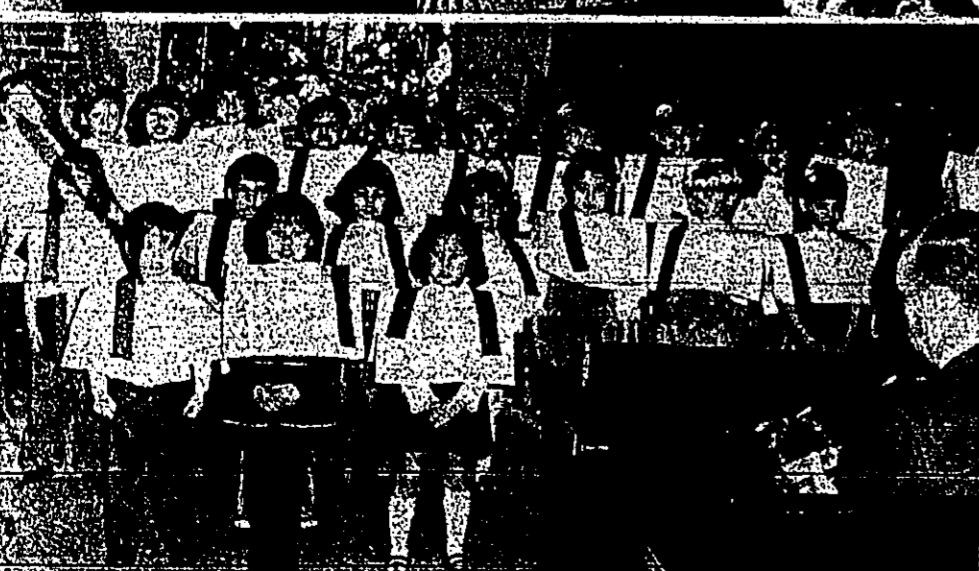
Last Thursday and Friday's rainfall measured at the Texas Forest Service district office south of Woodville totaled 2.24 inches. This and .02 on Saturday brought the total for the month of December to 10.32 inches.

Precipitation measured by the TFS pluviometer through December 6 was 7.02 inches. Since that time through Monday the TFS has measured .17 on the 9th, .20 on the 10th, .40 on the 12th, .18 on the 16th, 1.42 on the 18th, .82 on the 17th, .02 on the 19th and a trace on the 19th of the month.

The December normal in Tyler County as measured at Rockland for the Weather Bureau has been 5.09 inches average for the past 66 years. The average annual rainfall has been 49.85 inches during this time, but the past few years have been extra dry. Bayous and creeks which have had water in them for as long as oldtimers can remember have dried up in the last decade, and underground water has been depleted causing some wells to fail.

However, December so far has brought welcome relief from the drought which during the summer and fall had caused stock ponds to shrink to mudholes and creeks to dry up completely in places.

The heavy rainfall this month has caused some minor flooding along both Big and Little Turkey Creeks. Stock ponds are full and running over and even the Neches River has been on the rise this past week. Flooding is expected along the Trinity and Sabine Rivers later this week.



The Staff of the TYLER COUNTY BOOSTER wish you and yours a Merry Christmas

Woman's Page

WISHING YOU A JOYOUS HOLIDAY SEASON!

Kirby High Students Go On Christmas Tour Of Homes



Approximately 60 Kirby High School and home economics students made the Woman's Study Club Myrtle Barclay Christmas Tour of Homes this year. They visited the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Fahn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stafford and Dr. and Mrs. John Giehrst.

After touring the homes, the students and their teachers, Mrs. Mayne Canada and Mrs. Blanche Phillips, went to Woodville United Methodist Church for refreshments and a crafts display.

Winners in the crafts display were: Brown, first place winner; on the left: Cheryl Cortez, third place winner; Mrs. Charles Smith, with place winner; Mrs. Smith, holding Myrtle Barclay Tour of Homes; the second place winner for crafts award winners, Rebecca, Texas Griffin.



Hearty Christmas Greetings

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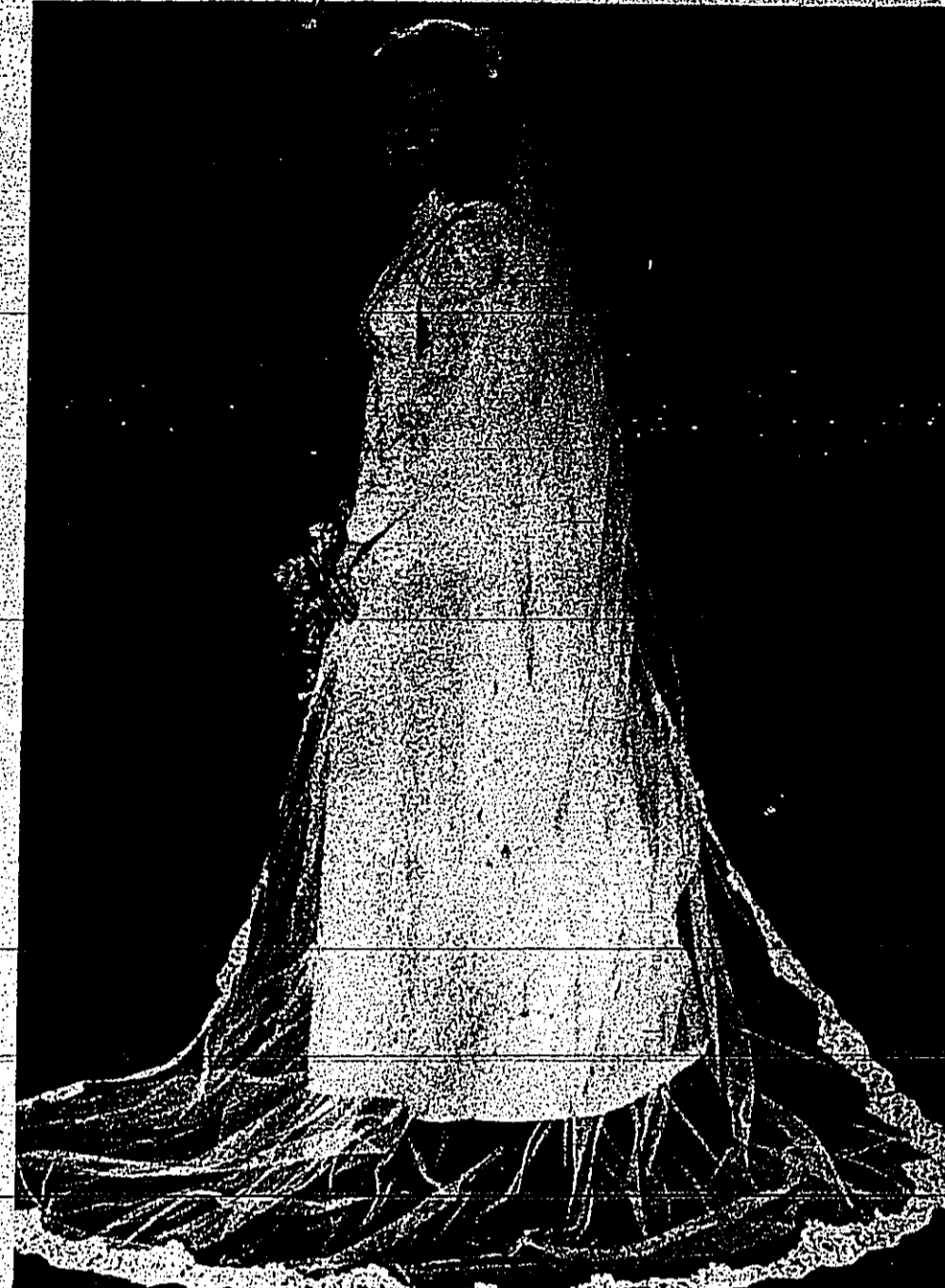
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Couple Exchanges Vows

Miss Carolyn Kay Owens and Gary W. Wood exchanged wedding vows in a candlelight ceremony at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in St. Olivet Baptist Church. The Rev. J. P. Owens and Rev. Richard Whittington were officiants for the rites. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Uel Owens of Fred and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wood of Silsbee. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mrs. Lionel Reece of Warren. The groom sang "Walk Hand in Hand With Me," and Mrs. Deanne of Dallas sang "The Lord's Prayer."

House attendants were Mrs. Robert Owens of Nederland and Mrs. Charles McManus of Nacogdoches. Bridesmaids were Miss Shirley Fleck of Houston, Miss Nancy Wood of Silsbee and Mrs. Wayne Miller of Marshall. Lighters of the candles were Pete Baker and Dewey Odum of Silsbee. Ringbearer and flower girl were Keith and Cindy Reece of Warren.

For her wedding the bride chose a formal gown of white tulle with sole applique, with venetian lace, long full sleeves with fitted cuffs. The head dress was a bow of white satin attached to a chapel length veil edged in venetian lace. Her bouquet was of white stephanotis, with lace leaves and English ivy topped with a white veil and seven variegated small orchids, with white velvet ribbon.

The honor attendants wore floor length dresses of pink velvet designed with gathered skirt attached to a high waist bodice with stand-up collar. The bridesmaids wore cranberry velvet dresses of the same design. They all carried bouquets of assorted colors of

STRENGTH For Those Days

From The Bible
For God loveth a cheerful giver." I Corinthians 9:7
This is a season of giving and giving. May the Lord help us that we may have the most wonderful Christmas ever, not because of getting, but because of receiving. May we all have the peace and joy and love of Christ not only at Christmas but all year long. For without Him we have none of these.

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Students and teachers in the old Midway School, now the famous Picket House at Heritage Museum, are shown at a reunion held Saturday night in the Picket House. They are (from left to right) Leon Dickens, Jessie Matthews Dickens, Mark Ruby, Young Adams, Robert Gilson, Carl Dickens, Mrs. Nora Holder, Albert Holder, and Etta Holder Adams. Thirty-two persons were present at the reunion including spouses and friends of the former students and teachers.



Pictured here are four of the teachers, some of whom also had been students, at the old Midway School which was the site of a reunion of students and teachers was held Friday night. From left are E. C. Matthews, 75, a student and teacher for 50 years; Mrs. Etta Holden-Adams, 74, a former student and teacher for three years; Carl Dickens, 65, a student who also taught one year; and Mrs. Nora Holder, the last teacher in the school, who taught for three years.

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PEACE on EARTH

Rites For Brother Of Colmesnell Woman Held In Orange

Funeral services for Willie Leon Woodard, 84, of Orange, were conducted at 10 a. m. Wednesday, December 15, in the Claytor Funeral Home, Rev. W. E. Gandy, pastor of the First United Pentecostal Church officiated. Burial was in the King Cemetery.

Mr. Woodard died at 5:50 a.m. Monday in Orange Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

A native of Arkansas, he had lived in Orange for 18 years. He was employed as a cook. He was a veteran of World War II and was a member of the First United Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Doretta Woodard, of Orange; two sons, W. W. Woodard Jr. and Darryl Woodard, both of Orange; one daughter, Mrs. Caroline Anne Newborn of Georgia; his father, S. L. Woodard of Kirbyville, his mother, Mrs. Stella Gentry of Coalgate, Okla.; one brother, Billy M. Woodard of Houston; and two sisters, Mrs. Kaye Brashear of Colmesnell and Mrs. J. G. Hunt of Kirbyville.

Granddaughter Of Local Couple Dies In San Augustine

Funeral services for Miss Diana Sue Martin, 20, of San Augustine were held at the First Baptist Church here Thursday, December 16, with the Reverends Carl Greer and Bonner C. Magness officiating. Burial was in Mt. Pisgah cemetery near Woodville.

Miss Martin was the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Barclay of Woodville. She died Tuesday, December 14, in a San Augustine hospital following an automobile accident. She was a native of Jasper and was working for a locker plant in San Augustine.

Other survivors include her

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SEASONS GREETINGS COLMESNEIL NEWS

The past week in Colmesneil has been filled with Christmas activities and plans for holiday days.

On Friday afternoon students from both high school and elementary grades met in the auditorium for a "Miscellaneous program" consisting of "numbers from various acts" and Christmas carols by the choir. Following this, students retired to their rooms where each grade had its program prepared.

The employees of Colmesneil School had their Christmas dinner at the Community Center Monday evening, with former employees, Miss Egan, Miss Deamond and Miss Lewis of Woodville, and the families of all employees, as usual. The party was a Christmas dinner with the exchange of gifts.

The students at Gray-Weekley of First Baptist on Wednesday evening were happily surprised at the close of the worship hour by an invitation to a beautiful tea in the annex on a Christmas gift from Mrs. and Mrs. Jones.

Sunday School parties are being given in various ways and places. The celebrating Christmas, or "wonderful" Christmas classes and their husbands met for a party and time at the Community Center on Friday night, the Home of Mrs. A. Schmitt, Mrs. and Mrs. Royce Borge of Dallas, Mrs. B. A. McFarland and daughter and Mrs. and Mrs. Edna Harrison of Port Neches, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Key of Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Moore and Ora Miller of Sour Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brock of Humbleville, and from Woodville, Mrs. Annie Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bell, Sandra Harrison and Gay Nell Hartwick.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple will visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oden of Colmesneil and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Durham of Groves, before leaving for Pennsylvania where he will resume his service in the army in January.

Mr. and Mrs. David Prior and their three little daughters



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Letter To The Editor

Dear Citizens:

I want to begin by saying that I am a senior in Kirby High School, and that all of the students of Kirby High were not in agreement with the letters printed in last week's Booster regarding the bond issue. I would also like to say that I am writing this letter on my own (without any pressure from parents). Unfortunately, some people are so narrow-minded as to believe that if you do not see eye-to-eye with them that you are not capable of thinking for yourself. I have listened carefully to both sides, and here is the way I see it.

I have attended school in Woodville for eight years, and I have never found even one unheated room or rotten floor. As for the so-called "inadequate" and "unsafe" having algae covering the walls and clothes on the floors, the plant was not fast you were led to believe) to dispose of the old gym should be bonded to the girls' and built a new "gym" for the boys. Wouldn't the old gym have been just as "inadequate" when girls were not fast you were led to believe) to dispose of the old gym should be bonded to the girls' and built a new "gym" for the boys.

Rev. Harper died at 6 p.m. Saturday in the Tyler County Hospital in Woodville following a long illness.

He was born in Alabama and had made his home in Warren for the past several years. He was active in the ministry of the Baptist Church in this area for 50 years. He retired in 1970 as pastor of the Pineville Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Crisette Hillon, Harper; two sons, Jess Harper of Jasper and H. A. Harper of Port Arthur; one daughter, Mrs. John A. Farris of Nederland; one brother, Bill Harper of Longview; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

James McMillan Promoted To Army Private First Class

James McMillan, 20, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard G. McMillan, live in Warren, recently was promoted to army private first class while serving with the 10th Infantry Brigade near Da Nang, Vietnam. PFC McMillan is a rifleman with Company C, 1st Battalion of the brigade. His infantry private is a 1968 graduate of Warren High School.

DOUCETTE NEWS

Funeral Services Held For Niece Of Local Couple

Funeral services for Miss Cynthia Ann Mitchell, 19, of San Augustine, were held at 3 p.m. Thursday, December 16, in the First Baptist Church in San Augustine. Officiating were Rev. Carl Greer and Rev. Bonner C. Magness. Burial was in Malone cemetery near San Augustine.

Miss Mitchell was the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Pike of Woodville.

She died at 8:45 p.m. Tuesday, December 14, in the San Augustine Memorial Hospital from injuries received in an automobile accident on State Highway 21 near San Augustine.

She was a native of San Augustine and was a student at San Houston State University in Huntsville. She was a member of the First Baptist Church. Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell; one sister, Miss Sandra Lynn Mitchell of San Augustine; her grandmother, Mrs. E. R. Pike of San Augustine; and her great-grandmother, Mrs. C. A. Bly of Hemphill.

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Cash prizes totaling \$100 will be paid to hunters who register the four legally killed buck deer in Tyler County with the widest rack of antlers during the deer season ending January 1, 1972. All deer must be brought by the Tyler County Booster office for measurement and picture, and an 8x10 photograph will be presented to each person bringing a deer by for measurement. A certified check will be mailed each winner after they are announced in the Tyler County Booster on January 6, 1972.

The same rules will apply in each prize category and the width of the rack will determine the winner in all cases. The number of points will not be taken into consideration.

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GIFT-GIVING AROUND THE WORLD

Admirer of a picture on a Russian's wall and he may like it down and give it to you. And pity the poor Fijians; at certain times of the year, he must give a neighbor anything the man asks for.

Among primitive Melanesians, where giving is all important, a gift of netting catches compliments, while in America you can give socks, ties, even an electric toothbrush and a pair of glasses.

One of these expeditions, so the story goes, he dropped a bag of gold down a chimney. It fell by accident into a stocking hung up to dry by the fire and promptly disappeared. (The legend of the Newfoundlander, however, says that the gold was hidden in a stocking.)

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The custom of Christmas gift-giving by acquiring her courtesies, to deliver presents before the dawn, produce! To forestall the gift-giving to the poor in England, on the day after Christmas, clergymen used to open the church alms-boxes for money on that day to people who had worked for them during the year.

For unusual gifts, take note of the barrels and barrels of fish given to churches by cloisters whatever they desire!



Duty of a Wife

"Whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge."

Does the modern wife owe this kind of biblical loyalty to her husband? Under today's law, is she still obliged to let him choose the family home?

Almost everywhere, that continues to be the basic rule. By and large, it is the husband who has the last word as to where they will live. If the wife refuses to follow his lead, she is guilty of desertion—grounds for divorce.

To cut expenses, a man prepared to move to a smaller apartment, but his wife decided it was "not stylish enough" for her, and went home to her parents. After a long struggle, the man was forced to divorce and won a decree. The judge said the wife's refusal to live with him, for no good and sufficient reason, made her a deserter in the eyes of the law.



Nevertheless, the husband's authority is far from absolute; he cannot insist on a housing arrangement which is simply not fair to his spouse.

For example, one man decided to move in with his mother, even though he could well afford separate lodgings—and even though his mother and his wife did not get along with each other.

A court held, in these circumstances, that the wife had a legitimate excuse for not joining the household.

Furthermore, when a man invites his wife to join him at a new location, he must "really mean it"—not just be going through the motions. One cantankerous husband having journeyed alone to the West Coast, sent back the following "invitation" to his wife:

"I have completely gotten over my regard for you, if I ever had any. However, I am doing what I must do, even though you have ruined my life. I ask you to come and make your home with me, as the law requires."

When the lady took, he tried to divorce her on the grounds of desertion. But the court ruled against him. The judge said this was the kind of an invitation that no self-respecting wife could possibly accept.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

Mommy, What's For Breakfast?



When your child comes bounding in for breakfast all bright-eyed and lily-white, carrying his or her favorite book of animal stories, help maintain that wide-awake feeling with a breakfast centered around cereal.

Cereal plays an important role in a well-balanced breakfast. Most nutritionists agree a breakfast that includes cereal...



Teen-age racing enthusiasts often ask me how to get started in automotive competition. While most of them want to be drivers, an ever increasing number realize the importance of learning the complexities of engine tuning and chassis setup.

To supplement courses in auto mechanics a young man should first acquire the following items for his home use:

- A diesel tachometer. This small, portable instrument checks distributor point spacing, which is essential for maximum performance.
- An air wiper.
- A timing light. Working off the ignition system, this item monitors engine timing, distributor action and centrifugal advance. Some models sell for \$4.
- Vacuum gauge and fuel pump tester. This simple instrument fits any vehicle gas line and does what the name implies. Less than \$7.
- Compression tester. Discs worn pistons or rings, leaking gaskets, sticking valves. Approximately \$8.

Many of these items are sold together in a kit at considerable savings. With this kit you should be able to practice on any 4, 6 or 8 cylinder automobile. Who knows, what began in the family garage may culminate at Indy's Gasoline Alley.



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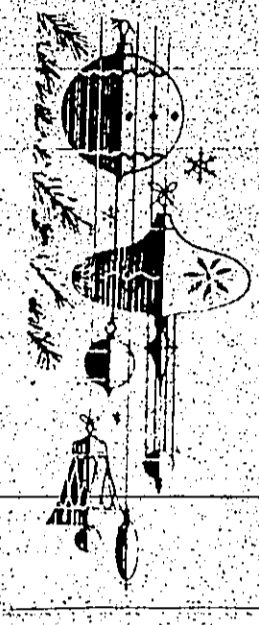
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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Intensive Care Nurseries Needed for the Critically Ill Newborn

by **Alvin H. Levick, M.D.**, Professor of Pediatrics and Director of Neonatal Services, Medical University of South Carolina

If communities could provide the critically ill newborn with the life-saving support of more intensive care nurseries, our shocking infant mortality rates would be cut in half.

Without the educated certainty of specially trained staff backed by modern monitoring equipment, the baby whose life is threatened has a much poorer chance of survival. If he does survive, he also faces greater risk of physical or mental damage from untreated complications.

Immediate intensive care is crucial because the risk of dying during the first 24 hours of life is 10,000 times greater than during any other day of life.

An intensive care nursery operates on the same principle as an intensive care unit for adults. Around-the-clock care is the rule. Most of our patients are premature and low birth weight babies born at full term who weigh less than five and one-half pounds (2500 grams).

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BIOCHEMICAL MONITORING of the newborn in intensive care nurseries, says Dr. Levick, saves lives and can prevent permanent damage.

What matters most about an intensive care nursery is that it not only saves a baby, it can send the child home able to build a strong, healthy life.

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Just A Minute

BY GEORGE CLARK

This weekend brings us to the observance of the anniversary of our Lord. This should be a most meaningful season for Christians everywhere. I trust that you and those you love will have a joyous and unforgettable Christmas.

What do you suppose you will remember most prominently about this special season a week, or month, or a year from now?

For some it will be a time stamped by loss and tragedy. This is always the case because the spirit of Christmas will not cause some people to conduct themselves as Christians. Others will look back over a collection of un-paid bills, the product of un-wise spending. To many it will be just a time bought through a season of obligation.

Yet others have found the higher meaning of the season. They will be together with friends and loved ones and will celebrate the season, aware of its deeper meaning.

Still others will take that step further, which will find for them the true spirit of the season. They give to those who cannot give in return. They will do so without future or pretenses. For these this will be an unforgettable Christmas. "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

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Mrs. Elizabeth Duncan Kozant, Director of the Women's Bureau, stated, "The expansion of educational programs tailored to the needs and interests of mature women is a fine example of democratic response to a real need."

Copies of the publication are available at 70 cents from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.

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PEACE ON EARTH GOOD WILL TO MEN

Christians Celebrate Holy Day With Prayer and Thanksgiving Songs of Season Carrying Merry, Modern Message

Long before the December 25 birthday of Christ was celebrated in Bethlehem, it had marked a season set aside for another kind of greeting. In Northern Europe, Teutonic tribes of pagan times greeted the rebirth of the sun of the winter solstice.

Earliest celebrations of Christmas combined songs of the birth of Christ, the manger scene, and the shepherds in the fields and the star shining in the heavens for heraldic greetings according to the Revised Standard Version of the Bible.

"Good news of great joy which will come to all people."

But the Latin words may look complicated to a nonscholastic eye. The music is simply itself—notes for a basic melody.

Simple as it is, this hymn comes from an era which saw the beginning of greater complexity in music. Toward the end of the 13th century, church music became not only a religious inspiration but a moving force in musical development.

It then became more complex and counterpoint changes took place in the language of Christmas song. The Latin was no longer a language understood by all.

The solution? "Macaronic" carols were born. They were Latin with something to eat—like "macaroni" adds a "ce" to become "macaronic" and gain a new meaning in the languages.

Macaronic carols combined Latin with a language that common people understood.

Dancing with Joy

A Christmas carol might also be a Christmas dance. Origin of the word "carol" itself seems to trace back to the French word, "carole" meaning to dance, and carols of yesterday may have been sung by carolers dancing in the streets.

Full of rejoicing, the carols sing today literally dance with holiday merriment.

GREETINGS

As the children rattle down to Christmas dreams, we extend happy wishes to you and your family!

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Intangible Gifts Are Bringing Best Blessings, in Abundance

Among the treasures and pleasures of Christmas, gifts come large—as all who greet the Yuletide as a season of gladness—heart-warm to be glad of heart well know.

Tangible gifts, large and small, have their place in the holiday's abundance. The outgoing expressions of the generous Christmas spirit.

It's the intangible gifts, though, that seem to shine most radiantly, Christmas after Christmas.

Classics Provide Yuletide Melodies

In this century, hymns and carols of the Nativity have been composed by Peter Warlock, ("Behold Him, Down") and Gustav Holst, ("Mid-Winter") among others.

One example is, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night," by Samuel Tait. Music for this came from Handel's opera, "Siroe," an adaptation of Richard Strauss' will.

JINGLE BELLS

"Mosses, American secular carol 'Jingle Bells,' written by James Pierpont of Massachusetts in the 1850's.

CAROL WITH COMRADES

"That old carol really isn't 'God Rest You Merry Gentlemen,' but 'God Rest (Keep You Merry) Gentlemen,'"

HEAR GET IT SAY

Oh Christmas Eve, bees hum holiday carols and melodies, says legend.

PEACE

to all this Christmas Season and Joy in every moment.

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GREETINGS

The days of yesteryear live on with every new Christmas season. May you enjoy your holidays with that good-old-time happy spirit!

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Santa's ringing out jolliest good wishes to all!

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A Peaceful Christmas

May the wisdom and love of the Three Kings fill your hearts with the true meaning of Christmas.

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GREETINGS TO ALL

Yule Lives In Legend And Lore

Twinkling on trees, glowing from windows, glittering everywhere, Christmas lights reflect today the candles of the birth of Christ.

A candle in the window can light the lives and enlighten the spirit. The spiritual insights of millions.

Earliest Christmas carols were simple and joyful as they sang of the birth of the Christ child.

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Art Spreads Story Of His Birth

The Nativity scene has always stimulated and challenged painters and sculptors.

In turn, great works of art depicting the story of the birth of Christ have, through the years, enriched the lives and enlightened the spirit of millions.

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Religious Cards Take Lead In Popularity

"Sorry, we don't have any more Christmas cards, only religious ones."

These words, supposedly spoken by a saleswoman to a last-minute shopper for greeting cards a good many years ago, wouldn't be meaningful now.

During recent years, religious cards with a religious message have led the way in popularity. The words "happy Christmas" and "Merry Christmas" are still popular, but the words "peace on earth, good will toward men" will toward men."

From England of long ago, came the words of this carol, showing the early role of the bay tree and its greens in decorating for Christmas.

Such themes still appear, and they take second place to religious messages—especially, "Peace on earth, good will toward men."

Decking Halls Has History

"Christ was born on Christmas day, hence the holly, holly, holly."

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GREENS HAVE MEANING

Greens that adorn homes, streets and stores at holiday time, entered the lore of old.

The ancients believed that each green had its own significance, and an ability to bring good or evil things.

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Christmas Greetings

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Trees Flourish In Festivities

Of all the customs of the Yuletide, none flourishes more furiously than the Christmas tree. It's a happy holiday tradition to set up a tree, string it with lights, deck it with ornaments and crown it with a star.

Legendary suggestions about the origin of the tree are plentiful—just about every country has one to affect. The pine trees of the Roman Saturnalia, the great tree of Yule in Scandinavia, the evergreen used to adorn the homes at the winter solstice are but a few of the possibilities.

In Scandinavian mythology, the three oaks of Yggdrasil stand together at the home of the gods, the land of mankind and the nether world.

Though where the idea began can't be pinpointed, it first showed up as an emblem of the winter season in the 16th century.

The custom of the tree was probably brought to the New World by British soldiers fighting for the British in the Revolutionary War.

The Christmas tree in America

usually Norway spruce, have been tradition in this New York business-entertainment complex. It first ever was a 40-foot tree in 1818.

1847, Minneapolis celebrated with a tree made of water-pipes. 133 trees placed in the pipes served as links.

1850, A Seattle shopping center set a record for the highest tree, with a 224-foot tree.

Canadians celebrate with a National Christmas Tree in Parliament Hill, in Ottawa.

1890, People of Pasadena, Calif. created a covering tree on Mount Wilson.

1912, Community trees were created in Madison Square Park, New York City, and on the Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington.

1913, Children's Christmas Tree placed in Madison Square Park.

1920, "Great" Christmas trees, a 100-foot tree, on Christmas Eve, in Madison Square Park.

1923, First National Community Christmas Tree inaugurated by President Calvin Coolidge.

1926, National Christmas Tree inaugurated by U.S. Department of Interior.

1933, First Rockefeller Center Christmas tree created in New York City.

Since 1941, huge Christmas trees in America

Well-Loved Carols Ring Out Everywhere

Wherever carolers get together, "Joy to the World" was written by Isaac Watts (1719-1795), English hymnist.

Watts, who is known as the creator of the modern hymn, wrote nearly 600 hymns. Many of these still appear in Protestant hymnals, says the Encyclopedia Americana.

"It came upon the Midnight Clear" is the work of Edmund H. Sears, a Unitarian minister in Massachusetts, more than a century ago.

Perhaps the most famous of Christmas carols, "Silent Night" was first sung on Christmas Eve, 1818, in a village in Austria.

Maria Serravallo, an Italian nurse, wrote the lyrics. Her husband, Franz Gruber, composed the melody for guitar.

Father Mohr's inspiration, aside from the lyrics, was the vast, still beauty of the snowy mountains around the village.

"Oh, come, all ye faithful" is translated from the Latin, "Advente, Fideles," and its exact beginnings are shrouded in the mists of time.

"Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht" has been written by Saint Bonaventura, in the 13th century.

Alabama was the first U.S. state to make Christmas a legal holiday, in 1836.

"CAME UPON THE MIDNIGHT CLEAR" may have been a favorite carol of Henry Ford and his wife Clara (Deyou). For they sent this greeting card, bearing the song written by Edmund H. Sears, from the Helmark Historical Collection.

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American Wines Come of Age

Who says wine has to be imported to really taste good?

Certainly not wine expert William E. Masse, who proudly proclaims that American wines have come of age some, being more than equal to a significant number of Europe's best vintages.

"I have been unthinkably less than two decades ago, Mr. Masse acknowledges. But recent innovations in the fermentation process in the world — are converted into a domestic bouquet that's almost too good to be true."

If you'd like to learn the complete story of how America's wine-making center is being rekindled, pick up a copy of Mr. Masse's new book, "McCall's Guide to Wine of America."

Written for novices and informed wine lovers alike, the book identifies all the "noble" grape varieties that flourish in the United States. For centuries, the native grapes, at best, produced barely drinkable wine. And, despite the fact that experiments with cuttings from the great vineyards of Europe began about 100 years ago — the initial results were dimly disappointing.

Fortunately, over the years, American growers learned the secrets of matching species and hybrids to climate, rainfall, sunshine and other factors to create grapes with the proper balance of sugar and acidity to make really great wine.

And now, these already

Holiday Is Favorite Theme for Writers

Whenever the talk turns to Christmas books and stories, somebody's sure to mention Charles Dickens.

"Christmas Carol," published in 1843, is synonymous with holiday convalescence, and its underlying theme stresses the spiritual truths and blessings of the holiday.

"God bless us, every one," cried Tiny Tim Cratchit, and the cry still echoes.

While Dickens may be a word for Christmas, many another author has written of the "religious festival" and merry feast.

"Among the best known examples may be scenes from children's literature. Louisa May Alcott's 'Little Women,' published 1868, may seem old-fashioned in some ways, but girls today still rejoice in the story of Meg, Jo, Beth and Amy.

These fictional heroines come to life for their readers, and never more so than in the Christmas season story.

Mistletoe Has Powers

Mystical powers by the dozens have been credited to mistletoe, among them the power to bring good luck, to summon ghosts and force them to answer questions.

At present, the most prized variety of mistletoe is the one that gives for plenty of Yuletide kissing. Fortunately, there's plenty of mistletoe.

How to Keep Yule Plants

Yes, those cherished holiday plants can keep on growing into next year.

As a tropical plant, poinsettias like plenty of water and warmth—70 to 80 degrees. Be sure to keep these plants in a warm place at night.

Though they have withered red-colored berries, cactus cherries are rather cool plants for the holidays. The temperature should be held at 60 to 65 degrees. Avoid over-watering.

Decorating for Christmas

Indoors, outdoors, all around the house—Christmas is the season for decorating, and what a wealth of decorations there are!

The tree seems to be just the beginning. Its ornaments and lights become continually more varied and delightful.

Wreaths and garlands, plants and bouquets, table decorations and window adornments appear in the home.

Outdoors, decorations range from a string of lights and a wreath on the door to manger scenes to such creations as Santa, sleigh and reindeer up on the roof-top.

Some of the yard and roof embellishments are real works of art—no wonder communities give prizes for outdoor decorating and lighting.

A diversity of designs for decorating are ready-made, offering welcome help during the bustling holiday season.

Still, it's fun to use personal ingenuity and creativity in making unusual Yule decorations.

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One thought might appeal to bird-lovers: Place wreath, ready or hand-made, outside a window. Decorate it with foods tasty to birds, such as peanuts, popcorn, cranberries and bits of suet.

Simple, personal touches make a difference. For instance, greens, ribbons and glittering balls can be attractively arranged on a table or shelf.

Just putting some colorful ornaments and pine cones in a big glass bowl brightens things up.

Get the kids to stringing cranberries and popcorn in the good old-fashioned way.

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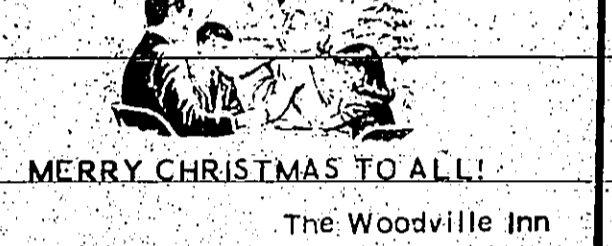
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THE STORY OF THE NATION and its meaning for mankind is a favored poetic theme, here in the holiday cheer of rhyme and rhyme.

Poets as diverse as William Shakespeare, Samuel Taylor Coleridge, John Greenleaf Whittier and T. S. Eliot have made their contributions.

"I heard the bells on Christmas Day" is the title of a poem by Alfred, Lord Tennyson.

"Their old, jagged carols play" is the title of a poem by Robert Frost.

"And wild and sweet the words repeat" is the title of a poem by Emily Dickinson.

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" is the title of a poem by Charles Wesley.

"The Christmas Tree" is the title of a poem by William L. Garrison.

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

For Unto Us A Child Was Born.

Come, Follow Me

Long ago three Wise Men
Were gazing at a star
That glistened in the Heavens,
Outshining all by far.

And so the Wise Men pondered
What could its message be,
For it somehow seemed to beckon
And say, "Come, follow me!"

So they ready for a journey,
And chose their gifts so rare,
Then they climbed upon their camels,
And turned them toward the star.

Long days and nights they traveled
With trials along the way,
Until they came to Bethlehem,
Where now the Christ Child lay.

And there the holy Magi
Kneel before this tiny King,
They gazed in adoration,
While hearing angels sing.

And then along with shepherds
They heard the reason why
They were beckoned by a message
That came out of the sky.

And they gave it to the ages
So that all good men might be,
Just as joyfully rewarded
By the words, "Come, follow me!"

Lorraine S. Blair

Merry Christmas

Happy holidays! Hope they're packed with spirited, fun times and lots of special Christmas cheer.

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May the happiness and joy of the season touch every home, each family. We thank all our friends and neighbors for their loyal patronage.

From the Management and Employees of **KELLER ALUMINUM PRODUCTS** and **KELLER EXTRUSIONS PRODUCTS**

GRAMMER'S GROCERY
JOE & LARRY GRAMMER

'Greetings' Say It's Christmas

All the merriment, all the magic, all the glory of Christmas comes now to the people of this community, like a wonderful package of gifts they can share and enjoy. The wrappings on the package glow with brightest promise—joyful music in the air, gleaming lights and gaily decorations, fun and festive trees and greens and all the trimmings for a Christmas just brimming over with the good things and glad times that the season inspires.

Now that the long-awaited moment has arrived, what does this community Christmas package hold? The tag gives a clue. It reads, "Greetings, good will and good wishes—Merry Christmas!"

In the community, in the home, in business and social relations, the true spirit of Christmas begins and grows from greetings.

The greetings may be—as evidenced by this special Christmas Greetings Edition—an expression of good will and gratitude from business people of the community, who are sincere in their desire to impart special appreciation of their patrons' confidence and trust.

But whether it's a cheery "Merry Christmas" to a new acquaintance, a warm exchange of season's best wishes with an old friend or still deeper exchange of felicitations with a loved one, the holiday greeting embodies the guiding spirit of "Peace on earth, good will toward men."

Enchanting as they are, gifts, parties and other such gaieties are but the outer wrappings of the holiday package that means Christmas, with its message of fellowship, friendship and love.

Happy New Year

Distinctive Early American, French and Spanish design with handsome carved decorative motif on china door fronts and chair backs. China has adjustable glass shelves and light in deck, silverware tray in base. Table top is of fine matched Pecan veneers. 42" x 60" extends to 72".

TABLE & 4 CHAIRS or **CHINA \$14.95 to \$18.85 month**

While they last - FREE Turkey with purchase of Formal Dining Room Suite.

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206 W. Bluff 283-3740 Woodville

JOY AT CHRISTMAS

When it comes to holiday baking, nothing lifts party spirits quite like refreshing punch and refreshments. Here, then, is a delightful array of delectables you can make for your party.

AMERICAN EGNOG
Beat 12 egg yolks until light brown with sugar till mixture is thick. Stir in 1 qt. milk and 1/4 lb. butter. Chill 3 hours, pour into punch bowl. Fold in 1 qt. heavy cream stiffly whipped. Chill 1 hour, dust with nutmeg. (Serves 24)

Quick Recipe - Use eggnog mix from your dairy; add 12 oz. milk to 1 qt. of mix. Fold in 1 cup heavy cream whipped. Chill, add nutmeg. (Serves 12)

HOLIDAY FRUIT PUNCH
1 quart cranberry juice
1 quart Dm 10 white rum
1 frozen 6-oz. lemonade concentrate
1 cup club soda

Mix rum, cranberry juice, cranberry juice and lemonade concentrate. Add club soda just before serving. Add ice ring and garnish with clementines. Serves 12. Sprinkle 4 oz. verb.



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Best Wishes for Christmas

To you, the family, too! We wish the merriest and brightest.

Ling's Market

A Merry Christmas

Meat Department
Cured meats, fresh meats, poultry, seafood.

Deli Department
Sandwiches, salads, soups, pastries.

Bakery
Fresh breads, rolls, cakes, pastries.

Produce
Fresh fruits, vegetables, herbs.

Gifts
Toys, clothing, electronics, housewares.

Location: 236 N. Main Street, Woodville, Texas 77380

May the Joy of Christmas Fill your Home

MELODY BEAUTY SALON

May the joy of Christmas fill your home. Our stylists will create beautiful hairstyles for the holiday season.

Services: Haircuts, styling, coloring, perms, manicures, pedicures.

Address: 100 N. Main Street, Woodville, Texas 77380

Christmas Blessings

Away in a manger, Christ is His day.

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Jim A. Glatys Turner 429-3774

OFFICE SUPPLY CENTER

SALES SERVICE-RENTALS
(30 Years Experience)
E. H. Brandin 109 E. Bluff 5911

Greetings for Christmas

Special delivery! It's a friendly message brimming with the best of holiday cheer. We hope this Christmas is the merriest and happiest for you and all your loved ones.

WATSCO CONTRACTORS

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PEACE

Use you to bow this day in the city of David's Son, which is Christ the Lord.

Gassiott's Jr. Dept. Store

Linda's BEAUTY SHOP

We're dashing off to wish one and all a joy-filled holiday.

283-2071 311 So. Magnolia

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

FREEMAN CONCRETE WORKS
Driveways, sidewalks, patios, foundations, and more. Call 283-2242.

YOU saved and saved for what? Well, carpet. Kev's Carpet & Upholstery, 283-2242.

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Brick 3-bedroom, 2-bath, carport. Call 283-2242.

FOR SALE: 4 1/2 gallon milk can. Call 283-2242.

FOR SALE: 1970 Ford van. Call 283-2242.

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SAVE BY MAIL!

When you save by mail, you also save postage. Because we pay it for you. We also supply you with an invoice. We make it easy for you to save, and with your whole too. Come save with us!

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JASPER, TEXAS

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CANNOT LOSE PRIME... with the pump in the water tank, no need for air or motor... RUTH-BERRY. Call 283-2071.

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Trailer space for rent, near school. Private lot, all utilities available. Reasonable. Call 283-2242.

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FOR RENT: New post hole digger, 6 inch digger, \$10 per day. Call 283-2242.

May the Spirit of this Christmas Season bring you Joy and Peace

PHILLIPS' REAL ESTATE

WOODVILLE INN
BAKER FAIRCHILD
A. N. HORTON

Woodville, Texas
283-2720
283-2768

FOR SALE

1967 Pontiac GTO hardtop, loaded. Excellent condition. \$1495. 1966 Ford 2 door hardtop, power and air, excellent condition, \$995. 1960 Volkswagen, carburetor, \$295.

FOR SALE: 1970 Ford van, 2800 actual miles. Perfect condition. Can be seen at Porters Cleaners, 406 W. Bluff St., Woodville, Texas. Tel. 283-2318. \$1,795.00. Trade considered.

THANKS VOTERS

Thanks to all voters who participated in the School Bond election Dec. 14th. You demonstrated democracy in action.

We are for good education... We will educate our children... We will build necessary facilities... We will cooperate with the school management and school board to obtain any reasonable facilities.

CITIZENS COMMITTEE
S. E. Slocum, Chairman
(SELF-PAID POL. ADV.)

SHRIMP AND EGG ELEGANCE FOR HOLIDAY ENTERTAINING

Looking for a holiday spectacular? A shrimp and egg filled French bouche makes quite a drink and difficult to stage for brunch or late supper. Make the refrigerator work, the fabulous dishes while you sleep and keep cool and out of the way for hours until needed.

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ELEGANT CHICKEN

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3.50 acre tract on Hwy. 204. Call 283-2242.

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23.5 acres near Bettyann church on blacktop rd. Call 283-2242.

100 acres timber near Warren. Call 283-2242.

55 acres, timber, located near Warren. Call 283-2242.

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THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

May the true spirit of Christmas fill your hearts and homes... Clyde R. Smith REALTOR

283-3094

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110 N. Main Street - Office Phone: 283-2803
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MON., TUES., WED., THURS., FRI. DEC. 20, 21, 22, 23 & 24



TURKEYS

ROYAL ROCK YOUNG HENS 10 TO 14 AVG. LB.

39c

SUNDAY HOUSE SMOKED TURKEYS 10 to 14 AVG. LB. 99c
 FRESH HENS LB. 49c
 OSCAR MAYER FRESH PORK LINK SAUSAGE LB. 99c
 BONELESS HAMS Hormel "Cure 81" Half

7 to 9 lb. Avg. ARMOUR ROTISSERIE TURKEYS LB. 69c
 WHOLE OR HALF PORK FRESH HAMS LB. 65c
 FRESH FRYER GIZZARDS LB. 49c

10 to 12 lb. AVG. SWIFTS BUTTERBALL TURKEYS LB. 59c
 NEUHOFF WHOLE OR BUTT HALF SMOKED HAMS LB. 59c
 FRESH FROZEN FRYER GIZZARDS LB. 49c

We will be closed Dec. 25, 26, 27 to allow our employees more time with their families.

PIES

FRYER LIVERS LB. 69c
BANQUET PUMPKIN OR MINGEMEAT 20 OZ.

29c

ICE CREAM ROUND 1/2 GAL. 79c

KRAFT ORANGE JUICE 1/2 Gal. 89c
PETRIZZ PIE SHELLS 10 29c
LIBBY BROCCOLI SPEARS 10 29c

Pot Whip TOPPING 1 qt. 49c
BORDEN QUART CAN EGG NOG 59c



OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRY SAUCE NO. 300 CAN WITH PURCHASE OF \$5 OR MORE Limit 1 at Sale Price 1c

STRAWBERRIES

TROPHY FROZEN 10 OZ. PKG. 19c

TOWIE MANZ OLIVES 5 oz. 39c
TOWIE SALAD CHERRIES 9 oz. 39c
HUNT'S SPICED PEACHES 3 2 1/2 \$1.00

RED LABEL KARO 16 oz. 35c
LIBBY'S CREAM STYLE CORN 303 can 19c
OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRY COCKTAIL 32 oz. 59c

LIBBY'S WHOLE KERNEL CORN 5 #303 \$1.00
LIBBY'S FR. STYLE GREEN BEANS 5 #303 \$1.00
LESUER PEAS 303 can 29c

MAYONNAISE

KRAFT QUART

59c

BRUCE YAMS 2 1/2 can 29c
LIBBY'S PUMPKIN 303 can 15c

LIBBY'S ONION SOUP MIX 2 PK. 35c
DIME BRAND MILK 14 oz. 35c

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT 9 oz. 29c
KELLOG'S CROUETTES 7 oz. 35c

CREAM CHEESE

KRAFT PHILADELPHIA 8 oz. PKGS.

29c

BORDO PITTED DATES LB. 49c
CREAMY HIPOLITE 9 oz. 29c

BAKER'S ANGEL FLAKE COCONUT 14 oz. 59c
HERSHEY'S CHOC. CHIPS 12 oz. 49c

NESTLE'S BUTTERSCOTCH MORSELS 6 oz. 29c
SUNSHINE CHEEZE IT 10 oz. 39c

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BETTY CROCKER WITH COUPON BELOW

3 PKGS. FOR 89c

REYNOLDS BROIL FOIL 14 oz. 39c
GALA NAPKINS 60 ct. 2 for 29c

"LITTLE PRUNE" PANTY HOSE Pr. \$1.99
HOSTESS TURKEY & MEAT FOIL TRAY 99c

HOSTESS FOIL LAZY SUSAN Server 99c
BETTY CROCKER With Coupon FROSTING MIX 3 PKGS. \$1.00



LETTUCE

FRESH FIRM HEAD

29c

MIX OR MATCH

RADISHES 6 oz. CELLO BAG • CUCUMBERS GREEN ONIONS BUNCH • BELL PEPPERS

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OR SPRITE

6 PACK PLUS DEPOSIT 49c



ALL OF US AT BIG STAR WISH YOU AND ALL OF YOURS THE MERRIEST OF CHRISTMAS.

BLUE STONE GRANITE ROASTERS SM. MED. LG. \$2.39 \$2.89 \$4.49

TOMATOES VINE RIPE LB. 39c
ORANGES U.S. NO. 1 TEXAS 5 lb. bag 49c
APPLES WASHINGTON EXTRA FANCY RED DELICIOUS LB. 29c

BIG STAR BETTY CROCKER FROSTING MIX 3 PKGS. \$1.00 WITH THIS COUPON VOID AFTER 12-24 WITHOUT COUPON \$1.41

BIG STAR BETTY CROCKER CAKE MIX 3 PKGS. 89c WITH THIS COUPON VOID AFTER 12-24 WITHOUT 1.41