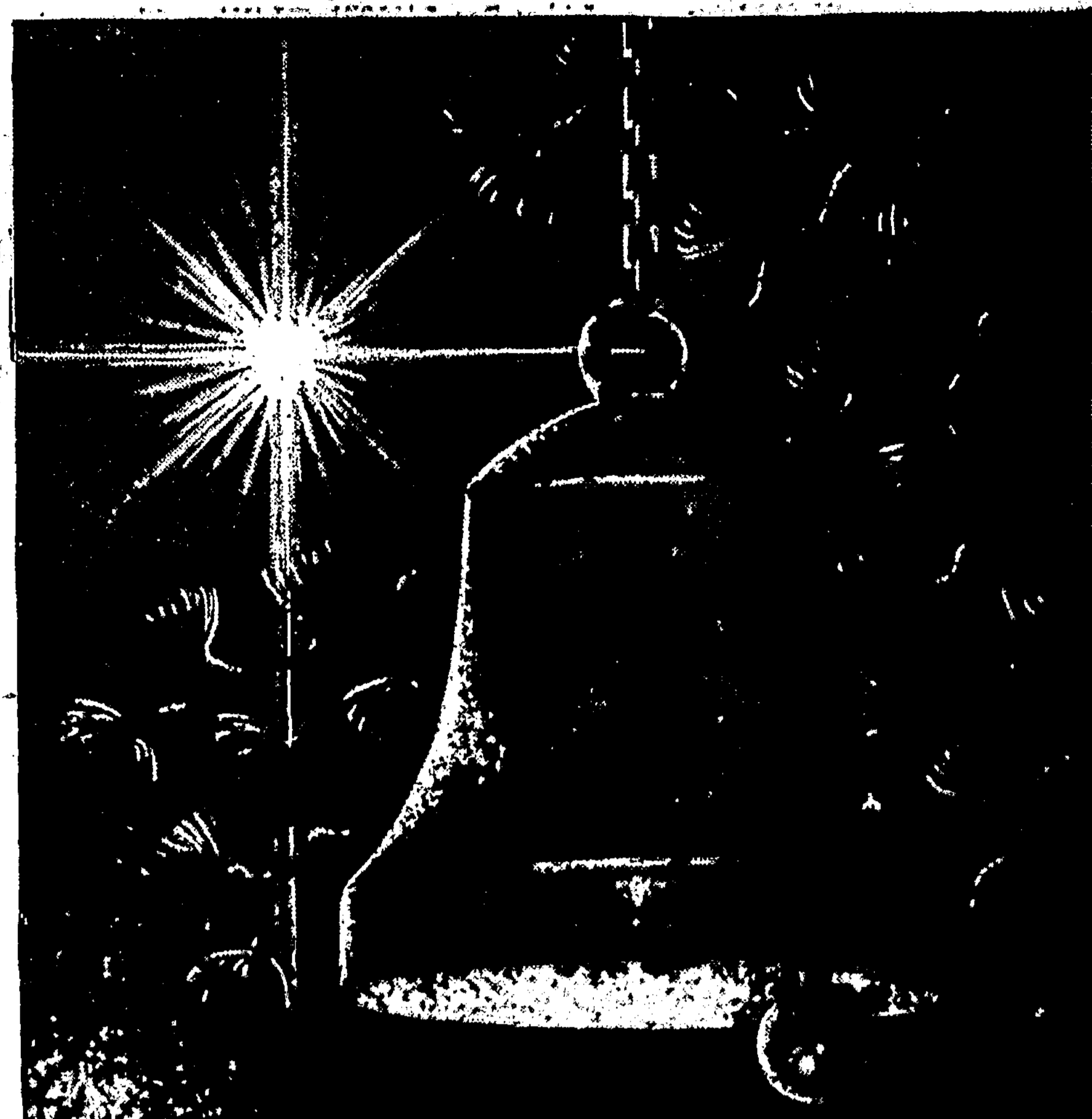


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Season's Greetings

FROM THE
OWNERS AND STAFF OF THE RUIDOSO NEWS



SKI REPORT

REPORT FOR DEC. 23

Average machine packed
snow — 23"

Skiing conditions — good to
excellent.

New snow this week — none.

Weather at report time —
overcast.

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By HUGH STILES

CHRISTMAS

EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS

Every year the talk of Christmas gets more and more commercialized with only a few, a very, very few, really doing anything about the real thing.

By the same token that everybody gets into the act regarding commercializing Christmas, it is also a fact that Christmas is everybody's business.

The great fact of angels in the Angels Choir that rang out the theme of Christmas, singing "Glory To God On 'The Highest and Peace and Good Will To All Men'".

It is often preached that the Christmas scene is one for all to see, and it is. It is the Christmas scene, the young and the old, the red and the white, the black and the yellow, all races, all nationalities, all people of all walks of life, under any and every condition.

By including everyone in the Christmas scene it does not mean that everyone is to give and/or receive gifts, but it does mean that God's Son, Jesus Christ, is everyone's free gift.

The Christmas scene is the most beautiful reminder to every man, woman and child that God sent a Son into the world for ALL MANKIND.

Design Contest Set For Village Flag

Ray Crawford, chairman of the American Legion flag committee, has announced that a contest will be held for design of a city flag with the deadline for entries set for Dec. 28.

The contest is open to all Ruidoso residents. Entries should be submitted in color on a sheet of paper 8 1/2 x 11 inches or larger. A brief description in writing should accompany the entry.

A prize will be given the winner of the contest. Entries may be deposited either at the Ruidoso News or at the American Legion.

The winning design will become the official flag for the Village of Ruidoso and will be used in the celebration of the State's 60th Anniversary slated for Jan. 6 at Santa Fe.

Junior Racers Unhurt In Auto Accident

Three members of the Ruidoso Junior Racers were in a car involved in an accident while returning home from a ski race meet at Valle Colorado.

The car, driven by Randy Briggs of Albuquerque, with Sawyer Ward, Kathy Campbell and Dale Pearson as riders, ran under a truck that had jackknifed just over the brow of a hill south of Antonito.

None of the group were hurt in the accident.

The church, being the focal point of Christmas activities thru its people, is the nucleus from which the true message of Christmas is to be told to all the people of the world. It is not the only place by any means, but it is one of the primary dispensaries of the Good News to man and that Christmas and Christ is for everyone.

To exclude anyone, good, indifferent or bad, from the joy and the privilege of bearing the Good News of the birth of the Son of God would be the greatest of all tragedies, much greater than commercializing the Christmas scene.

It perhaps would be like a homophonic, physical, social or spiritual condition. Christmas is everybody's business because God planned it that way.

By including everyone in the Christmas scene it does not mean that everyone is to give and/or receive gifts, but it does mean that God's Son, Jesus Christ, is everyone's free gift.



THIS IS IT, SANTA — With only a day remaining before the formal arrival of Santa Claus, Cherri Hobbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hobbs, Ruidoso, wanted to make sure Santa brought her the right gift. Santa made his annual pre-Christmas appearance at the Gambles Store in Ruidoso last Saturday and Cherri was very eager to assist Ole Saint Nick.

(Ruidoso News Photo)

Bauske Is Apparent Low Bidder For School Construction Project

Apparent low bidder on new construction and additions to the Ruidoso Schools at a bid opening held Tuesday afternoon was W. R. Bauske Co. with a bid on three lots of \$254,312.00. The bid, broken down into the individual lots, included: Lot 1, new library building, new vocational building, additions to the gymnasium building and the gymnasium building — \$100,778; Lot 2, addition to the vocational building (new to a state grant) — \$100,778; new administration building — \$34,860.

Bids for Lot 3, which included book stacks and equipment, will again be called for bids.

The three bidders on the construction project were John Cornell, W. R. Bauske and "D" Construction.

A complicating factor in the acceptance of the bids was an oral notice that the school system would receive an additional state grant for vocational education in the amount of \$48,600. The board tentatively agreed to accept the bids on Lots 1 and 2 and withhold acceptance of Lot 3 until written acknowledgment of the grant is received.

An additional \$15,000 has also been added from interest on monies since passage of the bond.

With the additional funds, it would appear that all needed projects will now be feasible in the construction and remodeling program. It was originally felt by the board that some of the building could not be accomplished and so, a schedule of priorities had been drawn for the construction. The board was well pleased with bids on the projects and noted that the bids were in line with projected costs.

With the acceptance of these bids, projects left to be completed include: (figures are approximations) Nob Hill — \$75,000; gym — \$50,000; junior high — \$75,000; home economics — \$20,000; and high school — \$48,600.

Construction now complete includes: Nob Hill, new cafeteria (high school), and White Mountain school work.

Final approval for the bids will be given following detailed study by the architect, Superintendent Pat Vallant also noted that \$1,000 for less.

books and \$1,000 for the library had been granted at a new budget hearing recently in Santa Fe.

Storage buildings and administration buildings on the building site are now being moved.

Chamber Plans Annual Events

Seven directors were present for the regular meeting of the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Chamber of Commerce held Monday at the Wild Small Restaurant.

A financial report was given, showing that the chamber has enough operating money left to last about one month unless delinquent memberships are paid. This is the first year in many that the group has ended the calendar year out of debt.

The annual chamber banquet was tentatively set for the first week in May with the membership drive to be held the second week in May. Discussion was held on speakers for the banquet and several suggestions made.

A dance, to be sponsored by the chamber, was proposed for February and a committee was named to investigate dates and name bands for the event.

Mayor George White announced that a committee had been named to represent Ruidoso in the State's 60th Anniversary celebration slated for Jan. 6, 1972. J. J. DiPaolo was named to serve for both the village and the chamber at the event.

President Dick Mould announced that an Armed Forces Day will be held, probably in January, and that local motels and restaurants had agreed to provide special rates to servicemen for the day.

A project for a Village flag was noted under the sponsorship of the American Legion in conjunction with the schools and suggestions were asked for the design of the flag. At present, only three other cities in the state have official city flags and the state anniversary committee has requested other villages and cities in the state to adopt flags.

The chamber will sponsor a carnival to be held July 6, 7 and 8 as a fund-raising project. The carnival will be the same group.

NAMED CHAIRMAN

Jack McGarry was named chairman at a previous meeting for the precincts one and two at a Annual Aspicade and Sept. 8 meeting held Dec. 17 at the and for the Tennis Tournament.

The Ruidoso News Will Be Closed Friday and Saturday

The RUIDOSO NEWS office will be closed Friday and Saturday of this week to permit the owners and staff to spend this special season of the year with their families.

Again we take this opportunity to wish each of you a very sincere Season's Greetings. We trust that the New Year will bring with it all that is included in the betterment and happiness of you and your loved ones.

Highway Project Supervisor Urges Caution At Site

A new detour has been opened from approximately one and one-half miles west of the east end of the project and connecting to the bridge detour.

The contractor anticipates placing the concrete in the bridge deck which will almost complete the bridge on this project. The contractor will again be hauling dirt across the highway and detour with heavy equipment and will have dump trucks hauling gravel with the traffic.

Due to the heavy equipment

NOTICE

The Ruidoso Municipal offices, according to village officials, will be closed Thursday and Friday, Dec. 23-24, in observance of the Christmas holidays.

The Ruidoso Police Department and the Ruidoso Fire Department offices will remain open as usual. Residents requiring emergency attention regarding village utilities, for these two days only, are asked to contact the Ruidoso Police Department.

NOTICE

Announcement was made that the Ruidoso Warrior Booster Club would meet Thursday, Dec. 23, at the start of the Christmas holidays. The Booster Club will meet next Thursday, night, Dec. 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the High School library.

on the road, we would appreciate everyone exercising extreme caution while driving through the project and to please watch for our flag girls. Let's Make Safety A Holiday Tradition!

/s/ Joseph W. Nail, Project Supervisor

Homes Are Needed For Exchange Student

A home is needed in January for a Rotary Exchange student from Brazil and the Ruidoso Rotary Club has asked that anyone wishing to accept the 17-year-old male student contact president Dick Mould.

A minimum of four sponsoring sets of parents are needed for the year's stay of the exchange student.

The student's name is Sinval Coutinho and he comes from Valadares, Minas Gerais, Brazil. His father is a pharmacist and a member of Rotary. His career preference is electrical engineering and favorite sports are volleyball and basketball.

Normally the club has about three months to arrange homes for exchange students, but in this case, another club could not accept the boy and Ruidoso was asked to take him.

The only requirement for a home is that the student have his own bed.

The student is related to other homes for more experience in American customs and understanding.

It was noted by one sponsoring parent that the exchange program is a learning experience for both the student and the parents.

Christmas Contest Set by Chamber

The annual Chamber of Commerce Christmas Lighting Contest judging was scheduled Thursday, Dec. 23, 7:30 p.m., according to chamber president Dick Mould.

Anyone who wished to have their home judged, were to call the chamber office prior to that time. No entry fees were required, that were decorated, were judged.

Both commercial businesses and residences were eligible for the contest.



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OES Chapter 65 Sets Installation

An open installation of new officers in the Ruidoso Chapter 65 of the Order of Eastern Stars will be held on Saturday, Jan. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the OES Hall in Palmer Gateway. All Eastern Stars and Masons and the public are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments and a social hour will be held following the ceremonies.

New officers to be installed and who were elected at a recent meeting, are Clara Jester, Worthy Matron; Frank Adams, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Austin Pritchett, Associate Matron; Austin Pritchett, Associate Patron; Mrs. Ray Littlefield, Conductress; Mrs. Marion Raley, Associate Conductress; Mrs. R. K. Knox, Secretary, and Mrs. Nora Luallin, Treasurer.

Phillips-Clements Vows Solemnized In Baptist Church

Wedding vows of Miss Delana Lee Phillips and Michael Paul Clements were solemnized in a candlelight ceremony at 8 p.m. Monday, Dec. 20, in the First Baptist Church in Ruidoso. Rev. Kenneth Cole, Minister of the First Christian Church, officiated at the double-ring ceremony. The vows were exchanged in front of a vine covered archedway with baskets of red gladiolas and white mums on each side.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carmon Phillips of Ruidoso. Parents of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clements and daughter Barbara, came from Everett, Wash., for the ceremony.

Miss Cathy Hine and Miss Mary Wallace played a flute duet "Love Theme" from Romeo and Juliet followed by a song "One Hand, One Heart."

Miss Katie Gill accompanied on the guitar. Miss Wallace and Miss Gill sang "Wedding Song". Given away by her father, the bride wore a formal white chiffon velvet gown with silk organza Juliet sleeves, trimmed with Irish lace. The skirt of the gown was enhanced with lace roses.

Her cathedral-illusion veil was attached to a jeweled headpiece. She carried a cascade bouquet of white French feathered carnations.

Miss Cathy Hine was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Mary Wallace and Miss Katie Gill. They wore red brocade satin gowns trimmed in white fur. Each carried a white fur muff with red carnations attached. Their headpieces were bands of white fur.

Flower girl was Miss Barbara Clements, sister of the bridegroom. She was dressed in a gown similar to the bridesmaids. Ring bearer was Todd Perceat.

Miss Peggy Lee Phillips and Miss Julie Gooch were candle-



MIL. AND MRS. MICHAEL PAUL CLEMENTS
lighters. They wore floor length white dresses with red velvet sashes and red corsages.

Best man was Jack Valliant and groomsmen were Tom Valliant and Allen Ward. They wore black tuxedos with red-ruffled shirts. The bridegroom wore a white Elizabethan shirt with tuxedo.

Keith Phillips and Billy Ray were ushers.

Miss Carlo Wilton accompanied the bridesmaids on the guitar during the precessional as they sang, "Ave Maria Gella". Mrs. John Hawkins played the

traditional wedding march. The bride and bridegroom wrote, arranged and performed the ceremony.

For something old the bride wore a ring of her paternal grandmother; something borrowed was a handkerchief from her maternal grandmother, and her gown was something new. She wore the traditional blue garter, and her cultured pearl earrings were a gift from the bridegroom.

The bride's mother wore a pink lace choker dress with beige accessories and the bridegroom's mother wore a beige coat and dress ensemble and accessories. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. W. D. Bolcher, wore turquoise crepe and chiffon. All wore feathered chrysanthemums.

A wedding reception followed at the Gold Room in the Holiday House. Miss LaDonna Phillips, cousin of the bride, presided at the guest book.

Mrs. Fred Greenwell served the three-tiered wedding cake and Mrs. Don Phillips poured the punch. The table cloth was white not over taffets with sequined bells and hearts with names and dates on the skirt. The red and white theme of the wedding was carried out in the punch, mint, carnation centerpiece and other decorations.

The couple will be living in Albuquerque where the bridegroom will continue his medical studies. The bride recently finished studies for a theatrical degree at ENMU and will go into theatre work in the Albuquerque area.

Richardson-Eubank Wedding Is Held In Fairfield, Texas

The wedding of Miss Joan Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Newburn Richardson of Fairfield, Texas, and Randall Lester Eubank, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Eubank of Ruidoso, was held on Friday, Nov. 28, at 8 p.m. in the Calvary Baptist Church in Fairfield with Rev. Norman Burks officiating at the double-ring rites.

The church was decorated with baskets of white gladiolus and candleabra holding white tapers entwined with greenery. Mrs. J. S. Orand, aunt of the bride, was the organist. She accompanied the soloist, Mrs. Glen Harris who sang "Because" and "Whither Thou Goest".

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a dress of white shantung with an empire waistline which was accented with seed pearls as was the ruffled neckline and long fitted sleeves. She wore a short veil of illusion held by a white satin bow on her head and she carried a bouquet of white roses and carnations.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Andy Bonner of Nacogdoches, Texas, wore a dress of moss green crepe with a high waistline and ruffles accenting the sleeves. She carried a bouquet of gold colored chrysanthemums. Miss Gina Edwards of Longview, Texas was flower

girl. She was dressed in a gold colored crepe dress and carried a white basket with flower petals.

Serving as best man was Lee Kirgan of Fairfield, and ushers were Steve Await and David Barnes, both of Fairfield.

A reception was held in the church fellowship hall. The bride's table was laid with floor length white bridal satin overlaid with white ruffled tulle, accented at the corners with wedding bells. The centerpiece was an arrangement of gold colored chrysanthemums and gypsophylla. Mrs. James T. Orand and Miss Theresa Chavers presided at the bride's table. Miss Caroline Whitley of Teague, Texas was in charge of the guest book and Miss Kelly Hill-holland of Dallas, Texas and Miss Wheatley passed out small bags of rice trimmed in gold and green.

The bride is a 1969 graduate of the Fairfield High School and received her secretarial certificate from Navarro Junior College in 1970. She has been employed with Industrial Generating Co.

The bridegroom graduated from Fairfield High School, attended Navarro Junior College, and is now attending New Mexico State University. The couple is now at home in Las Cruces.



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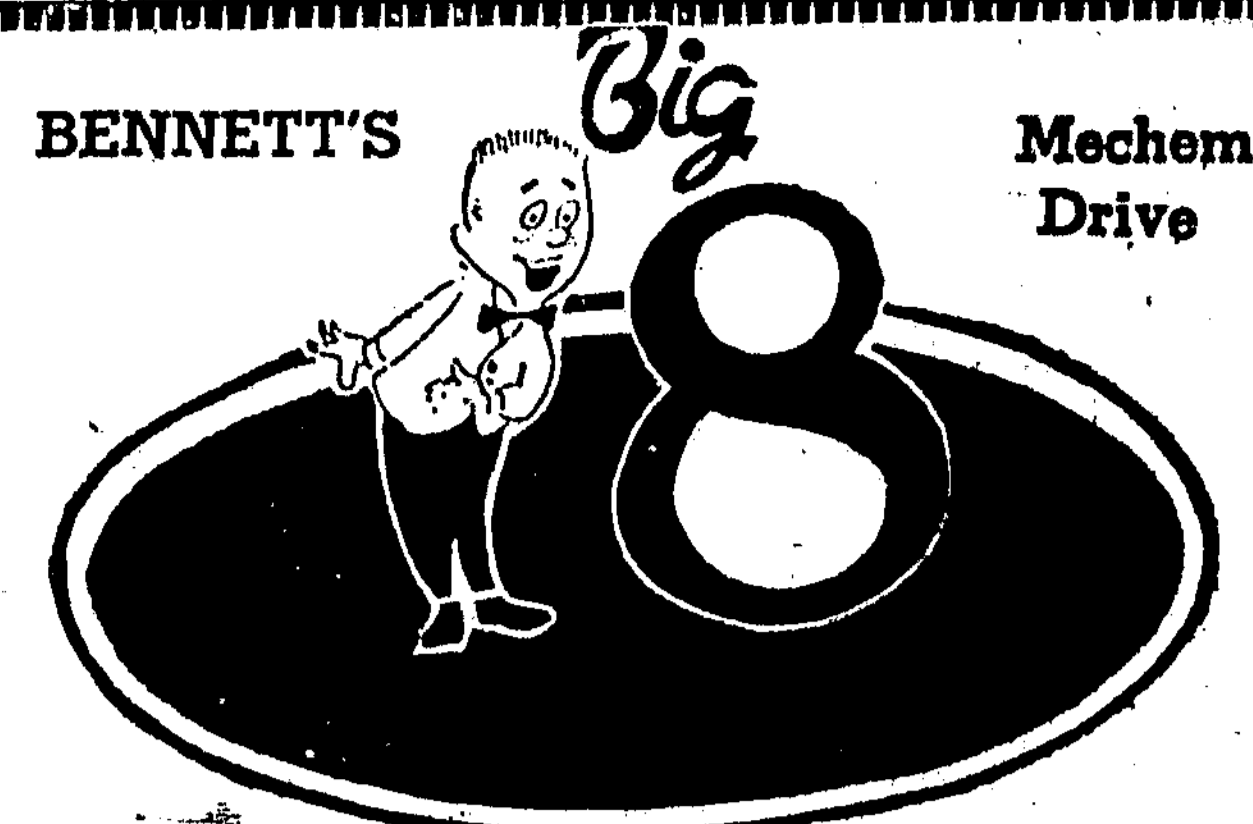
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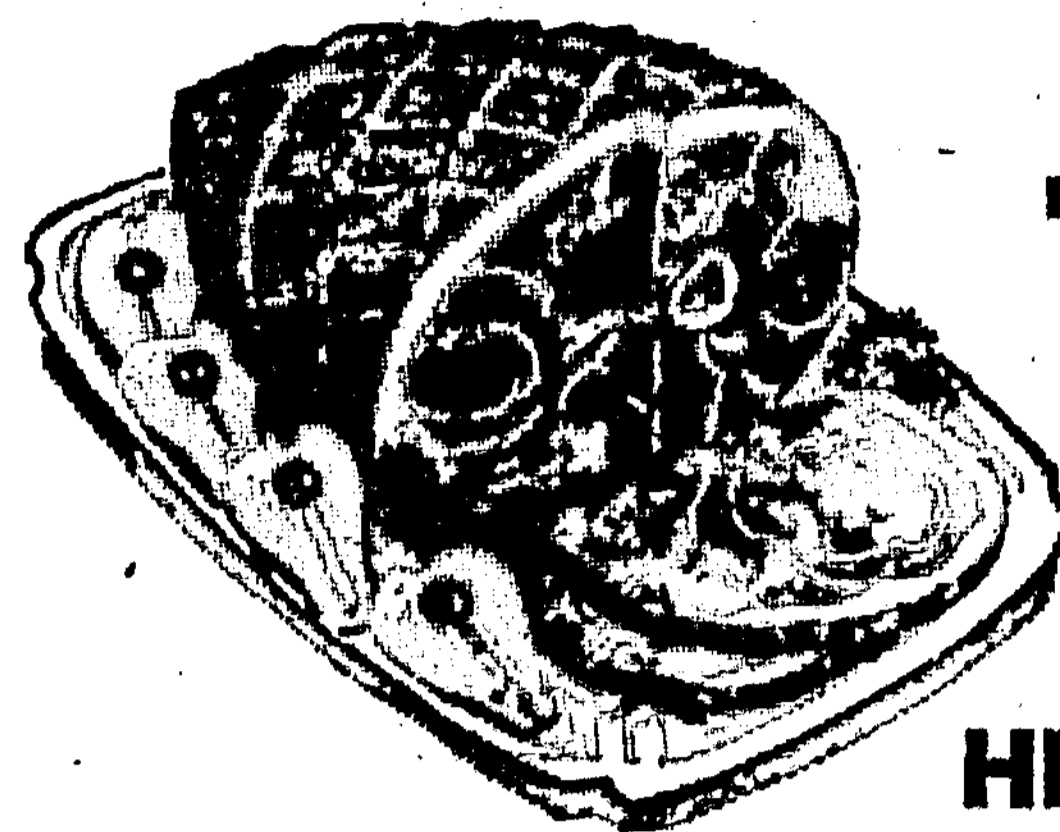
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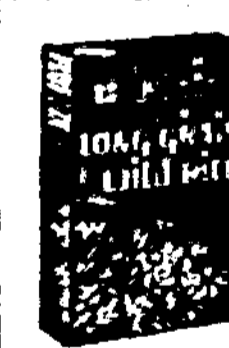
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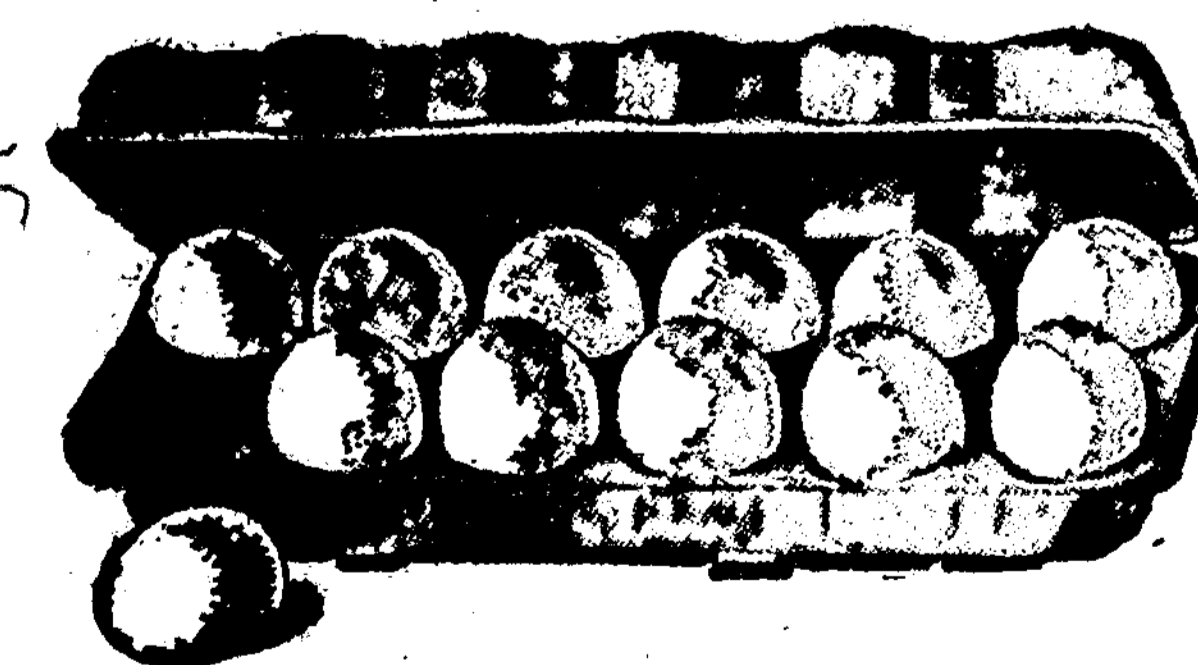
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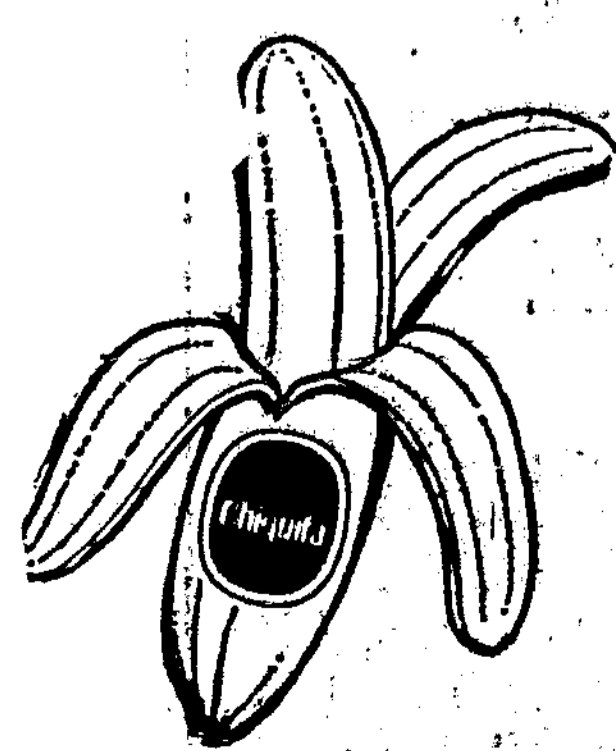
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SANTA SUCCEEDS, AGAIN—It was Santa Claus who took the limelight during the Annual Sierra Blanca Boys' Camp Christmas Party, sponsored by the Ruidoso Big Brothers and the Gamma Rho Chapter of the Ruidoso Sigma Beta Phi. Around thirty boys from the camp were presented personalized gifts during the gala affair, Mrs. Shirle Roberts, above, Gamma Rho Chapter chairman of the special event, assisted Ole Saint Nick in handing out the presents. (Ruidoso News Photo)

Annual Sierra Blanca Boys Camp Christmas Party Held

Around sixty persons attend the Annual Sierra Blanca Boys' Camp Christmas Party, Monday night, Dec. 20, at the Ruidoso Elks Lodge. The special party for around thirty boys at the camp was co-sponsored by the Ruidoso Big Brothers and the Gamma Rho Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. Hugh Skiles, Ruidoso News, served as Master of Ceremonies.

Following a "Turkey-Ham and all the trimmings" dinner each of the Sierra Blanca Boys' Camp boys were presented a personalized gift purchased by donations from area-wide individuals and business firms. Santa Claus had the honor of presenting the gifts to each boy as the boy's name was called. The boys also received candy and rounded out the evening playing games.

John Harrelson and Don Stark, Ruidoso, are co-chairmen of the Ruidoso Big Brothers organization and Mrs. John Harrelson is president of the Gamma Rho Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. Mrs. Shirle Roberts was the sorority's chairman for the special event.

Other dignitaries present were George Jaynes, Exalted Ruler of the Ruidoso Elks Lodge; Mr. E. B. Gutierrez, Director of the Sierra Blanca Boys' Camp; and participating Ruidoso Elks Lodge members, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Klemm, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Harrelson, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Baker and Lloyd Coe. Individuals and businesses who contributed monies and/or gifts to the Annual Sierra Blanca Boys' Camp Christmas Party included:

Mr. and Mrs. John Harrelson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stark, American Legion Post 79, American Legion Auxiliary 79, Community Public Service, Ruidoso Valley Neon Signs Club, Dial Electric, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Horton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lane, Blue Spruce Motel, Western Office Equipment Co., D & D Beauty Salon, Dr. and Mrs. Don Simms, Ruidoso Women's Club, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Waldrop, Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce, Chapel of Roses Mortuary, Locke Inn, Mr. and Mrs. George Jaynes, Ruidoso Elks Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Klemm, Whitlock & Lyle Real

Estate, LeRoy and Gertrude Samner; Mrs. Ada Monteeth, Dr. and Mrs. Ron Annala, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lackey, Ruidoso Salvation Army Chapter, Donny Hacking (Sunbeam Bread), Standard Oil Co., Ruidoso News, Brunell's, H. & J. Food Basket and Beta Sigma Phi. Superior Electric Supply, Odessa, Texas; Martin Linen Supply Co., Abilene, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Lindamood, Alto; Mr. and Mrs. Walt Harrelson, Alto; Gibson Discount Store, El Paso, Texas, and Marklyn Cosmetics Supply Co., Odessa, Texas.

At the Hospital

Admitted Dec. 14 — Melissa Glasscock, Ruidoso Downs. Dismissed — Dennis Largent, Ramona Chavez, Agapita Baca, Sylvia Guy, Augusta Stanislowski II.

Admitted Dec. 15 — Perry Guy, Ruidoso; Bertha Montoya, Ruidoso Downs. Dismissed — Cora Stantec Ward, Georgia Smith, Sandra Petty, Nora Thomson, Marilyn Virden.

Admitted Dec. 16 — Jake Griego, Ft. Stanton; Howard Miller, Ruidoso Downs. Dismissed — Mabel Pior, Eliza Herrera, Roy LaMay, David McNutt, Melissa Glasscock, Bertha Montoya.

Admitted Dec. 17 — Larry Griego, Sr., Captain; Barbel Gupion, Andy Myers, Ruidoso. Dismissed — Cora Hadley.

Admitted Dec. 18 — Cathy Creel, Carrizozo; Blasa Dorame, Tularosa. Dismissed — None.

Admitted Dec. 19 — Patsy Myers, Ruidoso. Dismissed — William McGuire, Julia Guerra, Perry Guy, Jake Griego.

Admitted Dec. 20 — Wanda Morrison, Duran Skellett, Ruidoso; Dorothy Portio, Carrizozo; Irene Navarez, Ft. Stanton. Dismissed — Barbel Gupion.

Moonlight

Trailriders Association

— BY RESIE TADLOCK

Guess what there is a new club in town, the Moonlight Trailriders Association. The new program includes trail rides, bar-b-que dinners and dances.

There are currently fifty-five members in the Moonlight Trailriders Association. Cost per member is ten dollars per year regardless of age. The group meets the first Tuesday of each month.

Activities are open to all member and non-member, with riding horses available for rent at Buddie's Riding Stable on Carizzo Canyon Road next to the Mesquero-Apache Indian Reservation.

Those who bring their own horse pay \$3.00 per non-member and \$2.00 for members for the lunches.

Information regarding the club's schedule and membership can be received by contacting Pat Kelly, Ruidoso, 237-4155, Resie Tadlock, Ruidoso, 237-2403, or write Moonlight Trailriders Association, P. O. Box 1375, Ruidoso New, Mexico 88345.

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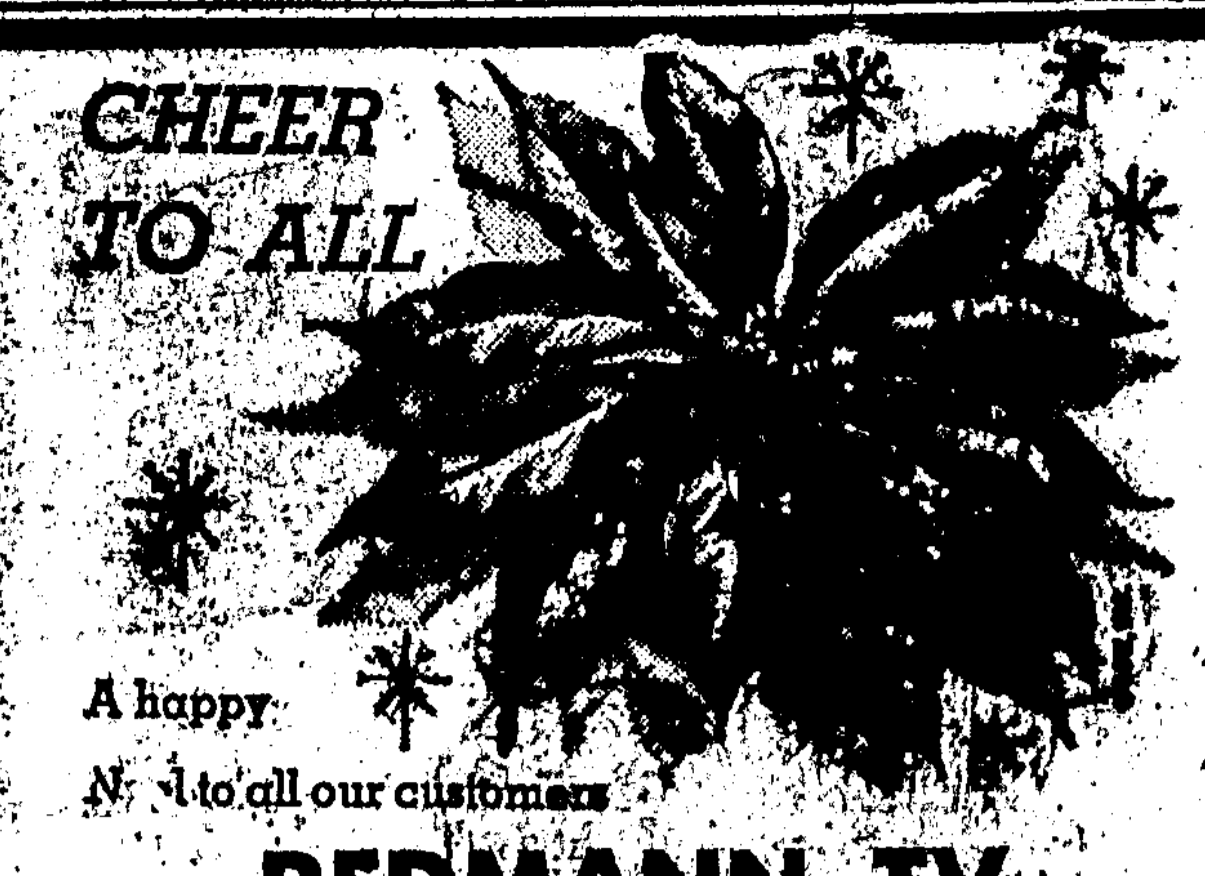
Season's Greetings

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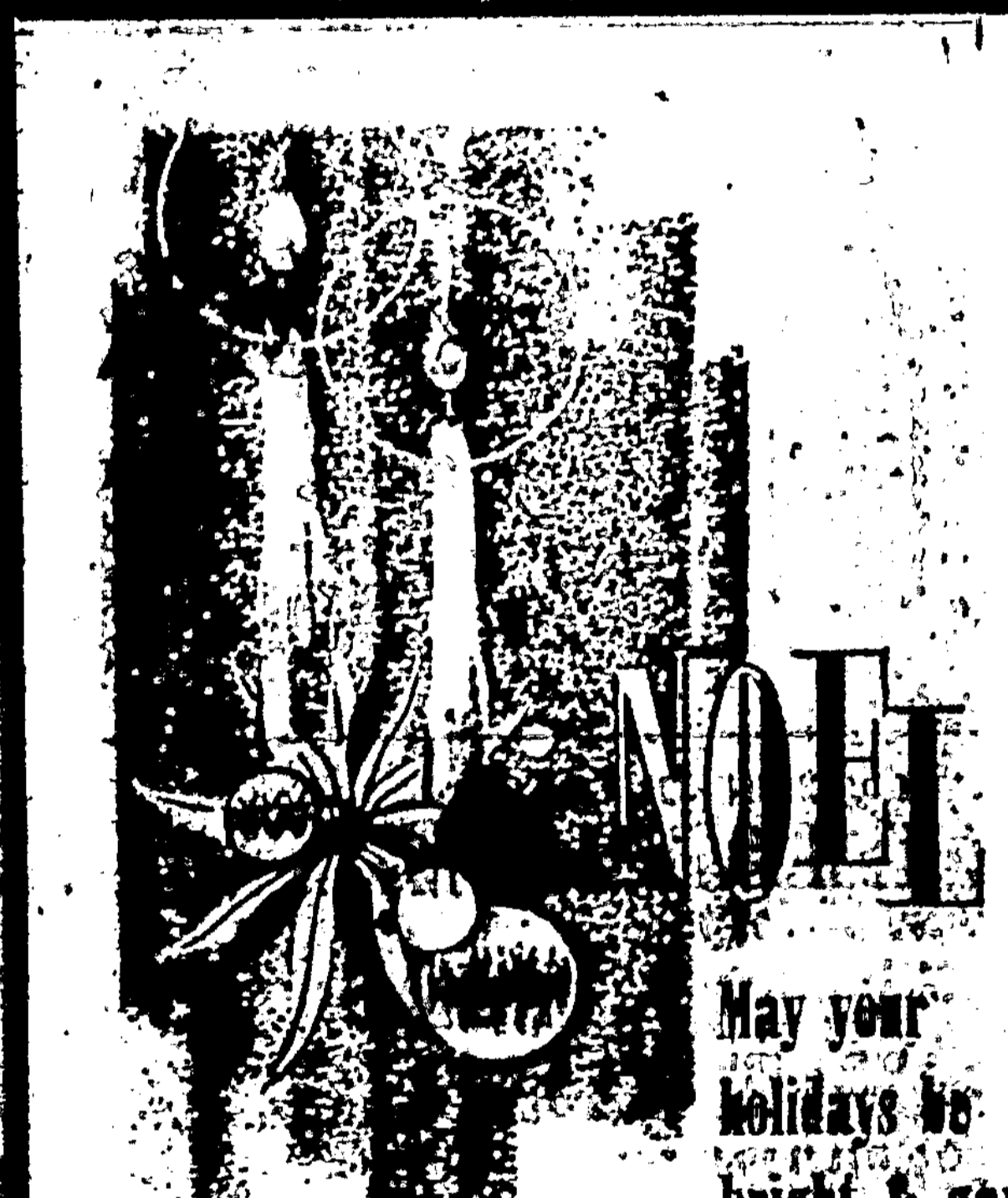


To All Our Friends, Neighbors and Guests We Wish You One and All A Very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Prosperous New Year. Don't Forget To Stay With Us When In Ruidoso.

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Baked Potatoes or Candied Yams

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Salad Bar with a Variety of Salads

German Chocolate Cake

Pumpkin Pie — Mincemeat Pie

Acid Tea or Coffee

HOLIDAY HOUSE RESTAURANT

TO OUR FRIENDS

GREETINGS

Mrs. Fred Berger Hosts Extension Club Meet Dec. 15

A Christmas gift exchange and lunch meeting was held by the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Extension Club in the home of Mrs. Fred Berger in Ruidoso Downs on Wednesday, Dec. 15. Members also brought gifts for the students at Ft. Stanton Training School. Hostesses for the luncheon included Mrs. Berger, Mrs. J. E. Riddle, Mrs. Roy Lare, Mrs. Ada McClendon, Mrs. W. E. Lyle, Mrs. Leroy McKnight and Mrs. Charles Neuhaus. A gift exchange was presented to the club president, Mrs. W. D. Patterson, from the members.

BSP Chapter Has Christmas Party In Ratliff Home

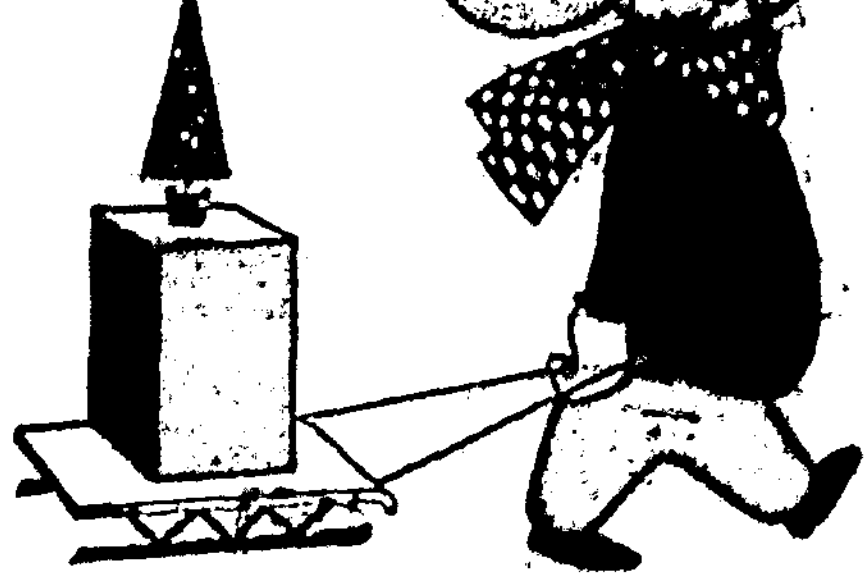
Gamma Rho chapter of Beta Sigma Phi had its Christmas meeting and party on Monday, Dec. 6 in the home of Mrs. Marvin Ratliff. A fondue supper was served and was followed by a gift exchange. A short business meeting was held with members discussing plans for the Christmas dinner which was to be served at the Elks Lodge on Monday, Dec. 20 to the members of the Camp Sierra Blanca Boys' School near Ft. Stanton.

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ART AND THE ARTIST—The art sketches of young Jacob Salas, 11, will be on display at the Ruidoso State Bank for the public's viewing through Jan. 3. The very talented 11th grade student at Ruidoso's Nob Hill Elementary School has been drawing, according to the youth, "as long as I can remember." (Ruidoso News Photo)

Mrs. O'Neal Honored On Her Birthday

Mrs. Jack (Pearl) O'Neal of Ruidoso was honored on her birthday with a party held in the O'Neal home and hosted by her daughter, Mrs. June Drager who is here visiting from Ponca City, Okla. Mrs. O'Neal's sister, Lou Beets, flew in from California for the occasion. Birthday cake, nuts and sweets, coffee and tea were served from a table decorated in the Christmas motif.

Attending the party were Mrs. A. B. Chitwood, Mrs. Arvel Nach, Mrs. Marie Williams, Mrs. C. E. Delhotel from Laveno, Okla.; Mrs. M. R. Delhotel, Mrs. Blair Halladay, Mrs. Carl Erickson, Mrs. Ellen Trujillo and her daughter, Andrea, and Mrs. C. E. Stewart.

Garden Club Has Christmas Party

The Ruidoso Garden Club held its Christmas lunch meeting Tuesday, Dec. 14, in the home of Mrs. Fred Berger in Ruidoso Downs. Following the serving of cinnamon fruit punch in Mrs. Berger's home, a turkey dinner was served across the patio in the club house at 1 p.m. with 23

Jacob Salas, 11, A Deserving Amateur Ruidoso-Area Artist

Very few, if any, would question the natural scenic and historical settings in the Ruidoso area for both the professional and the amateur artist. It is therefore not too surprising, in the light of this, that this same area that has as its backyard one huge canvas of artistic potential, that the citizenry would include artists in their own right.

The Ruidoso area does have both the noted professional man and women of the canvas and the recognized and deserving amateur. One such deserving amateur, but seemingly professional in product, is Jacob Salas, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake

Salas, Ruidoso Downs. Young Salas, a fifth grade student at the Ruidoso Nob Hill Elementary School, presented 15 of his art sketches in last Sunday's Nob Hill Art Show and could ten to adult art collectors. The immediate comment regarding the youth's work was that he had obviously an innate ability, the natural tools for artistry.

His work will be on display for the public through Jan. 3 at the Ruidoso State Bank, courtesy of bank officials.

Jacob's art instructor, Mrs. Dorothy Knapp, is very excited regarding Jacob's abilities. The young lad has special permission from school officials to major on his art work as long as he remains a good student in all of his other subjects.

An only child, the Nob Hill Elementary School art class prodigy, says "I like to draw horses most of all." One of his head sketches of a horse depicts his personal interest in horsemanship. He also stated that "riding horses" was his hobby, naturally.

It was reported that modest young Jacob received for his sketches will be used to purchase art supplies. He has been drawing as long as he can remember, drawing with whatever tools were available. Now, he will have both the natural tools and the material tools.

Ruidoso Shrine Club Elects New Officers

The Ruidoso Shrine Club held election and installation of officers for 1972 at their regular meeting Nov. 16. Among officers elected were: Clarence Kraft, president; Les Crews, vice-president; and Larry Norman, secretary-treasurer.

The club meets every third Monday at Norman's in Gateway. Membership now stands at 28.

Outgoing officers are: Austin Pritchett, president; Les Crews, vice-president; and Jake McDonald, secretary-treasurer.



CLARENCE KRAFT President



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25 Years Ago

By ELSIE WILLIAMS

News Items From Ruidoso News Issue of Dec. 20, 1946.

A most impressive service was held last Wednesday morning, Dec. 18, when ground was broken for the new Community Methodist Church. The building site is located on the main road leading into the canyon. The first shovel of dirt was dug by Rev. Thomas Barcus, pastor of the church. The following had their part in shoveling dirt for the new foundation representing the various departments of the church: Lloyd P. Bloodworth, chairman of the Board of Stewards; Mrs. Ike Kennedy, Sunday school; Mrs. Joe Palmer, W. S. C. S.; J. W. Bounds, church trustee; Mrs. Lulu Wingfield, oldest resident; Mrs. Bess Bounds, church choir; Mrs. Lloyd Bloodworth and Mrs. Dan Swearingin, representing the membership at large; Mayor George McCarthy, representing the Village of Ruidoso; Mrs. L. Astry, representing the Baptist Church; and Carmel Phillips, representing the Chamber of Commerce. The construction will be supervised by Harry Fairbank.

Mrs. Edna Sphenberg of Los Angeles, in charge, the only woman to belong to the American Legion Post in Ruidoso, this week presented a beautiful print of the Ruidoso Cathedral in Rheims, France, to the Robert J. Hagel Post No. 72 to be hung in the American Legion Hall. Mrs. Sphenberg, who is past Post Commander and past adjutant here in Ruidoso, was a nurse with the Regular Army overseas during the First World War, therefore eligible for V. F. W., as well as the American Legion.

15 YEARS AGO

News Items From Ruidoso News Issue of Dec. 21, 1956.

The first Community Christmas Eve program in Ruidoso will be held Dec. 24 at the City Park at the new site of the Chamber of Commerce building.

The drama and plans of seven years will culminate this weekend for George and Dorothy Knapp when they open their fine new cocktail lounge and package store to be known as "Win, Place and Show" on Main Road opposite their Ruidoso Drive-In Package Liquors. The building which has housed their business in the past is to be converted to a cafeteria to be operated by Mrs. Edith Johnson.

Dedication of the new Eastern Star building, in the Gateway will be held Saturday when new officers will also be installed. State officials of the O. E. S. will be here for the occasion. Mrs. Herbert Smith is the new Worthy Matron, and Herbert Smith, the new Worthy Patron.

Merry Christmas

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BONNIE MURRAY
DOROTHY KNAPP
RUTH MCGUIRE
STAFF OF NOB HILL SCHOOL

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RUIDOSO HAS UPI BACK AND LINEMAN OF YEAR

Although settling for the role as bridesmaid in the Class AA All-State football game, Ruidoso placed seven of its starters on the first team offensive and defensive units named by the UPI to the Class AA All-State selections.

In addition to leading all other schools in selections on the All-State Team, Ruidoso also had the distinction of having three individuals named for top honors. Coach Doyle Howell was named New Mexico Coach of the Year in Class AA. Blane Miller, Ruidoso's gifted quarterback and first team All-Stater at that position, was named Back of the Year and Corky Conley, who went both ways for the Warriors as a tackle on offense and played an end position on defense, was voted as the Lineman of the Year.

State Champion Jal, handing Ruidoso their loss in the state final, landed five players on the first two units. Kirtland Central also had five on the top two

units, with Santa Rosa having three and Clayton, the team Ruidoso upended in the bi-district contest, having two named to the "Dream Team."

UPI 1971 Class AA Selections

— Offense —
Ends — Bill Beyhan, Kirtland Central and DAVID BOEHM, RUIDOSO; Tackles — CORKY CONLEY, RUIDOSO and Robert Uilbarri, Clayton; Guards — Kelly Myers, Jal and Frank Garcia, Santa Rosa; KEN PERRYMAN, RUIDOSO.

Backs — BLANE MILLER, RUIDOSO; Randy Matamoras, Clayton; Alvin Brown, Jal (tie) Mike Fouts, Kirtland Central and Roger Cooper, Jal.
Honorable Mention — Ends — Michael Martinez, Ft. Sumner and Ricky Jordan, Eunice; Tackles — Rick Grisolan, Kirtland Central; Elmer Morales, Cuba; Guards — Charlie Macias, Clayton; Richard Aragon, Cuba and Joe Watson, Kirtland Central; Center — Mike Jones, Eunice and Rex D(e), Estancia; Backs — Wendell New and Dale Cates, Jal; Richard Crum, Kirtland Central.

— Defense —
Ends — Keith Parrish, Jal and CORKY CONLEY, RUIDOSO; Tackles — Vincent Sals, Santa Rosa and Mark Miller, Eunice.

Linebackers — LEMUEL LEVEL, RUIDOSO; Tim Germaine, Kirtland Central; (tie) Todd Smith, Kirtland Central and Larry Padilla, Santa Rosa.
Backs — Alvin Brown, Jal; BLANE MILLER, RUIDOSO; Richard Crum, Kirtland Central and Reggie Baker, Eunice.

Honorable Mention — Ends — Phillip Valdes, Springer; Rick Grisolan, Kirtland Central; Tackles — Jake McClure, Clayton and Pat Chance, Jal; Linebackers — Rickie Cosby, Jal; Guillermo Gutierrez, Ft. Sumner; Frank Garcia, Santa Rosa; Randall Olibert, Clayton; Mario Martinez, Springer; Bill Hampton, Kirtland Central and Elmer Morales, Cuba. Backs — Mike Fouts, Kirtland Central; Ernie McMuth, Estancia; Roger Cooper, Jal; Wendell New, Jal; Charles Chuck, McCloud.
Conley and David Boehm are seniors while Miller, Level and Ken Perryman are all juniors.

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Ruidoso Leads In UPI Class AA All-State Selections

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BACK OF THE YEAR

BLANE MILLER

UPI - 1971

NEW MEXICO

COACH OF THE YEAR

DOYLE HOWELL

UPI - 1971

NEW MEXICO

LINEMAN OF YEAR

CORKY CONLEY



KEN PERRYMAN

All - State

Offensive Center

DAVID BOEHM

All - State

Offensive End

LEMUEL LEVEL

All - State

Defensive Guard

BOWLING MONDAY MIXED

Results of Dec. 13

Team	W. L.
Win, Place & Show	31 17
Bedmann TV	27 21
Rainbow Lakes	26 22
Bedmann House	25 23
Wardham	24 24
Challenger	23 25
Wagner's Circle	22 26
Wood Welding	21 27
High team series: Win, Place & Show	20 28

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Top Skiers Include 6 Locals

Six Ruidoso youths were seeded in the top 300 in the scoreboard of the United States Ski Association, which rates all divisions in the nation for classification.

Kathy Campbell, with a rating of 26th in Women's downhill, is placed just behind the U. S. Olympic team and training squad. In last week's races, Kathy completed one run ahead of all entrants, both men and women, and has therefore probably risen in her rating.

David Estes and Alfred Pearson have both received skiing scholarships, with David's scholarship coming from the University of Colorado and Alfred receiving his from Fort Lewis College in Durango.

Sawyer Ward, Scharborough Ward and Brian Skinner are also classed in the top 300 and have spent a great deal of time at both summer and winter training camps over the years.

Although some coaching has been on a volunteer basis, with both Ray Held and Robert Nields helping, much of the training has to be paid by parents of the youths. Many of the Junior Racers attend races almost every weekend of the skiing season.

The Sierra Blanca Ski Club through its fund raising projects, is attempting to pay entry fees and lift tickets for these racers in competition. The ski club is the only sponsor of members of the Junior Racers and the club is limited in the amount of financial aid that can be given.

Ruidosians should be proud that a village as small as ours can have six skiers listed among the top in the nation.

Attendance Program Given For Rotary

Leon Bruce was in charge of the program at the regular weekly meeting of the Ruidoso Rotary Club held Tuesday at Joe's Cafe. His program stressed the need for regular attendance of club meetings and answered questions on make-up

meets with other clubs. The need for better informing new members in requirements of the club was noted.

President Dick Mouton reminded club members of assignments for the Rotary Invitational Basketball Tournament set for Jan. 15-16.

The club presented Maria Canaves, Rotary Exchange Student, with a silver and turquoise cross for Christmas.

Visiting Rotarians included Ralph Dimity, Carrizozo; Travis Stovall, Alamogordo, and Clyde Nichols, El Paso.

Bud Roscher of Arlington, Texas was a guest of his father-in-law, Leon Bruce.

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Season's Greetings

From

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

To our many friends and neighbors, the finest people in the world!

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Fish Are Planted In Nogal Lake

A note from Bonito Lou tells us that Warden George Hansen left a fish planting receipt signed by Harvey Tally, caretaker at Bonito Dam and Nogal

Lake, saying that Nogal Lake was planted with fish Dec. 17, 850 pounds of fish, averaging one pound each and 19-inches long were planted. Three weeks ago the lake was planted with the same size load of Rainbow trout.



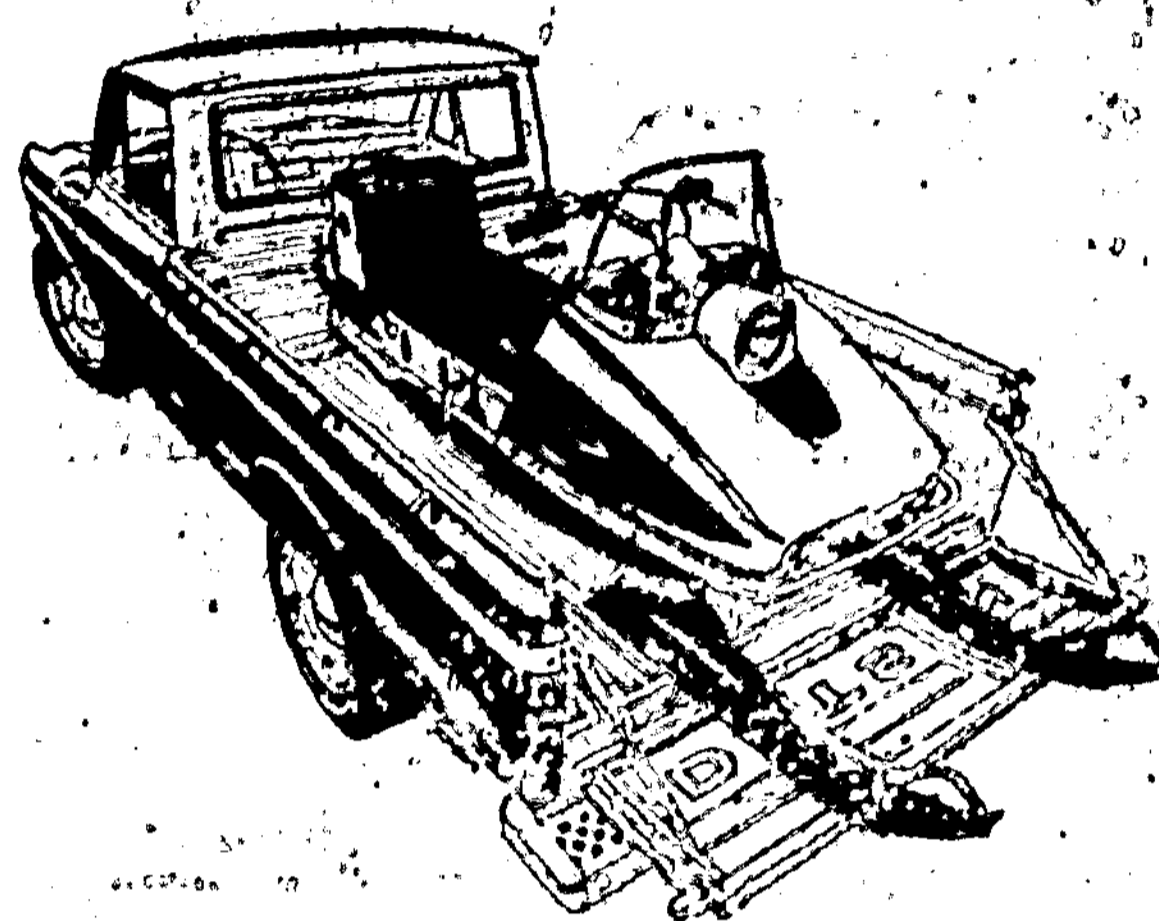
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THE RUIDOSO (N. M.) NEWS — Friday, Dec. 24, 1971

Environmental Improvements

By MICHAEL RICHARDSON
Lincoln County Environmental Improvement Agency Officer

NOTE: If you have a question regarding any phase of the Lincoln County's Environmental Improvement Agency work, write The Ruidoso News, Box 128, Ruidoso, New Mexico 86345. Michael Richardson, Lincoln County EIG, will answer all questions in this newspaper.

NO DEPOSIT—NO RETURN

Regardless of arguments one hears concerning political philosophies in our country, there is one unquestionable truth: Americans are the privileged members of the richest country on earth. If we have the will, if we make sensible choices, we can build the kind of world we want. A world for ourselves and for those who will come after us.

No matter how rich our country is and what technology is developed, the raw materials, the resources which we use to make the best life we can, are limited. There is just so much water, coal, oil, air, trees, and land on which to live. If these resources are wasted and not reclaimed, and if our population continues to grow, demanding more and more of these resources, someday and soon, the raw materials, the "stuff" we need for an American way of life will be gone. The American people need to develop a new environmental ethic. Let's do away with our "throw-away generation" and consider what each individual can do to protect and conserve our Natural Resources.

Don't throw it away—any aluminum can and all Coors bottles can be sold to Metal Distributors in Roswell.

Buy deposit bottles of pop—no deposit, no return! Make compost heaps from garbage, grass cuttings and pine needles. When shopping, avoid individually wrapped pieces of food. It's often cheaper to buy bulk and it eliminates waste—paper, plastic and cellophane.

Buy phosphate-free, biodegradable soaps and cleaning agents. You'll be surprised how well they clean. Buy school papers, tablets, paper towels and napkins made from recycled paper. If your grocer does not have them ask that he get them. If you have purchased just one or two articles, insist that it not be put in a paper bag—out of hundreds of pieces of paper in school! If you're going to "drag" in a street, do it in bunches instead of polluting the air with a bunch of unnecessary driving. If you wash dishes—don't let the rinse water run.

And finally, since the old folks insist that you take a bath, figure out which takes more water—a shower or a bath—then do whatever takes less water.

When a tire has only 1/16 inch of tread depth left, it is worn out and should be replaced, for safety's sake, says the Tire Industry Safety Council.

Pocket Trail Guide Available From U. S. Park Service

Want to get away from it all? Try the back-country of the National Park System.

Forty-one remote areas are described in a new pamphlet, "Back-Country Travel in the National Park System," now available from the Government Printing Office.

George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director of the Department of the Interior's National Park Service, said the compilation is the latest in a series of publications on travel and recreation in the nation's parks.

"This is a pocket guide for getting away for a while to share in the majesty of our national environment," Hartzog said. "In it are both rules and suggestions for the public's enjoyment of trips by horseback, foot or canoe into the primitive areas of our national parks."

"Back-Country Travel in the National Park System" is available for 35 cents per copy from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402, under catalog number 1 29.8/2: B 12, stock number 2405-0267.

Other publications in the series, also available from the Superintendent of Documents, are:

"Boating Regulations in the National Park System" — 40c, catalog number 1 29.8: B 63/970, stock number 2405-0243.

"Camping in the National Park System" — 25c, lists all campgrounds operated on National Parklands, catalog number 1 29.71: 971, stock number 2405-0260.

"Fishing in the National Park System" — 30c, lists all fishing areas, types of fishing available and license requirements for anglers in National Park areas, catalog number 1 29.2: F 53/3 869, stock number 2405-0004.

"Living History in the National Park System" — 30c, describes live demonstrations of historic equipment and techniques which can be seen by park visitors, catalog number 1 29.2: L 70, stock number 2405-0216.

"National Parks and Landmarks" — 55c, lists and briefly describes all areas administered by the National Park Service and designated landmarks of national significance. Mailing addresses and acreage of park areas are given, catalog number 1 29.60: 970, stock number 2405-0204.

"National Parks of the United States" — \$1.50, a series of eight maps showing the National Park System. Included are maps of metropolitan Washington, D. C., and New York City, five maps of sections of the United States and one map showing the entire Nation, catalog number 1 29.6: P 23, stock number 2405-0030.

"Winter activities in the National Park System" — 35c, lists winter recreation facilities and programs at 12 National Park System areas from Maine to California, catalog number 1 29.2: W 73, stock number 2405-0262.

Purchasers should include a check or money order made out to the Superintendent of Documents with each order and also the catalog number and stock number.

News 'n Notes

By MARY ELLEN PAYNE

Everyone starts seeing red, this time of year! And green and gold, too. And one of your favorite red things is in plentiful supply, this month for Christmas eating! Cranberries have been designated among the monthly plentiful foods, by the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Consumer and Marketing Service. You can do fantastic, great things with cranberries for your holiday menus. If you are expecting company—and you no doubt are—this Cranberry Fruit Nut-Bread is sure to be a crowd-pleaser!

2 cups all-purpose sifted flour.
1 cup sugar.
1 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder.
1/2 teaspoon soda.
1 teaspoon salt.
1/2 cup shortening.
3/4 cup orange juice.
1 tablespoon grated orange rind.
1 egg, well beaten.
1/2 cup chopped nuts.
1 1/2 cups fresh or fresh-frozen cranberries, coarsely chopped.

Sift flour, sugar, baking powder, soda and salt together. Cut in shortening until mixture resembles coarse cornmeal. Combine orange juice and grated rind with well-beaten egg. Pour all at once into dry ingredients, mixing just enough to dampen. Carefully fold in chopped nuts and cranberries. Spoon into greased loaf pan (9x5x3 inches). Spread corners and sides slightly higher than center. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 1 hour. . . until crust is golden brown and toothpick inserted comes out clean. Remove from pan. Cool. Store overnight for easy slicing.

Note: If quick frozen fresh cranberries are used, do not thaw. Give them a quick rinse in cold water and chop while frozen. You also know of course, that Christmas dinner would not be complete without old-fashioned cranberry sauce of some sort.

Sparkling cranberry relishes and sauces are enticing entree accompaniments. And whether you use a recipe that has been in the family for years, or try something new each time, you will find that fresh cranberries hit the spot! Here is a basic

Invitational Tourney Slated by Rotary

The annual Rotary Invitational Basketball Tournament for 7th, 8th and 9th graders, has been scheduled for Jan. 12 thru 15 this year.

Entrants in the event include: 7th and 9th grades — Carrizozo, Capitán, Ruidoso and Tularosa. For the 8th grade — Carrizozo, Capitán, Ruidoso, Tularosa, Hondo and Holloman.

Trophies will be awarded for the first three places in each class.

Admission to the tournament will be \$1 for adults and 35c for students.

Cranberry Relish that is easy to make

2 cups fresh cranberries, chopped.
1 cup sugar.
1 orange, seeded and quartered, chopped.

Stir cranberries, orange and sugar together. Chill in refrigerator until serving time, or cover and freeze for later use. Makes about 1 pint relish. For variation substitute a cored, quartered apple and a quartered ginger for the orange. Chill and serve. (Good also with chicken.)

Chop 1/2 cup raisins with the cranberries and orange. Reduce sugar to 5 tablespoons; mix in 1/4 cup honey and 1/4 teaspoon ginger. Marinate in refrigerator. Especially good with baked ham.

Chop 1 cup pitted cooked prunes with the cranberries and orange. Add 1 tablespoon lemon juice with the sugar. Try this relish with turkey, or other meat dishes.

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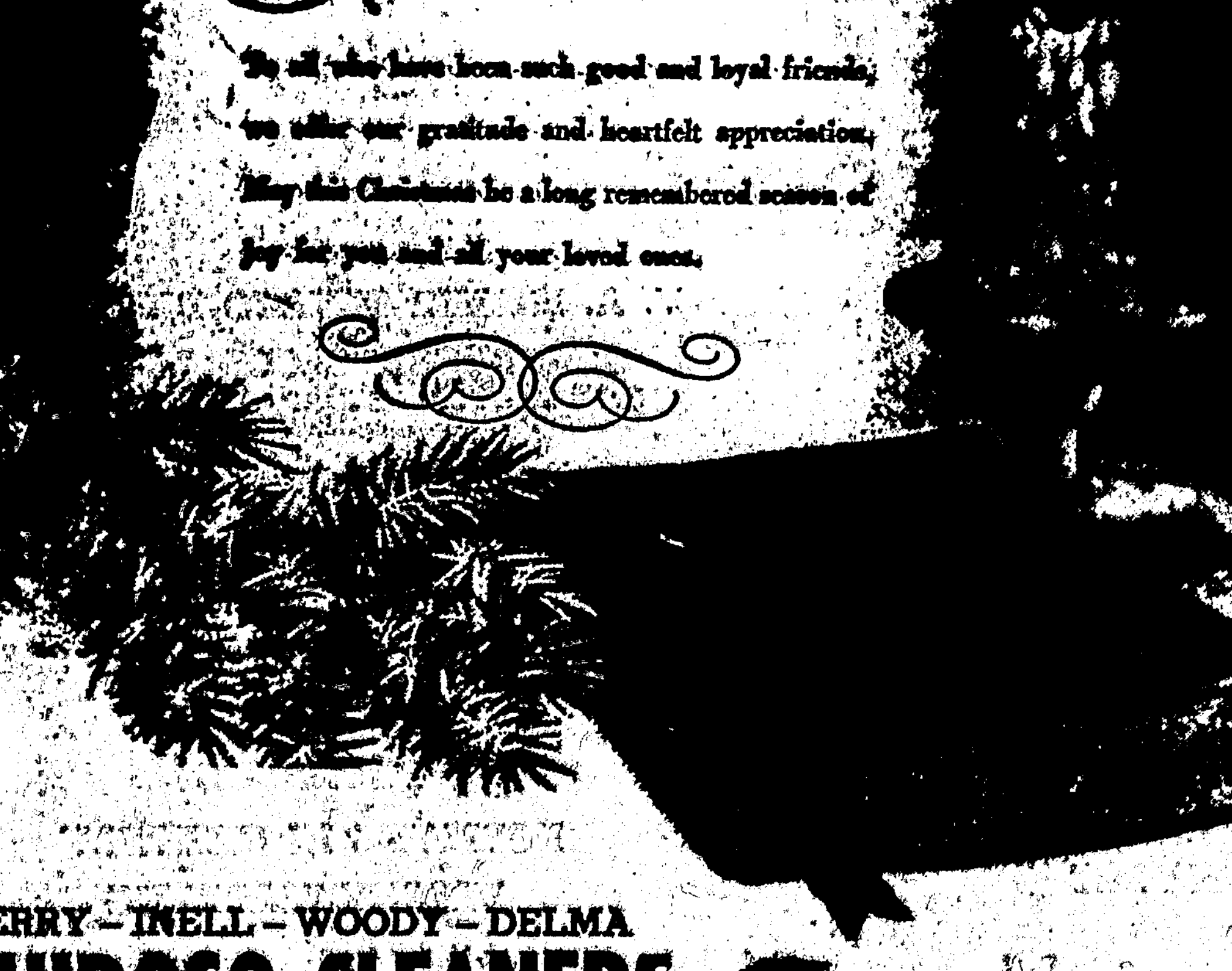
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Christmas

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Capitan News

By BARTLEY McDONOUGH
The "Flaming Capitan" Tigers participated in the Mountain Top Tournament in Cloudcroft last weekend. The squad ran into some very tough competition with the following results: Alamogordo Sophomores 75, Capitan 51. High point man for the Tigers was Lloyd Cartwright with 17. Johnny Frecedo got 8 points and J. W. Ware had 6. Scoring by quarters:
Alamo Sophs 18 23 19 15-56
Capitan 11 7 14 10-51
This game was played Thursday.

The Tigers played their best game on Friday but came out on the short end of a 53-46 score. Three Tigers fouled out which was possibly the difference. High point man for the Tigers was Cartwright with 17. Johnny Frecedo was credited with 7 points and Brothers Dan and Robert Abercrombie had 6 each. Cloudcroft 16 16 13 8-53
Capitan 11 12 11 12-46
Hagerman was too much for the Tigers on Saturday. The final score was Hagerman 59, Capitan 30.
Hagerman 24 23 25 27-89
Capitan 11 11 11 10-49

Robert Abercrombie was high point man for the Tigers with 13 points. The Tigers next game will be at Ruidoso on Jan. 7. Ruidoso will be here on the 17th. Tiger fans will have plenty of basketball the first six weeks of 1972.

A large crowd attended the Tiger Music Concert the evening of Dec. 14. Extra chairs were brought in. Crowd pleasers were the three numbers sung by grades 1, 2 and 3. The solo sung by Elaine Bell and Leola Pflingsten was outstanding and very enjoyable. This solo was "Jesus Bambino". Emmitt Gene Hall accompanied on the piano. The concert was held to one hour which caused band direc-

tor McDonough to delete two numbers from the program. The nice support from the crowd is greatly appreciated.

"The Capitan Schools have operated the school lunch program for several years with no increase in price for lunches. Due to the increased cost for food and labor it is necessary to increase the prices of lunches effective Jan. 3, 1972. Lunch prices will be as follows: Students from 30¢ to 35¢; staff from 45¢ to 50¢; and other adults from 70¢ to 75¢. A half pint of milk will cost students 30¢. The same half pint of milk will cost adults 40¢.

Short Notes: The deadline for purchasing or returning school pictures was Dec. 17. All pictures are now considered sold. —Louise Ruppels informs us that fish were stocked in Nogal Lake last weekend. —School resumes after the Christmas holidays on Jan. 3. This also begins the second semester. —The Capitan Boosters Club will meet Dec. 28 in the school cafeteria. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

Election and installation of officers for Carrizozo Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. was Thursday night, Dec. 2. The time was set for 7:30. The five elected officers are expected to be: Worshipful Master, Art Weight; Senior Warden, Lee Straley; Junior Warden, Bartley McDonough; Secretary, Johnson Stearns and Treasurer, Sam Roper.

The appointed officers include: Senior Deacon, Ziggy Leezau; Junior Deacon, Howard Abercrombie; Senior Steward, Don Monros; Junior Steward, Bill Gallagher, Jr.; Marshall, Bill MayVega; Chaplain, R. M. Enifer; and Tiler, Morgan Maxwell. This lodge received its charter on Oct. 20, 1969, and currently has 94 members.

"The 7th and 8th grade basketball teams took a short trip to Corona Dec. 19. The 7th grade Tigers suffered a 100-88-7. But the mighty 8th grade came back and made up for it, winning by a score of 24-18. Now these young Tigers are going to take a short vacation for Christmas, and then will be back fighting harder than ever."

"The high scorer was Kenny Cummings for the 8th grade with 18 points. One of the easiest 2-pointers we ever got was when No. 14 of Corona scored them for us." (This 8th grader writes re-

ther well—don't you agree?)
Some of the business conducted by Capitan Board of Education, Dec. 15, discussed student behavior at school sponsored public events. Students who will not comply with regulations will be asked to leave the premises. 2. Approved the increase in price of school year book from \$5 to \$6.50. 3. The county will be contacted about improving the roads on the Indian Divide and Bonito bus routes. 4. There was a long discussion about the Lincoln School across the building its intended at repair, and the Capitan Schools have no money budgeted for this purpose. No decision was reached. 5. Superintendent Caster reported on the State School Boards Convention held recently in Albuquerque.

Members of the Capitan Lions Club met Monday evening for their second meeting of the month. Special "involvement" pins were presented to Lions Ken Schlar and Bartley McDonough. The secretary was instructed to send each member a questionnaire concerning the future of the club.

Christmas tea held Monday night. "Home economics is taught with the purpose of enabling students to gain knowledge and develop understanding, attitudes and skills. This Christmas season this has been shown in all the classes as they were coordinated into one big project, the Christmas tea for mothers, faculty and special agents. The study of human relationships in the family and with others as needed for such an affair. This unit teaches foods and how it relates to management of time and income."

"The home economics class are grateful to Mr. and Mrs. R. Barber for furnishing a beautiful tree to hang all the items which have been made, the items which turned out to be more complicated and time consuming than planned. However, they came to life, on our tree. Play dough was turned into shining stars. Added decorations are berry baskets hung from the ceiling. Gourd and pumpkin seeds bloom on a wreath. The home economics students added glittering part-



Carl Scout News

The Ruidoso Brownies have been busy preparing for Christmas and partying. The last meeting was held Dec. 15 at White Mountain School. Each Brownie made a Christmas centerpiece for her parents. The centerpieces were made of evergreens, pine cones, marshmallows, etc.

A Christmas party was given for the Brownies on Dec. 23 in the Lions Club building. Hostesses wore the Junior Girl Scouts who planned games, a grain bag and refreshments. The Brownies are wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Scouting activities will resume again on Jan. 5 at White Mountain School.

ridges. Home economics I class added beauty to the tree with sequins and beads on pears. The 8th grade class made amusing figures from styrofoam balls. The food was prepared by all McDonough.

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DECEMBER 3	- Socorro 31	- RUIDOSO 51
DECEMBER 4	- Hatch 35	- RUIDOSO 21
DECEMBER 10	- Socorro 79	- RUIDOSO 67
DECEMBER 11	- N. M. S. 22	- RUIDOSO 24
DEC. 16-17-18	- RUIDOSO CLASSIC - RUIDOSO, 1st	
DECEMBER 21	- Silverdale 35	- RUIDOSO 63
January 1	- Capitan 44	- There 4:30
Jan. 12-13-14	- TRF - CITIES TOURNAMENT	
January 21	- N. M. M. L. A & B	Here 8:00
January 22	- Hatch A & B	There 8:00
January 23	- Vinton A & B	There 8:00
January 24	- Carrizozo A & B	Here 8:00
February 1	- Vinton A & B	Here 8:00
February 4	- Vinton A & B	Here 8:00
February 5	- Vinton A & B	There 8:00
February 11	- Vinton A & B	Here 8:00
February 14	- Vinton A & B	There 8:00
February 15	- Vinton A & B	There 8:00
February 16	- Vinton A & B	There 8:00
Feb. 24-25-26	- DISTRICT TOURNAMENT	
March 3-4	- REGIONAL TOURNAMENT	
Mar. 10-11	- STATE TOURNAMENT	



CLUB CALENDAR

RUIDOSO VALLEY MOON LUNAR CLUB
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. in O. E. S. Hall at Palmer Gateway. Rainbow Advisory Board meets each first Thursday of month, same place.

Conservation Court
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. in Mountain View Building.

Ruidoso Valley Valley Club
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. in O. E. S. Hall at Palmer Gateway.

The Women's Ministry of Ruidoso
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. in O. E. S. Hall at Palmer Gateway.

Mountain View Club
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. in Mountain View Building.

WOMEN'S CLUB
Luncheon and card games every Monday, at 12:30 p.m.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Meets each Saturday at 8:00 p.m. at Ruidoso Episcopal Church. Phone 257-4427, P. O. Box 263, Ruidoso, N. M.

The FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Supper every third Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. at the Church.

AMERICAN LEGION ROBERT J. HAGEE POST 75
Meets jointly on the third Thursday of the month.

RUIDOSO VALLEY AMATEURS
Meet each second and fourth Thursday at noon. Place to be announced.

SILVER SQUARES
Square Dance Club meets each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. at Camino Lodge. Dance every second and fourth Saturday night. Everyone welcome. Don Driver, club caller.

Ruidoso Lodge No. 73
Meets each first Monday in O. E. S. Hall, 7:30 p.m. Wray Barger, W. M.; Jake McDonald, Sec.

RUIDOSO B. P. O. E. NO. 2084
Meets each 2nd and 4th Monday at Elks Club building on Highway 70 west, 8:00 p.m.

Ruidoso Lodge No. 2080
West Hwy 70 meets 2nd and 4th Mondays, 8:00 p.m. summer - 7:30 p.m. winter.

Heritage Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. at O. E. S. Hall in Palmer Gateway. Ruidoso Dist. Junior Chamber of Commerce meets each Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. in Conference Room at Chaparral Motel Hotel.

E. P. O. E.
Meets each 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. in Elks Home on Highway 70.

KAPPA KAPPA KOTA
Meets each third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the homes of members.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Ruidoso, N. M.
Rev. Frank Crowe, Minister
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
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Evening Prayer Service - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service - 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School Services Each Sunday at 9:45 a.m.
Every Sunday, 11:00 a.m. in Ruidoso Woman's Club. Testimony meeting following regular services each third Sunday.

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Rev. Charles Crutchfield, Minister
Church School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
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MESCALERO BAPTIST MISSION
James Huse, Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Training Union - 8:30 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service - 6:30 p.m.

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Ruidoso, N. M.
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night Services - 7:00 p.m.

Evening Services - 7:00 p.m.
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Kenneth Cole, Pastor
Palmer Gateway - Ruidoso
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE HOLY MOUNT
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Fr. John Miner, Pastor
Phone 257-2356
Sunday - 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion.
Church School Classes - Tuesday - 3:30 p.m. at Lincoln. Wednesday - 3:30 p.m. at Ruidoso.
Thursday - 3:30 p.m. at Thoma. Holy Mount Fire School - Tues. - 8:15 a.m. at Thoma. The church is always open for prayer and meditation.

MESCALERO REFORMED CHURCH
Rev. Thomas Beech
Worship Services - 11:00 a.m.
Church School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 7:00 p.m.

CATHOLIC SERVICES
Father Eugene Dolan, Pastor
Sunday Masses:
St. Eleanor's Winter Schedule - 7:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.
St. Jude Thaddeus in San Francisco - 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.
Confessions: In Ruidoso every Saturday and the day before Holy days and First Fridays from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. In both churches upon request.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Frank Crowe, Minister
Church School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Full Gospel HOLINESS CHURCH
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1 Block West and 1 Block South of Hancock's Store
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service - 7:00 p.m.
GATEWAY ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Palmer Gateway - Ruidoso
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic Service - 7:00 p.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening, 7:30 Prayer time and Bible Study.

GATEWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST
B. F. Barr, Minister
Worship and Communion - 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship - 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Ladies' Bible Class - 9:30 a.m. Wednesday.



CONSERVATION WINNERS—Award-winning conservationists William J. Edgar, Captain, and A. T. Pflingsten, Hondo, inspect a "first-generation" representative of a line of Good-year earthmover tires that will be the world's largest. The tire, 11 1/2 feet tall and weighing 3 1/2 tons, is an added attraction at the 24th annual grand awards tour for winners in the nation-wide competition among conservation districts sponsored by Goodyear in cooperation with the National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD).

New Unemployment Regulations Told

Louis R. Bachicha, Chairman-Executive Director of the Employment Security Commission of New Mexico, is advising all employers of the new changes in the Unemployment Compensation Law of the State which will become effective January 1, 1972. The new laws, enacted by the 1971 legislature, will expand the employer coverage in this State to include those employers who had one employee in twenty different weeks during 1971. They will become liable for the tax effective January 1, 1972. If they continue to hire during 1972, The Commission has also announced that coverage under the law will be extended to institutions of higher learning; all hospitals, including State hospitals, (except those operated by political subdivisions, meaning county and city hospitals which, under the law, are exempt); and all non-profit organizations that had one employee in twenty different weeks within the calendar year 1971 will be covered under the law. The hospitals, institutions of higher education, and non-profit organizations, will have the option to pay the cost of their unemployment rather than pay the contributions required from other employers. They will also have the option to form groups for the purpose of paying this cost. Under the new law, contributions will be due from all other liable employers on \$4,200 base wages paid an employee during 1972 instead of the \$3,000 base pay during 1971.

Mr. Bachicha is urging all potential employers and non-profit organizations which have not been collected by the Agency to either contact the Tax Representative in their area or the Central Office of the Employment Security Commission, located in the National Building in Albuquerque, by the fifteenth of January so that registration forms can be sent or given to them. Any employer needing information may also contact a Tax Representative through the Alamogordo Local Employment Office, which is located at 001 Alaska Ave. The telephone number is 437-0210.

"An obedient wife is one who obeys her husband when he tells her to do as she pleases,"—Brenda Shirley, Latis (Fla.) Party Line.

A Man Named Dan

(Editor's Note: The following letter was received by The News from a man sharing a semi-private room with our old friend, Dan Storm, while in the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital. We thought that Dan's many friends would appreciate a stranger's view of Dan.)

The Rewards of Injury, A Man Named Dan

A gift of God has been injury requiring hospital attention. The bringing together of room partners. The meeting of a man named Dan.

One who has enlightened the lives of many, by means of his wit and his words in the newspaper. One who, in his lifetime, is a legend.

The reward has been from listening of days gone by, of history, moments of experiences having been lived by this man named Dan.

The reward of meeting his friends, all of whom have high regard for him. People whose lives, like mine, have been touched and enriched by this man named Dan.

Tenderness, sincerity, knowledge and the gift of words to express and convey to others. Yet with a last name of Storm. Daniel A. Storm. He is surely a storm of sunshine.

Daniel A. Storm, his friends, Dr. Horton and the entire hospital staff have surely turned my injury into reward.

Dan will be up and out of the hospital soon. Life will be more rewarding by his presence to all.

We give thanks, dear God, for these Ruidoso people and such great friends forever.

Signed,
[c] Dan McGuire

Surveys show that tires are involved in less than one percent of all highway accidents. More than half the tires involved are bald.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(DISCIPLES OF CHRIST)

— WORSHIP SCHEDULE —

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45 a.m.

WORSHIP SERVICE 10:50 a.m.

"Come Dressed For Comfort"
Ruidoso's Friendly Church!

Smokey Bear District Tells Firewood Sale

The Smokey Bear Ranger District sold 205 cords of commercial fuelwood in three separate sale areas on Dec. 15. The sale areas are located in Salazar Canyon approximately 15 miles east of Captain. High bids were submitted by H. C. Otero of Captain for 115 cords and Andrew Richardson of Ruidoso for 60 cords.

"During the past several months, the District's commercial fuelwood sales program has undergone a complete re-evaluation," stated District Ranger Tom Goodrich. "Throughout the National Forests increased emphasis is being given to the effects uses and activities have on the natural environment. The soil resources, watershed values, natural beauty, forage, timber, and recreational values must all be adequately analyzed in any proposed project. This is particularly true in our fuelwood and timber sales."

Goodrich said that two additional areas have been offered for fuelwood sale. One is northeast of the Pecos Mountains and the other is between White Oaks and Abo. They were to be sold to the highest bidder at the Smokey Bear Ranger Station on Dec. 22.

"I do appreciate the cooperation and patience of the local woodcutters while we were reorganizing our fuelwood program," said Ranger Goodrich.

Christmas Trees: Firewood Sales Taxable Income

Internal Revenue Service District Director Maurice E. Johnson would like to remind persons engaged in the business of selling Christmas trees and firewood that any profit derived from these activities is taxable income. He also emphasized that good records of gross receipts and expenses must be kept. If expenses exceed receipts, the resulting loss is deductible against other taxable income. Any assets such as trucks or tools used are subject to depreciation.

Schedule C of Form 1040 must be used to report these business activities.

To check for safe tire tread depth, place a Lincoln penny between the grooves. If you can see the top of Lincoln's head, the tire is worn too thin.

Are You A "Conservative"?

In this day and time when almost any action or person is called either a "conservative" or a "liberal", it is most interesting to note that the label really is only a label and doesn't mean much.

If a conservative is a person who believes that the Constitution of the United States is one of the most perfect documents ever written and should be enforced to the letter, without abstract interpretations; then I am a conservative.

If a conservative is one who believes that our law enforcement authorities are, on the whole, our friends and deserve all the help from citizens that they can get; then I am a conservative.

If a conservative is one who believes that any able bodied person should provide for himself and not live like a parasite off the working portion of society; then I am a conservative.

If a conservative is one who believes that elected officials and governmental employees are "servants of the people"; then I am a conservative.

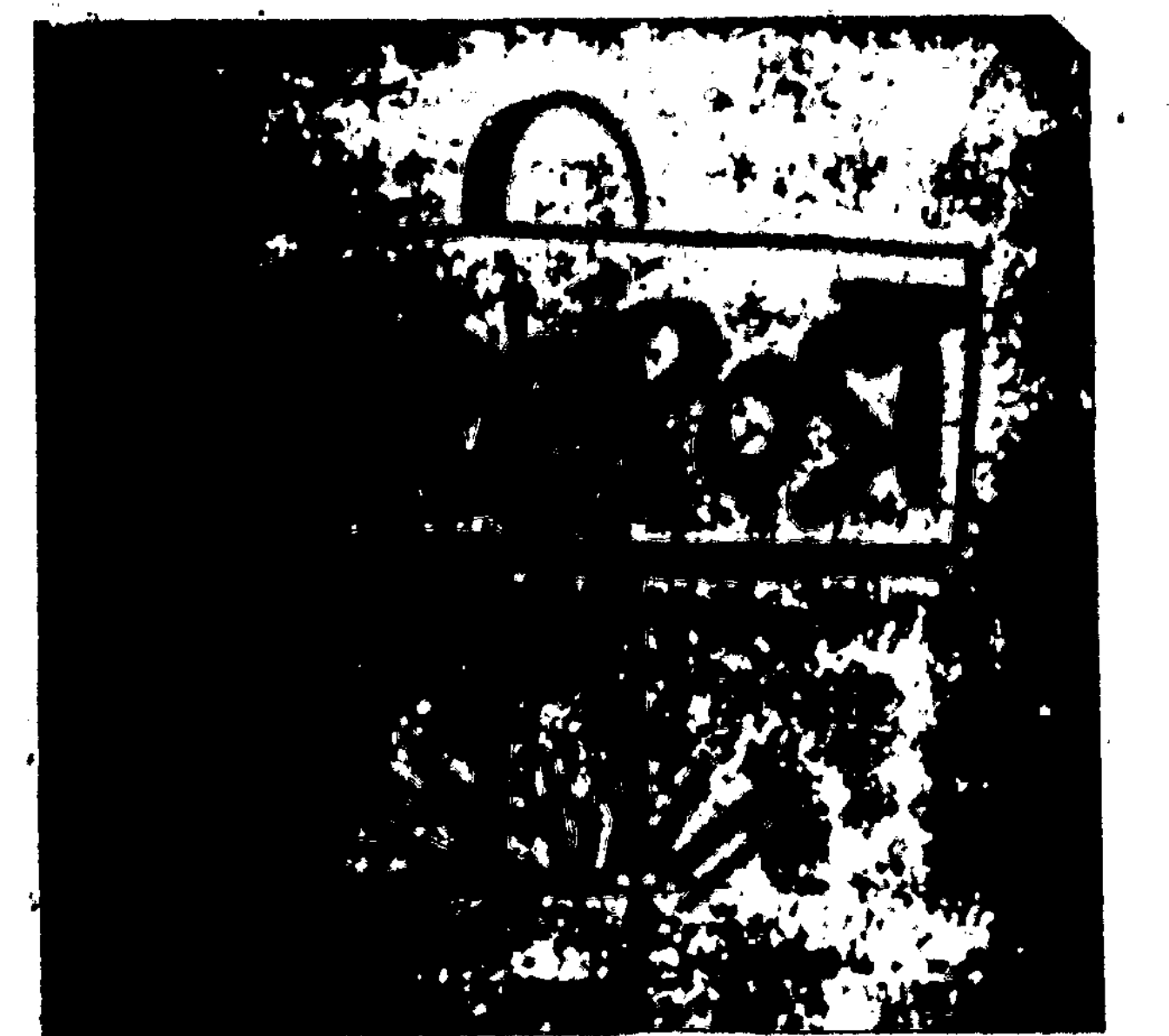
If a conservative is one who believes that our schools and colleges serve one purpose — learning — and that includes discipline, and serves no other purpose; then I am a conservative.

If a conservative is one who believes that part of the duty of a citizen is to serve in the Army that protects this country; then I am a conservative.

If a conservative is one who believes that "big government" means "poor government"; then I am a conservative.

If a conservative is one who believes that no group, whether large or small, has the right to disobey the laws of the land; then I am a conservative.

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"As we watch world problems, it might be well to remember that a child can ask a thousand questions a wise man cannot answer." —Ed Hummer, The Eaton (Colorado) Herald.

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Glenn completed requirements for a bachelor's degree in animal science during this fall semester which ends this month. To graduate with honors a student must have a grade point average of 3.5 or higher for all his academic work at Texas Tech. The university has a 4 point grading system.

The three other graduates with honors are Carl Doly Jones of Whitewater, Texas, David Mike Gossard of Abilene and Spur, Texas, and Clarence O. Fryar, Jr. of New Spring, Texas. Jerry M. Whigham of Lockney, Texas graduated with high honors, requiring a 3.8 grade point average or higher.

The College of Agricultural Sciences at Texas Tech is one of six colleges and two schools at the university. Other colleges are Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Home Economics, Education and Engineering. There is also a school of law and a graduate school. Fall enrollment at Texas Tech was 21,312.



Q. What is the name of this cut of meat?
A. Beef Flank Steak
Q. Where does it come from?
A. It is from flank and consists of many elongated muscle fibers. It is oval in shape, has very little fat and sometimes surface is scored.
Q. How is it prepared?
A. By broiling or broiling. A less tender cut, this steak is broiled with one exception. It is the traditional cut used for popular London Broil. In this case it is broiled only to rare (3 to 4 inches from heat about 5 minutes per side) and carved diagonally across the grain into very thin slices.

GRASSROOTS OPINION
Alltop, Pa., Mirror: "In the last four years the automotive industry has been the target of mounting safety concern, bolstered by the belief that modern technology possesses the capability to produce vehicles that are much safer than present models and the continuing opposition by the federal government of new safety standards. This campaign has begun to pay off. For the first time in many years, automobile fatalities were down in 1970 over 100, despite the presence of more vehicles on the road. Estimates of the number of lives saved in 1970 because of safety standards adopted in the last four years range up to 9,000."



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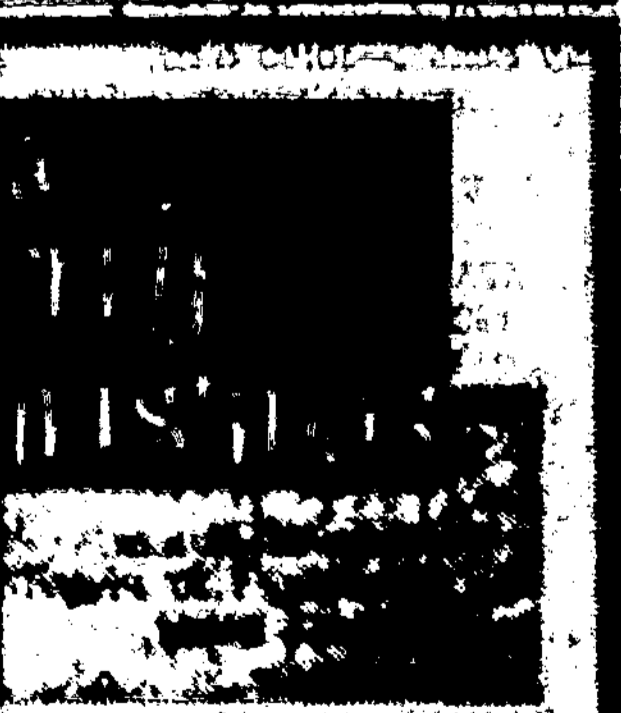
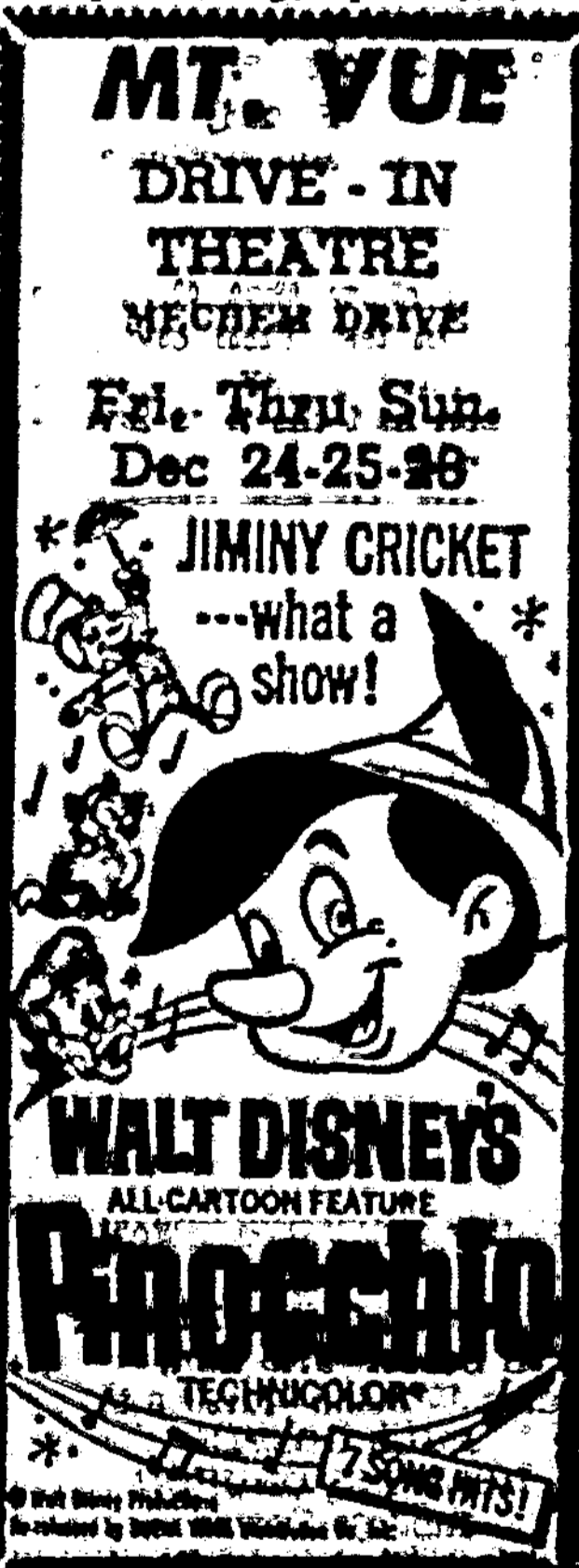
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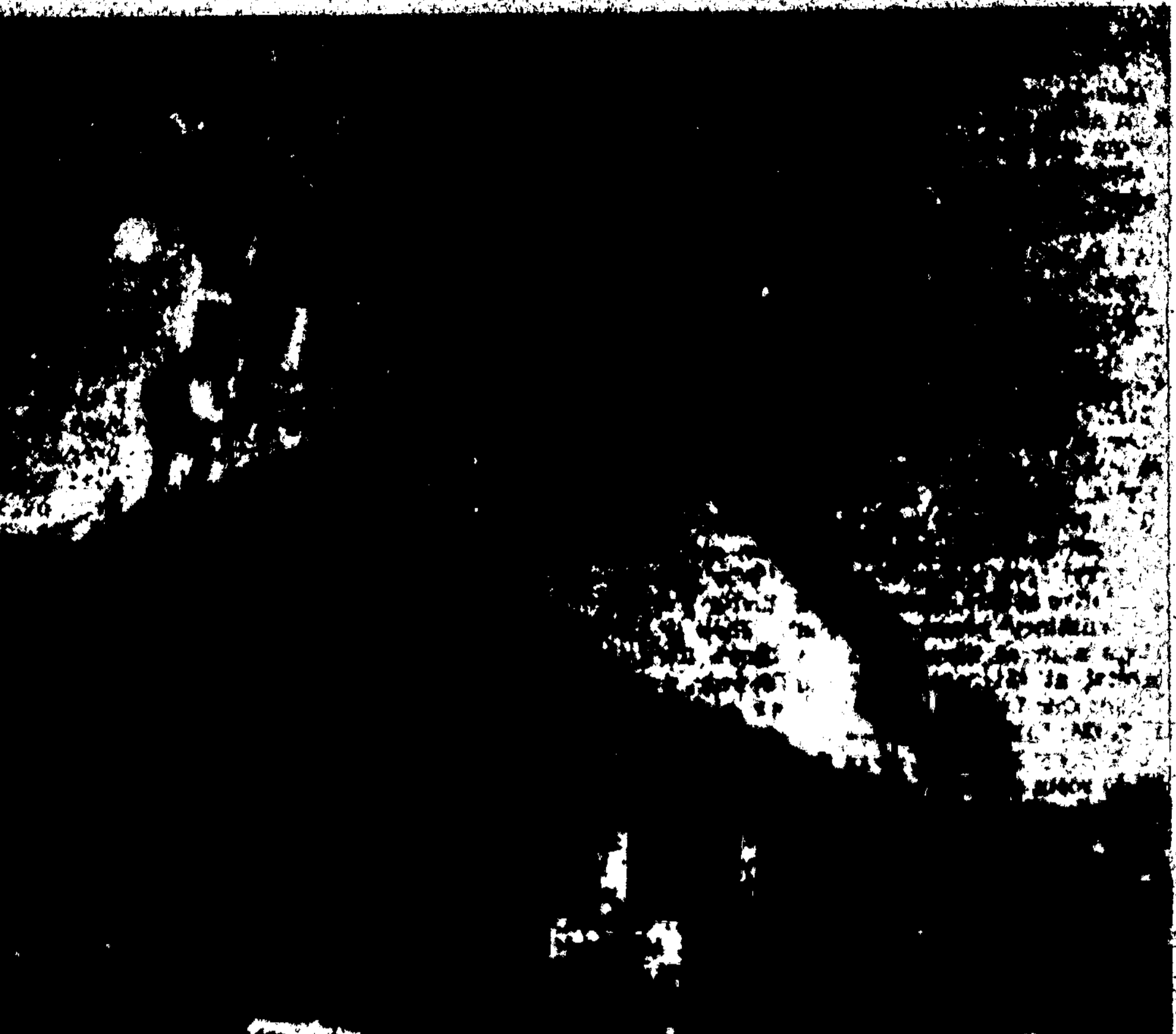
Witnessed the bells on Christmas Day, these 1944, familiar carols play and loud, the sweet the song "The bells of Earth, God will be with you."

The historic Christmas Carol, in all probability, will have a tremendous significance and a very special meaning to the congregation of Ruidoso's Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount this Christmas season.

The reason being that on Friday, Dec. 17, a historic 1885 five bell was lifted to its permanent placement atop the Fellowship building of the uniquely attractive church complex. The large bell, of legal 55-cwt. and formerly "Alec Babbs" Pe engine No. 1020 was given to the church by Mr. and Mrs. George Luck, Ruidoso. The Lucks are members of the local Episcopal congregation.

To add to the significance of the formal raising of the bell, two retired railroad engineers, Ed Lane and William McKinney, both of Ruidoso, with a combined total of eighty-one years of railroad experience and both also members of the local congregation, were on hand to supervise the installation of the newly acquired bell.

Lane, a long time resident of



COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE, REALLY
—A large Community Public Service, Company, Ruidoso, truck was on hand to assist members of the Ruidoso Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount in raising their newly purchased church bell and steeple. The CPS is often times mistaken for a community public

service group, rather than the Ruidoso electric utility company. . . Came to think of it, they are a community public service group who consistently volunteer or respond when asked to do a project for the betterment of the community. (Ruidoso News Photo)



SOUNDING BELL—A bell, very few years old, took a new home Friday, Dec. 17, atop the Ruidoso Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount. A gift of the George Luck of Ruidoso, the bell was installed under the supervision of two former railroad engineers with a com-

bined total of 81 years of railroad service. McKinney, above and left to right, Rev. John Miner, pastor, Mr. and Mrs. William M. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. George Luck and Ed Lane, all of Ruidoso. (Ruidoso News Photo)

Ruidoso. Built around twenty years ago, the church design blends into this mountain resort area and has attracted the attention of most tourists who visit the area.

Hence, the unique little chapel, shadowed by a mountain in the afternoon seemingly adds a special sense of the dignity and sacredness to the Sierra Blanca Mountain in its background, now has a call to worship, a bell.

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McKinney, a permanent resident of Ruidoso for the past three years, but cabin builder for the past seventeen years, with the Southern Pacific Railway for over 44 years, most of which was served as an engineer.

The unique christened steeple building the bell was made by Deane "Red" Eckelst and was raised mechanically into place on top of the structure by a Ruidoso Community Public Service truck and a volunteer crew from the local electric utility company.

Eckelst, a Ruidoso Police officer and member of the church, saw that the steeple was properly placed on the building and added the finishing touches so as to assure the steeple's blending into the existing church building.

Rev. John Miner, pastor of the church, was both complimentary and extremely appreciative to those who made it possible for the bell to be the last erection.

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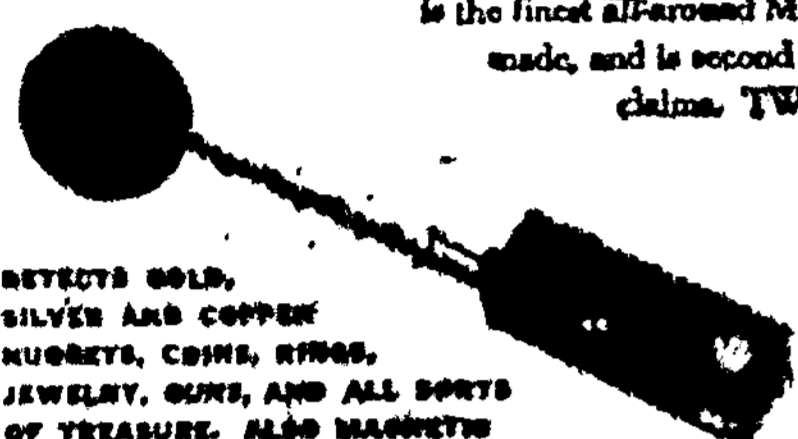
I am one of those lucky fellows that have spent most all their Christmases at home. I remember all the Christmas times of my life beginning, at two years of age. A couple of Christmas seasons were spent in the army in World War II—in the jungles of the Pacific. And now, December 21, 1971, I am looking forward to spending my first Christmas in the hospital.

I say "looking forward" with sincerity, because I know it will be quite a memorable experience. Mrs. Ike Kennedy's Christmas Cheer Basket. Two of Ruidoso's best friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Kennedy, who recently celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary, came by with Mrs. Kennedy's annual Christmas Cheer Basket.

TREASURE HUNTERS FIND

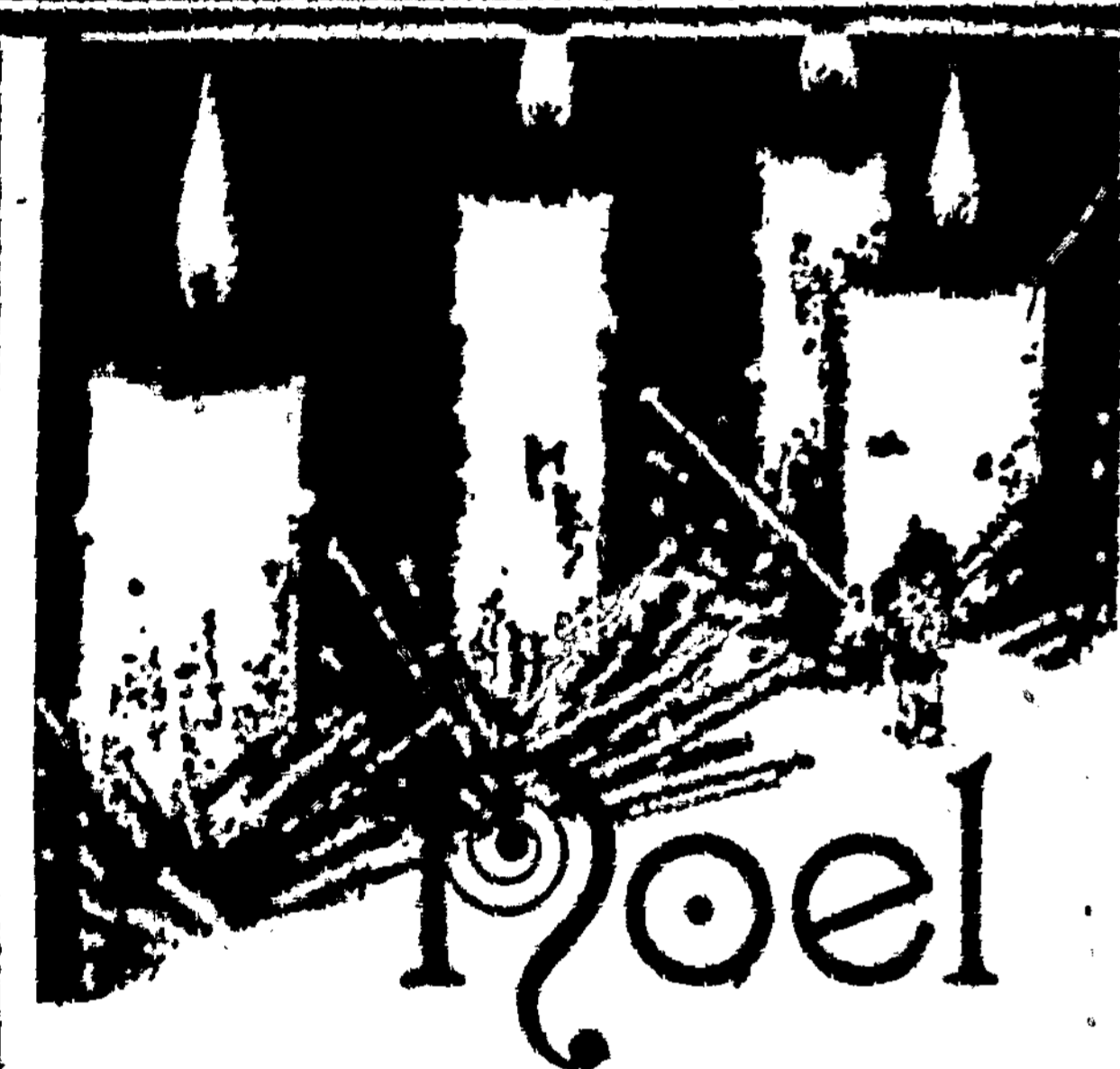
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All in all, the whole ensemble is just what its name suggests—something to cheer the heart. It is passed from room to room all through the hospital with everyone signing the card.

Mrs. Kennedy gave me the honor of having the Cheer Basket start its rounds through the hospital beginning at my room.

This is one of the most original and beautiful creations I have ever seen and is very representative of Mrs. Kennedy and her sunshine personality, and brings a great blessing to the hospital at this season of the birth of Our Lord.

MRS. CALLIE RUSSELL—Yesterday I stepped down the hall to room number ten to visit a friend of many years and a next door neighbor of years gone by and found that I had walked into a birthday celebration. Mrs. Russell was celebrating her eighty-sixth birthday.

We talked about the late 1920's and early 1930's down along the Ruidoso. The Russell place used to be right where Buddy Guibbe lives today. Between Buddy's place and the Canyon Trading Post there used to be a little school house, known as the Glencoe School.

Elliot Jones, who was present at the birthday celebration, gave me a laugh when he said they used to call this building the "Santa Claus Ranch" because of an aged Spanish gentleman who lived nearby. I remember the little school house well.

Mrs. Russell told of the founding of the Glencoe Woman's Club and the Glencoe Library with this building serving for both organizations.

The late and beloved Mrs. Ora Tully was the first president of the Woman's Club. Mrs. Russell said, while she herself served as librarian outside of school hours.

Teacher for the school was Mrs. Ora Casey Jones, present day resident of Ruidoso and pioneer Lincoln County Educator. Many residents of the valley got their first schooling here at this little school house—including Ole's two sons Tom and Paul.

Words of Praise For Construction Workers From her room window looking to the south, Mrs. Russell had been watching the construction on the new part of the hospital. "I am filled with the marvel of what these men are doing," Mrs. Russell said, "they are real heroes. They are doing dangerous and skillful work and I think they deserve a great deal of praise."

Mrs. Russell's sister, Mrs. Zoe Glasenier, told of Christmas during their girlhood in their native Kansas home when the family home was the scene of a happy Christmas re-union. A Great Painting By A Beloved Lady

When I came to the hospital the evening of Nov. 8, the first thing I can remember is looking at a painting in front of me across the room.

From the very first sight of it this picture seemed to comfort and help me. I could not get enough of looking at it. The more I looked at it the better it seemed to my sight, and there was something familiar about it.

Then one day John-anna, the daughter of my life-long friends, Allen and Gladys Beaver, came in for a visit.

After looking at the painting for a minute, John-anna said, "Why there is one of grandmother's pictures."

Then it all came back. Mrs. Sarah King, mother of Gladys Beaver, was a nurse for a long time at the hospital (as her daughter Gladys is today).

Mrs. King was widely admired and beloved here in the valley, and is still kindly remembered by her many friends. When well into middle life Sarah King, suddenly out of a clear sky, decided to take up oil painting. She had never had a lesson but her work from the start was the work of a master.

The old story of a God-given gift. Sarah King painted ocean scenes, landscapes and mountain pictures. All of her paintings had something special—they gave you a sense of peace and contentment; for into all her pictures she put something of her own kindly, Christian nature.

Now I know why this picture has helped so much to heal me, body, mind and soul.

The picture is in a mountain setting with a stream running down a little valley, reminding you of the Twenty-Third Psalm. Sheep are drinking from the stream. Our Lord dressed as a shepherd is seated on a rock. On the rock beside him is a little lamb. Kneeling at the Lord's knee is a child. The Lord has his hand upon the child's head. John-anna herself was placed as a model in the picture by her beloved grandmother.

Recollections of A Montana Cowboy Charles A. Guy, an old Montana cowboy says the Christmas he remembers most was in 1919. The snow came early and got deep. Christmas Day he spent hauling hay from the railroad to his cattle.

"I saved my heart, but it broke me," said Mr. Guy. Mr. Guy may have "gone broke" that time but today he is rich in friends and memories. Speaking of pictures, many of us remember the painting by the great western artist, Charles Russell, of the man riding a bucking horse through the camp upsetting the victuals and sending cowboys scrambling for cover.

"I was right there when it all happened," says Mr. Guy. The Great People We Meet In The Hospital

On the window sill is a beautiful blue rock specimen given me by Bill McGuire and his great little wife, "Scotty". Bill was terribly hurt in a fall on the ice and was my roommate for several days. He is a spunky and very gifted lad, and his wife is a regular little princess.

They both love the out-of-doors and are very much at home here in the Land of the Pines and Pine.

Also they both write beautifully of things that we need to read. I hope that in the days ahead we may be privileged to read some of their writings. One Hundredth Anniversary Of The Birth of Zane Grey.

My friend, Sid Larson, brought me in a copy of "Zane Grey Western" which contained a story of Buckshot Roberts which I read with great interest.

Also I read in this magazine that 1972 will be the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Zane Grey, who through his stories of the west endeared himself to us for all time.

There will be monuments put up, celebrations held, and a rifle manufactured in Grey's honor. A Zane Grey postage stamp will come out in 1972. (These will be collectors' items some day).

There is a nurse named Flora Freeland who is the sister of an old friend of mine called Zane Grey Leslie. Zane lives over Carrizozo way.

If you run across him, tell him to get in touch with me and tell me how he came by his name.

A blessed Christmas and a happy New Year, and many thanks for your kindness to me and Shady Logan throughout 1971 and all the years past.

I wish I could have attended the Mesquero Indian Pageant held Dec. 21 on the Reservation. I am sure it was an inspiring experience for all those who were there.

I also wish to express my thanks to the Methodist youth group and the Girl Scouts for the Christmas Carols presented at the hospital.

Letters To The Editor

12-15-71

Benito Dam

Dear Santa,

Hope you find me this Christmas. I live where we have had some beautiful snow and there are three nice lakes near by. In 1972 we should have lots of water and would you bring some fish for them? Especially Alko Lake. Please pep these men up who could help us get some fish if you don't have room this trip.

Have fun,

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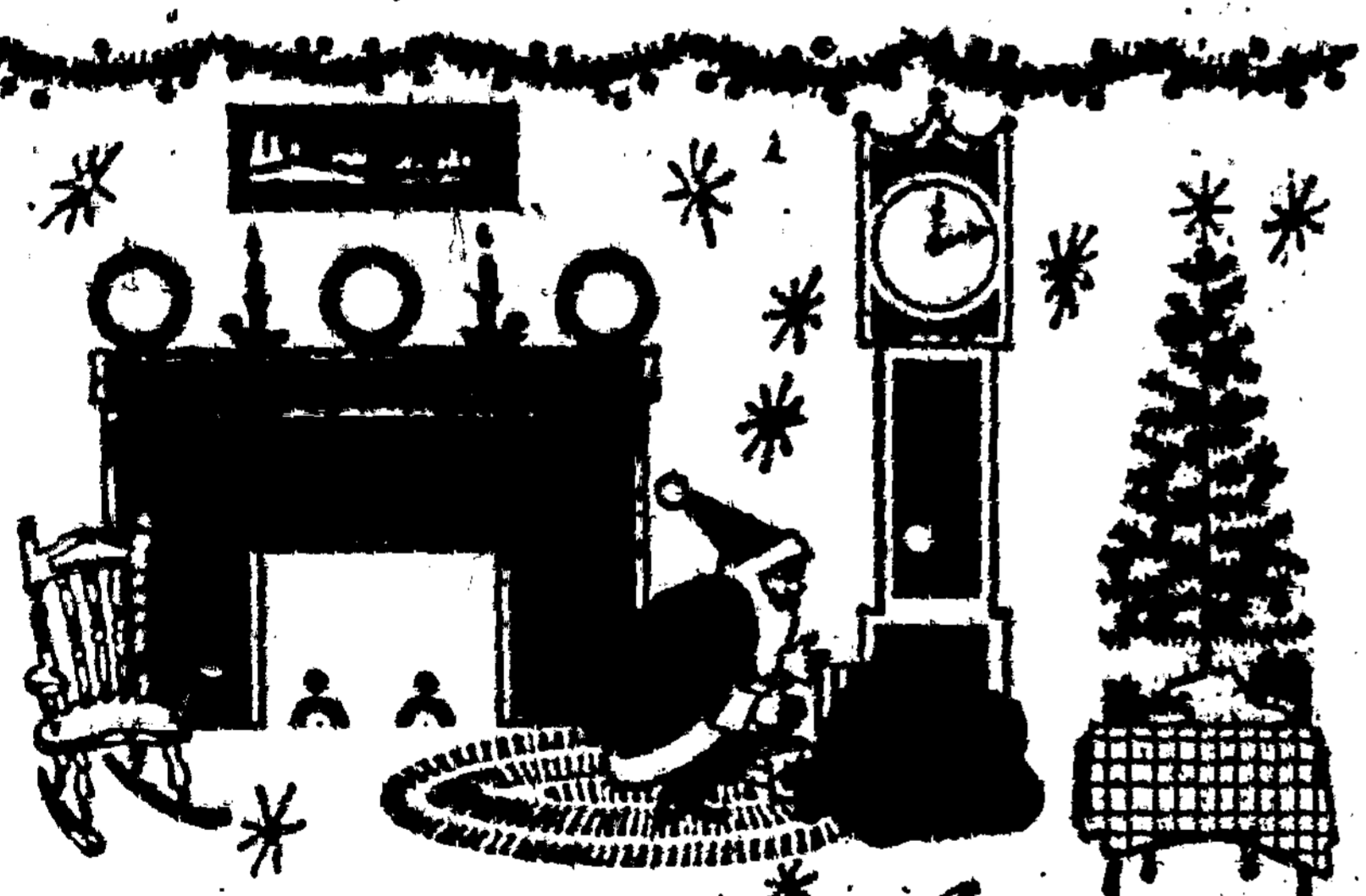
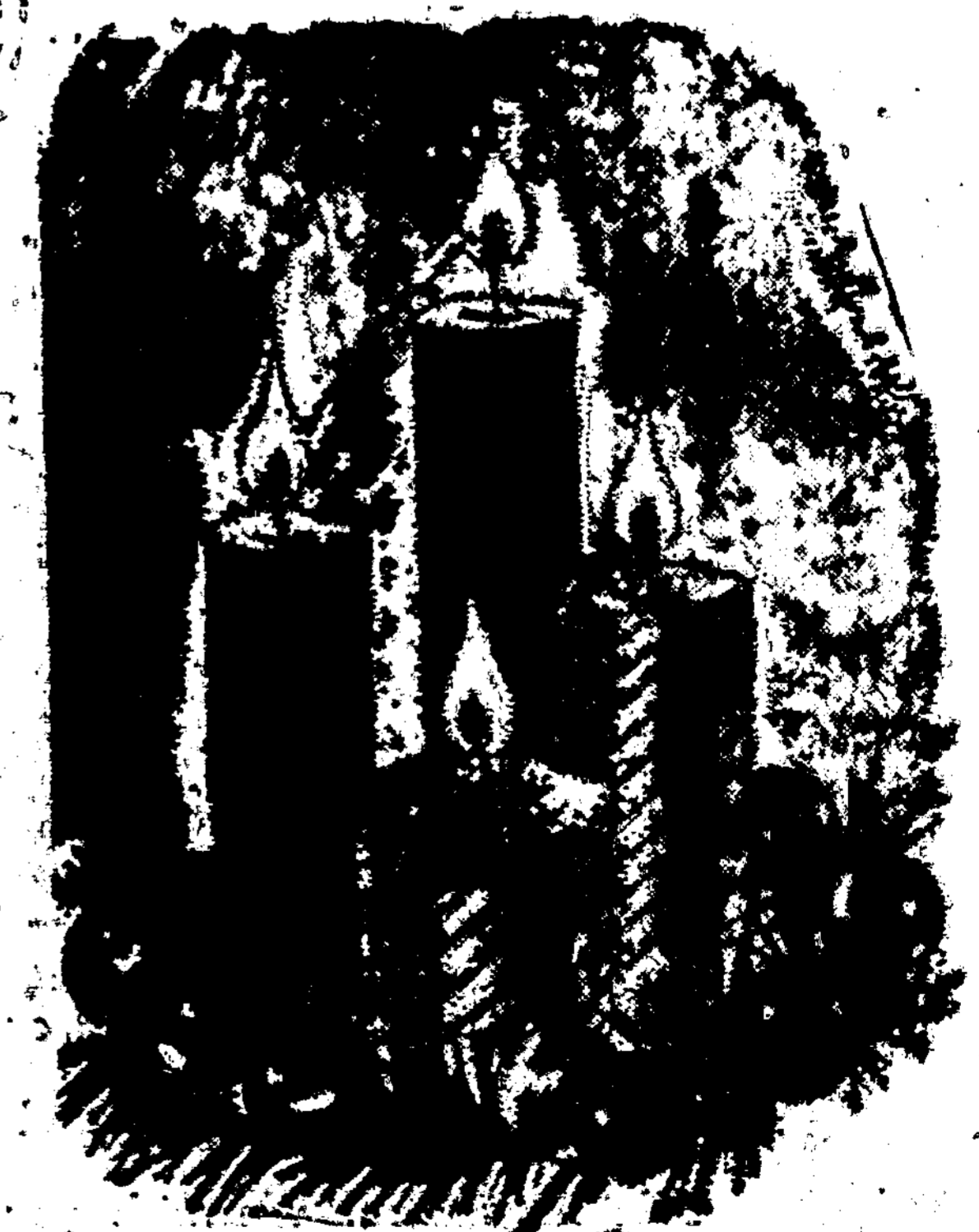
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Ruidoso News

THE RUIDOSO (N.M.) NEWS — Friday, Dec. 24, 1971

Warriors Lose To El Paso's Riverside Five

El Paso's Riverside High School Rangers defeated the Ruidoso Warriors' basketball team here Tuesday night, 66-63, in the Warrior Gym.

Although the Warriors jumped to a four point lead in a matter of seconds the first quarter, the Rangers' control and consistent defensive pressure of the visiting Warriors after the early minutes of the contest kept the Rangers in the lead.

Ben Cox, 5' 11" Ranger junior, was credited with six ball steals the first half of play. Armando Macias and Alfredo Vasquez led the Rangers' defensive efforts.

Point man for the game

was the Rangers Macias with eight field goals and four free throws for a game total of 20 points. Warrior Ken Perryman led the Tribe's scoring with a game total of 13. Other players in the double figure scoring bracket included Warriors Gordon Howell, 12, and Steve Wimberly, 11.

Ranger double figure scoring also included Mike Mulea, 12; Alfredo Vasquez, 11, and Armando Sanchez, 10.

The Warriors travel to Capitlan Saturday, Jan. 2, for their first conference game of the 1971-72 season.

RUIDOSO 63 — Riverside 65

Name FG FT F TP

R. McGuire 1 1 0 3

B. Miller 2 4 1 8

C. Conley 3 1 1 7

K. Perryman 5 2 3 13

G. Howell 6 0 1 12

S. Wimberly 4 3 4 11

D. Beal 0 0 2 0

K. Lane 3 0 1 6

G. Ross 1 1 2 3

TOTALS 25 13 15 63

Ruidoso 13 16 17 18-63

Riverside 22 14 24 24-65



ALL TOURNAMENT TEAM — Four Ruidoso Warrior basketball starters were included among the 10 All-Tournament players named following the championship game of the 12th Annual Ruidoso Basketball Classic Tournament here, Dec. 16-18. All-Tournament members elected by the participating coaches were, left to right, Terry Sweet, Ft. Sumner; Blane Miller, Ruidoso; Donn Gustin, Truth or Consequences; Reeves McGuire, Ruidoso; Gary Derrick, Dexter; Jeff Morgan, Lake Arthur; Corky Conley Ruidoso; Jesus Lujan, Canutillo; Gordon Howell, Ruidoso, and Phillip Grassie, Dexter. Canutillo's Lujan was named the coveted Most Valuable Player Award and Ruidoso Warrior head basketball coach, All Tournament Coach.

(Ruidoso News Photo)

RUIDOSO BASKETBALL CLASSIC TOURNAMENT

Warriors Win Tourney

The Ruidoso Warriors, for only the second time in the eleven year history of their own annual 3-day invitational basketball tournament, wrapped up a victory over the Fort Sumner Foxes, 63-60, in the final nineteen seconds of play in the championship game a bid deservedly claimed the victor's trophy, Saturday night.

The last and first time the Warriors had won the Annual Ruidoso Basketball Classic Tournament was in 1967 when the Tribe defeated El Paso Jr. High, 42-40 in the closing seconds of the championship game.

The Warriors also in addition to their championship tournament play, led the membership on the tourney's coveted All-Tournament Team with four Warriors named to the illustrious selection of the tournament stars were Reeves McGuire, Blane Miller, Corky Conley and Gordon Howell. Ruidoso Warrior head basketball coach Phil Hood was selected All-Tournament Coach.

Canutillo's Jesus Lujan was voted as the Most Valuable

Player in the tournament by the participating tournament coaches.

Other All-Tournament Team members included Terry Sweet, Fort Sumner and only All-Tourney squad member repeater from last year's select group; Lujan, Canutillo; Gary Derrick, and Phillip Grassie, both of Dexter; Don Gustin, Truth or Consequences, and Jeff Morgan, Lake Arthur.

Final Ruidoso Basketball Classic Tournament standings were Ruidoso (1), Fort Sumner (2), Truth or Consequences (3), Dexter (4), Lake Arthur (5) and Canutillo (6).

The Warriors pulled the championship contest into a win with nineteen seconds remaining in the final period of play when Blane Miller, 6' 2" Warrior starter, cleared the rim with two free throws to end the game's scoring.

The Warriors held the lead over the Foxes until three minutes deep in the third period of play when Fort Sumner's Tyson Shaw, 6' 2" junior, hit two twenty foot jump shots to put the Foxes out in front by two points. The lead changed eight times between the two championship hungry clubs in the closing minutes of the third period and until the final nineteen seconds of play when the Warriors wrapped it up.

Gordon Howell, Warrior 6' 5" center, was the game's leading scorer with 23 points. Tyson Shaw collected on 21 points for the losing Fort Sumner Foxes. Other players in the double figure scoring column included Miller, 18, Ruidoso, Michael Martinez, 10, and Terry Sweet, 13, both of Fort Sumner, and Ken Perryman, 6' 2" Warrior back court man, 12.

RUIDOSO 67 — Dexter 65
Game 6 — Semi-Final
Reeves McGuire, 5' 5" Ruidoso Warrior small in height but mountainous in calmness, dropped in two free throws in the final eleven seconds of play to push the Warriors into the lead during the semi-final game of the annual Ruidoso basketball tournament.

The aggressive quarterback of 50 Warriors, small in height but also the games leading scorer with six field goals and 13 free throw completions for a game total of 25. McGuire hit on 13 of 14 attempts from the charity stripe.

The Warriors got off to an early lead in the contest holding the Dexter Demons scoreless until over three minutes of the first period of play. It was over six and one-half minutes in the first period before Dexter scored their first field goal.

The Dexter club, late in the fourth period began to pick up momentum and with 23 seconds left to play Dexter's Johnny Wortman collected on a lay-up to even the score, 83-83. The Warriors' Gordon Howell tallied on a rebound and Dexter's Gary Derrick again tied the contest, 85-85, with a jump shot, with 18 seconds left on the clock.

The Warriors placed four starters in the double figure scoring bracket including McGuire. They were Howell, 19, Blane Miller, 17, and Ken Perryman, 12.

RUIDOSO 74 — Canutillo 56
Game 3 — First Round

Ruidoso's only starting senior, Corky Conley, led the Warriors with 10 field goals and five free throws for a game total of 25 in defeating the Canutillo

Eagles, 74-56 in the first round of tournament play for both teams, Thursday.

The Warriors' early defensive efforts early in the first quarter held the visiting El Paso club to nine points in the first period in contrast to the Warriors' early scoring. The Tribe claimed a 10 to one lead until well into the minutes of play in the first quarter of play.

The Warriors' defensive efforts led by Miller, Conley, Howell and Perryman, proved to be more than the Canutillo Eagles could cope with.

In addition to Conley, two other Warriors racked in double figure total scoring, Reeves McGuire, 14, and Gordon Howell, 14. The game's leading scorer was Jesus Lujan with 23. Lujan was named the Most Valuable Player in the tourney.

RUIDOSO BASKETBALL CLASSIC

— First Round —

Game 1

T. or C. 63 — Dexter 55

T. or C. 10 15 10 14-63

Dexter 20 20 10 20-55

Game 2

Ft. Sumner 66 — Lake Arthur 40

Ft. Sumner 15 12 10 15-66

Lake Arthur 6 7 10 10-40

Game 3

RUIDOSO 74 — Canutillo 56

Ruidoso

Name FG FT F TP

R. McGuire 6 2 4 14

B. Miller 4 0 3 0

C. Conley 10 5 4 15

K. Perryman 2 0 3 0

S. Wimberly 0 5 0 5

G. Howell 0 2 4 14

D. Beal 1 0 0 2

TOTALS 20 14 18 74

RUIDOSO 15 14 21 24-74

Canutillo 9 17 15 15-56

— Second Round —

Game 4

Lake Arthur 67 — T. or C. 63

Lake Arthur 13 24 23 7-67

T. or C. 21 25 22 21-63

Game 5

Ft. Sumner 58 — Canutillo 41

Ft. Sumner 9 22 15 12-58

Canutillo 8 13 10 10-41

Game 6

RUIDOSO 67 — Dexter 65

Name FG FT F TP

R. McGuire 6 13 1 25

B. Miller 6 5 4 17

C. Conley 2 2 3 6

K. Perryman 5 2 2 12

G. Howell 8 3 3 19

S. Wimberly 3 2 3 6

TOTALS 33 33 23 67

— Season Free Throws —

Warriors — 133 out of 254.

Opponents — 125 out of 213.

Warrior Fouls 155

Opponents Fouls 200

D. Beal 0 0 1 0

TOTALS 30 27 17 67

RUIDOSO 24 24 10 29-67

Dexter 15 24 21 21-65

— Third Round —

Game 7

Canutillo 40 — Lake Arthur 32

Canutillo 11 0 11 10-40

Lake Arthur 9 6 4 13-32

Game 8

Consolation Champion

Truth or Consequences

T. or C. 24 10 20 16-63

Dexter 6 14 14 30-57

Game 9

Tourney Champion — Ruidoso

Ruidoso 63 — Ft. Sumner 66

Ruidoso

Name FG FT F TP

R. McGuire 1 0 0 2

B. Miller 7 4 3 10

C. Conley 3 0 4 6

K. Perryman 5 2 4 12

G. Howell 10 5 2 25

TOTALS 20 11 14 63

Ft. Sumner 20 11 14 63

T. Sweet 0 1 0 13

M. Martinez 0 4 2 10

T. Shaw 9 3 3 21

B. Moyer 1 0 1 2

G. Sparks 1 0 3 2

O. Lopez 0 0 1 0

TOTALS 20 0 15 60

1971-1972 FRESHMAN BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Dec. 21—Carrizozo, Here, 5:30.

Jan. 12-15—Rotary Tournament, Here.

Jan. 23—Carrizozo, There, 5:30.

Feb. 1—Tularosa, Here, 5:00.

Feb. 19—Dexter, Here, 5:00.

8th GRADE SCHEDULE

Dec. 21—Carrizozo, Here, 3:30.

Jan. 7—Alamogordo, There, 3:30.

Jan. 11—Tularosa, There, 4:00.

Jan. 13-15—Rotary Tournament, Here.

Jan. 18—Capitan, There, 5:30.

Jan. 21—Alamogordo, Here, 4:30.

Jan. 25—Carrizozo, There, 4:30.

Feb. 4—Tularosa, Here, 4:30.

Feb. 8—Capitan, Here, 5:30.

7th GRADE SCHEDULE

Jan. 11—Tularosa, There, 3:30.

Jan. 13-15—Rotary Tournament, Here.

Jan. 18—Capitan, There, 4:30.

Jan. 23—Carrizozo, There, 3:30.

Feb. 4—Tularosa, Here, 3:30.

Feb. 8—Capitan, Here, 4:30.

HUSTLING WARRIOR AWARD

NOTE: Each week basketball fans who attend the Ruidoso High School Warrior basketball games will have the opportunity to vote on the Warrior player they consider to have "HUSTLED THE MOST" during the respective game. Ballots will be available in the lobby of the Warrior Gym following each game. Fans are requested to name their choice and place their ballot in a designated ballot box. The "HUSTLING WARRIOR AWARD" will be presented during the half-time of the next home game. Warrior head basketball coach Phil Hood stated that the award is not based upon high scoring, rebounding or foul shooting, but strictly on the overall effort and hustling of the player.

— THIS WEEK —
TOURNAMENT WINNERS
REEVES MCGUIRE KEN PERRYMAN



MCGUIRE WINS — 5' 5" Reeves McGuire, Ruidoso Warrior basketball quarterback, was voted "Hustling Warrior" by the fans during Thursday and Friday's Ruidoso Basketball Classic Tournament. McGuire, a junior, was named one of the four Warriors on the ten player All-Tournament Team. The scrappy "short-ones" on the Warrior squad averaged 14 points per game during the tournament and was the leading Warrior scorer in the Warrior-Dexter game when he dropped in 23 points.

(Ruidoso News Photo)

PERRYMAN WINS—Ken "Bunker" Perryman, 6' 3", 207-lb. backcourt man for the Ruidoso Warriors, received all but seven of the total votes cast for the "Hustling Warrior Award" following Saturday night's Warrior tournament championship win over Ft. Sumner, 63-60. Perryman's "hustling", as one observer remarked, "was one of the reasons the Warriors pulled the game out of a loss."

(Ruidoso News Photo)

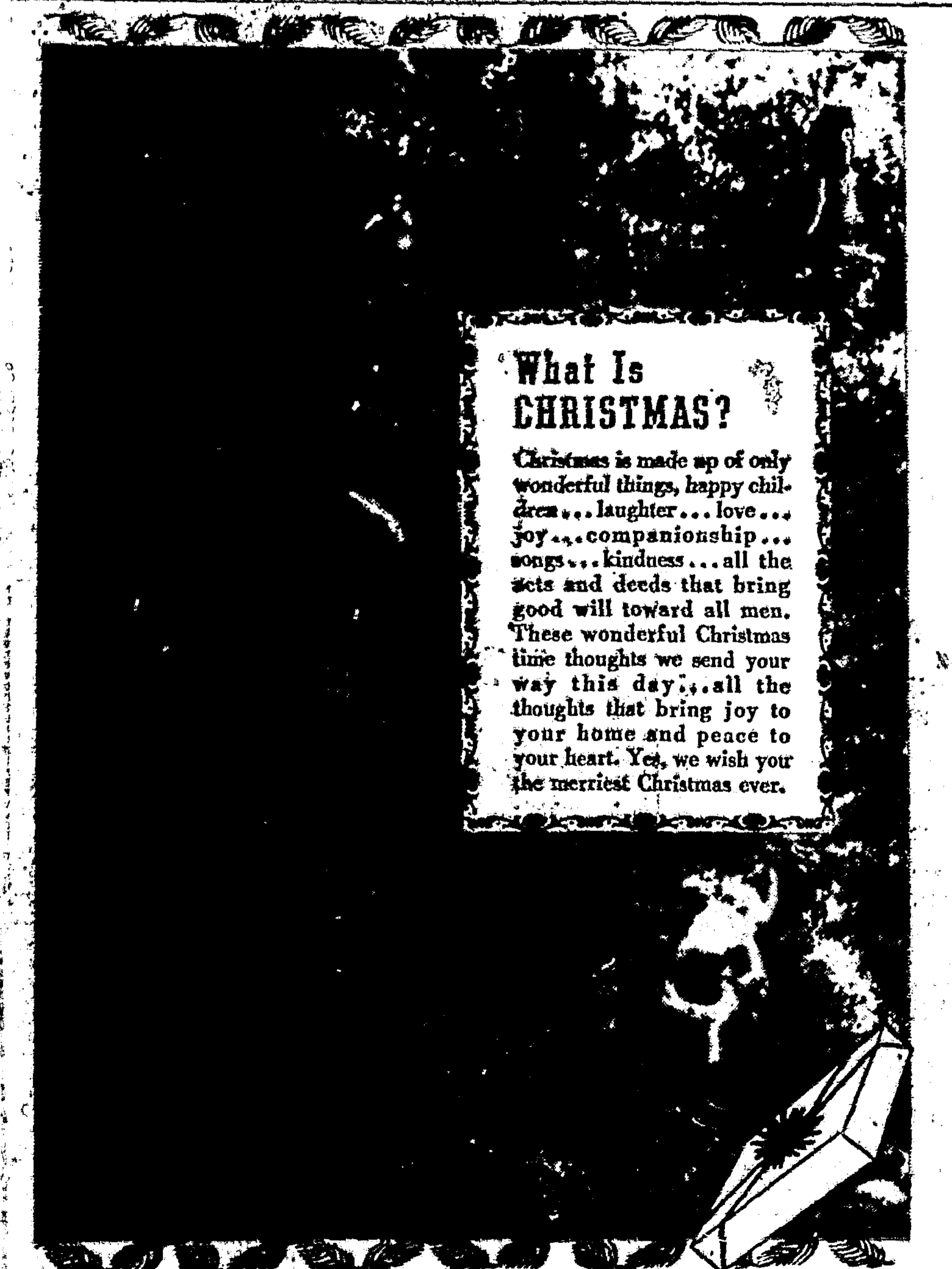


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Inside The Capital

By FRED HUCKLES

Chairman J. M. Smalley, D-Luna-Hidalgo-Silver, of the University Study Committee says the USC recommended a \$10 million general obligation bond issue for state universities' libraries.

Bonds would be issued at the rate of \$2 million annually for 5 years. Money would be expended to state universities for libraries, and state board of educational finance for state universities capital improvements was approved by voters in 1968. A total of \$10 million is included from the \$42.5 million.

The USC also memorialized the BEP to complete a study and report to the 1973 Legislature. Already begun, the study is on the basis of state general fund appropriations to state universities. The current basis of full-time equivalent is geared to enrollment multiplied by 10 credit hours per 1964-65. The study is looking into a graduated FTE scale, allowing for larger expenses of graduate schools.

Sen. John Conway, R-Lincoln-Otero, and Rep. Richard Carbajal, D-Belen, are also on the USC. The panel's recommendations will likely go to the 1973 Legislature if Gov. Bruce King approves.

State Banking Commissioner Roy Davidson approved a change of location of the Ruidoso State Bank branch at Capitol from Lincoln Street to the junction of US 380 and NM 48. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation also approved the change.

Davidson approved the application of Roswell Savings and Loan Association to establish a branch in Ruidoso. Bill pending was Davidson's action on the request of Chavez County Savings and Loan Association of Roswell to open a branch in Ruidoso on Sudderth Drive between Cedar Creek Drive and Reese Drive. Hearing was held Nov. 30 on the application.

A Deming lawyer, Gen. Smalley said the Motor Vehicle Department is one of the trouble spots in state government. The MVD is set for critical attention in the legislative session opening Jan. 18.

The Legislative School Study Committee, backed by the King administration, recommended to the Legislative Finance Committee a boost of \$12.8 million or 8.8 per cent in fiscal 1973, in state support for public schools.

Rep. David Calman, D-Union-Mora-Harding, is LSCG chairman and House majority leader. Sen. C. B. Trujillo, D-Taos, is LSCG vice chairman.

Rep. William J. Upton, D-Luna-Hidalgo, says: "I honestly believe that there is more money wasted in our public school systems and institutions of higher learning in New Mexico than in any other, or as a matter of fact, all other places where tax money goes."

"The operation of our schools is big business and the business end of it should be watched as well as the instructional end." A former state banking commissioner, Rep. Upton is a Deming resident.

Commenting on the Legislative Tax Study Committee's consideration of 45 tax bills, Rep. Upton said: "I would guess that 90 per cent of the proposals will go out the window." Sen. Finis Heide, D-Lincoln, and Rep. Robert Johnson, R-Turkey, are on the Tax Study Committee.

The Legislative Insurance Regulation Study Committee



ON DANCER, ON PRANCER, ON DONNER—Santa and his sleigh complete with genuine Alto reindeer decorate the front lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patterson of Alto this Christmas. The "rattle reindeer" were made by Bill from logs and branches complete with "velvet". Mrs. Patterson furnished Santa and the elves. Not shown in this photo is Rudolph, with his red nose that glows at night. (Ruidoso News Photo)

County Agent's Column

By WALTER DUNLAP

Order your apple trees now. Demand for apple nursery stock will again be heavy this winter. Orders should be placed early to be assured of obtaining high quality plants of the varieties desired. Order now but specify March delivery. Purchase one or two year old plants (scion) of No. 1 grade.

The trend now is to plant orchards on semi-dwarf rootstocks. Come of the advantages of dwarfing rootstocks are easier harvesting, easier pruning, more trees per acre, and earlier production. There are a dozen or more so-called "dwarfing" rootstocks and they vary from slight reduction of tree size to midsize (4 feet trees). For example East Malling (EM) IX produces a tree so small it requires supports to hold it up. Most growers using this rootstock support their trees on trellises. Malling Merton (MM) 104 rootstock is only slightly dwarfing in its effect on the scion (top). Spur-type trees tend to be semi-dwarf even when grown on standard stocks. When these are propagated on the highly dwarfing rootstocks, they are reduced to the size of ornamentals and are not practical in most commercial operations. To acquire a semi-dwarf orchard using spur strains, a grower may wish to choose plants budded on to MM 104 or EM II rootstocks. If he wishes to grow Royal Red, Topred, or similar varieties, he should choose MM 106, MM 111, or EM VII.

Woolly apple aphids and rosy apple aphids have long been problems in New Mexico, and control is not simple once a tree is infested. The University of New Mexico Bureau of Business Research issued a chilling report: "New Mexico may soon be faced with the necessity of curtailing local consumption of natural gas."

heavy infestation has built up. These insects winter on the roots causing swollen nodules to develop. Rootstocks are available on which the aphids do not feed, thus eliminating the overwintering generation. The Malling Merton series (MM 106, MM 111, and MM 104) are of those that are woolly apple aphid resistant.

We just must say something about pollination. Red Delicious is practically self-sterile and will not produce full crops without being pollinated by another variety.

Pear fruit sets in cold, windy springs have often been attributed to frost when actually inadequate pollination was the real cause. To guard against poor pollination, plant every 3rd row to a pollinating variety. Unfortunately, some of our best pollinators are not choice commercial varieties in New Mexico. Golden Delicious and Jonathan are most generally used to pollinate Red Delicious because the are good commercial varieties also. Varieties such as Summer Champion, Yellow Transparent, and Ben Davis may be better pollinators but have less commercial appeal.

B-R-D
A Charolais bull gained six pounds a day in the senior group of the first 23-day weight gains in the Tucuman Bull Test. This is a record for a 23-day period. The test was also 3.55 pounds of gain per day. A polled Hereford bull gained almost five and a half pounds a day in the junior group. Average daily gain for the 14 junior bulls in the test was also 3.55 pounds.

These characteristics gain figures couldn't be used to compare bulls, but they do indicate that they got off to a good start. These 23-day gains may be influenced by "H" and perhaps short-term illnesses. A 60-day weighing date for a 23-day period will be Dec. 14, followed by other weighings on Jan. 11 and Feb. 8. The 140-day test will end March 6-7. Bulls will be sold at the Tucuman Bull Test March 17.

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Your Social Security

"Farm workers need social security numbers, too," says Mrs. Christine Graves, social security claims representative.

Although all work done by farm workers isn't covered by social security, most of it is, Mrs. Graves explained.

If a person works on a farm and is paid \$150 or more in cash wages in a year, his earnings are covered by social security and must be reported. Even if his earnings are less than \$150, Mrs. Graves continued, they are covered by social security if he worked on a time basis (by the hour, day, week, or month) and worked on at least 20 days in one year for one employer.

"Don't throw that tax money away," Mrs. Graves urged farm workers. "Be sure you have a social security card and that your employer sees it, so that he will report your earnings correctly. Then, you'll get the credit you have earned. It's the only way you and your family can be protected by social security."

Farm wages paid in 1971 should be reported to the Internal Revenue Service in January, 1972 - that's next month.



GOT A NAME ANYONE? - Until they are officially named the above group of Ruidoso High School girls, under the direction of RHS teacher Vickie Barnett, will be known as the Ruidoso High School Pom Pom Girls. The girls have performed during the half time of several Warrior home basketball

games and will, regardless of what they are named, entertain the fans throughout the season. From left to right they are Yonna Crommons, Lisa Boyer, Kerri Barron, Rene Carpenter, Brenda Winfield, Lis Garcia, Wanda Taylor and Aetna Eaves. Not pictured is Linda Curry. (Ruidoso News Photo)

In Passing..

Susan tells us that although she appreciates the sentiments expressed in an ad recently of "Happy 35th Susan", it should have been "Happy youthful 29th Susan." ... we understand that almost all of our models are booked full for the holiday season ... a new teacher coming in to the Ruidoso News office trying to locate a three bedroom home to rent ... recent realtors' Christmas party at Tinnie termed very successful ... Christmas Cantata at the Baptist Church drawing a full house ...

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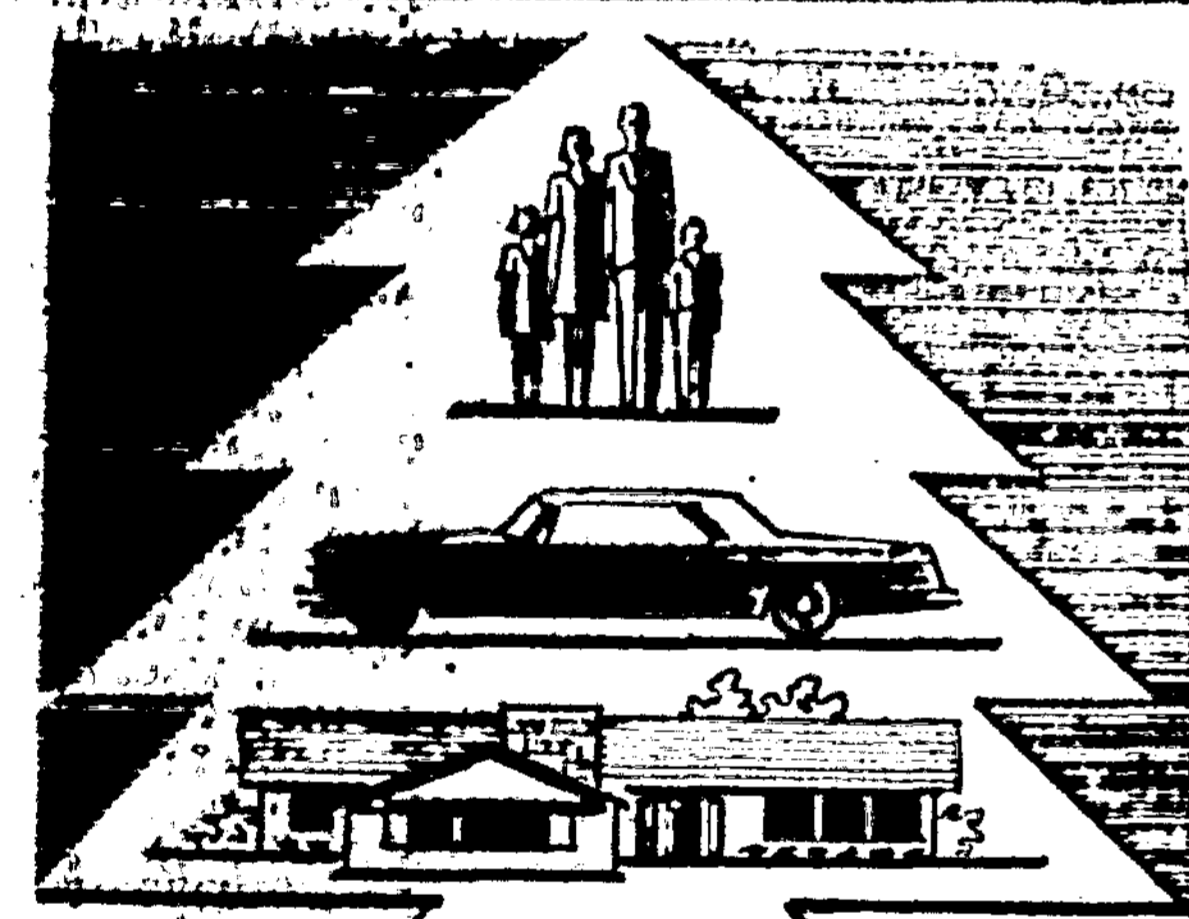


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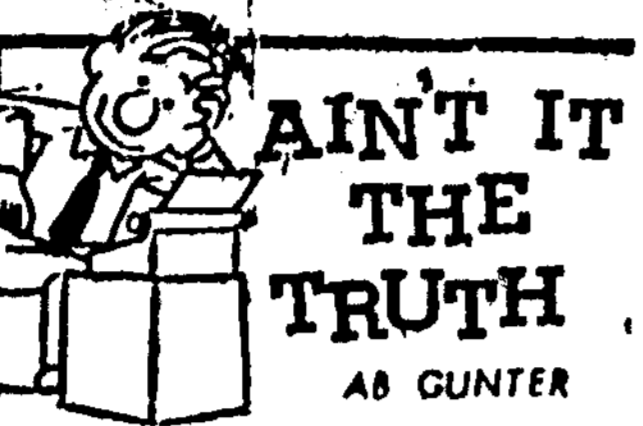
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AIN'T IT THE TRUTH
AB GUNTER
Old St. Nick made er again this year or at least I hope he don't turn back this late in the game. You know I've known that ole bird longer than many and a lot less than some but he's been better to me than I have to him. I member back when we would string popcorn and cranberries on a piece of twine and make the ornaments out of paper and sometimes you'd even put little candies on the tree but you better watch em or the whole darn thing would go up in flame.

I used to think we wuz poor not to have all the things we wanted but you know what I found we were richer than many folks today as we had happiness and family love, chuckles we even loved our neighbor and nowadays it's hard to find a tyndale of love in the whole country. I recon we are lucky here as we got Ole Murphy across the street to borrow firewood from, not that he likes it but I usually get it after he is in bed so I want bother him, then we got Coko and Mary, they are the gypsies that own property across the street. Me and Dutch have been wantin to go with them but he mores too loud and I eat too much.

The neighbors to the west of us, The Rogers wave and say howdy and ever once in a while we get to have coffee together but they stay busy all the time like the most of us. The Crafts are doin their home so they aint got time hardly to turn around, they live to the North of us and next door to Doc Skaggs and his little teacher wife, they have cookies and the like sometimes and we have had some wonderful food there, I jes wish they

Season's Greetings
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Letter to the Editor

The New Mexico Heart Association wishes to take this opportunity to extend Holiday Greetings and best wishes to everyone throughout the great state of New Mexico. We also sincerely thank all of those who participated in the past to help make our programs successful. The cooperation of the news media, public adherence to risk reduction, and improved medical techniques have reduced New Mexico's Heart Death rate by 1% in the past year.

We believe there is no finer way in the world to honor or remember a loved one than with a memorial, bequest, or special gift to your local New Mexico Heart Association or just make a tax deductible gift now. These gifts are needed to help achieve the Heart Association 1972 needs of \$182,400 to continue our service to the state, and our two children's early detection, and prevention programs of Phonocardiogram screening and throat culture. More geographically located cardiac clinics need to be established in addition to our existing ones, and coronary care units need to be located in more populous areas and made available to smaller communities. We also have in the planning stages an adult cardiac drug program which will be state wide in scope. Remember, Heart Diseases can be conquered, so give now as never before.

The declared goal of Lincoln County is \$2,000. Please make your contribution to the Lincoln County Heart Fund, Ruidoso State Bank in Ruidoso, or to the New Mexico Heart Association, 142 Truman N. E., Albuquerque, N. M. 87106.

we'd be here a little more as we enjoy our neighbors cookin. Speakin of neighbors cookin we even had dinner with the Bud Fennels at Mesacero Sunday. Bet you think Ole Abs slipped his wig but I aint really, Im jes tellin you your neighbors is a finer feller than you know an if you treat him half as nice as he treats you things should go real good. I could write till you got tired jes tellin you bout the fine folks I know and love. I hope you got such friends and neighbors around you. Do have a Pleasant Holiday and jes get together and visit a lot next year, what you say? Golly, I forgot to mention Grandma and Grandad Boone, Aint I awful.

-Ab and Family

Chamber Chatter

By DICK MOUND

The directors, manager, secretary and officers of the Chamber of Commerce would like to wish everybody a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We are making plans for some activity in January and February. January, we are going to have the Armed Forces Appreciation weekend. In February, we want to make plans for a dance with a big name entertainer.

Also coming up in January is the Rotary Invitational Basketball Tournament for the 7th, 8th and 9th grades. This was quite successful last year, and we hope it remains successful this year.

We are sending two couples to Santa Fe the 6th of January to represent our town at Governor King's 60th Anniversary dance. Mr. White enlightened us about the cities making flags. Sounds like a little thought should be put forth by a lot of people before the final product is made.

To dispell some rumors by the people who perentally make an excuse for not contributing to the Chamber of Commerce, the trip to North Carolina by three directors and myself was not funded by the Chamber. The Air Force flew us there and back and we paid individually for everything else. I'm sure glad they didn't catch Sonny Wood tampering with the plane so we could all stay another day.

The Christmas Lighting Contest was judged on Thursday, Dec. 23, starting at 7:30 p.m. Lights were to be left on late.

The Rotary Club had a joint meeting with the Carrizozo Club and got the opportunity to meet some more very nice people. Our Rev. Frank Crown led the singing, and he really did a great job, everybody was singing up a storm. We met at the High Country Lodge, and everything was enjoyable except the speaker. We had to have a substitute for the District Governor and if it weren't for a great ending song by everybody, they would have all had to drive home in their sleep.

My wife and I attended an open house in Alamogordo for Jerry Baker, our Department of Development Area Representative, and his new bride, the former Diana Mayfield. We met some of the good Carrizozo people again. Mr. Baker also stated he would bring down the "Rate Your Own Community Survey". With that completed, we should be able to pick a more definite course of action this last six months of our term. Again, a Merry Christmas from the Chamber of Commerce.

Savings Bonds For Christmas Gifts

"This year, U. S. Savings Bonds make better-than-ever Christmas gifts," Glenn A. Fowler, New Mexico Chairman for the Treasury's Savings Bonds Program, said today. "The interest rate is higher than ever, and the popular E Bond has a shorter-than-ever maturity."

There are other reasons for buying Savings Bonds as gifts, Fowler pointed out. "You don't have to worry about style, size, shape, or color. And they're priced to fit almost any pocketbook. They're indestructible - if lost, stolen, mutilated, or destroyed, the Treasury will replace them free of charge. They're patriotic, too."

"While Savings Bonds are especially appropriate at Christmas time, they are ideal gifts for almost any occasion," Fowler added. "For birthdays, new babies, anniversaries, graduation, weddings - you name it - Savings Bonds are the gift that keeps on giving."

Rodeo Club Members Attend Portales Clinic

Three members of the Ruidoso High School Rodeo Team attended a rodeo clinic held in Portales Dec. 18-21. Members and events in which they participated are: Dennis Riddle, bareback bronc riding; Billy Bob Goodrum, bull riding, and Eddie Goodrum, bareback bronc riding.

The annual clinic, held at Eastern New Mexico State University, features some of the top college rodeo athletes in the nation as instructors. Tutoring the bareback riding was Jim Cody and Pace Merrill, both of whom went to the finals last year; Barney Brehmer headed instruction for the bulls. Many other top competitors instructed for the other events.

Glock was furnished by Hugh Cooper of Santa Rosa. This clinic is rated the best in New Mexico.

The clinic was a great help and excellent experience for all of the high schools participating.

Marvin Ratliff, Jr. Gets Promotion

Marine Lance Corporal Marvin W. Ratliff, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin W. Ratliff, Sr. of Ruidoso Downs, was promoted to his present rank while serving with the First Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

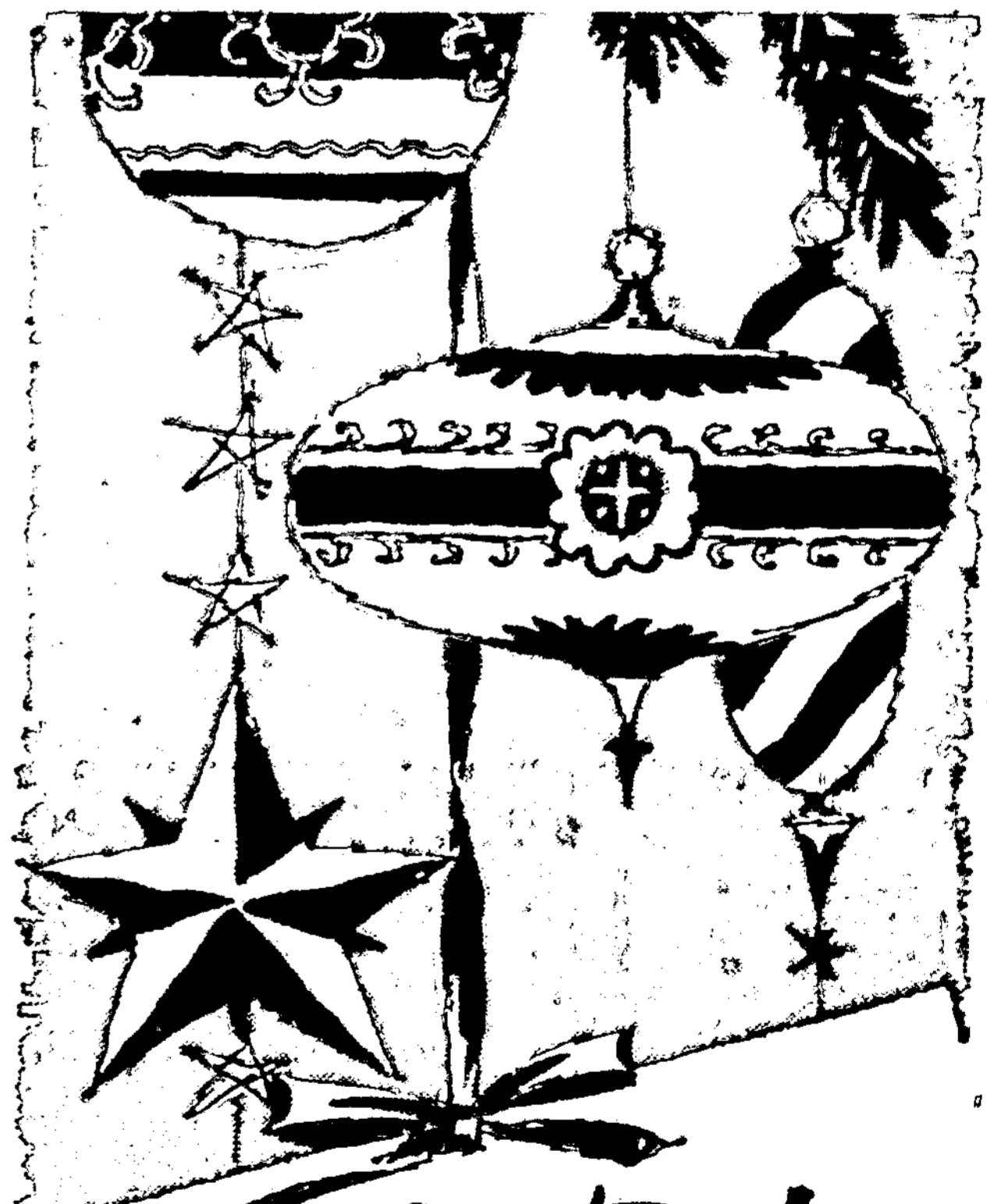
He is a 1970 graduate of Ruidoso High School.

GREETINGS



To all our friends, a merry Christmas!

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Christmas Joy!

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Legal Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES PANEBOUE, Deceased

NO. 22 PROBATE NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Eugenia S. Paneboue, Emma Paneboue, Mary Jane Paneboue, Charles Paneboue Jr., all unknown heirs of Charles Paneboue, Deceased; all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent.

Eugenia S. Paneboue, Petitioner has filed a Petition for the Determination of the Heirship of Charles Paneboue, deceased, and the description of certain real property contained in said Petition is as follows:

(a) 10 acres of land, with building improvements thereon, being part of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 13, Township 16, Range 19, East, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

(b) Lots 1, 2 and 3 with building improvements thereon, of the Original Townsite of Vaughn, Guadalupe County, New Mexico.

(c) Lots 17 and 18 with building improvements thereon, of the Original Townsite of Vaughn, Guadalupe County, New Mexico.

On February 7, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, at the Courthouse the Court will hear objections thereto, and the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the person or persons entitled to distribution thereof, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto.

HUNKER, FREDRIC & HUGENOTHAM, P. A. By: /s/ Don M. Fedric, Attorney for Petitioner P. O. Box 187 Roswell, N. M. 88201

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/s/ Edward Penfield, Clerk of the District Court 12-24-71; 17-14

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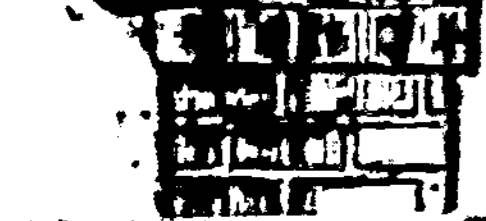
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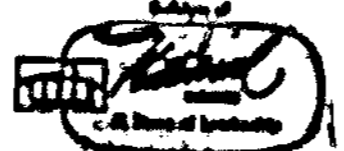
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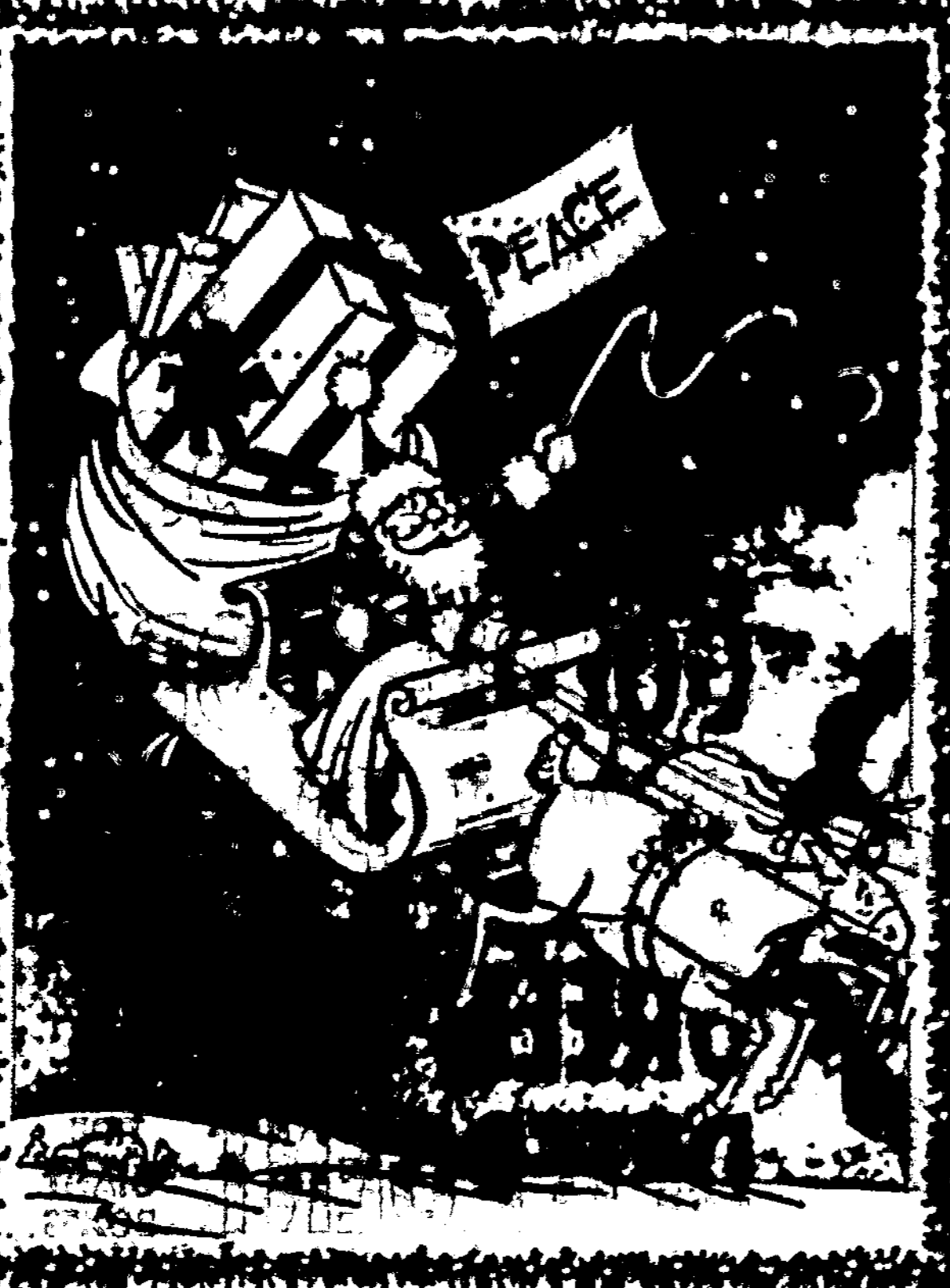
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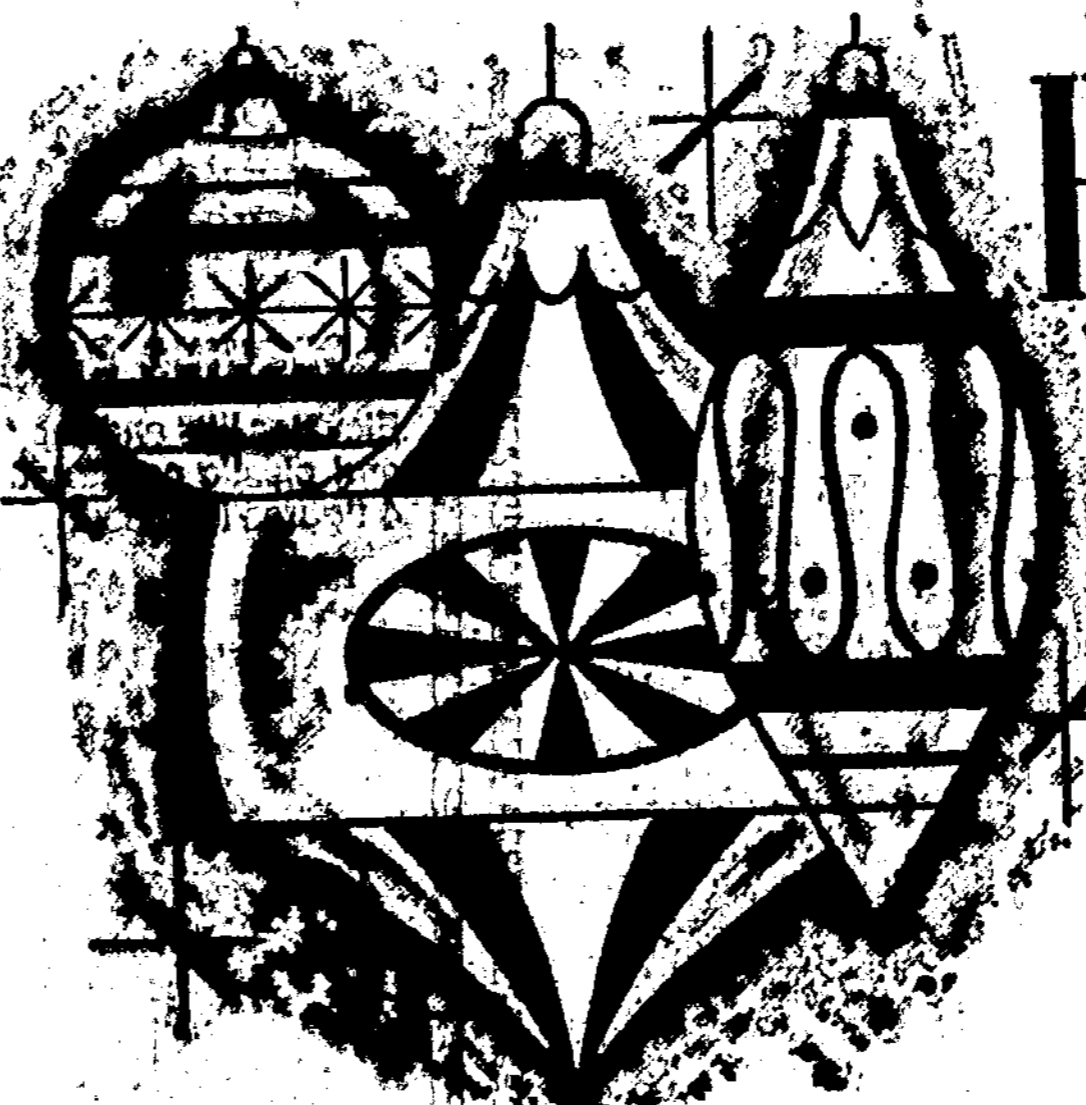
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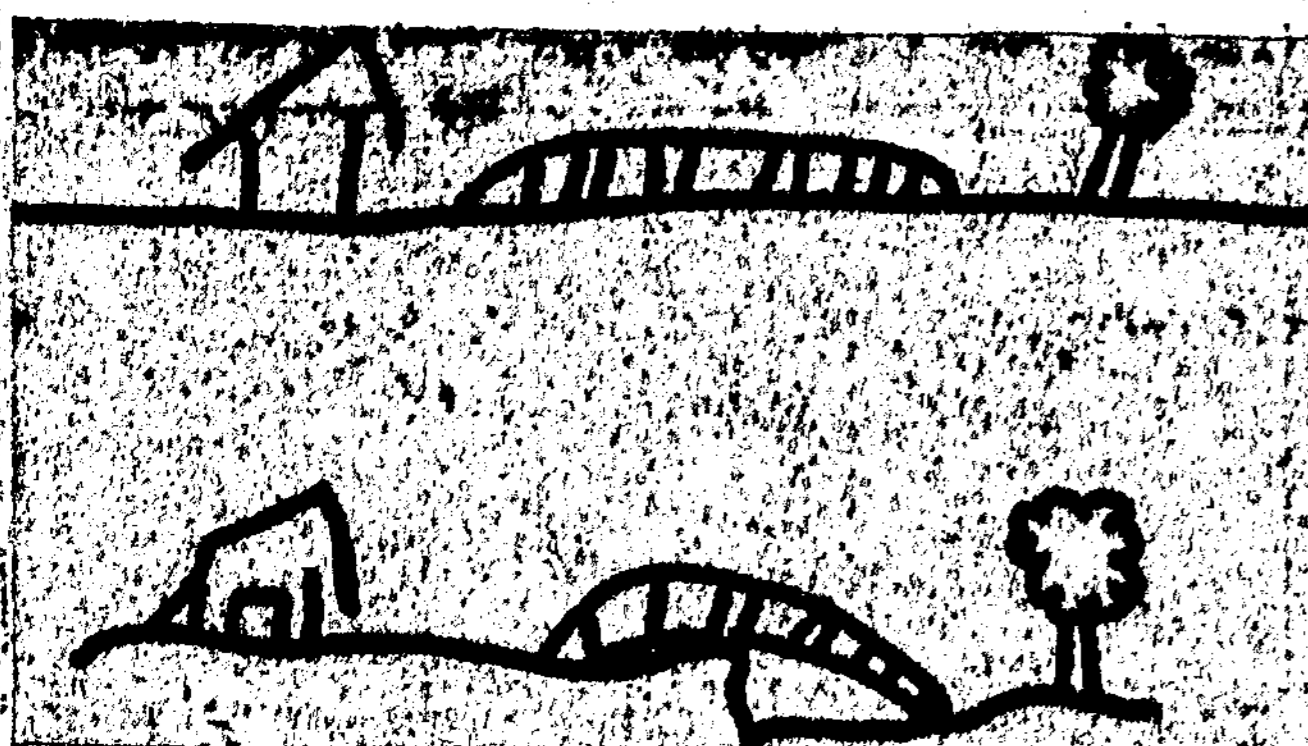
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White Sands Chief Slates Retirement To Ruidoso Area

Richard M. Griffith of Mesilla Park, a section chief in Analysis and Computation Division, National Range Operations Directorate, White Sands Missile Range, has announced his retirement effective Dec. 31. He has completed nearly 23 years at WSMR. He has headed the hardware integration section of the computer branch since 1958.

Born in Chicago, Ill., in 1921, Mr. Griffith is a 1939 graduate of Nashville, Ind., High School. He received his BS degree in electrical engineering from Purdue University in 1943.

From 1943 to 1945 he was employed by the Zenith Radio Corp., Chicago, and from 1945 to 1949 by Arvin Industries, Columbus, Ind.

He entered government service with the U.S. Navy Bureau of Ordnance at Indianapolis in February 1949. After transferring to WSMR in November 1951, he served as an electronic engineer specializing in work with computers. He was a charter member of the staff of the Flight Simulation Laboratory, established by the German-born scientist, Guenther Hintze, in 1955.

A registered professional engineer in New Mexico, Griffith is a former amateur (ham) radio operator and a pictorial artist.

His wife is the former Margaret Hammett of Cincinnati, Ohio. Their children are Kathy, a junior at the University of Texas at El Paso; Richmond A., an airline student-trainee in Spawell, and Charles H., a sophomore at the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffith plan to live in Ruidoso after his retirement. He plans to continue his interests in electronics and engineering, but will devote more time to his work with paintings, etchings and other art forms.

EARTHQUAKE THEME—Although the spelling in the composition below might leave something to be desired, the drawing which accompanied it and the figures included show that research was done for the story. The News will, from time to time, run themes or stories from the schools that we feel might be of interest to our readers.

Episcopal Church Sets Christmas Event

A Festival of Lessons and Carols will begin the Christmas Season at Holy Mount Church, Ruidoso. Starting at 7:00 p.m. on Dec. 24, seven Bible readings describe the birth of Jesus. At the appropriate moments, children from the congregation build the manger scene figure by figure as the story unfolds. A highlight of the service is the lighting of the star by Marc Delhotel who knows where the electrical outlet is. Between each reading, the entire congregation sings a Christmas carol. Janet Miner, organist of the local church, will accompany the nine carols and also play the prelude and postlude on the new Noack pipe organ. Following the service, there is a brief birthday party in the social hall when the children sing "Happy Birthday, Dear Jesus" before sharing a giant cake.

The midnight celebration of Holy Communion will start at 11:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve at Holy Mount Church. Janet Miner will be organist. Dr. R. L.

School Theme Shows Inquiring Mind

1 Part
Quakes are big as heck, and people are thrown flat on their faces. In 1931 in Chile 30,000 people were killed.

May 21, the people of the city of their homes were broken into scraps the people were killed. And sometimes the tremplings can go over 200 mile away. It trembles so much that it can tear down field, barn, and probably terms over cars, reks buildings and houses and in the place it happens it can and it did kill 50,000 people.

2 Part
I dred things like this but they gota come.

God mad them, so therey gota come.

my little book cald them shakes and I call them decenterares, becoas that is that they are.

— J. C. Day, Jr.

Annina will assist the Rev. John Miner at the service.

On Christmas Day, Saint Anne's Chapel in Glencoe will be the setting for a simple celebration of the Holy Communion.

Mrs. Paul Jones and Mrs. Lucie Yeaman are in charge of decorations for the chapel.

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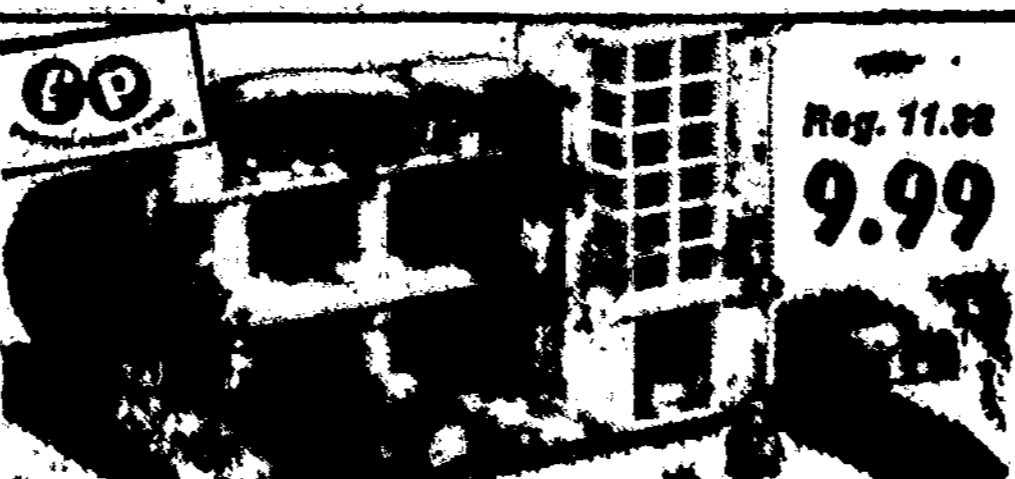
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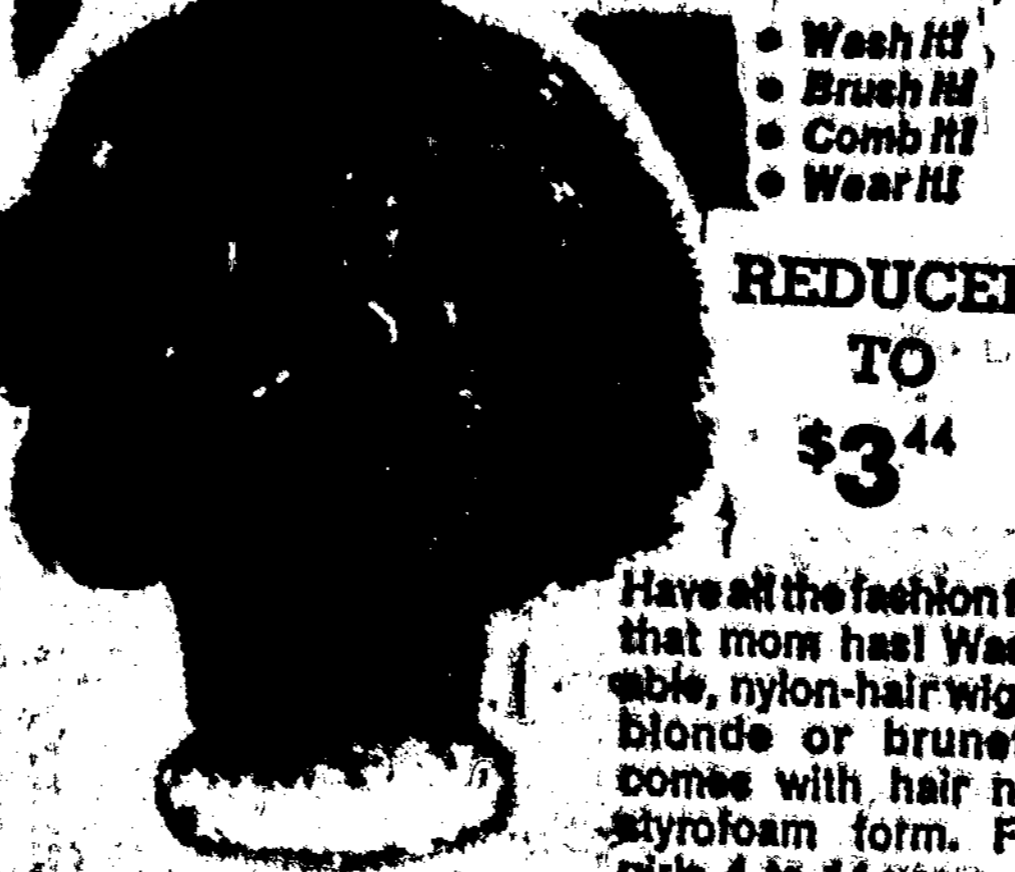
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ADVANCED SKI SCHOOL—Any skiers' need for instruction may be filled at the Sierra Blanca Ski Area by classes ranging from beginners to experts, private to class lessons.

These students in the advanced class listen carefully as the instructor explains new techniques. (Ruidoso News Photo)

Sierra Blanca Ski Resort Begins "Most Promising" Ski Season Yet

With facilities catering to skiers from the "first lesson" class to the most accomplished competition racers, Sierra Blanca, the largest and finest ski area in New Mexico, draws over 50% of the ski business in both dollar volume and ski-man days. Located on the north ridge of Sierra Blanca Peak in Lincoln National Forest, 16 miles northwest of Ruidoso, Sierra Blanca is the southernmost major ski area in the nation. The ski area is reached by an excellent all-weather road that winds through some of the most beautiful mountain scenery in New Mexico.

Facilities at the resort include seven lifts serving a wide variety of beginner, intermediate and expert trails and slopes; a complete ski shop; a ski rental shop with over 600 complete rental units; a cafeteria serving fine breakfasts and hot lunches; a bar and, at the top of the Gondola Lift, the Gazebo cafeteria.

The Gazebo, which is accessible to non-skiers via the Gondola, overlooks the desert floor 7,300 feet below for a radius of two hundred miles. The Gondola carries 4 passengers to each run and in addition to the winter season, takes visitors to the top of the mountain in the summer.

The Sierra Blanca Ski School has a full staff of certified instructors teaching the American Ski Technique. The school offers private, semi-private and class sessions in all phases of skiing. The ski area operates seven days a week beginning around Thanksgiving and closes Easter.

The 1971-72 season began the last weekend in October with excellent ski conditions and has continued through Christmas with new snow each week graded and packed with the latest equipment to provide some of the best skiing in the nation.

Standard ski races, open to all comers, were started this year and are held each Sunday at 1:00 p.m. Gold, silver and



CAPTAIN T-BAR — Riding up the Captain T-Bar, this skier looks on as another skier traverses down the slope. This lift is only one of

seven at the Sierra Blanca Ski Area designed for the needs of beginners and the most accomplished skiers. (Ruidoso News Photo)

bronze medals are given for the top three contestants in the event.

Ski Patrol for the area is on a volunteer basis with about 40 members present for holidays and weekends. Only qualified skiers are accepted for the patrol.

Sierra Blanca Ski Area is owned by the Meccalero Apache Tribe, Wendell Chino, president, and is managed by Roy Parker.



SIERRA BLANCA CAFETERIA AND BAR—This facility at the Sierra Blanca Ski Resort is used extensively by visitors to the area. With a sun deck looking up the slopes, and

plenty of seating capacity, the deck makes a fine place for visiting and enjoying refreshments. (Ruidoso News Photo)

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Letters to Santa Want Ads Sell

Dear Santa,
I want a chemistry set, tetherball and a mini-bike for Christmas.

Love,
Joseph Montano

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a pool table and a radio and a Creepy Crawler and a drum set.

Sincerely,
Shane Scrimshire

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Sizzler set for Christmas and drums, electric shooting gallery, game cycle.

Sincerely,
John Howard Beech

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a baton and my sister wants a tether ball and my brother wants a electric garage and my dog wants a collar. Good by.

Love,
Valerie

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a chemistry set and a baton and a radio and a Barbie kitchen and a Barbie supper market. And my brother wants a Rumblers mean mountain set and a chemistry set and that's all he wants. And my baby sister wants a doll and some dishes. My brother is 10 years old and my sister is three and I am 8.

Sincerely,
Shawna Holly

Dear Santa Claus,
I hope that Rudolph will pull your sleigh on Christmas Eve. Will you please send me a picture of Rudolph and for Christmas I would like a chemistry set and a picture of Dancer and Francis. And especially Rudolph and Donner, Dasher.

Love,
Nadine

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like to have a pool table and a horse with a saddle and I want a guitar.

Sincerely,
Tony Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I want a zoomer-boomer for Christmas. And a mini-bike for Christmas. To a record player for Christmas, electric shooting gallery.

Gary

peace on earth, goodwill to men

Not a trite phrase, but a heartfelt expression of hope in this Christmas Season. We not only wish you all the traditional Yuletide joys — but with our "Merry" message, we also send you our promise of goodwill. A sincere, sustained goodwill to help create yearlong community betterment. Along with constructive achievements in the business field, a devotion to the spirit and character of our area. All of us have good reason to feel pride in Ruidoso. We pledge that in working with you toward a prosperous New Year, we will keep foremost the thought of "goodwill to men". Come in soon —

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COMMUNITY KINDERGARTEN—We would venture a guess that Santa received his most enthusiastic reception in Ruidoso when he visited the Community Kindergarten Friday at the Community Methodist Church. Candy, gifts for the Kindergarten

and gifts for individual children were distributed on the visit. As Santa drove away in the Ruidoso fire engine, the children were on hand to wave goodbye to him. (Ruidoso News Photo)

County Agent's Column

By RALPH DUNLAP

Have you ever wondered why forest soils are so fertile? It's because nature re-uses plant nutrients (nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, iron, zinc, manganese and 28 other elements) so essential to growth and production. Roots absorb the raw minerals (nutrients) from the soil and transport them in solution to the leaves, where they are combined into complex carbohydrate compounds.

These compounds are then stored throughout the plant, including fruit and seed. The leaves are rich in these compounds. When these leaves fall to the ground, they decompose and soil bacteria releases the elemental nutrients from the complex carbohydrate compounds. These nutrients are then returned to the soil for re-absorption.

Soils become depleted of plant nutrients when fruit, grain, leaves and plant materials are constantly removed without a program of nutrient replacement. Consider the soil as a bank. You cannot expect to make continued withdrawals without making equal deposits. Failure to do so results in bankruptcy. It's easy to re-deposit leaves and stems to the soil. The best way to recycle plant nutrients is to "compost" plant materials. Compost is a term applied to plant materials that are well rotted. With the dry atmosphere and low rainfall in New Mexico, composting is best done in a shallow pit or trench, although above-ground "compost piles" are often made.

To each six-inch layer of packed leaves, add a one-inch layer of soil. You can shred flower stalks, small prunings, and leaves with a rotary mower having a catcher bag attached. The soil contains bacteria which bring about decomposition. A cupful of nitrogen fertilizer or a quarter-bushel of barnyard manure per cubic yard of plant materials, hastens decomposition and enriches the compost. The compost put should be kept moist but not soggy wet. Turn the material with a fork every three weeks. Leaves composted in the fall are ready for use the following May.

Shredded leaves and flower stems also make excellent mulch for the flower and shrub beds. I even use them in the vegetable garden. If not shredded, however, they pack together sealing out moisture.

R-R-D

Besides providing landscape beauty, trees and shrubs help clean up the environment. Research already has shown that the effective use of tree and shrub plantings can cut noise pollution by 50 to 65 percent. Greenbelts of trees and shrubs in cities are also helpful in removing pollutants in the air.

Each year, some 183 million tons of pollutants go into the air in the United States alone. This figure is out to nearly 1,500 pounds of airborne filth for every American. Twelve million tons of this is particulate matter, such as dust, grit and cinders. Trees, shrubs, vines and flowers act as natural traps for this airborne matter. Many plants have fine hairs on leaves and stems which help trap these particles. Plants may remove 80 per cent of cigarette pollen from the air 100 yards deep into a forest. In large cities, trees are such effective dust catchers that they must be washed every once in awhile with a detergent solution.

Plants are helpful in deflecting dangerous levels of air pollution. After the amount of some air pollutants, such as sulphur

dioxide, reaches a certain level, some plants will suffer injury. Since sulphur dioxide is invisible, these plants provide a good warning system.

The annual cost of air pollution in the United States is estimated at \$23 billion. In addition to helping purify the air we breathe, plants provide us with our only source of new oxygen. For example, a 50 by 50 foot section of lawn releases enough oxygen to meet the needs of four people.

R-R-D

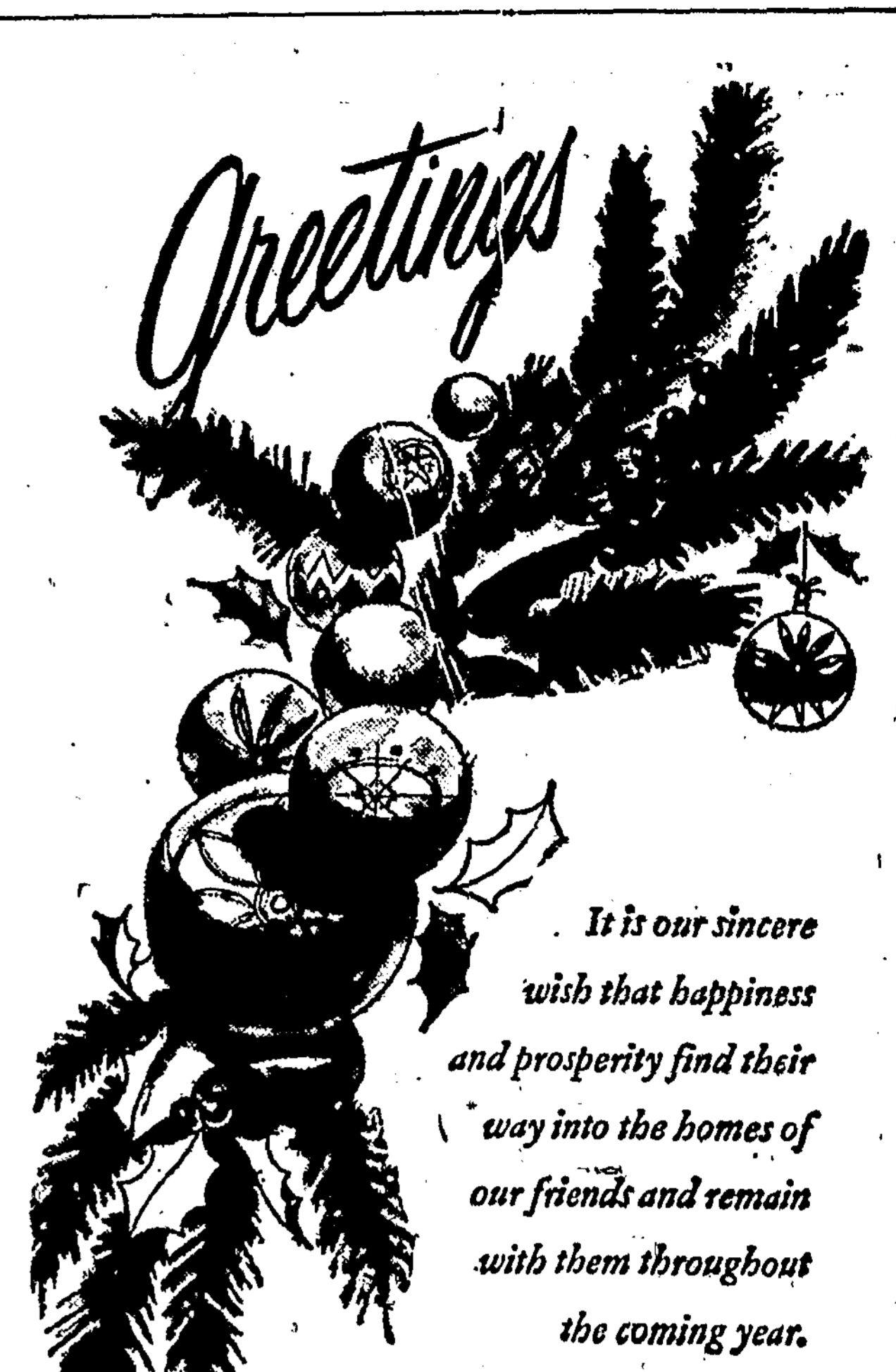
Getting rid of pesticide containers when they are empty can be as pesky as getting rid of the pests that required the pesticide in the first place.

After using a pesticide carefully, the next step is to give the container as much care when discarding it. Empty pesticide containers should be kept in locked storage areas until proper disposal can be carried out.

Here are some safe methods for discarding the various types of pesticide containers: Plastic and paper containers should be punctured to prevent re-use. Metal containers (except aerosols) should be crushed and punctured. Glass jars and bottles should be wrapped first in paper and then crushed.

The mutilated containers should then be wrapped in newspaper, tied securely and placed in trash cans for disposal.

Aerosol cans should be sprayed until empty and out of pressure. They should never be punctured, burned or incinerated because they may explode. Injury may result if a person is nearby when such an explosion occurs. Empty pesticide containers should never be buried, burned or poured into ditches, storm sewers, streams, ponds, toilet, sink or floor drains.



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MRS. B—

By CECELIA BARRON

An author once wrote a book entirely from notes he had dropped in a cheese box. The notes were afterwards he wished he had put in a book which had already gone to press. However my thoughts are from a cheese-house of memories and not from a cheese box.

One day while watching some boys snowballing in the street, it brought back fond recollections of when I was a child.

Once when it snowed, father closed up his store; borrowed a friend's horse and saddle; tied

a sled to the horn with a lariat rope and brought it to school. Our teacher was a good sportsman and dismissed school so dozen or more kids could ride, holding around each other. Father loped along at a fast speed then would circle the horse quickly, spilling us off in the snow. We would get a few bumps; but Oh! it was such fun.

Fathers do not seem to play with their youngsters today as they did when I was a child. They are too busy counting their money—if they have any; if not, they are thinking up ways to get some from fathers who have it. No one had much money when I grew up. All one could do was mull out enough to exist on in the woods or prairie; but most everyone found pleasure where-

ever he happened to be.

If we asked father to come out and play snowball with us he would say, "I really should fix that bellyband Old Jerry almost jumped through, but I guess I can do it tomorrow."

One place we lived, the winters were beautiful. This was in the Ozarks. The first snow fell one night and when we awoke it was almost up to the window sills. When the sun came out it glistened like many diamonds.

Soon we heard the jingle of sleigh bells and father drove up to the door. The black horses with red pom-poms on their bridles; hitched to the sleigh, with colorful blankets to keep warm was an everlasting picture etched in my memory. Mother tied scarves over our ears, pulled some of father's wool socks over our shoes; buttoned our coats tight and putting on mittens! we were off for a jolly ride.

We drove down the dale and over the hill with the sleigh bells tinkling a merry tune. When we passed the school house we stopped awhile to help some children build a snow man as tall as father. Then father put his hat on 'him' and some black walnuts for eyes; tying a scarf around the neck; we left 'him' where he stood for several weeks. Oh! the beauty of the world.

Not all of my memories were pleasant ones—some were trying times. I do not know if our winters were more severe or our houses were not made as warm as they are today, but it seems we were extremely cold sometimes.

Soon after we went to the Indian Territory, a strike was on among the miners. Even though there were coal mines in the state, the strike lasted so long; many could not obtain coal to warm their homes. There was no wood on the prairie and most of the 'shinnery' and 'cow chips' were burned or plowed under. So the people had to burn ears of corn, maize heads or cotton bolls. My father heard of some coal at a gin many miles from us. He tried to go after it but his wagon was stalled in a snow drift. He came home almost frozen; riding one horse and leading the other.

Now you may think in a place like this we had no Christmas; but you are mistaken. We never missed a Christmas hanging our stockings behind the 'dummy' stove and later behind the large potbellied heater or on the high head of the antique wooden bed. They were always filled. How Old Santa got there and where he found our gifts is still a mystery to me.

One Christmas Eve we went to an old fashioned community Christmas tree at our school house. They never have them like that today.

Some men went to the river and cut a tree that reached to the ceiling. The women and children worked all day stringing popcorn; making catstails and chains of colored loops of paper. Red apples were tied here and there with candles scattered over the tree.

People came from miles around and the name of each child was taken as they entered the door so they would receive a gift and bag of fruit, candy and nuts.

My father came over to tell

Letters to Santa

Dear Santa,

I want a candle sculpture, birthstone ring, new Barbie and some new records for my record player, and a bone for my dog.

Sincerely,
Mary Ann Scribner

Dear Santa Claus,

I would like a electric guitar and dune cycle, a tap recorder, a record player, a bike.

Mike Reid
Chris Reid

Dear Santa,

I want a baton and a Barbie and a tape recorder. I want a record player and a birthstone ring and a bone for my puppy. Please write back.

Sincerely,
Julie McCarthy

Dear Santa,

I'm writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. I hope this is not to much. I want a radio, a tether ball and a Barbie and a wig.

Elsa

Dear Santa,

I would like a couple of presents this year. I would like a baby doll and a carigae and a crib and a collar for my cat and two collars for my dogs.

Tina Killen

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a bike and a Barbie. I want a guitar and a drum. And a doll that talks and walks. My brother wants a mine-bike.

Love,
Delores Herrera
And my brother's name is Pat Herrera.

Dear Santa,

I'm writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. I hope this is not to much. I want a radio, a tether ball, and a wig, and a manacur set.

Sincerely,
Lauren H.

Dear Santa,

I want a doll and a bike. I am good and help me. Santa Claus I love you so much. I listen to the teacher. And I play well with my friends. I am not mean to them. And I wish Merry Christmas to you. I listen to my mother and Father. I listen to my sister and brother. I play with my baby brother. I help my mother to cook. I help my sister clean the house.

From Rebecca

Dear Santa,

I want a Mongoos snake, wild wheelle set and ding a ling brige set and a Mickey Mous watch and clock and Santa I wish you a Merry Xmas.

Love,
Brett Stirman

us Old Santa was stuck up in the sand hills and he would have to go pull him out.

Old Santa finally came but father did not get back until it was all over. I remember being so sorry that he did not get to see Old Santa. But you know, Santa had a voice just like father's.

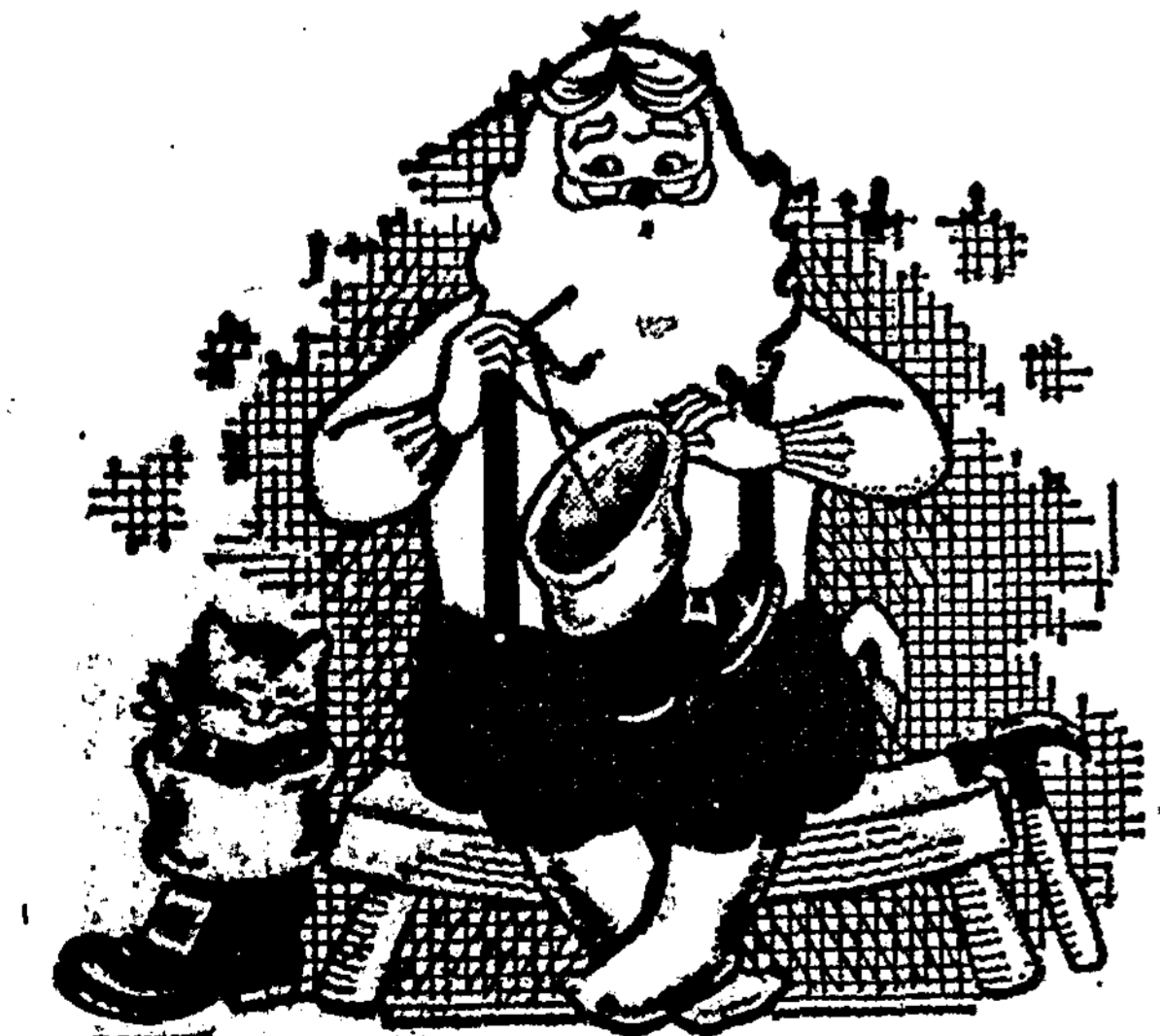
—Mrs. B—



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— Letters to Santa —

Dear Santa Claus,
I just need a hammer and
screwdriver. You know, tools.
And a sled and a football game.
I need some little cowboy
and Indians and horses,
and a gun. I been good.
Rodney Rose

Dear Santa Claus,
A baby tender love, a bicycle
and let's see—a Baby Tubsy.
And I want a stuffed rabbit. I
guess I'll take a stuffed dog
cause I don't have nothin' much
on my bed. I think that's all.
Lori Ann Wood

Dear Santa Claus,
Merry Christmas and Happy
New Year to you. I want a bee-
bee gun but Mama won't let me.
I want a dart gun, a choo-choo
train with track that you plug in
and it goes. I want a bow and
arrows. Can you get me a baby
cat? I want a little teddy bear
and stuffed dog, and a chalk
board. That's all.
Lee Creley

Dear Santa Claus,
H-m-m-m. I want some doll
clothes, a Baby Loving Care, a
doll house, some Barbies and
Barbie clothes. I want a horse;
not a real one—it's for my col-
lection. I think I'll have a stuffed
duck and a stuffed deer. I
need another school box and
some home study books. I think
that's all.
Sarah Hartnett

Dear Santa Claus,
I want one of those Dawn
deals: a fashion board. I want
a play-acting board and some
doll clothes. I want a baby that
talks, and some paper dolls, and
one of those little play sinks and
ovens, and I want one of those
dolls named Christy, and the
doll named Velvet, and an easy-
bake oven, and I want a talking
telephone. I also want a doll
house and a hat. I really want
an easy-bake most of all. That's
all.
Melissa Farus

Dear Santa,
I want a doll.
Fear
Dear Santa,
I wish you a Merry Christ-
mas. Will you please bring me
Velvet for Christmas this year.
And thank you for Francie last
year. Thank you Santa Claus.
With love,
Doana Clements

Dear Santa,
I want a bicycle and a dog
rider and a GI Joe and thank
you for the trucks and thank
you for the dolls and the Rhols.
With love,
Randy Fitzgerald

Dear Santa Claus,
A doll—it doesn't matter
what kind. And a talking tele-
phone and some pyjamas, some
cowboy boots and some purses.
And that is all.
Pam Weir

Dear Santa Claus,
I already made a note to San-
ta and sent him two penguins. I
need a sled and an Army suit.
I saw some good things in the
catalogue: a doctor set, some
blocks, stuffed frog and stuffed
penguin, a farm set, some
trucks, some games. Okay, I
live behind the Holiday House.
Sean Skellett

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a school, and give me
a big old doll that has blue
clothes—wigs, caps. Give me
some pretty shoes and new
boots because these are too lit-
tle. And give me a box to carry
doll clothes and a little toy pur-
py that squeals. And give me a
little Santa Claus, and a bunch
of doll clothes. That's all, I be-
lieve.
Kerry Tate

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Dear Santa Claus,
I need a Baby Tender Love
and some paper. I want a Page
Game—yes, there is such a
thing—and a walking doll and
a Barbie doll, and some new
dishes. I'd like one of those Bar-
bie dolls that grow hair. And
a stuffed monkey.
Lisa Ann Williams

Dear Santa Claus,
If Santa will, a little truck
with a trailer and horses. A lit-
tle jeep with trailer, and a
motorcycle. Also a little truck
and a little teddy bear, and a
little pig and a little goat. I want
a magic box that makes pic-
tures when you turn knobs.
Robert Chavez Sanchez

Dear Santa Claus,
What are you going to bring
me for Christmas? Have a nice
trip to see all the kids. I want
a castle and toy soldiers. I want
a drum. Is Rudolph guiding
your sleigh? Have a nice trip
and good night.
Craig Evans



Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Barbie who grows
hair and a telephone. I guess
just a dress, and that's all. Yes,
I've been good.
Violet Montana

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a wooden airplane and
a piece of yarn for my kitten—
he's a brand new one. One of
those games that pops up—I
think it's Double Trouble. I'd
like a dump truck and a fire
truck and a Matchbox police
car and that's all. Merry Christ-
mas Santa.
David Swalander

Dear Santa Claus,
A Peter Pan watch, a Scream-
in' Demon, a Break-the-Ice
game, and that's all.
Mike Douglas

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a little doll that gives
you a watch, and she has a
little watch for herself. A play-
house, and a doll that walks (it
has batteries). I want a tele-
ball. That's all.
Terry Herrera

Dear Santa Claus,
I want some trucks and some
cars. A real horse. I would keep
him in a trailer. I'd like a toy
tiger, some rockets and some
rabbits—real ones.
Dean Silva

Dear Santa Claus,
Well, I want a SSP, but that
will break I think. And I'd like
a little toy Santa. I want a foot-
ball game—electric and I want
a toy show-and-tell. I can't
think of anything else. I'd like a
sleight, but I already have one.
Christopher Wynn

Dear Santa Claus,
Let's see: a sled and some
walkie-talkies, and a walking
reindeer—I'd like fur, and the cat-
alogue got one. I want a car
that got batteries in it. I've
been good, and that's all.
Ty Medders

Dear Santa Claus,
A gun and a truck and a car
and a holster set and a battery
car and some books and some
clothes and shoes. A battery
man. I want a dog. We don't
have one. And a real horse and
a teddy bear and SSP.
David Parra

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Christy doll and a
basket for my bike. Also a seat
for my bike. Also a ball, a Bar-
bie that talks and a swing set.
Let's see, I would like a drum,
a horn and that's all.
Cheryl Darden

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a mini-bike, even
though I'm small. And a beebie
gun, and clothes, and that's all.
Manuel Montano

Dear Santa Claus,
Race car, a football with a
pump and needle, a football
helmet, a tee for football, a
book (any kind), a toy dog and
toy mouse. And a truck. And
overalls, and a real horse. I
need a notebook and a goat.
Cyris Simmons

Dear Santa Claus,
A baby tender love, a doll-
house, a music box, a record
player, a stuffed teddy bear.
That's all I want.
Sheribob Taylor

Dear Santa Claus,
A walking doll, a broom, a
spine, knives, and a dress. I
want a little chair and table,
some new shoes, some colors
and a color book.
Ivy Ramirez

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a wig, Barbie dresses,
a Barbie case. I got some jeans
pants cause I gotta have some
for the rodeo next summer;
blue, go-go boots. I want a
live baby lamb that I can raise
this summer. A talking Lassie
(you pull the string) and a talk-
ing rabbit that you pull the
string. A stuffed Santa Claus
and that's all.
Love,
Shawna Dobbs

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a shopping Cheryl—
that's a doll that she shops. And
a play sewing machine that
works. Go-go boots. Okay, that's
all.
Caitrina Rue

Dear Santa Claus,
A ballerina doll and some
dishes. A toy dog. A little chair
to sit on. Mrs. Drasley. A chalk
board to write my ABC's. And
some clothes.
Annette Romero

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a walkie-talkie, and
you know what else? A guitar
and a mini-bike. I can't guess
anything else. Oh, one of those
big long electricity football
games. That's about all.
Jeff Mumpally

Dear Santa,
I want a car that you can see
where you are going. It has a
steering wheel and three speed
and theres a little votswagon in-
side. It drives on a road.
With love,
Paul Bonnell

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a pair of roller skates,
bicycle, a doll that you can roll
her hair, a typewriter, doll
buggy with a doll in it. That's
all.
Shelley Gaston

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Christy, an easy-
bake oven and a playhouse. And
a Barbie set and a baby tender
love. I need some go-go boots.
I want to tell you where I live:
in a brown and white trailer,
and it has a white gate around
it and a white car. Merry Christ-
mas.
Violet Gonzalez

Dear Saint Nicholas,
I want a chemistry set and a
sleeping bag. And a sled. How
are you doing? And I want a
train set.
Sincerely,
Todd Perette

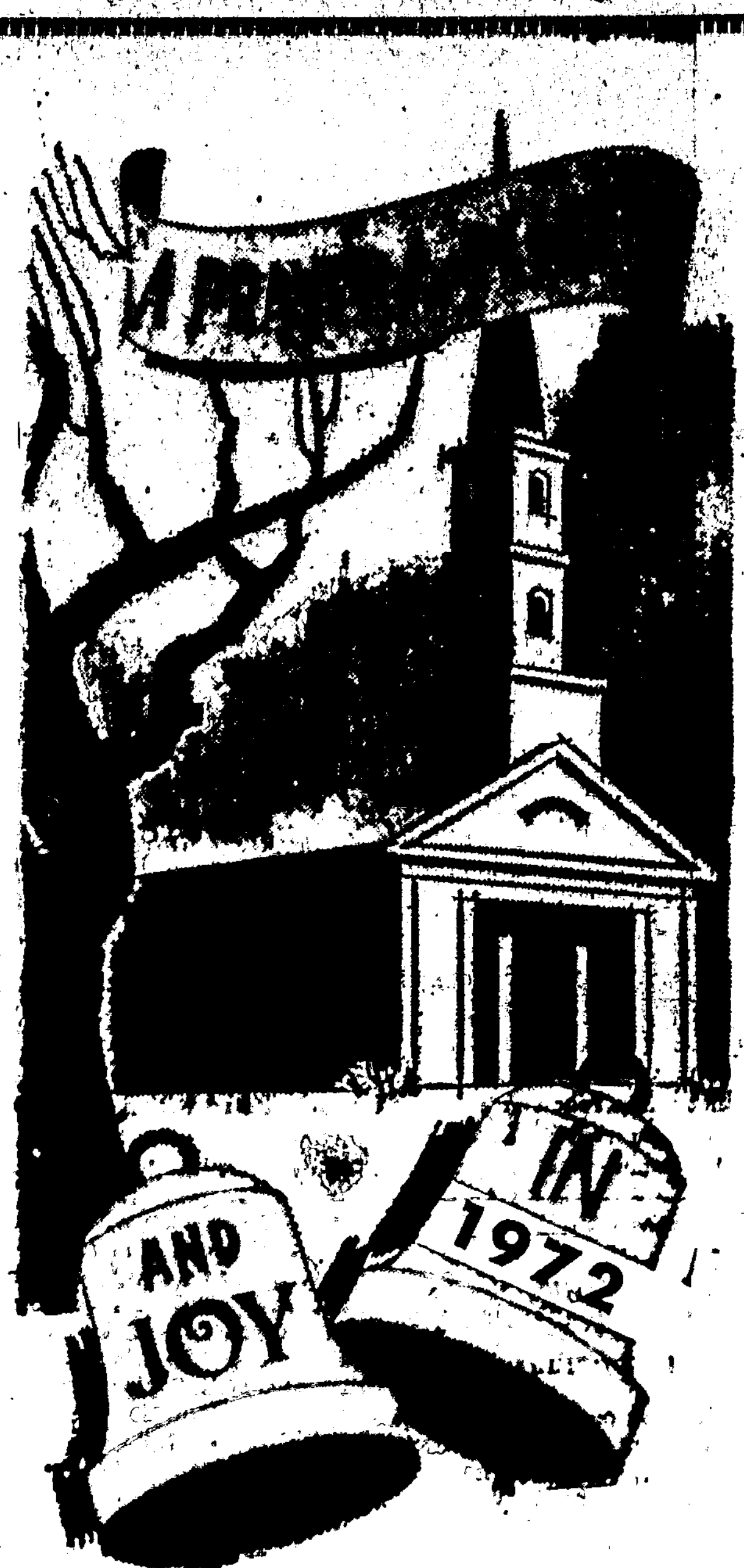
Dear Santa Claus,
I want a water. Tubby baby. That's
hot all. I want a football and a
guitar, and a cowboy suit. I live
behind Gamblee in a green
house.
Kody Taylor

Dear Santa Claus,
I want that doll that plays in
the water. Tubby baby. That's
hot all. I want a football and a
guitar, and a cowboy suit. I live
behind Gamblee in a green
house.
Kody Taylor

Dear Santa,
I want a foot ball suit and foot
ball helmet and a cowboy suit,
cowboy boots and mini bike and
a bike to.
Benny Sanchez

Dear Santa,
I want a football suit and
football, a lets and a cowboy
suit and cowboy boots and a
mini bike. Love Santa Close.
Norvell Carpenter

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Letters to Santa

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas. I want Valerie and a cake machine. I love you Santa because you are nice and you give us things.
With love,
Debbie Jarvis

Dear Santa,
I want you to come and see me on Christmas Eve. Please bring me a Barbie doll and a sewing machine.
I love you,
Lezlie Rodgers

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy. I would like a gun, ball park and I think that's about all. I will leave you some cake and apple and c-cher.
Love,
Willy Brown

Dear Santa,
I want a Magoos-snake, Wild Wheelie set and a ding-a-ling sky space way set and a Mickey Mops watch and clock. Best of the West set.
Love,
Ben Heckman

Dear Santa,
I want a B-B gun and also want a bike. Santa will you give me one.
Jimmy Dean

Dear Santa Claus,
Let me see: a doll house with furniture in it. And a doll—a baby doll, not a Barbie. I want a stuffed duck building blocks, a doctor set and a nurse set, and a nurse suit. I also want a brides dress. Let's see, what else I wanted was a set with comb, brush, mirror, lipstick. I want a plastic jump rope—I'm just learning to jump rope and plastic I can do good on. I need a cowboy suit for next summer when we visit our friend and I learn to ride. I need a basketball and a pump for it.
Lisa Miner

Tires removed for storage should be placed flat in a cool, dry area, away from sunlight and electrical equipment.

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"For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."
Luke 2:11



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Thank You,
Amanda Gocherous

Dear Santa:
I have been a good girl all year and I would like for you to bring me a play house.
I Love You,
Angie Graves

Dear Santa,
I have been very good. I never fight with my brother. I want a rubber gun and a B-B gun. Rubber gun for my brother. B-B gun for myself.
Love you,
Virgil Reynolds

Dear Santa,
Please give me a gum ball. Also a walkie-talkie, please.
I love you, Santa.
I have been a good girl this year.
Love you,
Denise Delhotal

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like you to come see me Christmas Eve. And I would like a cork gun and walkie-talkie.
Jeff White

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year and I still love you. I would like you to send me a Barbie doll for Christmas.
Cheryl Hopper

Dear Santa,
I would like a gun and a cork gun. I have been a good boy and I love you.
Tommy Freeman

Dear Santa,
I would like Smarty Pants very much and a typewriter. Please.
Roxanna Perry

Dear Santa,
I would like some money and a cork gun. Please.
Shane Garner

Dear Santa,
I would like an Easy Bake and a France. Thank you.
Tina Sanchez

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a talking phone and a tea set, and a doll. My brother wants a racing car.
Sherry Wheeler

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a bow and arrow set and a bicycle.
Trey Holt

Dear Santa,
I would like a Shop 'n Cheryl and a director that talks.
I love you,
April Barron

Dear Santa,
I would like for you to bring me a gun and a dog bone for my dog.
I love you,
Greg Nupally

Dear Santa,
I would like a football set and a guitar. I have been a good boy.
Love,
Glynis Story

Dear Santa,
I want a doll Velvet and an Easy Bake please.
Love me,
Diana Lewellen

Dear Santa,
I want a doll house. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Santa I want a Barbie and a Christa and a Barbie and a Velvet. And a organ and a pair of shoes. And a dress and some hair gel.
With love,
Jean Ward

Dear Santa Nicholas,
I would like a bee-bee gun, mini bike, ski jacket, MongOOSE snake, wild lion, wild cat, bear. Wishing you the best wishes for Christmas. And I hope my mama has a baby. I wish you a Merry Christmas. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Shoreline,
Rodney Tiley

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie doll, and I want a motorcycle, and a yoyo, and a pet robin. I want a set of gloves, and a set of mittens, and a lights for the Christmas tree, and cowboy boots, and a football, and a basketball.
Johnny Sales
Opelia Sales

Dear Santa,
I want a ski suit and ski boots and a Barbie new swimsuit and a stuffed dog and a game of life and a toy and a record player, new skis, neck palmer, cow girl boots, Barbie doll, and the dog wants hot and cold.
With love,
Debbie Jarvis

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like you to give me a gun set for Christmas.
Mike Harkins

Dear Santa,
I want some horses and pigs and sheep and cows and ducks. I want a 5170 to. I want a Mongoose-snake, wild wheelie set, B-B gun and BB's.
With love,
Steven Parks

Dear Santa,
I want a Velvet. I want a Barbie. I want a mini-bike. I want a France. I want a shoes. I want a jacket. I want a robin. I want is moose. I want is glove. I want a rifle.
With love,
Lisa Shaw

Dear Santa,
I hope you get me a bicycle and here is a song. I wish you a Merry Christmas, I wish you a Merry Christmas, I wish you a Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year. And I hope you get me a watch.
Love,
Robert Langston

Dear Santa,
I want a Christie doll and I want a teddy bear for my little brother. And I want a France, please Santa. We wish you Merry Christmas. We wish you a Merry Christmas and a happy new year. Would you please get it for me and my brother.
With love,
Violet Carrillo
Danny Carrillo

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a car that uses batteries. A car that looks like a dune buggy. It is little. But I like to play with cars that have batteries. I would like to have anything that uses batteries at least it it uses batteries. And there is a dune buggy and a big one.
With love,
Freddie Serna

Dear Santa,
Have you had fun every Christmas? Have any boys and girls been bad or good. I would like Christie with growing pretty hair and by brother would like a big wheel.
With love,
Deana Snow and Tracy Snow

Dear Santa,
I wish you a Merry Christmas. Will you please bring me a radio for this Christmas year and thank you for baby me by last year. Santa.
Thank you for such Santa Christ.
With love,
Kane Sanchez

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie doll and a ribbon. I want a Christmas bells and we wish you a Merry Christmas in a happy new year. I want a snowman and a snow shoe. Christmas in other land.
With love,
Katie Rose Thierckee

Dear Santa,
I want a doll. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Santa I want a Barbie and I want a doll house and a hair set, and a record. And a happy New Year.
With love,
Linda Johnson

Dear Santa,
I want a toy. I want to see Santa.
With love,
Kathleen Cherry

Dear Santa Nicholas,
I want a snowman and I want a snow shoe. I want a snow shoe. I want a snow shoe.
With love,
Katie Johnson



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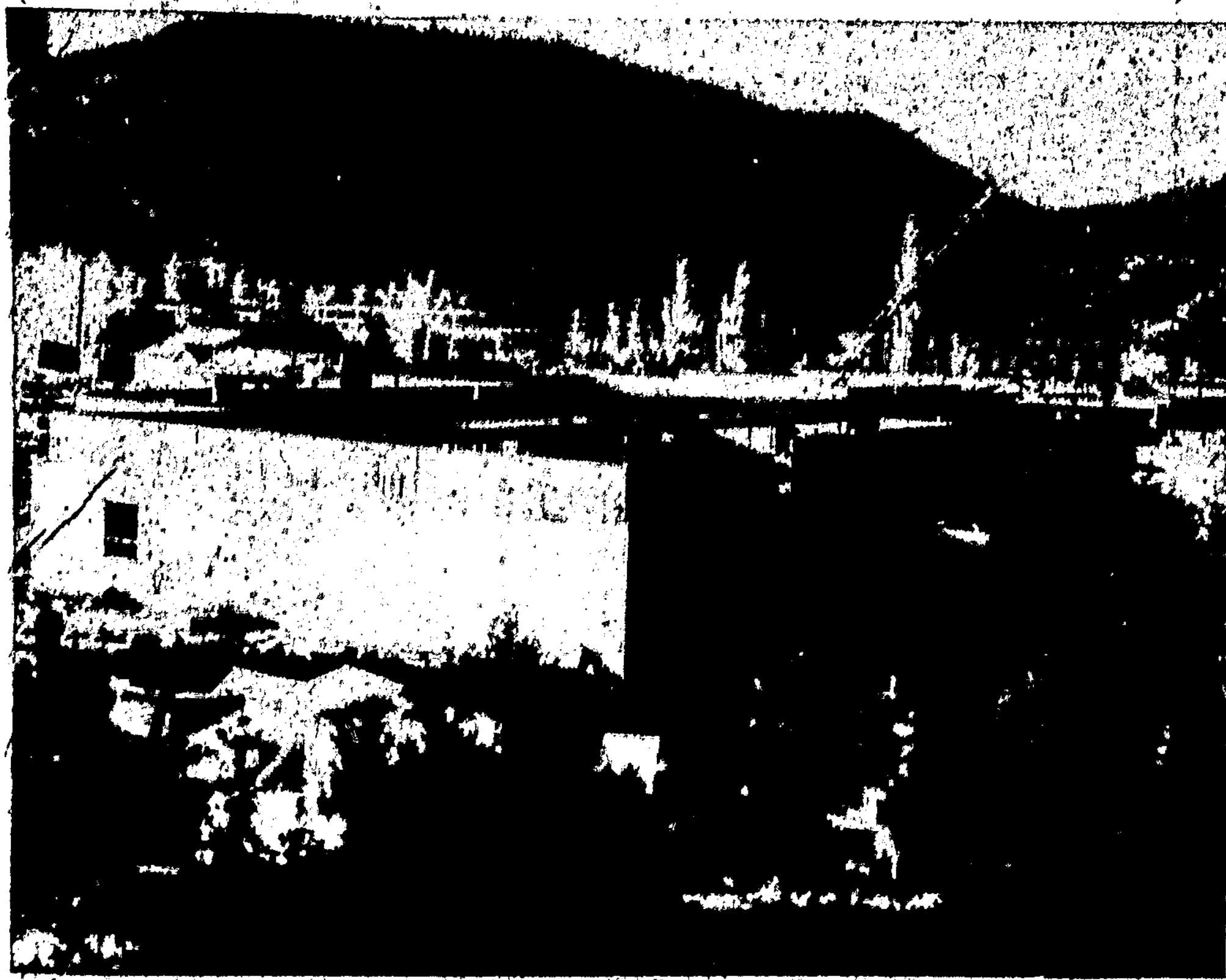
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RUIDOSO-HONDO VALLEY HOSPITAL — With the outside walls nearing completion, work on the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital is progressing pretty well on schedule. With snow almost every week for the past month, work has been delayed slightly. The project is slated to be completed next summer. (Ruidoso News Photo)

Letters to Santa

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a typewriter and three little dolls that have a bottle. I want a horse, and Jackie my sister wants a horse. That's just three things I want, so also I want walkie-talkies. That's all I think.

Adella Lester

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a Tiny Tilt. You just pull the string and she talks. Also a little thing with washer and dryer and a Barbie case and paper dolls.

Dodie Baldonado

Dear Santa Claus:
What I want is a western town. It has cowboys and Indians. And a dump truck and a stuffed dog to take to bed with me. I want a stuffed snake and then a bulldozer. And then that's all.

Chris Sanchez

Dear Santa Claus:
Some of the things: Mama says I need a big bike with training wheels. You know those kinds of dolls named Chrissy? One of them. And a color book and crayolas, and a Rudolph book. That's about all.

Shelia Cox

Dear Santa Claus:
I'd like a doll and dishes, and shoes and dress for the doll.

Grace Ordorica

Dear Santa Claus:
I been fixin to ask you for a saw and hammer and a tool box, with screws and nails and stuff. I want a rifle and bullets and a wagon for Christmas. I need a hotset set and a tablet for when I fix up my tree house. One more thing: I need a bike and that's all.

LaWayne Rose

Dear Santa Claus:

A bike! A bike and a car. A bike and one of those choo-choo trains on a track. A bike and a hot wheels set. Some clothes and boots and a puzzle. Also some little play horses and a pick-up with a horse trailer and a spare tire. I want a horse — a big, real one; and I want a mini-bike for my brother. One brother wh'ts named Benny wants a bike. My sister wants an easy-bake. My other sister wants a record player. And I want a show-and-tell TV like Mrs. McNeill's. I also want a donkey.

Richard Sanchez

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a tricycle and a dolly with doll clothes. Make that a Barbie doll. I want a little puppy. I will promise to take care of it. I want a puzzle and a color book with crayons and paste. I want a girl's ball. I want a playhouse. Merry Christmas. I live in Carrizo around the curve.

Donna Mae Davis

Dear Santa Claus:

I'd like you to bring me a bicycle and a puzzle. I think, a beebie gun, a tractor. I need some new boots. My brother wants a baseball set. I want an airplane and a train. I've been a good boy.

Benny Daney

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a big fire truck what has a deal that goes around. Also a race track for hot wheels and a boat puzzle and I'll take a Rudolph record, with a record player. We live in Ponderosa. Also I'll take a wrecker what picks up little cars, and I'll take a Santa Claus book, and a big red dune buggy with a chain hangin' down on the bumper.

Jesse Reynolds

Dear Santa Claus:

I wanted a baby doll and a baby crib; and a stove and a ice box and sink. I want a baby carriage — my sister Robin wants a big doll. And that's all I want. Merry Christmas

Gina Fitzgerald

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a beebie gun and a truck, and a wagon. Please get a little present for my brother. I got three brothers and three sisters. I live near Carrizo, you know. Another gun for my big brother. I also want a toy teddy-bear.

Tyrrell Chee

Dear Santa Claus:

I want one wetting doll. How is Rudolph? I hope he's doing fine. I want one of them new bicycles with a window in it, that pulls a wagon. I am doing fine in school but I lost a library book. I live down the road beside the Chaparral. I need new mittens and a jump rope. We're getting a Christmas tree for our room.

Norma Hankston

Dear Santa Claus:

I want an easy-bake oven and a Barbie and a jump rope. I been good. I like any kindo animals.

Jackie Bohanan

Dear Santa Claus:

I want 2 dune buggies and one set of cars, with a track for them. Then I want Troubles — that's a game. Then I want Headache — it's a game too. And then I want 2 coloring books, one chalk board and 2 books and I want a Santa Claus toy and a little stuffed star. Two pair of ski gloves, with fingers. Then I need 2 dune buggy carriers; one road grader. I'll take a tractor and one little house and 2 little street lamps. Then I want one stuffed reindeer. I want to ask for one more thing: a little stuffed clown. And that's all.

Ezell Clarke

Dear Santa:

I want this game that's called Ants in the Pants. I also want a picture of a road-runner. I live in Ruidoso, and I've been a good boy.

Kenney Day

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a pretty Barbie with a record. Dear Santa Claus: I want a real puppy dog. Dear Santa Claus: Let me think: I want Baby Tender Love. Dear Santa Claus: I am going to leave you some candy.

Michelle Kennedy

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