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## Read this Once More

We wish our subscribers who may be in arrears to remember The Press at this festive season. We will greatly appreciate it if you will forward your subscription just at this time, so before you forget it mail the Morgan Co. Press one dollar, and we will credit on your subscription.

We regret to announce the death of Aunt Margaret Jones, wife of Mr W D Jones, who died at her home at Montgomery on Monday, Dec. 18, after a short illness. A full obituary notice will appear next week.

Riley Justice and Myrtle Stewart were married by Esquire Holder Dec. 16, on the Pike a short distance east of Wartburg near Gus Heidle's. They were sitting in an auto when the Esquire drove up married them in short order as he was carrying the mail and could not tarry long on the job.

In another column will be found the announcement of Prof A B Peters who announces himself a candidate for Superintendent of Education for Morgan County. Mr Peters is one of Morgan County's well known educators and if he be chosen for the position promises to devote his entire time to the duties of his office, and will use his best efforts to reduce the school debt. Mr Peaters has been a teacher for fully twenty-five years, some fifteen in Morgan County.

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of extending our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness of our beloved wife and mother and after her death.

W D JONES  
AND FAMILY.

### WE SHOULD BE HAPPY

Christmas, the birthday of Jesus, our King, will soon be here. At this time we should be happy. Happy because God sent his only son to us on Christmas, to die for the sins of the world, and that our lives have been spared another year, while some of our kindred and friends who were with us last Christmas have passed over the river of death, and are now rejoicing in the paradise above. Although it seems sad for us to give up our dear ones, yet we should not repine. "For God does all things well," and he has transplanted our dear ones to be jewels to brighten the way for us.

And should we not be happy that we have food and clothing, and then why should we not try to make other people happy on this the birthday of our King?

C. F. S.

Dear Santa:

I want you to bring me some doll dresses for my doll and some apples, oranges, and candy. I am a real good little girl. I go to school and help my mamma work.

Lois Brown, Lancing, R 2

Dear Santa:

I am a little by just 2 years old and I'm so little you can afford to bring me lots of toys and dont forget mamma and papa. Please dont forget me I have blue eyes and light hair. Your little boy.

Clyde Brown, Lancing R 2

### Letters To Santa

Dear Santa

I am a great big fat and strong 8 year old boy and want you to be sure and bring me a tricycle, and be sure that you send a Smith motor with it. I am a base ball player and want a ball, a bat, a uniform and be sure and have M C H S on the shirt front, I want a pair of gloves. I want a big auto trailer, and you can fill it with candy, nuts, raisins, oranges, apples bananas and anything else good to eat. By the way I like custard pie and you might send me a baker's dozen. If you are hungry when you get here I can give you some hot coffee and one of the pies. Now be sure and bring me all I have asked for.

William Benton Crenshaw  
Wartburg, Tenn.

Dear Santa:

I have been a good boy. I go to school every day and study my lessons. I have leared to read and write so won't you bring me a story book and anything else you want to bring me With love

Roy Heidle, Wartburg, R 1.

Dear Santa:

We have been good girls and we love you and wish you to bring us a doll baby and a set of dishes, and bring baby a rubber doll, and papa and mamma something too. I have a speech to say for you so dont forget us. From

Willie and Mae Heidle, Wartburg

Dear Santa:

My name is Harold Meister and I wish you would send me a knife with three or four blades.

Harold Meister, Stowers.

My Dear Santa:

I am a little girl 6 years old. I go to school and I want you to bring me a set of dishes. Please bring my sister a rubber doll. You will find our stockings at grandpa's house hanging over the big fireplace

Irene Shaver, Wartburg.

Dear Santa:

Please bring me lot of nice things if you have anything left after you have been to the Bicknells. Bring candy and apples.

Clifford Shannon, Wartburg.

Dear Santa:

Will you please bring me some toys for Christmas? I want candy, oranges, apples and nuts and don't forget a story book. Yours for a merry Christmas,

Hartwell Bardill, Wartburg.

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy just 7 years old and want you to bring me a knife and some candy and apples

George Garrett.

Dear Santa:

I want you to bring me a gun, a knife a dog some candy, apples and oranges. I'm just 7 years old; light haired and blue eyed. I hope you wont forget me. Your little boy

Clarence Cromwell.

Dear Santa:

I want you to bring me a doll, and oranges and candy and fire crackers and a ribbon. That is all

Jennie Byrd, Wartburg

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### JUST A WORD FROM RUGBY

We regret to learn that Friday, Dec. 22 will be the last day of our school here for the winter. Our school has been taught this term by Mr William Powell of the third district. Mr Powell possesses all the qualities which go to make a successful teacher. He has made many friends in and around Rugby since he came here to teach our school. Come again William.

We regret that we have to give up another of our citizens but the death angel came to the home of Mr S H Giles and took away Mr Sol Giles from us. He left many friends to mourn his departure. A good citizen has gone from us. A voice we knew is still, and there is a vacant place in his home which never can be filled.

### NOTICE

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