# **Christmas Happenings In Krum Through The Years**

**Dec 2014** 

## Dec 11, 1930

# Krum Plans for Christmas Tree

Special to Record-Chronicle.

KRUM, Dec. 11—The Krum Booster Club is sponsoring a 42 tournament at the I. O. O. F. Hall Thursday night, Dec. 11. Proceeds will go towards the community Christmas Tree Fund.

## Dec 16, 1946

### Christmas Seal Sales Bring In \$110 at Krum

KRUM, Dec: 16 — Christmas Seal sales campaign has returned a total of \$110 In Krum exceeding previous sales campaign records, Mrs. John Morris, chairman of the campaign for Krum, said today.

The sum represents contributions from people who have sent checks' by return mail after receipt of their seals, and from 13 merchants who have purchased Tuberculosis Bonds, Mrs. Morris said.

In expressing appreciation for the citizens' promptness in replying to the appeal, Mrs. Morris called attention to the fact that Krum was the first community in which all of the leading merchants had purchased TB Bonds, Mrs. Morris said.

"If returns continue to come in at this rate," she said, "we will know that the Adult Tuberculosis Clinic and the other projects planned by the Denton County Tuberculosis Association can be successfully carried out."

Mrs. Morris urged that residents continue their cooperation, asserting that the work to halt the dread disease depends upon the Christmas Seal sales.

### **December 23, 1950**

# P-TA Board Honored At Party

The executive board of the Krum Parent-Teacher Association were entertained recently at a Christmas party given by Mmes. Homer Lamm, H.C. Barthold and W.W. Davis in the Lamm home at Krum.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Jack Parkey, president. Christmas musical selections were rendered by the senior choral club of the high school. A period of singing Christmas carols accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Herbert Barthold followed. Gifts were exchanged by the guests.

The refreshment table was laid with an emerald green cloth and centered by red tapers. Mrs. August Schulter served the cake and Mrs. W. J. Medlin presided at the coffee service.

Guests were MMes: Jack Parkey, August Schulter, W.J. Medlin, Henry Koiner, Floyd Crider, Andrew McClure, C.D. Dodd, Clark Lowe, T.D. Enis, H.C. Barthold, W.W. Davis and Homer Lamm.

### Dec 24, 1950

## Krum Students 2 Present Yule Ploy

KRUM. Dec. 23—'At the Christmas meeting of the Krum School Parent-Teacher Association recently the first four grades presented the musical play, "Rag Doll's Christmas."

In addition to the chorus of singers from these grades the following took part: Cecilia Knox, Jimmy Yeary, Dan Jones. Linda Yeatts, Betti Brown, Sandra Moore, Judy Enis, Jo Mac Moore, Janie Marshall, Betty Boyd, Neva Ann Corbin, Duane Riney, Jerry Jackson, Wayne Hopkins, Wayman Standifer, Douglas Taylor, Barry Cody, Charlie Monds and James Simpkins.

Songs that were sung were :"Santa Claus Is Coming to Town," "The Santa Claus Express," Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer," and "Toymakers Dream."

Mrs. Lester Moore directed the play and the room mothers served refreshments.

### **December 19, 1954**

#### **Students Offer Yule Recital**

Helping get Krum residents in the Christmas mood, students of Mrs. M. T. Thrift presented the annual Yule music recital. The program was offered Tuesday night.

Appearing on the program were Lewis Gentsch, Bonnie Sue Bunnell, Jane Barthold, Phyllis Davis, Paul Monschke, Deanne Wilkins, Linda Copp, Patricia Tindle, Judy Enis, Peggy Boenker, Sharon Chism, Barbara Parkey, Donna Schluter. Betty Davis, Chas. Monschke, Betty Boyd, Jean Eozelle, and Carol Jean Klein. Patricia Sue Phillips, Kathy Dodd, Sally Cole, Linda Wells, Carol Ann Stice, Kathy Peek, Vickie Barnes, Betty Miller, Linda Briscoe, Mary Hensley, Raymond (Duke) Robinson, Bruce Miller, Kay Ginnings, Patricia Lamonicia, Phyllis Smith, Gary Ennis, Max Marrs, Martha Lamm, Rheta Harris, Don Dodd, Charline Cline, Margie Terry, Ronnie Barnes, and Jean Tibbits.

### Dec 21, 1956

## **Krum Baptists Set Christmas Play**

KRUM - "White Christmas," a Christmas play, will be presented by the Krum Baptist Church at 7 p.m. Sunday. Mrs. B. G. Baggett will direct the production and members of the cast include Ben Finley, Laura Maples, Bill McCarty, Glada Harris, Gerald Terrell, Glenda McKinney, Butch Murdock, Wilma Fowler and Charlene Elam.

The Rev. B. G. Baggett is pastor of the church which has extended an invitation to the public.

#### **December 8, 1961**

### **Decoration Ideas Presented To Krum Home Demonstration Club**

KRUM (Special) — Christmas decorations and inexpensive gifts were shown Tuesday afternoon when the Krum Home 'Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Jack Parkey. Mrs. B. T. Brown was co-hostess. Mrs. Fred Hopkins and Mrs. Dean Padgett and Mrs. Dalton Isbelle displayed such things as an aluminum tree made from a roll of heavy duly foil, and a small tree of aluminum balls to be used for a table decoration.

Also a number of door decorations were shown. The next meeting will be Tuesday at the home of Mrs. August Schluter with Mrs. W. J. Medlin as co-hostess. The club will have its annual Christmas program and secret pal gifts will be exchanged

### The Progressive Club Has Party

KRUM (Special) — The Krum Progressive Club had its Christmas luncheon and gift exchange during a meeting in the home of Mrs. Hank Clearman this week. Thirteen members were present. Mrs. Parkey conducted a brief business session when final plans were discussed for the Stockman's dinner to be held Saturday. The club's next meeting date has been changed to Jan. 4 when members will depart at 10 a.m. to see and exhibit of Early American Art in Fort Worth.

### November 21, 1965

Mrs. Cole Has 20 Year-Old Recipe

By MRS. SAM RECTOR

Special Writer

KRUM — Christmas cookies flavored -with a small amount **of** whiskey is a favorite holiday treat for Mrs. R. L. Cole's family. Mrs. Cole has four children and five grandchildren. The cookie recipe is 20 years old and Mrs. Cole has not missed a Christmas in making this family favorite. Sour Cream Cranberry Salad is another item on the Cole's holiday menu.

Recipes are as follows:

### **CHRISTMAS COOKIES**

1 cup brown sugar

Is cup butter

4 eggs, lightly beaten

3 tablespoons milk

3 scant teaspoons soda

1H cups sifted flour

4 ounces whiskey

1 teaspoon cinnamon

1 teaspoon nutmeg

1 teaspoon cloves

Mix all ingredients together. Add following fruit mixture to batter.

1 1/2 cups flour

1 pound pecan halves

½ pound broken pecans

½ pound candied pineapple

3/4 box raisins

Drop mixture by teaspoonful on greased cookie sheet and bake at 100 to 150 degrees. Do not brown cookies, but let them dry for about 25 minutes. Over cooking evaporates whiskey.

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### **December 28, 1970**

### **Soldier Returns**

KRUM — This Christmas was particularly happy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marrs in Krum. Their son, Max B. Marrs, arrived home from a tour of duty in Vietnam on Dec. 21. He visited Australia and New South Wales during December prior lo returning to Texas.

### **December 8, 1972**

## **Holidays Scheduled**

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KRUM — The Christmas holiday for Krum School students will begin on the afternoon of Dec. 22. Teachers will have a workday on Jan. 2, but school will not resume until 8:20 a.m. the following day.