

Train Crew Stops Fast Freight To Play Santa for Three Girls

Dongola, Ill., Dec. 22 (AP)—Crewmen of a fast freight stopped their train about 20 minutes here last night to play Santa Claus for three happy little girls.

The engineer and conductor of Illinois Central train No. 81 walked across a field to the little girls' house to show their appreciation for the waves and smiles the three have given as No. 81 and other trains passed their home for some six years.

The girls are Vivian Miller, 12, Gloria, 11 and Lorraine, 4. They received 26 crisp new \$1 bills from Ross Brewster, engineer from Centralia, Ill., and O. H. Kennedy, conductor from Duquoin, Ill.

The stop was arranged by another trainman, R. J. Brennan of East St. Louis, Ill.

"At night, regardless of time, the girls answer our unfailing foot of No. 81's whistle with flashlights," Brennan said. "When the trainmen notice the lights are dim, they drop off fresh batteries on the next trip. This means a lot to you when you've pulled out late and feel sorta grumpy."

Yesterday the girls, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Miller, received by mail a new radio, flashlight and \$20. The gifts were collected from the crews who work the runs between East St. Louis, Centralia and Duquoin.

Borneo is 800 miles long and 700 miles wide.

School Has Program

West Stayton—The West Stayton school will hold its annual Christmas party and program Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The school will then be closed until Jan. 3. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rand attended the turkey dinner sponsored by the Odd Fellows in Salem at the Odd Fellows hall. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hilton.

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Old-Fashioned Popcorn Balls

1 cup KARO Syrup, Blue Label
1 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup water

1 teaspoon vinegar
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
2 quarts unsalted popcorn

Combine first four ingredients. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly until mixture boils. Continue cooking, stirring almost constantly to hard ball stage (235° F.) or until a small amount forms a hard ball when tested in very cold water. Remove from heat; quickly add butter and blend. Blowly pour over popcorn in large bowl, while mixing well. Form into balls. Butter hands, if desired. Makes 15 about 1 1/2 inches in diameter.

Pastel Popcorn Balls— Follow above recipe substituting Red Label KARO Syrup for Blue Label and granulated sugar for brown sugar. When adding butter tint syrup any desired shade with vegetable coloring. Use 1 teaspoon vanilla.

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