

## CowBelles elect new officers

## BMCC class deadline nears



The Morrow County CowBelles gathered during Farm-City Day, Friday, Dec. 9 for their annual fall business meeting to elect officers, enjoy the style show and banquet and present a special award. The new slate of officers elected during the morning meeting includes Mary Martin, president; Mary Kilkenny, secretary; Ruth Nutting, first vice-president; Jean Bennett, second vice-president; and Beck Evans, treasurer. Claudia Hughes retained the position of director.

Dawn Burton, of John Day, state CowBelle president, commended the group on achieving the largest county

and national membership increases in the state. Judy Currin, membership chairman, was later presented with two silver plaques which had been awarded to the Morrow

County group at the state CowBelle convention for the membership gains.

Two county CowBelles were named to state committees: Virginia Grieb, Lexington, was appointed vice-chairman of the publicity committee and Susie Ward, Heppner, will become 4-H awards state chairman in 1978.

The county CowBelles will participate for the first time in the annual state-wide Beef Cook-off, Jan. 11-28. Betty Carlson, Ione, was named chairman.

Norma French reported on

the beef referendum that failed and said there may be another attempt to get the issue on the ballot.

"Blue Mountain Tradewinds", the book written by Bill Weatherford, will be on sale through the CowBelles for \$2.25.

After the business meeting, Virginia Grieb showed slides from the Angus Forum tour to Scotland she participated in.

Pre-registration for Blue Mountain Community College Evening classes will close Dec. 26 and interested persons are urged to get their pre-registration forms to the college by that date.

Two classes, Tole on Clocks and Cross Country Skiing, are already full. Calligraphy has three openings.


Persons who don't have a pre-registration form can contact Nancy Brownfield, coordinator for this area at

676-5039, or obtain forms and class information in the post office buildings in Heppner, Lexington and Ione.

Although registration at the first class is possible, pre-registration is preferable so instructors can get an idea of their classloads.

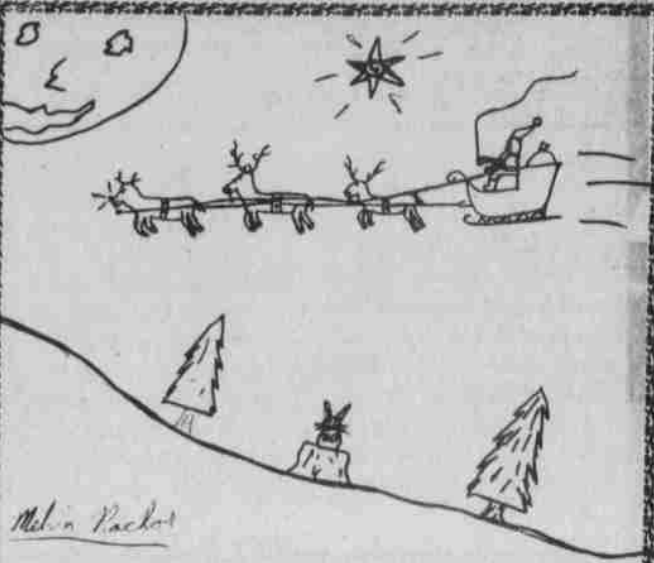
Classes still open include Beginning Swedish, Physical Fitness for Women, Seminar Humanities film series, Expectant Parents, Ceramics, Beginning and Intermediate

Guitar, Calligraphy, Basic Math, Micro-wave Cooking, Genetics and Beginning Tole. For additional information, call Nancy Brownfield, 676-5037.



*To our many friends and old time neighbors, residing in Morrow County and the Northwest, we extend our sincere wishes for a Very Mery Christmas and Happy New Year.*

*Garnet & Peggy Barratt*



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MORROW COUNTY CowBelles elected new officers recently. Back row, l. to r., Claudia Hughes, director and Mary Kilkenny, secretary. Seated, l. to r. are Becky Evans, treasurer, and Mary Martin, president. Not pictured are Ruth Nutting, first vice president and Jean Bennett, second vice president.

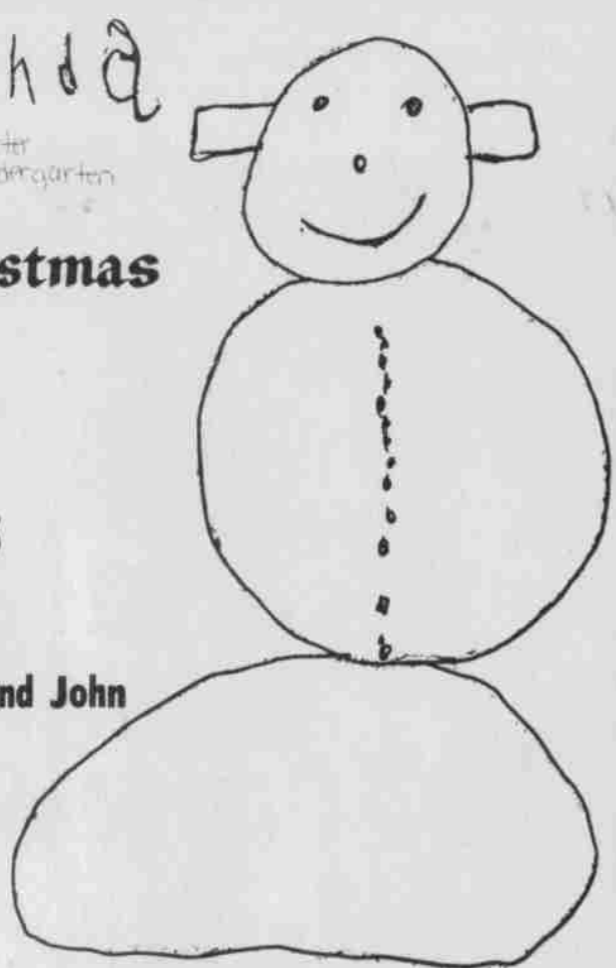
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Linda Dieter  
June Kindergarten

**Merry Christmas**

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Kal, Bud, Harriet and John

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Sandra Wright

**Happy Holiday**



Closing at 5:00 p.m.,  
Dec. 24.



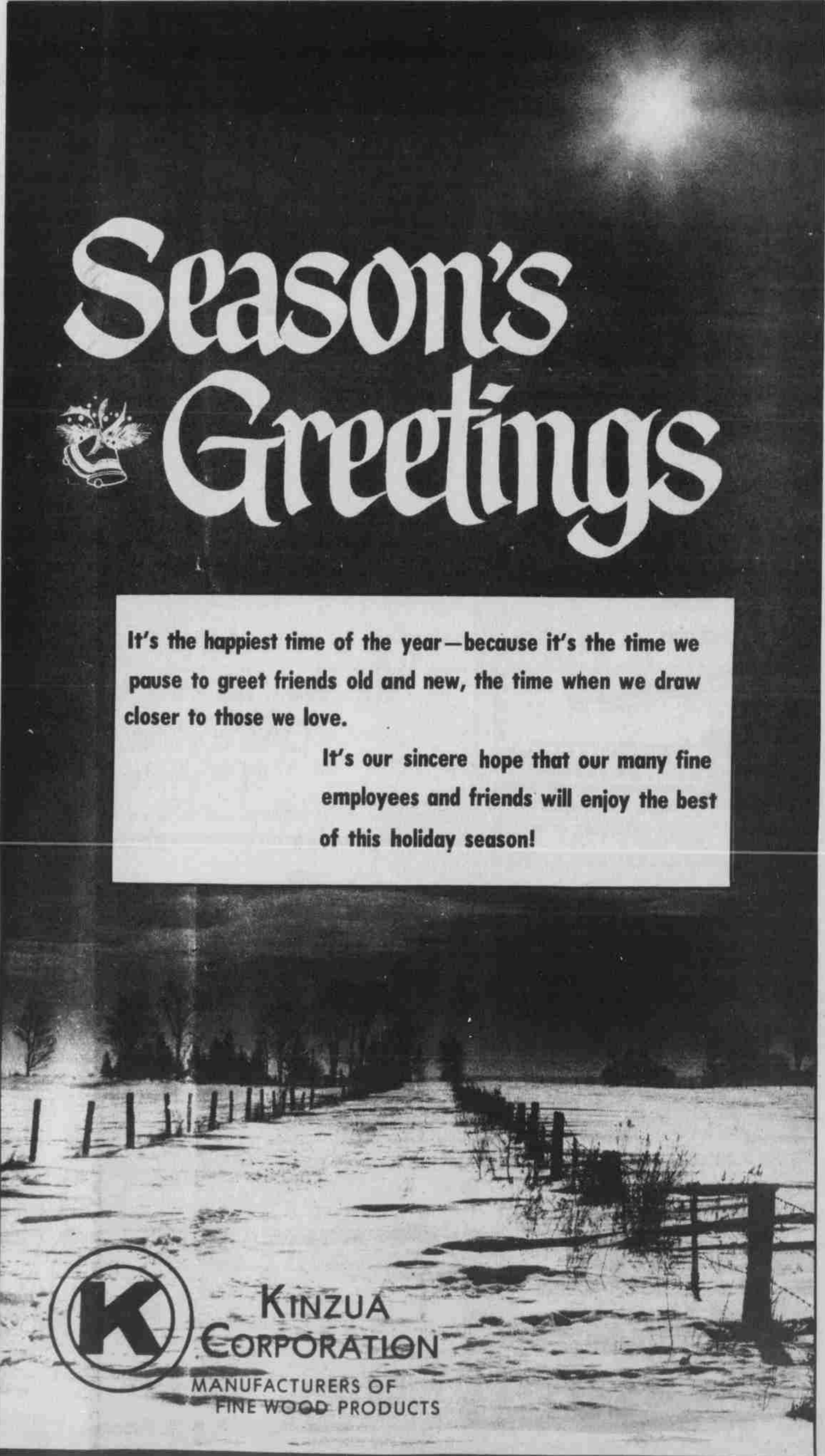
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It's our sincere hope that our many fine employees and friends will enjoy the best of this holiday season!





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