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Dear Click:

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

It was good to hear from you. Charles Massey filled me in on your book writing activity at Stanford last year. I must confess that I don't remember receiving your note.

Since returning to the West, I've made a couple of trips to Visalia. Spent two days with Millard Kibbe (formerly with KTKC) late in November and he and I did some quail shooting on the Cutler Ranch at Drum Valley. It was the best bird crop I've ever seen.

Visalia has changed. You don't see too many old timers. Did see Virgil Dowell, Gareth Houk (whose son is now his law partner) Dud Hadley, Roy Brooks (who is married again--his last wife died), Dixon Maddox, Phil Dobson (the auto dealer), Leonard Ginsberg (who is now a highly praised superior court judge) and Cal Wood and Arch Medlin.

A large business district has been developed on Mooney Boulevard from the Junior College South. Seems as though they're almost out to Mooney Grove.

Winter seems mild here after Kentucky and even Atlanta. We didn't have a cold snap last week but nothing serious. People complained, however. The Valley has been shrouded with fog for weeks. Believe in Sacramento they only had one clear day in five weeks.

If you and your bride get to San Francisco be sure and call on us. We have an apartment at Tiburon in Marin County. The AP office is still in the Chronicle Building at Fifth and Mission.

Sincerely,

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