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**Kit N Kaboodle**

By Ed. U. Kinton

To The Editor:

When Conrad radio stations 640 and 1240 on the dial inform us of dangerous fall out approaching, I can convert my home inside of two to four hours into a safe fall out shelter.

Question how? My answer is to have on hand:

1. Two or three weeks' food supply—25 pounds of flour and potatoes.
2. Water enough for drinking, washing and toilet flushing, depending for how many persons.
3. Gas heating and cooking fuel—one month or more supply. We do not depend on electricity for above purposes, because the enemy will try and knock out hydro electric plants and larger towns first.
4. Kerosene lantern or lamp and two gallons of kerosene.
5. First aid emergency kit and supplies. Aze hammer, saw, screw driver, pliers, flashlight and rubber gloves.
6. Full set of government fall out pamphlets, consisting of "First Aid", "The Family Fall Out Shelter M P 15"—one hand book for emergencies and one fall out protection pamphlet.
7. Our home consists of an 8 foot by 29 foot trailer solidly attached to the house of three rooms, trailer has four ventilators and four windows with close-woven fly screens suitable to catch fall out dust, ventilator lids can be raised or lowered to let fresh air in, since the trailer and house are our fall out shelter.
8. Clothes, bedding, etc., and all necessary articles are inside. No use enumerating them. Our garden hose is in the house ready to connect in case of fire. Salt and flour are good fire extinguishers on small blazes.
9. I have several rolls of one-inch and 1 1/4-inch tape on hand with which to tape all doors and windows.
10. And we are ready for any emergency.

Everybody should get the Office of Defense and Civilian Mobilization pamphlets. Study them and you need not ask anybody what to do in case of emergency. In case of a direct hit even underground shelters will not be safe.

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We join jolly Santa to wish you and your family good cheer and high happiness this Yuletide.

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**Lonnie's Body Shop**

**Highway Tragedy Stalks Christmas**

The most dangerous time of the year for traffic is just ahead. It will come, state safety officials remind, on Christmas Eve when the fatal accident rate is five times greater than for the remainder of the holiday.

"Death by automobile is pointless and needless at any time, but on a holiday such as Christmas Eve it becomes even more tragic," according to Wayne Nunn, chairman of the Oregon Traffic Safety Commission.

Nunn said Oregon recorded four deaths on Christmas Eve last year, seven for the entire holiday period.

"Officials of all traffic law enforcement agencies warn against drinking intoxicants if driving, yet too many drivers take a chance—putting themselves above the law and placing their passengers in unnecessary danger," he pointed out.

"No Christmas will be a merry one," he concluded, "if it's marred by accident."

**JUSTICE COURT**

Cases appearing before Justice Arthur F. Neumann in Justice court this past week were:  
 Roy D. Reed, December 13, violation of the basic rule (VBR), \$15; Helen I. Fenley, December 13, VBR, \$25 fine, \$15 suspended; Jim C. Sweeney, December 14, improper muffler, \$10; Viola Lee Rowe, December 14, VBR, \$25; Delbert Henry Jones, December 15, improper muffler, \$5; John A. Such, December 15, failure to dim lights, \$10; Joann J. Henry, December 15, no tail light, \$10 bail forfeited; Loy L. Yokum, December 19, insufficient brakes, \$10 bail forfeited.

**Santa's Busiest Helpers -- Your Post Office Crew**

All of Santa's helpers do not wear red hats and red jackets. Undisputed evidence of this fact can be found this week on a visit to the local postoffice where five women are working from morning until evening sorting and distributing the mail.

In addition to the full-time postmistress, Mrs. Wilma Stevens and her full-time assistant, Mrs. Leila Hubbs, two employees, Mrs. Ad Neumann and Mrs. Marie Barrington, who usually work short shifts each day, are on eight hour shifts this week. Mrs. Gertrude Lantz has also been added to the staff for the Christmas rush.

How many pieces of mail are handled during the Christmas rush season? "We haven't had time to count," says Mrs. Stevens, answering questions between "customers" at the counter.

Consensus of opinion is that the Christmas mail has been very heavy this year. In comparison to the one or two sacks per day of out-going mail, 23 sacks went out Monday, Mrs. Stevens said.

No, there's little time to visit in the postoffice these days. Mail truck arrivals and departures are overdue, the sacks are bulging, postal patrons are waiting, the sorting and cancelling of mail in endless.

But it all adds up to a Merry Christmas for Port Orford and the far-flung points with which we are connected by our local postoffice.

What would we do if we had to depend only on Santa's reindeer?

**Twelve Steps To Delinquency**

The following reprint of a set of rules, originating from the Houston, Texas police department, has appeared recently in various publications. The Kit 'N Kaboodle column this week prompts their publication for News readers. Sad to say, there is more truth than poetry in the 12 steps for raising children of today.

1. Begin with infancy to give child everything he wants. In this way he will grow up to believe the world owes him a living.
2. When he picks up bad words, laugh at him. This will make him think he's cute. It will also encourage him to pick up other phrases that will blow off the top of your head later.
3. Never give him any spiritual training. Wait until he is 21 and then let him decide for himself.
4. Avoid the use of the word "wrong" it may develop a guilt complex. This will condition him to believe later, when he is arrested for stealing a car, that society is against him and he is being persecuted.
5. Pick up everything he leaves around—books, shoes, clothes. Do everything for him so that he will be experienced in throwing all responsibility on others.
6. Let him read any printed matter he can get his hands on. Be careful that the silverware and drinking glasses are sterilized, but let his mind feast on garbage.
7. Quarrel frequently in the presence of your children. In this way they won't be too shocked when the home is broken up later.
8. Give a child all the spending money he wants. Never let him earn his own. Why should he have things as tough as you had them?
9. Satisfy his every craving for food, drink and comfort. See that every sensual desire is fulfilled. Denial may lead to harmful frustration.
10. Take his part against neighbors, teachers, policemen. They are all prejudiced against your child.
11. When he gets into REAL trouble, apologize for yourself by saying, "I never could do anything with him."
12. Prepare for a life of grief—you will be likely to have it.

**Merry Christmas OREGON!**

**Best Wishes for A Happy Holiday Season and a Prosperous New Year!**

Your friends and neighbors at your nearby First National Branch want to thank you for making First National "My Bank" for so many Oregon people. As we meet you at a desk or over a counter, we are reminded again and again that we live and work in a land of truly wonderful people. Thanks to you, Oregon, we look forward to another pleasant, stimulating year.

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**Merry Christmas**

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May your Christmas be wrapped in happiness, filled with joy, and surrounded by all the good cheer of the Day!

As in years before, we extend a warm "Thank You" to our many friends and good customers.

**Port Radio & TV**

Leo and Delores Phillips  
**PORT ORFORD REXALL DRUGS**



**Greetings**

Our sincere greetings, as traditional as holly, convey our very best wishes for joy and happiness to all our friends and patrons.

A merry reindeer pulls a sleigh-full of our happy greetings right your way.

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**ROSE'S SHELL SERVICE**

**Port Orford Variety**