

Choice Christmas Candies

Mr. Hoover will not object if you have plenty of good candy for Christmas. But there is more economy in eating a limited amount of pure, wholesome candy than an abundance of the inferior quality. For the holiday trade we have selected an assortment of the choicest confections on the market—all pure, fresh, delicious and wholesome.

Chocolates, Bon Bons, Caramels, Marshmallows, Nougat, Stuffed Dates, Candied Fruit, Etc.

See our handsome gift boxes—some of them hand painted. No matter what else you give Her, be sure to include a box of candy.



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Town and Vicinity

Mrs. Vern Stewart, of Jasper, was in Springfield shopping yesterday.

Reverend H. C. Ethell preached at the services of the M. E. Church South at Hayden Bridge last Sunday.

See the auto eye tester at Peery's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spores and son, Marvin, were in Springfield yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Smith, of Naton, were business visitors in Springfield Tuesday.

We will sell you linoleum till Christmas eve, or while it lasts, for before the war prices. Holbrook.

Miss Ruth Putnam has returned to her home at Hillsboro, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wheaton.

Mrs. Matilda Blair, of Portland, is spending a few days in Springfield on business.

Good cedar fence posts for sale and the price is right. The Springfield Feed company.

A marriage license was issued Monday to Francis Marion Tate, of Vida, and Lucy A. Burger, of Eugene.

Roy Bally is stationed with the aviation corps at Vancouver instead of Fort Stevens as was reported.

Fresh Jersey milk at the Springfield Creamery. 9 cents per quart, 5 cents per pint.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Howard, of Wendling, at the Eugene hospital Saturday night, a son.

Wallace Carney and family have moved from the H. E. Lee property in West Springfield to the Walker property on West Main street.

Your children need the exercise and pleasure they will get out of a velocipede or wagon. Holbrook has them.

The Springfield Feed company sold and delivered to the Springfield Mill & Elevator company, one car of wheat this week.

J. H. Edwards, father of J. E. Edwards, of Springfield is very ill at his home in Eugene, with pleural pneumonia.

Fit your own eyes with spectacles at Peery's.

Miss Gladys Taylor, of Marcola, and Mrs. Tom Goddard, of this city, underwent operations at the Mercy hospital in Eugene Monday.

Mrs. A. M. Jacobs arrived Wednesday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Lemley.

How about some good corn meal and rye flour. We have it now. Have you tried some of our breakfast mush? If not you have missed a treat. The Springfield Feed company.

C. W. Zumwalt, of Donna, has been dismissed from the Mercy hospital in Eugene and will return to his home this week.

J. T. Donaldson and J. F. Powers, county road viewers, went to Noti yesterday. They will be gone about three days on road business.

Particular people prefer purchasing perfectly pure potent pills, powders, potions, plasters, patents, peas, paper, and pleasing perfumes at Peery's Painstaking Pill Parlor.

Mrs. W. C. Billings, of Bend, visited last week at the home of F. R. Alexander and family, in this city. Mrs. Billings had just come from Portland where she had been to attend the funeral of her mother.

We thank all our friends for their patronage during the year 1917—and wish everyone a merry Christmas and happy and prosperous New Year. Holbrook Trading company.

School will close tomorrow evening for Christmas vacation and will not open again until Tuesday, January 2.

We have fresh Jersey milk for sale at 9 cents a quart or 5 cents a pint. Springfield Creamery.

Mrs. W. H. Pollard and three children will leave tomorrow for Oregon City where they will spend the Christmas holidays. Dr. Pollard will join the family there Monday.

Cash only at Wolf & Miller's. Five per cent discount.

Helen Stevens, daughter of Welby Stevens, of Springfield, has arrived to spend the Christmas holidays with her father. Miss Stevens is attending school at St. Helen's Hall this winter.

Buy your Christmas candies at the Palace of Sweets.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davidson, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dunlap for the past two months have gone on to California to visit with relatives. Their home is in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren, who have lived at Donna for a number of years have moved their household goods to the home of their daughter near Phoenix Arizona.

A select line of Christmas box candy at the Palace of Sweets.

The Springfield Feed company unloaded a straight car of Holstein dairy feed this week, and a car of different kinds of mill feeds. A car of Berkshire hog feed arrived this morning.

A \$5 oil painting with every cash purchase of \$50 till December 31-17 at the Holbrook store.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy O. McGee are expected to arrive Saturday from Glendale to visit with friends in Springfield. Mrs. McGee is a sister of Miss Mary Hartung, a former domestic science teacher in this city.

Reliable remedies right reasonable—Rexall.

Dutree Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fischer, of this city, who has been in Portland for the past two weeks for medical treatment is spending the holidays with her parents.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. The morning sermon will be, "Thoughts For the Christmas Season."

The young people meet at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. The subject of the evening sermons will be, "Paul, His Philosophy of the Mind, Body, and Soul." The prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30.

METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Danford will preach on the "Mystery of Christmas." Sunday morning at the Methodist church. Special Christmas music will be rendered. Dr. Danford will also preach a Christmas sermon on Sunday evening.

Mails from North One Day Late

All of the mails from the north are practically one day late, owing to the wash-out near Salem. Part of the mail which should have arrived in Springfield yesterday did not reach here until about noon today.

Wolf and Miller Have Good Window

A Santa Claus making his descent into the chimney is the feature of the Christmas windows at Wolf and Miller's store.

CAPTURED BY RODENTS.

A Group of Islands Off Cape Horn Now the Property of Rats.

Within the last generation a unique rat colony has grown up in south Georgia, a group of bleak and barren islands of about 1,000 square miles, in the Atlantic ocean several hundred miles east of Cape Horn. In the three months of the short warm season a little tussock grass grows, and this formerly supported a considerable number of rabbits, with a few small mammals of other species.

In the last century the islands became the center of the whaling industry. With a favorable summer several thousand whales are brought to the nine stations, and the carcasses, after the outer blubber has been stripped off, are set adrift along the shore.

The first rats, escaping from a sealing vessel, were introduced twenty-five or thirty years ago. They found the best of shelter in the peat and tufts of grass, and with an unlimited food supply in cold storage in the enormous field of rotting flesh they have multiplied in millions, notwithstanding the rigors of the winters.

At the time when the rat is being fought as a great menace to the world's health the development of this rat stronghold offers a problem of peculiar interest.—Exchange.

THE SENSATION OF PAIN.

It Is Felt in the Head and Not Where It Seems to Be.

Where do you feel the pain? asks the doctor. In my finger, in my ear, in my foot, the sufferer replies, and if the physician told him he did not feel it there, but in his head, the average man would doubt the doctor's sanity. Yet the doctor would be right.

In an address at the University of California Professor G. H. Parker of Harvard told the students that we have been obliged to give up the idea that sensations are spread throughout our bodies, for persons who have lost a limb often feel sensations that seem to come from the missing member.

"Our sensations," said Professor Parker, "are not located in the peripheral parts affected, but in the central nervous system, and within that portion of it known as the cerebral cortex." This is the outer layer or gray matter of the brain. One may lose an arm, yet have the sensation of pain in the hand, but if a small piece of that particular part of the brain to which run the sensory nerves from the arm be removed, one will never again feel anything in that arm not even if the hand be placed in the fire.

China and Flowers.

From time immemorial China has been called the Flowery Kingdom, a name given by the Chinese themselves and singularly suited to the land which for ages was like an oasis of flowers of the spirit in the world desert of barbarism. In this oasis grew the arts of the bronze and stone worker, of the silk maker and embroiderer, of the potter, of the painter on silk, of the poet, philosopher and ethical devotee. But China was not named the Flowery Kingdom because of these flowers of the mind. Her flora is one of the most luxuriant in the world. It is estimated to consist of some twelve thousand species, nine thousand of which are known and one-half of which are indigenous and not found elsewhere.

Such being the flora of China, it is readily understood that horticulture and gardening early became a skilled and honored profession.—Scribner's.

The First Quarantine.

From all accounts the custom of quarantine originated in Venice somewhere about the beginning of the twelfth century. All merchants and others coming from the eastern countries were obliged to remain in the house of St. Lazarus for a period of forty days before they were admitted into the city. Taking the idea from Venice, other European cities, especially port towns, instituted quarantine during seasons of plague and well down into modern times most nations adopted the system, applying it when it was deemed necessary.

A Real Luxury.

"Walter," said the diner, "it says here on the menu 'green bluefish.'"

"Yes, sir. That means fresh—right from the water, sir."

"Nonsense!" said the diner. "You know well enough they do not take bluefish at this season."

The waiter came up and looked at the disputed item.

"Oh, that, sir," he said with an air of enlightenment, "that am hothouse bluefish, sir."—Boston Transcript.

Sanguine Temperament.

"I never saw Dubou's equal for encouraging bill collectors."

"How does he do it?"

"He infects them with his own optimistic belief that he is going to have some money some day."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Toning It Down.

Mother—Joan, dear, have you been doing anything to this ink? Joan—Yes, mummy. I put some water in it to make it write weak. I've been writing a letter to daddy and I wanted to whisper something to him.—London Passing Show.

Mothers and Sons.

"What makes you think all women hate each other?"

"Because a woman so seldom brings up a son fit to be another woman's husband."

Many a man adopts methods to gain his ends which end his gains.—Lippincott's.



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