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Christmas is the day when all Christendom awakes with a feeling of joy. With it is a sense of new life and hope and spiritual brotherhood. It is then we all unite, in some form, at the shrine of the Master, and the world in humblest places is lifted up and in palaces of splendor is leveled down by a touch of the Divinity that shapes our ends.

No real Christmas is spelled Xmas. The little word may be a short cut in business and printing but it is poor expression of the significance of the event.

The Townsendsites have won a great victory in Michigan which will add much to their good cheer for the holiday season.

From everywhere comes reports of a great holiday trade. We hope it is only a forerunner of days to come.

**ADDITIONAL LOCALS**

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Norton and son Malcolm of Mt. Vernon, Ore., arrived last Saturday night and visited friends here until Tuesday. Mr. Norton formerly operated the Red & White store here.

Among Pendleton visitors Friday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clarke, Mrs. Wm. Davis and daughter Norma, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Quiring.

Miss Snow McCoy was a Pendleton visitor Saturday.

Among other Pendleton visitors Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mikesell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Saylor and Mrs. J. B. Saylor, Mrs. Levi Reeder and Mrs. Chas. Duval.

A group of Hermiston women attended the Wool Growers' Auxiliary luncheon in Pendleton Saturday afternoon which was given by the Umatilla County Wool Growers' Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Herb Green. They were Mrs. H. T. Fraser, Mrs. E. P. Dodd, Mrs. Arletta White, Mrs. C. M. Jackson and Mrs. Thomas Campbell.

Chas. F. Seitz returned last Friday from Rock Elm, Wisconsin, where he took the body of his father, Ira Porter, some weeks ago for burial by the side of his wife who preceded him in death in 1919. Mr. Porter had been visiting his son here for the past two years.

Herbert Swarner and wife of Corvallis, Ore., Lawrence and Miriam Swarner of Oregon State College, Gladys Swarner who is physical ed-

ucation instructor of the Y.W.C.A. at Yakima, Wn., all expect to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Swarner, and their brother and sister Monroe and Thelma, who are at home.

Bobby Thomas, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas who underwent a skin-graft operation on his hands last week at the Shrine Hospital in Portland, is reported as doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harding of Baker, Ore., are making their home in the Joe Dyer apartments. Mr. Harding is affiliated with his uncle, O. M. Clarke, in covering this territory for the Watkins Co. Mr. Harding is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harding who live on the west side.

R. C. McReynolds, W. M. Pearson and B. A. Doyle motored to Pendleton Monday evening where they attended a meeting of automotive dealers and mechanics, at which a demonstration and lecture was put on by the Ecklin & Ecklin, Inc., automotive company in the Elk's Temple. Approximately 60 dealers and mechanics were present.

**Senior Rings.**

Thirteen members of the senior class are displaying their new class rings this week which are of gold and silver, and which have a striking black insignia.

**PINE CITY NEWS**

A basket social was held at Pine City last Saturday night in the auditorium for the purpose of raising money for a community Christmas tree. G. L. Bennett was the auctioneer. Approximately \$57 was taken in. The program was given by the alumni of Pine City, with the help of a few school students.

A number of people stayed for the dance that was given at the E. B. Wattenburger home following the basket social. Lillie, Fred and August Rauch furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hughes and son Allen spent Sunday evening visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Finch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bartholomew visited at the Sloan Thompson home Tuesday morning.

Charlie Lee and Lowell Young were business visitors in Hermiston Saturday.

Frank Helms and daughter Charlotte and Henrietta were business visitors in Echo and Hermiston Friday.

Miss Minnie Hunting and Miss Neva Neill of Stanfield spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Ollie Neill.

C. H. Bartholomew was a business visitor in Heppner and Lexington Monday.

Miss Isabella O'Brien, who is attending the St. Mary's Academy at The Dalles, came home Saturday evening to spend the Christmas va-

cation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger and family were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Cox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. O'Brien and family motored to Hermiston Saturday.

**IRRIGON NEWS**

By Mrs. W. C. Isom  
 Miss Helen Salkeld is a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Lamoreaux.

Mrs. J. Berry and daughter of Umatilla spent Sunday with Mrs. Berry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McCoy.

Mac and Chase McCoy from Imbler were visiting relatives here one day last week.

Don Rutledge had quite a serious wreck with his truck last Thursday as he was enroute to Portland with a load of cattle. He had stopped his truck and was in the back when the brake released, letting the truck run back over a steep decline. None of the stock was injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kendler returned from Portland Friday evening and will live in one of the Meadow Camp cabins temporarily.

Russell Miller was a Boardman visitor Sunday.

Improvements are being made in the interior of the church this week.

A shower was given at the home of Mrs. Adrian Allen this week honoring Mrs. Bert Dexter.

The school program and Christmas tree will be held Thursday night in the auditorium.

**LOCUST SEED PICKING WILL BE COMPLETED BY FEBRUARY**

Soil Conservation Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Pullman, Wn., Dec.—Basing his estimate upon the amount of seed already collected, A. L. Hafenrichter, Regional Nurseryman of the Soil Conservation Nurseries in the Pacific North-

**Merry Xmas and a HAPPY New Year**

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
 of Hermiston  
 Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits Over \$50,000.

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west, announced today that the quota of black locust seeds will probably be reached by February 1. The excellent quality of the seed and the industry of the relief workers are credited with the speed with which the work is progressing.

Seed picking is being carried on in the Hermiston and Echo areas.

Approximately 589 men from the relief rolls have been used in the collection of black locust seed by the Soil Conservation Nurseries in the Northwest. The equivalent to 104 men working for one year has been used by the Nurseries to collect 60,000 pounds of seeds at the calculated rate of 2.4 pounds of seed per six hour man-day.

The seed will be planted by the Soil Conservation Nurseries in the Pacific Northwest and in other regions of the United States for the production of tree stock to be used in erosion control. Enough trees can be produced from the 60,000 pounds of collected seed to plant 250,000 acres.

The Pacific Northwest was chosen as the source of black locust seed because of the abundance of high quality seed in this region. This region has long been famous for the production of high quality grass and legume seed, but the quantity harvesting of tree seed is a new field only recently opened by the Soil Conservation Nurseries.

**YULETIDE JOY AND HAPPINESS**

IS OUR WISH FOR YOU DURING THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON.

General Auto Repairing

**Pennock's Garage**

**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

To Our Friends and Neighbors.

**Mr. and Mrs. Guy Amsberry**

**Christmas Joy**

AND HAPPINESS IS OUR WISH FOR YOU AND YOURS.

**SHAAR'S Barber Shop**

**Merry Christmas to all!**

REMEMBER US! WE TREAT YOU RIGHT.

**V. C. Smith**

**OREGON MUTUAL LIFE**

HOME OFFICE: PORTLAND, OREGON

**Greetings**

FOR CHRISTMAS and BEST WISHES for a BRIGHT NEW YEAR.

**Hermiston Beauty Shoppe**

**STOCK REDUCTION SALE CONTINUES!**

Many have already taken advantage! WHY NOT? WATCH OUR PRICES FROM NOW UNTIL JANUARY THE FIRST, 1936!

ITEM — Description	1 Each	3 for	SAVE	6 for	SAVE	12 for	SAVE
SUPER SUDS	9c	25c	2c	45c	9c	90c	18c
PEAS - No. 2 Can	13c	33c	6c	65c	13c	1.20	36c
BEANS - Stringless Green	10c	29c	1c	54c	6c	1.05	15c
PEAS - Sno Line Sweet Wrinkled	10c	25c	5c	45c	15c	85c	35c
CORN - Del Monte - 11 oz.	10c	25c	5c	45c	15c	85c	35c
BAKING POWDER - 12 oz.	20c	54c	6c	96c	24c	1.92	48c
COFFEE-S. & W. Mellow'd	33c	90c	9c	1.74	24c	3.12	84c
SMOKE SALT - Old Hickory Sugar Cured	79c	2 for \$1.50			8c		
SOAP - Classic Laundry	5c	10c	5c	19c	11c	30c	30c
Baker's Coconut - Moist - Shredded	13c	35c	4c	72c	6c	1.30	26c

  

Fancy Table SYRUP 25c - Cut to	Crystal White SYRUP 10 lbs. 69c	Vermont Maid Fancy Syrup 45c - Cut to	Laundry SOAP 100 bars \$2.25	SARDINES In Tomato Sauce 3 cans 25c
Crystal White SYRUP 5 lbs. 39c	S. O. S. 8 large Pads 23c - 2 for 40c	MAZOLA OIL 1 Pint 23c	MATCHES 6 Boxes 23c	SUGAR 18 lbs. 99c
Candied Peels 25c per lb.	Shoulder Pork ROAST 20c lb.	5 Lbs. K. C. Baking Powder 79c - Cut to 59c	HEINZ SOUP Any Kind 2 for 25c	Del Monte SWEET POTATOES 2 Cans 35c
Mother's Oats 29c	STEAKS Any Kind 18c lb.	Crescent Baking Powder 3 Lbs. 53c	Crescent Baking Powder 15c a lb.	BLACK PEPPER 20c Per Lb.
Succotash Each 15c	Fresh Oysters Pint 25c	FRUITS For Salads No. 2 Tins 15c	Viking COFFEE 2 Lbs. for 35c	SODA 5c Per Lb.
Lumber Jack Table Syrup 25c - Cut to 19c	Country SAUSAGE 2 lbs. 35c	Postum Cereal 19c	Fresh Ground CRACKERS 2 lbs. 29c	SPUDS Per Sack \$1.59

These Prices are Cash at the Store.

**A Merry Christmas To All!**

**BURNHAM'S GENERAL MERCHANDISE HERMISTON, OREGON**

**Wishing you much joy on Christmas**

**Gifts that Please**

**Hermiston Drug Co.**