

# Merry Christmas



## Hermiston Mercantile Cooperative

**GARDEN CLUB CHATS**

The municipal tree is up, and lighted and a beautiful tree it is, visible for several blocks. Every one is invited to gather around the tree Saturday evening at eight o'clock to

sing carols.

A favorite pastime for the next week will be touring the "light-ways" to view the many beautiful entries in the Christmas lighting contest. A list of the entries will be found elsewhere in the paper. There are many splendid commercial and residential displays which were not entered for competition.

Christmas is here again! The most joyous, the most cheery, yet the most religiously significant Christian festival of all the year. It is the season of mysterious packages, rooms untidy with paper, seals and ribbons, of Christmas cards, lighted candles in the windows, the spicy smell of the pungent boughs of fir and pine, the delicious fragrance of Christmas

cookies floating from the kitchen, and last but not least, the lighted Christmas tree lending its beauty to the festive scene. However, some of the moderns may advocate silver and blue as Christmas colors, yet in the hearts of many of us red and green will always remain the true Christmas colors. Old fashioned, yes, but Christmas is an old fashioned institution. It is not only a holiday but is a time for loving, for giving, for thinking of others and to we Americans, a time for thankfulness that we are living in America, an oasis of peace in a war torn world. So, from the very depths of our heart, may we say merry Christmas to all.

### "AND THE RAINS CAME" THIS WEEK

The past week was somewhat of a continuation of last week's reports, with winter rains coming intermittently. Added to the .52 precipitation of last week, this week's figures of .35 make almost an inch of rain in the past fortnight. No exceptionally cold weather was recorded during the past week, the rain tending to keep the temperature at a higher reading.

Date	Max.	Min.
December 14	46	26
December 15	68	37
December 16	57	42
December 17	56	40
December 18	46	28
December 19	44	30
December 20	54	33

### Christmas and New Year DANCES At Stanfield

MONDAY - DEC. 25  
MONDAY - JAN. 1  
Given by Stanfield Commer. Club  
Music by the Troubadors  
Admission 60c & 15c



**Rohrman Motor Co.**  
Hermiston, Oregon

### BULLDOGS TAKE BOARDMAN GAME

Completing a full week comeback the Hermiston Bulldogs smashed the Boardman Yellowjackets to the tune of 28 to 15 Saturday night, thus making it three wins in the last three starts.

Pierson continued his high scoring ways by garnering 9 points, to tie with Russell of Boardman for high honors. Holloman, Pierson's fighting opponent for high point honors, was next with eight.

The Bulldogs played a very fast and commendable game, being marred occasionally by a little rough playing but this only added to the excitement of the fray and the fans certainly got their money's worth.

**Hermiston 28**      **15 Boardman**  
Holloman 8 ..... F ..... 2 Partlov  
Pierson 9 ..... F ..... 9 Russel  
Crampton 1 ..... C ..... 3 Skovb  
Tiller 1 ..... G ..... De Mauv  
Corpe 1 ..... C ..... 2 Bleakney  
Substitutions — Hermiston: Miller, Rugg, Smith 3, Hamm, Wilcox.  
Boardman: Miles and Smith.

Kersbergen To Attend Conference state teachers' convention to be held W. G. Kersbergen, high school superintendent, plans to attend the in Portland on December 27, 28 and 29.



LOADS OF HAPPINESS TO ALL

The spirit of friendliness of this glad season reminds us of your good will during the past year. To each of you we wish a very Merry Christmas!

**Dr. A. E. Marble**

## SAFEWAY

Your Money-Saving Cash Grocer

### 2 - DAY CHRISTMAS SALE - FRI. & SAT. ONLY!



### Oregon Rose Butter 2 Lbs. 65c

- Rosedale Pineapple ..... lge. tin 10c
- Libby's Peas .. 303 tin 10c - doz. \$1.15
- Favorite Matches 6 box. carton 14c
- Del Monte Pumpkin .. No. 2 1/2 tin 10c
- Ritz Crackers ..... lge. pkg. 23c
- Oysters, Dunbar ..... 2 5-oz. tins 23c
- Duchess Salad Dressing pt. 17c qt. 25c

### Mixed Nuts 2 lbs. 35c

- Rich, Red Mixture - No Peanuts
- Peanuts, freshly roasted ..... lb. 10c
- Walnuts, Oregon soft shell .. 2 lbs. 35c
- Brazil Nuts, washed ..... 2 lbs. 25c
- Genn Aire Grapefruit .... No. 2 tin 10c
- Cigarettes, popular brands, ctn. \$1.19
- Nu-Made Mayonnaise .. pt. 21c qt. 35c
- P. A. or Velvet ..... 1 lb. tin 73c

Fine Granulated <b>Sugar</b> 10 lbs. 55c	New Crop <b>Dates</b> 3 lbs. 25c	Fresh <b>Eggs</b> Large Grade "A" 2 Doz. 35c	Ocean Spray <b>Cranberry</b> Sauce 17-oz. tins 2 for 25c
Town House <b>Grapefruit</b> 12 oz. tin 5c 46 oz. tin 15c	Assorted <b>Jell Well</b> Package 4c	Campbell's <b>Soup</b> Except Chicken & Mushroom 3 tins 25c	Edwards <b>Coffee</b> Pound tin 21c 2 Lb. tin 41c

**Christmas Candy**

Your choice of Satin or Hard Mix candy. Also Chocolate Drops or Gum Drops in cellophane.

2 LB. CELLO ..... 25c

**HOLIDAY CHOCOLATES**

2 1/2 lb. box 49c  
5 lb. box 89c



### Prime Turkeys

- Particular housewives insist on top quality turkeys because they actually get more for their money in tender juicy meat with less bone.
- Small Hens 23c
  - Young Toms 22c
  - DUCKS - lb. 19c
  - GEESE - lb. 21c
  - ROASTING CHICKEN ..... lb. 21c
  - LOIN PORK ROAST ..... lb. 15c
  - Lean - Young Pork
  - BEEF OVEN ROAST ..... lb. 19c
  - Young - Tender Beef
  - ARMOUR'S STAR HAM ..... lb. 23c
  - Mild and Tender
  - STAR LINK SAUSAGE ..... lb. 19c
  - Fresh - Pure Pork
  - OYSTERS, Fresh Pacifics .... pt. 15c
  - Sanitary Glass Jar
  - PURE LARD ..... 4 lbs. 29c

- Fresh Produce**
- Delicious Apples BOX 89c
  - Winesap Apples BOX 59c
  - CELERY ..... stalk 10c
  - Fancy Green Utah
  - CRANBERRIES 2 lbs. 25c
  - Fancy Red MacFarlands
  - SWEET SPUDS 7 lbs. 25c
  - U. S. No. 1 Jersey's
  - GRAPEFRUIT 3 for 10c
  - Arizona Seedless - Lge. size
  - LETTUCE lge. head 10c
  - Fancy Quality Fresh & Crisp

### WEDDING PLANS ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Burdick, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Burdick of Redlands, Cal., and Stanley Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green of Stanfield, was announced at a tea given last Sunday afternoon in Wesley hall of the First Methodist church.

Miss Burdick, who is a teacher of homemaking in the junior high school of Ontario, Cal., was graduated from the Santa Barbara State college where she is a member of Alpha Rho chapter of Kappa Delta Pi sorority. She has done graduate work at Oregon State college.

Mr. Green, teacher of agriculture in the Union high school at Junction City, was graduated from Oregon State college where he has since taken advanced graduate study.

Miniature wedding bells, tied as Christmas packages, revealed the wedding date to be some time in June. Hostesses for the tea were Miss Josephine Dillon, Miss Harriet Reinheimer and Miss Jean Wilson. Mrs. Daniel Stevens and Miss Sybil Tucker presided at the tea table.

Musical numbers were given by Miss Dorothy Arstall and Vance Beckwith, accompanied by Mrs. Helen Reish, and by a quartet composed of Vance Beckwith, Donald Lewis, Melvin Roberts and Norman Crane. Miss Marian Waby played incidental music on the piano during the reception.

### UMATILLA COUNTY GIVEN \$53,427.00

SALEM—Oregon counties received \$1,200,000 in state highway funds this week, bringing the 1939 total to \$2,000,000, Secretary of State Earl Snell said. The money is distributed on the basis of motor vehicle registration.

Amounts distributed to counties during the year, including both July and December apportionments, included:

- Baker, \$30,876; Gilliam, \$6,471; Grant, \$12,386; Malheur, \$34,602; Morrow, \$8,722; Umatilla, \$53,427; Union, \$33,815, and Willowa, \$12,882.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS



May this holly wreath be a symbol of appreciation of your patronage during the past year. Heartiest Greetings during this Yuletide Season.

- Cake Flour Swansdown - 3 lb. pkg. 17c
- Vanilla Westag Imitation 8 oz. bottle 15c
- BUTTER Oregon Rose Lb. 34c
- ORANGES New Navels 2 Dozen 25c
- Candy Hard Mix or Chocolates Lb. 10c
- Mince Meat High Grade 2 Lbs. 25c
- JELLO Six Delicious Flavors - pkg. 5c

## Connor's Cash Stores

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