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ECHO NEWS ITEMS

By Mrs. W. H. Cravy

Scheduled games for the Echo high school basketball team for the winter season have been announced. The Cougars have dates as follows: Dec. 7 at Irrigon; Dec. 10 at Stanfield; Dec. 14 Hermiston here; Dec. 17 at Boardman; and Dec. 21 Lexington here. Jan. 11, Umatilla here; Jan. 14 at Ione; Jan. 18 Irrigon here; Jan. 21 Stanfield here; Jan. 25 Boardman here and Jan. 28 at Lexington. Feb. 1 at Umatilla; Feb. 4 at Stanfield; Feb. 8 at Ione; and Feb. 15 at Hermiston. A tentative game is scheduled with the Pendleton B team at Pendleton February 11.

Mrs. Frank Siemiller and infant



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David plan to go to Pullman soon to join Mr. Gorrell, who is stationed there in the air corps. When Mr. Gorrell passed through Pendleton Monday he was met by his wife and infant son. It was the first time father and son had met, as David was born while Mr. Gorrell was stationed at Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Thomson plan to leave Thursday for a few weeks visit in Salem, Portland and Vancouver. They plan to return to Echo about the middle of December.

Among stockmen of this vicinity who are exhibiting thoroughbred Hereford bulls at the auction sale in La Grande this week are Harry Andrews, George Wallace and Mrs. Golda Myrick.

Wayne McFaul is expected home Wednesday for a brief visit with his mother, Mrs. Nona McFaul, before being inducted into the service on November 23. He will go to Camp Lewis where he is to serve in the quartermasters department of the army.

Mrs. George Williams has received a miniature P-38 plane, and a copper ash tray from her husband, who is stationed in the South Pacific. The souvenirs were cleverly made from used army shells and Japanese and Australian coins, the work being done by natives of that country.

Mrs. Charles Hidy returned Friday from Oregon City where she was plaintiff in a personal damage suit arising from injuries sustained two years ago in an auto accident. She was awarded more than \$12,000 by the jury in the case.

IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS

By Mrs. Grace Shoun
Mr. and Mrs. George Linn spent the week end at Boardman.

Melvin Larkin of Monroe has been visiting his sister, Miss Dorothy Larkin. He left for home Monday.

Mrs. Lois Gannet is visiting her sister, Grandma Browning.

Charles Markham is home on an army furlough from San Diego. He is leaving Tuesday to enter an army school.

Ella May Grim, Kathleen and Donald Poulson, Ilene and Beth Russell, and Delpha Markham were Hermiston visitors Saturday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Smith and small son left for Portland Sunday. Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Tom Caldwell, will soon be in Portland and then plan to come to Irrigon.

Mrs. Freda Mae Shoun and Mr. and Mrs. Loveth of Pasco were Irrigon visitors Friday.

Mrs. F. C. Fredrickson is in the Pendleton hospital preparing for an operation.

Mrs. William Gorrell and little son

Announcement . . .

Because of sickness, we will not be able to hold our annual Christmas opening. However the sale of Christmas goods will start on Monday, November 15.

If you desire we will hold gift purchases until Christmas but full payment must be made and no refunds will be made.

GAMBLE STORE
Stanfield, Oregon

daughter Connie of Hermiston visited the J. O. Sweringens Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Ferrell and Joe Wilson were Hermiston visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Whipple started for California Wednesday to visit her father and brothers there.

Mack McCoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCoy left for Norfolk, Virginia (Fort Perry) Monday. He is a

seaman chief petty officer first class in the Seabees. He is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. McCoy, two others being gone for more than a year.

Among those ill with the flu are Maxine Frazier and Emery Bedwells and some of the Sinice Moore children. Mrs. Harry Smith has just recovered from a siege of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grider and Mrs. Ernest Stephens had a birthday dinner for Clarke Stephens Monday.

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COCOANUTS GUARANTEED GOOD	Lb. 21¢
CABBAGE SOLID HEADS	Lb. 2 1/2¢
POTATOES SELECTED NO. 2's	50 lb. sk 86¢

Salad Dressing DUCHESS	16 oz. jar 23¢
Hardwheat MACARONI or Spaghetti	3 lb. pkg. 30¢
Kraft's MACARONI DINNER (1 point)	Pkg. 9¢

NABISCO SHREDDIES	Package 12¢
SHREDDED RALSTON	12 oz. pkg. 12¢
PABLUM BABY CEREAL	18 oz. pkg. 39¢
KRISPY CRACKERS	2 lb. pkg. 31¢
GRAHAMS Honey Maid	2 lb. pkg. 33¢
BISQUICK FLOUR	40 oz. pkg. 34¢
MAXIMUM SALT	Package 7¢
CHERUB MILK (1 Point)	Tall can 9¢
FISHER BLEND FLOUR	10 lbs. 53¢
KITCHEN CRAFT FLOUR	10 lbs. 50¢
SKOVBO HONEY Local	5 Lbs. \$1.15
HONEY, Bradshaw	16 oz. 29¢
WHEATIES	Regular pkg. 10¢
KELLOGG'S PEP	Package 9¢

WHITE MAGIC BLEACH	1/2 Gallon 19¢
BAB-O-CLEANER	16 oz. can 12¢
OXYDOL SOAP POWDER	Regular pkg. 23¢
LIGHT GLOBES	Mazda 10¢
GRO PUP DOG FOOD	25 oz. pkg. 23¢
FRISKIE DOG FOOD	2 lb. pkg. 23¢
MANKIND DOG WAFERS	2 lb. pkg. 22¢
AIRWAY COFFEE	Lb. pkg. 20¢
NOB HILL COFFEE Whole Roast	Lb. 23¢
SANKA COFFEE	Pound 37¢
LIPTON TEA	10c size 9¢
CANTERBURY TEA	1/4 lb. pkg. 22¢
SPARKLING WATER	Canada Dry 15¢
COFFEE POT FILTERS	Quart 15¢

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