20th CENTURY STORES

DEPENDABLE GROCERS

Christmas Time Brings Happiness to Everyone

The EXCHANGE OF GIFTS contributes a large part of the Happiness. And the Christmas Dinner is another very important factor. 20th CENTURY not only offers savings with which to BUY GIFTS but stands ready to make a big contribution to the success of the CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Christmas Features Saturday and Monday, December 22 and 24

Candies—As Pure as They Make 'Em

SATIN FINISHED MIXED—Richly colored. pound 17c — 3 pounds 48c

BROKEN MIXED—Christmas candy of many colors; per pound 18c — 3 pounds 53c

CHOCOLATE DROPS—Imported, soft centered; pound 20c — 3 pounds 59c

Chocolates De Luxe—Fancy hand made cream, nougat and carmel centers, 5-lb. box $1.55

CRYSTALLIZED CREAMS and JELLIES — They're sure to please; 1 pound 20c — 3 pounds 59c

FIL DE LITE—Hard finish, soft filled; pound 27c

FRENCH CREAMS — Genuine hand made, soft centers; pound 29c — 2 pounds 57c

OYSTER COCKTAIL SAUCE—Snider's, 8-oz. bottle 23c

CHEESE—Full cream, aged to tickle your palate. pound 29c

SHRIMP—American Beauty, latest pack in sanitary enamel lined cans. No. 1 tins; 2 for 33c

SOUP—Campbell's tomato, 3 cans 25c

RIPE OLIVES — Libby's large, pint can; each 22c

20th Century Coffee 3 pounds $1.39

There's Christmas Cheer in every cup. Direct from our roaster to you. It's always fresh. Pound 48c

Nuts

WALNUTS — Best in the Northwest, fancy budded Franquettes; pound 37c — 3 pounds $1.05

ALMONDS — Soft shell. Crack 'em with your fingers; pound 30c — 3 pounds 89c

PEANUTS—Fresh roasted, and they are fresh, pound 17c — 3 pounds 49c

FILBERTS—Fancy, grown in the Northwest, pound 27c — 2 pounds 53c

BRAZIL NUTS—The biggest "niggertoes" we can buy. Per pound 29c — 2 pounds 57c

MIXED NUTS — All good stuff. No peanuts, we know, we mixed 'em. Pound 29c — 3 pounds 85c

Just What You Want

POPCORN—As it just right so it will sure pop! 2 pounds 28c

FIGS—Fancy Adriatics — delightful eating; pound 15c — 10-lb. box $1.45

DATES—Bulk, 1928 crop; Golden Hallowiis; 2 pounds 25c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Selected from the best fruit- and vegetable-growing centers for QUALITY FIRST. Then, bought in carload quantities to get the lowest possible prices. This assures you of the very best of the season's produce at the most reasonable prices.

ORANGES—Small sized full of juice. A real special; 2 doz. 53c

GRAPEFRUIT — Florida Russets; extra heavy; 2 for 25c — Dozen 79c

CELERY — Crisp Sweet stalk. Each 10c

CAULIFLOWER — Large white heads. Each 20c

JAPANESE ORANGES—A direct importation from Japan—About 60 to 70 oranges to the box. Box $1.25

LETTUCE—Solid heads. 2 heads for 19c

20th Century Stores

226 W. Main and Medford Bldg. Phones 507 and 380

Buy Christmas Health Seals

PERSONALS

When Jack Wood, local wrestler, visited the wrestling smoker at Grants Pass last night he was roundly booed when he was introduced in the ring as a challenger of Fred Mortensen, Grants Pass pride, and was told to go back to Medford by the more rabid Grants Pass fans, who once were fond of the local man, but now seem to be vexed because he left Grants Pass a year ago and came to Medford, building up a good wrestling business here. The Climate City wrestling following would relish nothing better than to see Wood defeated in a finish match by their pride, Mortensen.

Don't fail to have the new Radiola "60" demonstrated to you before you purchase. Call 788 or the Palmer Music House. 275*

The Cine Kodak, made by Eastman for taking motion pictures, is so simple any child can get good results. We have seen 35 rolls of film that have not had a bad spot. Medford Book Store can tell you all about them. 272*

Harry McIntire yesterday was granted a building permit by the city to build a house on Mae street at a cost of $750, and to F. W. Dressler to repair a dwelling on Ashland street at a cost of $75.

Adrienne's. Choice of any hat up to $22.50 for $4.95. 274*

Woodsy nut treats and glazed fruits to make your Christmas merrier, at Colvig Drugs, exclusive representatives of Buddy Squirrel. 272*

Mr. and Mrs. William Jenkins arrived this forenoon from Oakland, Cal., to spend the holidays with relatives in the Central Point and Agate districts.

Get those fenders and auto bodies straightened at Brill's Sheet Metal Works, opposite Lewis Super Service Station. Phone 418. 260*

Thomas Realty Co., real estate, insurance and small loans on anything of value. Palm Block, corner Main and Front, upstairs. tf*

The sheriff's office today received a personal letter from Mrs. Lulu Day of Milwaukie, Ore., to keep watch for a Chevrolet touring car stolen from her at Milwaukie this week.

Mottos for children, the kitchen, guest room and all other subjects at the Medford Book Store. 272*

Hemstitching at Russell's, 7c per yard. Work guaranteed. 290*

Mrs. George Laidley this forenoon received a telephone message from Ashland, informing her that the wife of her nephew, Cliff Hazlewood, had passed away and that the funeral will be held tomorrow at the Dodge funeral parlors.

Adrienne's. All winter coats at one-half price, regardless of cost. 275*

Wood — all kinds — oak, laurel, fir and dry slabs. Medford Fuel Co. Tel. 631. tf*

Temporary auto licenses for new cars and for cars not licensed in Oregon before were issued today to Tom Petty and Ida Poole of Ashland, Pauline Griffin of Central Point and E. S. Hedburg, Mrs. C. W. Whitlock, Mark B. Cromar, Irwin Dupray, W. P. Dennis, Gus Nichols, Robert Burns, H. H. Harvey, W. J. Rogers, Clyde Waters, E. H. Pflug, Glenn Fabrick and L. E. Thatzop of Medford.

All dolls, toys, wheel goods at half price and less at Shield's Big Closing Out Sale. 272*

Wrestling match between Norbeck and Evans at the Rialto theater Dec. 21. Every seat a dandy. 272*

Miss Avis Anchutes was to leave today for Oakland, Cal., to visit over the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Charles Orle, formerly Miss Gladys Mandeville of this city.

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Remember the wrestling match at the Rialto theater Dec. 21st. Comfortable seats. 272*

Bounty warrants were issued at the county clerk's office today to Elmer Harris of Phoenix, one coyote; A. D. Moore of Trail, three coyote and three bobcats; J. P. Dinkens of Beagle, one coyote; Harold Kubli of Jacksonville, one coyote.

Door stops at the Medford Book Store are very decorative and useful. 272*

A worthwhile gift for grownups. Listen in KMED Friday evening at 8 o'clock. J. C. Barnes. 272*

Miss Elizabeth Watson of the county school superintendent's office was scheduled to leave this evening for Portland to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Holiday nut treats, toasted, fresh and good from all over the world, at Colvig Drugs. 277*

Lay in your supply of crochet and embroidery cottons at half price, at Shield's Big Closing Out Sale. 272*

Miss Ruth Koozer arrived yesterday from Corvallis to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Koozer. Miss Koozer is a freshman at O. A. C.

Doors and windows cheap at Medford Lumber Co. 237tf*

Office workers, both men and women, would like many of the nice things for desk work at the Medford Book Store. 272*

C. S. Newhall left yesterday for Los Angeles, where he will spend Christmas with his wife and her family. He drove down one of Otis Booth's cars, and took as a passenger Frank Doremus, who with Mrs. Doremus will spend Christmas with the former's parents in Santa Barbara.

Give Fuller Brushes for Christmas. Tel. 1294-J, evenings. 276*

Let me write your fire insurance. Carl Y. Tengwald, Hotel Holland. Phone 993. tf*

R. B. Woodcock, C. H. Larkin and James Driscoll are among the guests at Medford hotels from Portland.

The latest reprint fiction at 69c at the Medford Book store. Years of book experience enable us to pick the good ones. 272*

Medford Greenhouse for choice flowers for Christmas. Phone 374. Downtown sales at Colvig's Drug store. 274*

C. E. Doss, 21, was held overnight in the county jail, after he was taken into custody by State Traffic Officer C. P. Talent, after he stopped at the Vernon filling station at Gold Hill for eight gallons of gasoline, and drove off, leaving an extra tire and wheel in payment. Investigation showed the youth had purchased a Dodge car at Vancouver and taken it out of the state without permission, and with payments still due. The youth was released this morning after the car was taken and held for the finance company.—Ashland Tidings.

Hats to $7.50 only 88c tomorrow. The Emmy Lou Hat Shop in M. M. Store. 272*

Dance, Gold Hill Sat. night. 272

Miss Mary Greiner left last night for San Diego, Cal., to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, who is now a resident of that city.

Adrienne's all velvet and satin dresses, one-half price. 274*

Best Utah lump coal. Tel. 631. Medford Fuel Co. tf*

Coming by auto Chester Hubbard was expected home some time today from the Oregon State college to spend the Christmas holidays.

Grange dance, Eagle Point, Sat. night. Everybody welcome. 272*

Hot, clean coal. Tel. 631. Medford Fuel Co. tf*

P. A. Petley and family will leave Sunday for Modesto, Cal., where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Zella Snyder.

Cheap lumber and cedar posts. Medford Lumber Co. 237tf*

We double fork our coal — no dust. Hansen Coal Co. Phone 239. tf*

An announcement today by C. L. Wolff of the Armory service station gave information that the sale of the station, as announced yesterday, has not been completed, and the station is being operated by H. G. Wolcott & Son under a lease.

Homemade cakes, fruit cake and plum pudding. Marsh Grocery. 273*

Mrs. D. Hillyer of this city, who has been ill, was taken to the Southern Pacific depot by ambulance this forenoon and placed aboard a train for Portland, where she is to undergo medical treatments.

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County School Superintendent Carter spent Wednesday and Thursday visiting the Hatchery, Laurelhurst, Central Point and Table Rock schools.

Coal by the sack or ton. Tel. 631. Medford Fuel Co. tf*

Miss Elizabeth Welch, daughter of Mrs. E. A. Welch, formerly of this city but now of Tacoma, Wash. will spend the Christmas season with her mother, who is here visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Howard. Miss Welch has been attending school at the University of Washington where she is majoring in music. She has developed a beautiful rich contralto voice and will sing Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church, furnishing one number of the Christmas concert.

Kincaid's dance, Gold Hill, Sat. 273*

Councilman A. J. Crose of Medford expected to attend the annual meeting of the League of Oregon Cities which convened this forenoon at Portland. Mr. Crose is a vice-president of the organization.

See Charles A. Wing to buy your home. 285*

The Redmen and Daughters of Pocahontas will hold their annual Christmas tree for children Saturday evening at Redmen's hall.

Clean dry lumber at Medford Lumber Co. 237tf*

Carl Wievesiek left today for Oregon City and Portland, where he will spend the Christmas holidays.

Bridge lamps with attractive parchment shades, $1.98. Medford Electric Co. 272*

NEWSPAPERS' AID ENLISTED SEARCH FOR MRS. MARTIN

"I want nothing more said than this. 'Any trace of Mrs. John H. Martin of Medford will be appreciated by Leila Green, sister of Mrs. Martin. Please notify this paper,'" said Miss Green yesterday evening on calling at the news office of the Mail Tribune in the hope she would find a means of locating her sister, whom she had expected to visit, following a trip from New York City to southern Oregon. She has been in Medford several days and up until last evening had not been able to locate her kin, who was known to have lived here two months ago.

LIGHTING CONTESTANTS SHOULD REGISTER NOW

Local citizens who plan to enter the Outdoor Christmas Lighting contest are urged to register at the Medford chamber of commerce at once. Time for entering has been extended to Monday, Dec. 24 in order that everyone may have an opportunity to participate in Medford's first Christmas Lighting contest. The attractive prizes to be awarded the most effective displays are now on exhibit in the front window of the chamber of commerce where they are attracting lots of favorable comment.

Stated Communication Medford Lodge No. 103, A. F. & A. M., Friday, Dec. 21, 7:30 p. m. Annual election of officers. By order of W. M. 272* C. M. HOUSON, Secy.

SKAGGS SAFEWAY STORES

Distribution Without Waste

Christmas

The season of universal cheer and good-will is upon us. The day of all days—Christmas, is near at hand—with the smiling faces of happy kiddies, delicious dinners and jolly parties lending color to the occasion. The Safeway Man extends to you the best wishes of this great food distributing organization for the merriest of "Merry Christmases." Our stores are overflowing with a great variety foods at savings which will add to your enjoyment.

Christmas Savings Saturday and Monday

Gloria Chocolates A fancy assortment of creams, nougats and caramels. Packed in a fancy attractive box. A fine gift package. 5 lb. Bx $1.69

Safeway Satin Mixed A true satin mix candy with an unusual finish and eating qualities. A large variety to suit every taste. 3 Lbs. 39c

Safeway Broken Mix A Christmas mixed candy. Made by the Vacuum process usually applied only to the highest priced candies. 3 Lbs. 39c

Jumbo Gums Well flavored, assorted colors and very tender. The kiddies love them. 3 Lbs. 55c

Peanut Brittle A very crisp and delicious brittle. Contains the finest No. 1 peanuts, our own manufacture. 3 Lbs. 55c

Chocolate Drops The old fashioned chocolate drops. Has the exceptional flavor which many prefer to creams. We know they are good because we made them ourselves. 3 Lbs. 55c

Walnuts New crop fancy Oregon soft shell. 2 Lbs. 59c

Filberts Finest Oregon grown nuts. Everyone guaranteed. 2 Lbs. 49c

Almonds Latest crop fancy almonds 3 Lbs. 79c

Pop Corn The finest variety of popcorn that pops. 3 Lbs. 25c

Brazils "Nigger Toes," good size with meats that are sweet and rich. 2 Lbs. 53c

Mixed Nuts A rich mixture, all new crop nuts. 3 Lbs. 79c

Get Our Prices on Oranges by Cases and Half Cases

Cranberries Large firm berries of the finest variety. 2 Lbs. 53c

Olives A fine ripe olive of standard size. 2 Cans 29c

Mince Meat MAX-I-MUM, the finest of bulk mincemeat. 2 Lbs. 35c

Dates Bulk dates of exceptional quality. 2 Lbs. 25c

Butter Finest fresh creamery butter. Sweet and wholesome. Pound 49c

Mayonnaise The best brand Gold Medal mayonnaise or sandwich spread. Pint 39c, Quart 75c

Oranges Finest Sweet Navels 2 Doz. 45c (288 Size); 2 Doz. 65c (176 Size)

Ginger Ale Hollywood— 3 For 50c; Canada Dry— 2 For 45c

Sweet Potatoes Finest sweet potatoes of uniform size. 4 Lbs. 25c

We Deliver Quantity Orders

Store No. 471, 210 W. Main, Phone 1010 — 2 Medford Stores Conveniently Located — Store No. 433, 212 E. Main, Phone 1176

Theatres

Fanchon and Marco.

The twenty Hi-Steppers, a beauty chorus of girls, are one of the features of Fanchon & Marco's "Stairway of Dreams Idea" at Hunt's Craterian Sunday, are hi-steppers in more ways than one because of the vast tiers of steps use in the presentation as a stage for their number. The steps are not only high but numerous.

In addition to the Hi-Steppers, Fanchon and Marco have added a number of eminent performers including such favorites as Flo and Ollie Walters, Weeds Miller, Jimmy Fawcett, Josephine Reynolds and Helen Thurston, all big favorites on the vaudeville stage.

Order Your Roses Violets Carnations Mums For Christmas From Us

MONARCH SEED CO.

MINDANAO PROVINCE IS SHAKEN BY QUAKE

MANILA, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Manila learned today that a violent earthquake shook the greater part of Mindanao province Wednesday night. One person was killed at Cotatato, provincial capital. Many houses collapsed and fire broke out but it was quickly controlled. An undetermined number of persons were injured.

Damage was estimated at $100,000. The quake also was felt in Zamboanga and Davao, two other provinces of Mindanao, but little damage was done in those areas.

URGE NO CALL OF BANCROFT BONDS

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 21.—(AP)—To head off a movement by an eastern bond house that is said to be trying to induce Oregon municipalities to call for payment of their Bancroft bonds and issue in their stead refunding bonds bearing a lower interest rate, the state bond commission today sent a letter to city treasurers in Oregon warning them against taking this step.

The bond commission, which is Governor Patterson, State Treasurer Kay and Sam Loughlin of the state industrial accident commission, holds that were the cities to yield to the importunings of the eastern concern, they would be taking an unfair advantage of the buyers of Oregon municipal bonds.

Unger Pleads Guilty.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Joseph Unger, on trial as agent of an international narcotics syndicate believed to have been financed by Arnold Rothstein slain gambler, changed his plea to guilty in federal court today.

RIO WELCOMES HOOVER WITH LOUD ACCLAIM

RIO JANEIRO, Brazil, Dec. 21.—(AP) President-elect Hoover, beginning the last of his goodwill visits to Latin-American countries on his present tour, landed at Rio Janeiro this afternoon in the midst of a great popular demonstration.

Mr. Hoover and President Washington Luis of Brazil rode by automobile at the head of a long procession of official cars through three miles of showers of confetti thrown by thousands of spectators who filled the windows in every building on the beautiful Avenida Rio Branco from the pier to the Guanabaro palace.

United States and Brazilian flags flew from almost every window adding to the brilliant color of the scene. Thousands along the route cheered and applauded while airplanes soared overhead. An escort of lancers in brilliant uniforms rode beside the Hoover car and the president-elect bowed repeatedly in response to one of the greatest demonstrations that he received anywhere on his South American trip.

Highest grade Utah coal, any size, anywhere, any amount. Hansen Coal Co. Phone 239. tf*

Felt scraps, all colors, 25c a bunch at the Fashion Shop, 434 Medford Bldg. Phone 1181. *tf

A Real Christmas Jingle

Jingle-Jingle

Jackson Springs Club

Saturday Nite—Dec. 22nd

9:30 Till 2 a. m.

Anklets for the Girls,
Bells for the Boys;
Santa Will Be There
With plenty of Noise.