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**Pork Steak** Extra Fancy Center Cut Shoulder **47<sup>c</sup>** lb

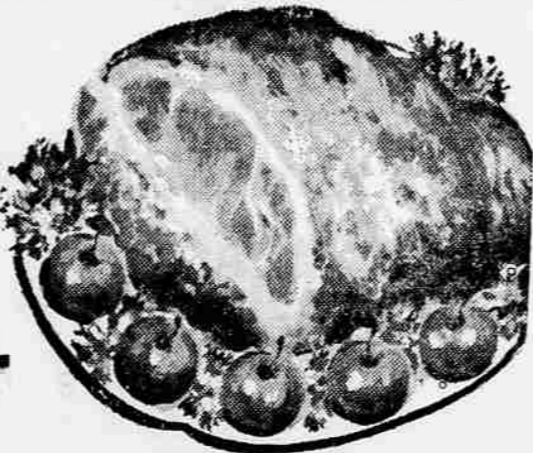
**Sausage** Fresh Made Lean, Country Style **57<sup>c</sup>** lb • **2 lbs. \$1.10**

**Pork Roast** Young, Tender Center Cut Shoulder **39<sup>c</sup>** lb

**Cheddar Cheese** Klamath Creamery Crater Lake Brand Medium **49<sup>c</sup>** lb

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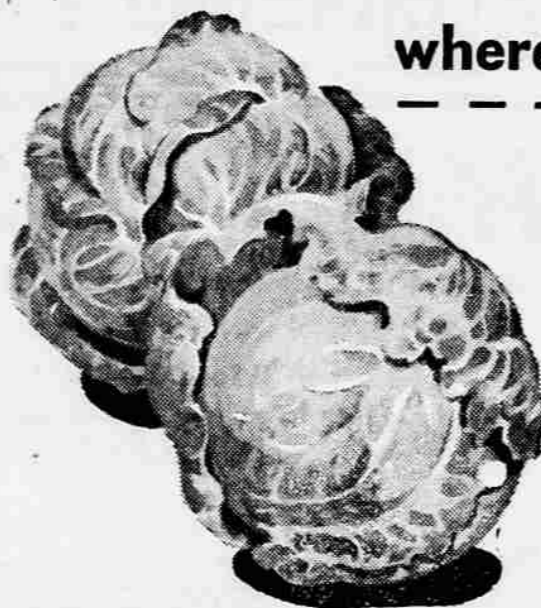
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**Hearts Celery** **19<sup>c</sup>** pkg.

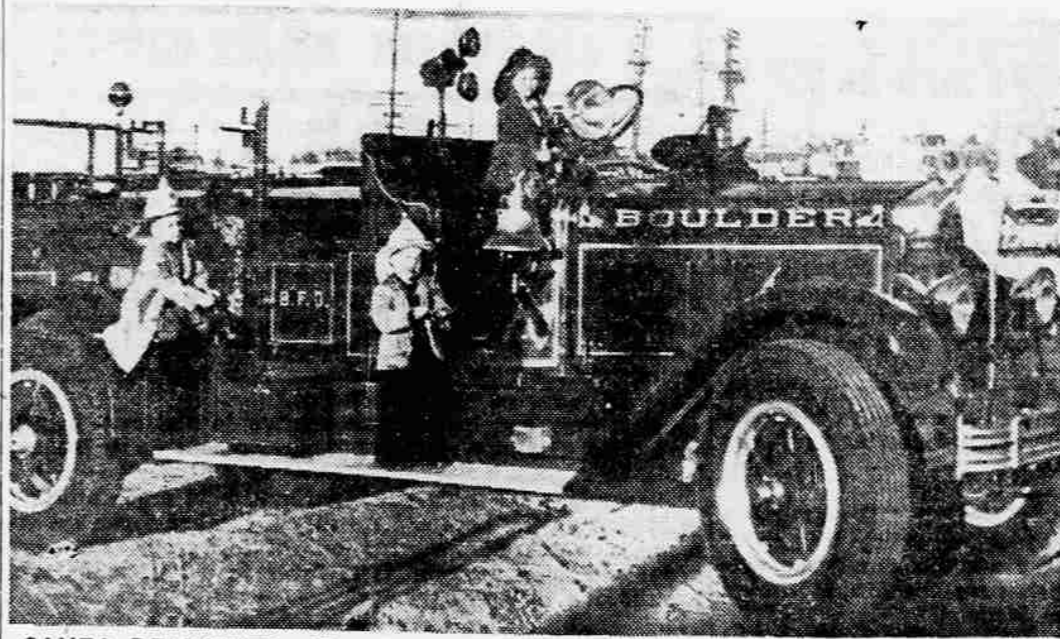
**Dry Yellow Onions** **5<sup>c</sup>** lb

Bulk Calif. **Carrots** **2 lbs. 19<sup>c</sup>**

**Rutabagas, Turnips** Fancy Northern grown **2 lbs. 25<sup>c</sup>**

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**Navel Oranges** **29<sup>c</sup>** 4 DOZ. for \$1



**SANTA DELIVERED**—The three Maus children of Denver, Colo., are the envy of all their playmates. The children, Dick, 5, Don, 3, and Debra, 6, asked for and received a full-sized fire truck for Christmas. Santa was their grandfather, Marvin K. Maus, who bought the truck from the Boulder, Colo., fire department.

**Boys Receive Warning About Firing Guns**

Two Medford boys, ages 14 and 11, were warned about shooting BB guns within the city limits by Medford city police Tuesday morning. The police department received a complaint that two small boys were shooting guns in the Second and Kenwood sts. area.

**RETIRED EDITOR DIES**

Tuckahoe, N.Y. (UPI)—Harold F. Blanchard, 68, a retired editor of Motor Magazine, died Monday night of a heart attack.

Salem (UPI)—Dewey Rand, Salem newspaper editor, and A. H. Powers of Coos Bay have been appointed to the State Forestry board by Gov. Robert D. Holmes.

**Is That So?**

By OLGA BURNS

It sounds like a contradiction in terms, nonetheless a black snowbird is the kind we are most likely to get a good look at this winter. There will be white ones around, of course, but they will tend to stay in the colder parts of the country and confine themselves pretty much to the fields and woods. The



black variety, on the other hand, is quite likely to hop up to your kitchen door for a handout.

He isn't actually black. His most common name is the slate-colored junco. But there is so much less white on him than on the snow bunting, and his upper and forward parts are so dark, that one might as well call him black in comparison.

He is quite a traveler. Many of them nest as far north as central Alaska or the barrens of northern Canada. They like the cold, so long as it isn't intense, and so their migration is generally delayed beyond that of many other birds. Where it ends is where the climate seems most suitable. In severe winters they go as far south as Florida.

The snow bunting, however, is a finch of another color in more ways than one. It has to be extremely cold for him to come so far south. Only rarely does he fly farther down the continent than the snowline. Occasionally he, too, will enter a barnyard or come near a kitchen door, but usually he avoids dwellings and sticks to the open fields and wooded edges.

Food Available The reason is that food isn't much of a problem in those areas. No matter how heavy the snowfall, the winds usually blow away enough of the snow to reveal the tops of dried golden rod and other

stalks. That means food to the snowbird and he perches there, pecking at the seeds until it is time to hop to another bush. The snow buntings are said to appear then and that the buntings arrive with it or just before. At any rate, I have sometimes noticed that when the mercury takes another tumble in sub-zero weather, the snowbirds around a day or so earlier had gone.

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**BANS CHRISTMAS CARDS**

Ossining, N.Y.—Inmates at Sing Sing prison henceforth won't be permitted to send Christmas cards to police. Warden Wilfred L. Denno said he was banning such greetings because they were "in bad taste" and could represent "attempted mockery."

**Two Charged With Theft of Livestock**

Two youths of the Central Point area appeared in district court yesterday on charges of larceny of livestock.

Arraigned were Ralph Eugene Murphy, 21, of 5369 Table Rock rd., and Ralph Bruce Keys, 17, of Central Point.

O. H. Bengtson, Medford attorney, appeared with Keys, whose case was continued until 11:30 a.m., Jan. 2, to decide on whether to hold a preliminary hearing. Murphy requested an attorney and his case was continued to Jan. 2 at 11:20 a.m.

Both men are being held on \$2,000 bail.

They are charged with taking a red shorthorn heifer calf from Peter N. Bateman, who signed the complaint, some time Friday or Saturday.

**TO HOLD MASS**

Vatican City (UPI)—Pope John XXIII will usher in the first new year of his pontificate tonight with a midnight Mass in his private chapel.



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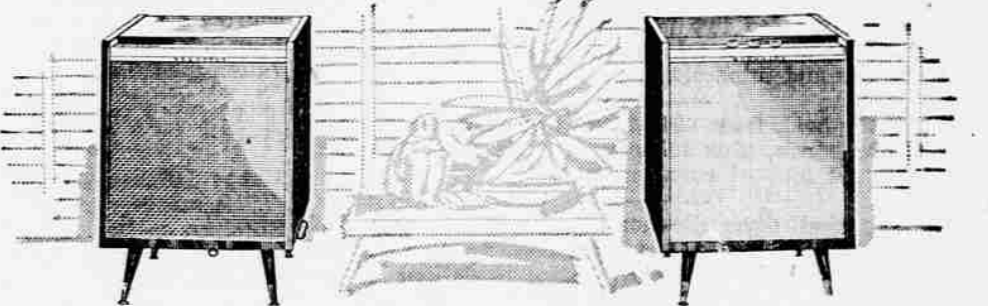
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**Chest X-Ray Clinic Starts Another Year**

The chest x-ray clinic at Sacred Heart hospital will start another year of service to Jackson county residents this week. The clinic will be open Wednesday evening, Jan. 7, from 7 to 9 p.m., and Thursday, Jan. 8, from 2 to 5 p.m.

Since the clinic opened several years ago the clinic has been open every Thursday afternoon and the first Wednesday evening of each month. This schedule will continue. No appointments are necessary.

Children under 15 years of age are not x-rayed unless they come with special request from the child's physician.

The clinic is sponsored by the Jackson County Tuberculosis and Health association and clerical help is provided by volunteers from the Providence Guild of the Sacred Heart hospital.

X-ray equipment was purchased with funds from the sale of Christmas Seals.

Detection of tuberculosis is the main purpose of the chest x-rays. However, the films are read for cancer, heart, and other chest conditions.

**BURGLARY TOUGH**

Yuba City, Calif. (UPI)—A would-be burglar who at first didn't succeed doesn't plan to try and try again. He left a note by an unopened safe in the office of Yuba City attorney James Changaris, saying: "I give up. I'll never be a successful burglar."