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Every afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30

The Golden Rule Store

1308, 1310, 1312 Adams Avenue.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Russell are down from the Sanger mines.

A. P. Sprague is up today from Elgin.

Joe. Nibley of Steel Spur, came down on No. 6 this morning.

George McCabe the railway contractor was up last evening from Elgin on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Fleshman are visiting friends and relatives in Promise at present.

This is the time of the year for long and frequent editorials on good roads. We certainly need them. This applies to the streets likewise.

J. P. Newell, division engineer of the O. R. & N., with headquarters at Portland was a passenger on this morning's train to Huntington, where he goes on a tour of inspection.

Presiding Elder J. D. Gillilan returned from Huntington last evening. The Elder is considerably the worse for wear on account of a serious accident which befell him, and as a result he is wearing a pair of crutches.

G. C. Osburn, manager of the Pacific States Telephone Co., requests that subscribers to the rural telephones call at the telephone office and get a copy of the new phone directory.

All of the Sunday schools in the city have agreed to hold their Christmas exercises on next Saturday night. While no extra features are in contemplation an interesting program and a social time is assured in all of the churches.

Mrs. H. B. Halsten leaves tonight for Moscow, Idaho, to take treatment under her father, Dr. C. E. Worthington, of that city. She has been in very poor health here for the year during which time has submitted to two operations, and she goes hoping to be greatly benefited by the change of climate as well as to be under the immediate care of her father.

OLD MAN FOUND DEAD

Henry Shumaker, an old man living four miles from Pilot Rock was found dead in his chair yesterday. Death was apparently caused by heart disease. Coroner Handerson was notified of the case, but as the circumstances indicated that death had come from natural causes, no inquest was held. The funeral will be held at Pilot Rock tomorrow.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

EXPRESS BUSINESS HEAVY

The annual rush of express business has already commenced and from now until after New Year the express messengers and agents will have their hands full to take care of the business. Even after the holidays the packages temporarily lost, continue to come in and increase the volume of business.

WILL VISIT OLD HOME

Loye Gulen, better known as "Louie, the Chinese gardner," will leave in a few days for the scenes of his childhood, and once more to meet his parents, brother and brothers, and last but not least, the lady who is to become his wife. "Louie" left his old home near Hong Kong, some twenty-five years ago, and the greater part of the succeeding quarter of century he has been in this valley. He has been engaged in the gardening business and by his pleasant manners and fair dealings has made many friends and established a good credit among the which residents. "Louie" is no common "chink." He speaks and writes good English, wears American made clothing, and sports a white shirt and diamond ring. He expects to be absent about four months, and if the government authorities will permit, to return with a Mrs. Loye Gulen to reside over the home which he has prepared in this, to her, a foreign and unknown land.

MEXICAN DRAWN WORK

The ladies of the Episcopal church have just received a fine selection of beautiful hand made Mexican drawn work, consisting of side board scarfs and lunch cloths of various sizes. Call up Mrs. Mac Wood or Mrs. John Collier and this handsome work will be sent to your home for inspection. Make yourself or your friend a Christmas present.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY

The funeral of Miss Grace Deal, aged 23 years, who died Sunday of consumption, was held yesterday afternoon. Rev. O. H. King, officiating. The interment took place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

J. A. Woodell, T. J. Glenn and William Choate, of Summerville, were placed on the cattlemen's allotment committee for the Wenaha forest reserve at the meeting at Walla Walla yesterday.

LAWSON NOT ACTIVE.

(Scrapps News Association)
New York, Dec. 19.—There were no signs Lawson of, in the copper market today. Amalgamated and other copper was strong.

MUST BE GUILTY

(Scrapps News Association)
Washington, Dec. 19.—Attorney General Moody held that midshipmen who were used to hazing must be found guilty by court martial before the case can be dismissed. Secretary of War Bonapart will act accordingly.

REWARD FOR ROBBERS

Olympia, Wash., Dec. 19.—Governor Mead today issued a proclamation offering a reward of one thousand dollars for the arrest and conviction of the men that held up the North Coast Limited Northern Pacific train near North Yakima Saturday night. This reward is in addition to those offered by the railroad company and Yakima county.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

County Clerk J. B. Gilham issued the following marriage licenses yesterday: Mr. George Guy West and Miss Lidia Cantrel, both of Summerville; Mr. George Southwick and Miss Mary M. Mitchell, both of Nibley. Mr. W. J. Warren, of Portland, and Miss Lillian S. Mitchell of Union.

DIED

WRIGHT—West of Summerville, Monday night, Dec. 18, 1905, Morris Wright, aged 51 years, of pneumonia. The funeral will take place tomorrow forenoon from the home, at 9 o'clock and the interment will take place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery of this city in the afternoon, Rev. Edwin B. Hayes, pastor of the Presbyterian church officiating. The deceased leaves a wife, several children, a mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wright, and four brothers, Louis, Charley, Chris, and Ambrose and one sister, Mrs. Chas. G. Bunte, who now lives in Portland.

MARRIED

SOUTHWICK—MITCHELL.—In this city Monday, Dec. 18, 1905, Mr. George Southwick and Miss Melissa Mitchell, President F. S. Bramwell officiating. After the wedding the young people went to the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Southworth, at Nibley, where a wedding supper was served and in the evening the guests and neighbors went to the L. D. S. meeting house where the evening was spent in dancing. The young people will make their home in Nibley, where they have a large circle of friends.

MOUNTAIN WOOD MARKET

R. R. Collins, the Kamela wood contractor, was in the city yesterday after supplies. He states that not for years has the market been so good this early in the season and if orders continue and cars can be secured there will be very little left of the 5000 or more cords of wood. The bulk of the wood this season is marketed in Pendleton and Walla Walla. However Weiser, Idaho has been quite a purchaser. The freight to the first two named being one dollar and a quarter per cord, while at Weiser is two dollars and a half. The dealers or contractors pay three dollars and a quarter on board the cars at Kamela or Meacham.

INTERNATIONAL FLEET RECALLED

Constantinople, Dec. 19.—The international fleet, which has been making a demonstration in Turkish waters, has been recalled.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the shareholders of the Farmers and Traders National Bank of La Grande, will be held at their banking house in La Grande on Tuesday, the 23d. day of January, 1906, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, to select a board of directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come before said meeting.

J. W. SCRIBER, Cashier of the Farmers and Traders National Bank of La Grande. Dated this 18th. day of December 1905.

HOLIDAY GOODS WHERE TO GET THEM

This important question which presents itself once every year is answered below Quality highest in everything. If you get it here it is correct.

Silver Cake Baskets	A beautiful ornament for the table and very popular. Prices \$4.00 to \$8.00
Chafing Dishes	This elegant household utensil is coming into more general use every year. Our line is complete at prices ranging from \$7.50 to \$14.00
Silver Trays	These are large, beautifully decorated trays, adding tone to any dining room. Prices \$5.00 to \$9.00
Silver Crumb Trays	One of these should be in every home. We can suit you in these goods. Prices \$2.50 to \$5.50
Silver Mugs	These are shaving mugs, gold lined and beautifully decorated. Prices 3.50 to \$5.00
Jewel Cases, Button Boxes and Hair Receivers	These are made of heavy silver with raised exterior decorations and silk lined. An elegant bureau ornament. Prices 1.00 to \$6.00
Silver Tea Sets	An appropriate gift to any lady. Our line will please you. Prices 3 piece sets \$6 to \$15, 4 piece sets \$20.00
Pearl Handle Knives and Forks	The very finest Rogers 1847 goods made. Price per set six knives and six forks in silk lined leather case \$30.00 Silver Knives and Forks, per set \$5 and \$15.00
Carving Sets	We have them in all styles. An appropriate and useful gift. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$12.00
Cut Glass	No dining table is properly dressed without at least a few articles of cut glass. Our line is complete and we invite your inspection
Haviland Dinner Sets	If you love her prove it by getting her a set of these. Every woman loves Haviland China. Prices per set, 101 pieces \$35.00
Chocolate Sets	These are Haviland China and Japanese ware, highest quality. Prices \$8.00 to \$10.00
Cracker Jars	You cannot serve crackers properly without a Cracker Jar. Our line will please you. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.50
Salad Sets	Elegant Haviland and Japanese ware. Every woman should have a set of these. Prices \$1.50 to \$9.00
Jardiniers	No parlor looks "right" without one or more Jardiniers. We have them at \$1.00 to \$6.00
Vases	The largest variety and most beautiful line of vases ever shown in this city. Prices 10c to \$15.00
Dutchware	These goods are all the rage this year. Come in and make your selection now or you may be too late.

Children's Department

CHILDS Knife and Fork set, best Rogers 1847 goods. Price \$1.75. With Pearl handles \$2.50.
CHILDS China Mugs 5 cents to 25 cents. Silver Mugs, gold lined, very fine, \$1.25 to \$2.00. Also a full line of Skates, Sleds, Toy Banks, Toy Cook Stoves, Sad Iron, etc.

By making a small deposit any article will be laid away until called for. Make your selection now while our stock is complete.

MRS. T. N. MURPHY

HARDWARE CROCKERY AND SPORTING GOODS

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Only four days remaining in which to make your selections for gift giving.

OUR STORE WILL BE OPEN EVERY EVENING THIS WEEK

A few suggestions of appropriate presents

Suit Cases	Bath Robes	Neckwear	Silk Dress Patterns
Ladies' Suits	Furs	Men's Suits	Overcoats
House Coats	Gloves	Fancy Hose	Umbrellas
Suspenders	Indian Blankets	Dolls	Table Linens

STORE OPEN EVENINGS

Chicago Store