



# SAINT NICK

## AT THE GOLDEN RULE STORE

The Jolly Old Fellow will again make his headquarters at our store

And has made arrangements to entertain you while you are figuring out just what you would like to have and what you would like to give your friends.

It will be a genuine pleasure this year to examine the aggregation of artistic, useful and entertaining articles that have been gathered together for the

coming Christmas. There are big beautiful dolls, with real hair. There are doll houses and doll furniture, clowns that do all kinds of funny tricks, musical instruments, such as horns, mouth organs, pianos, flutes, drums etc; animals that look and act just like real ones, mechanical toys, such as automobiles, fire engines, steam engines, trains, etc; albums, sewing boxes, toilet cases, shaving sets, smoking sets, writing sets, fine china dishes, beautiful pictures, valuable silverware, books, ornaments for the tree and all the thousand and one things that will make glad the hearts of your friends on Christmas morning.

Whatever You Have To Spend, Whether A Large Or Small Amount--Your Money Will Go Farthest And Buy The Best Goods Here.

Monday Morning December 10th

At 8.10 o'clock SANTA CLAUS will arrive on the train from the East and on that day will hold a special reception for the little folks at our store. For each little girl or boy that is accompanied by a parent or other grown person, he will have a nice present and will take your name so that you will not be overlooked on Christmas.

He will also be glad to receive your letter telling him what you want for Christmas, so be sure and have your letter ready when you come to the store.

Don't Fail To Be At The Train To Meet Santa When He Arrives

# The Golden Rule Company

1308, 1310, 1312 ADAMS AVENUE

LARGEST STOCK

SMALLEST PRICES

THE EVENING OBSERVE DELIVERED AT YOUR DOOR FOR 65 CENTS PER MONTH

## FINE CHINAWARE

I have just received a new assortment of chinaware, cut glass, and silverware. Come and examine them. I know they will please With each \$2.00 cash purchase I am giving away a ticket which if presented at Hulse Studio entitles you to a PHOTOGRAPH of yourself FREE

MRS. T. N. MURPHY

Hardware and crockery

## LOCAL ITEMS

A. D. and E. C. Endrop of Pine Oregon, are business visitors in the city today.

Mrs. Polk Mays and son Fred, of Joseph visited in the city last evening.

Gull Smith made a hurried visit to Hot Lake this morning.

O. E. Harper went to Pendleton on the delayed number one this afternoon.

Miss Allie Stephens has returned home after six weeks spent in the Metropolis.

H. C. Rinehart came over from Summerville last evening on business.

Rev. J. D. Gillilan left today for Cove, where he will remain over Sunday.

There will be service in St. Peter's church tomorrow evening (Friday) at 7:30.

Wm. Allison is transacting business in Baker City and Sumpter in the interest of the La Grande Flouring Mill Company.

E. C. Cross, formerly a member of the Elgin branch crew, left yesterday for Teko on a brief visit in the interest of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

Joe Woods, proprietor of the Red Front Livery, is in Elgin today to meet his mother, Mrs. Julia A. Woods, who is returning from Wallowa Canyon after a visit with relatives there.

E. Z. Carbine of La Grande, secretary of the Grande Ronde Fruitgrowers, association, and one of the leading apple growers of Union county, came over today in the interest of the association. The Fruitgrowers' union has shipped a large amount of excellent fruit to this city this fall and has an enormous amount to market yet. It has found good markets for its fruits, because of the excellent quality it handles. A number of Pendleton merchants are handling the Grande Ronde product.—Pendleton, E. O.

## LARGEST ORDER

Largest Beneficiary Order in the United States. M. W. A.

## WOODMEN OF AMERICA ELECT

The Modern Woodmen of America assembled last evening for their annual election of officers. Besides the election the order perfected plans for a general campaign for members to La Grande camp No. 7703. It was agreed that one hundred new members shall be added during the winter and to this end, John H. Starr, state deputy, will canvass the vicinity for memberships.

J. W. Simmons, who heads the Woodmen of Oregon, was present and inspired the local members to join in the expansion of the already flourishing order.

It was also decided that regular meetings, for a time at least, will be held every Monday evening, instead of on alternating Wednesdays, as was the regular time formerly. Following are the officers as elected:

Venerable Council, F. B. Currey; Worthy Advisor, E. C. Davis; Escort, Wm. Earls; Banker, A. J. Warren; Sentry, Chas. Disque; Watchman, S. R. Haworth; Manager, J. A. Arbuckle; Clerk, C. S. Williams.

## SPECIAL NOTICE

All of the articles left in Elks' hall after the chicken pie dinner were taken to Mrs. A. E. Jones, corner of 3 and Adams Ave, where the owners may call and secure their property.

## CARD OF THANKS

The Ladies of the Methodist church desire to thank the public generally for their liberal patronage extended them at their chicken pie dinner.

## SECURES DIVORCE

In the case of John Anthony vs. Matilda Anthony, Mrs. Anthony secured a divorce, one third of the property, the custody of the minor child and \$200.00 in cash.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson of North Powder, are guests at the G. Fritz home for a few days.

## MODERN WOODMEN

Cheapest Reliable Insurance in the world. M. W. A.

# JEWELRY AND XMAS

\$20,000 STOCK **NOVELTIES** Now on display at Siegrist & Co.'s Big Jewelry Store

**DIAMONDS** We have diamond rings, lockets, pins, broaches, watches from \$20 to \$400. Nothing makes a better Xmas present than a nice piece of diamond jewelry.

**WATCHES** In this department we have spared no expense in showing you the nicest line ever brought to Eastern Oregon.  
400 solid gold and gold filled watches from \$12.50 to \$400.  
100 solid silver watches from \$1.50 to \$27.50.

**LIBBY CUT GLASS** Speaks for itself. **CHINA** The most beautiful line of hand painted china ever brought to your city.

**SILVER HOLLOW WARE** Flatware 1847 Rogers Bros. and Community silver Sold at Eastern prices. Sterling silver flatware and novelties always makes a good present.

**RINGS, LOCKETS, PINS, BRACELETS, CHAINS, CHARMS, COMBS, FOBS** and other things too numerous to mention in solid gold and gold filled. To be appreciated you must come in and look this stock over. 70 feet of show cases full of jewelry.

Our stock of gold umbrellas is complete. No trouble to show goods. Come in and look our stock over. You will be sure of most courteous treatment.

REMEMBER WE SAVE YOU MONEY ON PURCHASES

Next Door to **SIEGRIST & COMPANY** Two big Stores  
J.D. M'Kennons' Lewiston, Idaho and La Grande, Oregon