



CHRISTMAS WHAT JOY THE VERY WORLD BRINGS. 'TIS AT CHRISTMAS TIME THAT WE TURN FROM SELFISHNESS AND TRY TO MAKE OTHERS HAPPY. AND HOW THIS BRINGS HAPPINESS UNTO OURSELVES. WHAT SHALL THE PRESENTS BE? USEFUL THINGS--USEFUL THINGS. MEN LIKE TO GET NECKTIES, SILK SUSPENDERS, NICE HOSE, HANDKERCHIEFS, MUFFLERS, GLOVES, SLIPPERS--THINGS TO WEAR. CAN'T YOU FIND SOMETHING IN THIS LIST YOU THINK WOULD MAKE A NICE PRESENT FOR A GENTLEMAN? NECKTIES FOR 25C TO 75C
SILK SUSPENDERS FOR 50C AND 75C
MUFFLERS FOR 50C TO \$1.50
SLIPPERS FOR 75C TO \$2.00
AND LITTLE MEN? WHAT WOULD BETTER PLEASE A LITTLE MAN THAN:
A NICE OVERCOAT--COST \$2.45 TO \$6.25
A SUIT OF CLOTHES--COST \$1.90 TO \$8.00
WE SHALL GLADLY HELP YOU TO MAKE OTHERS HAPPY.

EVERYTHING IN HOLIDAY GOODS

GOLDEN RULE COMPANY

LOCAL ITEMS

Christmas Day service at St. Peter's church at 10:30 a. m.
P. E. Mays and A. M. Loomis, both of Lostine, spent Sunday in La Grande.
Mrs. P. Tilson is here from Umatilla to spend the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitman.
C. F. Eberhard, Bert Wenhiemer, and R. H. Bryon are Joseph people who came in on the Elgin last Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter O'Sullivan returned this morning from Portland where they visited for some time.
Mr. Frank Poilita of Baker City was a La Grande visitor today transacting at the court house.
County Treasurer and Mrs. John Frawley left today for Summerville to spend Christmas.

Walter Vrowman, stationed at Fort Walla Walla, is visiting at the Stacy home.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cochran, of Hood River, are in the city visiting their sons, Attorneys Chas. and George Cochran.
Harley McClure, who has been employed as switchman at Umatilla, is home for the holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Bach, of Imbler, are in the city this week visiting Mrs. Bach's mother, Mrs. Stacy. They will remain here for the week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bach of Imbler spent Sunday in the city with friends. Mr. Bach is proprietor and manager of the Imbler sawmill.
W. H. Wiggins, who has the contract for erecting the new round house, and his wife, left Saturday night for Portland to spend Christmas.
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Denney returned last evening from Portland where they went on their wedding tour. They will be at home to their friends about January first.

The OASERVER is in receipt of a Christmas greeting from Prof. Fred C. Fisher, who is principal of the public schools at Belleville, Michigan. Mr. Fisher was a former teacher in the La Grande High school and his friends here will be pleased to learn of his success.

NO PAPER TOMORROW

There will be no paper issued tomorrow. The OASERVER force one and all will celebrate Christmas with the balance of our citizens.

BUSINESS HOURS FOR TOMORROW

The O. R. & N. freight office will be open until noon tomorrow.
Nearly all the stores of the city will be open until noon.
The barber shops of the city will close this evening at eleven and remain closed tomorrow.

JUNIORS GATHER

The Junior League of the Methodist church held their Christmas tree at Mrs. Reeves home this afternoon.

REMEMBER TONIGHT

Sheurers Tamaie parlor will be open tonight after the show and dance. Do not forget.

Christmas is Coming

I have the most complete line to select from

Cut Glass	\$.50 to \$45.00	a piece
Silverware	1.50 to 60.00	a piece
Salad sets	3.00 to 10.00	a piece
Vases	1.00 to 10.00	a piece
Sleds	.75 to 5.00	a piece
Express wagons	1.50 to 6.00	a piece
Ice skates	.75 to 7.00	a piece

My 10, 25, 50 and 75-cent counter will surprise you. Come and look it over.

Store OPEN EVENINGS until Christmas.

MRS. T. N. MURPHY
Hardware and Ranges

HOME FROM EUGENE

The U of O delegation from La Grande arrived last Saturday. They are Messrs. Joel Richardson, Earl Kilpatrick, Ben Grout, and Miss Pearl Huff James Neil, another La Grande boy at the U will not come home for the holidays.
Besides attaining a high mark of proficiency in academic work, two of the boys Kilpatrick and Grout, made themselves known in the athletic department of the university. Joel Richardson's hour is coming for with the approach of track and field work, he will prove himself valuable with the weights.

BOARD MEETING

At the meeting of the school board Friday evening, Miss Gussie Fisher was elected teacher to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Alice Dupes. In the election of school director to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Judge Robert Eakin, several ballots were taken but none voted for received a majority. Those voted for were S. N. Bolton, W. L. Brenholt and Dr. C. T. Bacon.

Miss Violetta Keller, is visiting at the Stephen Cady home. She leaves tomorrow morning for Cove to spend Christmas there.

SUGAR FACTORY OPENS

The Amalgamated Sugar factory will resume operations next Thursday morning, Dec. 27. Employees will be listed Wednesday morning.

A Christmas Suggestion

What HE would appreciate most

Handkerchiefs, Silk or Linen	from \$.25 to \$1.50
Silk Mufflers	1.00 " 2.50
Fancy Suspenders	.50 " 2.00
Fancy Hose	.25 " .75
Sweaters	1.50 " 4.50
Neckwear	.25 " 1.50
Smoking Jackets	6.00 " 10.00
Cravenette Overcoats	18.00 " 25.00
Suit cases	6.00 " 15.00
Umbrellas	1.50 " 6.00

Open evenings until 9 o'clock until New Years

A. L. ANDREWS
HABERDASHER AND TAILOR

ONLY THIS EVENING
Xmas Shopping

We have already done an enormous business, but to make this year a record breaker we will place on sale our ENTIRE STOCK AT REDUCED PRICES

Everything Reduced except Diamonds

Hand Painted China, Silver Hollow ware, and Silver Novelties, reduced	15 per cent
Watches, Rings, Jewelry of Every Description, go at a reduction of	10 per cent
Cut Glass, Umbrellas, Plain and Fancy Clocks, have been reduced	10 per cent

Below find a few prices

Waltham or Elgin movement, in Silverine Case	\$ 6.00
Waltham or Elgin movement, in 20-yr. Case	12.50
Waltham or Elgin Movement, Ladies' size, 20-yr. Case	14.00
Just received—one dozen 3-piece Toilet Sets,	Reduced from \$12.50 to \$9.50

WE will SAVE YOU MONEY

Two Doors from Post Office

SIEGRIST & COMPANY

Two big Stores
Lewiston, Idaho and
La Grande, Oregon