

TEN PER CENT OFF

Untill Febuary 1st I will give ten per cent off on cut glass fancy china silver ware carvers and heating stoves.

MRS. T. N. MURPHY
Headquarter for Holiday Goods.

SIEGRIST & CO.
Jewelry Dealers

LOCAL ITEMS

E. Bagley of Baker City, is here on business.

J. Massee came in from Elgin last night, where he has been on business for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown returned last night from a two weeks' visit in Portland and vicinity.

The lady who lost a brow golf glove on the streets can obtain the same by calling at this office. No charges.

J. S. Lloyd and G. W. Stancel of Imbler left this morning for Walla Walla for a few days' business and pleasure.

Miss Edna Levy of Union, is in the city today the guest of Miss Maud Morton.

Five hundred beef cattle passed through La Grande this morning en route to Troutdale. The cattle came from Idaho points.

J. S. Peach returned this morning from a week's visit at Boise. Mr. Peach was on a combination business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hill and guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Parker of Newberg, left this morning to spend the day at Hot Lake.

R. C. Hiner of Spokane, representing the Spokesman-Review, is in the city on business connected with that paper.

The La Grande Commercial and the Pendleton high school basketball teams will meet on the Commercial club floor in this city Friday evening, January 17. There will be good lights and everybody is invited to attend.

Petitions containing the necessary number of signatures, were filed with the city recorder last evening, which insures the submission of the proposed new charter to the voters of the city at the election to be held March 9.

There was no council meeting last night for lack of a quorum. The meeting adjourned until this evening. Mayor Richardson, who has been confined to his home for several days, expects to be able to be present at the meeting this evening.

Mrs. Lou Given is on the sick list. Little Margaret Lindsey is confined to her home on account of sickness.

LeRoy James of Heppner, made proof on a timber claim today.

Ole Nelson is in the city from Cambridge, Idaho.

W. Sibbelov, field superintendent of the Amalgamated Sugar company, is over from Union on business.

E. D. Trumbull, deputy state food inspector, returned last evening from Elgin, where he has been on business.

L. D. Tucker of Mexico, is in the city looking for a location for a sheep ranch.

Harrison Hill, a prominent timber locator from Heppner, is in the city today.

Mrs. Roy Lay and her father, Mr. Conklin of Cove, were business visitors in our city yesterday.

John T. Meyers is in the city from Colby, Mich., with a view of making this his future home.

Mrs. M. J. Choate of Summerville, is in the city the guest of her son and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Gibson.

Owing to the absence of lights the regular Friday night ball given by the Commercial club has been indefinitely postponed.

Frank Thomas, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas, who has been quite sick, is reported to be some better today, but is still very weak.

St. Peter's guild met at the rectory this afternoon. A good attendance was present and plans were discussed for work in the near future.

Mrs. J. W. Van Fleet and daughter, Miss Dora, are both quarantined with the smallpox. Arthur is rapidly improving.

Mrs. O. J. Roe and daughter are in La Grande en route from an extended trip in the east, to her home in Enterprise. They were met here by Mr. Roe.

V. R. Brown, who has been farming near Elgin, arrived in the city and has decided to remain here the remainder of the school year, in order that his daughter may have the advantage of the high school. Mr. Brown also owns a fruit tract at Cove and will return to that place as soon as school closes.

Mrs. P. J. Thelsen and son, Arthur, leave this evening for a short visit in Portland.

Mrs. Mary Druggar and son Lewis, who have been in the city on business, returned to their home in Elgin this morning.

A. B. Cherry continues to be in a very critical condition, but it is thought the fever will break tomorrow.

I. T. Chapman of Idaho Falls, left La Grande this morning with the intention of returning as soon as he could pack his goods and make this city his home.

J. G. Close, who has been in the city this last week, left this morning for his home in Weiser, Idaho, and will return in a short time to locate in La Grande.

The ladies of the Methodist Aid were entertained yesterday afternoon at the J. D. Gillilan home on Second street. The ladies planned to begin early to prepare for their fall sale.

The ladies of the 500 club were entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. R. Jones. A dainty luncheon was served and a very nice time was enjoyed by all who attended.

The Rev. Horace Ramsey, M. A., vicar of St. Stephen's pro-cathedral (Episcopal), of Portland, is expected tonight on No. 2, to visit with his father, Judge Ramsey.

John Chapman of Union, was adjudged insane today and the attendant are expected to arrive in the morning from Salem to take him to the asylum.

Owing to the critical illness of the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Gollhan, who reside next door, Ben Noyes announced that he will close his rink until such time as the noise will not disturb the little sufferer.

J. A. Russell, administrator of the estate of J. Don Russell, who was killed at Perry by the railroad, has commenced a suit against the O. R. & N. company to recover damages in the sum of \$7500.

The Washington Tile & Mantel Co. have filed a mechanics lien against Contractors Olsen and Johnson to recover the balance due them of \$1784, on work placed in the Hot Lake sanatorium.

County Clerk J. B. Gilham received a telephone message this afternoon from Judge Thomas Crawford, who is holding court at Enterprise, stating that he would not be home before the 21st of the month, as he had a large docket and it would take him until then to finish.

Arranging a Tour.
The Weston Normal basketball team is arranging for a trip through eastern Washington, to begin February 1.

THE LIGHT PROBLEM.
Plans Now Are to Use the Oro Dell Plant.
Walter Pierce and Fred Housh visited Morgan lake yesterday and found about four feet of water, of which amount possibly not more than one foot is available for power purposes, and by running as under conditions similar to the past few days, would continue a similar service of about 30 days.

It was decided yesterday to operate only during day time, and to run the street lights up to about 10 o'clock at night. In order to relieve the load as much as possible, Hot Lake will be supplied by a gasoline engine.

It was further decided yesterday to move the dynamo from the Cove plant to Oro Dell, where they have the old engine and boiler, which will develop about 125 horse power. This will require six or eight days' time to install.

TOMORROW NIGHT.
Basketball Game Between Baker City and La Grande.
All lovers of basketball will be given an opportunity to witness a hard fought battle tomorrow evening in the gymnasium of the Commercial club, between the girls of Baker City and La Grande high schools. The admission price is only 25 cents and you cannot afford to miss the battle of the season.

STOCK GIGANTIC REDUCTION SALE

The Gigantic Stock Reduction Sale opened Saturday with a mighty throng of eager people who have waited days since the announcement of our sale to secure some of the bargains we offer.

A CARNIVAL OF MERCHANDISE

OUR EFFORTS ARE GETTING STRONGER, OUR WORK IS GETTING GREATER, BARGAINS ARE GETTING MORE. We must and will cut this enormous stock down. There is nothing in our immense stock but what you can buy for less. Come and get your share. The first shake of the tree brings down the ripest fruit. Come before the assortment is broken--now complete in every department

O. N. T. Spool Cotton 3 ¹ / ₂ c	9-4 Bleached Sheeting 27c 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting 25c 36-in Cotton, A. A. Grade 7c Good grade Bleached Muslin 6 3-4c Hope Bleached Muslin 11c	Darning Cotton 5 for 1c	Table Damask Table Damask Embroidery Silk, per skein 28c Canvas Gloves, per pair 21-2c Mens Cotton Gloves, per pair 6 1-4c 5c	SAFETY PINS per paper 1c
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All Ladies', Misses; and Children's Cloaks, Suits and Jackets, Reduction Sale--One-half Price

Men's suits, 12.00 values, 4.79	ODD DISHES	Bargains, Nothing but Bargains	Common Clothes	Common Water Glasses, per doz. 38c
Men's suits, 10.00 values, 3.87	1-2	Never before have we been in a better position to serve you, or make better prices on merchandise. In this case our needs are mutual--you need the goods; we need to sell them, and in order to do so we have made the price absolutely the lowest that can be made.	Pins, per doz	Decorated Water Sets, Complete with Tray, 2.25 to 2.50 values \$1.49
Men's shoes, 48c to 3.98	PRICE		1c	Jap China Tea Pots 9c
Men's gloves, 60 to 75c, 38c				Tooth Picks 04
Men's winter caps, 1.00 values, 67c				8 Bars Diamond C Soap 25

Men's and Boys' Linen Collars, standard makes, E. & W. & C. Gigantic Rednction Sale, 3 for 10c.

THE GOLDEN RULE CO.

LA GRANDE, OREGON