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**LOCAL NOTES**

Holiday goods at Gowell's.

Holiday goods in endless variety at Gowell's.

Don't forget the shooting match on the 24th at Toledo.

Fine paper and tablets, make nice Christmas presents. For sale cheap at this office.

There will be chances for the poor shots as well as the good, at the shooting match next Friday.

Allen Parker was up to Toledo to day from Yaquina and reports every thing quiet down there.

Turkeys, geese, ducks, and chickens a plenty at the big shooting match at this place on the 24th.

Read the new advertisement of the Yaquina Bay Mercantile Company in this issue and profit thereby.

One third of your time is spent in bed—our all wool blankets at \$3 will keep you comfortable. Yaq. Bay. Merc Co.

A marriage license was issued by the county clerk this week to Austin B. Hoover and Clara W. Vincent, of Waldport.

Al Waugh is taking much trouble to make his shooting match at this place next Friday a success. It is assured that it will be.

The Norwegians of this vicinity are arranging to have a Christmas tree on Christmas night at Mr. Forsells, on the old Rich place.

Wm. R. Wakefield has been appointed special guardian of John Bain, and the place for hearing upon the appointment will be at Waldport.

Rev. Nodtvedt the Lutheran minister, preached to a large congregation at the old school house in this place last Sunday. The sermon was delivered in the Norwegian language.

Walter Ben, who has been serving out a twelve days' sentence in the county jail, will complete his sentence tomorrow and will be a free Indian once more. He ought to brace up and keep straight now.

A little excitement was raised yesterday when it was discovered that the west line of Hill street was about three feet from where it was supposed to have been. Another survey however brought the line back nearly to its proper place.

Lincoln county is shy a deputy sheriff at present. Last Friday Deputy Ross went to Newport on the trail of the negro that he believed was one of the robbers that broke into Gorman's store. From Newport the darky had taken north along the beach, and Ross, accompanied by Frank Priest took up the chase. A stern chase is said to be a long chase, and this appears to be no exception, as up to the time of going to press no news had been heard of Ross, Priest or the darkey. The colored gentleman was probably headed for Astoria, and his pursuers may chase him clear to that city before they overtake him. The officers have good grounds for belief that the colored gentleman was one of the Gorman robbers as well as the thief that entered Davis & Winant's saloon at Newport.

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Get your guns ready for the shooting match next Friday.

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Mr. John Stimpson a prominent Newportite is in Toledo to day on business.

Sol Mulkey has been appointed administrator of the estate of John F. Mulkey.

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Ladies' and Gentlemen's Mackintoshes for Christmas presents at Yaq. Bay Merc. Co.

Have you got a Christmas turkey? If not, try your luck at the shooting match next Friday.

Mem's wool suits \$5; men's all wool Oregon City suits \$10. No flies on this. Yaq. Bay Merc. Co.

A new stock of loaded shells and ammunition just received, and will be sold at lowest prices at Lewis.

Measles are raging in town worse than ever. It is very probable that they will drag along for some time. They continue of a mild type.

In speaking of the liquor license business last week the type made us say county clerk when it was meant county court. The liquor licenses are granted by the county court the clerk's connection therewith being only to carry out court's orders.

B. H. Barwick, of South Beach, is in Toledo today on business. Mr. Barwick is arranging his business preparatory to taking a trip to the Klondike. He expects to start for the frozen north land on the first of February. He will go to Juneau, where he will join Roy Brasfield, formerly of this county, and together they will try the trail to Klondike as soon as the weather will allow.

The LEADER is compelled to back down and acknowledge itself beaten. It engaged in a controversy with the Newport paper, for which we owe an apology to our readers, and the controversy degenerated into a contest as to which could be the greater blackguard. We admit ourselves beaten clear out of sight. We might have known that natural ability and a lifetime's experience in such work would count against us and ought to have known better than to engage in it. But we give up beaten and hereby promise our readers to never advertise the Newport paper again by bringing it out of obscurity before our large circle of readers.

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Taylor West of Pioneer, was in town today.

**DIED.**

BUFORD—At Newport, Monday December 20, 1897, Birdie Buford, aged 22 years, of pneumonia.

The death of Miss Buford was sudden, her illness having been of only a few days duration. It was not considered serious until Sunday, when a message was sent to her father at Siletz, stating that she was ill. The message was taken over Sunday evening, and Mr. Buford started at once for Newport, arriving there about midnight Sunday night. She grew worse rapidly in spite of all aid, and expired about 9 o'clock Monday morning.

The deceased was a most estimable young lady. All who knew her in life unite in speaking in the highest terms of her sweet disposition and beautiful character. Her father, brothers and sister will feel her loss keenly, and they have the deepest sympathy in their bereavement. The remains will be taken to Corvallis tomorrow where they will be buried by the side of her mother.

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