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LOCAL NOTES

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Holiday goods at Gowell's.
A good Christmas and New Year to all.
Ira Wade came up from Newport Wednesday morning.
A. T. Peterson made a trip Albany the first of the week.
If you don't trade at Gowell's you don't get the best gouds for the least money.
Judge W. S. Hufford came over from Corvallis Wednesday returning this morning.
We extend the greetings of the seasons to the 600 readers of the Leader. A merry Christmas to
one and all.
Just received, a new stock of Gents' furnishing goods; also a new stock of men's pants, hats and caps, at Lewis.'

Mrs. R. E. Collins expects to leave for Portland in a few days to join her husband who has employ ment at that place.
When looking for suitable Christ mas presents call and inspect our big stock of well selected goods.Krogstad, The Druggist.
Torkel Larson has bought the wrecked lumber shed at the sawmill here, and build barns and will sieds with it on bis farm across the Olalla.

Among the other Christmas tree in this county will be one held by the sctiool and the people generally at Siletz. They were over yester-
day getting the necessary good things.
A letter from Mrs. Wakefield the first of the week aunouncel tiat her husband Wm . Wakefield, was not fmproving any in health, We regret to hear of Mr. Wakefield's continued illness.
Jolin Atlen, late of Windom Minnesota, was a pleasant caller yesterday. Mr. Allen is a man of considerabie means and is seeking a location in this county. He is very favorably impressed with the county and its climate. He states that there are several other famies that imtend county in a short time.
The O. C. \& E. shops at Yaquina, bave recently fitted up a boariing and lodging train for the Western Construction company. The outfit consisted of dining cars cooking ears, bunk cars, etc., and consisted of sixteen cars in all The outfit is to be used on the construction work on the Astoria road, and left for that place last Sunday as a special train.

The Corvallis people do not seem to be greatly enthused over the re cent railroad plans of Mr. Hammond as regards the $\mathrm{O} . \mathrm{C}$. \& E They profess to fear that the boom created by buiding the extension will be diverted to Astoria. We are inclined to think however that the threatened removal of the general offices of the road from Corvallis to Albany is the cloud in which the Corvallis people fail to find the silver lining.
Dr. Millee' Pala PMas, "One centa a doen"

## New full cream cheese at Lewis

 Special bargains at Gowell's.Nine pounds of whole roasted coffee for $\$ 1$ at Gowell's. C. C. Hogue, of Albany, was in Toledo Tuesday night on business On an average bill Gowell's figures are always the lowest. W. A. Gentry is up from Yauina today making proof on his homestead.
The storm of wind and rain made failure af the shooting match to A. L. McFadden, of Corvallis, has been appointed assignee of the firm of Nichols \& Holm, of Philomath.
Go to Gorman's, at Yaquina, you want to buy lastest improve. Wheeler \& Wilson sewing machines at wholesale prices.
Section Foreman Gannon completed the sidewalk from the depot to connect with the walk at Snow's store today. This walk will be greatly appreciated by the people. Vou can not afterl to mas pass without returning a kind favor by making sombody a present. Krogstad, the Druggist, has what you want.
Albert Meaker made another shipment of cattle yesterday. The shipment consisted of but one carload, and among them were some big steers that approached the 1,700 pound notel.
Good advice: Don't postpone till the last minute the selecting of your Christmas presents, thereby missing what you most desire. Come early and look over the fine assortment at Krogstad's, the druggist.
The city workmen made the connecting link Wednesday, and there is now a good sidewalk along the west side of Hill street from Second street fo the court bouse. This is now a good dry thoroughfare.
Gowell has enjoyed a gocd busi ness during the past year and acpublic. And with favors from the past And with thanks for the past generous pationage promises his best efforts to supply his constantly increasing trade.
The time for redemption of property sold at the tax sale two year ago has expired most instances,
and will all expire and will all expire within a week. There have been a goodly number of redemptions during the past two weeks. Still, a large body of property bought in by the county has not been redeemed, and the tit'e of the same has passed to the cornty.
A 25 pourd mangel wurzel and a colorabus that weighed nine and three-fourths pounds, were a couple prize vegetables that were brought to this office Wednesday by G. C. Stakely, of this place. Mr. Stakeon the these monster vegetables and their size indicates the extr, iertility of tide-land soil, and it great productiveness. We believe that Mr. Stakely is entitled to the credit of raising the biggest mangel year Oregon has produced this

We are in receipt of a letter fron our old friend Henry Kruse, formerly of this place. Henry is now farmer in Iowa, and has been a
granger for two or three years. He says that thing that puzzles the farmers of Iowa is to tell the difference between a Cleveland panic and a McKinley boom. He says that corn brings 25 cems per bushels there, but 9 cents of it is confidence and and 16 cents cash. Oats the same price. Hogs are correspondingly each. Horses range from $\$ 5$ to $\$ 40$ good price there he says is battle The price is way up on them but the comntry is bare of them, the neuraten all sold of


Of the Christmas Tree exercises to be held at the Court House this vening.
Music by the band.
Music by Roserook,s Orchestra
Recitation by Lottie Krogstad.
Song by Mrs. Krogstad.
Music by the band.
Song by Faith Stewart.
Recitation by Esther Copeland.
Music by Rosebrook's Orchestra t seven o'clock.

Soap Foam at Gowell's.
George Sylvester was up from Newport today
I lb Schillings Baking Powder at
Go to H. Lewis for Oil and Rubber goods at lowest prices.
Rolled oats at Booths $31 / 2$ cents per pound.
Rolled wheat at Booth's $3^{1 / 2}$ cts. per pound.
Three lb package gold dust at Booth's only 23 cents.
Captain Clark brought down a load of Elk City people to the shooting match today on the launch Mascotte.
It comes to us straight that Al bert Meakerghas been buying calico. Albert claims that he bought it to
blindfold a steer, but a bachelor like Albert buying calico looks very suspicious.
Don't be persuaded into buying liniments withont reputation or merit-Chamberlain's Pain Balm costs no more, and its merits have been proven bya test of many years. Such letters as the following from L. G. Bagley, Huneme, Cal., are constantly being received: "The best remedy for pain I have ever
used is Cliamherlain's Pain Balm, used is Clianherlain's Pain Balm, and I say so hiter haking used it in my family for years." It cures rheumatism, lame back, sprains an swellings. Fer, sale by O. O. Krog stad, drapgist.
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The visible supply of wheat December I , is given as 33.636 .000 bushels. On the corresponding date last year it was $58.914,000$ b:1siels. Not since ISgo has the vi ible supply at this season of the year been so low as now
The Roseburg Review sets up a cry that Pennoyer is about to capture the leadership of the democratic party of the state, and vigorened capture. The Review threat right or it may be wrong in may be mises of what Pemnoyer's intentions are. Whether he wishes for more political honors or not we do not know, but we do know that Pennoyer is a power in the political
field of Orgon field of Oregon, and we consider it
very poor policy to raise a fight in the reform ranks until there is something tangible to raise a fight over.

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## A Call to All!

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Before the year is out, as I must have money to settle up my b the first of Jauuary, 1898.

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And come and get BARGAIN. Don't loose opportunity.
THOSE INDEBTED TO ME
Will please call and make a settlement within the nexto or their acconnts will be placed in the hands of an attome immediate collection.
Dated at YAQUINA, this 1st day of Dec. 189
PETER TELLEFSON.

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