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Notice is hereby given that the first meeting of subscribers of the Capital Stock of The Albany Condensed Milk Company will be held in the Circuit Court Room, in theCounty Court House, in the city of Albany, Oregon, on the 26th day of January, 1909, at the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing directors of said company, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated at Albany, Oregon, December 24, 1908. H. G. FISHER,
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MISFITS.

A Mixture of Things and Thought

A taste of the genuine article anyway.

Some of these improvised sleighs are daisies.

It will be a good thing if several pet measures are snowed under at Salem.

The Albany street car did nobly, and its service has been immensely appreciated.

Help the birds. Leave some crumbs out in a place swept for them. They will do the rest.

California has its faults, but a wind from the south nevertheless is decidely welcome sometimes.

Perhaps this snow will do the crops an enormous sight of good. Thats a good way to look at it.

Of course the road law is full of officers. Making new offices is what a state legislature is for.

Don't borrow trouble, when it goes off it will probably not be a very serious affair. It wasn't in 1884.

Albany people are keeping in the narrow way these days, a misnt item furnished by an Albany minister.

A Willamette Valley man ought to be permitted to kick at snow, if he wants to, but what's the use, and then one should never kick at the weather anyway.

The O. A. C. will want $170,000 for new buildings, and the Eugene Guard wonders if Corvallis wouldn't be jarred some if Lane county should invoke the referendum and vote three to one against it.

Feeding birds is quite a problem. A good many Albany people are making a specialty. One man says the robins will leave everything for his holly berries. The worms are all right, but somethings they don't seem to want.

These thermoneters are odd affairs, like a good many other things in the world unreliable One reported never got below the unlucky number 13 while another, of the same denomination and creed went to 7 below. The official was 0, which was undoubledly correct.

Nesmith County.

The proposed new county, with Cottage Grove as the county seat will have an area of 1956 square miles, assessed valuation $4,915,933, population 7964, school children 2810. About three fourths of the valuation is from Lane county and one fourth from Douglas. It is to be called Nesmith if the law passes.

Round Trip Rates.

Rates will be in effect from Albany on the certificate plan at one and one-third fare for the round trip as follows:

Jan. 17th to 22nd, to Spokane, account 4th annual convention Inland Empire Implement and Hardware Association and to the 2nd annual convention Pacific Federation of Hardware and Implement Associations.

Jan. 15th to 23rd to Salem, account convention Oregon State Federation of Labor.

Jan. 8th to 13th to Seattle account meeting Northwestern Retail Harness and Sadlery Manufacturers Association.

Jan. 16 to 20th to Portland account Annual Convention Oregon State Retail Hardware and Implement Dealers Association.

Jan. 11th to 16th to Portland account nineteenth semi-annual reunion Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite.

For full information regarding these rates may be had at the Union Depot.
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HARRISBURG

Two Booster Meetings in one Day

Bulletin:

Mrs. Judge E. N. Tandy died at her home in Harrisburg Tuesday morning at 9:30. She had been ill only from about 9 o'clock of the evening before.

Captain McClain and his gallant band of wood-choppers came off victorious in the Woodman's annual hunt last Thursday, winning by a score of 6,550 points. That doesn't mean that Capt. Boggs didn't have a good bunch, as they worked hard enough to pull down 13,625 counts.

Frank Hay met with a very serious accident this morning about 10 o'clock by falling from the small platform just back of his father's shop to the river, some fifteen feet below. A skiff which was moored there happened to be in just the right spot and he fell into that.

When Harrisburg puts on two big booster meetings in one day, and each the largest ever held in the city for a like purpose, and finally as a last act organizes a womans' auxiliary to the Improvement Club. When Harrisburg does such things as these there surely must be a contagion of the improvement spirit far greater than the most sanguine had dared to hope.

Scio.

News:

Rev. S. A. Douglas, of Albany, promises to be in Scio next Monday to assist in the special meeting at the Baptist church

Chas. Young went over to Corvallis last Monday to accept a temporary situation in A. J. Johnson's bank, during the absence of Senator Johnson in attendance of the legislature.

The arrest of George E. Brown in this city last Saturday evening, has been the principle theme of conversation on our streets during the week. It is hinted that other people in the town may be implicated. If reports are true he is not the only one in town who takes property not belonging to them.

Jefferson's Telephone War.

Review:

The Home Telephome Co has refused to accept the franchise as granted by the Jefferson council, alleging unjust discrimination in favor of the Pacific States Co. The Home must give a bond for 25 years, the Bell but 10. The Home can put in nothing but a central energy system. Manager Sanders says that while this is the system the company would use in the city, it cannot be used for country lines, and without these a plant cannot be maintained here. Ex-Mayor Smith stated in his veto that the franchise would not be accepted by the company, and the result proves he was right, as no company could accept such a franchise.

New Year Resolutions are apt to go up in smoke, but you want to be careful to keep this resolution—that you will use no flour but JOHNSON'S BEST. This will mean a year of complete satisfaction to you.

Notice.

I, the undersigned, have purchased the business of the Albany Supply Co. and will continue to do business in the same place. We solicite your patronage, thanking you in advance for future favors I am, Respectfully,
t15 E. CHRISTENSON.

Notice of Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the Oregon Fire Relief Association will be held in Burn's Hall at McMinnville, Oregon, Jan. 12th, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing three directors and the transaction of any other business that may regularly come before it.
W. C. HAGENEY,
Secretary.

Oysters at the Metropolitan.

The oyster season has opened, and from now on the Metrowolitan Market Broadalbin street, will have the best to be secured, the fat article, good measure. Just from the beds.

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Graduate of William H. Sherwood's School of Music, will give private instructions in Piano at the Private Parlors Hotel Rewere on Saturdays. Hours. 5 to 6.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Creamery Associations, will be held at the creamery in Albany on the 14th of January, 1909, at the hour of One o'clock, for the election of five directors and the transaction of such other business as may propesly come before the meeting.

Dated Dec. 8th, 1908.
C. L. SHAW, Pres.
ED LOGSDON, Sec.

NOTICE.

Commencing Monday, Dec. 14th, all Corvallis and Eastern Passenger trains will arrive and depart from the "Union Depot," where tickets may be procured for all points on that line.

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The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic meet every 1st and 3rd Tuesday afternoons in the G. A. R. hall. Strangers belonging to this order will rsceive a royal welceme. Mrs. Jennie M. Brown, Secretary.

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