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Notice of First Meeting of Subscribers,

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 the County 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.

Called at Albany, Oregon, December 24 1908.
H. G. FISHER,
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When summer has passed in these northern states, the sun is only mild under the bright blue skies of Southern California. This is one of nature's happy provisions—eternal summer for those who cannot endure a more severe climate.

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Limit six months, allowing stop-overs in either direction. Similar excursion rates are in effect to all California points.

For full information, sleeping car reservations and tickets, call on, telegraph or write
R. K. MONTGOMERY, Agt Albany, or
W. M. McMURRY, Gen. Pass. Agt. Portland, Oregon.

MISFITS.

A Mixture of Things and Thoughts

Knocking justified: McHarg,

Thaw has been mighty popular.

Much rain caused many smiles.

Albany has done well. It will do better.

Arizona and New Mexico again have hopes. They have been treated shamefully.

The St. Charles people are certainly doing their share towards the growth of Albany.

This carpet bagger M'Harg should skidoo. He is not wanted here butting into Oregon affairs.

The editor of the Democrat always liked Pat McArthur, speaker of the house, personally, and believes that his manhood will make him take an honorable stand when it comes to the election of a U. S. senator, and that he will not stand for any trickery in the interest of anybody.

The Christian Revival.

Over 250 were present last night and heard a stirring message on "The New Man." Tonight Whiston speaks on "Up and Down"—a message on back-sliding. Longman sings. Nuff said. Sunday will be a great day beginning with the B. School at 10.30. The moral subject will be "The Old Love" and the evening "The Man on the Fence." The 7 box, charts, new hymnal, and special music provides a great meeting. Not a dull moment. Whiston is the liveliest man in town. The evening services begin at 7.30 sharp. Please come on time. If you can't come on time, come anyway.

Uneven Taxation.

Linn county will pay \$67,065 towards the state taxes and Lane only \$59,905, though its population is more, and probably its valuation. There is something rotten when this is possible. Washington with its marvellous brag of dairy wealth will pay \$38,000 and old Yamhill, none like it, \$49,000. Clackamas is down for only \$42,000 and Polk, which claims to be the best in the state, \$39,142.

The McMinnville Company.

The report of the condition of the Oregon Fire Relief Association of McMinnville shows the following:
Insurance outstanding \$27,678,943;
written during 1907 \$11,872,743, cancelled and expired during the year \$8,767,547. Losses paid during the year \$79,953.25, expenses \$17,839.84. Cash on hand in loss fund \$18,152.21. The total resources are \$150,636.35. It is a prosperous, well managed institution.

Homer Davenport.

Human Life, with Homer Davenports life sketches, beginning with the January number, subscribers may order through the Democrat for only 50 cents a year.
See a copy of this fine Magazine at the Democrat office.

Oysters at the Metropolitan.

The oyster season has opened, and from now on the Metropolitan Market Broadback street, will have the best to be secured, the fat article, good measure. Just from the beds.
Also all the fish delicacies of the season. Call when you want the best, neat and clean.

A Library lamp makes a long evening short. We have them.
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to exchange for Albany property, consisting of a nice new modern two flat residence, cement basement, hot air furnace, gas and electric light fixtures, toilets, baths, stationary wash tub, good location. Price \$5000, rents for \$40 per month. For information call and see J. V. Pipe at his Real Estate office 203 West 2nd St., Albany, Or.

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On Jan 15th, at the Methodist parsonage in Albany, Mr. A. V. Holgate of Halsey and Miss Lena J. Allen of the same place, Rev. W. S. Gordon officiating. E. C. Miller and W. J. Bennett, friends of the happy couple, acted as witnesses and Rev. A. F. Lacy of Lebanon assisted in the ceremony.

HARRISBURG

Officers Elected for 1909.

Bulletin:

At the election this week Barney May was reelected mayor, defeating R. K. Burton 55 to 50. T. J. Anderson was reelected recorder unanimously. A. M. Pryor marked by 2 majority over T. J. Stephens; Geo. Wilhelm, treasurer, without opposition; R. A. Githens, H. R. Sherrill, J. C. Perrin, J. W. Grimes, councilmen, with a tie vote for Messrs. Marguth, Haskell and Hawk.

Chas. Morris and wife left Saturday to take up their residence for fourteen months on their timber claim in Lincoln county.

Geo. E. Flood arrived from Allison, Iowa, this morning on a visit with the writer and family. He wants to locate right here—snow or no snow.

T. J. Philpott of Holy was down to see his brother, Hon. J. M. Philpott, a few days last week.

The following car load shipments this week at Harrisburg: Two cars hops by J. R. Cartwright, two cars grain by May & Senders. The latter firm also received one car salt.

While Jake Marguth and W. L. Wright were at Portland the first of the week they made arrangements to install a supply of automobiles here as soon as the weather will permit their running down from Portland.

While Oscar Scott was hunting on the bar north of town Tuesday his Winchester exploded a shell prematurely, resulting in bursting the leading mechanism and a chip off the base of the shell struck Mr. Scott in the face near the eye.

Age No Bar

Old people stooped with suffering, Middle age, courageously fighting, Youth protesting impatiently; Children, unable to explain; All in misery from their kidneys. Only a little backache first, Comes when you catch cold, Or when you strain the back Many complications follow. Urinary disorders, diabetes, Bright's disease.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure backache Cure every form of kidney ills.

J. C. Walling, retired, of 424 S. Denver St., Albany, Ore., says: "For several years I endured more or less suffering from kidney complaint, the worst trouble being a retention of the secretion and painful passages. I found temporary relief at times but Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured at Foshay & Mason's drug store, proved to be the best remedy I had ever used for the trouble, bringing prompt and gratifying relief and fulfilling every aim made for them. Some of my neighbors have found equally good results from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and I hear a great deal of praise for this remedy."

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Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

Round Trip Rate.

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 18th to Seattle account meeting Northwestern Retail Harness and Sundry 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.
R. K. MONTGOMERY,
Agent.

Notice to Fruit Growers.

We shall be in the market for fruit during the season of 1909. For information as to what varieties to plant etc, call Home Phone 4052, or address ALBANY PRESERVING CO. Albany Ore. t.5

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Lodge Meetings.

The K. O. M. every Saturday evening Chas. Schoel commander.
The Woodmen of the World every Friday evening. L. L. Swan clerk. Manzanita Circle 1st and 3rd Mondays, Hilka Warford G. N.
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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 receive a royal welcome. Mrs. Jennie M. Brown, Secretary.

The Oliver Typewriter.

Best on the market. First National Bank people have five. Albany College has ten. Thirty five used in Albany. See the new tabulator and ruling device. \$15 cash, then 17c per day, payable monthly. See one at Steward & Sox Hardware Co. Phone 218 Home Phone.

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I have for sale a choice lot of plants for fall planting at reasonable prices. Gooseberries, red and white currants, loganberries, dewberries, rhubarb, hedge plant and sage.
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