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THIS MORNING.

News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

Mrs. Geo. S. Acheson returned to Portland accompanied by Mrs. Anabel McBride, Rev. John Acheson and Rev. Cooley, of the third and fourth United Presbyterian churches also returned from the meeting of the Presbytery at Oakville, and Ray Acheson, a prominent Hood River banker, returned to that city, having been here to attend the funeral of his father, M. Acheson.

Leland Holbrook went to Salem to show his former Minnesota friends, Tom Moore and Mr. Cranby Oregon's state institutions. All are former Howard Lake, Minnesota people, when there young Holbrook being one of the best pole vaulters in the country, having a record of 11 1/2 feet.

Dr. Withycombe and Professors Bexel and Gardner, of the O.A.C., went to Portland. Prof. Gardner is in the horticultural department, with an appropriate name for the work, one now in the forefront in Oregon.

George Taylor, Hon. W. R. Bilyeu and L. C. Marshall went to Portland on the early train to attend a session of the Council.

D. W. Rumbaugh went up the C. & E., as far as Shelburn on fruit inspection business.

Mrs. Tom Riley, of Corvallis, arrived for a visit with her folks in the country.

Rev. S. A. Douglass went to Portland to attend a district Baptist convention.

After being in and out of Albany four or five times Mox Cohen made his final exit on this trip.

Father Lane of this city and Father Smith of Corvallis, went to Portland.

E. D. Cusick went to Portland on a business trip.

Mr. Larson of the filter plant, went up the C. & E. with his camera.

Royal Loyal Entertainers.

Miss Abbie Anderson, Miss Edith Cooper and Miss Gertrude Swank entertained the Loyal Daughters and Loyal Sons of the Christian church last evening, in the banquet rooms of the church. Contests and games were played, after which a dainty lunch was served. J. C. Holbrook was toastmaster, Victor Weikizer, president of the Loyal Sons, gave a talk on what the Loyal Sons were doing and Carol Richards, president of the Loyal Daughters, on the Past and Future of the Class, Miss Vesta Eastburn, president of the Circle, gave a talk on what the Circle is doing, Mrs. H. M. Perry teacher of the Loyal Daughters, gave a splendid and helpful talk of interest to both classes. The decorations were in keeping with the occasion.

They Will Draw Again.

Do you remember the largest crowd that gathered in the Chautauqua Auditorium last summer? It came out to hear the Apollo Concert Company give their final concert. It was the one occasion during the whole Chautauqua Assembly when the great auditorium was practically filled. Albany wants to hear the Apollo Concert Company again, and is to hear them Friday night, April 12, at the opera house. Seats at Woodworth's tomorrow, 75c, 50c and 25c.

Mrs. F. P. Claypool, the Maurine demonstrator of Portland, is again in this city and will be pleased to call upon request on old patients and new. Phone for appointment. Orders promptly delivered. Home Black 85.

A large shipment of Fishing Tackle has just been received at the Albany Gun Store.

Have M. Ludwig figure on your Plumbing Hardware Reasons

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OBSERVED

By the Man About Town,

The dirt is certainly flying down around Lyon street, with three excavations in progress, improvements that will transform that section, when consummated.

The manner in which the Young brick is to be placed and rearranged is interesting. The present front will face on Lyon street. It will be rebuilt into two rooms 24 by 70 feet, one to be occupied by W. M. Parker as a grocery and bakery, and the other by F. W. Schultz' meat market. The present grocery department of the store will be made into a store room 30 by 48 feet, facing on Second street, with the entrance to the big hall above at the west end. This hall, without a post is well built for a fine lodge rooms, one of the largest in the city.

The work of moving the building will begin as soon as the foundation is ready for it.

People are having hard work finding houses for rental, pretty well taken. An Albany need is certainly more houses of five and six rooms for rental.

A. H. Sandstrom and a force of one layer are pushing work on the Presbyterian church.

A car load of vitrified brick arrived today for the street car line, taking the place of the wood along part of the way.

There also arrived three cars of rails for the Oregon Electric's line in the city, and a car load of cement.

About sixty men are at work on Fifth street pushing the grading of it for the ties and rails westward, of the O. E.

Foshay & Mason are making a decided improvement at the store, with a fine ceiling effect, to be followed by a new front.

Returned from Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pfeiffer returned last evening from a couple week's visit with their daughter Mrs. Emma Dorris, and the great and only Catherine. Rev. Dorris will begin his work in Centralia, Wash., next Sunday, when that city will be their future home. Centralia has grown rapidly in the last few years. The Presbyterian church there is a prosperous one with a good membership. Mr. Pfeiffer will now devote his time to moving the Young brick to the corner of Second and Lyon street.

WATCHES, F. M. French & Son.

MAHARAS TO-NIGHT.

With the city full of dark clouds it looks like rain, but it is only the reign of Maharas's Minstrels tonight. They are all genuine darlings, no imitation, and you get the real darkey music, full of melody and fun, with specialties that keep one watching.

The program covers a wide field of minstrelry worth seeing and hearing.

Left for South Bend.

Mrs. J. F. Altermatt and two children left last night for their home at South Bend, Ind., after spending the winter at the homes of Mrs. Altermatt's father, N. A. Blodgett, and sister, Mrs. J. G. Lee. Their visit was greatly enjoyed here by their many friends. The Altermatts have a beautiful home nine miles from South Bend, on an electric line, where they have a fine stock farm, with blooded stock. Mr. Altermatt is in business in South Bend, where he goes mornings, with Rayce, who attends school there, returning evenings, a few minutes ride on an electric.

An Assault Case.

This forenoon at the office of Justice Swan Thomas W. Moreland was held for the grand jury under \$250 bonds, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon, upon Mr. Weeks, the result of a dispute over a matter of rent of the property at Lyon and Ninth, where Mr. Weeks has a restaurant.

THE SKATING RINK will hereafter be open Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, afternoons and evenings under new management. C. M. HENDERSON.

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- 2nd Prize—Jardinier Stand.
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- 4th Prize—One Bbl. Johnson's Best Flour.
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