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Absolutely Reliable
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"The Sign of Quality."
The Albany Bakery
216 W. First Street. Both Phones.

THIS MORNING.

News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

Misses Jones and Canfield left for Portland on business connected with their new store in the Rhodes block. They will make a specialty of needlecraft and art work, and will not have a racket department.

Messrs. Cheshire, Reinhardt and Heiney, three prominent road supervisors from Lebanon, Foster and Waterloo returned home after being down to hear Sam Hill, an inspiration to good roads. These men have been doing good work in their districts.

Floyd King advance press and advertising man for the Barnes animal circus went to Salem, a hustler for his show.

Nat Stevens left northward. Fred Titmas, a photographer, arrived on the early train from Victor, Colo., out here looking for a location.

Editor Kirkpatrick arrived from Lebanon.

Prof. Hargrove returned to Portland after his regular weekly trip to Lebanon, which he has been making for several years.

W. H. Cooper went up to Stayton. J. P. Mertz, of near Scio, left for home, with a new bird cage for his ten canaries.

J. A. Archibald, the tombstone man, went to Salem.

Father Lane, chaplain at St. Vincent, Portland, left on his regular weekly trip.

Prof. Dryden, of the O.A.C., arrived and joined the demonstration car, which was brought in from Lebanon, and went to Salem to show the capital city people some fowls and the way to handle them.

ALBANY PAVEMENT.

To the Citizens of Albany:—It has occurred to the writer that so many of those supposed petitions have been presented to the city council for the pavement of streets that we hardly know just where we stand. Might it not be well for us, as a city, to enquire as to how we are going to pay for all these improvements?

It would be nice to have all the streets of our city paved, if we could see our way clear to pay for this pavement without laying too heavy a burden upon the individual citizens or without straining the credit of our city. Some one has got to pay for these improvements. When the people are saving to meet their annual street assessments, business conditions of a necessity must become more or less stagnant. Say, we pave, this year, the intervening streets between Washington and Lyon streets, and Fifth street clear through and possibly one other street, would not that be ample? I know that we are all interested in our city and none of us would willingly do anything that would work a hardship on our people or that would cause business stagnation. Albany so far has been pretty sane and has not burdened itself with a heavy debt when there was only a comparatively small population to bear the obligation. We will want to do some paving in the years to come, and we do not want to do it all in two years. We should pave and make improvements commensurate with our strength as a city. For a city to be burdened with a debt so that the property owners are kept struggling to meet the annual interest payments, is not an enviable position to be in, and it does not help the city's credit, neither does it help business or attract newcomers.

The writer does not want to put himself forward as a kicker, neither is he going to argue the case with anyone holding an opposite opinion, nor is he going to make any prediction of what is going to be our condition if we do all the paving this season that has been outlined, although he has a presentiment of what is in store.

"Moderation is the part of wisdom."
ALFRED C. SCHMITT.

This article will be followed by an article on "What Does Street Pavement Mean to the Community?"
—Paid Adv.

The 1912 Base Ball Guide at Albany Gun Store, also a large assortment of supplies.

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(Machine Poisoned Raisins)

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Car Load of Land Plaster

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Made in Albany my No 1 Edg Grain the BEST in the market. Various grades and prices from \$1.25 upwards. Every bunch branded with my name. Look for it. Examine these shingles before buying elsewhere.

E. A. THOMPSON.
We use no dry kiln.

AT THE COURT HOUSE.

New Suit.—A. C. Foster agt. Loretta A. Foster for divorce. Married 22 years, charge desertion. A. A. Tussing

In estate of Chas. Kiefer, Margaret Kiefer appointed administrator. Estimated value of property \$4,300 personal, \$200 realty.

Marriage license.—Fred Hamill 21, and Eva Moore 23.

Deaths recorded:—
M. Senders et al to Lena Sternberg 145 a \$ 1
Ben Rozelle to Jos. L. Irvin 59.34 by 120.12 feet, suburbs Albany 10
C. F. Moist to H. Hall 2 a 600
P. M. Scroggins to Guy Gaylord 87.22 a 10
E. C. Alexander to S. P. Bach 2 tracts 10
E. C. Alexander to H. C. Everett 24a 10

Death of Christian Voss.

Christian Henry Voss died at 5 p.m., yesterday at his home on East 2nd St. leaving a widow and eight children, as follows: Julius, Henry and Chas. Voss, Mrs. Laura Harnish, Mrs. Carrie Lillard, Mrs. Minnie Price, Mrs. Wena Cady, Mrs. Anna Logsdon, all residing in or near Albany, twenty-one grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

He was born in Oldenburg, Holstein, Germany, Jan. 2, 1834. He came to the U. S. in 1855, settling at Davenport, Iowa. In 1861 he enlisted in the 1st reg. Iowa volunteers, for three months, and then in the 12th infantry volunteers of Missouri for three years, receiving an honorable discharge in Texas in Jan. 1865. He returned to Iowa and was married to Miss Elzade Tonsfeldt May 14, 1865. In the spring of 1876 he came to Oregon, settling in Benton county, five miles from Albany, where they resided until 1899, when he and Mrs. Voss moved to Albany.

The funeral will take place at the First Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Have you seen the new suits just received for \$16.00 to \$30. at Young's?

Harley Davidson Motor Cycles at the Albany Gun Store.

F. G. Will for watches.

WANTED.—Chambermaid and assistant in pantry, at St. Francis.

POULTRY.—Fat hens, dressed for sale, delivered in city. Home Phone Red 298. M. Brannan. t 27.

SAM HILL ON GOOD ROADS.

Sam Hill, the good roads man, spoke last night at the armory to a good sized audience. Gov. West was expected with him, but the last moment learned that he could not make it.

He was introduced by Judge Duncan. He said Albany did not look like the same place after two and one half years since his last visit here. Coming into the city in his auto he was pleased to observe a street named after him. But the whole world has been changing and the U. S. is particularly a different country.

The most important question before the people is the establishment of conditions so people will go back to the farm. In 1870 49 per cent were living by farming, in 1900 29 per cent, and now about 27 per cent. This can't keep on. But how get them back. By good roads, telephone systems, the rural delivery, good service, better schools and accessibility to markets.

In this country it costs about 30c a ton a mile to move the products of the farm, in Europe only 10 cents, while our railroads move freight for 1/4 of one cent a mile.

Mr. Hill then showed a large number of beautiful pictures showing all kinds of roads all over the world, on the hills and in the valleys, good and bad ones.

He complimented Gov. West, and scored Gov. Hayes of Wash., doesn't want to live in the same state.

Mr. Hill is a large, fine looking man, son of J. J., is a millionaire himself, has residences in Washington, N. Y., Mass., Seattle and other places, but lives on a farm near Portland,—sometimes.

He has made thirty-seven trips to Europe, and knew Capt. Smith of the Titanic well, a fine man. In January he returned from his last European visit.

Have you had Henry shoe your horse at the Green Front. He knows how.

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

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Freshest and Finest Candies and Ice Cream, at all times.

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In every case he guarantees entire satisfaction or money refunded.

He uses no drugs, but has the most modern instruments for the testing of the eye sight.

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First-class work at reasonable prices guaranteed for ten years.

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