

There's something new for Ladies all the time, but we want to tell you **MEN** that there's something new for you.

A Splendid Selection of Men's Neckwear

has lately arrived, and we invite you to come in and look over the bunch, we know you'll smile when you see them, because they are good ones.



Stripes, Dots and Figures of variously combined in new and pleasing effects. These ties all have the "Slip-easy" band, therefore they last longer and hold their shape better. Your selection of this bunch

50c Each

Arrow's New Collar "The Newton"

A soft collar, which is high in effect, but feels quite low when it comes to the comfort it affords. It is made of corded Repp, 3 inch front and 1 7/8 in back.

15c Each

New Phoenix Silk Sox

In white, Black, Pearl Grey and Palm Beach, fine quality and all new stock, a pair

60c

CASH VALUES

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WORTH WHILE

Hamilton's

WARRANTY DEEDS

Lizzie A. Nemchick and husband to W. C. White and wife, Dec. 6, 1916, lands in claim 41, Tp. 15, 4 west

Williamette Lodge No. 859 L. O. O. M. meets every Wed. evening Moose Hall cor. 2nd and Lyon Sts. J. P. Kennedy, Sec. Visiting members welcome

M. L. Brown to J. U. Ross and wife Feb. 9, 1917, lands in block 2 Beard's Add. to Tangent, \$10.

Alex P. Taranteles to Peter S. Cominates, March 27, 1916, lands in Winona Park add. to City of Albany, \$10. Frederick J. Lafky and wife to Eliza Permelia Smith, Tracts in Riverside acreage Linn county, \$10.

Central Land Company to E. J. Harder, Feb. 24, 1917, lands in Block A Central Add. to Albany, \$10.

Week-End List of SPECIALS in the Grocery Dept.

BUTTER

Best Grade Creamery Butter, role

83c

Cleanser

Lighthouse Cleanser large cans

3 for 10c

No Rubbing

The Wonderful Laundry Help, pkg.

20c

Salmon

New Pack, Select Chinook Salmon regular 25c size, Steak form in flat cans, per can

19c

Cash Values

Worth While

Hamilton's

Willard

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Your battery won't tell you when you're overworking it or starving it or neglecting it. It will just quit when you have gone the limit.

Don't take any chances on reaching the limit. Let us test your battery regularly.

Auto Electric Shop

118 West Second St.

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BUDDISTS DISCOVERED AMERICA IS CHINESE CLAIM

America was discovered, not by Christopher Columbus in 1492 and not by Leif Ericsson in the year 1000 A.D. but by five Buddhist monks of Kabul in 458 A.D.

In any event this is the testimony of Hui Shen, a Buddhist missionary who visited America in 499 A.D. and returned to China made a full report of his travels to the emperor, Wu Ti of the Liang dynasty.

"Fusang," Hui Shen called the new continent, naming it after the wonderful Fusang tree—properly the Mexican maguey—which supplied a wonderful nectar (mescal) and a strangely strong fiber cloth (hemp).

Fusang, according to Hui Shen, lay 20,000 li or 6,500 miles to the east of the continent of Asia. It was 10,000 li or about 3,250 miles broad. And beyond it lay a great sea, which we know now as the Atlantic.

The Chinese Historical Record

The record of Hui Shen's travels is found in the imperial archives of the Liang dynasty, handed down with the seal of approval of the great Chinese historian, Ma Tuan-Lin.

COMING

- March 3.—Democratic banquet
- Hotel Albany.
- March 5.—Commercial Club
- Annual meeting and banquet,
- Hotel Albany.
- March 6.—Firemen's Smoker.
- Elks' Lodge Rooms.
- April 8.—Easter Sunday.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO OWN YOUR OWN HOME?

I will sell you a new modern home on small cash payment, balance on monthly payments. Or will sell you lot, help you design your house, draw plans and build to suit your own ideas. I can furnish you with all the very latest improvements in the modern homes. Call at 834 West Ninth St. or phone 8F31 Bell phone.

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Notice of Sale of Improvement Bonds

Notice is hereby given, that the Council of the City of Albany, Oregon, will receive sealed bids until 7:30 o'clock P. M. on the 14th day of March 1917, for the improvement bonds of the City of Albany, Oregon, in the sum of Nine Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-two and 51/100 (\$9,352.51) dollars. Said bonds are to be issued in denominations of \$500.00 each, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually, principle and semi-annual interest payable at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Oregon in New York, N. Y., and mature at the expiration of ten years from the date thereof.

The right to take up and cancel any of these bonds upon the payment of the face value thereof with accrued interest to the date of payment at any semi-annual coupon period at or after one year from the date of such bond or bonds, is reserved by the City of Albany, Oregon, said redemption if so made to be in accordance with Chapter V, Title XXVI of Lord's Oregon Laws.

All of said bonds are to be dated April 1st, 1917.

All bids should be addressed and delivered to the undersigned on or before the date and hour specified above.

The Council of the City of Albany reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1917

L. G. LEWELLING,
Recorder of the City of Albany.

(seal) m1-14

A. STARK,
Physician and Surgeon

Both phones 60
330 W. First St. Albany, Ore.

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PORTLAND WEEKLY STOCK MARKET REPORT

All beef stuff met good call from the many killers represented. It was an active market throughout and sellers disposed of their holdings early in the day. Medium beef, that is, the kind selling from \$8.25 to \$8.75 was exceptionally good demand. Prices on most all steers were 10 to 15 cents higher, while butcher stuff sold 25 cents higher, in a number of cases 25 to 50 cents advance was made. There was a fairly good supply of 1000 head the quality of which was fully as good as a week ago, although it did not meet the large orders.

Cows, Heifers and Bulls—There was a fairly good sized spread of cows on the market Monday, although they were mostly of the ordinary to medium kinds. Demand was very good although prices were very regular. Some early sales were made at steady prices while other sales were as much as 50 cents higher. The bulk of the sales were only about 25 cents higher than last week, good cows sold at \$7.50; for several bunches, with fair and medium killing cows bringing \$6.75 to \$7.00. Ordinarily light killers were taken around \$6.00 and \$6.50. A few prime heifers brought \$8.50. There was a large supply of bulls offered the trade and another 25 cent advance was made. One prime light bull sold at \$7.50 the highest price on record for bulls on the open market, while the bulk of good fat bolognas sold from \$6.50 to \$7.

Hogs—There was a good big even advance of 25 to 35 cents in hog values Monday, and an advance of 50 cents in the bulk of sales compared with a week ago, there was a very good demand, both from local packers and butchers as well as outsiders who had good orders. Several loads of prime heavies brought \$12.85, while the bulk of good hogs ranged \$12.75 to \$12.85. Pigs advanced sharply with but a very light supply, the bulk of sales being made at \$11.50 compared to \$11.00 last week.

Sheep—The firm tone in the sheep trade continues and prices are advancing almost every time offerings are received on the market. There were but two car loads of sheep on the market Monday, one car of shorn wethers which was taken at \$10, and one load mixed wool ewes and bucks weighed straight at \$9.50. Call from buyers continues, although there are no supplies available.

Two Marriage Licenses—Two Marriage licenses were issued today. Clement L. Sarif, 50, of Salem and Nellie Jones, 30, of Albany, and Howard M. Moore, 24, and Hazel A. Patterson, 19, of Sodaville, were the lucky couples.

READ OUR WANT ADS

High School Boys!

A Suit of Clothes for 100 Words!!

To the boy in any Linn County High School who writes the best 100-word essay on the subject:

"How Much Does Good Taste in Dress Influence Success?"
we will give the best Langham-High Suit of clothes in the store

YOU CAN'T EARN ONE EASIER

CONTEST CLOSES SATURDAY
Only 2 More Days

THE TOGGERY

ANITA KING AND THEODORE ROBERTS TONIGHT

Theodore Roberts and Anita King in the Jesse L. Lasky production of "Anton the Terrible," written by Jules Eckart Goodman from the Saturday Evening Post story by Thomas H. Uzzell, and prepared for the screen by Marion Fairfax and Charles Sever, will be the attraction at the Globe Theatre tonight.

This gripping story of political intrigue in connection with the recent great European war was the cause of a great deal of comment when it appeared in the Saturday Evening Post. In preparing the story for the screen, Jules Eckart Goodman, the noted dramatist, has written an even more vivid story. In the masterly hands of America's greatest actor, and the beautiful Miss King as the fair victim of his conspiracies, and supported by a cast of such prominent artists as Horace B. Carpenter, Edythe Chapman, Harrison Ford and others, the photo is bound to be of more than usual interest.

The production, a Paramount Picture, is a lavish one, the scenes being laid in Russia. It was produced under the personal direction of William C. De Mille.

USING THE BY-PRODUCT

"It is the love of finery which makes most criminals," said Claire Whitney, who will be seen at the Rolfe, Friday in the William Fox production "The Victim." Sometimes, though, it happens that the guilty party is caught through an entirely innocent agency.

"It is like the story of the negro preacher who complained to the judge that his wife's love of dress had been responsible for his appearance before the bar of justice.

"My women folks warn't satisfied to eat dat chicken," the man answered "Dey had to put de feathers in deir hats and parade 'em as circumstantial evidence."

Hayes Appreciated—

Lieut. J. Benj. Hayes, recently at Vancouver, when the boys from the border were being mustered out, was presented with a fine sword as an expression of appreciation. A special bill has been introduced in congress to make him a commissioned officer in the regular army because of his splendid service in the militia.

Final Account—

The final account in the estate of Phoebe Crandell, deceased, was filed yesterday by H. H. Hewitt, executor. The estate is valued at \$4358.48.

A. C. Armstrong, of Oakland, is in the city attending to business matters.

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GROCERIES, PRODUCE
and FRUITS

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"The Sign of Quality"

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6% Mortgage Loans
have plenty of local money to loan on good farms, long time. No delays. Large or small amounts. Write or call on J. V. Pipe, 203 West Second Street, Albany.

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On all Royal Society Package Goods, Stamped Laundry Bags, Towels, Lunch Sets, Runners, Pillow Tops, Nainsook Underwear, Dressing Sacques, hand-embroidered patterns beautifully made, HALF-PRICE

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SOOK UNDERWEAR
BABY SETS
CARRIAGE SETS
BABY CAPS
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