

Albany

Honored Volksblatt!

Albany is still part of this world, so I will write a few lines. There is not much to report, but at least we won't be forgotten.

Rain came, this time in sufficient amounts. We really needed the rain, it has revived everything, even the hope chests of the farmers, and that says a lot.

In comparison to last year the outlook is very favorable. Corn is up everywhere and cotton is also already showing up in a few spots.

Our health is also satisfactory – so, dear friend, what more do you want?

Therefore I'll close for today. More the next time. Best regards.

August Handrick.

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