

# GOLD DUST Cleans Everything and Injures Nothing

The beauty of GOLD DUST is that it cleanses thoroughly without the least danger of injury. There are many good cleaners on the market which do the work quickly and well, but they contain abrasive matter, and in time will wear through brass, tiling, porcelain tubs and bowls and all highly polished surfaces.

GOLD DUST does the work, does it better, and does not wear away the surface. The safety and surety of GOLD DUST has been proven by years of service for all cleansing purposes in thousands of "neat-as-a-pin" homes.

Why experiment when GOLD DUST stands without an equal as an all round cleanser?



"Let the Gold Dust Do your work"

Made by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY Makers of FAIRY SOAP, the oval cake

WYACONDA, MO. Mrs. Will Cavett, who has been here for the past week, returned to her home Monday in Lenseur, Minn. Miss Beatrice Parsons who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. F. Linton, returned Friday to her home at Oakville, Iowa. Rev. Chas. Petree preached in the M. E. church Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings, and also Sunday morning. There were ten additions to the church. Ed. Fairbrother and family of near Luray visited his mother, Mrs. A. Fairbrother, in this city Sunday. The Wyaconda Sunday school and the Christian Sunday school have decided to give Christmas exercises on Christmas eve. A. H. Stafford and wife of Bozeman, Calif., arrived here last week and are J. Stafford, and other relatives and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stafford and other relatives and friends. M. A. Woolridge has just returned from St. Louis, where he has purchased stock. The Home Protection club met at the M. E. church Monday evening. A nice program was rendered, which is as follows: Recitation, Nettie Kuhlman; instrumental music, Mrs. E. M. Chappel; recitation, Bertha Hooker; recitation, Mrs. Toyman; select reading, Mr. O. F. D. Wilson; recitation, Mrs. R. W. Norton; duet, Celesta and Hannah Ruth. Mr. John Steels, who lives two miles west of town is building a new barn with cement blocks. A Policeman's Testimony J. N. Paterson, night policeman of Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world. Wilkinson & Co. A Benefactor of the Race. A man has invented a contrivance by means of which a woman's waist can be fastened in the back by simply pulling a string. The husband's union should send him an engrossed resolution of thanks.

## OPERA TEAM NO LONGER 1,000.

Defeated by Olympians on Olympia Alley in One-Sided Match Last Evening Before Large Crowd.

### HANDICAP IS OVERCOME

Selbert Team Given 108 Pins to go on, But This Lead was Overcome in Very First Game.

Table with 3 columns: Club, Pins, Score. Rows include Operas, Grand Leaders, Keokuk Club, Wells, Seal Skins, Drexel, Olympians, LeBrons.

Results Last Night. Olympians 2382, Operas (108 handicap) 2215.

The Selbert team has finally been pulled from their perfect standing. Last night on the Olympia alleys the Olympians, who have encountered hard luck in spite of good bowling during the opening games of the league, had all the better of it and from the early going had little difficulty. The handicap of 108 pins was more than overcome in the first game.

At least three good averages were spoiled by very low games. Crimmins was the only bowler who maintained his good work throughout the match and carried off both high game and high average. The former was 194 made in the first game and the latter was 174.2-3. Powell had an excellent chance for a nice average with 189 and 187 in the first two games, but splits in the third pulled him to 112.

Carlson for the Opera team had high score of 168 and Ericson high average of 154.

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A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by Wilkinson & Co. Pharmacy and J. F. Kiedaisch & Son.

### THE RAILROADS AS BAROMETERS

Country is in a Prosperous Condition When the Roads Are Kept Continuously Busy.

The railroads of the country are the best business barometers. If they are moving a large traffic—passenger and freight—it is certain that the country is in a prosperous condition. Then, too, the railroads, while they share to a large extent in the general prosperity, also exert a decided influence upon that condition by turning back into circulation a large proportion of their revenue for new equipment, improvements, extensions, better train service and safety appliances, not forgetting the necessity for additional trains between our large cities and when you see such a system as the New York Central lines, with a national reputation of being "America's Great Passenger Railroad System," whose passenger service from Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati to the east is without equal, adding new trains of the "Limited Type," you can make up your mind that the occasion demands such service and that the country is in a prosperous condition.

As an example of what might be termed a "multiplicity of trains to New York and Boston," the New York Central lines have been operating from Chicago eighteen trains a day, eleven from the LaSalle street station and seven from the Central station, Twelfth street and Michigan avenue, and now, in addition, they announce another high class train known as "New York Central Number Six," leaving Chicago, LaSalle street station, at 10:15 daily, arriving New York 9:15 next morning, a twenty-two hour train of the same high class type as the famous "Twen-

Caumet Baking Powder. The only high-class Baking Powder sold at a moderate price.

tieth Century Limited." There is predicted a successful future for the new train, connecting as it does with western trains, and supplying the demand for fast daylight service, crossing Indiana and Ohio during the day and down the lower Hudson river the next morning.

Many persons find themselves affected with a persistent cough after an attack of influenza. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. Sold by Wilkinson & Co. Pharmacy, and J. F. Kiedaisch & Son.

### PASSENGER COACHES BUILT OF STEEL

Rock Island Railroad Will Provide Them As An Additional Safeguard to the Travelers.

An additional safeguard in railway travel has been provided in the all steel passenger car. After many years of planning and building cars are now being made that will reduce to a minimum the chance of passenger coaches being telescoped or destroyed by fire.

The first delivery of an order for all steel passenger coaches placed by Rock Island lines has just been received and many of the through trains have been equipped.

The cars have a seating capacity of eighty, the seats are handsomely upholstered in green plush, having high backs, and the arm rests are of Mexican mahogany as are also the window trimmings. Double windows are provided, and just above, a pane of prismatic glass. Lavatory facilities are ample, fittings being of white porcelain and the walls enameled in white.

Cars are vestibuled and brilliantly lighted by means of thirty-three sixteen candle-power incandescent lamps, so arranged as to throw an even light over all. Garland ventilators insure a complete change of air every few moments.

No expense has been spared to make the cars as comfortable as possible.

As rapidly as the cars are received by Rock Island lines from the manufacturers they will be placed in service.

Woman and Wife. Womanhood is greater than wifehood. It comprehends and embraces it. The best woman will make the best wife.—Gail Hamilton.

### HER BABY BOY A MASS OF ERUPTION

Pimply Rash Spread Until Head, Face and Body were Covered with Eczema—Hands Bandaged to Keep from Scratching—Was a Fearful Sight and Defied Cure.

### CUTICURA MADE SKIN CLEAR AND HEALTHY

"My baby's eczema came on when he was three months old, like a rash on his face, then spread over his head. Then there began to form a lot of small pimples over his head from which a watery substance came out and formed a regular mass of crust all over his head, face and body. I had to tie woolen cloths on his hands to keep him from scratching himself. He was a fearful sight to look at. I went to a drug store and tried some of their remedies for eczema but they did not do him any good. I then called in one of our leading physicians and he tried several kinds of medicine and gave me prescriptions, but they only made him worse. At this stage a lady friend of mine came in and advised me to try the Cuticura Remedies. That afternoon I sent for a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and one vial of Cuticura Pills, and in less than a week I could see a vast improvement in him. I washed him all over every morning with the Cuticura Soap and gave him an application of the Cuticura Ointment after his bath. I kept on using the Cuticura Remedies until he was completely cured. They left his skin clear and healthy and I always have kept the Cuticura Remedies in the house ever since. I highly recommend Cuticura to all persons suffering from eczema. Mrs. Kate Brougham, 200 Dewey St., Bennington, Vt., Dec. 5, 1908 and Jan. 17, 1909."

### PIMPLES CURED

"I congratulate Cuticura upon my speedy recovery from pimples which covered my face. I used Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent for ten days and my face cleared and I am perfectly well. I had tried doctors for several months but got no results. Wm. J. Sadlier, 1614 Susquehanna Ave., Philadelphia, Pa., May 1, 1909. Cuticura Soap (25c), Cuticura Ointment (50c) and Cuticura Resolvent (50c), for in the form of Cuticura Coated Pills, 25c, per vial of 60 are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., 125 Columbus Ave., Boston, Mass. For Mail Free, 25-cent Cuticura Book, an authority on Treatment and Cure of Skin Diseases.

## TERRIBLE CRIME COMES TO LIGHT

Unknown Man Found This Morning in an Ice Wagon at Ninth and Johnson With a Knife Through Him.

### POLICE ARE BAFFLED

Have no Tangible Clue on Which to Work as Victim's Identity is Unknown to Any Here.

From time to time, the police have been startled by the atrocious assaults and murders which have occurred in this city and terror has been struck in the hearts of the bravest citizens. A wave of crime seems to be passing over the community and the officers have been baffled in their every attempt to check the foul and ghastly murders which have taken place in the past several months and all realize that something must be done immediately and steps taken to protect the lives of helpless citizens and lead into the clutches of the law, the miscreants who have caused fear to arise by their murderous work.

The latest of the many crimes of late and one which has again startled the city from end to end, was the foul murder of an unknown man whose body was found this morning at five o'clock in an ice wagon at the large ice sheds at Ninth and Johnson streets. The discovery was made by the owner and several employes of the ice company and the police at once notified of the ghastly find.

The body was in a terrible condition, large gashes, some two and three inches being found in the abdomen of the unknown man and most horrible of all, a heavy steel knife eight inches in length and with the sharpness of a razor, being stuck through that part of the body immediately above the heart.

The sun had not yet risen when the man's body was found and the place about the ice plant was dark and a good place for a murder, such as the one which has been brought to light today. The employes of the ice packing plant had gone to work at the usual morning hour and it was by chance when one of them had stepped into the rear of the large covered wagon that he found the knifed body lying with the head towards the driver's seat and with a pool of blood which had congealed in the bed of the wagon. The body when found showed that life had been extinct for at least four hours.

No clue as to the man's identity has been found but the police officers are putting forth every effort and by night may have found some evidence of the perpetrator of this terrible crime.

Later. The man found this morning in the Azinger ice wagon at Ninth and Johnson streets is not known. That he is a man is made plain from the fact that he wore baker's clothes, the white trousers, apron, cap and shoes of the dough mixer and was none other than a dummy which had been rigged up to frighten the employes of the ice company when they came to work before sun up.

The whole thing was planned and carried out in hair raising style by a number of wily bakers who are used to playing such pranks and who wished to have a little fun. They had their fun for the men who surrounded the ice wagon thought that some awful crime had been committed when one of them discovered that the man in the wagon was no more or less than a red faced, stare-eyed dummy put there to frighten them.

This is not the first time the bakers have played a trick on unsuspecting ones as the other day, a dummy contrived by them was dropped from the bakery roof while the multitudes were passing to their work after the noon hour.

What they will do next is not known but a series of good ones is promised for the coming winter months. When a baker is full of yeast foam and raisins, there's no telling what he will do.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it.

### MILTON, IOWA.

Wedding bells rang again in our midst last Wednesday evening when two couples of this place were united in marriage. Miss Lena Smith and James Luman were married at the home of Rev. Newton, Cavens, and Miss Ruth Cooley and Warren Sherwood were married at her parents home by Rev. Latham Ingham. Both couples are highly respected by all and the well wishes of all are extended to them. They will reside in Milton.

The Milton Poultry show, is being held in the Russell building. There is a fine display of birds of several

## Why We Can Guarantee OCCIDENT FLOUR

INQUIRE the price of Occident Flour. You will find it costs a few cents more per sack than ordinary flour. That really means little to you if you are satisfied—as you are sure to be with Occident. But it means everything to the millers. This little difference in price is what enables them to lift the standard of Occident Flour out of the ordinary to "highest grade in the world"—from wheat to package. It enables them to buy only the finest wheat—direct from farmers. To maintain great elevators in the wheat belt of North Dakota, where they cure and age their own wheat. To maintain laboratories where every day's run of wheat and flour is rigidly tested—where they prove absolutely that Occident Flour is the best in the world—for food values, cleanness and baking qualities. To buy better sacks to protect Occident Flour in shipping and handling. (\$25,000 more are spent every year for the fine, firm Occident sacks, than would be spent for the ordinary kind.)



### The Difference Shows In Your Baking

The first cost of Occident Flour is a few cents more—you get the results in your baking. Try it—you'll say with us it is worth many times the difference. Your Money Back if Occident is Not the Best Flour You Ever Used.

Go to your grocer and get a sack of Occident Flour. Use it for your next baking—and as many more as you please. If, then, you are not convinced that Occident Flour is the best you ever used—gives surer and better results with all your baked stuff—go back and tell your grocer. He is authorized to refund, without argument, the full purchase price of any package of Occident which you do not find satisfactory.

Isn't that the broadest guarantee, the fairest offer you ever read? It is for you to make use of today—if you please. You cannot know too soon why and how Occident Flour is better than any other.

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# Hunting Boots

We Have a Limited Number of Sample Pairs

In 12 to 18 inch patterns that sell regularly at \$4 up to \$7. These exceptionally rare values can now be had at a saving of \$1 to \$2 per pair.

Our Prices Range From \$3 to \$5

See Them

Miller Shoe Man THE 616 Main St.

kind, as our people take pride in good stock, some taking prizes at Keokuk last week.

The meetings will close at the Christian church tonight. Rev. Brown is a fine speaker and the meetings have been well attended. Our merchants are busy with holiday trade.

Miss Ethel Parks is clerking in the Postoffice at this place.

### REVERE, MO.

T. H. Goldsberry left last week for Colorado. His daughter is with his sister near Wayland and his son is with Geo. Ballard.

Abner Richey moved last week from the Methodist parsonage to the house vacated by Mr. Goldsberry. Kenneth, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Lucas, has been quite sick.

A sister of Mrs. Curtis, who has been here for some time, left Saturday evening.

Rev. Wilson filled his appointment here Sunday. Mrs. Julia Richey and Mrs. D. E. Norton spent the day in Pecksville Saturday.

Mrs. Jess Seward and daughter re-

turned home Saturday, after a pleasant visit with relatives in Alexandr. and Keokuk.

Mrs. Dorothy and little daughter, returned home Saturday after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Reimer of this place.

## Scott's Emulsion

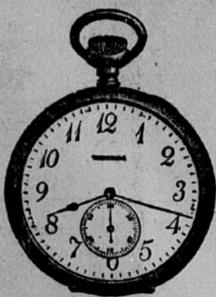
is the original—has been the standard for thirty-five years.

There are thousands of so-called "just as good" Emulsions, but they are not—they are simply imitations which are never as good as the original. They are like thin milk—SCOTT'S is thick like a heavy cream.

If you want it thin, do it yourself—with water—but don't buy it thin.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. Send 30c. name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Sketch-Book. Each book contains a Good Luck Penny. SCOTT & BOWNE 409 Pearl St. New York

## Waltham Watches



### Don't Be Fooled

Buying a watch ought to be a serious business. If you pick up a catalogue issued by a mail order house and send on to Chicago or some other place for a watch, you are likely to be disappointed. The thing to do is to go to a jeweler; tell him you want a Waltham Watch. He will give you what you want; but before you pay him he will overhaul the mechanism, oil it up, get the watch in good running shape and keep it so for any reasonable length of time; and any watch bought from a responsible watchmaker or jeweler that does go wrong this Company will make good. We cannot, however, stand back of watches bought haphazard from the catalogues of mail order houses.

Waltham Watch Company Waltham, Mass.

N. B.—When buying a watch always ask your jeweler for a Waltham adjusted to temperature and position.