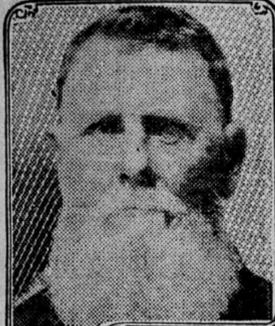
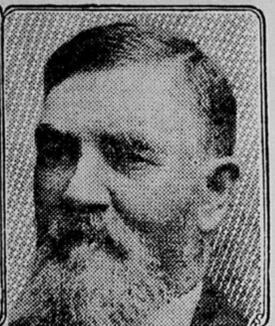


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Grandmothers and Grandfathers Who Believe in Peru-na. I CAN recommend Peru-na as a good medicine for chronic catarrh of the stomach and bowels. I have been troubled with it severely for over a year, and also a cough. "Now my cough is all gone, and all the distressing symptoms of catarrh of the stomach and bowels have disappeared. "I will recommend it to all as a rare remedy."—Mrs. F. E. Little, Tolono, Ill. "HAD catarrh of the stomach, bowels and lower internal organs. Had a great deal of pain in my right hip, which felt like rheumatism. Also, pain in my internal organs. The water was highly colored, my back was weak, was constipated, and very restless. "I commenced to take Peru-na according to directions, and began to improve. I have taken ten bottles of Peru-na and think I am cured."—Mr. W. C. Hemphill, Louisville, Miss.

THE "BURLINGTON" IMPROVES SERVICE

Through the Co-operation of the "Q" Keokuk is Getting Mail More Regularly.

General Agent A. C. Maxwell is in receipt of a number of letters recently relative to the improvement of the mail service into Keokuk. It will be remembered that recently representatives of the "Burlington" road held a meeting with Keokuk shippers in regard to the delayed mail service and while at that meeting it was admitted that the "Burlington" was not at fault. Mr. Eustis, head of the passenger department, promised to give all the relief it was possible to give and has been doing so. The following letters relative to the service will be of interest:

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 4, 1910. Mr. A. C. Maxwell, G. A., Keokuk, Ia. Dear Sir:—At the joint request of Superintendent Taft and West of the railway mail service, we have arranged to forward No. 12's postal car on the second section when No. 12 is run in two sections from Burlington to Keokuk. Captain West has instructed mail clerks on our fast mail train No. 7, Chicago to Burlington to make a pouch for letters and newspapers for Keokuk, so that this mail can be forwarded in the baggage car on first section of No. 12.

There are two other features which you may want to bring to the attention of the Keokuk Commercial club. One is, that it is the intention to run a first section of No. 12 out of Burlington on time when the Rock Island train is reported one hour or more late. Our friends at Keokuk should understand that in some cases where the Rock Island is reported less than one hour late, the train is farther delayed, and by the time it reaches Burlington, it is more than one hour late. Under such circumstances, there would be no first section of No. 12. Another thing, is that occasionally, it may happen that the Rock Island train is so very late, that pas-

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Nine-tenths of all the sickness of women is due to some derangement or dis-ease of the organs distinctly feminine. Such sickness can be cured—is cured every day by

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It acts directly on the organs affected and is at the same time a general restorative tonic for the whole system. It cures female complaint right in the privacy of home. It makes unnecessary the disagreeable questioning, examinations and local treatment so universally insisted upon by doctors, and so abhorrent to every modest woman.

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Church Announcements

TIME OF SUNDAY SERMONS, LOCATION OF CHURCHES, TOIC OF SERMONS AND SPECIAL MUSIC TO BE GIVEN AT THE VARIOUS SERVICES.

Sermons at the First Christian church, R. W. Lilley, pastor; Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Bible school; 11 a. m., preaching; 3 p. m., Junior Endeavor; 6:30 p. m., Senior Endeavor, led by Harry VanAusdall; 7:30 p. m., sermon—"Naaman the Leper"—illustrated with twelve beautiful slides. You are welcome.

St. John's church (Episcopal), corner Fourth and Concert streets; Rev. Dr. McIlwain, rector; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.—The Rev. Floyd Keeler officiating. There will be morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m.; evening prayer and song service, with a short talk by the officiating clergyman; the offertory at the morning service will be an anthem by the choir. Mrs. Hance will sing "My Hope is in the Everlasting," by Stainer. A cordial welcome to all.

First Westminster Presbyterian church, Seventh and Blondeau streets; Rev. E. B. Newcomb, D. D., pastor; Preaching services at 10:45 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.; morning sermon on "The Growing Christian"; evening, "Past Prison Portals." A cordial invitation is extended to the public. Strangers and young people are especially invited to the evening service. Bible school at 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. The evening music will include the offertory solo by Mrs. Hance, "Hear My Cry, O Lord."

First Congregational church, Sixth and High; Rev. G. C. Williams, pastor. Services Sunday as follows: Bible school, 9:45; morning worship, 11:00. No evening service. Visitors cordially welcomed.

English Lutheran church, corner Fourteenth and Johnson streets; Sunday school at 10 o'clock; preaching services at 10:45. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Henry Henke, 206 South Third street, corner Exchange. Everybody welcome.

Trinity M. E. church, corner Tenth and Main streets; John Wesley Potter, pastor; Morning worship at 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Junior league at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth league at 6:30 p. m.; evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Special music in the morning by large chorus choir; anthem, "From Glory Unto Glory"; and in the evening a solo by Mrs. Henry Schouten, "Behold! I stand at the Door" (Jude). Midweek prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. A cordial welcome to the stranger.

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ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of letters remaining in the Keokuk postoffice unclaimed for, for week ending January 8, 1910.

Ladies.

Mrs. O. G. Kipp. Miss Maggie Tierney. Mrs. Winifred Waid.

Gentlemen.

Harry Giese. Gardner & Gould. C. H. Hawkins. Keokuk Grocery Co. Dare Lyon. E. B. Lyons. Charley Meyers. Cris Williams.

Persons calling for letters in above list will please say they are advertised.

S. W. MOORHEAD, Postmaster.

Thinking Pleasant Things.

Make yourselves nests of pleasant thoughts. None of us yet knows, for none of us has been taught in early youth, what fairy palaces we may build of beautiful thoughts, proof against all adversity—bright fancies, satisfied memories, noble histories, faithful sayings, treasure houses of precious and restful thoughts, which care cannot disturb, nor pain make gloomy, nor poverty take away from us—houses built without hands for our souls to live in.—John Ruskin.

—Read The Daily Gate City.

will speak on Tennyson and will illustrate her talk by readings. The annual meeting of the church society will be held on Monday evening, January 17, 1910, at 8 o'clock.

Second Presbyterian, F. A. McGaw, pastor. Morning subject: "Channels of Blessing." Evening topic: "Christ Our Judge." Morning school at the church at 9:45. Afternoon school at Rock hall at 2:30. Whosoever will, may come.

Swedish Mission church, corner of Fourteenth and Morgan streets. R. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Prayer meeting and services. Scandinavians cordially invited.

United Presbyterian church, Ninth and Blondeau streets. Rev. Harry B. Foster, pastor. Preaching services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme: "My Father and I." Evening theme: "The Heavenly Vision." Sabbath school 9:30 a. m. Christian Union 6:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to the stranger. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

St. Paul's German Evangelical church, corner Eleventh and Exchange streets, Rev. J. Nuesch, pastor. Sunday school at 9:00 a. m.; preaching service at 10:30 a. m. on the subject: "What Do the Stars Tell Us." The evening service at 7:30 p. m. is in English and will be under the auspices of the Y. P. S. A paper will be read on the subject, "What are Our Duties Regarding the Church and the Y. P. S. for the New Year and how Should we Meet Them?" There will also be a round table discussion on the subject, "How can We Make Our Meetings more Interesting and Profitable?" All are cordially invited to attend and made welcome.

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COAL FAMINE KEEPING AWAY

Manufacturing Concerns of Keokuk Though Experiencing Little Inconvenience Have Plenty of Fuel.

THE SITUATION AS IT IS

Railroads are to Blame for the Shortage of Fuel Which is Closing Down Many Concerns Elsewhere.

The coal situation in Keokuk at the present time among the city's largest public and private concerns can be summarized in the following statements obtained yesterday from their various heads: Keokuk Electric Light and Power company, week's supply. Keokuk water works pumping station, two days' supply. S. P. Pond company, week's supply. Hubinger Bros. starch factory, ample supply. Hulskamp Bros. company, situation looks well.

All over the country at the present time, one of the most extensive coal famines that has occurred in a number of years is now passing but with a higher temperature promised, the situation it is thought will be well in hand within a short time and institutions and manufacturing concerns which have found it necessary to suspend operations for the present can be reopened with the assurance that there will be plenty of coal to cope with the remainder of the winter's cold weather.

For the terrible congestion which seems almost the impossible to untangle, the railroads are entirely to blame. Coal is being mined as never before in the Illinois and eastern mines, the most of Keokuk's supply coming from that state. The railroads are unable to move the cars, as is the situation in a nut-shell and as a result there is a shortage of coal all over the country. As soon as the roads find a clear way out of the congested condition which they are facing just now, the coal famine which is causing inconvenience everywhere, will have passed and the normal will have been gained again.

Keokuk has not faced the conditions that many other cities in this section have, however, and there is scarcely any complaint to be made on account of the scarcity of coal. In some cities, power plants, water works and pumping stations, schools, hospitals and other public buildings, not to speak of large manufacturing concerns employing two and three thousand men have been shut down on account of the present coal famine.

A gentleman from the east in speaking recently said that over on the Illinois Central, car after car of coal, loaded and ready for shipment can be seen, standing on the siding, while trains of coal cars are being hurried past them, in an effort to catch up with the situation and relieve as quickly as possible the famine which came without warning and struck those unprepared for it a healthy blow.

The roads which are to blame for the situation the doing their best, however, to catch up in the delivery of the thousands of cars which are loaded and in readiness for shipment.

Situation Locally. The Keokuk Water Works company has enough coal in its bunkers to last until Monday noon. The average consumption per day of this plant is six tons. Several more cars are expected to arrive by Monday and no shut down will be experienced such as has occurred in a number of Illinois and Iowa towns.

In speaking yesterday of the power company's coal supply, E. L. Patterson of the Keokuk Electric Light and Power company said: "We were anticipating a shortage and were prepared for it. There is plenty of coal to last a week at the plant and by the end of that time, more will be here. If any was needed, the large supply at the gas plant could be drawn on without inconvenience."

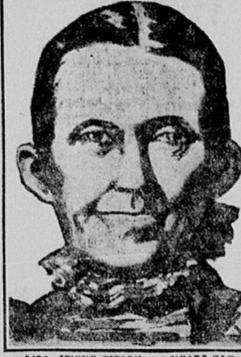
No trouble will be experienced at the large cereal plant and that concern could withstand a famine of long duration. The other larger concerns are not looking forward to any famine, though some little inconvenience was caused last week by the lateness of arrival of coal.

The greatest danger from influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as it not only cures influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia. Sold by Wilkiesch & Co. Pharmacy and J. F. Kleinsch & Son.

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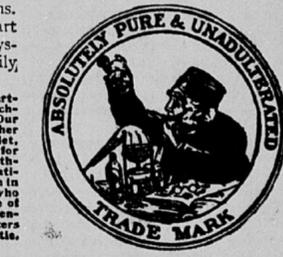
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AMUSEMENTS.

The Grand. Jan. 17—Henry Woodruff, in "The Prince of Tonight." Jan. 18—Paid in Full. Jan. 20—Corinne Snell, in "The Only Way." Jan. 24—Graumark. Jan. 26—The Greenbread Man. Jan. 27—A Gentleman from Mississippi. Jan. 28—The Girl at the Helm.

"The Prince of Tonight." The Clinton Herald, of December 31, said: Henry Woodruff has the distinction of entertaining the largest audience of the year at the Clinton theatre, accomplishing that feat last evening, when he appeared here in "The Prince of Tonight," and to say that he entertained is not exactly expressing what he did, for Mr. Woodruff and his supporting company kept the audience in a continual uproar of laughter and applause.

Tuneful Music. With its tuneful music, magnificent scenery, beauty chorus handsomely gowned, and array of worthy principals in the cast, "The Prince of Tonight" scored heavily last night and it is to be hoped that Manager C. E. Dixon, of the Clinton, will be able to secure a return engagement in spite of the advance reports to the opposite effect. Hough, Adams and Joe Howard have done themselves proud in their collaboration and Port H. Singer has added to the attractiveness of the musical production through the col-

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