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Keokuk, Iowa ..... January 13, 1916

Mrs. Gabrielle Greeley Clendenin, daughter of Horace Greeley, has made a public protest against the removal of the statue of the famous editor of the New York Tribune, from its pedestal in Printing House Square, New York.

Bert E. Pinkerton, publisher of the Daily Monmouth (Ill.) Atlas is a candidate for congress from the fourteenth Illinois district, and was in these parts this week inspecting the political thought, particularly as it affects his candidacy.

THE MILITIA. The regular army officers have never taken kindly to the militia. Secretary Garrison does not share their prejudices but he shows the difficulties in the way of relying on the militia for meeting the requirements for adequate preparedness.

At the present time this force consists of approximately 120,000 men and officers, and it would, therefore, be necessary if it is to be extended to 400,000 to add 270,000 men and officers.

If this policy should be attempted congress would first have to require the states to raise and maintain all of these troops and the states would have to practically treble their existing equipment. I do not know whether congress would have any power to impose this burden upon the states.

J. Garrison pointed out that the national guard could be called in federal service only for three purposes, to suppress domestic insurrection, to enforce the law, and to repel invasion, and added:

"There is no one thing so free from dispute as that the basis of any proper military system must be unity of responsibility, authority and control. It is absolutely impossible to have this essential unity under the constitutional provisions with respect to the organized militia or national guard."

1916 BUSINESS PROSPECTS. Whatever may be the economic reactions after the close of the war in Europe, it cannot now be gainsaid that all signs point to substantial prosperity during 1916.

A low record for the Underwood law as a revenue producer was chalked up the week ended December 25, 1915. The average duty rate for the week was 8.7, the worst showing thus far made by the Underwood tariff since its enactment in October, 1913.

Now, with the opening of the new year, various editors and experts, following a long established custom, have reviewed our economic position; and it may fairly be said that with one voice they agree upon a favorable verdict. This is true of Dun's Review, of Bradstreet's, of the New York Journal of Commerce, and of the New York Evening Post.

There was just as much champagne drunk around New Year's in this country as though the French vineyards had escaped the ravages of war. California and the Lake Erie district bottle up a holiday drink just as smoothly as any imported headache.

Henry county republicans have declared for Mr. Kopp for congress. Henry county and other counties in the district have on former occasions declared for C. A. Kennedy for congress. We believe they are going to do so again this fall at the primary and general election.

If Keokuk people will purchase everything they can in Keokuk, and not only that, if they will go a step farther and as far as possible buy things made in Keokuk, they will be doing the part of loyal citizens to make this a greater city. Every dollar spent for articles made in Keokuk gives employment to Keokuk men, puts money in the banks, adds to the value of real estate, increases retail trade and swells the prosperity of the city.

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ability of this country being involved in the gigantic strife; but as against this the large portion of the people are paying less and less attention to the war and more and more are concentrating their thoughts and efforts on domestic matters.

Keokuk shivered and shook in the grip of the most severe weather of the entire winter last night and today. With a high northwest wind blowing all afternoon and part of the night, the cold was intensified to what who had to be out, and who were forced to face the breezes.

Hamilton Gate City Hamilton, Ill., Jan. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Triboulet of Burnside were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Sweet.

Albert Ehrlich of St. Louis was a business caller Monday.

Oscar McCoy has been confined to his room for several days with a bad case of the grippe.

Last Monday was the sixth anniversary of the commencing of the work on the big dam. Just get busy and think what has been done since

"ANURIGI!" THE NEWEST DISCOVERY IN CHEMISTRY

This is a recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, who is head of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y.

Go to your nearest drug store and simply ask for a 50-cent package of "Anurigi," manufactured by Dr. Pierce, or even write Doctor Pierce for a free sample.

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Dr. Pierce's Pellets are the original Little Liver Pills. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.

GOLD WAVE ARRIVES; BRINGS TEMPERATURE BELOW ZERO

Official Readings at Weather Bureau Showed 9 Below at Mid-night.

LOWEST WAS 17 BELOW

January 28 Was Coldest Day of Season Last Year—Traffic Interrupted Last Night.

THAT COLD WAVE GOT HERE. Official temperature midnight, 9 below zero.

Lowest during night, 17 below zero. Temperature at 7 a. m., 16 below zero.

Unofficial thermometer readings—from 14 to 22 below zero.

Coldest day last year on January 28, when temperature was 16 below zero.

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county attorney, appellants vs. Terrence Thomas, et al. Buena Vista County, affirmed; opinion by Weaver.

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