

Some of the boys in this year's graduating class have put on working clothes and are doing some hustling. That's their right spirit, boys. People have their eyes on you and are watching your actions.

The famous easy washer, Maple City Soap works perfectly in hard water.

Make your ads to the point. Let the people know in a way most convenient for them to read just what you have to offer at certain prices, and when they respond have your goods so displayed that examining and buying will be a pleasure.

Rosin has no washing properties. Maple City Soap contains no rosin.

The reports from the great apple orchards of the southwest corner of the state, are to the effect that the outlook for a great crop was never more promising. Mr. J. M. Baehle, of the C. B. & Q. passenger department, has a very fine orchard near Hamburg and he is regarded as an authority on all matters pertaining to fruit culture. And as he is feeling pretty sure of a good crop it is considered as a settled matter that the crop will be alright.

Goods dyed with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES are not discolored by sweat or fruit acid. Sold by druggists, 10c. per package.

Eavesdropping at the telephone is much more prevalent than it ever was at the keyhole, detection being so much less probable. It is said that one sign of eavesdropping is the receding tone of the speaker's voice. Someone has "cut in." Acting on the hint, a woman who had her suspicions aroused said to her friend suddenly, "Someone is listening." Instantly, from nowhere in particular, in a strange voice, came an indignant exclamation. "I'm not doing any such thing."

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES are the easiest to use. With them there is no muss or complicated process. Boiling the goods for half an hour is all there is to it. They are simple, safe, sure. Sold by druggists, 10c. package.

Yonder is an old lady; her hair is quite gray, the snow of age has drifted through her one-time raven locks. She is hoeing in the garden, carrying on the war against the plague of weeds. Next Monday she will wash and on Tuesday she will iron. She has a grown daughter who is just now beating out the tins of "Just One Girl" on the piano; her mother endeavoring to keep time with the hoe. The girl could hoe but she will not; she could take a fall out of the wash tub, too, but she will not, she is too refined; she has the soul of an artist, but she couldn't sit down to a sewing machine and run up a seam on a "colony blue" apron to save her artistic soul from perdition. Yes, her mother will finish hoeing the onion patch in time to get dinner.

**Relief in Six Hours.**  
Distressing Kidney and Bladder Disease cured in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by W. C. Stempel & Co., Druggists, Leon, Iowa.

You will find 'em scattered about over the state if you were to go to other states you would find the conditions about the same, stranded political wrecks, delinquents drifting on the political sea. Once they were important factors, held office, had patronage to distribute and were fawned upon by people who wanted favors. Now they are has-beens, neglected, almost forgotten. Some of these men have managed to remain reasonably cheerful, but most of them are disgruntled and bilious. Better as a rule to stick to business, lead an honorable life, help the fellows who are down when you can, lay up something for old age, keep cheerful and contented and your life will beat the life of the average office seeking politician as four acs are said to beat an abbreviated flush.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

They want no more wood sidewalk and hereafter cement or brick must be laid. That would be a good ordinance for Leon to pass — especially for a number of blocks from the business part of town. Quite a number of property owners have already put in brick and cement and there should be uniform walks all over town.

**E. W. Grove**

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

You may not have noticed that in a deck of cards there are 365 spots, as many as there are days in the year, 52 cards in a deck, the number of weeks in a year. There are four suits, the same as the number of weeks in a month. Twelve picture cards resemble the number of months in the year and thirteen cards in a suit, the number of weeks in a quarter.

"The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you desire to appear." That is precisely the manner in which Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has gained its reputation as a cure for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Every bottle that has ever been put out by the manufacturers has been fully up to the high standard of excellence claimed for it. People have found that it can always be depended upon for the relief and cure of these ailments and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by W. A. Alexander, Druggist.

It never pays to be personal in public. If you have personal differences with any one, if the ways or the words of some people displease you go to your brother who gives offense, privately, but do not announce your grievance from the house tops. "If thy brother offend thee" perhaps thou dost also offend thy brother, and a clean talk may dispel the error. Go and see.

**If A Man Lies To You,**  
And says some other salve, ointment, lotion, oil or alleged healer is as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve, tell him thirty years of marvelous cures of Piles, Burns, Boils, Corns, Felons, Ulcers, Cuts, Scalds, Bruises and Skin Eruptions prove it's the best and cheapest. 25c at L. Van Werden's drug store.

Popularity is a fickle jade. We never knew anyone so "popular" that they were not "talked about." The man who believes he is popular is always nervous because of the fear that he will do something that will give his rival the advantage. Sometimes the best way is to do as you please, being careful not to interfere with the rights of others, and let "popular" people have the worry. We know we are unpopular — every newspaper man is.

**Ladies Can Wear Shoes.**  
One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy; gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, blisters, calluses and sore feet. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for sweating, hot, itching feet. At all druggists and shoe stores. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE by mail. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

**Homeseekers' Excursions.**  
Homeseekers' tickets to nearly all points on sale at low rates by Chicago Great Western Railway on first and third Tuesday of each month, June to October inclusive. For particulars apply to any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. 10-20

**Business Opportunities for All.**  
Locations in Iowa, Illinois, Minnesota and Missouri in the Chicago Great Western Railway; the very best agricultural section of the United States, where farmers are prosperous and business men successful. We have a demand for competent men, with the necessary capital, for all branches of business. Some special opportunities to creamery men and millers. Good locations for general merchandise, hardware, harness, hotels, banks and stockbuyers. Correspondence solicited. Write for Maps and Map Leaflets. W. J. Reed, Industrial Agent, 604 Endicott Bldg., St. Paul, Minn. 37-8t

There are many babies in this town. Not too many children, the hope of the nation, but too many grown-up babies. They can be seen on the street, in society, heard in the lodge room, encountered everywhere. The grown-up babies are fellows who are knocked out.

The grown-up babies can not stand criticism or complaint. They go to bed for a sore finger. They give up an enterprise when there is a fight against it. They lie in bed late in the morning. They quit work before the whistle blows. They are afraid to get their clothes muddy or their hands soiled. They are always on the hunt for soft snaps. They want a position where there is nothing to do.

The grown-up babies never do the world's work. They carry no burden. They accomplish nothing for humanity or themselves. In the church they are always on the lookout for snubs or slights. In business they throw all the labor and responsibility upon others. In politics they want the other fellow to do their fighting while they walk off with the spoils.

The grown-up baby is a nuisance. A carload of him is not worth a single man of backbone and thick skin and a good right arm, able to defend himself and protect his weaker neighbor. — Shenandoah Sentinel.

**The Same Old Story.**

J. A. Kelly relates an experience similar to that which has happened in almost every neighborhood in the United States and has been told and re-told by thousands of others. He says: "Last summer I had an attack of dysentery and purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used according to directions and with entirely satisfactory results. The trouble was controlled much quicker than former attacks when I used other remedies." Mr. Kelly is a well known citizen of Henderson, N. C. For sale by W. A. Alexander, Druggist.

**The World's Greatest Show.**

The Iowa State Fair is beyond question the greatest live-stock show in the world. Last year there were exhibited over six hundred and fifty head of cattle, this being only fifty less than were shown at the Great Fat Stock show, at Chicago last fall. The number of cattle to be shown at the State Fair this year will doubtless be greater than ever before, and in order to accommodate the increased number, a large cattle barn is being erected in addition to the many already on the grounds.

Besides the regular premiums offered in the cattle department by the Fair management, special premiums are offered by the American Associations of the Short Horn, Aberdeen-Angus and Hereford Cattle breeders. These special premiums are very liberal, and will have the effect of bringing out representatives of some of the very best herds in the west. With the erection of the Stock Pavilion, making additional facilities for the showing and judging of this great show of live-stock, the Iowa State Fair presents the greatest inducements to stock raisers everywhere to attend.

**Saves A Woman's Life.**

To have given up would have meant death for Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass. For years she had endured untold misery from a severe lung trouble and obstinate cough. "Often," she writes, "I could scarcely breathe and some times could not speak. All doctors and remedies failed till I used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was completely cured." Sufferers from Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung Trouble need this grand remedy, for it never disappoints. Cure is guaranteed by L. Van Werden, Price, 50c and \$1.00.

**The Battle Ground of Modern Thought**

The Chicago Record-Herald has conceived the unique idea of assigning a page of its Sunday edition to the public for the free discussion of important questions of the day. Under the head "The Battle Ground of Modern Thought" an opportunity is offered to the public for the same discussion of all problems engaging the attention of the American people. Writers of ability present their views on subjects not generally treated in the daily press, and Record-Herald readers generally are invited to join the debate. The fairest, most forceful and original contributions are published. The following are a few of the subjects which have been discussed since this department was first organized: "Is Blacklisting Within the Law?" "Trusts and the Proper Way to Regulate Them." "Great Peril That Besets Pagan China." "Liquor Trade and Its Evil Consequences." "Are Free Books Wanted in Public Schools?" "Inhumanity to Animals." The Record-Herald disclaims responsibility for the dogmas upheld, the theories advanced or the panaceas advocated. It reserves the right only to preserve order, to keep out personalities and rancor, and to see that good temper and candor characterize the discussions.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from Horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring Bone, Stiffles, Sprains, Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save \$20 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Hirsch Cure ever known. Sold by W. C. Stempel & Co., Druggists, Leon, Iowa.

With vegetation luxuriant and flowers blooming in profusion hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of bees in Iowa and Illinois are starving to death. For three weeks rains have fallen almost every day and have washed the flowers and tree blooms clean of nectar and pollen, on which the bees live and lay up their stores. A peculiar feature of the matter is that none but adept bee raisers become aware of the true state of affairs until they find their bees lying dead by the thousands outside the hives, and on investigation the hives themselves are found absolutely cleaned of all honey. The ordinary raiser sees his bees lying outside the hive as if they were preparing to swarm. This is where he is deceived, for in reality they are bees which have left their own emptied hive and are in front of a neighbor hive seeking to rob it of its supplies. Bees are wise little creatures in this time of famine, and it is found that they have killed all the drones which are honey consumers and destroyed the queen cells, thus preventing an increase in numbers. So not only does the bee raiser face the calamity of no honey crop this season, but also of no increase in the number of his hives by swarming. Experienced raisers are advising the feeding of the bees at once to save the old ones at all. The food recommended is to take equal parts of granulated sugar and water, boil, skim the syrup, and put it out where the bees can get it, putting splinters of wood in the vessels for the bees to light upon. Men who have been in the business fifty years say this is the most threatening disaster they have experienced in their career, and advise immediate action that the bees be saved.

"I am using a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and find them the best thing for my stomach I ever used," says T. W. Robinson Justice of the Peace, Loomis, Mich. These Tablets not only correct disorders of the stomach but regulate the liver and bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. A. Alexander, Druggist.

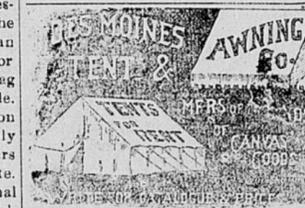
A philosopher is a man who can see how others make such big mistakes. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin cures Sick Headache. Sold by L. Van Werden. Girls, remember that a husband worth having is worth taking care of. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin cures Stomach Troubles. Sold by L. Van Werden.

**Referee's Sale.**  
The undersigned, referees in the case of Martha C. Fry vs. Isaiah Fry, et al., have for sale three hundred and seventy-six acres of land known as the Fry farm situated near De Kalb, Decatur County, Iowa. More than one hundred acres of it is fine bottom land; there is also on a part of the south side along the railroad a very fine rock quarry and sand bank. There was shipped out of there last year seventy-eight (78) car-loads of sand and one hundred (100) car-loads of rock. There is a good two story house containing nine large rooms, good barn 34 x 40, fair orchard. Any quantity of water on all parts of the land. Is in fact one of the best farms for all purposes in Decatur County both for grain and stock. This land can be bought for Forty Dollars per acre. See us and we will show you the land any time.

This 26th day of June, 1902  
G. W. BAKER,  
STEPHEN VARGA,  
W. S. CHANDLER,  
Referees.

**A Welcome Addition to any Table.**  
Try one of Cudahy's "Rex" lunch tongues and any prejudice you may have against canned meats will disappear like dew before the morning sun. Economical, palatable, wholesome, and nutritious, Rex canned meats are a welcome addition to any table. They help to make life easier, because, being cooked and ready for the table, they save time, labor, and fuel. Lunch tongues are only one of the "forty good things" which the Cudahy Packing Co. puts up for the enjoyment of man and the comfort of woman. Others are: Sliced beef, chopped beef, pork and beans, Vienna sausage, corned beef hash, and pot-roast turkey.

All these articles are put up in patent key-opening cans — turn the key and the can is open. The housewife who would rid herself of a world of unnecessary labor; who would escape as far as possible the discomforts of housework in hot weather, will ask her grocer or meat market man to show her the various "Rex" canned meats he carries. Among them she will surely find some that will strike her fancy.



# encourage the appetite

## Uneededa Biscuit

Everybody needs Uneededa Biscuit. The invalid who requires nourishment; the child of delicate digestion; the worker of sturdy appetite, find in Uneededa Biscuit both substance and sustenance. The In-er-seal Package keeps them fresh and good.

# Builder's Hardware!

To those who contemplate building a dwelling house or barn —

We wish to say, that we would be pleased to figure with you on your

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Get your carpenter to make out a bill of what you want, bring it to us and we will tell you exactly what it will cost you. Don't wait for your neighbors to join you.

The Price will be the same Whether you come singly or in dozens.

Remember there is a limit to the price at which goods can be sold, and leave the dealer a profit. We have reached that limit. We do not throw out balls on certain goods, thinking to catch you on something else. Neither do we figure on one grade of goods and then substitute another and inferior grade.

We give you exactly what you bargain for, and full 16oz. to the pound.

You will always get a SQUARE DEAL at our store

## FARQUHAR BROS.

# The Sun Will Shine

and then you will make hay and need hay forks, hay rope, hay pulleys, hay carriers, etc. We have them and will SELL THEM RIGHT.

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## New Dishes.

The good housewife, to do her part well during the rush season, may need some dishes.

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A gasoline stove or a refrigerator would also add to the comfort and pleasure of the home. We sell them.

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## G. F. MILLS.

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We will express, all charges paid, direct from distillery, 1 gallon —

Mason Co. Bourbon or Rye Whiskey, 7 yrs old guaranteed \$3.00  
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