

**SPRING MEDICINES**



**BLOOD PURIFIER TONIC**

*A Spring Tonic will help you you need it.*

Have you clogged up your system during the Winter? Have you lost your energy? Nearly everybody needs medicines in the Spring to cleanse and tone up the system and put it into working order. Our fresh Spring medicines will brace you up. After you see the doctor; see us.

**BELL & PAINTER**  
The True Druggists  
West Side Square Leon, Iowa

**Langreder, The Tailor**

Suits made from ..... \$12.00 up to \$40.00  
Overcoats made from ..... \$15.00 up to \$35.00  
Pants made from ..... \$4.00 up to \$10.00

All Goods of the Latest Pattern.  
Suits pressed and cleaned, while you wait ..... 50c  
Suits CLEANED AND PRESSED.  
Ladies' suits cleaned and pressed ..... 50c  
Special Attention Paid to Alterations and Repairing.

**LANGREDER, The Tailor.**

**Lunch at Cherrington's.**  
For Sale—Clover seed. Simon Goodman, Leon, Iowa.  
Vose & Sons, the home piano. Edwards Piano Co., Humeston, Iowa.  
For Sale—Two Eclipse 245 egg incubators, good as new. Mrs. W. L. Armstrong, Decatur, R. F. D. 3.  
Wanted—A good girl for house work at the county home residence. Steady employment and good wages. Apply to E. L. Shira, steward.  
The ladies of the Christian church will hold their annual bazaar and dinner in the church basement on Friday, March 19th. Everybody invited.  
G. B. Price, the north side clothier, entertained a number of his gentlemen friends at a "stag" dinner party at his residence on north Main street last Wednesday evening.  
Mrs. Guy L. Stark entertained the Kensington Club at an afternoon Monday, and a fine time was enjoyed by the ladies. Guests of honor were Mrs. Bert Pilmer and Mrs. Fred Stiffler, of Norwalk.  
Dr. H. R. Layton was taken seriously ill while at his office Monday evening and was taken home in an auto. He is still confined to the house suffering from indigestion and a slight attack of appendicitis, but is much better.  
Mrs. Clabe Brazelton was operated upon at a hospital in this city last Friday, and her many friends will be pleased to hear that she is getting along in the finest shape, and that she will probably be restored to complete good health again.

**"Meet me at Cherrington's."**  
Meals at the Park Hotel, 25 cents.  
I want to buy an 80 acre improved farm in Decatur county. W. H. McCalla, Davis City, Iowa. 29-2t  
For Sale—Cane fodder and some corn. Inquire of Clarence Rumley on the farm. J. W. Cox. 28-4t  
For Sale—Five extra good, heavy boned, registered yearling Hereford bulls. F. M. Gittinger, Leon, Ia. 28ft  
For Sale—Five extra good Aberdeen Angus bulls, 4 yearlings and a two years old. J. A. Record, Leon.  
I have a thoroughbred Holstein bull at my farm adjoining Leon. Service fee \$1.50 in advance. John Dale. 28-3t  
The big event for the ladies of Leon and Decatur county will be Keller & Pryor's big spring millinery opening on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 17, 18, 19 and 20th.  
Last November a warrant was issued by Mayor Farquhar charging George Barlean, of Eden township, with disturbing the peace, but he evaded arrest. Last week he came in voluntarily, entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$5.00 and costs.  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Akes came in Monday from Piedmont, S. D., for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Akes and Mr. and Mrs. Will Darr. A few days ago Mrs. Akes while washing a window pane needed into her hand and the physicians there were unable to remove it, so Earl decided to bring his wife right back to Leon and the needle was removed by Dr. Eiker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Moore, of St. Louis, Mo., who had been visiting for a week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, of north of Leon, departed Monday for Two Buttes, Colorado, where they will make their future home. Mr. Moore for many years has been employed in the Railway Postal Service offices at St. Louis as a stenographer, but is going to try life in the open, having several years ago purchased an eighty acre farm of irrigated land at Two Buttes.  
Charles Bechtel, a well known farmer living just north of Decatur City, was brought before the insane commission last Thursday, an information having been filed against him by his wife, charging that he was insane, alleging that he had been showing signs of insanity for the past six months. Quite a number of witnesses were summoned to testify, V. R. McGinnis being employed as attorney by Mrs. Bechtel to prosecute the charge and the defendant retained C. W. Hoffman. After hearing the testimony of the witnesses the commission returned a verdict that Mr. Bechtel was not insane and was not a fit subject for treatment, and he was discharged.

**"Meet me at Cherrington's."**  
Meals at the Park Hotel, 25 cents.  
Board and rooms, first house east of Brady Lumber Co. Claude Bevans.  
We can use some choice first mortgage farm loans. Farmers & Traders State Bank, Leon.  
Mrs. Caroline Young Smith entertained a number of lady friends at a luncheon at her home yesterday afternoon.  
Lost—Between the depot and J. A. Caster's store, on Monday, a gold O. E. S. pin. The finder is requested to return to The Reporter office.  
A marriage license was issued at Creston last Friday to Mr. Jason Milton Smith, 25, Osceola, and Miss Margaret Helen Rush, 19, of Van Wert.  
Farm Loans—We have been offered a limited amount of money to place on farm security at 6 per cent, with 1 per cent annual commission note. Exchange National Bank.

The Christian Endeavor program announced under the Christian church notes for next Sunday night, March 7, is postponed until Sunday night, March 14. Remember the date.  
Mrs. Walter Snyder and Mrs. Grover Sears returned Saturday evening from Beaconsfield, where they had been visiting a few days at the home of Mrs. Snyder's sister, Mrs. Vern Kier.  
Mrs. Jesse A. Stephens, of Kelley, Colorado, arrived in Leon Tuesday morning to accompany the remains of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Harrow, who died at her home near Kelley Sunday morning, to this city for interment.  
Mrs. Samuel Shakespeare and daughter, Miss Mary, and grandchildren, Paul and Roderick May, of Lamoni, were in Leon Monday, being on their way to their new home near Pleasanton, where Mr. Shakespeare will engage in farming the coming year.  
For Sale—On the Stone farm 6 1/2 miles northwest of Leon, native lumber, wood and posts. Lumber 4 to 10 feet, \$1.50 per 100. Lumber 12 to 16 feet, \$2.00 per 100. Fencing posts 8 to 20 cents a piece. Wood, stove length, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a load. Long wood, 3 foot load 75 cents. Come and see W. W. Fulton.

We desire to announce that our annual spring millinery opening will be held on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 17, 18, 19 and 20. Our buyer has visited the biggest markets in the west and we will show our customers everything in the very latest styles of new spring millinery. Keller & Pryor.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shields went to Des Moines Tuesday to consult a specialist. Mr. Shields has been troubled with one of his ears for some weeks and has not been able to secure much relief. It may be that an operation will be necessary, and if so he will go to a hospital in Des Moines.

A. S. Mitchell, of St. Francis, Kansas, came in last Wednesday for a visit with his brothers, J. L. and S. G. Mitchell in this city. He was a former resident of this county, but left here about twenty-nine years ago. He went to Davis City Monday to visit a few days with relatives and old friends in that vicinity.  
Mr. Winfield Jennings, of Marshall county, Kansas, was in Lineville last week, visiting his uncle, Mr. Joshua Jennings, of the north part of town. He spent the earlier years of his life in Woodland township, leaving for the west in 1869, and has only visited in this vicinity once since that time which was 33 years ago.—Lineville Tribune.

Mrs. J. W. Jeter and children Wilma and Elva went Wednesday evening to Leon, where they will make their home. Mr. Jeter went to Leon with the household goods yesterday. He has rented a farm there and will move to it at once. Mr. Jeter was employed by Geo. S. Allyn & Sons on their farm northwest of Mt. Ayr.—Mt. Ayr Record-News.  
The city council of Leon decided the past week on nine miles of additional sewerage. That is going some for a town the size of Leon and only backs up the statement which has been made that Leon people are a progressive lot and will see that their town has about the best of everything going. The sewerage question in all towns is an important matter. It protects the health of the community and there is not a town in the state which has the necessary amount of sewer laid. Leon is setting a good example for the Iowa towns and the council have shown that they are following a policy that will make their city one of the cleanest in the state.—Osceola Democrat.

**"Meet me at Cherrington's."**  
Spectacles cheap at Butler's.  
For Sale—400 good seven foot hedge fence posts. C. E. Marvin.  
Eggs for Hatching—White Wyandottes, the kind that lay. Hens for sale, also a few cockerels. John Goodman.  
Eggs for Hatching—From Rose Comb R. I. Reds, \$3.00 per 100. White Wyandottes, 50c and \$1.00 for 15. Simon Goodman, Leon, Iowa.  
Farm for Sale—Anyone wanting a good Decatur county farm see J. E. Leeper, Leon, Iowa. "Forest Lawn" farm of 200 acres is for sale.  
For Sale—As I have disposed of my business interests and expect to leave Leon, I will sell my residence property at a bargain. J. F. Smith.  
Mrs. L. Payne and children returned to their home at Creston last Thursday after a visit of a few days in this city at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mark Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Monroe, of Sullivan, Illinois, who were here attending the Monroe family reunion, departed Tuesday noon for an extended trip to Los Angeles and other points in California.  
H. M. Hoadley of Cainsville, Mo., was visiting in this city Monday forenoon while enroute to Bethany, Mo., where he was summoned as a witness in the murder trial in which Myron Anderson is charged with the murder of a man named Zearing at Cainsville.  
J. D. McDaniel, editor of the Cainsville News, was in Leon last Thursday on his way to Bethany, Mo., where he appeared as a witness in the case of State vs. Myron Anderson, charged with murder. He was accompanied by Dr. H. Nally, also of Cainsville.

Mrs. S. A. Gates returned Tuesday afternoon from Biloxi, Miss., where she had been for several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ed H. Alexander. She reports them as enjoying their sojourn in the south and that both are feeling better than when they left Leon.  
E. J. Sankey buys and sells land on commission, makes farm loans on approved security at the best rates, and does a general real estate business. Has had 20 years' experience in the business. Office upstairs, northwest corner Main and Commercial streets, Leon, Iowa.

Keller & Pryor, the leading milliners, have announced Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 17, 18, 19, and 20 as the dates of their big spring millinery opening. No lady should forget these dates, if they want to see the latest in millinery creations.  
Mrs. Sam Lee, of Des Moines, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Townsend in this city, returned home Monday. Little Virginia Townsend accompanied her home and from Des Moines they will go on a visit to Chicago, Ill., South Bend, Ind., and other points in the east.

Mrs. Wm. Asbach returned to her home at Davis City Thursday evening, after visiting a couple of days in this city at the homes of her brothers, J. L. and S. G. Mitchell, coming up to meet her brother A. S. Mitchell, of St. Francis, Kansas, who arrived Wednesday for a visit with relatives.  
Mrs. L. H. Horner and children went to Lamoni Friday evening to visit a few days with relatives, while Mr. Horner is getting things ready to move back to their farm south of Davis City. During their residence in this city they made a large number of friends who regret to see them cease to be residents of Leon.

**Something New.**  
A new shoemaker is in town. If you have any shoe repairs, rubber or leather, call at my shop, one-half block west of southwest corner of the square. Fully equipped with electric machinery. Good material and first-class workmanship guaranteed. A trial will convince you. M. Haines, proprietor. 27-tf  
**6% Money 6%**  
Loans may be secured for any purpose on acceptable real estate security; liberal privileges; correspondency solicited. A. C. Agency Company, 758 Gas, Electric Bldg., Denver, Colo., 446 Pierce Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. 27-4t

**Veltie**

**PROTECTION AGAINST COUGHS**

*Don't make yourself miserable both day and night with the aggravating cough.*

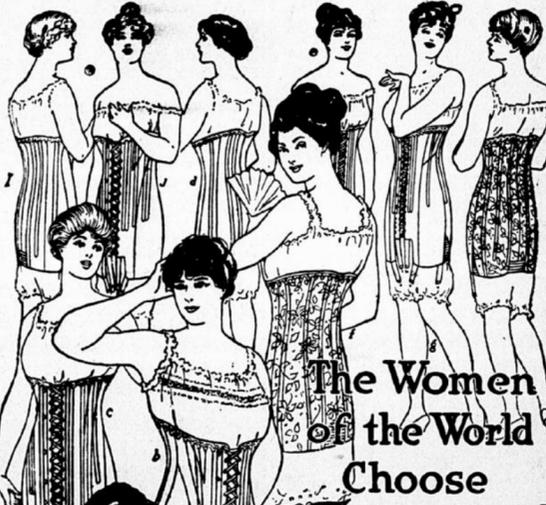
**Nyal's Cherry Cough Syrup gives immediate relief.**

*Use Nyal's Cherry Cough Syrup with the first appearance of a cough—keep it handy and settle it early.*

*The cough syrup with the pleasant Cherry flavor.*

**25 and 50 cents**

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**The Women of the World Choose**

**Gossard CORSETS**

*They Lace in Front*

And the reason for their choice is completely described in the sentence which follows:  
"Figure improvement means health, and health always means beauty. The Gossard Corset which laces in front assures an immediate figure improvement with its attendant joys—health, beauty & comfort."  
At this store, corsets receive more than the usual attention because our experience proves to us that corsets are the foundation of style. They help make the suit, gown and dress. At this time, when many women are questioning much of the style news published, we believe the

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issued by The H. W. Gossard Co. through this store is of the most vital interest. During the next two weeks the new Spring models will be shown in our corset department, and we promise to corset you in the model, material and design of your liking at \$2.00, \$3.50, \$5.00, up to \$25.00. A fitting or visit to our department does not obligate you. *We welcome your visit.*

**J. W. Hurst & Co. Leon, Iowa**

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**LEON OPERA HOUSE**

**Tuesday Evening, March 9**

The beautiful play that is filled with thrilling climaxes and heart interest, entitled

**"HUMAN HEARTS"**

This play tells a beautiful story of life in the Ozark mountains of Old Arkansas and will be presented by Davis City best local talent and is under the direction of Grant Mallory, an actor of ability and many years of experience.

Prices, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Seats on sale at usual place.