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# CALUMET Baking Powder

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## CORRESPONDENCE

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C. C. Leonard, Newton; B. F. Meyer, Eppards Point; J. T. Crosswell, Pontiac; R. P. Finley, Esmer; J. T. Applegate, Sunbury; J. M. Buxwalter, Belle Prairie; Chris Amster, Indian Grove; James Wattersen, Fayette; W. J. Martin, Forrest; J. W. Jennings, Pleasant Ridge; George W. Dally, Saumene; Peter Fotheringham, Union; William Lister, Dwight; Warren Knight, Germantown; James Snyder, Chatsworth; U. Shelly, Broughton; Chris Funk, Round Grove.

### PETIT JURORS.

Edward Shepherd, Ed. Folsom, D. C. Avery, John Munson, Pontiac; Byron Ocean, Ovego; W. M. Goslin, L. W. Krings, Samuel Gilpin, C. N. Smith, William Anderson, Jr., Indian Grove; L. Beaman, C. A. Jamison, George Camp, Aul; J. Joseph Horst, Andrew Agnew, Waldo; G. C. Ames, Robert Zimmerman, Sunbury; Morris Nagle, J. C. Allison, Esmer; George Barry Frank Reel, Willis H. Barriekman, Reading; J. R. Larsen, Odell; Frank Leiman, Culom; William Milton, Eppards Point; D. N. Cobler, Newton; James Elmore, Forrest; L. A. Stretch, Rooks Creek; Charles Lass, Long Point; Willie Buffham, Nevada; Jacob Warwick, Belle Prairie; E. B. Lewis, Dwight.

Second two weeks commencing April 30.

Calvin Ferguson, V. R. Emery, John Steinback, Reason Brown, Pontiac; James Trainor, C. W. Chauncey, Sunbury; Dennis Foley, Amity; George H. Gray, William Bell, Thomas Gray, Forrest; G. P. Powell, W. V. Ambsbury, O. S. Travis, Fairbury; John Bellar, John Rich, John Aden, Rooks Creek; Clarence Freed, Waldo; John Hanson, C. H. Hopwood, Nebraska; John Lehman, Fayette; Joseph Necker, James Donohoe, Eugene Bellotti, M. De-fenbaugh, Odell; Jack Burton, A. B. S. An, Saumene; Frank Burton, L. A. Water, Chatsworth; P. J. Beuman, Pike; George Crawford, Frank Paul, J. W. Nelson, Long Point; George Armstrong, Reading; Philip Wecker, John McConnell, Dwight.

### What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give Clear Skin, Rosy Cheeks, Rich Complexion.

Sold by A. Beltzhoover, Dwight.

# Coated

Look at your tongue. Is it coated? Then you have a bad taste in your mouth every morning. Your appetite is poor, and food distresses you. You have frequent headaches and are often dizzy. Your stomach is weak and your bowels are always constipated.

There's an old and reliable cure:



Don't take a cathartic dose and then stop. Better take a laxative dose each night, just enough to cause one good free movement of the day following. You feel better the very next day. Your appetite returns, your dyspepsia is cured, your headaches pass away, your tongue clears up, your liver acts well, and your bowels no longer give you trouble.

Price, 25 cents. All druggists.

"I have taken Ayer's Pills for 35 years, and I consider them the best made. One pill does me more good than half a box of any other kind I have ever tried."

Mrs. S. E. Talbot, March 26, 1890, Arrington, Kans.

## Reddick.

W. J. Uz, little girl, Agnes, is very ill.

Mrs. Emma Atkinson is clerking for W. H. H. Augustine.

New sidewalks are being placed in front of M. F. Reilly's store.

Walter Boyer is now learning telegraphy with Mr. Uncapher, the 31 ticket agent.

Howard Funk is very ill and was taken with such a severe attack of spinal meningitis that his life was despaired of.

W. H. H. Augustine had the fingers of both hands smashed while shutting the car door of a caboose on a freight. The train started quickly, jerking the car so that the door closed quickly and threw him against it before he could draw out his hands. Although it was a bad accident no fingers will be lost.

### DIED.

Mrs. Cora Hertz died at her home Sunday morning at 6 o'clock at the early age of 23 years. She leaves a fond husband and a child. Deceased was born in Reddick in 1877, and has lived here since, having been identified with the place throughout her short life. She was married to Benjamin Hertz Aug. 13, 1898, in Kankakee, Rev. I. W. Puffer officiating. She was a member of the Evangelical church, and was very popular in Reddick and vicinity. The funeral service was held at 1 p. m. in the M. E. church, Tuesday, Rev. Brothers, Evangelical minister officiating, assisted by Rev. Puffer. A large number attended the church services and followed the deceased to the interment at Round Grove. Nearly every one in Reddick and vicinity attended. The M. W. A. lodge decorated and offered a broken wheel, and the Knights of the Globe presented the Gates Ajar. Reddick and vicinity join the bereaved in mourning.

### A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him, until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health.

For sale by A. K. Beltzhoover.

## Blackstone.

Dr. Reno's new office is now completed.

J. P. Keating has taken a little orphan girl to raise.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hadley last Monday.

Mr. Knudson, an old resident of this vicinity, recently passed away.

Julia Brunner, of Ottawa, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson are the glad parents of a little daughter.

George Harder has been very sick for the past few weeks. Dr. Harding attends him.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Zimmerman were presented with a bouncing baby girl Thursday.

Breaking bronchitis is all the go around here, but some of the people are not very successful.

Henk Sanford had a husking bee last Friday. It was a little out of season, but the corn was husked just the same.

Sadie Ruddy has been in Dwight doctoring with Dr. Reynolds for the past week. Her sister, Nora, accompanied her.

Town election is the topic of the day in this town. But it will soon be a thing of the past and many people will be glad when it is over.

### WHEN SADIE COMES HOME.

It seems to me often in silence  
When the freight shadows low,  
When the black, uncertain shadows  
Seem wreaths of long ago,  
Always with a throbbing headache  
That tells each pulsive vein,  
Comes a sad, ungodly longing  
For Sadie come home again.

She is tired of the roars of the city  
And of faces kind, yet strange,  
I know where there's warmth of welcome  
For—

And her yearning fancy's range  
Back to the dear old homestead  
Where she'd with a yearning sadness  
For her will be joy in our meeting  
When Sadie comes home again.

When she comes home, there's music  
That never may die away,  
And it seems the hand of angels  
On a music heart to play.  
Have you had with a yearning sadness  
On a beautiful, broken strain,  
To which is our fond hearts worded,  
When Sadie comes home again.

Outside of my darkening window  
Is the great world's crash and din,  
And slowly the winter shadows  
Come drifting, drifting in,  
Soberly, the night wind murmurs  
For I heed not, but still refrain,  
For I am dreaming of the glorious meeting  
When Sadie comes home again.

BOBA.

Sample copies of the semi-weekly Globe-Democrat, of St. Louis, has been sent out here. Read it carefully and if you want it, you can get it with the STAR and HERALD for \$2, or alone for \$1.

Colds, croup, coughs, etc. cured by Dr. Kay's Lung Balm. At druggists.

## Emington.

Ed. Schulz was in Campus Tuesday.

Jas. Heneger was in Chicago Saturday.

Mrs. Dora Gault visited in Campus last Friday.

Miss Lizzie Kennedy was in Campus Saturday.

Emington will have a bank in the near future.

J. B. Watts has been down with the grip this week.

John McNamara did business in Pontiac last Thursday.

Miss Lizzie Kennedy was in Campus Saturday.

Mrs. L. H. Wikoff's niece of Chicago is visiting here this week.

P. J. Fitzpatrick is building an addition to his residence.

Next Tuesday is election day, but election do not miss it.

John Corbett, of Chatsworth, was in town Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. A. P. Ball is making a visit with her parents at Pooseeland.

Two new peanut roaster and popcorn popper wagons in town.

Master J. Agelin, of Cabery visited with his father here Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Watts visited with her daughter, Mrs. A. Brown, of Culm, Wednesday.

John McNamara was in Chicago last Sunday and Monday visiting his aunt, who is quite sick.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson, who had been visiting with her parents and relatives the past month returned to her home in Missouri.

Mrs. J. Isaacson, who had been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. M. Feeher, returned to her home in Chicago Wednesday.

### He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renik Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the World. Surest Cure ever on Earth.

Sold by A. K. Beltzhoover, Dwight.

## Odell.

P. H. Foley went to Pontiac Friday.

Charlie Losee visited friends in town Friday.

The band boys are talking of having a meeting and organizing a band for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Niles opened their new restaurant in the Collins building on Saturday.

Robert Dennison, of Startville, Col., was here last week visiting his sister, Mrs. James Gordon.

Miss Lenora Vaughan will be pleased to receive new pupils in music this spring. For terms call at her home.

James Verdon returned from Chicago Thursday. He shipped a car load of cattle to the city the first of the week.

Charles Goeden, of Minonk, who was the democratic candidate for congressman two years ago visited Hon. M. Cleary Friday.

P. H. Foley has accepted a position as district agent for the Plano Manufacturing Co., and will be located at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Buchanan and Wm. Buchanan, Sr., returned home Wednesday from Las Vegas, Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Miss Ethel Rae Mills returned to her home at Grand Rapids, Mich., Thursday after several weeks visit with her friend, Miss Laura Pound.

Edward Gordon is spending a week's vacation at home, returned to his studies at Bryant & Strattons College in Chicago the first of the week.

Fred Kendrick, of Fairbury, was in town Friday, figuring with the town board for the contract of putting up the machinery for the water works.

Will Puffer arrived home from Normal Friday evening where he has been attending the State Normal University. He will take the position of a student in the postoffice.

### Nome City, Alaska.

Is twenty eight hundred miles from Seattle, via ocean. It is said to be the richest gold field discovered up to this time. The first steamer to leave Seattle on or about May 10, 1900. For full particulars, maps, etc., address E. G. Hayden, Traveling Passenger Agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, 95 Adams Street, Chicago, Ill.

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# An Invitation To Women

All the world knows of the wonderful cures which have been made by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, yet few women do not recall that all that is claimed for it is absolutely true.

If all suffering women could be made to believe that Mrs. Pinkham can do all she says she can, their suffering would at once end, for they would at once profit by her advice and be cured.

There is no more puzzling thing than that women will suffer great pain month after month when every woman knows of some woman whom Mrs. Pinkham has helped, as the letters from grateful women are constantly being published at their own request.

The same derangements which make painful or irregular periods with dull backaches and headaches, and dragging-down sensations, presently develop into those serious inflammations of the feminine organs which completely wreck health.

Mrs. Pinkham invites women to write freely and confidentially to her about their health and get the benefit of her great experience with the sufferings of women. No living person can advise you so well. No remedy in the world has the magnificent record of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for absolute cures of female ills. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

## Three Letters from One Woman, Showing how She Sought Mrs. Pinkham's Aid, and was Cured of Suppression of the Menses and Inflammation of the Ovaries.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I have been in bed a year. Doctors say I have the weakest I have a had, and I charge me much soreness across my ovaries, bearing-down pains when passing urine, have not menstruated for a year. Doctors say the menses will never appear again. Hope to hear from you—Mrs. J. E. Brown, Holton, Kans., April 1, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I received your letter. I have taken one bottle and a half of your Vegetable Compound, and used two packages of your Wash, and feel stronger and better. I can walk a few steps, but could not before taking your Compound. I still have the discharge and am sore across the ovaries, but not so bad. Every one thinks I look better since taking your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. J. E. BROWN, Holton, Kans., Aug. 13, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I think it is my duty to let you know the good that Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound has done me. After I took three bottles, menses appeared, and I began to feel stronger and all my pain was gone. Yours is the only medicine that ever helped me. I am able now to work around the house, something I did not expect to do again. I am still taking your medicine and have recommended it to others."—Mrs. J. E. BROWN, Holton, Kans., Jan. 25, 1899.

## Three More Letters from One Woman, Relating how She was Cured of Irregular Menstruation, Leucorrhoea and Backache.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I am suffering and need your aid. I have pains in both sides of the womb and a dragging sensation in the groin. Menstruation irregular and painful; I have leucorrhoea, bearing-down pains, soreness and swelling of the abdomen, headache, backache; nervousness, and can neither eat nor sleep."—Mrs. CARIE PHILLIPS, Anna, Ill., July 19, 1897.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I want to thank you for what you have done for me. When I wrote to you I was a total wreck. Since taking your Vegetable Compound, Liver Pills and Sanative Wash, my nerves are stronger and more steady than ever before, and my backache and those terrible pains are gone. Before I took your medicine I weighed less than one hundred and thirty pounds. I now weigh one hundred and fifty-five pounds. I feel better than I have for a good many years. You can imagine how God-send to poor weak women. I would like to ask you why I cannot have a child. I have been married nearly three years."—Mrs. CARIE PHILLIPS, Anna, Ill., Dec. 1, 1897.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I did just as you advised me, and now I am the happy mother of a fine baby girl. I believe I never would have had her without your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. CARIE PHILLIPS, Anna, Ill., Jan. 27, 1899.

## Still More Proof that Irregularity is Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I am troubled with irregular menstruation, and have begun the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Would like your advice."—COIRA L. PAYTON, Ogontz, Pa., May 10, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I have taken three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, but I have a bad discharge and write to ask if I had better not use your Sanative Wash also? Your medicine is helping me."—COIRA L. PAYTON, Ogontz, Pa., July 1, 1898.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I write to tell you of the benefit I have received from the use of your remedies. Before using them I was feeling very bad, and used to go to the hospital, but it did me no good. Your remedies have done wonders for me."—COIRA L. PAYTON, Ogontz, Pa., Feb. 25, 1899.

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FROM CHOLERA DURING THE PAST YEAR.

The Germs of this Fatal Disease are Lurking Everywhere! Thousands of Dollars Saved by its Wonderful Discovery.

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Geo. J. CHARLTON, Chicago.

Chicago & Alton trains leave and arrive Dwight as follows:

NORTH	
Chicago Palace Express daily	4:15 a.m.
Pacific Express except Sunday	10:30 a.m.
Chicago Limited daily	2:10 p.m.
Chicago Day Local daily	8:40 p.m.
Dwight & Chicago Accommodation	7:00 a.m.
Mixed Freight and Passenger ex. Sunday	12:58 p.m.
SOUTH	
St. Louis Day Local daily	11:30 a.m.
St. Louis Limited daily	12:50 p.m.
Chicago & Alton Express daily	8:35 p.m.
St. Louis Palace Express daily	11:30 p.m.
Chicago & Dwight Special daily	1:12 a.m.
Chicago & Dwight Accommodation	7:05 p.m.
Mixed Freight and Passenger ex. Sunday	10:30 a.m.
Dwight-PEORIA TRAINS	
LEAVE DWIGHT	
Peoria Night Express, daily	4:15 a.m.
Peoria Express, daily	1:05 p.m.
Peoria Night Mail, ex. Su. daily	8:10 p.m.
Way Freight except Sunday	8:00 a.m.
ARRIVE DWIGHT	
Peoria & Chicago Fast Mail ex. Sun.	10:30 a.m.
Peoria & Chicago Limited ex. Sunday	2:10 p.m.
Peoria & Chicago Night Express daily	2:30 p.m.
Way Freight except Sunday	7:00 p.m.
Stops only at Streator, Geneva, Varma, Washington, Mt. Auburn and Washington.	
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Trains leave Dwight as follows:

WEST	
No. 1, Mail and Express	1:10 a.m.
No. 3, Express	7:25 p.m.
No. 7, Local	11:25 p.m.
EAST	
No. 2, Mail and Express	7:15 a.m.
No. 4, Express	11:40 p.m.
No. 8, Local	10:15 a.m.
Train 1-2 and 4 and 7 and 8, are all that carry passengers west of Kansas City.	
S. W. McCUNE, Agent.	
GEO. H. BOSS, G. P. A., Streator, Ill.	

C. & A. Time Table.

On and after Sunday, March 23, 1896, and until further notice, trains carrying passengers will leave Peoria as follows:

NORTH OR EAST.	
No. 3, K. C. & St. L. Express	4:41 a.m.
No. 2, Dwight & Chicago Accom. daily	7:55 a.m.
No. 4, Atlantic Express, ex. Sun.	11:40 a.m.
No. 1, Express Mail	7:10 p.m.
SOUTH OR WEST.	
No. 2, Express Mail	11:05 a.m.
No. 6, Pacific Express, ex. Sun.	5:10 p.m.
No. 4, K. C. & St. L. Express	11:40 p.m.
No. 10, Way Freight ex. Sun.	9:15 a.m.
J. Charlton, M. F. Walker, Gen. Pas. and Ticket Agt., Local Agt.	

Big Four Route.

Commencing Sunday, Aug. 8, 1896, trains pass Gardner as follows:

WEST.	
No. 201	9:10 a.m.
No. 202	5:20 p.m.
EAST.	
No. 203	8:15 a.m.
No. 204	2:40 p.m.
All trains daily except Sunday. For full connection with many points in the United States and Canada.	
H. B. CUMMINS, Agt., Gardner.	

Illinois Central Time Table

PONTIAC, ILL. GOING SOUTH AND WEST.

Freight	7:40 a.m.
Passenger	12:20 p.m.
NORTH AND EAST.	
Freight	8:57 p.m.
Passenger	2:06 p.m.
Close connections at Minonk for all points north, east, south and west. Coupon tickets on sale to all points.	
W. J. BUTLER, Agent, Pontiac, Ill.	

Gardner C. & A. Time Table.

NORTH.	
No. 3, Palace Express	4:30 a.m.
No. 2, Dwight and Chicago daily	8:05 a.m.
No. 4, Atlantic Express, ex. Sun.	11:40 p.m.
No. 1, Express Mail	7:00 p.m.
No. 10, Way Freight	1:40 p.m.
SOUTH.	
No. 4, Palace Express	11:35 p.m.
No. 2, Express, Mail	11:15 p.m.
No. 10, Chicago & Dwight accom. daily	9:30 p.m.
No. 8, Way Freight	9:30 a.m.
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