$3.00 **LADIES' SHOES** $3.50

Vici Kid, Welts and Turns, Waterproof Velour Calf, French Enamel, Patent Kid, Fine Box Calf.

$3.50 **New Fall Styles** $3.00

H. B. Merritt Pontiac. OUR SUPERIOR SHOES. **H. B. Merritt** Pontiac.

$3.00 **MEN'S SHOES** $3.50

Vici Kid, Box Calf, Enamel and Patent Leathers, Perforated Vamps, Rope Stitching, Extension Soles.

$3.50 **Latest Designs** $3.00

RIDER AGENTS WANTED

one in each town to ride and exhibit a sample 1901 model bicycle of our manufacture. YOU CAN MAKE $10 TO $50 A WEEK besides having a wheel to ride for yourself

1901 Models High Grade Guaranteed **$10 to $18**

'00 & '99 Models Best Makes **$7 to $12**

500 Second Hand Wheels taken in trade for our Chicago retail stores many good as new **$3 to $8**

We ship any bicycle **ON APPROVAL** to anyone *without a cent deposit in advance* and allow

10 DAYS FREE TRIAL. You take absolutely no risk in ordering from us, as you do not need to pay a cent if the bicycle does not suit you.

DO NOT BUY a wheel until you have written for our FACTORY PRICES and TRY THIS OFFER. This liberal offer has never been equaled and is a guarantee of the quality of our wheels.

WE WANT a reliable person in each town to distribute catalogues for us in exchange for a bicycle. Write today for free catalogue and our special offer.

J. L. MEAD CYCLE CO., Chicago.

PONTIAC, OXFORD AND SOUTHERN.

TIME TABLE.

Trains leave on Central Standard Time.

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Schedule of Trains between

PONTIAC AND OXFORD.

In Effect July 23, 1900.

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GRAND ∴ TRUNK ∴ RAILWAY ∴ SYSTEM

Time Table in Effect

June 2, 1901.

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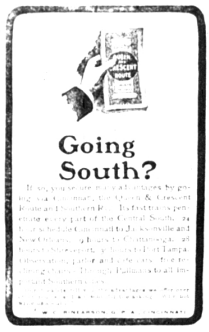
Picturesque Pan-American Route to Buffalo.

DOES IT PAY TO BUY CHEAP?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the best remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. Sample bottles at Whitehead & Mitchell's.



Going South?

If you are one of the many who begin looking South about the middle of October, the Illinois Central will be ready to sell you a ticket to any point in the Central South, or to Florida or Cuba, and will furnish you information about the best routes and most desirable places to stop. Illinois Central Passenger Trains leave Chicago daily at 10:00 and 10:00 p. m. Dining Cars on all trains. Sleeping Cars Chicago to New Orleans, Memphis, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Tampa and Havana. Illustrated pamphlets descriptive of Florida, Cuba, Mexico, New Orleans, Mobile, Gulf Coast, Hot Springs, Texas, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Dakotas, Montana, Wyoming, Yellowstone Park, Pacific Coast, Alaska, Klondike, Cuba, Mexico, Jamaica, Nassau, Tuscan & Home R.R.

W. C. SAN[illegible] Gen'l Pass. Agt.

PHILOSOPHER ON GOLF.

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And yet a sport in which kings and even members of parliament—

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I will tell thee of a thing safer than all these sides for thyself at any rate.

And yet a sport in which kings and even members of parliament—

[illegible]

I will tell thee of a thing safer than all these sides for thyself at any rate

And yet a sport in which kings and even members of parliament—

[illegible]

Yet, if thou should attempt cricket, a bumping ball may hit thee in the eye.

I will tell thee of a thing safer than all these sides for thyself at any rate

And yet a sport in which kings and even members of parliament—

[illegible]

I will tell thee of a thing safer than all these sides for thyself at any rate

And yet a sport in which kings and even members of parliament—

[illegible]

It skinneth not that thou canst laugh at thy knee when thou hit the ball.

Since I would fain thee reward it rather as a means than as an end

For as a Member of some recognized golf club thou will ipso facto be a sportsman.

And that catchet shall open for thee the portals even of smartest society."

It may chance that in thy visits to strange links, as temporary member,

Thou mayst find thyself vis-a-vis at luncheon with a lord, or at least a baronet.

Nay! for why limit the glorious prospect it may be that some popular actor,

Ignorant of thy shortcomings, and being unprovided with a partner,

May invite thee to a round and afterward join thee in a whisky and soda;

Then indeed shall thy highest aspirations attain their fullness of realization.

And thy position in aristocratic circles shall be abundantly assured

For the future, when entertaining thy friends, at thy villa, in the suburbs,

Over the midday chop in the city, or seated at thy stool in the office,

Thou shalt, with due modesty, and deprecating all sus. n of swagger,

Yet fluently expatiate on thy intimacy with these illustrious beings,

And commiserate, with kindly condescension, the unfortunates, who, not being golfers,

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century, discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, urinary and bladder troubles. Disease which is the result of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** is not recommended everything but on the strength of its wonderful cures. It will be found just what you need, if you have kidney, liver, bladder or urinary troubles.

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Swamp-Root is sold by druggists in fifty cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, if you mention this paper, and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors also guarantee that a special arrangement with the druggists enables them to sell the full size bottle of Swamp-Root for the benefit of readers of this paper who may be induced to buy it on the strength of this offer. The genuineness of this offer is guaranteed by the proprietors. Remember the name, Swamp-Root, Binghamton, N. Y., and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

AVENUE THEATER.

Only Real Vaudeville Theater in Michigan No Curio Hall or Menagerie in Connection.

It will be welcome news to the [illegible] this paper to know that when they visit Detroit they will have a [illegible] Avenue Theater, the most [illegible] in the very approach [illegible] Avenue, [illegible] Wonderland [illegible] Wonderland street to the Avenue. The opening [illegible] Wonderland [illegible] beads, wide and varied feeling, studded with electric lamps, at night presents a pleasing rainbow effect from which [illegible] flood of light is thrown upon Detroit's principal thoroughfare, Woodward avenue. The main theater is devoted to the production of the most refined musical, [illegible] and distinctive vaudeville [illegible] Boston, Chicago and New York only two [illegible] afternoon and evening. [illegible] Avenue Theater is to [illegible] the color of [illegible] and No. green [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] Wonderland [illegible] separated [illegible] Wonderland [illegible] Avenue [illegible] Wonderland [illegible] Avenue [illegible] Wonderland [illegible] Avenue