

Village and Vicinity News.

—John Reas of Ithaca has been in town a few days this week.

—W. B. Holden has completed a cement walk in front of his residence.

—Mr. and Mrs. Linus Bush of Auburn were Sunday guests at Lafayette Allen's.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cruthers visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Forbes at Niles, Friday last.

—Geo. T. Sill left Tuesday to resume his studies in the College of Osteopathy in Chicago.

—Mrs. Lavina Singer of North Lansing is a guest of her son, D. E. Singer, and family this week.

—Mrs. C. A. Cannon and daughter Marjory of Auburn were week-end guests of Mrs. Emeline Shaw.

Ladies, see my display of millinery. Variety of styles to choose from. Mrs. Belle Peck, Genoa.

—Mrs. A. C. Atwater and son Eugene of Asbury were Sunday guests of Mrs. A. J. Hurlbutt.

—Attorney and Mrs. A. J. Parker of Auburn were guests of the latter's father, W. H. Hoskins, Sunday.

—Mrs. Lois Ames of Ithaca has been a guest of Mrs. L. B. Norman and Mrs. S. J. Hand for the past week.

—Mrs. Frank Miller went to Groton last Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Millard Green, to spend some time.

Rousing times at the Baptist church. Don't fail to hear Evangelist Pugsley & Kurtz Sunday, Monday, Thursday and Friday evenings.

—Colt lighting systems have been installed in the farm residences of Layton Mosher and Chas. Holley this week.

—A large garage will be built on the Bradley lot, to be occupied by Geo. M. Miller. The foundations are already built.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Bradley motored to Albion for an over-Sunday visit at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Loren Chester.

Don't forget that Mrs. Singer has as good a line of millinery as ever at her store in Genoa.

—Miss Lena Breen went to Auburn City hospital Saturday last where she expects to take a three years' course in the training school for nurses.

—Mrs. Belle Peck motored to Cortland, Sunday, to see her sister, Mrs. Hopkins, who has recently had an operation. Mrs. Hopkins is improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kyte of Albany, who motored to Genoa to be present at the funeral of the late A. A. Mastin, left Monday for their home.

American Oil at Singer's. 11tf

—W. R. Mosher has been sick with rheumatism for the past week and was taken to Dr. Skinner's hospital Wednesday morning for care and treatment.

—Nearly all of the patrons of the Genoa creamery joined in the general strike for a higher price for their milk and it is rather quiet in town mornings.

—Mrs. Margaret Colgan of Leeward who had been visiting friends in Ludlowville, returned by way of Genoa Wednesday. Mrs. Colgan was a former resident of this village.

—B. F. Samson and grandson, Edward O'Neill, left yesterday for the home of the latter at Star Lake, N. Y. Edward will remain with his parents, and Mr. Samson will return next week.

—F. R. Van Brocklin of Syracuse spent Sunday with his family at the home of J. S. Banker. Mrs. Van Brocklin returned to the city with him to spend several days, leaving their little son here.

Buy the best fruit cans at lower prices than elsewhere at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's, Genoa.

—Mrs. L. B. Norman has received from her son, Leslie Norman, who is in Florida, some tropical fruit known as that region as avocado or "alligator pear." It is the shape and size of a large pear, with thick skin of bright green. Upon cutting it in two, a very large seed with hard covering is found in the center and the remaining pulp is only about one-half of the entire fruit. This white pulp, served with mayonnaise, is eaten with a relish by some, but we confess that we prefer a good juicy York state pear.

—School taxes are now due.

—Leland W. Singer returned Saturday from his western trip.

—The first shipment of cabbage from Truxton was made at \$30 a ton.

—The Methodist society of Locke has purchased a house and lot for a parsonage.

—Mrs. Jane C. Loomis of Port Byron has been spending the past week in town.

—Mrs. Mary Hunt of Auburn has been a guest of Mrs. D. W. Gower the past week.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Landon and son of Poplar Ridge spent Sunday at J. W. Myer's.

—A Syracuse man arrested for driving an auto while intoxicated was sent up for thirty days.

—See the World's baseball series, Auditorium Annex, Auburn, begins Oct. 7. Game 2 p. m. Adults 25c; children 15c.

—The Volunteer class of the Presbyterian church had a pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. Lanterman Wednesday evening. Light refreshments were served.

Buy your canned goods, Chase & Sanborn teas and coffee at low prices. R. & H. P. Mastin, Genoa.

—Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Ketchum, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Kimball and Mrs. Hannah Kimball of Venice were guests at J. H. Cruthers' Wednesday of last week and they motored to Barber's Corners to see the famous totem tree.

—Mrs. F. C. Hagin, Mrs. W. C. Rogers, with Mrs. Jane Thome and Mrs. Olive Mastin, and Hobart Hagin, motored to Cortland Tuesday to call on Miss Jenny L. Robinson and were also guests at O. A. Kinney's and John Miller's.

—Dr. M. K. Willoughby has located in Auburn, having purchased the property at 93 Wall St., in that city, until recently occupied by Dr. Sincereaux. Dr. Willoughby has been taking special post graduate work in Baltimore and New York for several months.

All the new shapes and trimmings at Mrs. Belle Peck's millinery, Genoa.

—A large barn at Lake Ridge, with its contents, was destroyed by fire late Thursday afternoon of last week. In the barn were 60 tons of hay, part of which had been pressed, considerable unthreshed grain as well as farm equipment. Mrs. J. B. Davis, the owner of the farm, is visiting relatives in Cleveland. Jacob Bower works the farm. The fire is said to have been started by sparks from a road engine owned by the town.

—Report comes from South Lansing of the burning of the Andrew Stinard house Wednesday night, and of the serious condition of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Van Etten who are in the Ithaca hospital suffering from shot wounds, received some time during the night. Full particulars could not be learned, but it is thought that the man who is suspected of the double crime, is unbalanced. He had not been located yesterday afternoon.

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—There are ten patients in Dr. Skinner's hospital at present. Another nurse of Auburn is in attendance. Among the patients who have not already been mentioned is Mrs. John Nolan, whose condition is quite serious. She underwent an operation on Sunday. Others are Mrs. Steinburg of Auburn, Mrs. Rennyson of King Ferry, Mrs. Geo. Phillips of Locke who had an operation Monday, and Mrs. Geo. Parker of King Ferry who had two minor operations.

Beautiful flowers for all occasions—Potted plants, wreaths or bouquets. Hagin's.

—A Community Service school will be held in Central New York for twelve weeks commencing next month. The courses will be held at Weedsport and Oneida, holding sessions at each place alternating Saturdays. The school will deal with rural problems of moral and spiritual welfare and will be conducted under the auspices of the Agricultural College of Cornell University. Prof. G. A. Bricker of the Syracuse College of Agriculture will give lectures which will be illustrated. The community schools have been very successful in other states and the promoters believe it will work out equally well here.

—Guy B. Wiser of South Bend, Ind., is the guest of Leland Singer.

—Denatured alcohol never accomplished as much as was expected of it, but the other kind continues to do considerable business.

—Rochester has been selected as the location for the new Western New York office of the bureau of markets of the Federal Department of Agriculture.

—On Friday last, Ithaca held a special election to vote on the question of raising \$20,000 to build a municipal hospital for contagious diseases. The proposition was carried by a small majority.

—Mrs. Leslie O. Wallace of Auburn has been elected corresponding secretary of the Woman's National Organization of the National Retail Druggists' Association, in session last week at Indianapolis.

—Although the new State law relative to the displaying of a front and rear light on all horse drawn vehicles has been in force for some time, nevertheless there are flagrant violations of the law every night.

—A Rochester man, who broke his neck by diving into shallow water to save two drowning boys has fully recovered. The neck bones were so nicely adjusted and held in place that they knitted together and the neck is now as strong as ever.

—Unskilled labor is more in demand, receiving as high as \$3 for an eight-hour day, than at any time in the history of the State Labor Department. This is due to the return to Europe of thousands of foreign born laborers in America called back by the war.

—All advertising signs on the state and county highways are to be removed by the authorities, in accordance with the State law, and an order issued from the Albany office of the State Highway Department. The order applies to signs including mile posts that incidentally advertise a firm or corporation, as well as those of pure advertising nature.

Buy your rugs, all sizes up to 12x15 at Robt. & H. P. Mastin's, Genoa. Prices lower than elsewhere.

Genoa Presbyterian Church.
Morning service at 11 o'clock. Every member of the church and congregation will be expected to attend this service, if it is at all possible. The communion service will be observed and in connection there will be baptism and reception of members. It is expected that the chorus choir will furnish special music.

Sunday school at close of morning service. We are working now for an attendance of 100 in our Sunday school. You need the school and the school needs you. Mrs. Bradley has accepted full charge of the primary department. We urge for her that the parents of the congregation will have their small children come to the school. Mrs. Bradley has had previous experience in this sort of work. Will you not help her?

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 sharp. Every young person of the church is urged to attend this service.

Evening service at 7:30. Message by the pastor. Those who are unable to attend the morning service are especially urged to attend this service.

Thursday evening service at 7:30. Topic: "The Heavenly Citizenship." Eph. 2:19; Is. 48:2.

The pastor of this church has been chosen as one of the ministerial delegates from this Presbytery, to attend the annual meeting of New York State Synod, to be held at Newburgh, N. Y., on Oct. 17-19.

Miss Tyler, the state Field Worker who expected to be with us Saturday and Sunday of this week, will not be able to be with us. The social announced for this week will therefore be postponed. Full announcement of change in plans will be made on Sunday.

The girls of the Philathea class, assisted by the Baraca class of the Sunday school announce a Harvest Day program for Sunday, Oct. 15. The plan was started two years ago by this class and met with such a hearty response on the part of the community that this service is to be held this year. The friends of the church and congregation are urged to decide before the young ladies come to call upon you, what you will be willing to give of the year's produce, toward making this service a success. All produce will be taken to decorate the church on Sunday, and on the following Monday or Tuesday will be sold at auction to the highest bidder. Proceeds are to be devoted to the piano fund of the church.

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Dated 3rd day of October, 1916.
Wm. Smith, Collector, Genoa, N. Y. 11w3

Genoa Baptist Church Notes.
The interest in the evangelistic meetings has grown and all insist that they continue a few nights longer. After consulting the President of the Convention, they decided to let Evangelist Pugsley and Kurtz remain for a time. Preaching Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. and Monday, Thursday and Friday nights at 7:45. All come and have a good time.

—The opening of Syracuse University has been postponed until Oct. 23. An entering class of 1,500 is expected. Hamilton College had the largest class in its history, 84, as against 41 last year.

—Farm Manager Teall has held during the year sixty demonstration meetings with an attendance of 561; twenty-six field meetings with 1,912 persons present; seventeen potato field tests and eleven for orchard improvement, showing the value of pruning. Salt tests for barley and oats have been held at four farms, with five drainage demonstrations. The manager has visited 359 farms during the period and 774 farmers have called at the office for information.

Ithaca Auburn Short Line
Central New York Southern Railroad Corporation.
In Effect Sept. 21, 1914. Corrected to Nov. 11, 1915

SOUTHBOUND—Head Down					STATIONS					NORTHBOUND—Head Up				
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Trains No. 21 and 23 going South, and No. 22 and 24 going North are the motor cars and do NOT stop at Flag stations. Sunday trains No. 422 and 421 are the motor cars and these stop at all stations.
Additional Trains between Ithaca and Rogues Harbor leave Ithaca 10:00, (daily except Sunday) 12:15, (Sunday only) 2:00 and 4:40 daily and 9:30 p. m. (Saturday only.) Also leave Rogues Harbor at 10:40 a. m. (daily except Sunday) 12:50 (Sunday only) 2:35 and 5:15 p. m., daily, and 10:05 p. m. Saturday only.

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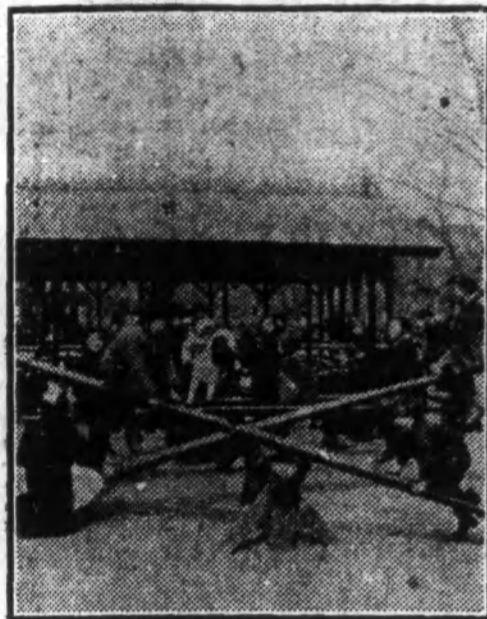


THE CITY BEAUTIFUL

THE IDEAL OF THE PLAY MOVEMENT

It is Steadily Enlarging its Scope and Purpose.

The play movement as it first appeared on the horizon was "as a man's hand" and later on a small movement intended to furnish amusement for the leisure hours of children, writes Henry S. Curtis in the American City. As time has passed, however, it has steadily enlarged in scope and purpose until now we have a vision of a movement which shall some time furnish to every little child at its home a play outfit, including swings, seesaws, sand bins and similar equipment; that shall see that the streets in residence sections are suitably surfaced and, if no better place can be found, that special sections shall be roped off at certain hours for the children's play. It means that there shall be a small playground or children's house on the Montessori plan in the center of every tenement block and that the roofs of our public schools and other public buildings shall be utilized for play; that our schools shall be built with ample grounds and that there shall be at least an hour a day of organized play in the program for all the children of the elementary schools; that school grounds shall be open and in charge of competent play leaders during afternoons, evenings, Saturdays and summer vacations.



A CITY PLAYGROUND FOR CHILDREN.

The new ideal includes swimming pools, gymnasiums and auditoriums in connection with our new schools, where during the colder weather there may be swimming, dancing, games, theatricals and moving pictures for general entertainment. Where it is impossible to furnish adequate facilities of this sort in connection with the schools the municipality should provide swimming pools, ball and tennis grounds and adequate facilities for field athletics. Under the play authorities there should be organized excursions and camping trips to places of beauty or interest lying around about the cities, and the children should have opportunities to become acquainted with the birds, trees, flowers and natural beauties of the neighborhood. Our national holidays should be suitably celebrated with festivals by the people. More and more great community centers should be developed, where the people could meet together frequently to hear music, vocal and instrumental, and to see pageants, festivals and the like.

In order that these ideals may be realized and that each man and woman and child may lead a life worth living, the play movement proclaims to every one the right to leisure. It bespeaks the universal weekly half holiday and wherever possible the eight hour working day. This is no small program. It will not be realized at once, but we are moving in the right direction and rapidly. We have made a good beginning along nearly every one of the lines mentioned.

A Community Garden.

In connection with a vigorous plan to supply Altoona, Pa., with some recreational facilities the chamber of commerce has started a community garden and offered a beautiful flag as a trophy to the pennant winners of the Pennsylvania Railway Shops Baseball league. There are 16,000 Pennsylvania railway workers in Altoona, and the class of ball played in this league is equivalent to Class C in the minor leagues.

BUY AT HOME.

- When you want to help your town, Buy at home!
- When you want shoes, hat or gown, Buy at home!
- Never mind what 'tis you need—Canned goods, collars, chicken feed—Frame this phrase up for your creed: Buy at home!
- Other folks may buy by mail. You buy at home!
- Help the home store to a sale. Buy at home!
- Every dollar sent away Means a dollar less to pay. What is owed right here today. Buy at home!
- Are you for your town or not? Buy at home!
- Cheaper elsewhere? Tommyrot! Buy at home!
- Home store qualities are true: Home store merchants work for you. This much then you ought to do: Buy at home!
- —Frank Farrington in Town Development Magazine.

TOWN MADE BEAUTIFUL BEFORE INHABITED

Pemeta, Okla., Parked and Boulevarded Before Advent of Citizens.

To be laid out in parks and drives, with a dancing pavilion and rustic bridges, and to have all of these provided even before there was a citizen living within its total of 400 acres, is the distinction possessed by Pemeta, Okla., one of the new oil field towns—a town that aspires to become the residence center of the section, writes C. M. Sarchet in the American City.

Nature had the biggest hand in the shaping of Pemeta. It has forests and rugged cliffs; high points that overlook the developed oil field for miles; massive upheavals of stone, one ledge of which extends for more than a mile in length; water courses that bound it on three sides; a high tableland that extends outward to the cliffs and 200 acres of river bottom which for years has grown rank in grain.

There is one little valley that extends from the river bottom into the upland, broad at its base and gradually narrowing to a point a half mile distant. This is now a park, with walks and rustic bridges, a rostrum and a dancing pavilion. The majority of the trees, an extensive grove of black oaks, were left standing, but from the few that were cut down were built the pavilion, bridges and other structures. The architect, however, did not disturb the bark and the limbs in planning the buildings, leaving these on the logs so as to make the buildings in harmony with the grove.

Between the valley and the high rock cliff, overlooking the principal oil field, the tableland comes to a point, and around this, for a distance of two miles, a wonderful boulevard has been laid out. Below, for miles to the northward, sweeps the Cimarron river, on one side high cliffs, tree crowned, on the other a wide, sandy beach that glistens in the sun, the white salt crystals—for the Cimarron runs through two of the greatest salt beds in the country—sparkling just like precious stones.

HIGHWAY DANGERS.

Remedies Suggested by the American Highway Association.

Safety on highways ought to receive more attention, says a recent bulletin published by the American Highway association.

Speed fiends and drunken drivers are already attended to by laws, but there are many very real dangers which receive no attention. One of these is the road intersection where thick shrubbery or trees make it impossible for the driver on one street to see an approaching vehicle on the other until the two are ready to collide. Slow driving is of little avail in such places. The only remedy is to clear away the obstruction to sight, as is required by regulation in some places. Another danger spot is the narrow road with sharp curves where it is impossible to see ahead on account of shrubs and trees. Automobiles have considerable trouble at times when they meet on such curves, but the danger to them is by no means so great as it is to the young man who is holding his best girl in a buggy and neglecting his horse. Underbrush ought to be cleared away on the inner side of such curves, at least so that drivers can detect another vehicle on the road ahead before it is nearer than seventy-five feet. This does not require the destruction of shrubbery or trees, but merely enough thinning out of the growth to enable a carriage or motor-car to be seen. Still another danger point is the junction of a road with another at right angles, concealed by an intervening rise or curve so that the junction point is not seen until just before the moment when the driver on the joining road must turn into the main road. Such places are extremely dangerous, and signposts should be erected to warn the traveler of their proximity.

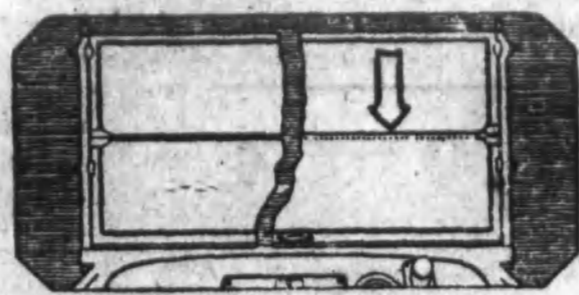
Industrial Co-operation.

So as to facilitate the handling of questions brought before the Des Moines (Ia.) chamber of commerce in its work, a new organization, to be known as the council of members, will be formed to begin active work in September. The council will be composed of 150 members of the chamber, and they will be selected from fifty groups, each representing an industry, into which the membership will be divided. Each group will elect three men, who will represent their constituents on the council. Matters taken up by the council will be discussed and thrashed out beforehand in the group to which it appertains, and it is planned to hold council meetings once each week to discuss public questions.

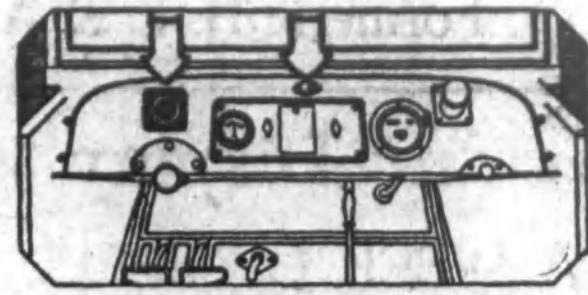
Benefits of Cleanup Agitation.

With the co-operation of the city officials the Philadelphia chamber of commerce recently conducted a vigorous campaign for cleaner streets. By means of posters, mass meetings and other agencies the residents of the city were impressed with the absolute necessity of separating ashes from rubbish, of using covered receptacles for both classes of waste and of abandoning the plan of sweeping refuse directly out on the pavements or into the gutters.

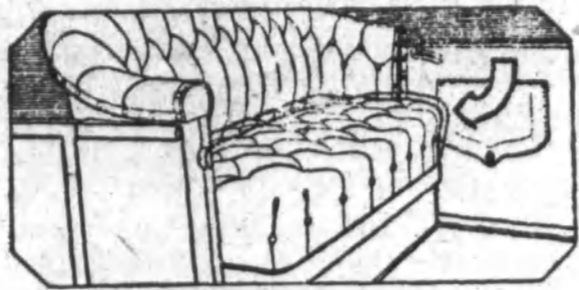
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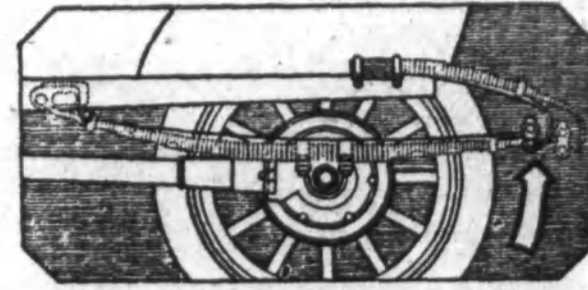
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Cloth and Silk Dresses, smart new fall dresses in serge, silk taffeta, collar and cuffs with georgette crepe; colors—Navy, Plum, Burgundy, Green at \$5.00, \$9.95, \$12.50, and \$15.00

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Cloth skirts in plaids and checks, \$1.98 and \$2.98.

Great Coat Values. Women's and Misses' Coats, full flaring models in all wool mixtures. Wool velour and plush Beaver trimmed at \$8.50, \$9.98, \$12.50 and \$25.00.

Buying a Farm in the East.

So far as we know the impression prevails pretty generally throughout the middle West that the eastern part of the United States is worn out, and, if occasionally there is some good land to be had in that section, it is assumed that it must of necessity be very high in price. As we were in search of a good farm at much less price than land is selling for in the Mississippi Valley, we were pleased to find that good producing land could still be bought in the East for about one-third the price of Iowa land.

In Central New York state, known as the Finger Lake region, the southern side about on a line with southern Cayuga county, and extending north to Ontario lake, and east and west from Auburn, this part of the state is known as the lime belt.

Applications of lime are not needed on the farms in this region for the growing of all crops, with some exceptions, where it is needed to grow alfalfa, but so far as we know all grains and clover, find in the soil the elements needed for good growth. Crop rotation can be and is being carried on in this region very successfully and conditions here are more nearly like the central West than other parts of the East.

After looking at quite a portion of this country mentioned and comparing prices, we decided that the best place to purchase a farm, price and quality considered, is the territory from Auburn south for about 25 miles along the railroad known as the Ithaca-Auburn Short Line, where farms can be purchased for from \$50 to \$75 per acre. This strip of country was for some time without the railroad, which doubtless accounts for cheaper prices than in other parts of the lime belt. This region is mostly gently rolling land, farmland the largest portion of it, with some tracts of native timber between, watered by wells, creeks and springs.

There is not enough stones in the soil here to seriously interfere with the use of modern machinery used in the West, such as grain binders, corn binders, corn planters, haying tools, etc., and the auto is about as much in use here as in Iowa.

That the soil is naturally strong is proved by the matted growth of blue grass, orchard grass and white clover in the fence lines, and along roadsides. Corn for ensilage and fodder is quite in evidence. Flint corn matures here, so also the smaller kinds of Dent corn if given proper care. New York besides being a great apple state, is also the home of pears, plums, cherries, in some localities peaches, while all small fruits grow well. This region is not so cheap as to be worthless, as is the case with a large part of the East, but at the price it can be bought for at present, would be a good investment from the standpoint of western land values. The farms here are quite generally well improved with large houses, barns and out buildings. We do not know where a better investment can be had in the United States than in central New York.

The price of such land herein described, located as it is, producing all grain and grass crops as it does, without the use of very much fertilizer, (and we don't think that any would be needed if there was as much stock kept on the farms as in the West) located close to the best markets in the country, will not remain long at these figures, is advancing steadily and \$100 per acre up will be considered a cheap price for land here as it is in some other parts of the lime belt, when the facts become known to residents of the middle West where land values have gone up steadily since 1901. Farms that could have been bought there at that time for \$50 to \$75 per acre up will be selling now at \$150 up to \$200 and even more per acre with not as good improvements as the average farm here, and with the exception of corn, this lime belt will produce as much per acre of all other kinds of crops as will the Western land. The climatic conditions here are much the same as Chicago, with more snow in winter, and less wind throughout the year.

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