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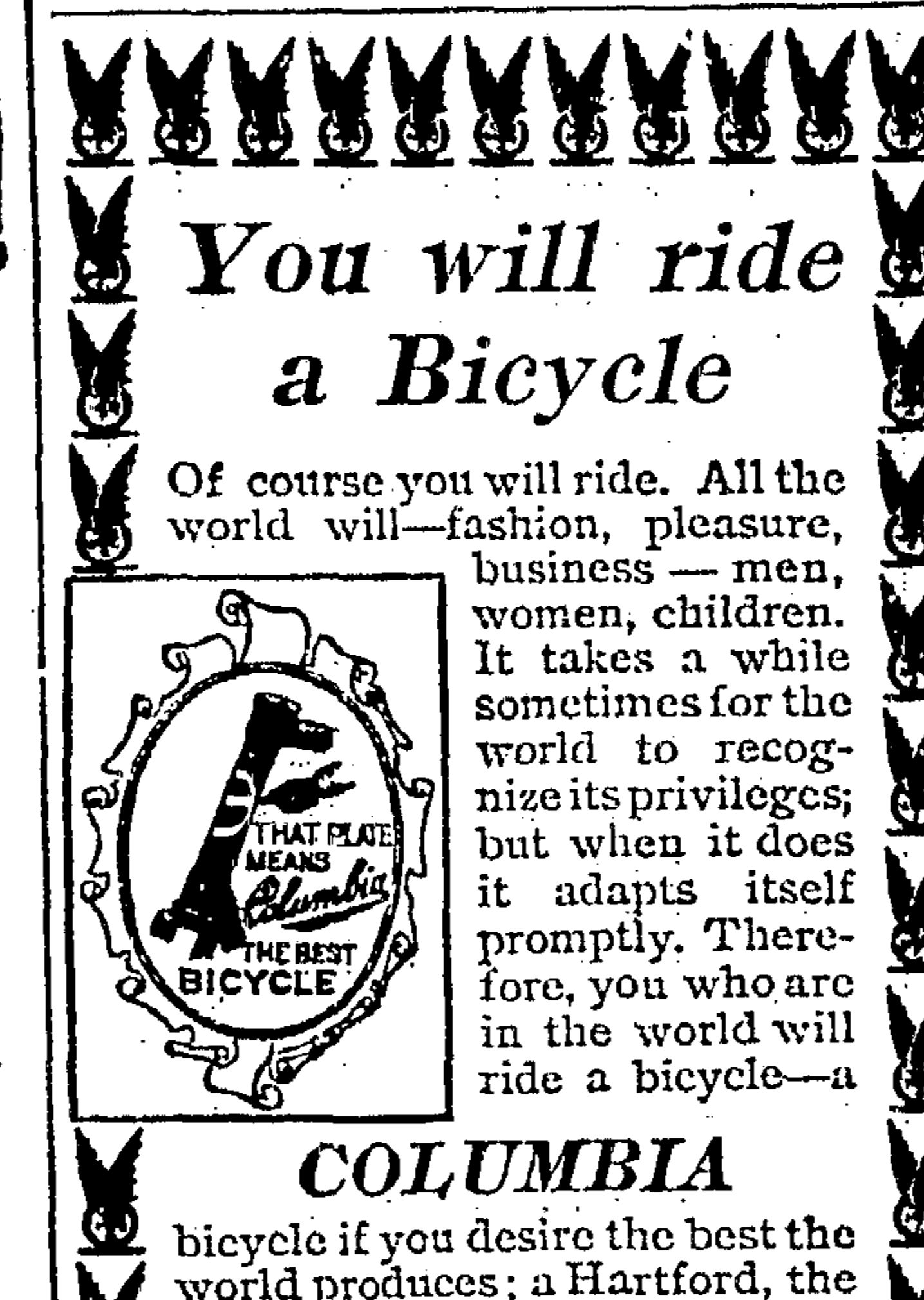
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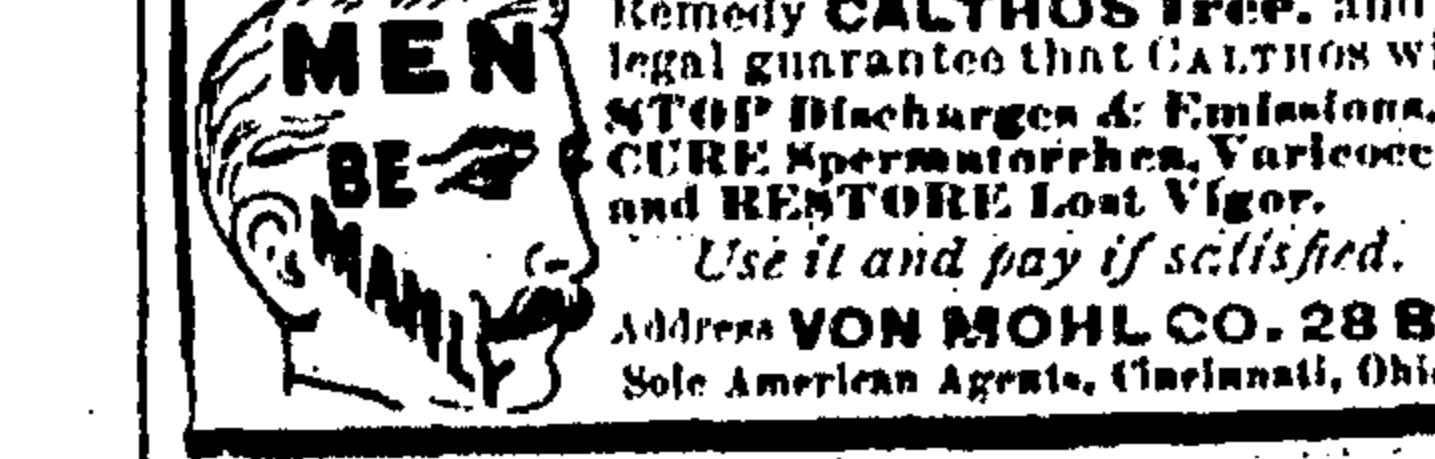
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"I have used the Pyramid Pile Cure and I know that it is all that is claimed for it. I had been troubled with piles more or less for about eighteen years and I had tried other remedies, but the piles grew worse until about ten months ago I used the Pyramid Pile Cure. It gave almost instant relief and I have been free from piles ever since. Rev. Jas. H. Westbrook.

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Two sizes, 50 cents and \$1. Sold by all druggists.

TOMORROW evening Prof W. Apadoc of Chicago, assisted by the local talent, will give a concert at the Second Presbyterian church. The reputation of those on the program is a guarantee that the church will be crowded. Prof Apadoc is of international fame among Welsh people and he has been recognized on both sides of the ocean as a leader in Eisteddford and Welsh national festivities. Admission 25 cents.

### THE FAST MAIL.

Last night's production of the Fast Mail, given at the Burton opera house was success. The presentation was made to a fair-sized audience. The scenic effects were excellent. The engine and train of fourteen freight cars with caboose lighted were true to life while every sound about the train were perfect reproductions. The acting was above the average, and taking the show as a whole not a better one of the kind has been produced in this city in years.

### ENLARGING AGAIN.

The Enterprising Firm of G. L. Wyne & Co., Pushing Ahead.

There is one firm in the city that has made a reputation for itself, there is no question about it. It does business on the square and as a result has made friends. These friends became so numerous that it was compelled to move once before in order to make more room for their accommodation and now again it finds it necessary to enlarge. This time however it will not move but increase the capacity of its present abode.

G. G. Wyne & Co. located in Davenport, Sept. 10, 1892, in the Ditto block on West Third street. A year afterwards it was compelled to seek larger quarters, and finally secured the present store at 222 Brady street, where it appeared as the Famous Shoe Store. The business has kept on growing right along, and now it finds that in order to meet the increased trade it will be necessary to secure more commodious quarters.

Accordingly an eight year lease was signed for the present store and arrangements made for its enlargement. The contract has been awarded to Kelley & Mahan, contractors, and they started upon the work Friday. It is proposed to make an addition on the rear of the present store of 44 feet, thus giving a total depth of 144 feet. It will be, when completed, one of the finest shoe stores in the city.

This enterprising firm has in addition to the "Famous" of this city branch stores in Des Moines, Ia.; Moline and Geneseo, Ill. The amount of goods handled gives them the ground floor on prices, and as a result it sells at the bottom notch, and the best of it is the people know it.

The manufacturing and repairing departments will be continued as before. Additional clerks will be added to the force in each of the departments and the trade will be served up to the handle.

John Lillies returned yesterday from a pleasant visit of several weeks in Chicago with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kinney. "Doctor" Brown, who lives in an alley near Taylor and Third streets, the spectacle vendor, was in a heap of trouble yesterday. It seems that he is in great disfavor among the women of the neighborhood. He got on a tantrum and was making matters warm when the patrol was called. Arriving on the scene the police found him crouching near a lumber pile. He said the women had been abusing his wife, but it appeared in the face of things that he had been at the bottom of the trouble. He resisted the officers and fought like a mad man when arrested. Brown has a bad name and he deserves it too.

### THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC

WILL DISTRIBUTE  
FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS  
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To Subscribers of the Twice-a-Week Edition.

One thousand special gifts, valued at \$6,671.10, have been distributed to subscribers of the Twice-a-Week Edition of THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC who sent in August 25th, in full payment of their subscription, a card containing a list of names and addresses of their friends, and a third list, valued at \$1,454.27, will be offered September subscribers.

In addition a valuable engraving is given every subscriber during these two months, the month of August is given below, and the list for September will be announced September 2d. The first 700 and the last 300 subscribers during August who send correct answers to the questions asked will be awarded in the order that answers are received, the following day, the

### FIRST 700 GIFTS:

1st Correct Answer	One year scholarship (literary department) Baptist Female College, Keokuk, Iowa.
2nd	Round trip ticket to Denver via Chicago.
3rd	Plat Breech-loading Shotgun.
4th	Round trip to Cotton States Fair, Atlanta, Ga.
5th	Shorthand "Barnes'" Shorthand School. Arthur J. Barnes, Prest., 100 Main St., Davenport, Iowa.
6th	Scholarship "Watson's" Business College (Greasers), Louisville, Ky.
7th	Scholarship "Watson's" Business College (Greasers), Louisville, Ky.
8th	Course of Study in Commercial Arithmetic, Commercial College, Memphis, Tenn.; W. T. Watson, pres.
9th	One year scholarship Central Technical College, Akron, Ohio.
10th	Scholarship "Watson's" Business College, Louisville, Ky.
11th	Course of Study in Commercial Arithmetic, Commercial College, Memphis, Tenn.
12th	Scholarship French or German, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
13th	Scholarship French or German, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
14th	Scholarship English, Springfield Normal School, Springfield, Ill.
15th	Scholarship Farm "Watson's," Davenport, Iowa.
16th	New Home Sewing Machine.
17th	Smoking Tobacco.
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### LAST 300 GIFTS:

Many answers will come in from subscribers who reside in remote parts of the United States, and in order that these may also receive handsome gifts we will return to the office not later than September 10, 1895, the following handsome and valuable gifts:

Last Correct Answer One year scholarship (Baptist Female College, Keokuk, Iowa).

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