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Druggist

Beaman, Iowa

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Leedie Yawcob Strauss.

I haf von funny leedle poy,
Vot gomes schust do my knee;
Der queere sehan, der greatest rogue
As efer you dit see:
He runs, und schumps, und smashes dings
In all barts off der house—
But vot off dot? he vas mine son,
Mine leedle Yawcob Strauss.

He got der measles und dea mums,
Und efery ding dot's oudt;
He sbills mine glass off lager beer.
Poots schnuff indo mine kraut:
He fills mine pipe mit Limburg cheese—
Dot wass der roughest clouse,
I'd dake dot vrom no oder poy
But leedle Yawcob Strauss.

He dakes der milk-ban for a dhrum,
Und cuts mine cane in dwo,
To make der schticks to beat it mit—
Mine cracious, dot vas drue!
I dinks mine head bas schplit abart,
He kicks out sooch a touse—
But, nefer mind, der poy vas few
Like dot young Yawcob Strauss,

He as's me question, soch as dese,
Who baints mine nose so red!
Who vos it cuts dot schmoodth blace oud
Vrom der hair ubon mine hed?
Und where der plaze goes vrom der lamp
Vene'er der glim I douse—
How gan I all dese dings eggsblain
To dot schmall Yacob Strauss?

I somedimes dinks I schall go vild
Mit sooch a crazy poy,
Und vish vonce more I goot haf rest.
Und beaceful dimes enschoy;
But ven he vas ashleep in ped,
So quiet as a mouse,
I prays dee Lord, "dake any dings,
Bet leaf dot Yawcob Strauss."

"Coming across the Channel tne other night," said a traveler, "I got to chatting with a German, and asked him what he was doing."

"Fell," he replied, "shoost now I am doing nodings, but I have made arrangements to go into bizness."

"What are you going into?"

"Vell I goes into partnership midt a man."

"Do you put in much capital?"

"No. I doesn't put in no kapital."

"Don't want to risk it, eh?"

"No, but I puts in de experience."

"And he puts in the kapital?"

"Yes, dat is it. We goes into piziness for drie years; he puts in de kapital, I puts in de experience. At de end of de drie years I will have de kapital and he will have de experience,"—German Exchange.

BEAMAN.

WHERE IT IS, WHAT IT IS, AND WHAT IT WILL BE.

The new town of Beaman is situated on Wolf Creek, in the southern edge of Grundy County, in one of the richest, and finest farming sections of the State. It started during the Farmers Union Rail Road excitement last year, and not withstanding the partial failure of the Rail Road enterprise, the little hamlet possessed so much vim and go ahead enterprise, and the community was so united in the belief that they were bound to win in the long run, that it has in the face of all discouragements, steadily advanced, and is now the successful rival in business importance of Liscomb, the nearest steam railroad station and the other terminations of the horse car road.

At present, the town has a drug and one hardware store; two dry-goods and three grocery stores; two boot and shoe establishment; one milliner store; one hotel; one meat market; two billiard rooms; two feed stables; two blacksmith and wagon shops; one harness and saddle shop; one grain ware house; one lumber yard; and a coal and building material yard.

Religious services are held in the town hall every Sunday and there is a good public school. The natural situation of the town is charming and a few years will probably see it one of the most attractive towns in central Iowa.

A steam railway is all that is needed to give Beaman a rapid and thrifty development. There is every reason to believe it will have within twelve months. Persons wishing a location in a thriving settlement with a promising future, are cordially invited to pay us a visit and see what we have to offer to the right kind of parties.

Beaman Items.

Building stone in any quantity at the Beaman stone quarry.

For building sand, inquire of H. H. Beaman.

Diehl says there is a good deal in dealing on the square, and selling groceries at christian prices.

The corn crop through this section cannot be beat for quantity or quality.

Sam. Haworth has his Billiard room in running order and would like to see the boys at any time.

Dr. W. R. Lewis has settled at Beaman. He is of the old school of medicine, and comes to us highly recommended.

J. K. Smith is away visiting the Centennial, and laying in a big stock of goods in the eastern markets for the fall and winter trade.

The mineral paint deposit promises to be a good thing for our friend H. H. Beaman. The bed is at least three feet in thickness, and of unknown extent.

Stoddard Bros. & Co., sold ten thousand feet of Lumber one day last week and it was not a very good day for lumber either.

Frank Middleton is said to be slyly fitting up a cosy set of rooms which will require a house keeper to look after them.

Henry Miller says that for beer and billiards judiciously mixed he is the boy and his is the shop to serve them up.

Bowman, the drug man, has his back door in the rear of the store completed, and now won't some nice girl take pity on him and help him set up a cook stove?

J. C. Willits has sold within the last two weeks about one hundred tons of coal at his Beaman yard. Buyers find it cheaper to purchase here than to haul from any other point.

The horse rail road has more business than it can conveniently do, with all the opportunities the enterprising proprietors can get hold of. Let us have steam.

S. P. Sheffield has come back to Beaman to stay, and has opened a law and collection office. He has had over fifteen years experience in the legal profession, and has an extensive acquaintance in this and adjoining counties.

H. S. Beaman the hardware man has been for the past two weeks or more at Des Moines on the jury of the U. S. court. He says he had rather be at home selling barbed fence wire by the yard on credit to grass-hopper sufferers.

Grain is beginning to come in lively. Messrs. Stoddard Bros. & Co., have purchased within the last ten days six thousand one hundred bushels, and are now running at their ware house on an average of 1,000 bushels per day. Farmers say that this market competes favorably with Marshalltown, and beats Liscomb out of sight,

Hon. H. E. J. Bordman of Marshalltown has purchased the Farmers Union property. If he will iron the road, and put on proper cars and locomotives, he will inaugurate a splendid business enterprise. The horse car have demonstrated that this region needs, and can support a rail road.

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Beaman, Iowa.

D. B. Pettit,

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Beaman, Iowa.

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and

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Dorr Miller,

Blacksmithing

AND

Wagon Shop.

Beaman, Iowa.

H. Wulff,

Meat Market,

Beaman, Iowa.

Memories.

We can draw the curtains of our room, stir the fire to send forth a genial blaze, and call for light to disperse the shadows of the gathering gloom, but we cannot lock the door of our hearts and bid Memory stay out in the cold. Would that we might, but she will press in, and very often prove a most unwelcome visitor. We may join in the gay jest and song, while Memory is casting dark shades of the past over the heart that would deceive others with its mirth, but "which only knoweth its own bitterness." Her voice, though very low, will be heard, and mocks our song. She paints most unpleasant pictures, and though the eye may sparkle in the glare of the festive scene, yet it may not turn from them. There is no forgetfulness this side the grave, and though remorse may have kept lonely vigil over the bitter buried past for years, yet will Memory resurrect it and bring it back to us. One of our daily petitions should be to be kept from pride, (for it hardeneth the heart) and has the power to wreck our happiness for life, and ruin it for the next. It will keep us from acknowledging a fault, from recalling the hasty word before it be too late. Pride must reap a bitter harvest, for Memory will neither sleep nor die.

As we stand over the grave of our buried hopes and happiness, Memory will rise to taunt us with the "might have been" and ring with a funeral knell those saddest of words, "Too late, too late.—S. E. D.

In Hoosierdom they placed a pair
Of pants in nomination,
And now fall down before them there
In senseless adoration,

But ah! the truth, though late revealed,
A precious lesson teaches;
They'll find a Golden Calf concealed
With those Blue Jeans breeches.

—Commercial Advertiser.

A golden calf in homespun blue
The Hoosier mayn't find a blessing,
But better far than Sitting Bull.
In any kind of dressing.

—Chicago Times.

A Calf so noble and so true,
All dressed in homespun breeches:
He makes the "Rads" look awful blue
When now his tale he switches.

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STAPLE DRY
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Stucco,

Cement,

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Also Blossburg Coal for Blacksmith-
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