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The Doctor—The medicine I left for you doesn't seem to have had the desired effect. Have you taken it regularly?

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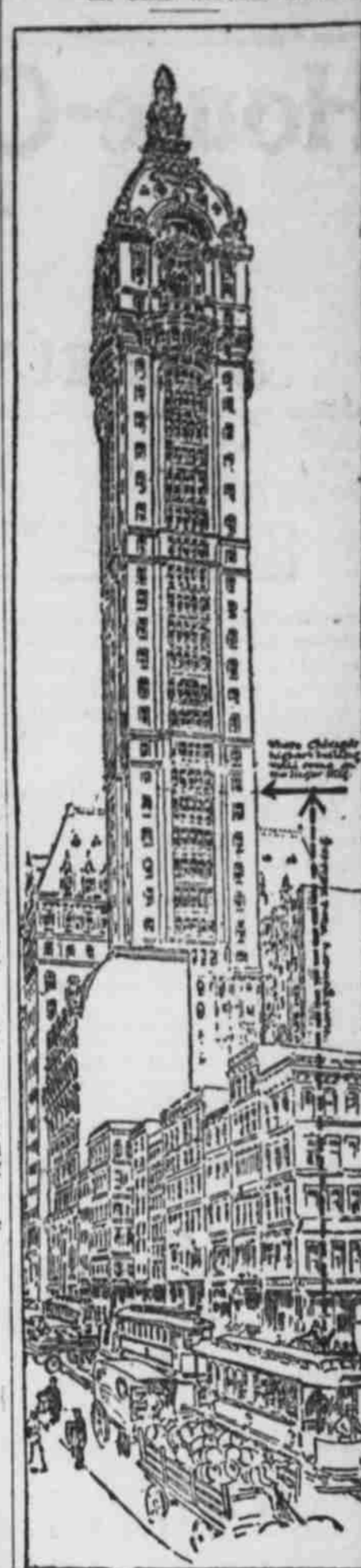
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### TALLEST SKYSCRAPER IN THE WHOLE WORLD.



Engineers, architects, and builders everywhere are interested in the plans made public from New York for a skyscraper that will outdo anything yet built. These plans were filed with the New York building department by Ernest Flagg, for the proposed Singer building. Nothing more radical has ever been attempted on either side of the ocean than is embodied in the plans for this structure. The building is to be forty stories high and other buildings in New York and Chicago which now cause people to become stiff-necked looking up at them will, by comparison, appear small.

Two of the tallest Chicago buildings, the Masonic Temple and the Majestic Theater, would be but one story higher than the Singer building, if one was placed on top of the other. There will be 635 feet of the structure above ground and probably 125 feet of it below the street surface, so that, all told, it will be ten feet longer than the mammoth America, the biggest steamship afloat.

It was supposed the limit had been reached in this style of structure, but it seems not. Before long a fifty story pile may be expected to make slow going people gasp.

While Chicago was the pioneer in the erection of tall buildings, it has in the last few years been far outstripped by New York. The constantly increasing population of Manhattan Island and the impossibility of increasing the ground area for the accommodation of the people made it necessary to run the buildings higher and higher until it is impossible to tell when the limit will be reached.

**Why Plays Often Fail.**  
"Tragedies only draw well in prosperous times. When money is tight the people want farces."

The speaker, an actor, went on to explain: "When the public is on Easy street, it is willing to be sympathetic, and it will then go freely to a sad play. But when the public is in hard luck, it wants to forget its troubles, and it goes only to farces and musical comedies, for it knows well that the woes of a sage tragedy would recall to it only too poignantly its own woes."

**His Brilliant Idea.**  
Cholly—Would you—er—care to change your name, Miss Scroggins?  
Dolly—Why, Mr. Nitwit! Well—ah—yes, I believe I would.  
Cholly—Well, it can be done, y' know. You can petition the legislature—or, by jove, you might get married. Why don't you?—Cleveland Leader.

**The Point of View.**  
"Now, that's my idea of a joke," said the editor, looking it over.  
"Not on your life," responded the waiting humorist; "it's my idea, and it's worth \$2."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Heavy.**  
Mrs. Benham—What made that hole in the carpet?  
Benham—That's where I dropped one of your biscuits.—New York Press.

# THE GREATEST OF ALL TONICS

The ingredients that enter into S. S. S. and the method of combining and preparing them so that they build up and strengthen every part of the body, make it the greatest of all tonics. S. S. S. is nature's remedy—PURELY VEGETABLE—and while it is restoring the lost appetite, overcoming that tired, run-down feeling, and other ailments common to Spring, which warn us that it is necessary to take a tonic, it is purifying the blood of all poisons and waste matters so that it can supply to the system the strength and nourishment it needs to keep it in perfect condition during the depressing summer months that are to follow.

Spring is the season when most every one needs a tonic. It is nature's time for renewing and changing; and as everything puts on new life, the sap rises in vegetation, the earth thaws out from its winter freezes, and all respond to Spring's call to purge and purify themselves, there is a great change also takes place in our bodies. The blood endeavors to throw off the poisons and accumulations which have formed in the system, and been absorbed by it, from the inactive winter life, and calls upon every member to assist in the elimination. The system is often unequal to the struggle, the appetite grows fickle, the energies give way, the spirits are depressed, and a general run-down condition is the result.

Then the body must have assistance—it must be strengthened and aided by a tonic, and S. S. S. is the ideal one. Being made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, it does not disagreeably affect the system in any way as do most of the so-called tonics on the market, which contain Potash or some other harmful mineral ingredient to derange the stomach and digestion, unfavorably affect the bowels, or otherwise damage the health. S. S. S. tones up the stomach and digestion and assists in the assimilation of food; it rids the system of that always-tired, worn-out feeling, and imparts vigor and tone to every part of the body. It re-establishes the healthy circulation of the blood, stimulates the sluggish organs, and calms the unstrung nerves which make one feel that he is on the verge of prostration. S. S. S. gives an appetite and relish for food that nothing else does, and by its use we can find ourselves with as hearty, hungry an appetite in Spring as at any other season.

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