

IT CAN'T BE HELPED!

Persons who inspect the very large stock and fashionable assortment of goods we always candidly admit that in **Worsteds, Cassimers, Corkscrews, Cheviots, &c., &c.,**

of reasonable weights and styles we lead all competition, while at the same time it is an acknowledged fact that in workmanship, style, quality and price **Clauss & Bro.** stand at the head. "It can't be helped!" are the leading merchant tailors of this section we have earned a reputation which will sustain us during the season now advancing by making up suits or parts of suits in the latest styles, most substantial manner and at prices that will astonish buyers. We want you to call and inspect the large stock of Spring Suiting and Pantaloonings just received, before you purchase elsewhere. You will be pleased with styles and prices.

Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Rubbers For Gents, Ladies, Youths and Children. Only the best make at the lowest prices. You are bound to be pleased.

OUR GENTS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT Is complete in every particular. **Clauss Bros., The Tailors, BANK ST., LEHIGHTON.**

AMOS REIGEL, OPPOSITE L. & S. DEPOT, BANK STREET, LEHIGHTON, Pa.

Has just opened an entire new line of **LADIES' FINE DRESS GOODS!**

Comprising all the very latest styles in **White Goods, Satens, Prints, Ginghams, Marselles, Seersuckers and Fancy Dress Patterns** of the very best qualities at exceedingly low prices.

Groceries, Provisions, Crockeryware, Glassware, Wood and Willowware of the best makes at low figures.

Cloths Cassimers, Hats, Boots, Shoes and Feady made Clothing in great variety and at prices within the reach of all purchasers—prices fully as low as the same goods can be bought for at any other general store in this vicinity.

Carpets, Oil-cloths, Lamps and Fixtures in great variety and of best quality at Rock Bottom Prices.

Best quality of **Flour and Feed** at prices fully as low as the same articles can be purchased elsewhere.

A car load of **coarse salt** has just been received—the price has been marked down to the very lowest notch.

All goods of the very best quality and are being sold at price equally as low as the same goods can be bought at any general store in this section. Call and be convinced. Respectfully,
July 23-87y **AMOS REIGEL.**

Spring Disorders



Shattered nerves, tired brain, impure blood, debilitated system, all are the natural outcome of the spring. A medicine must be used, and nothing equals Paine's Celery Compound. We let others praise you—you cannot help believing a distinguished party.

Paine's Celery Compound is prescribed by physicians, recommended by druggists, endorsed by ministers, praised by users, and commended by the manufacturers, as a spring medicine which will do all that is claimed for it. Use it this spring, and see how quickly it tones you up.

Purifies the Blood. Full accounts of wonderful cures made by Paine's Celery Compound after other medicines had failed, sent free. They're waiting like it. **WELLS, RICHMOND & CO., Burlington, Vt.**

Confirmation Suits

—AT— **Koch & Shankweilers**

ALLENTOWN, PA.

Confirmation Suits!

Many Styles to Select From

Our general line of Spring Goods for Men, Boys and Children is now in and open for your inspection. Our large store room is filled with new and choice goods for the spring season. Visit our place and we will show you all the latest styles in fashionable Suitings, Pantaloonings and overcoats at the very Lowest Prices.

KOCH & SHANKWEILER, The Largest and Finest Clothing House in the Lehigh Valley.

March 10

Closing Out at Cost. Big Bargains for You.

On account of rapidly failing health the undersigned will close out at sacrifice prices his large stock of

Gents, Ladies & Childrens Shoes

The goods are new, no shoddies or seconds, and people who wisely take advantage of this great closing out sale will secure wonderful bargains in the shape of good goods at low prices.

—Horsehold magazines—kerosene lamps. —Speaking of life and death. What is the matter with bread and butter? —If it is a fair question, we would like to know what it costs to board a train? —In ancient times everybody played the lute. Nowadays the lute plays everybody. —This Union ought to be able to bear 42 states with fortitude. —What horse did Lord Macbeth ride before he bore his lady adieu to her wicked husband? The nightmare.

Don't Fail to Call. **LEWIS WEISS,**

BANK STREET, LEHIGHTON, PA.

AN OLD SWEETHEART OF MINE.

As one who grows as evening o'er an album all alone And misses on the faces of friends till in shadowy dawn I turn the leaves of friendship till in shadowy dawn I find the smiling features of an old sweetheart of mine.

The sunlight seems to glimmer with a flicker of surprise As I turn it low to read the name of the daisy in my eye.

And I light my pipe in silence, save a sigh that seems to rise Its fate with my tobacco and to vanish in the smoke.

The fragrant retrospect—for the loving thoughts that start Into being as like perfumes from the blossoms of the heart;

And to dream the old dream over in a luxury dream. When my trusty friend wanders with that old sweetheart of mine.

Though I hear, beneath my study, like a fluttering of wings, The voices of my children and the mother as she sings.

I feel so twinge of conscience to deny me that I wish When she has cast her anchor in the harbor of a dream.

In fact, to speak in earnest, I believe it adds a charm To give the good a trifle with a little dust of harm— For I find an extra flavor in memory's mellow wine That makes me drink the deeper to that old sweetheart of mine.

A face of life beauty and a form of airy grace Float out from my tobacco as the puff from the vase;

And I thrill beneath the glance of a pair of azure eyes As glowing as the summer and as tender as the skies.

I can see the pink sunbonnet and the little checked dress She wore when first I kissed her and she answered the carm.

With the written declaration that, "as surely as the vine Creeps round the stump, she loved me"—that old sweetheart of mine.

And again I feel the pressure of her slender little hand As we used to talk together of the future we had planned.

When I should be a poet, and with nothing else to do But to write the tender verses that she sat she must do.

When we should live together in a cozy little cot, Laid in a nest of roses, with a tiny garden spot, Where the vines were ever fruitful and the weather ever fine.

And the birds were ever singing for that old sweetheart of mine.

When I should be her lover forever and a day, And she my faithful sweetheart till the golden hair was gray;

And we should be so happy that when either's lips were dumb, They should not smile in heaven till the other's lips had come.

But, ah! my dream is broken by a step upon the stair, And the door is softly opened, and—my wife is standing there.

Yet with eagerness and rapture all my visions I resign To meet the living presence of that old sweetheart of mine.

—James Whitcomb Riley in Chicago Tribune.

No Profit There.

"See, here, we charge for seats occupied, whether anything is eaten or not."

A Piano Playing Monkey.

The latest prodigy at the piano is reported to be a quadrumanous monkey, to wit—that executes morceaux brilliantly with all four hands at once, while he gracefully turns over the leaves of the music with the tip of his prehensile tail.

It is not stated whether or not the music has been specially written for him; a quare main; perhaps he simply duplicates what has been written for ordinary two handed players of the Rubinstein order. The achievements of this wonderful ape surely mark a new and most important epoch in the arrangement of the orchestra.—London Court Journal.

Business.

As our readers are already aware from the discussions which have already appeared in Science, various theories have been proposed to account for the baldness in civilized countries. A Swiss writer attributes it to a microscopic fungus, which, however, he has not as yet been able to describe or indeed to discover. He thinks that barbers should be compelled to disinfect their combs and brushes.—Science.

Underserved Laughter At.

The unthinking are prone to make game of nervousness. Yet this is a very real and serious affliction, the harassing symptoms of which are rendered all the more poignant by ridicule. The stomach is usually responsible for these symptoms—its weakness and disorder find a reflex in the brain, which is the headquarters of the nervous system. As a nerve tonic and tranquilizer, we believe that not one can be pointed out so effective as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. In renewing vigorous digestion, it strikes the key note of recovery of strength and quietude by the nerves. Headaches, tremors in quiet sleep, abnormal sensitiveness to unseasonable noises—all these modify and ultimately disappear as the system gains strength from the great Tonic. Dyspepsia, biliousness, rheumatism, constipation and kidney complaints are subdued by the Bitters.

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Stoves, Tinware, Heaters and Ranges. —In Great Variety at— **SAMUEL GRAVER'S** Popular Store, Bank Street.

Roofing and Spouting a speciality. Stove repairs furnished on short notice. Reasonable!

A MODEL PRESS Will do all your own printing or printing for others. Your best copy run in. Quality with press work, 25c. per 1000. 50c. per 1000. 75c. per 1000. 1.00 per 1000. 1.25 per 1000. 1.50 per 1000. 1.75 per 1000. 2.00 per 1000. 2.25 per 1000. 2.50 per 1000. 2.75 per 1000. 3.00 per 1000. 3.25 per 1000. 3.50 per 1000. 3.75 per 1000. 4.00 per 1000. 4.25 per 1000. 4.50 per 1000. 4.75 per 1000. 5.00 per 1000. 5.25 per 1000. 5.50 per 1000. 5.75 per 1000. 6.00 per 1000. 6.25 per 1000. 6.50 per 1000. 6.75 per 1000. 7.00 per 1000. 7.25 per 1000. 7.50 per 1000. 7.75 per 1000. 8.00 per 1000. 8.25 per 1000. 8.50 per 1000. 8.75 per 1000. 9.00 per 1000. 9.25 per 1000. 9.50 per 1000. 9.75 per 1000. 10.00 per 1000. 10.25 per 1000. 10.50 per 1000. 10.75 per 1000. 11.00 per 1000. 11.25 per 1000. 11.50 per 1000. 11.75 per 1000. 12.00 per 1000. 12.25 per 1000. 12.50 per 1000. 12.75 per 1000. 13.00 per 1000. 13.25 per 1000. 13.50 per 1000. 13.75 per 1000. 14.00 per 1000. 14.25 per 1000. 14.50 per 1000. 14.75 per 1000. 15.00 per 1000. 15.25 per 1000. 15.50 per 1000. 15.75 per 1000. 16.00 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