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Persons who inspect the very large stock and fashionable assortment of goods we always carry candidly admit that in Worsteds, Cassimeres, Corkscrews, Cheviots, &c., &c., of seasonable 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!" As the leading merchant tailors of this section we have earned a reputation which we will maintain 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 Suitings and Pantaloonings just received, before you purchase elsewhere. You will be pleased with styles and prices.

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**ANY ONE CAN DYE**  
A Dress, or a Coat, Ribbons, Feathers, Yarns, Rags, etc.  
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**DO IT NOW**

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combines true nerve tonic and strengthening qualities, reviving the energies and spirits.

**Baby Portraits.**  
A portrait of beautiful baby from life, in color on the paper by patent process, sent free to holder of any baby born within a year. Every mother wants these pictures; send at once. Give baby's name and age. **WELLS, RICHARDSON & CO.,** BURLINGTON, VT.

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—AT—  
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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.

**Closing Out at Cost. Big Bargains for You.**

An account of rapidly falling 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.

**Don't Fail to Call.**  
**LEWIS WEISS,**  
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## Alleged American Fun.

—The locomotive lever most always travels "innocent."  
—A funny man always dislikes to hurt his humors.  
**Buckley's Arnica Salve.**  
The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sore throats, salt rheum, fever sores, ulcers, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25c per box, at Thomas'.  
—The little girl who wrote on her examination paper "The interior of Africa is peculiarly well adapted for the purpose of exploration" was wiser than she thought.

**Children's Consumption Cure.**  
No. 1. This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cures the worst cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis, while it's wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since it's first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test, which no other medicine can stand. If you have a Cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10 cents, 50 cents, and \$1. If you have a child, Croup or Cough, send for it. Thomas, Lehigh, & W. B. Keyserport

**First boy—Is your father fond of fish?**  
Second boy—Yes, I guess so. He has C. O. D. printed on his business cards.  
**Consumption Surely Cured.**

**TO THE EDITOR—** Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above name disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send their express and postoffice address. Respectfully, K. A. Stoumen, M. D., 181 Pearl St., New York.

**India rubber is being tried as a street pavement in Germany.** It ought to give every pedestrian an elastic step.

**Forced to Leave Home.**  
Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call for a free trial package of Lane's Family Medicine. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an unsightly complexion, don't fail to call on any druggist to-day for a free sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Everyone likes it. Large-sized package 50 cents.

**The months have strange tales.** They frequently appear in overcoats in summer weather.

**Happy Meeting of Two Friends.**  
John M. A. Len, of Charlotte, N. Y., said to his friend "Parsons, I am about dead with the Gravel, and cannot sit help." Mr. Parsons advised Mr. Allen to give Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., a trial. Weeks went by and the friends met. Mr. Allen said, "Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has saved my life. It is a cure for Gravel—and the only cure."

**Water, this breakfast is so tough I can't cut it.** "A sharper knife for the gentleman."

**Poor But Honest.**  
Charlie Sullivan is a poor but honest Irish lad, who, while walking down W. 4th street, found a wallet containing checks and money to the value of several hundred dollars. A thought struck him, and he returned it to the owners, Messrs. A. F. Ordway & Co., proprietors of Sulphur Bitters, who gave him a liberal reward, and also gave him six bottles of Sulphur Bitters for his mother, who has been a terrible sufferer with rheumatism, and who returned many blessings after being cured by their use.

**Patent—Do you extract teeth without pain?**  
Dentist—Yes, it is no pain to me.  
—A doctor may kill a man with the best of intentions. A murderer kills with the worst.

**Miss De Pert (unfeeling)—** This is, perhaps, the first refusal you have received. Mr. De Tom? Mr. De Tom (sarcastically)—And perhaps the first you have ever given, Miss Maude.

**Any important news in railroad circles to-day?** asked the officer as Faber rushed into the office and hastily began to write. "Yes, there must be a bad accident down the road, for when I called at the office I was told that there was no information for the press to-day."—Pack.

**It is a Curious Fact.**  
That the body is more susceptible to benefit from medicine than at any other time. Hence the importance of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now, when it will do the most good. It is really wonderful for purifying and enriching the blood, creating an appetite, and giving a healthy tone to the whole system. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is packed in its bottles.

**Mr. YOUNGMAN** (after long thought)—Is there any way to find out what a woman thinks of you, without proposing? Mr. BENEDICT (absently)—Yes; make her mad.

**The Verdict Unanimous.**  
W. D. Salt, Druggist, Rippon, Ind., testified: "I can compound Electric Bitters to my very best remedy. Every patient who has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years' standing." Abraham Hare, druggist, Belleville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years' experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters cure all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar a bottle at T. D. Thomas' drug store.

**The most unhappy feature about being a jail-bird is said to be his inability to do.**  
—The nuisance of the hotel was in the parlor waiting, "Oh, would I were a bird."  
"Well, here's a beginning for you," said the landlord. And he handed him his bill.

**Tanning by electricity** is one of the newest applications in the industries.

**The results of glass engraving by electricity** are said to be of marvelous delicacy.

**A Canadian has patented a device** by which he can make a year's supply of ice for 75 cents.

**A paper that resists the action** of both fire and water, it is said, has been recently made in Germany.

**In Germany a wash consisting of paraffine was dissolved in heavy coal tar oil** has been found very efficacious for damp walls.

**Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention** should send to Prof. Lewis, 257 Fifth Ave., N. Y., for his prospectus post free, as advertised in another column. Be.

**One cause of crime is testified** to be the Chicago Times. Men are going to the penitentiary in increasing numbers, because they want money quicker than it can be honestly earned by hard work.

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A life-long study. I WARRANT my remedy to CURE the worst cases. Because others have failed, I have tried every other remedy, and I have made a discovery that I call my INVAULIBLE REMEDY. Give Express and Postal orders. It costs you nothing for a trial, and it will cure you. Address  
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## BITS OF SCIENCE.

An interesting find in the shape of a boulder of jade was recently made in Sitcha.  
The mines in the Argentine Republic are again attracting capitalists after a ten years' rest.  
The new course in electricity at Columbia college will be opened to graduates of all scientific schools.

It may be generally stated that tornadoes do not occur in the United States west of the 100th meridian.

From a general view taken in England, the natives appear to be increasing in vigor rather than degenerating.

Iako Biwa, in Japan, is the largest sheet of fresh water in that country, having an area of 500 square miles.

A society has been formed for the granting of premiums for the killing of animals preying upon the elder duck.

A new compound containing aluminum in a lower state of oxidation corresponding to ferrous iron has been obtained. The observation of the pole is variable.

Professor Waage thinks that sterilized inferior water would be very much better as a means of preservation than boiled acid.

The necessity for the artificial application of water is said to be far greater in California than in the older countries of Europe.

In the Berlin observatory a series of astronomical photographs has been prepared to explain the phenomena of solar eclipses.

Dew on growing vegetables is said to be produced by the condensation of the transpired moisture from the plant on its own leaves.

Ergosterine crystallizes in alcohol in the form of pearly pellets and in ether in that of sharp needles, and it is quite insoluble in water.

The so called anellid tubes of the Sutherland quartzite are said to be the remains of terrestrial plants that grew upon sand dunes.

About 2300 B. C. when Emperor Yan gave the order for the observation of the meridian stars, it is thought to be the beginning of Chinese astronomy.

Hertz's recent experiments prove that actual magnetic waves are reflected and interfere with one another, and that the velocity of such waves is about what is calculated.

The great advantage of high speed engines is that the steam has no time to condense, or, rather, that very little of it is