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CORDIAL INVITATION!
Is given everybody who comes to Lancaster, on business or otherwise, to call at

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and see the preparations they are making for the
Fall Trade.

Some few cases of
CLOTHING & HATS
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Several Fine Coat Makers wanted.

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H. GERHART'S
New Tailoring Establishment,
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I have just completed fitting up one of the finest Tailoring Establishments to be found in this state, and am now prepared to show my customers a stock of goods for the

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All goods warranted as represented, and prices as low as the lowest, at
No. 6 East King Street,
Next Door to the New York Store.

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NEW STOCK OF CLOTHING
SPRING 1881,

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READY-MADE CLOTHING,
we are now prepared to show them one of the most carefully selected stocks of clothing in this city, at the lowest Cash Prices.

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IN GREAT VARIETY.
Place Goods of the Most Stylish Designs and at prices within the reach of all.
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THE BUSINESS OF SELLING CLOTHING AT
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To Get the Best Material.
To Sponge it Properly.
To Cut it Fashionably.
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To Get the Cash.
To Have One Price.
To Pay Back Money if Unsatisfied.
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A cordial welcome is ready for all who come, and we expect to sell only when people are satisfied in every respect.

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Anyone having neglected or put off getting themselves a SPRING OR SUMMER SUIT will do well to call at CENTRE HALL, No. 12 EAST KING STREET.
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The LARGEST CLOTHING HOUSE IN THE STATE OUTSIDE OF PHILADELPHIA. We are offering our stock of

Spring and Summer Goods
At reduced prices, in order to make room for our coming Fall Stock. If you want a Ready Made Suit you can be suited for a very small amount of money.
If you prefer being measured and having a Suit made to order you can find no better stock to select from and at such prices as will astonish you. Indeed the prices are so low that no one need go about in a shabby suit these days.
Just think of it, we can furnish you with
COAT, PANTS AND VEST
to keep cool in, for the enormous amount of THREE DOLLARS. Yes, for a man to wear, and a big man too. Call and see and be satisfied and save money. We employ the best experienced Cutters, and we can guarantee satisfaction in every particular.

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LAST REDUCTION FOR THIS SEASON.
I WILL FROM THIS DAY ON MAKE TO ORDER A SUIT OF CLOTHES, ELEGANTLY TRIMMED, FOR
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A choice of 50 PATTERNS, sold formerly for \$25, \$22, \$20 and \$18. Come early and get a choice, as we are closing them out very low.

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Ready-Made Clothing Department
IS STILL STOCKED WITH A GOOD ASSORTMENT.

Our All Wool Suit for \$7.50 cannot be Beat; formerly sold for \$10. Come and see it.

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OPPOSITE THE GRAPE HOTEL

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No. 25 EAST KING STREET,
Have now open an Elegant Line of New Style

FALL CALICOES AND PERCALES.
BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED SHEETING AND SHIRTING MUSLINS.

Bolster and Pillow Case Muslins all widths. Sheeting and Pillow Case Linens. Elegant line of Bleached Damask Table Linens. Elegant line of Half Bleached Table Linens. Elegant line of Damask Linen Table Cloths with Napkins to match. Elegant line of Turkey Red Table Linens with Napkins to match. Elegant line of Towels in all grades.

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In Pink and White, at Lowest Prices, put up without extra charge.
Until September 1st we shall close at 6 o'clock, Saturdays excepted.

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A TRUE TONIC. SURE APPETISER.

IRON BITTERS are highly recommended for all diseases requiring a certain and efficient tonic; especially
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It enriches the blood, strengthens the muscles, and gives new life to the nerves. It acts like a charm on the digestive organs, removing all dyspeptic symptoms, such as *Tindling the Food, Belching, Heat in the Stomach, Heartburn, &c.* The only Iron Preparation that will not blacken the teeth or give headache. Sold by all druggists. Write for the A B C Book, 32 pp. of useful and amusing reading—sent free.

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BALTIMORE, MD.
For Sale at COCHRAN'S DRUG STORE, 137 and 139 North Queen Street, Lancaster.

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FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 19, 1881.
The Bombardment of the Earth.
N. Y. Sun.

"It's lucky for us that the earth has such a good bomb proof on the skyward side," said the astronomer on Wednesday morning last as he stood cool and bareheaded on the roof watching the August meteors.

"Why?" asked the reporter, pointing as he clambered up through the scuttle hole.
"You'd have seen reason enough if you had been up here with me the last two hours," said the astronomer. "Why, the earth has been undergoing a regular bombardment. It's not over yet. Look at that fellow who shot from the sky. You would call it a shooting star. Well, there's as much reason for calling it a celestial shell as there is for calling it a meteor. These British artillerymen could give their projectiles a velocity like that, they might plant their guns on the Welsh mountains and shell every troublesome tenant in Ireland out of his hut. That meteoroid was moving twenty or thirty miles a second; it could not get through the bomb proof that protects the earth."
"Where is the bomb proof?"
"Why right under your nose; all around you; it's the atmosphere. When the meteoroids strike the air that surrounds the earth the heat produced in consequence of their terrible velocity runs up a million degrees or more a second, and in a twinkling they are changed to vapor. If they could get through the atmosphere they would make it lively for us. No man could tell at what instant he might be struck down by a shot from the sky. The soft air that surrounds the earth is a museum of mineral life without one or more specimens of these black-crusted, iron-like bodies. Humboldt tells of two monks who were killed by them, one at Crema in 1511, the other at Milan, in 1650. He also relates that two Swedish sailors were killed by an aerolite on board their ship in 1674. The thatched roofs of houses have been set on fire by aerolites, and sheep and other animals have been struck dead in the field by them. Some think it was a shower of aerolites that overwhelmed the Amorites as described in the Bible."
"But these are rather ancient instances."
"Well, there are modern instances enough. We are no safer than our forefathers. Hardly a year passes without one or more masses of meteoric stone falling on the neighborhood of man's habitations. In 1775 a German farmer was shot through the arm by a small aerolite, which made a hole like a bullet. In 1878 a boy at Hanau had a piece of his thumb clipped off by a burning stone that fell from the sky. About two years ago a boy at Patterden, N. J., was said to have been hit in the leg by an aerolite. His story was doubted, but I believe it was never disproved, and certainly it was not impossible. A man is in more danger of being killed by lightning than by an aerolite, but it would not be so if the air did not protect him.

"If you will notice the direction of the meteoroids now falling you will see that they all seem to come from one point in the constellation Perseus. That is a peculiarity of all regular showers of meteoroids. The radiant point shows the direction in which the meteoroids are moving with respect to the earth's orbit. If you watch the heavens on the nights of Nov. 12 and 13 you will see meteoroids all seeming to come from a point in the constellation Leo. This November shower is the most famous of all. Some of the meteoroids belonging to it appear every year, but once in about thirty-three years they fall in perfect showers. They were seen by Humboldt in South America in 1799; in 1833 they appeared in the United States, and in 1866 in Europe. They are due again in about eighteen years. The shower in 1833 is very famous. It caused more terror than the most frightful comet ever did. There is a description by a South Carolina planter that has been frequently quoted in astronomical works, but never loses its interest:
"I was suddenly awakened by the most distressing cries that ever fell on my ears. Shrieks of horror and cries for mercy I could hear from most of the negroes of three plantations, amounting to about six or eight hundred. While earnestly listening for the cause I heard a faint voice near the door calling my name. I arose, and taking my sword stood at the door. At this moment I heard the same voice still beseeching me to rise, and saying, 'O God, the world is on fire!' I then opened the door, and it is difficult to say which excited me most, the awfulness of the scene or the distressed cries of the negroes. Upward of one hundred lay prostrate on the ground—some speechless and some with their hands raised imploring God to save the world and them. The scene was awful, for never did rain fall much thicker than the meteors fell toward the earth; east, west, north and south it was the same."
There are many other records of great meteoric showers, and in several instances the earth has been covered with a deposit of black or red dust after them. Most of these meteoroids are small bodies, some, perhaps, not larger than peas. Others are very large, being several feet, or even several yards, in diameter. It is believed that a shower of huge aerolites must have fallen at some time in northern Mexico, for the ground has been found strewn with masses of meteoric iron. A very famous aerolite fell at Egos Potamos about 469 years before Christ. It was said to be as large as two mill-stones. Humboldt, who says that the stone suspended over the tomb of Mohammed is an aerolite, never gave up the hope that modern travellers might yet find the Egos Potamos stone.

"Big aerolites make a great display of light as they rush through the air. As they strike the denser portion of the atmosphere they often seem to explode, sometimes making a loud detonation, and are scattered in showers of many colored fragments. A beautiful specimen of this kind of aerolite was seen by many persons in and about New York some three weeks ago. As it appeared to burst like a rocket, its substance probably reached the earth in very small fragments, or in the form of dust.
"Meteors follow in the track of comets. With a little stretch of the imagination we may fancy a comet, like a celestial man of war, sailing by and pouring a broadside into the earth, whose atmosphere, like a breastwork of cotton bales, swallows up the projectiles without damage to its defenders. There is something very suggestive in Dr. Draper's idea that comets may contain the remains of organic life. If the comets contain such remains, then aerolites do; and when you pick up one of these bodies in a museum you hold in your hand what may ages before Eve was tempted by the serpent, have formed the body of a living being in some other world lighted by some other sun."

The Mariner Oarsmen.
New York Times.
The Cornell crew is still wandering over the face of Europe seeking opportunities to show how nobly American oarsmen can bear defeat. It had been generally believed that when an American oarsman found himself matched against a dangerous antagonist he always and a timely accident happen to himself or to his boat. Thus by falling ill on the eve of the race, or by having his boat sawed in two, he could escape the misfortune of being publicly outwitted. The Cornell men determined to show that this was not the universal American custom, and in a series of races they can be beaten by scores of successive boat-teams and still preserve the integrity of their stomachs and their boats. In pursuance of this patriotic and self-sacrificing plan they went to England and submitted with the utmost cheerfulness to a series of defeats which would have induced any other crew to burn their boat and to study for the ministry. Then they went to Vienna, and proved that they could be beaten even by a German crew and still retain the courage to look at themselves in a hotel mirror. And now, with a perseverance in seeking aquatic martyrdom, which ought to entitle them to rank as saints in some future racing calendar, they have hunted up an obscure German crew in an improbable German village, with whom they have arranged to undergo a new defeat on a early day.

When the notice which induced the Cornell men to go abroad is understood, it is at once seen that they have been wonderfully successful. Their true friends were at one time seriously alarmed lest they should accidentally win a race. When the announcement that the Cornell oarsmen were to go abroad in search of martyrdom, which ought to entitle them to rank as saints in some future racing calendar, they have hunted up an obscure German crew in an improbable German village, with whom they have arranged to undergo a new defeat on a early day.

Low Peanuts are Prepared for Market.
Southern Farmer's Monthly.
Peanuts, to be prepared for the market, are placed in a large cylinder, from which they enter the brushes, where every nut receives fifteen feet of a brushing before it becomes free. Then they drop on a heavy endless belt, passing along at the rate of four miles an hour. On each side of the belt stands girls, and as the nuts fall on the belt, the girls, with a quick motion of the hand, pick out all the poor-looking nuts, allowing only the best to pass the grate. Those that do pass drop into bags on the floor below. When the bag is filled it is sewed up and branded as "cocks," with the figure of the rooster prominent on its sides. The peas caught up by the girls are thrown to one side, again picked over and the best singed out, bagged and branded as "ships." These are as fine a nut as the first for eating, but in shape and color do not compare with the "cocks." The third grade is branded as "eagles." These are picked out of the cullings of the "cocks" and "ships." The cullings that are left from the "eagles" are bagged, sent to the top story and what little meat is in them is shaken

out by a patent sheller. The nuts being shelled by this new process, the meat drops in bags blow, free from dust or dirt, of any kind, and is then shipped in 200-pound sacks to the North, where it is bought by the confectioners for the purpose of making taffy or peanut candy. It may be here stated that a peculiar kind of oil is extracted from the meat of the nut, and in this specialty a large trade is done among the wholesale druggists. There is nothing wasted, for even the shells are made useful. They are packed in sacks and sold to stable keepers for horse bedding, and a very healthy bed they make.

Official Programme of the International Medical Congress.
Punch.
First Day.—Grand banquet. Interesting experiments with various wines. Confidential exchange of experience after the third bottle.
Second Day.—Grand dinner. Surgical operations on cold fowls and raised pies. General investigation of "mixing." Valuable results obtained by taking a combination of champagne, cherry, port, claret, pale ale and chartrouse vert.
Third Day.—Garden party. Examination of the action of the muscles in the game of lawn tennis. Close study of strawberries and cream and champagne cup. Supper experiment at the Albion. Extensive lecture upon the benefits to be derived by taking whisky and water internally before retiring to bed.
Fourth day.—Select dinner party of savants interested in food. Careful consideration of the effect upon the system of turtle soup, curried whitebait, canvas-back ducks, and an entirely new and original with-you-chessie pick-me-up made of sardines, olives, truffles, capers, tomatoe, capers, capers, herring roes, fowls' livers, and tarragon vinegar. Human capacity for absorbing champagne in extra large doses practically tested. After the experiments, a long consultation with the police.
Fifth day.—Psychological picnic. Exercises of the nerve power of the lower limbs to the sounds of a military band. Interesting operation of a quadrille, a polka and a waltz. Day finished with a scientific supper. Preparations of different kinds of meat. Practical lessons upon the anatomy of the foot, the duck, and the turkey. Experiments in wine temperature. Charot seventy, and champagne four degrees below zero. Perambulating difficulties and optical delusions. Exercise of the vocal chords. Subject, "We are all mad."
Sixth and Last day.—All the foreign doctors ill in bed, sending for all the English doctors. General prescription: Large doses of soda water.

Peculiarities of Great Men.
Byron never found a button off his shirt without raising a row about it.
Lomon was extremely fond of boiled cabbage, which he invariably ate with a fork.
Napoleon could never think to shut a door after him, unless he was mad about something.
"Why could never write with a lead pencil without wetting it on the tip of his tongue."
Socrates was exceedingly fond of peanuts, quantities of which he always carried in his pocket.
The Duke of Wellington could never think to wipe his feet on the door-mat unless his wife reminded him of it.
George Washington was so fond of cats that he would get up in the middle of the night to throw a bootjack at them.
Shakespeare, when carrying a codfish home from the village grocery would invariably try to conceal it underneath his coat.
When the wife of Galileo gave him a letter to mail he always carried it around in his pocket three weeks before he thought of it again.
Christopher Columbus always paid for his local paper promptly, and, being an attentive reader, he always found out when new worlds were ripe.

True of Course.
The following incident occurred at the breakfast table, Delaware Water Gap, just as related: "Mamma—'O dear! I have no napkin. I can't eat without a napkin.' Little daughter—'Why, mamma, you never use napkins at home.' Mamma (explanatory to the lady by her side)—'You see, I generally take my breakfasts in bed, and must use a towel.' Little daughter—'But, mamma, you don't use a bed, a lower very often?' The dear silence which ensues is broken only by a sympathizing lady, who remarks: 'Well, children are always saying what they oughtn't to.'"
Indigestion.
The main cause of nervousness, indigestion, and all the ailments which attend it, is a weak stomach. No one can have sound nerves and good health without using Hop Bitters to strengthen the stomach, purify the blood and keep the liver and kidneys active, to carry off all the poisonous and waste matter of the system. One will never be well until the system is thoroughly cleansed. *amb-29-18*
Virtue Acknowledged.
Mrs. Ira Mulholland, Albany, N. Y., writes: "For several years I have suffered from recurring bilious headaches, dyspepsia, and complete inability to eat. Since using your Burdock Blood Bitters I am entirely relieved. Price \$1. For sale at H. B. Cochran's drug store, 137 North Queen Street, Lancaster."
Grandmother.
Used to say: "Boys, if your blood is out of order try Burdock tea;" and then they had to get the Burdock and hold it down in bottles, making a nasty-smelling concoction; now you get all the curative properties put up in a palatable form in Burdock Blood Bitters. Price \$1. For sale at H. B. Cochran's drug store, 137 North Queen Street, Lancaster.

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When your girl gives you the mitten, and you feel your heart is broke, Don't give way to black despair, but treat it as a joke. Get your health in first-class order, a bottle of Hop Bitters will do it. And gaily join a singing class, and for another year be a member of the choir. Price 20 cents. For sale at H. B. Cochran's drug store, 137 North Queen Street, Lancaster.

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Carriages! Carriages!
We have on hand a Large Assortment of
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All work warranted, give us a call & repairing promptly attended to. One set of workmen especially employed for hat purpose. *amb-18-8*

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To reduce stock we will make a
SPECIAL LOW PRICE.
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We Have Just Opened
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DRESS GOODS at 25c, 25c, and 15c, that were sold at 35c and 25c.

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