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### Men's Dress Shoes.

Men's Fine Dress Shoes—something that looks well and wears well, \$1.25.

Men's Fine Calf; same shoe we sold two years ago for \$3.00, now \$2.00.

Men's Fine Dress Calf, in all the different style toes, made by Lilly, Brackett & Co. They rank



supreme as an honestly made shoe; solid leather throughout. There are many \$4.00 shoes that do not touch these for real worth, and yet they are only \$3.00.

We have been selling Hathaway, Soule & Harrington's Fine Shoes (see cut) so long and with such favorable results that they have become a household word throughout the county. There is a reputation back of everything they make.

### Men's Patent Leather Goods.

Out of many makes and patterns of Men's Patent Leather Shoes we selected three of surprising



worth, and their enormous sales have proven they were worthy of our choice:

RICE & HUTCHINS is an American calf; has all the style of the higher grade shoes and, we believe it will wear equal to any. Only costs \$3.00 per pair.

GLOSSON'S is perhaps one of the finest makes; genuine French calf; oak sole; needle or wide toe. Ought to sell for more than \$4.00, but that is our figure for them.

It is with positive pleasure that we call attention to the superior quality of JAMES A. BAN-NISTER'S patent leather goods. In full fashion;



hand-sewed welt. They are the latest, the finest, and nicest shoe made, and can not be duplicated at any price. Cost big money in the cities; we sell them at \$5.50.

Men's Working Shoes from \$1.00 to \$2.00; they are all reliable, as we will handle nothing but reliable makes. No shoddy, no humbug in these. Try them; if they do not wear satisfactorily, return them and get another pair free of charge.

### Mingle, the Shoe Man

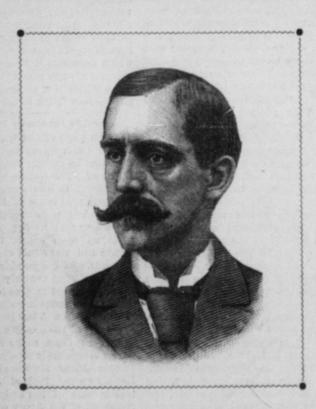
ALLECHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.



### Fifteen Years' Experience

In the shoe business has convinced us that people pay pretty much for all they get in this world. You can get a cheap article for less money than a good article, but it is not-only dearest in the end, but extremely inconvenient; for what is more annoying than "breaking in" a new pair of cheap shoes four times a year? And what renders greater satisfaction and affords more comfort than a pair of good shoes which will last a year and wear out four pairs of cheap ones? Upon this principle we have builded our trade and, strange as it may appear, it is nevertheless true that the "hard times" have not affected our trade; for what we may have lost in profit we have doubly made up in the number of sales, and at last we have become convinced that the so-called "hard times" with most business men is like a spelle t sickness—

if they didn't think they were twick as sick as they really are.



Confidence in business is business success, and we have such implicit confidence of the confidence of the people in us that we have over 10,000 pairs of shoes on our shelves—the largest, cheapest and best selected stock we ever had. Every inch of leather in their make up is paid for, for we take advantage of all discounts, that our patrons may share the profits, and the results are larger sales this Spring than any we have had in our business experience.

We invite you to share in the advantages gained; the profits obtained by dealing with us, and urge you to read and ponder over the brief descriptive catalogue of our stock that borders this page. Thankful for past favors, and hoping to merit a continuance of the same, we remain,

Most respectfully yours,

A. C. MINGLE,
Allegheny St., Bellefonte, Pa.



## Mingle, the Shoe Man

ALLEGHENY ST - - - - BELLEFONTE, PA.

### Ladies' Dress Shoes.

If there is one item in our store which leads us to think that people believe in us—our goods and our prices—it is the enormous sales on our ladies' shoes. It's sure to win; having the best that's to be had; selling at lowest and lower prices than elsewhere—and telling the truth about it—that's



all. Eddy & Webster's manufacture undoubtedly leads all other makes (see cuts). We do not fear competition on this shoe, as we know, beyond a shadow of a doubt, that it's the finest shoe ever offered. All styles and toes.

For a cheaper shoe we have secured for our Spring trade a genuine vice kid; solid throughout; patent tip; button and lace; wear as well as

Our \$2.00 and \$2.25 button and lace; warranted all over; guaranteed from sole to upper; price just right; a little higher than cheap folks ask for cheap shoes.

Boys' and Youths' Lace, 85c. and \$1.00; solid leather throughout; easily worth \$1.00 and \$1.25.

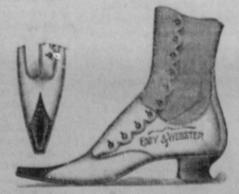


### Russia Calf and Russet Shoes.

Our lines of these shoes reflect the latest whims of fashion, and are really tasty examples of the shoemakers' art. They are of superior quality and remarkably cheap when real worth is considered.

#### Ladies' Oxfords.

Our selections of Oxfords—ranging from 75c. to \$3.50—are each unequaled in its class by those offered by any of our competitors. We say this



fearlessly, and will gladly prove the truth of our assertion.

### Old Ladies' Shoes.

We always keep a big line of these goods; in leather or lasting; made wide all over; low heel; need no breaking in.