

OUR BEST CUSTOMER.

Half of Uncle Sam's Food Imports Purchased by Great Britain.

FIGURES THAT ARE EYE-OPENERS.

Great Growth of Breadstuffs Shipments, but American Gold

STILL GOES TO ENGLAND IN MILLIONS.

buy bread, and if not from one country then from another, and if gold is for any reason lacking in the market, as we have seen, this, however, is an abstract speculation. The practical question before us at the moment is to forecast how long and to what extent the shipments of gold abroad, which began on Saturday, will continue, and what will be the effect upon our finances. That it will last as long as the amount as much as it did a year ago I don't believe. Then the gold shipped was drawn mostly out of the Government vaults, there it lay as useless as it was before it was mined. The loss of gold did not in the least diminish the reserves of our banks, whereas now every dollar that goes out of the country in actual use, and its loss must therefore depress prices, particularly those of the securities which the British are willing to pay for the food they are buying. For some weeks to come, therefore, I look for a depressed stock market.

"I BELIEVE Dr. D. Jayne's Expectant to be the best LUNG MEDICINE there is." BLOWVILLE, OHIO, Dec. 5, 1891.

Dr. D. Jayne & Son—Gentlemen—I believe Dr. D. Jayne's Expectant to be the best "Lung Medicine" there is. A few years ago a man boarding at my house was taken very ill with the Croup and lost all power of speech. Having a bottle of the Expectant in the house I gave him a good dose, and he was up and about in a few days. In a short time he could speak, and next day was as well as ever. All of Dr. Jayne's Medicines are well thought of in this community. RILEY McANAM'S.

GREAT MUSLIN SALE.
At Reduced Prices.
Every piece in our entire stock, from 36 inches to the 100 inches wide, and in all the qualities, has been reduced in price. For quantity and extreme lowness of price this will be the greatest muslin sale ever made by us. You can effect considerable saving on your spring sewing by attending this sale.

JOS. HORNET & CO.'s Penn Avenue Store.

Don't fail to come and see that magnificent production that is the Egyptian Blanket. One of the most effective wall decorations ever brought out.

JOHN S. ROBERTS, 719-721 Liberty street, head of Wood.

SIR MORELL MACKENZIE says in the Journal of Laryngology, November, 1887: "Compressed Pastilles of Solen water are now the standard remedy, as well as the mineral waters. There are made from two of the well waters, and containing a large amount of chloride of Sodium, are particularly serviceable in pharyngeal catarrh, and may even in some degree be used where it is desired to obtain the effects of the Solen treatment in persons who are unable to make the necessary journey to the spa itself."

THE DREADED "GRIPPE."
A BENSON'S PLASTER placed over the Chest and upper arm between the shoulder and elbow, not only immediately relieves, but quickly cures for those Muscular Pains that accompany the Grippe. The plaster passes away like magic. Wear BENSON'S Plaster during the Grippe, and you are protected from contagion. It is the only true medicinal porous plaster. It is not a nostrum in any sense. Indorsed by over 5,000 Physicians and Surgeons. Don't allow Commercial Druggists to palm off cheap imitations. Get the genuine BENSON'S and you will not be disappointed.

Bijou THEATRE
This Week—Maurice Yvonne and her company in the Egyptian.
Next Week—Mr. Barnes of New York.

Prevent the Grip

Dr. Cyrus Edson, of the New York Board of Health, says that to prevent the Grip, you should avoid exposure in inclement weather and keep your strength up, your blood in good condition, and your digestive organs in regular action. The tincture and alternative effects of Hood's Sarsaparilla so happily meet the last three conditions, that with the protection given by this medicine you need not fear the Grip.

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA

Is an inexpensive medicine and a single bottle may save you many dollars in doctor's bills and much suffering.

"A Firm 'Grip'"
"One year ago I was taken down with the Grip, and my whole system seemed completely run down. I could not sleep or eat. A friend of mine advised me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. So I did. I used four bottles and in two months I was a well man. I think so much of

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA
That I keep it hand at all the time." CRUICKSHANK, City Bill Posters, Shelbyville, Ill.
Hood's Pills cure Liver Trouble.

DUQUESNE, PITTSBURGH'S LEADING THEATRE.

THE BEGINNING OF THE END.
6 More Nights, 2 More Matinees.
Greatest Success ever known in Pittsburgh.

SINBAD!

Mr. DAVID HENDERSON, Manager.
COME AND ENJOY THE
Greatest Entertainment of the Winter Season.
Sinbad's Palace, National Profession, Valley of Diamonds, Lillian Transforms, Popular Matinee Wednesdays—Best Seats 50c.
Next week—Casino Opera Co. fe22-24

DUQUESNE, PITTSBURGH'S LEADING THEATRE.
Special engagement of the CASINO OPERA COMPANY.
Beginning Monday, Feb. 22.
Two great productions: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.
Sale of seats begins Thursday next at 8:30 A. M. All orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

THE ALVIN THEATRE.

CHARLES L. DAVIS, Owner and Manager
To-night, Wednesday and Saturday Matinees
DANIEL PROEMAN'S SPECIAL CO.

THE CHARITY BALL.
No performance on Tuesday.
Next Week—THE SOUDAN. fe22-23

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

ALL THE COMFORTS OF HOME.
Original Company, Original Scenery, Original Accessories.
Under the Direction of Mr. Charles Frohman.

GRAND OPENING
OF—
SUMMER SHIRTS
—WITH—
SPECIAL PRICES
—FOR—
THIS WEEK ONLY

75c MADRAS SHIRTS AT 41c
English Cheviot \$1 Shirts at 50c (with Silk Lacer.)
Fine Oxford Shirts at 75c (with Satin Stripe.)
Best English Oxford Shirts at \$1.
French Sateen Shirts at \$1, worth \$2.
\$2.50 Cheviot, Silk Stripe and Oxford Shirts, at \$1.25 and 1.50 during this sale.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY.



WESSER
435 MARKET STREET. 437.
"THAT COUGH IS A SIGNAL OF DANGER."

DR. WOODS' NORWAY PINE SYRUP

TRADE MARK.
A POSITIVE CURE FOR COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, and all affections of the Bronchial Tubes.

The Purest, Safest and Best Throat and Lung Remedy Ever Produced.

IT WILL CURE every form of THROAT and LUNG Diseases down to the very borderland of CONSUMPTION.

PREPARED ONLY BY
FOSTER, MILBURN & CO.,
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Ask your Druggist for a Free Sample Bottle. fe6-24

Gold Always a Bread-Buyer. Still, it may be said that gold will always

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ALWAYS AS ADVERTISED! That's why Laird's Special Bargain Sales are so largely attended by the best people. In ONE of Laird's Special Reduction Sales more really first-class fine shoes are sold than are disposed of during the entire year in other stores. Every pair is warranted with privilege to exchange or money refunded.

Laird's Special Shoe Sale

ABSOLUTE VALUE.

POSITIVE REDUCTIONS. NEARLY HALF PRICE.
THOUSANDS DAILY FITTED.

- Men's Finest Patent Leather Shoes Reduced from \$5 and \$6 to **\$2.90 & \$3.90**
- Men's Finest Cordovan Custom Shoes Reduced from \$5 and \$7 to **\$2.90 & \$3.90**
- Men's Finest Calf Custom Shoes Reduced from \$5 and \$7 to **\$2.90 & \$3.90**
- Men's Genuine Kangaroo Shoes Reduced from \$5 and \$6 to **\$2.90 & \$3.90**
- Men's English Grain Shoes Reduced from \$5 and \$6 to **\$2.90 & \$3.90**
- Men's Puritan Calf Shoes Reduced from \$4 and \$5 to **\$2.90 & \$2.50**

Police and Firemen's Shoes, Letter Carriers', Oil Drillers' and Hunting Boots,

PRICES GREATLY REDUCED.
IMMENSE ASSORTMENT, ALL SIZES.

MEDIUM GRADE SHOES

FOR FULL DRESS AND STREET WEAR,
Or any mechanical use, at.....\$1.18, \$1.24 and \$1.39
GENTS' FINE Calf SHOES Reduced from \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 to.....\$2.48 and \$2.18
GENTS' FINE DRESS SHOES Reduced from \$2.50 and \$3 to.....\$1.98 and \$1.59

LADIES' FINE SHOES

AT ABOUT HALF PRICE.
EVERY STYLE. EVERY SIZE. EVERY WIDTH.
LADIES' ELEGANT FRENCH DONGOLA, patent vamps or patent tips, cloth tops or kid tops, Common Sense, Opera, Piccadilly or New York last, regular \$4, \$5 and \$6, reduced to.....\$2.90 and \$3.90
FINEST DONGOLA, STRAIGHT GOAT AND PEBBLE GOAT, every style, every size and every width, at.....\$1.39, \$1.48, \$1.69 and \$1.98,
Reduced From \$1.50 to 75c Per Pair,
With Heels or Spring Heels.

OVER 1,500 PAIRS OF BOYS' & GIRLS' SHOES

50c to 75c Less than Ever Before.

SLIPPERS! SLIPPERS!

For Men, for Ladies, for Boys, for Girls,
SELLING AT BARGAIN PRICES.

W. M. LAIRD,

Mammoth Bargain Shoe Sale,
433 AND 435 BARGAINS 406-408-410
WOOD ST. BOTH STORES MARKET ST.
Prompt Attention to Mail Orders. Wholesale and Retail. fe21-MWVWU

KEECH

Offers the Opportunity If You Do the Rest.
Furniture, carpets, rugs, draperies—in short, everything that goes to make the home cozy and comfortable can be bought at KEECH'S this week at

OPENING.

WE WILL OPEN OUR NEW STORE
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22,
With the newest, freshest and most complete line of
Carpets, Wall Paper, Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, etc., etc.
The largest assortment, the latest designs, the choicest styles and the freshest novelties ever offered in this city.

KEECH

923-927 PENN AVE. (NEAR NINTH STREET.) fe22-MWV

CREDIT

Koehler's Installment House, 17 Sixth St. 2d Floor, MEN'S & BOYS' CLOTHING ON CREDIT, (Ready-Made & to Order.) Ladies' Cloaks & Jackets Watches & Jewelry, ON INSTALLMENTS.
Cash Prices—Without Purchase TERMS: One-third of the amount purchased must be paid down; the balance in small weekly or monthly payments. Business transacted strictly confidential. Open daily from 11 A. M. to 9 P. M. Saturday days until 3 P. M.

GEO. W. SNAMAN,

136 FEDERAL STREET, 136 ALLEGHENY CITY. fe20-21-MW

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



The Naked Truth

ABOUT our style of doing business is, first of all, strictly reliable Home-Made Clothing; secondly, one price to all alike, rich or poor.

THE sale we have inaugurated for this week will, no doubt, cause a number of our competitors to

KICK, but what do we care about a few kickers? People will kick at all times; some are not satisfied with less than 50 per cent profit, but it's not a matter of profit with us now, therefore we have taken off every

TAX—Every remnant of gain we need and must have room, and if reduced prices will make it we will clear our

BUILDING of every piece of medium or heavy-weight goods we have left. Without reserve everything goes at a reduction.

NOW is your time to buy and the place is none other than

JACKSON'S

954 and 956 LIBERTY STREET
TAILORS, CLOTHIERS, HATTERS AND FURNISHERS. fe21-22-MWVWU

THIS IS THE DUDE
That got left behind at McAllister's party and his chums all had VOLTAIC DIAMONDS
In their shirt fronts, but he knew better. He thought he could "amash the heart" of some girl without one. He got beautifully left. VOLTAIC DIAMONDS are without an equal. They are set in Rings, Studs, Earrings, Pins, etc. We have the loose stones and mount them in any style of jewelry. Not sold by any other jeweler in the United States.

KAUFMANN'S

Fifth Avenue and Smithfield Street.
UNAPPROACHABLE OFFER!
Five Special Bargains in Black Goods.
40-inch Black French Cashmeres at 48c per yard, would be cheap at 65c.
Silk Finish Black Henriettes only 65c per yard. Regular price \$75c.
46-inch Black French Henriettes at \$2 per yard. Real value \$3.
46-inch Extra Fine Black French Henriettes at 85c per yard, usually sold at \$1.25.
Extra Wide Fine Black Brillantines only 45c per yard. Regular price 75c.
We simply claim and do give better values than any other house, and we would feel obliged if you would compare this offering to what is offered elsewhere.

KEECH

Offers the Opportunity If You Do the Rest.
Furniture, carpets, rugs, draperies—in short, everything that goes to make the home cozy and comfortable can be bought at KEECH'S this week at

DOUGLAS & MACKIE,

151, 153 AND 155 FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY. fe22-MWV

TIN PLATE

IS BEING MANUFACTURED

KENSINGTON.

THE PITTSBURGH TIN PLATE COMPANY
Commenced the manufacture of Tin Plate at their extensive works in this new manufacturing city during the past week, and the quality is considered by experts and consumers superior to the imported article.
We will, from time to time, announce the completion and operations of the different manufacturing.
To get the benefit of choice sites, original prices and increase in values, lots should be selected and bought now.
No mistake can be made in putting your savings in property at Kensington. Money so invested will soon double. It has now a population of over 2,000 people, and is growing every day by families moving into their own homes.
VISIT KENSINGTON.
Call and get free railroad tickets given there and return. Salesmen always on the ground.
For further information apply at office of
THE BURRELL IMPROVEMENT COMPANY,
ROOMS 30, 32 AND 34,
NO. 96 FOURTH AVENUE,
PITTSBURGH, PA. fe21-22-MWVWU

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WILL CLOSE TO-DAY AT NOON.

SPECIAL SALE OF BROKEN SIZES.

REMNANTS AND ODDS AND ENDS.

MEN'S CLOTHING.

61 Men's Suits, were sold from \$12 to \$16, GO AT \$8.
92 Men's Suits, were sold from \$15 to \$18, GO AT \$10.
67 Men's Suits, were sold from \$18 to \$22, GO AT \$12.
51 Men's Overcoats, were sold from \$12 to \$16, GO AT \$8.
92 Men's Overcoats, were sold from \$15 to \$18, GO AT \$10.
61 Men's Overcoats, were sold from \$18 to \$22, GO AT \$12.
467 Men's Pants, were sold from \$3.50 to \$5, GO AT \$2.50.

BOYS' CLOTHING.

65 two-piece Kilt Suits, were sold from \$3 to \$4, GO AT \$1.50.
83 beautiful three-piece Zouave Kilt Suits, were sold from \$3.50 to \$5.50, GO AT \$2.50.
62 very fine Parisian two-piece Kilt Suits, were sold from \$5 to \$6, GO AT \$3.50.
162 Short-Pant Suits, were sold from \$3 to \$4, GO AT \$1.50.
111 Short-Pant Suits, were sold from \$5 to \$7, GO AT \$3.50.
69 Short-Pant Suits, were sold from \$7 to \$9, GO AT \$5.
84 Long-Pant Suits, were sold from \$7 to \$9, GO AT \$4.50.
128 Long-Pant Suits, wood brown and steel gray effects, were sold from \$8 to \$10, GO AT \$5.
63 Long-Pant Suits, finest imported materials, cutaway frock styles, were sold from \$15 to \$20, GO AT \$6.
1,200 pairs Short Pants, were sold 35c, GO AT 11c.
369 pairs Short Pants, were sold from \$1 to \$1.25, GO AT 75c.

SHOES FOR ALL.

270 pairs Men's solid leather Brogans, were sold at \$1.25, GO AT 75c.
190 pairs Men's Lace and Congress Calf Shoes, uppers of one piece, were sold at \$2, GO AT \$1.25.
100 pairs Men's fine Calf Patent Leather Shoes, lace and Congress, were sold at \$4, GO AT \$2.75.
170 pairs Men's fine Calf Patent Leather Shoes, lace and Congress, were sold at \$4, GO AT \$2.75.
112 pairs Men's French Calf Hand-Sewed Shoes, button only, were sold at \$6, GO AT \$2.49.
320 pairs Ladies' Dongola button and lace Shoes, were sold at \$1.75, GO AT \$1.
180 pairs Ladies' Bright Dongola Spring Heel Shoes, were sold at \$2, GO AT \$1.25.
100 pairs Ladies' Oxford Ties, were sold at \$1.50, GO AT \$1.
72 pairs Men's Plush Slippers, were sold at \$1.50, GO AT 60c.
92 pairs Children's Heeled Oxfords, were sold at 75c, GO AT 39c.
69 pairs Infants' French Kid Bright Dongola Button Shoes, sizes 2 to 5, were sold at 75c, GO AT 49c.
73 pairs Misses' Pebble Goat Lace Shoes, sizes 12 to 2, were sold at \$1.25, GO AT 75c.
120 pairs Youths' N. K. Button Tipped Shoes, sizes 12 to 2, were sold at \$1.25, GO AT 98c.