

Grand Clearance Sale OF SUMMER FOOTWEAR AT Bickel's.

We have commenced a Grand Clearance Sale of all Summer Footwear. We have too many Summer Shoes and Oxfords and will not carry a pair over. Every pair must go during this SALE and will go at away down prices.

Table listing various shoe models and prices, including Men's \$4.00 Welt Sole Shoes, Ladies' \$3.50 Welt Sole Patent Kid Oxfords, etc.

Sample Counters Filled With Interesting Bargains JOHN BICKEL, 128 South Main St., BUTLER, PA.

HUSELTON'S SPRING FOOTWEAR advertisement featuring various shoe styles and a list of items like Patent Leather Bluchers, Patent Kid Bluchers, etc.

WHO WILL BE JUDGE OF OUR SHOES? THE NEW SHOE STORE, Daubenspeck & Turner, 108 S. MAIN ST.

K E C K Spring & Summer Weights advertisement featuring various clothing items and a list of styles.

JUST RECEIVED Another Large Shipment OF MILLINERY. A great assortment of mid-summer styles, an endless variety of hats.

Rockenstein's, MILLINERY EMPORIUM, 28 South Main Street, Butler, Pa.

MICA AXLE GREASE advertisement: Makes short roads. Good for everything that runs on wheels. Sold Everywhere.

Nasal CATARRH advertisement: Ely's Cream Balm. Cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane.

Johnston's Beef, Iron and Wine advertisement: The Best Tonic and Blood Purifier. Prepared and sold daily at Johnston's Pharmacy.

Johnston's Crystal Pharmacy advertisement: R. M. LOGAN, M. D., Manager. 108 N. Main St., Butler, Pa.

We Guarantee ALL THE PAINT advertisement: We sell and the largest paint Mfg. Co. in the world (The Sherwin-Williams Co.) stand back of us in this guarantee.

REDICK & GROHMAN, 109 N. Main St., Butler, Pa. Eugene Morrison GENERAL CONTRACTING PAINTER and DECORATOR.

EYTH BROS. Big Wall Paper Store, Next to Postoffice. Special bargains in Wall Paper, Window Blinds and Room Mouldings.

EYTH BROS., Formerly, C. B. McMILLIAN, Phone 453, 251 S. Main St.

HOMESPUN HEROISM BY C. B. LEWIS

When Zeb Johnson, Farmer Jones' hired man, came to the end of a row of corn, he took a seat on a stump to think things over. He realized that he couldn't glean much consolation from mere thinking, but a crisis was to be faced.

Fuzzed the Frenchman. Sergeant Harry, who acted as the usher in the White House during Cleveland's second term, told this story: "I will never forget the message President McKinley gave me when he was in the White House. It was a message of peace and good will."

Didn't Suit Washington. Until the early part of the last century Millford, Conn., had a house in which Washington was said to have stayed. It was in 1788 when Washington made a tour of New England.

Describing a Wedding. A young woman clerk at the court-house was asked to report for the Wellington (Kan.) Mail a wedding that was to take place in the office of the justice of the peace.

Fairly Warned. An old circus man says that he once arrived at Stetson, Pa., early in the morning to make arrangements for a circus performance at that place.

He Gave His Address. Harry Burgess told a good story of a distinguished but irritable Scotch laird. The gentleman had occasion to speak in a small town in one of the lowland counties, and it chanced that he met with more than usually conspicuous chairman.

Hard on His Brethren. "Oh, well, my dear," observed he to his wife, "you will find there are a great many worse men in the world than I am."

A Liberal Education. Wiscom—Honestly, now, did you learn anything while you were in college? Graduate—Um—well, I learned how to state my ignorance in scientific terms.

A Saving Entanglement BY JAMES ALLISON

She really wanted to reply in the "Yes" he longed to hear, but it was a novel experience to see him so dead in earnest. She shook her head slightly.

His voice was low and tense. The girl dressed impatiently. "Mr. Ludlow, will you kindly disengage those skates, or at least let us step out of people's way."

Most Point of Law. An English writer gives a good example of those quibbles in legal practice that have a sort of fascination for certain minds. Some years ago, while traveling on the continent, he met his principal lawyer for the government of one of the principalities, who told him of a curious legal question.

Too Effective. The German proprietor of a sawmill in a Minnesota town used for fuel the refuse from his mill. It was not a good thing, but it took four men to provide it, because the machinery was old fashioned.

A Military Doubt. "Did you hear anything about my sized around the corner?" a boy inquired of an elderly gentleman who was passing.

MAN BEFORE BREAKFAST. More than Nature Than Woman, Says an Observant Restaurateur. "Of course," said an observant restaurateur, "I think my business gives me the best opportunity for observing the human nature."

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Tomato Plants and Outwars. Outwars very often prove fatal to the growing tomato plants, as they do to those of nearly every crop. Early cultivation, keeping the ground fallow for several weeks, will do much to save them. When the plants are as large as lead pencil, they are set four inches apart in rows three feet asunder, and cultivation is immediately begun with the wheel hoe. In growing front sets the planting is made in much the same way. Multiplier or potato onions are similarly managed.

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