

**Spare Moments.**  
A lean awkward boy came one morning to the door of the principal of a celebrated school, and asked to see him. The servant eyed the boy, and thinking he looked more like a beggar than anything else, told him to go around to the kitchen. The boy did as he was bidden, and soon appeared at the back door.  
"You want a breakfast, more like," said the servant girl, "and I can give you that without troubling him."  
"Thank you," said the boy, "I have no objection to a bite, but I should like to see Mr. ——— if he can see me."  
"Some old clothes may be your want," remarked the servant, again eyeing the boy's patches of clothing. "I guess he has none to spare, he gives away a great sight," and without minding the boy's request, she went away about her work.  
Can I see Mr. ——— again asked the boy, after finishing the breakfast and butter.  
"Well, he is in the library; if he must be disturbed, he must, but he does like to be alone sometimes," said the girl in a peevish tone. She thought the boy foolish to admit such an awkward-looking fellow into her master's presence. However, she wiped her hands, and bade him follow. Opening the library door, she said:  
"Here's somebody, sir, who is dreadfully anxious to see you, and so I let him in."  
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**CONCERT BLOCK.**  
*Advertisement for a concert block, mentioning the name of the performer and the location.*

**CORNING, STREUBEN COUNTY, N. Y.**  
*Advertisement for a business or service in Corning, NY.*

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*Advertisement for a store or business, mentioning various goods and services.*

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*A notice or advertisement directed to old friends, possibly regarding a business or social event.*

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*Advertisement for woolen clothing, specifically cassimere.*

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*Advertisement for merino wool goods.*

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*Advertisement for water-proof beaver clothing.*

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*Advertisement for a business or service, challenging competitors.*

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*Advertisement for apple trees, mentioning quantity and quality.*

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*Advertisement for marble work, mentioning various services.*

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*Advertisement for a meat market, mentioning quality and variety.*

**I AM SELLING OFF**  
*Advertisement for a sale or liquidation of goods.*

**MY STOCK OF GOODS**  
*Advertisement for a stock of goods, mentioning various items.*

**Stoves! Stoves!!**  
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**HOME INSURANCE COMPANY,**  
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*Advertisement for a medical treatment for bladder issues.*

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*Advertisement for Shedden's medicine or product.*

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*Advertisement for roll carding and cloth dressing services.*

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*Advertisement for genuine preparations, possibly medicinal or food.*

**THE MASON & HAMLIN'S CABINET**  
*Advertisement for Mason & Hamlin's cabinet or furniture.*

**HELMHOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU.**  
*Advertisement for Helmhold's Extract Buchu, a medicinal product.*

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**PHYSICIANS AND OTHERS**  
*Advertisement for physicians and other professionals.*

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*Advertisement for a manufacturing chemist.*

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