

Circumstances over which we have no control compel us to realize \$5,000 cash within the next thirty days. To obtain this amount of money we have an acre, at \$5 an acre, let the law be strictly enforced. Let the operators determined to sacrifice our

STOCK OF \$15.000 SPRING AND SUMMER FUUDS. consisting of fine clothing for men, boys and children, boots and shoes, and furnishings. We must have the money without fail, and to make our goods go we have decided to sell out at your own figures.

FEW SPECIMEN PRICES:

500 Men's Suits, of the latest styles and finest materials, fully worth from 16 to \$18, going to be sacrificed at from 8 to \$10 each.
600 Boys' Suits, double-breasted vests, of our own special make, were selling at 10
to \$12, sacrificed at from 6 to \$8 a suit.
400 Children's Suits from 79c up.
500 Knee Pants, extra well made up to sell at 75c and \$1, now going at 50c.
600 Pairs Ladies' Shoes, in lace or button, black or tan, were 1.25, 1.75, 2.25 and
\$3; your choice now at 98c, 1.25, 1.50 and \$2.
700 Pairs of Men's Shoes, latest styles of toes, at 1.25 to \$3.50, fully worth 2 to \$5.
Misses', Boys' and Children's Shoes almost given away.

THE FAMOUS AGENT IN FREELAND FOR SOLE DOUGLAS SHOES.

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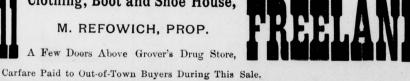
Has increased to such an extent that we now employ more hands and turn out more suits than any other establishment in lower Luzerne. Our unsurpassable display of piece goods, the perfect fit, low price and first-class workmanship have given our suits a reputation which our competitors cannot touch. Why pay a large price for a made-ta-order suit, when the Wear Well can give you the best in the market at a saving of from \$5 to \$8 on every suit? Mr. L. J. Davies, formerly of Hazleton, has charge of this department as cutter, and we guarantee that all work passing through his hands will be found satisfactory.

Remember This is no fake, as we still remain in town and will be here to back up every promise we make. The sale will positively last only thirty days, or until we realize the money required. This is the best chance the people ever had to furnish themselves with reliable clothing right at the beginning of the summer season.



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ADVERTISING. Nothing, except the mint, can make

noney without advertising.-Gladstone. I would as soon think of doing busiess without clerks as without adver tising.—John Wanamaker.

When you pay more for the rent of your business house than for advertis-ing your business, you are pursuing a false policy. If you can do busines let it be known.-Benjamin Franklin.

The coal companies' organization, known as the Taxpayers' Association, is reaching out in an attempt to throttle the public schools. A seven-months' term, it is alleged, is all that the revenues will permit in the surrounding townships, and the law, they say, must be lived up to strictly. It would not be a bad idea if the law were enforced. and a beginning might with profit be made at the assessment of coal operators' lands in the townships where the revenues are inadequate to meet the school expenses. Instead of assess-ing coal land, worth \$5,000 to \$15,000

pay an equitable share of the school taxes, and the school funds will be sufficient in a few years to give every pupil in the townships about us a co lege education. Enforce the law and let us see if meddlesome fingers won't get a neat burning.

Again the Populists, in national con vention assembled, have sacrificed that which is dear to every political party, viz., the privilege of honoring a member of their organization with a nomination for office, and have unanimously chosen William Jennings Bryan as their stand-ard-bearer for the presidency. The Populists are sincerely for reform, and they show it by choosing a man from another party who has a chance to win. rather than lose their votes by casting them for one of their own members Bryan today embodies the hopes o every true friend of the republic. He is big enough and broad enough in sentiment and principle for every re-

selection of a Democcatic candidate for the legislature in this district. The Democrats are qualified to make a choice without assistance from Mr. Drake and his colleagues, and the scheme to foist one of their henchmen on the ticket will, if successful in the convention, be resented at the polls. Men who are Democrats when it suits Republican leaders' purposes are not the kind of Democrats who should represent this district in the legislature.

When the matter of fire protection for the Hill was first talked of-after the territory was admitted to the borough-a fire engine was suggested as the only reliable safeguard. The idea, however, was ridiculed by the know-alls. Now, after a waste of money and time with other appliances council is back to the question of buy ing an engine. It takes a long while for common sense to drive its way into some heads. Condy O. Boyle,

dealer in

Porter, Etc.

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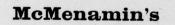
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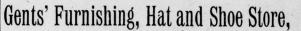
Our store is stocked with all that is new and desir-able in spring and summer merchandise in our lines. We have steadily aimed to build up a reputation for fair and honest dealing with our patrons, and to do this we cannot afford to sell one article except for what it really is. We employ no deceptive schemes, we give away no chromos, we do not sell below cost, nor do we sell the same class of goods at two prices. We give the best service and atten-tion we can, we cheerfully refund money if purchases are not satisfactory, and accord to every patron, friend or stranger, the same treatment. If you desire to buy at a store where these principles are rigidly followed, call on us. Our store is stocked with all that is new and desir-

Men's and Women's Shoes In this department we expected success. Not only are our shoes perfect in appear-ance, good fitting, splendid wearing, but our prices are in many cases half what you have been paying. Our Men's and Boys' Dress Shoes, in Black or Russet, are as pretty a lot as you could wish to see. The same can be said for our Women's and Misses' Shoes. In Working Shoes we continue to bandle only the very best makes that the factories produce. Nothing wrong with our prices, either.

Men's and Boys' Hats Men's Hats in every shade and all the latest designs. Prices for a good stiff hat run from \$1 up to \$3, the latter being the cost of our popular Hawes' Hat, which is equal in strength, durability and nattiness to any \$5 hat on the market. Boys' hat and caps in endless assortments, styles and prices.

Furnishings Our success in catering to the popular taste in selecting colored summer shirts last year appears to be ready for repetition. We have a stock on our counters now, which is certainly the cream of the season's make. In Neckwear our line is handsome, complete and up-to-date, so it is with every other department.





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