

HARD TIMES—STONE & THOMAS.

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All over the country the complaint is heard times never were so hard. Business never was so dull. It's different here. We are doing the largest business in our forty-six years' history. The reason: We are buying immense lots of goods at absolutely low prices and selling them the same way.

ALL DAY TUESDAY

- AT 50c 150 dozen All-linen Fringed Napkins, plain white and white with colored borders, worth 12c, now 5c
- AT 19c 200 dozen Knotted Fringed Damask Towels, worth from 35c to 50c, choice 19c each.
- AT 25c 46-inch wide All-wool Warp Plaids, regular price 50c, now 25c.
- AT 36c 38-inch wide All-wool Hopsacking—Navy, Brown, Green, Havana—price everywhere 50c. Our price 36c.
- AT 49c Colored Bengaline Silks, regular price \$1 00 a yard. Our price 49c.
- AT 98c 20 pieces Changeable Satin Duchess; usual price \$1 50. Our price 98c.
- AT 50c One case 34-inch wide Cotton Printed Cloth Suiting; regular price 12c a yard, now 5c.
- AT 49c 10 dozen 8-4 White Table Cloths, red borders; regular price 99c, choice 49c.
- AT 11c 5 cases 9-4 Seamless Unbleached Sheetting; regular price 22c, now 11c.
- AT \$2.98 11-4 All-Wool Red and Black Barred Home-made Country Blankets, worth \$5.00. Our price \$2 98 a pair.
- AT 6 3/4c Ladies' Choice and Lonsdale Muslin. Monday's price 6c.
- AT 69c 50 dozen 6-4 Chenille Table Covers; regular price \$1 00. Our price 69c.

OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT, OUR CARPET DEPARTMENT,

Have equally interesting news. Investigate these departments, Second and Third Floors. Take elevator.

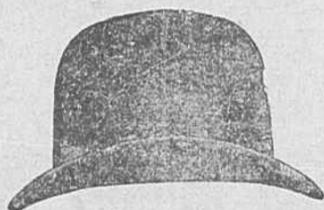
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HATS—M. J. M'FADDEN.

THE SILVER QUESTION

Has been agitating the public mind for months, and the prospects are that the agitation will continue. Not so with the HAT Question. The people have decided long ago that the best place to buy is MCFADDEN'S, and they are right. We have the Best Styles, the Best Goods and the

LOWEST PRICES!



THE MIDWAY.

- The New Midway, \$3 00 Grade, for \$2 40.
- The New Midway, \$2 50 Grade, for \$1 90.
- The New Admiral, \$2 00 Grade, for \$1 50.
- Good Quality Silk Hats for \$1 00 and \$1 25.

MCFADDEN'S

One-Price Hatters and Furnishers, 1320 and 1322 Market St. STORES OPEN EVERY EVENING.

DRESS PATTERNS—GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

FINE WHIP CORD,

Henrietta and Diagonal Cord Dress Patterns,

All this Season's Choicest Colors, at \$4.97—EACH. See Them in Main Street Window.

STYLISH ALL-WOOL DRESS PATTERNS \$3.48—EACH.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT on the Ground Floor. Prices Likewise!

- Black, Navy, Myrtle and Brown Jackets, with Velvet Collars, \$4 85 each.
- New Jackets with Improved Worth Collars.
- New Skirt Jackets.
- New Circular Sweep Capes.

Geo. M. Snook & Co.

The Intelligencer.

Office: Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.
 For Sale—Lot on Fourteenth Street—Ricehart and Tatum.
 Stockholders Meeting—S. Hanford.
 The Favorites—R. H. List.
 The Silver Question—McFadden's One-Price Store—Eighth Page.
 Hard Times—Stone & Thomas—Eighth Page.
 Live on Your Income—House & Herrmann—Eighth Page.
 Anyone With \$10,000 Cash.
 Wedding Gifts—L. G. Dillon & Co.
 Latroix China Colors—Ewing Bros.
 Wall Paper—John Friedel & Co.
 Investors—Stinson & Hackett.
 Fancy New York Cream Cheese—H. F. Behrens.

HALF HOSE A SPECIALTY.
 Our popular 2 1/2 Half Hose in Cotton, Merino and Natural Wool are known for their softness and durability and are the most satisfactory Half Hose in the market.
 C. HESS & SONS,
 Merchant Tailors and Gents' Furnishers,
 No. 1321 and 1323 Market Street.

If you cannot see and need Spectacles you should call on us and have your eyes tested without charge. We have the finest instruments and more experience than any other optician in the State, and guarantee satisfaction or money refunded.
 JACOB W. GRUBB,
 Jeweler and Optician,
 Corner Twelfth and Market.

All Down with Fever.
 A sorely afflicted family is that of Charles Stricklein, who lives out near Haneytown. He, his wife, his son John and his daughter, all the members of his family, are seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Raided a House.
 Yesterday Constable Sprout, of Benwood, on complaint of several neighbors, raided a house of ill fame in lower Benwood, on Gravel street and took in one girl, Minnie Jennings. Several men who were in the house made their escape. It is proposed to break up the house in question.

Arrested at Last.
 George Schell and Charles Alexander were arrested yesterday and arraigned before Squire Gillespy. They are two of the men alleged to have been in the dive in the rear of the Italian saloon, on Market street, north of Tenth, at the time of the recent raid on it, but they escaped and have since evaded the officers. The justice held them in \$100 bond for a hearing. This makes nine cases from that raid.

Locked up for Fast Driving.
 Yesterday two colored girls, Louise and Winnie Taylor, were driving a buggy recklessly in East Wheeling, and nearly knocked over an old lady. Patrol Driver Fulton arrested them, but they pulled away and drove at a terrific rate up an alley. The escapade attracted a large crowd of people. Later they were rearrested and spent the night in the lockup on a charge of fast driving.

Teachers' Meeting.
 A meeting of the Belmont County Teachers' Association will be held at Bellaire next Saturday. The programme arranged is as follows:
 Paper—"The Country vs. City Schools"..... George Arnold
 Discussion.....
 Paper—"Examinations"..... E. H. Eaves
 Discussion.....
 Paper—"The Old and the New"..... Superintendent E. M. Van Cleave
 Discussion.....

The election of officers for the ensuing year and other business of importance will also be transacted.

Paying the Piper.
 Mrs. Snyder was fined \$20 and costs in the police court yesterday morning for keeping a house of ill-fame, and the four Taylor girls and two men found in her house got \$5 and costs each. Nellie Elsworth, in default of \$5 and costs for disorder, went to jail, and Joe Miller, on the same charge, paid \$5 and costs. Commer Jones, a vag, went to the hill in default of \$10 and costs. Ed Manion and John Russell, for breaking glass in the windows of the Hobbs glass works, went to the hill, not having the cash to meet an assessment of \$5 and costs each.

Silver Wedding.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Cox entertained quite a number of friends in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at their home, near West Liberty, Saturday, October 14. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shields, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Trippitt, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hodges, and Mr. and Mrs. Za-h Cox, Mr. J. B. Shannon and B. F. Shields, of West Liberty; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lindsay, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Zink, of Bethany; Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wright, of Wellsburg; Dr. T. K. Shields and wife, of Triadelphia; Dr. W. A. Cracraft and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hornbrook, of Elm Grove, and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hodges, of Shannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox were the recipients of many handsome and valuable pieces of silverware. A sumptuous feast was enjoyed by all present. All joined in voting Mr. and Mrs. Cox most entertaining and hospitable host and hostess, and wishing them many more happy years of married life.

A RUN IN THE SNOW.
 That is what Priddle seems to want McClelland to do.

It had been announced that representatives of Pete Priddle would meet E. C. McClelland last night to arrange for another five-mile foot race. It was late when the men met, although Mac was on hand early. Then Priddle's man said Pete would run McClelland five miles four weeks after the articles were signed for \$500 aside. McClelland would not agree to this, but wanted to make the race to be run two weeks from next Saturday, for either \$500 or \$1,000 a side. McClelland said last night he was no "cold weather man," while Priddle is a good man for cold weather. He thought they were either trying to bluff him or take advantage of the fact, well known to Priddle by past experience, that McClelland is not at his best in cold weather. He is yielding a point on his own proposition. Both men are in equally good condition, having trained all summer. Mac said he would agree to a race in five weeks if it could take place in a rink. The parties will meet again Thursday night to see if they can agree upon the terms of a race.

ALLEGHANY, PA., March 16, 1891.
 Norwanna Lickly M'Fg. Co., Dry Martine, Iowa:
 "DEAR SIRS—I find Krause's headache Capsules a ready seller, and can say from personal experience that they are a good thing, as the other night they cured me of a bad attack of neuralgia in about one hour when usually it lasts a day or two. C. W. SMART, Druggist.
 Sold by Alex. T. Young, John Klari, Wheeling; Bowie & Co., Bridgeport, O.

For choice Dress Goods, Silks, Satins and Velvets, Geo. R. Taylor's is the best place to go.
 Have you tried the Wheeling Bakery New Process Rye? Finest thing in the world for young and old, as it is much more easily digested than wheat bread.

ARE YOU FORGETFUL?

If So, You May Have Lost Something on the Street Cars.

THEY MIGHT HELP YOU OUT

From Their Collection of Unclaimed Property Left on the Cars—Various Articles that Remain Unclaimed. Umbrellas are Very Numerous. Articles of Wearing Apparel—Contents of the "Lost Box."

There are forgetful people in Wheeling, in as great a proportion as in other urban centers. The simile is fully carried out in another respect; there are forgetful people who remember after they have forgotten, and others who having once forgotten remain forgetful. The "lost box" at the Forty-eighth street offices of the Wheeling Railway Company, furnish illustrations of both grades or classes. Here the numerous articles that are left by forgetful passengers on the cars are brought by the watchful conductors and left for the possible return of the man or woman whose mind had been "far, far away."

Generally the articles that find their way to the "lost box" are not of a great intrinsic value. They include pretty nearly everything from a bunch of keys or a pair of eyeglasses to overcoats and umbrellas. An INTELLIGENCER reporter saw the box overhauled yesterday afternoon, and great was the amusement afforded. Strange to say, the article most numerous represented was a certain article of infants' apparel, which, the attendant remarked, are seldom called for by the owners. Umbrellas are left on cars nearly every day, and are nearly always called for by the owners; the exception is that when an umbrella is nearly worn out it is hardly ever asked for, the owner evidently considering this an easy mode to get rid of an undesirable encumbrance. Pocket books are often found, and, except in one or two cases in the history of the road, are invariably called for by the losers. No great amounts of currency have ever been found. Ladies' and gentlemen's kid gloves seem to be easy to lose, as there is a large collection on hand, uncalled for. Out of a number of packages of wearing apparel, nearly one half contained shirts that needed a bath in a greater or less degree. There was one package that contained nothing but newspapers of the vintage of '92; never called for. There was one pair of spectacles, the glasses in which were very strong; evidently lost by an old gentleman. There were various kinds of groceries, including a pound of tea. Several packages of Mail Pouch tobacco indicated that the male portion of the absent-minded are quite numerous. Eight or ten pairs of silk garters, with silver and gold clasps, are a feature of the conglomerate collection; there is but one instance where this purely feminine article was called for. Dinner buckets and baskets, some of them with food in them, form a part of the collection; they are generally called for. About once a year the articles and packages that are not especially valuable, go to a bon-fire. On one or two occasions articles that went to fiery doom were called for.

That Joyful Feeling
 With the exhilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness, which follows the use of Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old-time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered, but never accepted by the well informed.

For the "Eyes" see Fourth page. daw

GLUTEN BREAD baked every Saturday at the Wheeling Bakery. Order a loaf through your grocer. Best thing in the world for invalids and dyspeptics.

Excursions to the Pittsburgh Exposition Via B. & O. Railroad, Oct. 12, 14 and 19. On above dates the Baltimore & Ohio will sell excursion tickets to Pittsburgh and return at rate of \$2 00, which includes admission to the exposition. Tickets good returning two days from date of sale. Trains leave at 5:05 and 7:20 a. m., and 1:30 and 5:20 p. m.

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 Is comfort indeed. Home is the place to take comfort. To make the most of your opportunities in this direction you need SLIPPERS. Don't be like a slipper on ice who takes a fall, but make yourself easy and thoroughly comfortable by purchasing a pair of SLIPPERS from our stock.

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WAY ABOVE THE AVERAGE.

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Nothing bounds tailoring possibilities, our Suits and Overcoats give proof of progress. They reach the highermost point of present perfection, reach it easily in Fashion, Honestly in Quality, Satisfactorily in fit; reach it Cheaply.

\$5 to \$30

for choice of the best is cheap and our best isn't the usual ready-made standard, BETTER; 'tisn't the cheap tailor's, BETTER; up to the scratch with the best talent can produce, even the swell tailor's bow before our variety. More than 2,000 Suits, more than half as many Overcoats. How can anybody's taste be omitted, or anybody's form? You are not too tall nor too short for our stock, you cannot be too stout or too slim, for we have planned for you odd-sized men. If you are hard to fit you are easily fitted here. Easily suited from the Light, Dark and Medium Shades, the extreme for strict fashion followers, tamer styles for less showy dressers, but all GOODNESS, all the money that is asked, worth. Nothing to be doubtful or shaky of.

OUR GUARANTEE that gives the money back shields you, strengthens your confidence, makes us careful, watchful. If you want to be as well dressed as anybody can be, don't venture, don't experiment, take the sure way, our way, and save something considerable.

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Equitable Credit System,

Praise the day it was conceived, makes it possible for you to practice the teachings of the wise men of the land. What you could spare weekly or monthly of your earnings wouldn't be a "drop in the bucket" to pay cash and furnish your house. But that is all we want, what you can spare each pay day, and you've got our immense stock of

FURNITURE, CARPETS AND STOVES

to select from. As much as you want to buy, delivered at once. It's accommodation without cost, credit without restrictions. A confidential transaction between you and us. An agreement sealed only by your word. We're not afraid to trust you. We'll be glad to do it.

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