

OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT—M. GUTMAN & CO.

PRELIMINARY TO OUR Eighty-Second SEMI-ANNUAL OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

We beg leave to inform the public that we will open the Fall campaign with largely increased space for exhibiting our enormous stock, having leased the two large halls adjoining the premises we have occupied for thirty odd years.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Wear

Ever brought to this or any other town. Every day adds some desirable novelty to our already enormous stock.

M. GUTMAN & CO., RETAIL DEPARTMENT, MAIN AND TWELFTH STS.

FALL SUITINGS—GEO. E. STIFEL & CO.

Fore Runners

FALL AND WINTER '94 AND '95.

Advance lines of Fall and Winter Suitings and Wraps now open. They are beauties. Entirely new, rich in color and handsome in style.

Our large rooms have been entirely renovated and repainted, giving advantage of the best light (daylight) to be had in all departments, especially Dress Goods and Silks and Velvets.

Come in, examine the lines, then when you are ready to purchase you will know just where to go to get the latest.

Our Imported Goods are exclusive and the styles seen at our stores will not be seen elsewhere in the city.

GEO. E. STIFEL & CO.

BARGAIN BULLETIN—E. B. POTTS.

E. B. POTTS' Bargain Bulletin!

MAIN AND TENTH STS., Wheeling, W. Va.

We have just purchased at Assignee's sale the entire stock of the ROCHESTER CLOTHING CO., and place the same on the market for a few days at prices that will move the goods. Bargain hunters will do well to call early.

Great Rochester Fire Sale!

\$123,000 Worth of Fine Clothing Saved from the Big Fire at Rochester, N. Y.

The largest fire that has visited Rochester, N. Y., in years occurred in the wholesale clothing district on St. Paul street. Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of clothing were destroyed. But \$123,000 worth of Fine Clothing was saved; and to settle the insurance, the entire stock has been removed to Wheeling, W. Va., and will be sold for half price or 50 cents on the dollar.

AMONG THE GOODS ARE

Table listing men's suits and prices: Men's \$1.00 Suits at this sale at \$2.05, Men's 6.00 and \$5.50 Suits at 3.50, etc.

If you can match these goods for less than double our price anywhere, you will much oblige us by returning the same and we will cheerfully refund your money.

Table listing men's pants and prices: Men's \$1.00 Good Working Pants at .68, Men's 1.25 Pants, splendid value, at .97, etc.

Again we make you the offer—that is, we hereby guarantee to refund you the money for any goods we sell if not fully satisfactory in every sense of the word, and worth double the amount of the price.

Table listing boys' suits and pants and prices: Boys' 30c Pants go at .19, Boys' 40c Pants, a great bargain at .29, etc.

E. B. POTTS, Main and Tenth Streets, Wheeling, W. Va.

CAPTAIN DOVENER

Opens His Campaign Before the Clay-Union Republican Club.

VERY LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC

Describes the Crowd that Listened to the Eloquent Speaker—Compares the Present Depressed Conditions With Republican Protective Prosperity—Democratic Promises and Their Fulfillment.

Last evening at the headquarters of the Clay-Union Republican club at Bishop's hall on Eighteenth street in East Wheeling a large and enthusiastic meeting was held, which was addressed by the Republican congressional candidate, Captain B. B. Dovener.

Captain Dovener began by saying that in former campaigns he had been governed by partisanship growing out of conditions covering a period of thirty-two years, from 1861 to 1892, but he felt to-night that the distressed situation in which he felt his country to be with all of her interests and industries threatened, some with paralysis, others with destruction, that the time had come for him and all other true lovers of our country to take a broader view and to stand upon a higher plane of patriotism and Americanism.

"I am not here to-night to wound or offend or to call to severe account those who were deluded by the promises of the leaders of their party two years ago, but to contrast conditions past and present and will try to convince all who hear me to-night that the positions of my party on all great economic questions affecting the interests of the people and the whole people, regardless of section or condition, have been right. This is proven by a thousand object lessons in our immediate midst. There is a large distinction between recollection and remembrance. You will recollect that two years ago they promised you if the Democratic party should gain control of this government they would legislate so wisely and favorably in the interests of labor that labor should receive its just reward and the 'robber barons,' as they denominated the manufacturers, should not siphon from you and grow rich on the product of your labor; that revenue and tariff reform would be in your interests, that the Democratic party was the only true party that shielded and protected the rights of American labor. Now then, I ask you in all candor if you have any remembrance of their carrying out a single pledge or promise made at that time, or in fact at any time. With a very short recess Congress has been in session for more than one year, a Democratic Congress with a large majority in one branch and a working majority in the other, and a President. In fact they are in complete control of the government, assuming all control and entirely responsible for all legislation. Have they done one single act that would lead you to believe that they were honest in their promises and pledges? Nothing."

One year ago, said the captain, Congress called in extra session by the President to repeal the silver purchase bill, which was claimed to be the cause of business stagnation, uncertainty and disaster, in financial and commercial affairs, and that its repeal was demanded that business confidence would be restored and the country resume its former prosperity, and the people said, "Amen." It was accordingly repealed with the aid of Republicans in both houses. The people awaited patiently for the promised revival; days passed into weeks, weeks into months, and yet the revival came not. Then the people said there must be some other cause and the true cause has now been made clear—it was solely due to tinkering with the tariff laws. Factories closed down, people thrown out of employment, millions of dollars thrown out of circulation, all awaiting the result of the Democratic action in Congress. There is no twelve months under a Republican administration that will compare in far reaching disastrous results with the twelve months just passed under the present administration. A tariff law has finally passed in many respects as bad or worse than the Wilson bill. Many southern products have been protected, while northern products, both agricultural and manufacturing, have been left to the mercy of Europe and the Dominion of Canada.

The captain then made a number of citations from the Gorman-Brice mongrel tariff measure just passed, which he said in the language of Senator Mills, of Texas, does not meet the approval of one thousand Democrats in the United States, and could not even obtain the signature of Free Trade Grover Cleveland. He said the difference between the leaders of the Democratic party and its rank and file reminded him of the story of the white boy and the colored boy who went out dog hunting. Colored boy owned the dog, and he tressed the coon; colored boy climbed the tree and shook the coon down; the coon was killed; the white boy threw it over his shoulder and started for home. Colored boy says, "What part of this coon do I get?" White boy said, "Didn't we agree to go into cohorts on this coon hunt?" Colored boy said, "Yes." White boy said, "Well, I get the coon and you get the cohorts." That's the way with the fellows who voted for Cleveland in '92. The bosses got the offices and the workman largely responsible for Cleveland's election now sees that he got nothing but the cohorts.

Then in a clear and convincing manner he showed the difference between the revenue tariff of European countries and the protective tariff system of the United States; that in a European system articles entering into the actual necessities of life and not produced within their country are taxed simply to raise revenue for the support of the government, and that many articles produced within the country paid no duty. In the United States no article not produced here was subject to duty, such as tea, coffee, spices, tropical woods, etc.

Warning to his subject he drew a vivid description of the growth and prosperity of the country during the protection period and the retrogressive conditions in free trade periods, calling attention to the local effect of protection for thirty-two years, and eighteen months with the free trade axe hanging over the heads of our people. Months of enforced idleness, months of want, distress and beggary. He said: "If the American people send a Democratic majority to the next Congress it will act as an endorsement of the attempted tariff legislation, a renewal of the uncertainty of the last year and an attempt to carry out their platform and inflict entire and complete free trade upon the people. What the people want is rest. Forwared is to be forward. Let the people stand as a solid phalanx for their homes, their families and their country's prosperity."

"THEY'LL REMEMBER ME."

Attend Summer Opera at Wheeling Park and Hear it Sing.

Although there was a great rush for reserved seats for the summer opera and the Masons' outing at Wheeling Park on Thursday and Friday of the present week, some choice ones are still left. The fact of the matter is no seat in the Casino is a bad seat, for wherever you are located the view of the stage is unobstructed.

The Masonic outing on Friday is nothing more than a picnic, a day of recreation from the toil and dust of the city in the beautiful and umbrageous park, whose natural attractions are manifold, and to this affair all friends of the fraternity and the public are cordially invited. The occasion will be enlivened with speeches by orators of ability, interspersed with concerts by the Opera House band. The lady friends of the fraternity will be on hand to dispense a lunch all day in the restaurant up to 6 o'clock, and from that hour until 8 p. m. will provide you with a cold supper for 25 cents.

The chief attractions, of course, will be the three operatic performances on Thursday and Friday nights and Friday matinee, to be given by the Arion Opera Company, who come to this city with the best recommendations ever given a similar troupe. Those who assume the principal roles are artists of rare ability and are supported by a strong chorus of trained voices. Thursday evening Ballo's "Bohemian Girl" will be given and repeated at the matinee Friday. On Friday night the "Chimes of Normandy" will be produced.

To accommodate the people in Belaire, Bridgeport and Martin's Ferry who may attend these performances, arrangements have been made with the electric street car line to have cars in waiting on the arrival of the motor in the city to convey them to their homes.

Reduced rates on railroads are announced as follows: The Ohio River railroad will sell tickets from Parkersburg to Moundsville inclusive at two cents per mile, and the same rates will prevail on the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis road. The Baltimore & Ohio will sell tickets to parties of ten or more for one-half fare.

Pioneer Picnic.

The Gorman Pioneer Society picnic to-day at Wheeling park. This is the annual picnic of the organization and is looked forward to with interest by all who have ever attended one of their outings. It will be in the nature of a grand family reunion, but all who attend will be treated with the hospitality for which the Teutonic race is proverbial.

Suffered for Twelve Years.

Orvide, (formerly Enterprise, Taylor) County, W. Va. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

Gentlemen—A heart overflowing with gratitude prompts me, to write you. Twelve long weary years I suffered greatly, from Uterine Derangement and at last was given up by my physician to die, besides spending almost all my money. After five months' treatment with your Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, I now enjoy most excellent health. I would, to day, have been in my grave, and my little children motherless, had it not been for you and your medicine. I will recommend your medicine as long as I live.

If any one doubts this, give my name and address. Yours sincerely, Mrs. MALVINA WILSON.

Some things to remember, in selecting Wall Paper: Blues, grays and drabs for south rooms; reds, orange and yellows for north rooms; olives, ecrus and old blues for west rooms; yellows, terra cotta and old rose for east rooms. Come to 1011 Main street for ideas.

Notice. I want every man and woman in the United States interested in the Opium and Whisky habits to have one of my books on these diseases. Address B. M. WOOLLEY, Atlanta, Ga., Box 380, and one will be sent you free.

CHAR. R. GOETZ and W. W. Irwin, druggists, recommend Johnson's Magnetic Oil, the great family pain-killer, internal and external. \$1.00 size 50 cents; 50-cent size 25 cents.

DEED. WORTHINGTON—On Sunday morning, August 26, 1894 at Danville, Ky., ISABEL, wife of J. Wood Worthington and daughter of Mrs. Matilda and the late A. H. Cashwell.

Funeral from the residence of I. B. Meise, No. 156 South Broadway, this (Tuesday) afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment private at Greenwood Cemetery.

DEED. BRITT—On Monday, August 27, 1894 at 11:15 p. m., LIZZIE, wife of Robert Y. Britt, aged 11 years and 11 months.

Funeral notice hereafter.

UNDERTAKING. LOUIS BERTSCHY, (FORMERLY OF FRET & BERTSCHY), Funeral Director and Arterial Embalmer, 1110 Main Street, East Side.

Calls by telephone answered day or night. Residence telephone 435; residence, 246.

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COME AND SEE US. KRAUS BROS., 1319 Market St., the Finest Clothing and Furnishing House in the State. STRICTLY ONE PRICE TO ALL.

STAR CLOTHIERS—D. GUNDLING & CO.

A MAN

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FOUND WITH

Not a grain of anything in them but cotton and shoddy, although advertised as "all-wool," than has ever been shown in this market before. Cloth that is absolutely worthless for wear is made into suits just to fool you with. Are you being fooled with this trash right in the face of the fact that to-day

A DOLLAR

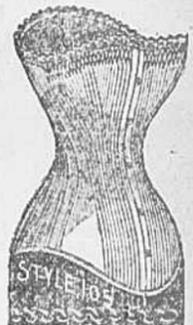
Will buy more of good stuff than it ever would before in the world? We have never lowered the high standard of our suits—that remains the same; but the price has been lowered. Same high-class workmanship, quality and fit, we have always had, but lower prices. For instance: Suits we used to sell for \$15 and \$18, we can now sell for \$12 and \$15. Just as good every way. This, then, is a real, positive saving of so many dollars, which a man can leave

IN HIS POCKET.

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D. GUNDLING & CO., 34 and 36 Twelfth Street.

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Made right in our own country and considering prices—\$1.00 and \$1.25—superior in workmanship to imported goods at twice the cost, while fully equal in fit and wearing qualities.

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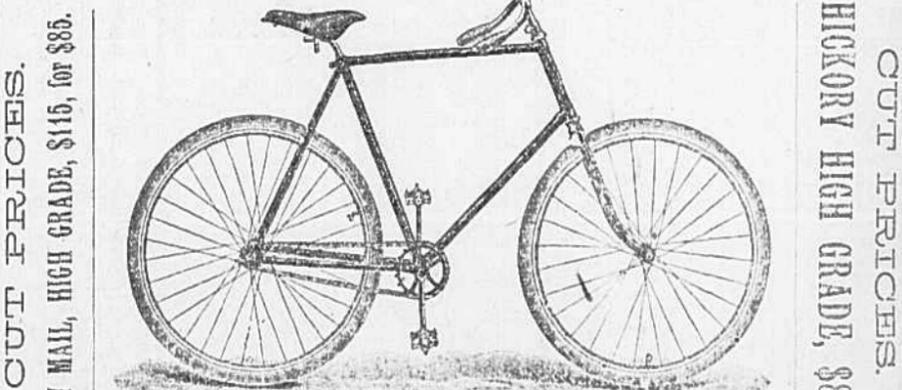
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