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Our Annual
Lace Curtain
...and...
Wall Paper
Remnant Sale
Takes Place To-day.

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Have Sold More
Silks and Dress Goods

during the past three weeks than we thought it possible to sell in such a limited time. True, we have LARGE stocks and MODEST prices, and these make the selling of great quantities a NECESSITY. Read further, you may want some of these:

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pure and simple—consisting of styles, weaves and colors which were specially designed, dyed and woven for THIS PURPOSE ALONE. COULD be used for other purposes, but are pre-eminently suited for waists. Styles by the hundred at any price.

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stock we present to your notice this spring represents a combination of GOOD TASTE and UNSTINTED MEANS. Nothing too choice—nothing too fine for our patrons. Can suit you at any price you choose to pay, whether it's 25c or \$4.00 yard.

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is the name of a lustrous new black silk of medium weight. Weave—similar to Gros de Londre. Finish—similar to satin Luxor. Both sides of this silk are finished alike. Prices in easy buying range.

Silks here for every purpose. Every new kind of Trimming. Narrow Ruffling Ribbons.

Ready-to-Wear Department.

It takes time to perfect anything new—even a new style. That's why the first products are generally faulty—lack this or that detail. For this reason, find it's to our advantage to wait until the experimental stages have been safely passed. That time has arrived and we now take pleasure in announcing the receipt of a goodly portion of our UP-TO-DATE Suits, Jackets, Children's Reefers, Skirts, Waists, Petticoats, etc. Better examples of fine tailoring nowhere.

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For sale—Howard Hazlett.
Saloon for sale.
For Sale—G. Smith.
Entire Wheat Flour—H. F. Behrens Co.
Our Annual Lace Curtain and Wall Paper Remnant Sale—Stone & Thomas—Eighth Page.
A Special Sale of Chenille Portiere Curtains—Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—Fifth Page.
Can't See Them—D. Gundling & Co.—Fifth Page.
Fine Hats—McFadden's—Second Page.
Found—Pocketbook.
Go To—List's.
We Are Busy—Goetze.
Ration Health Flour.
Higher Prices—Geo. W. Johnson's Sons.
Alfred Paull—General Agent for West Virginia.
Wheels—House and Herrmann—Fifth Page.

C. HESS & SONS' SPRING OPENING.

We have now on exhibit one of the largest and best selected stocks of fine tailoring at popular prices in the city. We have added to our cutting department, J. Ed. Dornier, one of the most fashionable cutters east.

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Accident at Elm Grove.
A mule at the Elm Grove coal mine had a bad fall yesterday. The mule was being hoisted up the shaft, and when thirty-five feet high his muleship slipped back over the cage, and fell to the bottom. A coal bank mule is pretty hard to kill, consequently this particular specimen was not dead when picked up, but its injuries were of such a nature that a few well directed bullets did the rest last night.

President Raymond's Lecture.
President Jerome T. Raymond, of the West Virginia university, who was compelled by pressing engagements to cancel his lecture date in this city several weeks ago, will positively be in the city to-day and will deliver his lecture on "Thomas Carlyle and Paternalism" at the High school hall this evening. President Raymond is an instructive and entertaining talker and will no doubt be greeted by a large audience. The public is cordially invited.

Colored Immunes Return.
The Wheeling members of the Eighth Immunes, a colored regiment, for which a company was recruited in this state, returned home from Georgia yesterday, after being mustered out a few days ago. All looked well, and report an enjoyable experience of army life. One of the best known members is Buck Tyler, who made a good record and in fact, all the boys upheld Wheeling's honor in the service. Among the Wheelings who returned were Buck Tyler, Charles Haymond, St. Pryor and Fred Murray.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.
Yesterday in Clerk Robertson's office the following transfers of real estate were recorded:
Deed made January 28, 1898, by Greenwood cemetery to Marie Wendel, consideration \$17 50, transfers east half of lot 67, Greenwood cemetery.
Deed made March 4, 1898, by Nelson A. Noble and wife to Ella L. Hubbard, consideration \$5,000, transfers part of lot 8 in C. L. Zane's addition.
Marriage licenses were issued to the following:
Alfred Plues, 23, and Blanche Spedel, 18, of Wheeling.
William R. Lee, 21, and Sophia A. Little, 24, of Wheeling.

PERSONAL NOTES.
Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.
R. M. Fox, Fairmont, is a Windsor register.
H. C. Kraft, of Sistersville, is at the McClure.
Thomas Green, of Mannington, is in the city, having been called here by the death of Dennis Daille.
R. E. L. Snodgrass, wife and daughter, and Miss Bertha Mangold were New Martinsville people at the Howell yesterday.

Mr. R. C. Campbell, of Denver, Colo., who came here to attend the funeral of his grandfather, Richard Crawford, left yesterday afternoon for his home.
Squire Fitzpatrick returned from Solo yesterday. He has branched out in the laundry business in the oil town, and he will doubtless get a large share of the trade from his two competitors.
J. W. Lazear registered from an up-to-date West Virginia town last night, at the Stamm, so far as modern phrases go. He registered from Next—to get to which would be difficult, considering the muddy roads.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is the standard remedy for throat and lung troubles. It is a specific for grippe and bronchitis.
WOMEN love a clear, healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood.

FOUR POSTOFFICES
Over the River Will be Filled by Appointments Shortly.

DR. HEINLEIN WINS CONTEST
For the Bridgeport Postoffice, and Messrs. Hillis at Barnesville, Carroll at St. Clairsville and Edwards at Toronto are the Other Successful Ones, all of Them Receiving Mr. Danford's Recommendation.

Congressman Danford has settled the postoffice contests in the over-the-river district by recommending Judge C. W. Carroll, an old soldier and comrade of the captain, as postmaster at St. Clairsville.

At Barnesville, Samuel Hillis, another old soldier, was recommended, and it seems that at that place Mr. Hillis and Mr. Thomas G. Moore, Jr., who was also a candidate, came to an amicable understanding on their own account and that the latter will remain in the office.

At Bridgeport, Dr. A. J. Heinlein was recommended as the representative of the young and active Republicans over there. There was quite a contest for this place and it is understood among the friends of the congressman that he would have been quite well satisfied to have rewarded all of the applicants had there been opportunity to so do.

Captain Danford also recommended William Edwards, a hustling young Republican at Toronto, for the office at that place.

These recommendations were made by the congressman just before he and his daughter hid themselves to the seashore for rest and recuperation, and the word from them yesterday was that he is better than he has been at any time this year. He expects to return to Washington the latter part of this month and look after some matters in the department delayed on account of his ill health.

THE CRIMINAL COURT.
Henry Belmont "Came not," and his Whereabouts are Unknown.
At yesterday's session of the Ohio county criminal court the case of the state against Henry Belmont, said to be a reputable citizen of Montreal, Canada, who is charged with the theft of a bolt of cloth from C. Hess & Sons, came up, but Belmont came not when his name was called and his whereabouts are unknown. He was recently released from custody upon giving bond in the sum of \$200, with Attorney Sam O. Boyce as surety.

In the case of the state vs. Edward Darby there was a plea of guilty on the No. 1 felony indictment, and the court sentenced the boy to incarceration in the state reform school at Pruntytown until he reaches his majority. He will reach the age of sixteen years on the 22d of next month, so he will serve five years at the reform school, unless he is released sooner through a record of good conduct. The No. 2 indictment remains on the docket.

Fred Meyer and Tom Cassidy were released from custody.

State vs. Walker Tutt; demurrer of the defense overruled and the case remanded for trial on March 13. There was a plea of not guilty.

State vs. George Philabaum and state vs. William Philabaum; demurrer by the defense sustained as to the first count and overruled as to the second count. There was a plea of not guilty and trial set for March 17.

State vs. H. E. Bachmann; set for trial March 13.

A capias was issued for Joe Tregola on the sheriff of Wood county.

State vs. Angle Strong; set for hearing March 15.

State vs. Fickerson; set for hearing March 15.

IN THE NEW BUILDING.
Telephone Company's General Offices and Pay Station Moved.
The Central District Telephone company has moved its general offices and the pay station to the new telephone building at 1501 Chapline street. Persons desiring to use the long-distance phones will now call at the new building. Superintendent Wolf says the local exchange will not be located in the new building before April.

The improvements the company is now making in the Wheeling district will not be completed before the first of May. The Standard Cable company, of Pittsburgh, now has a force of one hundred men at work on the laying and splicing of new cables. A together 8,000 to 10,000 feet of cable will be laid.

The entire first floor of the new building, which is beyond doubt of the most thorough construction in this city, will be occupied by the company's offices, and the local exchange will be located on the second floor.

Beginning probably May 1 the users of the metallic circuit or long-distance phones will be favored with an improvement that will doubtless meet with general appreciation. It will not be necessary then to ring up "Central." All that is necessary is to lift the receiver from its place. This completes the circuit and "Central" responds to the automatic call.

A Rare Opportunity.
There are many weak men almost in despair over their condition. They have tried numerous remedies without any benefit and now they look to the future without hope. But they should take courage. An opportunity is presented to them of obtaining advice and assistance of the greatest specialist in the country in the diseases that cause weakness in men. Dr. Greene, 35 West Fourteenth street, New York city, the most successful physician in curing diseases, can be consulted by letter, free. Write to him, telling him all about your case and he will give you the advice that will make you well. It will cost you nothing.

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All hand work finished 10 cents per pound. At HOME STEAM LAUNDRY.

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When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A daily occurrence in the statistics shown by the benefited patients at our office, we appear to be favored with an improvement in curing diseases, can be consulted by letter, free. Write to him, telling him all about your case and he will give you the advice that will make you well. It will cost you nothing.

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Finch, 5 year	\$1.00 " " 10.00; " 3.00
Gibson, 5 year	1.00 " " 10.00; " 3.00
Guckenheimer, 5 year	1.00 " " 10.00; " 3.00
Overholt, 5 year	1.00 " " 10.00; " 3.00
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