

EVOLUTION.

EVERYTHING in life is changing. A revolution and evolution seem to be going on everywhere, which no power can arrest. Scenes, methods, habits, tastes, and even principles, are radically changing. It is a new life, with new ways and new aspirations, and not the least startling change is to be seen in business life. What would the rich old merchants of half a century ago say to the methods, expenses and fine surroundings of the business houses of the present day? They would rub their eyes in bewilderment, and tell many a story of their own day of simplicity and economy, and yet of great and honorable success. All business men, and especially the younger firms, should recognize the new state of affairs, and make a constant study of the changes and development that are taking

place. Judgment and nerve are required in a higher degree than ever before. Business must have clear brains and stout hearts. It must have constant watchfulness and energy. It must have regard not only for private interests, but the public welfare. The success and expansion of firms cannot now take place without the prosperity and growth of cities. The road to fortune in business is no longer the beaten track which can be followed from generation to generation of a family. Each season and each year is producing new elements and relations in the situation, in connection with human progress generally, and the wise and successful merchants will be those who join in the onward march with faith in themselves and confidence in the future.

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If a little boracic acid be added to gum mucilage, the latter can be used for metals without fear of the labels peeling off.

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS ON INKS

	Tres Noir	Pints,	-	\$4.00	Dozen
STEPHEN'S	" "	$\frac{1}{2}$	" -	1.60	"
	" "	$\frac{1}{4}$	" -	.80	"

POMEROY'S

Mono Chromic Copying, Quarts \$3.00 Dozen

	5 oz. Copying,	-	\$0.84	Dozen
DEVANE'S	10 oz.	" -	1.68	"
	20 oz.	" -	3.35	"
	30 oz.	" -	5.00	"

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