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Our Goods for the Fall of 1892 are already in, and we are prepared to show our customers a larger range and better values than ever before.

Our Dress Goods and Mantle Cloths are simply marvels of beauty and cheapness, and in Dress Linings and Trimmings we are 15 per cent. below market values, an advantage obtained by buying in very large quantities for spot cash.

We have given special attention, and with gratifying success, to the wearing of Men's, Ladies' and Children's underwear. Don't fail to see them; it means to you money saved.

In Boots & Shoes we are keeping our usual large stock well assorted, with a few special lines, or Snaps, added.

We are now keeping a large range of Hand-painted Window Shades (40 different designs) complete, with spring rollers; also Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles, Fancy Pole Ends and Fixtures, and all greatly reduced in price.

We make our Gent's furnishing department a speciality, and can give a better Suit, better Pants, better Hat, Boots, Shirt, Collar, or Tie, than can be got elsewhere for the same money. And why? Because having a large trade in these lines we give special attention to the buying, dealing only with manufacturers, and getting closest cash prices.

Compare and see us. Give us an opportunity to serve you, and you will realize the above statements as facts.

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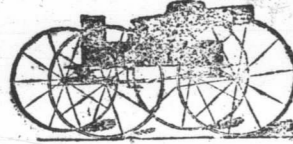
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The new goods coming along daily keep this house away in the lead as to assortment, style and prices. We beg that you will kindly visit our store, note our prices, and like hundreds who do so daily, you will be amazed at the special inducements. In Trunks and Valises we are fully prepared for the season's business, which promises to be greater with us than ever before.

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My Carriages have been before the public for over thirty years and it will be unnecessary for me to say anything as to their merits. Suffice it to say that I am anxious to keep them in the front rank, as they have the reputation of all who use them.

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Route	Time	Time
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It is a simple substance with a fixed composition; not, as many suppose, a product of various vegetable processes, nor, as is often gathered, by the aid of the bees, so that it can be left our hands in quantity.

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For these ends different forms of food are required. The human system is largely composed of water, and the water is largely composed of hydrogen and oxygen, and the food must contain these elements in a form which the system can use.

Just as there is in a steam engine the metal affected which sends the piston back and forth, so the food must contain the elements which will build up the body, and the water must contain the elements which will give us energy.

The fact of the body, like that of the steam engine, is that it is a machine, and it must be kept in motion by a constant supply of fuel, and the fuel must be of a kind which the machine can use.

The vegetable world builds up these hydro-carbons, the animal world builds up these hydro-carbons, and the human world builds up these hydro-carbons, and the food must contain these elements in a form which the system can use.

It is therefore, as we have seen, that honey contains a large degree of elements which the system can use, and it is for this reason that we should eat honey.

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There is no doubt that in the earlier years of the history of the world, the feeding of stock was the principal industry, and the culture of the soil was a secondary one.

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