

# Keen Values for Men's & Boys' Boots

Good substantial boots for men. Here are boots that will assure you the utmost comfort, combined with extraordinary wearing qualities. Please note the prices. Have you a boy? If you have, he needs a pair of these boots. We stock the very best boots that can be made for boys.



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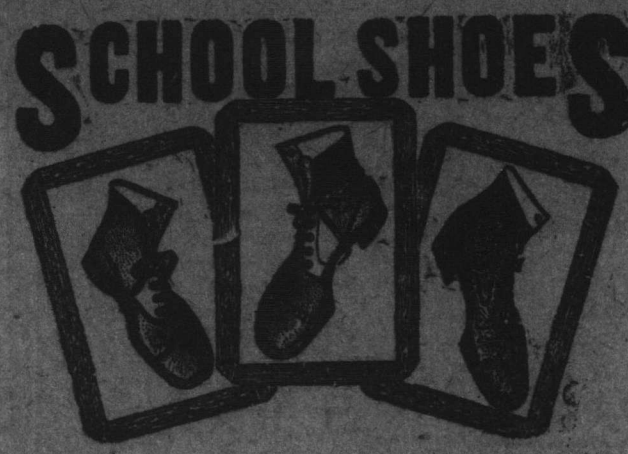


MEN'S BLACK SOFT KID LACED BOOTS for

\$5.00, \$5.50, \$5.75, \$6.00, \$6.25, \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.00.

All new, fresh stock. Perfect style combined with durability and low priced.

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## Boys' Boots

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BOYS' BOX CALF BOOTS .....\$3.70  
BOYS' BOX CALF BOOTS .....\$3.90  
BOYS' TAN BOOTS .....\$4.50  
BOYS' HEAVY STRONG BOOTS, only .....\$3.10

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## English "K" BOOTS for Men

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# F. SMALLWOOD, The Home of Good Shoes

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Brings with it the call for a blood purifier that will aid nature in adjusting your blood and general system into fit shape for the warmer weather.

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## Stafford's,

Duck worth Street and Theatre Hill

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## Explosion of Giant Gusher in Texas Oil Well.

Corpus, Texas, May 16.—Thirteen identified bodies, three skeletons smoldering in a grim well pit, and possibly a score of others to be uncovered, mark a tally of death wrought late yesterday by the explosion of the giant gusher of the J. K. Hughes Development Company (McKie Number One Well).

## Playing Increased on Phonograph Records.

By controlling the speed of a revolving phonograph record, as English inventors have got 20 minutes of music on one side of a 12-inch record, instead of the usual four minutes or thereabouts, according to an illustrated article in the January Popular Mechanics Magazine. When the record disc revolves at a uniform angular speed, as at present, the outer groove of the record moves more swiftly than any other groove that is nearer to the centre. Thus, although the outer groove is about four times as long as the inner one, it can contain no more music making the necessary variation in the recording speed. In the new method, the recording speed is made constant and by correspondingly controlling the speed of the record, the impression upon it of a very much greater number of sound vibrations is made possible.

## Save Oil With New Type of Storage Tank.

Storage tanks with a smaller diameter and greater height are an important factor in decreasing evaporation, according to a Texas oil company, now installing the newer design. The smaller surface of the tank, it is claimed, overcomes to a large extent the usual loss from this cause. Another special feature in the construction is the arrangement of 16 incoming pipe lines, which are run down the inside to within a few inches of the bottom. This method serves to lessen the evaporation which would otherwise occur with the surface being constantly disturbed by the flowing in of oil at the top. The tanks described and illustrated in the January Popular Mechanics Magazine are 15 feet high, have a diameter of 10 feet, and hold about 100,000 gallons. The old construction, it is estimated, resulted in a loss of about 30 per cent. of the contents.

WINARD'S LINIMENT FOR RHEUMATISM.



## Clear Your Skin Restore Your Hair With Cuticura

Daily use of the Soap keeps the skin fresh and clear, while touchings of the Ointment now and then as needed soothes and heals the first pimples, redness, roughness or itchy eruptions. Cuticura Talcum is excellent for the skin.

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## Speeding up the Post.

The tunnelling for the London Post Office electric railway is almost complete. It will connect the Paddington District Office and the Eastern District Office with several intermediate stations serving Post Office buildings, and one connecting with Liverpool Street Station. Three of the stations will form important junctions.

The transport contemplated includes a system of heavy chutes, conveyors, and elevators. A letter posted at the G.P.O. for Bristol will go to Paddington by electric railway instead of by motor-van, as at present.

A station will consist of an island platform, arranged in two sections, between which will be placed a control cabin and the lifts and conveying appliances that have been designed to suit the different classes of postal matter.

Between the stations the railway will consist of two tracks, each of 2 1/2 gauge, one for east and the other for west-bound traffic, and contained in a single tunnel, 20 ft. in diameter.

The trains will have one, two, or three wagons, and will be operated without drivers on the remote control system.

## Fashions and Fads.

A turban of gold cloth has a tiny trim of brown silk. Gold lace veils on evening gowns of heavy mauve blue satin. A gown of cardinal red moire is faced with royal purple satin. Many printed frocks choose organdy as a favored trimming. There is a decidedly charming vogue of organdy for evening. Loops of gold cord are used on slippers of white and gold brocade. Grey gazelle fur is charming used on a tailored coat of blue tulle.

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### BARGAINS IN STAINLESS CUTLERY AND SAFETY RAZORS.

Stainless Dessert Knives, 11.00 dozen.  
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Zylonite Handled Knives, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00 dozen.  
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Pen Knives, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 3.00, 4.50 dozen.  
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No. 1 Safety Razors, 1 extra blade, 25c.  
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