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THE OBSERVER JOB DEPARTMENT... Book and Job Printing...

Dry Goods, CASHMERE AND ALPACAS.

Just Received another lot of superior... CASHMERE AND ALPACAS.

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Tell me I hate the bow!... SHOOTING THE GIRL SHE LOVED.

Mr. Blaine Again. It was unfortunate for Mr. Blaine that he went to John McCullough's banquet...

Rev. Henry Morgan on Fast Young Men and Polygamy in Boston.

Time's Progress. The fastest trains in the world are claimed by England, the Great Western 'Flying Dutchman'...

Nice Boston Girl. Are you the saleswoman of whom I bought this handkerchief yesterday?

A Rescued from the jaws of Death. PATERSON, N. J., Dec. 12.—A most thrilling escape from death took place at the Passaic falls this afternoon.

The Silk Culture. Gov. Vance has received a letter from a Swede, L. P. Nelson by name, at Chicago, desiring to know the progress of silk culture in this State...

An Astonishing Fact. A large proportion of the American people are laboring under the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver.

PATENT MEDICINES. VEGETINE. WILL CURE RHEUMATISM. Mr. Albert Crooker, the well-known druggist and Apothecary...

REHEMATISM IS A DISEASE OF THE BLOOD. The blood in this disease is found to contain an excess of fibrin.

VEGETINE. NOTHING EQUAL TO IT. SOUTH SALEM, MASS., NOV. 14, 1878.

VEGETINE. PREPARED BY H. R. STEVENS, BOSTON, MASS.

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At killing prices, at BARRINGER & TROTTER'S.

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