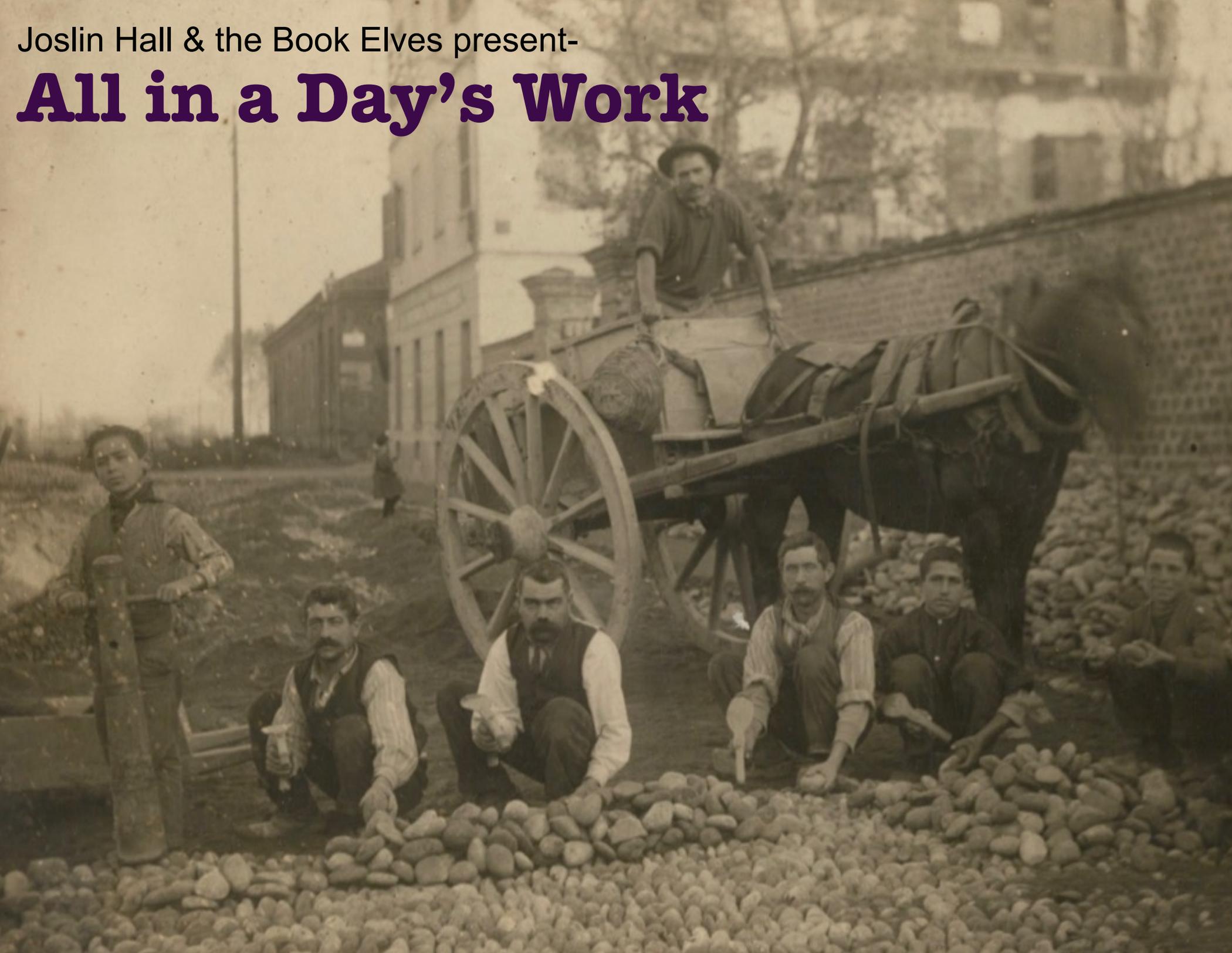


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[Botanic Doc] 1880s Boston Botanic Medicine

Dr. William Frederic Business Card. \$35

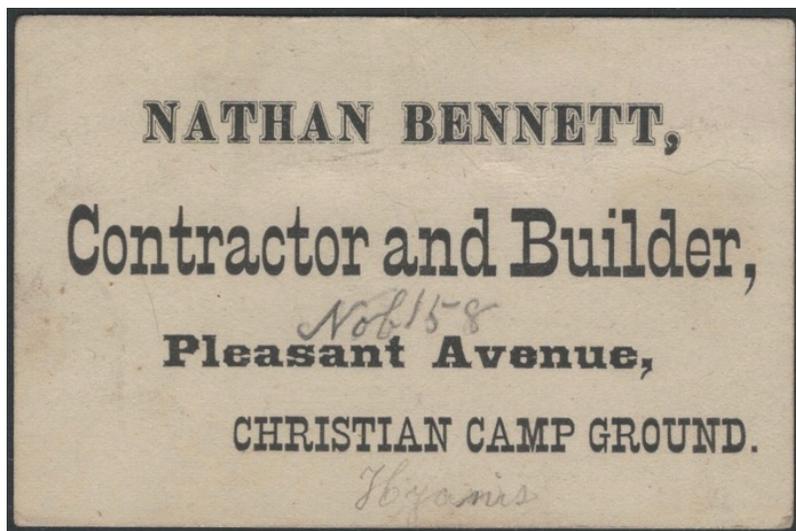
“Dr. William Frederic is prepared to cure with botanic medicines acute & chronic diseases in men, women & children. All medicines are prepared by the Doctor personally, and without poison”. Card. 3.5”x2”. Minor soil, light wear. [46103]

[Chinoiserister] 1850s Belgian  
Professor of Chinese Painting  
Instruction Trade Card. \$275

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A striking trade card for A. Dubin, of Gand, Belgium, “Professeur de Peinture Chinoise et autres arts d’agremens”. He also notes- “Donne des cours dans les couvents, pensionnats, & a domicile pour tous les genres de peintures, dorer sur etoffe, & du desin indelible” (Courses given in convents, schools, & at home for all kinds of paintings, cloth decoration, & ink drawing). The card was printed in Bruges by Daveluy, the Royal lithographer. Card. 5.5”x4”. Minor soil. Lightly mounted in thin blue paper. [43364]





[Christian Campground] An 1870s  
Cape Cod Christian Camp Ground  
Carpenter Card. \$65

3

A card for Nathan Bennett, “Contractor and Builder, Pleasant Avenue, Christian Camp Ground”, under which is written in light pencil, “Nob(?) 158 - Hyannis”. The Barnstable Historical Commission explains- “In 1871 The New England Convention of the Christian Church purchased and established a camp meeting known as Camp Christian on the 160 acre Perry Farm in Centreville. In 1872 the Christian Camp Meeting Association was established... Camp Christian was renamed Craigsville in 1881 in honor of the life and ministry of Dr. J. Austin Craig. Situated on a bluff overlooking Nantucket Sound, it served as a spectacular spot for a retreat from everyday life. Families were able to buy or lease the 288 small lots... They initially erected tents or built small shelters, and as time and mean allowed, small cottages were constructed”. Card. 2.25”x3.5”. Minor soil, 2 pencil notes. [43106]

4

[Church Ornamenter] 1880s French Church  
Ornament & Outfitters Trade Card. \$65

An imposing trade card for Biais Aine et Cie., suppliers to the Pope- “Ornements d’Eglise - Fabricants Fournisseurs de N.S.P. le Pape, Chasublerie, Broderie, Lingerie d’eglise, bronze, orfevrerie, ameublement d’eglise, oriflammes, tentures et decorations pour eglises”. The card is decorated on the front with a grand chromo picture of the Papal coat of arms, and on the back with a line illustration of the firm’s four-story establishment in Place St. Suplice in Paris. Card. 3.5”x4.75”. Minor soil. [43334]





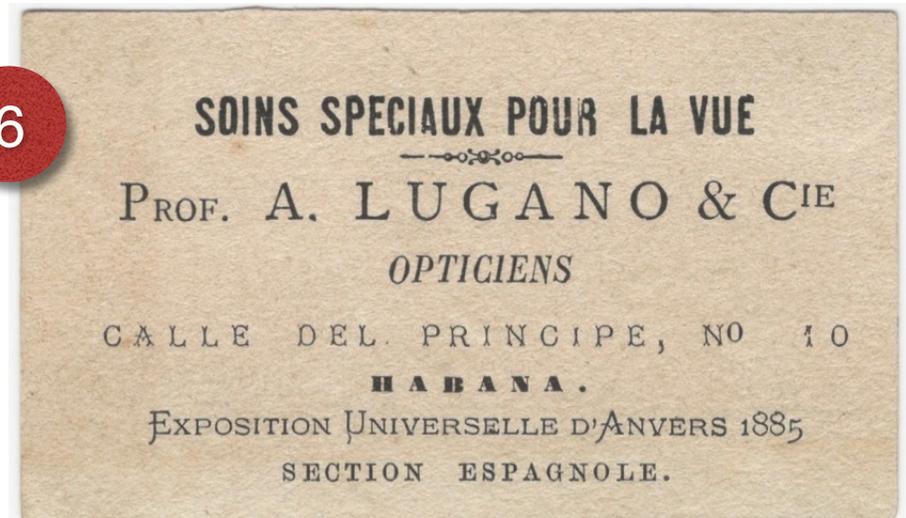
**[Cooperative] 1900s Maynard  
Massachusetts Kaleva Co-  
Operative Association  
Storefront Real Photo  
Postcard. \$40**

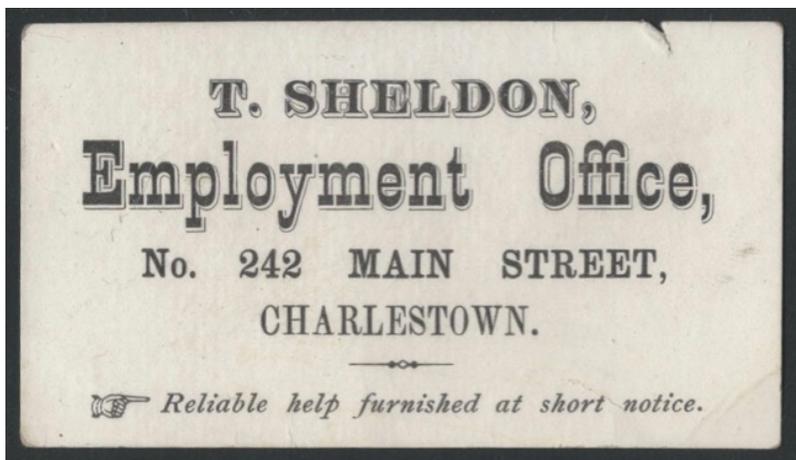
An interesting real-photo postcard of a c.1900 storefront for the Kaleva Co-Operative Association of Maynard, Massachusetts. The windows announce glass, tinware, groceries, wool soap and Swift's washing powder, and show tin tubs & pitchers, china plates and tea sets, and Gone with the Wind lamps. Postcard. Some soil, light wear. Unused. [44188]

**[Cuban Eyes] 1885 Antwerp Exposition Havana Cuba  
Optometrist's Card. \$60**

A trade card for Prod. A. Lugano & Cie. of Havana, "Soins speciaux pour la vue - Opticiens". The card notes that the firm was located in the Spanish section. The 1885 Exposition Internationale d'Anvers was held between May 2 and November 2 in Antwerp, during the 20th anniversary year of Leopold II's ascension to the throne of Belgium. Spanning 54 acres and featuring displays from 25 countries, it drew 3.5 million visitors and cost 4 million Belgian francs. Card. 3.5"x2". Minor soil. [43336]

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[Employment] 1860s-70s Charlestown  
Massachusetts Employment Office Card. \$25

A card for T. Sheldon, Employment Office, "Reliable help furnished at short notice". Card. 3"x1.75". Minor soil, light wear. [43190]

[Floating] Fantastic 1920s  
Cumberland Maryland  
Carpenters Local 1024  
Parade Float Photo. \$35

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A wonderful 1920s image of a parade float constructed by the Cumberland, Maryland Carpenters Local 1024, which consists of an entire tiny house, with porch. The number of flags suggest this might be for the 4th of July, or then again it might not. Gelatin silver photograph. 9.5"x7.5". Corners creased and chipped, general wear. Removed from a scrapbook with paper residue on the back. Used and abused, but still fighting the good fight. [45863]



9

[Flowering] 1880s Paris -French Artistic Florist Trade Card. \$40

An attractive trade card promoting “Fleurs Artistiques” by Camille Marchais of Paris. The address, “Rue de la Paix 17” is carefully pasted on, leaving one to assume that the flowers had recently been moved. A very elegant card. Card. 2.75”x3.5”. Minor soil. [43333]



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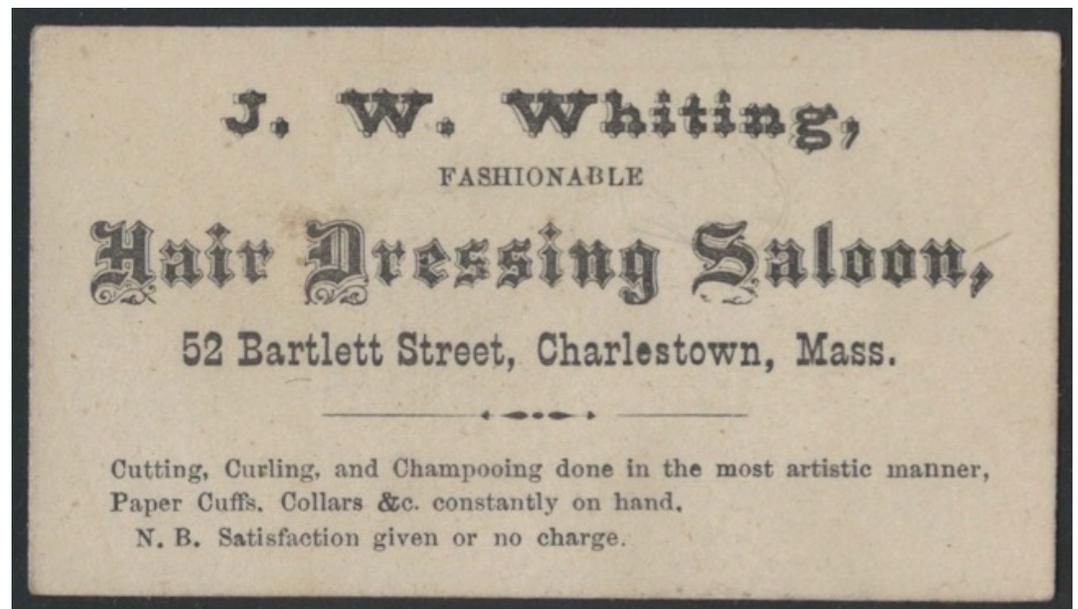
[Glazier] Mid-19th Century Ghent House Painter & Glazier Trade Card. \$125

A very attractive mid-19th century glazed pictorial trade card for F.J. de Buck of Ghent, “Huys-schilder en Glazemaker - Peintre d’Appartemts et Vitrier”. Printed in gold on white glaze-coated stock, the card illustrates a city street scene with workmen painting a building on one side and glazing windows on the other. Card, 4.75”x3”. Light wear, minor soil to the front, stain, mounting marks and pencil calculations on the back. [45747]

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[Hairister] 1870s Charlestown  
Massachusetts Hair Dressing Card. \$45

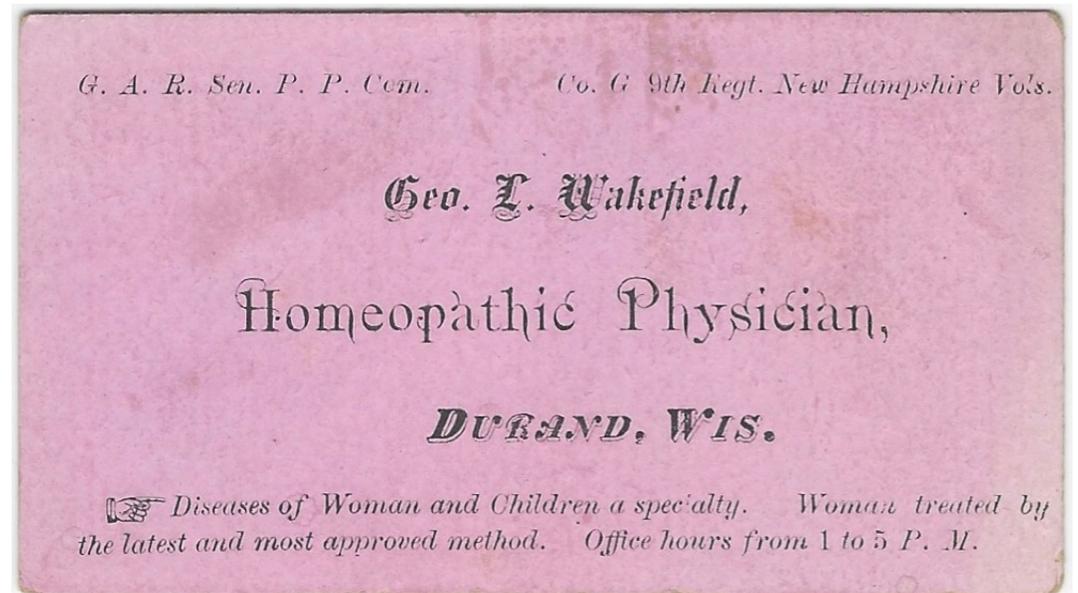
A card for J.W. Whiting, "Fashionable Hair Dressing Saloon - Cutting, Curling, and Champooing done in the most artistic manner, Paper cuffs, Collars &c. constantly on hand. N.B. Satisfaction given or no charge". Card. 3.5"x2". Minor soil. [43192]



12

[Homeopath] 1880s Durand Wisconsin  
Homeopathic Physician Business Card. \$35

"Geo. L. Wakefield, Homeopathic Physician - Diseases of woman and children a specialty. Women treated by the latest and most approved method". Card. 3.5"x2". Some soil and light wear. [46107]





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**[Importer] Handsome 1850s London Importer French Chinoiserie Trade Card. \$60**

A handsome gold & cream trade card for the firm Hayes & Clark, probably importers of Eastern goods, with their address as "Londres" making one assume the card was for use in France. We have been unable to find any information about the firm, but the Liberaal Archief V.Z.W. has an example in their 'Collectie Porseleiinkarten' (No.627). Card. 3.75"x2.25". Some wear, light soil. Crease. Removed from an album with backing paper remnants on the back. [45685]

14

**[Not Really a Miner] 1900s Young Boy Dressed as Coal Miner Real Photo Postcard. \$20**

Young Johnny was a little too small for the mines, but it hadn't been all that many years since they'd have taken him on anyway. Postcard. Some wear and soil. Unposted. [44941]



**[Professionalers] Handsome Young Professional Men with Large Folders Massachusetts Occupational Cabinet Card. \$35**

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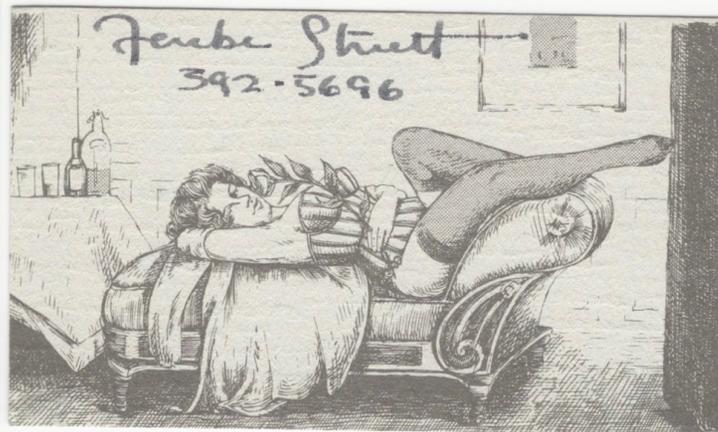
An interesting image- these young men are professional chaps, take a close look at their finely cut suits. The large string-tied folder the man on the left is holding says “(something) of Massachusetts”. We’ve all seen these 19th century folders, and they can contain just



**[Sex] Three 1970s Semi-Erotic Sex Business Cards. \$65**

An interesting set - three pre-printed cards with sexual/erotic themes, and no printing, all filled in with a handwritten street and phone number. It would certainly seem that if you were looking for a good time, these card would assist. Three cards, each 2”x3.5”. Minor soil. [45621]

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[Sexual Harassment] 1910s Hosiery Mill Spinning Room with Overseer and Young Female Spinner  
Cabinet Card. \$60

With an ink inscription on the back- "Horace [name removed] in Hosiery Mill. He said that he 'had been dead for five years and did not want anyone to know it'.". Horace perhaps needs to keep his hands where we can see them. Cabinet card. 9"x7". Some soil and wear to the mount, stain on the back of the mount. Image with some soil and light wear. [46191]



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[Shellers] 1932 Shell Gas Service Station in St. Louis or Anaheim Snapshot. \$20

Back when a service station was a service station, complete with two white-uniformed attendants. Stamped on the back- "Martin V. Erikson - St. Louis & Anaheim", with the penned date 5-20-32. Snapshot. 2.75"x4.5". Minor soil, some wear. [45807]



19

[Shoelist] 1890s Kobe Japan Boot & Shoe Maker Business Card. \$150

A business card for J. Hinasaki of Kobe, Japan, "Boot & Shoe-Maker". Not dated, but the paper and typography suggest 1880s-1890s. Card. 4:x2.5". Some soil, minor wear. [44017]

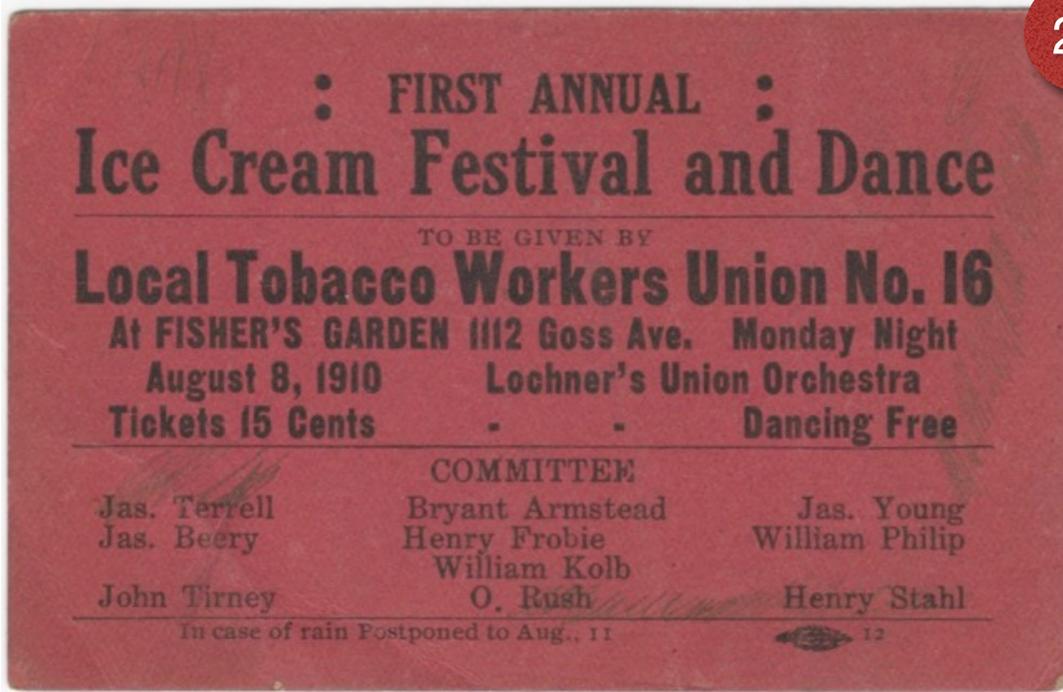
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[Streeters] 1900s Turin Italy Construction Workers Make Cobblestone Street Cabinet Card. \$60

A very interesting image showing a gang of road-builders at work- at the bottom the mount is stamped "Photo - Expres - Corso Casale 42, Torino". Cabinet card. 9"x7.5" [mount], 6.25"x4.75" [image]. Mount with wear and cracking at the corners, some soil; image starting to lift, light edgewear. [45558]

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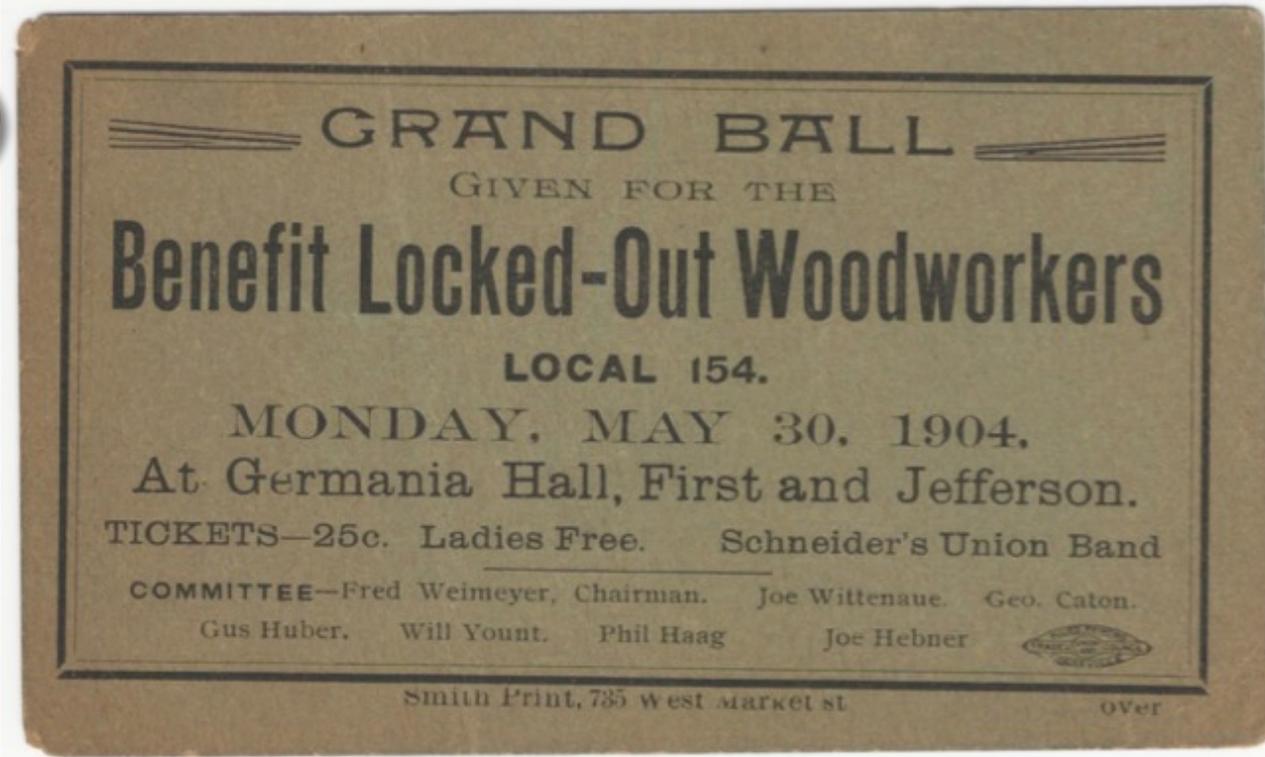


[Union -Tabac] 1910 Louisville Kentucky Tobacco Workers Ice Cream Festival Invitation. \$25

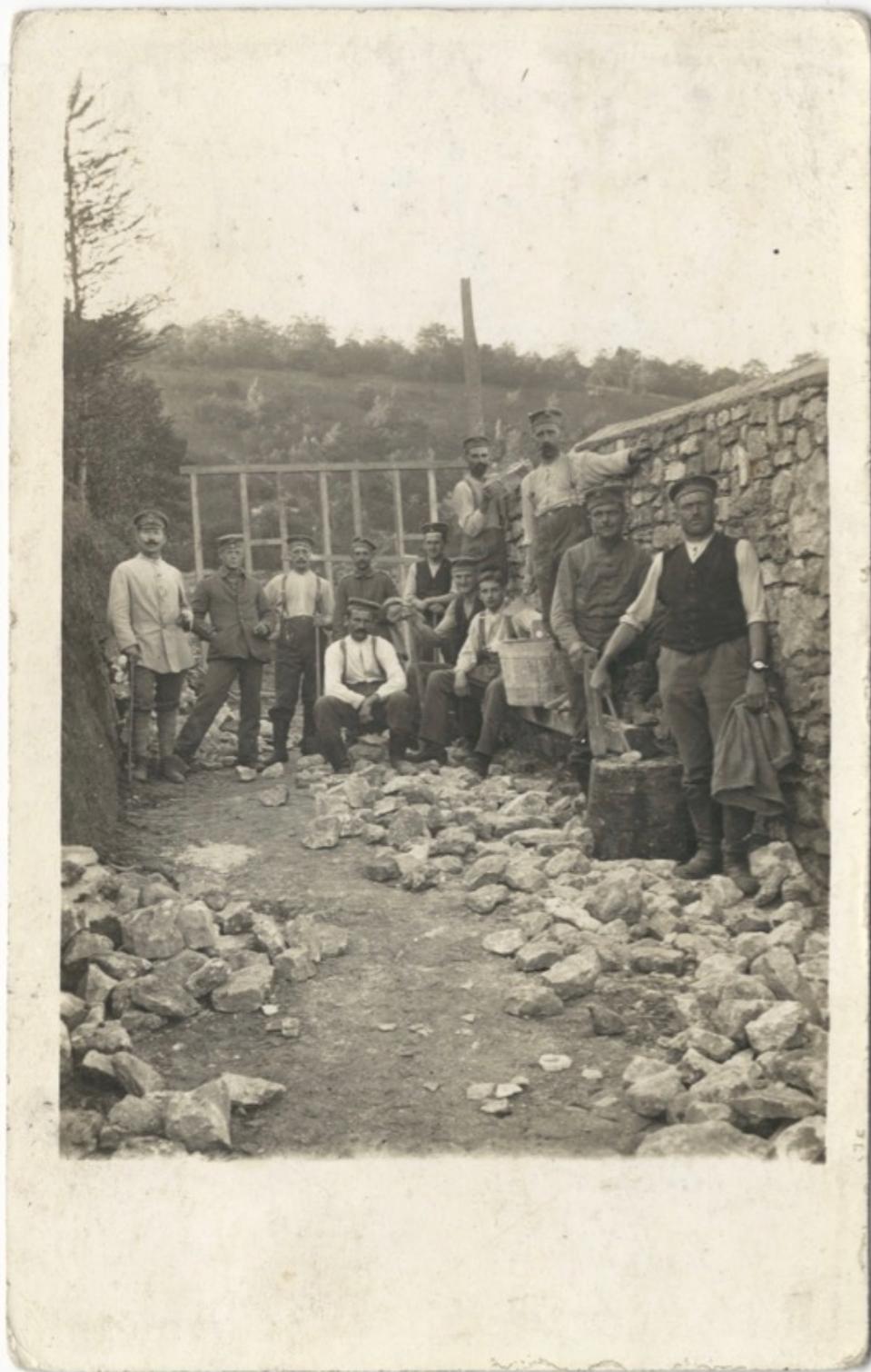
"First Annual Ice Cream Festival and Dance - To be given by Local Tobacco Workers Union No. 16 at Fisher's Garden 1112 Goss Ave, Monday Night August 8, 1910. Lochner's Union Orchestra. Tickets 15 cents - Dancing Free". The back of the card contains the lyrics to "The Dance of the Grizzly Bear". Card 4"x2.5". Minor wear, some light pencil marks on the front. [42794]

[Union - Woody - Locked Out]  
1904 Louisville Kentucky  
Woodworker's Union Benefit Ball  
Invitation. \$25

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"Grand Ball Given for the Benefit of Locked-Out Woodworkers Local 154. Monday, May 30, 1904 at Germania Hall, First and Jefferson. Tickets- 25c Ladies Free. Schneider's Union Band". The rear of the card contains the lyrics to 'Nobody's Lookin' But de Owl and De Moon'. Card 4.25"x2.5". Minor wear, light soil, corner nipped. [42795]



23

[Walling] World War 1 Real Photo  
Postcard of German Soldiers Building a  
Stone Wall. \$25

Postcard. Some soil, light wear. Unused. [43803]

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[Wallpaperer] 1880s Chicago Wallpaper &  
Window Shade Dealer Trade Card. \$45

A trade card for John J. McGrath of Chicago, "Paper Hangings, and Window Shade Goods". The firm appears to have been in business at least as early as the 1870s. Of some help in dating this card is the fact that it has a straight 4-digit phone number- Chicago went to an exchange system for its phones in 1892, so this card would predate that year. Card. 4.75"x2.75". Minor soil. [42732]



[Waste Not] 19th Century Belgian Polychrome Engraved Waste Management Card. \$125

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It's unclear whether Francois Maurus was advertising himself as a midnight transporter of waste & refuse or was simply celebrating the much-unheralded profession. Handsomely printed in gold and blue on coated stock, and titled "Le Commissaire Entrepreneur des Transports des Vidanges". Card. 5.5"x3.75". Minor soil, light wear. [44882]

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