

STATE REVENUES SHRINK, BUT ONLY APPARENTLY

Auditor General Says Decrease Is Due to Comparison With 14-Month Fiscal Year

HARRISBURG, Nov. 29.—A statement to the effect that the state treasury for the year ending today is short of the amount for the fiscal year was issued today by the Auditor General's Department.

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PRETEND U. S. SOLDIER CHARGED WITH BEGGING

Personal "Tom" Arouses Suspicion of Detective, Who Finds Camp Meade Story Not Verified

Claiming to be a sergeant at Camp Meade and son of an old and well-to-do operator of Staunton, Va., a man known as "Tom" was arrested today by a detective of the Philadelphia Police Department.

DISMISSES TITLE SUIT

Trace Deed Back to 1762 in Sorrel Horse Tavern Case

Judge Strake, of Court of Common Pleas, No. 5 handed down an opinion today dismissing the equity suit of Thomas L. Sorrel, owner of the Sorrel Horse Tavern, against the estate of Albert Kneule.

Receiver Named for Newspaper

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Nov. 29.—Upon petition of executors of Albert Kneule's estate, the court today appointed a receiver for the Daily Register-Examiner newspaper.

GENUINE DIAMONDS

1/4 Carat, \$ 8.88
1/2 Carat, \$19.88
3/4 Carat, \$25.30
1 Carat, \$34.75
5/8 Carat, \$25.76

Make this a diamond Christmas and give money an every-thing value by going to I. Press & Sons for your diamonds.

Small Orders Promptly Filled

MARKET ST. EIGHTH ST. FIFTH ST.

BOY SCOUT STATUE OF GIGANTIC SIZE



Two of these figures stand at salute, one at the north, the other at the south entrances to City Hall. They have been placed there to stimulate public interest in the scouts' campaign for \$125,000, to last them the next three years.

CAMP HANCOCK MEN FACE U. S. INSPECTION

Regular Army Officer Arrives to Make Thorough Scrutiny of Each Unit

CAMP HANCOCK, AVONDALE, Pa., Nov. 29.—Soldiers of the Twenty-eighth division are preparing for a regular United States Army inspection of the camp.

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Every time you light another El Producto you experience fresh enjoyment.

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Strawbridge & Clothier

This is Our Greatest Month Because We Have Matchless Variety and Values In Men's Winter Suits and Overcoats

Many months ago we planned ahead for intensive November operations in clothing. We saw that cloth prices were going higher and higher, and believed that no better investment could be made than to buy earlier than usual and in larger quantities than usual.

- Men's \$25.00 Belted Overcoats—now \$19.50
\$27.50 to \$30.00 Belted Overcoats—\$23.50
\$32.50 and \$35.00 Belted Overcoats—\$26.50
\$18.00 and \$20.00 Winter Overcoats—\$14.50
\$20.00 Black and Oxford Overcoats—\$16.50
\$25.00 Plain Oxford Overcoats—now \$21.50
\$30.00 Black and Oxford Overcoats—\$23.50
\$35.00 Oxford Overcoats, silk-lined—\$25.00

- Men's Fur-lined Overcoats, exceptional values at \$35.00, \$50.00 and \$75.00. Fur-collar Overcoats, from \$22.50 to \$75.00.
Men's \$18.00 and \$20 Winter Suits—\$14.50
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Men's \$22.50 and \$25 Winter Suits—\$17.50

Youths' \$15.00 and \$16.50 Long-trouser Suits at \$10.50; Men's \$7.50 Trousers at \$5.75; \$4.50 and \$5.50 Trousers at \$3.75. Mackinaw Coats, special, \$8.50 to \$15.00. Raincoats of rubberized fabrics, \$7.50 upward.

Remarkable Values in Women's Coats

- Another great Coat day is assured to-morrow, when eight really wonderful lots of Coats are placed on sale. Some of these consist of Coats remaining from former large special lots, others are being shown for the first time—special purchases at very unusual savings:
\$15.00 to \$20.00 Coats—now \$12.00
A miscellaneous group—various styles. Chiefly in medium sizes.
Seal Plush Coats—special at \$20.00
Lined throughout, with all-around sectional belt.
Winter Coats—special at \$25.00
Of dark-tone invisible plaids; half-lined; front belt, deep collar of dyed opossum.
Seal Plush Coats—special at \$25.00
Lined throughout; with full ripple back.
Seal Plush Coats—special at \$30.00
Two good models—sectional or all-around belt.
Smart Coats—special at \$31.50
A miscellaneous group of high-grade Coats, of various materials. Full-lined, many with fur collar.
\$50.00 Wool Velour Coats—\$35.00
In black and street shades; fur collar and cuffs.
Plaid Coats—special at \$37.50
In invisible dark effects; collar of seal or natural raccoon.

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HATS TRIMMED FREE! Hirsch's 923 Market Street FURS Muffs, \$4.98 to \$15 Scarfs, \$10 to \$50

Special Offerings for Saturday's Shopping Save Money On a NEW Winter Coat 2000 Smart Garments on Sale Tomorrow Your Savings Are More Than \$5 to \$15 on Each Coat



GROUPED INTO FIVE HUGE LOTS AT: \$9.98 - \$12.98 - \$15 - \$19.75 - \$25

Motor Coats Dress Coats Street Coats Silk Seal Plushes Pom Poms Suede Cloths Velours Kerseys Broadcloths Crystal Cloths

Girls' and Tots' WINTER COATS Tots' \$4.50 Coats \$2 Tots' \$8.98 Coats \$5 Girls' \$10 Coats \$7.98

HATS—Beautiful New Creations Scores of lovely new satin hats in all the wanted shapes, in taupe, brown, white, red, sand and black. Also some beautiful broadcated effects. Tastefully trimmed, too! Values are \$5, \$6 and \$7.50. Priced Specially for Saturday at \$2.98 and \$3.98

Street, Afternoon and Evening DRESSES Charmeuse Satins Serge Tailleurs Georgette and Silk Combinations Velvet Afternoon Dresses All are here in a collection of styles that include every late fashion—many Bustle Dresses in the lot. Black and every new shade to choose from. Actually the biggest dress value offered this season. In the Basement 5 Dresses for street, afternoon, party and evening wear; all latest and most distinctive Winter styles; all colors, in Fine Serges Georgette Combinations Taffeta Silks Silk Poplins

SILK WAISTS \$4.98 Women's dainty Georgette crepe and crepe de chine Waists; beaded or trimmed with pretty laces; also plain tailored styles in flesh, white, pastel shades and black; dozens of charming styles. Other Waists at \$1.98 to \$5.98

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