

CALL 1991-ANY PHONE. FOUNDED 1871 **Bowman's** HARRISBURG'S POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

TO WOMEN — You are invited to visit the new Rest Room and Comfort Station when in the store. Third Floor—BOWMAN'S.

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Christmas Is Coming a Week From Tomorrow



Holiday Handkerchiefs

From foreign countries which produce reliable goods; also high grade domestic makes. A large stock requiring enlarged space. Styles for men, women and children. Good values.

Every Hour Tomorrow Brings a New Special Offering in the Cloak Dept.

Items offered during hour sales will be arranged so that you may buy in comfort, with ample opportunity to examine before deciding. Plenty of salespeople to wait on you. The most important item of the day is the offering of

\$12.50 to \$20.00 Coats at \$10

On Sale From 2 to 3 Only
There are about one hundred coats—all the pick of the season's models—and all absolutely new. Many of them are samples, and there is a good color and size assortment. There are a great many more \$15.00 and \$16.50 coats among them, than \$12.50 coats—and quite a good many of them are \$20.00 coats. They will be on sale only one hour—afterwards they will be sold at the regular prices.

\$2.50 Rain Capes at \$1.39

On Sale From 8 to 9 Only
The "Wing" patented hood—cap that can be used in three ways. Just came in this week. In red and navy. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Petticoats at \$1.98

On Sale From 9 to 10 Only
Values \$5.00. Light shades beautifully trimmed with laces and embroidery. In messaline, beau de cygnes and Jacquard silks. Made to wear with party and evening dresses. Only one will be sold to a customer.

Jersey Silk and Messaline Petticoats at \$1.39

On Sale From 9 to 10 Only
Value \$2.50. Just five dozen of each of these—and each customer can buy one of each but no more. All colors are among them.

Pure Wool Poplin Skirts at \$1.98

On Sale From 10 to 11 Only
Last Friday we sold fifty of them in less than an hour. Black, navy, dark brown and dark green. Circular effect and platted models. One only to each customer. Value \$5.00.

Five Hundred Waists at 69c

On Sale From 10 to 11 Only
Smart, new white waists in mull and voile, daintily trimmed with laces and embroidery. The very newest models. All sizes.

Crepe de Chine Waists at \$1.98

On Sale From 12 to 1 Only
Values \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50. The waists will be distributed over a large counter space so that all can get a chance to select. Over five hundred of them are here for to-morrow. Over a dozen models in white, cream, flesh, pink, helle, Nile, mals, rose, apricot, peach, Copenhagen, light blue—just all shades.

House Dresses at 69c

On Sale From 3 to 4 Only
Values \$1.00 and \$1.50. You'd be surprised how many house dresses are sold for Christmas presents. And these are real \$1.50 and \$1.00 dresses. All sizes. Light and medium and dark colors. Gingham, chambray, percales and flannellette.

Women's Bath Robes at \$1.98; value \$3.

Silk Kimonos at \$1.98; value \$3.

Black and Colored Petticoats at 49c; value 75c and \$1.

Crepe Kimonos at 98c; values \$1.50 and \$2.

On Sale From 4 to 5 Only
This last hour will be a busy one. All the items advertised are new—all are of a nature acceptable as gifts.

Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Fancy Linens For Gifts

Scarfs and squares, embroidered and hemstitched 10c to \$2.00
Scarfs and squares, lace trimmed, 19c to \$1.50
Linen lunch sets \$3.00 to \$6.00
Madeira lunch sets, 13 pieces, \$4.98 to \$10.00
Madeira napkins, \$2.00 to \$3.00 doz.
Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Dainty Neckwear For "Her" Gift

Oriental lace collars .. 25c and 50c
Organdie collars 25c to \$1.00
Collar and cuff sets in organdie, 25c to \$2.00
Scarfs — Crepe de Chine scarfs in a large assortment, at ... \$1.00 to \$2.95
Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.

The Carpet Department Suggests The Famous Kilmarnock Rugs

When you have given up in despair trying to find the rug to carry out your color scheme; let us show you the Kilmarnock line.

A rug specially designed for high class decorative work in bedrooms; mostly plain centers with straight band borders; or pretty fastoons, or conventional borders. Besides all the staple colors we show mulberry, rose, light blue, French gray and many shades not found in other lines. The material is a heavy Scotch weave. Reversible; will lay perfectly smooth on the floor without tacking.

Rugs For the Home Gift

Body Brussels Rugs—6x9 to 11.3x15 feet; priced at \$16.00 to \$49.50

Royal Wilton Rugs—18x36 to 36x63 inches; at \$2.15 to \$6.98

4.6x7.6 to 11.3x15 feet, at \$13.50 to \$60.00

Velvet Rugs—18x36 to 36x72 inches; at 89c to \$2.89

6x9 to 11.3x12 feet; at \$8.98 to \$20.00
Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Axminster Rugs—18x36 to 36x72 inches; at \$1.15 to \$3.75

6x9 to 12x15 feet; at \$12.25 to \$38.50

Tapestry Brussels Rugs—6x9 to 11.3x15 ft., at \$7.25 to \$25.00

Hassocks—all bright, new goods.

Large Wilton, \$1.00—Body Brussels, 75c—Wilton Velvet, 85c—Axminster and Velvet, 59c—Tapestry Brussels, 39c.

Everybody Is Buying Gloves For Gifts

And complete stocks of women's gloves are here, from the lower priced gloves to the very finest French kid. Prices are in keeping with the qualities.
Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.

There Should Be a Vacuum Cleaner In Your Home

It should be a Simplex Electric Vacuum Cleaner. This machine is exceptionally well made, and has never failed to give satisfactory results. In the nozzle there is a special brush which picks up hair, lint and ravelings.

We would be pleased to demonstrate this machine to you, either here or at your home.

The price is \$19.75

Vacuum Cleaner and Brush Sweeper—a combination. All metal parts are nicked, and the frame is finished in mahogany. This one also will be demonstrated upon request. Price is ... \$7.00
Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S.

In the Linen Shop

Double satin damask table patterns, in 72x72-inch size; a beautiful line to select from, at \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.00.

Hemstitched table covers; size 61x63 inches; beautiful patterns to select from, at \$2.19

Linen sheeting, 90 inches wide; one of the heaviest and best qualities we have ever shown, at \$1.50 yard

Ramie linen, 36 inches wide; good, heavy quality, at 39c yard

Handsome Turkish towels, with blue and pink mercerized stripes, at \$1.00 each. Face cloths to match, at 12½c each

Turkish wash cloths, in blue, with all the wanted initials woven in center, at 8c each
Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Novelty White Goods

One of the new and pretty materials for waists, having a large novelty stripe. Comes 40 inches wide. Yard .. \$1.39

Japanese Nainsook, 42 inches wide—made especially for Bowman & Company; 10-yard lengths. Piece ... \$2.50
Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Unusual Activity 'Round About The "Gift Department"

(Furniture Floor)
A surprise is due you when you visit this new Gift Department, and see the collection of gift things for every member of the family. Here are just a few—

Tripartite Toilet Dressing Table — finished in the new, beautiful Adam brown mahogany. (Like illustration.) Priced at \$21.00

Bar Harbor Reed Chairs and Rockers—upholstered seats and backs of tapestry; finished in russet brown and stone gray. Special price is \$8.75 for armchair or rocker.

Large Overstuffed Fireside Rockers — genuine Spanish leather; spring seat and back. Priced at \$13.50

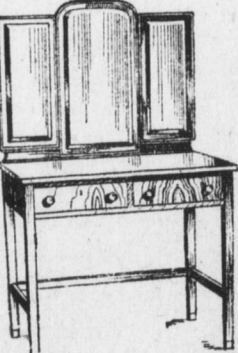
Library Tables — large selection in mahogany, quartered oak, fumed oak and Kaiser gray. Prices are \$9.75 to \$27.00

Solid Mahogany Smoker—leaded base, ash tray, cigar holders and match box holder. Special price \$1.98

Fumed Oak Magazine Racks—three patterns, at 98c, \$2.25 and \$2.75

The New Self Lighter Smoker is selling fast. It is the most complete smoker in the entire assortment. Fifteen different styles and finishes to select from. Prices are \$1.98 to \$13.75

Eighteen different styles and finishes in Women's Desks. Prices range from \$5.95 to \$19.75
Fifth Floor—BOWMAN'S.



ORIENTAL RUGS

A Gift of Rare Beauty and Charm

A beautiful rug in true Oriental design and colorings will make a treasured gift. This high grade stock is from the regions of Smyrna, Elizabethpool, Tigris Valley, Caspian Sea and southeastern Persian provinces. Special prices on small, medium and room sizes, (note that sizes quoted are the average sizes), including

Anatolian Mats, at \$4.75—value \$7.50.

Smyrna Rugs, \$10.75—value \$15.40; 3x4 ft.

Mossoul Rugs, \$19.42—value \$29.50; 2.5x6.6 ft.

Cabistan Rugs, \$20.00—value \$30.00; 3x4.6 ft.

Iran Rugs, \$29.34 to \$39.34—value \$56.00; 4x7 ft.

Kirmanshah Rugs, \$53.34—value \$80.00; 4.2x6 ft.

Mahal Rugs, \$98.00 to \$135.00—value \$202.00; 10.1x6.8 ft., and 11.10x7.10 ft.

Sarook Rugs, \$316.67—value \$475.00; room size.

Kermanshah Rugs, \$300.00 and \$304.00—value \$450.00; 11.7x8.9 and 11.9x9.7 ft.
Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S.

And All Must Be Ready

—So many gift lists to complete; so many presents to buy and tie up in neat gift-looking packages. There's a friend, too, you'll want to remember; there are absent ones to whom will be sent gifts that speak Cheer, and no doubt in the past year you have received favors from certain folk whom you'll care to extend a slight token of appreciation.

This Store Is Ready

—to aid you in selecting the right gift, and from assortments that have never been equaled here nor anywhere.

A Good Umbrella Is a Lasting Gift

And You Could Not Give a More Useful Or Acceptable Present

Women's 26-inch Umbrellas—tape edge; American taffeta cover; case and tassel; guaranteed waterproof; fast color; handles all of beautiful designs, at 98c

Men's 28-inch Umbrellas—tape edge; American taffeta cover, fine quality; case and tassel; handles of boxwood, mission, plain carved and trimmed with gold and silver, at 98c

Women's 26-inch Umbrellas—tape edge; piece dye taffeta silk cover; paragon frame; long mission handles with neat and large ends, in plain, carved, and trimmed with gold, silver and pearl, at \$1.50

Men's 28-inch Umbrellas—boxwood and mission handles, fine grades in all the newest designs; cover of silk and yarn piece dye taffeta; tape edge; guaranteed waterproof, at \$1.50

Women's and Men's Umbrellas—fine silk cover; tape edge; case and tassel; paragon frame; handles are of dark mission, beautiful designs, inlaid with gold and silver, at \$2.00
Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.

STORE NOTES

—A good thing to remember—This Store will close at 6 P. M. on Christmas Eve, so that everybody, including our large store family, may spend this evening at home.

—All responsible persons are invited to open a charge account here, and receive the numerous advantages that such an account offers.

—In order that no one is compelled to wait a through elevator will run between the Main floor and Toytown, only, allowing the other car to connect all floors.

—Everyone having a Christmas Saving Fund Check is invited to get it cashed at our Transfer Department, Main floor. This is merely an accommodation and whether you purchase or not, you're invited, just the same.

—By doing your Christmas shopping on a transfer, you save considerable time and annoyance, because you are relieved of all bundles until your shopping is complete.

Splendid New Models In La Reine Corsets

We especially invite you to see the display of new models, on the second floor, just off the elevators. In these are featured the "Nobreak" side steel, guaranteed for six months.

Designs are the last word in fashion—materials and trimmings are rich and dainty—workmanship is flawless. Various models are featured, at \$1.00 to \$3.00. Free fittings on corsets at \$2.00 and over.

Elso Front-Laced Corsets

Comprise everything that is correct in corseting. A model for every figure, made of plain and fancy coutil. All perfect fitting. Priced at \$2.00 to \$5.00

W. B. Corsets, Special at 85c

Medium low bust, long hip, rubber gore at back, embroidery trimmed at top. \$1.50 model.
Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Showing the Latest Small Shapes in Millinery

During the past week, new arrivals have been unusually large, so that now the Millinery Department presents a very attractive and complete showing of the newest and most authentic styles.

Small shapes are among the number of new hats, these are extremely smart and stylish, showing white, sand, putty and other new shades.

98c will purchase a fine quality velvet hat, and just at this time, this low price is no indication of the quality of the velvet.

Extra value at \$6.50—Marabou set with scarf and large pillow muff.
Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.



Gift Things for Babies And Older Children

Infants' long and short dresses—made of nainsook with dainty round embroidered yokes, lace trimmed at neck and sleeves; four styles, at 59c

Infants' caps—plush messaline, bengaline, and embroidered silk; lace and ribbon trimmed, at 25c to \$2.50

Infants' and children's sweater coats—plain and fancy weaves; roll and shawl collars, pockets; all white, and white with pink and blue; also red, gray and Copenhagen; sizes to 6 years, at 59c to \$3.00

Children's coats of chinchilla, cheviot, broadcloth, velvet, plush and zibeline; good styles; belted, plain and Balkan band effects; sizes 2 to 7 years, at \$2.25 to \$8.00

Children's lingerie frocks in lawn, batiste, and dotted Swiss; charming tunic and long waist styles; trimmed with tiny tucks and Swiss embroideries, some with ribbon sashes. Sizes 2 to 6 years, at \$1.25 to \$6.50

Children's white and colored plush and velvet bonnets; puffed backs; prettily trimmed with feathers, fur, flowers and ribbon, at 50c to \$3.50

Children's hats—plush and velvet with pretty shirred silk facings; trimmed with fur, flowers and ribbon. Suitable for children 2 to 10 years old, at 75c to \$3.98

Knitted drawer leggings in white, gray, red and brown, at 59c to \$1.25

Knitted togues and hoods, in white and colors, at 25c to \$1.00

Girls' wash dresses—made with double and plain skirts, trimmed with plain colors; sizes 2 to 14 years; all new styles, at 60c

Girls' white galatea middie blouses with red and blue collars; sizes 6 to 14 years, at 98c

Children's dresses in serge—jaunty styles with long waist; sailor collars, platted skirts; trimmings of braid; plain ties; sizes 6 to 14 years, at \$2.98 to \$5.50

Girls' wash dresses—imported chambrays, gingham and linens; sizes 6 to 14 years, at 98c to \$6.98
Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Sheets and Sheeting Specials

50c Sheets, 27c—72x90 inches.

70c Sheets, 55c—76x90 inches.

90c Sheets, 69c—90x90 inches.

42 and 45-inch Tubing, 20c and 22c quality, at 14½c yard.

81-inch Pepperell Sheeting, at 22½c yard; 30c quality.

Fine white muslin, 1 and 2-yard pieces; 15c quality; yard, 5c.

8½c unbleached fine muslin, 5¼c yard.

12½c cretonnes, 40 patterns; 12 yards to a customer, 6¾c yard.
Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.