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Its an indisputable fact that our regular prices throughout the season have been, as usual, from \$3 to \$5 less than those asked for equal merchandise in any other store in Harrisburg. So just bear in mind that duplicates of our price reductions fall far short of affording duplicates of the actual money-savings you can make here now.

**Honest Reductions**

And, in addition to that, everything here is brand new---all this season's merchandise ---all the best of its kind that the maker affords. Nothing of uncertain age, of doubtful quality is ever found in this store---saletime or anytime---and you get the same careful attention and the same guarantee of complete satisfaction, as if you paid the regular price.

**Standard Merchandise**

Buy Freely at These Prices:

- All \$15.00 Suits & Overcoats ... **\$10.75**
- All \$18.00 Suits & Overcoats ... **\$13.75**
- All \$20.00 Suits & Overcoats ... **\$14.75**
- All \$25.00 Suits & Overcoats ... **\$18.75**

ALL 25c HOSIERY	19c	ALL 50c Neckwear	39c
ALL 50c UNDERWEAR	39c	ALL \$1.00 SHIRTS	79c
ALL \$1.00 SHIRTS	79c	ALL \$1.50 SHIRTS	\$1.19
ALL \$1.50 SHIRTS	\$1.19	ALL \$2.50 KNIT MUFFLERS	\$1.89
ALL \$2.50 KNIT MUFFLERS	\$1.89	ALL \$3.50 SWEATERS	\$2.89
ALL \$3.50 SWEATERS	\$2.89	ALL \$5.00 SWEATERS	\$3.89

- All \$5.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats ... **\$3.89**
- All \$6.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats ... **\$4.95**
- All \$7.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats ... **\$5.95**
- All \$7.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats ... **\$6.95**
- All \$10 Boys' Suits and Overcoats ... **\$7.95**

**Money Refunded Goods Exchanged**



304 Market St.

Harrisburg, Pa.

**All Alterations FREE**

**SKUNK BURDENS BOSS OF BIG ZOO**

Curator of Bronx Gardens Doesn't Know What to Do With Animals He Borrowed

New York, Feb. 4.—Does anybody want a good, tame specimen of the Mephitic mephitica? Raymond L. Ditmars, curator of the Bronx Zoo, has one he wants, oh so badly, to get rid of.

The curator decided some time ago that his exploits in nature study were incomplete. He had finger printed the orang-outangs, and milked the venom from a lancehead viper, and his neighbors had once threatened to go to law unless he gave up the colony of katydids that he kept in his studio. But he had never taken a motion picture of a genuine, wood bred skunk at close range. The queerest part of it was that he wanted to do just that thing.

The wood pussies at the zoo would

not do. They are old and lazy. He searched for a real, lively pussy with a mean disposition. At last about two weeks ago he heard that a farmer in Valhalla had caught one alive in a trap. Up he went to Valhalla with a specially constructed, airtight asbestos box and he borrowed the skunk.

Back to his studio at his home in Scarsdale he took it. He let it out in the studio and then he buried the box. He spent three days getting on friendly terms with little Mephitic and the creature got to know him so well that at last he brought his camera and a supply of formaldehyde into the room and left with a unique film of a genuine rip-roaring wood pussy in war maneuvers.

Then came the problem of getting the skunk back. Mr. Ditmars built a bombproof trap and set it in the studio. Mr. Skunk consented to enter it and yesterday morning off for Valhalla went Mr. Ditmars.

"Here's your skunk back, and I can't say how deeply grateful I am for the loan," he told the farmer.

The farmer reached for a rake. "If you let that unholly beast loose within 150 miles of Valhalla station I'll sue you," he shouted.

Mr. Ditmars, dumbfounded, took little Mephitic back to Scarsdale. He can't give it to the zoo. He admits that there wouldn't be a man, woman or child within ten miles of the park if he did. And when this story comes

**Better Postal Service as Business Increases**

An increase of more than \$7,000 in the amount of business done at the Harrisburg post office in January, 1916, over the total of 1915, was reported by Postmaster Frank C. Sites to-day. Despite the fact that the postal employees are working in temporary quarters, every effort is made to maintain the efficiency and service of the post office in this city.

With this in view a new box was placed at Tenth-First street and Hillside road, Bellevue park, and nightly collections are made there as well as the regular daily trips in the district. February 16, post office station No. 22 will be opened at the Logan drug store, North Second street.

During the last year additional men have been employed and all of the regular deliveries are being maintained in the business and residential districts and in the outer parts of the city.

**Says Panama Canal Is in Great Danger From Foe**

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4.—Make every postmaster in the United States a recruiting agent for the army and navy.

This was the suggestion made to the Senate military affairs committee by General Clarence R. Edwards, who was summoned from the Panama Canal Zone to appear before the committee. General Edwards is now organizing the mobile army for the defense of the canal, where a department will be created if the recommendations of the general staff are approved by Secretary of War L. M. Garrison.

Greater defenses for the Panama Canal were advocated by General Edwards in a comprehensive statement wherein he indicated the ease with which an enemy under present conditions might either capture or destroy the "vitals" of the great waterway.

Twenty-five thousand men, or more than one-fourth the present total strength of the standing army, are needed to insure adequate protection of the canal, he said. Fixed fortifications, no matter how strong, cannot guard the zone, he declared, and without a mobile army to back them up the guns already there are a source of weakness, not strength.

**Maxim For Preparedness; to Hide at Devil's Hole**

Philadelphia, Feb. 4.—Hudson Maxim, inventor of "maximite," the first high explosive to penetrate heavy armor plate, and a member of the Naval Consulting Board of Civil Scientists, is a believer in a twofold preparedness.

Mr. Maxim not only is advocating a navy that is second to none and a standing army of at least 1,000,000 trained men, but he is preparing a place of refuge in the West to which, he says, he and his family will go soon as peace is declared in Europe. The end of the war, he explained, will mean the invasion of the eastern part of this country by one or more of the present belligerents to recoup their wasted fortunes with the riches of this territory.

**ADUBON SOCIETY MEETS HERE**

The Audubon Society of Pennsylvania, an organization for the protection of birds will hold its annual convention in this city the first week in April. The convention will come to this city at the invitation of the Harrisburg Natural History Society. The local society will give a banquet to the delegates, and furnish Technical High school auditorium and the flagroom of the State museum for the meetings. A special feature to be held during the week will be an illustrated talk to the school children of the city during one of the afternoons.

**Want to Help Belgian Prisoner of War Pass Away Time in Camp?**

F. Baudson, formerly of the Twelfth Belgian regiment and now a prisoner of war in the detention camps of Holland, is a curio stamp collector.

For weeks he has been trying to while away his weary hours by carefully gathering postage stamps. Somewhere he got hold of a newspaper directory and he has written to the editors of some of the more important papers of this country including the Herald and the Times of New York, asking their co-operation in securing contributions of stamps. To-day the Telegraph got a formidable, censored, franked letter from Baudson asking this newspaper's help in securing contributions to his collection.

Stamps will readily reach Baudson if mailed to "R. de Ligne, Camp 11, Zeist, Holland."

**MUMMERS PLAN BANQUET**

Plans for the annual banquet of the Harrisburg Mimmers' Association to be held next month will be completed at a special meeting of that organization to be held within a few weeks.

**TO LECTURE ON BIRDS**

An illustrated bird lecture will be given by W. S. Essick under the auspices of the John Wesley Boys' club in Fifth Street Methodist Episcopal Church this evening.

**Banquet Prize in Bible Class Membership Contest**

Special to the Telegraph

Anville, Pa., Feb. 4.—The Brotherhood Bible class of St. Paul's Evangelical Church will conduct a membership contest to begin on February 6 and continue until March 12. The class will be divided into two sections, the Red captained by Joseph Boltz and the Blue lead by Charles Parker. A system of points will determine which side will banquet the losers at the close of the contest.

**\$300,000 WAGE INCREASE GRANTED AT CRAMP'S YARD**

Special to the Telegraph

Philadelphia, Feb. 4.—Increases in wages amounting to more than \$300,000 a year and applying to between 4,000 and 5,000 workers were voluntarily granted yesterday to the employees of the William Cramp & Sons Ship and Engine Building Company and the I. P. Morris Company. The new wage scale will become effective on February 23. The advance is equal to ten per cent. in the hourly wage rates.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Advertisement.

**Popular Preaching at St. Stephen's Mission**

The Rev. Dr. J. O. S. Huntington, West Park, N. Y., father superior of the Protestant Episcopal Order of the Holy Cross has opened a "popular preaching mission" at St. Stephen's Church which will be continued until a week from Sunday. The services are entirely absent of liturgy except at communion services. Opening services were conducted yesterday by Father Huntington. The mission is the first to be held in this city for years. Dr. Huntington spoke here in St. Stephen's Church in 1903. Brother Abishal, his assistant, arrived here last evening.

"Must I Be a Christian?" was the subject of Dr. Huntington's talk. The daily schedule follows: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; intercession, 12 m.; young people's service, 4:30 p. m.; preaching mission, 8 p. m.

**PREPARATORY SERVICE**

Preparatory services will be held this evening at Paxton Presbyterian Church by the Rev. C. B. Segelken, of Steelton.

**No Trouble to Keep Skin Free From Hairs**

The Modern Beauty

There is no need for any woman to countenance superfluous hairs, because with a paste made by mixing some powdered delatone with water it is easy to get rid of them. The paste is applied for 2 to 3 minutes, then rubbed off and the skin washed. This treatment will rid the skin of hair without leaving a blemish, but care should be taken to see that you get real delatone.

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