

# Bowman's

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## Delicious Sweets For Christmas

Candy booth, rear street floor, adjoining the shoe section.  
Chocolates — hard candies—Xmas candies — only the good kinds made of the very best ingredients.

A flutter of hearts and a patter of little feet about

## Santa Claus' Castle

Santa, himself, big and cheery, is here in his castle on the Second Floor, where he will meet all the little ones and tell them of his journey—and also find out what all good children desire for their Christmas stockings.

## Women's Warm Pajamas and Other Seasonable Apparel

Here are every-day necessities that are inexpensive—yet, make the most sensible gifts and are sure to be appreciated by the recipient. They are splendidly made, cut full and finely finished.

Pajamas, in blue and white striped flannelette, with frog trimming, sizes 16 and 17, at \$1.50 and \$2.  
Night gowns in pink and white and blue and white striped flannelette, also all white; high necks, long sleeves, or low neck and short sleeves; sizes 16 to 20, at 75¢ to \$1.75.

Flannelette petticoats in pink and white, blue and white, gray and white, white, garnet, blue and brown, in assorted sizes, at 20¢ to 75¢.

Knit petticoats in white and various colors, 50¢ to \$1.98.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

## Juvenile Books



Well pictured—well printed—well bound books. And there is no more expressive gift than a worthy book — especially to a young person. Amusement and instruction are bound together within its covers.

We are showing books for boys and girls of every age — books for the youngest reader and picture books in paper and linen for the tots.

Despite all you have heard about rising costs of thread, paper, cloth and labor, the prices will surprise you by their moderation.

(Book Section, 1st Floor, Near Elevators.)

Some Very Special Offerings in Quality

## Wool Dress Fabrics

Every price is a special one and represents a value unusual as compared with the market quotations to-day.

There is a great choice of weaves and colorings and it behooves every woman to anticipate her needs in this line—also to plan her dress-pattern gifts now.

Some specimen items—

44-inch black Storm Serge, \$1.19 yd.	56-inch all-wool Checks, \$1.19 yd.
56-inch Cloakings, \$1.50 yd.	44-inch Storm Serges, \$1.39 yd.
36-inch Storm Serges, in Copen and blue, 55¢ yd.	44-inch Ottomans, \$1.39 yd.
36-inch Batiste, wanted colors, 53½¢ yd.	44-inch Wool Charmeuse, \$1.29 yd.
52-inch black and white plaids, \$1.19 yd.	54-inch Wool Velour, \$2.98 yd.
	56-inch Kitten's-Ear, satin finish, \$4.50 yd.

## Beautiful Gift Silks

Charming weaves and designs in the fancies and rich deep lustrous black in the favored staple silks and satins.

Each price means a liberal concession from the average prevailing prices—

36-inch Black Taffeta, \$1.39 yd.	36-inch blue dress Taffeta, striped, \$1.42½ yd.
36-inch Black Messaline, \$1.47 yd.	36-inch Striped Messaline, blue, \$2.19 yd.
27-inch brown Moire Silk, \$1.37½ yd.	27-inch plain wash silks, wanted colors, 42½¢ yd.
27-inch Check Taffeta, \$1.37½ yd.	Velvet, in many colors, including black, \$1.45 yd.
36-inch black and white stripe Taffeta, \$1.37½ yd.	40-inch Silk Charmeuse, in brown, blue and black, \$2.39 yd.
36-inch Kimono Silks, 65¢ yd.	

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor.

## Christmas Hosiery For Women

Hosiery is always in great demand by everyone. No more appropriate gift can be found for the average woman than a pair of silk stockings.

And to-morrow we will feature a very special lot of very fine high quality thread silk stockings at

\$1.25 a pair

3 pair in a box for \$3.50

These stockings are made with double soles, high spiced heels, wide garter tops.

Choose from the following colors—

Mais      Bronze      Rose      Gray  
Russian Calf      Black and White

(On Special Table, 1st Floor.)

## After Today--But 9 Days

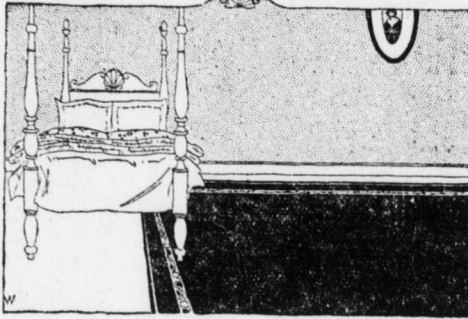
### For Gift Buying

Whether you buy to-morrow or later — this store will serve you well — but we say—

Shop Early — mornings if you can — you will be less crowded and selections will be made more advantageously.

Every floor of this great store filled with the best merchandise to be procured to supply your every day needs — and for gift purposes.

An efficient corps of salespeople who will serve you to your satisfaction—right up to the last minute of the last day.



## Housewives---Gift Seekers! The Annual December Bed Spread Sale

begins to-morrow—and it's going to be one of extraordinary values.

We have held similar sales before and each time the spreads have been bought—by enthusiastic customers in amazingly short order.

Several hundred of the finest grade spreads direct from the mills, not "seconds" in a sense, but the numbers that have been rejected for almost invisible faults, such as a tiny oil spot or some trifling flaw that you will have hard work to discover.

To those who know the magic of "rejected firsts" we need give no further invitation. To those who don't—they are the bargains par excellence in merchandising.

Here they are—every one 'way under value—

Spreads at \$1.95 Full size crochet spreads, hemmed, plain patterns and handsome Marseilles patterns.

Spreads at \$2.95 Satin spreads, twin bed size, a wonderful assortment of artistic patterns.

Spreads at \$4.55 Satin spreads in full double bed size, gorgeous Marseilles designs — nothing could be more beautiful.

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

## Her Christmas FURS

Can Be Purchased Here With Confidence

You will always get quality here—even in the lowest-priced pieces, and it is hard to think of a more acceptable gift than

A stylish fur set

A handsome muff

A smart fur scarf

A dressy fur coat

The Christmas line is charmingly complete—and prices very moderate.

Women's and Misses' separate pieces, black fox, cross fox, red fox, coney, pointed wolf, seal, beaver, mole, \$5.95 to \$15.00.

Children's Sets of imitation ermine, white coney, natural coney, nutria, squirrel and marmot, \$2.50 to \$9.50.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor



## The Doll Hospital

Only a few days now to have dolly's ailments cured. Bring her to our doll doctor, on the Second floor—Sporting Goods Department, and he will diagnose the proper treatment and make her like new.

## Attractive Articles in the Housefurnishing Section

There are many fine, practical articles in the housefurnishing section and they offer some very good ideas to those in search of something that is useful and still attractive in appearance.



Wood nut bowls, mahogany finish, \$2.49 to \$3.98.  
Serving trays, mahogany finish, 63¢ to \$5.90.  
Fireproof casseroles, nickel plated receptacle, 63¢ to \$5.90.  
Nickel plated chafing dishes, \$2.90 to \$10.  
Aluminum percolators, 98¢ to \$4.  
Nickel plated relish dish, hand-painted china and nickel combination, \$1.90 to \$4.25.  
Nickel coffee machines, \$5 to \$11.50.  
Nickel plated tea kettles, \$1.39 to \$1.98.  
Nickel plated bread trays, \$2.39.  
Nickel plated electric toasters, \$4.25 and \$4.50.  
Nickel plated crumb sets, 50¢ to \$2.39.  
Vacuum carafe, nickel plated, \$5.  
Electric irons, nickel plated, \$2.45.

Chocolate sets, \$1.25 to \$6.90.  
Fruit sets \$2.69 to \$4.90.  
Ice cream sets, \$3.50.  
Celery sets, \$2.75.  
Olive sets, \$1.25 to \$2.49.  
Sugar and cream sets, 49¢ to \$2.50.  
Fruit bowls, 49¢ to \$3.50.  
Chop plates, 98¢ to \$4.50.  
Cake plates, 49¢ to \$3.98.  
Marmalade jars, 98¢ to \$2.39.  
Handled baskets, 98¢.  
Spoon trays, 75¢ to \$2.50.  
Bon bon dishes, 75¢ to \$2.50.  
Celery trays, 49¢ to \$2.50.  
Lamps, silk shades, mahogany pedestals, \$2.39 to \$16.90.  
Gas and electric portables, \$3.90 to \$22.50.  
Candles, fancy decorated, 3¢ to 20¢.  
Candle shades, 10¢ to \$1.25.  
Mahogany candlesticks, 69¢ to \$2.25.  
Flower bowls, 89¢ to \$2.50.  
BOWMAN'S—Basement

## BRASSIERES

An Appropriate Gift From One Woman to Another

You can select from these with the assurance that you have something very useful and with our large assortment you have the best which money can buy.

Pink crepe de chine bandeau brassieres, fastening in back with three elastic bands; also lace brassieres lined in pink satin, at \$1.50.

All-over cluny lace brassieres, V-front and square back, at \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.75.

Pink satin brassieres with insert of Georgette crepe, V-front and back, at \$4.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor.

## Toyland---Dollyland---Joyland

Bowman's big toyland — the land of a thousand joys for children and parents—where you see all the standard popular toys, and the newest ideas for 1916 to amuse and please.

Headquarters for Erector Toys!

Wonderful, educational and entertaining—they're structural steel outfits in miniature form—build bridges, buildings, elevators, trestles and many other things by their use.

Set No. 1, makes 88 models ..... \$1.00  
Set No. 2, makes 120 models ..... \$2.00  
Set No. 3, makes 176 models ..... \$3.00  
Set No. 4, makes 207 models ..... \$5.00  
Set No. 5, makes 229 models ..... \$7.50  
Other sets up to ..... \$25.00



BOWMAN'S—Basement

Refinement of design — excellence of quality characterize the

## Sale of Roger Bros. and Community Silverware That Commences Here Tomorrow

Prices are below regular, and it is your opportunity to save on Xmas gifts.

Silverware of this character really has no rival as an acceptable and practical gift.

The exhibit is interesting — note the prices:

Tea spoons, coffee spoons and 5 o'clock teaspoons, ½ dozen, 78¢.  
Table spoons, medium forks, soup spoons, dessert spoons, dessert forks, ½ dozen, \$1.58.  
Individual salad forks, ½ dozen, \$1.78.  
Oyster forks, ½ dozen, \$1.58.  
Flat butter spreaders, ½ dozen, \$1.58.  
Sugar shell and butter knives, each, 47¢.

Cream or mayonnaise ladles, pre-serve spoons, cold meat forks, sugar tongs, each, 64¢.  
Set of ½ dozen knives and forks, \$3.19.  
26-piece set in mahogany chest, comprising ½ dozen forks, ½ dozen knives, ½ dozen teaspoons, ½ dozen table spoons, butter knife, sugar shell, \$7.75.

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor