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Specials For Saturday

\$35.00 For Best Coat in the House	\$29.75 For Best Suit in the House
Showerproof Cloth Coats, in gray mixtures; values \$13.75; special..... \$7.50	Vicuna Cloth Coats, in green and brown; band of Australian opossum on collar; value \$23.50; special..... \$16.75
Serge Dresses, in navy and black; sizes 16 to 38; values \$15.00 to \$19.75; special..... \$10.00 and \$12.50	Special showing of new Evening Gowns, in satin, silk nets, etc. \$16.75, \$19.75, \$25 to \$35.00
Assorted lot of Waists, in Georgette, lace and chiffon; sizes to 42; values \$4.95 to \$5.75; special..... \$2.95	Wide range of styles, in white and flesh crepe de chine Waists; sizes to 44; values \$3.50 to \$3.75; special..... \$2.37
Novelty and Plain Tailored Suits, in serge, poplin, velour, broadcloth and gabardine; sizes 16 to 49; values to \$45.00; special..... \$25.00	Choice Suits of the better kind in brown, navy, green, black and checks, plain and fur trimmed; special..... \$29.75
Skating Sets \$3.50 value; special..... \$1.75 \$2.95 value; special..... \$1.49 95c value; special..... 49c	Knit Wool Sweaters \$4.95 value; special..... \$3.95 \$6.95 value; special..... \$5.50 \$16.75 value; special..... \$12.50

Special Prices on All Remaining Fur Sets

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DR. CULP IS HOST TO ALBANY GIRLS

Beautifully Appointed Dinner at Harrisburg Club Precedes Theater Party

Dr. John F. Culp is entertaining this evening at a dinner of elaborate appointments at the Harrisburg Club in compliment to Miss Ruth Osborne Gallienne and Miss Marion Ackroyd Gallienne of Albany, N. Y., nieces of Mr. and Mrs. William Milton Hargest, 113 Rely street.

The flowers, arranged in long plant-stand effect, will be coral pink bouvardia, anemone and iris. The table with graceful farleyense fern, and the guests will be delighted with many surprise effects both in lighting and in the menu.

Following the dinner the entire party will go to the Orpheum to see the Yale Dramat in "Ours" and afterward will dance at the first assembly ball in Masonic Hall.

Enjoying the hospitality of Dr. Culp will be Miss Ruth Osborne Gallienne, Miss Marion Ackroyd Gallienne, Mr. and Mrs. William Milton Hargest, Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Bent, Miss Virginia Hargest King, Miss Emily Bailey, Miss Frances Bailey, Miss Elizabeth Bailey, Miss Helen Hammond, Miss Eleanor Clark, Miss Dora Wickert, Miss Sarah Denehy, Miss Alice Wallis, Miss Susanna Fleming, Miss Kennedy, Miss Alma Custer, Miss Katherine Eiter, Miss Sara Hastings, Thomas Sewell Hargest, J. Clarence Seelye, Dr. George Rely Moffitt, Jackson Hervey Boyd, Edward Stackpole, Jr., Albert Stackpole, George Comstock, John Constock, James Coyle Kennedy, Edwin Bevan, William McCreath, William Wood and Samuel W. Fleming, Jr.

SATURDAY SPECIAL
\$4.00 BATHROBES
\$2.19

Heavy blanket cloth robes, in many shades and patterns, \$4.00 value; special Saturday only..... **\$2.19** (1 to a customer.)

The Ladies' Bazaar
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SATURDAY SPECIAL
\$2.00 WAISTS
\$1.12

White voile waists, large pointed collar, ruffles, lace and embroidery trimmed, \$2.00 value; special Saturday only..... **\$1.12**

Amazing Values Distinguish Our After-Christmas Sale of Ladies' Coats and Dresses

Hundreds of garments have gone into the hands of satisfied purchasers the first two days of this sale. Hundreds just as attractive are still to be had. It will pay you, as it has others, to come here to-morrow and share in the greatest values we have ever offered.

Suits of Sterling Quality at Big Savings

\$15.00 Suits
In This Sale... **\$6.98**

All wool serges, diagonals, worsteds and chevots, satin lined.

\$16.98 SUITS
In This Sale; **\$9.75**
Choice.....

All Wool Check Velours and Poplins, silk satin lined, in a half dozen models in navy, green, brown and black.

\$22.98 SUITS
In This Sale; **\$12.75**
Choice.....

All Wool Poplin, Gabardine, Whipcord, Velour and Broadcloth Suits, plain and fur trimmed, silk satin lined; navy, black, brown and green.

\$30.00 SUITS
In This Sale; **\$15.75**
Choice.....

Very fine Broadcloths, Velvets and Velours, in plain and fur trimmed models, some with full fur collar and cuffs; variety of shades.

Striking Styles in Fine Coats at Heavy Price Reductions

\$10.00 Coats; in this sale, choice..... \$3.98

Persian lamb cloth, basket weaves, Scotch mixtures, corduroys, plaids and novelties in all shades.

\$15.00 Coats; in this sale, choice..... \$6.98

Shetlands, boucles, mixtures, plaids, cut zibelines, novelty fabrics, in all shades.

\$16.00 Coats; in this sale, choice..... \$9.75

Wool velours and Persian Lamb Cloth Coats, smart models.

\$18.50 COATS
In This Sale, Choice **\$10.75**

Fine velours, with full fur collars, meltons with plush cape collar and wool pushes, in green, navy, Burgundy and brown.

\$22.98 COATS
In This Sale..... **\$12.75**

Plush Coats, with fur trimmed collar, flare model, satin lined throughout; only 8 in the lot and Wool Plush Coats with full fur collar and cuffs; plush cape collar, flowered satin lining; brown and navy.

\$50.00 COATS
In This Sale, Choice, **\$22.75**

In extra fine Kerseys with cape collar and cuffs of fur, velours and Bolivia cloth in plain and fur trimmed models, some with full fur collar and cuffs; blue, gray, Burgundy, green and mustard.

Guests of the Knisely's at Lovely Debutante Ball

Following the charming tea Mrs. Archibald G. Knisely and Mrs. Paul Garfield Smith gave yesterday afternoon to introduce Miss Elizabeth Knisely, there was an elaborate dinner followed by a ball at the Civic Club.

Those invited to attend included: Mr. and Mrs. John Maczou, Mr. and Mrs. Philip T. Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Berghaus, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Earle of South Bethlehem, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gaither, Mr. and Mrs. Farley Gannett, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Irons, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson of South Bethlehem, Judge and Mrs. George Kunkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. John Mahan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCreath, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maguire, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Melick, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Noyes, Dr. and Mrs. John Oenslager, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Robbins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. W. Walley Davis of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. George Preston Mains, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown, Mrs. J. M. Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bailey.

Miss Ruth Payne, Miss Eleanor Eiter, Miss Katherine Eiter, Miss Almada Herman, Miss Mary Boas, Miss Martha Bullitt, Mary Mitchell, Miss Eleanor Earle of South Bethlehem, Miss Louise Carney of South Bethlehem, Miss Elizabeth Ross, Miss Martha Fletcher, Miss Alice Wallis, Miss Eleanor Clark, Miss Sara Denehy, Miss Virginia King, Miss Dora Coe, Miss Martha Bailey, Miss Elizabeth Bailey, Miss Georgia Bailey, Miss Sara Cooper, Miss Caroline Lynch, Miss Constance Ferriday, Miss Anna Gay Bradley, Miss Myrtle Benson, Miss Vivian Mercer, Miss Emily Bailey, Miss Frances Bailey, Miss Susanna Fleming, Miss Margaret McClain, Miss Sara Hastings, Miss Edith Hammond, Miss Jane Wadsworth of Binghamton, N. Y.

Daniel Kunkel, Minster Kunkel, George Kunkel, Jr., Arthur Kunkel, John C. Kunkel, III, Franklin Eiter, Curzon Fager, Spencer Ross, Motter Fletcher, Marlin E. Olmsted, Jr., Ross Jennings, William Jennings, E. J. Stackpole, Jr., Albert H. Stackpole, Richard Robinson, Dr. George Moffitt, William McCreath, Harold Fox, Frank Payne, Meade D. Detweiler, Jr., J. Hoffer Detweiler, Ebrman Mitchell, William Calder, David Shotwell, Ed. Ward Williams, Mr. Hicks, George Comstock, Thurston Rounsburg, Clarence Funk, El. Elmore Smith, Joseph Stuart of Carlisle, J. B. Redus, Arthur Taten, John Wallis, B. Redus, Arthur Fox, Christian Jennings, Edward Jennings, John Smith, William Woor, James Wood.

De Forrest Lescaure, Jackson Boyd, Frederick Lewis of Germantown, Jas. Wickersham, Ward Alleman, Frank Seelye, R. Boone Abbott, Theodore Marshall, Theodore Welles, William Eby, Mercer B. Tate, Jr., Willard Oen-

Elect Charles LeFevre Choirmaster in Chicago

Charles E. LeFevre, a former Harrisburg man, has been elected choirmaster of the Cuyler Avenue Methodist Church of Chicago, Ill. This is one of the largest churches in Chicago and Mr. LeFevre will have a choir of thirty trained voices. Mr. LeFevre is pleasantly remembered here, particularly in connection with his fine work in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church choir. He left this city about four years ago to go on the road with the Commonwealth Quartet and after touring over the entire country and visiting practically all the larger cities from coast to coast he located in Chicago. For the past two years Mr. LeFevre has been in training with the finest teachers in Chicago and those who have visited that city and have heard him sing say that his voice has improved wonderfully in tone and range. He is now considered one of the best in that larger city. Mr. LeFevre was connected with one of the music stores here and has hosts of friends in the city.

Abraham Gordon to Marry Pretty New York Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Koplovitz, of 124 North Summit street, entertained in compliment to Miss Julia Gordon, of New York, and Abraham Gordon, a young business man of this city, whose betrothal has just been announced.

A decorative scheme of blue and white was used, with potted plants and rare flowers. E. L. Gordon, of New York, father of the bride elect, gave some choice violin numbers and there were victrola selections also. The Russian folk dances were enjoyed as well as singing.

A buffet supper was served to the following guest: E. L. Gordon and Mrs. H. Katzman, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Koplovitz, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Gordon, Mrs. Minnie Gordon, Mrs. David Koplovitz, Aaron Katzman, Mrs. Miriam Gordon, Miss Miriam Gordon, Miss Lena Koplovitz, Miss Ethel Straub, Florence Katzman, Bessie Koplovitz, Rebecca Katzman, Evelyn Gordon, Rose Katzman, Ethel Gordon, Abraham Gordon, Abe Katzman, Marie Gordon, Mary Rubin, George Satt, Mike Miller, Morris Kojlovitz, Bernard Koplovitz, Aaron Katzman, Ruby Gordon, Lawrence Koplovitz, Israel Koplovitz, Norman Gordon and Arthur Koplovitz.

Miss Bernice Smith and Ervin Bower went to Williamsport for a holiday visit at Mr. Bower's home there.

Miss Esther Shick of Reading, is a guest of Miss Jean Gray Allen in this city.

Mrs. I. C. Scattergood of 354 South Thirteenth street, is home from Dowagiac, Michigan, where she attended the golden wedding anniversary of her parents.

Midshipman W. Burgess Broadhurst of the Annapolis Academy, who was in town for Christmas has gone to Chicago.

William C. Duncan of Gettysburg, is a holiday guest of Charles K. Saltzman at 2225 North Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lindsay of Maine, are visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Bradford, of State street.

Mrs. George Bratton of 113 Locust street, was hostess at cards this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robbins will give a small informal dance at their home in Cottage Hill, Steelton, Saturday evening.

Miss Nannie E. Canan, in charge of the musical department at the Slippery Rock Normal School, California, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. J. Harry Steele, 444 South Thirteenth street.

Miss Miriam Cocklin of 126 Walnut street, is visiting in Bowman'sdale.

The Stackpole-Bailey Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Bailey, Jr., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Miss Frances Bailey, to Edward J. Stackpole, of this city. The announcement was made at an informal tea given in Miss Bailey's honor this afternoon by Mrs. John C. Herman, at her home, 2243 North Second street.

The guests were Miss Emily Bailey, Miss Sara Hastings, Miss Elizabeth Bailey, Miss Eleanor Clark, Miss Dora Wickert, Miss Sarah Denehy, Miss Alice Wallis, Miss Susanna Fleming, Miss Katherine Eiter, Miss Virginia King, Miss Helen Hammond, Miss Eleanor Clark, Miss Dora Wickert, Margaret Kennedy, of Chambersburg, Mrs. John Colt, of New York, and Mrs. Walter Bruce Caldwell, of Sharon.

Miss Katharine Corson and Miss Harriet Bower, of Scranton, arrived to-day to be holiday guests of the Misses Stamm, Thirteenth and Reese streets.

Specials in \$10 Silk and Cloth Dresses

Silk Poplin Dresses in neat models, wide variety of shades, worth \$10.00; special..... **\$4.75**

All Wool Serge Dresses, full length box pleated models, silk poplin collar and cuffs, embroidered belt; brown, navy, black and green, worth \$10.00; special..... **\$5.98**

IN MISS HEYBURN'S HONOR

Miss Bernice Sherk, 63 North Eighteenth street, entertained a party of girl friends in honor of Miss Mary Heyburn, daughter of Sheriff John E. Heyburn, of Delaware county. The following guests were present: The Misses Mary Wilson, Dorothy Ulrich, Mary Balletta, Catherine Hoops, Francis Hoops, Mary Heyburn, Romaine and Bernice Sherk. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lappley of 2100 North Third street, with Mr. and Mrs. John M. Lappley, of 2031 North Fourth street, leave to-morrow for Reading to spend New Year's with Mrs. Rummell.

Dr. and Mrs. John Price Jackson are home from New York where they spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Winthrop Reynolds.

Present, Charles J. Wood, Jr., of Green street, entertained informally at luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. Robert Miller of Chicago, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles H. Hunter of Cameron Extension.

Miss Annabel Swartz, teacher of elocution at Central High School, is rapidly recovering after a severe attack of rheumatism an respects to resume her school work about February 1.

Miss Ruth Gundrum of 913 North Third street, is home after a Christmas visit in Lewistown.

Miss Mary Reimensnyder has returned to Washington, D. C., after visiting her sister, Mrs. Frederic C. Martin at Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Whitten entertained informally in honor of the birth of their little son. Guests were present from New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Baltimore.

SHADLE-BOWERS WEDDING

Miss Olie Edna Bowers and Samuel Shadle, both of Homer City, Indiana county, were married at the parsonage of State Street United Brethren Church, Eighteenth and State streets, Wednesday afternoon, December 27, at 2 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. A. G. Boser. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Zellers, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Shadle will reside in Homer City.

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS BALL ANNOUNCED AT A LUNCHEON

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Emily W. Ball, daughter of Private Secretary William H. Ball, of Germantown, to Wesley Weaver Harting, of the same place, was made at a luncheon given to her at her home to-day.

STORK NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Nezza N. Williams of Kansas City, Mo., former Harrisburgers, announce the birth of a daughter, Rena Elizabeth Williams, Monday, December 4, 1916. Mrs. Williams was formerly Miss Rena Blumenstine.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Martin of 1805 Wallace street, announce the birth of a son, Richard Clayton Adolph, Tuesday, December 19, 1916. Mrs. Martin was Miss Rachel G. Kautz of Germantown, before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner D. Gayman of 614 Seneca street, announce the birth of a daughter, Louise Catharine Gayman, Tuesday, December 26, 1916. Mrs. Gayman was formerly Miss Catherine Sheaffer of Carlisle prior to her marriage.

MRS. MARTIN BUSY ON HER NEW PLAY

Author of "Erstwhile Susan" Is Now Dramatizing "Her Husband's Purse"



MRS. HELEN R. MARTIN

Mrs. Helen R. Martin, author of "Barnabeta," "Her Husband's Purse," "The Crossways," and "Tilly, the Menonite Maid," as well as various other stories of the Pennsylvania Dutch is busy dramatizing "Her Husband's Purse."

Mrs. Martin's clever novel, "Barnabeta" was dramatized last year by Marlon De Forest into "Erstwhile Susan," and with Mrs. Flske playing the title role is a most wonderful success.

Mrs. Martin is a native of Lancaster county, and is quite naturally intimately acquainted with that country, the people and their customs.

"Those Fitzingers" Appear

In an interview the author announced that her latest book, "Those Fitzingers," relative to the quaint and queer "Dutch People," will be published in the Spring, and asserted that the criticism of her characters being exaggerated is not at all plausible.

Mrs. Martin said in part: "The public has been so accustomed to my work among the folks of Lancaster county, that it would be almost impossible for me to enter any other field. Next spring my latest work in this line, "Those Fitzingers," will be published.

There have been many criticisms that the characters in "Erstwhile Susan" are exaggerated and overdrawn. As a matter of fact I underwrite rather than overwrite. I admit that I take extreme types—a type that is passing. Those who resent the type I depict are not the people themselves, because they don't read anything and do not know, perhaps of the book or the play. But it is their descendants, who have been educated, who feel that I don't do them justice.

"Every day of my life," she said, "I hear stories confirming my works by persons who formerly lived in the places of which I write, and yet I am accused by some of exaggeration."

ASSEMBLY THIS EVENING

The first assembly of the season will be held this evening in Masonic Hall with the Stauffer orchestra of Carlisle playing. The hostesses will be Mrs. Frank Payne, Mrs. Marlin E. Olmsted and Mrs. Charles L. Bailey. On the committee are Henry B. Bent, George S. Comstock, Jr., Carl B. Ely, Henderson Gilbert, Vance C. McCormick and Frank A. Robbins, Jr.

The' Dansant Saturday For the University Club

There's a great deal of interest manifested in the "The' Dansant" of the University club to-morrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock in the new clubroom, Front and Market streets. For the first time, ladies will be entertained and elaborate preparations have been made for their enjoyment. The Hildebrand is decorating and the Upedgrove orchestra will play.

Those pouring will be Mrs. Carl Willis Davis, Mrs. William Hoffer Earnest, Mrs. George B. Kunkel, Miss Anne McCormick, Mrs. George Kunkel and Mrs. Mercer B. Tate.

The patronesses are: Mrs. Edward Bailey, Mrs. George W. Bauder, Mrs. Howard M. Bingham, Mrs. Arthur Edward Brown, Mrs. Roy G. Cox, Mrs. Carl W. Davis, Mrs. J. Allan Donaldson, Mrs. F. E. Downes, Mrs. William Hoffer Earnest, Mrs. Charles E. Fager, Mrs. Robert T. Fox, Mrs. Henderson Gilbert, Mrs. George B. Kunkel, Mrs. George Kunkel, Mrs. G. L. Laverty, Miss Anne McCormick, Mrs. Lesley McCreath, Mrs. Howard M. Omwake, Mrs. Fau G. Smith, Mrs. W. P. Starkey, Mrs. Mercer B. Tate, Mrs. David E. Tracy, Mrs. John Fox Weiss.

The committee on arrangements, of which Dr. H. M. Kirkpatrick, is chairman, includes J. Allen Donaldson, Dr. George Bauder, Frank G. Roth, J. Douglas M. Royal, Ehrman B. Mitchell, Fred C. Dapp, John C. Herman, Victor B. Hauseknecht and Geo. Kunkel, Jr.

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