

BOWMAN'S PLAN BIG ALTERATIONS

Will Spend \$20,000 on Improvements Here and at Carlisle

Extensive interior alterations to the stores of Bowman & Company, Harrisburg, and the Imperial Department Store, Carlisle, will be started within the next two weeks.

The improvements will cost more than \$20,000 according to the management of the two stores, and will give additional space to departments which have been expanding rapidly.

The alterations have been contemplated for weeks. It was announced, and architects have been studying the present location of the various departments with a view to rearranging them so that all available floor space can be used.

With the closing of the men's department in the Harrisburg store one-third more space will be added to the women's apparel and house furnishings departments. These are the two where most of the alterations are to be made.

One of the features of the improvements will be the installation of another rest room and comfort station on the second floor. This will be larger than the one recently completed on the third floor when improvements were made to the store at a cost of almost \$100,000.

Additional stock and fitting rooms will be erected on the third floor which is to be used entirely for women's outer garments and millinery. Small rooms will be provided also so that each customer will have individual service.

Improvements to the Imperial Store in Carlisle will cost about \$10,000, according to present plans, and the alterations to the Harrisburg store will involve a similar expenditure.

News Items of Interest in Central Pennsylvania

Hauto.—Bert Kline, of Lansford, has secured a lease of a large tract of land fronting the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company's big dam and will convert the place into a mammoth picnic ground and bathing resort.

Little Gap.—Several herds of deer are being seen here frequently. They are believed to have made their escape from the State game preserve at Hickory Run.

Shamokin.—Discharging a shot in a breast at the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company's Sterling colliery, John Golnew stepped from a place of safety and was struck by a rock unloosened by the blast and fatally injured.

Reading.—Residents of Kutztown road, north of this city, were thrilled by the sight of a runaway street car, without crew or passengers. The car started off and ran a half mile until a steep grade stopped it.

Marketon.—Closing a three weeks' revival here at St. John's Methodist Church, the Von Bruch brothers will go to Wilkes-Barre to conduct a similar campaign.

Summit Hill.—Eli T. Connor Post, No. 17, Grand Army of the Republic, will dedicate the soldiers' memorial tablet in the Lansford new high school building on Washington's Birthday.

Williamsport.—Dr. John S. Wood, of Philadelphia; Dr. John S. Wood, of New York city, and Bishop James H. Darlington, of Harrisburg, were the speakers at the annual dinner of the laymen of the Williamsport archdiocese last night.

Economies Save \$4,755,000 to Holders of Insurance

The largest apportionment of premium abatements in the history of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company—\$4,755,000—is awarded this year, according to the sixty-ninth annual report issued by the board of trustees to-day. The sum, made possible by a lower expense ratio to income and interest gain and saving from expected mortality, is an increase of \$454,000 over last year.

An increase of \$24,259,948 in new paid-for insurance over 1915 and an addition of \$52,643,241 to the total outstanding paid-for insurance in force is shown by a resume of 1916, after deducting all expirations, withdrawals, matured endowments and death claims. Insurance protection amounted to \$102,216,505 was provided through 32,614 policies placed in force. An increase in assets of \$11,741,559 over 1915 is shown, the total assets at the end of 1916 being \$12,252,749. The volume of Penn Mutual insurance, all held by residents of this country, is guaranteed by a reserve of \$145,784,569.

The income of the company from all sources amounted to \$34,206,833, a gain over 1915 of \$2,768,185. Interest and rents yielded \$8,232,640, a \$721,354 increase over 1915. Representatives of dead members received \$7,775,163 and holders of matured endowments and annuities \$2,348,070 in 1916. The contingent reserves to provide against unusual mortality and asset fluctuations mounted to \$7,753,978. Rigid tests by certified public accountants showed that the affairs of the long-established Philadelphia institution were being carefully administered.

WILL INITIATE CLASS
West Fairview, Pa., Jan. 30.—Washington Camp, No. 713, Patriotic Order Sons of America, will initiate a class on Thursday evening at its room in Hatfield's Hall, State street. The degree team of Camp No. 713 will have charge of the floor work. This will be the third class of candidates taken into this camp in the last three months.

To-morrow, Wednesday, Will Be a Day of Big Value Giving

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"The Delicater," the world's foremost fashion magazine, is being offered this week only at a special low price at our Butterick Pattern Department. Get full details from the expert demonstrator at once.
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Worth to \$4.00, for
Lingerie, Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepes, in a good assortment of colors and styles.
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Women's and Misses' up to \$12.50 COATS For \$7.50
Women's and Misses' up to \$14.50 COATS For \$9.50
Women's and Misses' up to \$17.50 COATS For \$11.50
Women's and Misses' up to \$20.00 COATS For \$12.50
Women's and Misses' up to \$25.00 COATS For \$14.50
Women's & Misses' up to \$22.50 Plush Coats For \$16.75
Women's & Misses' up to \$27.50 Plush Coats For \$18.50

Bargain Basement Money - Saving Specials For Wednesday

Curtains Single Strip sunfast styles, attractive de- signs and col- ors. 98c	79c Sheets Size 81x90. 59c Good muslin.	19c Ticking Good width and excellent quality. 12½c	Pillow Cases 19c values; full size; ex- cellent quality. 15c	15c Gingham Fine qual- ity for dresses, all fast colors, short lengths. 12½c	Muslin and Cambric 12½c & 10c quar- ter lengths.
Clothes Lines Hand- laid; water - proof 50 ft. 25c	White, regular size; extra qual- ity. 97c	Longcloth 10-yd. pieces, 95c fine soft qual- ity.	Pillow Cases 15c good size and quality. 12½c	50c Damask Extra good quality and pretty pat- terns. 39c	Linoleum - \$1.25 values. 12½c Indic. variety of patterns. 89c
Kimono Crepe 19c value; variety of pat- terns. 12½c	Extra value; good weight; large size. \$1.25	\$3 Blankets Good value; plaid - woolnap blankets. \$2.49	15c Crepe - White for underwear; a s p l e n d i d grade. 10c	39c Towels Pure white; good, big size. 25c	29c Poplins Plain colors and mercer- ized. 19c

Extra Special Tomorrow Wednesday

Men's and Young Men's **OVERCOATS** \$7.75
Actual \$10.00 to \$13.50 Values; On Sale
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Choice of the Newest Pinch-Backs, Full Box Styles and Conservative Effects. Good, all wool, hand-
somerly tailored models, in a big variety of different fabrics; patterns black and colors; all sizes. Come,
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MEN'S PANTS AT RADICAL REDUCTIONS

Men's \$2.00 Pants, \$1.50 | Men's \$2.50 Pants, \$1.95 | Men's \$3.50 Pants, \$2.49

Will Go Without Club and Give Belgians Million
New York, Jan. 30.—The Rocky Mountain Club, on whose roster are the names of 500 of America's wealthiest mining magnates, will go without the luxurious \$1,000,000 clubhouse it has been planning to build in this city and devote the money to feeding the starving children of Belgium.

PETER MAHER IN BELLEVUE
New York, Jan. 30.—Peter Maher, once a celebrated heavyweight pugilist is an inmate of Bellevue Hospital to-day and the physicians say he is suffering from a complete physical breakdown. Maher is 47 years old. He has not appeared in the ring for several years. In his last important fight he was knocked out by Bob Fitzsimmons.

KITCHEN SHOWER FOR BRIDE
Dauphin, Pa., Jan. 30.—A kitchen shower was given on Saturday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph N. Lutz, a recently married couple, at the home of Mr. Lutz's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Lutz, in Market Square. A number of beautiful and useful gifts were presented to the young couple. The evening was spent in a social manner with vocal and instrumental music. During the evening light refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Maurey, Miss Lydia Maurey, Mrs. George Gilday and son Paul, Mrs. Grace Gilday, Miss Elizabeth Nagle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lebo and children, John and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Chester N. Smith, Mrs. Blanch Robinson, Mrs. John Howard and children, Elsie, Verna, Margaret, Ida and Lloyd, Mrs. George Swartz, Miss Sara Lyter, Miss Mina Lyter, Miss Thelma Stricker, Miss Evelyn Shatto, Miss Helen Bell, Miss Ada Bell, Miss Ethel Bell, the Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Lutz and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph N. Lutz.

Councilmanic Association May Meet Quarterly
A plan to have quarterly meetings of the Harrisburg Councilmanic Association was discussed last night at the annual meeting of the organization in Courtroom No. 2. The matter will be acted upon at the annual banquet which will be held in April.

Aucusus Wildman was elected second vice-president and William P. Denehey, first vice-president, and Cameron L. Baer became president according to the rules of the organization, succeeding Ashton D. Pearce, retiring president. R. Ross Seaman was elected secretary and C. Emmet Murray, treasurer.

Suitable resolutions will be drawn up by a special committee in honor of members who died during the last year, as follows:
Dr. John A. Fritchey, Daniel S. Seitz, E. C. Osmen, Harry P. Bowman, and John R. Schermerhorn, whose death in Denver, Col., was reported yesterday.



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