

BISHOP BERRY FOR PROHIBITION

Methodist Churchman Declares Liquor and Politics Must Be Separated

Few statements of men prominent in the life of Pennsylvania have attracted greater attention in recent days than the declaration of Bishop Joseph F. Berry, senior bishop of the Methodist Church, that liquor must get out of politics.

"I am merely repeating a well-known fact, and not at all in the spirit of boasting, when I say that I represent a church which has the largest membership among the Protestant bodies of Pennsylvania. The men of our churches are identified with different political parties, but a very large majority are Republicans.

"Among the measures which will have consideration will be the proposed constitutional prohibitory amendment. Pennsylvania is shut down, by common consent, as one of the half-dozen states in which it will be most difficult to pass this measure. I know as well as any man that if the amendment is passed it will be only after a struggle with the immense commercial and political power of the liquor interest.

"Can any intelligent observer of public events fail to see that the liquor issue is the coming big issue of the republic? Can any careful student fail to see that the issue projected by the constitutional amendment is to be one of the chief issues in the next presidential campaign? Prohibition can no longer be said to be the fad of preachers and fanatics.

"I have never had much to do with politics, and would not be greatly concerned now if the Federal Government had not sent down for the vote of the people a great moral problem. That problem is so vital to every interest of the Commonwealth that no religious leader can afford to ignore it.

"I am, therefore, committed body, brain and soul to the task of helping to rid Pennsylvania from liquor control. And I ask that the dominant political party, of which I am a humble adherent, shall give us in the next Legislature a body of men who shall embody not only the highest ideals of personal character and conduct, but who shall respond to the reasonable demands of the people on this greatest economic and moral issue of our time.

"Pennsylvania will not always consent to be boss-ruled, especially when that rule represents all that is reactionary and bad in politics. Rum has ruled the politicians who have ruled the people. The hour has struck for the people to speak."

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New trunk and bag department located in the basement

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Bleached Sheeting Bleached "Pequot" sheeting—100 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, 69c

Knitting Bags Cretonne Knitting bags in assorted colorings. Friday sale, each 29c

Turkish Towels Turkish towels—initials embroidered in blue—not all initials. Friday sale, each 25c

Friday Sales in the House Furnishing Basement

- Large gas heater—made of Russian iron with copper reflector; skirt guard. Friday sale, \$8.98
25-lb white flour bin and sifter—slightly soiled. Friday sale, \$1.50
25-lb. Savory flour cannisters—slightly soiled. Friday sale, \$1.00
Oyster or French potato fryers with wire basket. Friday sale, 75c
15 piece decorated Japanese china tea sets. Friday sale, \$1.75
Rich decorated Pottery Umbrella jars. Friday sale, \$3.50
Glass flower vase inserted in brass holder. Friday sale, 50c
Pottery jardiniere—rustic effect. Friday sale, 35c
Cereal sets—consisting of 6 cereal jars, 6 spice jars, 1 salt box, 1 vinegar bottle, 1 oil bottle. Friday sale, \$4.98
Knife boxes made of rattan. Friday sale, 50c
Hanging match boxes—will hold a large box of matches. Friday sale, 7c
Sewing table—folding with yard measurement. Friday sale, 98c

Silks Bedding figured cotton back satin and brocades—36 inches wide—five designs. Friday sale, yard, 89c
White corduroy—heavy wale—36 inches wide—limited quantity. Friday sale, yard, 69c
Black velour plush—36 inches wide—suitable for coats or suits. Friday sale, yard, 95c
Black Jersey Silk—40 inches wide—Friday sale, yard, \$1.65

Dress Goods and Linings A. B. C. foundation silk floral and stripe design—36 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, 45c
Fancy suitings or skirtings—stripes or plaids—40 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, 89c
Silk and wool poplin—white, black and colors—40 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, \$1.39

Women's Kid Gloves A collection of women's French kid gloves, comprising the following:
—Odd gloves—ends of lines—some menders.
—16-button white and 2 clasp white and black with contrasting embroidery backs.
—2-clasp and 12 and 16-button black kid.
Sizes in the grouping—5 1/4 to 7, but not all sizes of each kind. Friday sale, pair, 95c

Fur Collars Coney fur collars in black and brown. Friday sale, \$2.25

Laces Cluny laces—3 or 5 inches wide—white only. Friday sale, yard, 17c

Khaki Novelties at Half Price Closing out an assortment of Khaki novelties at half former prices. Cigarette cases, tobacco pouches, stationery outfits, shaving sets, military brushes, sewing kits. A chance to save for the soldier boys. BOWMAN'S—Main Floor.

No half way or half hearted low price making in this memorable 5 day's selling. It's the combination of dependable qualities and low prices that attract the throngs to this

Annual Pre-Inventory Clearaway And now you thrifty take heed! Do not permit anything to keep you away from this store tomorrow...

Bargain Day Friday

While every department from top to bottom of the store presents a scene of thrift opportunities—with the reduced price goods on display, and plainly ticketed—yet in addition, tomorrow will be featured extra special Friday offerings designated with distinctive green price cards.

Will You Profit by These Bargains?

White Skirts White skirts—fine grade cotton, with ruffle of six inch embroidery. Friday sale, 45c

Men's and Women's Japanese Slippers Men's and women's Japanese straw slippers—limited quantity. Friday sale, pair, 19c

Petticoats Sateen petticoats in floral designs and black. Friday sale, 79c

White Goods White madras shirting—a variety of desirable stripes—36 inches wide. Friday sale, yd, 19c

Embroidery Pieces Closing out embroidery pieces that are soiled from counter handling. Friday sale, 69c

Embroidery Embroidery edges—2 to 4 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, 5c

Men's Shirts A clean-up of odd lots of men's negligee shirts—made of percale—soft cuffs—some counter soiled. Friday sale, 59c

White Goods White mercerized poplin—27 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, 25c

Friday Wall Paper Special

Embroidery Edges—2 to 4 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, 9c

2500 Yards of 39-inch White Voile at Only 17c a Yard A good, evenly woven quality; way below regular price—has tape selvage, which enables it to be used for curtains as well as for dress purposes. BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

Lot of attractive wall papers for bed room, kitchens, halls and bath rooms—10 rolls of side wall paper, 20 yards of cut-out border. Friday sale, \$1.50

Children's Scarf and Cap Sets Scarf and cap sets for small children—brush angora and felt—colors, gray, green, red, blue, rose. Friday sale, 25c

Bed Spreads Two important offerings of high quality spreads at special prices: Size 74x86 inches, \$1.25; Size 80x90 inches, \$1.75

Children's Dresses Girls' Gingham dresses—large and small plaid—white pique collar or plain chambray trimming—six to fourteen years. Friday sale, 95c

Curtains Closing out a lot of marquisette and net curtains—2 1/2 yards long—white, ivory and ecru—at half former prices. BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

Children's Scarf and Cap Sets Scarf and cap sets for small children—brush angora and felt—colors, gray, green, red, blue, rose. Friday sale, 25c

Men's Hosiery Men's silk hose—Manufacturers' samples black, white and colors—double soles—high spliced heels. Friday sale, pair, 35c

Children's Dresses in blue serge or black and white shepherd check—sizes 6 to 8 years. Friday sale, \$1.75

A Nine O'clock Waist Sale at 49c A limited grouping of Women's Black Soisette and Sateen Waists. Can be worn high or low neck. BOWMAN'S—Main Floor.

Gowns Odd lot muslin gowns—lace or embroidery trimmed—square or low neck—short sleeves. Friday sale, 75c

Women's Union Suits Women's bleached cotton union suits—medium and light weights—long sleeves—ankle length. Friday sale, 69c

Women's Bath Robes Women's corduroy bath robes and kimonos in colors rose, copenhagen and lavender. Friday sale, \$1.89

Brassieres Brassieres—an excellent quality of cotton, tastefully trimmed back and front. Friday sale, 35c

Corsets Front lace corsets—made of coutil—ventilated back—strong hose supporters—rubber gore in back. Friday sale, 95c

Women's Hosiery Women's thread silk stockings—seamless, double soles, wide garter tops—black, white and colors. Friday sale, pair, 69c

A Two Day Cleanup Sale of Wavy Switches The higher cost switches are included in this sale. 26 inch lengths—all shades except gray. two day price, \$2.25

Scarfs Odd scarfs with lace trimming—three sizes—18x36 inches—18x45 inches—18x54 inches—assorted patterns. Friday sale, 59c

Cretonne Heavy dark cretonne in small and large pattern. Friday sale, yard, 28c

Thrift stamps sold at the information desk, street floor, and at the fourth floor main office.

Couch Covers Roman stripe couch covers with fringed edge. Friday sale, \$1.00

Comfort Cretonne Cretonne for comfort covering—36 inches wide. Friday sale, yard, 16c

The Rug Sale a Wonderful Occasion For Saving Money

Scores are anticipating their rug needs in advance and profiting by the low prices quoted on the most reliable floor coverings.

An Extra Special Offering For Friday

Extra heavy, closely woven axminster rugs in floral all-over and medallion patterns—9x12 ft.—slightly mismatched—nothing to hurt the wear. Friday sale, \$18.50

Lunch Cloths and Napkins Mercerized napkins—size 18x18. Friday sale, dozen, \$1.50

Toweling Linen crash—brown. Friday sale, yard, 13c

Curtain Scrim White figured curtain scrim in small and large designs. Friday sale, yard, \$1.00

Women's Shoes Women's gun metal and patent colt button and lace shoes—regular height—high and low heels. Friday sale, pair, \$1.75

Sale of Silk Lace Waists An offering Friday of silk lace waists in colors flesh, navy, taupe, black, white and gray—lined with chiffon—trimmings consist of ribbon, beads and ties—sizes 36 to 46. Friday sale, less than half former price, \$2.69

Clearing Out the Odd Pieces of Furniture A wealth of saving chances for the home-maker here now—The following are extra for Friday

Reed settee—upholstered in good grade tapestry—seat cushion and back—one only. Friday sale, \$21.75

Jacobean oak living chair—upholstered seats of tapestry—only three in the lot. Friday sale, each, \$5.00

Two piece combination offer. Indian gray bed, full size Indian gray dresser. Friday sale, both pieces, \$28.75

Two piece old ivory suite. Full size bed Triple mirror dressing table. Friday sale, both pieces, \$22.75