



CALL 1991-ANY PHONE. FOUNDED 1871 **Bowman's** HARRISBURG'S POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

This Store Will Close at 6 P. M. on December 24th So Everyone May Spend Christmas at Home

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A Great Gift Store Full of Great Gift Things

Japanese Quilted Robes of Habutai Silk at \$6.98

Black, navy, Copenhagen, green. Imported Habutai silk outside, and Jap silk lining throughout. Full length and cut in generous widths. Quilted with good white cotton—neat workmanship, as only the cunning Jap can do. Can you imagine anything more useful for a Christmas present for wife, mother or sister than one of these "comfy" robes? Full length sleeves.



Beautiful Dresses For Gifts

A maker of party dresses who has a reputation for the smartness of his models offered us his traveler's samples last week. As a rule, at this season, we are not interested in such things, but these were so dainty and pretty that they were hard to resist—especially at the prices he was willing to sell them at. Off they go to-morrow, and if one dress is left when the store closes we'll be disappointed. Prices to-morrow will be

\$8.98-\$9.98-\$10.98 and \$12.50

They are spic and span—new—fresh. Dainty creations of lace, net, chiffon and satin. Sizes from misses' 14 to women's 42. These dresses were made to sell at \$18.50 to \$25.00.

Silk Petticoats For Wearing With Party and Evening Dresses

Crepe de chine, brocades and fancy weave silks. Trimmed with pretty laces and hand embroidered flowers. In white, pink, light blue, mauve, Nile and helio. Not one in the lot that was less than \$5.00—many were considerably higher. Special at **\$2.98**

Women's and Misses' Bath Robes at \$1.98—Value \$3.00

Just fifty in the lot. They'll be gone with the first fifty gift seekers. All to 44; and a big assortment of styles and colors.

Kloset Petticoats—Messaline and Jersey Silk

The topnotch of excellence in petticoats. The label is an assurance of quality. Hundreds of them have arrived here in the past week—probably a greater variety than you'll find elsewhere. And the price is the same here or in Maine. Always **\$5.00**

Other Messaline and Jersey Silk Petticoats at **\$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98**



Here in the Muslin Wear Department are Pretty Gift Things :-:

Dainty Camisoles of lace, crepe de chine and all-over embroidery; trimmed with pink, blue and lavender ribbons and chiffon flowers. Prices .. **75c to \$3.50**

Dressing Sacques of percale, in gray and blue with neat figures of white; all sizes. Prices **39c to 59c**

Women's Drawers of nainsook and cambric, in straight, circular or knickerbocker styles; open and closed; lace, embroidery and ribbon trimmed; all sizes. Priced at **19c to \$1.98**

Combinations of sheer nainsook, lace and showy, some princess models, others drawn at waist line; all sizes. Prices are **59c to \$4.98**

Gowns, made of muslin and nainsook; low and high necks; daintily trimmed with lace, embroidery and ribbon, at **50c to \$5.00**

White Petticoats, nainsook, cambric and sateen, plain with scalloped hem, and trimmed with fine lace, embroidery insertion and medallions. Priced at **49c to \$5.98**

Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Practical Gifts—These Warm Flannelette Garments

Flannelette Dressing Sacques, in light and dark colors; plaited front and turn-over collars; sizes 36 to 44, at **50c to 59c**

Extra Size Flannelette Dressing Sacques, pretty patterns in gray; sizes 46 to 50, at **59c**

Flannelette Dressing Sacques in lavender, pink, light blue and gray; prettily trimmed with ribbon; boxed in holly boxes; all sizes; at **98c**

Flannelette Gowns, pink, blue and gray stripes; double yokes; trimmed with colored braid; turn-over collars or collarless. Prices **50c to \$1.50**

Flannelette Petticoats, pink and blue stripes; embroidered or with scalloped hem; buttonhole stitch finish, or with ruffle. Prices **25c to 79c**

Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Timely Needs in Draperies

Sunfast Curtains—with and without valance; for window or door. Would make choice Christmas gifts. Come in rose, brown, blue and green, **\$3.75 to \$5.00** pair. Also Sunfast material for making curtains, 31 to 50 inches wide, yard **40c to \$1.25**

Plain and fancy openwork bordered scrim, voile and marquisette for window and door hangings, yard **18c to 50c**

Cretonnes, Repts, Taffetas and Crafter Cloth for window and door draperies, cushions, boxes, fancy bags, laundry bags, chairs and furniture coverings, yard **16c to 50c**

Colored Border Scrim, Voiles and Marquisesettes for window and door curtains, yard **17c to 55c**

Laces for window curtains, door panels and transoms; with finished edges, at, yard **50c and 55c**

Couch Covers and Table Covers—Roman stripes and floral designs. Prices are **69c, \$1.25, \$1.75 to \$3.98**

Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S.

All Aboard!

First stop, Toy Department. Until Christmas, one of the new elevators, the "Express" will go between Main Floor and Toy Department, only so no delay will be met with. The "local" will connect all floors

There are many advantages in opening a charge account here. We solicit accounts with responsible people.

Cedar and Matting Boxes—Styles For Women and Men

You can do no better than consider one of these handsome boxes. They're here in various styles and sizes. Some have trays. Matting boxes are stripped with bamboo having feet, castors and handles. Cedar boxes are well finished, plain and with brass trimmings.

Priced at **\$2.25 to \$17.00**

Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Women's and Growing Girls' Storm Shoes Special at \$3.50

Good, sturdy shoes; high cut—superior quality. In tan. Value \$5.00.

Women's Spats—overgaiters; black cloth; at **25c**. Very fine grade at **50c**

Women's and Children's Black Jersey Leggings—knee lengths. Women's **75c**; Misses', **60c**, and children's **50c**

Third Floor—BOWMAN'S.



And We'll Help the Children Be Santa to You

Where is there a little boy or girl who has not wanted to play Santa to papa and mamma, and give THEM a gift.

This store is brimful of little things that the children could buy, and gifts that any parent would delight in receiving.

We invite the little folks to this store where they are sure of receiving the same consideration as grown folks.

A Beautiful Picture Will Lend Ease to the Giving

No need to fear the receiver will not appreciate it. And have you ever noticed what a difference one or two good pictures make in a room? Pictures that beautify and brighten the home—that one never tires of seeing. Pictures that tell a story of some historic time or event—that speak a universal language easily read and understood by all—of such we are showing a choice collection.

Pictures at 25c and 35c

One section devoted to pictures that sell from **25c to 35c**. Here you will find religious, scenery, fruit, children, comic and marine. All in attractive frames.

Genuine Oil Paintings—beautiful subjects, for parlor or livingroom. Priced from **\$1.69 to \$6.00**

Pastel, scenery, fruit and game pictures, at **\$2.89 to \$3.89**

Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S.



Gift Suggestions For the Home—Lace Curtains

Long winter evenings in the house will be greatly enjoyed if the home presents an air of coziness.

Here are just the sort of lace curtains that WILL make the home cozy, and we suggest them for gifts.

Handsome styles, 3 yards long, of fine quality laces. Mostly plain centers, and striking border designs. Priced at **\$2.00 to \$4.00** pair

A number of lace curtains are selling special at **\$1.35, \$1.85, \$2.17 to \$2.67** pair.

Voile and marquisette curtains, **49c to \$5.00** pair

Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S.

SILVERWARE

The Gift of Distinction

The name "Rogers, 1847" is a guarantee of quality, and each piece carries our own guarantee.

We are featuring most everything in silverware, and in the above brand, that folks would think of giving—sets and individual pieces.

A beautiful 26-piece set — plated and guaranteed—including half dozen each, of tea and table spoons, knives and forks, also butter knife. Comes in attractive silk-lined box. Priced at **\$5.98**

Individual pieces include knives, forks, spoons, oyster forks, salad forks, meat forks, pickle forks, desert forks, ladies, berry spoons, pie servers, cheese knives, bouillon spoons, butter knives and others.

Lower-priced silverware is also well represented, in up to the minute ideas.

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Chill Christmas Blasts Bring to Mind the Need of Furs

Old Santa, too, is taking a peep at most gift lists, for he knows the merits of such a gift. You may feel satisfied that a set of handsome furs will long carry the memory and thoughtfulness of the giver.

First step in purchasing furs, however, is the reputation of the stock, and the variety of styles and skins.

If you were to visit the largest cities of the East, in each one, you would find that the largest and most comprehensive stocks (in which quality demands first consideration) is duplicated right here in our Fur Department.

This comes of our relations with one of the largest furriers, who makes all his own sets, and who takes a personal interest in every fur department where his stock is represented.

Genuine Black Fox Sets, with double and single animal scarfs; large pillow, Empire or barrel muffs; beautifully lined at **\$25.00 to \$45.00**

Genuine Red Fox Sets—animal scarf, large trimmed muff, at **\$15.00**

Gray Fox Sets—large muff and scarf; beautifully marked. Special, at **\$20.00**

Black Coney Sets in new models; pillow, empire and barrel muffs; tie and animal effect scarfs. Priced from **\$5.00 to \$15.00**

Quite showy is the stock of Sable and Mink sets; also Hudson and near seal, with fitch and mole combinations. At Unusually low prices.

One of the largest lines of Children's and Misses' furs to be seen anywhere, priced from **\$1.50 to \$2.50** and up to **\$10.**

Second Floor—BOWMAN'S.



Fur Coats

Russian Pony Skin Coats, short length, flare back, with tiger collar. Priced at **\$32.00**

Plain Russian Pony skin Coat, lined in satin; full length. Special at **\$38.00**

Near Seal Coat, new short model, with squirrel collar, beautifully lined. Priced at **\$55.00**

Marmot Coats — one of the best furs for good wear; splendid for motor-ing. Prices **\$45.00 to \$55.00**