

The Meier & Frank Store

Children

Call Up Santa Claus on the phone

Ask for Santa Claus, Exchange 4, and the Pacific States Telephone Co., will place you in direct communication with old Kris Kringle on the 3rd floor, commencing at 2:30 this afternoon. You can tell him what you want for Christmas. Phone him your lists and save the trouble of writing. A revelation to all children of the real Santa Claus. A great pleasure for all the little ones.

COME TO THE TOY STORE AND SEE Santa Claus AT THE PHONE

GET ALASKA TRADE

L. C. Dillman's Advice to the Portland Business Men.

DEVELOPMENT ONLY BEGUN

Owner of Rich Mining Properties Declares There Is Enough Business in Alaska to Keep All the Coast Cities Alive.

L. C. Dillman, who is known among mining men as having sold several of the largest Alaskan properties to Eastern capitalists, is a guest at the Hotel Portland for a few days. For many years Mr. Dillman resided in Spokane where he was probably the largest real estate operator in the State of Washington. He now has his office in Seattle, where it is more convenient for him to look after his mining interests.

Mr. Dillman has very pronounced views on the subject of Portland making an effort to secure a part of the Alaskan trade, which he says can be had by the business men of this city if they will only reach out and take it. Being heavily interested in Alaska and having a large acquaintance among the prominent mining men who operate in that section, Mr. Dillman is thoroughly conversant with the situation.

Development Only Begun.

"The development of Alaska might be compared to only a scratch on the surface to that which will follow in a few years," said Mr. Dillman at the Hotel Portland last night. "The men who are interested there look with favor upon Portland, and it only remains for the business men of this city to make an effort to secure that which they are entitled to. Every city on the coast should get up enough energy to help develop the country, to which Nature has been so kind, and business will surely follow. Seattle, San Francisco, Tacoma and Victoria all get Alaskan trade and there is no reason why Portland should not get her share. If a line of steamers should be started between Portland and Alaska it would be a paying business within a year, in my opinion. Now is the time to get in on the ground floor. There will be enough business for all the cities. The longer the delay the more difficult it will be to get in."

Great Copper Properties.

"There is as much copper in Alaska that more millions will be made out of it than in all the copper mining that has preceded it," said Mr. Dillman when asked about the Copper River district. "There will be enough business developed within the next few years to support all the cities on the coast even if they are ten times as large as they are now. Two railroads are building into the Copper River district now, but there is more copper in sight than they can haul out for several years after they are completed. It will not be long before Alaska will regulate the copper market. The copper output will also outrank that of the gold. Copper is so plentiful that thousands of tons are to be found along the coast in nuggets, having rolled down from the hills. Some of the nuggets weigh from ten to 12 tons. The Bonanza property, which is owned by New York, sunk a shaft 50 feet with a ten-foot cut, encountering a 100-foot ledge of copper ore. It is 60 per cent copper and gives about \$20 to the ton in gold. The mineral richness of the copper region is almost marvelous, and when I tell persons about the extent of the deposits it is hard for them to believe."

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY.

100 Pairs of Pants at Cost.

Today we will sell a lot of 100 pairs of a good quality worsted pants at the great special price of \$2.86 the pair; the pants are fully worth the regular price of \$4.30. Samples are shown today in our window. This is in addition to our great sale of men's suits, in which we give the pick and choice of any suit in the store for only \$12.50. Brownsville Woolen Mill Store, Third and Stark streets.

Appropriation for Russian Jews.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—An appeal to President Roosevelt to recommend a National appropriation to be made by Congress for the relief of Jewish victims of Russian mob violence was adopted yesterday at the union Thanksgiving services at Abraham Lincoln center. Representatives of the Unitarian, Universalist, Independent and Jewish churches were present.

Santa Claus Arrives at Meier & Frank's Store

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This Afternoon 2:30; Bring the Children

Old Nick himself will welcome you to Portland's greatest "Toyland" today—The same hale and hearty old fellow that was here last year—Bring the little ones to see him—His jolly disposition and pleasant manners will be a treat for them—He will take orders and instructions and never disappoints his little friends—Arrange to come early so you can be here when he arrives—On Third Floor

Our Opening Sale of Toys, Dolls, Games, Coasters, Etc.

An acre of Toys and playthings gathered from every civilized country on the globe, by far Portland's greatest showing of Holiday wares to make young hearts happy—New toys, instructive toys, mechanical toys, iron toys, wooden toys, wagons, coasters, sleds, and last but not least, the doll show; thousands of beauties, every nationality, blondes and brunettes, every size, every grade—Holiday goods purchased now, carefully packed and stored free of charge and delivered when desired—Shop early, avoid the crowds



No. 819—Sale Price...\$1.29
No. 900—Sale Price...\$3.59
No. 830—Sale Price...\$10c
No. 836—Sale Price...39c
No. 838—Flexible Flyer...\$3.00
No. 805—Sale Price...39c
No. 664—Each...19c
No. 721—Sale Price...39c
No. 725—Sale Price...19c
No. 17—Sale Price...39c
No. 904—Sale Price...\$7.85
No. 616...\$2.29
No. 757—Sale Price...\$1.23
No. 714—Each...19c
No. 813—Sale Price...\$1.23
No. 610—Sale Price...79c
No. 867—Sale Price...79c

Toy Department--3rd Floor

No. 891—Sale Price...99c
No. 673—19c
No. 676—19c
No. 668—19c
No. 784—Sale Price...99c
No. 792—Sale Price...\$1.23
No. 790—Sale Price, each...19c
No. 819—Humpty Dumpty Circus, clown, elephant, ladder, chair and barrel; regular \$1.50 set on sale for...\$1.29
No. 17—Buster Brown Rubber Stamps; reg. 50c size set...39c
No. 714—Metalophone, same as cut; 25c set for...19c
No. 891—Favorite Toolbox for boys, wood box and novelty tray, dandy set; regular \$1.25 value...99c
No. 900—Tricycle, mechanically perfect, easy running, shaped seat, handsomely enameled, seat plush covered; great spec. val...\$3.59
No. 805—Iron Engine, coaler and coach; 50c value...39c
No. 904—"Willamette" Tandem Handcar, 69 inches long, 23 inches wide; heavy rubber-tired wheels, 12 and 16-inch, easy running, best exercise for the little fellows; special today at...\$7.85
No. 813—Mechanical Train on track, key wind, perfect in every particular; regular \$1.50 value for...\$1.23
No. 673—Mechanical Auto—riding uncle—rubber-tired wheels, flag raises, umbrella turns; great value...19c
No. 676—Toot-toot Auto, rubber-tired wheels, man blows the horn, key wind; 25c value on sale for...19c
No. 668—The Naughty boy Auto, key wind; 25c value for...19c
No. 664—Cab Auto of tin, rubber tires; great value at...19c
No. 836—Game "Fascination"; regular 50c value for...39c
No. 616—Child's Morris Chair; great special value at...\$2.29
No. 784—Mechanical Yacht, key wind with sails; regular \$1.25 value on sale today at...99c
No. 839—The flexible Flyer Sled that steers; we are sole Portland agents for them; this model...\$3.00
No. 757—Steam Engine, brass boiler, stationary water gauge, whistle and safety valve; a very complete and practical toy; great special value at...\$1.23
No. 610—Laundry Set, consisting of table, tubs, washboard and wringer; great special value at, set...79c
No. 792—\$1.50 Fire Patrol of iron, 3 firemen and driver...\$1.23
No. 790—City Express-wagon, full of barrels; 25c value...19c
No. 867—Dog Trick Bank; regular \$1.00 value for...79c
No. 729—Nickel Cornet, seven keys; 25c value...19c
No. 721—Race Chime; regular 50c toy for, each...39c

<h3>50c HOSIERY, 6 PAIRS FOR \$2.00</h3> <p>Women's black imported cotton Hosiery, Hermsdorf dye, double sole, high-spined heel, heavy medium and light weight; all sizes. Best 25-cent values on sale today only at 6 pairs for...\$2.00 Women's ribbed cashmere Hosiery, medium, gray heel and toe; all sizes. Best 50c values at 6 pairs for...\$2.00 Children's cashmere Hosiery, heavy weight, 1st rib and 2nd rib, double knee and sole; 50c values at 6 pairs for...\$2.00 Very fine grade of heavy imported Lisle Hosiery for misses and boys, sizes 10 to 5. Regular 50c value at 6 pairs for...\$2.00 Children's Umbrellas in fine grade white tulle covering; also linen materials, steel frame and red, natural wood or ornamental handles, all sizes; great assortment to select from at prices from...\$1.50 to \$2.50</p>	<h3>500 WHITE FUR RUGS AT \$1.79 EACH</h3> <p>Great special holiday sale of 500 white Fur Rugs, 35x55 inches in size. A rug suitable for many purposes and that also makes a pleasing holiday gift. Regular \$2.50 value for, each...\$1.79 Remnants of Tapestry, 24 inches square, suitable for pillow tops and center pieces. Values ranging from 50c to \$1.50 each. On sale at \$1.00 prices from, each 25c to 50c...\$1.00 Immense new line of Kilmarno Silks in beautiful patterns and colors. Lingerie. Prettiest styles ever shown. 75c in...\$1.00 Custom shade and drapery work our specialty. The best materials and workmanship. Lowest prices guaranteed. Let us figure on your next work. Third Floor. Immense showing of fancy silk, velvet, plush, velour and tapestry Pillows. Very handsome styles in great assortment and at the very lowest prices.</p>	<h3>WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR SPECIAL</h3> <p>Women's heavy ribbed Munsing wool Union Suits, button across the breast; beautifully made and finished; all sizes. The...\$1.59 Best 1.50 values on sale for...\$1.17 Women's fine ribbed black wool Tights, ankle or full length; our best 1.50 values on sale for...\$1.17 "Harvard Mills" fine ribbed silk and wool Vests and Tights for women; white only; silk finished; all sizes. The best 1.50 under-wear on the market. Sale price...\$1.59 Children's ribbed cotton Union Suits, drop seat, gray only, sizes 2 to 14 years; solid made and finished; perfect fitting garments...39c Our stock of Winter Underwear for women and children is complete in every detail; all styles and grades for old and young and best values.</p>
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Misses' and Children's Apparel

Children's Plush Coats, in red, blue, castor, green and brown, double-breasted, button trimmed, lined throughout, ages 2 to 6 years, very best styles shown this season; regular \$5.50 values for...\$3.65
Regular \$6.50 and \$7.50 values reduced to, each...\$4.85
Children's Mackintoshes, in navy blue with shoulder cape, ages 6 to 14 years, all grades at greatly reduced prices...\$2.75 values...\$1.98 \$3.25 values...\$2.22 \$4.00 values...\$2.85
Misses' and children's Coats of cheviot, broadcloth and fancy mixtures, in red, navy, brown, tan, green, fancy and mannish styles, all new up-to-date garments, ages 6 to 14 years; \$6 and \$6.50 values...\$4.85
\$8.50-\$9 values...\$6.45 \$10-\$12 values...\$8.65 \$18 values...\$12.85
Children's full-length Coats of blue cheviot, military cape, velvet piping and brass button trimmed, ages 6 to 14 years; \$4.50 values...\$2.95
Children's tan and oxford Raincoats, best styles; \$10 values...\$7.45

Holiday Sale of Handkerchiefs

Women's unbleached hand-embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs, in plain and corded effects; regular 15c and 20c values on sale for, each...14c
Women's Swiss embroidered Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and scalloped edges, all new patterns; 25c values for...14c
Grand assortment of women's hemstitched and scalloped Handkerchiefs, with embroidered designs in corners; regular 15c and 20c values for...14c
Beautiful new holiday Handkerchiefs of every description; new Armenian handkerchiefs, Madeira embroidered handkerchiefs, dainty bordered-linen handkerchiefs, Irish point and duchess lace handkerchiefs, Bruges lace handkerchiefs...21c

\$22.50 Suits for \$16.85

\$22.50 Overcoats \$16.85

Men's fine grade all-wool \$22.50 suits, in gray worsted chevots, fancy tweeds, black Tibets, beautifully made clothing from America's leading tailors, hand-made button holes, hand-felled collar, fine serge lining...\$16.85
Men's \$22.50 Priestley's Cravenetted Overcoats, in fancy tweeds and fancy mixed chevots, 52 inches long, with or without belts, well made and finished; \$22.50 values...\$16.85
500 men's soft Hats, in college shades, leading colors, bronze, nubian, alum, maltose, black and tan, all sizes; great value at...\$2.15
Men's and boys' Caps, middy, auto and Eton styles, various colors and fancy mixtures; great values at...50c AND UPWARD.

Men's Furnishing Goods Spec'ls

Men's best quality wool Sox, in camelshair, vicuna and natural wool; the regular 25c and 35c values on sale today at 3 pairs for...17c
50c; single pair...19c
Men's and boys' wool Gloves, in maroon, black and navy, all sizes; extra special value today at, pair...19c
Men's 25c pure linen Handkerchiefs, 1/4 and 1/2-inch hems; greatest value in town at 3 pairs for 50c; single pair...17c
Men's \$1.50 Golf Shirts of best quality madras, new patterns, light and dark colorings, stripes and figures, all sizes; great special value today at...98c
Men's 50c lisle and web Suspenders, new patterns, kid ends, reinforced; remarkable value today at...25c
Men's \$2.00 rainproof Umbrellas, gloria silk covering, steel rod and paragon frame; guaranteed umbrellas at...\$1.59

A HOLIDAY SALE OF Lace Waists

Great special lot of fine lace Waists in white and cream, fancy yokes trimmed in heavy lace, silk lined, very pretty styles and extraordinary value at the low price of...\$4.95
Women's fine wool Waists in all-battos and anuvelling, prettily made and trimmed, all sizes, regular \$5 to \$7 values on sale today at this low price of, each...\$4.95

UNDERMUSLINS

Women's fine lawn and nainsook Corset Covers trimmed in dainty val laces, insertions, headings and ribbons; also dainty embroidered; regular \$1.50 to \$2.98 \$1.50 values at...\$2.98
Women's fine nainsook and cambric Drawers trimmed in dainty wide-embroidery, lace and insertion and clusters of fine laces, regular \$1.75 values at...\$1.19
Special lot of women's fine cambric Skirts, trimmed in dainty embroidered, lace, tucks and insertions; grandest white petticoat bargains of the year; regular \$1.50 to \$1.11 values...\$6.89
Special lot of women's hand-made Chemise, dainty hand-embroidered 6c...\$4.98

Ribbons 21c Yd.

Great sale today of 2000 yards of beautiful French Paile Ribbons, full 1 1/2 inches wide, complete assortment of colors, including brown, maroon, cardinal, Alice blue, Yale blue, light blue, pink, old rose, white, cream, powder, mauve, etc.; just the ribbon for holiday fancy work; regular 21c value, yard...21c
The largest stock of narrow and wide fancy Ribbons for holiday fancy work.