

The Meier & Frank Store's 864th Friday Surprise Sale

750 Women's Shirtwaist Suits \$3.50-\$3.75 Vals. 98c



There'll be great excitement today over these Wash Suits—Judging from the number of inquiries yesterday they won't last through the day, so if you want one, better hurry along—750 in the lot—All new styles—The best product of one of the largest manufacturers in New York City—He preferred the cash to the merchandise—We accomodated him—Of course, we profited by the transaction; so will you—Plain and fancy materials—Fancy checks and mixtures—Great assortment including Valenciennes lace yokes, college blouse styles and novelty effects—Also plain and plaited shirtwaist effects—Skirts to match—College blouse suits are in plain colors, finished with white braids—Skirts are made very full, plain, gored, circular and kilted effects—Self-straped and button trimmed—White, cadet blue, light blue, green, pink, fancy checks and mixtures—All sizes—Suits selling regularly at \$3.50 and \$3.75 each—Your choice today while they last at the phenomenally low price of, per suit..... 98c

See Fifth-Street Window Display No Mail or Phone Orders Will Be Filled

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1000 New Shirtwaists \$3-\$3.50 Vals. \$1.28 Ea.

Today's exceptional value in women's fine white Waists cannot fail to attract scores of eager buyers to the second floor—1000 dainty, clean, fresh Waists at a ridiculously low price—Made of sheer white lawns, plain tucked and pretty effects in allover embroideries—Front and yoke of tucks and lace insertion—Short sleeves—Very large assortment of beautiful styles—Waists we sold thousands of the past six months at \$3.00 and \$3.50 each—Your choice of this special lot today at the wonderfully low price of \$1.28

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Our Entire Remaining Stock of Fine Cotton Waists, Values Up To \$65.00 Each, On Sale at Prices Far Below Cost All Wash Suits at Greatly Reduced Prices



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\$2.75, \$3.00 Couch Covers \$1.79

Today in the Drapery Department, Third Floor, we place on sale 500 Oriental Tapestry Couch Covers; made of heavy double-faced material, fringed all around—patterns taken from Oriental Rugs and Bagdad Curtains; attractive colorings and combinations; very large variety; size 60 inches wide by 3 yards long; 15 patterns to select from; \$2.75 and \$3.00 values, on sale at, \$1.79 See Fifth-Street Window Display.—No mail or phone orders filled.

Book News

SPECIAL 50c BOOKS

"A Man's Woman," "Bliz," "Leopard's Spots," "The Pit," "Man on the Box," "Deal in Wheat," and others. Oregon Views—Mt. Hood, \$5c Home Queen Cook Books, \$50c All latest fiction at lowest prices.

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\$1.00 "Spachtel" Goods 42c Each

Today's great Surprise Sale of "Spachtel" Goods should interest every housekeeper in town; 1000 pieces to select from; Swiss and Net Scarfs and Shams, appliqued and cut work novelties in hand-some scroll designs; hemstitched and scalloped edges; very large assortment; values up to \$1.00 each, on sale today at this exceptionally low price, \$1.28 See Fifth-Street Window Display.—No Mail or Phone Orders Filled.

MEIER & FRANK'S 864TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALE

Men's Blue Serge Suits At Half Reg. Prices



Great Friday Surprise Sale of Men's Blue Serge Suits at one-half their value—The blue serge is the most staple of men's apparel—Suitable for dress or business wear—Three great lines in this offering—Well made and finished throughout—Hand-padded shoulders, hand-felled collars—Single or double-breasted styles—Perfect fit guaranteed—Sizes for men and young men—The best suit bargain in town—Look to your needs and profit by these grand values

\$10.00 Blue Suits at \$5.00 \$12.50 Blue Suits at \$6.25 \$15.00 Blue Suits at \$7.50

Our entire stock of Men's 2-Piece Outing Suits at One-Half Price. All 3-Piece Summer Suits at very low prices. Entire stock of Boys' Wash Suits at One-Half Price.

Men's 50c and 75c Neckwear 29c Ea.



Today and tomorrow a sale extraordinary of men's high grade Neckwear—A special lot of 100 dozen Four-in-hands, secured from a prominent manufacturer at a price about one-half usual value—Beautiful styles made French fold from English twisted silks in an immense assortment of patterns—Large, small and medium dots, allover patterns, figured effects in navy, green, myrtle, lavender, brown, tan, white, red, old rose, purple, black, etc.

Very attractive variety in three widths—Neckwear that finds ready sale at 50c and 75c each—You may have your choice today and tomorrow at the phenomenally low price of, each 29c

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Jewelry Bargains

Gold-plated Beauty Pins or Collar Pins; immense variety; great special values at \$1.99 Sterling silver Novelties—Nail files, cuticle knives, tooth and nail brushes; great special values. \$3.99 Misses' Bracelets with lock and key; every one warranted; special at \$1.99 Gunmetal Watches, stem wind and stem set \$8.99 All lines of Jewelry sold here at the very lowest prices.

Notion Specials

Thomas' Invisible Cement \$8c Thomas' Ink Eradicator \$1.99 Brass or nickel Coat Hangers; great values at \$1.49 Indelible Pencils, each \$1.59 Carter's Fountain Pen Ink \$1.99 Carter's Photo Paste \$1.49 Cards printed at low prices.

Towels at Wholesale Prices

Bleached Hemmed Huck Towels, 15c values, on sale at \$10c Bleached Hemmed Huck Towels, 18c values, on sale at \$13c Hemstitched Bleached Huck Towels, 20c grade, on sale at \$14c Hemstitched Bleached Huck Towels, 30c values, on sale at \$21c Hemstitched Bleached Huck Towels, 45c values, on sale at \$33c Hemstitched Bleached Huck Towels, 60c values, on sale at \$48c Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, best 20c values, on sale at \$13c Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, best 35c values, on sale at \$24c Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, best 50c values, on sale at \$33c Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, best 20c values, on sale at \$14c Unbleached Turkish Bath Towels, best 15c values, on sale at \$10c Bleached Linen Toweling, 12 1/2c grade; on sale at special price \$10c Bleached Linen Toweling, 20c grade; on sale at this low price \$16c Hemstitched Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, 75c values, sale at \$59c Bleached Linen Turkish Bath Towels, \$1.00 values, at \$78c Hemstitched gray Linen Bath Towels, 60c values, at \$44c Knotted Fringed Bath Towels, regular 75c values, on sale at \$58c

2 Days' Sale Men's Furnishings



Men's pure silk Shirts; full size and elegantly finished; tan and white; \$5.00 values on sale at \$2.50 Men's twilled muslin Nightshirts; full size and well made; plain white; 75c values on sale at 47c Men's black and fancy Half Hose; plain and drop-stitch effects; best 35c values on sale at pair \$1.99 Men's plain white pleated Shirts; coat styles; linen bosom; regular \$1.50 values, in all sizes, at 97c Men's, Women's and Children's Hop-Picking Gloves, pair \$1.00

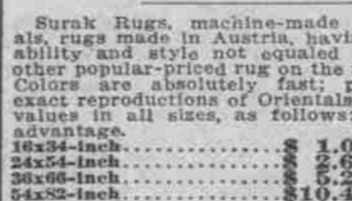
MEN'S HAT SPECIALS

Advance Fall styles in Men's Soft Hat Hats; black, pearl, tan and brown; all sizes. A hat most stores ask \$3.00 each; our price \$1.97 Advance Fall and Winter styles in Men's Stiff Hats; best \$2.50 values, in all sizes, on sale at \$1.97 "Haves" Hats, Fall and Winter, now ready; always \$3.00

Women's Knit Underwear Specials

Women's mercerized Jersey ribbed Vests; high neck and long sleeves; all sizes; 65c values for \$42c Women's fine imported Swiss ribbed Vests; low neck, no sleeves; hand-crocheted yoke; all sizes; best 65c values on sale at this low price, each \$41c Women's fine ribbed wide lace trimmed Pants, umbrella style; French band tops; \$1.00 values on sale at \$79c Women's fine Swiss ribbed Vests; mercerized, good quality; all sizes; best 50c values on sale at, each \$34c

Best Rug Values in the City



Wilton Rugs--Small and Room Sizes 1000 new Wilton Rugs, in small and room sizes; very best patterns and colorings; great variety to select from. Grand special values, as follows—By far the best rug values in the city 27x34 inches for \$4.50 each—27x36 inches for \$4.50 each—33x36 inches for \$4.50 each—33x42 inches for \$5.50 each—42x54 inches for \$10.50 each—10.6x13.4 for \$12.50 each—11.3x15 for \$17.50 each

Free Lessons in Art Embroidery Work

Commencing today and continuing until further notice we will give free lessons in art embroidery work daily from 2:30 to 5 P. M. Mrs. H. S. Steepy, our expert, is thoroughly versed in all the new methods and styles. Point lace, Battenberg, eyelid, French and all kinds of silk embroidery. Arrangements can be made for joining a class by seeing Mrs. Steepy any afternoon on the second floor. Artistic Picture Framing to your order at the lowest prices.

Bargains in Drug Sundries

Life Buo Soap; a thorough cleanser and perfect disinfectant; great special value at \$1.49 "Violet" Witch Hazel; just the thing after shaving \$1.59 Satin Skin Cream; none better for tan; 50c jar \$1.39 "Kosmos" the great skin food; special at \$1.39 Bon Ton Manicure Set; a complete outfit; buffer, emery boards, pumice and powder; special val. at \$2.19 "Sticky" Flypaper; 25 double sheets in a box; at per box \$3.09 Powder Puffs, assorted colors; great special value at \$1.29 Eastman's Tricem Powder; violet and crushed roses; great special value at \$1.29 Large bars of transparent Glycerin Soap; special value \$1.79

Bonne Femmes Low Priced

Corded Arabian Bonne Femmes, made in three widths, to match, heavily corded on both sides; magnificent designs; great special values at the following reduced prices—Third floor. Mail orders 35-inch, \$2.50 values, each \$2.65 38-inch, \$3.00 values, each \$3.55 50-inch, \$5.00 values, each \$3.85 55-inch, \$7.50 values, each \$6.65 72-inch, \$12.50 values, each \$8.25 Custom shade and drapery work our specialty. Best materials and workmanship. Lowest prices guaranteed; all orders promptly executed.

WILL HUNT OREGON DEER

JAMES J. JEFFRIES AND HIS FRIENDS COMING NORTH.

Cy Myrick, of Los Angeles, Writes Making Arrangement for Trip to Douglas County.

Watt Montleth, a well-known local sportsman, has received a letter from Cy Myrick, of Los Angeles, requesting him to secure pack horses and supplies for a party of ten or more and have them in waiting at Roseburg, Or., within the next week. According to the local man's informant, the Southern California men intend spending the next few weeks in the wilds near Belknap Springs, putting in most of their time hunting deer and other game that abounds in that vicinity. Included in the party that is to make this excursion to the haunts of Oregon game is James J. Jeffries, the retired heavyweight champion of the world who has already had a taste of Oregon hunt-

ing, and has often written friends here of his intention to come again. According to this letter from Myrick, who is a close friend of the ex-pugilist, his desire is to be realized.

Other members of the party named in the letter are James F. Morley, ex-manager of the Los Angeles baseball team, Harry Corbett, Harry Carrillo, of Bakersfield, and Al Levy, of Los Angeles. The visiting hunters are due to reach Roseburg some time next week, and the Portland man will be advised of their departure, so that he may have everything in readiness for the hunters when they leave the train at the Valley town, as it is not their intention to come to Portland until after their visit to Belknap Springs. Douglas County is said to possess some of the finest deer forests in the Northwest, if not in the country, and on the strength of advice to this effect, received from parties who have been over the territory, Jeffries and friends decided to make the excursion north this season instead of confining their shooting stunts to the State of California, as has been the case in most of the past seasons. According to these advices, Portland may expect a visit from the champions of champions after his hunting trip is concluded and the many friends of the big fellow will await his coming with more than passing interest, for no matter how many times the statement of his retirement is published, it has always

been their desire to get the news from Jeffries' own lips. Cy Myrick will be remembered by many of the local sporting fraternity as a former resident of this city who left here several years ago and went into business in San Francisco and where he is said to have prospered, and branched out to Los Angeles, where he is now located.

Big Deal in First Street.

The three-story brick building at the corner of First and Stark streets has been sold for \$45,000. It is on the southeast corner, with 25 feet frontage on First street and 100 feet on Stark. The name of the purchaser has not been given, but it is stated that the property will be held as an investment. E. J. Blaker, the former owner, is now considering an offer of \$25,000 for the adjoining 25 feet on First street.

Spaulding's Big Log Drive.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 16.—(Special).—The big log drive of the Spaulding Lumber Company is now passing Albany. The Willamette River is full of timber, and the youthful residents of the town spend many hours in the water "riding" the logs. The drive this year consists of 15,000,000 feet, and will be used in the Spaulding mills at Newberg, and at the pulp mill at Oregon City.

OPTIONS ON HIGH GROUND

TOP OF MOUNT TABOR TO BE PURCHASED FOR CITY.

Citizens Plan Use of It as Park and Reservoir Site for Turbine Power Plant. Options have been secured for the purchase on behalf of the city of tracts of land comprising the top of Mount Tabor, the object being to turn the land over to the city for a park and reservoir, the reservoir being the main consideration. W. G. Oberturner, who made the offer of this land to the city a year ago at about one-third the valuation now placed on it, has been securing these options and has virtually obtained them all, so that his options represent about 60 acres. He says the options have cost three times what they were held at a year ago, when an effort was made to interest the city in the top of Mount Tabor. It was then urged that Portland would need it both for a reservoir and for a park, beside which it would supply

1,000,000 cubic yards of dirt with which to fill in streets.

Councilman Kellshar is interested in this project. His idea is that with another reservoir at the top of Mount Tabor and a second Bull Run pipe line discharging 40,000,000 gallons daily into it, power enough could be generated by the fall of 400 feet to furnish electricity for lighting the city, by means of turbine wheels. Water from Bull Run could thus be made to light the city. This is one of the arguments that will be urged for securing the summit of Mount Tabor as a site for a reservoir and for a park. As to the cost of the land on which these options have been secured, this will be announced when the direct offer is made of the land to the city. The price is much higher than it would have been had the city taken the land a year ago. Mayor Lane last night stated that he was unaware of any options being taken on the tracts of land covering the top of Mount Tabor. He had not yet been consulted in reference to the matter, he said. CARD OF THANKS. We are truly appreciative and grateful to our many sympathetic friends and neighbors for their beautiful floral offerings and kindness during our late bereavement in the loss of our beloved wife and mother. W. T. WILTSHIRE AND FAMILY.

FIRE DESTROYS A BAKERY

THREATENS BLOCK OF WOODEN BUILDINGS ON WASHINGTON.

Estes & Lindsay's Establishment Is Burned and Adjoining Structures Partially Ruined. Fire threatened the entire block of wooden buildings between Eleventh and Twelfth streets on Washington shortly after midnight. It completely destroyed the Estes & Lindsay bakery, a two-story building; partially destroyed F. J. McCarthy's electrical works in an adjoining building, and damaged the San Francisco Cleaning Works. The fire obtained such headway before an alarm was sounded that surrounding wooden buildings were smoking from the heat before the arrival of fire apparatus. The fire broke out in the rear of the Estes & Lindsay bakery, adjoining which is a small lodging-house. All the roomers escaped before the building was in flames. From the rear of the bakery the fire burned forward and through the sides of the building, catching those next to it. Gasoline in the cleaning works added greatly in spreading the fire. The heat was so great that it was impossible to stand across the street. The building burned like match wood and half an hour after the alarm the building in which the bakery was located had fallen in. The other buildings were not burned beyond repair. Danger from overhead wires was also great and linemen were busy making disconnections. The origin of the fire is unknown. None of the owners of the buildings or their occupants could be found to give an estimate of the loss. It is thought that it will not exceed more than \$5000 or \$8000. Schooners Bar Bound at Hoquiam. HOQUIAM, Wash., Aug. 16.—(Special).—Six schooners and one steam schooner, loaded with lumber, are bar bound in the lower harbor awaiting a chance to put to sea. During the past week the small tides being in season and the heavy wind has made the bar almost impassable. Owing to the depth of water on the bar no vessels dare to leave the harbor, but must wait until the tides get larger or wind moderates. Captain Sanborn says the bar is rougher now than at any time during last winter.