

The Meier & Frank Thanksgiving Store News

Men's Wear

200 dozen men's Ties, 4-in-hands, 1 1/2 inches wide, reversible; light and dark patterns; large assortment of 25c and 35c values, at..... **15c**
 Men's gloria twilled Umbrellas, plain and fancy handles in large variety; sp'l. **\$1.19**
 Dr. Wright's Health Underwear, fleece-lined; all sizes shirts and drawers; best \$1 value..... **69c**
 Men's "Shawmut" Sox, plain and fancy colors; all sizes; great value at pair..... **17c**
 New stiff-bosom Shirts, \$1.00 values, at the special price of..... **69c**

Great Jewelry Bargains

Gold-plated Beauty and Collar Pins; the largest assortment ever shown in the city; all sizes; marvelous values at each..... **19c**
 Immense variety of fancy Brooches; plain and fancy patterns; values up to 50c, on sale at this special low price, each..... **28c**
 Pearl Dog Collars; 5 strands of pearls, silver mountings; great value at..... **79c**
 Sterling Silver Thimbles; heavy quality; regular 50c values on sale at..... **39c**
 Ingersoll's new Midget Watch; \$2.00 every one guaranteed; on sale at..... **\$2.00**
 All kinds of Jewelry at low prices.

\$1.00 Silks, 73c a Yard

1500 yards of Dresden Crepe de Chine Silks; splendid quality; rich, effective designs and colorings; for dress waists and gowns; regular \$1 value, per yard, **73c**
 2000 yards of light and dark checked Silks; best styles; regular 85c value, on sale at this low price, per yard, **69c**
 Beautiful new line of Cloakings in all the best styles and grades; see them. Full line of Bear Cloths for children's Cloakings; best values in the city. New black Dress Goods; all grades. Send for samples.

Women's Fine Silk Hose

\$6.50 Values for \$2.35
 For today, Tuesday and Wednesday we place on sale a special purchase of 300 pairs beautiful rich black ingrain silk hose at a price that will tempt scores of the best buyers in the city; beautiful patterns in embroidered effects; lace, boot and instep; sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2; pleasing assortment to select from; regular \$6.50 values, on sale at this ridiculous **\$2.35** lously low price, pair

Room Size Rugs—Best Designs

All grades, all styles and colorings.
Tapestry Brussels, 8 Ft. 3 Ins. by 10 Ft. 6 Ins., regular \$15 values, at each \$10.95
Tapestry Brussels, 9x10 Ft. 6 in., \$16.50 Val. \$12.65
Afghanistan Brussels, 9x12 feet, \$25.00 Val. \$18.65
Axminster Rugs, 10 1/2 x 13 1/2 feet, \$40.00 Val. \$33.65
Axminster Rugs, 12 Ft. x 15 Ft., \$45.00 Val. \$38.65
Royal Wiltons, 10 1/2 Ft. x 12 Ft., \$55.00 Val. \$45.05
Royal Wiltons, 10 1/2 Ft. x 13 1/2 Ft., \$62.50 Val. \$53.50
Royal Wiltons, 11 1/4 Ft. x 15 Ft., \$70.00 Val. \$57.50

Pearl Buttons Grand Values

Pearl Buttons, in ball shaped and self shank; best quality pearl; 1 dozen on a card; 20c vals., at **9c**
 Excellent quality Pearl Buttons in 24-line, 2-hole only; regular 10c doz. value, 2 dozen for..... **10c**
 Pearl Buttons in plain and fancy carved, 2 and 4-hole; some with self shank, smoked and white pearl; line 16 to 22; val- ues up to 50c, for, card..... **16c**
 Best quality Pearl Buttons, line 14 to 24; 2 dozen on card..... **6c**
 New Trimmings, new Laces, new Braids, new Embroideries. The largest and most complete stock in the city. Mail orders promptly and carefully filled.

Laces, Embroid'ed Great Special Values

Allover Swiss and Batiste Embroidery in dainty new patterns for lingerie, waists, etc.; values up to \$4.50 a yard, on sale at this wonderfully low price, per yard..... **\$1.39**
 Sale extraordinary of 2000 yards of Swiss, Nain-sook and Cambrie Embroidery and Inseting; 1 1/2 to 5 inches wide; values up to 45c yard, on sale at this low price, per yard..... **19c**
 Small lot of white Batiste Embroidered Medallions; in great demand for trimming lingerie waists, corset covers and gowns; values \$1.12 up to \$2.00 a yard, on sale now for..... **\$1.12**
 Closing out special lots of Appliques and Bands in white, cream, ecru and Persian effects; great bargains—at the following low prices:
\$.75 Values for, yard \$.39
\$1.75 Values for, yard \$.98
\$2.50 Values for, yard \$1.69
\$4.00 Values for, yard \$1.98
 Great special on white and cream Lierre Lace Robes and black and silver Spangled Robes; magnificent styles; values up to \$20.00, on sale at this low price, each..... **\$13.98**

Thanksgiving Sale Roasters, China

Our annual Thanksgiving sale of the celebrated "Royal" Turkey Roasters, in all sizes. Take advantage. On sale in the Basement.
8x12 Royal Roasters, on sale at, each..... 67c
10x14 Royal Roasters, on sale at, each..... 79c
11x15 Royal Roasters, on sale at, each..... 89c
12x17 Royal Roasters, on sale at, each..... \$1.03
 Small size Family Roasters, each..... **35c**
 Medium size Family Roasters, each..... **42c**
 Large size Family Roasters, each..... **49c**
 300 of the famous Savory Roasters; regular \$1.25 values, on sale at..... **89c**
 18-inch decorated semi-porcelain Turkey Platters; grand value at, each..... **84c**
 Decorated China Turkey Sets; 1 large platter and 12 7-inch platters; blue and white decorated; value extraordinary at this low price, per set..... **\$6.75**
 Decorated China Turkey Sets; 1 extra large platter and 12 8-inch plates; blue and white decorated; grand value at this low price, per set..... **\$7.99**
 Sample line of hand-painted French Chinaware—Chocolate Pots, Cake Plates, Chop Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Cracker Jars, etc.; beautiful designs; your choice of the entire lot at **1/4 OFF**

Women's Tailored Suits \$45.00 Values \$36.85



The season's best offering in high grade Tailored Suits is announced for this week's selling—All the newest and most approved fashions in solid colors and checks—Pony, Prince Chap, tight-fitting and Jacket styles—Also a few Blouses—Velvet and button trimmings—Skirts pleated or gored—Tweeds, broadcloths, chevots and mannish mixtures, every suit beautifully made and finished—Splendid variety to select from—All sizes—Regular \$45.00 values **\$36.85** on sale while they last at this low price.
A suit bargain we know positively you can not equal anywhere about town—Second Floor—Better plan to come early today if you want the best values—Second Floor

Women's Coats \$7.45 Each

For Monday and Tuesday, a special lot of 100 women's Long Coats; loose back, made up in gray shadow-plaid, velvet collar and braid trimming, all sizes; the best coat bargain of the year, at this surprisingly low price; only 100 of them; better come **\$7.45** early if you want one; second floor.....

The Art Dept. Specials

Special assortment of lithographed Pillow Tops, in handsome designs; regular 50c values, at..... **33c**
 Tapestry Pillow Tops, Roman stripes, assorted styles; regular 40c values, each..... **19c**
 Just received, a complete new line of Cluny Scarfs and centers, ranging in value from \$1.50 to \$16.50 each. Second floor.
 New Japanese drawwork, all pure linen centers, squares and scarfs, at prices from 75c to \$12.50 each. New Renaissance designs.
 Full line of shadow embroidery work in scarfs, pillows, aprons and pin cushions; very new and dainty effects, with full instructions for working. Second floor.
 Free lessons in art embroidery work given daily. Stamping done to your order. Second floor.

Great Sale 200 New, Silk Petticoats \$10.00 Values \$6.45 Ea.



Another one of our famous Silk Petticoat bargains will attract a great throng of eager buyers to the second floor bright and early today—200 high grade silk underskirts at an exceptionally low price—A special purchase from one of the most reputable makers in the land—These petticoats of fine quality taffeta silk with deep pleated ruffle and two inch bias bands—Pleating in Van Dyke points with ruche and ruffle or deep pleating with tucked ruffle and ruche—Colors include white, pink, light blue, lavender, dark gray, red, brown, green, navy and black—Silk dust ruff. Underskirts that are well made and finished—Full width—Every skirt in the lot regular \$9 or \$10 value, your choice **\$6.45** at this marvelous low price each
No Mail or Phone orders filled as we don't expect the lot to last through the day—Second Floor

Sale Couch Covers

Negus and double-faced Bagdad stripe Couch Covers, 60 inches wide by 3 yards long; splendid designs and colorings. Regular \$3.00 **\$2.20** values, on sale at, each.....
 Cashgar and double-faced tapestry Couch Covers, in the very best designs and colorings; 50 and 60 inches wide by 3 yards long. Regular \$4.50 values, at this low price, each..... **\$3.35**
 Heavy double-faced tapestry Couch Covers, in rich Oriental colorings and designs; 60 inches wide by 3 yards long; the richest \$5 cover on the market, on sale at this low price..... **\$3.85**
 Novelty weaves in heavy Tapestry Couch Covers; patterns taken from Oriental rugs; also floral patterns; magnificent styles; large assortment; 60 inches wide by 3 yards long. Regular \$7.50 values on sale at..... **\$5.65**
 Extra heavy Oriental tapestry Couch Covers, heavy knotted fringe all around; reds, greens, olives and blues; 60 inches wide by 3 yards **\$6.20** at this \$8.50 value, on sale at.....
 Custom Shade and Drapery Work our specialty. Best materials and workmanship—lowest prices guaranteed—estimates cheerfully given. 3d Floor.

Women's Neck Ruffs

Women's black liberty silk Ruffs, with accordion-pleated ends; regular \$1.75 values, **\$1.19** on sale at this special low price, each.....
 Women's black liberty silk Neck Ruffs, with fancy pleated fan ends; very full and pretty; regular \$2 values, on sale at, ea..... **\$1.29**
 Women's fancy black liberty silk Neck Ruffs; very full and pretty; long pleated ends. **\$1.79** Regular \$2.50 values, on sale at, each.....
 Women's black liberty silk Capes of three ruffles; handsomely pleated and trimmed; extra long pleated ends; regular \$3.75 values, each..... **\$2.69**
 Bath and Lounging Robe Girdle Sets, consisting of a handsome twisted wool waist girdle; full tassel ends; frog and neck girdle to match; black, white, cream, navy, brown, red, pink, light blue and gray; at this special low price, set..... **46c**
 Latest novelties in women's Neckwear. New ostrich feather Boas, all colors, all lengths. Best values in the city.
 New Veilings. New Handkerchiefs. New Gloves. New Ribbons. New Ruchings.

WOULD FORM LODGE

Colored Men Plan to Organize, Dubbing Themselves Elks.
 CALL NEW ORDER I. B. O. E.
 Organizer Comes This Week to Admit Fifty to Membership—Real Elks Are Somewhat Annoyed Over Prospects.

Portland Elks are somewhat annoyed since they have learned that there is a movement on foot to form a local I. B. O. E. lodge. About 50 young colored men have agreed to become members of the "Elks" lodge that is being organized, and declare that they can already feel the spirit of Elkdom working in their blood.
 Waiters, Pullman car porters and the other aristocrats of the colored population are the ones who are longing to become Elks. It may not be long before they will be boasting buttons showing elk's heads and wearing elk's teeth dangling from their watch chains.
 There are approximately 500 lodges of colored Elks in the United States. They are in no way affiliated with the I. B. O. E. The colored Elks call their order the I. B. O. E. The lodge in Chicago has nearly 1000 members and owns its own building, Salt Lake, Denver and some of the other cities of the West have their colored Elks and the colored "sports" of Portland declare that this city is behind the times and they are anxious to do what they can to make it up-to-date.
 Sam Washington is directly responsible for the agitation. Washington has been running in and out of Portland on sleeping cars for about 15 years and anyone who has traveled much in the Northwest knows him. He had the reputation of perhaps being the most popular porter who ever ran into this city.
 But Sam has social aspirations and no small amount of ambition. He is a humanitarian in a way and works to uplift the social standard of his race. Six months ago he resigned his job as a porter and opened up a saloon here. This third party has considerable tone and is patronized almost exclusively by the "blooms". All the "railroaders," the porters call themselves, make their headquarters at The Alpha, where

WILL FIGHT LADD PLAN

BROOKLYN TAXPAYERS WANT STREET IMPROVED.
 Councilman Rushlight Will Have Strong Backing in Demanding Opening of East Ninth.
 Councilman Rushlight, backed by the property owners of the Brooklyn district on the East Side, will make a fight against delay in the improvement of East Ninth street across the Ladd field. He was not present at the meeting of the Street Committee when the matter was under consideration, or he would have been heard from, he says, when it was suggested that the improvement be stopped, or even delayed. Property owners on East Ninth street south of Ellsworth have just paid out over \$300 for the improvement of that street, and think it should be extended across the Ladd field. They say that they will insist on this improvement as just to them and that whole district.
 A delegation of property owners from Brooklyn will be present at the meeting of the council Wednesday and protest against any delay in improving East Ninth street through the Ladd tract, that has grown valuable for the reason that they have improved streets and property all around it.
 L. S. Daux, president of the Brooklyn Republican-Improvement Club, said last evening that he strongly indorsed the plan to protest against suspending improvement through the Ladd tract, and will assist in forming a delegation to attend the council Wednesday.

BUT HE STILL LOVES HER

C. F. Sutton Tells Where His Wife Is to Blame for Trouble.
 Charles F. Sutton, the Lents barber, who is confined in the County Jail on account of inability to furnish bonds to keep the peace of his wife, and who was recently sued for divorce by her, has written a letter to The Oregonian concerning his grievances. In this communication Sutton attributes most of his troubles to his wife's penchant for neglecting their home, as well as a fondness for frequenting popular resorts, and declares that he had refrained from indulgence in intoxicating liquors for seven months up to the time the discovery of his wife's actions prompted him to resort to strong drink to drown his grief.
 Sutton also lays considerable blame for his domestic infelicity on his wife's relatives, and states in his letter that he never had any trouble with his wife until her folks came here three years ago. He says they are bitterly opposed to liquor, for which he does not blame them, but insists that they carried their temperance ideas too far, with the result that their constant interference in his domestic affairs led him to indulge worse than ever.
 A vigorous denial is made of his wife's charge of cruelty in her complaint, in being avowed that on the witness stand, at the time the proceedings were being held in court to compel Sutton to keep the peace, he had been tested, and that he had never struck her.
 He also declares that since his incarceration his wife and father-in-law have had their home transferred from him, and that "after trampling upon a heart that loves her still, she has crushed it in her hands to a bleeding pulp and cast it into prison."
 A certain Cure for Croup—Used for Ten Years Without a Failure.
 Mr. W. C. Bott, a Star City, Ind., hardware merchant, is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used the remedy for the past ten years, and though they much feared the croup, his wife and he always felt safe upon getting when a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup, but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequalled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by all druggists.

BUILDING AT SELLWOOD

First Brick Block Is Being Erected in Thriving Suburb.
 At Sellwood the first brick building is under way on the corner of East Thirtieth street and Tacoma avenue. It will be a two-story structure with a full basement and will cost \$3000. Excavation for the basement has been completed. William Strahlman has the honor of erecting the first brick structure in that part of Portland. It is understood that one of the rooms of the first floor will house the new bank soon to be started in Sellwood.
 D. M. Donaghu, who owns the southwest corner of East Thirtieth street and Union avenue, announces that he will put up on this corner a modern brick structure covering the whole quarter, work to start in the Spring. The Sellwood Branch Y. M. C. A. has secured a lot on Umattilla avenue, and in time will contain a gymnasium, showers which will contain a gymnasium, showers, baths, library, reception and other apart-

ST. JOHNS MILL ASSURED

CHARLES WEYERHAEUSER COMING HERE TO LIVE.
 Big Timber Syndicate Preparing to Begin Operation in This Section on Large Scale.
 Charles Weyerhaeuser, son of Frederick Weyerhaeuser, the timber king, will come to Portland next Spring to reside permanently. This fact is accepted by local lumbermen as conclusive evidence that the Weyerhaeuser syndicate will shortly erect the long-talked-of sawmill on its site near St. Johns. It is known that Charles Weyerhaeuser has an option on one of the finest residences in Portland, and he and his family are making preparations to leave St. Paul to become residents of the Roze City.
 The interests of the syndicate have been growing larger and larger each year, and have become so extensive as to warrant one of the heads of the gigantic corporation giving his exclusive time to this field. It is also understood that the syndicate is making preparations to begin cutting in the Northwest on a large scale and it is generally believed that it is only a matter of a few months before work on the sawmill at St. Johns will be started.
 It is an open secret that the Weyerhaeusers long have intended to build at St. Johns a sawmill that will be one of the largest, if not the largest, mills on the Pacific Coast. The sum to be expended on the mill alone will be \$1,000,000 or more. Members of the syndicate have never denied that they will erect a sawmill at St. Johns, and have stated that they have been holding the site there for that purpose.
 J. P. Weyerhaeuser, the eldest son of Frederick Weyerhaeuser, is now a guest at the Hotel Portland. He is traveling alone and is enroute to Idaho, where he personally has large interests. He is associated with his father, and besides has many large timber holdings of his own. His health is not good at present. He will leave tonight or tomorrow for Boise. Charles Weyerhaeuser, who will come to Portland to live, is stated to succeed his father at the head of the syndicate. He is possessed of more than ordinary business ability and much of the care and responsibility of managing the business of the syndicate has already fallen upon him.
 Socialist Literature.
 WOODSTOCK, Or., Nov. 4.—(To the Editor.)—It is almost impossible to answer your question, "What is Socialism?" through a newspaper, although The Oregonian has been very generous in allowing space for this purpose. I will say to any one who honestly desires to acquire

CONDEMN THE LANDLORDS

Speakers at People's Forum Discuss the Rent System.
 Landlords were out of place at the People's Forum last night when the land question was argued pro and con by speakers who took part in the general discussion. Half a dozen speakers poured hot shot into the persons who make themselves felt when the first of the month rolls round.
 Mrs. Abigail Scott Duntway was the lone champion of the much-abused landlord, and she only stood up for the widow who is dependent upon the rent derived from her holdings. Taken all in all, the discussion was interesting, and if there were landlords present last night they undoubtedly enjoyed it as much as anybody.
 E. H. S. Wood was the principal speaker. He pointed out the danger of centralization of power, whether in private individuals or in the government. While he expressed the highest admiration and regard for President Roosevelt, he stated that the President was making a grave mistake in allowing the National Government too much power over the public domain.
 "Centralization of power means tyranny under any system," he declared. "We have to be managed by bureaus at reform and gains the confidence of the people is able to establish precedents that may be used later on by a tyrant to enslave the people."
 "Because of the popularity of President Roosevelt, we are falling all over ourselves to make this very mistake. Our lands are to be managed by bureaus at Washington. While apparently all right now, the evil is sure to crop out. The fundamental principles of liberty have been violated, and when we haven't a good man at the helm of the ship of state, big grafting plutocrats will own and control these bureaus at Washington."
 The attendance at the meetings of the People's Forum is constantly increasing. The meetings are held every Sunday night at the Sellig-Hirsch Hall. Last night C. C. Chapman presided, in the absence of E. B. J. McAllister, the president.
 Killed by Falling Log.
 SUMPTER, Or., Nov. 4.—(Special.)—George Hall, the oldest son of Mrs. Sara Hall, was killed instantly yesterday morning while working on the right of way of the Fremont-Tower Company, near the Monumental mine, by being struck on the head by a falling log. His mother is a widow.

Frank L. Smith Meat Co.

IN NEW, ENLARGED QUARTERS, 226-228 Alder street, between First and Second streets.
 Fighting the Beef Trust
 We are using three times our former space, three times as many clerks, and putting up three times as hard a fight against the trust.
 Will the public kindly take notice that those people who have stolen our motto of "Fighting the Beef Trust" are simply concerns who are controlled by the beef trust. They are giving the people trust meat and are playing a bulldoze game on the public. Smith is the only genuine trust fighter, the only independent slaughterer and wholesaler in the city. Trade with Smith, Patronize Home Industry.
 The very choicest cut of Sirloin Steak, per lb..... **10c**
 Beef Round Steak, per lb..... **10c**
 Beef Loin Steak, per lb..... **10c**
 Beef Hamburg Steak, per lb..... **10c**
 Beef Prime Rib Roast, per lb..... **10c**
 Beef Rolled Roast, per lb..... **10c**
 Beef Stew, per lb..... **5c**
 Boiling Beef, per lb..... **5c**
 Beef for Mince Meat, per lb..... **5c**
 Beef for Pot Roast, per lb..... **5c**
 Corned Beef, per lb..... **5c**
 Mutton Shoulder Chop, per lb..... **10c**
 Mutton Loin Chop, per lb..... **12c**
 Mutton Loin Roast, per lb..... **12c**
 Mutton Shoulder Roast, per lb..... **8c**
 Mutton Breast, per lb..... **5c**
 Mutton Stew, per lb..... **5c**
 Lamb, our own brand, 5 lbs for..... **60c**
 Bacon, our own brand, per lb..... **17c**
 Hams, per lb..... **17c**
 Every clerk in our establishment is compelled by our orders to give full weight. See that you get it.
 231 WASHINGTON ST. PORTLAND OREGON. MAKER OF MENS CLOTHES