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Principal Portland Agents for Butterick Patterns and Publications-Columbia Yarns Ostermoor Patent Elastic Felt Mattresses Sold at Factory Prices - Third Floor

Men's 25c-35cHosiery 15cPr.



Saturday sale of men's fancy Half Hose; 100 dozen of them designs, embroidered stripes and figures; great assortment, all sizes; regular 25c and 35c values, on sale at, per pair... 15c

Extra Specials in Men's Wear Dept.

Men's fancy Golf Shirts; light and dark colorings, in a good 45c assortment of styles and patterns; regular \$1 values, each. Men's fine quality white linen Handkerchiefs; all width hems; best values in town at this low price, each... 121/2C

Men's fine elastic web Suspenders; strong leather ends, 29c neat designs; best 50c values, on sale at, per pair.... Men's high-grade silk Four-in-Hand Ties; made French fold, handsome designs and colorings, large assortment to select 33c from; regular 50c and 75c values, on sale at, each.... New Spring Shirts in grand variety-"Manhattans," "Cluetts," "Monarchs," M. and F. specials; beautiful styles; at \$1.00 to \$4.00 each.

Muslin Underwear Bargains--2d Flr.

made with fitted waistbands and separate dust ruffles: wide flounces, made of embroidery and clusters of lace insertion and edging; regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 \$2.79 values for \$2.79

Women's fine Cambrie Skirts, | Women's fine Cambrie and to Nainsook Drawers, made with wide flourees of fine embroideries and clusters of tucks, insertions and lace edgings, heading and ribbons; great special values at, \$1.22

Women's fine Nainsook and Cambria Gowns, made high neck and long sleeves; low, round and square neck with short sleeves; trimmed in Val. lace, fine embroidery edgings, insertion, embroidered medallions, beadings and ribbons; \$2.50 \$1.93

Values to 40c 10c Yard

On sale today, 5000 yards of allsilk Taffeta Ribbons, in a broken line of colorings; 112 to 21/2 inches wide. Included will also be found a few pieces of fancy Persian and novelty tab Ribbons 2 inches wide; values up to 40c a yard, to be cleaned up today at this phenomenally low price, 10c

Ribbon Sale Men's New Spring Hats \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 Each



The new Spring blocks in Men's Stiff and Soft Hats now ready-New shapes, new shades-Black, tan, pearl, brown, grays, etc.-J. B. Stetson's celebrated Hats, "Schobels" famous Hats, Meier & Frank's "Special" Hats-Every one guaranteed the best value for your money-Prices range from \$3.00 to \$5.00 each-Take advantage-New Hats and Caps for Boys-

Leather Goods Specials for Today

Women's Hand Bags, with large coin purse and leather lined; black, brown and tan; seal and walrus leathers, assorted \$1.29 styles; values from \$1.50 to \$2 each; today, your choice. Special lot of Silk and Leather Belts, in all colors and sizes, 39c with and without buckles; values up to 75c each, today at. New Belt Buckles, in pearl, gun metal and oxidized silver, at rices ranging from 25¢ to \$5.00 each.

New Belts in steel and jet clastic heads at 65¢ to \$2.00 each New Hand Bags in all the very latest styles; new Hosiery, new Gloves, new Ribbons, etc., etc.

Sheet Music

200 copies of classical Sheet Music: pieces published to sell at 25c to 50c each; your choice while they last today at .. 4¢ Folios of popular Vocal and Instrumental Music; regular 50e values, on sale at......25¢
All the "hits" from "The Ham Tree" and "The Umpire" in Music Dept., at lowest prices,

Special Sale Bedspreads. Pillow Slips

White hemmed Marseilles pattern Bedspreads, good quality, each..... 80¢ White fringed Marseilles pattern Bedspreads, best patterns..........\$1.40 Pink or blue fringed Bedspreads; best values ever offered at......\$1.32 200 dozen special quality hemmed Sheets, 81x90 inches, at........ 65¢ 300 dozen special quality hemmed Pillow Cases, 45x36; great value at .. 121/26

Specials

Curtain Rods at 5c

2000 Brass Extension Rods: extends to 44 inches; complete with fixtures; great special value tonight, 6 to 9:30, at this low price.....5¢

Curtain Madras

500 yard of Cathedral Glass Curtain Madras; 36-inch, handsome designs and colorings; regular 25c value, on

Crash Towelings

ing; wonderful value tonight, 6 to 9:30 at this low price, the yard . 9¢

Back Combs 59c

Special lot of new fancy Back Combs, prettily mounted; regular 65e and 75c value, on sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, at this low price, each 59¢

50c 'Kerchiefs 21c

Special lot of men's Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs; large assortment of fine patterns in the best colorings; 50c values on sale at, each 21¢

50c Ties Now 18c 50 dozen men's handsome Silk Four-

in-Hand Ties; light and dark colorings, in large assortment; regular 35c and 50c values at, each 18c

Children's Hose 9c

Children's black Cotton Stockings; sizes 5 to 91/2; seamless and fast black; good school hose; regular 15e values, 6 to 9:30, at per pair 9¢

Great Ribbon Sale

Black Satin-back Velvet Ribbon; 2 and 3 inches wide; extra heavy quality; regular 45c value, on sale from 6 to 9:30 at, the yard .. 22¢

50c Neckwear 29c

Women's Lawn Ties, in plain white and colored effects; variety of fancy designs; just the thing for wear with tailored waists; values to 50c. .29c

Tea Cloths \$1.28

Special lot of hemstitched Satin Damask Tea Cloths, 36x36 inches; greatest value ever offered at this low price, each-6 to 9:30 only. \$1.28 Tea Pots Now 15c

1000 Earthenware Tea Pots; good model; best 25c values, on sale to night, 6 to 9:30 at, each 15¢

500 7-arm Wall Clothes Racks; regular 25e values, on sale tonight, 6 to 9:30 only, in basement, at, each. 18¢

Clothes Rack 18c

'Perrins" Real French Kid Gloves in All the Latest Styles, Shades and Lengths Sole Portland Agents for "Ramie" Linen Mesh Underwear-Ask to See "Ramie"

The Meier & Frank Store Men's \$3.50 Shoes \$2.65



500 pairs of men's Patent Leather and Velour Calf Shoes, in lace and Blucher styles; welt-sewed soles, new narrow and medium toe shapes; all new, up-to-date footwear, selling regularly at

Saturday sale of boys' Box Calf and Velour Calf Shoes; lace and Blucher styles; good, serviceable school shoes at wonderfully

Sizes 21/2 to 51/2-\$2.50 Values on Sale at \$1.98 Pr. Sizes 131/2 to 2-\$2.25 Values on Sale at \$1.78 Pr. Sizes 10 to 13-\$1.75 Values on Sale at \$1.48 Pr.

Specials in Trunks and Bags--3d Flr.

Special lot of 34-inch duck-covered Trunks; water-proof painted, linen-faced, brass trimmings, \$8.40 2 leather straps; good, stout Trunk selling regularly at \$9.50; choice today only at, each... Suit Case, on sale today only at this special low price, each.

24-inch Keratol Suit Case; linen-lined, shirt fold, bolts and straps all around; regular \$3.50

Base Ball Supplies---3d Floor

Play ball! Young America is already engaged in playing the National game. Here are some very special values in necessary

Victor Baseball Gloves; regular 75c values for 60¢ 'Victor'' Catcher's Mitt; regular \$1.50 value for \$1.20 25c Baseball for \$2.50 Baseball Mask \$2.00 Special lot of Gloves and

Mitts, slightly soiled, your hoice at one-half regular prices. Baseball clubs, all sizes, orders taken for Baseball Uniforms

Women's 50cHose 23c

On sale today only, 50 dozen women's black cotton Stockings, made with full-fashioned foot, lisles and cottons; sizes 6 to 8 23c only; values up to 50c a pair, on sale today at this low price. Women's fast black cotton Hose; fleece-lined, extra large 22c sizes, full-fashioned foot, rib top; best 50c values at, pair. Boys' and girls' black cotton ribbed school Stockings; seamless foot, sizes 5 to 10; regular 25c values, on sale at, pair. . 15c Children's "Nomend" Stockings; fine ribbed cotton, with linen knee, seamless foot, all sizes; unusual values at, pair. 18c

Drug Sundries

Tetlow's Toilet Powder, 1-lb. packages 19¢ Tetlow's Cold Cream, 1-lb. packages 19¢ 4711 Perfumes, assorted odors, ounce.....23¢ Toilet Soaps, 3 cakes in box; per box......19¢

\$40 Rugs \$34.35 Ea.

In the Carpet Store, Third of Bigelow Utopia Axmiuster Rugs in room size, 9x12 feet-60 of them in the lot-all new, high-grade Rugs in Oriental and two-tone colorings and the most attractive designs; the best Axminster Rug on the market at a saving you will appreciate; regular \$40 values; your choice of the lot while they last at this special low price, each\$34.35

Bonne Femmes at One-Half the Regular Prices

Our entire stock of Bonne Femme Lace Curtains on sale at one-half regular prices. All are heavily corded Arabians, magnificent designs on heavy cable nets with wide lace ruffles; widths from 30 to 72 inches; great assortment to select from; values ranging from \$4.50 to \$12.50 each; your choice for a few days only at one-half regular selling prices. The shrewd housewife will be anticipating the needs of her home after Spring renovating. 1/2 Price Curtain Department, Third Floor \$3.50 MADRAS CURTAINS AT \$2.80 A PAIR

Special lot of cross-stripe Madras Curtains; light grounds with colored stripes; very best colorings and combinations: 40 \$2.80 inches wide by 3 yards long; \$3.50 values at, pair...\$2.80 Silk-stripe Curtains, with red or green grounds, with colored crossstripe; 50 inches wide by 3 yards long. Very handsome Curtains on sale at specially reduced prices. Only three pairs of a pattern: \$4.50 values \$2.95 \$6.50 values \$4.15 \$9.50 values \$5.95

UNITED RAILWAYS TO BEGIN ACTUAL CONSTRUCTION.

Crews Being Assembled and Materinls Distributed on Front Street by Engineer Wickersham.

Preparations are going forward for commencing work on the United Railways Front street line. Actual construction will be commenced early next week Crews are being assembled and Chief Engineer Wickersham is distributing materials along Front street for the crews. of workmen to commence work with.

It had been expected to start operations this week, but the delay to 20 cars of steel which are now on their way West from the Eastern factories caused the further postponement. Washouts and landsildes on the transcontinental roads brought about the delay in the arrival of materials. As it is desired to finish track building and re-lay the street block by block and thus keep the thor-oughfares in a passable condition so far as possible, it was thought best to await the arrival of the material so that the

C. E. Loss, head of the United Railways project, is expected in Portland to-day, and he will probably remain and direct the commencement of the work. enstruction will be in charge of En. gineer Wickersham.

JUMP TRACK ON TRESTLE

Passenger and Coal Car Fall-One Dead, Seven Injured.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Feb. 22.-A combination coach and a loaded coal car of train No. 103 on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul narrow gauge railroad between Bellevue and Cascade today jumped the rails at a curve in the trestle over a small stream near Washington Mills and fell a distance of forty feet, the coal car landing on top of the coach, in which

cilled and seven seriously injured. The dead: Mrs. John Rohan, Fillmore, Ia. Fatally injured: Conductor Ted Martin. Bellevue, Ia.; Miss Mary McLaughlin. Bernard, Ia. Serlously injured: James Fonda, mall clerk, leg broken and badly cut and bruised; H. E. Farin. Dubuque, Ia., badly cult and bruised; Mrs. Davids and son. Cascade, severely cut and bruised. Mrs. Rohan was crushed to death. Conductor Martin's neck is broken and he is internally injured. Miss McLaughlin's back is reported broken. Fatally injured: Conductor

FRANCHISE WAS MISTAKE

Only Those Negroes Properly Qualified Should Have Right to Vote.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 22.—The principal address at the exercises today commemorative of the opening of the Johns Hop. kins University, was delivered by Hannis Taylor, formerly Minister to Spain. Mr. Taylor is professor of international and constitutional law at Columbia University. His subject was, "The Relation of the South to Pending Problems."
He regarded the 13th amendment to the Constitution as a Declaration of Independence because it set the South free from a dying institution. The first great mistake, he declared, was in the en-franchisement of those entirely unpre-pared for citizenship. The basic principle upon which the new Southern Constitution rests is, he said, that as fast as their colored citizens become qualified by education or property, or both, for the franchise, they shall be endowed with Intelligent and responsible minorities colored voters thus introduced into Southern electorates could never menace the political supremacy of a race en-dowed with genius for domination. Along with a just and gradual bestowal of the franchise should go an earnest effort to advance the negro race through public education.

Milwaukie Country Club. Eastern and California races. Take Sellwood or Oregon City car, starting from First and Alder streets.

BUSINESS ITEMS. If Baby Is Cutting Teeth
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and diarrhoea.

were 10 passengers. The coach was com- | Moneyback wins. -Schilling's Best.

COLONIAL COSTUMES.

Multnomah Chapter of Order Holds Memoria! at Home of Mrs. A. E. Rockey-Fine Decorations.

In spite of Lent, the reception given yesterday afternoon by the Multnoman Chapter Daughters of the American Rev-olution at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Rockey, was largely attended and ranks as one of the brilliant events of the

Dr. Rockey's home was gay with American flags, paims, sword ferns, pussy willows and a profusion of carnations. The receiving party, those serving in the din-ing-room, and the assistants were quaint colonial costumes, powdered hair, antique brooches, and the ever-present beauty-patches. The guests were received at the door by a diminutive George Washington (Master Paul Goodwin) clad in white satin, with powdered wig, slik hose and pumps. Receiving with the Father of our Country was Martha Washington (Miss Jane Hoge) in a dainty rose pink costume of that period. The assistants in the dining-room were clad in somber Priscilla costumes, 'kerchiefs and caps.

The receiving party consisted of Mrs.

J. B. Montgomery, state regent, Mrs.
Warren E. Thomas, regent of Multnomah
Chapter, Mrs. T. M. Anderson, vice-regent, and Mrs. A. E. Rockey, Assisting in receiving were Mrs. John H. Hall, Mrs. I. L. Patierson, Mrs. Rinaldo Hall. Presiding at the table were, Mrs. W. H. Chapin, Mrs. S. Chapman, Mrs. H. H. Parker and Mrs. Mark Gill. Those serving were Mrs. W. C. Noon, Jr., Miss Jean Gray, Miss Grace Gray, Miss Louise Ca-rey, Miss Janet Thomas, Miss Ruth Honeyman, Miss Alice Carey, Miss Beu-lah Nichols, Miss Eliza Parker, Miss lah Nichols, Miss Eliza Parker, Miss Janet Noble and Miss Helen Altmeyer. Punch was served by Miss Alice Sansbury and Miss Anderson, daughter of General Anderson, U. S. A., A stringed orchestra played throughout the afternoon, and as a fitting finale played the National anthem.

D. A. R. GIVE RECEPTION FRANK L. SMITH MEAT CO.

226-228 ALDER ST., BET. FIRST AND SECOND STS. "FIGHTING THE BEEF TRUST"

TO THE PUBLIC-As long as Smith has life, health and ability, he will continue fighting the Beef Trust. SMITH WILL STAY-NO TRUST CAN DRIVE HIM OUT. Eastern people are paying famine prices for meat. Portland people are eating Smith's meats—the tiptop pick of Oregon's ranges, the cheapest meat ever served to the public in the history of Portland. Smith is able to give the public these delicious, healthy, pure, clean meats at extraordinarily low prices, because he is doing the volume of business, because the grand majority of Portland people eat Smith's meats.

TO THE BEEF TRUST-Gentlemen, we have started to fight you, and we are going to lick you. We won't quit until you are lying in the ash-heap, you, the half-a-billion-dollar organization of Chicago, that seeks to monopolize the meat trade upon earth. We believe your days are numbered; we believe the next two years will see the disruption of you and every other trust that seeks to throttle the American people. You have done your worst by Smith, but you haven't hurt him. You have organized boycotts, you have started markets and hired "straw men" to run them. You have hired false witnesses—in short, you have almost reached the limit. The one thing left for you now is to TRY to BUY THE PRESS; but here again you will be foiled. YOU WILL FIND THE PRESS OF PORTLAND, OREGON, AS CLEAN AND HONEST AS THAT OF MANY OTHER TOWNS WHERE YOU HAVE TRIED TO BRIBE. Let us refresh your memory with a few quotations from Charles Edward Russell, in Everybody's Magazine:

"The trust sent out representatives to go quickly from town to town in the West placing advertisements in the local newspapers. It is a gratifying comment on the integrity of our press that the number of newspapers that were bribed in this way was comparatively small, but the number upon which the bribing was in one way or another attempted, must have been very large.

FANCY DRESSED CHICKENS, 18 CENTS

Choice Brisket Beef 5	Fancy "T"-Bone St'k 1 Rolled Rib Roast Beef12 Beef Rib Steak 12 Beef Loin Steak 12 Best Round Steak 12 Beef Sh'lder Steak	Veal for Stewi	ng 8¢ Por	k Loin Roast, 15¢ k Steak 15¢ e Pork 12½¢ k Shoulder Roast .12½¢ k Mixed Sausage . 10¢ k Hocks 8¢
Veal Shanks for broth 6	Pot Roast Beef Rump Roast Beef Hamburger Steak	8¢ Rib Roast Vea 8¢ Loin Veal Cutle 8¢ Rib Veal Cutle 6c Legs of Pork	d 15¢ Pick ets 15¢ Our ts 15¢ Our 12½¢ Ba	f Lard 121/20 kled Pork 121/20 Own Pure Lard 120 Own Breakfast acon 171/20 Own Hams 170/20

Many persons keep Carter's Little Liver Pills on hand to prevent billous attacks, sick headache, dizziness, and find them We can give you more attention then. Our afternoon crowd is immense, We are open on Saturdays from 6 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock in the evening. If you can possibly come in the morning, do so.