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The Meier & Frank Monday Store News

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Large Variety of Trunks and Traveling Bags on the Third Floor
Sole Portland Agents for Ostermoo Patent Elastic Felt Mattresses

The Meier & Frank Store New Spring Suits at \$22.00



A special Easter offering of women's new Tailored Suits, this season's very latest and most approved styles at an exceptionally low price—Eton, pony, jacket and blouse styles in a grand assortment of colorings and materials—Plain black, blue and brown fancy checks, stripes, plaids and mixtures—All very attractive garments, trimmed with fancy braid, lace and silk—The materials are serges, Panama cloths and Tweeds in all sizes—The greatest value in popular-priced suits ever offered by Portland's leading cloak and suit house—Your choice for today **\$22**

New Spring Suits in wonderful variety—All the newest fashions and materials at prices from \$18 to \$150
New Walking Skirts at all prices

New Silk Waists

Entire line of new Tailored Silk Waists in foulards, messalines and taffetas—large and small dots, fancy Roman stripes and plain colors in all the desirable shades. Very neat, attractive styles, ea., **\$6.50 to \$18.00**

Cotton Waists—A mammoth showing of new Cotton Waists in dainty styles—white, pink, blue, gray and lavender—plain or striped voiles, mulls, dotted Swiss, silk organdie, all-over embroidery, etc.—trimmed in Hardanger, Hedebo, Vals, Maltese and French laces—**\$4.50 to \$40.00**. See the new Marie Antoinette Waists.

Linen Center Pieces, Etc. at Low Prices

- 9-inch Round or Square Linen Pieces, great special values at 12c
- 12-inch Round or Square Linen Pieces, great special values at 18c
- 36x36-inch Linen Squares, regular \$1.50 values, special at \$1.18
- 18x27-inch Linen Tray Cloths, regular 75c values, special at 47c
- 30x30-inch Center Cloths, regular \$1.25 values, in this sale at 89c
- 18x18-inch Round and Square Linen Centers, 50c values at 33c

Artistic Picture Framing to Your Order at the Very Lowest Prices
We're Portland Agents for Butterick Patterns and Columbia Yarns

The Meier & Frank Store 6000 Yards of Fine Ribbons Values to \$1 at 23c Yard

The greatest ribbon bargain of the year will attract an enthusiastic throng of buyers bright and early this morning—Here are beautiful all silk fancy ribbons ranging from three to six inches wide at a price never before quoted on ribbons of equal style and quality; just the ribbons you want for trimming the new Summer dresses, just the ribbons you want for fancy work, etc. Included will be found Persians, fancy floral ribbons, stripes, plaids, checks; all the newest colorings and combinations—Regular values up to \$1.00, **23c** at the low price, per yard



Phenomenal values at this low price—See Fifth-street window display—No mail or phone orders filled—Beautiful new Veilings and Hat Drapes, new silk and wash Belts in the latest styles—Immense variety of new Belt Buckles—All prices.

1000 New Axminster Rugs 30x60-Inch at \$3.65 Each

In the Carpet Store for a few days we place on sale 1000 high-grade, Axminster Rugs, magnificent designs and colorings, in Oriental effects. The handsomest small rugs ever purchased—30x60-in. Regular \$4.50 values. Every housewife can make good use of one or two of them at this **\$3.65** unusually low price, each.

Special lot of Fiber Rugs, room sizes, in new patterns and colorings. The most satisfactory and inexpensive rugs on the market—9x12 feet. Regular \$12.50 values, on sale for a few days at this low price, ea., **\$9.85**
10,000 yards of Granite Iulgid Linoleum—thick and heavy; colors are green, blue, brown, red; equal to the best \$1.75 and \$2.00 qualities. Buy all you want of it at this special low price, the square yard **\$1.49**
This price includes laying. Third Floor.

Custom Shade Work a Specialty at Lowest Prices—Third Floor
Free Lessons in Art Embroidery Work Given Daily by an Expert

The Meier & Frank Store Easter Sale White Petticoats

Great special sale of fine White Petticoats, Novelty Underskirts of the highest grade, lawns and cambrics made with wide fancy flounces, trimmed with clusters of valenciennes insertion, tucks, beading, ribbons; also a few petticoats trimmed with beautiful French and eyelet embroidery, separate dust ruffles, lace and embroidery trimmed; petticoats selling regularly at prices up to \$12.50 each—Your choice today **\$7.58**

500 fine nainsook Gowns, made slip-over and French yoke effect—trimmed in dainty embroidery, scroll effects of Val. lace insertion, lace and embroidery edgings, beading, ribbons, long and short sleeves—beautiful styles. **VALUES UP TO \$10.50 \$6.35** FOR.....

Women's cambric and nainsook Drawers—very wide flounces made of fine embroideries, also dainty lawn ruffles trimmed with dainty Valenciennes laces, beading and ribbon, \$3.50 values at, pair... **\$2.79**

Women's fancy skirt Chemise made with fitted French backs and trimmed with dainty Val. laces, embroidery beading, ribbons and medallions—flounces are also trimmed. Values up to \$1 **\$2.87** on sale at, each.

New white Dresses for infants and children—all new pretty styles for children of all ages—white dresses for Easter and Palm Sunday.



We are sole Portland agents for the celebrated "La Goeque" Corsets.

Great Bargains in Men's Furnishing Goods

Special line of men's white Oxford Golf Shirts—well made and finished—all sizes. Greatest values ever offered at the very low price of, each... **49c**
Men's colored border linen Handkerchiefs best 10c values, at low price of, ea. **5c**
1000 pairs of men's black mercerized Lisle Half Hose—all sizes—fine quality. Value extraordinary at the wonderful low price of, pair **12 1/2c**
Men's flannelette Night Shirts—new patterns and colorings—made extra full size. Regular \$1.00 values, on sale today at the low price of, each **65c**
New Neckwear, New Fancy Hosiery, Spring Underwear, New Gloves, etc., etc.

HONOR CHIEF ELK

Grand Exalted Ruler Melvin is Given Banquet.

HERD BROWSES AT TAVERN

Distinguished Visitor Will Take in the Sights Today and Big Reception Will be Tendered Him by Local Lodge Tonight.

Grand Exalted Ruler Henry A. Melvin of the Order of Elks is being given a taste of the Portland hospitality "that falls not" no matter what the emergency. Coming into town with but a few hours' notice on Saturday night, but little opportunity was afforded for according the distinguished visitor a reception worthy of the high position which he holds in one of the strongest fraternal organizations in America. But the brothers of local lodge No. 142 have made the most of the situation and forced an admission from Judge Melvin last night that he hadn't fared more sumptuously at the hands of any of the lodges he has visited on his extended trans-continental tour than he has during his short and wholly unannounced visit here.

Is Given a Banquet.

Grand Exalted Ruler Melvin attended but one function yesterday, and that was purely social in character, though he had rather of a busy day of it at the Hotel Portland greeting the many local and visiting members of the order that called to pay their respects. The function referred to was an elaborate banquet tendered him at the Claremont Tavern last evening, and it was one of the most elegant functions of his character that has been given there in a long time. White Judge Melvin was the guest of honor, Governor Chamberlain, who is a member of Portland lodge No. 142, was also present and responded to a toast.

FULTON HOME AGAIN

Senator Returns After Hard Winter's Work.

WILL TAKE NEEDED REST

He Expresses Satisfaction That Oregon Has at Last Full Delegation at Washington and Praises Bourne.

Charles W. Fulton, United States Senator from Oregon, tired and worn from his long Winter's work at Washington, arrived in Portland at 1 o'clock yesterday morning and left last night for his well-earned rest. On his arrival, Senator Fulton went to the Portland Hotel, and in spite of the fact that his arrival was unannounced his entire day and up almost to the hour of his leaving for home was taken up in receiving calls from his friends and from politicians of past and present greatness.

TWO HUSBANDS DESERTERS

Lonely Women Ask Aid of Police in Finding Them.

Two women came to the Police Station yesterday with tales of desertion by their husbands. Mrs. Vinson, who is staying at the Hotel Hood, reported her husband left her room yesterday at 3:30 P. M., and stated he was going to the depot to buy tickets for Briggs, Ore. He has \$700 in his possession and had been drinking. He did not return during the evening.

FULFILLING

Telegraphers' Union Completes Permanent Organization.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

Bourne Is Well Liked.

Senator Bourne will, according to Senator Fulton, remain in Washington for at least two months. Senator Fulton spoke in high praise of the splendid impression Senator Bourne has made in Washington and expressed his opinion that Senator Bourne will accomplish great things for Oregon at Washington. Ex-Senator Mulkey was also complimented by Senator Fulton.

MAKER OF MENS CLOTHES

231 WASHINGTON ST. PORTLAND OREGON. The makers of men's clothes, offering a wide variety of styles and materials at low prices.

FANATIC DOES ODD STUNT

at Garage Fire

ALPHONSE GAUTREAU

one of the charter members of the Tongues of Fire sect, gave a free musical entertainment and delivered a masterful sermon yesterday morning when the Becker garage and seven big automobiles were going up in smoke.

ONE YEAR AGO SMITH WAS A STRICTLY WHOLESALE BUTCHER,

selling direct to the retail meat markets of this city. At the request of the Beef Trust, who wished to control ALL the meat trade of the city, the retail butchers boycotted Smith. Smith turned to the public and offered meat at wholesale prices. The people came to Smith, and thus did the Beef Trust fail to monopolize the meat trade of our city. The people have stood by Smith, and Smith will stand by the people.

FRANK L. SMITH MEAT CO.

226-228 Alder Street, Between First and Second Streets.

"FIGHTING THE BEEF TRUST"

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|-------------------------|---------|---------------------|---------|
| BEEF 3c TO 15c. | | LAMB 5c TO 15c. | |
| Soup Meat | 3c | Veal Rump Roast | 15c |
| Beef Kidneys | 5c | Loin Roast Veal | 15c |
| Beef Stew | 5c | Rib Roast Veal | 15c |
| Necks, to boil | 5c | Loin Veal Cutlets | 15c |
| Brisket Beef | 5c | Rib Veal Cutlets | 15c |
| Liver | 5c | Calves' Liver | 15c |
| Oxtails, per pound | 5c | PORK 5c TO 15c. | |
| Corned Beef | 6c | Pigs' Heads | 5c |
| Shoulder Steak | 8c | Pigs' Feet | 5c |
| Shoulder Roast | 8c | Pork Sausage | 10c |
| Pot Roast Beef | 8c | Our Own Pure Lard | 12c |
| Rump Roast Beef | 8c | Legs of Pork | 12 1/2c |
| Hamburg Steak | 8c | Side Pork | 12 1/2c |
| Tripe | 8c | Pork Shoulder Roast | 12 1/2c |
| Prime Rib Roast | 10c | Leaf Lard | 12 1/2c |
| Best Round Steak | 10c | Pickled Pork | 12 1/2c |
| Brains | 10c | Pork Chops | 15c |
| Sirloin Steak | 12 1/2c | Pork Loin Roast | 15c |
| Steak | 12 1/2c | Pork Steak | 15c |
| Rolled Rib Roast | 12 1/2c | Our Own Hams | 17 1/2c |
| Beef Rib Steak | 12 1/2c | Our Own Bacon | 17 1/2c |
| Beef Loin Steak | 12 1/2c | | |
| Fancy Porterhouse Steak | 15c | | |
| Fancy "T"-Bone Steak | 15c | | |
| Beef Tongues, each | 45c | | |
| VEAL 6c TO 15c. | | | |
| Veal for Broth | 6c | | |
| Veal for Stewing | 8c | | |
| Breast of Veal | 10c | | |
| Shoulder Roast Veal | 10c | | |
| Leg Roast of Veal | 12 1/2c | | |