

Today Circus Day—Out-of-Town Visitors Are Invited to Make Themselves at Home Here

# The Meier & Frank Store's Great 50th "Anniversary Sales"

## 500 Short Kimonos \$1.18

**\$1.75 Waists at \$ .69** **\$2.25 Waists at \$ .89**  
**\$2.75 Waists at \$1.18** **\$3.25 Waists at \$1.38**

Great Monday sale of 500 handsome new short Kimonos, in dotted Swiss, white and flowered design; Dutch neck and trimmed with one-inch satin bands of white, pink, blue and lavender; very pretty styles; large variety, all sizes; grand values, on sale at, each, **\$1.18**. Our entire stock of Summer Shirtwaists on sale at very special prices; lawns, cottons, mulls, lins, Swiss, etc., etc. This season's most desirable styles, in plain tailored or fancy lace and embroidery trimmed. Great assortment—entire stock is included. On sale at the following prices: **Waists worth up to \$1.75 on sale for, ea. 69c** **Waists worth up to \$2.25, on sale for, ea. 89c** **Waists worth up to \$2.75, on sale for \$1.18** **Waists worth up to \$3.25, on sale for \$1.38**

## \$2 Long Silk Gloves 98c Pr

### 16-Button Length Chamois Gloves at \$1.98 Pair

Another great 98c sale of women's long silk Gloves, 2000 pairs; full 16-button lengths; good heavy quality silk and double finger tips; black, white and a broken line of colorings. Best regular \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 values, on sale while **98c** they last at this wonderfully low price, the pair. Special lot of extra heavy Silk Gloves, 16-button length, double finger tips; black, white, brown, tan, navy; mousquetaire style; all sizes. Best regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 values, on sale at this special low price, pair, **\$1.79**. Women's 20-button length extra heavy quality Silk Gloves, in black, white, pink and light blue; double finger tips; all sizes. Regular \$2.50 quality, at pair, **\$1.98**. Women's 16-button length Chamois Gloves—superior quality; natural color, mousquetaire style, wide top; best regular \$3.00 values, on sale at this low price, pair, **\$1.98**. Regular \$4 heavy Cape Walking Gloves, at the pair, **\$3.40**

## Women's Fine \$5.00 Shoes at \$3.65 Pair

In the Big Shoe Store, for today, tomorrow and Wednesday, a sale extraordinary of women's fine shoes and Oxfords, with hand-torn or hand-welt soles; patent coil, patent kid, vici kid or gunmetal leathers. This season's very best lasts. Lace, Blucher or button, plain or tipped toes; Cuban, military or French heels; America's finest footwear. Anticipate your Winter needs. On sale at this special low price, the pair, **\$3.65**

## Women's Handkerchief Sale

Women's plain white soft mercerized Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, 1/4-inch hem, at one-half regular price; best regular 10c values, on sale at, each, **5c**. Women's novelty colored Handkerchiefs, plain white, 1/4-inch hemstitch, each, **5c**. Women's plain white fancy Handkerchiefs, 1/4-inch hemstitch and lace insertion. Best regular 15c values, on sale at this special low price, each, **9c**. Women's embroidered Swiss Handkerchiefs, scalloped and hemstitched border; beautiful designs; best 25c values, on sale at this low price, each, **15c**. Women's white lawn Crossbar Handkerchiefs, lace edge; large variety of patterns to choose from; regular 25c values, at this special reduction, each, **14c**. Women's fine embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched and scalloped border, beautiful patterns; best regular 50c values, on sale at, each, **29c**. Women's fine French Embroidered Handkerchiefs, a broken line of initials; magnificent styles. Regular 75c values, on sale at this low price, ea. **47c**

## \$60 Wilton Rugs \$49.85

### Art Squares \$4.50 to \$6.00

In the Carpet Store for today, Tuesday and Wednesday a great special lot of 50 magnificent French Wilton Rugs, all new designs; beautiful rich colorings; rugs of the highest class and guaranteed quality; size 9x12 feet. Regular \$60 values; your, **\$49.85** choice of these 50 Rugs special, each.

## Drug Sundries, Notions and Stationery Specials

5000 French Tooth Brushes, every one guaranteed regular \$25 value, **16c**. Hand Scrub Brushes, best quality unbleached bristles; great special value at **1c**. 1000 Colgate Toilet Brushes, regular \$20 value, on sale at, each, **20c**. 5000 bars fine Toilet Soap, nicely scented; great value on sale at, per dozen, **25c**. 26,000 bars of the celebrated "Fairy" Soap—its floats—great value on sale at, per dozen, **35c**. Life Buoy Soap—cleanses and disinfects; great value on sale at, per cake, **4c**. Toilet Soap—Talcum and Toilet Powder; at this low price, **19c**. Violet Ammonia for the toilet—great special value, on sale at, the bottle, **12c**. Mayer's fine Medicated Toilet Soaps—on sale at this special price, 3 cakes for, **25c**. 50c Perfumes, all the popular odors; great value, on sale at, per ounce, special, **29c**. MacFarland's Toilet Soap—great special value, on sale at, per cake, **35c**. "Rainier" Soap, best mineral soap made; on sale at, special, 3 cakes for, **10c**. 100 and 150 Envelopes, white and cream-finished; linen and plate surface; package, **7c**. 15c white Crepe Paper Napkins, great special value, on sale at, per hundred, **19c**. Initial Paper of best quality; on sale at, per green, blue or gold; the best regular 65c values, to be closed out at this remarkably low price, pkg., **39c**

## Clean-up Sale Women's Apparel

### Wash Dresses, Vals. to \$12 at \$1.98

### White Skirts, Values to \$12 at \$1.98

Great special line of women's and misses' Summer Wash Dresses in Princess, shirtwaist and in jumper styles; plain, pleated, fancy tucked, lace-trimmed or college blouse waists; white, black, light blue, pink, lavender, gray, white with red, blue and white polka dots, fancy stripes, light blue and pink checks etc., in gingham, percales, India lawns, etc.; all sizes; regular **\$1.98** lar values up to \$12.00, to be cleaned up today at this unusually low price, each. Women's white linen and rep Walking Skirts, pleated, kilt and plain flared effects, trimmed with folds around the bottom; others embroidery-trimmed; values up to \$12, on sale at, each, **\$1.98**. Women's white linen, and rep Walking Skirts, values to \$5.00, on sale at this low price, ea. **98c**. Marvelous values in women's Tailored Suits, made with Eton and pony coats, semi-fitting, tight-fitting and three-button cutaway coats, in checks, stripes, invisible plaids and plain colorings; leather shades, champagne, light blue, navy blue and black, in Panama cloths, enamines, voiles, fancy tweeds and fancy worsteds—all good, desirable suits, at prices that come far from covering the manufacturing cost alone. See them. On sale at the following special low prices: **\$18 Suits on sale for \$7.85** **\$30 Suits on sale for \$14.85** **\$38 Suits on sale for \$18.45**. High-class Tailored Suits, regular \$45.00 to \$75.00 values, on sale at **ONE-HALF REG. PRICES**. All white linen and pongee Coats on sale at the special reduction of **ONE-HALF REG. PRICES**. Great special values in Walking Skirts, in all grades; take advantage. See them on Second Floor. Great special values in misses' and children's School Apparel. On Second Floor—take advantage.

## \$6.50 to \$25 Curtains at 1-3 Off

25 patterns of magnificent Lace Curtains, \$6.50 to \$25.00 values. Clunys, Marie Antoinettes, Irish points, Renaissance; not over two pairs of any one pattern; special, **1/3 off**. White Nottingham Lace Curtains, new patterns, all the season's best merchandise; 50 to 60 inches wide, 3 yards long. Plain, Point d'Esprit and floral centers, with neat borders. Not over four pairs of any one pattern. Great bargains, on sale at the following unusually low prices, pair: Regular \$1.25 values, pr. **95c** Regular \$2.00 values, pr. **\$1.45** Regular \$2.50 vals., pr. **\$1.95**

## Lace, Embroidery Specials

### \$25 Robes \$8; \$35 at \$12

3000 yards of Swiss and Cambrie Embroidery and Insertion—neat and serviceable designs; 1 to 5 inches wide; regular values up to 25c, **10c** a yard, on sale at this low price, yd. 500 yards of fine Allover Embroideries in Swiss and Batiste, for lingerie waists; good assortment of patterns; values up to \$3, **\$1.19** the yard, on sale at this low price. 1000 yards of French Embroidery in heavy cambric for skirts, etc.; 3 to 5 ins. wide; **18c** values up to 30c the yard; choice, yd. 5000 yards of imitation Torchon Lace and Insertion, 1 to 4 inches wide; 12c vals.; buy all you want at this low price, the yard, **4c**. 2000 yards of Point de Paris Lace and Insertion, 1 to 5 inches wide; best patterns, values **8c** to 20c; your choice at this low price, yd. Beautiful Batiste Robes, white and colored; this season's magnificent styles, at these low prices: Values to \$25 for **\$8** Values to \$35 for **\$12**

## 500 Women's Night Gowns

### THESE ARE ALL HIGH-GRADE VALUES

A sensational offering of women's high-grade Nightgowns; materials of fine nainsook, cambric and muslin, made high neck, low neck, round neck and square neck; slipover styles, long and short sleeves; trimmed in dainty laces, embroideries, beadings, ribbons, medallions, tucks; full widths, etc.; all new, fine Night Dresses, at exceptionally low prices: **\$1.50 Nightgowns on sale at, special, 98c** **\$1.75 and \$2.00 Nightgowns on sale at, \$1.20** **\$2.50 and \$3.00 Nightgowns on sale at, \$1.69** **\$3.50 and \$4.00 Nightgowns on sale at, \$2.29** **\$5.00 and \$6.00 Nightgowns on sale at, \$3.48** **\$7.50 to \$8.50 Nightgowns on sale at, \$5.18**. Odds and ends in fancy Back Combs, immense variety; best styles; values to \$1.0, **1/2 Price** at, each. Genuine Coral Bead Necklaces, at, each, **59c**

### STRIKERS FEEL ENCOURAGED

#### HOPEFUL LETTERS EXCHANGED WITH OTHER CITIES.

#### Managers of Telegraph Companies Report They Have Force to Send Out All Business Offered.

Cheering news was received at the headquarters of the striking telegraphers at the Emmons Hotel yesterday from various cities throughout the United States, and similar messages were mailed from here to the men formerly behind the keys in other cities. Not a man has deserted the ranks of the striking telegraphers during the past few days.

A committee from the Telegraphers' Union visited a meeting of the freight-handlers yesterday, and the speeches of the strikers were received with cheers. The freight-handlers declared that they would do all in their power to help the telegraphers, saying that the move of the Federated Trades Council in promising support to the strikers met with their approval.

Two telegraphers appeared at the Emmons yesterday morning and declared that they were with the circus and had just dropped around "to see how the boys are getting along." The visitors were soon convinced that the boys were getting along very well, and all were going to go out and see the elephant. There were no down-in-the-mouth men around the telegraphers' headquarters all day yesterday, although so many went to church that the rooms looked deserted for a time.

Letters received from Knoxville, Augusta, Atlanta and El Paso declared that "all the boys are very jovial and enthusiastic." The local operators say that they had a wire from Louisville yesterday denying the report that the operators there had gone back to work.

A delegation of the strikers recently called on the officers of the Chamber of Commerce and asked that organization to take some action toward aiding the men in their efforts for getting better pay. As yet, the commercial body has not taken any action in the matter, but it is thought that it will do so soon.

The members of the Telegraphers' Union are making plans for a gala time at their benefit ball, to be given in Marlark Hall, twenty-third and Washington streets, next Thursday night. There will be many unique electric decorations, and telegraph instruments will be placed in booths along the sides of the hall, so, besides talking, there will be plenty of dot-and-dash gossip.

Manager John Annand, of the local Postal office, said last night that six men, including the chief operator and himself, were at work here. "We had all of our wires clear at 10 o'clock last night," said Mr. Annand.

### MORRIS DUE HERE TODAY

#### CASHIER OF DEFUNCT BANK COMES FROM EAST.

#### Scapegoat of Failure Will Have Chance to Shoulder Blame or Accuse Other Officials.

Interest in the failure of the Oregon Trust & Savings Bank now centers in the return of Cashier W. Cooper Morris, who is expected to reach the city today. It was only with Mr. Morris he able to tell of the failure of his hurried trip East, which was a forlorn hope to save the bank from the crash that overtook it or at least to postpone the inevitable, but he will be asked to explain his alleged transactions in high finance charged to him by other bank officials who accuse him of handling the bank's money with a recklessness that they characterize as criminal.

As yet Cashier Morris has had no chance to defend himself, but has been made the scapegoat of both president and directors of the defunct institution. What he will have to say and whether he will attempt to shift the blame upon the others or will accept the odium for the failure will be of importance to all who are interested in fixing the responsibility for the disaster to the bank.

No progress was made yesterday in the slow work of listing the bank's visible assets, but this will be resumed this morning. President Moore did not go to the bank yesterday, and Receiver Devlin did not prosecute his task as usual. A report to depositors, showing what they may reasonably expect in the way of dividends, will be made by the receiver just as soon as the accounts can be gone over.

Meanwhile additions to the list of depositors who are asking for telephone securities in lieu of their deposits continue to be made. Additions to the list already published to the amount of nearly \$12,000 have been made voluntarily by the receiver. This feature of the situation is regarded as most favorable to a satisfactory settlement of the claims of the bank's creditors.

The suitcases full of securities taken East by Cashier Morris to hypothecate for funds to tide the bank over its difficulty did not arrive yesterday, so far as known, but this is thought to be due to the fact that the express companies do not make deliveries on Sunday, and the bonds are doubtless already in the Wells-Fargo vaults.

#### DISTRICT NEEDS HYDRANTS

Without Them Highland Engine Company Will Be Handicapped.

The Fire Department will install, at Highland September 1, a fire engine which will afford excellent protection to a wide district. The engine-house

#### ON SALE TODAY.

Sample lines of Muslim Underwear, White Lawn Waists, Hosiery, Corsets, and Knit Underwear at about 60 cents on the dollar. New Fall Suits and Dress Goods now on display. McAllen & McDonnell. The store noted for best goods at lowest prices.

Illinois Pastor Speaks.

Rev. Charles Gorman Richards, of Sterling, Ill., spoke at the First Presbyterian church last night, taking for his subject "Christ's Commentary on the Lord's Supper."

### SELLS BEER FROM GRIP

#### DETECTIVES ARREST SALOON-KEEPER WHO TURNS VENDOR.

#### Two Other Violations of Sunday-Closing Law in Portland and One at Linnton.

Peddling liquor from a grip is the latest method tried Sunday by the would-be samaritans in the thrat-quenching line, and L. Wise, a saloon-keeper at Eighth and Gilson streets, is the man caught in the act of using this method to dispose of his wet goods in violation of John Manning's edict.

Acting Detectives Larfield and Newell, two of the latest acquisitions to the police force, were the wily sleuths to "get wise" to Mr. Wise's little game. They witnessed a transaction whereby a man employed in the terminal yards was made the possessor of a bottle of beer, but did not see any money change hands. It is supposed that the rail-roader has an account with Wise and got the fluid by a previous agreement.

#### ARRANGE FOR TAFT'S VISIT

Development League Will Soon Complete Its Plans.

The Commercial Club has received a telegram from Washington announcing that Secretary Taft's party will arrive in Portland Thursday night, September 5, from Denver. Those traveling with the Secretary are Mrs. Taft, their 10-year-old son Charles, General Clarence R. Edwards and Mrs. Edwards. The remainder of the party will have apartments at the Hotel Portland.

#### THEY ARE BEAUTIES.

The new waists that just arrived at Le Palais Royal. Call and see them. 375 Washington street.

Brass Furnace Explodes.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 25.—(Special.) The brass furnace in Douglas Brothers' foundry exploded Friday, when the employees of the foundry were all at work. Molten brass was scattered in all directions but no one was injured.

### SMITH'S DAILY ROUND-UP

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In Chicago the Beef Trust makes it a practice to freeze all surplus cuts of meat, such as loins of pork, loins of beef, etc. These are often held in cold storage six months and even a year and are then shipped any place the Beef Trust finds a market. Tons of this thawed-out frozen stuff is being shipped here and sold in Portland and vicinity under the name of fresh Oregon meat. When you get a piece of tasteless, straw-tasting soft meat, class it up as the thawed-out article.

Smith's meats are exclusively Smith's. All selected on Oregon ranges and dressed in our own city abattoir.

Choice Veal Steaks.....15c  
Choice Veal Outlets of the leg...15c  
Choice Veal Shoulder Outlets...12c  
Choice Veal Shoulder Roasts...10c  
Breast Veal.....8c  
Steaming Veal.....8c  
Excellent Veal Rump Roasts...10c

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Fine Sirloin Steak.....11c  
Extra Tenderloin Steak.....11c  
Best Loin Steak and Flatbone Steak.....11c  
All other cuts of Beef, Pork and Lamb same as usual.

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