Merchandise Purchased on Credit Today, Monday and Tuesday Will Go on April Account—Portland's Largest and Best Store

Open Tonight Until 9:30

Meier & Frank's Saturday Shopping Bulletin

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"Merry Widow" Sailors LARGE SIZE TRIMMED

$7.50 Values at $4.25 Each

For today in the Millinery Department, Second Floor, a timely offering of the popular "Merry Widow" large Sailor Hats at a tempting low price—about 150 of these fine split straw braid trimmed with large bows of fancy silk gold band and buckle—Black, navy, brown, champagne, and Copenhagen blue—New, stylish, up-to-date headgear at about one-half real value—An unusual opportunity to buy your Easter bonnet at a big saving—Come early if you want one at only **$4.25**

Misses'---Children's $6 Leghorns at $3

Special lot of misses' and children's Leghorn and Body Hats, trimmed in flowers, ribbon and silk, very pretty styles; the best regular values up to $6.00 each, on sale today, while they last, at this unusually low price, each.. **$3.00**

WE ARE PORTLAND AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK PATTERNS

Women's-Misses' Short Topco'ts

$7.50 Values Reduced to $4.85

Saturday sale of women's and misses' new short Topcoats in fancy tan and gray checks, stripes, plaids and mixtures—Made double breasted with black velvet collar—A jaunty and serviceable outer garment for Spring and Summer wear—All sizes—Regular $7.50 values at, each.... **$4.85**

Misses'-Childs' Apparel

Misses' and children's white Dresses in organdy, dotted net, Swiss and lawn materials, trimmed with lace, embroidery and insertion; well made and finished; handsome styles; ages 4 to 14 years. On sale at, special, each.. **$2.25** to **$15.00**

Misses' and children's Jumper Dresses, made of blue chambray, trimmed straps, full skirt, white waist of lawn material, with tucks; ages 6 to 14 years; great special value, on sale at this low price, each.. **$1.75**

Misses' and children's Box Coats, in ¾-length styles; navy, blue, red and gray; double-breasted, lined throughout; ages 6 to 14 years; each.. **$6.50**

"WILLAMETTE" SEWING MACHINES $18.00 TO $35.00 EACH

Sale of Groceries, Provisions

PHONE ORDERS—CALL EXCHANGE 4 OR HOME A 6101

Best Navel Oranges, at, the dozen. **20¢**
6 packages Korn Kinks for only. **25¢**
1-lb. jar Sliced Beef on sale for. **25¢**
Climax Egg Noodles, this sale for. **10¢**
Climax Macaroni, in this sale for. **10¢**
Imperial Nut Butter, 15c 25c and.. **45¢**
Box of Macaroni on sale for only. **40¢**
Bon Ami, "Neverscratches," 3 for. **25¢**
Sapolio, in this sale at, per cake.. **7¢**
6 packages Searchlight Matches at. **25¢**
6 packages of Press Matches, only. **25¢**

"Victor" Flour equal to the best—full weight, 50-lb. sacks—guaranteed the best flour money can buy—your choice for this sale at the exceptionally low price, per sack $1.35

P. & G. Naptha Soap, at, the cake. **5¢**
Fels Naptha Soap, on sale at, cake. **5¢**
1 gallon Log Cabin Maple Syrup. **$1.25**
½ gallon Log Cabin Maple Syrup. **68¢**
1-lb. pkg. Honeysuckle Raisins for. **10¢**
3 cans String Beans on sale for. **25¢**
9-lb. sack of Cream Rolled Oats for. **45¢**
10-lb. sack of Corn Meal for only. **27¢**
6 packages Birdseye Matches only. **25¢**
3 cans of Gold Dust Tomatoes for. **25¢**
3 cans of Export Corn on sale for. **25¢**
2 cans Alpha Corn, this sale, only. **25¢**
17 pounds Granulated Sugar for. **$1.00**
3 2-lb. cans Sultan Pineapple for. **50¢**
1 2-lb. can Singapore Pineapple for. **15¢**
1 1-lb. can of Sultan Pineapple for. **10¢**
3 1-lb. cans of Van Camp's Pork and Beans on sale at the low price of. **25¢**
1 lb. Ghirardelli's Gr'd Chocolate. **29¢**
3 cans Carnation Cream for only. **25¢**

100,000 lbs. of Meier & Frank's famous Mocha and Java Coffee—Equal to the best 40c coffee—Buy all you want today, at this low price per lb. 23c

Postum or Figprune Cereal for. **20¢**
3 pkgs. Malta Vita on sale for only. **25¢**
2 pkgs. Grape-Nuts, in this sale at. **25¢**
2 cans A. & L. Oysters, for only. **25¢**
3 cans Sunset Mackerel for only. **50¢**
Lea & Perrins' Sauce, 25c, 45c and **85¢**
Durkee's Salad Dressing, 10c 25c.. **45¢**
2 jars McLaren's Cheese, this sale. **25¢**
1 quart C. & B. Lucca Oil for only. **70¢**
Fram's Smoked Sardines at only. **10¢**

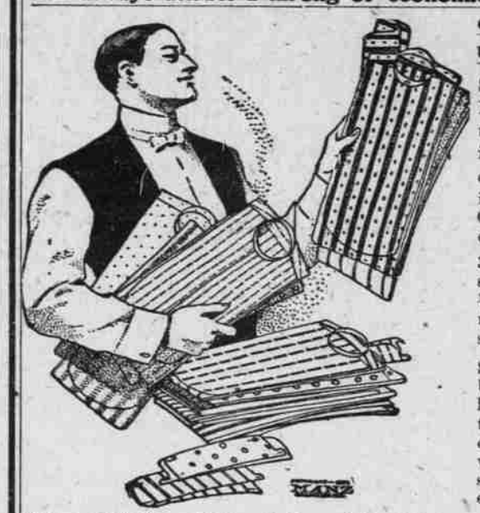
Free delivery to all parts of the city—Phone orders promptly filled

Men's Negligee Shirts for $1.39

Men's 35c Handkerchiefs at 19c

Men's $5.00 Umbrellas $2.85

Our weekly Saturday bargains in the Men's Furnishing Goods section always attract a throng of economical buyers—And today's offering will prove unusually interesting to you



Special lot of 100 dozen men's Negligee Shirts, with soft attached collar; genuine soisettes, in tan, blue, white, pink and champagne; well made and finished; perfect fitting; all sizes. Greatest values ever offered at, sp'l., ea **$1.39**

300 doz. men's pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, ¼ and ½-inch hems, beautiful quality; regular 35c values, on sale at, special, each... **19c**

Special lot of men's high-grade Umbrellas, guaranteed silk and linen coverings, steel rod; beautiful assortment of fancy handles. The best regular $5.00 values, on sale today at this special low price, ea.—take advantage.. **$2.85**

"Cooper's" Form-Fitting Spring-weight Underwear in blue, pink, salmon and tan shades, all sizes shirts and drawers; special value, per garment. **89c**

Reg. $4.50 Sweater Coats at $2.69 Each

Special line of Sweater Coats for women and men, in white, Oxfords and red; large pearl buttons; best make. The best regular $4.50 values, to be sold today only at this exceptionally low price, each—take advantage. **$2.69**

Special lot men's full size muslin Nightshirts, plain white or fancy trim'd, low collar or military style; all sizes; great value; today only at, each. **43c**

New Spring Derbys and Soft Hats now ready, at prices from $2.00 to $6.00 each.

PORTLAND AGENTS FOR "RAMIE" LINEN MESH UNDERWEAR

6 to 9:30 P. M. Specials

20c VESTS THIS SALE 9c EA.

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, women's ribbed Cotton Undervests, low neck and sleeveless, well made; in all sizes; regular 20c values, on sale at, ea.. **9c**

75c HAND BAGS AT 42c EA.

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, women's and children's Handbags; good quality walrus leather, several shapes, best shades; 75c values, each. **42c**

WOMEN'S 'KERCHIEFS AT 8c

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, 100 dozen women's fancy colored novelty Handkerchiefs; checks and crossbar; ¼-in. hemstitching; wonderful value at.. **8c**

25c EMBR'D COLLARS, 12c

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, women's slightly soiled embroidered, starched Collars, white and colors; sizes 12 to 15; regular 25c values, each. **12c**

15c RIBBONS AT 9c YARD

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, 2500 yards of plain Taffeta Ribbon, 1½ to 3 inches wide, for hair ribbons; black, white and all leading shades; 15c values, yard. **9¢**

50c VEIL PINS AT 28c EACH

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, special lot of Veil Pins, new patterns in gold and enamel, all colors; best reg. 50c values, on sale at, special, each. **28c**

$1.00 BELT PINS AT 49c EA.

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, large variety of Belt Pins in gold, silver and antique finishes; very pretty designs, $1 values, on sale at, special, each.. **49c**

BOYS' UNDERWEAR AT 15c

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, great special sale of boys' medium and heavy-weight ribbed Underwear, in gray, brown and blue, all sizes shirts and drawers; reg. 35c-50c values, special. **15c**

Great Saturday bargains in all lines of men's Furnishing Goods. Great values.

5000 YDS. SILKOLINE, 9c YD.

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, 5000 yards of fancy Silkolines, in light grounds, with floral designs, all colors; great variety and wonderful value, yard.. **9c**

SCOTCH LAPPET AT 7½c YD.

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, five patterns of Scotch Lappet for sash and long curtains, stripes only; regular 10c value, on sale at, special, yard. **7½c**

LAWN MOWERS AT $3.59

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, four-blade Lawn Mowers, 14-inch; regular $4.50 values, at, each.. **$3.59**
35c Grass Shears on sale for, pair. **27¢**

LADIES' $1.50 GOWNS, 79c

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, special lot of cambric and nainsook Gowns, low, round and square necks, long and short sleeves; $1.25-$1.50 values, each.. **79c**

CHILDREN'S CORSET WAISTS

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, 100 dozen children's Knit Corset Waists, ages 1 to 12 years; regular 20c values, on sale at this special price, ea.. **14c**

15c TOWELS AT 10c EACH

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, 100 dozen hemmed linen Huck Towels, the best regular 15c values; buy all you want of them at, special, each.. **10c**

100 DOZ. BATH TOWELS, 7c

On sale tonight, 6 to 9:30, 100 dozen bleached Turkish Bath Towels; best 12c values; buy all you want of them at this unusually low price, each.. **7c**

THE "BARRIER" $1.18 COPY

In the Book Department, The Barrier, a new book by Rex. Beach, author of "The Spoilers"; illustrated. It is a buoyant, bracing story of the last frontier—of Alaska—a story of primitive passions, of overpowering romance, of rough, picturesque conditions in a new country.

Men's New Spring Suits

$18 Vals. $12.85

For today in the Men's Clothing store, Second Floor, a sale extraordinary of new Spring Suits at a sensationally low price—all the newest and most approved fashions and materials selling regularly at $18.00, your choice at $12.85—Included will be found light and dark gray worsteds, fancy tweeds and cheviots in neat stylish patterns, plaids, checks, stripes, every garment well-made and finished throughout, best Italian serge lining and Alpaca lining, sizes 35 to 42—Made in 3-button single or double breasted sack coat—Fine apparel suitable for business or dress wear—Several lines of young men's Suits are included in this exceptional offering—Regular $18.00 values, your choice for today only at the suit **$12.85**

See the Morrison Street Window Display

PORTLAND AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED "NEMO" CORSET

15c Sheet Music Sale

All the new, up-to-date songs to be sold today at 15c per copy. Included will be found "School Days," "Tropical Moon," "Poor John," "Moonbeams," "Red Wing," "Buffalo Kate," "Night and Day," "I'm Afraid to Go Home," "She Was a Grand Old Lady," "Monterey," "To You, Dear Heart," "Dreaming," "Love Me and the World Is Mine," "Honby Boy," and many others. On sale today only, your choice at this unusually low price, per copy. **15c**

"My Marguerite" Every music-lover realizes the fact that the standard of popular music is gradually being raised. This new ballad by Russel is a classic and appeals to every one who appreciates the beautiful in music; today only, on sale at, the copy. **15c**

Kremer's Dance Folio, containing 10 late waltzes and two-steps; on sale, special, for today only, at this unusually low price, each—take advantage. **17c**

"DEPENDABLE" GARDEN SEEDS ARE THE BEST—PLANT NOW

Women's and Children's Hosiery at Very Spec'l Prices

500 pairs of boys' and girls' good strong black ribbed cotton Hose, seamless foot and fast colors, all sizes; the best regular 20c values, on sale at this special low price, the pair. **11c**

500 pairs of boys' and girls' extra strong quality black ribbed cotton Hose, double knees, heel and toe, all sizes; best 25c vals., pr. **17c**

1000 pairs of boys' and girls' black worsted Hose, well made, fast color, all sizes; 40c values.. **23¢**

500 pairs of women's black and tan seamless cotton Hose, fast color and good wearing quality; all sizes; 20c values, at, pair. **11c**

500 pairs of women's extra fine gauze black cotton Hose, seamless leg and foot; regular 25c values, on sale at, special, pair. **17c**

1000 pairs of women's fine quality tan and black gauze lisle Hose, seamless foot and fast color, all sizes; 40c values, on sale at, pr. **27c**

PORTLAND AGENTS FOR "OSTERMOOR" FELT MATTRESSES

3000 Pieces Ladies' Underwear

45c Values Reduced to 22c a Garment

Great Saturday sale of 3000 pieces of women's Knit Underwear at a very low price. The assortment includes lace-trimmed vests and fancy yoke vests and lace-trimmed umbrella pants; large variety; all sizes; regular 45c values, today. **22c**
Misses' and children's Spring weight Underwear on sale at special low prices.

"Squaw" Handbags

Very Low Priced

Special sale of women's "Squaw" Handbags, made of good calfskin leathers; black, tan, brown; grand bargains, at these prices:
50c values at **29¢** 65c values at **39¢**
85c values at **69¢** $1.25 values at **98¢**
$1.00 cut-steel Belt Buckles, at, each. **50¢**

SPREAD NEWS OF FESTIVAL

THOUSANDS OF INVITATIONS WILL BE SENT OUT.

Citizens Will Be Given Postcards and Letters Inserts to Tell Friends of Carnival.

The 10,000 special invitations to be sent to President Roosevelt, members of his Cabinet, the diplomatic corps, members of Congress, Governors and other state officials, and distinguished citizens of the country to attend the Rose Festival in June, will be printed early next week, and be ready for mailing a few days later. Officers of army and navy, as well as the leading newspapers of the country, are to be included in the list of those to whom invitations will be sent. Special requests will be made of newspapers to send correspondents here during the celebration.

The 250,000 issue of revised and official programmes of the six days and six nights' events, in insert form, will be ready for distribution not later than the middle of next week. These inserts contain a brief summary of the different features of the whole week, including parades, floral expositions, athletic and social events. All business houses, merchants, hotels, restaurants, public schools, clubs and other organizations will be provided with these artistic little inserts in the official colors of the Festival. While the Festival management will attempt to distribute them generally, all those who desire to use them for mailing purpose may secure as many as needed by sending a messenger to Festival headquarters any time after they have been issued, the date of which will be announced in the daily papers.

There will also be issued 100,000 postcards containing the official programme of the festival week, but they will not be ready for a week or more, and they can be secured at the proper time. These post-cards and inserts will be among the neatest advertising "dodgers" that have ever been sent out from the Northwest, and effort will be made to see that all the leading hotels and news-stands of the country are provided with them.

Next week Architect Lewis will let the contract for the $500 "Arch of Welcome," the appropriation for which was authorized by the passage of the Annand ordinance at the adjourned meeting of the City Council, Thursday afternoon. The arch is to be located at the Union Depot, crossing Sixth street at Irving, and is to be completed in time for the opening of the festival. Although it will be only temporary in character, it is expected that some scheme may be devised by which it can be perpetuated. It will be equipped with an illuminated sign bearing the word "Welcome." Under this arch Mayor Lane will present the keys of the city to King Rex upon his arrival Monday noon, June 1.

G. B. Thomas, representing the Festival management in the negotiations for the Astoria float, returned from Astoria last night, and said that the meeting at which it was decided to come in and help make the jubilee a rousing success was one of the most harmonious and enthusiastic sessions of that kind he has ever attended.

"Astoria is putting its shoulder to the wheel to a man," said Thomas, "and if other cities displayed the same fine spirit and team work, Portland wouldn't hold the crowds that will be here in June.

SATURDAY SPECIALS.

Long Kid Gloves $2.38 a pair; long Silk Gloves, double tipped, $1.47 a pair; two-clasp Kid Gloves, 95c a pair; women's 25c Stockings, 12½c a pair; 34-inch colored Dress Linens, 23c; 50c corset-covers, 29c; men's 25c sox, 12½c; boy's Shirts, 19c. McAllen & McDonnell. The store noted for best goods at lowest prices. *

Shepherd Files Petition.

SALEM, Or., March 27.—(Special.)—The petition of George S. Shepherd, candidate for the Republican nomination as Representative in Congress from the Second district, was filed yesterday. The petition covers 14 out of the 16 counties in the district and contains 1788 signatures, 1280 being from Multnomah County. The number of signers necessary for this office is 567.

Olympia Beer. "It's the water." Brewery's own bottling. Phones, Main 671, A 2467. *

Try to Come to Smith's This Morning. That's Better Than Waiting for the Afternoon Crush.

No Cold-Storage Meats No Ice-Car Meats at Smith's

See That Smith's Name Is Over the Door Then Come in.

Honest Scales at Smith's

Our opponents have markets right up against us on both sides. When you are looking for Smith's avoid both of these markets. See that Smith's name is over the door and then come in.

FRANK L. SMITH MEAT CO.

"Fighting the Beef Trust"

226 ALDER STREET, BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND STS.

BEEF

All perfectly fresh Oregon Beef, cooled by the fresh-air method. No ice-car nor cold-storage Beef at Smith's.

Soup Bones ..... 3¢
Beef to Boil, Stew and Bake. 5¢-6¢
Short Ribs to Bake ..... 6¢
Pot Roasts of Beef ..... 7¢ and 8¢
Rib Roasts of Beef. 10¢ and 12½¢
Round Steak ..... 10¢
Small Porterhouse, Tenderloin and Sirloin Steaks ..... 12½¢
Smith's famous Sirloin Roasts of Beef, boneless ..... 12½¢
Hamburg Steak, fresh every hour, positively pure ..... 10¢
Prime Rib Roast of Beef, rolled, no bone ..... 15¢

VEAL

No other Veal like Smith's. Dressed in our own city abattoir.

Veal Sausage ..... 12½¢
Veal Breasts ..... 10¢
Veal Chops ..... 12½¢-15¢
Roast Veal ..... 10¢-12½¢
Veal Stew ..... 8¢-10¢
Veal Shanks ..... 6¢

Rolled Veal Roast, boneless... 15¢
Oregon Chickens, fancy dressed hens ..... 20¢
Oregon Turkeys ..... 20¢ to 25¢
Chinook Salmon ..... 15¢
Halibut, 3 lbs. for ..... 25¢
Olympia Oysters, pint ..... 30¢

PORK

Corn-fed Pork dressed in our own city abattoir.

Smith's pure, sugar-cured Breakfast Bacon, made from fine Oregon Pig Pork ..... 12½¢ and 15¢

Hams ..... 12½¢
Half a Ham, same price ..... 12½¢
Sliced Ham, from the center of the ham ..... 25¢
Sausage, fresh every hour, no adulterations, no preservatives—Smith's Sausage ..... 12½¢
Delicious Roasts of Pig Pork, sweet and full of flavor ..... 10¢
Center cuts of Shoulder Roast Pork and Shoulder Pork Chops... 12½¢
Pigs' Feet ..... 5¢
Pigs' Hocks ..... 8¢
Loin Roasts of Pork and Loin Pork Chops ..... 15¢
Spare Ribs ..... 12½¢
Fresh Side Pork ..... 12½¢
Legs of Pork ..... 12½¢
Pork Rib Roasts and Pork Rib Chops ..... 15¢
Sweet Pickle Pork ..... 12½¢
Leaf Lard ..... 12½¢
5-lb. Pail Smith's Pure Lard... 60¢