Have Lunch in Our New Restaurant, 7th Floor Annex-Portland Agents for "Nemo" and Mme. Irene Corsets, Estelle Corsets, Etc. Our Sheet Music Section—The Latest and Most Popular Music at the Lowest Prices—Fourth Floor—Take Any of Our Seven Elevators

Meier & Frank Store Great Sale of High-Grade Couch Cov'rs

Magnificent imported Velour Couch Covers, exact copies of silk rugs; come in reds, greens, rose, blue and brown; 60 inches wide, 3 yards long; beautiful styles for your selection; \$19.85 regular \$37.50 values, ea. Heavy double-faced Tapestry Couch Covers, Kelim patterns, dull colorings; 60 inches wide and 3 yards \$12.95 long; regular \$20.00 values Fine antique shadow warp Tapestry

Couch Covers, bullion fringe all around; deep, rich colorings; 3 yards \$9.65 long, 60 ins. wide; \$15 vals. Double-faced Tapestry Couch Coverstwo-tone red, green and blue effects; also figured designs in striking combinations; the best regular \$7.50 \$3.85 values, at this low price, ea.

Sample Line Of Women's Und'rmuslins at Low Prices

Sale extraordinary of a great sample line of 5000 pieces of women's fine Undermuslins-gowns, skirts, corset covers, drawers and combination garments in nainsook, eambrie, muslin and lawn, and trimmed in lace, embroidery, tucks, insertion, beading and ribbon-all fine grade undermuslins; the product of one of the best manufacturers in the country; values you can't afford to pass by. \$1.75 to \$2.50 Gowns, at, each. \$1.49 \$2.75 to \$4.00 Gowns, at, each. \$1.98 \$4.25 to \$5.00 Gowns, at, each. \$2.75 \$5.50 to \$8.00 Gowns, at, each. .\$3.93 Regular \$2.50 to \$18.00 Long Skirts, sale at, special, ea., \$1.39 to \$12.50 75c to \$3.50 Drawers, pr., 43c to \$1.98 Regular 85c to \$4.50 Corset Covers, on sale at this low price, ea., 69c to \$2.98 Combination Garments-corset cover and drawers; also corset cover and short skirt and chemise on sale as follows: \$2.00 to \$6.50 values, \$1.49 to \$3.98 Special lot of Chemise and two-piece combination garments, in lawn and nainsook; lace and embroidery-trim'd; \$2 to \$2.50 vals., ea. \$1.49

Steel Ranges at \$68 Steel Ranges at \$53

Peninsular Planished Steel Range, full nickel-trimmed; best model; best regular \$85.00 value, on sale \$68.00 at this special low price Peninsular Planished Steel Range, full nickel-trimmed; the best \$68.00 model; during this sale they are \$53.00 specially priced at, each \$85.00 Combination Coal \$73.00 and Gas Range, at, each \$45.00 Steel Range, at, each. .\$37.50 \$40.00 Steel Range, at, each. .\$33.00 The lowest prices on all Heating Stoves. Custom Shade and Drapery Work Our Specialty-Artistic Picture Framing-4th Floor

The Greater Meier & Frank Store "Harvest Sale" Offerings in All Departments

\$7.50 Net Curtains \$5.85 Pr | \$4.00 Allovers \$1.69 Yard Single Pairs Portieres 1/2 Price \$1.50 Embroideries 79c Strip

200 pairs of fine French Net Curtains—Clunys, Battenberg and Irish points; in hand-some patterns and styles; 2½ and 3 yards long; regular \$7.50 values, pair..\$5.85 Single pairs of Portieres, all new shades and colorings, consisting of tapestries and 1/2 French Silks; magnificent designs and colorings; \$5 to \$25 values, on sale at 1000 pairs fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, madras weave; white, ecru, \$2.35 cream; best designs, 3 yards long, 50 inches wide; special values, at, pair \$2.35 1500 yards of Scotch and French Madras in all the leading shades and \$1.45 patterns; best regular \$2.50 values, on sale at this special low price, yard 1000 yards of Drapery and Kimono Silks, in floral and Oriental designs; great 48c special value—buy all you want of it at this low price, yard—take advantage

Men's \$25 Fall Suits \$



A great opening sale of men's fine custom tailored suits-Winter weights in dark overplaids, checks, stripes and dark browns, in fancy cheviots-This season's garments, cut in the latest fashions and of the best mate-Hand-tailored throughout-The best product of the leading wholesale tailors in the country-high-class ready-to-wear apparel you would have to pay \$30.00 for at the exclusive clothing d store. All sizes, choice at. 🔊 🛘 New Fall suits and overcoats for men and young men-A very large and complete stock at prices to fit every purse-You will

\$8 Trousers \$4.98

save 25 per cent on purchases made here.

Great sale of men's high-grade hand-tailored Trousers, suitable for business or dress wear; strictly pure worsteds, in neat patterns; dark grays, brown, black and gray stripes; new patterns; handsomely tailored and fin-\$4.98 ished; \$7.50 and \$8.00 values, pair Special lot of new Fall Vests, in French flannels, fancy worsteds, fancy mercerized silks, neat grays, white and black, tans, browns, etc.; all sizes, great variety; \$5 vals.

Reduced Prices

iland China Set on sale at \$31.00 100-piece set, as above, at, set. . \$47.00 60-piece Haviland China Set, chrysanthemum and gold decoration, \$31.00 100-pc. set, as above, on sale at .. \$47.00 60-piece Haviland Set, green floral decoration and gold-stippled; on \$27.00 sale at this low price, set 100-pc. set, as above, on sale at .. \$38.00 60-piece Haviland Set, neat pink floral decoration; gold on knobs \$24.00 and handles; on sale at, set 100-pc. set, as above, at, set ... \$34.00 | Face Chamois, on special sale, each .. 4c

Haviland China Drug Sundries

Mellin's Food, 50c size, on sale at . . 416 Apenta Water, special, per bottle. . 20¢ Red Raven Splits, on sale at, bottle .. 13¢ Castoria, on sale at, special, bottle. . 23¢ Piso's Cough Cure, on sale at, bottle .41¢ Syrup of Figs, on sale at, the bottle .. 41¢ Listerine, special price, the bottle. 67¢ Peroxide, at, the bottle, 10c, 20c and 30c Pond's Extract, on sale at, bottle. 41¢ Salt Air Sea Salt, at, the package .. 10¢ Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, special . 41¢ Chloride of Lime, at, per package. Sc Abbot's Saline Laxatier, at, pkg. . 216 Malt Nutrine, on sale at, the bottle .. 19¢ Fine Medicated Soaps, three cakes in a box, on special sale at, the box. 25¢ White Ribbon Soap, at, dozen. cakes. 43¢ Jap Rose Glycerine Soap, per cake. Sc Life Buoy Soap, special at, the cake . . 4¢ Palm Olive Soap, on sale at, per cake .. 8¢ Dress Sweet Violet Taleum, special . 14¢

Great sale of 18-inch Venise, baby Irish and figured net Allover Laces for waists and yokes; beautiful styles, large variety for your selection; come in both white \$1.69 and cream; regular values up to \$4.00 a yard, at this very low price, yard 10,000 strips of swiss, nainsook and cambric Embroidery, manufacturers' lengths; edgings and insertions 1 to 9 inches wide, for women's and children's wear; eyelet 79c and blindwork designs; values up to \$1.50 a strip, on sale at, special, the strip

Specials in Lace Dept.

Lace Dept.

15,000 yards round-mesh Val. and Mechlin Lace Edging and Insertion, ½ to 2 inches wide; best patterns, in great va-9c riety; regular values up to 25c the yard, on sale at, yard 9c 10,000 yds. Swiss Embroidery, Flouncing and Bands, in swiss and nainsook, 2 to 8 inches wide; beautiful patterns for 25c 5000 yards of swiss Corset Cover Embroidery, imitation of Japanese embroidery; regular values to \$1.50 yard—buy all you want of it at this low price, yard

Suitable for Fall and Winter

Harvard Mills Underwear for Fall and Winter-all the best styles and weights in the showing; a complete stock and a big saving if you anticipate your Winter needs. Let us show you. Women's extra heavy-weight Union Suits in silk and wool; high neck, long sleeves, ankle length; finely made and finished; form-fitting; the best regular \$5.00 values, in all \$3.95 sizes; your choice at this low price, the garment Women's medium-weight Union Suits, all wool; high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, all sizes; best regular \$3.50 \$3.19 values, on sale at this unusually low price, garment Women's medium-weight silk and wool Undervests; high neck, long sleeves; come in all sizes; finely made and fin-ished; the best regular \$2.00 values, on sale at, each \$1.73 Women's medium-weight silk and wool Tights, the \$1.73 best regular \$2.00 values, at this special low price Women's medium-weight Wool Vests, \$1.50 values, ea. .\$1.15 Women's medium-weight Wool Tights, ankle length; \$1.15 the best regular \$1.50 values, on sale at, special Women's medium-weight wool-mixed Union Suits, \$1.29 regular \$2.00 values, on sale this special price, suit \$1.19 Women's fleece-lined cream Union Suits, \$1.50 values. \$1.19 Misses' and children's Harvard Mills Underwear at low



In the Linen Department, new Annex, a great special offering of 1000 crochet Bedspreads, best patterns, full size; regular \$1.50 values, special, ea. \$1.00 200 dozen extra heavy Cotton Sheets, size 81x90 inches; 75c values, special, each. .59c In Bedding Dept., 4th floor, 500 pairs full size white Wool Blankets, with \$3.57 colored borders and deep satin binding; best \$4.50 values, special at, pair * 1000 goose-feather Bed Pillows, covered with fancy ticking; \$3.25 values, ea. . \$2.65 Great special values in Comforters. You should not fail to see them. On Fourth Floor.

Great Sale of Dress Linings

"Nearsilk," in a large assortment of colors; values from 25e to 40c, at, the yard, 16c 36-inch Sateens, mercerized finish; a full line of light and dark colorings 121/2c for your selection; the best regular 25c values, on sale at this price, yard "Heatherbloom," in striped effects, lightweight and washable; 36-in; the best 18c regular 40c value—buy all you want of it at this unusually low price, the yard Percalines, in odd shades, best regular 18c value, on sale at, special, the yard. .5¢ Great lot of Lining Remnants, in all lengths, all styles, all grades, special. ONE-HALF

Meier & Frank Store

pongee tailored Silk Waists-pin-tucked, side-pleated, with fancy yokes; also oneinch satin bands and silk braid-trim'd; plain colors, dots, checks, fancy stripes and Persian novelties; large variety for your selection; all sizes; values up to \$14.00, on sale at \$5.45

Lot 2-Fine showing of women's cotton Shirtwaists, in lawns, batistes and dimities; fancy and plain tailored effects, trimmed in lace and embroidery, also pin tucks, to form yoke; white and colors; all new, pretty waists, in immense variety for your selection; regular 98c values up to \$4.50, on sale for

Sale of Gloves \$1.50 Vals. 89c 35c Ribbons 19c

300 dozen pairs of women's 2-clasp Kid Gloves and one-clasp Cape and Chamois Gloves, white and all colors; sizes 51/2 to 7%; regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, at this special price, the pair 89c 5000 vards of all-silk Moire Ribbon, in black, white and all colors, for hair bows and millinery purposes; the best 19c regular 35c values, at, the yard

20c Kerchiefs 121/2c

Initial Linen Handkerchiefs with beautiful embroidered wreath and 1/4-inch hemstitching; the best regular 20c values, on sale at, ea. 121/2c

Great special offering of women's and men's 26 and 28-inch Umbrellas, made of rainproof taffeta covering; paragon frame, tape edge; bulb runner; Directoire, fancy and plain handles, in great variety; the best regular \$5 \$2.98 values, at this low price, ea.

25c Collars 16c

500 dozen women's and children's embroidered Buster Brown Linen Collars, 4 inches wide; sizes 12 to 14; best 16c regular 25c values, on sale at, ea. 16c

Hall & Borchert Dressmakers' Forms

On sale here; perfect model, bust and hips; black jersey cloth-covered; splendid value at low price of, each. \$3.00 Adjustable Stand for same, ea. \$2.00 Full-length adjustable forms-can be made to fit any figure; two styles, at these prices, each, \$15.00 and \$16.50 Our new Notion and Small Ware Department in the Annex is the handsomest and best-equipped notion department in the country. A visit will convince you.

TRAVEL TO BE HEAVY

Colonist Rates This Fall Will Draw Many Settlers.

63,000

Rates Begin September 15 and Advance Reports From Railroad Agents Indicate Heavier Traffic Than Ever Before.

Next Saturday and Sunday the vanguard of the thousands of colonists who will take advantage of one month of low rates on all Western railroads, will

reach Portland. The rates, which are the same as those of last Spring, which brought, it is estimated, 63,000 new settlers to the Pacific Northwest, go into effect September 15. At this end of the line practically all that is known concerning the prospective volume of travel is based on reports from the Eastern offices, where the tickets are sold. These reports are opti-mistic, and the rallroads are assembling equipment in the belief they will have all the passengers they can handle. In-quiries have been pouring into Eastern offices for weeks and the scope of the interest awakened is further indicated by numerous purchases made in Portland of tickets to be delivered to relatives

of the purchasers in the East.

The advertising given the Northwest by the A.T.-P. Exposition is expected greatly to augment the colonist travel. Thousands of persons who gained their first knowledge of the Pacific Northwest while visiting the Exposition, it is believed, have gone home determined to return to this section of the country to live. A great proportion of such people will take advantage of the low rates of washington Commission's decision on of the purchasers in the East.

fered on the rallway lines for the 30 ays beginning September 15. Last Spring the rates were in force for three months and the increase in travel three months and the increase in travel
was therefore spread out over a longer
period than will be possible this Fail.
If the interest shown is anything like
that in the early part of the year, the
pouring in of settlers confined to a 30day period will probably have a greater
daily volume than ever before.
This increased travel will be handled
on the transcontinental roads by the

regular trains, which will run in sections. The first tourist-laden trains will pull out of the Missouri River terminals next Wednesday and will, therefore, reach Portland Saturday. The colonist rate from Chicago to Portland is \$33; from Omaha and St. Paul, \$35; and from St. Louis, \$30.50.

GRAIN RATE DECISION OBSCURE O. R. & N. Will Await Full Text Be-

fore Deciding on Course. Officials of the O. R. & N. are await-

duction in wheat rates ordered by the Commission on Northern Pacific sched-

When asked yesterday if the O. R. & N. will meet the cut. R. B. Miller, gen-eral freight agent, replied that until he was more fully informed as to the con-tents of the ruling he preferred not to

tents of the ruling he preferred not to make any comments.

"We have no knowledge as to the scope of the ruling," said Mr. Miller, "whether it applies to rates between wheat-shipping centers and Spokane alone, or between such points, and Seattle or Tacoma, or all points.

"We do not know whether the Northern Pacific will contest the decision or not. Therefore, I cannot say what, if any, effect it will have on the O. R. & N. rates. At present the wheat rates from Eastern Washington to Portland are as low as the rates to Puget Sound over the other lines."

been ordered on all wheat rates except those prevailing on the Washington Central branch of the Northern Pacific.

Taking this view, members of the Oregon Commission express the opinion that the O. R. & N., to hold its on that the C. R. & N., to note 4th share of the traffic, will be compelled to meet the new rate on the Northern Pacific once it is put in force. Those who are familiar with interstate commerce regulations say that, furthermore, if a reduction on wheat rates to Portland from Washinston territory is inland from Washington territory is in augurated, the railroads making such reduction to comply with interstate com merce regulations must name equivalent rates from corresponding territory in

Many Excursions Coming.

A Texas excursion party of about 30, under the auspices of the Star-Telegram, of Fort Worth, visited Portland yester-day. Today a special train will bring 100 Pennsylvanians to Portland and the day will be spent in this city. The party was organized by the Pennsylvania Railway ing the full text of the decision of the and is coming via the Northern Pacific Washington Railway Commission before from Seattle. Then it will go east over announcing what policy the railroad will the North Bank. Wednesday morning adopt in view of the 12% per cent re- three cars full of Southern Idaho people, on their way to Seattle to spend Idaho day at the Exposition, will arrive in Portland.

> A KUHN ENTERPRISE. Twin Falls Onkley Project-38,000

Idnho's Cholcest Acres. On Monday, September 20, at 10 o'clock A. M., at Milner, Idaho, a Carey act drawing under the supervision of the State Land Board of Idaho, will

octock A. a., at almer, toano, a care, act drawing under the supervision of the State Land Board of Idaho, will take place.

Prices per acre, the flower of all idaho, including water rights, \$55.50; \$3.25 in cash per acre at time of filing; balance in 11 annual payments, 6 per cent interest; no interest charged until water is ready for delivery, which will be April 1, 1911.

Milner and Oakley will be the trading points for this great tract, and will soon be linked together by a railroad now completed from Gooding via Wendell to Jerome and under construction from Jerome to Milner.

The enterprise is being financed by J. S. and W. S. Kuhn, who, during a long business career have made good in every instance. The management will be the same as the Twin Falls North Side, Twin Falls Salmon River, the Idaho Southern Hallroad and all the power development of Lincoln and Twin Falls Counties. Write for booklet. Address Twin Falls Oakley Land & Water Company, Milner, Idaho.

WATER PROJECT ON

IRRIGATION ALSO FACTOR

William R. King, of Portland, Plans Enterprise That Promises Much in Development of a Rich Country.

Announcement was made yesterday by William R. King, of this city, of plans for the generation of power from the waters of the Upper Klickitat River waters of the Upper Kilckina.

and the irrigation of 45 square miles of rich land in the heart of Camas lieges and lands have been acquired.

"Our work is now being pushed rapprairie, organized to idly. It is the intention to finish all

A company has been erganized to take over the proposition under the name of the Klickitat Valley Developname of the Klickitat Valley Development Company, for which incorporation papers are now being drawn up. Mr. King said that this company is backed by \$750,000 of Eastern capital, and that W. N. Coler, Jr., of New York City. is the financial agent. Mr. King, however, is the man at the helm.

Mr. King declared that 40,000 horsepower will be developed at the termover and then, curing the stage of the river through these headworks, while the construction of the dam is where out of the river through these headworks, while the construction of the dam is where out of the river and then, curing the stage of power will be developed at the ter-minus of the flumes to be built, where the water diverted from the Kilckitat

River will have a fall to the river bed of 700 feet. "We have already started work constructing the headworks for diverting the water," stated Mr. King. "A large crew has been at work for two weeks at this, and in connection with the work we have established a large camp about ten miles above Glenwood on the Kilckitat Piver. on the Klickitat River.
"The point at which the river is diverted is in a canyon 350 feet deep at a point about ten miles above Glenwood.

The ditches or flumes will be sent down the river a distance of about eight down the river a distance of about eight miles, where the water will be used for both irrigation and power. The flume will rise along the side of the canyon and will eventually be on the level of the banks at a point about six miles down stream. Then it will be carried about two miles farther down. The canyon walls get deeper and deeper all slong the river, and at the point all along the river, and at the point where we will put in the power sta-tion there will be a fall of 700 feet in returning the water to its proper chan

"This power plant will be near the town of Glenwood on Camas Prairie. A portion of the water will be used for irrigation, while the rest will be returned to the river through a power-house, developing 40,000 horsepower. A portion of the power thus developed will be used to pump the water to higher levels, thus giving a greater space than the 45 square miles on the prairie proper irrigation. Some will be used for pumping in the Yakima district and along the low flats of the Columbia River. There will be no trouble in distributing this power as

We already own 3000 acres of those lands in the Camas Prairie district in connection with this project, and have an actually paid-in capital of \$750,000 to back up the work. This proposition has been quietly worked up for the past 18 months until all rights, priv-

idly. It is the intention to finish all the diversion headworks at the present stage of the river and then, during the extreme low water of December, Janu-

water out of the river below the point where the water would be taken by the Horse Heaven project of which so much has been said. I would like to call attention to the fact that this lat-ter project takes the water from the Klickitat River to Horse Heaven, a point 125 miles away, clear out of the Klickitat drainage basin and out of Klickitat County, while our project utilizes all the water on the irrigated lands in Klickitat County and in the watershed of the river."

Free to Men.

Dr. Taylor's \$10,000 museum, now open. admission free, 2341/2 Morrison at., cor. 2d.

EAST WATER PROPERTY-OWN-ERS ARE ENTHUSIASTIC.

Old Scheme of Taking 20 Feet From West Side Is Agitated and Bids Fair to Go Through.

The movement to make East Water street 80 feet wide, between Hawthorne avenue and East Morrison street, has been revived and a petition to start pro-ceedings for the widening of the street is now being circulated. D. C. O'Rellly and his associates, who own property at the east approach to the Madison-street bridge, have the matter in hand The plan proposed by Joseph Supple, ship-builder, who has a block on the west side of East Water street, two years ago, has been adopted in the new movement. It

is proposed to take 20 feet off the west side of property and add this strip to the street. The property-owners on that side of the street will be asked to give ten feet off their land and the owners of the property between Elast Water and Elast First streets will be assessed the value of the ten-foot strip and pay the amount to the property-owners on the west side of the property-owners on the west side of the street, who give 20 feet of the land. This plan is considered fair to all con-

There are some brick buildings on tha east side of the street, and only frame structures on the west side to move. Practically all the blocks on the west side are from 600 to 700 feet deep, extending out to the harbor line, and the 20-foot strip taken to make the 80-foot street would not be a great loss, it is thought. The only buildings that would have to be several are thought. moved are those of Mr. Supple and the Troy Laundry, and these, it is said, can be moved without difficulty. Mr. Supple is as enthusiastic as ever over the move-ment, and declares it ought to be carried through. He points out that a great business must be done on East Water street and that a wide street is necessary.

It | Harris Trunk Co. for trunks and bage,

Last January

The Smith Markets served a quality of Baby Beef which was the talk of | prices: the town. Today and all the balance | of this week the same remarkable quality of Prime Baby Beef will be on

sale at all Smith Markets, at the following prices: Round Steak 10¢ Shoulder Steak8¢ Tenderloin Steak121/2¢ Hamburg Steak10¢ Pot Roasts of Beef......8¢ Prime Rib Roasts Beef10¢ and121/2¢ Shoulder Roast Beef Se | Hindquarters and Legs of Spring Beef to boil, to stew and pot-pie. 5c | Lamb 15c

"FIGHTING THE BEEF TRUST." MILK-FED VEAL On sale all during this week at all of Smith's Markets at the following

> Breast Roast Veal.... Loin Roasts of Veal 121/20 and 15¢ Veal Shoulder Cutlets 121/2¢ Rib Veal Cutlets......15¢ Veal Shanks for Stew..........5c SPRING LAMB, AT SMITH'S Shoulders of Mutton.....8¢

> Legs of Mutton......121/2¢ Breasts of Spring Lamb......Sc Shoulders of Spring Lamb 10¢