

Two Immense Buildings Filled to Overflowing With New, Seasonable and Staple Merchandise of Every Description—Take Advantage

Have Lunch and Afternoon Tea in Our New Restaurant—7th Floor—We Are Portland Agents Butterick Patterns, "Perrins" Gloves, "Nemo," "Estelle," "Gossard" Corsets

The Meier & Frank Store Advance Showing of New Fall and Winter Millinery



Our Handsome new Millinery Section Floor Annex invites inspection of the new Fall and Winter headgear—A superb advance showing of late models for street, dress and evening wear—the best efforts of the leading Paris and New York artists—New shapes, new trimmings, new effects—Millinery to please every individual fancy, and every hat priced at an unusually reasonable figure; in fact, we don't know the time when such attractive headgear could be purchased for so little money—All we ask is that you look here before you buy elsewhere. Second Floor. School and dress hats for misses and children in grand array, and at all prices; also new bonnets for the baby. Best values.

Ladies' Fine Undermuslins At Extremely 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, cambrie, 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, on sale at, special, each, \$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 price, each, 69c to \$2.98 Combination Garments—corset cover and drawers; also corset cover and short skirt and chemise; regular \$2.00 to \$6.50 values, special, each, \$1.49 to \$3.98 Special lot of Chemise and two-piece combination garments, in lawn and nainsook; lace and embroidery, trimmed; \$2-\$2.50 values, ea. \$1.49

Portland Agents for "Nemo" Corsets, "Mme. Irene" Corsets "Estelle" and "Gossard" Corsets

Meier & Frank Store Sale 1000 Ostermoo Mattresses \$18.50 Ea

A great special factory sale of the celebrated "Ostermoo" patent elastic felt Mattresses; full size, fine heavy ticking covering; best patterns and colorings, made in two pieces, roll edge; a quality mattress usually sold at \$30.00. The manufacturers, being anxious to make more housewives acquainted with the splendid qualities of their product, have sent us 1000 for distribution in this territory at the wonderfully \$18.50 low special price of, each

Great Sale of 1000 Colonial Rugs at Special Prices

In the Carpet Department, Third Floor, a great sale of 1000 new Colonial Fire-side Rugs at very low prices; Colonial designs in plain, hit-and-miss and tint effects; they are especially adapted for use in bedrooms, bathrooms, porches, etc.; very artistic rugs, woven from new, clean wools. Light and dark colorings: Size 30 by 60 inches, at, each, \$1.29 Size 36 by 72 inches, at, each, \$1.59

Great Sale Women's \$1.50 Gloves at 89c

300 dozen pairs of women's two-clasp Kid Gloves and one-clasp Cape and Chamois Gloves, white and all colors; in sizes 5 1/2 to 7 3/4; regular \$1.25 89c and \$1.50 values, special at, pair

35c Ribbons 19c Yd

5000 yards of all-silk Moire Ribbon, in black, white and all colors, for hair bows and millinery purposes; 19c best regular 35c values, the yard

20c Kerchiefs 12 1/2c

1000 dozen women's hand-embroidered initial Linen Handkerchiefs, with beautiful embroidered wreath and 12 1/2c 1/4-in hemstitching, 20c vals.

Custom Shade and Drapery Work Our Specialty—3d Floor—Trunks and Traveling Bags on the 4th Floor—Main Building—Stoves and Ranges—All Sizes and Prices—Basement

The Meier & Frank Store New Dresses and Costumes In the Latest Moyenage Styles \$20 to \$250 Ea

This immense new garment store of ours, occupying the entire second floor of main building (over 20,000 square feet of floor space), is prepared to show you the most extensive lines of women's, misses' and children's apparel ever seen in the West—a ready-to-wear department second to none in the land in fashion, quality or variety—Particular attention is directed this week to the new dresses and costumes in the Moyenage styles—Exclusive garments for particular women, garments that have an air of refinement and character—Beautiful models in both cloth and evening fabrics—The new Tunic effects are among the prettiest shown—The showing includes every new creation shown by the leading New York and Paris artists—Dresses and costumes for reception wear, for evening and theater wear—The prices range all the way from \$20.00 up to \$250.00 each.



Ladies' and Misses' New Fall Coats \$15 to \$75 Ea.

We invite inspection of our splendid display of new Fall and Winter Coats for women and misses. Entirely new models, new materials, new shadings. Attractive as well as serviceable garments at very reasonable prices. Included are rough-surfaced diagonals and wide wale berges, tweeds, chevots and homespuns, broadcloths and dull plaids, tight-fitting, loose and semi-fitting garments with panel effects and set in pleats; collars in military effect, trimmed with braid and silk embroidery; models with flat collars, tuxedo collars. The new fur-lined coats and velvet coats are also on display. Smart outer garments for both dress and regular wear. An immense variety, at prices ranging from \$15.00 up to \$75.00 each. See them on the second floor.

Dress Linings

Nearsilk, in a large assortment of colors, values from 25c to 16c 40c, on sale at, special, yd. 36-inch Sateens, mercerized finish; a full line of light and dark colorings; best regular 25c 12 1/2c values, on sale at, yd. Heatherbloom, in striped effects; light weight and washable; 36-in.; best regular 40c value, on 18c sale at, special, the yard Peralines, in odd shades, the yd 5c best regular 18c value, yard Great lot Lining Remnants, 1/2 all lengths, styles and grades

Sale Bedding

In the Linen Department, new Annex, a great special offering of 1000 crocheted Bedspreads, best patterns, full size; \$1.50 values, ea. \$1.00 200 doz. extra heavy Cotton Sheets, 81x90 inches, best regular 59c 75c values, on sale at, ea. In the Bedding Department, fourth floor, 500 pairs of full size white Wool Blankets, with colored borders, deep satin binding; \$4.50 values, pair \$3.57 1000 goose-feather Bed Pillows, covered with fancy ticking; \$3.25 values, each \$2.65

Sale of 1000 Umbrellas

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; Directorate, fancy and plain handles, in great variety; best regular \$5.00 values, at this price, each \$2.98

NEW ROAD IS DONE

Streetcars Begin to Run on Line to Kenton.

STOCKYARDS OPEN NOW

First Consignment of Cattle Is Unloaded at New Swift Plant, but Formal Ceremonies Will Come at Completion of Abattoir.

Yesterday the Kenton Traction Company's line was formally opened and Portland persons can now reach the stockyards and the Swift packing plant by streetcar. The new line, which is about two miles long, connects with the Mississippi-avenue line at the city limits at Killingsworth-avenue. An additional 5-cent fare is charged on the new road, making the cost of transportation 10 cents to Kenton and the industrial plants there. A 15-minute service was operated yesterday on the new road but the schedule will be reduced probably to ten minutes and perhaps to the same schedule that is now operated on the city line, or a car every seven and one-half minutes. The management of the new line states that the Kenton road will be extended soon to the Monarch mill, thus serving practically all the new industries on the Peninsula. It is believed the new road will spring rapidly into favor on account of the opening of the stockyards and the forthcoming operation of the big packing plant, and the other industries that are under construction in that vicinity. Today will mark the formal opening of the new stockyards. This institution is a public one, in fact an open market. There stockmen may meet and purchase, sell or trade stock. The institution, while not the largest, is said to be the most complete in the country. Every modern improvement devised for stockyards has been incorporated in the plan of the new yards.

Yesterday the first stock, consisting of several carloads, was unloaded in the yards, but the actual opening for general business will not take place until 8 o'clock this morning. The opening will not be the occasion of a celebration but it is likely many persons interested in stock will visit the yards today. When the new packing plant is opened, which will be in about two months, it is planned to appropriate to celebrate the occasion. There will be a sort of brass band observance of the occasion at that time.

LATERALS WILL BE LAID

Brooklyn District Soon to Be Using New Sewer.

LEADING BUYERS DENY

If Agreement Has Been Reached, Work Has Been Done Quietly. About 60 Per Cent of Oregon Crop Has Left Farmers.

An impression prevails among haygrowers in some parts of the valley that a pool or combine has been formed among the dealers of this city to secure control of a large part of the crop and hold it from the market for an advance in prices later. Taking this view of the case, these farmers are disposed likewise to hold back their product until later in the season. If any pool has been formed by dealers, the matter has been kept very quiet. The leading hay buyers of this city deny positively that any such combine has been organized or attempted, and declare the report to be absurd. They say it would be no more possible to work a successful pool in hay than in wheat or in any other product that is grown by every farmer. It is said by well-posted hay traders that fully 60 per cent of the Oregon crop has already passed out of their hands, but they assert this is the usual proportion of sales and contracts at this time of year. The leading handlers of hay, both wholesalers and retailers, make it a practice to contract early in the season a sufficient quantity to cover their year's requirements, and that is what they have done this year. The only difference is that some began contracting earlier this season than usual. Hay dealers as a rule are not much given to expressing opinions of the future of the market and what their present views are on this subject cannot be learned, but outsiders who keep a close watch on the market believe the outlook is for higher prices. A good part of the Willamette Valley crop was damaged by rains at harvest time. The crop east of the mountains

STEAMER HASSALO FROM NORTH BEACH.

To accommodate passengers returning from North Beach, the O. R. & N. steamer Hassalo will call at Meglers on her regular trips from Astoria to Portland. This arrangement will continue until September 29.

PORTLAND DAY.

Tomorrow (Thursday, September 16) is Portland day at the Oregon State Fair. Southern Pacific special train leaves Portland Union Depot, 9 A. M.; returning, leaves Fairgrounds at 8 P. M. Tickets \$1.50 round trip.

HAY POOL IS FEARED

Dealers Thought to Combine to Hold Back Crop.

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CHILD EATS LYE AND DIES

Little One Lingers Nearly Year With Poison Eating Through Vitals.

Chester, Manuel Hallock, an infant, aged 2 years and 4 months, died at 78 Thurman street yesterday as a result of eating a part of the contents of a can of lye a year ago. The child, who was then a creeping infant, just past his first birthday, managed to obtain possession of a can of lye and ate some of it. A physician was called, but the slow poison had already started its work, and little by little the child became weaker. A few weeks ago it became almost impossible to cause the digestive organs to work, owing to the fact that the cor-

LAND FRAUD IS ALLEGED

F. A. Krebs and Two Others Are Accused of Conspiracy.

NEW FAST SERVICE.

The new train de luxe via the Soo-Spokane-Portland route is the fast train between Portland and St. Paul.

NAVY MEN CLIMB HIGHER.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Rear Admiral Daniel D. Stuart who was promoted through the retirement of Rear Admiral Sperry, September 3, will be transferred to the retired list September 15. He is a native of New York and was graduated from the naval academy in 1869. Through Admiral Stuart's retirement Captain Kosuth Miles will be promoted to the rank of Rear Admiral; Commander Thomas S. Rogers to that of

DRESS GOODS SALE.

For 3 years we have been leaders in selling fine black and colored dress goods. Beginning tomorrow we announce a great special sale of all the new Fall weaves and colors at reduced prices. Come in and get our prices. McAllen-McDonnell, the store noted for best goods at lowest prices.

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U. S. GOVERNMENT LAND OPENING

Along Railroad in Montana CONRAD-VALIER Project

69 Miles North of Great Falls. 70,000 acres of Irrigated Lands, segregated by the United States under the Carey Land Act, will be allotted by drawing at Valier, Montana, the terminus of the new railroad, on

Thursday, October 7, 1909 You May Register by Power of Attorney

Must register prior to October 7th. If you do not select land after your number is drawn, it costs nothing.

TITLE CAN BE ACQUIRED BY THIRTY DAYS' RESIDENCE \$40.50 per acre for land and perpetual water right. \$3.50 per acre down; balance in three years.

This land is fine grassy prairie, ready for the plow. No sagebrush or stumps. Reached over the Great Northern or Burlington Railroads. The small annual payments (less than a cent an acre a day) make it easy to pay for this land from the crops.

Information and blanks for registering, free on request. W. M. WAYMAN, 9th St., Valier, Mont

AT ANY SMITH MARKET

- A leg of Mutton, 12 1/2c.
- Beef for Soup, 3c.
- Cutlets Veal, 12 1/2c-15c.
- Delicious Veal Stew, 8c-10c
- Eggs, very fresh, 35c.
- Fancy Corned Beef, 6c-8c.
- Good Pot Rst. Beef, 6c7c-8c
- Hamburg Steak, 10c.
- Ideal Sausage, 10c-12 1/2c.
- Juicy Round Steak, 10c.
- Kidneys for Stew, 7c.
- Liver, 5c.
- Mutton Chops, 12 1/2c-15c.
- Necks of Beef, 5c.
- Oxtails, 5c.
- Prime Rib Rst Bf, 10c-12 1/2c
- Quality at Smith's.
- Rib Lamb Chops. 15c.
- Shoulder Beef Steak, 8c.
- Tripe, 10c.
- Unalloyed pureness—SMITH'S MEATS
- Veal Loim Roasts, 15c.
- Weights honest at Smith's.
- Xcellent Butter, 70c.
- Young Chinook Salmon 10c
- Zest—from Smith's Meats.
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