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Meier & Frank Store Special Sale Articles Suitable for Giving to the Needlework Guild of America

1000 dozen Union Huck Towels, 18 by 36 inches, splendid quality; 12 1/2c best 20c value, on sale at, ea.

Outing Flannel Nightgowns

Great special offering of 200 dozen women's outing flannel Nightgowns, in plain white and fancy stripes; full sizes, well made and finished, at these prices: Regular \$1 values, on sale at, ea. 69c

Sale of Comforters

500 silkoline-covered Comforters, filled with white laminated cotton, in one sheet; best patterns and colorings; full sizes; great special value at this unusually low price, ea. \$1.25

500 full size silkoline Comforters, filled with white laminated cotton; all the best patterns; great special value at this low price, ea. \$2.00

Women's outing flannel short Skirts—blue and pink stripes with scalloped edge; great special values, each. 42c

Women's short Petticoats in outing flannel; fancy stripes, trim'd with two rows of feather stitching; great special value at this low price, each 57c

Dressing Sacques

Women's outing flannel and flannelette Dressing Sacques and short kimonos, in fancy stripes or figures; self-trimmed or saten bands; great values, ea. 98c

Women's long Kimonos of German flannelette, trimmed with 2-inch satin bands, in dots, stripes and figures; a 95c large variety; great values, each

Women's Percale Wrappers, with high collars, pointed yokes; gray, navy, black and white stripes; great values 98c at this special low price, each

Great Glove Sale

5000 pairs of Perrin's women's and children's Cape Gloves, "Dent style," one, two and three-clasp; best shades of tan; same in sizes 5 1/2 to 7; the best regular \$1.25 values, on sale at, pair 89c

"Perrin's" and "Baemo" 1-clasp Cape Gloves, in tans, gray and white; sizes 5 1/2 to 7; the best regular \$1.50 values, on sale at, special, pr. \$1.12

"Baemo" 1 and 3-clasp Cape Gloves, in the best shades of tan; sizes 5 1/2 to 7; best regular \$1.75 values, on sale at this low price, pr. \$1.29

"Perrin's" and "Baemo" one and two-clasp Cape Gloves; tans, gray and white; sizes 5 1/2 to 7; best \$1.75 values, at this low price, pr. \$1.39

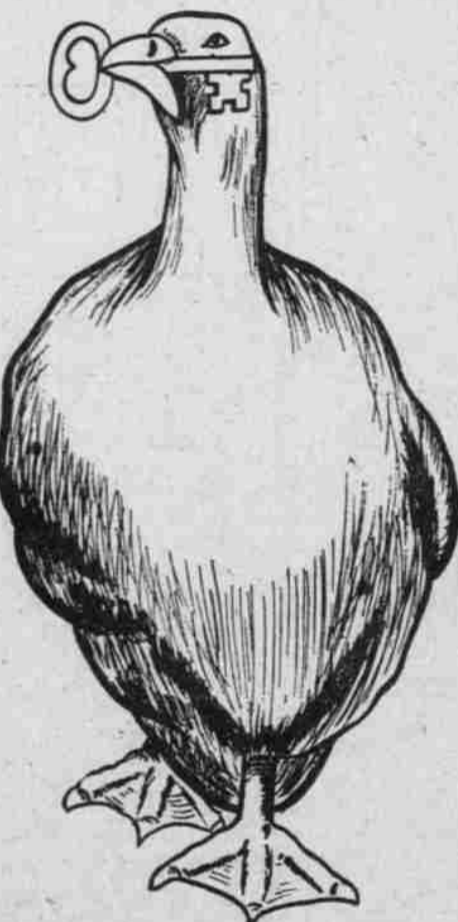
Children's one-clasp Cape Gloves; tans and white, in all sizes, for children 1 to 16 years of age; regular \$1.25 95c and \$1.50 values, on sale at, pair

October Sales at The Meier & Frank Store

Great Sale Paris Pattern Hats \$25 to \$100 Values 1/4 Off

Our great annual October one-fourth-off sale of Paris Model Hats, original creations from Reboux, Mayer, Vimont and other celebrated Paris milliners. Our entire stock of Pattern Hats, ranging in value from \$25 to \$100, are included. Exclusive creations for dress, evening and theater wear. Every new shape and effect. Fashions to please every taste. The display is by far the largest and best in the Western country. Your choice for two days only at 1/4 off reg. prices

Attention Boys and Girls! Draw a Picture of the Famous "Red Goose" and Win a Prize



The makers of the Red Goose School Shoes for children, of which we are sole agents, desire to secure a number of good pictures of the famous RED GOOSE. They have decided to offer through our Shoe Department a number of prizes for the best drawings made by the school children of Portland. There are seventeen big prizes for the seventeen best drawings, but in addition to this, every boy and every girl who draws a picture will get a prize. The seventeen big prizes offered are as follows: FIRST PRIZE.....\$15.00 IN GOLD SECOND PRIZE.....\$10.00 IN GOLD THIRD PRIZE.....\$ 5.00 IN GOLD FOUR PRIZES, EACH.....\$ 2.50 IN GOLD TEN PRIZES, EACH.....\$ 1 IN SILVER

This makes 17 big prizes for the 17 best drawings. In addition to these, every boy and every girl who makes a drawing of the RED GOOSE, and brings it down to the Children's Shoe Department, will get a prize. This will be a copy of "The Red Goose Story Book" and one of the RED GOOSE souvenirs. There are very few rules to govern the drawing contest. Any boy or girl under 16 years of age can enter the contest. You may draw any kind of a picture you like, either serious or humorous (the real red goose is shown in accompanying illustration). You can make the drawing of the RED GOOSE only, or it can be a scene in which the RED GOOSE is a prominent character. You can draw the picture in black and white, with pen and ink, or pencil or crayon, or it can be drawn in colors with crayon or your water colors. You can draw one picture or as many as you like. There is no limit to the number you can enter. (Our advice is to draw only a few pictures to enter in the contest, and make these as good as you can.)

Requirements of the Red Goose Contest

First, the drawing must be made on a good clean sheet of drawing paper or drawing board, about the same size as those used in the drawing classes in your school. Second, your name, your parents' or guardians' names, your home address, your age at your nearest birthday and the name of your school must be plainly written on the back. Third, the drawing must be brought by yourself and handed in at the Children's Shoe Department. (An exception will be made for those children who through illness or misfortune cannot come down in person.) The contest will close December 1st, and on or before that date all of your drawings must be presented. You can bring them as much earlier as you like. The prizes will be awarded three weeks later, as the committee will require this amount of time to select the best. The committee to make the awards will be composed of an artist, an advertising man, a newspaper man and a shoe man—four men, whose names will be announced later. Now, all you boys and girls, let's see how well you can draw. Make a picture of the RED GOOSE and bring it as soon as you have it finished. And come down and see the big RED GOOSE exhibition. This is something every boy and girl should see. Shoe Department, 3d floor.

\$4 Allover Laces at \$1.39 \$7 Allover Novelties \$2.98

In the Lace Department, 18-inch Venise, Baby Irish and Figured Net Allovers; white and cream; beautiful styles; a splendid assortment for your selection; values in the lot up to \$4.00 a yard—buy all you want at this special price \$1.39 18-inch Allover Novelties, combinations of gold and colors; all new, exclusive styles; values up to \$7.00 yard, on sale at this special low price, yd. \$2.98 The best regular \$4.00 gold and color Allovers, on sale at this price, the yard \$1.98

\$2.00 Embroideries 69c a Yard

3000 yards of Swiss and Batiste Embroideries, Edgings, Galloons, Flouncings, etc.; designs in baby Irish and eyelet, suitable for women's, misses' and children's 69c great values in Allover Embroideries. You should take advantage of the opportunity.

Special Demonstration Famous "Nemo" Corsets By Mrs. Dean, Expert Corsetiere

Commencing today and continuing until further notice we announce a special demonstration of the celebrated "Nemo" Corsets by Mrs. Dean, one of the best-known corsetieres in the country—Mrs. Dean comes to us direct from the factory with a thorough knowledge of the new models best adapted to meet the requirements of fashion's fancy—Appointments can be made by phone or in person—We know you will be pleased with her, both personally and in a business way—Corset department, on second floor

1000 Guaranteed Silk Skirts Black \$8.50 Values at \$4.12 ONLY

In the Petticoat Department, second floor, an unusual bargain in women's American Beauty Black Taffeta Silk Petticoats; black only, fully guaranteed for three months from date of purchase. Made with tucked, double flounce; full width; the \$4.12 best \$8.50 value—buy all you want of them at this special low price, ea. \$4.12 Mail orders will receive our prompt and careful attention. Take advantage of the sale.

\$40 Oriental Rugs \$20.50 \$75 Oriental Rugs \$46.35

Lot 1—50 magnificent Beloochistan Rugs in the richest tones of deep red; all antique rugs; average size 3 feet 6 inches by 5 feet 6 inches; a large assortment \$20.50 for your selection; regular \$35.00 and \$40.00 values, on sale at, special \$20.50 Lot 2—50 Iran and Iran Feraghan Rugs, average size 4 feet by 6 feet 6 inches; beautiful Oriental designs and colorings, and the most substantial of all Oriental rugs; best regular \$75.00 values, on sale at this special price, each \$46.35

75c Taffeta Silks 59c Yard \$1.50 Silk Crepes at \$1.19

10,000 yards of superior quality Taffeta Silk, to be sold at a low price; the best taffeta ever offered at the price; in white, cream and 100 standard shades for \$59c your selection; the best regular 75c value, on sale at this low price, the yard 59c 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk, two grades, and both extraordinary values at the special prices of 89c and \$1.09 the yard. Buy all you want of it at these very low prices. Special line of fancy Silk Crepes for scarfs, auto veils, holiday fancy work, costumes and numerous other purposes; the very best patterns, colorings and combinations for your selection; regular \$1.50 values, on sale at, special, yard \$1.19

Meier & Frank Store Undermuslins

1000 women's white Underskirts in cambric and nainsook tops, with flouncings of embroidery; also wide flouncings of lace and insertion; splendid styles and regular \$2.25 values; your choice, ea. \$1.29 at this special low price, ea.

2000 pairs women's cambric and muslin Drawers, very pretty styles; trimmed in lace and embroidery, tucks and insertion; great variety for your selection; \$1.50 and \$1.75 values—buy all 98c you want at this low price, pair

1000 women's cambric, nainsook and muslin Gowns—beautiful styles, trim'd in lace, embroidery, tucks, insertions, beading and ribbon; slipover and high-neck styles; an immense assortment of styles; regular \$3.50 and \$4 \$2.29 values, on sale at, sp'l., each

Sale of Blankets

500 pairs of 11-4 white Wool Blankets, with colored borders; on sale \$3.75 at this special price, per pair

500 pairs of full size white Oregon Wool Blankets, pink and blue borders; best \$6.50 values, on sale at this \$5.00 special low price, the pair

500 pairs of heavy white Wool Blankets, full size, colored borders; the best regular \$7.00 values, on sale \$5.95 at this special price, the pair

Complete stock of silkoline-covered Comforters, filled with white laminated cotton; best patterns and colorings; best values, at prices from \$1.25 to \$2.50 ea. We are Portland agents for Ostermeyer patent electric Mattresses; 3d floor.

Sale Bed Sets

Lot 1—Bed Sets, in white and ecru, of best quality French Nets, trimmed with Battenberg braid, medallions and insertion effects; made up with full flounce and bolster cover to match; \$6.95 values up to \$10.50 set, sp'l.

Lot 2—Fine Bed Sets, of good quality muslin, in floral designs; full size, with flounce and bolster cover to match; regular values up to \$6.50 a set, \$2.95 at this special price, the set

Lot 3—Handsome Bed Sets, made of the best quality French nets, trimmed with Battenberg braids, medallion and insertion effects; each set has full flounce, with bolster cover to match; \$3.95 values to \$6.50 set, special

Lot 4—Beautiful imported Bed Sets, in ecru only; made on the best French nets; medallion and insertion \$14.95 effects; \$25 values, at, special

Lot 5—Magnificent imported Bed Sets, made on the best quality French nets, trim'd in real Arabian lace, lacet braids and large medallion and insertion effects; full flounce and includes a beautiful bolster cover to match; the best regular \$45.00 values, on sale at this low price, set \$24.95

Lace Specials

Great special sale of 5000 yards of colored Laces in Persian effects, for trimming waists, gowns, etc.; beautiful styles in large assortment; widths from 1 to 4 inches; values up to 65c a yard; 11c buy all you want of them, yd. 10,000 yards of Balfour Linen Towel Laces and Insertions, 1 to 3 inches wide, very desirable for trimming undermuslins; values up to 18c, at, the yard. 7c

CITY'S AID TO CEASE

Mayor Opposes Speculation by Water Main Extension.

SURE REVENUE NECESSARY

To Secure Pipes in New Districts, Guaranteed Income of 6 Per Cent Is Wanted and Cost to Be Charged to Water Fund.

There will be no opportunity for speculative use of the water funds to boom new sections of the city if the people give the Water Board power to lay mains and make payment therefor from the income of the department, according to Mayor Simon. He said yesterday he will ask a provision against this, so that only such districts will secure mains as will guarantee a revenue of at least 6 per cent on the sum necessary to make the improvement. "I have no intention," said Mayor Simon, "of laying water mains for speculative purposes, but only to such places as will guarantee at least 6 per cent on the amount necessary to pay for the pipes, if the electorate gives the Water Board authority to pay for all mains from water funds or water bonds as proposed. I am opposed to laying pipes to districts being opened by real estate agents, where payment is from the water revenue, for it is my idea that it would be unjust to the taxpayers who produce the water fund. I would lay pipes from water funds only to such places as afford a revenue as stated, which is the rule now followed by the Water Board."

The Mayor intends to have a provision in the proposed amendment that will cover the point at issue, so that the taxpayers who produce the water fund will not be made to pay for mains for property that is idle, or for sections that may be opened by speculators in or near the city. The Mayor expressed regret that the question of annexation must be eliminated from the special

election, which will probably be held January 1, 1910. He says he regards it as unfortunate that Portland cannot have its rightful count in the next Federal census.

"I am sure, after looking up the matter, that we cannot get a vote on annexation at a special election," said the Mayor. "The charter plainly states that this must be done at a general election, and it is too bad this was not voted on last June."

BULL RUN WATER READY

If Connections Are Done, Flow Will Be Turned into Mt. Scott Mains.

If the connections can be completed, Mount Scott districts along the electric line south of the Powell Valley road will today be supplied with Bull-Run water. Foreman Gray, who has charge of the men laying the 12-inch main from the Section Line road to the Powell Valley road there to connect with the Woodmere Water Company's mains, said yesterday the pipe line had been completed and it only remained to put in a reducer and make the connection. The reducer will cut down the 12-inch flow to a four-inch flow to conform to the size of the main with which connection will be made. The full 12-inch main would furnish more water than is required by the entire Woodmere system, hence there will be a four-inch discharge through a meter into the Woodmere system. The 12-inch main will be needed when a complete water system is installed throughout the Mount Scott district. The city sells the Woodmere Water Company enough water at present to make up the shortage at meter rates. There is some complaint over the fact that city water rates are not yet given the people of the district, but this cannot be done until the city acquires the local plant.

Elevator Accident Denied.

L. Q. Swetland, president of the Swetland Building Company, denied yesterday the truth of the item published yesterday morning in which Walter Durham was reported to have had a narrow escape from injury through the careless handling of an elevator in the building owned by his company. Mr. Swetland believes an error concerning the building has been made, for he says no such person as Durham has been employed in the building, and that no incident similar to that reported has occurred there.

Weed, Cal.—The drying shed of the Weed Lumber Company, containing a 9000-foot lot of the best lumber, was totally destroyed by fire Monday, the loss being over \$100,000.

EX-WIFE NOW HAPPY

Mrs. Vaughn Rejoices That Former Spouse Is in Jail.

MUST SERVE FOUR MONTHS

Court Denies Habeas Corpus Petition—Woman Says Her Sleepless Nights End—She Declines to Discuss Poison Case.

C. C. Vaughn, former Portland real estate man, whose domestic infidelities landed him in jail here, must serve four months in the County Jail for beating Robert Dunkle, the night of June 7 in front of Vaughn's former wife's home at 407 Terrace Heights. An application for the issuance of a writ of habeas corpus by Vaughn's attorney, John A. Jeffery, was denied by Circuit Judge Gaiens yesterday afternoon. This followed on the heels of Vaughn's arrest here a week ago for violating the provisions of a suspended sentence imposed on him by Circuit Judge Brough June 12 for assaulting Dunkle. Vaughn pleaded guilty at that time and sentence was suspended, Vaughn agreeing to leave town.

As the result of Vaughn's incarceration there is one supremely happy woman in Portland. She is Mrs. Vaughn, divorced wife of the prisoner, who declares she has been in fear of her life for months at the hands of her former husband. "I am mighty glad," she said, when told Vaughn must serve his sentence. "I will have a breathing spell now. I suffered greatly while he was at large. How much, no one will ever know. I could scarcely sleep nights and when I did I would frequently awaken with a start as if from a nightmare, with cold perspiration standing on my forehead and shaking with fear."

Leaving Portland, following the suspension of sentence, Vaughn went to Seattle. About two months later Mrs. Vaughn and Mrs. Lola G. Baldwin, chief of the women's police auxiliary, her close personal friend, received duplicate packages of tea from the Puget Sound city, which

upon analysis proved to contain poison. Vaughn was at once suspected and an investigation was instituted by Mrs. Baldwin, developing evidence which led to a complaint accusing the former husband of Mrs. Vaughn of sending the poisoned tea. Vaughn returned to the city, violating one of the agreements made when his sentence was suspended, and owing to agitation over the poison mystery he was rearrested and placed in the County Jail.

Detective Hellyer, of the local police bureau, who was detailed by Chief of Police Cox to go to Seattle and make an investigation, returned Sunday. Yesterday a warrant, charging Vaughn with sending the poisoned tea through the mails, with intent to kill the two women, was served on the prisoner in the County Jail just before the announcement was made by Judge Gaiens that the application for his freedom had been denied. This case, it is said, will be prosecuted when Vaughn serves his present sentence. Detective Hellyer said last night he was not able to find any evidence pertinent to the poisoned tea case in Seattle. That Vaughn had been there and was there on the date the tea was mailed was the only evidence of a material nature gleaned by him.

That there is other evidence of a strong character against Vaughn in the possession of the police seems evident, as the warrant charging Vaughn with the deed was issued from the Municipal Court before Detective Hellyer's return. Mrs. Vaughn refused to discuss the tea case last night. She only asserted over and over her pleasure at hearing Vaughn must serve four months in jail. "Not that I like to see anyone in jail, but I feel safe," she said.

10c for dressed veal up to 130 lbs. 3c for dressed fat pork. 14c for live hens and Spring chickens.

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Fresh Norway Creamery Butter, 2 lbs. 75c Storage Norway Butter, 2 lbs. 70c Other Creamery Butter, 2 lbs. 65c You can't get such good butter in Portland outside of a Smith market.

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THIEF'S COAT IS MINE

ROOM-ROBBER IS SEARCHED. \$2100 IS FOUND.

Currency Sewn in Lining of Jones' Garment—He Gets 30 Days on Rockpile, \$250 Fine.

Searched at the Linnton-road rockpile, where he will serve 30 days for an attempt to rob rooms of the Imperial Hotel, Klirk Jones, notorious as a hostelry thief, was found to possess \$2100 in greenbacks. The currency was sewn into the lining

of the prisoner's coat and had been overlooked in the search to which he was subjected at the police station after his capture by Mrs. J. S. Maylodry, of Eugene in her room at the hotel.

The discovery was a surprise to the rockpile guards, who, knowing that the prisoner had already been searched, at the police station, were not on the alert for such a denouement. In removing Jones' coat, one of the guards noticing the garment was overly bulky and of strange construction, an investigation followed. The money was turned over to the Chief of Police.

Jones was arraigned before Judge Bennett in Municipal Court yesterday morning and sentenced to serve 30 days on the Linnton rockpile in addition to a fine of \$250. He was arraigned upon the charge of trespass and endeavored to make Judge Bennett believe he had made a mistake in the room. He pleaded not guilty to the charge but his record, which

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and fresh? Well—I Guess Yes!

is a lengthy one, was too much for the judge to overlook.

PUMPKIN PIES.

Pumpkins are ripe and our rich, deep, old-fashioned pumpkin pies are again in evidence. Take one home with you, 25c each. The Cream Store, 258 Wash. st. **

Northwestern People in New York. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Northwest people registered at hotels: From Portland—Mrs. F. W. Berry, at the Murray Hill; F. L. Lilburn, at the Breslin. From Spokane—S. Steinbach, at the Wallington. From Seattle—W. P. Janna, at the Wolcott; C. F. Huber, at the Hoffman; S. W. Emerson and wife, at the Ashland; A. S. Burwell, at the Murray Hill.

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We've cut the prices of many meats, and we've improved the quality. At all of Smith's markets you can get: Sirloin Beefsteak, cut from the primest beef of the year. 10c Tenderloin Beefsteak; fat, tender, flavorful. 12c Prime Rib Roast Beef, the thing that cannot be excelled. 10c-12c Round Steak, the kind that's tender. 10c Mutton Stew. 5c Beef Stew and Brisket Beef and Plate Beef. 5c-6c Shoulder Pork Chops. 15c Shoulder Roast Pork. 12c-15c And at all of Smith's markets you can get the freshest of Norway Creamery Butter, per square. 75c It is only at a Smith Market that you can get fresh Norway—other folks give you storage Norway. Smith's Pig Pork Sausage, made fresh every hour. 12c Smith's Hamburg Steak, made fresh every hour. 10c Salmon, taken from the river last night. 10c Pot Roast Beef. 7c-8c-10c Smith's Corned Beef, made from sweet, fresh Beef and a pure sugar pickle. It's the best thing in town for the money: Plate Corned Beef, 6c—Brisket Corned Beef, 6c—Rump Corned Beef, 8c