The Meier & Frank Store--Mecca for Holiday Shoppers

Sale Children's

a great special holiday sale of Children's Hand-Made Dresses, in ages 6 mos. to 3 years; Mother Hubbard and long waisted styles; high and low necks, hand-embroidered yokes and hand tucks; values ranging from \$3 to \$50 each, on sale 1/4 Off at one-fourth reg. price

French Gowns \$6.50 Vals. \$3.59

Great special holiday sale of Women's French Hand-Made Gowns; high and low neck styles; made of French percales and nainsook; new, beautiful Night Gowns in large assortment; regular \$6.50 values at, each \$3.59

Holiday Sale intheBasement

10,000 pieces of fancy Austrian China, in assorted styles and decorations, to be sold at special prices: Fancy Salad Sets, including salad bowl and 6 individual dishes; \$1.10 values, set 67 C Fancy Salad Bowls, in assorted floral values, on sale at, each 18c decorations; regular 30c Fancy Plates, in assorted sizes and decorations, 30c values, 16c Fancy Cake Plates, in handsome styles, 30c vals. 18C Faney Austrian China Sugar and Creamers; best 35c values, at 23¢ Fancy Spoon Trays; 15c vals., 11¢ 1000 Fancy Glass Vases; best 35c values; on sale at this low price 23¢

Comforters

The Third Floor Bedding Department offers for this week six grand special values in high-grade Down Comforters, every one of them guaranteed not to shed; silk and satine covering; beautiful Dresden designs and self solorings; best bargains ever offered at the following very low prices: Lot 1-Handsome Down Comforters, with satine covering, full sizes; the regular \$8.50 values \$5.95 special price, each Lot 2-Handsome Down Comforters, with satine covering, in self colors; regular \$10 values, \$7.65 at this low price, ea. Lot 3-Fine Down Comforters, silkcovered on one side; the best regular \$15 vals., on sale \$10.25 Lot 4 Full-size Down Comforters, with all-silk covering and corded edge; \$20 values, \$14.65 special price, ea. \$14.65 Lot 5-Extra fine Down Comforters, silk or satin covering, the best regular \$30 values, at \$22.50 special low price \$22.50 Lot 6-Beautiful silk-covered Comforter, extra fine down; the best regu-\$35.00 values, at \$24.85 this special price



Holiday shopping is the greatest in the Store's history in every branch of the business-We are recording record-breaking sales and the best part of it all is the satisfactory way in which we are able to handle this enormous volume of business-Christmas shopping is certainly a pleasure in Portland this year-The enlarged store affording every comfort and convenience in the purchasing of Holiday wares-Stocks are the largest and best we ever provided and the service everything that could be desired—30 wagons and 2 automobiles are promptly taking care of the delivery to all parts of the city-Mail and long distance phone orders filled by expert shoppers

"Toyland" on 4th Floor-Santa Claus in Attendance Daily

Stationery--Main Fl.

Three great special bargains in Christmas Stationery-beautiful Holly and Floral Boxes, filled with the finest quality Linen Paper. Grand variety, splendid value at special prices: 50c values at 28c-85c values at 49c-\$1.50 values at 95c Complete stock of Christmas Seals, Tags, Cards, Empty Holly Boxes and Christmas Boxes. On sale in Annex, main floor. Special lot fancy Sterling, Filagree and Gold-filled Pens, fully warranted; \$2.50-\$3 vals \$1.59 Regular \$1 Diamond Point Pens on sale at the low price. 49¢ Delineator and Butterick Patterns for January are now in. | Iron Fire Engines, regular \$1.95 values, for only \$1.23

"King" single shot air rifles, the best \$1.00 79 c 'King' Repeating Rifles, \$1.25 values for only..99¢ Great sale of Toy Clothes Wringers at these low prices: Regular 75c values for 59c-Regular \$1 values for 79c Toy Washing Sets, regular 50c values, now selling at 39¢ Crown Combination Game Boards, the \$3.69 finest game board made, \$4.50 values, at Iron Trains, 2 cars, locomotive and ten-der, regular \$3.00 value, on sale at, each \$2.23 Iron Dump Train, regular \$1.50 value, for only \$1.19

Great Christmas Sale Grand Bargains Up In Sale and Display of "Toyland"--4th Floor GenuineNavajoRugs

In the Carpet Dept., third floor, we are making a very extensive showing of Genuine Navajo Rugs. It is the cream of the stock of the celebrated "Shop of the Indian Horse," of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and includes a magnificent assortment of Rugs in all sizes, Blankets, Couch Covers, Portieres, Bath Mats, Pillow Tops, etc. New, attractive designs, colorings and combinations and every piece very reasonably priced. A splendid article for giving man or woman for a Christmas gift. All we ask is the pleasure of showing you these handsome Navajo pieces-third floor. Great values in Oriental

Holiday Sale of 10,000 Pairs Great Christmas Sale of of Men's High-Grade Hosiery Fine Suit Cases and Bags Regular Values to 50c Pair at Steamer Trunks, Etc

Today and tomorrow in the Millinery Department, Second floor, a sensational Holiday sale of men's high-grade fancy Hosiery-Importers' sample lines at prices far below their value—Over 10,000 pairs to select from including lisles, mercerized silks, and maco yarns-Blacks, tans, blues, greens, grays, burgundy, lavenders and a large variety of stripes, plaids, checks, and embroidered novelties-Styles to please every individual fancy-All sizes-Values up to 50c per pair—Buy all you want of them at this wonderfully low price, pair 17c

Only 17c Per Pair

A handsome fitted traveling bag or suit case makes a pleasing Xmas gift for man or woman-Our stock is by far the best in the city and values we know you will be delighted with - 4th Fl. Special lot of Full Horn Alligator Oxford Bags; 17 inches long; fine ebony fittings; great values: \$42.50 Fitted Oxford Bag now selling at \$36.10

\$45.00 Fitted Oxford Bag now selling at \$38.25 16-inch Plain Alligator Bag, \$31.85 ebony fittings; \$37.50 values 24-inch Genuine Cowhide Suitcases, leather lined, with shirt fold; top straps; \$7.60 well made; \$9.00 values, at, each See Sixth-Street Window Display of These Values Steamer Trunks, etc., etc., on the Fourth Floor. On sale in the Millinery Department-Second Floor Traveling Bags for women-all sizes and styles.

\$1.50 Gloves at 95c 50c Kerchiefs at 25c

2000 pairs of Perrin's English Walking Gloves for women; one-clasp in white and the best shades of tan; pique and P. X. M. stitched; all sizes; the best \$1.50 values 95 C during this sale are marked at this low price, pair The Second Floor Handkerchief Annex offers an exceptional value in Women's Handkerchiefs-1000 dozen in all styles: swiss and linen scalloped and hemstitched; Amriswyle and Madeira embroidery initial; also plain French hand embroidery; 35c to 50c values, on sale at, ea 20 C Great holiday bargain in Children's Handkerchiefs. Also great holiday bargains in Men's Handkerchiefs. See them.

A holiday offering in extra large Auto Veils, made of silk chiffon cloth, with 4-inch hemstitched border; beautiful assortment of new and staple colorings; size 21/2 yards by 1 yard; best \$5.00 values. An advantageous \$2.95 purchase enables us to offer these veils at Special lot of Silk and Linen Auto Veils, 2 yards by 1 yard, hemstitched all around; all new colors, com-binations and ombre effects, \$2.50 values \$1.69

\$2.50 Beaded Bags \$1.49 Ea.

Great special holiday sale of Women's Genuine Seal, Alligator, Patent Leather, Morocco and Fancy Calf Handbags, all leather-lined; coin purses to match; German silver and leather-covered frames; single or double-\$4.98 strap handles; \$8.00 values, on sale at Special lot of 200 new Beaded Bags, all \$1.49 the latest novelties, all colors, \$2.50 vals. 300 Elastic Belts, buckles to match; \$1 values, sp"l, 59¢

\$11.00 Silk Petticoats \$6.85 \$14.00 Silk Waists at \$7.45

Special three days' sale of 200 high-grade Silk Petticoats of superior quality taffeta silk, with 18-inch flounce and silk dust ruffle; made with deep pleating, tucked ruffle and ruche or with clusters of pin tucks and four rows of one-inch tailored bands; immense assortment of best colors for your selection; made extra full \$6.85 width; best \$11 values, on sale at, each Great special holiday sale of Net and Messaline Silk Waists, made with lace yokes and silk-embroidered medallions; all new, pretty styles for evening and theater

wear; white, pink, lavender, green, light blue, tan, rose,

copenhagen and black; regular values in the lot up to

\$8.00 Handbags \$4.98 Each Great Holiday Rug Sale

All this week, unusual values in Axminster, Wilton and Brussels Rugs, six sizes-rugs of quality and best designs, colorings and combinations-rugs that will please the housewife: 27x54-inch Axminsters, regular \$2.50 values, each, \$1.62 36x72-inch Axminsters, regular \$4.50 values, each, \$3.45 9x12-foot Brussels Rugs, regular \$20 values each, \$14.85 27x54-inch Wiltons the regular \$5.50 values, each, \$4.35 36x63-inch Wiltons, the regular \$8.50 values, each, \$6.35 8.3x10.6 Brussels, the regular \$18.00 values, each \$13.65

Xmas Sale of Umbrellas

This week, our great annual holiday sale of high-grade Umbrellas, selling at \$6.00 to \$20.00 each. Fine silk coverings and a handsome assortment of desirable handles for your selection. Umbrella bargain worthy of your investigation. Umbrellas selling regularly at \$6.00 to \$6.50, now, \$5.00 Umbrellas selling regularly at \$7.00 to \$8.00, now \$5.98 Umbrellas selling regularly at \$9.00 to \$10.00, now \$7.75 Umbrellas selling regularly at \$12.50 to \$20.00, now \$9.75

Tabourettes \$1.17 to \$1.37

In the Drapery Department, on the third floor, for today's selling, we offer a great lot of 1000 handsome hardwood Tabourettes, dark mission finish, splendidly made in three sizes-12, 14 and 16 inches; all have 12-inch tops. The prices: \$14.00; your choice at this exceptionally low price \$7.45 12-in., ea., \$1.17-14-in., ea., \$1.27-16-in., ea., \$1.37

Holiday Sale of Men's Blanket **Bath Robes** \$6.50 Vals. \$3.65

In the Men's Clothing Section today and tomorrow a great special lot of Men's Fine Quality Blanket Bath Robes, fancy colorings, neat floral designs, fancy grays, fancy dark greens, fancy reds, blues, tans, etc.; full length and cut, with cord and tassel to match; grand as-\$3.65 sortment; \$6.50 vals.

Greal Holiday Sale Smoking Jackets

lackets in every new and pretty style, in all grades, at prices ranging from \$3.50 up to \$25.00 Men's Cloth and Silk Lounging Robes, in beautiful styles and at prices ranging from \$10 to \$50 Great display of Fancy Vests and Full Dress Vests, at these very low prices, each \$2.00 up to \$7.50 Men's Terry Cloth Bath Slippers at these prices, pair 38¢ to \$2.00

Big Specials in the Candy Store

In the Basement Candy Store-Pure Sweets at the very lowest prices: 1-lb. boxes of the best Hand-Made Chocolates; 65c values, 55c on sale at this low price Xmas Mixed Candies, great special values at, per lb., 18c Glace Fruits in wooden boxes, with scenes of Oregon on \$1 Salted Pistachio Nuts, 65c 53c values, on sale at, pound 53c

Specials in the Grocery Dept.

Extra Fancy Walnuts, 35c soft shell, 2 pounds. for 35c I. X. L. Almonds on sale 35c at, 2 pounds for only 35c Mince Meat, large jars, regular 65c values, during this sale, per jar 45¢ Extra large Pecans, 25c vals., lb. 20¢ Plum Pudding at 30¢ and 55¢ Libby's Plum Pudding at the low piree of, per tin, 25¢ and 45¢ Griffon's Catsup, 25c val., bot. 19¢ Unbleached Sultana Raisins on sale at the low price, 4 pounds for 25¢ Imported Smyrna Figs, the lb., 20¢

Xmas Sale of Jewelry

Brooches, Searf Pins, Chatelaine Pins and many other useful and novelty articles; values ranging from \$1.50 to \$15 each, on sale at HALF PRICE 20 PER CENT OFF on all our fine Elgin and Waltham Watches, also Swiss Watches; gold. gold-filled, gunmetal, silver cases; all grades; best styles; \$3.50 to \$85.00

values, 20 per cent off during sale. Special lot of German Silver Mesh Bags, all kid-lined; finest quality mesh; \$10 values, \$4.98 on sale at this price Regular \$2.00 Whisk Brooms, with silver handles, special, each, 98¢ \$1.00 fancy Match Boxes, each 69¢ Entire line quadruple silver-plated Shaving Sets, regular \$1.75 to \$10.00 values, on sale at ONE-THIRD OFF

DENTIST WITHOUT LICENSE, PROTESTS STATE BOARD.

Three Trials Prove Ineffective and Judge Bennett Orders Defendant Dismissed. After three trials by jury in the Mu-

nicipal Court, Dr. L. N. Scott, a dentist, was discharged last night by Judge Bennett, the third and last jury hearing the evidence having falled to find a verdict. Dr. Scott was charged with vio lating the dental laws in that he had practised in this city without having secured a license from the State Board of Dental Examiners. Judge Bennett said that as both the defendant and the state had already been put to con-siderable expense and that three juries had falled to convict him, he considered it his duty to dismiss the case. Dr. Scott, as was brought out in the

trials, is a dentist of 32 years' experi-ence. He came to Portland just after enactment of the new dental laws, and although he applied to the dental board

for an examination to entitle him to practice this was refused, he swore, and the \$25 which he sent in to the board with his application for permission to the examination was never returned

The new law enacted in 1905 provided that no person not a graduate of the National Association of Dental Colleges would be permitted to take the examination except those who had been prac-ticing dentistry in Oregon for more than five years prior to the enactment of the law. Dr. Scott and his attor-ney have contended that this was an unreasonable and unjust provision of the statute and was engineered by local dentists to prevent entry into the local field of cutside dentists. Dr. Scott de-clares he passed the examination in Ohio and practiced there for many years

before coming here.

Attorney Fowler, who appeared for Dr. Scott, declared that a majority of the members of the State Board of Den-tal Examiners are not graduates of asso-ciation colleges, and that the board is wrongfully withholding the \$25 which Dr. Scott sent in with his application for permission to take the examination.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends for their kind assistance and beautiful floral offerings to our beloved Clara in our bereavement.

MR. C. E. DAY,

MRS. M. CHRISTIANSON '

AND FAMILY.

THEY HOLD UP CITIZENS AND ROB STORES AT NIGHT.

Sailor Relieved of \$10-Chinese Store Yields \$250-Burglars and Sneak-Thieves Many.

According to the reports rendered the police, crime has been on the increase during the past 48 hours. Holdups, burglaries and petty thefts are among the things complained of.

Archie Gillies, a sallor of the steamer Bannockburn, was held up on his way to his vessel near the mills of the Eastern & Western Lumber Company on Monday night. The thug took \$10 from him and allowed him to proceed. No revolver was shown, but the robber was leading a buildog by a string. He was about 32 years old, 5 feet 6 inches tall, dressed roughly, and wore a dark, soft hat. He was of light complexion and had a light mustache.

entrance was effected through the base-ment of a Japanese store next door. Morco Modungo, of 29t Sheridan street, says that he has been held up three times within the past two months at times within the past two months at Sixth and Harrison streets. The last time was on Sunday night, when two men searched him and took \$5 from him. They had knives and razors, and with these weapons pressed close to his body in-timidated him while they went through his pockets. Modungo works in Solly's

Sneak thieves entered the room of Joseph Kelley at 264½ First street and robbed the place of a suitcase and Kelley's best ciothes, valued at \$75.

Mrs. M. Cummings, who lives at Wibers have with the commings of the commings. berg lane and the the Barr road, was visited by a thief. Some prowler entered her dwelling and stole a small amount of money from her purse.

POTATOES TAKE BANNER

Shipment From Elgin Tops Portland Market for Season.

J. B. Thorsen and H. H. Witherspoor owners of the Springdale fruit farm at Elgin, Or., have shipped to Portland two carloads of potatoes that topped the Portland market. The potatoes are of un-usual quality, and are a sample of the Burgiars broke into the store of Song Chong, 107 North Seventh street, on Monday night and stole \$250 in cash. An The country around Eigh is taking its

first stride in potato-raising this year, acpected, 1000 acres will be planted.

The Springfield fruit farm contains 300 acres. Two hundred acres are planted to apples of the King, Delicious, Winter Banana and Spitzenberg varieties. The

"We harvested the largest crop of pota toes in the state this year," said Mr. Witherspoon yesterday. "Off of 85 acres we obtained 19,000 bushels. This is considerably larger than the Medford crop which was claimed as the largest."

potatoes are raised between the rows of

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FRANK L. SMITH MEAT CO., "Fighting the Beef Trust," Portland, Oregon,

cording to Mr. Witherspoon. The crop ran from 100 to 200 bushels to the acre, and yielded about 24,000 bushels from the 250 acres planted. Next year, it is expected 1000 acres will be planted. Next year, it is expected 1000 acres will be planted.

Shoulder Roast Lamb 121/26 The finest kind of brisket Boiling Beef 7¢ Whole Front Quarter Choice Short Ribs of Beef to bake Shoulder Veal Cutlets 121/26 Breast of Lamb..... Shoulder Pork Chops 15c Best Pot Roast Beef 10¢ Loin Veal Cutlets...... 15c Shoulder of Lamb 10¢ Round Steak 10¢ Best cut of Sholder Roast Veal Steak 15c Sirloin Steak 10¢ Pork 15¢ Breast Veal 10¢ Smith's Kettle Rendered Veal Stew 10¢ Lard 15c Tenderloin Steak 121/2¢ Smith's Sugar-Cured Hams 18c Small Porterhouse Steak .. 121/2¢ Loin Pork Chops 18c Shoulder Roast Pork, Smith's Sugar - Cured

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