

Merchandise Purchased on Credit Balance of the Year Goes on January Account—"Willamette" Sewing Machines \$2 Down, \$1 Week New Furniture Department on Fifth Floor—Artistic Picture Framing to Your Order—Trunks and Traveling Bags on the Fourth Floor

Great Year-End Sale of Women's Suits, Coats, Costumes, Furs Dresses, Waists, Etc., Etc. at The Greater Meier & Frank Store



Great Special Reductions on Ladies'-Misses' Tailored Suits

Women's and misses' Tailored Suits, in broadcloth, worsteds, wide and narrow wale serges, chevots and mannish mixtures; also tweeds, homespuns and storm serges. The coats are in medium, long and seven-eighths lengths, semi and tight-fitting effects, and single or double-breasted; also diagonal fastenings; shawl collars of moire silk or satin, standing collar or small revers and notch collar. Strictly tailored garments or fancy braid trimming. Skirts gored, panel and side pleats, or yoke pleated; all finished with deep hem; tans, modes, walnut, grape, wistaria, rose, raisin, light blue, royal, navy, black, reseda, brown, pastel shades. A large assortment for your selection. On sale at the following special prices. See them: Regular \$18.00 Suits on sale for \$ 9.85—Regular \$20.00 Suits, on sale at, ea. \$12.45 Regular \$25.00 Suits on sale for \$14.85—Regular \$30.00 Suits, on sale at, ea. \$16.65 Regular \$35.00 Suits on sale for \$18.45—Regular \$40.00 Suits, on sale at, ea. \$22.45 Regular \$45.00 Suits on sale for \$24.85—Regular \$50.00 Suits, on sale at, ea. \$27.45

Street and Evening Capes \$35 Values \$15.85 Each

Great special lot of women's and misses' street and evening Capes in broadcloth, serges and golfing cloth; full length, either plain circular effects or mandarin capes, trimmed in fancy buttons, collar of satin or velvet collar; navy, black, garnet, lavender, **\$15.85** rose, wistaria, tan, pink and white; values up to \$35.00 each, on sale at **\$15.85**

Great sale of 2000 Tailored Waists in lawns, linens and reps, embroidered on pleat and cuffs; 1/2 and 1-inch tucks or rows of embroidery **\$1.28** and necks down the front; regular \$2.25 values, on sale at **\$1.28** 1000 black sateen Petticoats, made with deep flounce of pin tucks, **98c** two ruffles and 1/2-inch bands; the best regular \$1.75 values, on sale at, special **98c** German Flannelette Sacques, in figures and fancy stripes; small or large square collar, sateen bands and self trimming; the best colors; regular \$1.75 values, at **98c**

Ladies' \$30 Dresses \$9.85

Ladies' \$65 Dresses \$22.65

Great special clean-up of women's street and evening Dresses—two grand lots, in broadcloth, serge, henrietta cloth, panamas, taffeta silk, point d'esprit, chiffon and crepe de chine. The gowns are in Moyanage effect with flat braid trimming; also Princess cuts with belt effect and dainty yokes of lace and pleated skirts to the waist line, also draped skirt effects. Dainty evening gowns with low necks and short sleeves and trimmed in lace and satin. Navy blue, black, leather, gray, green, reseda, apricot, rose, grape, white, yellow and brown. All new, stylish apparel for street or evening wear, on sale at the following low prices—take advantage of sale: **VALUES TO \$30, FOR, EACH, \$9.85—VALUES TO \$65, FOR, EACH, \$22.65**

Ladies' Coats Reduced

Four immense lots of women's Coats in plain colors and fancy mixtures, tight or semi-fitting effects, with high standing, rolling, shawl or small notch collar; also Moyanage coats with clusters of side pleats or strictly plain tailored; navy, black, brown, gray, fancy green and brown mixtures. All this season's garments. Prices: **WOMEN'S \$15 COATS, EA. \$ 8.85—WOMEN'S \$20.00 COATS, EA., \$11.45 WOMEN'S \$25 COATS, EA., \$14.85—WOMEN'S \$32.50 COATS, EA., \$19.45** Entire stock of Furs at greatly reduced prices. Let us show you. On second floor Women's Walking Skirts in broadcloth, panama cloth and fancy mixtures, navy blue, brown, black and gray mixtures; kilt effects; also panel and pleat effects. Finished with deep hem. Three lots in the assortment for your selection. On sale as follows: **\$5.00 VALUES, \$1.89—\$7.00 VALUES, \$3.22—\$8.50 VALUES FOR \$4.85**

Ladies' \$4-4.50 Shoes \$3.15

Great-special offering of women's fine Footwear in patent colt, gunmetal and glazed kid leathers; button and blucher styles; new short vamps, Cuban **\$3.15** heels, Goodyear welt soles; all sizes and widths; \$4.00-\$4.50 vals., pr.



Great Cleanup of Odds and Ends in All Departments of the Store

\$3.00 to \$40 Lace Curtains at 1/2 Price

Great annual clean-up of Lace Curtains, only one pair of a kind and including real Arabians, lacettes, Irish points, Brussels, French nets, Marie Antoinettes and Nottingham's; very large assortment, at prices ranging from \$3.00 to \$40.00 a pair, to be closed out at, pair **1/2 Price**

2000 pairs of Lace Curtains, white, cream and ecru Nottingham's, floral designs, scroll effects and all-over patterns; very best styles; **\$1.29** great variety; special values at, pr. **\$1.29**

3000 yards of fine Curtain Serims, in white, cream and ecru; fancy block and plaid effects; **28c** best regular 40c values, on sale at, yard **9c**

10,000 yards of new Silkolines, all new colorings and designs; reds, greens, yellows, pinks, blues, etc.; best 12 1/2c qualities, on sale at, yard **9c**

\$2.50 Silk at \$1.29 Sale extraordinary of fine Silks, Crepe Metora and Messalines and Peau de Cygnes, 30 to 36 inches wide, in all the leading colors and shades; all new, high-class silks, selling at prices up to \$2.50 the yard; choice at this wonderfully low price, yard. **\$1.29**

100,000 Kerchiefs Slightly soiled and mused from handling 5c and 8c Values at 3c

In the main Fifth-street aisle, an immense clean-up of 100,000 women's and children's Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled and mused from handling and being used for decorating, to be sold at wonderfully low prices. Plain, crossbar and scalloped Handkerchiefs in endless assortment, on sale at these low prices: **5c to 8c values, each, 3c—12c to 20c values, ea., 5c**

Ladies'-Gents' Umbrellas \$1.50 and \$2 Values 98c

Great special sale of 1000 women's and men's Umbrellas, 26 and 28-inch umbrellas, good fast black coverings; best frames; Directoire, plain and fancy handles. Regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 values, **98c** to be closed out at this special price, each **12c** 20,000 yards of fine satin and taffeta Ribbons, in black, colors and fancies; grand variety; **20c to 35c values, on sale at, the yard 12c** In the main aisle, 1000 dozen of the famous "Phoenix" Mufflers in all the best shades; buy all you want of them at this low price, ea. **37c**

New Dress Goods \$2.00 Values 89c Yard

2500 yards of Silk and Wool Dress Goods in grays, yellow, light blue, cream, green, wistaria, chocolate, petunia, etc.; all new, high-class dress materials for gowns, dresses and suits; regular values up to \$2.00 a **89c** yard, on sale at this low price, yd.

Big Specials in Flannels 10c

10,000 yards of 27-inch Flannelettes in all new stripes and Persian effects; also checks, with borders; best patterns, colorings and combinations; marvelous values, on sale at this low price, yd.—take advantage **10c**

Sale of Wool Waistings 75c Values at 50c Yard

5000 yards of fine new Wool Waistings, with and without borders; stripes and checks, in the very best colorings and combinations; 75c values, on sale at, yd. **50c** 100 pieces of fancy white Mercerized Waistings in the newest and best styles; regular 35c values, at, the yard **25c**

1/4 Off on Fancy Art Vases 1/4 Off on Bronze Figures 1/4 Off on All Candlesticks

Great clean-up of various lines in Basement Store: Eocene and Louella Wellar Ware—fancy Art Vases in beautiful styles and patterns, all at **1/4 Off** prices, on sale at this reduction, each **1/4 Off**

Entire stock of Bronze Figures, beautiful pieces, all on sale at, special, ea. **1/4 Off**

Entire stock of Silver and Brass Candlesticks, all sizes, styles and grades, on sale at one **1/4 Off** fourth off the regular selling prices

1/4 Off Royal Doulton Ware Entire stock of Royal Doulton Ware, **1/4 Off** handsome pieces, all on sale at, sp'l.

Entire stock of Bohemian Glassware, in all style pieces and all prices, special **1/4 Off** Silver Fruit Dishes, with glass lining, all sizes; great special values, at **20 PER CENT REDUCTION** 1000 fancy German China Salad Bowls and Cake Plates; regular values up to \$1.45 each, **94c** on sale at this unusually low price, each

85c Embroideries at 39c \$1.50 Embroideries at 69c

Sale extraordinary in the Lace Department of Match Sets of Embroideries—swiss and nainsook, for women's, children's and infants' wear. Edges and insertions from 1 to 15 inches wide. Designs in eyelet, filet and blindwork; great variety, wonderful values, on sale at the following special prices. See them: Regular 60c values, on sale at, special, yard, **25c** Regular 85c values, on sale at, special, yard, **39c** Regular \$1.50 values, on sale at, special, yard, **69c**

\$1.50 Embroideries at 79c 1/2 Price Sale on Remnants

Great closing-out sale of 10,000 yards of manufacturers' lengths of swiss and cambrie Embroidery Edging and Insertion, 1 to 5 inches wide; very best patterns in great assortment; 4 1/2 and **79c** 5-yard strips; \$1.50 values, at, the strip **79c** Great half-price sale of remnants of Laces and Embroideries; all styles, all grades, all lengths; **1/2** 10,000 yards, on sale at 1/2 the regular prices

Cleanup of Odds and Ends in Men's Furnishing Dept.

WAS GENTRY SHOT?

Lad Tells Tale Which Officials Discredit.

BULLET OR STICK, IS POINT

Thirteen-Year-Old Son of Arleta Man Declares He Was Shot by Air Rifle in Hands of Unknown Boy—No Bullet Found.

Was Carl Gentry, the 13-year-old son of Dan and Nettie Gentry, of Arleta, shot in the back of the head with an air rifle yesterday morning, or was he struck with a sharp stick, is what the officials of the Juvenile Court would like to know. Had the bullet or stick struck Carl an inch or more lower in the head, the result might have been fatal.

Lloyd Carpenter, also of Arleta, corroborated Gentry in his story of the shooting. The boys say they went to see Charlie Cowden at 244 1/2 Columbia street to find Carl's dog. On the way up Columbia street they fell in with three other boys, one of whom had an air rifle with which he was shooting. Gentry informed Probation Officer Teuscher that he asked the boy, whose name he does not know, to let him shoot with the rifle. He was told the gun belonged to the boy's brother, one of the three. According to Carl's story this brother then dared him to put his hand in the brother's coat pocket, which he refused to do, whereupon boy No. 2 urged the little fellow with the gun to shoot. According to the story told by Carl, and corroborated by Lloyd, the small boy shot five or six times after hitting Carl in the back of the head, missing Lloyd by a few inches. Mr. Teuscher sent the boys to Drs. Montgomery and Chamberlain, but no bullet could be found. The officers of

MOHAIR MILLS READY SOON

Plant at Willsburg, Near Sellwood, to Be Completed February 1.

ON IN EARNEST.

Thousands are taking advantage of our annual clearance sale and voting on the \$200 Kimball piano we are going to give away. Register your votes now! They are valuable. McAllen & McDonnell, Third and Morrison streets, popular-price drygoods store.

Stung For 15 Years by Indigestion's pangs—trying many doctors and \$200.00 worth of medicine in vain, R. E. Ayres, of Inglewood, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. They cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. See at all drugstores.

MEXICO FOR PEACE

Consul Says U. S. Will Have No Trouble Over Zelaya.

DR. GRASSMAN IN PORTLAND

As Private Citizen, Visitor Declares Though Diaz Friendly to ex-President, Uncle Sam Will Not Be Bothered.

"There will be no trouble with Mexico over Zelaya," declared Dr. E. L. Grassman, Mexican Consul-at-Large, who is spending a few days in Portland on business, when seen last night. "While Mexico desires to be friendly with the Central American republics to the south, she also desires to remain on the best of terms with the United States, and will not place difficulties in the way of Washington in carrying out plans that the State Department may have in this matter," continued Dr. Grassman. "The Zelaya tangle does not amount to anything, anyway. I say this as a Mexican citizen, not as an official, but I believe I am pretty well informed on the matter."

Dr. Grassman arrived last night on the Santa Clara, and went at once to the Perkins Hotel, where reservations had been made for him. His trip here, he said, was in no way official, and would last but a day or two. Then he was going to the Puget Sound cities, and would return at once to Mexico. His visit here, he added, was not connected with any trade enterprise, but speaking of industrial matters he continued: "Mexico is seeking investments. Mexico is seeking the investment of foreign capital to develop its mineral and agricultural resources. Any investment that is made there will be given every protection, and the government is willing to give all concessions within reasonable matters he continued: "It's worth taking a chance by dining at the Calumet Grill, Seventh street, near Morrison street."

THEATERS TO KEEP OPEN

SHUBERTS PLAN STOCK COMPANY FOR NORTHWEST.

Gaps Between Eastern Plays Here and at Seattle to Be Filled by New Organization.

The Shuberts are organizing a stock company in New York, and will send it intact across the continent, to alternate between the Portland Theater here and the Alhambra Theater in Seattle. The opening engagement will be at the Portland on January 15, following "The Man from Home," which will be seen here January 9. This step is taken by the Shuberts so that the theaters may remain open during the time they are not occupied by the regularly booked road attractions.

E. L. Drew, of Russell & Drew, the Northwestern managers for the Shuberts, who is here during the engagement of "The Gay Musician," has received a telegram from New York announcing other big attractions to be sent here by the Shuberts, but since they will not come continuously, the stock company is being organized to fill in the gaps. The members of the company and the plays selected have not been given out, but it is understood that the company will be a first-class one, and will present only standard plays, including recent successes in New York. The Shuberts do not intend sending as many large attractions to the Pacific Coast this season as had been anticipated, as their invasion was made too late in the season to care for all the houses under contract. It is on next season that the Shuberts and their Northwestern managers are depending for the big showing. They guaranteed 25 weeks of attractions for the Alhambra, in Seattle, and this time has been partially consumed, but since the theatrical season closes in June, there are six months left in which to keep the Portland and Alhambra theaters filled. Hence the stock company. Creditors to Benefit by Lot Sale. Judge Charles E. Wolverton yesterday ordered Receiver Walter Neldner to sell

OLD MAN GORED BY BULL

Horn Pierces Heart; Victim Trampled, Then Crowd Is Chased.

FRANK L. SMITH MEAT CO.

"FIGHTING THE BEEF TRUST" 22 Markets

Special Today at All of Smith's Markets

At all of Smith's Markets you will get the following meats—the best and cheapest meats in the United States. If you should come to our Alder Street Market be sure to get in the right place—see that Smith's name is over the door—avoid the Beef Trust's Markets which have been put there to trap you. Legs of Lamb.....15c Loin Lamb Chops.....15c Shoulder Lamb Chops.....12 1/2c Shoulder Roasts of Lamb.....12 1/2c Whole Shoulder of Lamb.....10c Lamb Stew.....8c Lamb's Liver.....10c Veal Steaks.....15c Loin Veal Outlets.....15c Rib Veal Outlets.....15c Shoulder Veal Outlets.....12 1/2c Shoulder Roast Veal.....12 1/2c Breasts of Veal.....10c Smith's Sugar-cured Hams.....18c Smith's Sugar-cured Breakfast Bacon by the piece.....22 1/2c The same sliced or center cuts.....25c Smith's pure Lard, kettle rendered, per pound.....15c Fresh Eggs, the kind to eat, per dozen.....35c Fresh Norway Butter, not cut from "tub butter"—Smith's is absolutely fresh creamery butter, per sq.....85c Fresh Columbia River Salmon at.....12 1/2c Fresh Rogue River Salmon 12 1/2c

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