**See Demonstration in Basement of Polar Star Ice Cream Freezer—Schram Fruit Jars—Economy Jars—Silver Dip Silver Polish, Etc.**
**Patronize Our New Optical and Manicuring Department—Take Lunch Today in 7th Fl. Tea Room—A la Carte Service—Good Music**

# Today Begins The Greater Meier & Frank Midsummer Sales

## Women's Princess Dresses Values to $40 $14.45

The premier offering from the second floor Garment Section for the great Midsummer Sales is this lot of Dresses, made of high-grade materials, in several styles. The colors are light blue, pink, rose, green, lavender, champagne, leather, navy, black and white. Regular values up to $40.00 each, choice for the Midsummer Sale at the exceptionally low price of, the garment **$14.45**

## Refrigerators FIFTH LESS

Cut down your ice bill. Dispose of that old refrigerator, that seems to eat the ice, and get a White Mountain. Buy now and we'll give it to you for a full fifth less than the regular value. Our entire line of refrigerators included in this offer. Buy one now and save **1-5**

## $350 Curtains $1.95

A midsummer sale bargain in the drapery and curtain section, third floor. A lot of 900 pairs of lace and scrim curtains, all good designs. Come in white and ecru, in novelty band effects. Marie Antoinette, Cluny lace, embroidered scrims, and cross stripes. Every pair in the lot is good value at $3.50 the pair; special price, the pair **$1.95**

## All Lingerie Dresses Reduced Now

Select any of the dainty Lingerie Gowns in our large stock today, and save a large portion of the regular price. They are made of extra fine materials and exquisitely trimmed. There are tunic and semi-Princess styles and many other dainty effects. The regular prices range from $35.00 down to $7.50, but during this great Midsummer Sale are offered at $24.50 to as low as, each **$4.85**

## 75c Silk Gloves 39c

Two-clasp style Silk Gloves, with double finger tips; come in white, black and colors, sizes 5½ to 8; regular 75c values, at this low price, pair **39c**

Women's and Children's Gauntlet Driving Gloves—
All sizes, regular price $1.25 pair, special for **95¢**
Regular $1.50 values, special price, the pair, **$1.29**
Regular $1.75 values, special price, the pair, **$1.45**

## Silk Waists FOURTH LESS

Every woman wants a Silk Waist for the more dressy occasions. At the saving quoted above you may choose from messalines, chiffons, crepe de chines, foulards, nets and taffetas. All our fancy and evening Waists included. Regular values from $6.00 to $45.00 **1/4 Less**

## Sale Willow Ostrich Plumes

Every woman in the land who loves rich and beautiful headgear wants to be the owner of plumes like these. There's nothing has the richness and the stately elegance of a handsome sweeping plume. This lot came to us through a phenomenally lucky purchase, and we're thereby enabled to present to our patrons a really startling bargain. French-made Willow Plumes, from African male birds, in black only, which we offer at these prices:

Reg. $6.50 vals. today **$4.65** | Regular $10.00 values, today at **$7.95** | $15.00 values at **$11.95**
$20.00 values at **$15.95** | $28.00 values **$21.75** | $33.00 values at **$26.45**

## Sale of Summer Underwear

Women, children and misses may secure hot-weather undergarments at a low price because of this sale. There are union suits or vests and pants in great variety. There are plain or daintily trimmed garments; vests come in high or low neck, sleeves, or sleeveless; pants ankle or knee length. See window and counter displays. Prices follow:

Regular 15c values for this low price **7c** | Regular 25c values for sale at this price **14c** | Regular 35c vals. for this low price **19c**
Regular 50c vals. for this low price **33c** | Regular 75c values for sale at this price **47c** | Child's Waists, special for only **22c**

## Women's $4 Oxfords $2.65

Come in the best leathers, such as tan, black or brown vici kid, patent kid, mat or velour calf, etc. Come in three or four eyelet, blucher and button oxfords and strap pumps. Flexible welt soles, with Cuban or military heels, all sizes; $3.50 to $4 vals., pair **$2.65**

**Regular $6.00 to $10.00**

## Corsets for $3.98 Each

A broken lot of Corsets, made up of white coutil and fancy brocade. This season's models, some standard makes. Medium high bust, long hips, hose supporters attached; $6 to $10 values, sale at **$3.98**

## Men's "Gotham" Shirts, Pajamas and Underwear at Sale Prices

Here's a chance for the man who wants the very best in any of the garments mentioned above. The "Gotham" line is the best made and the finest of materials. They are made for the particular man who wants style, fit and value. We have the sole agency for these in this city. For the Midsummer Sale they are sharply reduced.

## Sale of ROOM SIZE Oriental Rugs

Royal Serapis—Size 9x12 feet, also larger sizes; $350.00 values, special price, each **$220.00**
Ispahans and Sarouks—8x11 and 9x12; 20 in the lot; regular price $350.00; special **$245.00**

## Great Sale Camping Blankets

## Reg. $3.50 Values $2.45

200 pairs of light gray Camping Blankets, wool finished, large size, with colored borders; regular $3.50 values at **$2.45**

Sheet Blankets—12-4 size Blankets of white cotton; extra large; our regular $1.75 vals., on special sale at, the pair **$1.41**


# HUSBAND GETS EVEN

### Divorced Spouse Tells Officers of Coffee Thefts.

### DRIVER CONFESSES GUILT

**Regular Customers Served With Goods Stolen From Firm—Woman and Her Son Are Held as Accessories in Crimes.**

Twenty or more regular customers were served with their supplies of tea, coffee and spices by Enoch Knott, driver for a coffee company, without the knowledge of his employers, according to a confession made to Constable Lou Wagner yesterday by Knott after the Constable had taken him into custody.

Knott is believed to have obtained between $1000 and $2000 by clandestine deliveries. He told the Constable that he had served two years in the penitentiary at Salem for a similar offense several years ago. He was arrested Saturday night.

Knott in his confession implicated Mrs. Josephine Hardy, of the suburb of Richmond, and her son, a driver for the same company. He said that both were cognizant of his operations. They were arrested Saturday and a large quantity of tea and coffee was found hidden in the attic of their home.

The exposure of Knott's operations came from Dominic Terris, divorced husband of Mrs. Hardy, who blames Knott for his marital troubles. Mrs. Hardy recently placed a charge of threatening to kill against Terris and in return he exposed the peculation from the coffee company.

The method used by Knott was to take out with his list of legitimate orders a plentiful additional supply of the goods of the firm. He had his private list of purchasers and filled their orders from the goods which he stole. His work never was suspected and the manager of the store refused to believe that he had been robbed until the goods were shown him at the Hardy house.

Knott said that the Hardy boy made a practice of carrying home with him at night a package of the goods of the firm.

# WATKINS DECRIES LIQUOR

**Prohibition Leader Delivers Address to Small Audience.**

That political action independent of the two dominant parties is the only means to bring about the prohibition of the liquor business was the keynote of the address yesterday afternoon delivered in Hawthorne Park Tabernacle by Professor Aaron S. Watkins, president of Ashbury College, Kentucky. Professor Watkins is considered one of the leading prohibition orators of the United States, and in 1908 was candidate for Vice-President on the Prohibition ticket.

He was introduced by B. Lee Paget to a small audience. The speaker first gave the reasons he had for favoring prohibition and said that for 40 years he had argued that prohibition was the only way to get rid of the liquor business. Professor Watkins contended that since the settlement of the money question 10 years ago there was no great National question separating the two great political parties, and that the temperance question was the only National question before the American people today.

"Neither party will make prohibition an issue," declared Professor Watkins. "The people who object to making the prohibition question political will look in vain for any relief from either the Republican or Democratic party. Mr. Roosevelt has never expressed an opinion about the temperance question, and he has touched on every other known question, for he expresses opinions about everything and knows everything. When President he did urge that more care be exercised about letting the Indians have liquor, but said nothing about the danger to the 90,000,000 of people in the country. Mr. Bryan, who has suggested a great many political schemes, has been silent as far as making prohibition an issue for the Democratic party."

Professor Watkins discussed the contention that prohibition was antagonistic to personal liberty and scouted the idea, declaring there was no such thing as personal liberty to be violated. Local option, he said, was the stepping-stone to the larger accomplishment of prohibition. Toward the conclusion of his address he said that success at the polls was not success for prohibition, but afterwards came the fight to secure the results of the battle of ballots.

Professor Watkins spoke last night in Taylor-Street Methodist Church on the subject, "The Liquor Traffic and How to Destroy It."

# ROSES FOR HIBERNIANS

**DECORATED CAR TO MEET GRAND OFFICERS.**

**Call Is Issued for Meeting Tonight to Complete Arrangements for Thursday Night's Parade.**

When the National officers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians arrive at Vancouver next Friday evening they will be transferred to a special rose car and escorted into Portland by a committee composed of all the state, county and division officers of the Oregon branch of the order, as well as members of the general committee of arrangements.

The rose car will leave Portland at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and will return to the Grand Central Station at 7:10 the same evening. A committee of women have undertaken the decoration of the car, which will carry the visitors over the last few miles of their journey. The trip is intended as a first glimpse of Portland hospitality.

Instructions were received yesterday at Hibernian headquarters to engage suitable quarters for the Maryland delegation, which is coming with the avowed purpose of capturing the next convention for Baltimore. Dr. P. F. Martin heads the visitors from that state, and the invitation they are bringing to the Hibernians is couched in the warmest terms of Southern hospitality.

A special meeting of the Hibernians of Portland has been called for tonight to complete final arrangements for the parade on the night of Thursday, July 21.

Three money prizes have been set aside to award the business houses of the city with the best decorated windows, and the committee in charge of the contest has received assurances that all the larger and many of the smaller business houses will put forth their best efforts in window dressing.

**Colorado Minister Preaches.**

Rev. R. J. Hunter, pastor of a Presbyterian church at Greeley, Colo., preached at the Third Presbyterian Church yesterday morning and evening, and made an excellent impression on his hearers. His sermon at the morning service was on the teachings of St. Paul. Mr. Hunter is to preach for six weeks at the Third Presbyterian Church, in the absence of the regular pastor, Dr. William Parsons, who is lecturing in the East.

**Prizes Offered for Apples.**

CORVALLIS, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Commercial Club last night a fund of $100 was voted to be used in premiums for the best exhibits by Benton County apple-growers at the November meeting of the State Horticultural Society in Portland. It is expected that the premiums will interest many local growers of good fruit and that the showing at the meeting of the horticulturists this year will be an exceptional one.


Trunks, suit cases and bags. Largest variety at Harris Trunk Co., 132 Sixth.

# FRANK L. SMITH MEAT CO.

WEST SIDE
226 Alder St.
Ninth near Davis.
21st near Johnson
11th near Montgomery
First corner Sheridan
Sheridan near First (Kosher market)
3d and Jefferson (grocery and market)
188 Gibbs
563 Washington St.
Astoria—253 Taylor Ave.
576 Commercial St.
Seaside—Bridge Street

EAST SIDE
Sellwood—13th St. and Tenino Ave.
St. Johns—Jersey St.
Alberta—Alberta St.
Sunnyside—33d and Belmont
Milwaukie Ave. and Frankfort St.
512-514 Williams Ave.
East Burnside St., near Burnside Bridge
Grand Ave., near Hawthorne Ave.
Grand Ave., near East Morrison St.
791 Mississippi Ave.
Union Ave. and Tillamook St.

"FIGHTING THE BEEF TRUST"

**Keep going until you get in the right place, when you come to Smith's Alder St. Market. Don't go into the Beef Trust's Market. Go to any Smith Market for**

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| Fresh, pure Pig Pork Sausage | 15¢ | Sirloin Steak | 12½¢, 15¢ |
| Veal Sausage | 15¢ | Shoulder of Mutton | 10¢ |
| Pot Roast Beef | 8¢, 10¢ | Legs of Mutton | 15¢ |
| Hamburg Steak | 12½¢ | Boiling Beef | 7¢, 8¢ |
| Round Steak | 12½¢, 15¢ | Smith's pure Lard, 5-lb. pail | 90¢ |
| Shoulder Steak | 12½¢ | Smith's pure Cooking Compound, 5-lb. pail | 65¢ |
| Shoulder Spring Lamb | 12½¢ | Smith's pure Norway Creamery Butter, per square | 65¢ |
| Mutton Chops | 15¢ | | |

All the above meats and the following groceries at Third and Jefferson streets—phone Main 8751, Automatic A 4418:

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| 17 lbs. Granulated Sugar | $1.00 | 1500 Matches | 10¢ | 4 lbs. Bulk Laundry Starch | 25¢ |
| 50 lbs. Hard Wheat Flour | $1.25 | 7 cans Sardines | 25¢ | 5 pkgs. Corn Starch | 25¢ |
| 4 cans Milk—$2.90 per case | 25¢ | 6 lbs. Oatmeal | 25¢ | 3 cans any kind of Soup | 25¢ |
| 3 Fancy Norway Mackerel | 25¢ | 6 loaves Bread | 25¢ | 3 cans Salmon | 25¢ |
| 2 quarts Kraut | 15¢ | 3 pkgs. Macaroni or Egg Noodles | 25¢ | 3 bottles Vinegar | 25¢ |
| 1 gal. Dill or Sour Pickles | 35¢ | 5 lbs. Sultana Raisins | 25¢ | 3 pkgs. Rice or Corn Flakes | 25¢ |
| | | 1 lb. Brazil Coffee | 20¢ | 1 1½-lb can Strawberry Jam | 15¢ |

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| 1 jar Jam or Marmalade | 20¢ |
| 3 pkgs. Jello | 25¢ |
| 3 pkgs. Gelatine | 25¢ |
| 7 cakes Floating Toilet Soap | 25¢ |
| 4 cakes Wool Soap—10c size | 25¢ |
| 1 bottle Worcestershire Sauce | 15¢ |
| 1 2-oz. jar Extract of Beef | 40¢ |

# ROCK ISLAND CLUB

NOTICE

All former members of the club are hereby extended all the club privileges for this season, without paying the customary fees. Send to the Secretary for 1910 membership cards at once.

**OPEN NOW FOR THE ENTIRE SUMMER OF 1910**

**Under the same old management that made it famous in the first years of its history. The only club of its kind in the whole world.**

NEW MEMBERS

Complimentary memberships in limited numbers will be given to those who meet with the approval of the Membership Committee. To secure one of these, apply at once to the Secretary.

## ALL FORMER MEMBERS RECEIVED THIS SEASON FREE

The Rock Island Club is located eight miles up the Willamette River. It is several acres in extent, beautifully wooded and the prettiest spot in Oregon for an afternoon and evening. Its elevation is high, permitting the river breezes to sweep it at all hours of the day and night.

ASSOCIATED CLUBS

By virtue of their memberships in the following Portland clubs, all who hold cards in them will be entitled to all the privileges at the Rock Island Club during the Summer, without expense of membership fee:

Portland Commercial Club.
Multnomah Athletic Club.
Oregon Yacht Club.
Portland Rowing Club.
Portland Motor-Boat Club.

ROCK ISLAND CLUB

## The First Formal Opening of the Club Will Be Held Friday the 15th

**All members and friends invited. Dinner on the veranda. Phone Secretary Thursday or before for tables. Take Steamer Bateman at foot of Washington St., 9 and 11 A. M., 2, 4 and 6:15 P. M. Communicate with Secretary at once for Membership Cards.**

**Main 6120, A 5655 - SECRETARY - 605 Commercial Bldg.**