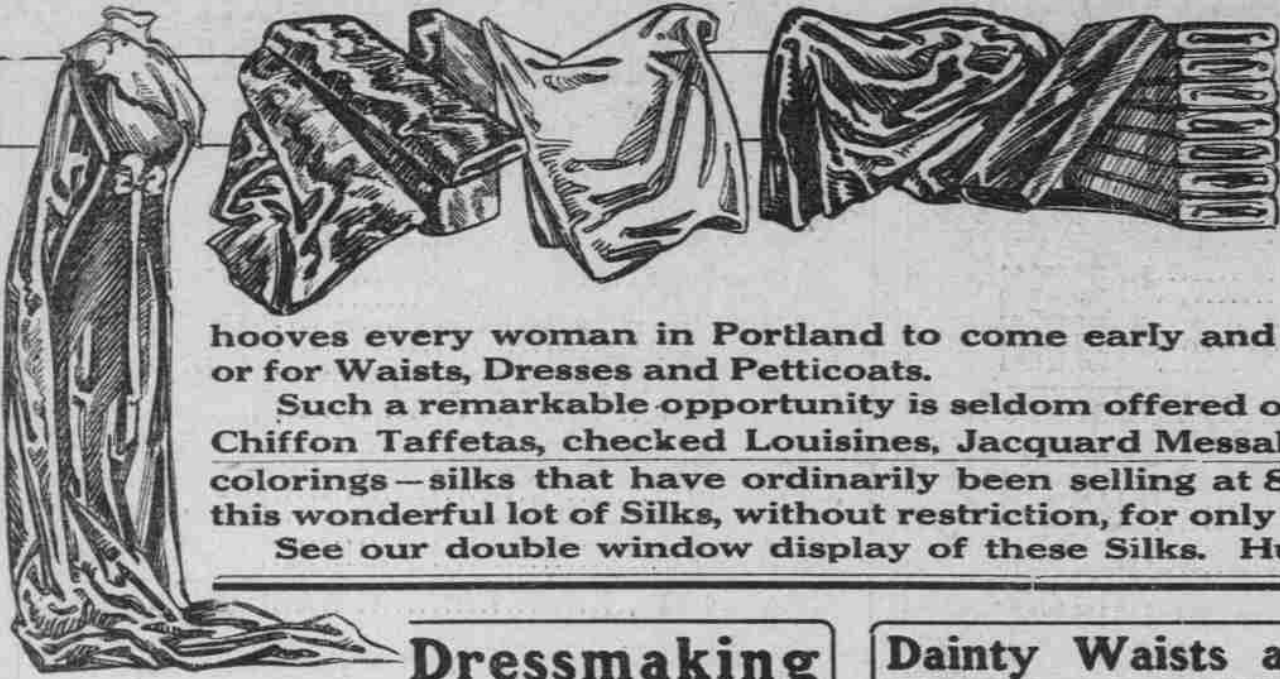


At Meier & Frank's Today 85c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Silks Only 49c a Yard



The Rousing Sale That Every Woman Should Attend A Wonderful Opportunity to Plan New Dresses or Waists With Complete Assurance That Lowest Prices Will Prevail

Rich indeed is the wondrous array of shimmering Silks that enter this extraordinary selling event today, and such vital reductions have been made for this sale that it be-

hooves every woman in Portland to come early and choose the many desired pieces of these lustrous Silks from which to plan the trimmings, or for Waists, Dresses and Petticoats.

Such a remarkable opportunity is seldom offered our patrons. Comprising this great sale is a varied assortment of beautiful colored striped Chiffon Taffetas, checked Louisines, Jacquard Messaline, Shepherd's Checks and accordion-pleated Crepes, all of fine quality and desirable colorings—silks that have ordinarily been selling at 85c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 the yard. Think what it means to you in savings to choose from this wonderful lot of Silks, without restriction, for only 49c the yard.

See our double window display of these Silks. Hundreds of women will be here at the opening of the doors to enjoy these great savings.

Dressmaking Supplies and Notions at Less Featherbone, Dressmakers' Findings

- 10c Chiengo Bone, the box, 80c; yard, 7c.
 - 15c Warren's Silk Grosgrain Waist Bone, the doz., \$1.35; yard, 12c.
 - 10c Warren's H. B. Tape Bones, the dozen, 90c; yard, 8c.
 - 10c Warren's Collar Bone, the dozen, 90c; yard, 8c.
 - 75c Lead Dress Weights, the box, 50c.
 - 50c Superior Dress Banding, the bolt, 20c.
 - 10c Princess Belting, black or white, the yard, 7c.
 - 15c Sapho Seam Binding, colors, \$1.25 the dozen; bolt, 11c.
 - 35c Ideal Skirt Markers, each 19c.
 - 10c Koh-i-nor and "See It" Spring Fasteners, each 7c.
 - 15c Ancho Lead Tape, the yard, 10c.
 - 25c Fancy Silk Covered Shields, the pair, 10c.
- ### PINS AND SAFETY PINS
- Puritan Dress Makers' Pins in 1/2-lb. Boxes.
- 25c Box of Pins, sizes 3, 4 and 5. Special, 22c.
 - 30c Box of Pins, sizes 4 and 5. Special, 25c.
 - 35c Box of Pins, sizes 6 and 7. Special, 30c.
 - 10c Queen Pins, the paper, 7c.
 - 10c Colored Cube Pins, 3 for 10c.
 - 5c Gem Pins, 3 for 10c.
 - 5c Safety Pins, 3 for 10c.

- ### HOOKS AND EYES
- 5c Windsor and Doreas Hooks and Eyes, 3 for 10c.
 - 5c Franko, etc., Hooks and Eyes, 2 for 5c.
 - 10c Peet's Hooks and Eyes, 3 for 20c.
 - 12 1/2c Ball and Socket Fasteners, the dozen, \$1.00; each, 10c.
 - 10c Yeiser Hooks and Eyes, 3 for 20c.
 - 10c Macy Hooks and Eyes, in glass tubes, the tube, 5c.
 - 15c Curling Irons, each 10c.
 - 5c Jet Assorted Hair Pins, 3 boxes, 10c.
 - 10c Jet Assorted Hair Pins, 3 boxes, 25c.
 - 15c Jet Assorted Hair Pins, 2 boxes, 25c.
 - 25c West Elastic Curlers, 5 on card, the card, 19c.
 - 25c Magic Elastic Curlers, 5 on card, the card, 19c.
 - 25c National Ventilating Curlers, 5 on card, the card, 19c.
 - 5c K. B. Crimped or Straight Wire Hair Pins, jet or bronze, assorted lengths, 3 for 10c.
 - 15c Bone Hair Pins, shell or amber, the box, 10c.

- ### COLLAR STAYS
- 10c Girl Collar Stays, 4 on card, 3 cards, 20c.
 - 10c Astra Collar Stays, 3 on card, 3 cards, 20c.
 - 10c Eve Collar Stays, 6 on card, 3 cards, 20c.
 - 5c Queen Collar Stays, 6 on card, 3 cards, 10c.
 - 5c Translucent Collar Stays, 6 on card, 3 cards, 10c.
 - 10c Pearl Bone Collar Stays, 6 on card, the card, 5c.

- ### LISLE ELASTIC
- 5c Black or White Elastic, 1-4 in., the yard, 3c.
 - 6c Black or White Elastic, 3-8 in., the yard, 4c.
 - 7c Black or White Elastic, 1/2 in., the yard, 5c.
 - 8c Black or White Elastic, 5-8 in., the yard, 6c.
 - 9c Black or White Elastic, 3-4 in., the yard, 7c.
 - 10c Black or White Elastic, 7-8 in., the yard, 8c.

- ### ELASTIC HOSE SUPPORTERS
- 15c and 20c Children's Warrior and Gold Bond Hose Supporters, black or white, the pair, 10c.
 - 25c Women's Velvet Grip Pad Supporters, the pair, 19c.
 - 50c Women's Velvet Grip Pad Supporters, the pair, 35c.
 - 50c to \$1.00 Foster Pad Supporters, the pair, 25c.

- ### HAIR NETS
- 25c Real Hair Nets, all shades, 3 for 55c.
 - 20c Real Hair Nets, all shades, 3 for 45c.
 - 15c Real Hair Nets, all shades, 3 for 35c.
 - 30c Box Tailor Chalk, 100 pieces, 20c.
 - 15c Kid Curlers, all sizes, the bunch, 10c.
 - Charter Oak Thread, 200-yard spools, black and white, all sizes; 6 spools 25c; dozen spools, 47c.
 - 5c Our Own Silk Thread, 100-yd. spools, black and colors, 3 spools 10c.
 - 5c Basting Thread, 500-yard spools, 3 for 10c.

\$2 Bust and Hip Forms \$1.49

A great convenience to every woman who does sewing at home are these bust and hip forms. They're wonderful labor-savers in the fitting of dresses, skirts or waists and make the home sewing easier in many ways. Regular \$2 Bust and Hip Forms, special, today only, \$1.49. Adjustable Stands to fit Form, each, \$2 Extra.

85c Coat Forms 69c

An excellent foundation for the making of Coats and Jackets are these Coat Forms of shrunk Canvas and Hair Cloth. They're made complete with collar and padded arm piece and long front style. Regularly 85c. Special for this four-day sale only 69c. 50c Coat Forms, 39c. 35c Coat Forms, of light weight Hair Cloth. Special for this sale at 29c.

Dainty Waists at \$1.28

Most pleasing is this assortment of fine Lingerie Waists of voile and batiste, and they're all fashioned in the present mode. The fact that Fall fashions call for very sheer Waists, in addition to their use for Summer wear, makes them a practicable garment. Some are embroidered in white and colors with turn cuffs and Robespierre Collars and edged in lace. Others have fancy yokes of lace and net, with long or short sleeves and high neck. Specially priced for today, \$1.28 your choice.

—Second Floor, Garment Salon. —Mail Orders Filled.

BUY INDESTRUCTO BAGGAGE

More Miles for the Least Money

—and that's only one of the features of the Indestructo Trunk in the World—the "Indestructo." They've given such unequalled satisfaction that the manufacturers insure them for five years against fire, theft, damage and destruction, and the factory registry idea is worth a great deal to every man or woman who travels. On every Indestructo Trunk is securely fastened a brass number and identification plate with the name of the maker. Inside of each Indestructo Trunk is a postal card on which the owner of the Indestructo notifies the maker of the number of the trunk purchased, then in case of loss the transportation company immediately notifies the Indestructo factory and identification is made without breaking into the personal effects of the owner.

4 Specials in Imported Grass Furniture

\$6.50 Genuine Imported China Grass Rocker—hand woven and durably constructed. Chair to match. Special price **\$4.79** only.

\$8.50 China Grass Rocker or Chair—to match, with large, roomy seats and high backs, very comfortable. Special price **\$5.49** only.

\$8.50 Genuine China Grass Chair or Rocker to match—just as illustrated, neatly woven. Special for Home-furnishing Sale at **\$5.69**.

\$5.80 Mat China Grass Chair—with magazine pocket, well made, durable and comfortable. Special for Home-furnishing Sale **\$3.98**.

Included for Our August Homefurnishing Sale

Liberal Terms of Credit Are Offered Through Our Club Plan of Easy Installments on Furniture

Infants' Needs at Smallest Prices

Infants' 75c Crepe Gowns—made of good grade Crepe, neck and cuffs neatly bound in Satin Ribbon and has drawing at the bottom. These comfortable Gowns for the Infant we special today at 49c.

Infants' 35c Pinning Blankets—of good quality Outing Flannel, bottom edged with shell stitching and made with hand. Today we special these Pinning Blankets at 25c.

Infants' \$1.75 Dresses—of excellent quality Lawn or Nainsook. Yokes are daintily trimmed with Lace or Embroidery. Skirts neatly finished with plain hemmed or lace or embroidered edged ruffles. Today these dresses, special, at \$1.25.

—Second Floor, New Bldg. —Infants' Wear Section. —Mail Orders Filled.

The "O'Cedar" Mop

Makes it Easy to Clean in Those Hard-to-Get-At Places

It's no longer necessary to get down on your hands and knees to clean, dust and polish hardwood floors, or to get on chairs to dust the tops of tall furniture, tops of doors, etc. In fact every inconvenience you've heretofore experienced in dusting and cleaning furniture and woodwork is eliminated with the O'Cedar Polish Mop. This ingeniously constructed mop collects and holds the dirt. Come to our Big Basement Store today and witness the demonstration of this remarkable Polish Mop. The price of the Mop is \$1.50. The Polish sells at 25c, 50c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.50, according to quantity. O'Cedar Mops Are Used Extensively in Public Buildings and Large Homes. —Basement, Main Building. —Mail Orders Filled.

\$6 Couch Covers \$2.95

A varied assortment of beautifully designed Reversible Couch Covers in prevailing shades of brown, green, rose and blue, 63 inches wide, 3 yards long, selling regularly for \$6.00 each. Special at only \$2.95.

German Couch Covers \$3.85

The purchase of a large sample line of German Couch Covers in beautiful coloring effects, 63 inches wide and 3 yards long, makes it possible for us to offer them at the remarkable low price of, each, \$3.85.

Drapery Remnants Half-Price

The immense volume of business in our Drapery Department of the last few weeks has left a great assortment of Remnants in Silks, Cretonnes, Swiss, Nets, Sundours and Scrims, and it's a beautiful array you have to choose from in 1 Half Price to 5-yard pieces at just.

—Third Floor, Main Building. —Mail Orders Filled.

Midsummer Disposal of BOOKS!

3000 Splendid Novels

—for light reading right now and later, and there's such a varied selection that you should not fail to choose a goodly supply for future reading at the unusual price of, each 19c. One large table of "Hurt" Books, embracing Travel, Poetry and Art, special, each. 75c. All Standard Sets at. Half Price. All Bibles. Reduced 25 Per Cent. \$1.50 Novels, large selection, each. 50c.

—Bookstore, Basement Annex. —Mail Orders Filled.

"Porosknit" Underwear

Shirts and Drawers 50c Garments at 39c

The famous "Porosknit" Underwear, cool and comfortable for Summer wear, we offer at such a pronounced reduction that every man should come here today to share in these savings. "Porosknit" Shirts and Drawers, in white only, long or short sleeve styles, and knee or ankle length drawers, regularly 50c the garment, Special 39c.

500 Dozen New Wash Ties

A large special purchase of this season's most popular fancy panel and cross-striped patterned Wash Ties has just arrived from our Buyer in the East. They're in rich silk mercerized materials, and worth 50c each—specially priced at, each, 25c.

—Just Inside Morrison St. Entrance

\$30.00 Fremont Bicycles, \$24.95

A very good grade bicycle is the "Fremont," good style and durably made, 20 and 22 in. frame, equipped with coaster brake, box handle bars, steel rims and guaranteed tires, in a pretty shade of brown or black, and regularly \$30. A rare bargain now at \$24.95.

\$40.00 Oakwood Bicycles, \$29.85

The "Oakwood" Bicycles are strong and sturdy, built for hard service and long use. They've the double-bar, which reinforces the frame to double strength, and are equipped with best grades of coaster brakes, roller chains and steel rims. Regularly they sell for \$40. Special now, only \$29.85.

\$50.00 "Pacific Special" Bicycles \$41.75

There's beauty in every line of the "Pacific Special" and they're built for speed, easy riding and comfort. Best of equipments throughout; large spring seat, box handle bars, with long rubber grips, roller chain and seamless tubing; selling regularly for \$50. Special now at \$41.75.

\$22.50 Fairy Bicycles for Boys and Girls

coaster brake, steel rims, 19-in. frame. Special, \$19.85. \$20 Girls' Fairy Bicycle, \$17.95. \$22.50 Boys' Fairy Bicycle, \$19.85. \$20 Boys' Fairy Bicycle, \$17.95. \$17.50 Boys' Fairy Bicycle, \$14.95.

LION'S NAILS WILL BE CUT Brute in Park Zoo Refuses to Do His Own Manicuring.

Although Nero, the African lion at Washington Park zoo, recently trimmed his front toenails on a concrete pole in his cage, thus saving park officials the trouble of doing the work with clippers, the time has come when a second trimming is necessary and Nero refuses to do the work himself. Park Superintendent Mische announced yesterday that the nails will be trimmed by a veterinary surgeon in a few days. The big lion will be driven into a small box and locked in, after which

his feet will be pulled out through a hole one at a time and the nails trimmed as closely as possible. The fact that Nero weighs several hundred pounds and is a powerful brute, the veterinary to do the work has not been selected as yet.

Blind School Bids Rejected.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The Board of Control has rejected all bids for the building of a boiler house at the Blind School. It was decided to alter the plans so the building could be erected at a cost of not less than \$32500.

Georgia must pay \$3,070,000 in bonds in 1915.

UNDERGROUND WORK IS ON Excavations Started for Heating and Electric Conduits.

Workmen will start this morning to lay the underground mains and conduits for the respective distribution of steam heating service and electricity by the Northwestern Electric Company.

The initial work will be done at Fourth and Burnside streets. It will be carried south on Fourth street, so that some of the same excavations that have been made by the Portland, Eugene & Eastern railway, can be used. Thus it will be unnecessary to tear up

the street more than once. A force of 75 men will be put to work this morning, but by the end of the week this number will be doubled, and within a few weeks to an additional number. The central distributing plant will be in the basement of the building now being erected on the Pittcock block at Washington, West Park, Stark and Tenth streets.

British Warship Invited to Oregon.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Governor West has extended to Thomas Erskine, British Consul in Portland, an invitation for the British Dreadnaught, H. M. S. New Zealand, to visit the Portland port.

PENSION LAW UNDER TEST Enactment Providing for Police- man's Relief Fund Questioned.

Believing that the State Legislature has no right to pass a bill providing a method of expending city money, City Commissioners Daly and Brewster, have begun an investigation of the policeman's pension and relief fund, which may result in the legality of the measure being tested in the courts.

"The question regarding the measure," Commissioner Brewster said, "is the right of the state to dictate how city money shall be expended. If the Legislature can pass a bill providing

for a city tax levy to create a police pension fund, it would seem that the Legislature would have power to make appropriations of other funds belonging to the city."

BORROWED CYCLE SPEEDED

Brother of Man Wanted Appears in Municipal Court.

Appearing vicariously for his brother, accused of speeding, Clifford Wurfel was all but convicted in Municipal Court yesterday before the man wanted

appeared. Then the charge was dismissed as to him and the complainant was instructed to procure the arrest of the real offender. E. J. Ellison testified that, while driving his automobile out Milwaukee avenue, he saw three motorcycles ahead, obviously exceeding the limit. When he speeded up to 42 miles an hour he lost ground, and it was necessary to record 55 miles on his speedometer before he could gain on them. He took the numbers of the motorcycles and warrants were issued, of which one was served on Wurfel, but it developed that his brother had been riding the motorcycle at the time.

The average yearly profit at the Casino, Monte Carlo, is \$5,000,000.