

MANY GOOD UNADVERTISED SPECIALS ALL OVER THE STORE—LOOK FOR THE SALE CARDS

Spring Quarterly

—of Butterick patterns, 25c, and any 10c or 15c pattern FREE. This Fashion Magazine is brimful of splendid suggestions for your Spring wardrobe. Let our experts help you plan it.

—Second Floor.

Needlework Classes

—now being held. Knitting and crocheting class under Mme. Chundelah, 10-12 and 2-5; filet lace making under Miss Bode, 10-12 and 1-6; lamp shade making—Miss Pearson—10-12 and 1-6. —Second Floor



Boys' Norfolk Suits, Special at \$4.85

—Every Portland mother should take advantage of this timely sale! There are sizes for boys from 6 to 18 years. Excellent materials—suits that are well made and in the very best models for boys—"Pinch Back" style, with 3-piece belt and patch pockets; and regulation Norfolk styles. The colors are gray, brown and tan in good cassimere, chevot and other suitings. Not many suits in the small sizes—so early shopping is advisable. —Boys' Clothing Shop, Third Floor

Buying Continues Brisker Than Ever in Our Annual Sale Remnants and Odds & Ends

MEN!—On Sale Today at 9 A. M.!—\$1.00 and \$1.50 SHIRTS for 79c!

Women's Fancy \$3.00 to \$3.50 Satin Slippers \$1.09

—Broken lines of women's colored satin slippers—the best \$3.00 and \$3.50 grades. These are made with hand-turned soles, instep strap and covered wood Cuban heels. All sizes in the lot—but not all sizes in every style. Special today at, pair \$1.09.

Quantity Limited—Better Come Early. —Shoe Shop, Third Floor.

Over 1000 Shirts Taken From Regular Stocks



HERE is an announcement of the kind that never fails to meet with enthusiastic response. "A MEIER & FRANK SHIRT SALE!" No need to talk of the trade conditions affecting this merchandise—no need to comment on the infrequency of such sales as this. Everything considered, it is one of the best things we have done—and we have done some mighty big things in our time. Yours to profit in good season and lay in a generous supply. —Included are such well-known shirts as NoFade and Anderson Scotch Madras. Soft and laundered-cuff styles in high-grade materials that embrace repps, crepe cloths, plain and corded madras, soisettes, Oxfords and crystal cloths. Neat plain and novelty striped patterns, also plain white Oxford cloths in laundered-cuff style. All sizes in the lot, but not all sizes in every pattern. —Men, and women who buy for men, can attend this sale with all confidence of securing such values as will well repay them for the little effort involved. For this is a typically great Meier & Frank event—the kind for which our Men's Furnishings Shop is famous. We suggest that those who can shop in the forenoon. BUT come here some time today and share in these golden values.

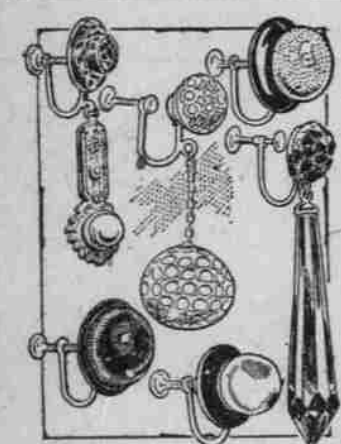
79c SALE BEGINS THIS MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK EXTRA SALESMEN TO INSURE THAT YOU ARE WAITED ON PROMPTLY EXTRA SELLING SPACE FOR THIS EVENT SEE MORRISON STREET WINDOW DISPLAY

—Men's Furnishings Shop, Main Floor.

M & F Stationery Bx. 33c Special

—Extra special! 50 sheets paper and 50 envelopes in box. 50c Children's Auto-graph Albums... 23c 35c Dennison's Glue and Paste, can... 19c 10c Dennison's Fancy Paper Napkins, dozen... 4c Score Cards and Place Cards, odds, ends, doz... 8c 25c Red Rubber Bands, box... 12c 75c Dennison's Paper Flower Outfits for 29c Address Books, Engagement and Memo Books—1/2 A Large Assortment Reduced to... Stationery Shop, Main Floor.

Our Entire Stock of EARRINGS 1/2 PRICE



WERE 50c-\$10 NOW 25c TO \$5

—Your choice of any pair of beautiful earrings in our entire stock today at exactly HALF PRICE! All shapes, sizes, styles and various stones are included—all in distinctive and many exclusive effects. —Long drop earrings, tiny screws and large pearl and fancy stone settings—in styles that are becoming to every type—every desirable kind of earring is to be had here today at exactly half the regular selling prices! —Jewelry Shop, Main Floor

100 Afternoon & Evening Frocks \$12.45

Regardless of Former Prices —All of these frocks have sold at a far higher figure—all of them are smart, new and very serviceable, and any one is a splendid bargain at the low price placed on them for immediate clearaway! —There are afternoon frocks of serge, satin, taffeta and poplin in popular shades of blue, brown, green and black. There are charming little evening frocks in all the delicate, becoming shades. —While there are about 100 dresses in the lot, early shopping is advisable, as in many instances there will be but one of a kind. —Apparel Shop, Fourth Floor



The White Sale of 1917 Progresses With New Attractions and Savings as Pronounced as Ever

35c-85c Laces Yd. 25c

—Shadow lace in widths from 12 to 24 inches. Floral designs and some filet effects. White only. Special, yd. 25c. \$1.00-\$1.25 CHIFFON 79c —40-inch printed chiffon on white and dark grounds. Pretty Dresden and Persian effects—special at, yard 79c. 25c-40c LACES, YD. 19c —Platt Val. lace edgings and insertions, 1 1/4 to 4 inches wide. For wash blouses and undermuslins. —Lace Shop, Main Floor.

"Extra Size" Gowns SPECIAL SALE

—A sale in which the woman usually hard to fit can profit. Good cambric and nainsook gowns, prettily trimmed in lace, embroidery, tucks and ribbons. In kimono or high neck, long-sleeve styles. \$1.59 Gowns, \$1.29 \$2.00 Gowns, \$1.69 \$2.50 Gowns, \$1.98 \$3.00 Gowns, \$2.67 \$3.50 Gowns, \$2.89



Muslin Drawers —of cambric and nainsook, prettily made and trimmed. 59c Drawers, 47c \$1.25 Drawers, \$1.09 \$1.50-\$1.75 Drawers, \$1.27 \$2.00 Drawers, \$1.67 \$2.50 Drawers, \$1.98 —Undermuslin Shop, Third Floor.

"Old" Prices Still on Our Oriental Rugs

—We wish to call your attention to the fact that all our magnificent Oriental Rugs are still marked at the prices which prevailed before the war. We have maintained "Old" prices on our rugs, despite the fact that many of the largest American importers have advanced their prices from 100% to 150%. Note these splendid values: ABOUT 125 RUGS AT "OLD" PRICES BERGAMO RUGS—Ranging in size from 2-2x4-7 to 3-2x6-3. Priced \$21.50 to \$45.00. SERABEND and FEREGHAN RUGS—Sizes 3-3x4-10 to 4-1x6-9. Priced \$55.00 to \$75.00. KERMANSHAH RUGS—Sizes 4-4x6-6 (average). Priced \$65.00 to \$125.00. SAROUK RUGS—Sizes 3-3x4-10 to 4-1x6-9. Priced \$37.50 to \$125. —Rug Shop, Seventh Floor

Newest "Welworth" Blouses \$2.00

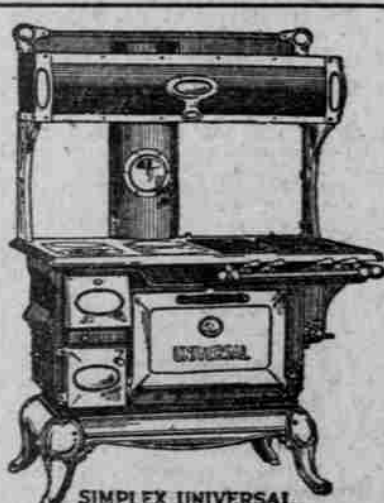
—New models in the always desirable Welworth blouses have just arrived and go on sale today for the first time. As always \$2. Here exclusively in Portland. —Blouse Shop, Fourth Floor



\$4-\$4.50 Curtains \$2.95

—Novelty curtains with unusual patterns in the borders and centers woven into Colonial stripes. These excellent \$4-\$4.50 lace curtains today, pair \$2.95. \$2.50 FANCY MESH LACE CURTAINS —25c CURVED END EXTENSION RODS \$1.39 12 1/2c —Beautifully your windows with these splendid lace curtains—fancy mesh weaves with good edges attached. —Strong, neat extension rods especially arranged to sell with the two curtain specials. —Curtain Shop, Seventh Floor.

OUR GUARANTEE GOES WITH EVERY SIMPLEX UNIVERSAL COMBINATION RANGE —Burns coal or wood and gas separately or together. No shifting of parts required—by turning off the gas change is at once made to wood or coal. The Simplex has twenty other big features that we will be glad to show you. Above all it is SIMPLE. It will save you money and trouble and give splendid cooking and baking satisfaction. Come in today—you will be under no obligation to purchase. —Easy payments if desired. —Sixth Floor, Fifth Street



Grocery Specials

—Co-operating with the Parent-Teacher Association, we offer: Yellow Cornmeal, 9-lb. sack \$2c. Head Rice, 5-lb. pkg. 35c, 2-lb. pkg. 15c. Cocoa, strictly pure, 2-lb. pkg. 42c, 1-lb. pkg. 22c. Sago, 5-lb. pkg. 35c, 2-lb. pkg. 15c. Boiled Cider, Knight's, quart bottle 25c, pint 15c. Prunes, Richardson & Robbin's French Process, 2-lb. jars 50c, 1-lb. 27 1/2c. Bacon, Cudahy's Diamond C, one of the best Eastern sugar-cured, whole or half strips, lb. 32c. —Ninth Floor, Fifth Street.

\$2.25 Combination Cooking Set \$1.37

—Just 50 of these splendid brown and white enamel combination cooking sets, consisting of one 5-quart Berlin kettle, one 2-quart pudding pan and one 2-quart colander. —Basement, Fifth Street.



A. AMBROSE IS DROWNED

WAVES FROM STEAMER SWAMP ROW-BOAT LADEN WITH IRON. Three companions Rescued by Crew of Steamer Weown—Body of Victim Recovered in Short Time. Five minutes after the harbor patrol boat arrived at the scene of his drowning, the body of Anthony Ambrose, 36 years old, had been recovered from the Willamette River yesterday forenoon by Municipal Grappler Hugh Brady and Patrol Engineer Carl Prehn. It lay in 49 feet of water, 15 feet off the O. W. K. & N. dock. With three companions, Ambrose was rowing a boatload of old iron to the Albina ferry slip. The others were Peter Willard, of 509 Ambrose street, Harry Lottick, 209 North Sixteenth street, and Earl Brock, of 461 East Flinders street. The steamer Jessie Harkins passed them, headed up stream, according to the survivors the wash

CONFERENCE DATE SET

LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MEETING TO BE HELD FEBRUARY 14-15. Details of Two-Day Assembly to Be Discussed by Ministers and Laymen at Y. M. C. A. Today. Dates for the Portland conference of the laymen's missionary movement were set yesterday for February 14-15 at a meeting of the executive committee with E. Guy Talbot, Pacific Coast secretary of the movement, in the office of E. L. Thompson. Today at noon laymen and ministers of all the churches of the city will meet at the Y. M. C. A. to work out details of the conference. An interdenominational dinner will be held February 14, while on the following day several National leaders will speak. It was announced yesterday that Herbert S. Johnson, secretary of the Baptist missionary board; W. E. Doughty, educational secretary of the laymen's movement and an author, and

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Fred W. Agar, ex-medical missionary to Africa and now field secretary of the Baptist home missionary board, will be speakers. "America and the World Crisis," "The Cost of World Conquest" and "Mobilizing Christian Forces" will be topics of the conference. The conference will celebrate the first anniversary of the laymen's missionary movement in Portland and the 19th anniversary of its organization in New York.

GARDEN PLAN APPROVED

City to Assist in Making Vacant Property More Attractive. The City Council approved yesterday Commissioner Baker's ordinance providing a system for the city to act as agent in leasing free of charge vacant lots to persons wishing to make gardens. The ordinance providing for the system was passed by unanimous vote. The system has been worked up by Commissioner Baker and City Auditor Barbur and is expected to result in many former weed patches becoming gardens next summer. Persons having vacant property are requested to re-

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District Attorney Asked for Opinion on Bridge Approach. The protest of the Albina Business Men's Association against the abandonment of the Vancouver-avenue approach to the Interstate bridge on the completion of the Union-avenue approach, was referred to the District Attorney's office yesterday by the County Commissioners, for an opinion of legal questions involved. One point raised by the petitioners was that if the approach were vacated by the county, the rights to the land would revert to private property-owners in this section. Pasco Masons Install. PASCO, Wash., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Installation of officers in the Masonic lodge was conducted under C. Simonsen, installing officer, and Ray B. Lee,

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marshal, as follows: J. W. Blanton, worshipful master; E. L. Collins, senior deacon; C. F. Blinson, senior steward; Robert Hanson, junior ward; Chris Lund, junior steward; Dan Dresden; F. L. Perry, treasurer; E. D. Sheffler, tyler. A grand ball concluded the field, secretary; George H. Hazard, entertainment of the evening.

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