

NOW IN PREPARATION THE MEIER & FRANK ROSE AND PEONY SHOW—BEGINS MONDAY, JUNE 10

# Only Today and Tomorrow to Share in Our White Sale Savings

## UNITED MOTOR BUS PROJECT HAMPERED

Difficulty Encountered in Enlisting Men Willing to Make Needed Deposits.

### BLANKET BOND NECESSARY

Few Men, It Is Reported, Are Disposed to Enter Organization. Final Effort, However, Will Be Made by Promoters.

Difficulty in securing men enough to make deposits of cash sufficient to enable the United Motor Bus Company to obtain a blanket bond of \$10,000 to operate jitneys has delayed and may prevent the final organization of jitney car owners and drivers.

Under direction of George Rossman, president, secretary and treasurer of the Jitney Drivers' Union, an effort has been made to enlist 100 men in the organization. Each man was to deposit \$100 with the company and in addition securities sufficient to protect the organization from liability in case of accidents without disturbing the \$10,000 operating fund.

Prior to the passage of the ordinance reducing the amount of the bond required of jitney drivers, it was said that there were many men ready to enter such a combination. Now it develops that only a few are willing to deposit the cash required by the new company.

A meeting of all men interested in the operation of jitneys has been called by Mr. Rossman for tonight at 8 o'clock on the fourth floor of 128 Fourth street. According to Mr. Rossman, all arrangements have been completed to begin immediate operation of jitneys as soon as the bonds are signed. He predicted that jitneys would be operating on the streets next Monday.

Cost of Premiums Deterrent. Cost of premiums on bonds is said to be keeping some jitney operators from beginning business under the required \$1000 bond. The high cost of gasoline and oil is another factor operating against the proposed enterprise.

Although the ordinance approved by the voters at the special election was drafted by attorneys representing the jitney bus interests and was not changed in any respect by the City Council before it was referred to a vote of the people, some question has arisen as to the power granted under its provisions.

An ordinance requiring franchises for all cars operated for hire over definite routes is believed by some attorneys to affect jitney buses, and before this point can be determined a test case in court probably will be necessary, according to Deputy City Attorney Hindman.

No Bus Licenses Issued. Although the new jitney bonding act has been effective from date of election, May 17, no licenses have yet been obtained at the City Hall by jitney bus operators. Several of the stage companies and many of the regulation for-hire cars have qualified under the new provisions. A final effort to enlist 100 men in the United Motor Bus Company is being made, and if this proves impossible, it is understood, the plan will be abandoned.

## GOVERNOR ADDS APPEAL

### URGENT PLEA MADE TO NURSES OF OREGON AND TO PARENTS.

Seven Portland Nurses Have Already Answered Call for Service and Have Enrolled in Red Cross.

Governor James Withycombe yesterday added his appeal to that of the American Red Cross, when he telegraphed to the Portland chapter an urgent plea to enlist nurses in Oregon to enroll with the Red Cross and to their parents to encourage such enrollment.

Seven Portland nurses have answered the call for service and have enrolled. They are: Miss Esther Peterson, night superintendent Good Samaritan Hospital; Miss Maud Griffiths, 704 Hoyt street; Miss Elsie Foster, King street; Mrs. R. N. Gibson, Oregon Soldiers' Home Hospital; Miss Myrtle Kays, Royal Arms Apartments; Miss Alma Ekstrom and Miss Elmer Ekstrom, Parkhurst Apartments.

At the same time the Red Cross is urging through all the high schools of Oregon that graduates enroll in the various hospitals and take the training course to fill the vacancies. Parents of young women and young women themselves are urged to call upon Miss Elizabeth Stevens, Portland chapter, Red Cross, 294 Corbett building, who will advise concerning training schools. Graduate nurses—no longer in registration a requisite—may enroll for Red Cross service with Miss Stevens, either personally or by mail.

## OVERTIME PAY AUTHORIZED

### Public Works Employees to Receive Remuneration for Excess.

Payment of overtime of employees in the Department of Public Works was authorized Wednesday in an ordinance submitted by City Commissioner Barbur. The ordinance was opposed by Commissioner Bigelow, who was opposed to the payment of overtime to persons paid by the month.

City Commissioner Barbur explained that in previous administrations employees of the department had worked over time and the amount due them was included in their pay checks. This practice has been stopped by him, he said, and in order to begin the new plan it was necessary to pay the overtime that had accrued from July 1, 1917, to April 1, 1918. Mr. Barbur said that hereafter employees working overtime in his department must present separate claims.

## ECLIPSE TODAY.

Frank L. Smith, at 228 Alder, is eclipsing meat prices today and every day. Just read:  
Soup meat...10c  
Boiling beef...15c  
Rump roasts...15c  
Pot roast beef...15c  
Breast Veal...15c  
Roast veal...15c  
Hamburg steak...18c  
Sausage...18c  
Choice roast veal...20c  
Rib roast beef...20c  
Sirloin steak...25c  
Rib beef steak...20c  
Compound...25c  
Pure lard...30c  
Loaf veal cutlets...25c  
Roast pork...25c  
30c  
We supply boats, camps, hotels, etc. Mail orders filled promptly.  
Frank L. Smith, 228 Alder st.—Adv.

### Free Lecture On Gardening

in our Ninth Floor Tea Room today at 3:30 P. M., auspices O. A. C. Extension Service. Everybody invited. There is no charge for admission.

### The National League For Woman's Service

has its official headquarters on our Sixth Floor. Women who wish to increase their war-time efficiency—to help themselves, the community, the Nation—should enroll in the League without delay—Sixth Floor.



### 35c-40c-45c-50c White Goods 25c

Crepes, Flaxons, Voiles, Madras  
An immense assortment of fine figured crepes, white flaxons, voiles, madras and other desirable materials, on sale today at reductions ranging as high as HALF. Full bolts of first quality materials in 27 to 36-inch widths.  
On Sale Center Aisle Bargain Square, Main Floor.

People Will Come From Far and Near Today as People Have Come for More Than 28 Years To Share in Our Friday Surprise Savings—These and Many Unadvertised Bargains for Our

# 1478th Friday Surprise Sales

## Newest Silk Dresses For Friday Only

### \$24.50

Wonderful Values



—Apparel Shop, Fourth Floor.

This Friday Surprise Sale brings women's and misses' silk dresses of excellent quality materials in wanted models at the most worthwhile savings.

Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, Crepe Meteor, Foulard, Satin Finished Crepe dresses in plain shades of Copenhagen, navy, black, as well as flowered and plaid designs.

High-waisted, surplice and vest effects—a splendid selection of dresses for Summer wear. Some trimmed with Georgette, also lace and embroidery trimmed models.

Regardless of cost, former selling prices, or present worth, while any remain, Friday only \$24.50.

### "A Family Dinner"

will be the subject of Mrs. Weber's lecture-demonstration in our Sixth Floor Auditorium today at 3 P. M. Special attention will be devoted to practical demonstrations of the possibilities of potato flour. Valuable recipes given. Questions answered. Portions served.

Mrs. Weber can be consulted free in our Ninth Floor Grocery daily from 10 to 12 and 3 to 5.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE \$2.00-\$3.00 Watch Fobs

### 98c

Less than half-price for these gold-filled watch fobs in Roman or green gold finish. Four different styles to choose from. Wonderful values for Friday at 98c.

—Jewelry Shop, Main Floor.

## MEN The Best Friday Surprise News We Could Tell You Is That Our Great Shirt Sale Continues

We predicted that it would be "SOME SHIRT SALE," and it has more than lived up to our most sanguine expectations. Each day's selling record surpasses that of the preceding day. Men who have bought tell their friends and themselves frequently come back for more. Of course the prices are sensationally low, in fact

### Less Than Present Cost

By this we mean less than OUR present WHOLESALE cost. But what we want most of all to impress upon men, and women buying for men, is that the shirts in this sale are of superior quality materials, full cut, well made (the "Salisbury" trademark on every shirt is your guarantee), perfect in workmanship and fit. A world of neat plain and beautiful multi-color striped designs. With soft turnback cuffs. Fast colors. All high-grade shirts at six phenomenally reduced prices:

98c, \$1.39, \$1.59, \$2.59, \$3.19, \$3.98.



—Men's Furnishings Shop, Main Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Embroidered Articles at 1/2

Hand-embroidered centerpieces, pillow tops, library scarfs, children's dresses, hats, etc. All regular prices range from \$2.50 to \$20. For Friday Surprise—all at half.

—Needlework Shop, Second Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Good Taffeta Ribbons, Yard 19c

Good quality taffeta ribbons with narrow stripes, also plain moire and Dresden effects. All staple colors. 4 1/2 inches wide. Yard for Friday Surprise, at only 19c.

—Ribbon Shop, Main Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Good Picture Frames Only 29c

A special purchase of non-tarnishable picture frames in medium size, oval shape, accounts for this low price for Friday Surprise only. Very special values.

at 29c. —Center Aisle, Sixth Street.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE \$5.00-\$7.50 Handbags at \$2.98

A sale of women's silk and leather handbags. Discontinued numbers. Many styles—hardly any two alike. Limited number for Friday Surprise special at only \$2.98.

—Leather Goods Shop, Main Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE 20c Kitchen Crash, Yard 15c

Fine quality linen crash, suitable for dish towels, tea towels or roller towels. Good soft grade that will launder splendidly. Special for Friday Surprise Sale at only 15c.

—Linen Shop, Second Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Women's Fine Vests & Tights 50c

30 Harvard Mills tuck stitch vests in Dutch neck, short sleeve style. 120 Harvard Mills tights in open knee length style. Regular sizes. Priced for Friday Surprise at 50c. Worth double.

—Underwear Shop, Main Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Embroidery Silks, Skein 1c

Odds and ends of embroidery silks—Filo, Richardson and Carlson-Currier brands. The regular price of these embroidery silks is 5c—priced special for Friday Surprise 1c.

—Needlework Shop, Second Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES Women's Colored "Sun and Rain" Silk Umbrellas \$3.39

Here is a very special sale of the popular sun-and-rain umbrellas that are smart, serviceable and surprisingly low priced.

Colored silk umbrellas with wood shanks and 8-rib steel frames, 24-inch size. All with short handles and Pickwick cords. Green, blue and purple colors. Exceptional values.

—Umbrella Shop, Main Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES A Friday Sale of Women's Fancy Silk Hose, Pair \$1.25

A splendid lot of women's fancy silk hose with wide garter welts and serviceable lisle soles, heels and toes. Hose that are ideally suitable for sports and beach wear. Black with white stripes in two patterns, old blue with rose stripes and yellow with black stripes. Every pair perfect. All sizes. For Friday Surprise, pair, \$1.25.

—Hosiery Shop, Main Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE New Washable Neckwear for 25c

Dainty washable Swiss embroidered collars in white. Colored pleated organdy sets in rose, blue and sand. White lawn collars with colored frills. Other styles.

—Neckwear Shop, Main Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE 35c to 60c Fiction at 25c

Standard, classic and miscellaneous fiction that will make fine Summer reading. Also juvenile and picture books for children, soiled—for Friday Surprise, at 1/2.

—Book Shop, Fifth Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES Sale Women's Fine Quality Lawn Handkerchiefs at 17c

A new lot of women's wide hem novelty handkerchiefs made of fine sheer Shamrock lawn. Also embroidered corner designs in white and colored effects. A great variety of designs—butterflies, daisies, bowknots, fleur de lis, circles and floral wreath patterns. Specially priced for Friday Surprise at 17c each or 3 for 45c.

—Handkerchief Shop, Main Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES A Sale of Women's Chamoisette Gloves, Pair Only 69c

At this exceptionally low price every woman should buy at least three pairs of these desirable chamoisette gloves. Finely serviceable gloves that will wash perfectly. Chamoisette gloves in two-clasp styles. All white, white with black embroidery and chamois color gloves. Pair special for Friday Surprise at only 69c.

—Glove Shop, Main Floor.

### 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Drawn Border Scrims, Yard 16c

An exceptionally good special for our Friday Surprise Sale. Good quality curtain scrims with attractive border effects. Yard special for Friday Surprise Sale at 16c.

—Curtain Shop, Seventh Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES 50c Embroideries 25c

Exactly half-price for these 22-inch cambric all-over embroideries in neat eyelet designs. For corset covers, brassieres and yokes.

### \$1.00 Embroideries 49c

36 and 40-inch lawn, organdy and voile dress embroideries in white with eyelet and heavy floral work. Also white crepe dress embroideries with colored scallops. Yard for Friday Surprise 49c instead of \$1.00.

—Embroidery Shop, Main Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES Sale Women's Fine Silk Waists \$2.95

Splendid values in women's Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine waists. Such fashionable shades as white, flesh, maize, Nile, tea rose and peach.

Some embroidered with blue, bands of blue Georgette Crepe on collar and cuffs. Others have white collars, vestees and cuffs of self material, embroidered in same shade as the waist proper. Flat and roll collars, also even effects. All sizes at \$2.95.

—Waist Shop, Fourth Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES Boys' \$2 Wash Suits at \$1.19

Exactly 150 of these Palm Beach wash suits in fancy stripes as well as plain colors. Knickerbocker pants that button at knee. Well made serviceable suits in sizes for boys from 6 to 12. Ideal for wear during the Summer. Good \$2 wash suits for only \$1.19.

—Boys' Clothing Shop, Third Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES 8-Piece Kitchen Sets at \$1.23

These serviceable 8-piece kitchen sets consist of one each of the following: Small meat saw, 8-inch butcher knife, 8-inch bread knife, kitchen fork, paring knife, can opener, small family cleaver and sharpening stone. One set illustrated. Good values for Friday Surprise at set, \$1.23.

—Housewares Section, Basement.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES \$2.50 Book Ends \$1.89

A sale of book blocks in old gold finish, with base covered in felt. 4 1/2 inches high, 7 inches wide. One illustrated. Pair \$1.89.

—Furniture Gift Shop, Ninth Floor.

### MEIER & FRANK'S 1478TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES Sale \$10 to \$15 Trimmed Hats \$7.50

A big assortment of women's trimmed hats in Milans and liseses. Close-fitting styles with trimmings of flowers and feathers. Also medium and large shapes trimmed with ribbons, flowers and feather novelties. Special for Friday at \$7.50 instead of \$10 to \$15.

—Millinery Shop, Fourth Floor.

