PORTLAND HOST TO MR. M'ADOO TODAY

Railroad Director-General to Study Traffic Conditions in the Northwest.

RIVER TRIP MAY BE TAKEN

Plans for Entertainment of Official and Party Are Indefinite-Distinguished Visitor on Homeward Trip From California.

William Gibbs McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury of the United States and director-general of the Government Railroad Administration, will arrive in Portland today, stopping over on his homeward trip from California, where he recuperated from the severe strain of official duties, followed by conferences with the chiefs in charge of railroad administrative duties under his direction.

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Accompanied by Mrs. McAdoo and members of his official party, Mr. McAdoo is traveling somewhat leisurely on his tour of the Pacific Coast and is acquiring first-hand knowledge of the transportation conditions of the different districts.

Occupying a place that is unique in the history of American transporta-tion, as the executive head of American railroads, his duties bring the man peculiarly close to the interests of the whole people. Probably no other Cab-inet official has had duties of such manifold character and surpassing importance placed upon him at one time, in controling internal affairs of the whole people, as in the combining of the financial and transportation de-partments under one head.

Director Has Wide Experience.

This was not the first railroad experience of the director-general, however. In 1903 he became a director and was elected president of the Hudson & Manhattan River Railroad Company, operating the Hudson River tunnel system, which completed the first tunnel under the Hudson River March 8, 1994. The first Hudson River tunnels between Hoboken, N. J., and Sixth avenue and Nineteenth street, New York City, were opened for traffic February 25, 1995. The fourth tunnel under the Hudson was completed March 11, 1909, and all of this accomplishment was Director Has Wide Experience. and all of this accomplishment was while Mr. McAdoo was at the executive head of the corporation. Mr. McAdoo was born near Marietta,

Mr. McAdoo was born near Marietta, Ga., October 31, 1863. He was educated at the University of Tennessee. He was married to Miss Sarah Hazelhurst Fleming, of Chattanooga, Tenn., No-vember 18, 1885. His second marriage was a White House wedding, May 7, 1814, when Eleanor Randolph Wilson, daughter of President Wilson, became his bride.

His activities in public se-vice may be said to have begun when he was appointed deputy clerk of the United States Circuit Court for the Southern District of Tennessee in May, 1882. He was admitted to the bar in 1885 and practiced at Chattanooga until 1892, when he removed to New York, where he practiced law until 1903. He was a delegate to the Baltimore convention of 1912 that nominated Woodrow Wil-son for President, and became vice-chairman of the Democratic National Committee and acting chairman for the greater part of the campaign.

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On March 6, 1913, he was appointed Secretary of the Treasury. The great problems of American finance that have come before Mr. McAdoo since that time are all a part of contemporaneous history. When the proclamation of President Wilson was issued in December, 1917, taking over jurisdistion of the railroads as a war measure. Secretary McAdoo was designated director-general, intrusted with absolute executive power, and under his direction the Railroad Administration has been organized and placed on a working basis.

Portland, commercial organizations desire to entertain Secretary and Mrs. McAdoo during their visit to the city, but it is not known whether any invitations will be accepted. Persons hav-

but it is not known whether any invi-tations will be accepted. Persons hav-ing the claim of acquaintance and per-sonal friendship anticipate the oppor-tunity of showing the distinguished visitors over some of the drives, includ-ing the Columbia River Highway. It is probable that a river excursion also will be among the events of the day, in or-der that the director-general may gain an intimate knowledge of local terminal

an intimate knowledge of local terminal and shipping facilities.

Accompanying Director-General Mc-Adoo are Oscar A. Price, assistant to the director-general; Edward Chambers, director of the division of traffic, and Carl R. Gray, director of the division of operation, of the Railroad Administration. Mr. Gray was a Portland visitor last week and proceeded to San visitor last week and proceeded to San Francisco to meet the other members of the party. J. C. Shaffer, private sec-retary to Mr. McAdoo, also accompa-nies him on the trip, according to information received here.

Buy Smith's Beefsteak, 18c.

At 228 Alder Street. Beef liver and beef stew..... Corned beef... Soup meat. Smith's genuine sirloin steak... Smith's fine porterhouse steak.. Smith boosts his veal cutlets... Roast pork..... Frank L. Smith's is 228 Alder Street

Rev. William MacLeod Accepts Call. Rev. William MacLeod, pastor of Forbes Presbyterian Church, has been called by the Presbyterian Church at Hoquiam and has accepted the call. He will leave soon for his new charge.



Mid-Summer Military Ball

at Municipal Auditorium tomorrow, Soldiers' Farewell Entertainment Fund. Cards and dancing. Tickets \$1 couple—on sale in our Book Shop, Fifth Floor.

By Government Request This Store Now Makes

One Delivery a Day

to each district in the city. We are also complying with the other requests of the War Industries Board. We thank the public for their co-operation in making this Government plan effective.



Follow the Flag With "Pershing's Crusaders"

Through this remarkable motion picture the U. S. Government makes it possible for the great American public to be an eye-witness of the tremendous activities of Our Boys in the Army and Navy "Over Here" and "Over There." At the Heilig for seven days, starting Monday evening, July 22. Pictures are shown twice daily—at 2:15 and 8:15. All seats reserved—25c and 50c (no war tax).

The Meier & Frank Company has reserved the entire balcony for next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, when all the employes will be guests of the store.

Seasonable Merchandise for the Person and the Home at Most Significant Savings-That Is the Keynote of Meier & Frank's

1484th Friday Surprise Sales

1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Special Friday Sale Women's Fine Sheer Shamrock Lawn

Kerchiefs 15c

A special Friday Surprise Sale of women's finer sheer Shamrock lawn kerchiefs in one corner embroidered styles. All white handkerchiefs embroidered in French gray thread, giving the Appenzelle effect.

Attractive designs in open eyelet and Filet work. Neat patterns, including floral wreaths, sprays, bow-knots, fleur de lis, medallions and leaf effects. Finished with %-inch hemstitched hems. Excellent values Friday at 15c.

-Meler & Frank's: Handkerchief Shop, Main Floor.

and lawns.

from 3 to 17 inches.

as high as HALF.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

\$12.50 to \$17.50 Mid-Summer

greatly reduced price today only.

Dresses For Misses and Women

Sensational Friday Surprise Values

Just 200 of these cool Summer dresses at this

All the latest models are shown. The dresses are all

beautifully made and finished. Materials are of excellent

quality-they include white and figured voiles, organdies

-Meier & Frank's: Apparel Shop, Fourth Floor

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-Meier & Frank's: Millinery Shop, Fourth Floo

Shoes 25c

slippers in kid and yelvet. Black

and colors. All small sizes-O and

Broken lot of infants' shoes and

Today only \$8.85 instead of \$12.50 to \$17.50.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Laces, Flouncings 25c

Included at this special Friday Surprise price are net top, shadow, Cluny and Filet wash laces, bands, edges, galloons and

flouncings in white and ecru. Patterns that may be utilized

for blouses, house dresses and petticoats. The widths range

MÉIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Women's and Misses' \$3.75 to \$5.50

In some instances the reductions in this sale of hats range

A surprise clearaway of women's and misses' hemp and fancy straw

hats with colored facings. Effectively trimmed with flowers, fruit nov

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Infants' Sox, Pair 19c

A broken assortment of infants' mercerized and silk lisle sox

with fancy tops. Sizes 5 to 61/2. Pair specially priced at 19c.

Come early for these regular \$3.75 to \$5.50 hats on sale at \$2.75.

elties, wreaths, etc. Black and a good assortment of colors.

1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

75c Table Damask 50c

Good quality white mercerized table damask that is 58 inches A fine grade for ordinary use. Will launder splendidly. Some slightly soiled. Yard, 50c. -Meier & Frank's Linen Shop, Second Floor

1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

Good Collars and Sets for

cuff sets of organdy, Swiss and pique. Roll and flat style collars, some embroidered, others plain or with lace ruffles. 2 for 50¢.

-Meier & Frank's Neckwear Shop, Main Floor

Women's collars and collar and

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES A Big Cleanup of Women's \$1 to \$1.75

Silk Gloves Pr. 49c Included at this sensationally low price for Friday Sur-

prise are KAYSER and other famous makes of women's silk

Mostly black, a few pairs in white, brown, navy, gray and red. Twoclasp style gloves, also sixteen-button lengths. All sizes 51/2 to 71/2. Every pair perfect and desirable in every way. No phone orders, none sent C. O. D., none on approval.

-Meier & Frank's: Glove Shop, Main Floor

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

On Center Aisle Bargain Square, Main Floor Children's Wear 49c

An immense disposal of odds and ends of children's and misses' wear Friday at the greatly reduced price of 49c. Included are good serviceable middy blouses, gingham dresses, chambray rompers, etc., in desirable styles and colors. Broken sizes from

Garments that would sell in the regular way for as much as twice this low price-49c.

-Meier & Frank's: Center Aisle, Main Floor, Fifth Street

A large assortment of good quality huck and bath towels stamped for embroidery in various designs. Regularly 50c to \$1.25—Friday just HALF.

-Meier & Frank's Needlework Shop, Second Floor

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH PRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Chalmers Porosknit

Union Suits

Sizes 34 to 44

Every man knows the famously cool

qualities of the celebrated Chalmers

Porosknit union suits-the kind that

"lets the body breathe." Here is an op-

portunity to purchase mill runs of the

regular \$1.50 quality at suit 83c. A

limited number at this surprise price

White or ecru color union suits in short

Sports Shirts \$]

sleeves, ankle length style and white union

suits in short sleeves, V neck and three-quarter

For Friday Surprise only 83c suit.

length style.

1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

Blue Ribbon

Butter, Roll

\$1.05

2-lb. roll Blue Ribbon butter,

one of the purest and best, \$1.05.

Delivered only with other gro-

blend, 35c grade, lb. 29c.

ceries. Coffee, M & F Special

1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

Stamped

Towels

-Meler & Frank's Ninth Floor, Fifth Street

1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE Special Friday Sale

600 Pairs Women's Good Quality Silk Hose

An extraordinarily good lot of women's silk hose on special sale for Friday Surprise at pair \$1.

We secured these hose in a special purchase from a prominent manufacturer. A few pairs are subject to the most trivial imperfections, which in most instances are scarcely noticeable-certainly nothing to impair the looks or wearing qualities. Thread silk hose with lisle tops and soles. Double garter welts. Black and white only. 3 pairs \$2.75.

-Meier & Frank'a: Hosiery Shop, Main Floor

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Men's Suits Of Palm Beach Cloth

and Shantung Silk

22 Only at This Price Just the kind of suit a man needs for the hot Summer days. Finely tailored, well-fitting garments of genuine Palm Beach cloth and Shantung silk-ideal "tropical" fabrics. Two-piece garments. Dark and light patterns.

Numbers in the various sizes as follows: 3 size 33; 5 size 34; 3 size 35; 1 size 37; 3 size 38; 2 size 40; 2 size 42. Stouts: 1 size 42; 1 size 44; 1 size 46. -Meier & Frank' Men's Clothing Shop, Third Floo

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Union Suits Only 50c

Women's fine quality lightweight cotton union suits made in low neck, sleeveless, knee-length style, for warm weather wear. Mercerized taped yokes. Finely serviceable and comfortable garments at the "old" low prices. Regular sizes 50c. Extra sizes 60¢.

-Meier & Frank's: Underwear Shop, Main Floor

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Sale Odd Pairs Curtains

A very special Friday Surprise Sale of exactly 100 pairs odd curtains-only one pair of a kind. Good assortment of designs in Filet and Nottingham curtains at prices that are in every instance LESS THAN HALF regular-

Pair 85c, \$1.15, \$1.65, \$2.35

-Meler & Frank's: Curtain Shop, Seventh Floor,

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES A Friday Surprise Sale of Women's

Just the shirts that men want for sports and all around Summer outing

wear. Fine weaves, neat plain and dressy patterns in solid gray and

white and white with colored stripes. Long or short sleeves. Buttoned

-Meier & Frank's: Men's Furnishings Shop, Main Floor,

pocket. Collars may be worn high or low. Sizes 14 to 17 inclusive.

Cool Waists at \$1.95

Splendid values are offered in women's Summer waists for Friday Surprise only, \$1.95.

Voile, batiste, Jap silk and chiffon taffeta waists in flesh, white, maize, Nile and tea rose, also plaids, stripes and checks. Hemstitched, tucked and lace trimmed styles, some with frills. Flat or roll collars.

All sizes in the lot, but many only one of a kind and style. -Meier & Frank's: Waist Shop, Fourth Floor

MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES

Taffeta Ribbons 15c

A very special lot of semi-plain and fancy taffeta ribbons suitable for hairbows and sashes. Mostly plain effects with stripes and plaids in all the staple color combinations. These ribbons are 41/2 inches wide.

Excellent values even for Friday Surprise at the extremely low price of, yard 15c. The quantity is limited-come early. -Meier & Frank's: Ribbon Shop, Main Floor

> MEIER & FRANK'S 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES An Extraordinary Sale for Friday Only

\$5 Cut Glass Tea Sets

This is one of the best values ever offered in good quality cut | glass ice tea sets. Sets consist of six tall ice tea tumblers and one ice tea covered pitcher. Several dainty cut designs to choose from-grape, marguerite, daisy. One illustrated.

Housewares Section, Basemen

-Meier & Frank's:

"Downstairs" Shoppers Men's Khaki Pants, all sizes, pair \$1.25

Women's Wool Mixed Serge Skirts at \$2.98 Women's Summer Suits, to close out \$8.95 Women's Waists, odds and ends, only 39¢ Women's Chambray, Gingham Petticoats 59¢ Women's Sateen, Percaline Petticoats \$1.39 Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests at 2 for 25¢ Women's Black Cotton Hose, pair only 19¢ Boys' Blouses, striped effects, only 29¢ Boys' Khaki Knickerbocker Pants, pair 69¢ Boys' Wool, Wool Mixed Pants, pair \$1.19 Boys' Poros Knit Union Suits, 6 to 16, at 49¢ Infants' White Batiste Dresses only 79¢ Children's Lace Trimmed Pants, only 19¢ Curtain Corners, to 11/4-yd. lengths, each 29¢ Curtain Swiss, 24 inches wide, yard 15¢ Mercerized Napkins, seconds, each at 5¢

Remnants! Remnants! Remnants!

Hundreds of desirable wash goods remnants of various kinds at prices in many instances LESS THAN PRESENT WHOLESALE

-Meier & Frank's: Lower Price Store, Basement Balcony

A special lot of infants' heavy crochet jackets in fancy stitches. Pink and blue trimmings. Good values at the special price of 59c.

Jackets 59c

of 59c. | 1. Regularly 50c to 85c.

—Meier & Frank's: Infants' Shop, Second Floor 1484TH FRIDAY SURPRISE A Special Friday Sale of

> Odd Pairs Boys' Knickers

A sale of boys' pants-odd pairs and short lines of pants in good desirable suit patterns.

Wool mixed tweeds, homespuns and fancy cheviots in a wide selection of colors. All are full cut, well made and lined throughout. Pants that are particularly suitable for work or play. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Excellent values at this special Friday Surprise Sale price-pair \$1.79.

-Meler & Frank's: Boys' Clothing Shop, Third Floor

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