

THE JANUARY "DELINEATORS" FOR SUBSCRIBERS ARE IN—PATTERN SHOP, SECOND FLOOR

New Year's Cards, Calendars, Diaries, Etc.

A most complete selection of New Year's Cards ranging in price from 1c to 50c. Fancy Calendars for 1919—our stocks offer a splendid variety of choice. Prices range from 10c to \$1.

Diaries and Date Books and Line-a-Day Books for the New Year. Our assortments are all that could be desired. Prices range from 25c to \$4. Make selections today. —Meier & Frank's Stationery Shop, Main Floor.



Charge Purchases Today and Balance of Month Go On the January Bills Rendered Feb. 1st

TODAY!—Second Day of Our Year-End Sales—Last Friday Surprise Sales of 1918

Meier & Frank's 1507th Friday Surprise

Fine Crepe de Chine Waists

Formerly Priced \$3.95 to \$5.00

\$2.95

Wonderful values—while any of a limited number remain. Flesh, white, navy and black Crepe de Chine waists in all sizes 36 to 44. Daintily tucked and hemstitched, high and low neck models. Mostly tailored styles. No phone orders.



75 Ready-to-Wear and Trimmed Hats

Women's and Misses' To \$6.50 Values

\$3.75

At this price and with such an assortment of good qualities and styles as our surprise sale offers, the acquisition of a new Winter hat becomes an easy matter indeed. Medium and close fitting shapes. Fancy feathers, flowers and ribbons are effectively used for trimming.



Extra Special Values in Women's Coats

Of Good Quality Velours In New Winter Models

\$15

A splendid assortment of these finely serviceable coats at this remarkable surprise sale price. Navy, black, green, brown and Burgundy are the colors. All-around belted models. Some have large plush collars. All sizes but a limited number at \$15. Come early.



MEN

Second Day of Our Annual Sale

Suits

Taken From Our Regular \$30.00 and \$35.00 Stocks

\$24.85

We need only mention that these are suits made by Adler-Rochester, Hickey-Freeman and Society Brand tailors—suits heretofore marked in our stocks at \$30.00 and \$35.00—to show you how big a value this sale brings at \$24.85.



Many Are All Wool

and every garment without exception is designed and tailored with a skill and carefulness rarely seen in suits offered at less than \$30.00.

There are suits for men and young men—suits for every build and every size from 34 to 48, inclusive. Worsteds, chevots, homespuns, tweeds and novelty weaves. Many patterns and colors—plain shades and mixtures.

Suits that will look well, fit well, wear well and hold their shape.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

Sale 30c White Outing 22c

27 inches wide. Good quality medium weight white outing for pajamas, nightwear, diapers, etc. Short lengths from 2 1/2 to 7 1/2 yards. Today, yard 22c.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

Women's 50c-\$1 Neckwear 43c

Tailored and fancy neck pieces including pique and satin roll collars, organdy flat and roll models embroidered and lace trimmed. Organdy vestees.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

Sale of Pillow Squares 25c

This is an exceptionally low price for pillow squares of such quality as these. Pillow squares made of tapestry, velvet and damask in many designs.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

50c French Mixed Candies 35c

This is a wonderfully good special for Friday Surprise—delicious, pure French mixed candies at 35c pound. Full line chocolate creams.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES \$1.75 Georgette Crepe \$1.25

Fine quality 40-inch Georgette crepe in navy, brown, maize, sky, plum and other staple shades. A splendid special at \$1.25 yard.

Sale of 10c and 15c Edges, Yard 7c

Swiss, nainsook and cambric edges in a variety of large and small designs. 1 to 7 inches wide.

Handmade Cluny Medallions 33c

45c values. The 50c to 65c values 43c. The \$1.00 values 63c. For undermuslins and art work.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES Sale Women's \$1.50 to \$2.50 All-Wool Gloves 93c

Extraordinary value-giving marks this Friday Surprise Sale of women's ALL-WOOL gloves at 93c pair instead of \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$2.50.

Heavy gloves for Winter wear—for motoring, skating, climbing and all outdoor purposes. Wrist and elbow lengths. Gray, white, white with gray and blue, gray with blue and white trimming, heather mixtures. All sizes. Every pair first quality.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

\$4.50 Bathrobe Blankets \$3.10

With cords and frogs to match. Size 72x90 inches. \$3.50 couch throws in gray, blue and brown plaids, 54x72 inches, \$2.45. \$2.00 couch throws in blue, red and yellow stripes, \$1.55.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

Sale 25c-35c Yard Maline, Yd. 19c

Good quality 27-inch maline in light and dark shades. For scarfs and table decorations. Short lengths of veillings in plain and fancy meshes. Black, brown, white and navy. 3/4 to 1 yard. EACH 15c.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

A Friday Sale of Toilet Sets 1/2

A limited number of good quality toilet sets, including some real ebony sets, half. Another surprise for Friday—good quality ebony back hair brushes with fine white bristles ONE-THIRD OFF.

1507TH FRIDAY SURPRISE

10-Karat Gold Jewelry 1/2

An out-of-the-ordinary Friday Surprise Sale of popularly priced jewelry offered at HALF. Included in the assortment are pendants, scarf pins, brooches, lavallieres, cameo rings and other desirable pieces of jewelry.

RED CROSS TOTAL 220,417

OREGON MEMBERSHIP RETURNS OFFICIALLY COMPILED.

State Headquarters Table Shows Record Made by All Counties. Multnomah Signs 90,000.

Table listing Red Cross membership returns by county: Astoria, Baker, Beaverton, Clatsop, Clatskanie, Columbia, Crook, Douglas, Gilliam, Harney, Hood River, Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, La Grande, Lane, Lincoln, Marshall, Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Wasco, Wheeler, Yamhill, The Dalles, Tillamook, Wagon Wheel, Willamette. Grand total: 220,417.

BATEHAM GETS SENTENCE

One to 15 Years in Prison Imposed on Wealthy Horticulturist. A. P. Bateham, aged 44, former president of the Oregon Horticultural Society, and who has also represented this Government abroad on horticultural commissions, was sentenced to the State Penitentiary yesterday for an indeterminate term of from one to 15 years as a result of his conviction last week of a serious statutory crime.

passioned appeal for clemency which was made in behalf of the wealthy defendant. The court said the crime was one which merited severe punishment, inasmuch as it involved two school-girls, aged 7 and 9 years. Mr. Bateham, a manufacturer's agent, was arrested by the police several months ago on complaint of the mothers of several children in the neighborhood where he resided. Two indictments were found against him.

CITY RESERVES POSITIONS

Returning Soldiers to Be Given Opportunity to Compete.

Available municipal jobs now open, but which it is not necessary to fill immediately, are to be held until the Oregon soldiers return and have an opportunity to compete for them through civil service examinations. This decision, made by the Civil Service Board yesterday, concurs with the individual decisions of city heads. The Civil Service Board yesterday refused to reinstate four former policemen.

LEGS OF MUTTON, 20c.

At Frank L. Smith's, 228 Alder St. Chops of Eastern Oregon mutton... 25c. Indeed they're good shoulder mutton... 15c. Breast Veal... 15c. Mutton stew... 12 1/2c. Loaf veal chops... 25c. Roast veal... 20c. Roast pork... 25c. Pork chops... 20c. Pork sausage... 20c. Pork hocks... 20c. Smith's own make of bacon... 40c. Dry salt pork... 30c. Pickled pork... 25c. Smith's right choice round steak... 25c. Sirloln steak... 20c. Porterhouse... 20c. Smith's choice oven roast beef... 20c. Pot roasts... 15c. Plate beef... 15c. Boiling beef... 12 1/2c. Hamburger steak... 13c. Pure lard... 30c. Shortening... 30c. Frank L. Smith's is 228 Alder St.—Adv.

Klamath Liquor Smuggler Sentenced

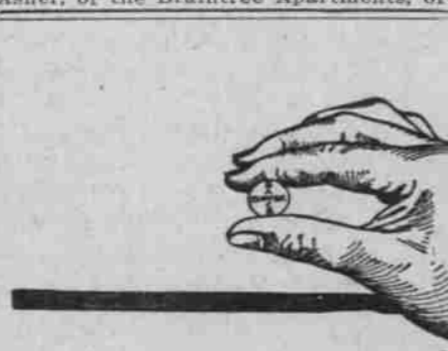
KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Dec. 26.—(Special).—A fine of \$200 or \$100 and five days in jail, was the sentence imposed upon John Rodrigues by Justice Chapman for importing liquor into Klamath County. This was the second offense of the kind within the week for the defendant who was caught bringing in liquor submerged in celery, concealed in his shoes and other parts of his clothing.

ENGINEERS BRIDGE VESLE

PRIVATE A. E. ASHER WRITES OF DANGEROUS WORK.

Fighting at St. Mihiel and Argonne Forest Participated in by Portland Boy.

A member of the Oregonian staff yesterday received a letter from Private A. E. Asher, member of the Fourth United States Engineers, in France, describing in detail the fight on the River Vesle in which his Captain, James P. Growdon, of McMinnville, won citation by General Pershing for extraordinary heroism in action. Private Asher is a son of Mrs. Sarah Asher, of the Braintree Apartments, of this city, and a graduate of Lincoln High School. Following are extracts from his letter, written at Toul, France, December 1:



The Substance or the Shadow?

THESE tablets are both white. They are exactly the same size. But only one contains genuine Aspirin. Hundreds of medicinal products are sold in the form of plain white tablets, and plain white tablets are sometimes offered when Aspirin is asked for. For your additional protection—every package and every tablet of genuine Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin is marked with The Bayer Cross.

Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin. The Bayer Cross. Your Guarantee of Purity.

"The next night, however, we succeeded in putting eleven bridges across, for which we were cited in general orders by Pershing. Some class, eh, for the old Fourth Engineers of Vancouver?"

"I followed a short rest, after 29 days of fighting and then we were sent in at St. Mihiel. After this drive, we rushed up to the Argonne front, North."

WAS JUST ABOUT AT END OF ROPE

Had Been Going Down Hill for Four Years—Tanlac Restores Health.

"Tanlac has done me so much good that I am telling all my friends about it," said Attilio Eneldi, of 100 First street, a few days ago. "I was not what you would call a sick man," he continued, "but I was far from being well. About four years ago I began to have a tired, worn-out feeling all over, and didn't feel like doing a thing, as it seemed that every particle of my energy was gone. My appetite wasn't very good, but in order to keep up what strength I could, I would force myself to eat, though nothing tasted right. I lost twenty-five pounds, and, in fact, got so generally run down in health that I was just about at the end of my rope."

"I felt that I needed a good tonic of some kind, and so much was being said about Tanlac and so many people seemed to be getting such good results from it I just had a feeling that it was the very thing I needed, and it certainly did prove out that way, for I feel like a new man out and out since I started taking it and am getting in better shape every day. That tired, worn-out feeling has passed away and my energy seems to be coming back in leaps and bounds. I have a good appetite and enjoy every bit I eat, and everything seems to be doing me lots of good, for I am gaining in weight right along. I am going to keep on taking Tanlac, for I believe it is going to give me back all I lost during those four years, and I am telling everybody I meet what great things Tanlac has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Portland by the Owl Drug Co.—Adv.

west of Verdun. We fought in the relieved, hiked seven days to a rest area."

Let's Look at It from the Viewpoint of the Cost



YOU can buy a "cheap" (so-called) Stove or Range for a few dollars less than is asked for the best—the Charter Oak.

The bum "cheap" article will never give you good service in its working or lasting qualities—will need frequent repairing. The first-class, dependable Charter Oak will give you perfect satisfaction, effect a saving in fuel and last a half century or more.

A 70 Years' Record Proves It Charter Oak Stove & Range Co., ST. LOUIS, MO.

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