

**OREGON LAW RIVETS  
LID ON HOME BREW**  
Maker of Amateur Beer Has  
No Escape.

**LOOPHOLE IN U. S. ACT**

Questionable Whether Federal Officers May Search House Without Warrant for Arrest.

Though there is serious question as to the right of the federal government to invade the sanctity of a home with a warrant for the arrest of the brewer of a few quarts of amateur beer, the state law leaves no loophole in Oregon for the escape of the mixer of hops and malt, even though the beverage is intended only for home consumption.

Commenting on the instructions of Robert C. Saunders, United States attorney at Seattle, to prohibition agents to make no raids on private residences unless they had absolute proof that unlawful sales were being made, United States Attorney Humphreys of Portland declared yesterday that the arm of the federal government was not very effective against the home brewer, but that he could be reached easily under state laws of Oregon.

**State Act Ironclad.**  
Earl F. Bernard, deputy state district attorney, turned to the "bone dry" act of the 1917 legislature yesterday and read the provision making it unlawful for "any person to receive, import, possess, transport, deliver, manufacture, sell, give away, or barter any intoxicating liquor within this state." The only exception as to possession was the possession of liquor lawfully acquired before the passage of that act.

"The federal prohibition act specifically says that no search warrant can be issued affecting a private dwelling unless it is based on an affidavit that intoxicating liquor is being sold there," asserted United States Attorney Humphreys. "It is my interpretation of the law that a home being used as a distillery no longer is a private residence and is not embraced in this ruling."

**U. S. Doesn't Reach Home.**

As the maintenance of a distillery includes the use of a condenser, which brewing of beer does not, Mr. Humphreys conceded that the law of the United States scarcely could touch the home brewer, though his activities might not be approved by the spirit of the act.

There is a ray of hope for the brewer, nevertheless. It was furnished yesterday by a leading member of the Multnomah bench, whose personal inclinations lie along prohibition lines. "All laws can only be enforced within reason," he commented. "Too strict an attack on the sovereignty of a man's home and his personal liberty would never be successful. There is not a jury in the land which would convict a man of violation of federal or state prohibition on such evidence in his case showed plainly that he had concocted a few bottles of beer for personal use. The law may deny him the right but the average juror never would."

**MINISTER ESCAPES TURKS**

REV. W. C. RAMBO AND WIFE UNDER FIRE SEVERAL DAYS.

Missionaries Proceed to Constantinople, According to Cable From Smyrna.

Under fire of Turkish troops for many days, Rev. W. C. Rambo and wife, American missionaries in Turkey and whose home city is Baker Or, have escaped further peril and are proceeding to Constantinople, Turkey. Word by cable from Smyrna has been received that the Turkish J. J. Hansaker, director of the nearest relief measures.

It seems that since June 26 and up to recently Mr. and Mrs. Rambo have been almost constantly under fire, with 16 other near-east relief workers in Adana. The Turks destroyed the railroad leading from Mersina to Adana, and were attempting to starve out, not only refugees, but also American relief workers.

The French were able to secure food only by foraging parties to nearby farms and vineyards or by sending heavily armed motor transports to Mersina. Both these methods cost heavily in the lives of French soldiers.

Other reports received at the local near-east office indicate great congestion of refugees in Constantinople. A letter dated July 14 from Dr. and James P. McNaughton, known to many in Portland, states that as a result of the nationalist guerrilla warfare thousands of poor people have fled from their towns and villages and have come to Constantinople, greatly aggravating conditions already desperate.

On account of great fires during the last ten years there are 50,000 houses less than at normal times. The housing problem is most acute. Many of the refugees sleep in the open. The missionaries are now aiding in more or less degree nearly 40,000 people.

**\$17,500 FEE IS SOUGHT**

C. T. Hnas Asks Pay for Services to Mary Roelfs' Estate.

A fee of \$17,500 for his services to the estate of the late Mary Roelfs was sought by C. T. Hnas, attorney, in a petition filed in the probate division of the circuit court yesterday. Services extended from March 27, 1912 to July 20, 1920, and \$112 had been received on account. The estate was appraised at \$3,577.58 in the inventory filed by T. F. Noonan, J. T. O'Neil and Joseph Sherlock, April 12, 1912.

In the long drawn out litigation in which the estate was involved, 189 claimants to the property of Mrs. Roelfs made an appearance personally or by proxy. The case went to the supreme court twice and even required an act by the state legislature to determine a point of inheritance.

Mrs. Roelfs was more than 80 years old at her death. She had been married three times and was separated from her third husband, to whom she left a nominal amount. She provided in her will that one-half of her property was to go to the brothers and sisters of her second husband and the remainder divided between her cousins, whose names she did not know.



# August Sales:--7 More Days

Seven Days of Intensive Selling All Over the Store

Exactly 324 Pairs

## Long Silk Gloves

**\$1.89**

Regularly \$2.50 to \$3.50 Pair

Standard makes of long silk gloves—Wear Right and Quality Silks. All first grade gloves in this sale. Extraordinary values while the lot lasts.

**Double Finger Tipped**

Colors are pongee, mode and black and this restricted color range is our sole reason for making the price so low to effect an outright clearaway. All sizes from 5½ to 8 in the sale.

## Washable Capeskin Gloves

**Less Than Half---\$1.03**

Nothing less than \$2.50 regularly in this sale of fine quality capeskin gloves while any of 500 pairs remain. One-clasp style. White, ivory, pearl and silver gray. Sizes 5½ to 6½.

—Meier & Frank's: Glove Shop, Main Floor.

Just Fifty of These

## Smart Sports Jackets

They Were \$21.50  
\$25 and \$27.50

**\$15**

50 misses can have good-looking early autumn sports jackets of wool jersey for school wear. Norfolk and pinchback models all properly equipped with belts and pockets. Rose, tan, green, brown, navy, red and heather. Sizes 13 to 19 years.

—Meier & Frank's: The Store for Girls, Second Floor.

A Small Group of

## Fine Blouses \$12.50

They Were \$16.50 to \$25

Odds and ends of lovely things which are to be hurried from here before the end of August. So good looking that \$12.50 will take them out quickly. A few hand made, some have real lace, majority are of heavy georgette crepe or fine crepe de chine. White, flesh, black, beige. A charming model is of printed chiffon with sash and a lace collar.

Sizes are broken and a few show slight marks of handling.

—Meier & Frank's: Blouse Shop, Fourth Floor.

20 Styles of Women's

## Pumps and Oxfords

**\$8.65**

Formerly \$12 to \$16 Pair

Women's and young women's low shoes taken from our regular stocks and offered at a greatly reduced price—some close to half what they were originally marked.

**The Assortment Includes:**

Plain and tongue pumps, one-eyelot ties and lace oxfords with Louis, military or low heels. Patent, black kid, dark brown kid, tan and black calfskin leathers. Turn and welt-sewed soles.

Almost complete sizes in some lines, broken sizes in some, but all sizes 2½ to 9 in the sale. Widths triple A to C included.

—Meier & Frank's: Shoe Shop, Third Floor.



Now in Its Final Week

## AUGUST FUR SALE

August Prices Save Many Dollars

August prices on women's beautiful furs hold good only until next Tuesday evening, August 31.

Fur coats, fur wraps and fur scarfs are offered at decidedly less than the standard rates.

Represented are such wanted pelts as Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat), fashionable natural gray squirrel, quaint beaver-colored nutria, luxurious mole and skunk, dark brown kolinsky and many others.

Selected from choice skins and made up for us by artists, these furs in the August Sale are exquisite.

### Rich Fur Coats

A Hudson seal (dyed muskrat) coat with huge cape collar of skunk, standard \$650 grade, now \$350  
A mole cape with cape collar of skunk reaching almost to the waistline, standard \$350 grade, now \$250  
A soft exquisite Hudson seal coat 40 inches long, large collar and cuffs of skunk, standard \$550 grade, now \$370  
A 36-inch plain Hudson seal (dyed muskrat) coat, standard \$350 grade, now \$250  
A pretty nutria sport's coat, 30 inches long, standard \$225 grade, now \$150  
An attractive inexpensive near-seal coat (dyed cone), 42 inches long, standard \$150 grade, now \$110  
A warm coat of marmot with taupe dyed nutria collar, standard \$150 grade, now \$100  
A youthful sports coat of natural colored gray squirrel, standard \$650 grade, now \$520

### Fox and Lynx Furs

Taupe, black, point and natural colored fox and lynx neck pieces at the following August prices:  
\$52.50 grade, now \$42  
\$65 grade, now \$52  
\$75 grade, now \$60  
\$87.50 grade, now \$70  
\$98.50 grade, now \$78.75  
\$125 grade, now \$100  
\$150 grade, now \$120

### Smart Fur Throws

Nutria, \$98.50 grade, now \$78.75  
Mole, \$175 grade, now \$140  
Black lynx, \$185 grade, now \$148  
Skunk, \$375 grade, now \$220

### Chokers of Fur

One and two-animal styles and some novelties.  
Natural opossum, \$15 grade, now \$12  
Natural squirrel, \$25 grade, now \$20  
Mole, \$45 grade, now \$36  
Dark fitch, \$57.50 grade, now \$46  
Hudson seal (dyed muskrat), \$75 grade, now \$60  
Stone marten, \$87.50 grade, now \$70  
Hudson Bay sable, \$98.50 grade, now \$78.75

—Meier & Frank's: Fur Salons, Fourth Floor.

## Furry Coats of Plush and Fur at August Prices

for Just 7 More Days

Coats of rich pile fabrics woven to represent seal. Some of them elaborately bordered with racoon and having great collars and cuffs of the same hardy, long-wearing fur.

Other coats with cone collars and cuffs and several have opossum, nutria and silver gray moufflon trimming.

Very beautiful plush coat with racoon collar, deep cuffs and 3-inch racoon border, regularly \$275, now \$233.75  
Plush coat with cone collar, border and cuffs, regularly \$255, now \$216.75  
Plush with black racoon collar and bell cuffs, regularly \$75, now \$63.75

Plush coat with opossum collar, regularly \$98.50, now \$83.75  
Plush coat with nutria collar, regularly \$65, now \$55.25  
Plush with gray moufflon shawl collar and cuffs, regularly \$85, now \$72.25  
Plain plush coats, three-quarter length, regularly \$48, now \$41.25

—Meier & Frank's: Fashion Salons, Fourth Floor.

## MEN! Semi-Annual Manhattan Shirt Sale Now On

It is well to buy Manhattan shirts, but it is better to buy Manhattan shirts that are new and critically selected. That this is the opinion of many men is evident from the numbers who come here to buy shirts in which the Manhattan excellences are all retained and a special exclusiveness added thereto by our own exacting processes of selection.

**OUR ENTIRE STOCKS OF MANHATTAN SHIRTS**

**25% Off**

Regular prices range from \$4 to \$17.50; special semi-annual sale prices from \$3 to \$13.10. Choose from our complete stocks of Manhattan shirts this week at a fourth off. Get the Meier & Frank service on top of Manhattan merit and lowered prices.

—Meier & Frank's: The Store for Men, Main Floor.

## Novelty Silk Skirts Half

Were \$15.00 to \$48.50  
Now \$7.50 to \$24.25

Exactly half price for all sorts of one-of-a-kind skirts suitable for afternoons at the club or at home.

- Half price for white flannel.
- Half price for cartridge silk.
- Half price for novelty silk crepe.
- Half price for tricollette.
- Half price for novelty silk tissue.

White serge skirts begin at \$7.50, were \$15.00; silk skirts begin at \$8.75, were \$17.50. Some show marks of handling, but the majority are beautifully fresh.

—Meier & Frank's: Fashion Salons, Fourth Floor.

## Important New Psychic Literature

in the Book Shop

"Our Unseen Guest," Anonymous \$2.  
"Neither Dead Nor Sleeping" by May Wright Sewall \$2.50.  
"So Saith the Spirit" by A King's Counsel \$3.50.  
"Letters From the Teacher" transcribed by Harriette Augusta Curtiss and F. Homer Curtiss B. S. & M. D. \$1.50.  
"The Voice of Isis" by Harriette Augusta Curtiss, F. O. 15 and F. Homer Curtiss, B. S., M. D., F. O. 15 \$2.50.  
"How to Speak With the Dead," a Practical Handbook by Sciens, \$1.50.  
"Cloud of Witnesses" by Anna De Koven, \$2.  
"Voice From the Void" by Hester Travers Smith \$2.

## Modern Business Sense

"Pep" by Col. Wm. C. Hunter \$1.25.  
"Think" by Col. Wm. C. Hunter \$1.25.  
"Brass Tacks" by Col. Wm. C. Hunter 75c.  
"Dollars and Sense" by Col. Wm. C. Hunter 75c.

—Meier & Frank's: Book Shop, Fifth Floor.

## Interesting Neckwear News

Things that are fresh and dainty to brighten up dark colored clothes and put them in tune with August weather.

## Special Purchase of Vestees

Regularly \$1.25 to \$1.75 at \$1.00  
Regularly \$2.25 to \$2.75 at \$1.95

Cream and ivory colored net vestees with frills and embroidered two thread and French valenciennes laces. Made with roll collars. Delightful to wear with sweaters and sports suits. Clearaway of some of the best sellers in the Neckwear Shop.

## Georgette Collars \$1

Embroidered and trimmed with imitation venise and filet laces. White only. Flat and tuxedo styles.

—Meier & Frank's: Neckwear Shop, Main Floor.

## Autumn Exposition Columbia Yarns

How many sweaters did you knit this summer? How many are you going to knit next autumn? Everybody is doing it. Knitting needles are flying as never before. Women have found that knitting is the most fascinating of diversions.

Consequently Columbia yarns this season are in more beautiful colors and in greater variety of grades than ever before.

Come into the Art Needlework Shop this week and see the Autumn display of all the different kinds and shades.

Mail orders will be gladly filled on any of the following yarns, samples of colors sent upon request.

- Columbia knitting worsted in all shades, also black and white, large hanks \$1.25.
- Columbia four-fold German-town, all colors, large balls 1 60-100 oz. 75c.
- Columbia Iceland wool in all sports shades, large balls 1 60-100 oz. 75c.
- Columbia 2-ply Shetland floss, the ideal yarn for light
- en's and children's stockings, large balls 1 60-100 oz. 75c.
- Columbia Scotch sweater yarns in all sports colors, 2 oz. ball 75c.
- Columbia 2, 3 and 4-fold Saxony yarn used for children's Sox and caps, it launders perfectly, 1-oz. balls 50c.
- Columbia 2-ply Shetland floss, the ideal yarn for light
- weight sweaters, large balls 1 60-100 oz. 60c.

The fringed shirtwaist sweater illustrated is shown in the exhibition and there are complete models of women's sport stockings and men's sweater coats.

—Meier & Frank's: Needlework Shop, Second Floor.