

Lipman, Volfer & Co.

A GREAT SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

There is immaculate freshness, and the best of quality and a power of selection from numberless styles of handkerchiefs, combined with special price reductions. For months we have been buying handkerchiefs to make this sale the most complete and satisfactory.

GREAT SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

Ever Attempted in Portland

Ladies' Plain White Hemstitched—some Corded, some with Fancy Hemstitched.
Special.....3 for 16c
Special.....3 for 23c

Ladies' all Linen Plain White Hemstitched.
Special.....3 for 21c
Special.....3 for 33c
Special.....3 for 39c
Special.....3 for 59c
Special.....3 for 63c
Special.....3 for 89c

Specials in Initial Handkerchiefs
200 Dozen Unlaundered, Hemstitched, with Hand Embroidered Initial. Special 5c
150 Dozen Unlaundered, all Linen, Hand Embroidered Initial. Special 12 1/2c
100 Dozen Unlaundered and Laundered all Pure Linen, Extra Fine Quality, Hand Embroidered Initial. Special 25c each

Fancy Silks
A Remarkable Price Occasion
Dealing as it does with the foremost favorites in fall fancies, this sale commands interest in every direction as well. Designs are all of the latest types. Silks are all this season's production.
Never bought this way before. \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 are the just full values.
The success of the Arnold, Constable Guaranteed Black Taffeta Silks Has been phenomenal. We have sold more Black Taffetas in the past month than we have ever sold before in 3 months. Head and shoulders above any other taffetas.
21 inch \$1.10, 24 inch \$1.25
Our celebrated "Crown" black taffetas are also worthy of attention.
21 inch Black Crown Taffeta 85c yd
24 inch Black Crown Taffeta \$1.00 yd

The "Columbia" White Wool Blankets
The biggest and best White Wool Blankets ever offered for \$5.00

Ladies' White Embroidered Handkerchiefs—some Hemstitched—some Scalloped Border—some Lace Edge
Special.....3 for 39c
Special.....3 for 49c
Special.....3 for 59c
Special.....3 for 79c
Special.....3 for 98c
Special.....3 for \$1.13

Real Lace and Hand Embroidered All Linen Handkerchiefs
At the following prices:
Reg. \$1.25 \$2.00 \$3.00 \$4.00
 .98 1.59 2.39 3.59
Reg. \$5.00 \$6.50 \$7.50
 3.98 5.19 5.98

The Pride of our Dress Goods Stock
Burke's English Kerseys
For Separate Skirts and Jacket Costumes (without lining)
\$2.50 to \$4.00 yard.
Shown in Tans, Cadet, Castor, Navy, Garnet, Oxblood and Browns, Black, 56 inches wide.

Also show
Panne Cheviots and Heavy Pebble Cheviots
For Separate Skirts (without lining) and Tailor-Made Costumes
\$3.00 to \$4.50 yard
In Tans, Grays, Modes, Navy, Black, 58 inches wide.
The "Moreland" Gray Wool, Fancy Border Blanket
The foremost Gray Wool Blanket in its class. We challenge the world to show their equal at this price. \$5.00

AGENTS FOR
Dr. Jaeger Wool Underwear for men, women and children.

AGENTS FOR
Knit-to-Fit Ribbed Underwear, the best made.
Ladies' Oneita Union Suits, in fleeced cotton and part wool. Wear the headquarters for Oneita Suits and Oneita prices—75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$7.50.

Specials in Children's Handkerchiefs
Child's Printed Border, Hemstitched
Special.....6 for 15c
Special.....6 for 25c
Children's Plain White Hemstitched, with Colored Initial, 3 in a box
Special.....25c per box.
Children's Plain White Hemstitched, all Linen
Special.....3 for 25c
Special.....3 for 39c

Music Store
Tomorrow we place on sale **SOUSA'S NEW MARCH**
Hall to the Spirit of Liberty 25c
Also the following new songs:
My Dusky Babe.
My Black Tulle.
My Little Zulu Babe.
The Sandman's Song.
She's Just Plain Sue.
Love Will Find a Way.
Administration March.
Also 60 copies of the Bryan March and McKinley March.

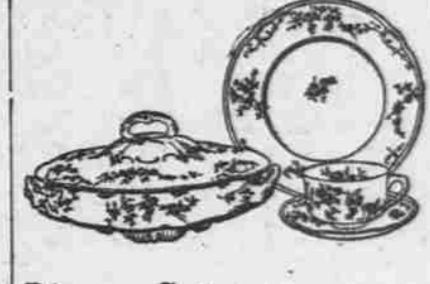
Stationery Store
The new swell society paper is here in abundance. Chief among them all is Hurlburt's Rockwood paper, in colors, Tiger-Eye, Iris, Aerial Blue and Sea Green. Sold all over at 60c a box. Our price, tomorrow, per box, Twenty-Five Cents

New Books
The Master Christian, by Marie Corelli \$1.50 \$1.15
The Bunker and the Bear, by Webster 1.50 1.15
Winefred, by Baring-Gould 1.50 1.15
The Maid of the Morning, by Edna Philipps 1.50 1.15
The Maid of Malden Lane, continuation of the Bow of Orange Ribbon, by Amelia E. Barr 1.50 1.15
Red Blood and Blue, by Harrison Robertson 1.50 1.15
The Green Flag by Conan Doyle 1.50 1.15
Quisants, by Anthony Hope 1.50 1.15

Millinery Store
New Stitched Cloth Hats
Tomorrow we show for the first time this season the latest styles of English stitched hats; also
New trimmed velvet hats, latest shapes, newest trimmings \$5.00
New rough scratch felt Fedoras and Ladysmith hats; not shown elsewhere, at \$2.00

MEIER & FRANK COMPANY

SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE PRICED FOR QUICK SELLING



We Make It a Rule

To carry none but the latest styles and best makes of Men's and Boys' Clothing, and sell them at popular prices.

Men's Suits
Absolutely All Wool
Cheviots and tweeds, per suit, \$20.00.
Cassimeres, per suit, \$12.50.
Fine viouzes, per suit, \$15.00.
Extra fine fancy worsteds, \$16.50 to \$25.00 a suit.

Men's Topcoats and "Raglan" Overcoats
\$10.00 to \$27.50

Men's Trousers
Very handsome patterns, for dress wear, \$4.00 to \$7.50 a pair.

Our Lines of Smoking Jackets and Dressing Gowns
Are now ready for inspection.

For Rainy Weather
Men's "Raglan" cravenette rain coats, latest cut, \$20.00 and \$24.50.
Men's and boys' rubber or mackintosh bicycle capes, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Young Men's Overcoats
All-wool tun, covers and Oxford gray, sizes 14 to 20 years, each, \$10.00.

Boys' Reeser Overcoats
In dark blue, chevrons, sizes 3 to 8 years, \$2.50

Boys' Suits
All-wool, two-piece suits, with double seats and knees, medium and dark mixtures, sizes 3 to 14 years, \$3.75

WE CARRY A FINE ASSORTMENT OF Little Boys' Kilt Suits
In all the latest fashions, sizes 3 to 10 years, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

A Suitable Present
With each boy's suit sold.

A Tempting Shoe Offer For two days only.

You can have your choice of the following lines at \$2.45 a pair
Ladies' vic kid lace shoes, with fancy vesting tops, diamond stock tips and imitation turn soles.
Ladies' vic kid lace shoes, with new round toes, medium height heels and straight patent leather tips.
Ladies' vic kid lace shoes, with fancy vesting tops, leather top collar and back stay and patent leather tips. Monday and Tuesday only.

Cloak Dept. News

The past weeks have been busy ones, and had it not been for our foresight in arranging for daily shipments from the Eastern markets, we would have been unable to supply the demand for ready-to-wear garments. However, not a day has passed without adding its quota of high-class novelties, and our assortment is now larger than ever.

New and very swell effects in Automobiles, Box Coats, Capes, Golf Shaws and French Flannel Waists.



Extraordinary Sale of Allovers

No person with a want in this line can afford to overlook this chance. All of these very desirable patterns, to go at a fraction of their real value.
EMBROIDERED TAFFETAS, CUT-OUT TAFFETAS, CUT-OUT BROAD-CLOTHS and SHIRRED CHEIFFONS in black and white; regular prices, \$5.00 to \$7.50.
Special, \$1.87 a yard

At Ribbon Counter

All-silk fancy Roman striped ribbon, extra heavy quality, 3 inches wide, regular 60c.
Special, 29c a yard

At Lace Counter

An elegant line of lace boleros.

At Flannel Counter

New shades of French flannel, new French flannellets, new silk striped Scotch flannels, 36 inches wide, 46 and 60 per yard.

Golf Cloths

New patterns and colorings.

Cloth Dolls

Life size, stamped and marked for cutting and sewing.

Special Drive of Silk Waists

Ladies' silk waists, plain colors and fancy stripes, in a large variety of styles and patterns, each, \$3.98

Our Fall Millinery

OUR FALL MILLINERY is a magnificent showing of everything that is stylish, handsome and dainty. In the newest effects in trimmed and untrimmed hats for ladies, misses and children; and also complete lines of everything that is particularly desirable and fashionable for millinery trimming.

MEIER & FRANK COMPANY

RIVER AND HARBOR WORK

OREGON IMPROVEMENTS REPORT- ED BY MAJOR LANGFITT.

Satisfactory Progress Towards Deep- er Channel at Mouth of Colum- bia—Other Operations.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—According to the report of Major Langfitt, in charge of the improvement at the mouth of the Columbia River and other parts of Oregon, a good start has been made with the preparatory work, looking to a deeper channel at the mouth of the river. In his August report he says that there yet remains \$17,500 for continuing this work. During that month repairs to the jetty tracks commenced at the shore end and at the end of the month the old caps and stringers had been removed for a distance of 418 feet. For most of this distance the old piles were sawed off to the new grade near high-water mark. Those that were decayed were replaced for a distance of 504 feet, and for 2490 feet the decayed piles were removed. The best of the jetty piles are being used in relaying one track, and 2310 feet of this have been completed. It being intended to replace these rails with new ones when they arrive from the East. The delivery of lumber for the tramway project has been slow, and accounts for the non-completion of the double track. Seven hundred tons of 40-pound rails have already been shipped, and a few carloads received. Three derrick cranes are under way and work of constructing others is under way. Locomotive No. 5 has been given a thorough overhauling. Many of the old buildings have been reshingled, and the foundation of the roundhouse and office building strengthened by putting in new posts. The old blacksmith shop has been moved away from the other buildings and made into an oil house, and an old one-story roundhouse has been moved close up to the commissary building for the storage of iron, nails and spikes. The coal bunkers had been reconstructed and made ready for use.
A shed and short sidetrack were built for the storage and seasoning of lumber to be used for repairs and the building of new pile-drivers, floats and dumpercars, and platforms were put in for the convenient handling of this material. The old pile-driver has been nearly dismantled for rebuilding. Temporary storage platforms for lumber and rails were built near the mortar battery, giving an approximate area of 6000 square feet for this purpose. During September this work of preparation was continued and the jetty and railroad tracks repaired, and a track connecting with the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad built. A shop will be put in order for rebuilding dumpercars and floats and repairing the locomotives. As soon as the kind of lumber is received work will commence on the rebuilding of the pile-drivers, as well as jetty repairs.

Columbia Below Tongue Point.
Bids for removing 12,500 cubic yards of rock from the Bylvia de Grasse reef and dredging 225,000 yards of material for the improvement at this point were opened on August 27. Four bids were received. The lowest bid for section A, including 12,500 yards of rock and 4500 yards of dredging, was at the rate of \$19.96 and 95 cents respectively. The total bids were \$23,650. The lowest bid for section B, 225,000 yards of dredging, was 60 cents per yard, making a total of \$135,000 for section B. The amount available for the whole work is approximately \$160,000, including engineer and office expenses, and it was recommended that the

bids be rejected and the work deferred. No work is contemplated unless a contract is made for rock excavation and dredging. Nothing of this sort has yet been done, and it is not likely, in face of the adverse recommendation, that such action will be taken at this time.

Willamette and Lower Columbia.
The dredge at Pillar Rock operated throughout the month, and succeeded in obtaining a minimum depth in the channel of 22 feet at low water. It required the excavation of 54,142 cubic yards of material during the month to secure this depth. There is an available balance of \$106,528 for improving these two rivers below Portland. The available balance for the upper Willamette and Yamhill Rivers is \$670,000. The construction and repair of dams in the Willamette between Salem and Ash Island continued. Dams at Lambert's Point were completed, and work was then begun on the dam at Eldridge bar.

Lewis and Other Rivers.
The available balance for Lewis River is \$2468. Work was continued on Crowley bar. Considerable dyke work and enclosure has now been completed in this river, but it is believed to obtain beneficial results it will be necessary to extend the dyke some 200 feet further, but this will not be done unless the usual Fall freshets should prove its extension advisable.

The balance on hand for the Clatskanie River is \$12,855. No work was done there in August, but advertisements have been issued and a contract will soon be let for dredging.

The balance on hand for the Cowlitz is but \$356. No work was done there or is contemplated. During the month a complaint was made that certain parties had started large rats down stream, and owing to the low stage of the water, they had proven impassable barriers. When the matter was called to the attention of Major Langfitt, he notified the parties owning the rats that the logs must be removed. This was done, and no further complaint has been heard.

FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN
The selfishness exhibited in the building of smoking or library cars for the use of men is hardly selfishness, after all; it's merely a case of evolution, these products being so many finger posts leading up to the strictly modern electric-lighted observation car, such as is run by the Northern Pacific on the "North Coast Limited" daily from Portland to the East. We have 10 of these trains, composed of eight cars each, and by actual count there are 221 electric lights on the train, 64 in the observation car alone. Just think! what a blaze of light! It is so in all the cars. Two electric lights in each section in the standard sleeper. Electric fans in both the observation and dining cars for ventilation purposes. They keep the air in these cars pure and sweet. You are not charged any more for riding on this train than you are on the ordinary trains. The tourist sleeper in this train has 16 sections. The car is finished in mahogany, upholstered in dark green leather, with sales carpeted. This car will prove a source of delight and surprise to those who feel that they cannot afford the luxuries of the first-class Pullman sleep-er.

If you are thinking of going East, we would like to have you inspect this train and call on us for any additional information wanted—rates, routes, maps, tickets, sleeping-car reservations, etc.

A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent, 335 Morrison street, corner of Third, Portland, Or.

Dr. Lamotte's French Corn Paint. The best corn cure; 25 cents. All druggists.

The "Stock" piano—Wiley B. Allen Co.



A Proper Respect

For your purse should lead you to at least investigate claims so persistently and confidently made of our ability to give you entire satisfaction and as much style in your suit or overcoat as you will find in patronizing the high-priced tailors. Have you ever tried the proper sort of ready-to-wear clothing? Have you ever tried "Moyer" sort?

Take for example our **MEN'S BLUE SERGE SUITS AT \$12.00**

In both round cut and double-breasted sacks. Examine the cloth. Note the making. Try it on. Notice the fit of the shoulders, the graceful hang; all as perfect as if your tailor had made it, and at far less money. They are clothes to be proud of. We are, so will you be if you try them.

THE "MOYER" OVERCOAT

Section is showing all the latest styles in Men's and Young Men's Overgarments, Coverts, Kerseys, Oxfords and Meltons, in long, short and medium lengths.

.....OVERCOATS FROM \$10 TO \$35.....

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MOYER CLOTHING CO.

POPULAR-PRICE CLOTHIERS
BEN SELLING, Manager COR. THIRD AND OAK STREETS

SILVERFIELD

Exclusive Cloaks and Suits, and Fur Manufacturer
283-285 MORRISON ST., PORTLAND, OR.
ORE. PHONE, OAK 961.

Great Special on Separate Skirts Monday and Tuesday Only

Fine Man-Tailored Separate Skirts, made in blue and black Camel Hair Cheviot and Serge, in the latest style, handsomely trimmed with stitched taffeta and ribbon trimming, lined throughout with fine percaline, with deep velvete binding. Regular \$7.50
Special \$4.65

Our line of Fall Suits is complete. Buy before they are picked over.
We have just received another shipment of Flannel Waists.
Special attention paid to remodeling of fur garments.
Illustrated catalogue mailed free on application.
HEADQUARTERS FOR GENUINE ALASKA SEALSKINS

Fuller's Pure Prepared Paint

Is especially adapted to the requirements of this climate, and will out-wear all others. For sale by

CHASE PAINT & OIL COMPANY

Corner First and Alder Streets.

Our Offer

To replace old frames with rust-proof frames free of charge where the recovering amounts to \$1.50 or upwards, has brought us so much work that we will be unable to fill further orders until the end of next week.

JOHN ALLESINA, Umbrella Maker
309 Morrison Street, Opp. Postoffice.

Fruit Industries, America Leads.
Pearson's Magazine.
It is an established fact that the United States now has the record for rapid development of fruit industries, such as the growing of oranges and lemons, peaches and grapes. As a nation we eat more fruit than any other, and grow considerably more than we eat. Eighty millions of dollars a year is the figure for strawberries alone. A hundred millions would scarcely cover the value of all the grapes marketed. Peaches we raise in astonishing quantities, in orchards containing as many as 200,000 trees, but our banner crop, so far as fruit is concerned, is apples. We have produced as many as 250,000,000 barrels in a single season, and have sold as high as 3,000,000 barrels to England alone. Ships weigh anchor in New York, three at a time, in a single week, bearing apples to Europe. Indeed, it is one of the greatest industries the country has ever witnessed, and promises to take rank as the chief fruit crop of the world.