

# A Carnival of Bargains at The Meier & Frank Store

Visit the "Big Store" this week if you want to share in the grandest bargain feast we have ever prepared—From Basement to Garret we've picked the choicest in Seasonable and Staple Merchandise and made price reductions that will delight even those who know us best. This store always plans to do things a little better than anyone else whether its offering the best Merchandise for the least money or giving something for nothing—it never goes half way—instead goes one better. A Metropolitan Store of conservative methods which always gives the best values in the best Merchandise and gives you choice from larger varieties than all other local dry goods stores combined—That's the store to buy at. We fill Mail Orders for advertised lines as long as the Special Lots hold out.

## Portland's Leading Cloak and Suit House

### \$18 Silk Shirtwaist Suits \$11.85

Seventy handsome Silk Shirtwaist Suits—A prominent New York manufacturer's stock on hand—All new, this season's styles in Taffetas and Foulards—Fancy effects in blue, brown, green, black and white figured Splendid variety to select from and all sizes Regular \$18.00 values for this sale \$11.85



### Tailored Suits, Walking and Dress Styles, Prices are Cut in Two

Three great lots of Ladies' Walking and Dress Suits—This season's leading styles and materials in etons, blouses and jacket styles—Fancy braid and button trimmed—Skirts plain, flare and pleated—All the best materials and designs—All sizes—Best values of the season.

- \$20.00 and \$22.00 Suits for \$13.45 Each
- \$26.00 and \$28.00 Suits for \$17.85 Each
- \$32.00 and \$34.00 Suits for \$22.65 Each

Ladies' \$5.00 and \$5.50 Wash Silk Waists, tucks, lace and medallion trimmed, white and black, new, attractive styles in all sizes—regular \$5.00 and \$5.50 values for... \$3.89  
50 dozen Ladies' Cotton Waists, linen lawns and organdies trimmed in lace, embroidery and fine tucks, also embroidered linens, beautiful styles; regular \$6.50 values, for this sale... \$4.85

### \$12.50 Silk Petticoats Only \$9.45 Each

For Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 100 magnificent Silk Petticoats, finest quality taffeta silk, accordion pleating, ruching and ruffles—deep corded flounce, very best styles in all colors and black. Petticoats other stores ask \$14.00 and \$15.00 for; regularly; our special low price for three days only is, each... \$9.45

### "Rogers Bros." Music 15c Copy

All the popular hits from "Rogers Bros. in London," which appears at the Marquam Grand next Friday and Saturday, will be on sale in our Sheet Music department (second floor) tomorrow, at 15c a copy. A few of them are:  
"By the Seaside Tree."  
"American Beauty."  
"It's Awfully Hard to Shop."  
"In Gay New York."  
"Queen of the Bungalow."  
"Simple Sue."  
"You'll Be a Friend of Mine."  
"Mr. Breezy Was an Easy Mark."  
"The Coster's Holiday."

### Great Trunk Sale

Manufacturers' sample line of all kinds of Trunks for men and women—suit trunks, steamer trunks, skirt trunks, World's Fair trunks, etc., all at low prices.

\$ 7.00 Trunks for.....	\$ 7.25	\$17-\$17.50 Trunks for.....	\$12.15
\$10.00 Trunks for.....	\$ 7.50	\$20.00 Trunks for.....	\$13.00
\$11.00 Trunks for.....	\$ 7.75	\$25.00 Trunks for.....	\$14.25
\$14.00 Trunks for.....	\$10.25	\$28.50 Trunks for.....	\$15.75
\$16.00 Trunks for.....	\$11.50	\$30.00 Trunks for.....	\$16.00
\$ 9.25 Steamer Trunks.....	\$ 7.25	\$4.00 Steamer Trunks.....	\$3.25
\$12.50 Steamer Trunks.....	\$ 8.15	\$2.00 Steamer Trunks.....	\$1.50
\$16.75 Steamer Trunks.....	\$ 8.25		

## 12,000 Pairs. Women's 50c, 75c Hosiery 33c

Portland's greatest Hosiery Sale starts here tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock A stupendous purchase of 8000 pairs from a prominent Chemnitz, Germany, manufacturer and 4000 pairs of the well-known "Onyx" Hosiery from Messrs. Lord & Taylor, America's greatest hosiery importers—All new, perfect goods—Hermesdorf Dye—All Sizes—Immense variety of styles, including all-over lace effects in hundreds of the best patterns, Lace Boot effects, English Opera Hose, Embroidered Novelties—Every pair new, this season's style—Regular values 50c, 60c and 75c a pair—You can't go amiss in supplying your hosiery needs for many months



to come at the remarkably low price of, per pair..... 33c  
On sale in the Main Aisle—Fifth-Street to elevators. See Big Fifth-Street Window Display. It will give you some idea of the splendid values.

"LA GRECQUE CORSETS," NEW MODELS.—Just received, new models in "La Grecque Corsets, a French Corset for American figures—styles that fit the figure like a glove fits the hand. "La Grecque" Tailored Undermuslins—sole Portland agents.

### Great Carpet Sale

Carpets and Rugs greatly under-priced for third week of the "May Sales." Some extraordinary values to interest people who want good Floor Coverings for spare rooms, servants' rooms or for the Summer or Coast cottage. Take Elevator—Third Floor.



75c Ingrains 57c  
3500 yards of Non-pareil Ingrains, extra heavy quality, Brussels designs, rich colorings, six patterns to choose from; regular 75c value, sewed, laid lined for the low price of, yd... 57c

Bath-Room Rugs  
500 Japanese Bath-Room Rugs, attractive, serviceable styles in the best patterns and colorings

\$3.00 kind, 30 in. by 60 in., reduced to, each... \$1.98  
\$3.50 kind, 36 in. by 72 in., reduced to, each... \$2.45  
Remnant sale of short ends of Carpets, about 25 pieces, lengths suitable for small rooms, all qualities, best styles, 25 per cent off regular prices—in the lot are Axminsters, Velvets, Brussels and Ingrains—value extraordinary (3d floor).

### Great Silk Sale

Only Silks of thoroughly dependable qualities are included in this sale. Silks you can buy with the satisfaction of knowing that they are best in style and wearing qualities—Good Silks in the leading colors and designs and priced at the lowest point of the year.



10,000 yards of guaranteed Taffeta Silks in black, white and a variety of 70 shades, the best quality we could find to sell regularly at \$1.00 per yard. This sale only 83c yard. Just the quality you want for the new silk shirtwaist suit. All colors, remember.  
3000 yards of fine quality Wash Taffeta Silk in all leading shades, black and white; the regular 75c grade is offered for this sale at the low price of, yd... 59c  
\$1.00, \$1.15 and \$1.25 Silk Shirtwaist Suitings in new, natty effects; this season's leading styles and colorings; many of our best \$1.00, \$1.15 and \$1.25 values; for this sale at, yd... 85c  
\$1.00 Checked Silks for Shirtwaist Suits, yd... 73c  
All \$1.00 Foulard Silks in 50 styles, leading designs, best \$1.00 values, reduced to, yd... 77c  
All \$1.25 Foulards this season's best styles, for this sale reduced to the low price of, yd... 97c

### Boys' Clothing Sale

Another Great Sale of Wash Suits and Kits for boys—The season's very best styles and materials and priced unusually low right at a time when the weather conditions demand that the boys have cool apparel to wear.



Washable Kits in pink and blue striped percale, white P. K. collar, belt and cuffs, ages 2 to 4 years; regular \$1 values... 83c  
Boys' Washable Kilt Suits in crash with red or blue duck trimming, also white braid trimming, also pink Madras, styles with white P. K. Eton collar and cuffs, ages 2 to 4; \$1.25 value... 96c  
All \$1.50 Wash Kits reduced to, each... \$1.23  
All \$1.75 Wash Kits reduced to, each... \$1.45  
All \$2.00 Wash Kits reduced to, each... \$1.65  
Boys' Washable Suits in crash, plain and striped ducks, combination collar and shield, ages 3 to 10 years, \$1.50 values... \$1.23  
Boys' Washable Suits in crash and ducks, blue stripes, well made, ages 3 to 10 years; regular \$1.00 values, for this sale... 83c  
Boys' \$1.25 Washable Suits in plain crash, dark blue and pink striped duck, ages 3 to 10 years; elegant value at, suit... 98c  
All \$1.75 Wash Suits, all ages, at... \$1.45  
All \$2.00 Wash Suits, all ages, at... \$1.65  
All \$2.50 Wash Suits, all ages, at... \$1.98  
All \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Suits reduced in same proportions.  
All Washable Russian Blouse Suits at reduced prices.

### Six (6) Free Trips to the St. Louis Fair and Return---All Expenses Paid

Commencing tomorrow, the Meier & Frank Store will give one vote with each 25c purchase; two with a 50c purchase, and so on, to those who desire to help along the candidates who enter in the Free World's Fair Trip Contests, the details of which are as follows:

- 2 Trips to St. Louis and return entirely free of expense to the two members receiving the largest vote and belonging to any labor or fraternal organization in the city. All trade unions, all fraternal and business organizations are eligible.
- 2 Trips to St. Louis and return entirely free of expense to the two school principals or teachers receiving the largest vote. Public, private and parochial school instructors can enter the race.
- 2 Trips to St. Louis and return entirely free of expense to two persons employed in retail or wholesale mercantile establishments or offices receiving the largest vote. Clerks, cashiers, bookkeepers, stenographers, etc., etc., can enter this contest.

### First-Class Round-Trip Ticket and One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) in Gold Given to Each Winner

The six winners will each receive a first-class round-trip ticket to St. Louis and return and \$100.00 in gold, which is more than sufficient to pay all expenses.  
Winners can go during August, September or October. This is for each to decide. It makes no difference to us.  
Itemized, the cost will probably be as follows:  
Railroad ticket, first-class... \$ 67.50  
Standard Pullman double-berth... \$14.00 each way... 28.00  
Dining-car meals, 3 meals each way... 18.00  
Hotel, 10 days, \$3.00 a day... 30.00  
Ten admissions to Fair Grounds, 50c each admission... 5.00  
Hotel and traveling tips, about... 9.00  
Souvenirs, theaters, "the Pike," etc... 10.00  
Total... \$167.50

Contest begins Monday, May 16, and ends on Saturday night, August 6, at 9:30. All votes must be deposited by the night of August 6.  
One vote with each 25c purchase—two with a 50c purchase—three with a 75c purchase—four with a dollar purchase, and so on.  
Votes can be secured by presenting your duplicate checks at the ballot booth, main floor, near elevators, where is also located an immense ballot box.  
When filling in ballots write name in full and the organization the candidate belongs to or vocation followed.  
Votes will be counted daily by responsible parties. Total vote to be counted by representative citizens.  
Standing of the leading contestants will be advertised in The Oregonian every morning.

### Laces and Embroideries

"Dolly Varden" Chiffons, dainty for trimming Summer gowns, very best patterns and colorings, \$1.50-\$1.75 values \$1.32  
White, cream and ecru Venise and Cluny Allovers; all our best \$2.00 values, for this sale only at, yd... \$1.27  
3000 yards of Nainsook and Cambrie Embroideries and Insertions, 2 to 5 inches wide, daintiest designs, great value... 12c

### Bargains in the Basement

Dinner Sets and Toilet Sets at extraordinary low prices  
Bargains in Jardiniers and Lemonade Sets—Basement.  
Very best white English semi-porcelain Dinner Sets, neat shapes, special values, 60-piece set, \$4.49; 100-piece set... \$7.14  
Decorated semi-vitreous Dinner Sets, decorated in gold and pink flowers—60-piece, \$8.00 value, \$6.28; 100-piece, \$12.00 value, \$9.98.  
White German China Dinner Sets—60-piece, \$12.00 value, \$9.67; 100-piece, \$17.00 value, \$13.89.  
10-piece Decorated Toilet Sets, great value... \$2.49  
Odd pieces of Toilet Sets at less than cost.  
6-inch glazed Jardiniers, 40c value, 31c; 6 1/2-7 1/2 values, 59c.  
\$1.00 Colored Lemonade Sets for... 79c

## RIBBON SALES

Ribbons for less than the cost to produce—900 bolts purchased at a big reduction from regular prices from a large Paterson (N. J.) mill—All widths, all the leading shades, very best qualities. Carefully note the low prices quoted for this interesting event

Liberty Satin Ribbons, very best quality—15 shades.	No. 1 1/4 width at, yard.....	4c	All- silk Taffeta Ribbons, best grades.	11c	
No. 2 width at, yard.....	7c	No. 2 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 2 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 3 width at, yard.....	9c	No. 3 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 3 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 4 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 4 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 4 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 5 width at, yard.....	13c	No. 5 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 5 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 6 width at, yard.....	15c	No. 6 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 6 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 7 width at, yard.....	17c	No. 7 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 7 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 8 width at, yard.....	19c	No. 8 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 8 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 9 width at, yard.....	21c	No. 9 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 9 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 10 width at, yard.....	23c	No. 10 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 10 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 11 width at, yard.....	25c	No. 11 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 11 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 12 width at, yard.....	27c	No. 12 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 12 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 13 width at, yard.....	29c	No. 13 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 13 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 14 width at, yard.....	31c	No. 14 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 14 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 15 width at, yard.....	33c	No. 15 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 15 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 16 width at, yard.....	35c	No. 16 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 16 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 17 width at, yard.....	37c	No. 17 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 17 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 18 width at, yard.....	39c	No. 18 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 18 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 19 width at, yard.....	41c	No. 19 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 19 width at, yard.....	4c
No. 20 width at, yard.....	43c	No. 20 width at, yard.....	11c	No. 20 width at, yard.....	4c
Satin Taffetas, best quality, all widths, every desirable color.		5-inch width at, yard.....	4c	6-inch width at, yard.....	4c

### GROCERIES LOW PRICED HERE - 'PHONE EXCHANGE 4, IN BASEMENT

2 cans of Preferred Stock or Royal Club Tomatoes.....	2c	2 1-lb. cans Corn Beef.....	2c	Fig Prune or Postum.....	20c
2 1-lb. cans Blue Ribbon Oysters.....	2c	2 packages Saratoga Chips.....	2c	Baggie Milk, can.....	11c
1 can Hickmotts Asparagus.....	2c	2 packages Grape Nuts.....	2c	Quart C. & B. Lard Oil.....	40c
1 can Hickmotts Asparagus.....	2c	2 packages Force or Malta Vita.....	2c	1 box Stuffed Dates.....	25c
Royal Salad Dressing, large.....	40c	2 cans Pioneer Cream.....	2c	1-lb. basket Washed Figs.....	25c
Jell-o, 3 packages for.....	2c	1-lb. box Domino Sugar.....	15c	3 cans Pioneer Cream.....	2c
1-lb. Jar Libby's Shred Beef.....	2c	1 1/2-lb. can Pineapple.....	15c	17 lbs. Granulated Sugar.....	\$1.00
German, per package.....	2c	5-lb. package Gloss Starch.....	2c	1-lb. can Shrimps.....	10c
2 cans Tomatoes.....	2c	1 lb. Ghirardelli's Chocolate.....	30c	Preferred Stock Peas.....	15c

### WOMEN'S \$3.00 SHOES

For Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday only, we offer 1000 pairs of women's Oxfords and Blucher Oxfords in heavy and light soles, patent colt and patent kid, also vici kid, all new, this season's very best \$3 values in all sizes and widths at a price actually below the cost of manufacturing—Chance to buy your Summer's footwear at a big saving \$1.92 a Pair

Tan Shoes for women—all the latest styles. Just received by express, 500 pairs of Men's Tan Oxfords, for which many of the store's friends have been waiting.

### Wash Goods Bargains

Fancy striped, figured and plain Papillon Cloth for Summer dresses, cool, serviceable material, selling regular at 30c per yard. Big 23c  
15c and 20c fancy Organdies, Batistes and Lawns. Very best 11c  
4c, 6c and 8c fancy imported French Organdies, Batistes and Topaz Silk novelties. Great special values at, yard... 32c  
Choice of all our 60c fancy White Waists. This season's best styles in sheer and medium weights at the low price of, yard... 42c

### Sale of Lace Curtains

The Union Lace Curtain Mill of Philadelphia recently liquidated their business. We purchased 500 pairs of Arabian Lace Curtains from them at about 50 Per Cent less than real value and you are going to have them at the same discount. Patrons of this store always share in any good luck that may come our way.

\$7.50 VALUES \$3.95 PAIR  
Arabian Lace Curtains, cable nets with plain centers, borders and insertions in Arabian color only. Also some white and ecru. Net Curtains with designs in Battenberg braid, pair... \$3.95  
\$3.00 and \$2.50 Arabian Lace Curtains, cable nets, with floral and scroll borders and insertions. All this year's styles... \$5.85  
\$8.00, \$5.50 values, pair... \$3.95  
Corded Arabian Lace Curtains. Very best materials and designs. Values up to \$11. For this sale only, pair... \$8.95

### Ladies' Underwear Specials

Ladies' "Arctex" cotton mesh Union Suits, long sleeves, all sizes, \$2.75 values for, suit... \$1.47  
Ladies' Richelieu Ribbed Vests, low neck, sleeveless; pink, blue or white, all sizes. Great special values at, each... 31c  
Ladies' Mercerized Cotton Mesh, Lace Trimmed Umbrella Pants. All sizes. The regular \$1.90 values for... 69c