

Portland Agents for Perrin's and Trefousse Gloves—Nemo, Gossard, Madame Irene and Estelle Corsets—Famous Arnold Knit Goods

The Meier & Frank Store's News of Spring

Special Price Reductions Quoted for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Second Week of "Knee Deep Bargains" Including Many Broken Lines Priced Far Below Cost—Many Seasonable Bargains Shown

Newest of Laces & Embroideries

We are the largest importers of Embroideries in the west, and we are now showing a most complete line for the spring and summer of 1909. Dictators of fashion predict a "white season," and we have prepared ourselves to cater to the taste of all our patrons. In so doing we have searched the markets of Switzerland, and we are more than satisfied with the splendid results; see them.

New Art Needlework

Special offering for early week selling in the Art Needlework section, third floor, of 50 new patterns and designs in women's stamped shirtwaist patterns to be embroidered in all the latest stitches and plenty of material for finishing; this grand assortment ready for your inspection and choosing at this price, ea. .79¢

St. Valentine's Day

It will not be too late to send a Valentine tomorrow; our assortment is still complete and prices will be the lowest.

EVERY DAY BRINGS US AN EXPRESS SHIPMENT OF LADIES' SUITS—NEWEST FASHIONS ALWAYS SHOWN HERE

Women's Tailored Suits, Latest Styles From \$20.00 Up

A new and most complete showing in Women's Tailored Suits—All new spring styles in two and three-piece suits—The coats are medium and long lengths, in semi and tight-fitting—Fancy trimmed in silk, buttons and tailor-stitched folds; also plain tailored—Skirts plain and circular gored, trimmed with folds and buttons to match the coat—Materials diagonal and plain serge, panama, fancy worsted—Colors green, light and taupe shades of gray, navy, black, rose, tans and mode—Prices are from \$20.00 and up. Lingerie Dresses, just received, will be shown tomorrow—Prices range from \$7.50 up—In the Suit Department, Second Floor



Special: Unusually Reduced Prices on Fine Tailored Suits

Women's Tailored and Fancy Suits at prices of unusual interest—The greatest assortment at exceptional values ever offered by any suit store in Portland at these prices:

- Women's Suits, usually \$65.00, for \$37.50
- Women's Suits, usually \$45.00, for \$24.85
- Women's Suits, usually \$35.00, for \$18.45
- Women's Suits, usually \$25.00, for \$14.85
- Women's Suits, usually \$15.00, for \$ 7.85

Clean-up of Winter Suits in fancy and plain tailored—Coats are long and short lengths—Skirts are plain gored and pleated—Plain colors, mixtures and fancy stripes—Materials are chiffon broadcloths, serge, chevot and fancy worsteds—Take advantage

First Showing of New'st Millinery

Just received, our new spring line of the celebrated Gage & Fisk Hats; our showing this season will excel all previous efforts. There are many beautiful clear blues in deep shades, which are charming, in large toques of soft straw; wistaria is greatly favored in quite a number of fascinating shades. See window displays; Millinery department, 2d floor.

DIMITIES, WHITE GOODS

200 pieces new Irish Dimities, light and dark grounds, and the latest styles and colorings, on sale at, yard, 35¢
500 pieces new white goods, fine imported shirtings and novelties for that tailor-made waist; yd., 35¢ to \$1.00
200 pieces of linen and cotton Suitings, plain and fancy, the yard, 35¢ to 75¢

Good Reading; New

Our Book section always presents the newest and best books; the latest are "The Red Mouse," "54-40 or Fight" and "Septimus." Splendid values in books.

"BILLY POSSUM" MAKES HIS BOW AND HAS HIS FIRST SHOWING IN PORTLAND—THE LATEST CRAZE—SEE HIM IN THE TOY STORE—PRICES 50c UP TO \$2.00

First Authentic Showing New '09 Silks

Silks that will be worn by the best gowned women in the world during spring and summer season. New MESSALINE, New CHIFFON FAILLE, New MESSALINE PHANTOME, new DIREC-TOIRE SATINS, New DROFFAST CLOTH, New SATIN PONGEES and New FOULARDS. These silks exemplify the new satin idea. Language cannot describe the rich shimmering loveliness of these beautiful fabrics. They must be seen to be appreciated. These silks will be found in all the new shades of peacock blue, taupe, pearl, gray, champagne, ash of roses, wistaria, catawba, amethyst, mulberry, reseda, green, olive green, acorn, Copenhagen blue and lilac; tage advantage. New Silks arriving daily. Our Silk section offers the greatest assortment at lowest prices always.

New Trimmings

The Meier & Frank Trimming section is replete with all the newest creations in trimmings; descriptions and prices follow; let us show you. A shipment of new Trimmings just arrived, consisting of colored net bands in all the leading colors, also gold and silver bands; on sale at prices ranging from, yard, \$1.00 to \$10.50
New Braids and Passementeries, in all the late colors, black, white, pink, light blue, navy, brown, green, red, etc.; price, yd., from 10¢ to \$1.00
New Tassels and Drop Ornaments, in black and white, with gold; prices from 35¢ to \$1.00
New shipment of Buttons, fancy and plain pearls, all sizes; price, per dozen, from 5¢ to \$1.25
Also fancy and plain ivory Buttons, all new shades; prices, doz., ranging from 15¢ to 65¢
Fancy crocheted effects in cotton and silk, all new colorings; prices, dozen, 15¢ to \$3.00

First Showing New Dress Goods \$1 Yd.

Seven new lines to choose from; not a piece among them that is not strictly all wool and up to date, both as to style and colorings. See show window and display tables. Take advantage of sale. Lot 1—45-inch all-wool cream Tennis Serge, with dark hairlines. Lot 2—48-inch Chevron Suiting, full range of colors. Lot 3—48-inch shadow stripe Worsteds, all the new shades. Lot 4—48-inch chiffon Panama, all the staple shades. Lot 5—45-inch two-toned ombre stripe Vigerean Panama. Lot 6—46-in. fine all-wool Shepherd Checks. Lot 7—54-in. hard-twist Panama, 2-toned grays only.

The Babies, a Great Sale for Their Royal Highnesses



Infants' nainsook Dresses, with round and square yoke, skirts with ruffle of embroidery or wide hem; the regular \$1.75 to \$2 values, on sale at, special, each \$1.19
Infants' nainsook Dresses, trimmed in tucks, embroidery, lace, insertion; reg. \$2.50 to \$4 values, at \$1.79
Infants' nainsook Skirts with wide hemstitched hem or embroidery ruffle, clusters of tucks on waists; the best regular \$1.75 values, on sale at, special, each \$1.27
Infants' hand crocheted Afghans, made of eider-down wool in star pattern; regular \$3 values at \$2.47
Infants' Wrappers, made of white albatross, cassimere and flannel, embroidered in pink or blue; regular \$2.50 to \$5 values, on sale at, each; take advantage \$1.98
Crocheted Shoes in white, trimmed in pink or blue, tied with ribbon; regular \$1 values, on sale at, pair 69c
Kid Moccasins, pink, blue or gray; trimmed in ribbon; regular \$1 value, on sale at, special, the pair; see them 69c
Infants' cassimere Sacques, embroidered in white, pink or blue; regular \$1.50 to \$2.50 values, each \$1.19

New Shirtwaists

Just received, a new line of Herald Square linen, madras and lawn Tailored Shirtwaists; fronts made with 3/4, 1/2 and 1-inch tucks, embroidered designs and Gibson effect, with pocket; on sale at prices ranging from, each, \$2.75 to \$8.00

Some Special Vals., \$1.48

Special sale of new cotton Waists, tailored effect; broad plaits and tucks or plain, with pockets; colors are white, plain and fancy stripes, in lawn, Indian head linen and chambray; special values, at the extremely low price of... \$1.48

New Spring Ribbons

Just received in the Ribbon section, the first spring showing of novelty ribbons and sashes; Persian designs in satin effects from 3 inches to 8 inches; print warp taffetas in new designs and colorings; new satin stripes and moire effects.

Beltings at 27c the Yard

A large assortment of Beltings in Persian Bayadere stripes and grosgrain effects; full assortment of popular shades; regular 50c to \$1 yard, at the unusually low special price of, yard 27c

'Kerchief Specials

Four Lots, at Special Prices for Your Choosing.
Lot 1—French hand-embroidered and drawnwork effects, assorted, suitable for making neckwear ranging in price from \$1.25 to \$5 each, 98c on sale at this special low price of, each 98c
Lot 2—Hemstitched colored border and hand-embroidered effects, in linen and mercerized; regular 35c values, special, each 23c
Lot 3—A special lot of hand-embroidered unlaundered, hemstitched, crossbar and plain effects; pretty patterns; 25c values, each 14c
Lot 4—A broken line of colored bordered, lace-trimmed and initial Handkerchiefs; regular values to 75c each, special at, each 37c

"Knee-Deep-in-Bargains" Sale of Traveling Bags, Suitcases

An excellent assortment of Suitcases and Traveling Bags at "Knee-Deep-in-Bargain" prices, as follows; take advantage of opportunity:
24-inch, 9-inch deep Keratol Suitcase, linen lined, with shirtfold; the very best regular \$4.25 values, special, each \$3.10
24-inch Cowhide Suitcase, leather lined, with shirtfold; the regular \$8.25 values, on special sale at this low price, each \$6.85
24-inch case, elephant grain cowhide brown Moire silk lined; best regular \$14 value, special at this low price, each \$9.50
24-inch case, linen lined, with shirtfold and straps all around; regular \$7.75 values, on sale at this extremely low price at \$6.60
17-inch black box calf Oxford Bag, 3-piece, sewed-in frame, bright brass trimmings, leather lined; best regular \$17 values, \$14.45 on sale at this exceptionally low price; take advantage
16-inch long grain genuine seal Oxford Bag, sewed-in frame, leather lined, brass trimmings; the best regular \$18 value, on sale at this extremely low special price, each; see them \$15.00



\$4 Fancy Vests \$2.25

A special purchase of new spring Vests in light, medium light and dark colorings of new and stylish fabrics of French flannels, fancy cassimere cloths and mercerized materials; brown, grays, tans, blacks and white, cut in the latest fashion and finely made; excellent value; regular \$4 value, on sale at this low price, each \$2.25

Handbags, \$1.19

Women's Handbags in good quality leather, fitted with combination purse and card case, leather lining and overlapping steel frame; comes in black, brown, navy, red and tan; values \$1.50-\$2.50, special... \$1.19

Sale Muslin Underwe'r

Women's Combination Suits, consisting of Corset Cover and Drawers combined, trimmed in either lace or embroidery. These suits fit beautifully over the waist and hips; no extra fullness. In all sizes. Regular \$5.00 values. Special at... \$3.98

Women's Drawers—A new shipment of Sample Drawers which enables us to offer our patrons wonderful values in this line. Trimmed in either lace or embroidery. At this low price, per pair... 50c

Women's Short Skirts, daintly trimmed with laces and embroidery. A full line to choose from. Regular value \$3.00. Special at... \$1.98



Shoes for \$1.98

5000 pairs ladies' button and Blucher lace Shoes from our regular stock, worth \$3 and \$3.50; they come in patent colt, gunmetal and vicci kid; extension soles, Cuban and military heels; the shoe bargain of the season; all sizes, 2 1/2 to 8, widths A to E; pair... \$1.98

Men's New Furnishings

New arrivals of E. & W. and Manhattan Shirts, in all the very latest styles and colorings, for spring wear; they are now ready for your inspection; come and make your selections while our stock is new and complete; take advantage. New arrivals of men's Hats, in very latest, newest shapes and colors, in soft and stiff hats; nobby shapes and very stylish for spring; also new line men's and boys' Caps.

Women's Fine Hosiery Great Assortment at 38c Pr.

3000 pairs secured from one of the largest importing houses in the country—Plain and gauze lises and fancy hose in embroidered effects, also fancy lace in boot and allover effect, including outsizes in an immense assortment of styles to select from—Black, brown, tan, green, copenhagen, blues, gray, red, purple, hyacinth, white and others—Hosiery selling regular at 65c to \$1.50—Buy all you want at, pair 38c



Specials in the Oriental Rug Section



A shipment of Rugs was due to arrive on December 10, but was delayed on account of inability to ship goods out of Persia during the political troubles. We are fortunate to say that our line of Persian Rugs and Carpets has arrived and is larger and superior to any stock that has been shown in this country. We offer the greatest variety of styles, qualities and sizes, in every grade and kind of rugs and carpets, and invite every buyer's inspection. Our ambition is to make our oriental Rug department one of the leading features in our establishment. Every rug we sell is guaranteed as represented and can be exchanged for another rug within two years at price paid for same. Information given to all rug buyers by our expert, Mr. Naj. Hanief.
27 Khivas, regular \$90 up to \$125 each, your choice at the low price, each \$75.00
68 Hall Rugs, size 66x36, up to 8x4; regular price \$30 to \$40, your choice \$21.50
300 Beloochistans, regular \$24 to \$30; your choice, on special sale at each \$18.75

\$9 Wool Blankets \$7.05

500 pairs extra large white Oregon lambwool Blankets, size 76x86, in pink and blue borders; regular \$9 values, on sale at this low price, \$7.05

\$2.75 Comforters \$1.98

1000 full-size silkoline-covered Comforters, filled with white laminated cotton, all good patterns; the regular \$2.75 values for \$1.98

A Great Rug Sale

50 large Rugs, room sizes, to fit most any room. Made out of remnants of carpet and border; to clean up, priced way below manufacturer's cost.
Bigelow Axminster, size 8.3x12, at, ea. \$29.50
Velvet, size 8.3x11.6, on sale at, each \$19.50
Body Brussels, size 8.3x12, for, each \$22.50
Best quality Tapestry Brussels, 8.3x11, \$29.00
Axminster, size 10.6x12, on sale for, ea. \$30.00
Bigelow Axminster, size 10.6x13, each \$45.00
And a large number of other sizes reduced in proportion; don't fail to take advantage of this sale.

Curtains and Portieres Reduced

Many exceptional values in our Curtain department for your choosing Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—The bargains are matchless—Note the extremely low prices.
\$5.00 FRINGED TAPESTRY PORTIERES AT \$3.65
\$5 plain double-faced Tapestry Portieres, with fringe at the top and bottom; also oriental designs; 50 inches wide and 3 yards long; on sale at, per pair \$3.65
\$1.50 NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS AT 95¢
\$1.50 white and ecru Nottingham Lace Curtains, 50 inches wide and three yards long; plain and figured centers with floral borders; on sale at the low price, pr. 95c
\$2.00 DOTTED SWISS CURTAINS ONLY \$1.29
\$2 ruffled Swiss Curtains, dotted and figured centers, with plain 4-inch ruffles; extra good quality of Swiss, 40 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards long; the pair \$1.29
FIVE EXTRA GOOD VALUES IN PORTIERES
Five patterns of Rope Portieres, 6 colors in each pattern in red, green, brown, red and green, tan and brown, brown and green; all this season's goods, at the following prices:
\$2.00 quality, each... \$1.35 \$4.50 quality, each... \$3.35
\$3.50 quality, each... \$2.45 \$5.50 quality, each... \$3.95
\$6.50 quality, for the low price of only, each... \$4.65

