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Easter Shopping Is Best Done at The Meier & Frank Store

Jewelry at Low Prices Best Values of the Year



An immense showing of new Easter Jewelry—Belt pins, hat pins, brooches, jabot pins, etc.—Unusual values today

1500 new Hat Pins, in every new and pretty style; regular 35c value, each **25c**

Beautiful new Jabot Pins, for wear with watch collars; Egyptian designs; regular 75c values, on sale at, each **49c**

Gold-filled Signet Bracelets, both misses' and children's sizes; regular \$1.50 values, buy all you want at, each **89c**

Magnificent line of Belt Pins, new effects, in both domestic and foreign designs; a splendid variety, on special sale as follows:

Regular 75c Belt Pins, on sale, each **49c**

Regular \$1.50 Belt Pins, on sale, each **98c**

Regular \$2.50 and \$3 Belt Pins at **98c**

Beauty and Collar Pins, in grand variety; all one-piece joint and catch **16c**

Great Sale of Brushes

Hand Scrub Brushes, pure bristles, solid back; best regular 35c values, at, each **19c**

2000 solid-back Hair Brushes, in fox and ebony finishes; best 75c values, each **49c**

Special lot of solid ebony-back and pure stiff-bristle Hair Brushes, absolutely guaranteed \$2.50 and \$3 values; buy all you want of them, at, each **\$1.98**

2000 French Tooth Brushes, both women's and men's sizes; best 35c values, ea. **19c**

Cloth Brushes, pure black and white bristles; regular \$1.50 values, on sale at, ea. **98c**

2000 fine double-sewed Whisk Brooms, on sale at this unusually low price, ea. **12c**

Great sale of 2000 Postcard Albums, all sizes, at the following unusually low prices: Regular 25c values, **19c** Regular 85c values, **49c** Regular \$1.50 values at **89c**

Easter Cut Glass at a Saving

Cut glass Nappies, with or without handles; \$2.50 values, on sale at, each **\$1.89**

Cut glass Olive Bases, handsome cut; best regular \$3.50 values, special, ea. **\$2.69**

Cut glass Spoon Trays, best regular \$6 values, on sale at this price, each **\$4.69**

Cut glass Bowls, best regular \$5 values, on sale at this special price, each **\$3.79**

Cut glass Vases, 8 inches high; regular \$6 values, at this low price, each **\$4.69**

Cut glass Water Bottles, prettiest cut; regular \$5 values, at this price, each **\$3.79**

Cut glass Salt and Pepper Shakers, best regular \$2.50 values, on sale at, pair **\$1.89**

Cut glass Butter Plates, regular \$4.50 values, on sale at this low price, each **\$3.49**

Cut glass Flower Vases, 15-inch; regular \$24 values, on sale at, special, ea. **\$17.99**

"Perrins" French Kid Gloves



\$4 Vals. at \$2.75

Great Easter offering of Perrin's real French Kid Gloves in full 16-button lengths—Every pair first quality, real prime kid—Black, white and a complete assortment of new shadings—Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2—Every pair in the lot regular \$4.00 values—Choice at this **\$2.75** very low price, pair

Complete stock of short gloves—All styles, shades and grades—Call and see these gloves.

\$6 Lingerie Waists at \$3.85

An exceptional offering of new, high-grade lingerie Waists, very pretty styles, in batiste, fancy square or pointed yokes, trimmed in Plat. or round mesh Vals., Venice lace, Maltese lace and medallions of file; back and sleeves trimmed with tucks and lace insertions; a style and quality waist most stores ask \$7.50 for; our regular \$5.50 and \$6 values; an advantageous purchase enables us to offer this limited \$3.85 lot at this unusually low special price, each; take advantage of this sale

\$2.50 New Handbags \$1.19

Special lot of 500 women's Handbags in all colors, both leather and moire linings; all fitted with coin purses; large assortment; values to \$2.50 each **\$1.19**

1000 new drawing leather Shopping Bags in fine grain leather, all lined; 9-inch size, black, brown and tan; regular 85c values, on sale at, special, each **59c**

\$4.50 White Petticots \$2.95

Our great annual Easter sale of women's white Petticoats will attract an enthusiastic throng of buyers to the Muslin Underwear section all this week; 2000 handsome white Petticoats to be distributed at a price that will tempt every visitor as soon as she investigates the quality and style of these undergarments; every one made of the best quality lawns and cambrics, trimmed in wide openwork and French embroidered effects and separate trimmed dust ruffles; also a great variety dainty lace trimmed petticoats.

Easter Sale of Hosiery

Women's 75c-\$1 Values 29c
Men's 50c-75c Values 29c



Continuation of the great Easter sale of "Onyx" Hosiery for women and men—50,000 pairs in every good style, design and coloring—Hosiery of quality at a price far below regular values. Shrewd buyers will look to their needs for many months to come. Sale continues today and tomorrow; buy now.

25,000 pairs of women's Hosiery in lises, cottons and mercerized; plain colors and fancies without end; every desirable color, pattern and combination; all over lace and lace boots; all sizes, 8 1/2 to 10; the shrewd buyer will anticipate her needs for many months to come at the saving offered; regular 50c, 75c and \$1 values, pair **29c**

\$40 Royal Wilton Rugs \$31.75

In the big third floor Carpet store tomorrow, a great special offering of room-size Royal Wilton Rugs—all new, beautiful orientals; exact reproductions both in color and design; the greatest values ever offered at the low special prices: 9x12 ft, regular \$40 values, ea. **\$31.75** 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in., \$36 val., **\$29.00**

Ladies' \$3.50 Oxfords \$2.65

Buy your Easter footwear this week and effect a considerable saving; we place on sale 3000 pairs of new spring Oxfords in a large variety of styles and leathers; brown kids, tan Russia calf, gunmetal, glazed kids and patent colt; button, Blucher and Gibson ties; all new and 1909 models; Cuban and military heels, extension soles; all sizes, 2 1/2 to 8; widths A to E; every pair in the lot a standard \$3.50 value, your choice during this sale at low price of, pair; take advantage of sale **\$2.65**

GARDNER DIRTY LINEN WASHED

Joseph W. Says Anna J. Drank; "He's a Brute," Her Retort.

When Anna J. Gardner threw a glass of beer in his face and ripped off his collar and shirt, Joseph W. Gardner explained he gives for having left her last July after a stormy matrimonial career of six months. Answering his wife's complaint for divorce, filed last month in the circuit court, he denies all her charges of cruelty and presents a long list of particulars on which he asks that he be given the divorce.

He starts with the wedding night, January 16, 1908. He says that while the event was being celebrated at the home of his wife's parents she accused him of being too gay with her sister. After that, he alleges, it was almost a daily occurrence to be charged with calling up girls on the telephone. He says he is not guilty of paying attention to other women over the telephone.

Gardner then enumerates four occasions in February and March when his wife locked her trunk and threatened to leave him. He is equally specific in telling of what he deems to be the greatest failing of his wife, her drinking. He names one day after another when she had been drinking or came home drunk, ready to quarrel. At such times, he alleges, she would try to bite, pull his hair, scratch and kick his shins. Besides all this, he says, she tore his shirt and threatened to stab him with a hat-pin.

Going home on July 6, Gardner alleges, he found the door locked and the transom nailed, so he could not get in. He needed his working clothes, and finally found a key. When he returned, he says, his wife flew at him and scratched his face and neck, accusing him of bringing other women to the place. Finally he calmed her, he says, and she agreed to go with him to her parents, where the whole story was unfolded. A priest was called to try to induce Mrs. Gardner to take the pledge, he says, but she would not.

Mrs. Gardner's plea gives another version of the whole trouble. The priest was called to try to get her husband to behave as a man. She says Gardner as a brute, who beat and choked her for an hour at a time. She asks for \$500 alimony. Gardner is a clear dealer on the east side.

GRATEFUL FOR ECZEMA CURE

Any Sufferer Can Write to Robert Sussman of Toledo, Ohio, For Full Information.

There are undoubtedly many frauds in the testimonials and medical firm letters written by friends or even employees of the advertiser. But on the other hand, in some cases the testimonials are thoroughly genuine and offered by prominent citizens, who are grateful for the cure.

Such a case is that of Robert Sussman, a well known furrier of Toledo, Ohio, who for years suffered with a severe case of eczema.

He described his case as almost unbearable. About five years ago he was induced to try the oil of wintergreen compound known as D. D. T. Prescription for eczema sufferers. He has gone out of his way to find sufferers and to give them the remedy. He had done this without any course and without even having been requested to do so by the D. D. T. Company. It was simply the fact that his health, his very life, had been restored that made him so enthusiastic. Mr. Sussman is ready to answer any letter referring to his case in any eczema sufferer and to describe his case. If any reader of this paper should write Mr. Sussman, we request that he address stamped envelope be enclosed.

D. D. T. Prescription, also D. D. T. Balm are sold by the following: Portland by Sussman's Drug Co.; J. C. Wyatt, Vancouver; Howell & Jones, Oregon City.

DEFENDS COOS BAY HIGHWAY

Condition of Roads Not the Cause of Poor Mail Service, Says Lyon.

Walter F. Lyon, a leader of the Coos Bay boosters, arrived in Portland Sunday, after having spent most of the winter in Washington interceding with the solons for the benefit of his section. Mr. Lyon succeeded in securing the transfer of \$25,000 for dredging, and with this small concession as a substitute for the \$200,000 for which he petitioned for harbor improvement, he had to be content.

"Our delegation to congress has been informed that the desire of their constituents is to prevent a big reduction on the lumber tariff," said Mr. Lyon, at the Imperial this morning. "They will do all in their power to secure adjustments beneficial to the people of Oregon. I am assured. When I left Washington I felt pretty good about the tariff, my understanding being that if the bill was not passed, it would be put off until the next session."

"The greatest danger to the people of this country is a 11 reduction in the tariff on the admission of Canadian lumber. Over there they have cheaper labor. Shipments of sawed lumber from Canada to the United States would be commenced as soon as a change in tariff schedule was made. At such times,"

One Lumberman Says. Henry Hewitt Jr. is the only one of our lumber operators who has announced that he doesn't care what happens. A short time ago he went over into Canada and bought some tracts of timber. He says that he will begin shipping Canadian lumber into this country, soon he learns that the tariff has been reduced. The C. A. Smith and Simpson mills would be the ones most affected on Coos Bay in the event of a change of schedule.

Mr. Lyon admitted that lumber had been sold at a high figure for the past few years, and that a reduction in cost to the consumer would be beneficial. "But," said he, "the jobbers are principally responsible for that condition, not the millmen."

Mr. Lyon is even more interested in the people and their desire to get good roads than in lumber. He declared that a postoffice inspector who was sent over here from Roseburg to Marshfield returned a report of terrible road conditions that was not justified.

Inspector a Tenderfoot.

"The department sent out a tenderfoot who doesn't know a boulevard from a cow trail," he asserted. "The road from Marshfield to Roseburg is 68 miles long. It is the most beautiful scenery in the country. It gives a splendid idea of the timber resources. In the winter, of course, it is muddy. What amount of road is not? But in the summer, with a little smoothing the road can be easily used for automobiles. The government has accustomed to mountain roads he is easily frightened. That is the explanation for that adverse report."

"The trouble of the whole matter is in connection with that mail service. A Colorado man got the route by bidding \$2 per quarter less than his predecessor had paid. He got the route for \$7592. A short time before he secured the route that a man must have passed the rule that a man must live on the route. To get around this difficulty he had William Fenton bid it in for him. Then he took the contract off Fenton's hands."

"Now, if he would provide himself with proper facilities he could live up to the contract of a daily delivery of mail. As it is, he has old skates on horse, some of which have to walk on three legs. Others have their hips broken down. All are skinny and broken down. I have seen them myself and I know what I am talking about."

That road between Roseburg and Coos Bay should be a good one. If it is not, the blame is to be attached to the government. The government gave the timber for the road through the state in a wagon road building com-

OPENING A BANK ACCOUNT MADE EASY



Journal's savings offering gets all the boys and girls busy. Cartoonist Seed has an idea or so concerning methods that ambitious youngsters should adopt to become possessed of a bank account.

pany; more timber than the road could ever be worth was given, too.

"Before I left Washington the department had commenced an investigation to learn the real conditions out here. The second assistant postmaster general assured me of his sympathy for the people and their desire to get good mail service and that he is not in sympathy with reports made by inspectors who are not accustomed to going off of paved streets."

The Journal has adopted a policy in regard to Coos Bay that is getting very near to the hearts of the people out there. The way The Journal has told of real conditions has pleased us wonderfully and we look for good results from the articles that have been published.

Goos to Africa to Wed.

New York, March 23.—On the same steamship that is carrying the Roosevelt party is another passenger also bound for Africa, but on a different mission from that which makes the ex-president to the dark continent.

Miss Charlotte Clary, who comes from Iowa, is on her way to the South, where she has already spent three years in missionary work. At Alexandria she will be met by Dr. Thomas Lambie, to whom she will be married in that city, and together they will proceed up the Nile to their destination. Miss Clary is a native of Iowa and a graduate of Monmouth college.

"FIGHTING BOB'S" FIRST DUEL WAS TO DEATH

The first duel Rear Admiral Evans ever fought was to the death and was in the midst of battle. It happened at the attack of Fort Fisher. The plucky young Yankee had been hit twice by the bullets of a Confederate officer, on the fort. As the ball came crashing through the hero's knee, he determined to give one more in return before he became too faint from loss of blood.

Rolling over in the sand, Evans addressed a few words in vivid English to his assistant and shot him through the heart before fainting from his own wound.

"Fighting Bob" has had many engagements on land and sea, he has fought as a member of the crew, as chief officer of the ship and as chief of the fleet, but none of the bloody scenes with which his life has been so filled seem half so real to him as this. His first duel was to the death.

Rear Admiral Evans will lecture at the Armory on the night of March 31 on the topic, "The Cruise of the Atlantic Fleet From Hampton Roads to San Francisco." His appearance here is under the direction of the Commercial club. The seat sale will be opened Thursday at the club office and will continue there the following day. After Friday seats will be sold at Row & Martin's drug store.

Daily and Sunday Journal, 16c a week in any post.

ASKS AID FOR TARIFF FIGHT

Reform Club of New York Sends Out Appeal to Revisionists.

A special appeal has been sent out by the tariff reform committee of the Reform club, a New York organization, asking for detailed information relating to manufacturing and trade conditions throughout the country. The material is to be used in presenting data to congress upon which changes in the tariff may be made.

"After an interval of twelve years, a session of congress has met to revise the tariff. This rare occasion makes the opportunity for the most effective work of a decade by this committee. The tariff revision is a factor upon the leaders in congress and the administration by the pressure of public opinion. To the strong and widespread popular sentiment in favor of a heavy protection of duties the work of this committee has contributed in no small measure."

"The essential situation surrounding the present revision is novel. For the first time complete protective tariff reduction movement originated by Republicans and manufacturers, and spreading in the party of protection, is bitter and becoming more so. In this clash a great deal of damaging truth about protection can be brought out and used to widen the breach."

"This situation permits of forcing the discussion of the whole tariff question in congress, before the people, practically free from considerations of party. This, in itself, is a long step toward the just settlement of the question."

"Moreover, the imperative need of a great and prompt increase in the revenue has become a factor of protection to recognize the insufficiency of any tariff they can frame, and to control serious consideration of various plans for more direct taxation, as well as for increasing revenue by reduction in certain rates of duty. This makes the opportunity to show, in congress and out, and likewise without partisanship, the advantages of more direct taxation over tariff taxation."

"Under these exceptional circumstances, this committee can accomplish by facts its experience and conclusions, and at comparatively small expense, a great deal toward the final breaking down of the protective system, by supplying the most effective facts, figures, arguments and suggestions to members of congress, newspapers and every influential factor of great influence which can be stirred into activity by well directed efforts. Persistent and intelligent work on our part now can accomplish in a few months results that ordinarily would be the work of years."

"We need at once several thousand dollars for carrying on the work which has been already begun. Many conclusions and suggestions have already been prepared and need without special funds. We can supply a large number of country newspapers with convincing information in the interest of the consumer in plates which we are ready and willing to use, if we can meet the necessary expenses, and we ought to carry out this service largely just now."

"This is undoubtedly our best opportunity in years for effective service. We ask all interested, therefore, to send us an liberal contribution as they see fit to the fund of the Tariff Reform committee. Checks should be made payable to the order of Louis Windmuller, treasurer, Reform club.

WELTERS AGAIN BEFORE COURT

Reform Club of New York Sends Out Appeal to Revisionists.

"March 1, 1908—Husband pulled my hair. Called me frightful names. Pulled the telephone from the wall, so I could not call for help."

"March 2—Received message from roundhouse foreman, saying that hubby had promised to kill me when he came home from work. Remained away from home all night and saved my life."

"March 3—Again pulled my hair and landed a few blows for emphasis. His word did not need emphasis."

This might have been the diary of Mrs. Josephine Welter for three days, paragraphs a portion of her answer to Joseph N. Welter's suit for divorce. She has filed the document in the circuit court and prays that she, instead of he, be granted the decree.

Mrs. Welter also accuses Welter of pawing a watch presented to her by a former husband, and says he forged her name to notes aggregating \$35 in 1905. She says she said the notes rather than be disgraced by telling what he had done.

Besides all this, Mrs. Welter names four women as correspondents. She knows three of them only by the names of Mary, Margaret and Rose. The fourth name is left blank. Mrs. Welter is the plaintiff, but his wife's answer shows that she has plenty of fight left. They were married in May, 1899.

Broadway, New York. We trust that prompt attention will be given to this matter, for there should be no cessation or delay in our activity. "BYRON W. WOLT, chairman."

Mme. Nordica Fights Will.

Cambridge, Mass., March 23.—The contest over the will of Mrs. Vanni F. Allagrace, who died in 1907, is now being fought in court.

month leaving an estate of about \$100,000, was called for hearing in court last week. Mrs. Nordica, a niece of Mrs. Allen, is the plaintiff, and she was well provided with money. Among the contestants is Mme. Lillian Nordica, the famous singer, who was a niece of Mrs. Allen.

IN THE MORNING

Try a Charcoal Lozenger and a Glass of Water if Your Breath Is Foul and Your Mouth Tastes Bad.

Immediately upon arising in the morning, should you have a bad breath and an disagreeable taste in your mouth, try a charcoal lozenger. Simply chew the lozenger up as you would so much candy, and drink a glass of water, washing it down into the stomach in this manner. The effect is almost magical. The mouth becomes sweet, and the breath pure and fragrant in a very short time.

After a few days you will notice that your stomach is digesting food much better. All traces of gases and sour stomach will disappear, and the perfect assimilation promoted by a healthy stomach will build up strength and muscle, and your bad breath and coated tongue will be a thing of the past.

Give Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges a trial. Results are assured, and positively no bad effects can arise from the use of charcoal. Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made of young willow wood charcoal and pure, fresh honey, taken direct from the bees hive. You may see all you want, give them to every member of the family. They will cleanse and purify the stomach and keep it clean and sweet.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are good for everybody at any time. Try them. For 50c everywhere, 12 cents per box. Sample box will be sent free by mail upon request. Address: F. A. Stuart Co., 250 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.