

Complete Line of "Skinner's" Famous Lining Silks—Portland Agents for "Nemo" Corsets, "Trefouse" Gloves and Butterick Pattern

The Meier & Frank Store's Great September Sale in All Departments

Great Values in Jewelry, Toilet Articles, Fine Leather Goods

Special lot of 500 draw-string Handbags, in tan, brown, black and gray; made of the best quality leather; splendid styles; unusual values at these low prices: 59c Each, \$1.19 Each and \$1.49 Each.

Great special assortment of Belt Pins, in antique styles; great variety, all finishes; \$4 values \$1.89

Special lot of fine gold-plated Beauty and Collar Pins, in very pretty patterns; on sale at low price 19c

Special lot of Rhinestone Brooches, butterfly, crescent, birds and four-leaf clover designs; set with best quality stones. Great values \$1.39

Dutch Collar and Brooch Pins, in new styles; special assortment; value up to 75c each, at only 28c

Fancy Clocks, very handsome novelties in gold, silver and brass finishes; warranted perfect timekeepers; \$1.39

Hair Barrettes, in shell and amber; all sizes, plain and carved; best value—\$1.39

35c French Tooth Brushes, each. 23c

50c Hand Scrub and Nail Brushes. 23c

Pure Bristle Hair Brushes, each. 33c

Hard Rubber Dressing Combs, each 39c

25c Playing Cards 19c, 50c Cards 28c

Fancy Paper Napkins on sale, dozen 4c

Plain White Napkins at, per 100... 9c

Eaton's and Crane's Writing Papers 23c

\$2.50 Gauntl't Gloves 95c Pr.

\$5 Silk Umbrellas at \$2.98

Great special offering of women's and children's Gauntlet Gloves, with stiff and soft cuffs for driving, street and school wear; chamois, mocha and capes; tan, gray and white; all sizes; valued to \$2.50 pair, on sale at this low price, pair 95c

Special lot of women's Umbrellas, all-silk, serge and taffeta covering; best frame, plain and trimmed Directorate handles, large assortment; \$5 vals. \$2.98

5000 Yds. Silk Suitings \$1.25 Vals. 68c a Yd.



In the Silk Store today and tomorrow a very important offering of 5000 yards of handsome new silk suitings at a price far below value. Figured, striped and novelty effects, in wonderful assortments. Pretty silks for waists, costumes and dresses. Brown, navy, old rose, greens, tans, grays, gobeelin, black, etc., superior styles and quality. Regular \$1.25 values on sale at the very low price of, per yard 68c

See the Fifth Street Window Display.

In the Dress Goods Section 3000 yards of mixed tailored Suitings, best colorings and combinations, for suits, dresses, etc. Regular \$1.25 98c values, on sale at, per yard

\$4 Feather Bed Pillows at \$2.98

\$5 Wool Blankets \$3.87 a Pair

Special offering of 10-4 White Wool Blankets, with pink and blue borders; best \$5.00 values, on sale at the exceptionally low price of, per pair \$3.87

Great special lot of live Goose Feather Bed Pillows, covered with fancy art ticking, full size; regular \$4.00 values, will be placed on sale at, each \$2.98

\$3.50 Net Curtains \$2.65 Pair

\$3.25 Lace Curtains \$2.35 Pr.

\$10 to \$35 Curtains Half Price



Special lot of fine Net Curtains, in ecru and white, Cluny and Battenberg effects; in very large assortment, size 2 1/2 yards long, 42 inches wide; regular \$3.50 values, at, per pair \$2.65

Cable Net and Madras weave Lace Curtains, white, ecru and 2-toned effects, full size; the best regular \$3.25 values, on sale, pair \$2.35

Great half-price sale of two-pair lots of French Net Curtains—Cluny, Marie Antoinettes and Battenberg, in white only; beautiful styles, large assortment; values ranging from \$10 1/2 Price to \$35 pair, at half regular price 1/2 Price

Special lot of high-grade Net Curtains, Cluny insertion and edging and Battenberg braids; regular \$8.50 values, on sale at \$5.85

2000 yards of Bungalow Nets, in cream, ecru and white, 48 inches wide; best 65c values, on sale at this special low price of, per yard 39c

1500 yards of Colonial Barred Serim, in hemstitched effects, cream and ecru, 29c

400 yards wide; the best regular 50c values on sale at the very low price, yd. 29c

Custom shade and drapery work our specialty. Best materials and workmanship. Skilled drapers, who are ever ready to serve you. Always at the very lowest prices.

\$2.50 to \$5 Corsets \$1.98

Great clean-up of Corsets, second floor—Standard lines, new, up-to-date models; values ranging from \$2.50 to \$5; to be sold at low price of, pair \$1.98

100 dozen women's White Outing Flannel Night Gowns, best quality, embroidered yokes; pink, blue and white; all sizes; well made and finished; best \$3.00 values, will be placed on sale at this exceptionally low price of, each \$1.98

Great special values in children's Outing Flannel Gowns. They are best of values.

\$25.00 Young Men's Cravenettes

With Military Collars at \$13.65

A great sale of unusual importance in the Young Men's Clothing Section—3d floor. A great special purchase of 2000 young men's Overcoats and "Cravenette" Raincoats in the newest and most approved styles, made with perfect-fitting military collars, all-wool materials. The genuine Priestley Cravenettes, fancy worsteds, fancy chevrons, black Tibbets and gray wale—all new patterns and colorings; handsomely tailored and finished throughout; sizes range from 32 to 37, garments selling regularly at from \$22.50 to \$25.00 each, on sale for \$13.65

New Fall Suits at \$25 Each

The big Second Floor Garment Store directs particular attention to the mammoth showing of new Fall Tailored Suits selling at \$25.00—suits of fashion and quality that other stores ask \$35.00 and \$40.00 for—made with long semi and tight-fitting jackets, single-breasted, notch collar—skirts are yoke pleated, and gored with set-in pleats—broadcloths, herringbone, striped serges and chevrons, tans, modes, walnut, black, navy, hunter green, myrtle, stone, light and radium dark grays; all are handsomely tailored and finished throughout; the greatest values in Tailored Suits ever offered at this popular price, 36 to 46 bust \$25.00

Specials in Our Grocery Dept.

Best Eastern Sugar-Cured Hams at the low price of, per pound 18c

Blue Label or Griffon Tomato Catsup at the low price of, bottle 19c

Seeded Raisins, best quality, one-pound package at two for 15c

Fancy Japan Rice on sale at the remarkably low price, 5 lbs. for 25c

Smoked Sardines in oil, 3 tins for... 25c

Sale of Infants' Wear

Infants' crocheted Booties, in very pretty styles; regular 35c to 40c values, on sale at, per pair 25c

Infants' Knit Sacques, all white, with pink and blue trimming; large variety; values ranging from 85c to \$1.25, 75c on sale at this low price, each

Infants' white Elderdown Receiving Blankets, bound with pink and blue ribbon; \$2.50 values, on sale at this very low price of \$2.19

All lines of Infants' Wear sold here at the very lowest prices. Agents for Arnold's Knit Goods, Baby Baskets made to your order. Second floor. Send for special catalogue of infants' wear.

Great Sale of Notions

The Angelus Belt and Waist Supporter, no hooks or pins; during this sale, specials at, each, only 15c

Horn Hair Pins, one dozen in a box; shell only; assorted shapes; regular 10c values, at only, the box 5c

Extra strong, large size Hair Nets, in all shades; best 25c values, on sale at the very low price, each 15c

Setwell Skirt Markers, nickel finish, adjustable gauge and chalk; regular 20c value, on sale at only 10c

Large Black Jet Pins, 100 on a cube; best 10c value, on sale at the remarkably low price of, the cube 5c

Star Safety Pins, one dozen on a card; Nos. 2, 2 1/2 and 3; best 5c values, on sale at this price, per card 3c

Black Worsted Skirt Braid, in 5-yard pieces; regular 10c value, on sale at the remarkably low price of 5c

Aluminum Thimbles, in assorted sizes, 6 to 9; 5c values, at, each 2c

Darning Needles, 10 on a card, at the remarkably low price of, card 2c

Large-size Steel Curling Irons; during this sale will sell at, each 4c

Lining Dept. Spec'ls

New 36-inch mercerized Satens, all the latest shades; for lining and fancy work, 25c, 35c and 40c

New Moreen for drop skirts and petticoats, 30 inches wide; all shades; on sale at low price of 40c

New Linen, black only, at the low price of 60c, 75c and 85c

New Scotch Plaid Linens for 50c sale at the low price, per yard

Shaped Canvas Forms, white and tan; a great help in making 25c coats; special, pair, 20c and 25c

TO WAGE WAR AGAINST PESTS

Oregon Conservation Association Will Try to Protect Timber.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Oregon Conservation association was held last evening at the Commercial club, President Mulkey presiding.

But one definite action was taken at the meeting and that was the adoption of a resolution urging the congressional delegation of this state to urge a larger appropriation for the work of the bureau of entomology of the department of agriculture.

A supplemental resolution was adopted which provided for the appointment of a committee which will attempt to secure information and advice on the eradication of timber insect pests.

H. D. Lanelle was the author of this resolution, and he said he had endeavored to get the government bureau to send a representative to Oregon for the purpose of advising timber owners.

Mr. Lanelle said that during a recent

visit to the timber of Clatsop county he had seen myriads of white butterflies and also had noticed them in other sections of the state. He said that these pests were next to fire in the destruction of timber.

Wells-Gilbert declared that a majority of the timber fires had their origin in the campfires left by hunters. He declared that the deer season opened too early, just in the driest season, and when such fires had every chance to spread. Another thing that was stockpiled in a place to burn off the brush for the purpose of causing new grass to spring up the following spring.

The necessary action to be taken by the forest fire patrol may be brought under one head was advocated by E. T. Allen, United States district forester.

Mr. Allen stated that neighboring states had organized among their lumbermen for forest fire protection and that each member contributed to a common fund for the suppression of fires.

Perhaps the best talk of the evening was that of Mr. L. Finley, who represented the Audubon society, and who is a well known ornithologist. Mr. Finley made an earnest plea for bird protection, and said that the manufacture of lawnet would lead to a better protection for the birds of the state.

He urged the necessity for framing laws that would protect the birds of the state.

In speaking of the timber of the state, Mr. Finley said that the state of Oregon contained one sixth of the standing timber of the United States. It is estimated that between three and four billion feet of timber is contained within our boundaries, which have a valuation of \$1,000,000,000. The total appropriation of the legislature of Oregon for the department of fire warden is only \$20,000, not sufficient to pay wages on the reports that are normally to be sent in.

Should Save Timber.

Mr. Finley continued: "When you consider that the value of the timber of this state is \$1,000,000,000, it is up to us to try and save it. The amount given represents only the value of the standing timber. It is a conceded fact that the labor used in the manufacture of that timber into lumber is equivalent to 80 per cent of the market value of the manufactured product. It therefore logically follows that the state of Oregon has a deep and vital interest in the preservation of her forests from the ravages of fire. The narrow and unstatesman-like policy which has prevailed in the past is a very poor business policy of the state and does not reflect that degree of intelligence which should be exemplified in the future."

Resolutions were read for the killing of crows, where the damage inflicted by these animals is slight and the further fact that the damage is an annual crop, while the damage done to timber is irreparable. For despite the number of years it took the timber crop to mature, it could be harvested once.

Secretary A. B. Westall also spoke briefly on the subject, saying: "There are now more crows in the state and they have been secured through the efforts of the Conservation association. The only fire rangers in Oregon, with their headquarters at Medford, have been free of charge. The next best thing would be to make steps to provide for the protection of the state's timber on the reports sent in of the good

To Enjoy

the full confidence of the Well-Informed of the World and the Commendation of the most eminent physicians it was essential that the component parts of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna should be known to and approved by them; therefore, the California Fig Syrup Co. publishes a full statement with every package. The perfect purity and uniformity of product, which they demand in a laxative remedy of an ethical character, are assured by the Company's original method of manufacture known to the Company only.

The figs of California are used in the production of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna to promote the pleasant taste, but the medicinal principles are obtained from plants known to act most beneficially.

To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine—manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

BOTH INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

F. E. Rodman and Mrs. Maddux Face Serious Charge.

Seven indictments, involving 10 defendants, were returned by the grand jury in the circuit court late yesterday afternoon. The most important was that against F. E. Rodman and Mrs. Hazel Maddux, charging them with manslaughter by running down Mrs. May Reel on the Clinton road on August 3, thereby obtaining \$94 in cash, a \$400 diamond pin, a \$25 watch, a \$75 gold quartz chain and a ring valued at \$10.

Carl Coberly, who is alleged by the police to be one of the class of unfortunates who do no work and live off the earnings of fallen women, Grace Henz, who is alleged to have supported him, testified before the grand jury.

W. M. Williams, charged with committing burglary in the dwelling of W. F. Nathan on August 14.

W. H. Newland, accused of stealing \$26 and a railway ticket from Valiso, Cal., to Seattle, worth \$2.60, from J. A. Rowley.

Earl McIntosh, charged with stealing a watch on July 21 from Oscar Nelson.

F. E. Dodge and Cora E. Conner, charged with a statutory offense.

Nelson E. Lewis, for similar offense against Stella Reynolds.

John Doe, Richard Roe and John Williams, for assault with a dangerous weapon on John Hengren.

work done by these rangers in caring for the timber of the entire state."

A committee, consisting of J. C. Stierens, W. L. Finley and H. D. Lanelle was appointed to investigate the ravages of insects in the timber of the state.

It Saved His Leg.

"All through I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swanson, Waterson, Wis. "Ten years ago, when that it doctors could not cure, but at last I got up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well. Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Itch, Eruptions, Sores, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at Woodward, Clarke & Co.

PLANT TREES TO PROTECT CANALS

Reclamation Service Will Use Locust Trees as Windbreak.

One ton of Douglas fir seeds, capable of making 80,000,000 big fir trees, will be planted within the next two weeks by the national forest service on the forests of the state. Fully one third of this will be planted in the Bull Run national forest.

Since the taking over of the forests, through which flows the Bull Run river, the source of Portland's water supply, by the national forest service, efforts toward the increasing of the water supply of the city have been looked forward to. The reseeded of the slopes of the hills, it is expected, will result in the increasing of the flow of water in the river to fully double its present capacity. This will protect the city water supply for the next 100 years.

As the river flows now it is considered safe to say that no greatly increased flow of water will be necessary to supply the people of Portland for the next 50 years or more. By the time that half century elapses the forest service intends to have the hills near the source of the river covered with a stand of merchantable Douglas fir. It will make serviceable a great portion of the hills now barren through forest fires and from which no water now runs. The efficiency of the watershed will probably be improved 100 per cent.

Besides the planting of the seeds on the Bull Run forest reserve, the Siuslaw hills, Siskiyou and some Tillamook and Washington hills will be experimented with by the forest service. This year's work will be largely on an experimental nature, but it is hoped that much good will result from it.

The forest service has been handicapped in its experimental work through the lack of enough seeds. There are but two people in the west who are doing anything towards gathering Douglas fir seeds for sale. The total crop gathered by these two men is bought by the forest service, yet the government pays for these seeds is from \$1.50 to \$2.50 a pound.

GOES TO SLEEP IN TUB AND NEARLY DROWNS

Tired out with walking around the city Dunford M. Austermeil, a business man of Los Angeles, went to the bath room yesterday and proceeded to remove the dust of travel from his body. When he entered the bath room he turned on the water and immediately got into the tub. Scattered by the warmth of the

PERSONAL

Charles E. Spaulding of Salem is visiting the fair.

J. Burpee, a Cello irrigationist, is in the city for a few days attending the fair and races.

A. E. Lake, a prominent citizen of The Dalles, is at the Cornells.

C. B. Rogers, an Astorian of prominence in the city, is here on a business trip.

George W. King and wife are registered at the Oregon.

H. H. Schmitt and wife are in the city for the races. Mr. Schmitt is the Cruwell agent for the A. C. Ruby stock horses.

George W. King of Medford is in the city.

Senator I. H. Bingham of Eugene, is in the city for the purpose of attending the fair.

Postmaster J. E. Page is in Portland. E. R. Westbrook, a lumberman from Cottage Grove, is here today.

Walter Sears is another from The Dalles who is here to take in the races.

Fred Lockley, manager of the Pacific Monthly, has returned from his vacation in southern California. While in the south, Mr. Lockley visited at the home of Jack London, the western author.

Max Smith Jr. leaves this week for Cornell to continue his studies in engineering.

Z. A. Purcell, a well known mining man of this city has left for a short trip through Idaho.

Can't look well, eat well or feel well with impure blood feeding your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Purifier. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean and you will have long life.

Slaves, scum, itch or acid thumms sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Don't's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer? All druggists sell it.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Don't's Regulator. They operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

"My child was borned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."

—M. Nancy M. Hansen, Hamburg, N. Y.

YOUNGSTERS TO SEE PRESIDENT

School Children Will Assemble in Park Blocks October 3.

Nearly 20,000 school children will assemble in the park blocks Saturday, October 2, to greet President Taft as he passes through the city on a motoring trip. The school board yesterday appointed H. C. Campbell and L. N. Felschner a special committee to make arrangements for seating the children. Plans will probably be built and benches scattered about the plaza.

The board transacted a large amount of routine business at its meeting yesterday.

The insurance committee recommended that the clerk have the policies on the different buildings so drawn in future that they will not have to be renewed on the same date. The committee's recommendation was adopted and Alfred M. Best was appointed to make the coming year to furnish ratings on insurance companies.

Another teacher will have to be elected to take position in the industrial school for girls, as Helen E. Lewis declined to accept the offer made to her by the board.

New teachers elected by the board yesterday are: Miss Medora Whitefield, Miss Nettie Farr, Miss Ruby Shearer, Miss Gertrude Webster, Miss Edna Lockwood, Miss Elizabeth McRae, Miss Laura Kewes, Miss Edith Forbes.

Miss Gertrude Gordon was given the position of assistant teacher in the culinary classes of the high schools. Charles Laszby was added to the staff of the Jefferson high school and Miss Norma Howard to that of the Lincoln high.

THE STRANGER WITHIN OUR GATES

"I am in one of the most unique and most beneficial remedies from the first application. Eczema, scum, herpes, rash, tetter, etc., yield readily to its remarkable curative properties. Occasional applications will quickly banish pimples, blotches and complexion blemishes and will relieve and cure itching feet, scaly scalp, humors, etc.

Poison can be had for fifty cents at any reliable druggist's, particularly the Skidmore Drug company and the Woodward, Clarke & Co. who make a specialty of it. Or the Emergency Laboratories, No. 21 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send a trial supply free by mail to any man who will write for it. This is sufficient to show results in 24 hours.

BABIES BENEFIT BY NEW SKIN DISCOVERY

Stop Itching Immediately, Soothe and Comfort the Little Ones.

A demonstration of the efficacy and entire harmlessness of poslam, a new skin discovery, is afforded when it is applied to the tender skin of infants who are tortured with rashes, chafings, scaly and crusted humors and other skin aggravations. Its effect is soothing, the itching stops at once, the skin heals and is quickly restored to normal condition.

In the various forms of skin troubles in both infants and adults, poslam produces beneficial results from the first application. Eczema, scum, herpes, rash, tetter, etc., yield readily to its remarkable curative properties. Occasional applications will quickly banish pimples, blotches and complexion blemishes and will relieve and cure itching feet, scaly scalp, humors, etc.

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