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31 Marvelous Friday Surprise Sales

The 1290th Friday Bargain Day Event at Meier & Frank's

Quantities Are Limited---We Urge You to Shop in the Morning!

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Fashionable Trimmed Hats \$2.95
Models Worth \$5 to \$7, at \$2.95
Variety, worth and up-to-date styles are represented in this group of Trimmed Hats so greatly reduced for Friday's selling. Black and a wide variety of colors in the assortment, handsomely trimmed in ostrich, fancy feather stickups and smart ribbon bows. Friday only this group of modish Hats will be priced at \$2.95.
Second Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

Buy Hosiery Now for Entire Family At Wholesale Prices

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Women's and Children's Gloves 75c
Regularly Priced at \$1.25 Pair 75c
1680 pairs go on sale Friday at this deeply reduced price. Pique sewn, lace Kid Gloves, 1-clasp style, in black, white and tan shades.
NO PHONE ORDERS. NONE SENT C. O. D.
NONE IN WHOLESALE QUANTITIES
First Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

100 Modish New Wool Dresses at \$12.45

Just Arrived by Express in Time to Enter This Remarkable Surprise Sale—Charming \$18.00 to \$25.00 Models

Here's the greatest surprise of the season. For "value received" you'll find nothing to equal this offer that we're making for tomorrow when these 100 handsome new wool Dresses go on sale at \$12.45. Everything about this group of Dresses is "above par"—the materials are of high grade, the styles the very latest and most favored, the workmanship excellent throughout. Serge and combinations of serge and satin are featured, in shades of navy, brown, green, plum and black. There are models in the new basque or Cossack styles, also waist line Dresses with wide girdles of satin or beaded effects. Braided and beaded girdles are very prominent, also handsome vestees, cuffs and collars of bengaline, crepe de chine, chiffon and other handsome effects. Buttons, too, play a leading part in the ornamenting of these Dresses. Three different models are illustrated, chosen at random from the assortment. As there are only 100 of these Dresses—and the offer is so startling a one—we advise the earliest possible shopping, for Dresses such as these at so low a price are sure to be "snapped up" by thrifty shoppers. Friday—as long as any of the 100 remain—\$18.00 to \$25.00 Dresses of serge and serge and satin, \$12.45.
Fourth Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.



Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Women's \$1.75 Union Suits 95c
Wool and cotton mixed, Luzerne brand. High neck, long sleeves, ankle length. Regular and out-sizes.
Second Floor, Sixth Street Bldg.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
TEMPORARY ANNEX
Sale of Cocoa Door Mats
Cocoa Mats, size 15x24, Special at 63c.
Cocoa Mats, size 16x27, Special at 78c.
Seventh Floor--Temporary Annex

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
25c to 75c Embroideries, Yd. 15c
Embroidery Galloons and Insertions—suitable for Undermuslins and Dresses. Baby Irish and Floral designs. 2 1/4 to 4 inches in width.
First Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Fancy Silk Ribbons, the Yard 39c
Regular 65c, 75c, 85c, \$1, \$1.25 39c
Immense assortment, foreign and domestic fancy silk ribbons, Roman stripes, the newest plaids, Dresden and Jacquards. All the desirable color combinations. Friday only reduced to yard 39c—these 5c to \$1.25 lovely Ribbons, suitable for all purposes.
New styles in Sashes, Girdles and Ribbon Novelties, made up and on display and made to your order.
First Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

300 Famous "Dix" Make House Dresses \$1.87

Regular \$2.50 to \$3.75 Models in a Final "Cleanup" Sale Tomorrow

300 in the lot—and dozens of models, materials and color effects are offered you in this group of "Dix" Make House Dresses at this very greatly reduced price Friday. There are fine gingham, lawns, linens and percales in the most simple and charming styles and dainty color combinations, as well as the staple shades. Every Dress is in perfect condition, of the best workmanship and finish and fit guaranteed. The three Dresses illustrated will give you an idea of the styles—dozens of others are here. Friday only—as long as any of the 300 remain—Price of these \$2.50 to \$3.75 "Dix" House Dresses, \$1.87
Fifth Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.



Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Dainty New Waists \$1.00
Just received! These Waists of Voile and fancy striped Cotton Crepe—some self-trimmed, with cuffs, collar and vest effect of fine pleating—others lace trimmed. One popular style has vestee in basque effect, of black and white striped crepe, with cuffs to match.
Fifth Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
15c Handkerchiefs 7c--Dozen 75c
Women's fancy embroidered Handkerchiefs of sheer Swiss. With embroidered corner designs—wide and narrow hem-stitched hems, or with scalloped edges. None Exchanged.
First Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Women's Flannelette Gowns 49c
Warm, comfortable Flannelette Gowns for cool weather and outdoor sleepers. Good quality material, pink and blue striped. Double yokes back and front, trimmed with fancy braid and silk stitching. A splendid offering for one day only—Flannelette Gowns at 49c.
Second Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Children's \$1 and \$1.50 White Dresses 49c
White lawn or nainsook Dresses, made in pretty French and Dutch styles. Round or square necks, embroidery trimmed, or plain tailored styles. Sizes 1 to 6 years. A wonderfully reduced price, for Friday only.
Second Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Children's 50c Nazareth Union Suits 35c
High neck, long sleeves, ankle length. Made with straps and buttons. Favorite "Nazareth" brand.
Second Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

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SIXTH STREET BUILDING
Remnants in Lace Section 49c
Short lengths of lovely Chiffons, Nets and Laces. Ranging from 1-3 yard to 1 1/2 yards. Regularly selling from 60c to \$1.50 the piece.
First Floor--Sixth Street Bldg.

IN THE GROCERY SECTION
HOLLY MILK—Cans usually selling at 10c each. From \$3.35
Oregon's best Creamery section. Can 7c, 4 doz \$3.35
Victor Butter—Satisfactory brand. Roll 65c
Challenge Coffee—Always good. 4 Lbs. 95c—Lb. 25c
New Codfish—Boneless. No. 2 brick 19c
Red Salmon—No. 1 tall can 12c
Quaker Oats—Best cereal. Package 10c
10c Package Mince Meat—Supreme condensed 7c
"Victor" Naphtha Soap—7 bars 25c
Corn Flakes—"Quaker"—Fresh toasted. 4 packages 25c
Macaroni or Spaghetti—Oregon make. No. 1 packages—4 for 25c
"Lurline" White Soap—Regular 5c bars. 4 for 15c
Pearline—Washing Powder. Large package 19c
Pure Food Grocery, Basement--Sixth Street Bldg.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
TEMPORARY ANNEX
E. & W. Full Dress or Tuxedo Shirts for Men, Half Price Friday
Usually Priced \$2.00 to \$3.50.
—Also immense assortment of Pleated Linen Bosom Shirts, knife or cluster pleated effects.
An opportunity seldom afforded is this offer of 1/2 Price on \$2 to \$3.50 E. & W. Full Dress or Tuxedo Shirts for men.
Men's Store--First Floor--Temporary Annex

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
TEMPORARY ANNEX
Men's \$1.50 Undergarments 75c
Broken lines of Cooper's famous Underwear, derby ribbed Wool Shirts and Drawers. Come in natural grey, blue and pink mixed.
Not all sizes—but good assortment. Regular \$1.50 Garments, Friday only—garment 75c.
Men's Store--First Floor--Temporary Annex

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
TEMPORARY ANNEX
\$1.50 Comforters at \$1.19
Warm, serviceable Comforters—Silkoline covered—filled with good quality, white Cotton. Floral and conventional designs. Full size.
Wint' Floor--Temporary Annex

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
TEMPORARY ANNEX
Men's \$25 Wool Raincoats \$17.50
100 Coats in the lot. All-Wool Cravenette and Gabardine Coats—in dark grey and other shades. Made in the popular Balmacaan style, or full-length raglan Coats. Sizes 33 to 46 inclusive. This is a remarkable offering for Friday only—these 100 All-Wool Raincoats—as long as any remain—Reduced from \$25 to \$17.50
Men's Store--Second Floor--Temporary Annex.

Meier & Frank's 1290th Friday Surprise Sales
TEMPORARY ANNEX
Set 3 Aluminum Saucepans at 99c
500 in the lot—as long as they remain—The set includes 3 lipped Saucepans, 1 1/2, 2 and 3-quart size. A wonderful value, for this one day's sale only—or as long as any of the 500 remain Friday—Set of 3 Aluminum Lipped Sauce Pans, 99c
Third Floor--Temporary Annex

PEOPLE WILL HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO SAY WHEN TO PAY BILLS

Daly's Proposition for Quarterly Settlement to Go on the Ballot.

REFUND OF ALL DEPOSITS

Commissioner of Public Utilities Believes Large Saving Will Be Made in Keeping Accounts.

PROMOTION OF LANE IS SOUGHT BY WATER USERS' ASSOCIATION

The plan of Will H. Daly, commissioner of public utilities, to collect water bills quarterly will appear on the ballot of the special city election, October 27. The chief effect of this ordinance which the people are asked to approve is that water bills instead of being collected once a month as at present, will be collected every three months. Collections will not be made in advance, but after use. The occupant of the premises will be billed. This is the present rule. It has been said that landlords will have to collect the water rentals from their tenants under the proposed ordinance. This is not true. The present practice of billing the occupant of the premises will be followed. If bills are not paid within 10 days after maturity, the water will be cut off and will not be turned on again until the bills are paid. This is also the present practice.

Prepayments Will Be Refunded.

If the ordinance is adopted all deposits and prepayments will be refunded to water consumers, and no more deposits in advance of service will be required. The minimum meter rate will be made 50 cents a month. This is the present flat rate minimum. The desire is to have minimum charges for flat and meter services uniform. By collecting four times a year, instead of 12 times a year, as at present, Commissioner Daly expects to reduce the cost of collection and thereby effect an important economy in the water department. He also expects that water consumers will be glad to be relieved of the annoyance of paying the small bill each month. The proposed ordinance, as it will be voted on, reads: An ordinance to provide for the collection of water rates and making such rates chargeable to the premises where water is supplied.

Text of Ordinance.

The city of Portland does ordain as follows: Be it ordained by the people of the city of Portland, that the water rates within the city of Portland shall be chargeable to the premises where the water is supplied. When the quantity in the payment of any charge for furnishing water shall extend ten (10) days beyond maturity of such charge the commissioner in charge of the bureau of water works shall discontinue the service by turning off the water, and the water shall not again be provided to such premises until outstanding obligations for water supplied to such premises shall have been paid in full. Section 2. All water accounts estimated at less than twenty dollars (\$20) for period of three months, shall be made shall be based upon the rates fixed by the council, shall be collected quarterly. All other water accounts shall be collected monthly. Section 3. All deposits heretofore received from consumers and all prepayments shall be refunded to the persons making such deposits or prepayments. No greater minimum than 50 cents per month shall be charged. No deposits shall be required and no bills shall be collected in advance.

Refugees Tell of Atrocities of War

English Woman Writes to Her Brother in This City of Terrible Tales of Mutilation.

Horrors of the great European war are reflected in letters received in this country by former residents of their old homes. Following is an extract from a letter written from England by a young lady, her brother now living in Portland. Incidental reference is made to another brother now fighting with the allies. Here is a portion of the letter referring to the war: "Of course it is still war and nothing but war. Very little news comes, but what does come is pretty satisfactory this week. The battle of the Rivers has been raging now for three weeks. The Germans are in quarries which they bought years ago and stored with ammunition. So the war was quite right when he said they were retreating as fast as possible for a purpose. "I have heard compliments to the British soldier from the Frenchman's sister who is nursing the wounded in France. She wrote the following: "A Frenchman speaking English and German brought into the hospital. He had lain two days on the battlefield, where he had been attended by a German doctor, who said to him: "Was he not all British? This man had been fighting with the British and he said even at a time when excesses might be expected and forgiven and under circumstances which call up all the brutality of a man, the British never forget what is due to their dignity. That is his funny French way of putting it, but isn't it fine?" "The worst thing to bear of all is the brutality of the Germans. A woman near here wanted to see her husband in the south. He had been shot in the thigh, she was told. When she got there she found he had one eye scraped out and his face was fearfully mutilated. The wound was bad enough, but nothing to the injuries in the head which had been inflicted by a German while the poor fellow lay helpless on the battlefield. That is only one instance. "There are three little Belgian boys, refugees, in Crosby, and they all had their hands cut off."

Announcement of Winners in Meier & Frank's Baby Weighing Contest

Class—Birth to Three Months.
Heaviest—Son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kelley, 223 1/2 Crosby St., city.
Lightest—Son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Engel, 905 East 74th St. N., city.
Class—Three Months to One Year.
Heaviest—Son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Munley, 664 Halsey St., city.
Lightest—Son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Powell, 5012 68th St., city.
Class—Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Allison, 213 14th St., city.

Novelty Seeker Returns

"You know, dear, our cook left yesterday because she had heard of our phonograph records, and had decided to move along to where she could hear a new collection," said Mrs. Crosslots, "but I got her back today." "How in the world?" asked Crosslots. "I bought a player piano from Ellers at less than uprights usually sell for, and now we are all happy again," replied his wife. "If you will just look on page 6 of this paper you will find out all about it."

Man With Sick Wife Sadly Needs Work

Who will help a poor man with a sick wife and three children by giving him employment? The Journal is in receipt of an earnest plea from a man who says he is an experienced painter and decorator, but is willing to do any kind of honest work to provide for his wife, who is ill, and his children, who are practically destitute, the last dollar having been spent for medicine. If anyone has any employment for this worthy man if they will communicate with Miss Winner at The Journal of this date, 713 or A-6951, his address will be given.

Klamath Organization Pays Tribute to Present Secretary of Interior for Aid.

Appreciative of the "unparalleled benefits accruing to the homemakers of the west under the administration of Franklin K. Lane, as secretary of the Interior," the Klamath Water Users' association has forwarded to President Woodrow Wilson a resolution asking for the further promotion of Mr. Lane, should opportunity time for such promotion appear.

Members of the association, when the resolution was adopted, had in mind a place on the United States supreme court bench, as they point out that three of the present members of the court are now beyond the age limit, which entitles them to retirement, and it is highly probable that there will be one or more vacancies before the end of the present administration.

The Klamath association is forwarding copies of its resolution to other western organizations, urging them to adopt similar resolutions and forward them to the president.

"The request for promotion of Franklin K. Lane is a tribute due from every western organization," says the Klamath association in its communication to other associations.

The resolution, which is signed by Abel Ady, president, and Albert E. Elder, secretary, of the Klamath Water Users' association, is as follows: "We, the water users of the Klamath project, remembering our despairing condition through previous administrations of mistaken policies in administration of the reclamation act, and grateful for the fullness of justice now extended to us, as a result of the executive promotion of Franklin K. Lane to the secretary of the interior, hereby petition the honorable president of the United States that Mr. Lane be promoted to a position of still greater service should opportunity time for such promotion appear. "While we would regret the loss of so valuable a man from the executive control of our personal welfare, we urge his promotion as a just tribute to the man and as a greater blessing to the nation. "Motion made by Abel Ady; seconded by J. Frank Adams; passed by unanimous vote of the Klamath Water Users' association, in mass meeting assembled, on October 10, 1914."

Chamber Opposes Consolidation Plan

Trustees of the Portland Chamber of Commerce yesterday went formally on record in opposition to the proposed constitutional amendment to be voted on by the people authorizing the consolidation of the city and county. The proposition, however, applies only to the form of the bills as they are drawn, numbered 304 and 305, and not to the consolidation principle. W. J. Clemens, chairman of a special committee of the chamber to investigate the feasibility of combining city and county governments, submitted the formal report of the committee. The recommendations contained in it were adopted unanimously after some discussion. The resolution opposing the form in which the proposition is being submitted to the people was then passed, the trustees feeling that the bills as drawn are so conflicting that they would cause undue confusion even if they were found operative at all. The committee had found that the title of the bills and the text were at variance, causing ambiguity. If bills 304 and 305 are passed, the chamber will seek to have them properly amended. If they do not pass, the consolidation committee will be instructed to draw new bills to be submitted to the people at a subsequent election.

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