

**SPECULATION IN FOOD EMBARRASSES PEOPLE OF GERMANY, IS SAID**

Junker Class Comes in for Much Condemnation Because of High Food Prices.

**SUPPLY CALLED AMPLE**



—Give a Kodak for Christmas. Every style and size at Meier & Frank—See them now.

—Portland's largest showing of Victorrolas—all the records—an ideal Christmas gift.

—For Christmas give Silk Maid Hose—the best dollar silk stockings in America—Over 40 shades.

—Skirts cut free, if your material is bought here. Skirts accordion pleated, \$1.

Meier & Frank

# THE STORE OF THE

**No Matter Where You Shop Shop Early**

Charge Purchases tomorrow and Tuesday, go on December accounts, payable January 1st.

Immense, new stocks of most fascinating suggestions in **Gift Jewelry Silver, Leather Goods**

—Our first Christmas in our bigger store—one to be remembered all over Portland!  
—Never have our stocks been so varied, so large, so beautiful!  
—"Mark Cross" leather goods—artistic and durable—silver from the world's famous silversmiths—jewelry in exquisite designs—  
—at all prices. Hundreds of gift suggestions on every hand.  
—Here are a few selections—made at random:

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| <b>Sterling Silverware</b>  | <b>Gold Jewelry</b>   |
| Candlestick — as illustrated. Silver — in plain Colonial design—<br>\$2.75.       | Brooch Pin of Solid Gold—set with genuine diamond—as illustrated. \$5.00. |
| Silver Bon Bon — as illustrated. Handled bowl shape.<br>\$1.75.                   | Gold Circle Brooch—33 illustrated — daintily engraved. \$1.75.            |
| Silver Sugar Rack — as illustrated. Pierced design—\$3.50.                        | Dainty Gold Circle Pin — with enamel top — as illustrated. \$2.00.        |
| Tenette Set — Silver stand and two tea balls — as illustrated — \$5.00.           | Gold Scarf Pin—35 illustrated — with genuine diamond and pearl. \$5.00.   |
| Bridal Vase—as illustrated. Pierced basket with glass holder—\$3.50.              | Scarf Pin of Solid Gold — with semi-precious stone and pearl. \$1.00.     |
| Silver Bud Holder—as illustrated. Slender stand for bud or single flower. \$1.75. | Solid Gold Cuff Pins—plain with beaded edge—as illustrated. \$1.00.       |

- Leather Gifts**
- Traveling Case as illustrated — completely equipped — \$6.50. Others up to \$25.
- "Mark Cross" Sewing Basket—as illustrated—brown reed and leather, rose satin lined, \$15.
- Tourist Tablet — as illustrated — fitted with tablet, books, etc., \$3.50.
- Mandarin Leather Bags—as illustrated. Many shapes and mountings at \$5.
- Gold Jewelry**
- Solid Gold Lavalieres—as illustrated — with semi-precious sapphire and pearl in pendant. \$2.50.
- Solid Gold Lavalieres—as illustrated; pendant set with genuine diamond and pearl. \$5.00.
- Elgin, Waltham Watches \$6.98**
- The lowest price ever quoted in Portland on these famous watches! Men's 12 and 16 size, open face watches in 20-year gold-filled case. Here's a dandy gift suggestion for "him."
- Main Floor, Sixth Street—Mail Orders Filled

—Preparedness!—that one word repeats itself over and over as we have gone through the store to gather the news for this first big Christmas announcement.

—Preparedness—with greater and more comprehensive stocks—the beautiful, the novel, the exclusive, in gift merchandise. Imported goods, secured in spite of difficulties.

—Preparedness—with space to care for Holiday crowds—facilities that make pleasant and comfortable shopping possible under all conditions.

—But we say—"Shop Early"—shop early because you will have full stocks and ample time to decide. Start tomorrow—this big announcement is brimming with gift suggestions, and news of special savings.



## Copper and Brass and Parcel Post and Express Office

—Facilities for wrapping, weighing and forwarding Christmas packages at the Accommodation Bureau, Basement Balcony. Make use of this service.

**Lovely Wickerware**

in the most attractive array for holiday giving! All sorts of unique pieces that would just "fit in" with most any room!

**In Brass and Copper**

—There are the most fetching smoking sets. Brass sets for as little as \$2.25. Cellini, Royal Bronze or copper de luxe smokers for \$4, with magazine racks and reading lamps at \$10.

—Copper salad sets, tray with cruets and china mixing bowl, \$8.50. Brass with embossed decorations; umbrella stands at \$4.50 to \$6; footed jardinières, \$3.50 to \$7.00.

**Wicker**

pieces in ivory or light blue enamel, with garlands of roses. From little baskets at 50c to birdcages at \$7 or \$9, with fancy stand, at \$11.

Basement—Fifth Street—Mail Orders Filled

**\$125 Piano Tomorrow \$109**

—Parents will welcome this big musical bargain. A good, strong, well-made piano for little folks. 14 keys, mahogany finish. As illustrated.

**\$3.50 Game Board \$2.89**

—A splendid pastime for young and old. Carrom game board with 62 pieces of equipment. 68 different games can be played. Neatly packed in box, suitable for gifts.

**\$1.09**

**\$1.25 Black Board \$1.09**

—Educational blackboard, desk style, with A, B, C, chart. Like cut. —Fifth Floor.

**Dog on Wheels 33c**

—Made of good durable materials and in every way a likeable toy. Has blanket muzzle. Chain lead. Just as illustrated. Special, 33c.

## Gift Suggestions From Our Bookstore!

—A timely list of books for children and new books to while away Winter evenings.

**Children's Books**

"When Christmas Comes Around." Underwood and Jessie Wilcox Smith, \$1.35  
"Four and Twenty Dollies." Lee and Leonora Pease, \$1.00.  
"Volland's Mother Goose." \$2.00.  
"The Cockylooly Bird." Dearmer. \$1.50.

"Uncle Wiggly Long Ears." Howard Garis. \$1.50.  
"The Boy Scout Year Book." Wilson, Roosevelt, etc., \$1.50.  
"Our Boyhood Thrills and Other Cartoons." Webster. \$1.00.  
And a thousand more.

**The New Books**

"My Year of the Great War." Frederick Palmer. \$1.50.  
"Kipling's India." Arley Munson. \$1.50.  
"Women and Things." America's Best Funny Stories." \$1.35.  
"These Twain." Arnold Bennett. \$1.50.

"Eitham House." Mrs. Humphrey Ward. \$1.35.  
"The Lost Prince." Frances Hodgson Burnett, \$1.35.  
"Justice." Coxa Harris. 50c.  
"Golden Garden of the Poets." \$1.50.

—Basement Balcony.

—Give a subscription to some magazine for Xmas. Leave orders at M. & F.'s

## Art Goods Samples at Half!

Tomorrow, for the first of these great Christmas Sales at Meier & Frank's, 312 beautiful hand-embroidered samples—\$1200 worth—from the manufacturers of famous

**ROYAL SOCIETY**

Art Goods. These samples were used in their New York display rooms.

—Each piece is exquisitely hand-made and hand-embroidered—no two alike. It's a sale that is bound to throng the Art Goods Store Monday.

—Every piece bears the original price—you pay exactly half.

**Samples of Hand-Embroidered Underwear, 1-2**

—Gowns, corset covers, combinations and children's gowns, hand embroidered on finest lingerie lawn. \$2 to \$10, at half.

**Samples of Scarfs, Centers and Pillows, 1-2**

—Every piece will make a beautiful gift! All the new shapes in pillows—ovals, bolster shape, etc., richly embroidered and satin trimmed. White and colors—\$5 to \$11.50, at half.

—Hand embroidered table runners from \$9 to \$15—18, 25, and 36-inch hand-embroidered centerpieces, white and colors, \$2.50 to \$15—luncheon sets, towels, dresser saccques—at half.

**Hand-Embroidered Baby Things at 1-2**

—Bibs, bonnets, infants' and children's dresses, pillows, carriage robes, all hand-embroidered and trimmed with laces and ribbons.

—Prices from bibs at \$2 to dresses at \$7, all half.

## Greatest Sale M

**800 Men's Fine Lounging Robes chase at About \$2.98**

—It's a sale that'll be Monday!  
—Ernest Simons Mfg York, discontinuing these 800 of these fine new

—They are made blanket materials, Indian design in light, medium and robe is handsomely cord and tassel.

—Never has such a purchase probably not in all the county  
—Three big Morrison-street Sunday.

—At these phenomenal tomorrow night. No phone.

**\$4 Men's New Bathrobes, at \$1.98**

—Right when you want them for gifts — soft, warm, velour-finish bathrobe blankets, completely made up with cord belt and tassel.

—Not a robe in the lot that could be duplicated regularly under \$4.

—Monday, Meier & Frank's \$1.98.

—Main Floor, Fifth Street

**Meier & Frank**

Established THE QUALITY S Fifth Street