

AD CLUB EXTENDS HAND OF WELCOME TO RETURNED VETS

Officers of Old Third Oregon Regiment Guests of Honor at Luncheon Wednesday.

CLUB ASKS BOYD TO STAY

Resolutions Adopted Requesting Popular Pastor to Continue Valuable Work in Northwest.

With waving flags in upstretched hands and with deafening cheers the Portland Ad club welcomed Colonel John L. May, Captain Elvers, Lieutenant Greer and Lieutenant Redding of the 3rd (Third Oregon) Infantry at its meeting in the Benson hotel Wednesday afternoon. The luncheon room, the alcove adjoining it and the hall leading to it were filled with members of the club eager to do honor to the returned heroes and to hear the address by Dr. Albert A. Lowenthal, noted alienist, who was speaker of the day.

A clearer idea of the arduous labors of a brilliant fighting of Oregon boys in France was gained from the brief addresses of the veterans.

"But now we are back again," said Colonel May, "we want to take up our work and our places again in the life of this community and be worth as much as possible to Portland and to Oregon."

"The world will be run by the insane within a hundred years and the sane will have to confine themselves in institutions to keep away from them unless we purify the blood of the people from the taint of disease and alcohol," declared Dr. Lowenthal, who figured prominently as the alienist in the Thaw trial. "The way to do it is to unsex those who should not bear children."

Ask Boyd to Remain

The club unanimously and with rising note of respect adopted a resolution offered by Dr. Robert L. Milligan, newly appointed chairman of the resolutions committee, asking Dr. John H. Boyd to continue his work in the Northwest, in the community and as pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

"It is the sense of this club," reads the resolution, "that Portland has never needed the guiding light of Dr. Boyd's genius more than it needs him in this uncertain time of reconstruction, when we are traveling an unfamiliar road toward an unseen destiny, and that his departure would be not only an occasion of deepest regret to his many personal friends, but also an immeasurable public loss to the city of Portland." It has been reported that Dr. Boyd has favorably considered accepting the professorship of homiletics in McCormick Theological seminary, Chicago.

Launch Slogan Campaign

The club launched a campaign among its members for the phrasing of slogan sentences emphasizing the port advantages of the Columbia river, to be printed on official, business and commercial stationery. The prize will be the model of one of the Portland-built ships. The decision will be made by the club's port committee consisting of Will Moore, collector of customs, chairman; Robert L. York, E. N. Weinbaum, John T. Douglass and Dock Commissioner A. H. Averill.

The Ad club voted its unanimous support of the project for the building of the Natron cut-off, which will bring Klamath county nearer Portland and give this city the advantage in freight rates over San Francisco in securing business amounting to several million dollars a year in livestock, lumber and dairy products, grain and feed. Judge George T. Baldwin, joint senator from Klamath and several other southeastern Oregon counties, declared that to annex the business of Klamath is a laudable undertaking for Portland.

Mayor of Astoria Signs Pay Warrants For City Officials

Astoria, March 13. — Mayor James Bremner Wednesday signed warrants for the salaries of the chief of police, city treasurer, auditor, attorney, and superintendent of streets, the legality of which has been in question since the first of the year.

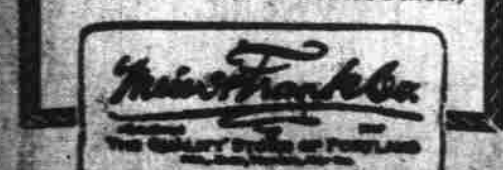
During December ordinances were passed granting five percent raises of \$25 each, and acting upon an opinion rendered by several attorneys, Mayor Bremner refused to sign the warrants, basing his contention on the grounds that they were illegal, as well as exorbitant.

Further investigation developed the fact that the raises had been made in conformity with the city charter, and the mayor signed \$1700 in warrants, covering salaries for the officials for the months of January and February.

Groceries

Small White Beans, 13 lbs. \$1, three lbs. 25c
Loganberries, Del Monte, finest Oregon berries in heavy sugar syrup, No. 2 cans, 25c
Preserves, raspberry-apple and strawberry-apple, 20-oz. Mason jars, dozen \$3.50, 29c
Holly Rice and Milk, large 9c
Golden Dates, dozen 25c
Scap. Cascade, box of 100 bars \$6.15, sixteen bars, 65c
\$1. ten bars.

—Meier & Frank's: Ninth Floor. (Mail Orders Filled.)



Four Evenings of Art and Song

Little Theatre, 23d and Washington, auspices Business Women's Committee of the Y. W. A. at 8:30 P. M., as follows: Tomorrow, Egyptian—March 20, Greek—March 28, Roman, Byzantine, Romanesque—April 4, Gothic. Course tickets \$1, Book Shop, Fifth Floor.

University of Oregon Twelve Lectures

Beginning tomorrow a course of 12 lectures on Growth of American Ideals and Psychology will be given, auspices Junior League, by Dr. E. S. Conklin, Dr. R. H. Wheeler, Dr. George Rebec at First Presbyterian Church House, 13th and Alder, 11 A. M., every Friday. Tickets in Book Shop.



Women's \$1 "Nushape" Union Suits 59c

Size 36 only. Tuck stitch lisle union suits in low neck, wing sleeves, tight knee and low neck, no sleeves, lace trimmed knee styles. —Meier & Frank's: Knit Underwear Shop, Main Floor.

Our \$1.75 Full Size Sheets \$1.25

No phone or C. O. D. orders. Full size (81x90) sheets, torn and hemmed, made of good heavy sheeting. Soft finish. Come early. —Meier & Frank's: Second Floor, Fifth Street.

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Quality as applied to merchandise is synonymous with goodness, character, that which gives the article worth. Knowledge of what constitutes quality—in material, treatment, form—together with the determination and ability to apply that knowledge in the providing of merchandise—these are the principles a long and unvarying adherence to which has won for MEIER & FRANK'S the title of The Quality Store of Portland.

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VALUE-Giving Is a Tradition With The QUALITY Store

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1518th Friday Surprise Sales

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Novelty Crepe Pleatings 85c

Novelty crepe pleatings and frillings in Van Dyke style for trimming dresses, waists and suits. Overseas blue, old rose, green, cream and white, etc. —Meier & Frank's: Main Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Sale 25c-35c Collars 17c

Women's organdy, pique and lawn collars with lace trimmed edges, roll and flat styles. Also plain crepe and taffeta Windsor ties. 3 for 50c. —Meier & Frank's: Main Floor.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES.

Our Main Floor Men's Shop Again Demonstrates Its

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This Time With Exceptional Money-Saving

Surprises for MEN

Needed things for men of the dependable qualities that men want are always sure to be found at MEIER & FRANK'S and usually for less than like grades can be had elsewhere. These are exceptional:

Men's \$3, \$3.50 Cloth Hats \$1.39

Every hat less than half its former pricing while any of a limited number remain. Good makes. Good patterns and colors. Plain and Puggaree bands. Broken sizes.

Men's Standard 35c Suspenders 20c

Made and guaranteed by the manufacturers of the celebrated "President" suspenders. Of good live elastic in all wanted patterns with leather tips and ends.

50 Boys' All Wool Sweaters \$1.48

All wool ruffneck sweaters in cardinal and maroon are offered while any remain tomorrow at HALF the former pricing. Sizes 30, 32, 34 (or 10, 11 and 12 years). —Meier & Frank's: Main Floor, Fifth Street.

Men's 35c Linen Collars 20c

All pure linen four-ply collars in several desirable styles and in practically all sizes. Just 600 collars in this remarkable Friday Surprise Sale at 20c instead of 35c each.

Men's \$2.00 Cordovan Gloves \$1

Exactly half price for these wear-resisting Cordovan horsehide, fire and water-proof gloves with reinforced wristlets and cuffs. Sizes 8½ to 11.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Our 30c Yard Nainsook 20c

Excellent quality soft finish nainsook that is 36 inches wide. Suitable for underwear, baby dresses, etc. Regular 30c quality at 20c yard. —Meier & Frank's: Second Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Sale 75c Silk Pongee 50c

A very special Friday Surprise Sale of natural color silk pongee that is 25 inches wide. Regular 75c quality on sale while any remains at yard, 50c. —Meier & Frank's: Second Floor.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES.

A Sale of 175 Pairs Men's Separate Pants \$3.49

Our regular \$4.50-\$5.00 grades. Finely serviceable worsteds in dark, medium and light stripes and mixtures; heavy chevrons in pleasing grays and fine gray flannels. Well tailored garments with heavy waist band linings, side, two hip and watch pockets. You can match practically any coat and vest in this sale at \$3.49. All sizes 30 to 44.

Boys' Suits \$6.98

Boys' knickerbocker suits—most of them with TWO PAIRS PANTS—for Friday only \$6.98 instead of \$10.00. Full cut, full lined, well made suits for boys 7 to 16 years. Belted models with slash pockets and all other features that the boys like. Fancy chevrons, cassimeres and tweeds in dark gray and brown mixtures. —Meier & Frank's: Third Floor, Fifth Street.



1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Sale Stamped Chemise 69c

Women's envelope chemise stamped for embroidery on good quality nainsook. All sizes. Limited number in this Friday sale at only 69c. —Meier & Frank's: Second Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

85c Stamped Dresses 59c

Children's dresses stamped on best quality "Lykline" in very attractive patterns. Infants' to 2-year sizes. Very special for Friday, 59c. —Meier & Frank's: Second Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Special Sale Casseroles \$2.29

Excellent values are offered in this Friday Surprise Sale of 7-inch casseroles with silver-plated standards and brown earthenware linings. —Meier & Frank's: Main Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Ireland's Cape Gloves 89c

Women's one-clasp P. K. sewn cape gloves in pearl, Newport and gray with self stitched backs. Broken line of colors and sizes. Good values. —Meier & Frank's: Main Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Sale Women's Corsets 59c

Made of batiste and coutil in low and medium bust styles. Two pairs supporters. Mostly large sizes. No exchanges or credits at this price. —Meier & Frank's: Third Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Fancy Taffeta Ribbons 12½c

Fancy taffeta ribbons in moire designs—combinations of blue and white and pink and white, some plain colors with fancy edges. 4½ inches wide. —Meier & Frank's: Main Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Sale of \$2.00 Bath Sheets \$1.25

Made of heavy bleached Terry cloth in size 70x44 inches. These are "seconds" but the imperfections are very slight. Limited number. —Meier & Frank's: Second Floor.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES.

Men's Kerchiefs 10c

Men's full size embroidered initial handkerchiefs of fine sheer Shamrock and medium weight soft finish mercerized lawn. Hand-loom colored embroidered initials in small, medium, old English and long block letters. Finished with ¼ and ½-inch hemstitched hems. Broken line of initials.

Women's Kerchiefs 5c

Women's hand-loom embroidered Shamrock lawn handkerchiefs in one-corner and initial styles. A great variety of desirable patterns in white and colors. Finished with ¼-inch hemstitched hems. —Meier & Frank's: Handkerchief Shop, Main Floor.

1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE.

Blouses \$2.98

\$5-\$6 crepe de chine blouses in tucked and hemstitched styles. High and low neck. Flesh, rose, tea rose, Pekin, apricot, maize, black and white. Mostly large sizes 36 to 46. Limited number. —Meier & Frank's: Fourth Floor.

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Silk Envelope Chemise \$1.98

Regularly \$2.98. Women's envelope chemise made of good quality crepe de chine. Tailored models finished with pin tucks and French knots, also styles with fancy yokes of laces, insertions and ribbon rosebuds. All sizes. —Meier & Frank's: Third Floor, Sixth Street.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES.

\$5 "Dix" Uniforms \$3.50

Nurses' uniforms of best quality linen in white. High neck, long sleeve style. Sizes 38 to 46. Limited number at \$3.50.

Dresses \$2.98

"Hoover" house dresses made of serviceable white Indian head. Sizes 36 to 46. Limited number. —Meier & Frank's: House Dress Shop, Third Floor.

Dresses \$2.98

Women's straight-line dresses made of good durable white pique. Sizes 36 to 44. Good values. —Meier & Frank's: Third Floor, Sixth Street.

MEIER & FRANK'S 1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES.

\$3.50-\$4.25 Flannelette Kimonos \$1.95

Good quality flannelette kimonos in straight-line and elastic belted styles. Dark colored grounds with bright floral designs. Regular and extra sizes. One sketched.

Bathrobes \$3.50

Regularly \$5.95. Women's bath robes of double-faced Beacon cloth in rose and white, blue and white and navy and red. Some have ribbon-bound collars and silk frog fastenings. Limited number. —Meier & Frank's: Third Floor, Sixth Street.



MEIER & FRANK'S 1518TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALES.

Sale 600 Pairs Women's Shoes

Two fine lots of women's shoes at prices in some instances about HALF. J. & T. Cousins and other makes included. Odd lots.

Women's Shoes \$4.35

Values to \$10.00. Black kid button shoes with ivory, gray and tan kid tops. Black kid lace shoes with fawn or gray cloth tops. Black kid lace and button shoes, some with cloth tops. Tan lace shoes. Many other styles.

Women's Shoes \$7.35

Values to \$16.00. Mostly J. & T. Cousins shoes. Tan lace shoes with fawn buckskin tops. Black lace shoes with gray buckskin tops. Black kid lace shoes with washable white kid tops. Field mouse brown kid button shoes with cloth tops. Other styles.

No approvals, no exchanges, no phone orders. —Meier & Frank's: Shoe Shop, Third Floor.



Downstairs Surprises

Here are a few of many specials Downstairs tomorrow:

Corsets \$1.49

Heavy coutil front-lace corsets and back-lace sports corsets. All sizes. Special \$1.49.

Waists 69c

Women's good waists in a variety of styles and patterns. White and colors. Some belted.

Sweaters \$2.98

Wool mixed sweaters and hugo-bone-tights with and without sleeves. Limited number at \$2.98.

Aprons 79c

Good percale bungalow aprons in fancy checks and stripes. Attractive styles.

Bloomers 89c

Women's knit bloomers in pink only. Made with elastic knee and waist. All sizes.

Vests, Pants 25c

Children's medium weight white cotton vests and pants in all sizes.

Vests 39c

Women's good quality knit vests with taped tops. Extra sizes only.

Union Suits 69c

Low neck, sleeveless, knee length style, lace trimmed. Regular and extra sizes.

Dresses \$1

Children's gingham, percale and chambray dresses in sizes 2 to 12 years. All colors.

Petticoats \$3.98

Messaline and soft taffeta silk petticoats in plain colors, stripes and changeables.

4 Good Domestic Specials

Spreads \$2.98

Full size, heavy weight honeycomb bed spreads in attractive patterns. First quality.

Comforts \$2.49

Regular size comforts in very desirable patterns. To \$2.98 values.

Curtains \$1.49

Nottingham and cable net lace curtains in 16 designs. 2½ yards long.

Middy Cloth 29c

White heavy twilled 36-inch mid-dy cloth. Excellent quality.

—Meier & Frank's: Lower Price Store, Basement Balcony.