

EUROPEAN DEMAND FOR LUMBER WILL BE FELT IN YEAR

R. A. Dailey Returns From Trip to Allied Countries With News of Extensive Construction Needs.

MILLS ARE PROSPERING NOW

Sustained Stream of New Orders and Rising Prices Keep Plants at Work to Limit of Capacity.

Building activities in England, France and Belgium will offer an enormous field for exportation of lumber from Northwest mills, according to R. A. Dailey, secretary of the Pacific Coast shippers association, who recently returned from a trip to Europe. The movement will not begin on an extensive scale for 12 months, he declares, but will continue several years after it gets well under way. Lack of transportation facilities hand-

caps any immediate movement of lumber to Europe, Mr. Dailey believes. The adjustment of credits and of exchange must also be determined and will require time for investigation. Inflation is common to all European countries engaged in the war, Mr. Dailey says, and export business must be handled with caution.

In the meantime the domestic demand for lumber is taxing the capacity of Northwest mills. New business greatly exceeds production and many of the mills are rejecting orders. Prices continue to rise and the industry generally is working on a profitable basis.

Several lumber mills in Oregon and Washington have been destroyed by fire during the past month. Owners of these properties plan to rebuild, and there are a number of new mills under construction. Other mills will enlarge their capacities during the summer.

WHITE CEDAR TIE BRINGS FLOW OF ORDERS FROM EAST
Marshallfield, June 23.—Coox county mills are receiving large orders for cross ties for shipment to eastern railroads. The superiority of the white cedar timber of this section is proving an incentive to an increase in the volume of the tie industry.

The Myrtle Point Lumber company is working on an order for 7000 ties for the Wabash railroad, to be shipped to Hannibal, Mo. Orders are also coming to Coox county mills from the New York Central and Erie lines.

The Southern Pacific company recently placed an order here for 250,000 feet of timbers in large dimensions.

ROGERS BUYS ASTORIA MILL FOR PROTECTION OF LUMBER

Astoria, June 23.—The Oregon-Pacific mill, located on Twenty-second street, in the heart of Astoria's industrial sec-

tion, was recently purchased by Clem Rogers of San Francisco, and will be operated in the production of fir lumber and box material.

The mill is well equipped and is easily accessible to rail and cargo transportation facilities. The new management proposes to cut for both foreign and domestic consumption.

This property was formerly known as the Clatsop mill. It is one of the best equipped mills of its size in the state and has ample yardage for the accommodation of local business.

Timber Stands Purchased

Corvallis, June 23.—An eastern company has purchased large tracts of standing timber near Alpine, in Benton county, and plans the immediate erection of two sawmills of 100,000 feet daily capacity each. The mills will be located at Glenbrook, and contracts have been let for the construction of 40 houses for the accommodation of employees. Work is being rushed on building operations.

Railroad Survey Made

McMinnville, June 23.—Surveys are being made for a railroad from Willamina to Bentley and into timber tracts beyond that place. Owners of timber are planning to take advantage of the present demand for lumber and will hasten the completion of the road to get their timber on the market.

Clark Arranges Transportation
Astoria, June 23.—Dr. J. F. Page of Eureka, Ill., recently visited Astoria to arrange with local mills for handling timber from his holdings along the line of the Lewis & Clark railroad. Logging operations for the government were carried on in that section during the war, and Mr. Page arranged for a continuation of operations.

ALASKAN WILL TELL PORTLAND PEOPLE OF NORTHLAND WONDERS

Proceeds of Lecture Will Be Devoted to Advertising Portland in Far North.

Even on "The top of the world," as the vast snowbound region north of the Arctic circle is known to explorers, prospectors and mushers of the northern trails, the city of Portland is looked upon as a mecca for tourists. Long time residents of the land of the midnight sun are laying aside the "stakes" which will carry them to future homes in Oregon, where life's autumn may be spent.

This is what Judge Martin F. Moran, for 28 years a resident of Alaska, now spending several months in Portland, says. Judge Moran lived for 12 years north of the Arctic circle, and has the distinction of owning a homestead of 320 acres on the Kobuk river, the farthest north of any homestead in Uncle Sam's territory. He also bears the distinction of having represented the farthest north territory of the United States in the legislature of Alaska. Mr. Moran has agreed to tell the peo-

ple of Portland about the great Northland. The Alaska society has obtained The Auditorium for the night of July 1 so that all may be seated. Mr. Moran will tell of the mineral resources, animal life and other things concerning Alaska. The proceeds will be devoted to further advertising Portland in the Far North.

As a special attraction Mr. Moran has secured for the occasion the complete set of the motion pictures, "The Top of the World." Many years were spent in their filming. The whole set has never before been shown at one time in Portland.

Youth Killed When He Is Hurlled Under Speeding Streetcar

Salem, June 23.—Theodore (Ted) Howard, 15 years old, died at the Salem hospital at 1 o'clock Sunday morning from injuries received in an accident late Saturday night, in which he was thrown from his motorcycle in a collision with an automobile, falling under a passing street car.

Howard's left hip and right shoulder were badly crushed and his skull fractured. He was partially conscious when taken to the hospital and an operation was performed, but he died a few hours later.

Howard was employed as a special delivery messenger at the postoffice and

as press messenger at the Postal telegraph office.

Groceries

- Peas, Royal Club, doz. 25c
- \$2.85, can
- Corn, Veribest, sweet and tender, dozen \$2.50, per 22c
- can
- Hawaiian Pineapple, Del Monte, sliced, No. 2 cans, doz. 55c
- can
- \$3.15, 2 cans
- Shrimps, No. 1 1/2 cans, doz. \$3.50, can 30c; No. 1 16c
- cans, doz. \$1.80, can
- Catsup, Del Monte, pint bottles, doz. \$3.25, a bottle 28c
- can
- Tea, Ceylon, extra quality, reg. 60c pound, special per 48c
- Golden Age, 2 pks.
- Macaroni or Spaghetti, 15c
- Meier & Frank's: Ninth Floor (Mail Orders Filled.)

Meier & Frank Co.
Established 1867
THE QUALITY STORE OF PORTLAND
17th, 23rd, Morrison, Alder Sts.

Meier & Frank's Lower Price Store

Extra Special Sale of 75 Women's Smart Dresses

At the Extremely Low Price of **\$10**

—We've taken these dresses from our regular stock and reduced them for tomorrow only to \$10. Made of high quality silk taffeta, crepe de chine, georgette crepe and wool serge and poplin. All this season's newest styles are included in this group. Copen, flesh, salmon, rose, taupe, green, gray, black and white are the colors. All sizes, 16 to 52.



Vests, Each 49c **Fiber Hose 59c**

Fine quality cotton lisle vests for Summer. Deep crocheted yokes, some with band tops. Flesh and white. All sizes. Seconds.

Medium weight fiber silk stockings in black and white only. All sizes. Slightly imperfect qualities of the regular \$1.00 grade.

Another Special! Sale of Women's Capes

Limited Number for Clearaway **\$12.50**

We are closing out a limited number of women's attractive capes at \$12.50 tomorrow while any remain. Made of fine wool serges and poplins, also a few satin and jersey capes. Coatee, vest and surplice styles in medium and long lengths. Braid and button trimmed. Some are silk lined. All sizes at \$12.50.



Women's Muslinwear at 98c

Petticoats of good quality soft muslin with drawstring. The flounce is finished with embroidery and tucks.

Gowns of fine muslin in round and V-neck styles. Some have narrow embroidery beading and ribbon tape.

Envelope chemise of good nainsook and silk mull with round and camisole tops.

Women's Bloomers, Pr. 59c

Women's good cotton knit bloomers with elastic top and knee. Flesh and white. Regular and extra sizes. Slightly imperfect garments at 59c pair.

New Silk Waists \$4.98

A new shipment of women's serviceable quality crepe de chine and Georgette crepe waists in V and square neck styles with sailor collars. Embroidered and beaded models. Regular and extra sizes 38 to 54. Excellent values at \$4.98.



Waists \$1.29

New voile, madras and dimity waists just received. Several attractive models. Some are slightly imperfect. All sizes 36 to 52. Big values at \$1.29.

Domestic Specials

Here are five extraordinarily good offerings in dependable quality domestics for tomorrow.

- A Sale of Bed Spreads \$1.98**
Full size 72x84 inches. Fine medium weight bed spreads that are slightly imperfect. Limited number. Very special at \$1.98.
- Sale of Table Cloths \$1.98**
Full bleached mercerized cotton damask pattern; table cloths in two sizes—64-inch square and 58-inch round. Several patterns.
- Table Napkins Dozen \$1.49**
Good quality mercerized cotton table napkins in two sizes—16x16 and 18x18 inches. A good assortment of patterns. Very special at, dozen \$1.49.
- Good Table Damask 69c**
A special sale of 64-inch mercerized cotton table damask, yard 69c. Heavy linen finish damask in floral and conventional designs. 72-inch, yd. \$1.
- Sale Towels, 3 for 50c**
Only a limited number of serviceable quality huck and Turkish towels in a good heavy weight. Large size towels at 3 for 50c.

See Our Alder Street Window Display of Domestic

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

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Welcome National Delegates to the Greeters of America Convention

Butterick Patterns


Butterick patterns for July are now on sale in our Pattern Shop on the Second Floor. Our experts will be pleased to help you plan summer attire.

Community Plate

The arrival of a new shipment enables us to offer complete stocks of this 50-year guaranteed silverware in all the popular patterns.
—Main Floor, Sixth Street.

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She Came Through "Over There"
You Come Through "Over Here"



Tomorrow's Important Activities: Briefly Told



Women and Misses Are Manifesting a Lively Interest in the Selection of **New Summer Dresses**

of which at this time we are displaying assortments that are unrivaled for extensiveness and variety, that never fail to evoke delighted comments by their beauty and that meet the requirements of every expenditure.

Fresh new organdies, mulls, voiles and gingham in a wide variety of colorings invite those who would have summer dresses of the most charming sorts. There is an infinite variety of attractive styles. Prices range from \$8.50 to \$45.

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

Auspices of the Red Cross

Now in Progress in Our Sixth Floor Auditorium

Exhibit and Sale of Articles Made by Interned Allied Prisoners

These articles which we offer for sale at their exact cost, without profit to ourselves or the Red Cross, are the handiwork of allied prisoners interned in Switzerland during the war and who were generously supplied by the Red Cross with the materials and frequently the training to do the work. Men cut off from home and friends were thus enabled to purchase a few comforts for themselves or send the money to their dear ones.

There is a great diversity of articles in this collection brought to us from abroad—all eloquent of a most touching side of the great war. Uniformed members of Portland Chapter are in attendance from 10 to 4:30 daily to show and sell the merchandise, assisted by our own people.

MEN



Merchandising Mastery

So Characteristic of This Store Shows Itself in This Sale of **New \$5 Pajamas \$2.98**

A special purchase of "Perfecto" pajamas made by our Men's Furnishings Buyer when recently in the east has just come to hand. These garments are worth \$5.00 today—in fact some of them are counterparted in regular stock at this price. The number is limited to a few hundred. Men and women buying for men should make selection tomorrow.

Highly mercerized materials with self figures in white, pink, lavender, tan, canary and blue. All have silk frogs and good quality pearl-buttons. Made with pocket. Packed in individual boxes. You'll say they're great values at \$2.98.

—Meier & Frank's: The Store for Men, Main Floor.

Here One Can Select to Best Advantage

Middies for Summer

At MEIER & FRANK'S you can select from the newest, largest and most complete stocks at the lowest prices. We especially feature tomorrow:

- Middies \$2.98-\$5.50**
Good khaki twill, navy blue galatea and cadet blue Belgian cloth middies with white braid trimming. Slipover style. 6 to 16 years and 36 to 42 bust.
- Middies \$2.50-\$2.98**
Red galatea middies in slipover style with white braid trimming. 14 to 20 years. Red flannel middies \$1.50.
- Flannel Middies**
Good quality navy flannel and serge middies in a broken assortment of styles and sizes. Slipover style with white braid trimming. \$2.98, \$3.95 to \$10.
- White Middies**
Good quality white lean middies with navy flannel or galatea collar; and white braid trimming. Sizes 6 to 16 years and 36 to 42 bust. \$2.50 to \$5.50.

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



Four New Models in Women's Wirthmor Waists \$1.50

Wirthmor waists are everywhere recognized as the peer of all inexpensive waists. In quality of materials, in up-to-date-ness of styles, in fit, workmanship and finish they are in a class by themselves.

Four new models as illustrated have just been received and go on sale tomorrow. They are different from any heretofore shown. Limited number. Here only in Portland.

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

Sole Portland Agents for

Mme. Lyra Corsets

Select your corset with the same care you exercise in choosing frocks for different occasions.

Your wardrobe should include: A lightly-stayed model for negligee or morning wear. A special athletic corset for recreation. A smartly-designed model for afternoon in tailleur suit or dress. A model of ultra-fashionable design as the foundation for evening dress. Mme. Lyra offers a specialized corset service for every occasion.

Mrs. E. F. Holbrook an expert Lyra demonstrator, is here to help you select the model best suited to your type of figure. Priced \$3.50 to \$25.



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