

WHEELWRIGHT FLAYS REED AND HIS VICIOUS TALK AGAINST LEAGUE

Says Senator Was Unjust in Attacking Japanese and Treaty in His Speech Made Here.

"It is an amazing thing to me that James Reed, a senator of the United States, should go so far as to transgress the responsibility and dignity of his office to come to Portland and make a wanton attack on one of our allies in the recent war."

With this statement, William D. Wheelwright, president of the Pacific Export Lumber company, opened his reply to Senator Reed on the Japanese question at the members' forum of the Chamber of Commerce Monday noon.

Calling attention to the fact that Reed had used the expression that Washington, Lincoln and Roosevelt were the greatest men in American history, Wheelwright used, to a major extent, quotations from Roosevelt on the Japanese question.

Roosevelt was credited with saying in 1918 that the time had come for us to show a trust and confidence in Japan and that there are certain agitators in the senate, the newspaper world and private life who have played Germany's game to arouse a hostile feeling between America and Japan.

Wheelwright further quoted Roosevelt to the effect that there are certain demagogic agitators in America who are willing to earn German money to provoke ill feeling.

Pointing out "discrepancies and untruths" in Reed's forum address, Wheelwright intimated his entire discourse with a plea that every true American make an earnest effort to realize the dream America had upon entering the world war—"to recreate the world to a peace that passeth understanding."

At the conclusion of his address, Reed's various arguments against the League of Nations and the Shantung clause were picked up by Wheelwright one by one ending with the statement that "Japan has never violated a national agreement."

Army Blankets Are Transformed Into Fancy Overcoats

Why worry with \$75 overcoats? Here's the latest New York fad—and it has possibilities of Portland adoption: Press agents, ever ready to enter the public prints, bought army blankets and had a tailor make them into overcoats. The coats can be dyed, have novelty, and are low in cost.

While olive drab blankets are not available at the government retail store, Fifth and Pine streets, grey blankets can be purchased and later dyed. They range in price from \$3 to \$6.

Prune Stock Shown As Good Investment; Price Advance Big

Did you invest in prunes two months ago? You've doubled your money if you did.

Prunes that sold at the government retail store for 11 cents a short while ago are now quoted at 23 cents.

"But they are still a good buy," advises E. A. M. Fowler, superintendent of the store. Depleted stocks have curtailed sales volumes, but tomatoes, candy, underwear, wagons and harness still prove big attractions. The store, which is at Fifth and Pine streets, is selling surplus war stocks direct to the public.

For Flavor and Economy Use Famous M.J.B. COFFEE



Buy It in the Five Pound Size and Save More Money.

54c

A Pound in the 5-lb. Size

\$2.70 a Can

—Meier & Frank's: Grocery, Ninth Floor.



January Sales To Bring Down Living Costs

This second annual drive is bringing prices down with a vengeance on many necessities for person and home.

WHITE SALE'S \$1.98's

Hundreds of fresh new American-made underclothes at this special price, \$1.98. Such pretty ones that we think nearly everyone will want them.

Included in the assortment are:

Camisoles of flesh pink tub satin with insertion of embroidered georgette and creamy round mesh valenciennes.

"Slip-on" camisoles of crepe de chine with creamy lace tops and shoulder straps, the party kind.

Camisoles with lace top and tiny lace sleeves, made of good crepe de chine, to wear under filmy blouses.

Night gowns of soft pink cotton crepe, stitched with Liberty Blue, having short sleeves.

Night gowns with simple round neck, no sleeves, ribbon run casings and hemstitched at the high waistline.

Night gowns of nainsook with rather elaborate insertions of round mesh valenciennes and ribbon.

Envelope chemises with embroidery and lace tops.

Envelope chemises of excellent nainsook, having round neck edged with round mesh valenciennes.

Petticoats of white sateen wide enough for the new dresses, tucked just above the hem, elastic at waistline.

All silk underclothes have been substantially price lowered for this White Sale.

—Meier & Frank's: Underclothes Shop, Third Floor.

Baby's White Sale Features Stockings and Underwear

Baby's Own Shop is having a wonderful White Sale. Mothers are coming from far and near to take advantage of these half-yearly savings.

Lovely hand-made dresses for infants are \$1.98 to \$6.98, were \$2.50 to \$12.

French hand-made dresses for infants are \$18 and \$22.50, were \$27 and \$42.50.

Long hand-made skirts for infants are \$1.39 to \$5.59, were \$1.50 to \$9.00.

Long flannel skirts are \$1.98 to \$4.95, were \$2.50 to \$7.95.

Infants' wrappers and night gowns are \$1.22, were \$1.75 and \$1.98.

In addition to these, we announce for the first time the following reductions:

\$1 Silk Stockings 59c. Infants' pure thread ribbed silk stockings of excellent quality. Mostly white. Sizes 5, 5 1/2 and 6.

45c Lisle Stockings 29c. Infants' ribbed lisle. White only. Sizes 4, 4 1/2, 5 1/2.

Nursery Beads. 35c for the 65c kind in bright pretty colors.

Tiny Tot's Vests. Broken size assortments up to 3 years. Heavy cotton unbleached vests, plain, 49c, or fleece lined 35c.

Tiny Tot's Bands. Unbleached 35c. Fleece lined 25c. Sizes up to 3 years.

—Meier & Frank's: Baby Shop, Second Floor.

Hand-Made Motifs 1/3 Off

Formerly 20c to \$5.00 Now 13c to \$3.33

A wide variety of designs in these attractive hand-made fillet and Cluny motifs for use in trimming art work, blouses and neckwear. 1 1/2 to 8 inches.

—Meier & Frank's: Main Floor.

Hand-Embroidered Articles \$5.95

A very special lot of attractive hand-embroidered library scarfs and center pieces in discontinued patterns. Only one piece of a kind. Regular prices range as high as 12—for the January sales while any remain, \$5.95.

—Meier & Frank's: Second Floor.



30c White China Cups and Saucers 23c

Thin white Nippon china cups and saucers in shape as illustrated. Good values at, each 23c, or \$1.30 for a set of six.

—Meier & Frank's: Basement.

GROCERIES

Flour, Northern Bear, fancy patent, 49-lb. \$12.25. The 49-lb. sack \$3.10

Sweet Prunes, fancy new crop, 40 to 50 size, 4 lbs. \$1. White Cooking Figs, fancy, 3 lbs. 80c

Mazola Oil, gallon \$2.95, the 1/2-gallon \$1.55 Lux Soap Flakes, 3 pkgs. 35c

—Meier & Frank's: Grocery, Ninth Floor.



Fur Animal Scarfs Can Be Worn the Year Round

Because it is growing late in the season the Fur Salons are hurrying out at lower prices every fur scarf in the place. Some are larger than others. Many are finished with animal head and tails.

The furs come from the best furriers in America and are soft, lustrous, beautiful.

Table with columns: Name of Fur, Formerly, Now. Items include Kamchatka fox, Red fox, Dyed black fox, etc.

Tomorrow 10c Notion Day

- List of notions for sale at 10c: Horn Hair Pins, Human Hair Nets, Face Veil Hair Nets, Safety Pins, Snap Fasteners, etc.

Fisher's Delicious Scones

"BLEND," Fisher's renowned colored chef, will serve the famous Fisher's scones tomorrow in our Ninth Floor Grocery at a special demonstration booth.

These scones are made of Fisher's Blend flour and are filled with jam.

Come in tomorrow and try one. —Meier & Frank's: Grocery, Ninth Floor.

Couch Covers

Which Look Like Oriental Silk Rugs

\$22.95

Were Priced \$33.00

Excellent copies of Kermanshah or Saraband oriental rugs in deep piled velour woven in one of the best American mills.

Typical oriental colors, including rich combinations of blue, rose, brown, gold.

About 60 inches wide by 9 feet long. Limited quantity.

—Meier & Frank's: Drapery Shop, Seventh Floor.

Swinging Stand Picture Frames

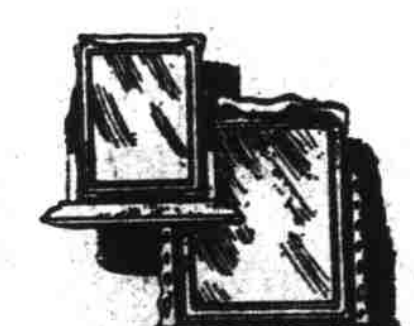
98c

500 of these good swinging stand picture frames in several styles—antique gold finish, burnished effects. All are complete with glass and back. All sizes up to 8x10-inch.

WE could not buy these frames today wholesale at 98c. While any remain on sale in the Picture Shop, Fifth Floor and on the Center Aisle Bargain Square, Main Floor.

Many more styles than space permits us to picture. They come in all the colors summer permits, too—yellow, green, gray, pale blue, pink, orchid, white, taupe, navy, black and white, sometimes combined with contrasting color and various foudard effects. We hope all our regular customers will see this announcement because the dresses will be snapped up quickly, we know. Sale starts 9:15 tomorrow.

—Meier & Frank's: Third Floor, Sixth Street.



Down to..... \$25 OUR REGULAR \$39.50 TO \$48.50 COATS FOR WOMEN

Clever women often buy their next winter's coats in a sale like this. Wrap fashions as a rule change very little from one season to another and in a sale one can choose extra good materials of the sort impossible to get early in the season at such prices.

Tomorrow at \$25

there are coats for misses, for women of regulation size and for women of extra size, 44 to 51. In the lot are silvertone, broadcloth, velour and mixtures with collars of seal dyed fur or the material. Plain or fancy linings. Black, blue, red, green, tan, brown. Not all sizes in any one style.



—Meier & Frank's: Apparel Shop, Fourth Floor.

Center Aisle Bargain Square, Main Floor Outing Flannel 19c

Serviceable quality plain pink, blue and cream, also fancy striped outing flannel in regular width. Also included at this price is a limited quantity of fancy Comfy Cloth in stripes and checks.

Again Tomorrow the Downstairs Store Features a Great Sale of Domestics

Many of the special offerings in this great sale of domestics are at less than present wholesale prices. 21 big values as follows:

- List of domestic goods: White Goods, Huck Towels, Good Windsor Crepe, Sale of Cotton Poplin, Wash Goods, Simpson Prints, Curtaining, Cretonnes, Toweling, Table Damask, etc.

Remnants, Specially Priced

A large quantity of short lengths of wash goods, including white and colored materials. Lengths suitable for a multitude of purposes. Good widths. All are marked at greatly reduced prices for this sale.

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



Aren't They Marvelous —at \$3.59, \$4.98, \$5.95, \$6.95?

They Are Summer Dresses in Fascinating Styles at About Half of Today's Prices—1000 of Them Have Just Come From the Maker—When These Are Gone the Sale Is Closed

Before we tell you about the frocks themselves we want to state most strongly that dresses like these are not duplicated anywhere at the prices.

They came to us by one of those "happen-so" purchases which are so extra fortunate that nothing like them may be seen throughout a whole season. The maker had a few of this style, a few of that, a goodly number of others. Quite plainly we want to say that there are not all sizes in every style. Small women and misses can be fitted in sizes 14 to 20. Extra sizes up to 51. Regular sizes from 36 onward.

The pictures show their great charm

- List of dress descriptions: 1-Checked gingham with white organdy blouse, 2-Plain colored organdy lawn, 3-Printed voile in rich dark color combinations, etc.

Reading from left to right:

- List of dress descriptions: 8-White voile with taped stripes trimmed with narrow pleating, 9-Striped Dolly Varden tissue with frivolous ruffled peplum, 10-Polka dot voile with large coin spots of color, etc.