

Olds, Wortman & King

Fifth and Washington Streets

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ALL GOODS BOUGHT ON CREDIT DURING MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY OF THIS WEEK WILL BE CHARGED ON THE JANUARY BILL.

Today Opens Our 25th Annual or Great Quaternary Clearance Sale

And completes a quarter of a century of our annual great bargain offerings. So well known and popular is this custom of ours that the season is looked forward to by scores of provident buyers, whose forethought in waiting for this season to provide themselves with staple articles saves them many dollars. It is the season when small sums count large at our store, where telling values predominate and modest purses can buy you rich. This is the season to replenish your stock of fine table and household linens; this is the season to get your white goods, embroideries and laces for making up Summer underwear, or if you do not care to bother with sewing, this is the season when you can get telling values in the daintiest and most satisfactory of undermuslins. This is the season when it will pay you to lay in your stock of Winter underwear if you are supplied for this one. This is the season when you can secure the loveliest of lace curtains and all the other kinds of draperies, at prices you never dreamed of. You can supply yourself with big and little kitchen conveniences of all sorts and furnish your table with fine and pretty dishes for money you will never miss. It is the season when you feel certain you can afford what you want, for it is the season when at our store price steps into the background, and values and qualities are given extraordinary prominence.

As stated before, this is our Great Quaternary Sale, it rounds out a quarter of a century of these successful sales of ours, and we are making celebration prices in honor of this custom of ours, which has enjoyed twenty-five years of unprecedented popularity. Come in and secure these triumphant values, which our careful buying and progressive and liberal policy enables us to offer you. Here are a few of these clearance specials:

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<p>Ladies' Coats, \$15 values for \$9.48</p> <p>Ladies' Walking Skirts, \$8.50 values for \$4.85</p> <p>Silk Petticoats, \$15 values for \$9.98</p> <p>Ladies' Walking Suits, \$25.00 values, go for \$15.45</p> <p>Colored Goods</p> <p>Novelty Materials, 38 to 46 in. Values to \$1.25 per yard, clearance price, per yard 53c</p> <p>High-Grade Suitings, in a full range of up-to-date colors, two-toned mixtures, invisible stripes and plain colors; widths from 44 inches to 52 inches. Values to \$1.50, clearance special 84c</p> <p>Imported Dress Fabrics, shades from dainty, soft pearl to dark street colors, all woven of choice, selected wool. Widths 46 to 52 inches, values to \$1.75 per yard, special 99c</p> <p>Dress Materials, our very finest imported dress materials, the newest and most fashionable, suitable for street and dressy costumes, widths 46 to 48 in. Values to \$3.50, clearance special \$1.89</p> <p>Black Dress Goods</p> <p>Fancy Alpacos, 38 inches wide, reg. 50c quality 29c</p> <p>Fancy Batistes and Jacquards, 38 to 42 inches wide, regular price 60c to 75c a yard, for 39c</p> <p>Mohair and Wool Jacquards, 40 to 44 inches wide, regular 75c to \$1.00 grades, per yard 49c</p> <p>Plain Cashmeres, all colors, 40 to 44 inches wide, values 75c to \$1.00 per yard, clearance price 49c</p>	<p>Black Dress Goods</p> <p>Fancy Mohair and All-Wool Plain Serges, \$1.00 and \$1.25 values for 61c</p> <p>Mohair Pierolas and Jacquards, our regular \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.25 values for \$1.19</p> <p>Nottingham Lace Curtains</p> <p>Value, per pair, \$1.50, clearance special 75c</p> <p>Value, per pair, \$1.00, clearance special 50c</p> <p>Value, per pair, 75c, clearance special 45c</p> <p>Renaissance Curtains</p> <p>Value \$21.00, clearance special \$13.50</p> <p>Value \$17.50, clearance special \$10.75</p> <p>Value \$15.00, clearance special \$9.50</p> <p>Value \$11.00, clearance special \$7.85</p> <p>Irish Point Curtains</p> <p>Value \$17.50, clearance special \$10.50</p> <p>Value \$13.50, clearance special \$7.65</p> <p>Value \$11.00, clearance special \$6.25</p> <p>Tapestry Portieres</p> <p>Value \$11.00, clearance special \$7.25</p> <p>Value \$9.00, clearance special \$5.75</p> <p>Value \$8.00, clearance special \$5.35</p> <p>Value \$7.50, clearance special \$4.85</p> <p>Value \$5.50, clearance special \$3.65</p> <p>Notions</p> <p>Clearance Prices.</p> <p>Toilet or Bath Soap, large size cakes. 3c</p>	<p>Notions</p> <p>Pure Olive Oil Castile Soap, 2-lb bar 15c</p> <p>Gem Toilet Paper, 6-oz. rolls, 10 rolls for 25c</p> <p>Majestic Toilet Paper 6-oz. rolls, 7 rolls for 25c</p> <p>"Vogue" box Writing Paper, both plain and rules, 24 sheets paper with envelopes to match, per box 9c</p> <p>Scissors and Shears, nickel-plated, all sizes, per pair 19c</p> <p>Belt Sets and Buckles, in gilt, oxidized and gun metal, per set 15c</p> <p>Cuff Links, gold filled, in all the newest designs and styles, per pair 39c</p> <p>Brooch Pins, in enameled, jeweled and gilt, very fine selection, each 19c</p> <p>Blankets</p> <p>Blankets, superb qualities of the warm, soft, Oregon grown, Oregon woven wool, both white and colored.</p> <p>Values, per pair, \$20.00, clearance special \$14.50</p> <p>Values, per pair, \$15.00, clearance special \$11.25</p> <p>Values, per pair, \$12.50, clearance special \$ 8.75</p> <p>Values, per pair, \$11.00, clearance special \$ 8.00</p> <p>Values, per pair, \$8.50, clearance special \$ 5.95</p> <p>Values, per pair, \$7.00, clearance special \$ 4.85</p> <p>Lamps</p> <p>Reception Lamps, with chimney, very artistic, value \$3.25, clearance price \$1.95</p>	<p>Lamps</p> <p>Tall Banquet Lamps of wrought iron, with chain, value \$4, special \$2.45</p> <p>Reception Lamps, with Rookwood finish and black trimmings, value \$6.75, special \$3.50</p> <p>Parlor Lamp, low style, with pink vase and wrought-iron trimmings, value \$5.75, clearance price \$3.25</p> <p>Reading Lamp, brass feet, decorated vase and shade, value \$12.00, special \$7.65</p> <p>Parlor Lamp, large size, wrought iron, fancy trimmings, value \$5.75, special \$3.75</p> <p>Reception Lamp, tall, with dark old brass feet and trimmings, value \$10.50, special \$7.50</p> <p>Reading Lamp, shade and globe decorated to match, dark bronze finish, value \$19.50, special \$12.30</p> <p>Parlor Lamp, decorated egg-shape vase and globe, gold-plated, value \$22.50, special \$14.25</p> <p>Suspenders—All sorts of fancy kinds at half price.</p> <p>Shirts—Fancy Starched Shirts, in the newest styles, value \$1.50 each, clearance price only 99c</p> <p>Underwear, three desirable kinds, all at great reductions; Camel's Hair Underwear, very soft and warm, \$1.50, clearance price 99c; Wool Fleece Underwear, 75c values, 55c; Heavy Fleece Cotton, value 50c each, clearance price 37c</p>	<p>Silks</p> <p>Lot 1. Plain and fancy silks, clearance price 31c</p> <p>Lot 2. Foulards, Taffetas, Peau de Mignonne and Peau de Soie, plain and fancy stripes, clearance price 49c</p> <p>Lot 3. Foulards, evening shades, plain and fancy, also neat black and white stripes and two-tone effects, clearance price 58c</p> <p>Lot 4. Colored Peau de Soie, Satin Duchess, Flannel Taffeta, Laventines and Moire Velours, also Satin Foulards, clearance price 66c</p> <p>Lot 5. Moire Antiques in colors and fancy stripe silks, values, per yard, \$1.50; also black unbreakable Taffetas, special at 74c</p> <p>Ladies' Gowns of fine cambric or muslin, special 74c</p> <p>Ladies' Drawers. Regular 45c values at clearance 28c</p> <p>Ladies' Skirts of fine cambric. Values \$3.00, clearance special \$1.98</p> <p>Ladies' Corset Covers, \$1.00 value for 67c</p> <p>Royal Worcester Corsets—Every pair of these famous corsets are reduced. Samples here given are the prices on four different styles of the straight-front, bias-cut kind. Colors black, gray or white; sizes 18 to 30, values \$2.00 and \$2.75. The clearance price is, per pair \$1.37</p> <p>Chiffon Embroidery Edges, black and white and fancy colors, 4 1/2 to 6 inches wide, worth 50c per yard, clearance special 19c</p>	<p>Torpedo Dress Trimmings, all extra quality black silk, 75c, \$1.33 and \$1.98 per yard.</p> <p>Torchon Laces, extra fine quality, in very dainty patterns, values 15c to 25c yard, clearance price 10c</p> <p>Jouvin Gloves—Our entire line in all sizes and colors for only, pair, \$1.33</p> <p>Handkerchiefs. Hem-stitched, special, each 25c</p> <p>Ladies' Umbrellas, val. \$1.50 each, special 98c</p> <p>Stamped Linen Pieces—Slightly soiled and mussed doilies and center-pieces: Lot 1, regular price 10c to 25c, special 7c; Lot 2, regular price 30c to 60c, special 19c.</p> <p>Women's Juliettes, fur trimmed, \$1.50 kind for 98c</p> <p>Wool Leggings, over-knee length, \$1.50 kind for 98c</p> <p>Ladies' High Shoes, odd sizes, button or lace, common sense toes, values to \$5, clearance price \$1.68</p> <p>Boys' and Youths' Shoes, box calf or vici kid, made on new last, good wearing and nice looking.</p> <p>Sizes 11 to 2, value \$2, clearance price \$1.28</p> <p>Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$2.25, clearance price \$1.38</p> <p>Millinery</p> <p>Fur Beavers; colors black, navy, red and brown. Regular price \$3.95, sale price \$1.79</p> <p>Tams, imported, mohair, colors white, red, navy, and various mixtures, value \$1.18, clearance special 69c</p>
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WHY HERBERT SWITCHED

TWO NEW POSITIONS PAY BETTER THAN OLD ONE.

No Friction and No Deep Significance—No Other Changes Are Yet Determined On.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 28.—James M. Herbert, manager of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, who is to become the general manager of the Colorado & Southern Railroad and vice-president of the Fort Worth & Denver City Railroad on January 1, returned to Denver from a trip to Joplin, Mo., today. At the Denver Club tonight Mr. Herbert discussed the conditions which resulted in his leaving the Rio Grande, and dictated the following statement:

"Two weeks ago, unsolicited, the office of vice-president and general manager of the Colorado & Southern and vice-president of the Fort Worth & Denver City, carrying with it some attractive features, was tendered me. I asked time to consider, which was granted, following which I accepted."

"There has been no friction as between myself and higher Denver & Rio Grande officers. Salary was the paramount issue with me. There is absolutely no friction as between the Colorado & Southern and the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad interests."

"I have placed my resignation as director of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company in the hands of Mr. McClellan, who is Mr. Gould's representative in that company, for such action as he deems advisable. Under the circumstances, any other action would be inconsistent."

Mr. Herbert said further that the report that Edwin Hawley had in any manner influenced his appointment with the Hawley roads was unfounded.

"It has been said," continued Mr. Herbert, "that such was the case, and that the outcome of the recent Colorado Fuel & Iron fight prompted this. There is absolutely not a particle of foundation for any such report. I am Mr. Trumbull's appointee. I never had any conference with Mr. Hawley, and will have nothing to do with him when I accept my new position. I shall report to Mr. Trumbull."

Mr. Herbert said that he had not decided upon any changes which will be made as the result of his changing positions. "I may not decide upon anything for several days," said Mr. Herbert. "Mr. Edson, who is to succeed me as manager of the Rio Grande roads, will leave Kansas City the first of the month, and will reach Denver the 24. He will decide what is to be done on the Rio Grande roads. I do not know whether I will take any one with me or not."

Extension of the Rock Island.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Dec. 28.—The Rock Island will construct a line from North End, Okla., to Ingersoll, where connection will be made with the Choctaw & Northern, recently purchased by the Rock Island. The new road will pass through the towns of Carrier, Karona, Helena and Elkton. It is also stated that an agreement has been effected whereby the Rock Island and the "Frisco" will use the same tracks from Durwood, I. T., to Hewitt, I. T., on the extension of the latter from Ardmore to Lawton, and of the former from Ardmore to Waurika. The "Frisco" is graded as far as Hewitt.

BLUE FOXES IN ALASKA.

On Shumagin Island Miner Has Introduced Profitable Industry.

Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Captain O. W. Carlson, a well known mining man of the Nome district, who is also engaged in raising blue foxes on Shumagin Island, arrived in the city a few days ago. He is on his way south to San Francisco, where he will spend the winter, and in the Spring he will return to Seattle and sail for the North.

Seven years ago Captain Carlson conceived the idea that there would be money in raising the blue fox for his fur, so secured several pairs and turned them loose on the island. Since that time he has made no effort to count them, and has taken very few of their skins. This winter, however, he has arranged for the taking of a number of skins, which he will ship to England to be treated, and they will then be placed on the market.

Blue fox skins he says, are worth all the way from \$5 to \$60 each, according to their quality, just the same as with other fur skins. They have been quite prolific since they were put on Shumagin Island. There are not many blue foxes in

Alaska. In some parts they are hunted for their skins, but not enough to keep them down. If they were healthy. What skins are taken are valuable, and find a ready sale. This winter Captain Carlson intends to take a number of hides, which will be the first of any amount since starting the enterprise.

TO BAR OUT FOREIGNERS

Plans for an American League of Workmen in New Jersey.

New York Times.

Aiming to prevent competition by un-naturalized foreigners, the Trades Council of Plainfield, N. J., has formulated plans for the organization of the American League of Workingmen. Sixteen trade unions here have joined the movement, which is fostered by James E. Martine and the Rev. John MacMurray.

The idea is to bar out foreign labor by prohibiting a member of the league from working with un-naturalized foreigners. Branches are to be established in every city in New Jersey, and then the movement is to spread to other states. More rigid immigration and naturalization laws are to be sought for by the association.

Mansions in New York.

New York Press.

A great number of homeowners in New York live in flats. Said a representative of this class: "No one with an income of less than \$25,000 a year should try to live in his own mansion in Manhattan, assuming that it is a modern establishment in a desirable quarter. My house is worth \$35,000. I rent it for \$250. My flat costs me \$150. The difference pays the wages of two servants, which are as many as we need in a flat. In the house we kept four. In my house I was responsible for everything, and had many annoyances. So had my wife. In a flat we are responsible for nothing. It took every cent of my earnings to keep house respectfully in our mansion. To keep house in our flat on quite as liberal a scale costs about half."

Fine for George J. Gould, Firemen.

New York Press.

George J. Gould has been fined \$1 by the volunteer firemen of Lakewood, N. J., for failing to appear at the fire which threatened to destroy the cottage of Mrs. Robert F. Westcott. Mr. Gould had a cold, he said, else he would have reported for duty. Other millionaires firemen who reported did splendid work in preventing the spread of the flames.

Lipman, Wolfe & Co

Store Closed Today

EXTRAORDINARY PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE FOR THE GREAT SALE TOMORROW. STORE WILL REOPEN TOMORROW WITH THE GREATEST MERCHANDISING MOVEMENT IN THE HISTORY OF PORTLAND.

GREAT TRIPLE EVENT

CLEARANCE SALE—Every article reduced.
WHITE CARNIVAL—Greatest sale of Muslin Underwear.
STAR SALES—A great new feature, details of which will appear in tomorrow morning's Oregonian.