

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY TODAY—THESE SPECIAL VALUES FOR TUESDAY



PORTLAND'S LARGEST FOREMOST STORE



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Absolutely Every Article in the House Drastically Reduced CONTRACT GOODS ALONE EXCEPTED

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The Second Week of the Great Twenty-Seventh Annual Clearance Sales

With Their Matchless Values Open Tomorrow

Tremendous Stock Reductions Foreshadow These Remarkable Events. Slaughter Prices Potent With Mighty Selling Force Start the Week. See Tuesday's Papers for Continued List of Week's Special Clearance Sale Values

We Start the New Year Right by Helping Our Men Out of a Hole

Once upon a time a man wrote to his friend: "I'm in a hole and you've got to help me out, or I'm stuck." The friend replied: "Sorry I can't help, but if you are in a hole that you can't get out of, I'm coming to see the hole—it must be a wonder." Our buyers went into market last season and bought for our present sized building and present facilities for selling. For months we were delayed and stocks piled up faster than they should—for ingress should be gauged but outlet—that is this store's rule. For this one, however, circumstances unavoidable and uncontrollable reversed matters. Tremendous sales of the past month have brought things nearly to their normal again—and yet—there's need of further lightening of the ship, so out goes more blaine, thro' the medium of the Clearance Sales. Our buyers figure themselves yet "in a hole," because more goods confront them than is allowed at inventory time. Can they get out? Well, come and see the "hole," and if these sacrifices won't help some—help you and help us.

Sensational Sale of Entire Book Stock Opens Tomorrow

THE NEW 1850 COPYRIGHTS FOR 96—OTHER BOOK BARGAINS EQUALLY GREAT—SOME GREATER—SECOND FLOOR. Pressure for room needed by other departments compels us to give up the sale of books until our present buildings can again be added to—Probably a matter of some two years. Much against our wish we must give up even a holiday book department. Our present stocks will be sold without regard to cost in order to close them out completely this month. Here then—now—is the booklovers' opportunity. EXCITEMENT IN BOOKLOVERS' LANE—SECOND FLOOR. Copyright Books Worth \$150 at 96—All of our remaining copyright books are included in this offer. Many of them are the successful and popular books of this year such as— Double Harness by Anthony Hope Whosoever Shall Offered by Marion Crawford A Ladder of Swords by Gilbert Parker The House of Fulfillment by George Madden Martin The Last Hope by George Sotom Merriman Old Gorgona Grabham by George Horace Lorimer The Deliverance by Ellen Glasgow The Singular Miss Smith by F. M. Kingsley The Madigans by Marjiam Michelson In the Closed Room by Frances Hodgson Burnett Daughters of Nile by A. E. W. Mason The Transi by A. E. W. Mason The Seekers by Harry Leon Wilson Four Roads to Paradise by Maud Wilder Christmas Eve on Lonesome by John Fox, Jr. The Georgians by Will N. Harben Verelina by Irving Bacheller The Adventures of Elizabeth in Russia by Gertrude Atherton Rulers of Kings by Gertrude Atherton Order No. 11 by Caroline Abbott Stanley The Queen's Quair by Maurice Hewlett Sir Mortimer by Mary Johnson And many others of the latest books at the same reduction in price. Our \$1.50 value; Special at, each, .96 Books of Fiction Worth 25c for 25c—Medallion edition of popular fiction—The volumes handsomely bound in ribbed cloth and ornamented with colored designs and medallion portrait on cover. This edition contains some of the best works of such authors as Mary J. Holmes, Marie Corelli, Mrs. Southworth, Hall Caine, Henry S. Sienkiewicz and numerous others. Our 25c value; special at, each, .15c Books Worth 30c for 25c—Gilt top library of standard authors—Volumes bound in ribbed silk cloth with gilt top; this library comprises some of the best works of the masters of English literature. Our 30c value; special at, each, .25c Edition of Webster's Dictionary Worth \$2.75 for \$1.47—The new census edition of Webster's Dictionary, printed in 1904, leather bound, indexed, 1500 illustrations, supplemented with new dictionaries of biography, synonyms, nouns de plume, foreign phrases, etc. Our \$2.75 value; special at, each, \$1.47c Webster's Dictionary Worth \$1.25 for 81c—The new census edition of Webster's Dictionary, with 3000 illustrations, appendix and supplement of 10,000 new words, combined with Lasing's History of the United States. Our \$2.25 value; special at, each, \$1.19 Webster's Unabridged Dictionary—12th edition with 200 added words and useful appendix tables, population statistics, 3000 illustrations and indexed; bound in leather. Our \$4.00 value; special at, each, \$2.53

New Year's Millinery at Half Usual Price

DAYLIGHT SALONS—SECOND FLOOR ANNEX. This is a "Different" Millinery Store. The average milliner is content at this season to sit down and growl or gloat over the past season and dream of a future one. This millinery store has no "seasons"—it's an all-year-round shop, where dressy women folk may come any time of the year and select from full stocks, but generally at very special reduced prices. The very fact of keeping up millinery stocks brings buyers to the store that might otherwise drift elsewhere, was there anything to attract; and a steady stream of buyers allows us to buy liberally in market when the market is glad to sell without profit, sometimes at a loss, rather than close their workrooms. We have our full regular force of salespeople employed and our workrooms running under full complement, bringing forth new creations daily. These we produce under conditions allowing us to sell them without loss at one-half regular prices. This week we offer an entire new showing of advance 1905 models in velvet turbans, with fancy chenille bands, some with feather bands. Also several models of the popular "Charlott Corday" hats introduced by us some three weeks ago to Portland folk. In every instance the price is just ONE-HALF the regular price. In order to effect complete and drastic clearance on all other trimmed hats we offer, special for Tuesday, a large lot of splendid \$4.00, \$5.00 AND \$6.00 VALUES AT A CHOICE FOR \$1.00.



Public Tea Rooms Second Floor. Ample Y. W. C. A. "GRANDMA" MUNRA. HOSTESS. MENU, TUESDAY, JAN. 3, '05. Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Souffler, Milk in Bottles, Salad, Boston Brown-head Sandwiches, Hot Rolls, Bread and Butter, Dessert Cakes.

Greatest Football Game of the Season Today At Multnomah Field. SEATTLE ATHLETIC CLUB VS. MULTNOMAH. 2:30—Rain or Shine. All Aboard, Rooters! For the Championship of the Northwest. Note today, please, when you're out to the game, how fascinatingly pretty our Portland girls look in their rich warm furs. There's a special Clearance Sale of the handsomest Furs—Coats and Neckpieces—ever shown in Portland, in a great reduction sale this week at the store. If you haven't yet provided the Winter Furs, let this remind you that providing is easy now. Come in tomorrow. Second Floor.

Big Clearance-Sale Bargains for Tuesday's Buyers

In the Men's Shop, 1st Floor, 6th St. Annex. Boys' Sweaters, worth \$1.25, for 69c—Boys' Brownie Sweaters, in fancy and plain effects, some regular sweater style, others buttoned on shoulder, sizes 18 to 24; our \$1.25 value; Clearance Price, each, .69c "Midget" Ties, worth 25c, for 10c—The remainder of our line of silk Midget Ties, in fancy stripes and figures; our 25c values; Special Clearance Price, each, .10c Leather Suit Cases, worth \$8.00, for \$4.95—Handsome Leather Suit Cases, leather-lined, with shirt fold and inside straps, sizes 22, 24 and 26; our \$8.00 value; Clearance Sale Price, each, \$4.95 Ties Worth 50c for 25c—A small line of Imperial 4-in-bands, our 50c value; Special Clearance Price, each, .25c

Special Clearance Prices on MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Men's Natural Wool Underwear—Our 75c value, special at, the garment, .55c Men's Camelhair Underwear—An extra good quality; our \$1.00 value; special at, each, 69c Men's Derby Ribbed Fleece and Flat Fleece-Lined Underwear—In pink, blue and natural; our 90c value; special at, each, .35c Unlaundered Shirts—Our celebrated O. K. brand Unlaundered White Shirts; special at, each, .42c, 63c and 85c Men's Sox—the 3 Pairs for 50c kind, for 10c—Men's natural gray and black merino Sox; our 3 pairs for 50c value; special at, the pair, .10c Men's Wool Sweaters, worth \$2.50, for \$1.19—Men's wool sweaters, in honeycomb or diamond weave, in emerald and pink, black and scarlet, black and green and emerald and scarlet; a splendid \$2.50 value; special at, each, \$1.19

HOME NEEDS In Clearance Sweep—4th Floor Stores

Clearance Sale of Fine Pillows—4th Floor, 6th St. Annex. Pillows, all feather-filled, extra large size, seven pounds to the pair; our \$7.00 value—special Clearance Price, at the pair, \$4.75 Pillows, very fine, half down and half feather-filled, cover of linen tick. Splendid \$7.00 value; Special Clearance Sale Price, at the pair, \$4.75 Clearance Price on Blankets—Fourth Floor. Blankets Worth \$4.50 for \$3.15—All-wool vicuna Brown Blankets, our \$4.50 value; Special Clearance Price, at the pair, \$3.15 Blankets same as above, only finer, our \$6.00 value; special at, the pair, \$4.25 Blankets Worth \$4.00 for \$2.75—All-wool mottled gray Blankets, our \$4.00 value; Special Clearance Price, at the pair, \$2.75 Blankets Worth \$4.00 for \$2.75—Plain silver gray all-wool Blankets, our \$4.00 value; special at, the pair, \$2.75

Clearance in the Apparel Stores

Theater Gowns and Opera Coats for Two Days at Half Price—2d Floor. Announcement Extraordinary in Connection With the Paderewski Appearance! The Society Event of the Season Provided for by the "Style Store." By special arrangement for this great musical and society event, we shall place on extra special sale Tuesday and Wednesday Every Evening Gown and Costume in the House Up From \$85 and Every Opera Coat in the House Up From \$40, at EXACTLY HALF-PRICE! Evening Gowns include every new and late production of leading Parisian and New York designers—the smartest and most magnificent collection ever brought to the Coast. Every color and shade that Fashion favors are here. Among the grand exposition of art, beauty and styling in dress are many of the famous Mile. Schroeder creations. For this great event—Tuesday and Wednesday only—these magnificent Gowns at EXACTLY ONE-HALF OF THEIR REGULAR FAIR PRICE. OPERA COATS FOR THE PADEREWSKI PRESENTATION. Choice of every Opera or Theater Coat in the house, up from \$40.00, at HALF PRICE. Description is futile, for with a line larger than any other west of Marshall Field's in Chicago, a page would not suffice for detail.

Great Coat and Suit Sales

Will Add to the Buying Furore! A Great Sweeping Clean-Up of the Winter Coats! The stopover of a past season, most of them, but all good staple styles for Winter wear. Splendid cloths, tailored and made in best workmanship; long or short lengths, from the 27-inch jacket to the full-length Newmarket; values to \$35—NOW LOOK AT THE PRICE! Tuesday only, \$4.98 WOOL WAISTS—Nicely tailored, special for Tuesday and Wednesday, regular \$3.00 values in the Clearance for, \$2.45 EVENING WAISTS—Magnificent hand-made creations in crepes, chiffons, chiffon taffetas, pead de cygnes and hand-made laces, \$15 to \$45 values; special Tuesday and Wednesday for Clearance at, .HALF-PRICE FANCY VELVET COATS, in box, blouse and close-fitting styles, all the newest and smartest makes—\$12.50 to \$75 values, special for Tuesday and week at HALF PRICE. Be early for best selections. VELVET SUITS AT HALF PRICE—Tuesday and all week. Both plain and crushed velvets in all wanted shades and colorings. All Walking Skirts Reduced. All Long Skirts Reduced. Every Suit Reduced. Every Raincoat Reduced. Every Coat in the House Radically Reduced.

Extra Special!

TWO SENSATIONAL SALES OF HIGH-GRADE SUITS FOR WOMEN—TWO STARTLING, STIRRING VALUES FOR A TWO DAYS' OFFERING! TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY ONLY! Women's \$38.50 to \$62.50 Suits for \$24.95 Women's \$65 to \$85 Suits for \$36.65 A last grand final and drastic clean-up of the high-grade Street Suits and fancy calling gowns. All wanted materials, embracing broadcloths, chevots, Venetians, and smart, fancy, mannish mixtures, in blouse, Eton and tight-fitting jacket effects. Every wanted and voguish color and popular mixture is included. Also every stylish trimming effect. For Tuesday and Wednesday only— VALUES TO \$62.50 FOR, \$24.95 VALUES TO \$85.00 FOR, \$36.65 The greatest Suit values in America!

Red-Letter Day in "Fair-Way" Shoe Store

THE GREATEST FOOTWEAR BARGAINS OF ALL THE YEAR! Tomorrow we inaugurate the most decisive and radical of January Clearances among the Shoe stocks ever held by a Portland store. Offerings will be placed before our public that will exceed in scope any similar ones in America. We are thoroughly in earnest and willing to make considerable financial sacrifice to lower the stocks to a normal stage before inventory time next month. Here are prices placed upon new and fashionable footwear—Shoes, Slippers and Rubbers—for all the family, totally at variance with their actual worth—in many instances below their first actual costs at the factories. As a New Year remembrance we shall give tomorrow



ABSOLUTELY FREE TO MEN

A handsome souvenir match safe of bright nickel and white celluloid, with embossed picture on each. No purchase need be made, just call at the Shoe Store and ask for one—they are FREE to men only. (No boys.)

Extra Special Bargains for All—Among Them

Women's Shoes, worth \$5.00, for \$2.50—Women's Shoes, of patent kid or vici kid, with turn soles, matt or bright kid tops and Louis heels, good dress shoes, our \$5.00 value; Special Clearance Price, the pair, \$2.50 Only \$1.08 for Shoes worth \$1.75—Women's common sense comfort Shoes, in either lace or congress styles, with turn soles, flat heels and broad toes, finest of vici kid uppers—these shoes mean footease for people who have tender feet; our \$1.75 value; Special Clearance Price, the pair, \$1.08 Women's \$1.00 Slippers for 50c—Turkish Slippers for Women, in red, black or brown; our \$1.00 value; Special at Half Price, or, the pair, .50c Women's Good Rubbers—"S" width, will fit thin-sole shoes; Special Clearance price, the pair, .25c Winter Shoes for Boys and Youths here in box calf, with double soles and good, easy last— Sizes 11 to 13, Clearance Price, the pair, .98c Sizes 13 1/2 to 2, Clearance Price, the pair, \$1.08 Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, Clearance Price, the pair, \$1.28 Misses' and Children's Shoes—Here in box calf or vici kid, good stout soles and round toes— Sizes 6 to 8, Clearance Price, the pair, .98c Sizes 8 1/2 to 11, Clearance Price, the pair, \$1.08 Sizes 11 1/2 to 2, Clearance Price, the pair, \$1.28 Men's Shoes, worth \$3.50 and \$4.00, for \$2.68—Men's Winter Shoes in 35 choice styles, here in box calf, storm calf, patent calf, patent leather and velour calf, with double or single soles, foot form comfort lasts and medium heels; our \$3.50 and \$4.00 values; Clearance Sale Price at, the pair, \$2.68 Men's House Slippers—Our \$1.50 value; Clearance Sale Price, to close out the lot, at the pair, .87c Women's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes for \$2.00—Women's fine Shoes of patent calf or vici kid, with welt or turn soles, military, Cuban or opera heels, 10 new numbers; our \$3.50 and \$4.00 values; special at, the pair, \$2.00 Women's \$3.00 Shoes for \$1.68—Women's vici kid Shoes, with double or single soles, patent tips and military heels; five good numbers to select from; our \$3.00 value; Special Clearance Price, the pair, \$1.68

CLEARANCE BARGAINS IN WOMEN'S "TOGGERY"

Women's Furnishing Aides—First Floor. RIBBONS 25c YARD. A line of All-Silk Millinery Ribbons in all the new colors, cardinal, black and white; 3 1/2 inches wide; a beautiful lot; fresh and new; just the thing for smart ties, neck ribbons, belts, hair ribbons, etc. Special at, yard, .25c TRIMMINGS. A fine line of laces, bands, galoons, trimmings, elegant embroidered chiffon trimmings in black, white and colored, pearl trimmings, spangled trimmings, bands, galoons, circular edges, lace braids and galoons in white, cream and ecru— Regular \$1.00 and \$1.15 values, special, yard, .48c Regular \$1.50 values, special, yard, .60c Regular \$2.50 values, special, yard, .80c Regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 values, special, yard, \$1.48 Regular \$4.50 values, special, yard, \$1.98 LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS, 6 FOR 72c. Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, initialed and embroidered in one corner, sheer and soft; regular price, 6 for \$1.00; special, while they last, \$ for 72c EMBROIDERIES AND INSERTIONS. Thousands of yards of elegant Embroideries in Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric and Nainsook Insertions, Swiss and Cambric; your choice— Regular 75c values, special, yard, .125c Regular 25c and 30c values, special, yard, .15c Regular 40c values, special, yard, .20c Regular 50c and 60c values, special, yard, .25c Regular 80c and 90c values, special, yard, .35c Regular 75c values, special, yard, .375c Regular 85c and 90c values, special, yard, .45c Regular \$1.00 values, special, yard, .50c Regular \$1.25 values, special, yard, .60c Regular \$1.50 values, special, yard, .75c LADIES' STOCKING, 25c. A lot of Silk Stocks and some with fancy bows, some silk with faggoting, some lace trimmed, some Persian effects, and others plain tailored. Regular 65c, 90c and 75c values. Special, each, .25c

