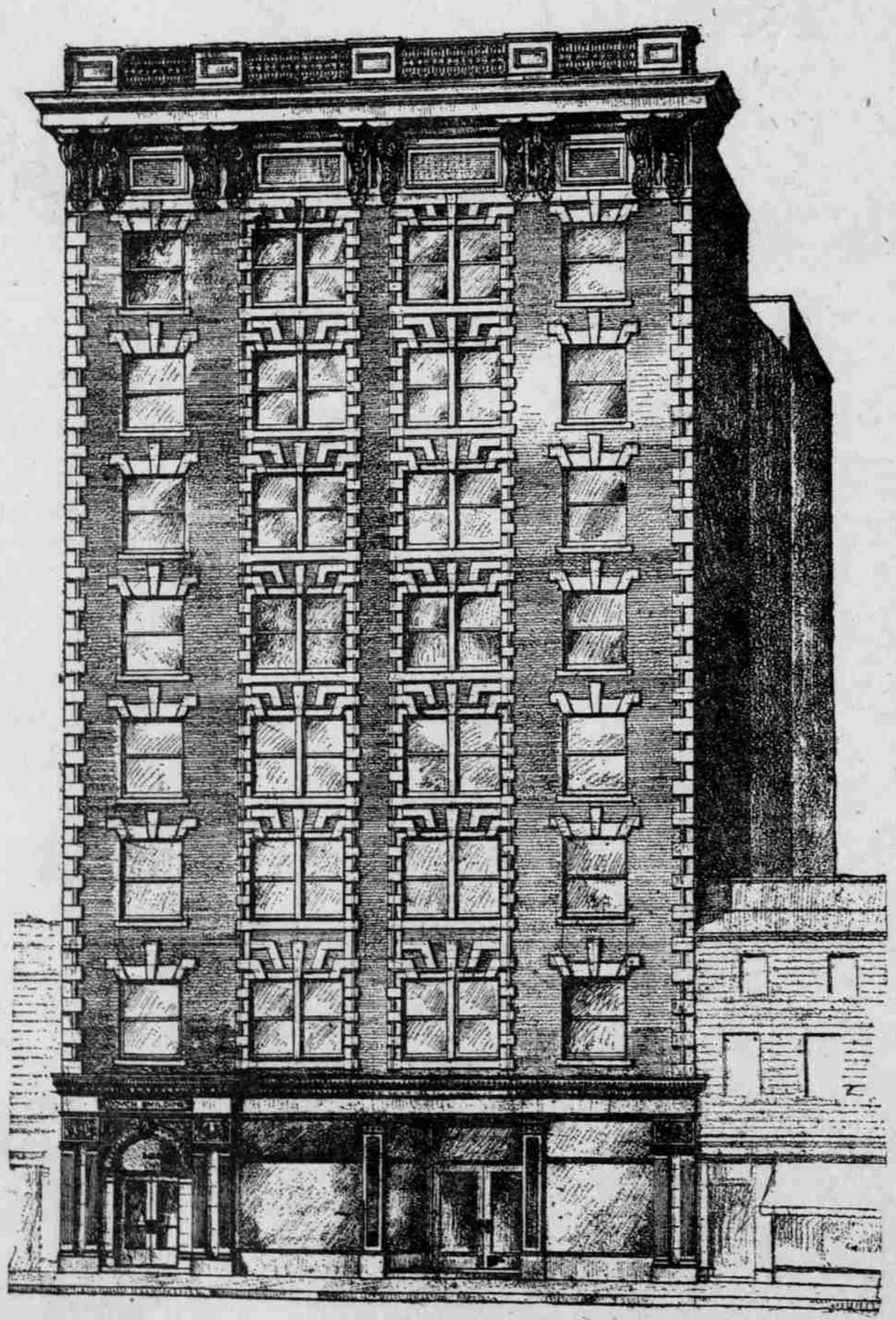
CLOSING OUT WHOLESALE CLOTHING HOUSE

We are retiring completely from the wholesale jobbing business and have moved the entire stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing, amounting to nearly $200,000 from the wholesale store at 42 Front Street, to the new Couch Building, on Fourth Street, between Washington and Stark Sts. Here we propose to close out this mammoth **wholesale stock** to retail trade at exactly **wholesale prices.**

We Have on Hand Today Enough High-Grade Clothing to Start Ten Large Retail Stores

Hundreds of people are asking us today why we are giving up the wholesale trade after working it up until it was the second largest wholesale clothing house on the Pacific Coast. The reason is we found so many difficulties in the manufacturing of our goods in New York City, where we are obliged to operate our factory, that we have decided to give up the wholesale trade for good and all time

This Will Be the Most Stupendous Clothing Sale Ever Held on Pacific Coast



The new Couch Building, where J. L. Bowman & Co. will close out at wholesale prices their $200,000 stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE PRICES

Men's Suits

Men's Worsted Suits; retail value $11.50, wholesale price ..**$7.50**

Men's Worsted Suits; retail value $12.50, wholesale price ..**$8.50**

Men's Pure Wool Suits; retail value $15 to $18, wholesale price **$10**

Men's High Grade Suits; retail value $20, wholesale pr.**$12.50**

Men's Extra Fine Tailor Made Suits; retail value $22.50 to $25, wholesale price **$15**

Men's Extra High-class Suits; retail value $27.50 to $30, wholesale price **$20**

Men's Suits; the finest we have; retail value $35 to $40, wholesale price **$25**

Men's Pants

Men's Pants; retail value $2.50, wholesale price **$1.25**

Men's Pants; retail value $3.50, wholesale price **$2.25**

Men's Pants; retail value $4.50, wholesale price **$3.00**

Men's Pants; retail value $5.50, wholesale price **$4.00**

Men's Pants; retail value $7.50 to $9, wholesale price **$5.00**

Men's Overcoats and Cravenette Raincoats

Genuine Cravenettes; retail value $15, wholesale price **$9.50**

Genuine Cravenettes; retail value $18 to $20, wholesale pr.**$12.50**

Genuine Cravenettes; retail value $22.50 to $25, wholesale pr.**$15**

Genuine Cravenettes; retail value $30 to $35, wholesale price.**$20**

Men's Overcoats; retail value $20, wholesale price **$12.50**

Men's Overcoats; retail value $25, wholesale price **$15**

Men's Overcoats; retail value $30, wholesale price **$18**

Boys' Clothing

Boys' Suits; retail value $3, wholesale price **$1.50**

Boys' Suits; retail value $4, wholesale price **$2.50**

Boys' Suits; retail value $5.50, wholesale price **$3.50**

Boys' Suits; retail value $6.50, wholesale price **$4.00**

Boys' Suits; retail value $8, wholesale price **$5.00**

Boys' Suits; retail value $10, wholesale price **$6.50**

Young Men's Clothing

Between the Ages 13 to 19 Years

Double-breasted Suits; retail value $7.50, wholesale price....**$4.50**

Double-breasted Suits; retail value $10, wholesale price **$6.50**

Double-breasted Suits; retail value $12.50, wholesale price ..**$8.00**

Double-breasted Suits; retail value $15.00, wholesale price..**$10.00**

This Sale Is Genuine and the Prices Given

Above will be carried out to the letter. The entire stock is well-made reliable clothing, all of this year's make and style. Here is the guarantee from the owner, Mr. J. L. Bowman:

To my Friends and the Public:

I wish my friends to know that I will personally superintend the sale and each customer will have my guarantee that every article sold will be exactly as represented. Goods not entirely satisfactory can be exchanged or the money will be refunded at any time during the sale. I have been in business in Portland for the past eleven years and in the wholesale clothing trade for the past three years. I have no partners in this business, therefore am under obligations to no one. This will be the greatest value-giving sale that can possibly be held, and I advise my friends to take early advantage of it. Respectfully,

J. L. BOWMAN.

J. L. Bowman
Proprietor of the Wholesale Clothing House, 42 Front Street, now moved to the new Couch Building.

J. L. BOWMAN & CO.

COUCH BUILDING, FOURTH STREET BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND STARK