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Portland's Greatest High-Class Clothing Store

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285-287 WASHINGTON ST

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Monster Forced-to-Closeout Sale

OF \$147,000 WORTH OF THE BEST CLOTHING ON EARTH!

Because the Colorado Clothing company had the goods and could not sell them even at sheriff's sale. There was no one to buy. The country was demoralized, therefore we secured

\$147,000 WORTH OF CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS AND FURNISHINGS, AT \$28,000

Comprising every penny's worth of THE COLORADO CLOTHING CO.'S MAMMOTH STOCKS IN ITS MAGNIFICENT STORES AT CRIPPLE CREEK AND VICTOR, COLORADO. WE PAID SPOT CASH AND SECURED THE GARMENTS AT LESS THAN 19 CENTS ON THE \$1.00. And we now throw these on the market at prices we are almost ashamed to name, lest readers of our advertisements will imagine them of little value notwithstanding their superiority. Come to the Slaughter! Come to the massacre of Clothing Values! **SPLENDID \$20.00 SUITS AT \$7.50 AND ELEGANT GARMENTS WORTH UP TO \$30.00 FOR \$10.00.** The master stroke of Mr. Strain's busy, active life. We present TODAY to the citizens of Oregon bargains which are unbelievable to those who have not visited our store. **WHEN WE SAY WE SELL A \$30.00 SUIT FOR \$10.00 WE MEAN IT.** There is no QUESTION of its worth, and any man who inspects these garments will tell his friends that the suits WOULD BE CHEAP AT \$30.00.

A \$20 Suit for \$7.50

This was a Colorado Clothing company leader. It was made for this concern by a prominent Eastern manufacturer to be sold at a bargain at \$20. We bought the stock so cheap that we can afford our prices and yet have a nice little profit left. No merchant in this country ever before sold such Suits at this figure, AND THERE IS NOT ONE OTHER STORE IN PORTLAND WHO CAN SELL THEIR EQUAL AT EVEN \$20.



\$25 Outing Suit for \$10.00

We received in our consignment from Cripple Creek and Victor 1,000 exquisitely tailored Outing Suits made to sell by the Colorado Clothing company at \$20.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00. These garments are of the finest imported Irish homespun, Ballyho and Scotch tweeds, perfect in fit and beautiful in coloring. In Portland these garments have usually sold at not less than \$20.00 in any case, and some merchants have asked \$30 a suit for the kind that we sell for \$10. We ask the swell young men of Portland to drop in and inspect this apparel.



A \$30 Suit for \$10.00

Elegant, up-to-date, tailor-made beauties. The very latest summer styles, including the new English frock, the swell 2 and 3-button double breasted garments now the rage among society men of New York and Boston. In shape, makes, cloths and cuts the variety covers every popular effort in the United States. Every piece is sewed with silk, lined with serge and satin and the collar and button holes are hand made, so that fraying out will be impossible. **THIS IS THE SWELLEST SUIT EVER SHOWN BY ANY CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT IN THE CITY OF PORTLAND.** We got them for a song, so to speak, and as Strain always divides his good fortune with his friends, THE GARMENTS GO AT \$10. Any man can be a gentleman, at least in appearance, while these clothes last. It is not likely that prices will ever be at this figure again. It would seem preposterous to imagine that such values could possibly exist after these stocks are disposed of.

\$30 to \$50 Suits for \$15.00

The eye of mortal man has never seen more perfect garments than these two-piece Outing Suits actually sold in Chicago, New York and other eastern cities at \$20 to \$30 per suit, and which we are selling at the extremely low price of \$15 per suit. They are of the finest 1904 colorings, up to the minute in cut and make—suits the equal of which have never before been received in Portland. They come in Prince Alberts, Tuxedos, superb dress and semi-dress, 3-button cutaway frocks, single and double breasted sacks, absolutely all tailored by hand throughout by the best workmen in America, made from the finest imported fabrics, such as French and English broadcloths, German drapes and birdseyes, Venetians, English clays, worsteds, fancy mixed chevots, etc. The Colorado Clothing company never thought of offering these suits at less than \$30, \$40 and \$50, yet we sell them at the appallingly low price of \$15 per suit. Buying these garments at less than 19 cents on the dollar of their worth enables us to part with them at these figures.

Men's Furnishing Goods



The invoice of the Colorado Clothing company's stock of men's furnishing goods footed up \$45,000. Every novelty is included in this invoice and the garments are the latest in style and fashion, made of the best fabrics and manufactured expressly for this company. The entire lot came to us in our great purchase at less than 19 cents on the dollar, and we are determined to close it out in the next 60 days. We sell \$2 Shirts at 85¢, \$1.50 Shirts at 65¢, \$1 for 25¢ and all other articles in this line at similar reductions.

- 55¢ for the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.00 White Shirts.
- 75¢ for the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.25 White Shirts.
- 95¢ for the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.50 White Shirts.

Fancy Shirts

There were about a half a carload of these goods when they arrived in Portland, and the variety is yet unbroken. We are selling them at 25 cents on the \$1.00. We have a \$2 Shirt at 75 cents.

Negligee Shirts

- 35¢ for all the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.00 Shirts.
- 52¢ for all the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.25 Shirts.
- 70¢ for all the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.50 Shirts.
- 99¢ for all the Colorado Clothing company's \$2.25 Shirts.

Work Shirts

- 50¢ buys all the Colorado Clothing company's Silver Dollar Shirts.

Newest Novelties in Neckties



What do you think of a 75c Necktie for 25c, and a \$2 Tie for 50c? That's our price.

- 25¢ buys all makes, shapes, shades and styles of 50c and 75c Neckties.
- 50¢ buys all the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 Neckwear. These goods MUST BE SOLD at once.

Men's Summer Underwear

We have a carload of Men's Summer Underwear, and not more than 90 days in which to sell them. But we'll clean out every garment in that time. The wholesale value of these goods was 50 cents to \$2.25. They go at this sale at from 19c to 96c each.

- 19¢ for every piece of the Colorado Clothing company's 50c Underwear.
- 96¢ for all the Colorado Clothing company's fine 60c and 70c Summer Underwear in lists, balbrigan and mesh, in colors and plain.
- 45¢ for every piece of the Colorado Clothing company's famous Silver Dollar Underwear in all the new colors, silk finished, form fitting.
- 96¢ for all grades of the Colorado Clothing company's \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.25 Underwear, all makes and sizes.

Men's Socks

We have 1,000 dozen of Men's Socks worth from 20 cents to \$1.00, but we don't sell them at 20 cents and \$1.00. Our prices are 10 to 25 cents.

- 10¢ buys all grades of the Colorado Clothing company's 15c and 20c Sox.
- 15¢ buys all grades of the Colorado Clothing company's 25c and 40c Sox.
- 25¢ buys all grades of the Colorado Clothing company's 50c to \$1.00 Sox.

MEN'S STYLISH HATS

\$1.00 for \$2.50 hats may seem a little startling to the reader, but these are the figures at which we sell them. Some are soft and some are stiff, in black and light colors, new 1904 shapes and there are thousands to choose from.

- \$1.50 buys one of the famous \$3 Silver State Hats, and there are 100 dozen to select from.
- \$2.50 for choice of all the Colorado Clothing company's Hat stock, which includes Stetson's shapes, Dunlap shapes, Knox shapes, Longley's and Kingsbury's. These Hats were sold by the Colorado Clothing company at the standard price of \$4 and \$5, fixed by the manufacturers, and under ordinary conditions, could not be sold for less. We bought them, however, at less than 19 cents on the dollar, and you may have your pick for \$2.50.
- 1,000 sample Straw Hats worth \$1 to \$2, for... 25¢

SHOES

Men's \$7 Shoes for \$3.45

We took over the entire shoe department of the Colorado Clothing company's two stores at our 19-cent-on-the-dollar purchase, and in the stock we find feet apparel valued all the way from \$3.50 to \$5.00. But it will be observed that we are not selling those shoes at these prices. Here are our figures:

- \$1.95 for the Colorado company's \$3.50 to \$4 hand-sewed Dress Shoes, in all makes of leather and shapes.
- \$2.95 for the Colorado Clothing company's \$4.50 to \$5 hand-made custom Shoes. There is an endless assortment of leathers and styles of toe and shapes of Shoes in this consignment.
- \$3.45 for your pick of the Colorado Clothing company's custom bench-made \$6 and \$7 fine Dress Shoes, in tans, Oxfords, patent leathers, cramo, vici kid and calf, new toes, arched instep and patent heels.
- We are selling these Shoes as we always sell our footwear under a positive guarantee of satisfaction or a new pair free.

Elegant Suit Cases

- \$1.50 for a leather Suit Case that the Colorado Clothing company sold as a leader at \$3.50.
- \$2.50 for a fine alligator Suit Case that is well worth \$5, and the Colorado people sold it for that money.
- \$4.25 for a good \$10 solid leather Suit Case.

Coats and Vests



We have 225 odd Coats and Vests, delightful garments, from the Colorado Clothing company's stock belonging to suits that sold for \$20 to \$40, and we sell 'em at \$5. That is \$5 for Coat and Vest, not \$5 for each garment.

- \$1.00 for your pick of 500 all wool Vests in all sizes. Cost \$1.75 to sew.
- \$3.50 for odd Coats in every shape. The union workmanship on these coats alone cost \$8 a piece.
- \$5.00 for 875 odd Coats and Vests from the Colorado Clothing company's finest Suits that that company sold for \$20 to \$40; sack and frock.
- 100 White Vests in the \$2 to \$4 values for... \$1.00
- 25 Duck Suits, suitable for the Seaside, \$15 values for..... \$2.50
- Remember, this is the cream of the Colorado Pants stock.

Men's Trousers

FOR ALMOST NOTHING

We have these garments in every variety, style and make of cloth at prices less than it cost to sew them together after they had left the hands of the cutter. In verification of this statement read these prices:

- \$2.50 for your pick of the Colorado Clothing company's finest \$5 and \$6 all wool and worsted tailor-made Trousers.
- \$3.50 for your choice of 1,886 pairs of the Colorado Clothing company's finest all wool tailor-made Dress Trousers, regular \$7 to \$9 values.
- \$4.00 for the Colorado Clothing company's gilt-edge \$12 to \$14 Trousers. The richest man on earth wears no better garments.

\$15 Top Coats at \$5.00

Every man in Colorado wears a Top Coat morning and evening, some, of course, more stylish than others. One make sold by the Colorado Clothing company at \$12.50 and \$15 are offered by us at this sale at \$5 each. They are admirable garments, too.

\$20 Top Coats at \$7.50

We have 500 of these garments, very stylish, up to the second in make and cut, all wool, sewed with silk and button holes made by hand.

\$25 Top Coats for \$10

There are only 45 in this lot. They are the celebrated Kirchbaum, Ballyho prize tops; every one warranted, and money back if not satisfied. These coats are fit for a king. Don't miss this grand chance to dress well for little money.

\$40 Top Coats for \$15

Every one of them silk and satin lined, light, medium and dark colors, the very pinks of fashion. These are the same garments worn by the swell club men of New York and other eastern cities, and never thought of at a price less than \$40 to \$50. Our Portland gentlemen may have them at \$15, and in selling at this figure we are actually making each purchaser a present of \$25.

Winter Overcoats

In may seem a little out of place to advertise winter Overcoats in June, just when summer is in its bloom, but we cannot help mentioning these bargains in case some fore-sighted person might desire to provide himself with a \$50 Overcoat at \$12.50. Every one of the 1,000 tailor-made garments are worth every cent of the \$50 the Colorado people sold them for. They came in medium and heavy weights, chinohilla, melton, beaver and vicunas, lined with silk, satin and the finest serges. Winter will come along after a while and a man provided with one of these splendid Overcoats need not dread its approaching storms.

We have another quality of genuine Priestly Cravensettes that are sold right along in Portland, during the fall and winter months, at \$20 and \$35. We sell this kind at \$10. There are only 14 of them, so if you want one don't wait. You may miss this great bargain if you do.