OF OUR GREAT ANNIVERSARY SALE!



Sale Closes Saturday Oct.

Midnight





SFACTION, ONEY BACK

VALUER

LORS of Chicago

LORING CO

Hats

NEW FALL STYLES ARE ALL HERE-A HUS SPECIAL EXTRAORDINARY.

1,864 Sample Hats, new fall styles, values up to \$4. \$1.50 The Hub's Hat at \$2.50 is positively the finest Hat shown in Oregon at any price, in all the swell fall shapes, \$2.50 shades and styles of soft and stiff\$2.50

Caps

25c For all-wool | 50c For silk and wool Golf Caps.

Topcoats

\$7.50 Takes the choice of any Top-Coat that sold up to

Shirts

IN ENDLESS VARIETY, FOR FALL

Suspenders

Boys' School Suits

. \$7,500 worth of the very highest class Boys' and Children's Clothing bought by us for one third of its actual value from an eastern manufacturer, who makes nothing but the very finest of boys' apparel, and will be sold at prices like these:

BERT BEEN		100000000
Boys'	two-piece Sults, worth \$2.50, for	1.29
Boys'	two-piece Suits, worth \$8.50, for	1.69
Boys'	two-piece Sults, worth \$5.00, for	3.98
Boys'	long trousers Buits, worth & for	4.29
Boys'	long trousers Suits, worth \$16, for	8.50
Boys	long Pants, worth \$1.50, for	.984
Boys'	separate knee Pants, for	204

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A Word to the Public

WHO HELPED ME BUILD THIS BUSINESS

Two years ago tomorrow the modest beginning of my present mammoth business began, in a space 10x14 at 285 Washington Street, Portland, Oregon. Today I do by far the largest Clothing Business of any merchant on the Pacific Coast. I own two of the most popular Clothing stores in Portland, occupying a combined floor space of 21,000 square feet; besides Branch Stores from the rock-ribbed mountains of Montana to the storm-swept shores of the Pacific. My MAIL ORDER BUSINESS pours on daily in a steady stream from the States of Oregon, Idaho, Washington and Montana. SEND US YOUR MAIL ORDERS

Portland's Greatest Clothing Store

Extends a cordial invitation to you to call and inspect our immensely magnificent New Pall and Winter Stock of Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishings. Its vastness of assortment, in sterling qualities, in unequaled values, THE HUB has no equal on this coast. Read these prices carefully. Every article exactly as advertised or your money back.

Extra Suit Special

186 mistit Suits, in sack and frock, worth \$20 and \$6.95

Boys, buy your fall outfit now, Assortments are broken. Prices cut to the core.

\$8.50 For a fine line of the famous \$15 Sterling Suits, in handsome browns, drabs, black, gray, tans, cheviots and fancy mixed worsteds; are union made, cut, sewed, trimmed,

lined and finished as only Hub Suits are.

The 100 per cent stores charge \$17.50 for this self-same

\$10.00 For a most superb line of hand-made Suits in all suggestions for the fall and winter of 1904 and 1905. Trimined in the best all-wool serges and satins; they have the tone, the finish, that eternal something that only Strain's unequaled taste gives to all the garments in all his stores. The 100 per cent uptown clothiers ask you \$20 for this Suit. Well, just compare 'em, and then buy your Suit from Strain at The Hub.

\$12.50 For a Suit of clothes that is a gem of purest ray serence a \$25 value anywhere—nothing like it shown in any of the moseback stores. It has all the swell effects and good points that are shown in the big cities of the east. As soon as the new styles are shown east I get 'em for The Hub. I think there is nothing on top of God's green earth too good for The Hub's patrons.

\$15.00 Buys men's finest imported worsted Suits; worries, soft, subdued suitings from the Fadderland, the cheviots and Bannockburns of old Scotland, and last, but not least, the Dublin twists from the land of my birth (you all know where Strain came from), will be shown in this, the most complete, the most stylish, the most extensive line of high-priced Suits ever gathered under one roof in these United States.

\$30 is the 100 per cent profit ring price. \$15 is now and always will be the price of these swell Suits at The Hub.

\$20.00 For a collection of 174 advance styles in finest silk-lined Suits. I can't begin to tell you about 'em. You must see them to appreciate fully all their points. They are too new for the mossback stores. If they had 'em they would put 'em in a glass case and ask you \$45 for 'em. I throw them on my tables to my customers in The Hub at \$20.

Overcoats

Without the fear of contradiction, I will say that we carry at The Hub the finest lines of Overcoats in this city. We have everything from the lowest to the highest prices; and every Overcoat is absolutely guaranteed to give you satisfaction in the fullest sense, or your money back. And then The Hub's prices are just half the other fellows.

\$7.50 Buye you a Melton, Kersey or Beaver Overcoat that has no equal on earth for a penny less than \$15. That's The Hub's way of starting the season.

\$10.00 For the best \$20 Overcoat in this city; fine imported and domestic materials, cheviots and serges, overplaids, belt and surtout makes, meltons and kerseys; trimmed in the best only; cut by cutters—not by machines—sewed by union tailors in union shop—not by scabs in sweat-shops—and sold to you at The Hub for absolutely half the price that any other clothier in this city will ask you for the same garment.

\$15.00 Overcoats good for the foremost citizens in this United States. When it comes to fine overcoats, we can talk to you in no uncertain voice. We sell more fine Overcoats than do all the stores in the north end combined. We carry Overcoats in The Hub fine enough and good enough for the two foremost citizens in these United States.

\$15.00 and \$20.00

For the swellest assortment of Overcoats that ever left a lor's hands; silk-lined through and through; no cheap imion, but the real sterling Skinner silk. 300 Overcoats in let. I bought 'em as I buy everything—cheap for cash. I and will sell you Overcoats that are worth \$40 and \$50 for and \$50 for and Gvercoats that are worth \$40 to \$37.50 for \$15. These the bold statements, backed up by bold value-giving, that has the old fogies wonder what will Strain do next.

Vests

Great Anniversary

KRAUSE & PRINCE, Portland's Greatest Shoe Johbers, solved partnership on September 1. Their immense sted Men's Fine Shoes had to be greatly reduced to meet the partner wanted to pay for the business. Offered \$13,500 WORTH OF THEIR FAMOUS FINE PAARD, BURT & PACKARD, FLINTSTONE, AND GROHAND-SEWED SHOES AT 55¢ ON THE \$1.00.

\$2.49 For your pick of 800 pairs of as fine hand-made Shoes 1905 shapes, look swell, hold their shape and wear well; the Shoe that is sold in every fine shoe house in this town for \$3.50 to \$4.00; Krause & Prince's wholesale price was \$5.05.

53.49 for all of Krause & Prince's swellest hand-bench, cusput together as perfectly as if your custom shoemaker made 'em for you and charged you \$10.00. This line embraces all of Packard's Tibbets and The Crown's best brands of Shoes, that retail everywhere at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50.

\$1.49 For the sterling quality of hand-sewed Shoes; E. Prince's wholesale price was \$2.25.
367 pairs of Boys' School Shoes, in regular \$2.00 to \$3.00

Pants

Here's what the agent for the Wanamaker & Brown Pants line said to an unmanly competitor of mine, who asked him not to sell me Pants, as I was ruining the pecaness: "I would sooner have The Hub's Pants account than all the combined clothing accounts in Portland."

Why did he say so? Because The Hub sells more Pants than all the combined houses in this city.
 Here's Pants values that will make my kicking competitors

98c For fine line of \$1.50 and \$2.00 worsted Pants, \$1.12 For \$2.00 Kentucky Jeans. Yes, sir; they came from the the Kentucky whisky—

\$1.25 For \$2.25 all-wool hairline Pants. A dollar for every 51.25 rip, a dime for every button that comes off.

\$1.50 For \$2.50 cassimere and worsted all-wool Panta.

No limit to Hub assort-

\$2.50 Buys Pants that I guaranter you can't match in this \$2.50 town for less than \$5.00. Finest all-wool worsted, serges, clays, stripes and neat plaids.

Underwear

EVERYTHING FOR FALL AND WINTER USE IS HERE. The greatest Underwear bargain over offered, even by The Hub. \$785 pieces of fine Underwear, in plain and fancy colors, mostly summer weights, values 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50.25c and \$2.00, for

50C For \$1.00 grades of sanitary fleece Underwess, derby
50C ribbed Scotch Underwess, swell silk-finished Underwess.
\$1.00 For all grades of new fall and winter Underwess.
\$1.00 cunas fleeces, California flannels, etc., beautifully
bound in silk. Values up to \$2.00.
Finest \$2.25 lamb's wool Underwess, for
Finest \$2.00 lamb's wool Underwess, for
Finest \$4.00 lamb's wool Underwess, for

Socks

54 For Se Rockford Sox. 194 for Sie fancy Son. Se for 12c black and tan Sox. 254 for 50c cashaire.