EXTRAORDINARY CLEARANCE Sale

EVERY ARTICLE REDUCED. 10 to 50% Reduction Throughout Our Entire Stock.

In line with our established custom, we begin our CLEARANCE SALE while the season is at its height, with the determination of CLOSING OUT every dollar's worth of SPRING and SUMMER goods in our entire stock. Our Mr. Selling starts East next week to oversee the manufacture of our FALL stock, and he has ordered SWEEPING reductions in every department—cuts of 10 to 50 PER CENT to enable this command to be carried out, and carried out it must be. Never has such a terrific price-cutting been attempted in Portland. You may never have such an opportunity again. It is well to bear in mind that earliest purchasers secure best selections. Mornings is the best time to do your shopping. Not a single item has escaped the pruning knife EXCEPT E. & W. COLLARS, MONARCH WHITE SHIRTS and BREWER HATS. The prices of these never vary.

BEN SELLING.

Men's Outing Suits.

There are still two or three months of good wearing for OUTING SUITS, but the orders are imperative—CLOSE THEM OUT! and out they must go; 25 to 40 per cent REDUCTION on every outing suit in the house. Young man, this is your opportunity to secure a nice suit at a nominal price.

MEN'S BLUE FLANNEL OUTING suit, olive hair line stripe, our regular $7 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 3.98

SAME IN OXFORD AT 3.98

MEN'S BLUE SERGE OUTING SUIT, white hair line stripe, regular $8.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 5.98

MEN'S HOMESPUN AND FLANNEL OUTING SUITS, regular $8.50 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 6.90

ALL OUR $10.00 AND $12.00 OUTING SUITS; CLEARANCE PRICE 7.50

ALL OUR $15.00 OUTING SUITS; CLEARANCE PRICE 11.50

Men's Flannel and Outing Pants....

MEN'S FLANNEL OUTING PANTS, regular $3.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 2.35

MEN'S FLANNEL AND HOMESPUN OUTING PANTS, regular $3.50 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 2.75

MEN'S FLANNEL OUTING PANTS, regular $4.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 3.10

MEN'S FLANNEL OUTING PANTS, regular $5.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 3.85

Bicycle Suits.

Prices cut strictly in half. The largest assortment in the city, all well made and worth every cent of our regular price, but they MUST GO:

Men's $6.00 Bicycle Suits, CLEARANCE PRICE 3.00

Men's $7.00 Bicycle Suits, CLEARANCE PRICE 3.50

Men's $9.00 Bicycle Suits, CLEARANCE PRICE 4.50

Men's $10.00 Bicycle Suits, CLEARANCE PRICE 5.00

Men's $12.00 Bicycle Suits, CLEARANCE PRICE 6.00

All Bicycle Trousers at EXACTLY HALF PRICE.

Straw Hats.

50 PER CENT REDUCTION, in other words, at HALF PRICE.

Every hat in our handsome collection MUST GO. In order to accomplish this we have cut prices exactly in two—so if you have only half a season to wear them in you still receive full value! Scan these prices! Then come quick!

MEN'S GENUINE PANAMA HATS—the finest $10.00 and $15.00 hats in the city, CLEARANCE PRICE 7.50

MILAN BRAIDS and PORTO RICOS, Alpine and Fedora shapes, $3.50 to $5.00 values, CLEARANCE PRICE 1.98

ROUGH, SPLIT and SENNOTT Braids, Yacht and Alpine shapes; regular $2.50 and $3.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE. 1.48

MACKINAWS—Rough and Sennott braids—Alpine and Yacht shapes; regular $2.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE.. 98c

Same styles, rough and smooth, braids, roll brims and yacht shapes; great $1.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 48c

MADAGASCAR HATS, in Alpine shapes, 50c and 75c values; CLEARANCE PRICE 39c

Boys' Straw Hats.

PRICES CUT NEARLY IN HALF on YACHT AND SAILOR HATS; 25c values 15c

MEXICAN HATS, 25c values 15c

MEXICAN HATS, 50c values 25c

BOYS' FINE STRAW HATS—All 50c values 39c

Men's Stiff and Soft Hats.

Every broken line of Men's Soft and Stiff Hats, in latest shapes and newest colorings; our regular $2.00 and $2.50 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 1.35
See them in our windows.

MEN'S CRUSHERS—Just in time for your outing; all colors—steel, brown, pearl and blue, $1.00 and $1.25 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 89c

FRENCH CRUSHERS—the finest imported grades; $1.50 and $2.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 1.29

MEN'S AND BOYS' GOLF AND ROB ROY CAPS—regular 50c values; CLEARANCE PRICE 39c

ALL BOYS' 25c CAPS—CLEARANCE PRICE 15c

Space will not premit the mention of every article in our vast stock. We will only repeat that not a single item has escaped the slashing. No matter how large or how small your intending purchase, it will pay you to take advantage of these radical reductions.

Neckwear

Every style, every shape, including the latest arrivals by express

All 50c grades, including the celebrated GOLF GIRL; CLEARANCE PRICE, 35c

President Suspenders.

Sold everywhere for 50c.
CLEARANCE PRICE 39c

Shirtwaists.

Shirtwaist weather is liable to be with us for the next two months. Our assortment, the only complete one in the city, is yet unbroken. We have them in two grades:

All $1.50 Shirtwaists at 1.19

All $2.00 Shirtwaists at 1.65

A Complete line of

Bathing Suits and Trunks

All at Specially Low Clearance Prices,

10c to $3.50.

Men's White Duck Trousers, the best $1.00 Men's White Duck Trousers, all sizes; clearance price 85c

Best $1.50 Men's White Duck Trousers, clearance price 1.29

Linen Mesh Underwear, the best linen mesh underwear; made by Schonherr & Co., Cologne, all sizes, regular $3.00 values; clearance price 2.25

Lace Weave Balbriggan Underwear, unequaled 50c values; clearance price.... 39c

Men's Clothing.

Every Man's Suit in the house has received marching orders—they, too, must GO. Reductions vary from 10 to 30 per cent, and, when it is considered that our stock consists largely of the STEIN-BLOCH Rochester make, the public will, we hope, appreciate our efforts; and, compared with ours, the reductions of our competitors will pale into insignificance.

If you are need of a suit, take a look at our stock. It costs nothing and will probably do you some good.

Boys' Clothing

Like every other department in this great store, this has not been overlooked. DEEP CUTS have been made all along the line; the result will prove satisfactory to the most ardent bargain-lover. A perusal of these prices will convince you that we are in dead earnest:

Sailor Suits.

Three styles best $2.50 Sailor Suits, navy blue cheviot, neatly trimmed, all sizes, 3 to 10 years; Clearance Price 1.59

Royal Blue Flannel Sailors, sizes 6 to 10 years; CLEARANCE PRICE 1.59

Fancy Mixed Cheviot Sailors, sizes 6 to 9, Clearance Price 1.59

A great line of Sailor Suits, all sizes, 3 to 10 years, regular values; CLEARANCE PRICE 2.55

BLUE SERGE, also fancy Cheviot Sailors; our regular $5.00 Suits; CLEARANCE PRICE 4.15

Boys' School Suits.

The price-cutting in our Boys' School Suits should attract the attention of every mother.

Our recognized $2.95 values—all wool and made to wear; CLEARANCE PRICE... 2.45

Our $3.45 and $3.85 values all bunched together at the CLEARANCE PRICE 2.85

BLUE SERGE—the best boys' $5.00 Suit in town; CLEARANCE PRICE 4.15

BOYS' NORFOLK KHAKI SUITS—the regular $1.50 kind; CLEARANCE PRICE 1.15

Boys' Wash Suits.

About 300 Suits left over from this season's selling. They have received the same command—GO.

All 50c Wash Suits, Duck, Crash and Galatea, stripes and plain; clearance price 33c

All other Washable Sailor Suits up to $3.00 will be CLOSED OUT at exactly HALF PRICE. Mothers cannot afford to miss this opportuniy.

Boys' Waists.

Percale Military Blouse Waists, 50 cent values 39c

Percale Military Blouse Waists, 75 cent values 59c

Percale Military Blouse Waists, $1.00 values 83c

Boys' Vestees.

PRICES will speak for themselves. Several lots of Vestees bunched together, at one price, sizes 3 to 7 only, $2.50 and $3.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE..... 1.59

BOYS' VESTEES—All our $5.00 and $6.00 values bunched in one lot, all sizes; CLEARANCE PRICE 3.85

Knee Pants.

All 50c Knee Pants 39c

All 75c Knee Pants 59c

All $1.00 Knee Pants 83c

Ironclad Hose.

All sizes, 6 to 10½, pair 19c

Youths' Clothing.

The only place in the store where we are the least bit overstocked. Here is where the pruning-knife has put in its deadly work. Nothing but the newest and best. Not a suit escaped.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS, ages 14 to 19, brown cheviot, Oxford cheviot and fancy mixed cheviot; splendid $6.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 4.35

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS, all wool Cassimeres and Cheviots; regular $7.50 suits; CLEARANCE PRICE 5.85

Ten styles YOUNG MEN'S SUITS, our regular $10.00 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 6.35

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS, black and white and fancy effects; regular $13.50 values; CLEARANCE PRICE 9.85

Suit Cases and Traveling Bags, $1.65 to $8.50; specially low Clearance Prices.

BEN SELLING

Leading Clothier
Leading Haberdasher
Leading Hatter

FOURTH AND MORRISON STREETS, PORTLAND, OREGON.

Roberts Bros

Temporary Store Fifth and Yamhill Streets.

STOCK REDUCING

Goes merrily on. Crowds and crowds take advantage of the lowest pricings of the season to supply immediate and future wants. We have not not yet reached the end. Tomorrow we continue to offer bargains too tempting to resist, affording an opportunity for buying that outshines any previous effort on our part at bargain-giving. We have never been able to offer more worthy goods at the price. The quality we vouch for, and you'll say yourself when you see the goods that you'd willingly pay more.

Ladies' Petticoats.

Mercerized Italian blackcloth petticoats, 10-inch corded and accordeon pleated flounce $1.20

Same with extra deep flounce timmed with three ruffles and clusters of tucks $1.65

Outing Skirts.

Good duck skirts in black and blue 95c

Linen skirts made plain with flare $1.50

Ladies' Draped Sailors.

In plain and rough straw ..... 50c to $1.00

Specials in Belts.

10 dozen fancy leather and silk belts worth 25c to 40c each, for 15c

Another large lot leather belts, worth 50c and 65c each, for 25c

Elbow Length Silk Gloves.

In white and black, full line ..... 85c and 95c

Ladies' elbow length mits in all colors 50c

Specials.

In ladies' kid gloves guaranteed $1.00

Children's handkerchiefs, each 2c

Ladies' handkerchiefs, each ..... 5c up

Ladies' chatelaine purses at cost.

Chiffon Veils, 50c.

Handsome, stylish, made of white chiffon and hemstitched in black 50c

Satin Belt Supports, 25c.

Ladies' satin belt hose supporters, all colors 25c

STAMPED BUREAU SCARFS 25c, 35c, 50c

CUSHION TOPS in all fancy designs ..... 15c up

Colored Bed Spreads, $1.40.

Extra large and fringed only $1.40

Boys' and Men's Wear.

Boys' knee pants 35c

Boys' knee pants, all wool, double knee, seat 65c

Boys' 2-piece half wool suits $1.40

Boys' 2-piece allwool suits in light and dark colors $2.50

Boys' 3-piece allwool vestee suits, plain colors 2.50

Boys' 2 or 3-piece allwool extra fine suit in plain colors, stripes and checks $3.50

Young men's long pant suits $4.25

Young men's long pant suits, allwool, light and dark colors $5.50

Yonng men's long pant suits, allwool, fine quality, all colors, worth elsewhere $12.50 ..... $7.50

Men's wool jeans pants $1.00

Men's wool hairline stripe pants 1.90

Men's dress pant, best colors, made to fit, worth $4.50 ..... $3.50

Men's good heavy work shirt in light and dark colors 50c

Sample line men's colored stiff and golf shirts at wholsale prices.

Men's jersey ribbed shirts and drawers, each 25c

Men's gray merino shirts and drawers, each 25c

Men's French balbriggan ribbed shirts and drawers, each 50c

Men's wool merino, in gray and tan, shirts and drawers, each 65c

Men's 50c teck ties 25c

Men's 40c suspenders 25c

Four pair men's 10c socks 25c

Six red bandana handkerchiefs 25c

2 pair men's balbriggan sox 25c

42x36 in. PILLOW CASES, ready for use 9c

45x36 in. " " " " " 10c

7-4 SHEETS, hemmed, ready for use 45c

8-4 " " " " " 50c

9-4 " " " " " 55c

56-inch TABLE DAMASK, bleached, floral design, yard 40c

Same, 60-inch, yard 50c

6-4 TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS, each 75c

THE FIELD OF SPORT

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Seattle	31	19	.620
Butte	27	21	.563
Spokane	23	25	.479
Portland	22	24	.478
Helena	21	26	.447
Tacoma	19	28	.404

The Portland baseball team, which left Portland yesterday afternoon, will be gone two weeks. After playing five games at Tacoma the champions will move over to Jack Grimm's territory, where five games will be played.

The local team will then come home and will play here a month. The opening game will be with Butte, on the 22d, followed by Helena, Tacoma and Spokane. Now that the team has regained confidence and lost its hoodoo, Manager Vigneux feels sure that, with the coming six series, he will again have his team at the top of the heap.

BUTTE OUTPLAYED.

Seattle simply outplayed the Butte men yesterday. Pitcher Hickey was at his best, and the support given him was excellent. On the other hand, Butte, with all its heavy hitters, could not connect with men on bases, when hits meant runs. The summary:

Seattle ..... 0 1 0 1 0 3 2 1 *—8
Butte ..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Earned runs, Seattle 2; two-base hits, Hurlburt, Hurley, Stanley, Klopf; stolen bases, Schwartz 2, Hurlburt, Kane; double plays, Kane to McIntyre, Kane to Ward to McIntyre; sacrifice hits, Klopf, Hurley, Hickey, Treadway; left on bases, Seattle 2, Butte 2; bases on balls, off Hickey 3, off Gay 4; hit by pitcher, by Hickey 2; struck out, by Hickey 6, by Gay 3; time of game, 1 hour and 35 minutes; umpire, Dexter Smith.

HELENA SHUT OUT.

Helena's costly errors gave Spokane the game yesterday, but Corcoran for the latter team pitched good ball, which materially helped his side win. The summary:

Spokane ..... 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 *—3
Helena ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Three-base hit, McLaughlin; stolen base, Elsey; double plays, Kelly to Reitz to Elsey (2), Reitz to Elsey, Holly to Shaffer to Holly, Schmeer to Peeples; sacrifice hits, McKevitt 2, Peeples; bases on balls, off Corcoran 1, off Thompson 1; struck out, by Corcoran 1; left on bases, Spokane 5, Helena 7; passed ball, Sullivan; time of game, 1 hour and 45 minutes; umpire, Cunningham.

NEW FOOTBALL RULES.

The football authorities have been busy with the rules to be followed this year. There are several radical changes introduced for the betterment of the sport. Among them the following are noted:

1. Gouging and hair-pulling are to be strictly barred.

2. All contestants will have to wear eight-ounce gloves, without horse shoes.

3. No fighting in the clinches or breakaways.

4. No spikes longer than two inches will be allowed on shoulder plates or heargear.

5. The management of games will provide ambulances before the accidents occur. This will apply in regard to surgeons, also.

6. Champagne is to be prohibited as a thirst-quencher while training. (This is felt to the directed at the Columbia tactics.)

7. Referees and umpires will be asked to pass rigid examinations as to their knowledge of the manly art as set forth by the late Marquis of Queensberry.

TWO GOOD MATCHES.

Billy Lavigne has signed Joe Gans, the lightweight champion pugilist, and Rufe Turner, the Stockton wonder, who holds the Coast championship in the same class, to meet before the Acme Club of Oakland. The match will come off on the 24th, the night preceding the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight in San Francisco. In Turner Gans will find he is up against about the hardest game he ever tackled, and the go will be worth going miles to see.

The other match referred to is one clinched for Salt Lake City during the coming Elks' carnival, between George Gardner and Jack Root. This will undoubtedly be a good fight, but Gardner will be a hot favorite. In this connection it may be stated that Jack Grant is in receipt of a letter from Alex Greggains, manager of Gardner, in which he offers to match his man with any fighter in the world, barring Jeffries only. That is a pretty sweeping challenge.

SHARKEY AND IRELAND.

The Chicago Record-Herald prints the following squib: "Tom Sharkey is going to visit his old home in Ireland, the worst place on earth to go after the manner in which he downheld the glory of his ancestors. We anticipate the following:

"Tom Sharkey, a tough-looking seaman, arrived in town today. He claims to be an Irishman.—Dundalk American.

"Tommy Sharkey of China is in Ireland for the first time. He thinks he used to be an Irishman.—Dundee Patriot.

"An alleged pugilist passed through here today. All the boys took a punch at him. He's from London.—Kilkenny Rouster."

SIELOFF AND COUHIG.

Otto Sieloff has taken a contract to fight Tom Couhig at Fore Erie, July 15. As Couhig whipped Martin Duffy twice, Sieloff's bout with the man from Dunkirk, N. Y., will be interesting. Sieloff has been fighting well of late, but he is giving considerable weight to Couhig. The weights are to be 140 pounds at 2 o'clock, and, while Couhig will about get inside the limit, Sieloff will be about five pounds under. Five pounds is considerable to give as tough a man as Couhig. An arrangement for clean breaks has been made, however.

SHORT SPORTING NOTES.

Tommy Tracy, who is always looking for a match, and who has been in demand recently by Seattle to meet either Ferns or Gans, gave out his ultimatum yesterday as follows: "I will fight Gans at 140 pounds, ring in at 3 o'clock, or Ferns at 142 pounds at 6 o'clock. This is final, and if either of them want my game at those weights, let them come to the front."

George Kearns of Milwaukee last night knocked out Kid Rogers of Chicago in just 12 seconds of actual fighting. The mill was pulled off at Butte, Mont.

The Southern Baseball League at a meeting at Chattanooga, Tenn., yesterday decided not to permit players who break contracts to play in the Southern League. It was also decided that the game in which Pitcher St. Vrain, formerly of Chicago and Tacoma, participated, should go to the opposing club. St. Vrain is barred from playing.

Captain B. E. Mott of the Fifers baseball team is up in arms against the Mount Scott team. "The Mount Scott team," said Mr. Mott, "contains some very ungentlemanly players, and our nine was roughly treated there last Sunday."

Walter N. Pierce was elected president of the Inland Empire League yesterday, and Mitchell and Ryan were signed as umpires. The season will open July 11, with Walla Walla at La Grande and Pendleton at Baker City.

In a poor game at Walla Walla yesterday, the home team beat the Oregon City nine. The score:

	R	H	E
Walla Walla	9	14	7
Oregon City	4	6	3

Take Example.

Customer (at a restaurant)—Can't I see the proprietor?

Waiter—Very sorry, sir, but he's just stepped out to lunch.—Judge.

Dr. W. A. Wise.

Do Not Delay

If your teeth need attention. Few people realize the necessity of arresting decay of the teeth in its early stage. Small cavities that are exposed only by careful examination, may be filled at small cost of time and money, which if neglected, in time cause lots of trouble.

Dr. T. P. Wise.

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