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I have a few field & stream products from Dick's. I'm pretty happy with them. Not top of the line, but functional at good prices.

For instance, I have a wading jacket I got for \$30 and couldn't be happier with. Since I only wear a wading jacket on 10% of my outings or so, it just doesn't make sense to buy something expensive. And this one works fine as a rain coat/windbreaker for non-fishing as well.

This does just sound like Dick's going back to being Dick's, though. There was a time when it was a good fishing/hunting/camping store, with premium brands, in addition to team sports. The clothing/golf/shoes, etc. were secondary. That flipped over time, as they pushed more and more clothing and golf, and shrunk the old standby's. Now, perhaps, this is the beginning of just separating them. They'll have 1 store for the clothing, golf, and team sports, and another store for outdoor sports. Trying to take on the Cabela's and Bass Pro's of the world.