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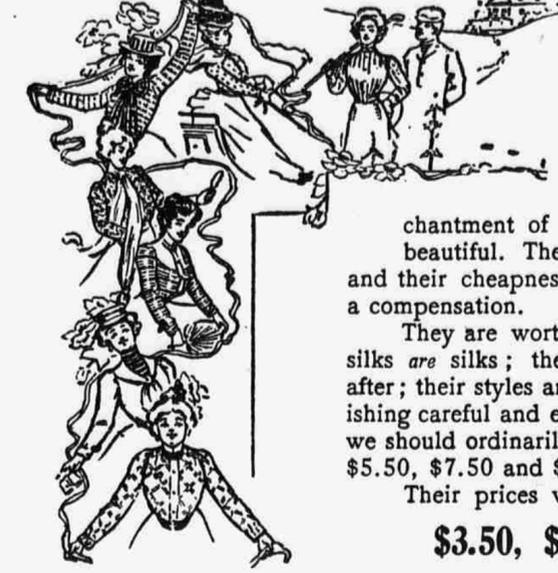
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# HEARN

West Fourteenth Street

## Silk Waists—Important

WE have secured a fair-sized quantity of satin and taffeta silk waists, and we are to sell them this morning at a set of prices that will make a stir.



It is not only that these are low prices;—that in itself means nothing, for low prices are frequently put on waists that no woman would wear if she could help it. These need no enchantment of little prices to make them beautiful. They are beautiful in themselves, and their cheapness is an added attraction, not a compensation.

They are worthy of Wanamaker's. Their silks are silks; their colors are those you are after; their styles are new and correct; their finishing careful and expert. They are waists that we should ordinarily be glad to have here at \$5, \$5.50, \$7.50 and \$10.

Their prices will be—

**\$3.50, \$4, \$5 and \$6**

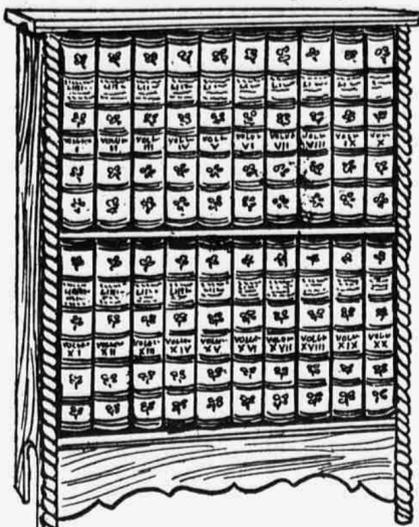
## Praise From Over the Sea

THE National Library of France is the largest collection of books in the world. It would make five libraries the size of the largest one in this country.

The Library of the British Museum is the next greatest. The librarians of these two vast libraries are not chosen for political reasons, but because they, of all the men in the French and English nations, are best qualified to have charge of all these books. They are the two most eminent book-authorities in the whole world—the highest appeal on book matters.

### The International Library

Here are their deliberate convictions regarding it:



Richard Garnett, Librarian of the British Museum, the largest library in England, says of the International Library: "The greatest extent of the collection, unparalleled in any similar undertaking, allows the selection of those pieces which have appeared with especial force to the general heart and conscience, those pieces which have actually striven and prevailed in the great literary struggle for existence."

Lion Valles, Librarian of the Bibliothèque Nationale—the National Library of France—writes of the International Library: "It is tremendous. It is a circle of all the most remarkable productions of the human mind in every sort of literature, during all the centuries and among every nation. The selections are good, judicious, intelligent and complete. The treatment of the great French authors is particularly happy."

If either of these two men were to look over your private collection of books, wouldn't you feel flattered by a favorable opinion?

Don't you think that books so recommended are pretty good things to have in the house for your own and your children's reading?

These are 20 big volumes, illustrated with over 500 beautiful full page pictures. By joining the Wanamaker Library Club you secure the set at half price. The membership fee is only One Dollar.

But the Club is nearly filled. You may join this week, perhaps all next week, but the end of the half price is near at hand.

The complete set (20 big vols.), any binding, is sent to those joining the Wanamaker Club. The membership fee is ONLY \$1. The balance you pay monthly for 15 months: \$2 for cloth binding, \$3 for half morocco, \$4 for rich three-quarter levant, or \$6 for sumptuous full levant, such as delights the connoisseur. We recommend one of the leather bindings as being more appropriate for so large a volume, and more durable. Specimen pages and full information concerning club membership sent free.

## JOHN WANAMAKER

Formerly A. T. Stewart & Co., Broadway, 4th ave., 9th and 10th sts., N. Y.

## A Serial Story in Silk Bargains

This is a new chapter in a "continued in our next" silk story. The previous installments have won us a most interested set of readers, who will find this chapter fully up to the standard of those preceding it.

We do not suppose that "finis" is to be written here, but we have no knowledge of anything more interesting to come than is here printed. For it is a story of half prices on just such silks as tasteful women want now.

Pretty printed liberty satins in two lots. One comprises kinds that were once \$1.25 to \$1.35 a yard, today \$1.00, \$1 and \$1.10 qualities are now 50c. In these are printings of blue-and-white, lavender and white, gray and black, brown-and-white and white-and-black; dots, flowers and scrolls. Colored check taffetas, 22 in. wide, good 86c. quality, perhaps enough of them for a good 86c. selling at 50c. yd.

### And of Silk Remnants

More than a thousand chips from the recent hewing at our silk stock. Remnant silks with all the attractions of remnant prices added to their intrinsic merits of style and quality.

The remnant list is always a roll of honor, because it naturally includes the best selling silks. So here are bits of China silks, colored taffetas, crepe de Chine, Bengalines, poplins, satin duchesse, sarahs, fancy taffetas, printed Indias, black taffetas, grem-grains, damasses, Indias and peau de soie, with a lot of plain white and cream, that, having sustained the brunt of the buying for weeks, are now glorious in their scarcity.

Lengths from one yard to ten yards. Tiny prices. Remnants and Fourth avenue.

### Some Remarkable Challies

Only a few thousand yards of these, but splendid goods to pick among while they last. They are silk-and-wool goods, that take the silk appearance and the wool durability. The patterns are printed in delicate colors on cream-colored ground. And best of all a price of 28c. a yard instead of the 40c. a yard that has been the lowest price heretofore.

### Some Very Cheap Piques

We are selling them at 12 1/2c. a yard, and they are honest 30c. and 37 1/2c. sorts of earlier Spring days. Some days ago we offered forty thousand yards of these goods at this price. These are gone, but the demand still exists, and we have been able to get ten thousand yards more. We don't expect to find another yard after these are gone.

These are 1899 goods, in stripes and checks and plaids on both colored and white grounds. Colors are as fast as colors can be made—these are high-grade goods. But have you ever known high-grade piques so cheap?

### Rare Values in Handkerchiefs Be Prompt

Several lots, both men's and women's, are ready this morning, priced so low that they won't last long, though the quantities are large.

First, the women's—All-linen embroidered handkerchiefs, the sort we called "seconds," with lace so trifling that close inspection is required to discover them. If not for that unimportant fact they would be double these prices:

25c., 35c., 50c.

And the men's—These are also imperfect, but few men would ever know where. A heavy thread here and there, perhaps, or a little almost imperceptible knot in the hem. These alleged faults make them:

Price 15c. Each

instead of 20c. and 30c. Fifty of the latter sort in the lot.

Banquet and Reception Lamps—Cheap

The values of these hand-some lamps are \$6, \$8 and \$10. Choose to-day at \$4.

Gilt and gun metal trimmings; light and dark tints; prettily decorated; attractive shapes and styles. Basement.

### More About Golf Capes

"The warmer the day, the cooler the night." That's a saying that may not wholly hold good for these latitudes, but it's near enough to the truth to make Golf Capes worth talking about in the hottest New York weather.

If you are going away, of course you'll need one. If you stay at home you'll need one, too. And here are chances:—

A lot—about 35—of medium-priced capes, \$13.50 and \$15 qualities, are now \$10 each.

Handsome Scotch rugs, plain and plaid backs, some plaid both sides, in the newest styles, are here at various prices from \$7.50 to \$27.50.

### Robes, Spangled and Lace, at Half Prices

You know them?—the beautiful, filmy, lacy things that stand supreme among all claimants to richness in dress.

Generally they cost a good deal of money, because they are productions of the highest sort of skilled labor, and they take a long time to make. But just now we offer nearly a hundred at half prices.

The fact is, we rather overdid it. These were so pretty and rich that we were tempted to buy what now appears to be too many. But not at these figures.

Black-and-white. They were \$18 to \$100. They are now \$9 to \$50, and you can't come too early this morning.

Just when they are in greatest demand come these effective clasps at about half their value. They are in four-leaf clover design, in enamel and gilt, beautifully colored. 20c. each.

Chocolate Covered Cream Cherries

These became immediately popular upon their introduction in our Candy Store last year. Here's a fresh lot—first we have had in a long time. They are French cherries, rolled in cream and coated with chocolate. 20c. a pound.

### Women's Shoes At \$1.50

Of course they are more than \$1.50 shoes. The mere fact that they are on the fifth floor would have told you that, for there's nothing common about the fifth floor values except their "uncommonness." What do you think of these at \$1.50?

WOMEN'S SHOES AT \$1.50. Lasted and buttoned boots of black chrome tanned kidskin, with oak tanned soles, welled and stitched on by the Goodyear process; an honest shoe, of good but not fine material, made between seasons from the same patterns and on the same lasts as used for the high-cost goods of all sizes and widths.

WOMEN'S OXFORDS AT \$1.50. Black and tan colored kidskin Oxford shoes; heavy of thin sole, patent leather and kid tips; better value than most \$2 shoes.

Fifth floor Shoe Store.

### Summer Bed Clothing

In buying blankets and comfortables, there is often timidity and doubt as to quality. Prices tell nothing save about themselves. Here, however, the qualities are positively known to us, and we tell you exactly what they are. Now let the prices talk:

### Imported Men's Collars, 75c. Doz.

All sizes, all the correct shapes, round and square corners,—all that remain of our stock of imported collars are to-day only 75c. doz. We have sold thousands of these at \$1.80 a dozen, and they were reasonably priced at that figure.

Men's Furnishings Goods Store, Ninth street.

### New Books Of Universal Interest

The past few weeks have been unusually rich in the productions of works of noted writers, and books of exceptional merit by authors less widely known. New publications are to be found, invariably, on our tables the day they are issued from the press. A partial list of good books now claiming public attention here follows:

- The Rough Riders. By Theodore Roosevelt. Illustrated.
- The Market Place. By Harold Frederic. Illustrated.
- The European Tour. By Grant Allen.
- James Russell Lowell and His Friends. By Edward Everett Hale. With portraits and illustrations.
- The Johnsons. By Mary E. Wilkins. Illustrations in colors.
- The Awkward Age. By Henry James.
- Worship and the Colonies. With other memories, literary and political. By Ellis Loring Aldrich.
- A Thousand Days in the Arctic. By Frederick O. Jackson.
- The Break-Up of China. With an account of its present commerce, currency, armies and prospects. By Lord Charles Palmer. With portraits and maps.
- The Philippines. A political, geographical, ethnographical, social and commercial history of the Philippine Archipelago. By John Foreman. New edition, revised and enlarged, with maps and illustrations.
- Through Nature to God. By John Fiske.
- Life, Writings and Correspondence of George Borrow. Edited by Mrs. J. B. Fitcher.
- Young Lives. By Richard Le Gallienne. With illustrations.
- A Little Journey and Other Stories. By Mrs. L. B. Woodford.

The Book Store, Ninth street.

### BROADWAY & 11TH ST. TRIMMED HATS.

Straw Tam O'Shanter, in Blue, Brown, White and Black.

Alpines in all colors, as well as mixed straws. Sailors in Black, Brown, White and Blue rough braids.

Hats for Women, Misses and Children.

All trimmed with silk, Velvet Ribbon, Quills,—for Street wear, Golf and Cycling.

A large assortment, many styles, one price, 75 Cents Each; Worth from \$1.50 to \$6.00.

An importer's stock which we shall close out to-day.

JAMES McCREERY & CO., Broadway and 11th St.

**COLLARS AND CUFFS**  
TRADE MARK  
THE BEST MADE

### STEAMER IDELWILD.

Excursions. Saturdays from Rock Hill, N. Y., East 31st St., 8:15. Returning, arrive in N. Y. at 8 P. M. Sundays and Decoration Day. Rock Hill, 9:30 A. M. East 31st St., 10 A. M. Returning, arrive in N. Y. 6:00 P. M. Round-trip, 50c.

### STEAMER GRAND REPUBLIC

for Newburg and West Point. SUNDAY, MAY 28TH, leaves Bridge Dock, Brooklyn, 8:40; West 10th St., 9:20 A. M.; West 20th St., 10:40 A. M. Returning, arrive in N. Y. 6:00 P. M. Round-trip, 50c.

### Iron Steamboat Co. CONEY ISLAND.

Commencing Saturday, May 27, 1899. Leave 22d St., N. R., Hourly, 9:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M. Leave Pier 1, N. R., Hourly, 9:30 A. M. to 7:30 P. M. Leave New York Pier, Coney Island, Hourly, 10:40 A. M. to 8:40 P. M. Excursion Tickets, 25 Cents.

### SPECIAL EXCURSION BRIDGEPORT AND ROTON POINT.

SUNDAY, MAY 28. Iron Steamboat "Cepheus" will leave Foot 22d St., N. R., 10 A. M. will leave Roton Point, N. Y., 10:30 A. M. will leave Bridgeport 4:30 P. M. will leave Roton Point 5:00 P. M. Fare Round Trip 50 Cents. Also May 28 GRAND SPECIAL EXCURSION up the beautiful Hudson to NEWBURGH.

Iron Steamboat "Sirius" will leave Pier 1, N. R., 1:30 A. M., will leave Newburgh 4:00 P. M. Fare Round Trip 50 Cents. Music and Refreshments.

### DECORATION DAY. Steamer Grand Republic

will make special excursion Tuesday, May 30th, to POINT AND Poughkeepsie, NEWBURGH, and Poughkeepsie.

FARE ROUND TRIP, 50c. Bridge Dock, Brooklyn, 8:00 Foot W. 10th St., N. Y., 8:25 Foot W. 20th St., N. Y., 9:10 Battery Landing, N. Y., 9:10 Foot W. 31st St., N. Y., 10:00

### Lehigh Valley System. POPULAR DECORATION DAY EXCURSIONS.

NIAGARA FALLS \$8.00 Round Trip. MAUCH CHUNK \$2.00 Round Trip.

For tickets and full information apply at Lehigh Valley offices. General Eastern office, 285 Broadway, New York.

### EUROPE H. GAZE & SONS Estab. TOURIST AGENCY 1844

1 N. Y. CRUISES, Gaze's Aot. Four Programs, all Europe, now ready—easy where you are going, individual trip. Excursion parties, Round the World, Tourist Club, 100 pp. free. 115 Broadway, New York.

### CAIRO. DECORATION DAY EXCURSION. CATSKILL EVENING LINE.

CATSKILL MOUNTAIN RAILWAY. Ticket, New York to Cairo and return, good from Saturday evening, May 27, to Wednesday morning, May 31, for \$2.00. Boat leaves Christopher St. Pier at 9 P. M., as usual. Tickets on board. Telephone, 1489 Spring.

### EXCELLENT SEA BATHS FISHING—Every Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday on steamer DELPAIN, the only boat ever built for this service, luxurious, safe, speed and comfort. From East 31st St., 1:00, Brooklyn Bridge dock, 7:40, Battery, 8:10. On and after May 28, daily trips. AL FOSTER.

## FRIDAY, AS USUAL, BARGAIN DAY.

Tuesday being Decoration Day

## Both GO-AWAYS and STAY-AT-HOMES

will find that

MONEY SAVED ON FRIDAY PURCHASES will pay for many a holiday trip.

### FANCY DRESS GOODS

Wool Checks—Spring Colorings—38 cents a short time ago..... 12 1/2% All Wool Novelties and Fancy Weaves Plain Colors—worth .65 to 1.25..... .69

FANCY WOOL CHALLIES Floral and All Over Designs—Satin Stripes—fine quality—beautiful styles equal to any shown in the imported at triple price..... .24

BLACK DRESS GOODS 48-inch Cheviot Serges—all wool..... .49 Fancy Mesh Grenadines—strictly all wool—deep, rich black; worth .65..... .39 Fancy Black-and-White Challies—all wool..... .49

FANCY DRESS GATEENS 150 pieces—splendid quality—Figure and all-over designs—Plain unprinted cloth is worth 15 cents..... 5% Centre Table—Bazaar Department.

LAWNS AND BATISTES Fancy Dress Lawns—pink, brown, navy, light blue, red, violet and green..... 3% Fancy Batistes—Stripes in all widths and large and small figures..... 7%

Finest French Organdies—This season's best styles and colorings—plain and satin Stripes—Import price 27 and 34 cents..... .19 Included in these are choice Second Mourning effects in Helle and White with Gray.

WASHABLE TAFFETA SILKS Plain and changeable checks and fancy stripes—light and medium colorings—worth .58..... .39

TAFFETAS AND FOULARDS Novelty effects in Fancy Striped Taffetas, corded and plain—light and dark..... .49 Silk Foulards and Indias—Blue-and-white striped and Beured—24 inches wide..... .49

SUMMER GLOVES Ladies' Suede Lisle Gloves..... .19 Ladies' All Silk Gloves..... .29 Ladies' 2 Clasp Kid—all shades..... .59 Ladies' 5 Hook Foster Lacing..... .79

BELTS AND SHIRT WAIST SETS Rolled Gold and Sterling Belts..... .49 Velvet and Crush Taffeta Belts..... .69 Silk and Lisle—novelty buckles..... .49 Sterling Klank Cuff Buttons..... .24

HOSIERY AND UNDERVESTS Ladies' Fast Black Hose—blue soles..... .19 Children's Rib Hose—Double Knees..... 12 1/2% Ladies' Rib Vests—Crotch finish..... .19 Ladies' Rib Silk Vests—lace trim..... .49

LADIES' SUMMER SKIRTS Farmers' Satin—Corded Buffs..... .98 Washable Serges—Deep Ruffles..... .49 Metallic Stripes—New styles..... .98 Taffeta Silk—Deep flounce..... 3.98

FOR TRAVELLERS Dress Trunks—28 inch—Iron bottom—Cord Hat Box—Victor Lock..... 1.59 Ladies' Travelling Trunks—30 inch—Strong Clasp—Extra heavy straps..... 3.98 Cases containing Comb and Hair, Nail and Tooth Brushes..... .49 Leather Collar Boxes with button holder..... .98

HORSE CLOTHING Mornie Lap Robes—plain and emb'd..... .79 Canvas Horse Shoes..... .39 With two surcingle straps attached..... .49 Fancy Field Coolers—strapped..... 1.25

TABLE LINENS 98 cent Satin D'ble Damasks..... 1.76 Napkins to match—medium size..... 1.48 Restaurant Napkins—28 inches square—fast edge—per dozen..... .98 All Linen Roller Towelling—17 inch..... 5%

SUMMER FLOOR COVERINGS Best All Wool Art Squares—finest bristles—value .80..... .19 Red, Green, Oak and Wood 8x2 yds..... 3.29 3x2 1/2 yds..... 6.79 Smyrna Centre Rugs—genuine Smyrna and all wool—6x9 ft..... 7.98 7.8x10.6 ft..... 12.49 9x12 ft..... 17.98

WHITE GOODS White Piques—4 styles—28 inch—also White Cheviot Sueding—worth 18..... 12 1/2% Imported dotted and Fig'd Swisses..... 12 1/2% Dot and Lace Stripes Swisses..... 5%

STAMPED GOODS, ETC. 1 N. Y. Duok Boars..... 9 Children's Duok Bibs..... 4 Twisted Em' by Silks—dozen skeins..... .25 Ever Ready Skirt Bands—All sizes..... 5

TOILET ARTICLES French Cloth Brushes—finest bristles—value .80..... .19 Whisk Brooms—best corn—extra full 4 ble stitched—wire bound..... .10 5-crown Glycerine Toilet Soaps—Honey, Cloves, Oatmeal, Elder Flower, also Wizard Tar Soap..... 2 1/2% Green and White Castile Soap—three pound bars—usually 19 and 24..... 12 Petroleum Jelly—4 oz.—screw top Violet Ammonia—highly perfumed..... 8

LADIES' SPRING JACKETS Ten Covert—silk lined; wore 4.08..... 2.98 Tan Covert—silk lined; wore 4.08..... 4.49 Fine Black and Castor—rich stripe linings—6 styles; wore \$10 and \$12 6.98

LADIES' SILK WAISTS Black, White and Cold Taffeta—full corded or tucked back and front—dress and cuff sleeves—all sizes..... 3.98 Black Chiffon—silk lined..... 6.98

MILLINERY Ladies' and Children's Untrimmed Hats—variety of shapes—all colors—value .80 and 79..... .24 Children's Trimmed Hats—best styles, including Lophorns..... 3.98 Special lot of Bosses, Bluets and Pollage..... .10

FOR MISSES AND GIRLS Crash Eton Suits—fancy duck collar—braided trim—6 to 14 years..... .98 Percale Blouse Fuits— Sailor collar—8 to 12 yrs..... 1.19 White Lawn Dresses—yoke of all-over Emb'y—8 to 14 yrs..... 1.98 White Pique Skirts—button back—33 to 39 inch..... 1.19

BOYS' SUITS Double Breasted Cheviot and Serge—7 to 16 years..... 2.98 Wide Waist Serge and Cheviot..... 3.98 3 pc. Vest Suits—10 to 16 yrs..... 3.98 Of Clay and Wide Waist Worsteds..... 5.98

BOYS' WAISTS AND HATS Percale Waists—4 to 13 yrs.; worth .30 "Mother's Friend"—unlaundered..... .29 Cheviot and Percale Blouses..... .29 Golf Caps—cloth and crash..... .19 Straw Hats—all kinds..... .49

BOYS' CAPS AND HATS Corded and Tucked Lawn and Embroidered Silk—suits to 4 yrs..... .17 Corded Washable Hats—Button crown—suits to 3 yrs..... .39

LADIES' CORSET COVERS Fine Cambric—perfect shape—V neck—wide Em'y—all sizes..... .19 High and Low Neck, with fancy fronts—some with trim'd sleeves—all sizes..... .49

NIGHT DRESSES Good muslin, full tucked yoke or Four Insertings and Cambric ruffle..... .39 Cambric and Muslin—12 styles—Empire, Pointed and High Neck..... .69

LADIES' CORSETS About 600 pair Summer Coutille and Strong Net—Long and medium waist—Short and Long fronts..... .49 Friday Clearance large sizes of 1.25 Summer Coutille and Net..... .79

HAMMOCKS Cold Woven—full width—10 1/2 ft..... .69 Full Cold Woven—pillow—salvanized spronder..... .98 Fancy Woven—Pillow and Valance..... 2.19 Fancy Colored Canvas Weave—Pillow and Valance..... 2.98

SUMMER CURTAINS Fancy Fig'd Swiss—ruffled..... .79 Irish Point—full size—inserting—value 1.75..... 1.19 Fine Scotch Lace—Brussels, Irish Point and Arabian effects..... 2.49

COTTAGE DRAPERIES Japanese Gold Fig'd Art Cropes..... 6 1/2 Delt Cropes and Fancy Denims..... 9 1/2 Point D'Espirit Sash Laces—panel and side bordered—value .80..... .49

LACE BED SETS Nottingham Lace—full size—value \$4.98..... 2.98 Irish Point—full size—value 9.98..... 6.98 Point De Paris—full size—value 12.98..... 7.98 Point De Paris—full size—value 15.00..... 9.98

GOOD MUSLINS Yard wide Bleached, excellent for Shirts, Sheets and Pillow Cases..... 5% Remnants Unbleached Sheetings—extra quality—2 1/2 yards wide..... 12 1/2% DOMESTICS Yard wide Cheese Cloth—for picture protection..... 3 Plain Red Tickings—extra heavy—Fast colors—strictly leather proof..... .17

LEATHER HAT BOXES Satin or plush lined—2 and 3 hat places—slightly rubbed—were \$2.50 to \$10.00..... .98 and 1.98

Every week, from day to day, we look around to find those things that have not sold as rapidly as we would wish. Such, while new and still in fashion, we reduce to price that never fails to sell. Friday is the day reduction first is made— Oftentimes in an hour, so the price, we sell as many of a lot of goods as have been sold in days before.

ABOVE ANNOUNCEMENT. Made by Us Many Years Ago. Has Since Been Strictly Observed. Offerings Are Realities, Not Pretences. Success of the Day Is Due to Faithful Fulfillment of Promises.

There Are Those WHO CLAIM ORIGINALITY Whose Best Efforts Are in Pretending TO FOLLOW US AND OUR METHODS. SOME FOLKS HAVE NO SHAME.

Full list of Specialties can be obtained at entrance to our stores. All as advertised. . . . Users will give every desired information.

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