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JOHN WANAMAKER'S NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

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starts the May and June Sales with the unheard-of-aggregate stock of Two and a Half Millions

$2,500,000,

and nowhere in the United States is there so large a stock at retail to which

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have access alike, with prices marked plainly, so that

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The certainty that besides numerous bargains daily spread on the counters the

Big Store is now known to fix the Market Prices

of all the things dealt in, settles exclusively that it is the BEST PLACE FOR STRANGERS to deal.

Those who do not care to stop over night at a hotel, can check bags, coats, umbrellas and packages at the store door, and can get lunch in the building.

The few items below show how things are going just now.

Send postal card for samples.

From one of the largest and best Paris houses we have some splendid lots of Dress Goods, all told about two hundred full pieces, that were not ready for delivery until long after the time, and on account thereof were reduced twenty-five per cent. all around.

This makes some famous bargains:

A 41-inch All-Wool Illuminated Beige, 45c.

A 43-inch All-wool Crepe Beige, 50c. Far under value.

A 45-inch Cashmere Beige 60c. Far under value.

A 42-inch All-wool Check, 50c. Far under value.

A 42-inch All-wool Albatross, 60c. Far under value.

A 42 inch All-wool Albatross, 75c. Far under value.

The following lots are very desirable:

A 40-inch All-wool French Shooda, 50c.

A 42-inch All-wool French Shooda, 75c.

A 42-inch All-wool Pin's Head Check, 60c.

A 31-inch Nun's Veiling (creams), 35c.

The steady increase of our Dress Goods Department must be owing to the constant watch to keep our prices the lowest. We could not afford to cut off dress patterns and take them back, as our rules compel, when others sold at lower rates, so we are on the alert all the time to protect ourselves by marking the lowest figures going.

A magnificent lot of newly imported Lyons Black Grenadines, warranted all silk. The designs are rich and beautiful. Two qualities, $1.25 and $1.50, which is said to be less than half of the cost of importation. Before the goods reached the counters twenty dresses were sold by the sample piece that customers saw in passing. We have some other Black Goods at half price.

Linen Sheetings, 2½ yds. wide, value 90c., now 65c.; value $1.00, now 75c.; value $1.20, now 85c.

45 inch Pillow Linen, 37½c.

54-inch Pillow Linen, 50c.

40-inch Butcher's Linen, 22c.

4-4 Drawer Linen, 18, 22, 25, 28 and 31c.

Fine Cream Damask, $1.25; reduced to $1.

Table Cloths, 2½x2½, 2½x3, 2½x4½, 2½x5 yards.

A Towel, 22x43 inches, weigh half a pound, 25c.

A Damask Towel, 23x48 inches, good and heavy, price now at first hands, 37½c.; our price, 31c.

Ladies' English Solid-color Brilliant Lisle Hose, 50c.

Ladies' Colored Hose, 12½c., hitherto 25c.

Ladies' Long Balbriggan French foot, 20c., hitherto 31c.

Ladies' Fancy Hose, a fifty cent quality for 25c.

Men's full regular made, (German) Brown mixed, 12½c.

Men's English Striped, full regular made, 18c.

Children's full regular made, at 15, 20, 30, 35c., worth double.

The Madras, Nottingham Antique and Tambourd Curtains are in usual abundance.

Furniture coverings begin at 12½c, a yard, and some of our Cretonne are the cheapest we ever had.

Handsome Antique Curtains, $3.50 per pair.

Four styles Gentlemen's Suspenders, made in our workrooms at Oak Hall, 15, 25, 40 and 50.

Balbriggan Underwear, 37½c; used to be 50c. Good Night Shirt, 75c.

Some lots of Buttons and Dress Trimmings at nominal prices as long as they last. New importations of Paris Buttons open.

Children's and Misses' Trimmed Hats, ready to put on, for $1.50, $1.75 and $2, and upwards. These come from our own work rooms.

Ladies' Rough-and-Ready Bonnets and Hats, all colors and black, for 25c.

173 dozen sprays of fine flowers at 25c a spray for millinery and corsage. These are about half price.

There is a new counter for 9 and 12c. Satin and Gros Grain Ribbons, of which we have all colors.

The new Waukenphast Shoe is about the best thing yet that has been done for men, if comfort for the feet is considered. Only first-class workmen can make them, and, as yet, we have not been able to make sufficient quantities to get the price lower than $7; but this is a dollar less than, we are told, is asked elsewhere.

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15 yard Lengths of Summer Silks, 35 to 65c.

Glace Changeable Silk, 65c.

New India Silks, black grounds, small white figures, very handsome, at $1.50.

A fair Black Silk is going now for 75c., and quite a good one for a Dollar.

If you will pay $1.50, we have a quality of the Bellon make that we recommend, and will ask you to recommend after wearing it.

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20 inch Black Satin Parasol, lined in various colors, ten gilt ribs, handsome natural stick, Spanish lace trimmed. Price, $3.

JOHN WANAMAKER,

Chestnut St., Thirteenth and Market Sts.,

PHILADELPHIA.

ON WE GO.

WONDERS OF MODERN SCIENCE.

The Speed of the Sun—The Wild Race Our Entire Solar System.

N. Y. Sun.

It is customary to look upon the sun as if it were the centre of the universe, an immoveable fiery globe around which the earth and other planets revolve while it remains fixed in one place. Nothing could be further from the truth. The sun, is in fact, the most wonderful of travellers. He is flying through space at the rate of not less than a hundred and sixty millions of miles in a year, and the earth and her sister planets are his fellow voyagers, which, obeying his overpowering attraction, circle about him as he advances. In other words, if we could take up a position in open space in advance of the sun, we should see him rushing toward us at the rate of some 450,000 miles a day, chased by his whole family of shining worlds and the vast swarms of meteoric bodies which obey his attraction. The general direction of this motion of the solar system has been known since the time of Sir William Herschel. It is toward the constellation Hercules, which, at this season, may be seen in the northeastern sky at 9 o'clock in the evening. As the line of this motion makes an angle of fifty odd degrees with the plane of the earth's orbit, it follows that the earth is not like a horse at a windlass, circling around the sun forever in one beaten path, but like a ship belonging to a fleet whose leader is continually pushing its prow into unexplored waters. The path of the earth through space is spiral, so that it is all the time advancing into new regions along with the sun. She is on a boundless voyage of discovery, and her human crew are born and die in widely separated tracts of space. Think of the distance over which the travels of the sun have borne the earth only since the beginning of human history! Six thousand years ago the earth and sun were about a million of miles further from the stars in Hercules than they are to-day. Columbus and his contemporaries lived when the earth was in a region of the universe more than sixty thousand millions of miles from the place where it is now, so that since his time the whole human race has been making a voyage through space, in comparison with which his longest voyage was as the footstep of a fly. Thus the great events in the history of the world may be said to have occurred in different parts of the universe. An almost inconceivable distance separates the spot which the earth occupied in the time of Alexander from that which it occupied when Cæsar invaded Gaul. The sun and the earth have wandered so far from their birthplace that the mind staggers in the attempt to guess at the stupendous distance which now probably separates them from it. It may be that the motion of the solar system is orbital and that our sun and many of the stars, his fellow suns, are revolving around some common centre, but if so, no means has yet been devised of detecting the form or dimensions of his orbit. So far as we can see the sun is moving a straight line.

Since space is believed to be filled with some sort of ethereal medium, curious consequences are seen to follow from the motions that have been described. A solid globe like the earth rushing at great speed through such a medium will encounter some resistance. If the medium be exceedingly rare, as it must be in fact, the resistance will be correspondingly small, but still there will be resistance. If the sun stood still, the earth owing to the inclination of its axis to the plane of its orbit around the sun, would encounter the resistance of the ether principally on its northern hemisphere from summer to winter, and on its southern hemisphere from winter to summer. But in consequence of the motion of the sun shared by the earth, this law of distribution is changed, and from summer to winter the earth ploughs through the ether with its north pole foremost, while from winter to summer, although the resistance of the ether is encountered more evenly by the two hemispheres, yet it is still felt principally in the northern hemisphere, and the south pole remains practically protected. It follows that the southern hemisphere, and particularly the south polar regions, are more or less completely sheltered the whole year round. It might then be supposed that the impact of the particles of the ether shouldered aside by the earth in its swift flight and the compression produced in front of the advancing globe would tend to raise the temperature of the northern hemisphere as compared with the southern hemisphere, while the south pole, being more or less directly in the wake of the earth, and in a region of rarefaction of the ether, would constantly possess a remarkably low temperature.

Now, it is known that the south polar regions are more covered with ice and snow than those of the north, and that the temperature there the year around is lower. Whether this difference is owing to the effects of the earth's journey through the ether is a question.

The sun, too, moves with his northern hemisphere foremost, and it is worthy of remark that it has been suspected that the northern hemisphere of the sun radiates more heat than the southern.

But, whatever effect it may or may not have upon the meteorological condition of the earth, the fact that the solar system is thus voyaging through space is in itself exceedingly interesting. Not the wildest traveler's dream presents to the imagination such a voyage as this on which every inhabitant of the earth is bound. A glance at a star map shows that the direction in which we are going is carrying us toward a region of the heavens exceedingly rich in stars, many and perhaps most, of which are greater suns than ours. There can be little doubt that when the sun arrives in the neighborhood of those stars it will be surrounded by celestial scenery very different from, and much more brilliant than that of the region of space in which he now is. The inhabitants of the globe at that distant period will certainly behold new and far more glorious heavens, though the earth may be unchanged.

AN ECCENTRIC FARMER.

How He Lives in California.

A case in Los Angeles, California, has excited much attention because of the difficulty of drawing the line between eccentricity and insanity. Frederick M. Shaw, who lives in the Cahuenga mountains, nine miles from Los Angeles, was declared insane by the superior court, but on a rehearing the judgment was set aside and he was released. The charge was brought against him by a neighbor who, it is shrewdly suspected, coveted his land. Shaw's history is so peculiar that it is well worth recalling briefly. He is a relative of Chief Justice Shaw, of Massachusetts, and was first heard of on this coast about ten years ago, when he issued a prospectus of a hygienic colony to be founded in Southern California, the members to live like himself on strictly vegetable diet. He went to England to float his scheme, but although he obtained some encouragement the enterprise was a failure. This made Shaw misanthropic; he retired to Nichols canon, in the mountains, made himself a house in a tree top, and every night ascended to his aerial tenement and pulled up the ladder after him. He dressed in peculiar style, wearing only a flannel shirt and trousers, and lived upon fruits and nuts. The fruits of this communion with nature were a series of letters on the creation of the human species and the best methods of securing health, which were printed in the Los Angeles newspapers and gave him a local reputation of half philosopher, half crank. His fame even spread beyond the coast, and among those who became deeply interested in the philosopher was a New Jersey schoolmistress, Margaret Garey Wright.

A correspondence sprang up between the two. Shaw proved to be an impassioned letter-writer, and the wooing which he carried on at long range was appropriately ended by a marriage by telegraph on June 4, 1879. A dispatch was sent to Shaw by the Rev. C. S. Coit, of Newark, N. J., saying: "Will you take Margaret Garey Wright, of this city, now present to be your wedded wife?" To this Shaw responded: "I will;" and two witnesses being at each end of the line, the marriage was accomplished. The bride was very slow about joining her husband, but at last, after he had given up all hope of seeing her, she appeared one day in Los Angeles and was taken out to the recluse's mountain retreat by a mutual friend. The latter went on in advance to prepare the bridegroom, whom he found clothed only in a shirt and cap, gathering honey. He was prevailed upon to don a pair of trousers to meet his bride. The meeting was rapturous and the couple set up housekeeping in a shanty which Shaw had built under the branches of his favorite tree. To the bridegroom's store of walnuts and honey was added the gift of a box of raisins from the mutual friend. In this primitive fashion the couple lived for two years, when the woman grew weary of fashions in fig leaf and an ascetic diet, and took up her residence in the town. Shaw grew more eccentric, and some of his utterances in the presence of a neighbor who had worried him led to the charge that he was insane. The testimony on the rehearing was very conflicting, but it was shown that the philosopher was not dangerous; so he has once more returned to enjoy his communion with nature.

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"Eleven years our daughter suffered on a bed of misery,

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Under the care of the best physicians,

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