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Bowman's

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These Extra Pre-Inventory Specials to go on Sale To-morrow Morning at 9 O'clock

Some of the quantities are liberal but we cannot guarantee the length of time their sale will last by reason of the unusually low prices.

Chances are the lots will be cleaned up in a hurry — so come early!

WASH BOILERS — No. 8, made of good quality tin — metallic bottom, tin cover and handles. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

69c

BOWMAN'S—Basement
TABOURETTES — Made of oak, finished fumed, height 17 inches — not more than two to a customer and none delivered. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

19c

BOWMAN'S—Fifth Floor
CHIFFON VOILE — in ivory white, 40 inches wide — limit 10 yards to a customer. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yard,

13c

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor
MEN'S SHIRTS — Made of percale, neat stripes, best colorings, attached collars — sizes 14 to 17. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

39c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor
CURTAIN LACE — 36 inches wide, in white and ecru. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yard,

7 1/2c

BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor
CORSETS — Medium and high bust — front lace — elastic top — and embroidery trimmed; sizes 19 to 36. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

89c

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor
BLOUSES — of crepe de chine, size 36 only, in all desirable colorings, embroidered in self color. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

\$1.05

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor
CROCHET COTTON — in white — every number from 3 to 60. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, ball,

6 1/2c

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor
STAMPED GARMENTS — nightgowns, combinations and collar and cuff sets. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

25c

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor
BLEACHED SHEETS — made of medium weight muslin; center seam; size 72x90 inches. Limit 3 to a customer. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 3 for \$1.00, or, each,

37 1/2c

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor
MUSLIN — bleached — also cambric in 2 to 8-yard lengths — Fearless, Hope, Langdon and Lonsdale brands. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yard,

8 1/2c

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor
RIBBON — Mill-ends — plain and fancies — 5 inches wide. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yard,

10c

—Also narrow satin ribbon, yard, 2c.

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor
LACES — shadow, Oriental and silk — 2 to 6 inches wide — white and cream — Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yd.,

5c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor
INFANTS' DRESSES — long slips and short white dresses — 6 months, 1 and 2-year sizes. Made of batiste and nainsook; Bishop and yoke styles, trimmed with hand embroidery, lace insertion and tucking — some counter soiled. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

95c

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor
BRASSIERE SHIELDS — made of net, with lace edge at top; good quality odorless shields — strap at top. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

19c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Our Annual Pre-Inventory Sale Commences Tomorrow, Tuesday, Jan'y. 23d

An announcement largely awaited by many an economically inclined person---for well do they know from past experience the real good savings it stands for

This is the greatest house-cleaning period in store-keeping. It's the time when surplus stocks must be moved absolutely at some price. It's the time when lag-gards must go — when odd lots, ends of lines, must be cleaned out regardless of the price-sacrifice.

Inventory time must find a clean house of merchandise and we have made intelligent preparations in sorting the stocks and re-pricing to such a generous extent that a week's time will record the most spirited and greatest selling we believe in our mercantile history.

All through the store "Pre-Inventory" Sale tickets beckon you to the season's most enticing bargains.

Come To-morrow---Come Every Day of the Sale

Final Prices on Children's Coats And other apparel for tots

Children's coats, 2 to 12 years, all this season's models and perfectly good in every way, but we refuse to carry them over.

Corduroy Chinchilla Plaids Mixtures — Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$2.50.

Children's coats of broad-cloth, plush and velvet; 2 to 12 year sizes. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$7.50.

Children's 4-piece Angora Sweater Sets — cap, leggings, sweater and gloves — in rose, gray, Copenhagen, green and white; 1 to 3-year sizes. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$2.98.

Angora Scarfs, with fringed ends, in white and gray combinations. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 45c.

Infants' Caps, of corded silk, plain and embroidered messaline and silk poplins; turn-back and ribbon trimmed styles; lined and interlined. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 23c.

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Notions

Economy stocking protectors, each,

Purse tops, 15c and 25c
Feather boning in colors, yd., 3c
Black and white belting, yd., 3c
Ever-ready button holes, piece, 15c
Black linen carpet thread, hank, 3c
Skirt belts, 5c

Bias binding, in colors, yd., 1c
Black and white featherbone, yd., 3c
Fancy shell combs, 5c
Fancy mounted hair pins, 15c
Amber and shell hair pins, 5c
Pearl buttons, card, 5c
Fancy buttons, broken lines and sizes, dozen, 5c and 10c
Stickerei edging, 6 pieces 10c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Toilet Requisites

Talcum powder, scented with Violet of Sicily, Santana, Sweet Pea, Corylopsis and Honeymoon, can, 9c.

Nail files, 6 to 8 inches long, 10c.
Large size chamois, 9c.
Poudre de beauté, 19c.

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Black Silk

35-inch width black majestic silk — satin finish rich black — absolutely pure silk. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yard,

95c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Serge Dresses In the Pre-Inventory Sale

Several models of stylish serge dresses — contrasting collars and cuffs — touches of bead embroidery — ribbon tie at neck — colors brown, Burgundy, green, navy blue, black — full range of sizes. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$8.75.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Silk Dresses

Limited quantity of silk dresses in the dark colors — were formerly sold at much higher prices — a clean-up at a very low Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$8.75.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Sale Dotted Swiss Muslin

Dotted Swiss muslin, 40 inches wide; especially desirable for curtains. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yd.,

13c

BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

Men's Suspenders

Lot of men's lisle inch suspenders, leather ends. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

19c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Furniture

We have done a very large business in furniture, and as a result we have on hand a number of odd pieces which we must close out. These must go at once to make room for new goods soon to arrive.

We cannot go into detail or enumerate the various kinds, but our furniture floor is filled with these specials and plainly ticketed so that a visit here will be most interesting to intending buyers.

A few specimen values to illustrate the kind of bargains you may expect.

All odd dining chairs in our stock—leather and cane seats. **\$1.00**

Pre-Inventory Sale Price, each

All odd arm chairs in our stock to be sold at Pre-Inventory Sale Price **\$2.00**

Serving tables left from period suites—American walnut, solid mahogany, Jacobean oak, Kaiser gray—choice of these high-grade pieces of furniture. Pre-Inventory Sale Price **\$6.95**

Dressing tables — majority with triplicate mirrors—American walnut, quartered oak, tuna mahogany, circassian walnut. Pre-Inventory Sale Price **\$9.75**

Wooden beds — Colonial and Adam design — mahogany and circassian walnut. Pre-Inventory Sale Price **\$7.75**

BOWMAN'S—Fifth Floor.

Rare Saving Opportunities in the Housefurnishing Departments

Several thousand dollars' worth of standard merchandise to be sold quickly.

We are making extensive alterations in our basement which forces us to dispose of all surplus stock and also—to close out many odd lines that are in the way.

To-morrow we feature the following underpriced lots — look for further daily specials in addition.

Imported Coaster Sets consisting of nickel plated tray and six coasters. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 49c.

Aluminum Double Roaster — round shape — pans can be used separately. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 89c.

Mahogany Wood Nut Bowls—nickel plated liner; six nut picks and nut cracker. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$1.69.

Casserole — 10-inch fire-proof casserole, with nickel plated brass receptacle. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 49c.

Serving Trays — white enamel and mahogany finish; assorted patterns. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 89c.

Oil Mops — an assortment of oil mops for polishing hardwood floors — limited quantity. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 23c.

Smokeless Fry Pans — made of sheet steel with ventilated tin cover. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 69c.

Clothes Hamper — made of splint with hinged cover; 26 inches high. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 83c.

BOWMAN'S—Basement

American Fibre Pail — for household use; limited quantity. Pre-Inventory Sale Price 23c.

Clothes Baskets — oak splint baskets — more durable than willow; length, 34 inches. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 89c.

Wood Lap Board — varnish finished, with yard measure stenciled on edge. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 73c.

Leader Clothes Rack — can be attached to wall; has eight arms, 3 inches long, which gives 20 feet of drying space — a handy article for the kitchen. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 43c.

Folding Ironing Board — board is 5 ft. in length, with small sleeve board attached — good, strong and substantial. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$1.23.

Economy Shelf and Lining Paper—for lining pantry and cupboard shelves, sideboard and dresser drawers. 100 linear feet to roll. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 19c.

Tea Kettles — solid copper tea kettles, nickel plated; large size. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$1.39.

BOWMAN'S—Basement

Pre-Inventory Sale of Towels

Turkish towel sets in pink and blue borders. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 72c.

—Also baby towel sets in Turkish at 72c.

Baby bath blankets at 72c.
Fine grade Turkish towels in colored stripes — guest size to match.

Large size, 59c.
Guest size, 28c.

Colors, pink, blue, gold and lavender.

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Vacuum Cleaners

Vacuum cleaners with brush — mahogany cases — made and guaranteed by the National Sweeper Co. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

\$2.98

BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Curtains

Lace curtains in white and ecru—odd pairs — all to go. Pre-Inventory Sale Price **HALF PRICE**

Curtain lace in white and ivory—42 and 46 inches wide. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yd., 12 1/2c.

Bird's-eye denim, 36 inches wide, in pink, blue and red. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yd., 19c.

BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

Framed Pictures

A Pre-Inventory clean-up of a lot of framed pictures — beautiful subjects — brown mission frames — size 16x20 inches. Pre-Inventory Sale Price,

29c

BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

On Sale To-morrow Afternoon at 1.30 P.M.

Mercerized table damask, floral patterns — 8-inch colored borders of gold, pink, blue and lavender — 64 inches wide. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yard,

33c

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Women's Blouses

White voile waists culled from various lines — styles comprising those with lace, frill and tuck trimmings. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 39c, 69c, \$1.39, \$2.25, \$2.95 to \$4.25.

Crepe de chine, and Georgette blouses in flesh, maize, and white, hand embroidered with narrow imitation Irish lace and tucks. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$1.59.

Broken lines of black waists — Georgette crepe, Jap silk, crepe de chine and soisette. Pre-Inventory Sale Prices, 69c, 79c, \$1.79, \$2.75, \$3.79 to \$5.25.

Odd lots of high cost imported French blouses to be closed out at Pre-Inventory Sale Prices **\$5.00** and **\$5.98.**

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Gloves

White and champagne washable kid gloves — self stitched. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$1.50.

Fine kid gloves in odd sizes — white and a few blacks; sizes 5 3/4, 6 3/4, 7, 7 1/4 and 7 3/4. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, \$1.15.

Washable leatherette gloves, mostly white, but a few colors also; all sizes. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 95c.

Golf gloves — all sizes and colors. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 25c.

Children's kid fleece lined gloves; all sizes. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 50c.

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Women's Stockings

Women's thread silk stockings, double soles, high spliced heels, wide garter tops; plain colors and fancy. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 2 pairs **\$1.25**, or pair, 65c.

Women's silk lisle stockings, double soles, high spliced heels, wide garter tops; plain black. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, **42c**

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Crepe Cordlette

Handsome white crepe cordlette, 33 inches wide — very specially adaptable for children's dresses and separate skirts. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, Yard **17c**

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

French Serge

Navy blue soft French serge — 42 inches wide—a very extraordinary Pre-Inventory Special, yard,

89c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Percalle

36-inch percale in stripes, dots, checks and over plaids — light and dark grounds. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, yard,

8 1/2c

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Final Sale of Trimmed Millinery

Balance of winter trimmed hats grouped together in one lot and to be closed out during this Pre-Inventory Sale at, choice,

\$2.00

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Shoes For Men, Women and Boys

Cleaning up the odd lots — lucky will be the fortunate purchasers who participate in these offerings.

FOR WOMEN — Black and brown shoes, lace and buttoned; welted oak soles; smart shapes in sizes from 2 1/2 to 6 1/2. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, **\$3.50.**

Slumber Slippers in various colors. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 5c.

FOR MEN — High and low shoes of excellent quality — the balance of our entire stock, many being worth double the price asked. Sizes range from 5 to 11, middle sizes being scarce. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, **\$3.00.**

FOR BOYS — A few dozen lucky boys wearing sizes from 1 to 4 1/2 may become possessors of as many pairs of wear-resisting tan and black school shoes. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, **\$1.49.**

—And a few of their small brothers who can wear sizes 9 to 12 can buy the same grades for **\$1.25.**

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Muslin Underwear

GOWNS — Low neck and short sleeve gowns trimmed with lace edge; high neck or V-neck gowns with long sleeves, tucked yokes—neck and sleeves finished with narrow hemstitched ruffle. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 29c.

CORSET COVERS — made of fine nainsook, trimmed with lace, insertion and embroidery, ribbon and beading — a variety of dainty styles. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 29c.

PETTICOATS — white and flesh with deep flounces, finished with edges of lace, embroidery and insertion. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 65c.

CORSET COVERS — made of fine nainsook, with lace, embroidery and medallion trimmings. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 35c.

GOWNS — made of fine quality nainsook; low neck and short sleeve styles trimmed with lace and insertion, finished with narrow edges of embroidery; also high or V-neck muslin gowns, with long sleeves, and yokes with cluster of tucks. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 49c.

GOWNS — cambric or nainsook, with V, high or, low necks; long and short sleeves; prettily trimmed with lace and embroidery. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 39c.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Pre-Inventory Sale of Silk Undergarments

CAMISOLES — made of crepe de chine, washable silks and satin, prettily trimmed with lace, ribbon and organdie medallions; narrow straps or wide trimmed shoulders. Pre-Inventory Sale Price, 75c.

GOWNS — made of crepe de chine, washable silk and satin; in Empire and other attractive styles; trimmed with ribbon, lace and beading. Pre-Inventory Sale Prices, **\$2.25** and **\$3.95.**

ENVELOPE CHEMISE—crepe de chine and washable silk, trimmed with lace, insertion and beading; some with shoulder straps. Pre-Inventory Sale Prices, **\$1.39** and **\$1.75.**

PETTICOATS — made of washable silk and crepe de chine, with deep flounces of lace, also narrow ruffles to form flounce, finished with narrow edging of lace. Pre-Inventory Sale Prices, **\$2.25** and **\$3.98.**

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Corsets

Broken lots of LaVida and Bon Ton corsets—front lace and back lace—low, medium and high bust—embroidery trimmed — sizes 20 to 36. Pre-Inventory Sale Price

\$2.95

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Men's Shirts

A line of high grade men's shirts to be closed out at