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www.vintagedancers.org e-mail Query@VintageDancers.org or call (781) 606-0096

Basic Resources list:

The Commonwealth Vintage Dancers

Costumes@VintageDancers.org
CVDs 1860s man's stock (necktie) pattern
available for \$2.00, contact Katy Bishop at:

Vintage Victorian, Katy Bishop

(781) 49-WALTZ (781-499-2589)

P. O. Box 9, Nahant, MA 01908

On-line fashion reference library

Also available: Vintage Dress Series books,
including period dress and hairstyles from period
sources.

katy@vintagevictorian.com

www.VintageVictorian.com

Past Patterns (765) 962-3333

PO Box 6029, Dayton, OH 45406-0299

merchant@pastpatterns.com

www.pastpatterns.com

Highly recommended publisher of patterns
taken from original period garments; they are
highly accurate.

Folkwear (888) 200-9099

2000 Riverside Drive #3, Asheville NC 28804

mail@folkwear.com www.folkwear.com

Supplier of historical and ethnic patterns that
are quite accurate and easy to use, has catalog.

Patterns of Fashion (Books)

by Janet Arnold

Drama Book, ISBN 0 333 13607 1

Has historically accurate 1/4 scale patterns for
gowns, taken from actual garments, has evening
gown patterns for many periods.

State Historical Society of Wisconsin

(608) 264-6428

Patterns of History, 30 North Carroll Street,
Madison, WI 53703

Leslie.Bellais@wisconsinhistory.org

www.wisconsinhistory.org/patterns/

A line of historical patterns from original
garments.

Ageless Patterns (760) 288-0379

PO Box 46, Desert Hot Springs, CA 92240

agelesspatterns@aol.com

www.agelesspatterns.com

Publisher of period patterns, mainly taken from
Harper's Bazar pattern sheets, also carries his-
torical patterns produced by others.

Keezer's (617) 547-2455

140 River Street, Cambridge, MA

info@keezers.com www.keezers.com

Used and new men's formal wear, excellent prices.

Dover Publications Inc.

31 East 2nd Street

Mineola, New York 11501-3582

www.doverpublications.com

Publisher of period catalogues, books, and
costume reference books, has catalog, no phone
orders, also available in most bookstores.

Alteryears (626) 585-2994

3749 E. Colorado Blvd.

Pasadena, CA 91107

sales@alteryears.com, www.alteryears.com

Supplier of a wide variety of patterns, supplies and
books, they carry patterns from most historical
pattern companies, has catalog.

Amazon Drygoods (800) 798-7979

2218 E. 11th Street

Davenport, IA 52803

info@amazondrygoods.com,

www.amazondrygoods.com

Supplier of a wide variety of patterns, supplies and
books, carry patterns from most historical
pattern companies, has catalogs. The owner has
recently passed away, but items may still
beavailable at a reduced price.

Thai Silks (800) 722-7455,

(800) 221-7455 in CA

252 State Street

Los Altos, CA 94022

thaisilk@pacbell.net, www.thaisilks.com

Supplier of silks, in many styles, about half the
price of retail stores, has price list and sample
sets.

Oriental Silk Co. (213) 651-2323

8377 Beverly Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90048

www.orientalsilk.com

Silk supplier, a little more expensive than Thai
silks, but they carry some linens and wools and
Kwong Chow silk satin, an excellent satin, has
price list and samples.

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