

## **Shaker-makers! Manchester Originals.**

The birthplace of the worldwide co-operative movement in 1844.

The birthplace of the vegetarian movement in 1815 inspired by the sermons of the local preacher, the Rev. William Cowherd.

Ann Lee, founder of the Shaker Religion, was born in Manchester in 1736. She emigrated to America in 1786 taking her visions and followers with her.

Ann Horniman began British Repertory theatre in 1908 at the Gaiety Theatre, Peter Street, Manchester.

Manchester is where the baby's feeding bottle and carrycot were invented.

Manchester is one of only three Dragon cities outside the Orient.

Manchester is home to the world's longest running TV soap – Coronation Street.

Manchester was the first home of both Ford and Kellogg outside America.

## **Manchester Offspring**

Henry Dunster – first President of Harvard, 1640

John Dalton – the father of modern chemistry

Sir Robert Peel – the founder of the police force

Alan Turing – wartime code breaker

Anthony Burgess – writer of Clockwork Orange

Dodie Smith – writer of 101 Dalmatians

Sir Norman Foster – Architect

Robert Powell – Actor

Ben Kingsley – Actor

Albert Finney – Actor

John Thaw – Actor

Lisa Stansfield – Singer

Gracie Fields - Singer