ATAVISTIC SOCIOLOGY.

The Conclusions of a Shortsighted Philosopher.

FIRST CONDITIONS OF HUMAN PROSPERITY. By the Hon. R. Russell. 12mo. pp. iv, 156 Longmans, Green & Co.

Believing that only "a realization of the causes of decay in the great empires of the past and a determination to maintain the springs of health can save the modern empire from a like fate," Mr. Russell has made the present contribution to the study of sociology, based, he admits, largely on the investigations of other observers. He sees in the beginning of the present century an ominous reversion to crude, barbaric errors in every direction, and holds that "the life of a rich and unscrupulous modern community, honeycombed with physical and moral deficiencies," is wanting in the possibilities of prosperity. His remedy is a return to outdoor life in the country, simpler pleasures, a vegetarian diet and total abstinence. This plan, if possible, might prove effective in making some people happier and more people contented, but whether it would conduce to national prosperity may be doubted, and in the end resolves itself into a question of terms. It must depend largely on the definition we give to the word "prosperity."

The examples that Mr. Russell cites are not always fortunate. He speaks of the physical wellbeing of the Pacific Islanders before they were contaminated by "civilizing" influences, and of the Highland clans of Scotland, "higher in the scale, but comparable in relation to habits and organization," and then deplores that the instability of a primitive people shows iself "in this tendency to throw off the native strength and enthrone the alien weakness." Here we see another instance of his confusion of terms. Can weakness conquer strength? Must there not be something inherently stronger in the prevailing influence?

On the subject of diet he shows what we all know—that many races and individuals endowed with great strength and endurance live on a simple vegetable diet; but the same is true of those who vary it with a certain amount of meat. Too much meat, he holds, tends to make people ferocious and degenerate, and shows how strong is the gorilla, who lives on a purely vegetable regimen. Yet it would certainly be difficult to find an animal less mild and gentle. Possibly his most unhappy selection of an example of a simple, primitive "prosperous" people is the Doukhobors. "All their habits," he says, "show that they have keen minds. They are particularly clean, industrious, frugal and moral. . . . They are fine agriculturists, wherever they have been left alone for a short time they have prospered, making the wilderness smile with cultivation." They also, it appears from the reports of the Canadian mounted police, have an unfortunate habit of throwing off all their clothes and rushing aimlessly forth in the coldest weather, looking for the Messiah. Whether they make the wilderness smile at that or no is not on record.

Mr. Russell sees the dangerous tendencies of the times, but he flounders in his efforts to make helpful suggestions for their improvement. He sees the "first conditions of human prosperity," but not the last.

TOASTS.

Some Excuses for Convivial Transactions.

TOASTS AND TRIBUTES: A HAPPY BOOK OF GOOD CHEER, GOOD HEALTH, GOOD SPEED, DEVOTED TO THE BLESSINGS AND COMFORTS OF LIFE SOUTH OF THE STARS. Edited by Arthur Gray. 12mo, pp. 301. Rohde & Haskins.

PROSIT: A BOOK OF TOASTS. Compiled by Clotho. Frontispiece and decorations by Gordon Ross. 12mo, pp. vii, 134. San Francisco. Paul Elder & Co.

Those who need excuses for drinking will find no lack of them in these two compilations. There is scarcely a subject which some writer, more or less famed, has not made the opportunity, perhaps unwittingly, for a toast. Where previous litterateurs have proved shy the editors and their friends have been more bold, and both books contain a number of original toasts, the Californian volume being especially rich in new contributions. Both books are tastefully gotten up, appealing to the eye as well as catering to the appetite.

In addition to the prose and poetical incitements to wine bibbing, "Toasts and Tributes" contains chapters on "The Origin of Toasts," by the editor; on "The Toastmaster" and his duties, by Allan Forman, and a very complete index. Some of the toasts suggested by Henry Stanley Haskins are more ingenious than likely to be generally useful, as for example:

THE POSTMAN.

Here's to the postman; beautiful are his feet when he brings glad tidings.

BOOTBLACKS.

Here's to bootblacks; may they always take a shine to us.

UNDERTAKERS.

Here's to undertakers; may they never overtake us.

HATS.

Here's to hats; the hotbeds of sedition and conspiracy and the sanctuaries of noble thoughts.

"Clotho," the compiler of "Prosit," is understood to be a composite pseudonyme of the "Spinners Club," of San Francisco, under whose auspices the book was prepared. Many of the toasts, signed and unsigned, were first spoken at the "Spinners," and we quote the verses by H. V. Sutherland, which head the division on "Good Fellowship." They are entitled:

BOHEMIAN DAYS.

They are gone with our dreams, the dear days of the past,
The days of Bohemia, of friendship as white
As the foam of the seas when they curl to the blast,
As steadfast and true as the lanterns of night.

And voices are dumb that were ready to jest,
And hands are now cold that were warmer than wine;
And eyes that once glistened, and lips that were pressed,
Are missing this evening in your lives, and mine.

God love her; God love him! And oh, for the years
Unfurled like the leaves from the rose's red heart!
And oh, for the days when we whistled at fears,
And dreamed that the glory would never depart!

So rise, kindred spirits, and be not ashamed
If a tear wet your cheeks as you think of the dead;
And empty your glasses to days that were famed—
The days of Bohemia—dear days that are sped!

SWEETSER-PEMBROOK OWE $527,067.

Big Wholesale Drygoods Company Has Nominal Assets of $139,062.

The schedules of Sweetser, Pembrook & Co., the big wholesale drygoods company, against which an involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed recently, show an indebtedness of $527,067 and nominal assets of $139,062. The concern owes taxes for 1904 amounting to $3,066, and to clerks $2,091. None of the indebtedness is secured, except a claim of $1,239, held by Brown Brothers.

TO OPEN UP RICH REGION.

Delaware and Eastern Railroad Company Incorporated at Albany.

Albany, Nov. 14.—The Delaware and Eastern Railroad Company was incorporated to-day, with a capital of $600,000, to operate a steam railroad between East Branch and Arkville, with a branch to Andes, a distance of about forty-three miles, in Delaware County. Among the directors are Edward Kelly, of Wharton, N. J., and H. A. V. Post, Russell Murray and George A. Lee, of New-York.

A railroad to connect the Ontario and Western Railroad at East Branch with the Ulster and Delaware at Arkville has been discussed for years by the farmers living on the route. There is a rich dairy and quarrying region capable of large development with the building of the link. Neither the Ontario and Western nor the Ulster and Delaware has shown undue interest in the enterprise, for the reason that these roads divide the traffic of the east branch section of the upper Delaware, and would not gain much by building the proposed link as an extension of their systems. The most important village on the route is the hamlet called Downsville.

TO SELL DODGE JEWELS.

Theobald, Who Seized Them 4 Years Ago, to Get About $20,000.

United States Marshal Henkel yesterday sent out circulars announcing the auction sale on November 29 of the jewelry seized by Theobald, the former special Treasury agent, from Mrs. Phyllis E. Dodge, on her arrival in this country, over four years ago. Theobald, for making the seizure, will receive about 30 per cent of the sum the jewels bring. As they are valued at $63,927, this will give him about $20,000.

The jewels have been divided into seven lots. Included among them are a pearl necklace, the foreign value of which is $35,060; a pearl and diamond band necklace, and a set of dress buttons, studded with diamonds.

Mrs. Dodge brought the jewels over in a small handbag, but failed to declare them. A well known banker met her at the pier, and as she was about to hand the satchel to him Theobald, who also was a passenger on the vessel, seized them. Through counsel Mrs. Dodge made every effort to regain the jewels, contending that, as they had been presented to her, they were not dutiable, and for that reason she did not declare them. The case has been in the courts for four years. Last week the United States Supreme Court finally decided against her

Theobald has since left the service.

MILL OPENING FAILS.

Few Return to Work at Fall River Plants.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 14.—An attempt to-day by the manufacturers to open the cotton mills in this city, which have been closed for nearly four months by the strike of the operatives against a 12½ per cent reduction in wages, resulted in failure. The largest number of operatives to report at any one mill for work was forty at the King Philip mill. At the other places from eight to twenty were on hand. The machinery was started in all the mills controlled by the manufacturers' association promptly at 6:30 o'clock this morning, and it is understood that it will be kept in operation for two or three days, after which, unless the strikers return to work in large numbers, it will be stopped again. There was no disorder of any kind this morning, the strikers keeping away from the mill gates. The entire police force was on duty to watch for disturbances, but had nothing to do. The labor leaders expressed their gratification at the failure of the manufacturers to secure the return of the operatives. No statement could be obtained early to-day from any of the manufacturers.

The mill owners, however, have persistently stated that the condition of the market did not warrant a resumption of work at this time, but that they decided to give the operators an opportunity to return in view of the suffering in many families. A big mass meeting of the weavers, both union and non-union, was held at the Bijou Theatre this forenoon. Secretary Whitehead said after the meeting that the determined attitude of the rank and file was a revelation even to those who have been in close touch with them during the strike

The market for manufactured goods is dull and prices have not advanced, although since the seventy-one mills involved in the strike were closed sixteen weeks ago, fully 4,000,000 pieces of print cloths, measuring about 250,000,000 yards, have been taken out of the market, and also 1,000,000 pieces of convertibles.

LAST OF ASPHALT TRUST SUITS.

End of Litigation Said to Pave the Way to Reorganization.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 14 (Special.)—Judge Lanning filed a decree in the United States Circuit Court to-day ordering the dismissal of the suits that had been instituted against the promoters of the Asphalt Company of America and the National Asphalt Company. These suits were instituted by Henry Tatnall, receiver for both companies, for the recovery of profits alleged to have been illegally made by the promoters. The decree provides for the payment to the dissenting bondholders of an amount equivalent to the dividends they would have received had the suits been prosecuted and been successful.

The dissenting stockholders represent only about $15,000 out of the $30,000,000 of bonds. The aggregate amount they will receive will be less than $2,000. This decree, it is said, clears up all the asphalt litigation pending and paves the way for the consummation of the plan of reorganization of the trust. A final statement of accounts will be filed with the court within thirty days.

STEAMSHIP RATES RAISED.

North Atlantic Lines Approve Agreement Reached in Berlin.

Liverpool, Nov. 14.—At a meeting to-day of North Atlantic lines at the offices of the White Star Line, under the presidency of J. Bruce Ismay, president of the International Mercantile Marine Company, the terms of the settlement of the rate war were approved and passenger rates were ordered to be immediately raised to their former level.

LOCAL BUSINESS TROUBLES.

The Sheriff yesterday received an execution for $1,046 against property of Sarah Feldstein, dealer in shoe and leather findings at No. 138 East Broadway, in favor of Lena Feldstein.

The Sheriff yesterday received an execution for $5,941 against property of the Moore Company, dealers in soap at No. 288 Greenwich-st., in favor of Henle Liebeskind. The Sheriff put a keeper in charge of the stock.

Justice Amend, of the Supreme Court, yesterday signed an order appointing Richard M. Marsh receiver for the Mechanical Orguinette Company. The corporation has no liabilities. It was incorporated in 1884, and ceased to transact business in 1887.

BANKRUPTCY NOTES.

Schedules of Levi A. Fessenden, filed yesterday, show debts of $5,729 and assets of $800. The principal creditors are Joseph A. Keaney, of No. 704 Madison-st., $1,529; J. A. Bacot, of No. 2 West One-hundred-and-first-st., $4,000. The petitioner has a fifth hereditary interest in realty, the value of which is not given. The assets consist of accounts due, $700.

Raphael Kapner, a shoe dealer, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy yesterday. He gives his place of business at No. 141 Hester-st., and says his liabilities are $2,117 and assets, $400. The principal creditor is W. J. Young & Co., of No. 80 Reade-st., $165. The assets consist of stock, $250, and fixtures $100.

DISCHARGES IN BANKRUPTCY.

The following discharges in bankruptcy were granted yesterday:

RICHARD H. ARNOW, lawyer, No. 132 Nassau-st.; liabilities $8,899.

ROLAND C. DROWNE, papermaker, Canaan Four Corners; liabilities, $9,514.

AUGUSTA F. KICK, milk, No. 843 Eighth-ave.; liabilities, $3,780.

LENA SALOMON, furs, No. 15 West Twenty-second-st.; liabilities, $2,643.

MAX BAER, furs, No. 112 Park-ave.; liabilities, $5,680.

RALPH T. STORY, farmer, Freehold, N. Y.; liabilities, $592.

discharges were also granted DIETRICH TRETJEN and JULIUS SILVERMAN.

JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments were among those filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Abramowitz, Samuel, and William Miller—O E Reimer	$519
Abbot, Mary E. Gerald Wyman and Edward A Abbot—Mutual Life Insurance Company of New-York	6,674
Bachrach, Solomon—F Hecht	602
Charley, Francis—M Barusseaud	647
Esler, Rebecca L—M M Butler	1,611
The Market and Fulton National Bank—A Green	590
Crescent Mercantile and Realty Company—J di Benedetto and another	1,104

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The following were among the satisfied judgments filed yesterday; the first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and date when judgment was filed:

New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company—P Beattie; October 21, 1904	$850
The Manhattan Railway Company, the New-York Elevated Railroad Company and Interborough Rapid Transit Company—The Oriental Bank; July 12, 1904	453
Same—Same; July 12, 1904	2,629
JUDGMENT CANCELLED.	
Sullivan, Patrick—C Peck; October 21, 1904	1,280

ARRIVALS OF BUYERS.

J. N. Adam & Co., Buffalo; J. T. Fowles, carpets, No. 55 White-st.

Adam, Meldrum & Anderson Company, Buffalo; F. Rick, No. 2 Walker-st., Cadillac; R. Rick, notions; C. W. Miller, silks and velvets; F. H. Meyers, dress goods; F. S. Collins, notions, No. 2 Walker-st.

W. H. Albrecht & Co., Terre Haute, Ind.; W. H. Albrecht, jr., silks and velvets, Herald Square.

Almy, Bigelow & Washburn, Salem; Mrs. A. M. Blanchard, cloaks, No. 2 Walker-st., Wellington.

Babbitt & Graham Company, Detroit; A. D. Graham, piece goods; W. G. May, Hoffman.

Bacon, Chappell & Co., Syracuse; F. E. Bacon, drygoods, Hotel Astor.

Barnard, Sumner, Putnam Company, Worcester, Mass.; E. P. Sumner, carpets, No. 75 Spring-st.

H. S. Barney & Co., Schenectady, N. Y.; H. Gilbert, carpets, No. 75 Spring-st., New-Amsterdam.

Beifield, Hirsch & Kline, Chicago; J. Beifield, woollens, Navarre.

I. Benesch & Son, Baltimore; A. Benesch and J. Gomprecht, carpets, Herald Square.

Bernheimer Brothers, Baltimore; I. I. Wolf, cloaks, wrappers, millinery and clothing, Herald Square.

Biggs, Watts & Co., Huntington, W. Va.; S. G. Biggs, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, No. 97 Franklin-st., Hotel Astor.

Bowland, Morehouse & Martens Company, Columbus, Ohio; M. Morehouse, dress goods and silks, No. 377 Broadway, Hotel Astor.

Boyce Brothers & Co., Columbus, Ohio; A. C. Boyce, carpets, Hoffman.

Brown, Thompson & Co., Hartford; H. B. Strong, drygoods, No. 2 Walker-st., Hotel Astor.

Bry & Bro. Cloak Company, St. Louis; L. Bry, woollen piece goods, No. 467 Broadway, Savoy.

Callender, McAuslan & Troup Company, Providence; E. Bruce, notions, No. 2 Walker-st.

Chambers & Mehagen, Williamsport, Penn.; J. W. Chambers, carpets, Murray Hill.

M. Cohen, Son & Co., Richmond, Va.; C. Cohen, drygoods, No. 74 Worth-st., Netherland.

S. Cohen, Erie, Penn.; drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, Belvedere.

Combination Cash Store, Rutland, Vt.; A. W. Gorton, domestics, notions, linens and hosiery St. Denis.

Co-operative Association of America, Lewiston, Me.; C. E. Jack, upholstery goods, Hotel Astor, and B. Peck, Park Avenue.

John R. Choppin, Covington, Ky.; hosiery, gloves and fancy goods, St. Denis.

Cowell & Hubbard Company, Cleveland; F. R. Martin, china, glassware, etc., Herald Square.

Denholm & McKay Company, Worcester; Miss H. G. O'Connor, women's and infants' wear, No. 2 Walker-st.

Dey Brothers & Co., Syracuse; G. ... Landon, laces and handkerchiefs, No. 31 Union Square, Victoria; E. F. Walsh, furnishing goods; C. H. Wilmot, domestics, and J. Hand, upholstery goods, No. 31 Union Square, Herald Square.

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Reading; J. S. McQuade, carpets, No. 2 Walker-st., Vendome; S. D. Bausher, cloaks, waists, etc., and M. L. Seidel, furnishing goods, Herald Square.

William Donaldson & Co., Minneapolis; W. Edington, carpets, No. 2 Walker-st., Vendome.

J. Dreyfus & Sons, Boston; I. Dreyfus, furnishing goods, Netherland.

Edson, Moore & Co., Detroit; J. R. Tuthill, carpets, No. 51 Leonard-st., Earlington.

E. W. Edwards & Son, Syracuse; Miss M. Clare, waists, St. Denis.

Einstein Dry Goods Company, Harrisburg, Penn.; E. V. Einstein, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, St. Denis.

Ely & Walker Dry Goods Company, St. Louis; D. D. Walker, jr., No. 258 Church-st.

Jacob Epstein, Baltimore; B. F. Miller, housefurnishing goods, Continental.

Marshall Field & Co., Chicago; C. M. Morgan, cloaks and suits; George Tasnow, ribbons, and H. I. Mills, ribbons and umbrellas, No. 104 Worth-st.

Flint & Kent, Buffalo; G. G. Baldwin, white goods, laces, etc., No. 31 Union Square, Herald Square.

Frank & Stall, Chicago; H. A. Frank, drygoods and notions, Albert.

W. H. Frear & Co., Troy; D. R. McGonigal, silks and velvets, Cumberland.

Freedman Brothers, Circleville, Ohio; A. Freedman, drygoods, notions, etc., Herald Square.

W. W. F. Gable & Co., Altoona, Penn.; J. S. Seeds, carpets, No. 2 Walker-st., Herald Square.

T. J. Geary & Co., Hartford; T. J. Geary, cloaks and suits, Navarre.

Gilchrist Company, Boston; George Gray, upholstery goods, No. 55 White-st.

Glaser & Wohl, St. Louis; S. Glaser, laces, handkerchiefs and curtains, Hotel Astor.

Albert Graff & Co., Philadelphia; A. F. Lippincott, carpets, Grand.

Green-Joyce Company, Columbus, Ohio; W. J. Joyce domestics, woollens, carpets, etc., No. 51 Leonard-st.

L. E. Green & Son, St. Louis; M. E. Green, millinery, Imperial.

E. A. Hale Company, Springfield, Mass.; F. L. Reynolds, carpets, Murray Hill.

A. Harris & Co., Dallas, Tex.; J. P. Allen, cloaks and suits, No. 50 Franklin-st., Albert.

M. M. Heenan, Syracuse, cloaks and suits, Albert.

William Hengerer Company, Buffalo; J. J. White, carpets and rugs; D. Schall, furnishing goods, etc., and George F. Pfeiffer, laces, trimmings, etc., No. 377 Broadway, Imperial.

Herman Bros. Lindauer & Co., Nashville, Tenn.; William Herman, drygoods and furnishing goods, No. 43 Leonard-st., Hoffman.

Hills, McLean & Haskins, Binghamton, N. Y.; W. M. McLean, drygoods, No. 60 Lispenard-st., Albert.

Leopold Hirsch, San Francisco; B. J. Hirsch, furnishing goods, No. 46 Thomas-st., Cumberland.

Hunter & Hardie Dayton, Ohio; W. Hardie, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, Everett.

Hunter & Hunter, Detroit; J. Kidner, cloaks and suits, No. 55 White-st.

Jackson Company, Rome, N. Y.; H. W. McGuigan, dress goods, cloaks, etc., Imperial.

Kaufmann Brothers, Pittsburg; C. A. Birkle, upholstery goods, No. 648 Broadway, Wolcott, and L. Kaufmann, cloaks, waists, etc., No. 648 Broadway, Savoy.

R. Keith Carpet and Furnishing Company, Kansas City; R. Keith, carpets, Hoffman.

Keith, Edson & Co., Chicago; J. Wilson, representing, and J. S. Potts, manufacturing department, No. 621 Broadway, Nevarre.

Kennedy & MacInnes, Pittsfield, Mass.; A. Kennedy, drygoods; Mrs. C. D. Wheeler, millinery, No. 45 Lispenard-st., Normandie.

Kline Brothers, Altoona, Penn.; I. Kline, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, St. Denis.

Leader & Hamilton, Shamokin, Penn.; E. R. Leader, drygoods, notions, etc., Everett.

James Levi & Co., Dubuque, Iowa; James Levi, drygoods, cloaks, etc., No. 74 Grand-st., Imperial.

D. B. Loveman Company, Chattanooga; J. A. McLeod, notions, fancy goods, etc., No. 22 Washington Place, Victoria.

Loveman, Joseph & Loeb, Birmingham, Ala.; W. J. Montgomery, carpets and upholstery goods, No. 51 Franklin-st., Herald Square.

B. Lowenstein & Bros., Memphis; J. D. Levy, laces, embroidery and notions, No. 43 Leonard-st.

Lyon Brothers, Chicago; E. Rothschild, sporting goods, etc., No. 258 Church-st., Hotel Astor.

Mabley & Crew Company, Cincinnati; R. S. Carroll, Hotel Astor.

John C. McInness Company, Worcester; G. W. Aubuchon, hosiery and gloves, No. 55 White-st.

Mandel Brothers, Chicago; F. E. Mandel, linens and white goods, No. 450 Broome-st., Woodward.

Martin & Naylor, Gloversville, N. Y.; J. Martin, drygoods, notions, etc., Cadillac.

May Company, Cleveland; P. J. Dolt, notions, laces, fancy goods, etc., No. 4 Washington Place, Albert.

Alfred Mayer, Washington, D. C.; E. D. Mayer, clonks, suits, waists, etc.; C. Goldsmith, Navarre.

George W. McAlpin Company, Cincinnati; W. F. Herron, boys' clothing; T. Brandes, No. 43 Leonard-st., Albert.

Miller, Bain, Beyer & Co., Philadelphia; C. C. Beyer, remnants, etc., Herald Square.

Miller & Rhoads, Richmond, Va.; M. H. K. Malone, furnishing goods, No. 45 Leonard-st., Navarre.

W. L. Milner & Co., Toledo; J. A. Corcoran, carpets, etc., Marlborough.

Milliken, Cousens & Co., Portland, Me.; W. S. Curtis, housefurnishing goods, No. 79 Leonard-st., Cadillac.

Ellis Mills, Pottstown, Penn.; W. E. Mills, cloaks, waists, women's and infants' wear, Cumberland.

F. J. Murphy & Co., Baltimore; S. H. Foxwell, carpets, Herald Square.

Neal & Hyde, Syracuse, N. Y.; M. H. Neal, domestics, No. 72 Leonard-st.

C. Netcher, Chicago; G. E. Lowe, carpets, No. 377 Broadway, Herald Square.

M. Newman, Cleveland; clothing, Hoffman.

M. O'Neil & Co., Akron; W. T. Tobin, cloaks, suits, etc., J. J. Feudner, carpets and upholstery goods, and C. W. Kendal, No. 45 Lispenard-st., Cadillac.

Parker, Bridget & Co., Washington; B. M. Bridget, clothing, Hotel Astor.

Pittsburg Dry Goods Company, Pittsburg; S. Steele, carpets, No. 43 Leonard-st., Everett.

H. & S. I. Pogue Company, Cincinnati; Edward Ganspohl, rugs, upholstery goods, etc., Victoria.

Porteous & Mitchell, Norwich; W. H. Murphy, carpets and upholstery goods, No. 55 White-st.

Quinn, Marshall & Co., Lynchburg, Va.; Y. P. Marshall, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, No. 43 Leonard-st.

Reinhard, Meyer & Co., Baltimore; L. W. Reinhard, woollens, Breslin.

John A. Roberts & Co., Utica, N. Y.; Miss M. E. Farwell, millinery; R. Crulkshank, carpets, Park Avenue.

Rosenstein & Bro., Baltimore; R. Sachs, upholstery goods, blankets, etc., Earlington.

J. H. Rothert & Co., Harrisburg, Penn.; S. Rothert, drygoods and notions, Herald Square.

Rothschild & Co., Chicago; C. W. Toles, upholstery goods, blankets, etc., No. 43 Leonard-st.

Saks & Co., Birmingham, Ala.; H. Saks, clothing, Herald Square.

Samler Brothers, East Liverpool, Ohio; D. Samler, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, York.

J. Samuels & Bro., Providence, R. I.; J. Samuels, drygoods, notions, etc., Hotel Astor.

Schiff & Bloom, Baltimore; S. Schiff and M. L. Bloom, piece goods, Herald Square.

Schwartz Brothers & Co., New-Orleans; L. Schwartz, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, No. 43 Leonard-st.

John Scowcroft & Sons' Company, Ogden, Utah; A. Scowcroft, drygoods, notions and furnishing goods, Imperial.

Sheehan, Dean & Co., Elmira, N. Y.; C. M. Dean, drygoods; T. A. Malone, notions, ribbons, trimmings, etc.; E. Dean, silks and velvets, No. 45 Lispenard-st., Albert.

Sheldon Dry Goods Company, Columbus, Ohio; Seth T. Ingram, prints, wash fabrics, etc., No. 320 Broadway, St. Denis.

Sheldon Dry Goods Company, St. Louis; T. G. Constable, millinery, ribbons, etc., No. 320 Broadway, St. Denis.

Shepard Company, Providence; Miss M. A. Sheridan, corsets and muslin underwear, No. 31 Union Square, Holland; F. G. Hall, carpets, No. 31 Union Square, Imperial.

Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Company, Rochester; Miss D. Blum, laces; Miss K. Maloney, infants' wear; Miss A. Mansfield, muslin underwear and silk petticoats; Miss Doyle, millinery; Miss M. E. Dickinson, cloaks and suits; Miss M. Wetmore, trimmings, No. 454 Broome-st., Imperial.

Simmons & Cohn, New-Orleans; J. B. Simmons, No. 121 Prince-st., Hoffman.

Smith-McCord-Townsend Dry Goods Company, Kansas City; G. C. Smith, domestics, flannels and blankets, No. 72 Leonard-st., Imperial.

Smith & Murray, Springfield, Mass.; J. G. Dexter, carpets and upholstery goods, No. 55 White-st.

Smoot, Coffer & McColley, Washington, D. C.; J. O. Coffer, white goods, laces, gloves, etc., Hotel Astor.

Steiger-Dudgeon Company, New-Bedford, Mass.; A. F. Myers, carpets, etc., St. Denis.

Stewart Dry Goods Company, Louisville; W. E. Ambrose, drygoods; J. H. Stodyhill, No. 43 Leonard-st., Earlington.

Herman Straus & Sons' Co., Louisville; A. C. Levi, silks, velvets and black goods, No. 395 Broadway, Herald Square.

Strouse & Bro., Baltimore; E. Strouse, woollen piece goods, Hotel Astor.

H. H. Sturtevant & Co., Zanesville, Ohio; H. H. Sturtevant, dress goods, silks, cloaks, etc., No. 45 Lispenard-st., Herald Square, and J. N. Dulan, carpets, Herald Square.

The Fair, Chicago; E. J. Schweinbold, linens and white goods, Navarre.

H. C. Vickers, Cleveland; silks and velvets, Albert.

H. P. Wasson & Co., Indianapolis; J. C. McTate, carpets, No. 325 Broadway.

Watt & Shand, Lancaster, Penn.; P. T. Watt, drygoods, hosiery, underwear, etc., No. 55 White-st.

Williams & McArulty, Scranton, Penn.; L. J. Williams, carpets, Albert.

Williams & Co., Pittston, Penn.; F. E. Williams, carpets, Albert.

H. S. Williamson, Lancaster, Penn.; W. E. Pickel, carpets, No. 377 Broadway, Broadway Central.

Woodward & Lothrop, Washington; J. O. Moque, carpets, No. 438 Broadway, Union Square.

D. B. Lovemen Company, Chattanooga; J. A. McLeod, jewelry, No. 22 Washington Place, Victoria.

Sheldon Dry Goods Company, St. Louis; T. G. Constable jewelry, No. 320 Broadway, St. Denis.

Bernheimer Brothers, Baltimore; L. L. Seligman, shoes, Herald Square.

MARKED ADVANCES.

From The New-Orleans Times-Democrat.

"Has Oldboy made any advances toward a reconciliation with his gay young wife?"

"Yes, I think he has made an advance of several thousand dollars."

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And the New Macy Stocks

We have called particular attention this season to the unsurpassed stocks of high class imported goods gathered by our foreign buying organization.

An opportunity to inspect these newest stocks of the new Macy's presents itself during the Annual Chrysanthemum Show now in progress in the Herald Square Exhibition Hall, on the 9th Floor of the Macy Building. This exhibition is made by the American Institute of the City of New York, and it stands as a record exhibition.

Of like importance are the record assortments we present on the various floors below. Among them:

4th Floor—An unequalled display of Furniture covering almost two acres of floor space.

4th Fl.—Pianos and Piano Players.

4th Fl.—Dressmaking—A showing of Imported and Domestic Model Gowns.

3rd Fl.—Oriental Rugs, Carpets and Draperies; Paintings, Bronzes, Marbles; Art Embroideries.

2nd Fl.—Women's Gowns, Suits, Coats, Wraps, Furs, Waists, Negligees, French Lingeries, Domestic Undergarments, Imported and Domestic Millinery; Footwear; Shawls, Custom Made Shirt Waists and Shirt Waist Suits, and Misses', Children's and Infant's Wear.

1st Fl.—Robes, Gloves, Hosiery, Laces and Embroideries, Silks, Dress Fabrics, Veilings, Flannels, White Goods, Neckwear, Ribbons, Linens and Dress Noveities generally; Perfumeries and Toilet Requisites.

Basement—Stocks of China and Glassware, greater than the combined stocks of all other department stores in New York City.

Oriental Rugs and Carpets

3rd Floor.

While Oriental Rug stocks are not as large as we would like them to be, they still afford splendid selection. We are steadily receiving new lots, yet the demands made upon the department keep the assortments down. We consider this brisk selling a broad recognition of the advantages created by our method of selling these weaves. They are sold on a business-like basis, and "art" and "sentiment" do not figure in expanding prices beyond reason. Evidences in this collection of odd sizes offered to-day. Among them:

Turkey Rug,	8 ft. 1 x 15 ft. 8, worth $100, at	$68.74
Indian Rug,	8 ft. 3 x 9 ft. 10, worth $100.00, at	$68.74
Indian Rug,	8 ft. 10 x 8 ft. 11, worth $100.00, at	$68.74
Indian Rug,	9 ft. 2 x 15 ft., worth $155.00, at	$114.00
Indian Rug,	8 ft. 3 x 18 ft. 1, worth $200.00, at	$124.00
Indian Rug,	12 ft. 3 x 12 ft. 6, worth $200.00, at	$124.00
Oushak Rug,	9 ft. 4 x 15 ft. 10, worth $215.00, at	$134.50
Khorassan Rug,	7 ft. 6 x 14 ft. 6, worth $275.00, at	$198.98
Kassaba,	13 ft. 3 x 18 ft., worth $385.00, at	$274.98
Serapi Rug,	11 ft. 2 x 19 ft., worth $500.00, at	$364.50

Large Kazaks, about 5½ x 8 ft.; thick, heavy Rugs that will last a lifetime; designs are bold and the colors are rich and deep, sold regularly at from $60.00 to $75.00; sale prices, $39.98 and $44.98.

Domestic Rugs

Axminster Rugs,	9 x 12 ft., reduced from $24.49 to	$19.98
Wilton Rugs,	9 x 12 ft., reduced from $34.49 to	$26.98
Body Brussels Rugs,	9 x 12 ft., reduced from $26.98 to	$24.98
Tapestry Rugs,	9 x 12 ft., reduced from $19.49 to	$17.98
Best Quality Smyrnas,	36 x 72 in., reduced from $3.98 to	$2.98
Best Quality Smyrnas,	30 x 60 in., reduced from $2.86 to	$1.98
Best Quality Smyrnas,	26 x 54 in., reduced from $1.59 to	$1.24
Best Quality Smyrnas,	18 x 36 in., reduced from $1.12 to	84c
Velvet Rugs,	36 x 63 in., special at	$2.69
Velvet Rugs,	27 x 54 in., special at	$1.74

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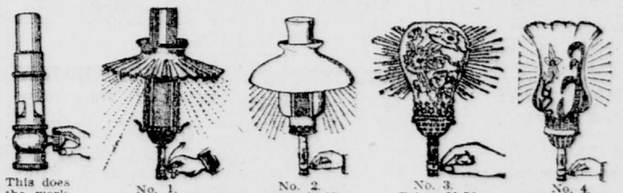

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