

New Books

THE HIDDEN CHILDREN, by Robert W. Chambers. \$1 pp. E.L.M. D. Appleton & Co.

A story of the American revolution told by the hero, who himself is a young ensign in Morgan's rifles.

The three months whose history is here told are those during which the Iroquois empire was attacked and destroyed, closing with the burning of Catharinetown and the destruction of the Long house, Joseph Brandt and Walter Butler, the murderer of Cherry valley—whose horrors, at the period of the story, are still fresh in men's minds—stalk grimly across these pages, followed by their terrible troops of Seneca and Erie—the vile Cat- People—and, worst of all, those "blue-eyed Indians" who outdid every savage in cruelty, while behind, in the dim background of the Dark empire, lurk the fearsome, hideous figures of Catharine Montour and the but little less terrible Amochol, the red sachen, priest and sorcerer of a once pure, but now degraded, religion.

Other historical personages appear, most of them but briefly, and not one of them all is so interesting as the noble Chief Mayaro, saganore of the Sivanols-Mohicans, companion in his youth of Unosa and the Great Serpent—names dear to every reader of "The Leather-Stocking Tales"—a splendid gentleman, loyal, and generous, and brave, though he did scalp his enemies whenever occasion offered.

Only a little inferior to him are the two Onodas and the Stockbridge Indian, Mr. Chambers does full justice to a race and a civilization which have been ruthlessly destroyed, and one is inclined to envy Euan Lockie his Indian friends.

The historical part of the book is the most interesting, but Lois, the heroine, a camp follower in rags when her beauty first attracted Euan Lockie, trying to reach Catharinetown, where she believes her mother is held a prisoner, is a typical Chambers girl, and the romantic part of the book fits in with the story and the solution.

THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK, by Henry Grunwald. \$4 pp. E.L.M. Dodd Mead & Company.

The story is of the second Graustark generation, and shows how time can fly in the world of make-believe as well as in that of reality. For its hero, the prince of Graustark, is the son of that Princess Tevra, who was the heroine of "Graustark," and her American consort with whom she fell in love while she was traveling incognito in this country.

Truxton King, the hero of one of Mr. McCutcheon's former novels, also reappears as the special American friend of the prince. The young man, as his mother before him, goes forth to see the world and perchance to find the Only Maid in some unexpected place beside the way. By the time all the chief characters are worked up quite a complication of finance and romance, which the reader may think he sees through, until he reaches the fateful last page and hears Mr. McCutcheon laughing at his bewildered surprise. The author has shown noteworthy constructive skill in the clever development of this unexpected denouement.

INSPIRATION, by Carol Gordon. \$1 pp. E.L.M. D. Appleton & Co.

New York and Paris form the background of the narrative and Browning's Impassioned "Love is Best" strikes the keynote to the plot. Olga's marriage for money and position; her husband's infidelity and untimely end while out rowing with the other woman; her visit to Paris and subsequent meeting with the artist lover of her childhood's dream; her joyous discovery that she had formed the inspiration of his great Salon picture and the happy adjustment of the complicated coil of circumstances that surrounded her lover's life are portrayed.

OH! JAMES! by E. M. Edgerton. \$1 pp. E.L.M. D. Appleton & Co.

"James" has far more money than he can use, and feels that he is not doing his duty to society, but his wife will not help him to spend the hoarded-up gold. Then the great idea comes to him. In each of the five cities where his business has a branch he determines to support a home, and within the home some deserving woman in luxury. When "Mr. James" learns what is going on, the extraordinary method adopted by her to put an end to her husband's folly supplies one of the bright bits of comedy in an unusually bright tale.

MATTHEW HARGRAVES, by S. G. Tallentyre. \$6 pp. E.L.M. G. P. Putnam's Sons.

Matthew Hargrave, son of the portly landlord of the "Hope and Anchor," with all the qualities one expects, and the limitations of the average man, is exceptionally slow, and yet that touch of human interest makes the story exceptional. The way in which the author shows the growing sympathy between Matthew and the girl whom he and his wife have taken into their coldly correct household is a refreshing escape from the manner in which the average writer describes such situations, and the commonplace man is thoroughly interesting.

THE NEW CLARION, by Will N. Harben. \$5 pp. E.L.M. Harper & Brothers.

All the familiar characters of rural fiction play their accustomed roles in this novel of Georgia life. There is the hot-tempered but otherwise admirable young hero, his devoted, long-suffering mother and stern father, whose speciality is bell fire and brimstone; the loyalty and virtuous village maiden, the wealthy city girl who eventually perceives the error of her ways, her worldly mother, the drunkard with a heart of gold, the villain, the scheming stockbroker, and the elderly and pious philosopher, who preaches lengthy sermons at every opportunity, reducing his audience—usually female—to tears. Mr. Harben's dialogue in English is rather stilted, but his Georgia dialect is apparently much more natural.

THE VANISHED MESSENGER, by E. Phillips Oppenheimer. \$2 pp. E.L.M. Little Brown & Co.

The plot centers around one Miles Fentolin, a helpless cripple who lives in a manor estate on the North Sea coast where he does his best to throw England into war for the pure lust of bloodshed. He is a many-sided villain who captures secret naval wireless messages with his own apparatus, and conveys the information to another world power. When an American representative to The Hague, John P. Dunster, falls into Fentolin's hands, the latter detains him against his will and threatens death unless the American will reveal a most important secret. There is, of course, the usual romance, the heroine being Fentolin's niece, Esther.

THE KING OF ALBANY, by James Elroy Flecker. \$2 pp. E.L.M. G. P. Putnam's Sons.

An improbable tale of madmen, kings, scholars and consuls; a tale of two heroines, both of extreme beauty, with

mysteries, conspiracies, fights, and plenty of blood and absurdity. Withal, it's romance, with all its interesting trappings.

UNDER COVER, by Roi Cooper Megrue. \$30 pp. E.L.M. Little Brown & Co.

If you were a young woman born into the smartest set in New York society, if your youngest sister had committed a crime, if, in order to save her, you were forced to become a secret agent of the United States customs to aid in the detection of a man who had smuggled a \$500,000 necklace into this country, if you fell in love with the smuggler who were compelled to pursue, if it became a choice between your sister and the man you loved—what would you do? That's all woven into this tale of excitement and mystery.

JUVENILE. THE RUNAWAY, by Allen French. \$5 pp. E.L.M. The Century Company.

A stirring story of happenings in a small Massachusetts town, which will hold the interest of both boys and girls. The plot is full of unexpected turns, and an element of mystery runs through the tale almost to the last page.

THE LUCKY STONE, by Abbie Farwell Brown. \$18 pp. E.L.M. The Century Company.

A fairy-tale of American life of today, in which an imaginative child of the tenements, who believes in fairies, finds her make-believe games suddenly coming true in a most wonderful and fascinating way.

PHYLLIS, by Maria Thompson Daviess. \$2 pp. E.L.M. The Century Company.

Chris of sixteen will love this pretty, quaint, funny story of bonny Phyllis and the good times—and some worries—she had in Byrdville, where, at first—just at first—her father's wealth seemed to her a barrier between her and the other girls and boys.

DOROTHY DAINY'S VISIT, by Amy Brooks. \$4 pp. E.L.M. Lothrop Lee & Shepard Company.

Another of the "Dorothy Dainty" series. In this one, Dorothy goes to New York City with her parents to visit the family of a little friend, Vera Yana. Nancy Ferris, Dorothy's dearest companion, has been stolen away on account of her skill in dancing, and a very interesting part of the story tells how Nancy is discovered through the wit and devotion of a young boy and restored to her home.

MAKING MARY LIZZIE HAPPY, by Nina Rhoades. \$2 pp. E.L.M. Lothrop Lee & Shepard Company.

The latest of the "Brick House" series, which contains four good stories, the leading one giving title to the book. Rosie, the heroine, really does make "Marry Lizzie" happy, and her reward of pleasure will do any one good to read, while the other stories are equally interesting.

DAVE PORTER IN THE GOLD FIELDS, by Edward Stratemeyer. \$8 pp. E.L.M. Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Company.

Another of the Dave Porter series. One of Dave's chums told him of a gold mine in Montana which belonged to the mother of this chum, Roder Mory, but had been lost in a landslide. So, nothing would do but that Dave and his friends must hunt for this mine. Those who know Dave need not be told that he found the mine.

JACK STRAW IN MEXICO, by Irving Crump. \$2 pp. E.L.M. McBride-Nast Company.

Jack Strawbridge, a New England boy, is intrusted with a valuable set of blue prints to deliver to an American engineer in charge of the great power plant that supplies electricity to Mexico City. He accomplishes the task, but the drawings are stolen from the desk of their owner by a man with a scarred foot. After following a false clue that leads to the arrest of an innocent soldier the real culprit is finally apprehended.

THE BOY ELECTRICIAN, by Alfred P. Morse. \$2 pp. E.L.M. Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Company.

This book tells how to make all kinds of motors, telegraphs, telephones, batteries, etc., and to do so economically, and has also explained the principles upon which these depend for operation, and how the same thing is done in the everyday world.

Parted Friends, by Edward Stratemeyer. \$2 pp. E.L.M. Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Company.

During a trial in Tipperary, Curran made a scathing attack on a land agent. Two days later an enraged gentleman burst into his bedroom in Dublin before the counsel was out of bed, and, flourishing a horse-whip savagely, said: "Sir, I'm the gentleman you insulted in your evidence here in Tipperary in the presence of the whole county, and I'm here to thrash you soundly."

"You call yourself a gentleman, and yet you mean to strike a man when he's lying down?" protested the agent, scornfully to take a mean advantage of his enemy, and sitting down. "I'll just wait till you get out of bed, and then I'll give it to you hot and heavy."

"Trot, if that's the way of it," said Curran, "I'll lie here till you change your mind, and then I'll turn over on his other side. The agent laughed and the counsel laughed, and he who came to whip stayed to dine, and the pair parted the best of friends.

Worse to Come, by Edward Stratemeyer. \$2 pp. E.L.M. Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Company.

The regular trombone player of a Scottish orchestra was laid up with a cold, and the conductor reluctantly accepted the services of a brass band amateur. He was a little doubtful, however, as to the suitability of his substitute. After the first performance the new player asked the conductor how he had done. The conductor replied that he had done pretty fairly, but that perhaps he would do better next night.

The seavomper, eyeing him gratefully, answered: "You see, the music is strange to me the night, and I'm no just shair of yet, but you wait till the worm's a tick, and I'll go to the bottom of these fiddles at it."—London Telegraph.

Couldn't Blame Him, by Edward Stratemeyer. \$2 pp. E.L.M. Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Company.

"Why did you beat this man so terribly?" said the judge, indicating the battered figure of the plaintiff.

New Veilings

The varied Hat styles now in vogue are particularly favorable to the use of veiling, the dark colors have been most favored. We are now showing all the new styles, something suitable for all at prices, per yd., 59c, 75c, 85c and up

Women's Kid Gloves, 85c Pr.

Values to \$2.00 Values to \$2.00



85c Per Pair

Almost 2,000 Pairs of Kid Gloves, worth up to \$2.00 a pair, offered at 85c a pair. We question whether we have ever been able to offer a better bargain than these gloves. Especially considering the present scarcity and the high prices of Kid Gloves this offering becomes altogether out of the ordinary. This lot comprises purchases from two of the most prominent importers and manufacturers' samples and over stocks of Women's Short Kid Gloves, consisting of:

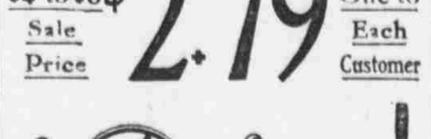
- Women's Overseam Kid Gloves.....
- Women's Pique Kid Gloves.....
- Women's Outseam Cape Gloves.....
- Women's Genuine Mocha Gloves.....
- Women's Denkin Gloves.....
- Women's Chamels Gloves.....
- Women's Suede Gloves.....

In one and two-clasp styles, in black, white and most colors. Not every size in every style, but all sizes in the lot. They come in plain and fancy styles, in an almost endless variety.

All these gloves are absolutely perfect, but a few of them have been very slightly soiled. Most of the gloves are worth \$1.50 to \$2.00 a pair, a few only worth less. We cannot urge the wisdom of securing, as far as possible, seasons' wants in this sale. The opportunity is a most special one. Come early to select from these gloves, worth up to \$2.00 a pair, at 85c.

Sale of Sample Bags

Values \$4 to \$8 \$2.79 Limit One to Each Customer



Three entire sample lines of bags at a fraction of their real worth. This lot includes all the newest shapes and fancies in fine hand bags.

They Come in All Colors

Some have silk linings; others have leather linings. Two, three and five vanity fittings. Every bag guaranteed Real Seal, Real Pin Seal, Real Walrus, Real Morocco or Real Saffian leathers.

This is the biggest value we have had in bags in years. POSITIVELY only ONE to each customer.

Unusual Umbrella Sale

Men's and Women's Umbrellas



Choose From \$1 Handles Alone 1,500 of Them Saturday, at 1.00 to \$3.00

They are the best values ever shown in Omaha at this price. All these umbrellas have first quality American taffeta covers, and all come in all-silk cases. They are really extraordinary values.

All Have Steel Rod and Paragon Frame

The total lot consists of 1,500 umbrellas. Eight hundred of them have sterling silver and finest gold-filled handles. The handles alone on these are worth from \$1.00 to \$3.00. Think of what wonderful values they are at.....\$1.00

Smart Copies of French Hats

Made to Sell for \$13.50 to \$16.50 \$7.50

175 beautiful Hats—copies of French model hats—bought at a great sacrifice from a well known New York pattern hat house that makes hats to sell for \$13.50 to \$16.50. Not one in this lot worth less. Principally Dress and Street Hats, including the chic sailors and basque turbans now so popular, trimmed in Numidi effects, ostrich fancies, flower and ribbon trimmed, metallic trimmings, etc.

300 Hats for Misses and Juniors

Untrimmed Hats Velvet Shapes Worth up to \$4.00 \$1.95

Following our big Untrimmed Hat Sale of last Saturday we find we have about 25 dozen smart Lyons Velvet and Salts Velvet shapes, worth up to \$4, which come in black only, and will be offered for your selection Saturday at \$1.95.

The Very Latest Trimmings

Our trimming section has just received 200 smart stick-up effects for the new Military Turbans—including Burnt Pheasant, all colors; Vulture fancies, Wing effects, and an immense variety of other styles. Values up to \$1.25, Saturday..... 49c

The Corset Is Not a Complex Problem

IF YOU understand it properly, but so few women do, and so few, in the aggregate, are willing to spend the few moments extra required for fitting, even though we make no extra charge. But if you stop to consider that a change is gradually coming, that tighter fitting gowns are here, you'll find that the proper corset properly fitted means worlds to you, not alone to your figure, but to your health and complexion as well. The Nemo makers have a number of new models in the natural curves, not the corsetless effect. If you have been wearing corsets insufficiently boned, corsets that have permitted the figure to spread, corsets that have not correctly supported the figure, have our expert corsetiers fit you with the new Nemo or Smart Set models, which, in white or flesh color, are dainty enough to be in keeping with the "fit" lingerie.

The right corset correctly fitted plays a very important part in providing for good health as well as good looks. It makes little difference whether a woman is slender, medium or stout, her health is seen to suffer if her body is not correctly supported. Our corsetiers thoroughly understand the structure of the body and what correct abdominal support means, also where a corset should be snug or where not. No extra charge is made for this fitting service.

Nemo Corset, style 305, is designed for medium or slender figures. It is made of fine quality, pink striped or white balisat, with either pink or white embroidered polka dots. The bust is low, but the Nemo "bridge" prevents any danger of the corset "digging in," very lightly boned, still the bones are so arranged that they correctly support the figure. Sizes to 28, at..... \$3

Smart Set Corsets, made of batiste, in a dainty check, in blue, pink, white, or white with pink stripes, and will be a delight to those who desire a corset that is both beautiful as well as durable, fashionable and comfortable. Sizes to 30..... \$7.50

A Smart Set Model made of the Lasko cloth, the new open ventilating weave, which gives but does not stretch. This is a perfect elastic corset because it will not bulge, but controls the flesh perfectly and gives all the comfort of an air elastic corset. Sizes up to 30, at..... \$10.00

Special values in Nemo and Smart Set Corsets that are slightly soiled. Values \$2.00 to \$7.50, at..... \$2.00

Saturday--Sale of Women's Fine \$3.50 & \$4 Shoes

Newest Fall Styles--Sale on Main Floor. SAVE 65c TO \$1.15 ON EACH PAIR \$2.85

An exceptionally lucky purchase of a very select lot of fine fall footwear. Fine patent kid shoes with silk brocade cloth tops or kid tops. In the same lot is a quantity of shoes in dull mat kid. All new lasts and patterns. Full Louis, Gaby or Cuban heels. All sizes. Not a pair in the lot worth less than \$3.50—many worth \$4.00—all go on sale Saturday, in Main Floor Shoe Section, at \$2.85 pair.

Saturday's Specials

600 Pairs Infants' Shoes—All leathers and styles; hand-sewed soles, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 98c

200 Pairs Satin Slippers for Women—Worth up to \$2 a pair, Saturday, pr..... \$1.00

Bath Slippers for Men and Women—Prices..... 25c, 35c and 49c

We Are Sole Agents in Omaha for "Red Cross Shoes" For women. The famous flexible sole shoes, affording maximum style and maximum comfort; all styles and all sizes, at— \$4 and \$4.50

Women's Fine Sheer All-Linear Handkerchiefs—With hand-embroidered corners; in colored and white, narrow and wide. Llama, real Armenian lace trimmed edges, linen centers, 50c value, Saturday, each..... 25c

Women's Fine Sheer Shamrock Handkerchiefs—Wide hemmed finishes, with corded borders; also colored initials..... 5c

Men's All-Linear Initials—slightly imperfect, Saturday..... 5c

TOILET GOODS

Juvenile Toilet Soap, cake..... 6c

Kirk's Jap Rose Soap, cake..... 5c

La Flora Cold Cream, 50c size..... 29c

Lesterine, \$1.00 bottle..... 50c

Mentholum, 50c size..... 29c

Horlick's Malted Milk, hospital size..... \$2.69

Bromo Seltzer, \$1.00 size..... 50c

Canthrox, 50c size..... 29c

Men's Toilet Powder, can..... 4c

Hankin's Coconut Oil Soap, 7 bars for..... 24c

Peroxide of Hydrogen, 1 lb. bot..... 15c

Savory Egg Shampoo, 25c size..... 15c

Meiba Face Powder, all shades, 50c size..... 29c

El Perfecto Veda Rouge, 50c size..... 29c

Epsom Salts, 1-lb. package..... 4c

Sedlets Powders, 10 in box, at..... 12c

Laxative Pills, 100 in bottle..... 25c

Penicillin Wafers, 100 in bottle..... 29c

Saniflush, 25c can..... 15c

Old Dutch Cleanser, at the can..... 6c

Special White Ivory Handle Manicure File at..... 18c

Traveling Bags & Suit Cases

Sample lots bought at a big reduction, including combination bags, in black, brown and russet; \$4.50, \$5 and \$6.50 values; all in one lot Saturday, at \$3.50

"Her Gift"

FRAMED 39c Dozen

Fresh Cut Roses of All Colors—Long Stems. ALSO

Tulip Bulbs 10,000 for Saturday—All Colors—Single and Double

12c Dozen

Out Flower Department. \$1.19

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HOSIERY

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose—With high spliced soles, double heels and toes and wide garter tops; usually sell for \$1, Saturday, at..... 69c

Women's Silk Boot and Lisle Hose—Tan, black and white; full fashion, double sole, heels and toes, 35c value..... 25c

Women's Black and Tan Lisle Hose—The "Black Cat" brand; heavy and light weight; full fashion and seamless; double heels, toes and soles; good value at 25c. Saturday, at..... 12c

Boys' and Girls' Heavy and Fine Ribbed Hose—The "Black Cat" brand, with double knees, high spliced heels and toes, and double soles, at..... 15c

Men's and Women's

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\$3.95 Tea Kettle

Made of Pure Aluminum

Nothing to flake or chip off; outlast tin or enamel; light in weight, but strong and durable; heats quickly; special Sat. China Section \$2.35

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