



DRIVES AND BARGAINS.

AT THIS time of year there are always numerous broken lots, clearances, jobs, bargains and drives which the visiting dealer can pick up and use to great advantage. The wholesalers are expecting the arrival of fall stocks and desire to clear out their spring lines as well as possible to make more room. They do not care to have so many different lines to keep in mind, and they simplify by cleaning out lines which they do not expect to carry again. In this way the retailer secures many bargains which he can turn to good account in swelling the year's profits. But all dealers cannot visit the markets in Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton, and the only way they can secure these bargains is through the information supplied by THE REVIEW. The jobs mentioned in this issue are genuine and not made for advertising effect. The wholesalers mean business, and the retailer can rely on the information herein contained. Those who send for samples of the drives and bargains in this issue can do THE REVIEW a good turn by mentioning where the information was found.

THE LATEST OFFERINGS.

TARTAN SILKS **G**ORDON, MACKAY & Co. are showing a choice line of Tartan check silk, recently secured at a large discount, being balance of manufacturers' stock and worth in the regular way 75 cents. Thirteen choice patterns; price, 50c.

FLANNELETTES **A**LLEXANDER & ANDERSON have purchased 3,000 pieces striped and checked flannelettes, being the balance of a manufacturer's stock, which they are offering at mill prices. This is a big drive, and they can be retailed at 8 cents per yard.

UMBRELLAS **S**AMSON, KENNEDY & Co. are offering a line of cotton Austrian umbrellas, at \$7.50 PER DOZ. This umbrella has a paragon frame, and is especially good value at this price.

25 TO 50 **C**ALDICOTT, BURTON & SPENCE are offering special reductions in certain lines of corsets, which they desire to clear. These are genuine bargains, and correspondence will elicit further information.

HENRIETTES **A**LLEXANDER & ANDERSON have passed into stock a full range of their well-known and justly celebrated black henriettes. These are extra value, ranging from 45 to 90 cents. The finish and color of these goods are unexcelled.

10 CENTS **W**ILLIAMS, GRASSETT & DARLING are showing a magnificent range of patterns in their wide cloth print, in delaine patterns in black goods, colored goods, pink goods, cream goods, also in the soft finished drillette and indigo and Turkey red effects, etc., at 10 cents per yard.

CHENILLE CURTAINS **J**OHNS MACDONALD & Co. are showing a line of chenille curtains in a range of colors, which are being offered at \$3.75 per pair. These goods are this season's manufacture and

are claimed to be as good value as has hitherto been sold for \$4.50.

DRESS GOODS **C**ALDICOTT, BURTON & SPENCE are offering a line of three quarter tweed-pattern dress goods at 8 cents. This line is worth in the regular way 10 cents, and should prove a plum for those who can avail themselves of it.

A CUT IN **J**OHNS MACDONALD & Co. are running a special line of 32-inch apron checks at 10 cents a yard. One quality, but a range of patterns. The former price was much higher.

CHOICE PRINTS, **A**LLEXANDER & ANDERSON have just received a large shipment of new prints in delaine patterns, in black, brown and cream grounds; also indigos, cardinals, etc., in small object effects. These are the goods that are wanted, and which ought to be on every retail counter. The price is 10 cents.

BRACES AT **J**OHNS MACDONALD & Co. are showing a line of braces in heavy cushion web and silk web, which they are offering at \$1.50. The price in the regular way is \$2.00.

SPECIAL **W**. R. BROCK & Co. have been going through their stock and laid aside a number of odd lines and broken ranges, which they are offering at job prices to clear. These include cashmere hosiery, lisle, taffeta and silk gloves; handkerchiefs and men's neckwear. Quotations on application.

VELVETS AND VELVETEENS.

IT was pointed out last month that the consumption of these was steadily increasing. Like silks the price and the quantity consumed are increasing together. The silk velvet manufacturers at Corfeld and Lobberick, the great silk velvet towns of Germany, have so many orders ahead that they do not care to take more. The silk schappe has advanced in price 35 per cent., and consequently the manufactured product has also been advanced, so that prices in Canada will also be higher in the fall and winter of the present year. A similar thing has happened in England with regard to velveteens. Where the English manufacturers were selling ten pieces of velveteens last year they are now selling 100, and prices have advanced 15 to 25 per cent. No orders for either of these classes can be placed by importers at the old prices, and consequently prices must advance in this market. Retailers should keep as full a stock as they can, consistent with their policy of never overloading. Importers are conserving their stock as much as possible, and prices are very firm.

J. H. BUCKINGHAM & CO.

THIS celebrated cravat house have sent out a circular to the trade announcing the shipment to their New York agent, Mr. Wm. B. Roe, 64 West 23rd street, of their collection of samples for the fall of 1893. Their De Joinvilles include amongst other new grounds light Sultan and Cyprus green. They have brought out elaborate patterns on figured satins and some very telling silk effects on satin grounds. They show new makes in silk Aleppo twill and matt grounds. In Squares, Mufflers, Cut Ups, Windsors, etc., they show some very rich novelties, and all Canadian importers who visit New York will do well to inspect these line of samples. They also show umbrellas, and canes and walking sticks.