

RETURNED FROM ABROAD.

Mr. J. Mickleborough, says The St. Thomas Times, has returned from an extended trip in Europe, looking up goods for the fall and winter trade. During his three months' absence he visited the leading manufacturing centres in England, Germany, France, etc., and contracted for larger shipments than the firm has ever launched into. This has been made necessary by large additions to his premises. Mr. Mickleborough reports a very successful trip.

Mr. R. M. Anderson, of the dry goods firm of Northway & Anderson, has also reached home after a three months' purchasing trip in Europe. His trip over from Liverpool was made in fast time. He left Liverpool on the ss. Lucama, on Saturday at 5 p.m., remaining over a day in New York. He visited France, Germany, England, Ireland, etc., in quest of new goods for their Toronto, Simcoe, Tilsonburg, Orillia and St. Thomas stores. These goods are now coming forward, and when their new store here is completed, which will be in the course of a week or ten days, the selling space of the firm will be fully utilized.

A DEMAND FOR VELVET CARPETS.

John Macdonald & Co. report quite a movement in velvet carpets, of which they showed several lines at medium prices. A repeat shipment of lace curtains is reported.

AN ISLAND BUYER.

Mr. L. G. Whear is visiting Montreal, Toronto and other Canadian centres to select fall stock for the firm of W. A. Weeks & Co., Charlottetown. Though this is Mr. Whear's first trip west as the firm's buyer, he has long experience and a keen knowledge of the trade.

VOUCHED FOR AS TRUE.

"I want to tell you a story with a moral pinned to it." So said a wholesale man who wore a brown suit and a triumphant smile as THE REVIEW hove in sight. "A large city store bought some of this line from me," pointing to the last of a line being cleared out, "but decided to import for itself. After some trouble its buyer found out where I had got the goods and imported a shipment. He had been getting it from me in small quantities, just as he needed it and could sell. The demand fell off and he has now the best part of his shipment on hand. I think he would have been wiser to let me supply him as he required it, instead of loading himself up by importation."

WRITE FOR SAMPLES.

Messrs. K. Ishikawa & Co. are showing a line of 22 to 24-inch white silk handkerchiefs, to be retailed from 25 to 35c, with a good profit.

SILKS.

Brophy, Cains & Co. say: "We have been steadily receiving and shipping silks for the incoming season since July 1st. Our stock is now complete and very handsome.

"Can any of you tell me why Lazarus was a beggar?" asked the female teacher in a Westside Sunday school. "Why was Lazarus a beggar?" she repeated sternly.

"Please, ma'am," replied a small boy, whose father was a dry goods merchant, "because he didn't advertise in THE CANADIAN DRY GOODS REVIEW."

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