

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

A Page to Remind You That the Time to Think of Christmas Gifts Draws Near

Here Are Bronzes From Japan

All the grace and symmetry of a Greek design in this beautiful bronze vase in antique green finish, though its Japanese origin is seen in the deep band of characteristic ornament and the three quaint handles. It is 12 inches high, and is priced at \$12.00.

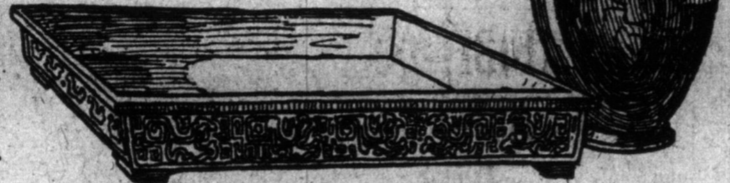


A wild goose battling its way over storm-tossed waves, modelled in most life-like Japanese fashion, gives a unique air to this beautifully shaped bright brass vase. Height 12 inches. Price \$3.50.

Of course she has just come from Japan, so why shouldn't she be Japanese, not only in her habitations but in her features, this quaint little lady, in antique green bronze finish, carrying a shallow pierced basket on her head? Height 11 inches. Price \$3.00.



A charming shallow tray in "verdigris" finished bronze, suitable either for outside or a Japanese garden, and highly ornamental with its truly Eastern decoration. Its width is 8 inches, the price \$5.00. Two larger sizes are procurable, measuring respectively 9 and 10 inches, and priced at \$6 and \$7.



In brown, antique green and silver finishes, some showing Cloisonne enamel. Every piece characterized by those exquisite proportions and restraint in the application of effective design which proclaims it a true work of art.

THEY CONJURE up visions of the East, of gay little Japanese tea houses, of mysterious Oriental temples; for fascinatingly grouped in the Basement are all sorts of charming pieces—useful and ornamental—such as crowd the stalls of vendors of metal work in the East; of tea pots and kettles, of trays and candlesticks such as one meets in teashops; of gongs such as summon the temple servants; of symmetrical vases, caskets and incense burners such as the priests use, as they go about their mystic ceremonies.

And here are all these lovely things brought to your very doors, so to speak, and, to cap everything, the prices are most moderate.



Two of the fearsome-looking dragons so typical of the Celestial land, encircle this hanging jardiniere—one between each of the cock's heads that look out from the sides. It is in bright brass finish, measures 10 inches across, and is \$5.50.



This little kettle owes its chief charm to the contrast of the green jade knob of its lid with the silvery metal of which it is made. The pierced work on the stand which conceals the burner is also most effective. The metal is prepared by a process which prevents it being easily tarnished. The price is \$5.50.

Japanese from its rim to its base, this dull bronze vase—Japanese in its shape, Japanese in its quaint griffin handles, in its "diaper" patterned ornament, and, above all, in the bands of richly colored cloisonne enamel which surround it. Height 8 inches. Price \$6.50.

A queer lizard-like monster curls itself over the opening in the top of this cloisonne enameled bronze casket. It has an opening, because it was originally designed as an incense burner, but it would be just as effective as a pot pourri jar. Price \$4.00.

There is Excellent Value in These Skunk Furs

"Prime, full furred and glossy," describes the skins used in the designing of these neckpieces and muffs of skunk. In the former they range from the plain band, which is lined and may be attached to the coat or suit at \$3.50, to the cape at \$52.50, which is quite wide on the shoulders, and adorned with tails.

A smart neckpiece which may be attached to the coat and worn either flat or in real chin-chin style is \$15.00; then a neat thing is a skating scarf, with double fur and long silk fringe on ends.

The muffs are simply charming, and cozy as possible, mostly being lined with velvet. At \$50.00 is a muff in true melon shape, in dropped skin effect, one of the smartest things of the season.

There are cosy ball muffs, perfectly round at \$37.50, and one at \$40.00, with silk full at openings. Fancy Pillow Muffs may be had at \$43.25, \$56.75; and a particularly pretty one with insets of silk at \$24.00.

—Third Floor, Yonge St.

If You'd Know The Joys of a Springtime Garden in Winter

Then now is the time to think of planting your bulbs

NOODLING white snowdrops, fragile paper white narcissi, sweet scented pheasant's eye, creamy freezias—purple, yellow and white crocuses, flaming tulips, gleaming hyacinths, golden daffodils, and all the gaily colored host of the harbingers of the Spring—who doesn't delight in them, who doesn't love them from the time they push out their first delicate greenish white shoots to the day their last flower fades?

So whether you wish to grow them in some of the bulb bowls referred to elsewhere on this page, or whether you contemplate joyous looking borders for your garden when the Winter snows shall have gone, it behoves you to consider the advisability of purchasing the bulbs now while the assortment is good.

There is immense variety at the bulb counters on the Fifth Floor, all of them selected stock, and the prices are most moderate.

Specially prepared wood fibre, a splendid soil in which to grow them, is procurable at 10c a lb.

—Fifth Floor.

Of Bulb Bowls There is a Wonderful Array

In such delightful colors and charming shapes that they are decorative even when empty, and specially to be noted are the new Japanese bowls of beautifully tinted porcelain glass

DO YOU KNOW that charming Japanese way of arranging flowers—one, perhaps with all its leaves, or three or four standing in a holder in the middle of a shallow bowl? Well, these tinted bowls which are so exquisitely colored, are designed for just this purpose, each one provided with a pierced flower holder in the same hue. And when the holder is removed they can just as easily be used for bulbs.

One of them you may see in the sketch, but there are other designs, some in the "closed in" style, some with faint flutings. Were it not too delicately pretty the outside might

be described as ground glass, the inside smooth, and the effect is as if the tinted glass were placed over chiffon. The colors are particularly effective—rose, burnt apricot, pale green, jade green, yellow, terra cotta, blue and black. The price is \$4.65.



To add to the naturalistic effect, little gaily colored glass birds with adhesive feet, can be perched on the rims, as in the sketch. These are, each, 30c.

Butterflies of brilliant color, are 40c.

Among a vast collection of plain china bulb bowls are some in plain brown, so effective for daffodils and gay tulips and hyacinths, in two sizes, at 75c and \$2.50; in Wedgwood blue, at 75c and \$1.50; in green at 60c and \$1.50 each.

A big yellow bowl decorated with terra cotta cherry blossom with blue stems is \$6.00.

In deeper bowls which could also be used as jardiniere there are lovely, soft powder blue, and greenish blue colors at 85c and \$2.25 each.

Little earthenware flower holders, for placing in these bowls, for the arrangement of few flowers in the Japanese (natural) manner are available at 10c and in the shape of tortoise and water-lilies at 20c.

—Basement.

Ready-to-wear Hats at \$4.50, on Sale at 10 o'Clock

Charming in every detail are these tailored hats in designs from the smart saloons to the jaunty little turbans, each model in the collection showing some delightful new idea in trimming. There are numerous large saloons trimmed with wings, gulls, and ribbon; the modish tans with small brim which makes them so much easier to wear and merely a head ornament, flower, or metallic ribbon by way of trimming, while odd varieties of tricorne and matrons' shapes make up the number on sale at 10 o'clock. Special value \$4.50.

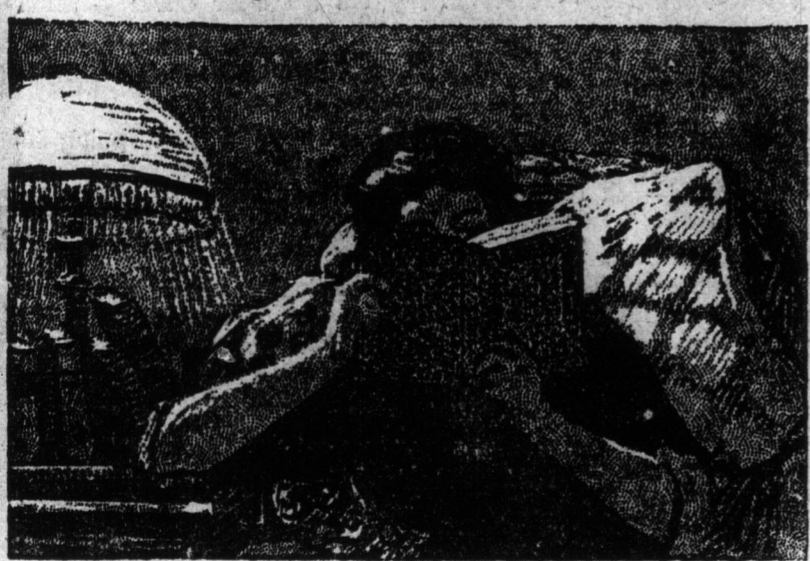
Smart Shapes in Untrimmed Velvet Hats at \$2.25

This special line comprises saloons of all kinds, large, medium and small, with rolling, straight or turn-up brims, high or low crowns; also smart looking military hats, picture hats, Colonial turbans, and matrons' hats, specially featured. Price, \$2.25.

—Second Floor, Yonge St.

Those Who Are Interested In Books

Will find the book department a place of absorbing interest just now. Not only is there a greater stock than usual, but certain alterations in the department have made selection an easier matter



A BOOK for yourself, a book for a friend? A learned tome, the last new novel, biography, poetry, scientific literature, or books about that all-absorbing topic, the War—which do you want? Dozens and dozens of these, and books of almost every description under the sun, are to be found in the huge number of books now in the Book Department.

Almost daily their numbers are growing in preparation for the great business of the next two months, so now is a splendid opportunity to come and select any sort of literature that appeals to you.

- Here are a few suggestions: "Life and Letters of the Right Honorable Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., K.C.M.G."—2 volumes with 8 photogravure plates, edited by E. N. Snider, with an introduction by the Right Honorable Sir R. L. Borden, K.C.M.G.—a book that gives most interesting sidelights on certain aspects of Anglo-Canadian political life and manners. Price, \$5.00.
- "Adventures of a Despatch Rider," by Captain W. H. L. Watson, a story of the War. Price, \$1.25.
- "Georgina of the Rainbows," by Annie Fellows Johnston, a novel. Price, \$1.25.
- "The Kingdom of the Blind," by Phillips Oppenheim. Price, \$1.25.
- "Mr. Britling Sees it Through," by H. J. Wells. Price, \$1.25.
- "Golden Vanity," by Richard Dehan. Price, \$1.10.
- "The Unspeakable Perk," by Samuel Hopkins Adams. Price, \$1.10.
- "The Grit Philippa," by Robert W. Chambers, a novel, the plot of which is laid in the early days of the War. Price, \$1.10.
- "Leatherface," by Baroness Orczy. Price, \$1.10.
- "Leaves From a Field Note Book," by J. H. Morgan, late Home Office Commissioner with the British Expeditionary Force. Price, \$1.35.

Send your name and address to the Personal Service Department, and a booklet, "Gift Packages for Soldiers," will be mailed to you. It is full of helpful suggestions for those who are sending comforts and eatables to soldiers on active service in England and France, and to prisoners of war in Germany.

Many of these Books have been reviewed by Miss Margaret MacMurphy whose notices are a feature of the Book Department.

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LIMITED

Inexpensive Stone Set Jewelry.

Brooches, pendants, lavallieres and rings, in a host of dainty new designs, some in yellow, some in white gold setting (14k.), and none of them exceeding \$30.00 in price.

GIFTS and jewelry are almost synonymous terms, but these particular new designs are so effective and so moderately priced that they might well tempt you to make a present to yourself. But if that offends your principles of economy we would remind you that Christmas is only about two months off.

An admirable example of the low pricing is seen in a pendant with a square filigree gallery set with two small diamonds and a baroque pearl drop. This, with a fine chain, is only \$8.00.

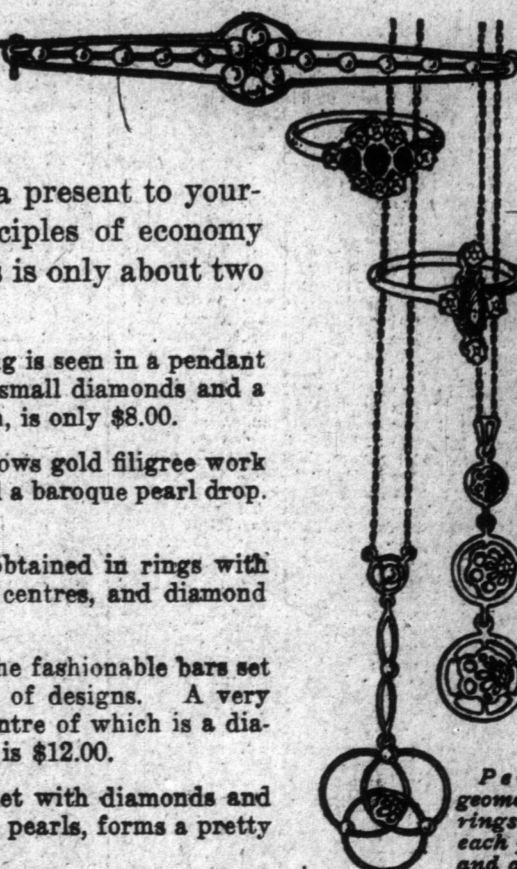
A heavier, but most effective design, shows gold filigree work round a gold flower with diamond centre and a baroque pearl drop. Price, \$12.00.

The popular "flower" design can be obtained in rings with synthetic ruby, sapphire, emerald or pearl centres, and diamond "petals." Price, \$20.00.

Brooches are very varied and include the fashionable bars set with pearls, diamonds or pearls, in a host of designs. A very artistic one shows pearls on a bar in the centre of which is a diamond set in a ring of black enamel. This is \$12.00.

A tiny Cameo in the centre of a bar set with diamonds and pearls, the whole enclosed in a twist of seed pearls, forms a pretty brooch at \$25.00.

—Main Floor, Yonge St.



Brooch showing bar set with pearls and in the middle a diamond centred pearl flower. Price, \$18.00.

Ring with three synthetic rubies surrounded by a cluster of diamonds, 14k gold setting. Price, \$30.00.

Extremely pretty ring with large amethyst, set with a small diamond at each point. Price, \$12.00.

Pendant showing three graduated gold rings, each enclosing a gold flower with diamond centre. Price, \$18.00.

Pendant showing geometric device of rings with pearl at each point of junction and a diamond in the centre. Price, \$12.00.