throughout South Africa, and have branches at Port Elizabeth and Johannesburg. They are sole agents by appointment for the sale of Admiralty charts, and of the S.P.C.K. books. Their large map of South Africa is continually revised and brought up to date, and is universally accepted as the standard. They have a splendid business connection with the various schools of the Colony, and keep an enormous stock of school books and educational works. By every mail steamer they receive large consignments of new books, papers, and magazines.

KOCH & DIXIE.—Nearly twenty years ago Messrs. Koch and Dixie started in business in Cape Town as furnishing ironmongers in the premises now occupied by the Union Steamship Company in Adderley Street. Their business has always been an extensive one, and their practise of receiving goods of the latest designs by every mail steamer has caused their goods to find a ready demand. When the Union Steamship Company bought the premises in Adderley Street Messrs. Koch & Dixie seized the opportunity of purchasing the valuable business site at the corner of Burg and Castle Streets, and they instructed Mr. Anthony M. de Witt to erect a two-storey building which they thought would meet their requirements. Sorapidly, however, has their business developed that they were forced to purchase the adjoining premises of Mr. W. Erxleben and add an additional storey to their premises which now has a frontage in Castle Street of nearly 150 feet, the whole making a most imposing building. The extra space allows the firm to display its large and varied stock to perfection. Everything in the way of ironmongery for the household can be supplied by this firm of good quality and at reasonable prices. They have also a magnificent stock of paints, oils and enamels, also all kinds of tools and builders' requisites. A view of their premises is given and their advertisement will be found on another page.

J. LAWLEY & Co.—This is one of the oldest established firms in Cape Town. Doing business at Longmarket Street and Church Square, under the style of "The West of England." They are constantly receiving importations of gentlemens and juveniles' clothing, and conduct a very large outfitting business with the whole of South Africa.

B. G. LENNON & CO. LIMITED.—Established as far back as 1850 by the late Mr. B. G. Lennon, this business has been so extended and developed that it can now boast of nine branches in various parts of South Africa, in addition to its London house, in Bunhill Row. The Cape Town premises form a striking feature in Adderley Street architecture and include a retail drug and dispensing department, and offices, stores, showrooms and laboratories pertaining

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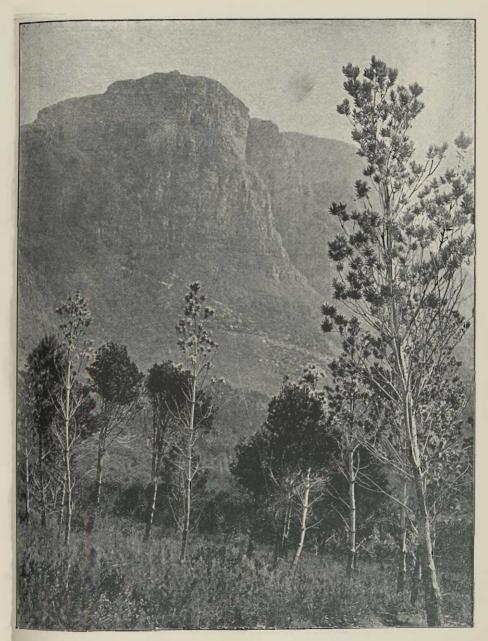
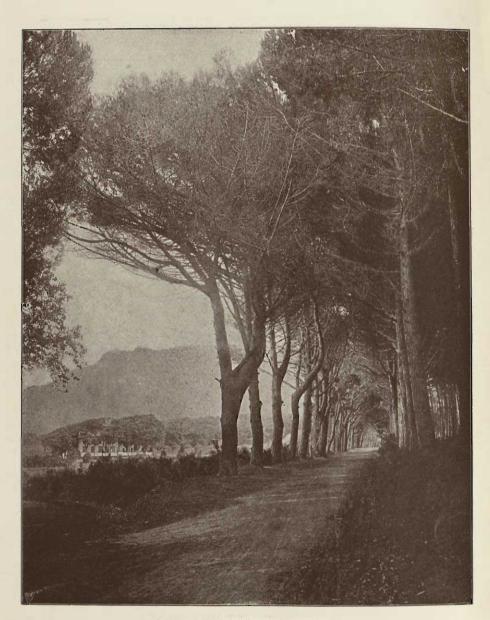


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GLEN ALPHEN, CONSTANTIA.

to the wholesale drug and chemical trade. The Port Elizabeth establishment has recently been much extended, and branches also exist at Johannesburg, Kimberley, East London, Aliwal North, Graaff-Reinet, Beaufort West and Paarl.

S. B. LENG.—Few names are better known in Cape Colony in connection with leather importation than that of S. B. Leng of 24. Long Street, and visitors to his establishment will find a large and varied stock of all requisites connected with the manufacture of boots and shoes. Mr. Leng is constantly receiving large deliveries of English, American, French and Australian leathers, and makes a special feature of belting. Price lists are sent gratis on application.

M. LEVENBERG, since succeeding Mr. P. Levenberg, has made considerable progress in his business. His premises are in a prominent position in Adderley Street where he heeps a large and varied assortment of jewellery and watches, and silver and electroplated goods. He also has a capital stock of opera glasses, gold and steel spectacles and eye-glasses to suit all sights. Mr. Levenberg's is the sole depot for the "True as the sun" watch.

MAXWELL & EARP.—Near the centre of St. George's Street are the extensive premises of Messrs. Maxwell & Earp, the size of which may be gathered from the fact that the total floor space amounts to 18,236 square feet. The stock displayed in the various departments comprises general hardware and fancy goods, oilman's stores and grocer's sundries, ready-made clothing, cotton and woollen goods, haberdashery and hosiery, stationery, saddlery, etc., etc. In addition to the above, Messrs. M. & E. hold a large stock of musical instruments and are the sole agents in Cape Colony for the renowned American Cornish organs. New goods are constantly being received, and up-country store dealers can rely upon seeing a well-selected and very varied stock.

MILLER, T. MASKEW.—Three years ago was a name unknown in Africa—now it is familiar to Colonists from Cape Point to the Zambesi. His new premises at 69, Adderley Street has been specially constructed to meet the wants of a bookseller and stationer who is determined to keep "Up-to-date." He has had twenty years experience in the difficult but interesting profession of bookselling, and is always willing to give personal attention to the wants of booklovers. Visitors to the Metropolis should certainly make a point of inspecting his enormous stock of literature in every department. Mr. Miller's store is known to contain all the choicest novelties in high-class leather goods suitable for wedding and other presents.

B. G. LENNON & Co., Ltd.,

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PREMISES OF B. G. LENNON & CO. LIMITED, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CHEMISTS, &C., ADDERLEY ST.



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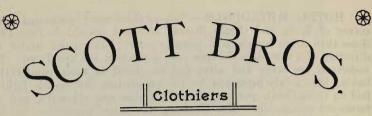
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HOTEL METROPOLE.—This establishment is situated at the corner of Long and Castle Streets and was opened in June 1895. Since then it has been a most popular resort; its cuisine under the direction of a first-class German chef is the best in Cape Town. The bedrooms are large and airy, and the hotel is most comfortable, having been newly furnished by the proprietor, the electric light is laid on throughout, porters meet all trains and steamers, and the terms are reasonable. Mr. Hartung, the genial proprietor, has had several years' experience of hotel management, and visitors to Cape Town cannot do better than patronise the "Hotel Metropole."

GORDON MITCHELL & Co.—About eighteen years ago the late Mr. Gordon Mitchell, suffering from ill health, came out to South Africa, and being a man of remarkable energy, started in business as a general merchant in soft goods. He introduced a new system of business into the country, and the operations of the firm grew to such large proportions that he found it necessary in later years to move into larger premises in St. George's Street, to meet the requirements of his trade. Messrs. Gordon Mitchell & Co. were one of the first firms to anticipate the future of the Gold Fields, and they have several important branches at Johannesburg, comprising wholesale, retail and furniture stores, besides business connections in various towns in South Africa. They are Government contractors, and are constantly receiving weekly shipments of the very latest novelties from the United Kingdom and Europe.

W. RAWBONE.—All sporting and hunting men from Cape Town to the Zambesi know the name of W. Rawbone. He has been established a great many years and had the honour of being appointed gunmaker to H.R.H. the Duke of Elinburgh while he was a resident in Cape Colony. Mr. Rawbone is constantly receiving the very latest guns and ammunition from Eugland and European centres. The business was established as far back as 1850, and since then has extended itself all over the country. Mr. Rawbone is also agent for the best manufacturers in Europe and America, including such popular makers as W. W. Greener, P. A. Webley & Son, Colts Patent Firearms Co., &c. &c.

R. M. ROSS & Co.—Years ago Messrs. R. M. Ross & Co. established themselves in Strand Street as ironmongers, hardware merchants, and agricultural implement importers. They have for a considerable number of years represented the celebrated firm of Massey Harris, whose self-binders are a householdword in America and in the great cornfields of Manitoba. The firm has very large connections all over the country, and have several important and valuable agencies. The business now belongs to Mr. R. Solomou who has re-built nearly the whole of the premises, which now have a frontage of several hundred feet; they are stocked from floor to ceiling with every description of goods in the hardware trade.



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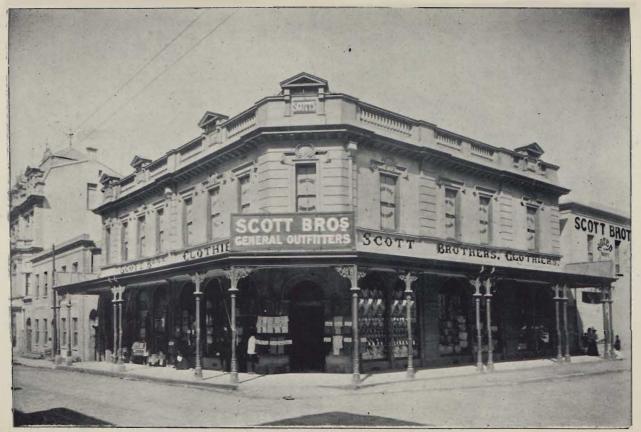


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J. SEDGWICK & Co.—The celebrated wine and spirit merchants, have been established in this country for many years. They keep all kinds of wines and spirits of the highest qualities at their vast stores leading off the Somerset Road.

W. & G. SCOTT.—Although only established in Cape Town a few years ago, this firm has achieved considerable success as builders, timber merchants, and builders' ironmongers. Their premises were unfortunately burnt down a year or two ago, but were quickly rebuilt by the firm, who are now doing a very large trade all over the Colony. They make moulding a speciality, and hold large stocks of flooring and ceiling boards, American timber, teak, mahogany, oak, walnut, &c.

SCOTT BROS.—This firm do a large business as Drapers, Gents' and Juvenile Outfitters, and Furniture Dealers. Their premises are situated at the corner of Plein and Mostert Streets They keep large stocks of goods in every department and are noted for their courtesy and attention to orders. The buildings occupied by them make a very pretty sight when illuminated by electricity; the latter is made on the premises.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN ASSOCIATION for the Administration and settlement of estates is an institution which has made remarkable progress within the last few years, and their funds under administration exceed £1,000,000. Those who require executors, administrators, etc., may safely place their affairs in the hands of this Association. It has built a safe deposit the only one in Cape Town. It is the work of Messrs Chubb & Sons and affords a better security of documents, securities and valuables of all kinds than is otherwise obtainable. The Association are agents in the Western Province, for the North British and Mercantile and Insurance Company which is one of the largest Euglish offices. Attention is directed to the Company's advertisement in another portion of this volume.

STURK & Co., J. H.—The name of "Sturk" is known from the Cape to the Zambesi as being the best house for the supply of tobacco, cigars, and snuff in every variety, together with everything that a smoker requires. The firm was established years ago, and their premises now cover a large area. They are situated in Greenmarket Square. Messrs. J. H. Sturk & Co. are sole agents for the Bergedorf and Pilsener Brands of German Beer.

WM. SPILHAUS & Co.—The extensive establishment of Wm. Spilhaus & Co. in Strand Street is well worthy of a visit. In these ecommodious premises will be found an immense stock of goods, as wwell as oilmen's stores, wines, beers, spirits, cigars, etc. No firm is

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better known among the St. George's Street houses, while their business connections in the Colony are very extensive and are daily increasing. In addition to the departments mentioned above, Messrs. Wilman Spilhaus & Co. hold several important agencies, amongst which they are the sole representatives in South Africa for R. W. Cameron & Co.'s kerosene oil, "Light of the Age 150°" brand; also the Anglo-Scandinavian condensed milk, Frister & Rossman's sewing machines and Usher's whisky.

VAN RYN WINE AND SPIRIT Co.—Visitors to Cape Town should take the opportunity of visiting the famous wine stores of this company, situated at the corner of Waterkant and Rose streets. Here will be found avenues of stuckvats, where the wine is matured and prepared for the market. The name of Van Ryn is known all over South Africa, and some of the finest wines produced at the Cape come from the stores of this company.

C. D. WELLS.—The monumental stone works of Mr. C. D. Wells, in Darling Street, are well known to residents in Cape Town, and up country visitors wishing to place their orders for this class of goods would do well to inspect the designs for and specimens of



monumental masonry the proprietor has always on view. Memorial stones and tablets receive special attention, and our local cemeteries contain many choice specimens of the skill of Mr. Wells and the clever hands he employs. In addition to work of this class, sculpture of all kinds is undertaken and contracted for, and those interested in the building of houses, or the erection of public buildings and places of worship should send to Darling Street for quotations and designs of work connected with his trade.

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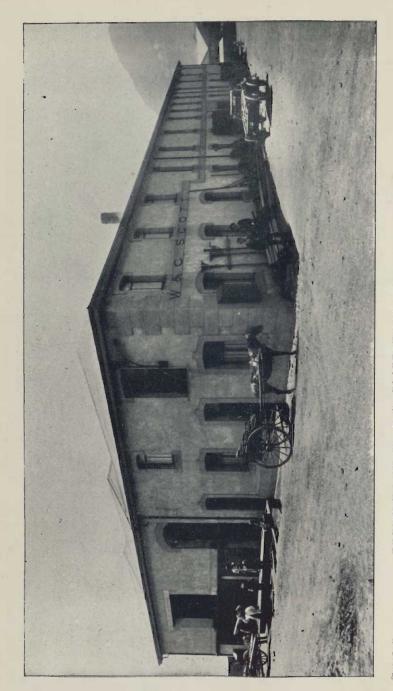
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THE PREMISES OF J. H. STURK & CO., CIGAR MANUFACTURERS, &C., GREENMARKET SQUARE.



PREMISES OF W. & G. SCOTT, TIMBER MERCHANTS, DOCK ROAD.

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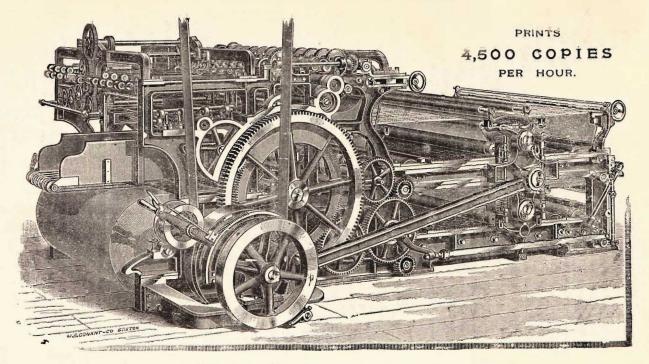
J. WOODHEAD & SONS.—Among the industries that Cape Town can boast of, the tannery and boot factory of Messrs. J. Woodhead & Sons is one of the most important. Established many years ago the firm has steadily grown in public favour, and is now known throughout the length and breadth of South Africa. To storekeepers the name of Woodhead & Sons signifies reliability and fair dealing, and the extensive connection the firm enjoys shows conclusively, that so far as leather and boots are concerned, the Colonial products can hold their own against imported articles. A large number of hands are employed by the firm, both at the tannery in Sir Lowry Road and also at their Strand Street establishment.

A. DONNER & Co.—This firm is noted for its lampware, fancy goods, china and glassware, &c. The premises are situated at the corner of Castle and Long Streets. Messrs. Donner & Co. are agents for the Berlin Photographic Society, and have many beautiful specimens of art exhibited on their walls. They are also agents for the celebrated piano manufacturers—C. J. Quandt, J. G. Vogel, and Sohn.

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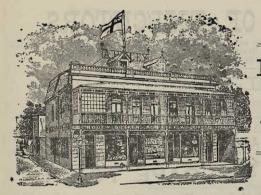
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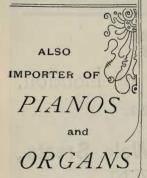
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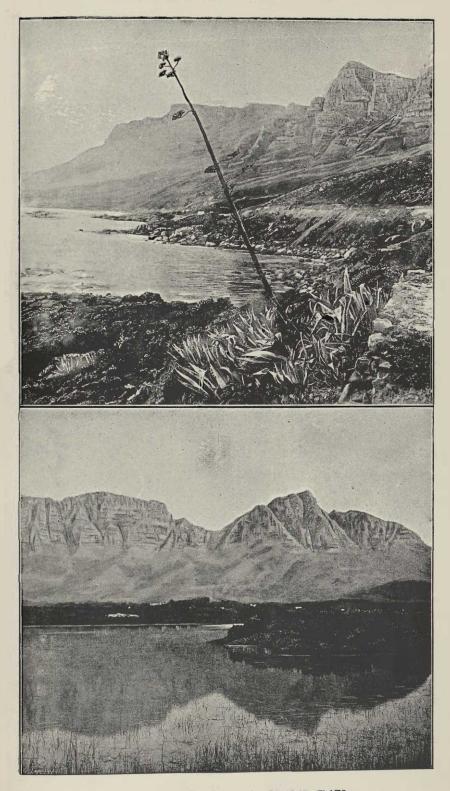
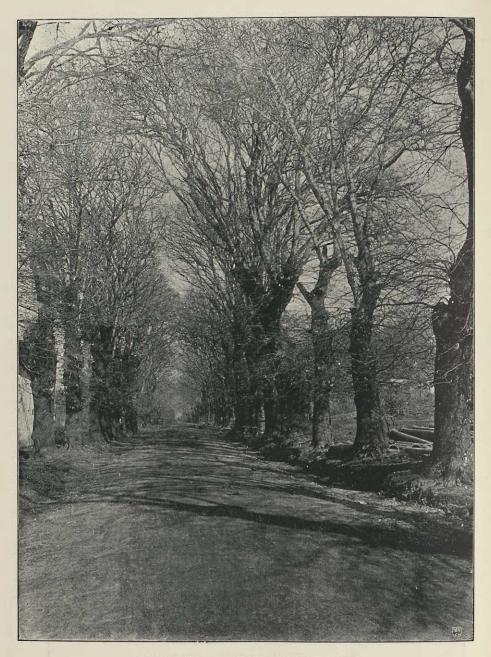


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