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ABERDEEN (Scotland).—G. N. R., 537½ miles (or by steamer from London, twice a week; fares, return, 45s. and 25s.).  in J. & J. Urquhart, 65, St. Nicholas Street, 2 minutes from station.  This firm stocks all brands of plates, chemicals, and printing paper.  Dark Room free from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.—W. Reid, 100, Holborn Street, stocks chemicals, paper, and plates.  Dark Room free at all times during the day.—James Henderson, 13, Crown Street.  Am. Phot. Soc.—Sec., G. Brodie, 2, Pour's Terrace.

Aberdeen has been called the Granite City. Views of Union Street, Castle Street, and King Street should be secured, the Municipal Buildings, Marischal College, the Market Cross, and the Duke of Gordon's Monument, in Castle Street. Old Aberdeen, which is easily reached from the top of Market Street, is now a sequestered and antiquated village, with the remains of the Cathedral. The nave has been rebuilt in recent years, and is used as the parish church of Old Machar. The fine arched bridge which spans the Dee will make a good picture, and the Brig o' Balgownie, built either by Robert Bruce or Bishop Chynno, should not be overlooked. When at Aberdeen the following places in the neighbourhood should be visited.—Cutter House, a 14th century mansion in the vicinity of Cutter Burn; Normandykes, once a Roman camp; Drum Castle (10 miles); Durness Tower; Crathes Castle; Tillydrone Castle; Banchory Castle (17 miles). This is a charmingly picturesque village on the Dee. At the southern end of it is Scottie Hill, crowned with a monument. From this hill there is a splendid view. The Dee is a favourite hunting-ground for photographers, and the Feshie Water, which enters the river here, terminates its course in a picturesque cataract. Aboyne (32 miles). When here see Aboyne Castle, Glentanner, Muiloch Hill, Dee Castle. Ballater (43 miles) is on the north side of the Dee, and connected by coach with Castleton. Craigendarroch, and the Pass of Ballater, Muirch Water, Dhu Loch, and Lochnagar should be visited. They will all provide splendid pictures. Balmoral Castle (the highland home of Queen Victoria). It is best to apply for official permission from the chief of the household before attempting to photograph. Cairn-ua-Quhern, about a mile and a half from Crathie Church, has a curious legend told of it: “It was the custom for each man, when
Devil’s Dyke, Rottingdean, Bramer Castle, Hollingbury Hill, the Downs, Preston Park, and Shoreham.

BRISTOL.—G. W. R., 119 miles. G. W. Dunscombe, 10, St. Augustine’s Parade, stocks Thomas’, England’s, Puget, Mason’s, Fry’s, Ilford, Edwards’, and Elliott’s plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room—no charge; available from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. 1 mile from the station; tram goes to the door for 1d.—Frank Holmes, 81, White Ladies’ Road, Clifton, stocks Thomas’ plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates; developing, 1s. first hour, 6d. afterwards. Close to Clifton Down railway station.—H. Hub- lands, 8, St. Augustine’s Parade, stocks Ilford, Watten’s, and Fry’s plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates; available from 9 a.m. till 7 p.m. 15 minutes from railway station; tram passes the door, 1d.—J. N. Lobb, 114, Gloucester Road, Bishopston, stocks plates and paper, chemicals, etc. Dark Room—charging plates, 6d. a time, or 1s. an hour; developing, 1s. a time, or 1s. 6d. an hour; available from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Trams from Bristol pass the door. 4 minutes’ walk from the Gloucester County Ground. Other Dealers—W. T. Wether, Villiers Road, Stapleton; A. Salamon & Co., 28, High Street; L. Burge, 32, High Street; Hodder & Son, Ltd., 8, Broad Street; all stock plates, paper, chemicals, etc. Camera Soc.—Sec., T. Taylor Genge, 68, Berkeley Road, Bishopston. Am. Phot. Assoc.—Sec., F. Blish Bond, 36, Corn Street, Bristol.

This busy city will afford ample work for the photographer. The Cathedral, with the Chapter House and Lady Chapel, will form several good pictures, whilst the interior has much to interest. The church of St. Mary Redcliffe, and many others are worth photographing. Good views of the river are to be got from the quay and bridges. Clifton will well repay a visit. The College and the church of All Saints should be seen.

BROADWAY (Worcester).—Dark Room at the “Lyon Arms” Hotel (Proprietor, C. R. Drury); six miles from Evesham (G. W. R. 101 miles); a conveyance every day at 2 p.m. The hotel itself is a very ancient building, and has a history dating from 1549. The Grange, near the village green, built somewhere about 1223, is in a fair state of preservation, and will interest the photographer. The Priors’ Manor, the King’s Nest, Middle Hill, Farncombe House, and the Church of St. Edible will all furnish excellent work for the camera.

BROMLEY (Kent).—S. E. R., 10 miles. G. W. & T. Shillock & Son, 122, High Street, stock Ilford, Thomas’, Marion’s, and Edwards’ plates in all sizes, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates; available from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Five minutes from S. E. R. and L. C. D. R. stations.

A fine old town with picturesque church, making a good picture from several points of view. In the churchyard are many interesting tombs, and to the collectors of epitaphs they will afford much instruction. The view from the recreation ground is very fine, and so are many on the outskirts of the town.

BURNLEY (Lanes).—Mid. and G. N. R., 219 miles. B. B. Cowgill, 85, Manchester Road, and J. W. Wright, 145, St. James’ Street; both stock plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room—both firms have keys of the Photographic Society’s rooms, Bank Chambers, Hargreaves Street. Phot. Soc.—Sec., Wm. Sutcliffe, 7, Bank Hall Terrace, Dark Room—no charge made.
Bossenden Woods, Boughton Le Beau, Nash Court, etc. To photograph in the Cathedral, permission must be obtained from the Dean. A correspondent in the *Amateur Photographer* says: "I gave a quarter of an hour for the choir and ten minutes for the nave, using a slow film, with lens working at f/32.

CARDIFF (S. Wales).—G. W. R., 170 miles. B. Jesse Williams & Co., 3 and 4, Park Hall Buildings. Dark Room—no charge to customers for changing plates, non-purchasers, 3d; developing free to customers, non-purchasers, 6d per half-hour; weekly ticket, 3s. 6d. Stock plates, all photographic chemicals, Eastman's Ilford, Durand, and Spencer's paper. Dark Room—available from 9 a.m. till 6 p.m. Other Dealers are—R. W. Duck & Co., St. John's Square, and W. L. Hicks & Co., Lt., 28, Duke Street; both stock plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Phot. Soc.—Sec., G. H. Bedford, 137, Bute Road.

The town, docks, and shipping will afford interesting work for the camera. A visit should be made to Cardiff Castle, the noble residence of the Marquis of Bute; permission must be obtained of the Marquis’s steward. A short distance, and a pleasant walk across the meadows is the little city of Llandaff, with its many quaint buildings, fine cathedral, and the bridge over the river Taff. The Secretary of the photographic society will most willingly give information.

CARDIGAN (Wales).—G. W. R., 275 miles. B. C. E. Evans stock plates and paper.

The scenery on the banks of the river Taf is exceedingly beautiful, and pictures may be composed on every side. Cardigan Castle, the village of St. Dogmaels, and the ruins of the Priory should be seen. Boat may be taken from Cardigan up the river to the ruins of Cilgerran Castle. Good fishing, which is so often an attraction for an off-day to the men of the camera, will be found.

CARLISLE (Cumberland).—L. N. W., and Mdl. R., 300 miles. B. J. Robson, 26, Scotch Street; stock plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus, and has a Dark Room available. Other Dealers are—Hall Read, Denton Street; and J. Bell & Son, Central Place, Gilders. Ann. Phot. Soc.—Sec., J. S. Atkinson, 55, South Pettrill Street, Carlisle.

The city is a most desirable centre; the cathedral and castle will give some good work, and the most delightful scenery is to be found on the rivers Eden and Esk. A trip should be paid to Netherby Hall, the scene of the carrying off of Helen by Young Lochinvar, described in "Marmion."

CARNARVON (Wales).—L. N. W. R., 248 miles. B. J. C. Rowland, 17, Castle Street, and D. Jones, Bangor Street; stock plates, paper, chemicals, Dark Room.—Joseph Kinsley, North Road; small charge made; plates and chemicals kept in stock; available any time in the day.

The castle will attract attention; it is in a splendid state of preservation, and is one of the finest fortresses in the kingdom. The position is really grand; it overlooks the Menai Straits and the Anglesea coast; it possesses well with the shipping. The harbour is always busy. The most beautiful scenery in North Wales is within easy distance. Llanberis, Snowdon, the village of Beddgelert, etc., from Bangor, which lies north of Carnarvon; a trip should be made to Penrhyn Castle, and Aber Fall.
DOVER (Kent.)—L. C. D. and S. E. R., 78 and 77 miles. J. G. Whitwell, 7, Beach Street, stocks Ilford, Phoenix, and Paget plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room—changing plates, 6d.; developing by arrangement; available from 8.30 a.m. to 8 p.m.; in centre of town, one minute from market or sea. W. Wyles, 1, New Bridge, stocks Ilford, Edwards', and Thomas' plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates. Developing, lowest charge, 6d.; available from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Dark Room—M. Jacolette, Northbrook House, has a room available. Am. Phot. Soc.—Sec., W. Wyles, New Bridge Street.

A contributor to the Amateur Photographer sends the following notes—‘The Admiralty Pier will undoubtedly be taken first, and the view of this pier from Shakespeare’s Cliff is exceedingly beautiful; and another from Dover Castle will doubtless be taken. I should advise the amateur to get a view of the Calais-Douvres and Invicta just before being made fast to the pier, and this will be found to well repay the amateur photographer for his trouble. A good view of Dover can be taken from the end of the Admiralty pier. Dover Castle—Two or three plates will be exposed here, I have no doubt; and if the photographer thinks it worth while, he can get permission to photograph within the courtyard. Close to is ‘Pharos Castle’. This makes a good picture from the south. The tower is, I believe, some 1200 years old. Granville Harbour.—From fifty to one hundred vessels are generally at ‘anchor’, and will make a splendid picture. Shakespeare’s Cliff, Highcliffe Fort, the Barracks, the Garrison Chapel, and Snargate Street (the principal street in Dover), from the Square, should be taken. St. Radigund’s Abbey, approached through Kearsney, is a long walk. The Abbey is almost completely covered with ivy, and is in ruins. The sands, any day about three o’clock, will afford many studies. Towards the South Foreland are fishermen’s cottages. The Smugglers’ Cave should be ‘taken.’ Views can be obtained here of active life without being in the least interfered with. St. Margaret’s Bay, from three positions, will make splendid pictures. The Bay is about three miles, in a northerly direction along the sands, from Dover.’

DROITWICH (Worcester).—G. W. R., 126 miles. E. E. Garlick, stocks plates, paper, and chemicals. This place is famous for brine baths, and is in the very centre of the salt district. Some very serious subsidences have of late years taken place. The scenery of the surrounding district is very beautiful. The village of Ombresley, the lovely valley of the Severn, Shrawley Woods, Abberley, and Stourport all provide good work for the photographer. Worcester, Great Malvern, and Kidderminster are within easy reach.

DUBLIN.—L. N. W. R., 335 miles. J. Robinson & Sons, 65, Grafton Street, stock all best brands of plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room—no charge for use of; available from 10 a.m. till 7 p.m., except Saturday, then to be 5.30 p.m. T. Mayne, 10, Lord Edward Street, stocks nearly all makes of plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates; small charge for developing; available from 9 a.m. till 6 p.m. W. Hayes & Son, 12, Grafton Street, stocks plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room at the Wicklow Hotel (Proprietor, R. O’Brien), available any time. Phot. Soc. of Ireland.—Sec., J. H. Hargreave, B.A., 3, Newtownsmith, Kingstown. V. M. C. A. Camera Club.—Sec., L. Davidson, 32, Manor Street.
GOING TO THE FAIR—DUBLIN.

[John White.]

Mr. Greenwood Pim, M.A., a resident in Dublin, writes of it in the *Amateur Photographer*—"As regards the city itself, the Bank of England, the former Parliament House, Trinity College, and the Custom House should be photographed (morning light). The latter, as seen by evening light from Carlisle Bridge, is strongly suggestive of Venice. St. Patrick's and Christchurch Cathedrals will afford interesting interiors; permission will be granted by the Dean. The Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin, are picturesque, and the palm-house contains fine groups of tropical foliage, best from the gallery. One or two pretty views can also be had in the vicinity of the lake. A pleasant excursion may be made to Leixlip and the Salmon Leap. Howth abounds with bold rocky cliff scenery. In the herring season studies of fisher life, boats, etc., can be secured about the little harbour. The tourist should not omit a walk round Bray Head. Three miles inland is the lovely Dargle Glen. Both sides are accessible. The road on the right bank has the best views for the general traveller, but the left is far the best for the photographer. Care should be taken not to under-expose, as the light is deceptive. Enniskerry is a pretty village, and worth photographing. To visit Powerscourt demesne admission card must be obtained of the agent at Enniskerry. The walk, some five miles, to the Waterfall, a fine cascade of about eighty feet, must be seen. The return should be made by road through the rocky valley. Close to Enniskerry Chapel opens another very pretty glen called Knoeck, a miniature Dargle. Two miles further on the road traverses the Sculp, a remarkable chasm, with huge rocks piled-in fantastic confusion. This is best photographed in a morning light. Take the train as far as Rathnew, and drive thence through Madame
place you will come to is Chaldbury, where you will find the first weir. You must get out here, and pull your boat over the grass plot into the river the other side, but before going on get a photograph of the flour mills, which form a very pretty picture; then turn your camera exactly the opposite way, and get one of the weir and lock gates. Then row on until you come to Exinhur, when you will come to the second weir; the church here is well worth a plate, having a fine Norman arch. Half a mile beyond is Crophorne, and there are many other delightfully quaint villages close to the banks of the river.

EXETER (Devon).—G. W., and L. S. W. R., 194 and 172 miles. D. J. Hinton, Lake, 44, High Street, stocks Ilford, Edwards', Paget, and Thomas' plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room.—no charge for changing or developing plates; available from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.—E. L. Lemmon, 47, High Street, stocks plates, paper, and chemicals.


There is much to be seen at Exeter; the Cathedral will give plenty of work; permission to photograph the interior is willingly accorded by the Dean. Northernhay Park will give some beautiful views; the ruins of Rougemont Castle, the Friars' Walk, a ramble among the banks of the Exe will all pay the photographer. In the city there are some very quaint houses, which it will be well to photograph, wherever possible, early in the morning. Exeter is a delightful city to stay at, as almost innumerable day excursions may be made—Teignmouth, Sidmouth, Starcross, Seaton; and Beer, Exmouth, Dawlish, etc., etc. Some beautiful views of the cathedral may be secured from the banks of the Exe.

EXMOUTH (Devon).—L. S. W. R., 182 miles. D. A. H. Toon, stocks plates, paper, and chemicals.

Another excellent centre to work from; the town is quaint, and many good photographs obtainable, especially on the estuary of the Exe.
by steamer, up the river Garriwa to Cong should be made, passing Mellówell and Dangan Castle. Lough Corrib is soon entered, and for a distance of some fourteen miles the boat threads its way through a narrow channel, marked by cairns, till Cong is reached. Ashford, the seat of Lord Ardilaun, and the village are worth attention. The excursion may be continued by car to Clonbur, six miles; this picturesque village is two miles from Lough Mask; this lake will afford work for any length of time. The excursions may be extended ad infinitum; the whole district is a paradise for photographers.

Redheugh Street, stocks plates, paper, and chemicals. Camera Club—Sec., George R. Johnston, 1, Park Terrace.

GIANT’S CAUSEWAY (Ireland).—Dark Room.—“Kane’s” Royal Hotel (Proprietor, Francois Kane) Bushmillis, has a dark room; no charge is made for the use of it.

Starting from Belfast it is well to proceed to Portrush, and to stop the night, proceeding to the Causeway by electric tramway or coach; bearing rather to the left we have a good view of Portrush, and soon reach Ballymoney, and pass the White Rocks. Hereabouts, within a distance of less than two miles, there are upwards of twenty caves, the chief one being the Priests’ Punch Bowl; on the left is seen Dunluce Castle, which will make several fine pictures. The tramway now runs close to the edge of the cliffs, and the town of Bushmillis is reached; the views on the coast are superbly grand. The Causeway is about two miles; it will be necessary to engage a boat and guide, and as the camera will be in high request, it will be well to make a special arrangement, or the boat will be taken only to the regular show places. Dunkerry Cave, Dunsceverick Castle, are the two extreme points. Portcoon Cave, Weirs Noot, the Highlandman’s Bonnet, and close to it the Giant’s Well, must all be seen. The three Causeways form the grandest scenery—Little, Middle, and Grand; these are all seen from the boat. Upon landing to inspect them, the principal attractions are—the Keystone, Giant’s Loom, and the Giant’s Chair. Taking the boat again across Portnoofer Bay and see the Giant’s Organ, and out to sea to Gull Isle, Roveran Valley Head; and further to the westward, three pillars named the Giant’s Chimney Tops; rounding Roveran Valley Head the Giant’s Amphitheatre, which is admitted to be the grandest formation of all. The photographer should arrange to stay two or three days; he will be well repaid.

GLASGOW (Scotland).—L. N. W. and G. N. R., 402 miles. D. Albion Albumnising Co., 66, Bath Street, stock Ilford, Velrel’s, Thomas’ Wratten’s, Pathe, and Edwards’ plates, paper, chemicals, and all apparatus. Dark Room.—no charge for changing plates or developing; available 9 a.m. till 6 p.m.—D. McGhie & Co., 75, Vincent Street, stock all makes of plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room.—no charge for changing plates; developing, according to size; available from 9 a.m. till 7 p.m.—D. George Mason & Co., 150 to 158, Sauchiehall Street, stock every photographic requisite. Dark Room.—no charge, except for material used; available from 9 a.m. till 7 p.m.—D. James More & Co. 77, Renfield Street, stock all leading makes of plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room.—no charge for changing plates; developing, price of chemicals used; available from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.—Sat., Saturdays till 2 p.m.—John Trotter, 24, Gordon Street, stocks all the best makes of plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room.—free from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturdays till 2 p.m.—Othe
Dealers with Dark Rooms are:—Bolton & Sons, 47, West Mill Street; J. Liza's, 16, Glassford Street, and 260, Sauchiehall Street. P. J. Stevenson & Co., 109, Bothwell Street, also have a Dark Room available. Phot. Assoc.—Secs., Frederick Mackenzie, 123, Wellington Street. Am. Phot. Assoc.—Secs., William Goodwin, 5, Lyndoch Street, and J. C. Oliver, 247, Bath Street; Rooms—180, West Regent Street (five minutes from principal stations; tramcars pass within 200 yards). Dark Room—available, on application to the secretaries, from 9 a.m. till 10.30 p.m. (Dealers have keys and are authorised to lend them to any one having an introduction from the Editor of the Amateur Photographer.)

Glasgow is the centre of Scotland, and is, perhaps, even a better place for seeing Scotland than Edinburgh; although it has not the natural beauties. The trips on the Clyde make up for the fact that Glasgow in itself is by no means a picturesque city. The following account of "Glasgow and Neighbourhood," appeared in the Amateur Photographer, and gives in a condensed form much information:—

"In the city of Glasgow, there are many buildings worth photographing— notably the cathedral, the only one in Scotland which survived intact the destructive fury of the Reformation. Several fine views of the edifice may be taken, those from the bridge which leads across the valley to the Cemetery, and from the summit of the Cemetery Hill, being the best. A view of the cemetery taken from the Cathedral Square, should not be omitted; it makes a striking picture. The steep hill covered with dark foliage, and studded with white monuments, surmounted by the tall column and statue of John Knox, Scotland's great reformer, is full of beauty and interest. The Cathedral is situated at the extreme north of the city, and may be reached by bus from St. Enoch's Square, fare 2d. George Square, situated in the centre of the city (which may be called the Westminster Abbey of Scotland), will well repay an exposure or two; the Scott Monument, taken from the top of Hanover Street, and the General Post Office, taken from the foot of the Scott Monument, make excellent pictures; while the new municipal buildings on the east side of the square form an imposing pile. Adjoining the square on the west side is the Royal Exchange in Queen Street; a fine view may be taken from the steps of the British Linen Company's Bank, at the north-east corner of Ingram Street; it must, however, be taken in the early morning, as the traffic at this part is very dense during the day. There are many fine bits to be taken in the parks. The South Side Park may be reached by car from Jamaica Street, and the West End Park from Argyle Street; fare to either park 2d. An instantaneous view of the Steamboat Wharf at 7 a.m. should be taken from the second arch of Glasgow Bridge; the fine fleet of river steamers preparing to start on their day's sailing, the thousands of pleasure seekers and the general brightness of the whole scene, will form an interesting moment. The bridge itself should be taken from the quay opposite the Custom House, adjusting the camera so that the ugly railway bridge adjoining may not come into the picture. Instantaneous views of shipping, steamers, large Atlantic liners, etc., may be taken all along the quays; while a plate or two exposed on some of the large vessels in course of construction in the various shipbuilding yards will be esteemed by many. There are also many public buildings in the city, which, on account of their architectural beauty, form pleasing subjects, and are well worth taking. Glasgow to the Trossachs—
from Queen Street Station to Callander and Loch Katrine, back via Loch Lomond and Balloch; the whole line of route teeming with lovely bits, among which "Ellen's Isle," and the "Boathouse," on Loch Katrine, should not be omitted. Glasgow to Stirling thirty miles. Stirling Castle may be taken from the "Lady's Rock" in the Cemetery, or from the valley below. The Martyr's Monument in the Cemetery, and the Bruce Statue on the Castle Esplanade, as well as the old ruin, called "Mar's Work," will well repay the trouble of exposure. From the Castle to the Wallace Monument on Abbey Craig, a walk of about two miles—the view from the monument is fine in the extreme; the windings of the Forth may be seen almost from its source to the sea, while away on the eastern horizon loom the huge forms of Arthur's Seat and Edinburgh Castle Rock. From the monument down to Cambuskenneth—do the ruins of the ancient Abbey, then back to Stirling, and take the bus for Bannockburn; take a view of the "Bore Stone," into a hole in which the standard of the Bruce was planted. Midway between Stirling and Bannockburn we pass the village of St. Ninian's; there is an old steepie standing in the churchyard, which may interest some from the fact that the church to which it was originally attached was blown up by the army of the brave but unfortunate Prince Charles Edward, on their way to the Highlands, after the retreat from Derby; but whether accidentally or otherwise is not known. The old steepie may, therefore, possess an interest for those who are acquainted with the story of the young Prince's brave but unsuccessful struggle to reclaim the crown of his fathers. Before leaving Stirling secure a view of the old bridge over the Forth, the "Key of the Highlands," as it was formerly called; it is best taken from the upper side, and in the evening.

GLENALMOND (Scotland).—G. N. R., 400 miles (nearest station, Methven. 44 miles). Dark Room.—Mr. Arthur Reid, M.A., F.G.S., Trinity College, allows the use of dark room any time during public school terms. Glenalmond is ten miles from Perth, Crieff, and, by moors, Dunblane. Methven Castle is within easy distance; the village is quaint. Near the Tay is Huntingtower Castle, the two towers of which are separated by about nine feet; it is called the Maiden's Leap. Mr. Reid will give every information about the district.


GLOUCESTER.—G. W. R., 115 miles. F. A. H. Pitcher, 58, Southgate Street, stocks plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room.—Mr. George, 11 Southgate Street; 12 Southgate Street, stocks Ilford, Edwards, Barret, Thomas's. Mason's plates, paper, chemicals, apparatus, etc. Dark Room—changing plates, 6d.; free to customers; developing, from 6d., according to time and chemicals used; available all day. Other Dealers are E. G. Hughes, 36, Northgate Street, and R. C. Hume, 83, Barton Street. Phot. Soc.—Sec., F. H. Burd, 83, Midland Road.

The Cathedral will form the chief centre of work for the photographer, the exterior and interior are extremely beautiful; to photograph the latter, permission must be obtained from the Dean. There are many buildings worthy a plate in the city, the Little Cloisters,
LEchlade (Glouceter).—G. W. R., 87 miles. D. G. A. Davis stocks plates (of all sizes), paper, and chemicals. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates; developing, 6d. an hour, without chemicals; available from 8 a.m. till 8 p.m. At Lechlade the Thames, or, perhaps more properly, the Isis, is connected with the Severn by a canal. The scenery is picturesque, and the little town a favourite stopping place for boating men and anglers.

Ledbury (Hereford).—G. W. R., 130 miles. D. V. W. Meacham, High Street, stocks plates and paper. Dark Room at the “Feathers” Hotel (Proprietor, Wm. Manton); no charge to those staying in the house. The river Leden and the Hereford and Gloucester Canal will afford some beautiful work for the camera. The Malvern Hills will repay a visit, and the village of Easton, with its castle and park. Ledbury is about fifteen miles from Hereford. The scenery the whole distance is most picturesque.

LEEDS (York).—G. N. and Mid. R., 187 and 195 miles. D. Pearson & Denham, 5, New Station Street, stock Barnet, Edwards’, Ilford, Mawson’s, Page’s, Thomas’, and Watten’s plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus of every description. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates; developing, ½d. a qt., ¼d. a gal., 3d. per doz. plates, developer supplied; available from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Dark Room—Mr. Geo. A. Saxon, 18, Meadow Road, Holbeck, allows the use of dark room on receipt of introduction from the Editor of the Amateur Photographer; available from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Reynolds & Braunsen, 14, Commercial Street, stock all makes of plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. They have a Dark Room available.—D. C. C. Veyes, 12, Market Street, Bridgwater, stocks Fry’s, Ilford, Page, Thomas’, and other plates, paper, chemicals, apparatus, and every requisite. Dark Room—free for changing plates; developing 2½d. per doz.; available from 9 a.m. till 6 p.m.—D. H. White, 16, Park Row, stocks all leading makes of plates, paper, chemicals, etc. Dark Room—free for changing plates; developing, developer used charged for; available from 9 a.m. till 7 p.m. Phot. Soc.—Sec., A. E. Womersley, 9, Banstead Terrace, Roundhay Road, Phot. Club (Y. M. C. A.).—Sec., F. W. Fisher, 9, Meanwood Terrace, Meanwood Road.

Leek (Staffs.).—Mid. and L. N. W. R., 136 miles. D. Johnson & Sons, S, Stanley Street, stock plates (up to ½ size), paper (Scholzig’s and Ilford), and chemicals. Dark Room—no charge for changing plates; developing, 6d. per hat or part of an hour; available from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. It is a pretty walk from Leek to Rudyard along the banks of the Canal Feeder. The Roaches and the Morridge Hills are seen, and at Rudyard there is a fine old abbey. A large sheet of water, some two miles long, which supplies the Trent and Mersey Canal, will give subjects for several photographs.

Leicester.—Mid. R., 100 miles. D. R. Broof, 104, Belgrave Gate, stocks Ilford plates, paper, and chemicals. Dark Room—no charge for use of; available from 9 a.m. till 7 p.m.—D. H. Pickering, High Cross Street, stocks all makes of plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus. Dark Room—no charge for use of; available from 8 a.m. till 8 p.m. Other Dealers are—J. Young, 16, Gallowtree Gate, and S. Wand, 18, Haymarket, stock plates, paper, chemicals, etc. Dark
Rooms—Mr. T. Porritt, 66, London Road, and Mr. Frank G. Pierpont, amateurs, allow the use of their dark rooms on receipt of an introduction from the Editor of the Amateur Photographer. Mr. A. Newton, 10, Belvoir Street, has a Dark Room available. Phot. Soc.—Sec., H. Pickering, High Cross Street.

The following short notes were contributed to the Amateur Photographer by Mr. T. Porritt:—"There are many interesting and pretty views to be had in and near the town. The Newark, with its ancient walls and gateway, over which the spire of St. Mary's Church will form a prominent object in the picture, and the entrance to the Castle Yard, from Castle Street, make two charming views. Splendid specimens of Norman, Early English, and Perpendicular styles of architecture can be had. St. Mary's Church, with its Norman doorways, arcade, and windows; St. Nicholas' Church, with its herring-boned tower; the Roman walls; and the quaint old town-hall, which contains a beautiful specimen of an Early English carved-wood mantelpiece, will well repay a visit. Leicester Abbey, where Cardinal Wolsey died, is very interesting. The gateway in the eastern wall is that through which the Cardinal is supposed to have entered into the precincts of the Abbey. Several plates may be advantageously exposed here. Mr. Thomas Warner now resides in a portion of the building, and visitors are, by his kindness, allowed the privilege of walking through the beautiful garden and grounds. Permission to take photographs will be readily granted. The Abbey Park, the property of the Corporation, is good for artificial work, such as flower gardens, terraces, awnings on the lake, and rockery. It is open to the public, and free from any restrictions. The Municipal Buildings, in Horsefair Street, with the lofty clock tower, form a prominent feature of the town. The New Walk, with upwards of half a mile of a double row of trees, and bounded on either side by neat houses and gardens, will find work for the camera. The London Road, with its villas and more modern-built mansions, will attract the attention of the photographer on his way to Evington and Stoughton, two adjoining villages, about 2½ miles from Leicester, famous for straw-thatched cottages, shady lanes, and rural scenery. Stoughton Grange—the seat of Mr. Powys-Keck—is a very fine modern building; the grounds and park are extensive, and laid out in excellent style. A magnificent avenue of noble trees, half a mile in length, leads from the Grange to the Church of St. Mary, one of the handsomest in the county of Leicester; but permission to enter the grounds and park will have to be obtained from Mr. Powys-Keck. Bridgiate Park, about six miles from Leicester (one of the seats of Lady Stamford), is a most inviting place for the votaries of the camera. There are splendid specimens of trees, and the ruins of the hall where the ill-fated Lady Jane Grey spent the principal part of her short life. Many pleasing pictures may be got, introducing deer, waterfalls, running streams, shady walks, etc. There is a public road through the park, starting from Newton Lingford. Woodhouse Farm, 3½ miles from Barrow station, is picturesquely placed among the hills of Charnwood Forest, and though the centre of the village is homely, there are some charming nooks and ancient cottages in the neighbourhood, and delightful walks presenting glimpses of rare beauty from several breaks of the rocky, wooded, and crown'd hills, such as will charm the heart of any photographer."

LEIGH (Lancs.)—L. N. W. R., 188 miles. D. W. Hampson stocks plates, paper, and chemicals.
LONDON.

The following list of dealers is compiled from various sources. In almost every case plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus may be obtained. Those having a Dark Room are marked with an asterisk. For convenience the list is divided into the Metropolitan Postal Districts.

LONDON, N.—
*Chipper, W. G., 39, Highgate Road.
Farrow, E. H., 474, Hornsey Road.
*Peaks, F. P., 60, Newington Green Road (Photographer).
*Hart, F. W., 96, Stoke Newington Road.
*Hansell, J., 7, Archway Road.
*Lloyd, E. M., 71a, Highgate Road.
Morley & Cooper, 70, Upper Street, Islington.
*Penrose & Co., 5, Amwell Street.
*Platt & Witte, Birkbeck Works, Birkbeck Road.
*Scammell, F., 4, Albert Terrace, Church Road, Finchley.
*Wynne, R. H., 106, Seven Sisters Road.

LONDON, N.E.—
Bridge, F. A., 55, Dalston Lane.
*Hubert, J., 283, Mare Street, Hackney.

LONDON, N.W.—
*Carter, G. H., 65, Torrano Avenue, Camden Road.
Hodgkinson, G. A., 3, Chapel Street, Somers Town.
Lamb, A. R., 249, High Road, Kilburn.
Pettinger, E., 49, High Street, Hampstead.
Newton, T., 31, Carlton Road, Kilburn.
Salmon, J., 169, Hampstead Road.

LONDON, E.—
*Allen, J., 10, Barking Road, Canning Town.
Barnes, R., The Terrace, Upton Manor.
Riley & Son, 249, Commercial Road.
Sharman, G., Mure Street, Hackney.

LONDON, E.C.—
*Adams & Co., 81, Aldersgate Street.
American Camera Co., Lim., 124, Old Broad Street.
Amphlett, Humphries & Co., 13, Edmund Place, Aldersgate Street.
Barclay & Sons, Lim., 95, Farrington Street.
Beck, R. J., 68, Cornhill.
Civil Service Supply Association, Queen Victoria Street.
City Sale and Exchange Rooms, 54, Lime Street.
*Dollond & Co., 33, Ludgate Hill.
Dollond & Co., 62, Old Broad Street.
Douglas, T., & H., 11, Moorgate Street.
Elliott, C. E., 36, Jewin Street.
Gandy, C. A., 47, Old Broad Street.
*Harling, W. H., 47, Finsbury Pavement.
*Hughes, H., & Son, 59, Pencnchurch Street.
Lawley, W., 78, Farrington Street.
*London Stereoscopic Co., 54, Cheapside.
*Martin, G. S., Bream's Buildings, Chancery Lane.
*Mayfield & Co., 41, Queen Victoria Street.
*Negretti & Zambra, Holborn Viaduct.
*New Civil Service Stores, 122, Queen Victoria Street.
*Newton & Co., 1, Fleet Street.
*North, W. D., 97, City Road.
*Perkin, Son, & Rayment, 90, Hatton Garden.
*Piggott, J., 117, Cheapside.
*Price & Co., 26, Ludgate Hill (Stationers' Hall Court).
*St. Bride's Stores, 88, Fleet Street.
*Spiers & Pond, New Bridge Street.
*Whittingham, W. B., & Co., 43, Charterhouse Square; 91, Gracechurch Street.
*Wood, E. G., 74, Cheapside.

LONDON, S.E.:
*Atkinson, L., & Co., 285, Brookley Road; 193, Greenwich Road.
*Ballock & Co., 3, High Street, South Norwood.
*Bell & Freke, 378, Goldhanger Lane.
*Blackfriars Photographic and Sensitising Co., 1, Surrey Row, Blackfriars Road.
*Bromwich, T., & Co., 69, New Road, Woolwich.
*Hemery, Lindsay, Hanover Studios, Peckham.
*Herbert, H. J., 72, Arnot Road, East Dulwich.
*Howell & Son, 83, High Street, Peckham.
*Lockyer, J. E., 87, Evelyn Street, Deptford.
*McCarthy, J., 87a, Old Kent Road.
*Medland, J. B., 53, Borough.
*Miles Bros., 314, Walworth Road.
*Moody & Partners, 50, Church Street, Camberwell.
*Noakes, D., & Son, South London Works, Greenwich.
*Pidgeon, J. D., High Road, New Cross.
*Prosser, Roberts, & Co., 13, Church Street, Camberwell.
*Rice, E. A., 50, Werner Road, Camberwell.
*Senior, H., & Co., 88, Norwood Road.
*Slater, W. F., 169, Southampton Street, Camberwell.
*Tylar, W., 48, Waterloo Road.
*Waite, A. E., 188, Walworth Road.
*Williams, S., Forest Hill.

LONDON, S.W.:
*Army and Navy Auxiliary Stores, Francis Street, Pimlico.
*Boul, A. H., 93, Harwood Road, Waltham Green (Photographer).
*Bulbeck, J., 22, Sussex Street.
*Civil Service Co-operative Society, 28, Haymarket.
*Clarke & Clarke, Clapham Junction.
*Glew, F. H., 156, Clapham Road.
*Harrod's Stores, Brompton Road.
*Horton, Richard, 46, Royal Avenue, Chelsea (Amateur).
*Jacquemart, M., Queen's Gate Studio, Harrington Road (Photographer).
Junior Army and Navy Stores, Waterloo Place.
Price & Wardle, 290, Brixton Road.
*Read, J. E., 11, Buckingham Palace Road (Photographer).
*Salmon, S. H. R., 10, The Terrace, East Putney (Photographer).
Thomas, R. W., & Co. Limited, 10, Pall Mall.
Watson Bros., 4, Pall Mall.

**LONDON, W.:**
American Camera Co., Lim., 397 and 399, Edgware Road.
Bromwell, C. W., 7, Lower Terrace, Notting Hill.
*Chewell, J., 452, Oxford Street.
*Crouch, Henry, Lim., 141, Oxford Street.
*Eastman Co., 115, Oxford Street.
*Emery, Co., 24, South Street, Baker Street (Photographer).
*Fairhill, R. E., 3, Lower Terrace, Notting Hill.
*Fallowfield, Jonathan, 26, Charing Cross Road.
Marion & Co., 23, Soho Square.
Mawson & Swan, 43, Soho Square.
*Robinson & Sons, 172, Regent Street.
Ross & Co., 113, New Bond Street.
Rowley, J., 60, Edgeware Road.
Wergej, J., 11a, Berners Street.
*Whitney, W., Westbourne Grove.

**LONDON, W.C.:**
*Adams & Co., 26, Charing Cross Road.
Browning, John, 63, Strand.
Civil Service Supply Association, Bedford Street, Strand.
*Ery Manufacturing Co., 5, Chandos Street.
Griffin & Son, 22, Garrick Street.
*Hinton & Co., 38, Bedford Street, Strand.
Horne & Thornwaite, 416, Strand.
*Houghton & Son, 85, High Holborn.
Murray, R. C., 5, Garrick Street.
*Osborne, E., Red Lion Square.
Rouch & Co., 180, Strand.
*Sands & Hunter, 20, Cranbourn Street.
Steward, J. E., 400, Strand.
*Watson & Sons, 313, High Holborn.
Watten & Wainwright, 38, Great Queen Street, Long Acre.

**LONDON PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETIES.**

**LONDON, N.:**
*North London Phot. Soc.—Sec., G. J. Clarke, 52, Queen's Road,
Brown's Wood Park.
*North Middlesex Phot. Soc.—Sec., J. Mcintosh, 14, Lowman Road,
Holloway.

**LONDON, N.E.:**
*East London Phot. Soc.—Sec., M. A. Wilkinson, 21, Ferncliffe Road,
Dalston.
*Hackney Phot. Soc.—Sec., W. Fenton Jones, 6, Victoria Street, King
Edward's Road, Hackney.
LONDON, N.W.—
Hampstead Phot. Club—Sec., Bertram W. Wild, Gladesmore, Willesden Lane, Brondesbury.

LONDON, E.—
People’s Palace Phot. Club—Sec., W. Barrett, 16, Clare Road, Forest Gate.

Tottenham Camera Club—Sec., Thomas W. Glave, 37, Brunner Road, Walthamstow.

LONDON, E.C.—
Finsbury Technical College (Phot. Soc.)—Sec., L. W. de Grave, 1, Amberley Road, West Hill, Sydenham, S.E.

London and Provincial Phot. Assoc.—Sec., R. F. Drage, 95, Blenheim Crescent, W.

Phot. Club—Sec., F. A. Bridge, East Lodge, Dalston Lane, E.

Postal Phot. Soc.—Sec., Walter Withall, 18, Bedford Row, W.C.

St. Bartholomew’s Hospital Phot. Soc.—Sec., R. J. Hillier, St. Bartholomew’s Hospital.

LONDON, S.E.—

Blackheath Camera Club—Sec., T. B. Earle, The Cottage, Handen Road, Lee.


Crystal Palace District Camera Club—Sec., M. Cecil, 68, Beckenham Road, Penge.


Leiwham High Road Camera Club—Sec., B. Davidson, 62, Manor Road, Brockley.


South London Phot. Soc.—Sec., S. W. Gardner, 7, Barry Road, East Dulwich.

Sydenham Camera Club—Sec., H. H. Gray, 9, Thicket Road, Anerley, S.E.

LONDON, S.W.—

Am. Phot. Assoc.—Sec., A. J. Melhuish, 58, Pall Mall.

Brixton and Clapham Camera Club—Sec., F. W. Levett, 74, Geneva Road, Brixton.

Camberwell Camera Club—Sec., F. H. Atkins, 71, Paulet Road.

Putney Am. Phot. Soc.—Sec., C. Bullard, 45, Diarrell Road, Putney.

Richmond Camera Club—Sec., P. Ennis, 25, Halford Road, Richmond.

Science Schools, South Kensington (Phot. Soc.)—Sec., P. C. Coultas, Normal School of Science, South Kensington.


West Surrey Phot. Soc.—Sec., F. H. Smith, 107, Falcon Road, Clapham Junction.

LONDON, W.—
Ealing Phot. Soc. Road, Ealing.

Hertford and W. Road, Harlesden.

Londen Sec.—Sec., Peculiar.

Polytechnic Phot. Fulham, S.W.

Wood London Phot.

LONDON, W.C.—
Camera Club—Sec., Exter Hall Cunham Clapham.

Holloway Camera Barnsley. N.

Photographic Soc. F.R.C., F.C.S., Bayley, 50, Green University College, Great Lever Street.

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West London Phot. Soc.—Sec., H. Selby, 42, Ladbroke Grove Road, W.

LONDON, W.—
Camera Club.—Sec., George Davison, Charing Cross Road.
Exeter Hall Camera Club.—Sec., G. J. Ingram, 127, Manor Road, Clapham.
Holborn Camera Club.—Sec., Frederick J. Cobli, 3, Albion Grove, Barnsbury, N.
Bayley, 50, Great Russell Street.
University College Phot. Soc.—Sec., J. Chorley, University College, Gower Street.

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The Royal Parks.—Bushy Park, Green Park, Greenwich Park, Hampton Court Palace and Gardens, Hyde Park, Kensington Gardens, Richmond Park, and St. James' Park. Permits are granted, available for six months upon application to—H. W. Prouse, H.M. Board of Works, Whitehall, S.W.

Parks, Etc., in the Custody of the County Council.—Battersea Park, Embankment Gardens, Finsbury Park, Victoria Park, and all other open spaces under control of the Council. Permits are granted available till the end of each year, upon application to the Clerk to the Council, Spring Gardens, S.W.

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Zoological Gardens.—Permission to photograph is granted; application must be made to the Secretary, Hanover Square, W.

South Kensington Museum.—Permit is granted by the Director.

British Museum.—Permission is granted by the Director.

Crystal Palace.—No photographs are allowed to be taken either in the Palace or the grounds; the sole right being vested in Messrs. Negretti & Zambra.

National Gallery.—Special permissions are granted, upon application to the Director, to photograph the pictures before 10 a.m.
Head. The lighthouse, Mumble rocks, and the ruins of a castle in Oystermouth Bay will give plenty of work for the camera. A correspondent in the Amateur Photographer advises that the best time to take views is about a couple of hours before sunset. The whole of the coast is picturesque, and in some places grand. Caswell and Oxwich Bay abound in caverns which may be explored and photographed by flash light if the tourist should be thoughtful enough to provide himself with apparatus.

NANTWICH (Cheshire).—G. W. and L. N. W. R., 162 miles. D. W. Woolstencroft, 14, Hospital Street, stocks plates, paper, and chemicals.

There is nothing of interest here for the photographer except the church, which is a very noble edifice, and has much worth photographing in the interior.

NEATH (Wales).—G. W. R., 196 miles. J. G. Isaac, stocks plates, paper, chemicals, etc.

NELSON (Lancs.).—L. N. W. and Mid. R., 236 miles. D. S. Jessop, 96, Manchester Road, stocks plates, paper, chemicals, etc, and has a Dark Room available.

NEWARK (Notts.).—G. N. R., 130 miles. D. H. Fisher, 26, Stodman Street, stocks Edwards' and Hill plates, paper, chemicals, etc. Dark Room free for changing plates; developing, free to customers; available from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Other Dealers are J. H. Smith, Bridge Street, and W. Hallo, Bridge Street; both stock plates, paper, chemicals, etc., and the former has a Dark Room available.

NEWBURY (Berks.).—G. W. R., 53 miles. D. Fielder & Co., Northbrook Street, stock plates, paper, chemicals, etc, and has a Dark Room available.

A fine market town, with a few old and quaint buildings, an interesting photograph from the bridge may be taken. The banks of the Kennet will give some good pictures. Donnington Castle and Priory should be visited. Shaw House, the scene of a battle during the Civil Wars, is worth a few plates. Highclere Castle, the seat of Lord Carnarvon, is within walking distance; here the Church (in the park) and the Castle will provide a splendid field for work.

NEW ELMHAM (Kent).—S. E. R., 9 miles. D. H. Lockyer, The Parade, stocks plates, paper, chemicals, etc, and has a Dark Room available.

It will interest many to know that this is the nearest station to Colonel North's palatial residence. At Eltham, the old almshouses, church and palace will give good pictures for the photographer, who getting out at New Eltham, visiting Eltham Court, may make his way back to Eltham station, taking the names marked en route. The approach to the Palace is exceedingly picturesque, and will afford several very beautiful photographs.

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE (Northumberland).—G. N. R., 273 miles. The following firms stock all kinds of photographic plates, paper, chemicals, and apparatus; and those marked with an asterisk have a Dark Room available:

*Hall, P., 118, Gray Street.
*Humran, F. K., & Co., 2, St. Nicholas Buildings.
*Mawson & Swan, 13, Mosley Street.
*Rees, E. J., & Co., 37, Seventh Avenue (Photographer).
*Roberts, J., 1, New Bridge Street.
*Sinclair, C., 51, Cromwell Street.
*Watson, J., 34, Granger Street.
*Wilkinson & Simpson, 24, Newgate Street.
The following is an abstract of an article contributed to the *Amateur Photographer* on "The Tyneside as a Photographic Resort," by "Novocaesarenus."——Certainly the traveller in search of the picturesque should not overlook this neighbourhood, unfortunate as the immediate vicinity of the main line route may be. Not only the North Tyne, but the South Tyne, Derwent Valley, and Devilswater abound in most charming views, not so much marred by colliery chimneys as a stranger might suspect. In many cases the holiday maker would never imagine the proximity of anything but the most lovely scenery. Let him (permission having beforehand been duly obtained) explore the beauties of Axwell and Gisborne Parks, the Chopwell Woods, the Devilswater, etc., etc., and he will be well recompensed for his trouble. The neighbouring valley of the Wear should not be omitted; the City of Durham containing objects of not only ecclesiastical interest, but the banks of the Wear, on which the cathedral stands, are full of fine subjects for the camera. Should he desire seascapes, the coasts of Northumberland and Durham, between the Tyne and Wear, are bold and striking, and, if he is fortunate enough to visit them on a fine day, with a strong 'nor'-easter' blowing, he will find abundance of shutter work. If the photographic excursionist is fond of the study of character and costume, the pitmen going to and from their daily toil, and the fisher folk at Cullercoats, will fill his album with remarkable subjects; and, while following this object, he should not fail to obtain a few negatives of the stalwart 'trimmers' at the docks, and, if he can find them, of the old fashioned 'keelmen' now remaining on the river. The remains of the wall of Hadrian form a series of most interesting studies; but the tourist who contemplates making a pilgrimage of the wall should be of a good constitution and capable of roughing it. As a county so close to the border, Northumberland abounds in the remains of castles. Peel towers, and other fortified places; and the neighbourhood also shows many traces of former ecclesiastical predominance. Take a run of twenty miles west from Newcastle by train, and the traveller will find photographic work well provided for him. The North Wylam train will take him to Newburn, where an ancient church lies close to the station, the burial-place of W. Hedley, the inventor of the locomotive. A walk of three and a half miles (after crossing the river) brings him to Ryton old church again. New Wylam, the next station west, is the cottage where George Stephenson was born. Then Prudhoe, an old castle belonging to the Duke of Northumberland, and across the River Ovingham, old church and burial-place of Bewick, the engraver. From Stockfield, ten minutes' walk brings the photographer to Bywell, where he will find two curious old churches close together, and an old castle. At Corbridge, two stations further on, there is an old church and the remains of two Peel towers; Aydon and Haughton Castle lie a few miles to the north, and Dilston, with the Devilswater, one and a half mile south-west. Hexham, twenty miles from Newcastle, is now reached, where the old abbey, inside and out, will form the subject of many charming negatives. The city of Newcastle itself abounds in antiquarian objects—remains of the walls and the castle, the churches of St. Andrew, St. John, and St. Nicholas (now the Cathedral), are all worthy subjects for the camera.
Apparatus.

THE "HAT" DETECTIVE CAMERA.

A practical secret camera that defies detection. Is worn with comfort and is always ready for use.

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Lens.—This is a rapid rectilinear of special construction, working at

$4f$, at which aperture it covers a $4\times 5\frac{1}{2}$-plate sharply to the corners, and renders everything in focus from about a distance of 8 feet and upwards.

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Fitting to Hat.—They are sent out correctly focused, and no difficulty need be experienced in fitting to hat. But if preferred, upon receipt of hat, we undertake the fitting ourselves—free of charge. The figures above show the application.

Weight.—The camera alone weighs 2½ oz. only. It is not necessary to carry the lens and shutter, as this may be immediately placed in position by a bayonet joint. Even with lens and shutter, the weight is only 3½ oz.

A focusing screen is also supplied, and one dark slide.


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Twelve or twenty-four exposures may be made without drawing a slide, or inserting a plate holder, and twelve or twenty-four new plates or films may then be inserted and exposed without going into a dark room.

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The Student's Photo-Micrographic Camera.

Made to suit any Microscope.
Mahogany camera, 6½ x 4½ inches.
With bellows body, extending to 30 inches, the base of the camera having a divided scale let into it, so that the distance between lens and plate may be accurately known to obtain any desired amount of amplification; has a rod from the back of the camera to the front, to attach to the fine adjustment, for focussing from back of camera, and is fitted with our new pattern projecting front for holding microscope and lamp; this consists of two boards, one rotating on top of the other, on metal centres, the microscope being fitted on this rotating front, the board carrying the instrument can be turned halfway round for adjustment, and the object fixed in position by the eye ready for photography; the board is then turned back, and locks central with the front of the camera. In this way the object can be perfectly adjusted without inconvenience. With one double dark slide, 4s 15d.

Inner Frames, for 3½ by 3½, 4½ x 3½, or 5 x 4 plates, 1s 9d. each. Extra focussing screen, plate glass, 3s 6d.
Apparatus.

Van Heurck's Vertical Photographic Camera.

Although the horizontal form of camera is generally used, a vertical camera is frequently inquired for, and is becoming increasingly popular, it being exceedingly rigid and efficient. We now make one as illustrated, as used by Dr. Van Heurck for all his delicate high power work. The tube of the Microscope is attached to the camera by means of a velvet cone, and projects through an opening in the base. On one side of the camera body, a door having rabbeded fittings is placed so that the head can enter the camera, and the eye placed to the tube of the instrument to make the adjustments, the door is then closed, and final focussing is done on a screen at the top of the camera.

Price: mahogany camera, suitable for any instrument, having mask and diaphragm, and 1-plate double dark slide £4 15 0
Inner frames, 12 9d. each; extra focussing screen, plate glass 6 5 6
mahogany back board, with fittings for the camera feet and microscope 9 17 6