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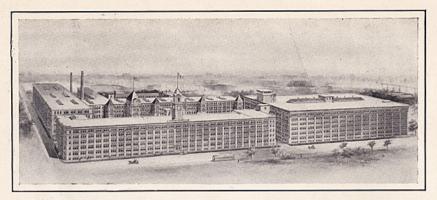
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In the interest of greater convenience in manipulation, we are supplying our Tessar lenses in new mountings, which have the diaphragm scale marked on the front bevel of the diaphragm ring. This enables one to read the scale from the front of the lens. All mountings are engraved according to the F system of lens stops. For explanation and comparison of this system with the U. S., see page 15.

Lenses on approval. Lenses will be sent on ten days' approval to responsible parties who send satisfactory references, or they will be forwarded for examination and trial in care of the express companies, provided a deposit is made covering transportation charges one way. The purchaser may, if he wishes, forward the price of the desired goods with his order. They will then be sent on ten days' trial, and if not wanted, the amount in full will be returned on the payment of charges and the receipt of the goods, within two weeks, uninjured.

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Sample Prints. A special set of sample prints illustrating the scope of any desired lens will be sent on receipt of ten cents. In addition to this we are prepared to furnish original contact prints from which many of the illustrations in this catalog were made and shall be glad to send them on receipt of ten cents each in stamps. We invite users of our lenses to send us samples of their work for inspection.

To the Interested Inquirer. We do not go into detail regarding photoengraving lenses and sundries, photo-engravers' prisms or color filters for the three-color process, and will be pleased to take up inquiries in detail by correspondence and to send special literature. Write us if you are in doubt on any points.

Our established branch offices in New York, Chicago, Washington and San Francisco are maintained for the convenience of our customers, whom we hope will take advantage of them. They will find our representatives ready to extend to them every courtesy. Sample prints showing the work of our lenses, testing cameras, and charts for testing lenses will be found there. We venture the belief that customers in search of advice and information will not be disappointed in having their wants supplied.

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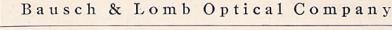
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The practical result of this closer union is that every invention or improvement made either by Zeiss or by us is at once available to the other. The free interchange of ideas and of methods is an advantage to each center of progress—an advantage amply demonstrated in the successful advance of these initial years.

The present catalog aims to place before those who are interested in photographic lenses brief information of the wide range of our products in this field. For those who may desire further information on lenses for portraiture, in the studio or in the home, or for photoengraving, enlarging, or any special work, we are always pleased to take up the questions by correspondence. We have special literature on some of the subjects which we can send on request.

The section "To Our Patrons" covers terms, lenses on approval and other details of interest.



INTRODUCING OURSELVES

A LEADING pioneer in the movement for the development of the photographic lens was the Bausch and Lomb Optical Company.

The activities of this firm had, from the beginning, a very important effect upon the advancement and popularization of photography in America.

Prior to the early 80's most of the photographic lenses used in this country were imported from Europe. But these were high in price, and the problem before these American pioneers was that of attaining the quality of the foreign lenses and of reducing the cost to the photographer. Long study and experiment resulted in the production of photographic lenses of high grade that merited and gained the American photographers' enthusiastic welcome.

In the early 90's the Carl Zeiss Optical Works, of Jena, entered the photographic field and introduced the anastigmat lens, invented by Drs. Abbe and Rudolph, and patented in this country. Recognizing our position in the industry, and desiring to enter the American market, they made an agreement with us, whereby we, as their licensees, began to manufacture and sell these new lenses under their formulae.

This relationship with the Zeiss Works gradually became strengthened until in January, 1908, a corporate alliance with that company concentrated the resources, the experience and the energies of the two leading optical firms of the Old and New World.



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MODERN LENSES

How They Became What They Are



THE inventors—or, perhaps, we should say the discoverers—of photography were required to work with exceedingly imperfect implements. The immense furore occasioned by the new science incited many experimenters in lens-making, a few of whom only were successful in advancing the development of that difficult problem. The first lenses that represented a material improvement were vastly quicker

than the earlier lenses, but they had, from the modern viewpoint, a narrow field and other serious drawbacks to higher efficiency.

To overcome these defects many ambitious opticians undertook to produce a lens with greater versatility, yet it was over twenty years before the mathematical genius of Germany produced a lens that could be regarded as a forward step. This lens was the first that demonstrated its fitness to survive by combining spherical correction for a comparatively large aperture with freedom from distortion over a large field. The type, known as Rectilinear,* has occupied an important place in the market, and is still widely used in the simpler outfits.

Its one serious drawback rests in the fact that it cannot be corrected for both astigmatism and curvature of field. If free from astigmatism it had a curved field, or if made to give a flat field the margins showed the blur of uncorrected astigmatism.

For years lens development halted in the face of this difficulty. But though mathematics was baffled, science found a new avenue of advance. The new avenue was a new glass.

*See under "Distortion" in "Terms Used in Describing Lenses"

For this triumph modern optical science is indebted to the collaboration of Professor Abbe and Dr. Schott, of Jena. It was in 1881 that Dr. Schott, instigated and inspired by Professor Abbe, began experiments in the production of glass of new optical properties. Up to this time the optical qualities of ordinary glass had changed in proportion to its specific gravity. The heavier the glass, the higher the refractive power and the greater the dispersive power. Abbe's aim was to produce glasses which, though they had refractive indices as high as heavy flint glasses, should show no more dispersion than ordinary crown glass.

Dr. Schott's experiments were so successful that in 1884 a glass plant producing a new type of glass was put into regular operation.

Dr. P. Rudolph, of the Zeiss works, was the first to utilize the possibilities of the new glasses for the purposes of photography. To him we are indebted for the first Zeiss anastigmat made in 1890. This epoch-making lens had astigmatic correction over a large flat field and at the same time spherical correction for a large opening, well covering a large plate with a short exposure. The first lens of the new type was a "universal" lens with moderate speed and moderate angle of view. Lenses of higher speed, as well as wide angle, soon followed on the lines of this type, and in 1895 came the Convertible Protar Series VIIa, which, in its wide range of usefulness, has not been surpassed.

The superiority of Anastigmats over Rectilinear lenses was immediately recognized and gave a great stimulus to lens construction. The Zeiss Works, and other manufacturers, persistently sought to acquire greater speed without sacrifice in the field of view. All efforts were distanced by the success of Dr. Rudolph in his invention, in 1903, of the Tessar type, unequalled in its perfection by any other known lens.

A comparison between the old Petzval type of Portrait Lens and the present Ic Tessar is very interesting and shows vividly the progress in lens optics in the last half century.

Both lenses have the same speed, if the Portrait lens is diaphragmed down to F:4.5. Their brilliant images indicate perfect spherical corrections. But, while one of these early lenses, as ordinarily used in a studio, will just about cover field enough to image head and bust sharply and will not do any more, even when stopped down, the Tessar will, with full aperture, cover a field more than twice as great, and if stopped for depth will take a group. This result is obtained with the same number of lenses in both cases—one cemented pair and one pair separated by an air space—and this immense advance has only been made possible by the use of the new glasses from Jena.



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Made with Ic Tessar by Belle Johnson



Made with IIb Tessar by Francis Mannziere

TERMS USED IN DESCRIBING LENSES

TECHNICAL terms used in photography are often puzzling to the amateur, particularly, perhaps, those terms which relate to the science of optics. The following glossary of optical terms has been prepared with a view to giving general information as to the descriptive words and phrases in ordinary use.

EQUIVALENT FOCAL LENGTH. Focal Plane is the plane in which a far distant object is imaged by the lens. The line drawn perpendicularly through the center of the lens is its Optical Axis; the point at which the Focal Plane intersects the Optical Axis, the Focal Point of the lens.

The Focal Length of a lens is the value upon which depends the size of the images produced by that lens. Its magnitude can be determined only by comparing the size of a given object with its image as formed by the lens. The distance of the object, unless very great, must also be considered.

For far distant objects the size of the image is in direct proportion to the focal length. A lens of 12-inch focal length will produce an image of a distant steeple twice as large as the image formed by a lens of 6-inch focal length.

Back Focus is the distance from the focal point to the rear surface of the lens. In the case of very thin lenses, this back focus is equal to the focal length, while in the case of lenses of considerable thickness and in combinations of lenses, the back focus cannot be relied upon as any indication of the value of the focal length. The focal length of such a lens is equal to the focal length of a thin lens, which gives an image equivalent in size to the one formed by the combination lens, hence the term "Equivalent Focal Length."

In the majority of photographic lenses the equivalent focal length is greater than the back focus, an exception being found in the Series VII, where the back focus is the longer.

By measuring back from the focal point a distance equal to the equivalent focal length, we find the position of the so-called **optical center** of the lens, which is always (except in Series VII) near the diaphragm.

ANGLE OF VIEW is the angle under which the diameter of the circular area covered sharply by the lens appears from the center of the lens (the point

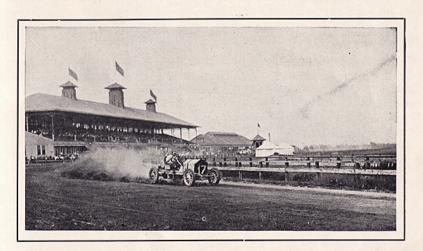
where the rays cross). If the largest plate, which the lens covers sharply, is used, the angle of view is equal to the angle under which the diagonal of the plate appears from the center of the lens. The angle of view increases with the decrease of the focus of the lens for the same size plate. Lenses for general purposes are calculated for an angle of about 60°. Lenses covering from 75° to over 100° are termed Wide Angle Lenses. Wide angle lenses have necessarily shorter foci than other lenses rated for the same plate. The diagram on page 52 enables one to determine the angle of view in any given case.

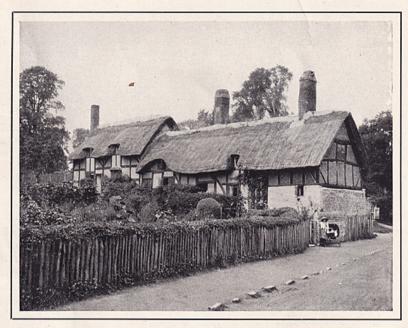
The circular area which is covered by the lens on the ground glass is called its **Image Circle**, and its diameter is expressed in linear measure (inches or centimeters).

EFFECTIVE APERTURE is measured by the diameter of the beam of light admitted by the lens. The effective aperture is not, as often thought, equal to the diameter of the front lens, nor is it equal to the linear diameter of the diaphragm opening used. It equals the diameter of the diaphragm as it appears when observed through the front lens; therefore, the effective aperture cannot be found by unscrewing the front lens and measuring the actual diameter of the diaphragm. Only in the case of a landscape lens, like Series VII, where the diaphragm is placed in front of the lens, is the effective aperture expressed by the linear diameter of the diaphragm.

The effective aperture varies, of course, with the size of the diaphragm opening.

RELATIVE APERTURE is a fraction which expresses the ratio of effective aperture to focal length; for instance, relative aperture of 1:6.3 means that the focal length is 6.3 times greater than the effective aperture. The denominator of the fraction, in this instance the figure 6.3, is called the F value. If the relative aperture is known, the effective aperture can be found by multiplying the relative aperture by the focus. For example: F:160; relative aperture=1:8; effective





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aperture=160 x 1:8=20. The relative aperture is a term of greatest value and convenience in judging the time of exposure. All lenses of the same relative aperture, no matter what their focus may be, require the same exposure under the same conditions. An exception will be mentioned under the heading, "Depth of Focus."

The exposures necessary for different relative apertures can easily be found because they are proportionate to the square of the F values. For instance, if two lenses are compared with the relative apertures of 1:4 and 1:8 respectively, the squares of the F values are 16 and 64 respectively, which means that the 1:8 requires four times as long exposure as the 1:4 lens, since 64/16=4. This, of course, also holds true in comparing the different stops.

SPEED. The relative aperture is very commonly called the speed of the lens, although the speed of two lenses is not proportionate to their relative apertures but to their squares. In other words, a lens with the speed of 1.4 is not twice as fast as a lens with the speed of 1.8, but four times so, as the comparison of the squares of their relative apertures \frac{1}{16} and \frac{1}{64} shows.

There are two methods of designating lens stops, viz.: the so-called F System of the Royal Photographic Society, wherein the stop is expressed by fractions of the focal length, and the U. S. (Uniform System), in which every following

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Comparison Between the F System and the U. S. (Uniform System) of Stops

F. System	F:4	F:4.5	F:5.6	F:6.3	F:7.7	F:8	F:9	F:10	F:11.3	F:12.5	F:16	F:22.6	F:25	F:32	F:45.25	F:50	F:64
U. S. "	1	1.2	2	2.5	3.7	4	5	6.25	8	9.8	16	32	39	64	128	156	256

stop requires a doubling of the exposure or represents half the speed of the foregoing, the exposure required with F:4 being taken as the unit.

The above table gives the comparative stops in the two systems and shows at the same time the exposure values of the different stops in the F System. For instance, F:11.3 requires four times as long an exposure as F:5.6; and F:32, an exposure sixteen times longer than F:8, since $\frac{8}{2}$ =4 and $\frac{64}{4}$ =16.

DEPTH OF FOCUS. Very closely connected with the speed of a lens is its depth of focus. All well-corrected lenses image only one plane of the object space sharply. The reason why a lens focused at a house images also with sufficient sharpness, say a horse in front and a tree back of it, lies in the fact that a slight racking out of focus will not cause an indistinctness great enough to be noticeable to the eye. The range of sharpness forward and back of the object is called "depth of focus" or "depth of field." It depends on several factors, viz.; the focal length of the lens, the aperture used (consequently its speed), the distance of the object, and the amount of lack of sharpness which seems permissible to the operator. Of these factors, focal length, aperture and distance are definite numerical values. That the amount of indistinctness permissible in the picture is susceptible of numerical expression is easily seen from the following: if an object at a given distance is in sharp focus, the light issuing from a point of that object is converged to a point on the plate. Light issuing from a point in the original object will also be converged to a point, but not on the plate, the cone of light showing in either case a circular patch of light on the plate. This circle of light is known as the "circle of confusion." Its diameter can be used to express the amount of indistinctness existing in a picture. If the circle of confusion is not



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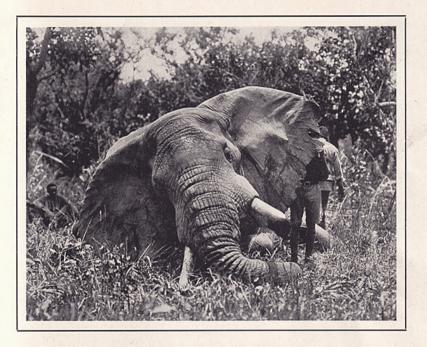
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greater than ½10 mm or ½50 inch, it would appear as a point to an eye 10 inches away, hence, an object no point of which is imaged by a circle larger than ½10 mm would appear sharp.

No matter what their type of construction may be, all lenses of the same equivalent focus and the same relative aperture require the same exposure, that is, have the same speed, other conditions being equal. They will also have the same depth. The depth of focus decreases:

- 1. With increase of focal length.
- 2. With increase of relative aperture (speed).
- 3. With increasing nearness of objects.

Of two lenses of the same equivalent focus, the one with the lower relative aperture (speed) has the greater depth of field. On the other hand: if the focal length of the lens is very short, a speed as high as F:4.5 will allow bringing every object from 10 feet to infinity to a sharp focus, while a studio lens of long focus and the same speed may not even image an object of the depth of a head sharply within the range of the length of a studio. Speed, great focal length and depth of focus cannot be combined in the same lens. This is an unalterable law of optics. If speed be the most desirable quality, depth of focus must be sacrificed; if depth of focus, speed. This does not detract from the value of fast lenses, because with a given lens the depth of focus can be increased by diaphragming down



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the lens which means reduction of speed. If a short exposure demands the use of the lens wide open, one must not expect great depth of focus. Under ordinary conditions of light and distance, with fair judgment, and with lenses not too long in focus, these opposing qualities may be happily combined, so that lack of depth is hardly perceptible.

Some apparent exceptions may be stated, for instance, a lens which produces images of general "softness," i. e., a lens in which the aberrations are not corrected to the utmost perfection. Such lenses, which lack snap and brilliancy, may show greater depth of focus than a first-class lens. There is less difference between the "sharpest" focus and the image of objects forward and back of it, simply because the "sharpest" focus itself is not really sharp. Thus the statement that one lens has a greater depth of focus than others of the same aperture and focus, must be regarded as a rather doubtful compliment to the lens, for as stated above, depth of focus cannot be made subject to special correction.

Another case may be mentioned in which one lens may really have an advantage over another one, in regard to depth of focus. In some constructions, correction of astigmatism is obtained at a great sacrifice of simplicity by employing an unusual number of lenses separated by air spaces. There is a certain loss of light by reflection on a lens surface and it is easily intelligible that the fewer reflecting surfaces in a lens, the smaller the loss of light. In some constructions the number of the lens surfaces runs up as high as ten, while the Tessar contains

only six. The consequence is that the lens with the greater number of reflecting surfaces requires a longer exposure than a lens of simple construction, although both may have the same relative aperture. Or to express it differently: the lens with the greater number of reflections requires an aperture of F.6.3 with a certain time of exposure, while the other lens will give a negative of equal density with its aperture stopped down to F:7.2 or F:7.5, which means a gain in depth of focus for the lens with the smaller number of reflecting surfaces. This is especially important with lenses used on folding cameras where the focusing is done without ground glass by means of a scale, and where the photographer has to depend on his unaided judgment and experience for getting the necessary depth of focus.

SPHERICAL ABERRATION. Owing to the fact that lenses are made with spherical curves, all single collective lenses have the defect of imaging an object through their marginal zone at a shorter focus than through their central zone. Such a lens may give a sharp image with a small central diaphragm, and a sharp image as well if the center is covered with a round opaque stop so that only an annular zone around the margin comes into action. But both images will not lie in the same plane, nor will they be of the same size. Even if a lens is spherically corrected, so that the parallel rays penetrating the lens near the optical axis and those going through the lens near the margin come to exactly the same focus, there may be a slight remnant of spherical aberration in the zone between center and margin. Small remnants of this kind (so-called Zonal Errors) are found in almost all photographic lenses, especially of the cemented symmetrical type. The unsymmetrical combination upon which the Tessar construction is based, allows a better correction of the zonal errors than any other known construction. The greater the relative aperture (speed



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of the lens), the greater the task to correct the spherical aberration for all zones of the lens.

Unsatisfactory spherical correction is indicated either by a general indistinctness of the image or by a fairly sharp image, which is entirely covered by halo (fog). Stopping down the aperture may improve the performance of a badly corrected objective.

COMA. The spherical aberration of pencils of light going through the object in oblique direction is called coma. This manifests itself in the fact that although objects in the center of the field appear perfectly defined, objects outside of the center show a one-sided indistinctness which increases towards the margin of the field, and in the image of a point-shaped object assumes the form of a tail like a comet, wherefrom this aberration takes its name. Stopping down reduces the amount of coma.

ASTIGMATISM. Astigmatism is that aberration which withstood longest the efforts of the opticians. A lens which is not corrected for astigmatism will not image sharply horizontal and vertical lines at the same time near the margin of the plate, although the center of the image may be perfect. This aberration is inherent in narrow pencils of light, so that stopping down the lens will not decrease the amount of astigmatism to the same degree that it decreases other uncorrected aberrations.

In the absence of a test chart a very simple test for astigmatism may be made by focusing on the joints of a brick wall. No matter how much the lens may be racked in or out, both horizontal and vertical lines will never be sharply defined at the same time near the margin of the plate.

CURVATURE OF FIELD. The ordinary lens images a flat object, not in a plane, but in a spheroidal surface, so that when the center of the image is focused sharp, the ground glass has to be brought nearer to the lens to obtain a sharp image of an object point near the margin of the plate.

It is only in recent years that it is possible to correct astigmatism, together with the curvature of field in lenses of high speed. Lenses which are free from spherical aberration for a large aperture and produce a flat image free from astigmatism, are called "Anastigmats", the prefix "an" meaning without, hence, without astigmatism.

DISTORTION is that fault of a lens which prevents the rendering of straight lines as such. The straight lines are reproduced as curves. All single lenses used with a diaphragm in front (landscape lenses) are subject to this defect in some degree. The distortion is called cushion shaped, when the curves are concave, and barrel shaped, when the curves are convex toward the margin of the plate.

Lenses which are free from distortion are called rectilinear.

The performance of a lens which distorts cannot be improved by using smaller stops.

Distortion has nothing to do with curvature of field. The image can be properly flat and the definition perfect, and yet straight lines may be distorted into curves.

CHROMATIC ABERRATION is due to the fact that in a lens, unless corrected for chromatic aberration, the visual rays which form the image seen on the ground glass do not form the images at the same position as the actinic or chemical rays, which affect the sensitive plate. Since the image is focused with rays for which the eye is most sensitive, the image formed by the rays for which the plate is most sensitive will fall outside of the visual focus (focal point), and therefore must be blurred on the plate. Of course all photographic lenses which claim to be of any value at all must, first of all, be corrected for chromatic aberration. An objective which has chromatic aberration is sometimes said to have chemical focus.



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DEFINITION is that quality which enables a lens to produce sharp and crisp images, and its presence in an objective is a proof of exact workmanship as well as careful computation. The best workmanship will be wasted in a lens not well designed, and bad workmanship will annihilate the best computer's skill. If all the various defects and aberrations are corrected and the workman has done everything to carry out the designer's ideas, the lens will give at full aperture a flat and sharply cut image over the entire area covered. Among the few constructions which permit such perfection the Tessar type stands foremost. The area covered with perfection is sometimes called **area of critical definition**. Since most of the aberrations depend upon the opening of the lens, the definition may be improved in some cases by reducing the opening at the sacrifice of speed.

ILLUMINATION. We speak of even illumination when the margin of the plate receives as much light as the center, and the negative shows an even density all over. A perfectly even illumination is only possible with small stops, especially when a larger plate is used than the lens is rated for. All speed lenses show more or less drop in the illumination (vignetting) toward the margin of the field covered when used with full aperture.

COVERING POWER is expressed by the area which the evenly illuminated flat field covers with perfect definition. It depends upon the diameter of the lenses and on the degree to which the different aberrations are corrected and may, in some cases, be increased by using smaller stops.

The greater the relative aperture and the greater the covering power, the more valuable the lens.

FLARE SPOTS. Occasionally a negative will show a nebulous patch of light covering shadows and high lights alike. Such patches are called flare spots or ghosts. They are formed by light reflected within the lens, at the lens surfaces bounding air spaces, and as a general proposition, it may be stated that every lens having an air space will show a flare spot under some conditions. Although it is possible to so adjust the curvature and direction of the lens surfaces that the flare spot is spread over nearly the whole plate, therefore not noticeable, this generally could be accomplished only by sacrificing more important corrections.

Before it can be said that one lens is superior to another with respect to flare spot formation, the two lenses must be thoroughly tried out under a great variety of conditions of illumination. It will generally be found that if under certain conditions one lens shows a flare spot and another of different construction does not, by changing conditions the second lens will show a flare spot and the first will not.

Very small stops may show flare spots when larger stops do not,

Flare spots are most apt to appear when photographing an object against a strong light and least apt to appear when the light is coming from back of the camera.



Made with 17 in. Telestigmat by C. F. Stiles

SELECTING A LENS

Help toward answering "What Lens Shall I Buy?"

THE present catalog gives specific descriptions, prices and shutter fittings of our various series of lenses, but it will be of aid to the intending purchaser to review the appended sketch of lens requirements and first decide upon the specific purposes for which his lens is to be used. Having so decided he may turn to the fuller statement of the lens or lenses recommended under this heading.

ARCHITECTURAL WORK.



Protar Series VIIa is the first choice on account of its superb corrections and reserve covering power. For details of architecture at some distance from the observer, where the series VIIa images would be too small, the Series VII elements of the VIIa are useful as the image increases in size as the focal length of lens is increased. In restricted spaces, Protar Series IV or Series V Wide Angle lenses are almost necessities. For the inaccessible details, such as cornices, gargoyles, etc., the Bausch &

Lomb telephoto attachment will be found to be invaluable.

ATHLETIC SPORTS.



The Ic Tessar, F:4.5, should be selected on account of its great speed. The motion of the object must be arrested by the shutter in order to obtain sharp images, no matter what the light conditions may be at time of exposure. By working at a greater distance, smaller images are produced with greater depth, which images therefore can be enlarged successfully.

The IIb Tessar, F:6.3, and Compound Shutter will also do very satisfactory work along these lines, if the pictures are made at moderate distances. The Ic Tessar should always be selected

in preference to the IIb Tessar if a reflecting type of camera is available, as the Ic Tessar stopped down will duplicate the IIb Tessar; but the Ic Tessar cannot be recommended for compact hand cameras as it is necessarily more bulky than the IIb Tessar and some cameras do not have room enough to permit its use.

BUTTON AND STAMP PICTURES.



For this work the required image is so small that the lens works practically at a universal focus. A short focus lens will probably be demanded on account of the restricted operating space. The Ic Tessar, F:4.5, such as No. 13, 14 or 15, is the proper selection.

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CHILDREN'S PHOTOGRAPHS.



For this fascinating branch of photography, we need speed—therefore the Ic Tessar, F.4.5, is the best lens. With reflecting type of camera and the Ic Tessar, one can catch the fleeting expression of the child, make pictures of him at play, or a snap-shot in the house. The Ic Tessar is of necessity more bulky than the IIb, which is generally fitted to the folding type of hand camera. There are some types of cameras with ground glasses for focusing which also have front board room enough to take Ic Tessars, but in general these cameras will take only the IIb Tessar, F:6.3.

The latter lens will do excellent work, for it has about twice the speed of the ordinary camera lens.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.



A IIb Tessar, F:6.3, on a light hand camera should be used for reconnoitering and preliminary surveys. For all-round work by a resident photographer for large engineering projects a VIIa Protar, supplemented by Series V Wide Angle Protar, is the best equipment on account of the convertible features which are so advantageous for photographs of this nature.

COPYING.

All of our lenses can be used with good success for this work. The IIb Tessar is excellent in this line and for an inexpensive copying lens the Series IV or V Wide Angle Protars are recommended. Specially corrected copying lenses are made for photo-engravers. (See heading Photo-Mechanical Work).

ENLARGING.

The Tessar IIb, F:6.3, should be selected on account of its excellent optical corrections. In enlarging a flat object (the negative) is projected on another flat surface (the bromide paper) and the necessity of a perfectly flat field lens is of course obvious. If the Tessar is intended primarily for enlarging, we recommend a specially adjusted lens for the purpose. When such an adjustment is made, the lens can be used at much larger openings, thus gaining speed. (Special literature on condensers and enlarging sent on request).

FLASHLIGHT PHOTOGRAPHY.

For flashlight work, banquets, interiors, etc., the most useful lens is one which has a large available image circle. Series VIIa or IIb Tessar allow focusing at large apertures, and save flashlight powder, expense and smoke. Series IV is an excellent lens for flashlight groups. Series V may also be used if greater angle is desired.

FLOWER PHOTOGRAPHY.



In this work there is no great necessity for speed, so that a Convertible Protar Series VIIa, F:6.3, with several focal lengths can be selected, gaining the advantage of better proportions of parts, resulting from the use of long focus lenses. Our New Ray Filter is a necessity if the photograph is to show the differences in color values. Adjustment and utility of Ray Filter are described in accessories division of this catalog.

GROUPS.



In no line of photographic work is the anastigmat more essential for good results. The best investment is the VIIa Protar. The reserve covering power of this type makes it possible to use a shorter focus lens and have definition from corner to corner—an obvious advantage where work must be done in a limited space. The speed is ample and the single lenses are useful as longer focus lenses for distant objects.

The VIIa Protar may also be used for commercial work, such as photography of landscape gardening, buildings in construction, machinery and automobile photographs, as well as groups.

If conditions do not justify expense, the IIb Tessar may be employed or the Ic Tessar. These lenses may be worked at moderate apertures for groups and when used at full openings are, on account of their speed, useful lenses for studio work or for portraiture in the home.

The longer focus lenses are preferable, as the front rows will be more in proportion to the back rows, but the focus of a lens, for a group, is governed by restrictions of operating space—an important fact which can never be neglected.

LANDSCAPES.



For this work the Convertible Protar Series VIIa, F:6.3 should be chosen. The speed is ample and the convertible features of the lens, containing in one lens barrel or shutter fitting, the possibility of using two or three focal lengths according to the lens purchased, makes the selection an ideal one. If the Series VII lenses which make up the VIIa lens are equal in focus, a speed of F.6.3, equal to the IIb Tessar, is obtained; if the combinations are unequal, an extra focal length is gained, with a slight loss of speed. By adding one or more Series VII elements, a set of Protars is built up, for full details of which see catalog under C or D sets.

Convertibility means convenience in photography. If the image size is too small with the VIIa, a single element can be used at the same tripod location and larger image secured. You simply find the proper viewpoint and can always pick some combination from the set to give you the scale and perspective which you desire.

LANTERN-SLIDE MAKING

For the reduction method, a IIb Tessar, F:6.3, should be employed with the cap end of lens facing negative and flange end of lens facing lantern-slide plate. Ic Tessar or VIIa Protar of suitable foci may also be used.

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NATURALIST PHOTOGRAPHY.



For work from "blinds" with shutter operated from a distance, the Tessar Ic should be selected.

At a distance from the animal, the apparent motion of image on camera is not so great as when near the animal, for in this case he may be startled and away before exposure is made. The Convertible Protar Series VIIa is therefore useful and combines in one lens a speed lens and a long focus lens.

NEWSPAPER PHOTOGRAPHY.



The Ic Tessar will appeal to the newspaper photographer. Its speed, F:4.5, will satisfy the requirements for exposures under difficult conditions. Since it can be stopped down and used at small apertures without suffering in definition, it serves also as a universal lens. The Ic Tessar, F:4.5, covers focus for focus a larger plate than competing lenses, a most important fact. Moreover the Ic Tessar can always be used as a portrait lens when desired, for emergency photographs

of celebrities in hotel rooms, etc., where the light conditions are usually unfavorable for picture making.

Every newspaper man has use also for a Series V Wide Angle lens, when forced to work in restricted spaces.

PHOTO MECHANICAL WORK.

In this work the very highest precision is required. For the exacting demands of the three-color process, the Apochromatic Tessar, Series VIII must be used since it is absolutely necessary to bring the images produced through the red, green and violet filters to the same focus so that the images shall be of exactly the same size.

For black and white work the VIII Apochromatic Tessar is equally valuable, on account of its accurate precision. (Our special literature will be sent on request, covering photo engraver's lenses, prisms and ray-filters for three-color work, and magnifiers of all kinds.)

PHOTOMICROGRAPHY.



The Micro Tessars are useful for direct enlarged photographs from small objects such as insects or seeds and plant life where the magnification does not exceed 25 times. (Special literature will be sent on request covering Micro-Tessars, Photomicrography, Microscopes and accessories.)

PORTRAITURE.



As the reduction of exposure is of the greatest importance, speed such as is possessed by our Tessar Ic, F:4.5, is essential. This lens has a flat field which makes it adaptable for standing figures and groups. For home portraiture the shorter focus members of the series are unequalled as they can be fitted to portable cameras.

No. 18 is particularly adapted (in connection with 5 Compound Shutter), for compact home portrait outfits.

No. 18a is the standard lens for the ordinary studio. No. 19 is intended for large heads and 11 x 14 work.

This is the ideal lens for the professional who wishes one truly universal lens.

PROJECTION WORK.

The Tessar IIb, on account of its flat field, is the finest projection lens made, and the Micro Tessar has special properties which fit it for the projection of microscope slides. IIb Tessars for projection are furnished in special rack and pinion mounts with steel iris diaphragm leaves.

(Special catalogs on projection lenses and apparatus for lantern-slides and opaque projection will be sent if requested.)

REFLECTING CAMERA WORK.

The Ic Tessar, F:4.5, is here supreme. The speed, F:4.5, is maintained in all sizes of the Ic Tessar, and the angle of sharp field in proportion to focal length is much greater in this lens than in competing lenses. As the Tessar Ic does not shift focus when stopped down, the lens can be used at smaller apertures when full opening is not needed, a very important point.

SCIENCE WORK.

Teachers will be interested to correspond with us regarding their special requirements, and for all round work on science outfits we recommend the VIIa Protar or a set of Protars on account of the several focal lengths. IIb Tessar also makes an excellent selection, if a somewhat lower price lens is desired.

STANDING FIGURES.



Any of our Tessar series or Protar VIIa members may be selected for standing figures in the studio. They excel the old portrait types of lenses because of their ability to make a large standing figure without stopping down. This is of great importance as the standing position is the hardest for a person to maintain, and when slow lenses are used many plates are spoiled by the movement of the subjects. Ic Tessar No. 18 or 18a is a good selection for an all around studio lens, on account of its speed, F:4.5, combined with perfectly flat field. IIb Tessar No. 7, 8, 9 or 9a can also be used with good success, up to the limits of their speed, F:6.3.

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STEREOSCOPIC PHOTOGRAPHY.

The IIb Tessar, F:6.3, with Stereo Compound shutter is recommended. The lenses must be accurately matched in focus. For stereoscopic work on reflecting cameras, the Tessars are used in barrels.

TELEPHOTOGRAPHY.

Since the telephoto magnifies the image produced by the regular photo lens, it is necessary to have as perfect a lens as possible for the basis of the telephoto outfit. The Tessars and the VIIa Protar are suitable selections, but they must be very carefully adjusted to the telephoto attachment. We cannot fit satisfactorily without having the regular photo lenses at hand. Telephoto attachments cannot be sent on approval. Statistics regarding magnifications possible with various camera extensions, with pictorial illustrations of telephoto work, are given in lens catalog section.

WIDE ANGLE WORK.



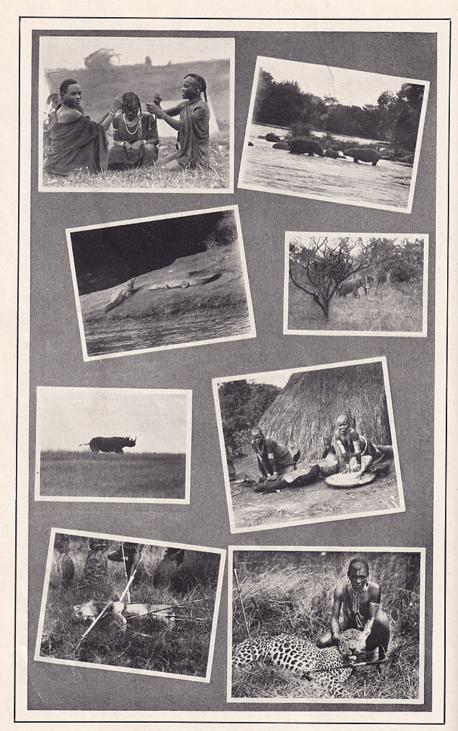
Series IV gives a medium angle and a moderate speed, F:12.5. Series V covers the demand for extreme angle and can be used for snap shots in good lights. Its speed is F:18. Series IV and V are also good for flashlight work. Those who own Convertible Protar VIIa lenses can also use them as wide-angle lenses when stopped down on account of their reserve covering power. When stopped down the circle of sharp definition is

increased It should be noted that Series IV or Series V lenses cannot be fitted with shutters like Compound or Automat, but demand a shutter such as Volute in which diaphragm blades and shutter blades are identical.

WATER PICTURES.



On account of the light which is reflected from the water and sky, the lenses can almost always be stopped down. For yachting pictures the Convertible Protar VIIa, F:6.3, is useful, as for a long distance exposure the single lenses can be used. For motor-boat racing, diving pictures, etc., a Tessar Ic, F:4.5, is of advantage as the exposures must be short on account of rapid movement of object.



Made with Ic Tessar and VIIa Protar by C. E. Akeley







Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss TESSAR

Series Ic F:4.5

Universal application.

Unexcelled for ultra rapid work, portraits, groups, landscapes, etc.





Construction

The Tessar Ic is composed of four single elements, so thin as to reduce the absorption of light to a minimum. Being an unsymmetrical lens, its single elements cannot be used separately. It is as small in his so so great an aperture, but it is not so adaptable to the compact type of hand cameras, as is the Tessar Series IIb.

THE Tessar Ic is admittedly the most universal lens of the unsymmetrical type. Its simple construction of four thin elements of Jena glass makes the absorption of light practically nothing. The leading characteristic is speed. This aperture, F:4.5, is maintained in every size up to the largest, and its covering power in proportion to its focal length exceeds all other F:4.5 anastigmats. Combined with speed, we also have the highest optical corrections and needle-point definition.

The definition of the Ic Tessar at its full aperture, F:4.5, is remarkable. The lens will do all that it is possible to do with the Series IIb Tessar, and in addition has twice as much speed. This speed becomes available when the lens is opened up for short exposures at high speeds, or exposures when the light is very weak.

Tessar Ic is unequalled for the most difficult speed photography on reflecting cameras, for studio work, for home portraiture, groups, landscapes and other applications of the art. Compactness of mounting is an important factor in lenses for reflecting cameras, and the short barrel with inclined diaphragm ring, allowing easy reading of scale from front of camera, appeals to everyone. The lens is finished in black lacquer throughout.

The advantage of speed in a lens needs no argument. In the Ic Tessar it is available whenever you need it. At F:6.3 you have the same depth of focus and rapidity as the IIb Tessar, and so on through the smaller apertures. Tessar Ic should be put on all cameras which will accommodate its greater bulk, as it has twice the speed of the Tessar IIb and about four times the speed of the ordinaty camera lenses.

The sizes No. 13 to No. 17 are recommended for reflecting cameras. Details are given on page 62 which cover all popular cameras.

The professional will naturally select the No. 18-a as an ideal lens for work in ordinary size studios, for cabinets, groups, etc. To cover the same size plate the older types of portrait lenses would require a much longer focus, which is a great inconvenience in group work. The Ic Tessar, with its perfectly flat field, makes possible groups and standing figures at large apertures. Special information on portraiture work with Ic Tessar is given on page 32.

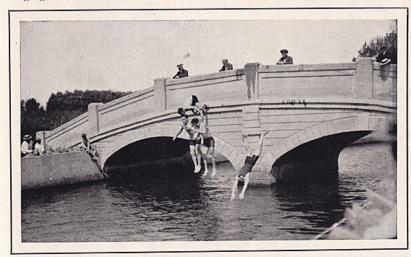
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Made with Ic Tessar by J. Y. Lee

For autochrome and other color-photographic processes, Ic Tessar gives superior results because of its high speed and perfect color corrections.

Tessar Ic can be used for difficult night photographs, for photographing windows at night, and is invaluable as a lens for enlarging from dense negatives where the lenses must be worked at a large opening to save exposure time; or for enlarging work on the slower gaslight papers. See price list on page 55.



Made with Ic Tessar by W. L. Brown

Ic TESSAR FOR STUDIO WORK

The larger sizes of the Ic Tessar are extremely popular for professional portraiture. They differ radically from the older types of portrait lenses, which could only cover when of inconveniently long focal lengths, owing to their limited central definition due to the greatly curved field. In the Tessar Ic, efficiency is the key-note—extreme covering power combined with the highest practical speed.

The flat field means ability to handle standing figures and groups at much larger apertures than the ordinary type of lenses. Exposures may be made with the Ic Tessar at much larger stops, which means less plates spoiled by possible movements of the subjects.

The reserve covering power of the lenses allows their use on larger size plates than regularly listed for, as in the case of groups. This reserve power is of great value also when the swing backs are used. When stopped down, the covering power is nearly twice the area of the listed plate size.

No. 18 lens is an ideal lens for home portraiture, and we have given information below in detail regarding this lens. For the ordinary studio with an 8×10 camera, the No. 18a with its longer focus is a better selection. No. 19 lens is excellent for large heads and for 11×14 work. No. 20 covers 14×17 and gives exquisite roundness and perspective.

The IIb Tessar is a less expensive lens than the Ic Tessar on account of its lower speed. The larger sizes therefore are in demand as group lenses and also serve for portrait work up to the limits of their speed.

Tessar Ic Nos. 18, 18a, 19 and 20 are supplied with lens hoods. These are detachable in case the lenses are to be used on compact home portrait cameras.

HOME PORTRAITURE

There is a steadily increasing demand for photographs made in the home, photographs with the home touch, the kind which show the favorite chair, the window seat with the little ones at play or the merry group on the stair-way. These are the elements which add that subtle touch, which is so many times lacking in studio pictures, and make the negatives that sell.

In this class of work it is imperative that the lens have speed. At the same time it must be compact enough to go upon the lens boards of portable cameras. Efficiency, which is covering power combined with speed, is a necessity and the Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss Ic Tessar fills these ideal conditions especially in No. 18 size, listed for 8 x 10.

A lens for home portraiture should have a flat field, and the vignetting effect in the corners so common in the older types of lenses—the falling away which shows the inability of the lens to cover—cannot be tolerated at all in home portraiture.

In the home you must take conditions just as you find them. You will probably be hampered by lack of room. The No. 18 lens is about 12 inches in focus; it is short enough to work within the limits of space of the ordinary house and yet long enough in focus not to give the strained perspective of a lens too short in focus.

The No. 5 Compound Shutter, in connection with the No. 18 lens, makes an outfit suitable for any compact view camera. Exposures up to ½75 second can be given, as well as bulb and time exposures, which latter exposures are practically noiseless, a very important consideration in home portraiture.

Series Ic F:3.5

For motion picture cameras of any make.





Construction

The Tessar Ic F:3.5 resembles the other Tessar series in general construction and is an unsymmetrical lens of four glasses.

Actual Size

The rise of the motion picture industry has brought up new problems, including a demand for lenses of enormous speed as the motion picture operator cannot control the weather conditions and must usually take his pictures just as he finds them.

Owing to the short focal lengths which are ordinarily demanded, the speed of F:3.5 is attained, which means that the light admitted to the film is almost double that of the Series Ic Tessar, F:4.5, used on the reflecting cameras. Compared to ordinary camera lenses, Tessar Ic, F:3.5, is five times faster.

Owing to the short focal length of the lenses, 2 inch for the No. 1 and 3 inch for the No. 1a, the lenses have enormous depth even at fullest aperture. A greater speed than F:3.5, while attainable and useful on some occasions, shows a lack of depth qualities. F:3.5 represent the highest practical speed and it will be found that the lenses must be stopped down in good light, so as to prevent overexposure.

Lenses may be furnished in barrels with iris diaphragms or in focusing mounts, or in special mountings fitting a rack and pinion jacket. The focusing mount is illustrated above. By revolving the lens hood, the diaphragm openings are changed and a pointer operating against a scale on the hood of the lens indicates the opening used. The lever on the side, pushes the lenses in or out and indicates the distance on the scale around the body of the mount.

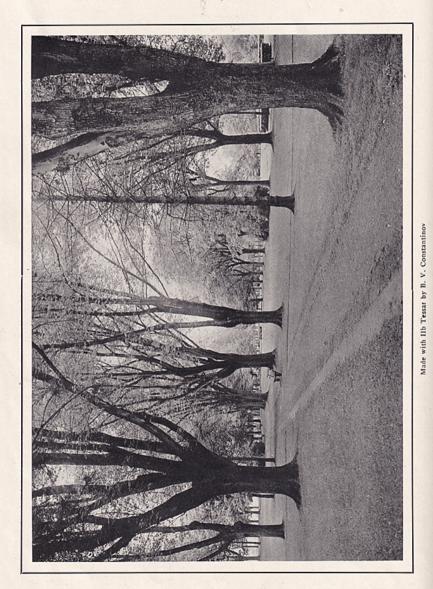
In the rack and pinion mount, we have an ideal outfit for the man who wishes to use two or more lenses. The lenses set back in a double tube, the outer one fitting the jacket by a sliding fit and the inner one rotating so as to control the diaphragm. The mountings also serve as lens hoods, and the diaphragm settings can be read off on the outer end of the tubes.

For wide angle effects, the Ic Tessar, F:4.5, 32 mm (1¼ inches), can be supplied. This lens is useful also for fixed focus work. It can be fitted to the focusing mount, if desired.

On the standard size film, No. 1a lens gives 20°, No. 1 lens gives 29° and the 32 mm Ic F:4.5 lens gives 44°. No. 1a lens will give a larger image from the same standpoint than the No. 1 or the 32 mm lenses.

For still larger images, an adapter tube carrying a No. 13, 14, 15a or 16 Ic Tessar can be furnished. The increase in image size is approximately in proportion to the focal length, a 15a Ic Tessar, 7½6 inch focus, giving an image about three and a half times bigger than the 2 inch No. 1 lens.

See price list of lenses and adapters on page 55.



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Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss TESSAR

Series IIb F:6.3

For general use on hand-cameras, groups, landscapes, commercial photography, enlargements, etc.



Three-Fourths Actual Size



Construction

The Tessar IIb is an unsymmetrical doublet consisting of four very thin lenses which absorb but little light. The component parts are not designed to be used singly. The separation allows the Compound or Volute shutters to be easily littled to the lens.

TESSAR IIb is one of the most compactly mounted and lightest lenses on the market, and can be fitted almost without exception to any compact hand camera on the market. It increases wonderfully the efficiency of any hand camera by making possible exposures on dull days, or late in the day, when ordinary lenses are completely out of commission. It has twice the speed of the ordinary camera lenses, and gives wonderful definition over the whole surface of the plate, way up into the corners.

The striking characteristic of Tessar IIb is the precision and sharpness of the image on the plate from center to margin, and hence it is especially recommended for use on small cameras where the negatives are to be subsequently enlarged. When stopped down, Tessar IIb increases in covering power. Its image circle is 60° when used at F:6.3 on plates for which it is listed, but on stopping down to F:32, the angle will increase to 66°, allowing its use on larger size plates as indicated by the tables.

Its simple construction of four thin lenses gives practically no absorption. Its remarkable definition adapts it to photo-mechanical work and a special modification known as the Apochromat Tessar Series VIII will be found listed on another page.

For enlarging, Tessar IIb has special qualifications. Lenses intended primarily for enlarging can be specially corrected for this work.

For home portraiture, the amateur will find the lens invaluable, as it will allow him to make seemingly impossible pictures of the baby in the house. For flash-lights Tessar IIb is also invaluable, as the focusing can be done with wide open lenses, an enormous advantage and convenience.

Tessar IIb is invaluable when a lens is desired for compact hand camera with short bellows extension, on which the advantages of a lens of several foci like the VIIa Protar cannot be utilized. Moreover, the simpler construction and hence, lower price of the Tessar, makes it preferable whenever the universal applicability of the VIIa Protar is not required. The smaller sizes, including 5a and 6 are generally selected, fitted with Compound or Volute shutters.

For telephotography, IIb Tessar may be used in conjunction with our telephoto attachment, on account of its superb definition.

For copying and lantern-slide making the smaller numbers may be used by transfering them to cameras of suitable bellows extension, provided this is not available in the camera on which they are used.

The professional will find the larger numbers, from 8 x 10 upwards, to be invaluable for group work, exterior or interior. The advantage of a lens which will cover sharply with a moderately short focal length will be obvious to those who have been hampered by lack of room in making groups. See price lists and specifications of lenses on page 56.



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Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss PROTAR

Series VIIa F:6.3

A rapid, convertible lens, adapted for landscapes, architecture, portraits, groups, etc.



Construction

Series VII lenses are composed of four highly corrected elements. Two Series VII lenses used together make a VIIa lens. When used alone, the single elements are preferably used in the barrel or shutter with diaphragm in front of lens.

Actual Size

THE Series VIIa lens has satisfactorily solved the problem of variety and convenience; for composed as it is of two Series VII single Anastigmats, the doublet resulting from the combined components is simply perfection in all the qualities desired in a photographic lens.

As single Anastigmats, the Series VII lenses have a distinct field of their own. They are perfect single lenses, having a speed of F:12.5, which is ample for instantaneous exposures out of doors under favorable light conditions. So perfect are the spherical and astigmatic corrections as to make the single lens almost equal to the doublet, and not only equal, but actually superior to many doublet lenses of other makes, for which strong claims to perfection are made. The field has an angle of 40° with full opening and with smaller stops 50° .

Series VII lenses may be uses for a variety of purposes requiring long focus, medium speed and narrow angle, as, for instance, landscape work, commercial work, large portraits and groups. Naturally, they cover a smaller angle of view on the same size plate than the doublets of which they are a part, but they are, however, practically rectilinear.

For landscape work, they cover larger plates, as indicated in the tabular matter in the Series VII price list. They are excellent for distant objects, for this lens, like a telephoto, gives a large image at long range, and while its magnification is less than the telephoto, its speed is much greater.

Inasmuch as the component lenses can be used singly or together, it is evident that we have in the VIIa a **convertible lens**, which, as will be shown, is universal in application.

If in forming our Series VIIa doublet, we select two lenses of equal foci, we get a lens with a speed of F:6.3; if, however, we combine two unequal foci, there results a doublet with a speed of F:7 or F:7.7, according to the relative foci em-

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ployed. Thus, we have in one and the same lens one or two long focus single lenses adapted for a variety of work and an extra rapid doublet adapted for all kinds of instantaneous work, Although a doublet composed of two lenses of equal foci gives us a larger relative aperture and hence greater speed than one composed of two unequal foci, the latter has the advantage of being convertible into three lenses of different foci, where the former is convertible into two only.

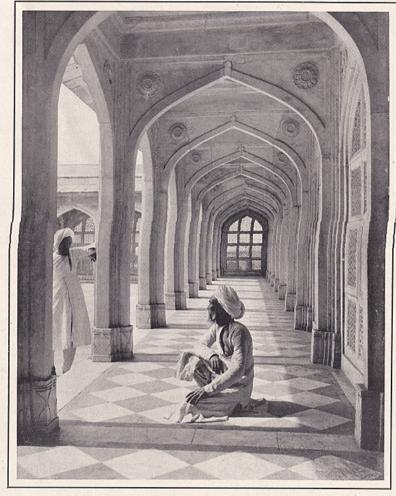
While the single lenses (as has been stated) are adapted for instantaneous outdoor work when light conditions are favorable, for landscapes, portraits and groups, the doublet, if composed of two similar lenses, is an extra rapid lens working at a speed twice as great as the ordinary Rectilinear lens, hence is adapted for all kinds of instantaneous work, for groups, for architecture, and all subjects requiring medium angle, good covering power and brilliancy.

When stopped down, the available image circle covers an angle of from 85° to 90°. The doublet can therefore be used as a wide-angle lens on larger size plates, allowing focusing with plenty of illumination.

These lenses stand at the head of the list both in optical qualities and their adaptability to the limited space allowed for the lens. When the bellows draw is sufficient to enable the use of a long focus lens the VIIa is especially desirable, because it is not only a doublet of moderate focal length, but also one or two long focus single lenses according as the doublet is composed of lenses of equal or unequal foci. In selecting the lens one must be sure that the back focus of no combination selected is longer than the greatest extension of which the bellows is capable.

To illustrate the facility with which sets of Convertible Protars may be made up and the uses to which they may be put, let us start with a Series VIIa doublet No. 8. This lens is listed to cover a 5 x 7 plate, has a focal length of 7 inches and a speed of F:7, which is almost twice as fast as the ordinary camera lens. It is composed of two perfectly corrected single Anastigmats Nos. 3 and 4 of 113/16 inches and 1334 inches focus respectively, listed to cover 61/2 x 81/2 and 8 x 10 plates with an opening of F:12.5, which is sufficient for instantaneous work under normal light conditions. We have, in other words, three Anastigmat lenses in one-two single Anastigmats and a doublet. Now let us add to this equipment a No. 2 Series VII which covers a 5 x 7 plate and has a focal length of 834 inches. The addition of this lens forms the C set of Convertible Protars listed on page 57. We have now three single lenses which we may combine as follows: our original doublet of 7 inches focus; we can form a doublet with our 133/4 inches and 83/4 inches with a resulting focal length of 61/8 inches covering a 41/4 x 61/2 plate and a speed of F:7.7; or we can form one of 83/4 inches and 113/16 inches having 55/8 inches focus, covering a 41/4 x 61/2 plate and having a speed of F:7. In other words, we have three single Anastigmats and three doublets. The cost of these lenses is \$87.50 or an average of \$14.58 apiece. Is it possible to purchase any other perfect Anastigmat at so low a cost?

If we desire a faster lens we need only to match one of our single lenses to form a symmetrical doublet having a speed of F:6.3. The choice of lens is governed by the class of work to be done. This illustration demonstrates the enormous advantage of the Convertible Protars and proves their claim to convertibility, variety



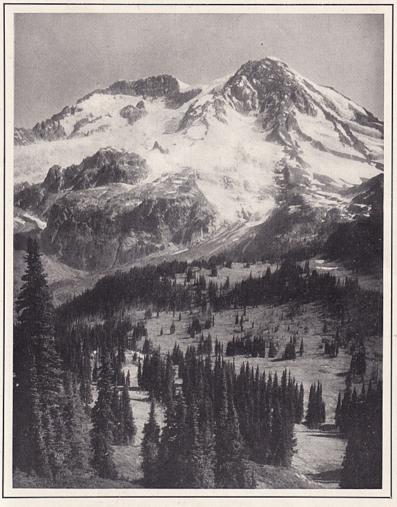
Made with VIIa Protar by H. G. Ponting

and usefulness. Other combinations may be formed by selecting such lenses of the Series VII as can be combined. The lenses which it is practicable to use together, are shown in the list on page 56.

To sum up the advantages of the Series VIIa lenses:

They are perfectly corrected as are all our Anastigmats.

Every doublet is in reality three lenses, each perfectly adapted for a different kind of work.



Made with VIIa Protar by A. H. Barnes

The addition of one system adds three lenses, making six in all.

The addition of two systems adds seven lenses, making ten in all.

The greatest possible compactness is secured.

The least weight.

The fewest parts to lose or wear out.

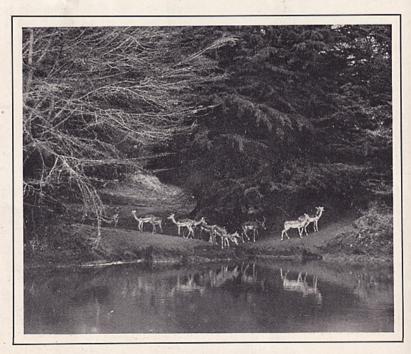
When two Series VII lenses of unequal foci are combined, the longer focus Series VII should be used in the front to obtain the largest possible aperture and hence, the greatest speed. See price lists and specifications on pages 56 and 57.

Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss Convertible Protar VII In Sets

We list a large number of doublet combinations, and the purchase of additional Series VII combinations will furnish new focal lengths, thus increasing proportionately the usefulness of the lens.

We offer two sets complete with lenses mounted interchangeably, each set consisting of: one lens mount with iris diaphragm, cap and flange, and focusing scale, the single Protar lenses (three or four, as the case may be); a neat and compact morocco case containing all the parts of the set, or including shutter if so ordered. A screen ring is also furnished to screw into front of barrel or shutter when single elements are being used. This furnishes a method of attaching a ray filter if desired.

The advantages of such sets are manifold. Every commercial photographer has a desire to own a set on account of their convenience. A lens for any purpose is instantly at hand. Many advanced amateurs are possessors of these sets which may be built up gradually if the entire investment cannot be made at once. See price lists and specifications of lenses on page 57.



Made with VII Protar by C. E. Akeley

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Illustrating "C" Set, Convertible Protar VIIa

THE following series of six photographs of the arch in Prospect Park Plaza, Brooklyn, N. Y., were made with "C" set of the Convertible Protar, VIIa. The camera remained in the same position throughout six exposures. Details of combinations, exposure, etc., are given under each picture. Negatives by A. K. Hanks.



gray day in February.



5% inch doublet and Compound shutter No. 4. 8¾ inch single combination, "C" set, "C" set F:22. ½ second. About 11 A.M. F:32, 1 second.





No. 2. 61/8 inch doublet, "C" set. F:22. 1/2 second No. 5. 113/16 inch single combination, "C" set, F:32. 1 second.



No. 3. 7 inch doublet, "C" set, F:22. 1/2 second No. 6. 133/4 in. single, combination "C" set,



Compound shutter F:32. 1 second.

Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss MEDIUM WIDE ANGLE

Series IV F:12.5

A rapid, wide angle lens for architectural work, for flashlight interiors and groups.



Actual Size



Construction

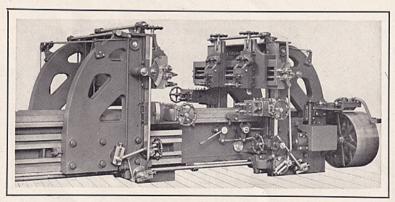
This lens is an unsymmetrical doublet and its components cannot be used separately.

SERIES IV has two special points of merit—speed and covering power. It works at a speed of F:12.5, which is sufficient for instantaneous exposures out of doors, under favorable light conditions. Its large relative aperture makes it an admirable lens for flashlights of interiors and groups, admitting ample light for focusing interiors, and enabling one to obtain sufficient illumination with less flashlight than is possible with lenses of smaller aperture.

The first six numbers cover an angular field of more than 100° ; the others, an angle of 85° , of which 70° and 45° respectively are utilized on the plates for which the various focal lengths are listed.

We recommend Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive for rapid, wide angle work, for example, architectural or other subjects to belphotographed instantaneously, and where the distance of the object from the camera is such as to necessitate the use of a wide angle lens.

A Series IV lens of moderately short focus will cover a comparatively large plate. Volute shutter can be fitted easily to these lenses, but Compound Shutters cannot be fitted on account of slight separation of elements. See price list and specifications of lenses on page 58.



Made with Series IV by H. E. Carlton

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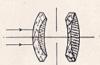
Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss EXTREME WIDE ANGLE

Series V. F:18

For architectural and interior work requiring an extreme wide angle lens.



Actual Size



Construction

An unsymmetrical lens and hence can only be used as a doublet.

This lens should be chosen for the most exacting wide angle photography, because the corrections for flatness of field and astigmatism have been carried to a greater degree of perfection than in other lenses of a similar type. Its effective angle and covering capacity especially recommend the Series V for architectural and interior reproductions.

The angle of view of the image circle is about 110° in the sizes from 1 to 7a; in the other sizes the angle is approximately 90°, of which 75° and 40° respectively are utilized. Larger plates are well covered at smaller apertures with increased angle of view. The Series V is unsymmetrical, and the combinations cannot be used singly.

The speed F:18 is sufficient for outdoor instantaneous photography under favorable light condisions. We can easily fit the Series V lenses to our Volute shutters. These are of the diaphragm type and can easily go between the combinations, which in the series V are very close together. We cannot fit the Compound shutter as this shutter has the diaphragm blades and shutter blades in two slightly separated planes.

In order to get the widest angle upon the series V lenses we use a smaller size than listed for the plate we wish to cover. When this is done, the lens of course has to be stopped down somewhat to gain the extra covering power. The photograph of the Singer Building which we illustrate was made with a No. 2 series V lens, using the lens upon an 8 x 10 plate, and shows the covering power which may be used in emergencies.

Series V lenses may be used for flashlights, copying, etc., and in fact for any work up to their limits of speed. The longer focus members are excellent for copying work. Prices on page 58.



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Photo-Engraving Lenses, Prisms, etc.



Apochromatic Tessar, Series VIII - For Photo Engravers

THE photo-engraver's needs are fully covered by us and we will not go into detailed descriptions which may be obtained in our special photo-engraving literature. This is sent free on request.

The Apochromatic Tessar Series VIII is the lens to use for three-color work, and on account of its high corrections in this direction, is equally good for black and white work. In three-color work, it is essential that the images made through the red, green and violet filters shall come to the same plane of focus, otherwise the printing blocks will not register. The Apochromatic Series VIII satisfies these difficult conditions to the highest perfection.

Prisms for reversing the image so as to save stripping the films are made by us and can be fitted to any lens for process work. To ensure accurate fittings, the lenses should always be sent to us.

Ray-Filters for three-color processes must be made with the highest accuracy, otherwise the delicate corrections of the lenses would be disturbed and register of images thrown off. We make the Precision Ray-Filter of highest possible perfection for finest work and a very good filter known as the Special Ray-Filter for work which does not demand the highest standard.

Other sundries are focusing glasses, engraver's glasses, and magnifiers of all kinds, which are given in our special literature. See price list and specifications on page 58.



For distant buildings, mountains, architectural details, otherwise inaccessible views, etc.

TELEPHOTO lens is a so-called negative element; that is, a dispersive lens and it must be used in connection with a photographic objective, which is the positive element. It is always of shorter focal length than the positive. It magnifies the image produced by the latter, so that it forms a valuable adjunct to a photographic equipment, especially since it makes it possible to get pictures of views otherwise inaccessible by reason of distance or location.

The Telephoto affords a very wide range of focus with ordinary bellows extension, and gives the same good perspective as the long-focus lens with the same bellows extension.

Because of the magnification of its image by the Telephoto, the photographic lens should be as perfect as possible, for all defects will be magnified in exactly the same proportion as is the image. With the magnification of the image there is a decrease of illumination, because the same amount of light is distributed over a considerably larger area. Thus, the exposure must be longer and it is, therefore, highly desirable to use a fast lens for this class of work in order that the exposure may not be too prolonged.





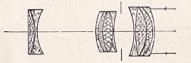


Made with No. 2, Series V, 4% e. f.

Made with No. 6, IIb Tessar, 81/4 e. f.

Made with No. 12, VIIa, 91/8 e. f.

SERIES ILLUSTRATING POSSIBILITIES OF TELEPHOTO ATTACHMENT AND WITH OPTICAL EQUIPMENT OF VARYING



Illustrating Construction of Telephoto Attachment

Again, the magnification has a direct bearing upon the size of the plate covered. With otherwise equal conditions as to equivalent focus, relative aperture, etc., as the magnification decreases, there will be a proportionate decrease in the area of the field, that is to say, with a higher magnification the plate will be more fully covered than with a lower one. This is due to the fact that in the lower magnification the mounting cuts off the marginal rays and thus prevents the plate from being fully covered.

Our Telephoto is thoroughly corrected for spherical and chromatic aberrations, so that with proper manipulation, good results are guaranteed.
mounted in a tube adjustable by means of a spiral device.

The negative lens (Telephoto) is
The tube is graduated to indicate the varying magnifications which can be obtained. The photographic objective screws into the front of the tube at the end opposite the Telephoto lens. We list Telephotos suitable for use with lenses of from 6 to 14 inches equivalent focus.

The time of exposure required for Telephoto combinations can be found by multiplying the time that would be required by the positive element alone by the square of the magni-

For instance: the exposure for No. 15 Tessar Ic with stop F:16 may be 1/2 second; with a magnification 3x, the exposure would have to be 9 times longer, i. e., 41/2 seconds, and with a magnification 8x, an exposure of 64 x ½=32 seconds.

POSITIVE	LENS	TELE- PHOTO		HREE FICAT'N	MAGNII	IGHT ICAT'N	P	OSITIVE	LENS	TELE- PHOTO		HREE FICAT'N		FICAT'N
Number	Focus Inches	Neg- ative Elem't	Image Circle Inches	Bellows Draw Inches	Image Circle Inches	Bellows Draw Inches	N	ımber	Equival't Focus Inches	Neg- ative Elem't	Image Circle Inches	Bellows Draw Inches		Bellow: Draw Inches
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In the above table will be found the combinations which we recommend, together with the magnification and bellows draw for the two extreme magnifications. See price list on page 59



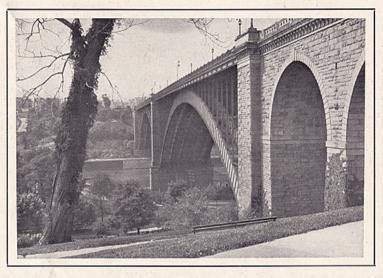




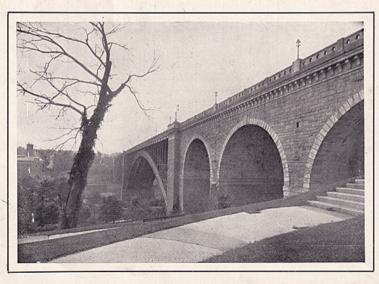
Made with No. 6, Series VII, 1878 e. f. Made with No. 6, IIb and Telephoto Made with No. 6, IIb and Telephoto

DEMONSTRATING ANGLE OF VIEW ON GIVEN SIZE PLATE AT GIVEN DISTANCE FOCAL LENGTHS-Negative by A. K. Hanks

A STUDY IN PERSPECTIVE



Made with 81/4 in. IIb Tessar on 5 x 7 plate, illustrating correct focal length for use in perspective work



Made with No. 2, Series V, of $4\frac{7}{16}$ in. focus on same size plate, same position, and illustrates erroneous use of wide-angle lens



For use in photographing flowers, landscapes, clouds, colored objects, etc.

WHITE light, as is well known, is composed of various colors, which do not all have the same effect upon the photographic plate. The Ray Filter is designed to counteract this by absorbing certain rays of light. The effect is that color values are more accurately reproduced in the monochrome picture. Particularly good results are achieved in landscape and flower pictures. Over-exposure of the sky is prevented and details in clouds reproduced. The blue rays causing over-exposure are absorbed and distant objects appear more distinctly in the image, even when photographed at a distance of miles.

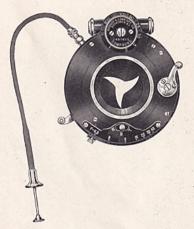
The form of Ray Filter herein presented supersedes the liquid type, which was a source of more or less inconvenience, owing to the leakage or evaporation of the fluid, or its improper preparation. Our new Ray Filter is a glass disc to be used in front of the lens. It is ground and polished from selected spectroscopic Jena glass, which is homogeneous and free from striae. It is very carefully made, for imperfections would render the lens, with which it is used, less effective. The use of a Ray Filter necessarily prolongs the time of exposure, which should be approximately five times longer than you would give without the filter.

Orthochromatic plates must be used to secure the best results. Style A has a cork lining to fit over the lens mounting. It can be used with any of our regular mounts. Style B has three adjusting screws and can be attached to lenses varying in size from the diameters given to ½ inch smaller.

We furnish a reduced adapter for Ray Filters to be used on hand-cameras fitted with Automat shutters, or other models having the pumps attached to the face of the shutter close to the lens. These filters are designated Style 1p, and should be ordered under this catalog number.

When ordering, it is necessary for us to know the outside diameter of the lens mounting. It will be sufficient if a strip of paper just reaching around the hood is sent us. See price list on page 60.

Compound Shutter



THE Compound Shutter is the ideal inter-lens shutter for the photographer who wishes speed combined with the utmost compactness. It is an automatic and a setting shutter combined, with an ingenious interlocking device to prevent the adjustments from interfering.

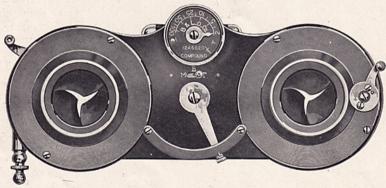
Bulb and time exposures are made without setting the shutter, but by throwing the interlocking lever to the instantaneous setting, the shutter will only operate after setting lever is depressed. Any speed from 1 second up to maximum can be given by setting the improved speed head, whose figures being on a bevel can be read either from the front or from above with equal ease. See specifications on page 59 for range of speeds.

The mechanism is accurate and not easily put out of order. In the smaller sizes the bulb release has been done away with, together with the annoyances of pneumatic piston releases and rubber bulbs which harden up. Antinous cable releases are furnished in place of bulbs on shutters of this type.

The shutter segments open star-shaped, giving even illumination over the entire plate the moment the exposure is started. The smaller sizes have three segments, and in the larger sizes there are proportionately more.

The case is aluminum, light in weight and handsomely finished in black. It is dust proof and all moving parts are inside. Changes in setting can be made without danger of exposing the film or plate. Prices on page 59.

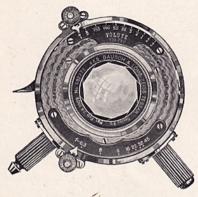
Stereo Compound Shutter



Three-Fourths Actual Size

THE Stereo Compound is made in two sizes, both of which have the standard separation of 3¼ inches between centers. A single setting head and a single diaphragm lever controls the moving parts. Prices on page 59.

Volute Shutter



In the Volute shutter, the shutter blades and the diaphragm blades are the same. In this shutter we obtain maximum illumination with minimum motion, absolutely uniform exposure and an increase in depth of focus, covering power and definition, without distortion of image.

The automatic exposures run from 3 seconds up to the limit which varies in the different models. The shutter is fast enough for moving objects, assuming one does not work at too close ranges.

By moving pointer along scale on top, the speed setting is made. The

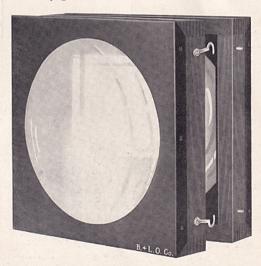
lever on side is double acting and serves both to set the shutter and as a finger release. The shutter cannot open and expose a plate while being set.

All moving points are enclosed. The actuating mechanism is simple and does not get out of repair. The workmanship and finish is of the finest throughout.

Volute Shutter is adapted particularly to lenses of slight separation, such as our Series IV and V wide angle Protars, which will not go in the Compound. See price list and specifications on page 59.

Condensing Lenses

Our condensers are well annealed and carefully ground and polished. The improved mount illustrated is easily opened for cleaning, and as the mounts are square, they do not roll when placed on edge, nor is there any temptation to lay them flat with danger of scratching the outside surfaces. A ground glass can be put between lenses if desired. Prices and specifications on page 59.



Focusing, Retouching and Reducing Glasses

The standard Bausch and Lomb Reading Glasses are popular on account of their large field and magnifying power. Concave reducing glasses are useful in industrial work, for examining photographs to be reproduced on a reduced scale in photo engraving processes. Furnished in handsome nickel mounts with ebony handles. Prices and specifications on page 60.

We are indebted to Dr. Julius Martin and the Photo Miniature for permission to reproduce this diagram and accompanying explanation:

A Diagram Showing the Angle of View Included on Plates 31/4 x 41/4 to 11 x 14, by Lenses of Different Focal Lengths from 3 to 15 inches.

To use the diagram, follow the horizontal line, which indicates the base measurement of the plate to be used, until it intersects the vertical line, which indicates the focal length of the lens used. At this intersection, take the nearest angular line and follow it to the arc at the side of the diagram. Here the angle of view included by the lens upon the plate to be used is expressed in degrees.

Examples: What angle of view will be included by a 5-inch

lens upon the longest way of a 5 x 7 plate? On the vertical line find the figure 7; follow this line until it cuts the line figured 5 at the lower or upper horizontal line. At the point of intersection follow the angular line to the arc and the angle included is seen to be 70°. In the same way it is seen that the same lens, used on the narrow base (5-in.) of the plate, includes an angle of about 52°, while used on a plate whose base measures 12 inches, we get an angle of 100°.

Angle of View

Table Showing Angular Field Covered with Different Focal Lengths

Plate	Image Circle	ANGU	JLAR F	IELD V	VITH F	ocus	Plate	Image Circle	ANGU	JLAR F	TELD V	VITH F	ocus
Inches	Diagonal of Plate	90°	80°	70°	60°	50°	Inches	of Plate	90°	80°	70°	60°	50°
3¼ x 3¼ 3¼ x 4¼ 4 x 5 4¾ x 6½ 5 x 7		2.3" 2.65 3.2 4.0 4.3	2.74 ⁸ 3.16 3.81 4.77 5.13	3.29 ⁸ 3.78 4.57 5.71 6.14	3.98 [#] 4.59 5.54 6.93 7.45	4.93" 5.68 6.86 8.58 9.22	6½ x 8½ 8 x 10 10 x 12 12 x 15	10.7 12.4 15.6 19.4	5.35" 6.2 7.8 9.7	6.38" 7 39 9.30 11.56	7.64" 8.85 11.14 13.85		11.47* 13.30 16.73 20.80

PRICE LISTS

Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss Photographic Lenses

TESSAR Ic, F:4.5-The Lens for Speed

Code Word	No.	Size of Plate Covered with Stop F:4.5	Size of Plate Covered with Small Stops	Equivalent Focus	Diameter of Lens	Lens and Barrel with Iris		n Volute Shutter hout Barrel		Compound Shutter thout Barrel
		Inches	Inches	Inches	Inches	Diaphragm	No.	Price	No.	Price
Наета	13	2½x 3½	3½x 4½	. 41/2	1	\$31.00	1	\$48.00	1	\$43.50
Hafter	14	31/4 x 31/4	4 x 5	5	11/8	35.00	1	52.00	2	49.00
Hagdon	15	4 x 5	41/4 x 61/2	6	1 5	40.50	2	59.00	2	54.50
Haggle /	15a	5 x 7	5 x 8	71/4	1 1/8	50.00	2	68.50	3	67.00
Hail	16	5 x 8	61/2x 81/2	81/4	17/8	62.00	3	82.00	3	79.00
Hairen	17	61/2 x 81/2	8 x10	97/8	21/4	99.00	3	119.00	4	117.50
Hakim	18	8 x10	10 x12	11 7/8	211	139.50			5	167.50
Halberd	18a	10 x12	11 x14	14 16	33/8	180.00				
Halfer	19	11 x14	12 x16	1534	315	217.00		FRESH		
Halicore	20	14 x17	16 x18	1934	43/8	310.00				

For matching lenses for stereoscopic work, add \$2.50 to the price of the lenses. Each lens is furnished in a case which protects it from injury. Lens cap is included. When ordering lenses to be fitted with shutter, by telegraph, specify Volute or Compound in addition to the code word for the size of lens.

TESSAR Ic, F:3.5—For Motion Picture Cameras

In Barrel with Iris Diaphragm

Code Word	Speed	Cat.	Coversat	Equiv.	Focus	Diam-	Price
Code Word	орееч	No.	Full Opening	In.	Mm	eter	Title
Hack	F:3.5	1	34 x 1	2	50	9 16 17	\$25.00
Hade	F:3.5	1a	11/4 x 11/4	3	75	27	31.00
Hangle	F:4.5		34 x 1	114	32	3/8	26.00

In Spiral Focusing Mount

Code Word	Speed	Cat.	Coversat	Equiv.	Focus	Diam-	Price
Code Word	opeca	No.	FullOpening	In.	Mm	eter	71100
Hackfocus	F:3.5	1	34 x 1	2	50	15	\$28.00
Hadefocus	F:3.5	1a	11/4 x 11/4	3	75	37	34.00
Hanglefocus	F:4.5		34 x 1	11/4	32	3/8	29.00

In Tubes For Rack and Pinion Mount

(Rack and Pinion Mount Extra)

Code Word	Speed	Cat.	Coversat	Equiv.	Focus	Diam-	Price
couc ii oiu		No.	Full Opening	In.	Mm	eter	
Hackrack	F:3.5	1	34 x 1	2	50	9	\$28.00
Haderack	F:3.5	1a	1¼ x 1¼	3	75	2 7 3 2	34.00

Rack and Pinion Mount-Complete with flange, suitable for lenses in above table or in connection with adapter below, for Ic Tessar Nos. 14, 15, 15a -Lens Hood -.75 Adapter for Tessars No. 14, 15 or 15a, each

TESSAR IIb, F:6.3—The Lens for Hand Cameras

Code Word	No.		Size of Plate Covered with Smaller Stops	Equivalent Focus	Diameter of Lens	Lens and Barrel with Iris		n Volute Shutter hout Barrel	1	Compound Shutter hout Barrel
		Inches	Inches	Inches	Inches	Diaphragm	No.	Price	No.	Price
Hag Hallux Halogen Halones Halser Halyard Hamble Hamlet Hamnet Hamper Hamular Handbill	2a 3 4 5 5k 5a 6 7 8 9 9a 10	2¼x 3¼ 2¼x 3¼ 3¼x 4¼ 4 x 5 3¼x 5½ 5 x 7 5 x 8 6½x 8½ 8 x10 10 xl2 11 xl4 14 x17 16 x20	3¼ x ¼¼ ¼ x 5 5 x 7 5 x 7 5 x 8 6½ x 8½ 8 x10 10 x12 12 x15 14 x17 15 x20 20 x24	3112 43% 53% 61% 67% 7111 814 10 12 143% 1614 1912 231%		\$22.00* 28.00 29.50 31.00 38.50 43.50 53.00 71.50 105.50 136.50 166.00 217.00 279.00	1 1 2 2 2 3	\$45.00 46.50 48.00 55.50 62.00 71.50 90.00 125.50 156.50	0 1 2 1 2 3 3 4 4	\$33.00 39.00 42.00 51.00 57.50 70.00 88.50 124.00 155.00 194.00

For matching lenses for stereoscopic work, add \$2.50 to the price of the lenses.

Each lens is furnished in a case which protects from injury. Lens cap is included. When ordering lenses fitted with shutter, by telegraph, specify Volute or Compound in addition to the code word for the size of lens,

*Supplied in cells for use on Vest Pocket Kodak.

†Can be fitted to one size smaller Compound Shutter where compactness is desired.

VIIa CONVERTIBLE PROTAR-F:6.3 - F:7.7

The Most Universal Lens Made

Code Word	No.	Size of Plate Covered with Full Aperture	Size of Plate Covered with Small Stops Inches	of S Protars Inc	ches	bined	Speed F	Lens and Barrel with Iris Diaphragm	350	n Volute Shutter hout Barrel	3759	Compound Shutter thout Barrel
		Inches	Inches	Front Lens	Back Lens	Inches		Diaphragm	No.	Price	No.	Price
Hem	1	314 x 314	314 x 414	7,3	73	41/8	6.3	\$42.50	1	\$59.50	1	\$55.00†
Hematin	2	314 x 414	4 x 5	834	73	41/2	7.0	45.50	1	62.50	1	58.00
Hematite	3	4 x 5	434 x 61/2	11 3	73	5	7.7	50.00	1	67.00	1	62.50
Hemin	4	4 x5	434 x 6 1/2	834	834	516	6.3	48.50	1	65.50	1	61.00
Hemipter	5	414 x 61/2	5 x7	11 3	834	558	70	53.00	1	70.00	1	65.50
Hemisect	6	414 x 61/2	5 x7	1334	834	61/8	7.7	59.50	2	78.00	2	73.50
Hemitone	7	41/2 x 71/4	5 x8	113	11 3	63/8	63	57.00	1	74.00	2	71.00
Hemlock	8	5 x 7	61/2 x 81/2	1334	11 3	7	7.0	63.50	2	82.00*	2	77.50
Hempen	9	5 x8	61/2 x 81/2	16 3	113	71/2	7.7	74.00	2	92.50	3	91.00
Henbane	10	5 x8	7 x9	1334	1334	77/8	6.3	69.50	2	38.00	2	83.50
Henotic	11	61/2 x 81/2		163	1334	81/2	7.0	80.00	2	98.50	3	97.00
Hepar	12	61/2 x 81/2		187/8	1334	91/8	7.7	98.50	3	118.50	3	115.50
Hepatica	13	61/2 x 81/2	8 x 10	163	16 3	914	6.3	90.50	2	109.00	3	107.50
Heptad	14	7 x 9	10 x 12	187/8	16 3	10	7.0	109.00	3	129.00	3	126.00
Heptane	15	7 x 9	10 x 12	2314	163	10.78	7.7	128.00	3	148.00	4	146.50†
Heptoic	16	7 x9	10 x 12	187/8	1878	1013	6.3	126.50	3	146.50	3	143.50
Heraldic	17	8 x 10	11 x 14	2314	187/8	117/8	7.0	145.50	3	165.50	4	164.00
Herand	18	8 x 10	11 x 14	27 1/8	18 7/8	1234	7.7	171.50	3	191.50	4	190.00
Herbage	19	8 x 10	12 x 16	231/4	2314	1314	6.3	160.50	3	180.50	4	179.00
Herbar	20	10 x 12	14 x 17	271/8	23 14	14 6	7.0	186.50	3	206.50	77	
Herd	22	10 x 12	16 x 18	271/8	271/8	151/2	6.3	209.00	3	229.00	Y.X	
Herdic	25	10 x 12		3034	3034	1814	6.3	294.00				
Hereon	28	11 x 14	18 x 22	337/8		2014	6.3	383.00	100	LONE YOU		
Heresy	30	12 x 16	22 x 27	391/4	3914	233/8	6.3	504.00	33		200	

*No. 2 Volute is here regularly supplied. If it is desired to use the lens on a hand camera and No. 2 Volute is not wanted, we can adapt the Volute No. 1 by reducing the diameter of the lens. This in no way affects the speed of the combination. In ordering, kindly specify whether No. 1 or No. 2 Volute is to be furnished.

†Can be fitted to one size smaller Compound Shutter where compactness is desired.

Bausch & Lomb Optical Company

VII PROTAR-F:12.5

Code Word	No.	Size of Plate Covered with Stop F:12.5	Size of Plate Covered with Small Stops	Equivalent Focus	Back Focus	Diam. of Lens	Lens and Barrel with Iris	4	Volute Shutter hout Barrel		Compound Shutter hout Barrel
		Inches	Inches	Inches	Inches	Inches	Diaphragm	No.	Price	No.	Price
Hector	1	434 x 61/2	5 x7	7,3	734	34	\$23.50	1	\$40.50	1	\$36.00
Hederic	2	5 x 7	61/2 x 81/2	834	95%	34 7/8	26.50	1	43.50	1	39.00
Hedonic	3	61/2 x 81/2	10 x 12	113	1214	11/8	31.00	1	48.00	1	43.50
Heelless	4	8 x 10	11 x 14	1334	15	13/8	37.50	2	56.00	2	51.50
Hegge	5	10 x 12	12 x 16	163	171/2	121	48.00	2	66.50	3	65.00
Heiress	6	11 x 14	16 x 18	187/8	201/2	17/8	66.50	3	86.50	3	83.50
Helena	7	12 x 16	18 x 22	231/4	251/4	2	85.50	3	105.50	4	104.00
Helican	8	13 x 16	22 x 27	271/8	2911	27	111.50	3	131.50	100	
Heliotype	9	16 x 18	24 x 30	3034	34	234	155.00				
Helix	10	16 x 20	27 x 35	33 7/8	371/2	31/4	201.50				
Helmet	11	18 x 22	30 x 40	3914	431/2	334	263.50	THE S			

For matching lenses for stereoscopic work, add \$2.50 to the price of the lenses.

When ordering lenses fitted with shutter, by telegraph, specify Volute or Compound, in addition to the code word for the size of lens.

Each lens is furnished in a case which protects it from injury. Lens cap and screen ring for ray filter are included.

The diaphragm scale is graduated for each focal length.

C SET-BAUSCH & LOMB-ZEISS CONVERTIBLE PROTAR VIIa

Complete in case, \$87.50. Code word, Hermes. Fitted with aluminum Volute Shutter, \$106.00. Fitted with aluminum Compound Shutter, \$101.50. Case for complete set including Shutter, \$1.00 extra.

Series	No.	Size of Plate Covered with	EQUIVALENT	FOCUS OF LEN	NSES IN INCHES	Speed
1 1		Largest Stops* Inches	Front Lens	Back Lens	Combined Focus	opecu
VII	2 3 4	5 x 8 6½ x 8½ 8 x 10		834 11.3 1334		F:12.5 F:12.5 F:12 5
VIIa	5 6 8	4½ x 6½ 5 x 7 5 x 8	11 3 13 34 13 34	8¾ 8¾ 11¾ 11¾	5 5% 6 1/8 7	F:7.0 F:7.7 F:7.7

^{*}Larger plates covered with smaller stops.

D SET-BAUSCH & LOMB-ZEISS CONVERTIBLE PROTAR VIIa

Complete in case, \$170.00. Code word, Heriot. Fitted with aluminum Volute Shutter, \$190.00. Fitted with aluminum Compound Shutter, \$187.00.

Case for complete set including Shutter, \$1.50 extra.

Series No.	No.	Size of Plate Covered with	EQUIVALENT	EQUIVALENT FOCUS OF LENSES IN INCHES				
	1	Largest Stops* Inches	Front Lens	Back Lens	Combined Focus	Speed		
VII	3 4 5 6	6½ x 8½ 8 x 10 10 x 12 11 x 14		$\begin{array}{c} 11_{16}^{3} \\ 1334 \\ 16_{16}^{3} \\ 1878 \end{array}$		F:12.5 F:12.5 F:12.5 F:12.5		
VIIa	8 9 9a 11 12 14	5 x 8 5 x 8 5 x 8 6½ x 8½ 6½ x 8½ 8 x 10	13¾ 16¾ 16¾ 18¾ 16¾ 18¾ 16¾ 18¾ 16¾ 18¾ 18¾	$\begin{array}{c} 11\frac{3}{16} \\ 11\frac{2}{16} \\ 11\frac{2}{3} \\ 11\frac{3}{3} \\ 13\frac{3}{4} \\ 16\frac{3}{16} \\ \end{array}$	7 7½ 8 8½ 9½ 10	F:7.0 F:7.7 F:7.7 F:7.0 F:7.7 F:7.0		

^{*}Larger plates covered with smaller stops.

MEDIUM WIDE ANGLE-Series IV, F:12.5

Code Word	No.	Size of Plate Covered with Stop F:12.5	Size of Plate Covered with Small Stops	Equivalent Focus Inches	Diameter of Large Lens Inches	Lens and Barrel with Iris	1	Volute Shutter thout Barre
		Inches	Inches	Anenes	- Inches	Diaphragm	No.	Price
Harden	1	31/x 41/4	4 x 5	275	Ja	\$15.00		
Hardock	2	4 x 5	41/x 61/2	37/8	2000 Constitution (2000)	15.00	1	\$32.00
Harem	3	41/x 61/2	5 x 7	411	12	18.00	1	35.00
Hark	4	5 x 8	61/2x 81/2	616	58	21.00	1	38.00
Harmel	5	8 x10	10 x12	711	200	27.00	1	44.00
Harmonic	6	10 x12	12 x15	1014	116	40 50	1	57.50
Harness	7	12 x15	16 x20	15 3	1 1 5	61.50	2	80.00
Harpoon	8	16 x20	18 x22	2313	21/2	108.00	3	128.00
Harrow	9	20 x24	24 x30	3511	215	243.50	133	
Hart	10	24 x30	28 x36	483/8	37/8	543.50	H	

For matching lenses for stereoscopic work, add \$2.50 to the price of the lenses.

When ordering lenses fitted with shutter, by telegraph, specify Volute in addition to the code word for the size of lens.

Each lens is furnished in a case which protects it from injury. Lens cap is included.

EXTREME WIDE ANGLE-Series V, F:18

Code Word	No.	Size of Plate Covered with Stop F:18 Inches	Size of Plate Covered with Small Stops Inches	Equivalent Focus Inches	Diameter of Largest Lens Inches	Lens and Barrel with Iris Diaphragm	A 5	Volute hutter out Barrel Price
Hauteur	1	4½ x 6½	5 x 8	33/8	32	\$20.00	1	\$37.00
Havildar	2	5 x 7	8 x 10	43/8	3/8	20.00	1	37.00
Hawk	3	61/2 x 81/2	10 x 12	5 2	1/2	25.00	1	42.00
Haybote	4	8 x 10	12 x 15	7 3 T 5	11	31.00	1	48.00
Haytian	5	10 x 12	16 x 18	83/8	13	39.00	1	56.00
Hazle	6	11 x 14	18 x 22	107	1	48.00	1	65.00
Health	7	12 x 15	20 x 24	123/8	13	57.50	1	74.50
Heard	7a	16 x 18	22 x 27	153/8	116	76.00	1	93.00
Heathen	8	14 x 17	17 x 20	181/8	116	76.00	1	93.00
Heave	9	16 x 18	22 x 27	24 1/8	176	111.50	2	130.00
Heben	10	20 x 25	24 x 30	37 5	216	220.00	3	240.00

When matching lenses for stereoscopic work, add \$2.50 to the price of the lenses.

When ordering lenses fitted with shutter, by telegraph, specify Volute in addition to code word for the size of lens. Each lens is furnished in a case which protects it from injury. Lens cap included.

APOCHROMATIC TESSAR-Series VIII

Code Word	No.	Speed	Equivalent Focus Inches	Diameter Lens Inches	Covers for Same Size Reproduction Inches	Covers for Reduction Inches	Price
Kernel	0	F:10	13	$1\frac{7}{16}$	11 x 14	7 x 9	\$93.00
Kerato	0a	F:10	16	134	12 x 15	6 x 8	112.00
Keeler	1	F:10	183	2	14 x 17	8 x 10	124.00
Keese	2	F:10.3	25 3	213	20 x 24	12 x 15	201.50
Keg	3	F:10.3	3316	31/4	28 x 32	16 x 20	295.00
Kelp	4	F:12.5	461	334	32 x 36	24 x 30	465.00
Kelter	5	F:15	70 7/8	434	48 x 60	32 x 36	1085.00

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TELEPHOTO ATTACHMENT

Code Word	No.	Focus Inches	Fitted to Bausch & Lomb Lenses	Fitted to Lenses of Other Manufacture
Hidden	2	23/8	\$22.00	\$26.00
Hieron	3	3	28.00	32.00
Highly	4	4	37.00	42.00

In every instance lenses should be sent to us to secure correct adjustment in fitting Telephoto Attachments.

B. & L. CONDENSERS FOR ENLARGING

Code Word	Diameter in Inches	Focus in Inches	One Lens Unmounted	Pair of Lenses Mounted
Hispanic	61/2	10	\$3.50	\$12.00
Hispid	8	12	7.00	20.00
Hist	9	14	9.00	25.00
Histoid	10	15	12.00	32.00
Histrion	12	18	24.00	57.00
Histozyme	14	21	36.00	82.00

In telegraph orders add the word Mounted to code word when lenses are desired mounted (Be sure to state diameter of lens when ordering.)

VOLUTE SHUTTER

		wette en t	Will Take		When Lenses Are Sent Us		
Code Word	No.	Lenses with Opening of	Automatic Exposure	Volute Shutter Only	Fitted to Bausch & Lomb Lenses	Fitted to Lenses of Other Manufacture	
Hitch Hitter Hive	1 2 3	1 in. 1 7 in. 2 in.	3 sec. to $\frac{1}{150}$ sec. 3 sec. to $\frac{1}{100}$ sec. 3 sec. to $\frac{1}{75}$ sec.	\$17.00 18.50 20.00	\$19.50 21.50 24.00	\$20.50 23.00 26.00	

Prices include bulb and hose.

COMPOUND SHUTTER

		TOTAL STAR			PRICE	The Land			
		,	Maximum		When Lenses	s Are Sent Us			
Code Word	No.	Opening Inches				Speed Seconds	Compound Shutter Only	Fitted to Bausch & Lomb Lenses	Fitted to Lenses of Other Manufacture
Hobbism	00	17	300	\$11.00	\$13.00	\$14.00			
Hoard	0	13	250	11.00	13.00	14.00			
Hoozin	1	15	200	12.50	15.00	16.00			
Hob	2	13	150	14.00	17.00	18.50			
Hobble	3	1 1 5	100	17.00	20.50	22.50			
Hobit	4	2	1	18.50	22.50	24.50			
Hackle	5	2,9	2-	28.00	33.00	35.00			
Hobnail	0 Stereo	1.3	200	20.00	24.00	26.00			
Hobnob	1 Stereo	15	200	23.50	28.50	30.50			

6-in. Antinous Release \$0.50 12-in. Antinous Release \$0.75 Stereo separation, 31/4 inches.

BRASS FLANGES FOR BAUSCH & LOMB LENSES

Number 1 Diameter, inches	1/2 1	3 34 2 75	4 2¼ 1.00	5 2½ 1.00	6 3 1.25	7 3½ 1.50	8 4 1.75	9 5 2.00	10 5½ 2.50	11 6 3.00
Price, each . \$.	50 .5	.75	1.00	1.00	1.25	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.50	3.00

GRAINED LEATHER CAPS FOR BAUSCH & LOMB LENSES

Number	1 13/8 \$.40	2 1½ 2 .45	1/16 2 ¹¹ / ₈₅ 10 .55	5 2¾ .60	7 37/32 .70	3%16	9 4%6 .90	51/2
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FOCUSING AND RETOUCHING GLASSES

Cat. No.	Diameter Inches	Focus Inches	Price
200	2	5	\$0.60
202	21/2	6	0.80
204	3	7	1.00
206	31/2	8	1.50
208	4	10	2.00
210	5	13	2.50

REDUCING GLASSES

Cat. No.	Diameter Inches	Focus Inches	Price
200 с. с.	2	5	\$1.00
202 с. с.	21/2	6	1.50
204 с. с.	3	7	2.00
206 с. с.	31/2	8	3.00
208 c. c.	4	10	4.00

B. & L. PHOTO-ENGRAVING PRISMS

Code Word of Price		For Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss Apochr, Tessar Series VIII	For Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss Protar, Series Ha	For Bausch & Lomb-Zeiss Tessar, Series 11b	Fitted to B. & LZeiss Lenses	Fitted to Lenses of Other Make
Kafir	21/2		No. 6	No. 8	\$54.00	\$56.00
Kage	3	No. 1	No. 7	No. 9	82.00	84.00
Kail	31/2	No. 2	No. 8	No. 9a	100.00	102.00
Kalki	4	No. 3	No. 9	No. 10	140.00	143.00
Kamsin	41/2	No. 4		No. 11	220.00	225.00
Kand	5	No. 5			310.00	315.00

RAY FILTERS

Code Word	No.	Inside FITS LENSES							
Code Word No.		Diameter	Ic	IIb	VII*	VIIa	Price		
Hilt	A1	11/4	13-14	3-4-5-5k	1-2-3	3-5-7	\$4.00		
Himpne	A1P	11/4	13-14	3-4-5-5k	1-2-3	3-5-7	4.00		
Hindoo	A2	2	15-15a	5a-6	4.5	6-8-9-10-11-13	6.00		
Hinge	A3	234	16-17	7-8	6-7	12-14-15-16-17-19	9.00		
Hippa	B1	114	13-14	3-4-5-5k	1-2-3	3-5-7	4.00		
Hircic	B2	2	15-15a	5a-6	4-5	6-8-9-10-11-13	6.00		
Hirudo	B3	234	16-17	7-8	6-7	12-14-15-16-17-19	9.00		

^{*}Use screen ring furnished with lens to attach filter.

B. & L. PRECISION RAY FILTER

Code Word	No.	Clear Aperture	For Apo- Tessar Lenses	For IIa Protar Lenses	For 11b Tessar Lenses	Price with Adapter	
Kapia	2P	234	0, 1	6, 7	8, 9, 9a	\$50.00	
Karma	3P	334	2, 3, 4	8, 9	10	65.00	

Allowance for adapter if not required, \$1.50.

B. & L. SPECIAL RAY FILTER

Code Wor	d		
Karob	No. 3 Special Ray Filter with adapter, clear aperture, 234 in.		\$15.00
Kasack	No. 4 Special Ray Filter with adapter, clear aperture, 334 in.		20.00
Kava	No. 3a Set of 3 No. 3 Filters with one adapter		40.00
Kawn	No. 4a Set of 3 No. 4 Filters with one adapter		55.00

For list of lenses to which they can be fitted, see table under Precision Ray Filters.

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Table Showing the Sizes of Lenses and Shutters Which Can Be Adapted to Various Cameras

No.		Size	Ic Tessar	Volute Shutter	Compound	IIb Tessar	Volute Shutter	Compound	VIIa Protar	Volute Shutter	Compound	V Protar	Volute Shutter
	KODAK												
	Vest Pocket	1 1/8 x 21/2				2a			win				
1	Junior	2¼ x 3¼				2a		00					
1a	Special	2½ x 4¼				4		0	333				
1a	Speed	2½ x 4¼	14			4							
la	F. P. K., R. R.	2½ x 4¼				4		0	1				
3	Special	3¼ x 4¼				4	1	0		1976			3
3	F. P. K.	3¼ x 4¼				4	1	0	100				1
3a	Special	3¼ x 5½				5k	1	1	200				
3a	F. P. K.	3¼ x 5½				5k	1	1	100				
3a	Autographic	3¼ x 5½				5k	1	1					
4	F. P. K.	4 x 5				5k	1 2	1	100				
4a	F. K.	4¼ x 6½				6	2	2					
4a	Speed GRAFLEX	4¼ x 6½				0							
	GRAFLEX	2½ x 4¼	14					1					
1a 3a	Graflex	3½ x 5½	15a			5a	1		7				
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Jr	Auto	31/4 x 41/4	14			4		Panel					
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N. J.	R. B. Auto	3¼ x 4¼	15a			5a			10	WO.		2.3	
	R. B. Auto	4 x 5	17			7			13			1	
	Teles. R. B.	4 x 5	16			6			10	275	100		
	Press	5 x 7	16			6			13			8 3 18	
	Home Port.	5 x 7	18†		5			Y.		123			
	Stereo Auto	5 x 7				Pair 5				N.			
	Naturalists	4 x 5							19			58.	
	HAWKEYE									1335			
1a	Model 1 or 2	21/2 x 41/4				3		0			Din.		
3 .	Model 8 or 9	31/4 x 41/4				4	1	0					
3a	Model 3 or 4	31/4 x 51/2				5	1	1	1	-			
4	Model 3	4 x 5				5	1	1				100	
4	Model 4	4 x 5							7	1	1		
	Stereo 6					Pair 4		0s		1			
	GRAPHIC							133		Mark.			
	R. B. Cycle	4 x 5	15	2	2	5		1	7	1	2	2	1
-	R. B. Cycle	5 x 7	16	3	3	6		2	10	2	2	3	1
	R. B. Cycle	6½ x 8½	17	3	4	7		3	13	2	3	3	1
	R. B. Cycle	8 x 10				1		TV DV	17	3	4	4	1
	Stereoscopic	5 x 7				Pair 4			Pair 7	Tist	100	Pair 1	
	Speed	31/4 x 51/2	15a			5a			7			1	
	Speed	4 x 5	15			5			4	S.			1
	Speed	5 x 7	16			6			10	THE STATE OF			

*Cells to fit B. B. Shutter.

†17 or 18a can be used.

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*Also IV No. 8

†Also IV No. 9

Or No. 1 Shutter Or any other VIIa lenses of suitable focus

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