

appointed to draft the proposed changes in the law, and also to form a deputation to lay their views before the Government at Ottawa, namely: Rev. Dr. Briggs, A. W. Thomas, A. Fleming, Richard Brown, J. T. Johnston, D. A. Rose, R. T. Lancefield, James Murray, J. H. Woods, and the chairman, W. J. Gage.



A deputation, consisting of Messrs. Gage, Briggs, Woods, Fleming, Wills and Stone, visited Ottawa April 23, and saw the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Fisher, suggesting that the copyright law be amended so as to secure the printing of Canadian copyrighted books in Canada. They asked that the Monks-well Bill should be changed so as to preclude the possibility of a colony like Canada being forced, under its provisions, to grant exclusive rights of importation at the option of the copyright owner.

Laird & Lee, Chicago, have published a cheap edition of the "20th Century Cyclo-pedia" which should find a ready sale. It is bound in flexible cloth, well printed, illustrated, and retails for 25c. As a handy reference volume this is one of the best yet.

A PEN WORTH NOTING.

It is only within the last year or two that fountain pens have come down to such a price that people of medium income could afford to possess one. Messrs. Burge, Warren & Ridgley, Great Saffron Hill, London, England, are, to day, placing on the market a pen of their manufacture, styled the "Warren," retailing in England at 5s., thus bringing the fountain pen within the reach of everyone engaged at clerical work. It possesses all the easy writing features of the high-priced article, embracing the twin feed. This company are seeking representatives in Canada, and, as they have been manufacturing fountain pens a great number of years, this special line is worthy of the trade's attention. Their announcement is to be found on another page of this month's issue.

REPEAT ORDERS AT STAUNTON'S.

The numbers of "repeat orders" which the "Staunton's Limited" are daily receiving is proof positive of the popularity with the people of the firm's artistic and popular-priced wall papers. The 1901 line "caught on" with the trade like wildfire and it's gratifying to know that the dealer's choice

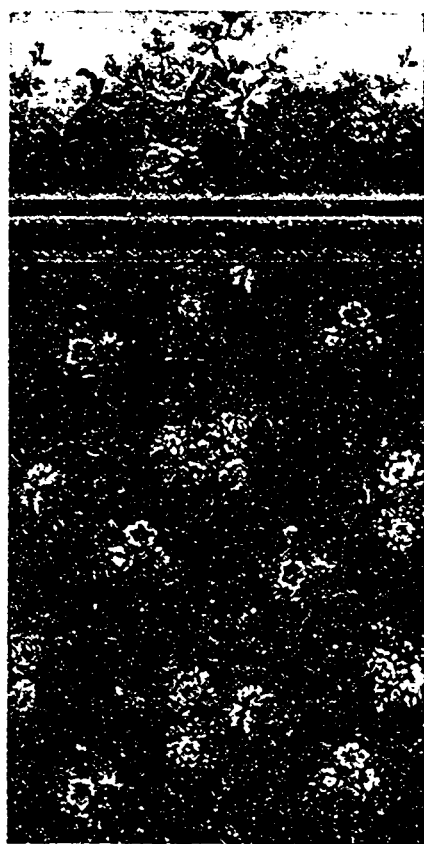
is proving the people's choice, and it's no wonder that reports all along the line show Staunton's papers to be the best sellers.

The firm's line for 1902 is well in hand, and in the course of a few weeks sampling will be through. The line will be the finest from an artistic point and the largest in variety that Staunton's ever put out.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

During the past few years marvellous strides have been made in the designing and printing of the covers of blank school practice books. The attention of the trade is directed to the advertisement of Warwick Bros. & Rutter on another page, in which they state that this season they are sparing no pains or expense to make their series of scribbling, exercise and note books the most elaborate on the market.

Lithography has been taken advantage of to give the covers of these books the most beautiful effects to be procured in colors, while the different series are made up of new titles with appropriate and original designs. This firm have not given special attention to the manufacture of these goods in the past, and the trade will welcome a complete line of school books from the bindery of Warwick Bros. & Rutter that will compare to advantage with any line on the market. Advance samples will be in the hands of their travellers in a few days, and it would be well to see this line before buying.



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SORTING UP TIME.

Wall paper trade amongst the dealers must be at its height now. There's been enough selling to tell which are the most popular lines. Perhaps some of the best of them are sold out and need sorting up. Write and tell us exactly what your stock needs to make it complete and we will send you just the samples we think you need to make a selection from. We have complete assortments of all the good lines yet and will be prompt and careful in filling all orders.

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