

## FANCY GOODS AND STATIONERY.

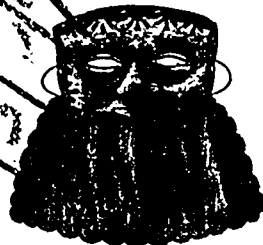
### INCREASED BRITISH TRADE WITH CANADA.

**M**R. JOHN HUNTER, representing Alex. Pirie & Sons, Limited, of Aberdeen, Scotland, has been in Canada this and last month on his usual Autumn trip. Mr. Hunter told BOOKSELLER AND

ally large wheat harvest this season will give Canadian trade a fresh impulse forward. Long may it continue!

### MASKS AND HALLOWE'EN.

It is a natural presumption that as Halloween comes at the close of this month, that stationers and fancy goods dealers will be securing and displaying a good assortment of masks for the use of the younger generation. We publish this month three sample illustrations of the



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masks kept in stock by Nerlich & Co. This firm keep a large assortment, including negroes, whites, savages, devils, etc., in paper, linen, gauze and wire gauze; also domino masks,

assorted colors, in cotton and silk. This assortment runs in all grades of prices, from \$1.80 to \$6 per doz.

### NERLICH & CO.'S FALL CATALOGUE.

The catalogue which Nerlich & Co., Toronto, have just issued is one that will compare favorably with the best ever received by BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER. To begin with, from cover to cover it is well printed. The cuts are fresh and clean in appearance; the printing and general make-up show that cheapness had to give way to quality in the production of this work. The

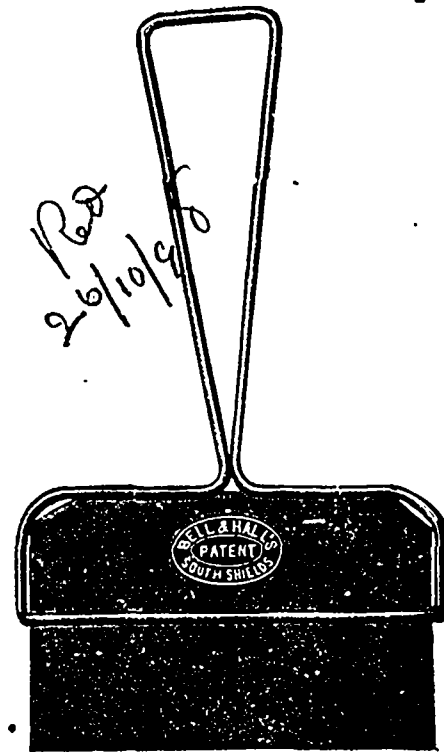


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scope of this catalogue, too, is comprehensive, giving good illustrations and descriptions of the large variety of goods, such as fancy goods, musical instruments and supplies, dolls, toys, games, toilet sundries, sleighs, woodenware, sporting goods, etc., sold by Nerlich & Co. A copy will be sent to any dealer who sends a post card.

### NEW DAMPING BRUSH.

A new damping brush, recently put on the English market, composed of wire and felt, is claimed to be better and cheaper than anything before shown for the same purpose. Buntin, Gillies & Co., Hamilton,



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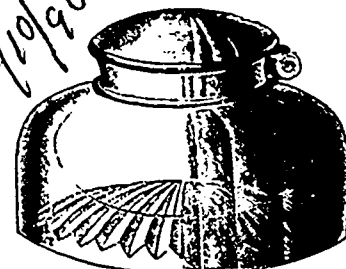
can supply them, same as cut herewith, 3½-inch, \$1.50 per doz.; 4½-inch, \$2 per doz.

### Stephens Inks.

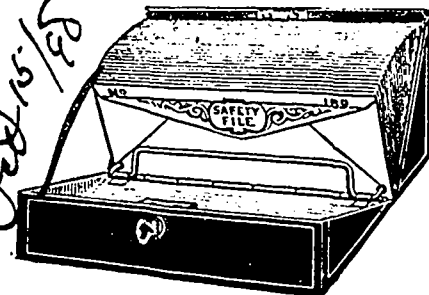
This staple article is offered by Buntin, Gillies & Co., Hamilton, in all the leading stores at close prices. They have just received a carload of it, and solicit orders for immediate or future shipment.

### STATIONERS' HARDWARE.

Buntin, Gillies & Co., Hamilton, announce the receipt of a shipment of stationers' hardware, including glass inks, letter scales, damping ewers, etc. Dealers who wish to sort up will find their stock in these lines complete.



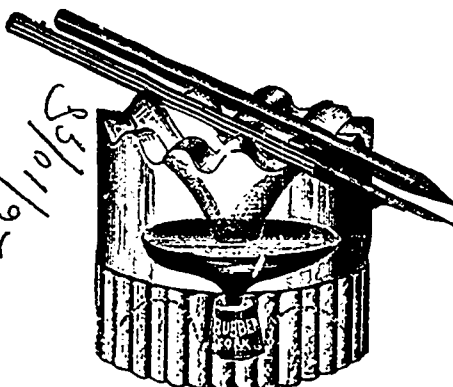
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STATIONER he found trade in Canada fully better this season than on his usual Autumn trips. He attributes this to the preferential duty between Great Britain and Canada, which has caused the Canadian stationery trade to look more to Britain for goods than to their neighbors across the line.

The Piries have again brought out a few new papers: Watermarked Original Government, London Superfine, Crown Warrant, Mercantile Superfine. These are all cheaper grades of tub-sized papers, suitable for commercial and higher grade printing purposes. Their sales of high class papers, including octavo note, the best superfine, and ladies' and gentlemen's visiting cards still continue to hold the Canadian market, and their



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qualities speak for themselves. Those who use these high grade papers always ask for them again.

Mr. Hunter says that the boom spoken of in the United States is as yet in its infancy, but from all he can hear and see during his trip through Canada, we are in the midst of real, substantial prosperity. An exception-