alogue. They are issued in twelve volumes, classified 100 pages each and sell at 10 cents.

C. F. Gillies, formerly of Mount Forest, has opened up a fine Book and Stationery store on Queen Street, Parkdale. Mr. Gillies' long experience in the book trade should secure him a large slice of the patronage of St. *Alban's Ward residents.

In the line of Holiday Gift Books, D. Lothrop Company are preparing some exquisite volumes. "Melodies from Nature," a collection of some of Wordsworth's most charming poems, beautifully illustrated with photogravures, from scenes made famous by his pen, and with original designs by Hiram Barnes, is a book that forms at once a charming memorial of the poet and of that fairest section of all England, the beautiful lake country. "A Lost Winter,' by Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, illustrated by Mary Cecilia Spaulding, is another rare holiday book. The author's gift of song was never put to better use than in this memory of a Florida winter, and Miss Spaulding's illustations combine to make it one of the most attractive of Florida souvenirs. "The Secret Way-A Lost Tale of Miletus," is one of Bulwer's famous poems of life and love in the romantic East, into the spirit of which the artist, F. O. Small, has entered so successfully that the charm of the verse is redoubled. These three volumes are all bound in fine cloth and in morocco. For a less expensive gift book, is that famous classic, "Rab and His Friends," with original illustrations by Bridgman that enhance the beauty and tenderness of the pathetic story.

If there is one article more than another apart from our food supplies, about which people are most particular, it is mucilage. There is a good deal of this sticky stuff put upon the market that is very inferior and has not the strength to stand up for its own reputation. Montreal, however, has one house, at least, engaged in this line of manufacture, that has earned a well-deserved

reputation for their goods, and that is Mr. Edward Auld, whose factory is located at No. 759 Craig Street. His business. although established only three years has already been built up to very extensive proportions, its operations now covering the entire Dominion. Mr. Auld manufactures the "Premium" and "Anchor" brands of mucilage, which are put up in different size packages from 2 oz. to gallon. Nothing but the very best and purest of materials are used in the manufacture of these articles, so that their genuiness and excellent qualities can be at all times relied upon. He also manufactures Auld's Lithographic Composition, which is also highly spoken of by the trade. Mr. Auld made it a business principle when starting to build up a trade on the character of his goods, and he is already reaping the benefits of this wise policy. There is a less margin of profit on the stated quantity, but the public are demanding his goods, and the increasing sales tell in the long run. Mr. Auld is eminently deserving of all the success he has or will achieve.

Some time ago we noticed the removal of Mr. R. O. Smith from Mitchell to Woodstock, where he purchased the stock of Mr. G. A. Odell. Since taking possession he has expended a large amount of money in refitting and decorating the store, putting in a new wall paper room in the rear, which makes the store about 100 feet deep, with plate glass front and new shelving, and glass cases made especially for the business, all nicely stained and finished in rosewood. Mr. Smith has now one of the finest book stores in Western Ontario, and judging from the large stock of books, stationery and fancy goods as well as an extensive stock of wall papers and decorations, which are now to be seen displayed on shelving and counters, it will be an easy matter for the citizens of Woodstock and vicinity to get their wants supplied in the book and stationery line. The store is now known as the People's Bazard and City Book Store. Mr. Smith is well known as an old Toronto bookseller,

and thoroughly posted in his line and fully competent to run a large and extensive business. BOOKS AND NOTIONS wishes him prosperity in his new home in the progressive town of Woodsteck.

The Presbyterian News Co., which was organized some years ago to publish the Presbyterian Review, has purchased the business of Mr. D T. McAnish, opposite the post office, in this city. They will continue the publication of "The Review" and will also publish the "Knox College Monthly" besides carrying on an extensive book and stationery wholesale and retail business. Mr. McAnish is the managing director of the new concern. In addition to their already complete stock of standard works of all kinds the new company will go extensively into theological works, and will carry a full line of blanks for church purposes, besides a carefully selected stock of stationery suitable for the library. Mr. McAnish has had his place very neatly remodeled; every nook and corner has now been put to use. It is well worth while for our friends to drop in and see where he has placed his bookkeeper. On the whole it is one of the best and most cheerful retail stores in the city. The company is getting in additional stock and is applying for an amendment to their charter to permit them to go into the book selling business.

The Religious Tract Society, 36 Paternoster Row, London, E. C., aunounce the following volumes of periodicals for '89 now ready :-

- The Leisure Hour Annual.
- The Sunday at Home Annual.
- The Boys' Own Annual.
- The Girls' Own Annual. The Cottager and Artisan.
- The Cottager and Artist Friendly Creatings
- Friendly Greetings. The Tract Magazine.
- The Child's Companion.
- Our Little Boys.

Their list of new books and booklets is an attractive one. Booksellers should send for their list of new publications.

