Start the New Year Right

by buying some

PICTURES FOR YOUR SCHOOL

Write us to send you an assortment of unframed pictures from which you can choose as many or as few as you wish.

Richardson Bros.

326 DONALD ST.

The Silk Market of Western Canada

The Fine Showing of Silks and Satins at Robinson's this season is attracting widespread attention, not only in Winnipeg but in many of the large cities of the west. Everything new-everything worthy-everything dependable can be found in their magnificent New Silk Department. All Ladies advocate "Robinson's for Silks" because of the large stock carried, and the reasonable price at which they are sold.

ROBINSON & CO

398-408 Main Street, Winnipeg Man.

The Western School Journal

Contents for January, 1917 Page

EDITORIAL-Matriculation Requirements Praise or Censure Failures Sympathy DEPARTMENTAL BULLETIN—
British Sailors' Relief Fund ...
Suggestions from the Board of Health ...
Some Relay Games ...
The School Garden Association of America TRUSTEES' BULLETIN—
Provincial Association tyre Minnedosa Boys' and Girls' Fair—J. R. Borthistle
Holland School Fair
Carman School Fair
School Trustee Local Association Con-12 vention SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS-13 13 McIntyre CHILDREN'S PAGE— From a Railway Carriage—Robt. Louis Stevenson Editorial Prize Story
Something About Letters
The Story of a Soldier's Christmas Parcel The Story of a Soldier's Christmas Box The Pig Brother—Laura E. Richards . . SELECTED ARTICLES—
Table of the Vocational Expert and
Floor Walker—O. Mores
One Cure for National Waste—Helen E.
Purcell Rural School Improvement-L. L. Bernard
How the Pupil Learns New Words—Silas 26 Y. Gillan Household Science Household Science
Object Lessons on Seeds—Georgia A.
Hodskins
Ashamed of the Profession?
The Ideal Student—Jessie E. Bailey.
The Passing of the Sledge Hammer
Home Study under Parental Supervision
The Left-handed Child $\frac{31}{32}$ Non-English
The Elimination of Useless Subject
Matter 37 Fads SCHOOL NEWS-29 Patriotic Fund QUESTION DRAWER BOOK REVIEWS Nelson's Map Book of the War
True Stories of Great Americans

W. A. MCINTYRE Business Manager R. H. SMITH Directors—D. M. Duncan, E. Burgess, D. J. Wright D. McDougall, W. A. McIntyre, A.W. Hooper C. W. Laidlaw, F. H. Schoffeld, President.

Terms of Subscription.

PRICE—Per year, in advance, \$1.00; single copies, 15 cents.

POST-OFFICE ADDRESS—Instructions concerning change of address, or discontinuance of subscription should be sent to reach us before the first of the month when they are to go into effect. The exact address to which the paper is directed at the time of writing must always be given.