

ley," which the Macmillan Company will presently issue. The book is intended to meet the demand for a life of Wesley, accurate and comprehensive, yet moderate in size and attractive in style, which shall be of interest to the general reader as well as to the student of religious history.

"Napoleon and His Times" is the title of the new volume in the Cambridge Modern History. It is likely to be completed in time for issue during March.

Mr. Stephen Phillips' new play, "Nero," is in course of preparation by the Macmillan Company, who hope to bring it out in February.

The Macmillan Co. have three novels on their Spring list, "If Youth but Knew," by Egerton Castle, "The Vine of Sibmah," by Andrew Macphail, and "The Portreeve," by Eden Phillpotts. The latter appeared on February 9, the two former are due in the Spring.

A notable demand for Mr. Winston Churchill's life of his father, "Lord Randolph Churchill," exists in Canada and the publishers are delighted with the sale to date.

"The Garden, You and I" is a new work to be brought out shortly, written by Mabel Osgood Wright, who has made public the fact that she is the author of "The Garden of a Commuter's Wife."

The new edition of Tennyson's "In Memoriam," which will be published this Spring, will contain several hitherto unpublished poems and the author's own notes.

MORANG & CO., LIMITED.

Morang's Literature Series for the use of public and high schools is growing rapidly. Six books of the series have already appeared: "High School Poetry Book," Parts I and II, edited by W. J. Sykes, B.A., of Ottawa; "Poems of the Love of Country," edited by J. E. Wetherell, B.A., of Strathroy; "Selections from Tennyson," edited by John C. Saul, M.A.; "High School Ballad Book," Part I, edited by F. F. Macpherson, B.A., of Hamilton; "High School Prose Book," Part I, edited by O. J. Stevenson, M.A., D. Paed., of St. Thomas. There are also a number of books on hand which they hope to issue in the next fortnight: "Selections from the Nature Poets," edited by Andrew Stevenson, B.A., of Stratford; "High School Poetry Book," Part III, edited by John C. Saul, M.A.; "Kingsley's Heroes," edited by John C. Saul, M.A.; "Narrative Poems," Hawthorne's "Wonder Book," Dickens' "Christmas Carol," etc. Each of these books is edited by a prominent school man, and is annotated with a view to school needs. The books are neatly bound in paper and sell at 15 cents per volume.

Mr. Herbert Myrick, an experienced editor connected with papers in Boston, Springfield, New York and Chicago, and a well known American financier, has just completed the romance of a tenderfoot in the days of Custer and called it "Cache la Poudre." The book is in two editions, one in cloth at \$1.50, the other in Indian smoke-tanned buckskin with cowboy fringe at \$5. Both are illustrated by such artists as Charles Schreyvogel, Edward W. Deming, and Henry Fangel. No recent fiction has been so elaborately illustrated. The book has already been enthusiastically commended by various United States critics.

Two new volumes in "The Makers of Canada Series" are in press and will shortly be ready for sale—"Laval," by Leblond de Brumath, and "Frontenac," by W. D. Le Sueur.

John M. Coulter, A.M., Ph.D., the well known authority on scientific subjects, and head of the Department of Botany in Chicago University, has recently completed "A Text Book of Botany," for secondary schools. Professor Coulter will be remembered as author of "Plant

Studies," "Plant Relations," "Plant Structures," and "Plants."

THE WESTMINSTER CO.

A volume of twelve sermons, with a central theme, preached at various times by the Rev. John MacKay, pastor of Crescent Street Presbyterian Church, Montreal, has just appeared with the imprint of the Westminster Co., Toronto, and bearing the title "Religion as Friendship with God." The writer elucidates a somewhat new conception of religion, introducing modern explanations of difficulties presented by old doctrines. His style is simple and didactic and the book will be found most helpful to the perplexed seeker after knowledge. Rev. Mr. MacKay is a young divine from whom great things are expected in the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

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One of the first of The Copp, Clark Co.'s Spring publications will be the £100 prize novel by Mrs. Baillie-Saunders, entitled "Saints in Society." Over 11,000 copies of this remarkable novel were sold in England within three weeks of publication.

"My Sword for Lafayette" is the title of Max Pemberton's new novel. The scene is laid in America during the War of Independence and a graphic picture is given of the most exciting incidents of that campaign. The book will be ready in the early Spring.

John Oxenham, author of "Hearts in Exile," etc., has written a modern English novel, "Giant Circumstance," which attracted much attention during its serial run in Chambers's Journal. The scene opens in the Soudan but soon shifts to London and the Highlands.

Among other Spring publications may be mentioned "The Mystery of a Motor Car," by William le Queux, "Dearlove," by Frances Campbell, and a volume on the Irish question by Firman Roz, entitled "Under the English Crown."

The Copp, Clark Co. will also publish immediately paper editions of their successful novels, "Jess & Co.," by J. J. Bell, "Maid Margaret," by S. R. Crockett, and "A Maker of History," by E. P. Oppenheim.

About the end of the month The Copp, Clark Co. will bring out a new Lilian Bell book, "Carolina Lee." This is a bright story of a clever young American girl, educated in Paris, who loses all her fortune, with the exception of a plantation in Virginia, where she goes to reside.

POOLE PUBLISHING CO.

Owing to unfortunate delays the publication of "The Long Arm," by Samuel M. Gardenhire, has been considerably held back. It will be ready about February 15.

A paper edition of "Nancy Stair," by Eleanor M. Lane, is now in the press. This charming story has been in growing demand for many months, and small wonder, as it is certainly one of the most delightful of modern novels.

A cloth edition of "The Head of Gold," by Mark Ashton, is now on the market. In paper, this book sold well and the cloth edition should be warmly welcomed. (\$1.25.)

The Poole Publishing Co. announce for Spring publication volume one of Mark Twain's Library of Humor, entitled "Men and Things." (\$1.25.)

Two February publications of the Poole Publishing Co. that are going well are "The Prince of Lovers," by Sir William Magnay, and "Strange Partners," by Gilbert Wintle. (\$1.25.)

Mr. L. H. Shepley is covering the western field and Mr. R. Licence the northern field for the Kelk, Sutcliffe Co., Toronto.