

are invaluable. It speaks well for the energy and literary zeal of Mr. Childs, of Philadelphia; and as the price is only two dollars a-year, and the *Circular and Literary Gazette* is furnished twice a-month, it will no doubt rapidly attain a very wide circulation in America and in Europe, and prove, we hope, permanently remunerative to its enterprising and zealous publisher.

THE HISTORICAL MAGAZINE, AND NOTES AND QUERIES CONCERNING THE ANTIQUITIES, HISTORY, AND GEOGRAPHY OF AMERICA.—SEPTEMBER.

The title of this monthly will be sufficient to arrest the attention of many in Canada who are students of American and Canadian history. On another page we have gleaned some valuable information from this magazine on the "Former Indian Races inhabiting part of Canada," and on the "Eastern Range of the Buffalo."

HARPER'S NEW MONTHLY.

An Unprotected Female in the East—Lady Dufferin. The Pennsylvania Coal Region—H. M. Alden. The Battle and Triumph of Dr. Susan (concluded)—Fitzhugh Ludlow. The Religious Life of the Negro Slave—Chas. A. Raymond. Paul Hayden's Confession—John Saunders. The Statesmanship of Shakspeare—Chas. T. Corydon. Romola (continued)—Miss Evans. The Small House at Allington (continued). My Operations in Gold—Lemuel Agar. Mistress Gowan and her Son—Caroline Chesebro'. The Battle of Antietam—Geo. J. Noyes. In Memoriam (F. B. C.)—Mrs. M. E. Lee. Five Years—Nora Perry. Parson's Russell's Secret—Fred. B. Allen. Harbour Defence. Monthly Record of Current Events, &c. &c.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Canada in Winter—In our next No. J. R., Montreal—Scarcely suitable. H. E. M.,—The sentiments in your "chapter" are excellent—but in its present form not suitable,—Could you not convert it into a tale? "The Spinster Mary Brown" received, also "Marian and Mary"—both are respectfully declined; but we should be very glad to receive an article in prose from the writer. "Smiley"—will appear in our next. E. V. N.,—We should be glad to see your MS.; perhaps you can send it by a friend to the care of the Publishers; we will return the notices..

BRITISH AMERICAN MAGAZINE, VOL. II.

In compliance with the request of many gentlemen who take a lively interest in the GAME OF CHESS, it has been decided to devote one or two pages, as occasion may require, in the Second Volume of the *British American Magazine*, to illustrate this scientific and deservedly popular game. We have much pleasure in being able to announce that a gentleman well known as a skilful Chessplayer, has kindly undertaken to conduct the Chess department. All communications to be addressed as usual, to the "Editor of the *British American Magazine*, Toronto," and in order to secure their insertion, if approved of, in the next succeeding number, they should be mailed before the 10th of the month.