

## Short Stories



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There has been a decided improvement in the quality of Canadian Short Stories in recent years. During 1906, there will be the usual supply of these—from three to six in each issue. Already arrangements have been made with such authors as ROBERT BARR, NORMAN DUNCAN, VIRNA SHEARD, THEODORE ROBERTS, W. A. FRASER, JEAN BLEWETT, ALBERT R. CARMAN, (MRS.) ELIZABETH ROBERTS MACDONALD, and a number of writers of merit whose names are not yet so well known. Among the latter are Harold Sands, who has just issued his first volume; Nellie L. Mc-

Clung, whose first book will appear shortly; Marjorie Jarvis, a new writer; N. De Bertrand Lugin, who has appeared in the MAGAZINE on several occasions; and a number of others who might reasonably be mentioned.

## South America

During the coming year there will be SEVERAL ARTICLES on phases of life in SOUTH AMERICA, by G. M. L. Brown, a Canadian writer who is travelling there, and who will shortly issue a volume on Venezuela. Mr. Brown has already contributed two or three valuable articles to the MAGAZINE and the forthcoming MSS. will, no doubt, be as interesting as his previous contributions. Canadians should know more about South America than they do. In the immediate future, that portion of the continent should be a good market for certain Canadian products and manufactures.



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