

merits, work and services of the subject hereof; and (3) supplying the post-office address, town residence and club (if any) of each person represented in the book. Many a biographical work has been sarcastically alluded to as being noted more for the names of well-known people omitted, than for those to be found in its pages. Such criticism will certainly not be applied to this work. Mr. Morgan's work seems very complete and most reliable, and we have already tested it a hundred times. It will be one of the most valuable works of reference in every library, both in Canada and abroad.

"Un Drame au Labrador" par Docteur Eugène Dick : 1 vol in 8°; broché, pp. 123; prix, 25c. Montréal, Leprohon & Leprohon, 1,629 Rue Notre Dame.

L'auteur de ce Roman Canadien nous invite de l'accompagner au pays de Labrador — pays totalement ignoré de presque tous les Canadiens.

À travers les scènes de son drame vraiment émouvant, il nous fait voir l'aspect de cette contrée, le caractère, le langage et les mœurs de la population qui l'habite. En un mot, il nous découvre le Labrador.

Aussi ne doutons nous pas qu'ils ne soit favorablement accueilli par nos compatriotes de la belle province de Québec.

Les illustrations nombreuses sont de Edmond J. Massicote.

"Jésus Régna par Marie" : 1 vol. in 18°; pp. xxi+329. Sherbrooke, Séminaire pe St. Charles Borromée, 1898.

Sous ce titre vient de paraître un petit manuel de dévotion à la Sainte Vierge, publié par le révérend F. H. Lavallée, prêtre du diocèse de Sherbrooke.

Le petit Traité peut être considéré comme une édition populaire du "Traité de la Vraie Dévotion" du bienheureux Grignon de Montfort. Sa pratique intérieure et parfaite, y est mise à la portée de tous, même des intelligences les plus ordinaires.

Mgr. de Sherbrooke a fait examiner l'ouvrage avec soin, par un censeur compétent, et n'a pas hésité à en permettre l'impression. Il en a dit :

"Persuadé que cet opuscule peut contribuer grandement au développement de la piété et à l'extension du règne de Jésus dans les âmes en faisant connaître davantage les merveilleuses perfections de celle que l'Eglise appelle "Mère Admirable," nous en recommandons instamment la lecture méditée à tous les vrais serviteurs et de Jésus et de Marie."

Ce manuel se vend pour moins de la moitié de sa valeur. Prix spéciaux pour le clergé et les communautés.

William Briggs will this month supplement his Canadian edition of "Pansy's" books by a new story entitled "As in a Mirror."

## Book Notes.

"Wyndham's Daughter" is the title of a new story by Annie S. Swan, about to be issued in William Briggs' copyright edition of her books.

Longmans & Co., London and New York, are issuing a collected edition of the works of Prof. F. Max Muller at the uniform price of 5s. a volume.

J. & A. McMillan, St. John, N.B., have published "My Life as a Soldier," by Captain Thomas McKenzie, formerly Sergeant H.M. 64th Regiment.

Raoul Renault, P.O. Box 142, Quebec city, has issued a 28-page catalogue of "Americana-Canadiana." A copy will be mailed free on request.

Rev. Dr. Withrow has written for the Reading Course of the Epworth League in Canada, a work entitled "Makers of Methodism." It is now in the press of William Briggs.

Antiquarians and students of natural history will be interested in the publications of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick, St. John, N.B. A circular will be sent free on application.

"Queen's Quarterly," published by Queen's University, Kingston, contains in the April number a twenty page review of the "Jesuit Relations," now publishing by Burrows Brothers, Cleveland.

The Carswell Company, 30 Adelaide Street east, Toronto, has secured the entire remainder of the late John Charles Dent's historical work, "The Upper Canadian Rebellion, 1837-38," in two volumes, which they are now offering at reduced rates.

The N. Y. Nation, in a review of Mr. Morgan's "Canadian Men and Women of the Time," remarks that "his sketches are highly praiseworthy for their compactness and the lack of such fulsome eulogy as our own cyclopedias often tolerate as the result of gratuitous assistance from relations and friends," and adds, "so far as we have tested this work it is eminently satisfactory in execution."

A racy and clever book of sketches somewhat after the style of Mrs. Graham's really charming "Etchings from a Parsonage Veranda," and entitled "Faces that Follow," has been placed for publication in the

hands of William Briggs. The writer is Mrs. Mason, wife of Rev. Thomas Mason, a retired Methodist clergyman. The book is being illustrated by George P. Semple, of Toronto, an artist of marked ability.

William Briggs, Toronto, reports gratifying advance orders for the western booksellers for Rev. R. G. MacBeth's new book "The Making of the Canadian West," a continuation of the readable reminiscences given in his "Selkirk Settlers in Real Life." Several interesting portraits of prominent "makers of the west," and some of the would be un-makers—notably the redoubtable Gabriel Dumont, in a striking full-page portrait will add to the value of the work.

A third edition of Mr. F. Clifford Smith's popular book of Canadian short stories, "A Lover in Homespun," has just been issued by William Briggs. An excellent portrait of the author is given as a frontispiece. The new edition, selling at 25 cents in paper and 50 cents in cloth, will make a good book for the summer trade. The stories are good—some of them exceptionally well written. The author is to be congratulated on the success of his first literary venture.

William Briggs announces the issue, about the 20th of this month, of S. R. Crockett's new story, "The Standard Bearer," another tale of the Scottish Covenanters. The story opens with a vivid picture of the pursuit of fugitive Covenanters by the dragoons. The hero, who becomes a covenanting minister, sees many strange and stirring adventures. The charming love story which runs through the book is varied by much excellent fighting and many picturesque incidents. Few of the great writers of the day have taken so strong a hold of the Canadian reading public as Mr. Crockett, and "The Standard Bearer" is likely to be ranked with his strongest work. The book will be issued in both paper and cloth binding.

Laird & Lee, of Chicago, have just issued the Salva-Webster Spanish-English and English-Spanish Dictionary, appropriately illustrated and compiled from the works of world-famed lexicographers. The book consists of about 400 pages, containing 40,000 Words and Definitions, Usual Conversation, a Practical Letter-Writer, Weights, Measures, and a Geographical and Biographical Cyclopedic of all Spanish-speaking Countries, with Maps from Official Sources, and a List of Consulates. The work is a credit to the publishers, and is evidently the most complete of its kind issued. The present threatening complications render the publication of this most accurate volume