

## BOOKS AND PERIODICALS—Continued.

volumes, complete the trilogy which "With Fire and Sword" began. Mr. Morang announces the immediate production of these works. Those who have read them say they will fully maintain the author's reputation. Mr. Morang has found it necessary, on more than one occasion, to appeal to the law in connection with pirated editions of this author's writing, and his determined attitude on this subject will, ultimately, be highly beneficial to the book trade of the country.

## NEW WORK ON "IN MEMORIAM."

Tennyson's "In Memoriam" is a work on which his reputation as a poet might well have been founded, if he had written nothing else, and we question whether any book of verse has made a more permanent impression on the thought of the time. This is evident, not only by the number of books upon "In Memoriam" that have been published, but by the courses of lectures which are delivered on the work from time to time in the various centres of intelligence. Such a series, the Rev. Dr. John King, principal of Manitoba College, gave in Winnipeg last Winter. They are now collected in book form, under the title of "A Critical Study of 'In Memoriam,'" and will be issued by Mr. Morang at an early date. From an inspection of some of the advance sheets, we can say that the work shows both a critical and sympathetic insight into the great poem. There is no doubt that this work will not only take a high place among the literary textbooks of educational institutions, but will find a welcome place in very many private libraries. The typography will be very fine, and a delightful little book—selling, in cloth, at \$1.25—will be produced.

## BOOK OF GAMES.

A little book the publication of which will excite considerable interest is Mary White's "Book of Games". This, Mr. Morang announces for immediate issue. It will be welcomed in thousands of Canadian homes. It has already passed through large editions in England and the United States. As a compendium of evening amusements for the family, and other social circles, it is admir-

able. It contains short and lucid explanations of no fewer than 115 games for winter evenings, and is divided into four parts, as follows: 1st, games requiring preparation; 2nd, impromptu games; 3rd, games for special occasions; 4th, old favorites for children. A perusal of this handy volume is enough to show that it is indispensable for every family social circle. It is charmingly bound and produced, selling in cloth for \$1.

## NEW NOVEL.

In "The House of Hidden Treasure," Maxwell Grey has produced a book which is destined to live. It contains fine descriptions, an interesting story, clever analysis of character, and powerful drawings of a remarkable heroine. This lady, Grace Darrien, who dies unmarried at more than fifty years of age, is a most engaging per-

who wrote on natural selection before Darwin made himself famous by developing this doctrine, takes no narrow view of things. He is not bounded by the small horizon of the specialist. He is an independent thinker, who, in this book, takes a comprehensive view of what has been done during the hundred years that are now rapidly drawing to their close. He touches on hypnotism and phrenology. It is well-known that he is interested in spiritualism. But he also passes in review what has been done in modes of traveling, in labor-saving machinery, in the conveyance of thought, in photography, and spectrum analysis. Nor do such subjects as the war spirit, the demon of greed, and the plunder of the earth escape him. It will be seen, therefore, that this is a volume the value and usefulness of which at the present time can hardly be overestimated.

## THE UNCALLED.

The negro author, Paul Lawrence Dunbar, has made a disclosure of the capacity of his race in "The Uncalled," his first extended story. There are passages in the book which any novelist might well have been proud to have written. As a whole, it is a scathing indictment of sanctimonious insincerity and will arouse antagonism, but is capable of doing a pile of good.

## NANSEN'S COLLEAGUE WRITES.

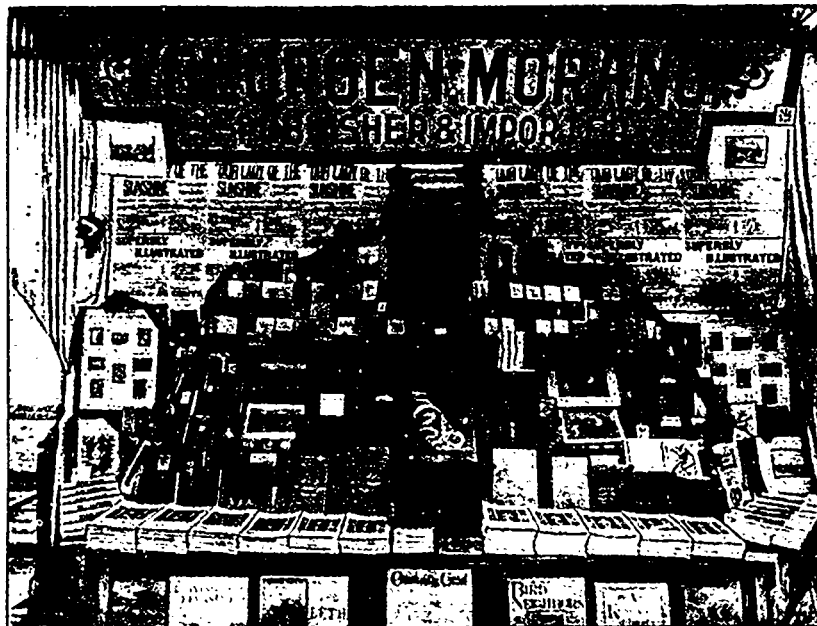
Johansen, Nansen's companion, has followed the example of

his illustrious codiscoverer and leader in writing a book, which is entitled "In the North with Nansen". It is full of vivid experience and should have a great sale during the coming winter. These explorers have a field to themselves, the interest of which is ever new. Mr. Morang will have the book out in a few weeks.

## HAMILTON W. MABIE'S ESSAYS.

In bringing before the Canadian public the works of Hamilton Wright Mabie, Mr. Morang is performing a distinct and commendable service. In a recent letter, Mr. James L. Hughes, school inspector of Toronto, says:

I have much pleasure in strongly recommending the works of Hamilton W. Mabie to teachers and all others interested in stimulating literature. Mr. Mabie has true sympathetic insight into the vita-



Handsome Exhibit of Mr. Morang's Books at Toronto Exhibition.

sonality. At first a tomboy, afterwards the most charming of flirts, she comes, through discipline and self-denial, to present a rare example of noble womanhood, without sanctimoniousness and without colorlessness. In fact, as a woman character, she stands out as a living and palpitating example of the creative power of fiction.

## WONDERS OF THE CENTURY.

An important and timely book is "The Wonderful Century," by Alfred Russell Wallace. The author ranks among contemporary men of science, and is qualified to sum up, as he does, the marvels revealed by scientific research and the application of science to our modern life. The past hundred years are unique in respect of the incorporation of science into industrial and other branches of activity. The author,