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Editorial Notes.

We hope all our readers are sufficiently large-hearted and forgiving to overlook the delay in the publication of the MONTHLY. The fitting up of a printing office from which is issued, besides the MONTHLY, a large weekly newspaper and a college journal, has been a matter more engrossing in its details than we anticipated. We are, however, bringing order out of confusion, and hope to soon overtake our work. We expect to issue the October number in November, and the November and December numbers during the latter month, so that from the beginning of our next volume we shall be able to issue promptly before the middle of each month.

The collecting season is nearly over and our naturalist friends will soon begin to turn up their note books. We hope that they will give their fellow-workers, through the columns of the MONTHLY, the benefit of their summer's study in nature's open field. Let there be a general and generous exchange of notes.

We had the pleasure of visiting the Provincial Museum the other day where we found our venerable friend, Dr. Honeyman, in the midst of his labors. Despite his silvered locks the Dr. still retains the vigor and enthusiasm of earlier years that led him to explore, in his geological tours, the remote and wilderness portions of our Province.

His careful observations and scientific deductions in the department of Geology have given him a world wide recognition as authority on his favorite science, as they have done much to enlarge our knowledge of the geological formations of our Province. The Doctor is now engaged in the microscopic and polariscopic examinations of the rocks of Nova Scotia, the results of which he is giving in his series of papers in the MONTHLY.

Professor F. H. Eaton, of Truro, N. S., Director of the Department of Natural Philosophy, requests those students of the C. P. C. who are now taking that study to correspond with him.