

JANUARY MAGAZINES.

The *Canadian Magazine* for January commences the year with a bright table of contents, including many valuable articles for the home reader, including the first instalment of the War of 1812, by Dr. James Hannay, Canadian Celebrities, No. 39, Wireless Telegraph Station at Glace Bay, with stories, poems, people and affairs, and other timely contributions which makes up an excellent number.... The January *Atlantic* opens the New Year with a cheerful editorial welcome, which wittily sums up past achievements of this typical American magazine, and promises happily for the future. The number is replete with notable articles, stories, sketches, poems and essays. Lord Rosebery's fine tribute to Mr. Gladstone, contained in the address which he gave at the recent unveiling of the Gladstone statue at Glasgow, is published in *The Living Age*. Mr. R. Bosworth Smith's paper on Owls in *The Living Age* for December 13th is one of the most informing and at the same time one of the most diverting contributions to natural history.... The *Chautauquan* for January has a fine table of contents, embracing civic and travel studies, nature study, talks about books, etc.... The *Delineator* for January has many noticeable features. Here are some interesting questions from it: Who was "The Poet of the Poor?" What foreign queen married an American? Who was the "wisest fool in Europe?" What noted mathematician fired a fleet with a burning glass? Who said "An honest man is the noblest work of God?" Who was the original of Browning's "The Lost Leader?" Which American poet was said by Lowell to have been "two-fifths genius and three-fifths pure fudge?" Who said, "I cannot afford to waste my time making money?" *Acadiensis* for January, the first number of volume three, is excellent in matter and illustration. Dr. I. Allen Jack contributes an appropriate and suggestive article on Christmas among the Birds, Dr. W. F. Ganong one on The Origin of the Place-names in Inglewood Manor, and there are poems and original matter of local interest. D. R. Jack, St. John, publisher.... The second number of the *Kit-Bag*, published at Fredericton by Mr. Theodore Roberts, has made its appearance. It is an attractive magazine both in make and contents.... The January magazine number of *The Outlook* contains some six or eight illustrated articles besides full-page portraits, poems, a story, and the usual very full editorial treatment of current history and literature.

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