

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

CANADIAN BOOKS AND WRITERS.

SIR WILLIAM DAWSON, F.R.S., of Montreal, has now in the press what will probably be his last lengthy work. It is entitled "Relics of Primeval Life," and will be published by Revell, at \$1.50.

Mr. Bernard McEvoy, of The Mail and Empire editorial staff, and a man of cultivated literary tastes, is publishing a volume of verse entitled "Away from Newspaperdom" and other poems. Those who have seen Mr. McEvoy's book speak of it in high terms as a charming addition to the collection of Canadian verse.

It is understood that the Ontario Government will pay the cost for one year of issuing a series of "University Studies." Prof. Wrong will have several in the Department of History and Prof. Mavor will contribute three from the Department of Political Science.

Rev. E. R. Young, whose stories of Northwest life have had so large a sale, is at work on a book to be entitled "On the Indian Trail," for the Religious Tract Society, of London, and Fleming H. Revell Co., of New York. Mr. Laughlin, of Toronto, has been commissioned to illustrate the volume.

Mr. E. W. Thomson, author of "Old Man Savarin" and "Walter Gibbs, the Young Boss," has in the press a new book, "Petherick's Peril and Other Stories of Adventure." The initial story is the one which some years ago won the large cash prize offered by The Youth's Companion. This volume will be freely illustrated. William Briggs will issue a Canadian edition.

Under the title "A Ride in Morocco and Other Sketches," Mr. Arthur Campbell, of Ottawa, has written a racy, breezy and wholly readable book of travel. There is no lack of the literature of travel, but the sprightly style of Mr. Campbell's book and its rich vein of humor will ensure a constituency of delighted readers. The book will shortly be issued by William Briggs.

Judge Prowse is at present engaged in the preparation of a short popular History of Newfoundland.

Mr. Howard Angus Kennedy, who was formerly on the staff of The Montreal Witness, and is now with The London Times, is editing a series of shilling volumes on the British Empire. Mr. Kennedy is writing

the volume on "Canada" himself; Miss Flora Shaw, the talented woman who is the colonial editor of The Times, deals with "Australia and New Zealand," and Sir Walter Besant writes on "South Africa." The Jubilee year is producing a great crop of this kind of literature, which must make the colonies better known in the Mother Country.

Dr. William Kingsford, the historian of Canada, is said to be getting ready for the press the two concluding volumes of his valuable work. This will bring the narrative down to 1841.

THE PRESBYTERIAN HYMNAL.

The Canadian edition of the Presbyterian book of praise is being printed at the Bryant Press and will be bound by Munroe & Cassidy. It will be pushed through as expeditiously as possible, the Oxford Press having appointed Mr. Jas. M. Robertson, of the Fleming H. Revell Co., to see the edition through. The sample copies for obtaining copyright have arrived, and, from the specimens shown BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER, are excellent in every respect.

POLITICAL SCIENCE PAPERS.

Three of the latest publications of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, Philadelphia, are: "A Comparative Study of the State Constitutions of the American Revolution (35c.), by William Clarence Webster, of New York; "Genius, Fame and the Comparison of Races," by Prof. Charles H. Cooley, Ph.D., of the University of Michigan (35c.); "Silver in China, and its Relation to Chinese Copper Coinage," by Talcott Williams, LL.D., D.C.L., of Philadelphia. These are all timely subjects and should be brought to the attention of all students, professional men, etc. in the community.

RELIGIOUS BOOKS.

Two new books by the Fleming H. Revell Co. are F. B. Meyer's "Cheer for Life's Pilgrimage," and "How to Obtain Fulness of Power," by Rev. R. A. Torrey.

REMOVAL IN TORONTO.

The Fleming H. Revell Co. have removed from the corner of Yonge and Temperance streets, Toronto, to a store a few doors farther up Yonge street on the same side. The old building has been demolished and Dineen, the hatter, is constructing a new block on the site. A few days before removing, the fire in John Eaton's dry goods store opposite did some injury to the books,

and a special salvage sale was conducted. A large number of books were moved out of stock in this way.

THE QUEEN'S REIGN SPECIALS.

Most of the magazines, especially the illustrated ones, are issuing a special Jubilee edition, and many of them will have a number of good illustrations of the Jubilee festivities which will be well worth preserving. The Montreal News Co. is expecting in a few days special Jubilee numbers of The London Graphic, London News, Black and White, Illustrated Sporting and Dramatic News, Ladies' Pictorial and London Queen. Booksellers should bear in mind the rush there will be for such publications, and get their orders in early.

The Toronto News Co. will have a supply of these also. From the "dummies" shown to BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER these numbers will surpass the Christmas issue in permanent interest.

MR. CRAWFORD'S LATEST NOVEL.

The Montreal News Co. has secured the agency for the Canadian market of F. Marion Crawford's new book, "A Rose of Yesterday." Cloth edition, \$1.25. They say they can give the trade liberal discounts.

THE NAVAL REVIEW.

The Navy and Army Illustrated will issue on June 25 a special shilling Jubilee number dealing with the naval review at Spithead. As this will be a souvenir of an event of singular interest, seeing that it is announced that Her Majesty will be present, the Montreal News Co. anticipates a large demand for this number and has made special arrangements for supplying the demand quickly.

CHEAP CANADIAN EDITION.

Dr. Luttrell's First Patient, by Rosa Nouchette Carey, has appeared in Canada in cheap and salable form. The Montreal News Co. has just published a fine paper edition which will retail for 50 cents. The American edition is sold for \$1.25.

HOLMES' LIFE OF THE QUEEN.

"The Life of the Queen," by the Windsor Librarian, Mr. Holmes, will be the most valuable biographical work of the kind yet issued, as Her Majesty is revising it, and it will, therefore, be, what other books are not, authoritative. The price is going up. The London Chronicle says:

"It looks as if copies of the finest edition of Mr. Holmes' 'Life of the Queen,' were to go to a great price. There is testimony to this in a circumstance which is probably unique. People who were early enough to