

## BOOKS AND PERIODICALS—Continued.

published matter awaiting the industrious historian. We are glad to learn that Mrs. J. G. Currie, of St. Catharines, who has for many years taken a deep interest in the history of that interesting part of this Province, has in the press a volume entitled, "The Story of Laura Secord, and Canadian Reminiscences." Much valuable data is given in the volume. It is Mrs. Currie's intention to devote the proceeds of sale to the fund gathering to erect a monument to the Canadian heroine whose name gives the title to her book.

MISS LAUT'S FIRST NOVEL.—The publishers are giving a suitable setting to Miss Laut's story, "The Lords of the North." The cover design is a very striking one, showing a canoe impelled by two savages, and carrying a fur-trader and his wares. It is a happy coincidence that Dr. Bryce's masterly history of the Hudson's Bay Company and its kindred trading companies should be followed by this splendidly picturesque story, which finds its action in the feuds between the rival corporations who fought for the possession of the rich fur trade of our great Northwest. Miss Laut spent years of careful study of the records of history, and by extensive travel made herself familiar with the ground dealt with, before writing this story. "The Lords of the North" will take high rank in current fiction.

F. W. Hayes has written a sequel to his popular story, "The Kent Squire." The Canadian edition will be ready shortly.

"Quisante" is the name of Anthony Hope's newest story. Contrary to the custom with Mr. Hope's previous stories, "Quisante" has not been published as a serial. It is published in cloth at \$1.25, and in paper at 75c.

Mr. Henry Seton Merriman's new story, "The Isle of Unrest," has just been published in a Canadian edition. It is an attractively illustrated volume. The scene of the story is laid in Corsica and Southern France in the days of the third Napoleon.

A work entitled "The Making of a Christian," by Rev. John Maclean, Ph.D., is in course of issue. Dr. Maclean is a versatile writer, best known for his works on the Indians of Canada. He is a Methodist minister stationed at Neepawa, Manitoba.

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The Revell Company announce for early publication "Onesimus, Christ's Freedman," by Charles F. Corwin. Illustrated, 12 mo., cloth, \$1.25. An advance notice by Dr. Scofield says of it: "In vigor of narrative, skilful plot, sincerity, convinc-

ing realism, dramatic intensity and human interest, 'Onesimus' is easily the great story of the year. It brings Paul and his companions out of legend into life, and makes the Apostolic Age live again before the modern readers."

TRAVELS IN THE EAST—"Forbidden Paths in the Land of Og," by the Otherwise Man, is a record of travel of three wise and otherwise men to the east of the Jordan river. Illustrated, 12 mo., cloth, \$1.25. Not only are scores of prominent scenes in Bible history illustrated and explained, but there are many dashes of brilliant color thrown into the picture from the Greek and Roman occupation of many places visited and also from the later campaign of the Crusaders. The pleasing style and the clearness of statement are simply delightful, and the interest steadily increases to the end.

INDIA'S WOMEN—"Wrongs of Indian Womanhood," by Mrs. Marcus B. Fuller. Illustrated, 12 mo., \$1.25. The author labored in India for nearly a quarter of a century and is well equipped to deal with her subject. Nothing has ever been written on the subject that can at all compare with it either for clearness of presentation, fearlessness of statement or delicacy of touch. The tender pathos that pervades its many passages cannot fail to touch the heart.

NEW SHILDON BOOK—The Revell Company have been fortunate in securing for Canada the new book by Charles M. Sheldon. The title is "Edward Blake; College Student," and is a bright interesting book. It will be published in paper and cloth at 25 and 50c.

"John the Baptist," by F. B. Meyer, is the new volume in "New Testament Heroes Series." 12 mo., cloth, \$1.00. There is no religious writer whose works are better known or which command a larger sale than F. B. Meyer's. Of the "Old Testament Heroes and Expository Series," thousands of volumes have been sold, and the sale keeps steady all the time.

The Revell Company report that close on 250,000 copies of their authorized "Life of Moody," by his son, have been sold in less than six months.

"I do not think," says our traveling correspondent, "there is anyone in the Maritime Provinces who carries a better selected stock of books, stationery and toys than Miss Hattie Tweedie, of Moncton, N.B. This, together with the fact that Miss Tweedie always has a pleasant word for her customers, increased trade to such an extent that she is enlarging her store by taking the partition out of the rear end of the building and letting in another room."

## NOTES OF THE TRADE.

MR. H. S. WALLACE, a prominent stationer, of Rossland, B.C., has disposed of his stock and intends to winter at the Coast. Mr. Wallace was one of Rossland's first merchants as well as one of the most successful ones. He was the second mayor of the city, and is held in high esteem by all. He is leaving chiefly on account of Mrs. Wallace, whose health is such that she cannot pass the Winters in Rossland.

A. Russell, fancy goods dealer, etc., Essex, Ont., has sold out to G. A. Sherrin.

Gillies & Patterson have registered partnership as wholesale paper dealers in Montreal.

Lumsden & Wilson, booksellers, etc., Seaforth, Ont., have dissolved; Alex. Wilson continues.

J. McLeod Holiday, dealer in fancy goods, Winnipeg, Man., has been burned out; fully insured.

Cadioux & Derome have registered a new partnership in the wholesale stationery business at Montreal.

J. G. Kilt & Co., Ottawa, have sold their Little Sussex street business to F. Shore & Co., but retain the Bank street store.

Mr. J. S. Heales is now on the road in the interests of the new Halifax stationery and fancy goods firm, The Macdougall, MacKeen Co.

Mr. M. B. Jones, of Moncton, N.B., book and stationery dealer, has enlarged his premises to twice their former size, by taking in the whole block.

Chas. J. Mitchell, bookseller and stationer, Charlottetown, has issued a souvenir of the Anglo-Boer War, which is a really handsome work. It includes pictures of the famous generals in a convenient size. The souvenirs will be mailed to any address on receipt of 75c.

Mr. Edward S. Caswell, of the Methodist Book Room, was the recipient of a very handsome dinner set from his fellow-employees, on the occasion of his marriage to Miss Clara Stagg, daughter of Mr. William Stagg, which took place at Wesley Methodist Church, Toronto, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. Tovell.