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## Field Notes.

O<sup>WING</sup> to a severe attack of la grippe the General Secretary was obliged to cancel most of his engagements for last month. He is steadily recovering, but may not be able to undertake anything beyond office work before the middle of January.

THE Rev. J. W. Saunby, B.A., has returned from his visit to the Maritime Conferences, full of health and vigor, and much pleased with the results of his trip. The brethren were evidently determined to make the most of him, and meetings followed each other with almost bewildering rapidity; but Mr. Saunby proved himself equal to the occasion, and is now looking eagerly forward to a similar campaign in the West, when the holidays are over.

SOME excellent illustrations form a new and interesting feature of the January issue of *The Missionary Review of the World*. This number is overflowing with first-class articles by eminent writers in other lands. The *Review* grows in interest and helpfulness with every year. The editor-in-chief opens Volume XVII. with an article on the "Columbian Exposition at Chicago." He treats especially of the Congress of Religions, in regard to its effects on the Kingdom of God. Dr. Gordon follows with an intensely interesting and instructive article, in which he