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The issue of the August number has been delayed by the absence of the editor upon his annual vacation. Early in August we sent a statement of account to every subscriber. The replies have not been what they should. We propose at the end of the volume to cut off all those in arrears for a considerable period. In the meantime we ask our friends to think that the RECORD has to be paid for regularly, and to send us without delay the amount of their indebtedness.

LITERARY NOTE FROM THE CENTURY CO., N.Y.

A PORTRAIT OF DR. HOLLAND.

There is hardly a literary man in America whose writings have been more widely read than those of Dr. J. G. Holland, nor one whose name is better known among the people. It is said that nearly 600,000 copies of his books have been sold, to say nothing of the enormous sale each month of *Scribner's Monthly*, over which he presides as Editor-in-chief. The Century Co., publishers of *Scribner's* (to be known as "*The Century Magazine*" after October), will soon issue a portrait of Dr. Holland, which is said to be a remarkably fine likeness; it is the photograph of a life-size crayon-drawing of the head and shoulders, recently made by Wyatt Eaton, and will be about the size of the original picture. It is to be offered in connection with subscriptions to *The Century Magazine*.

COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS, PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

The Preliminary examination for admission to the study of Medicine takes place in Quebec at the Laval University on the 22nd September. The semi-annual meeting of the College for granting licenses and the transaction of general business takes place in Quebec on the 28th of September. It will then be just a year since Mr. Lamirande was appointed prosecuting officer for the College. During that time he has not been idle. A large number of Medical men who were not registered have been compelled to do. Several who had never taken out their license, although entitled to it, have been brought to see the error of their way. A very large number in arrears for their annual contribution have been taught that punctuality in its payment is the cheapest way in the end. In the matter of prosecuting charlatans, at least good progress has been made. The following judgments have been rendered in favor of the College.

John Resco, Montreal.

Mrs. McIntosh, midwife, Montreal.

Denis Dragon, Montreal.

Joseph Rondpré, St. Anne la Pérade.

Napoléon Mercier, Quebec.

The following actions are now pending in Court
Theodore D. Whitcher, Beebe Plain.

Gabriel Courchène, La Baie, Yamaska.

Jerome Fiset, Quebec.

Emilie Fortin, St. Benoit.

Richard Birch, Templeton.

Joseph Quintal, Longueuil.

J. B. Goulet, Lambton.

"THE BRIDAL EVE."

Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth's powerful and highly absorbing novel, "THE BRIDAL EVE," is shortly to be issued by Messrs. T. B. Peterson & Brothers of Philadelphia, Pa., in excellent style at the exceedingly low price of seventy-five cents a copy. This fascinating story deals with love, romance, crime and woman's devotion, and has plot of the most ingenious and effective description. The scene is laid in England, and the characters mostly move in high social circles. The cheapness of the work should give it an immense sale. Everybody will be delighted with it.