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THE REVIEW will not be issued in July. The August number will be issued early that month, and will contain many interesting features, adapted especially to the beginning of the work of a new term, and will, in addition, be considerably enlarged. Subscribers who change their address in the meantime should be careful to inform us of the change in order to secure the August number.

THIS number begins the twelfth volume. We hope to make the REVIEW this year more interesting and helpful than during any previous year of its history.

Among the Imperial distinctions conferred on Canadians this year are two which have met with a hearty approval in Canada. On Dr. J. G. Bourinot, author and publicist, has been bestowed the title of Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, and on Dr. Geo. R. Parkin, teacher and author, that of Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George. Dr. Bourinot is a native of Cape Breton, and Dr. Parkin of New Brunswick; so that the provinces by the sea come in for a share of the honors bestowed on their distinguished sons. Dr. Parkin's fellow-teachers in Canada cordially congratulate him on his well won distinction, which, though bestowed no doubt as a mark of his services to the empire as an author and a promoter of imperial federation, is none the less signal as a recognition of his abilities as a teacher.

THE colleges of the Atlantic Provinces were sparing in the bestowal of the honorary doctorate degree this year, only one being given by each. This conservatism will be heartily approved by all who are the true friends both of the colleges and the candidates for such honors. There is a distinct loss of prestige to the college, and it is a doubtful honor to the individual, when such marks of favor are too loosely bestowed.

No one will question the wise discretion that has guided the governing bodies of these institutions in bestowing the honor this year. Lt.-Gov. McClellan, who was present at the founding of the Mt. Allison institutions, is a worthy example of their advantages in preparing men to guide the interests of a country and in helping to promote its educational and material ad-