

English edition of "Lorna Doone," Blackmore's greatest work, in good type and paper, is a decidedly notable book just now.

A fine Christmas volume is "In the Permanent Way" by Flora Annie Steele, authoress of "On the Face of the Waters." The price is \$1.50 and the stories are phases of life in India to-day.

What strikes us as a particularly good line for dealers is the new Victoria Edition of Sir Walter Scott's novels in cloth, extra, and pronounced to be the best value ever put on the market. It is in 25 volumes at 50c. a volume. It is published by A. & C. Black, the authorized publishers, and is done in the best English style of printing and binding.

The Copp, Clark Co. have taken the Canadian market for "Garlick's New Manual of Method" (cloth, \$1.25), containing helps to teachers. It has been introduced into a number of training schools in the Northwest.

#### QUEBEC'S CIVIL CODE.

The new Civil Code of the province of Quebec, which was announced some time ago as being in press, has now appeared. This work contains all the amendments and additions to the law up to the present time, and sets forth in a clear manner the law which went into force on Sept. 1. Mr. C. Theoret has got this book up with the same attention to detail which characterizes all his work. The retail price is \$2, bound in cloth.

#### SOUVENIR FOR LEGAL MEN.

A dainty publication, and one which every Quebec lawyer should have, is the souvenir of the first banquet of the notaries of the province of Quebec. It is nicely gotten up, and is printed on the best of paper. Besides about a hundred pages of reading matter, it contains portraits of the Hon. J. Israel Tarte, Minister of Public Works; Hon. F. G. Marchand, Premier of Quebec; president of the notaries, L. Belanger; Mr. W. Larne, ex-president of the Legislative Council of Quebec, and a great many others. It also contains a group portrait of the officers of the Cercle des Notaires. The trade should handle this. Mr. C. Theoret, Montreal, is the agent.

#### THE BAR OF QUEBEC.

Mr. C. Theoret, Montreal, has just issued in pamphlet form a lecture by Mr. J. Edmond Ray, a lawyer of Levis, on "The Old Bar of Canada." The lecture was delivered before the Quebec Bar in February last. It gives a history of the former members of the Bar of Lower Canada and the growth of the law in that province. A very interesting and very valuable part of the

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The Pride of Jennico. By Agnes and Egerton Castle. Said to surpass the "Prisoner of Zenda" .....	0 75	1 25
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work from an historical point of view is a list of the members of the Bar of Lower Canada from the Conquest to 1846, with the date of their admission. This list contains many names of men celebrated in the history of Quebec and who have done much to make it what it is. The work is an interesting one and is full of information for every lawyer and for all interested in the Bar.

#### ART CALENDARS FOR 1898.

Art calendars have been carried to such a degree of perfection that they have for several years been much used for holiday gifts as the New Year approaches. After so many years of prolific production of new designs it seems almost a miracle for new designs to be again to the fore this season. Yet such is the case. Ibbotson's and Dutton's calendars this year are as usual in the forefront. The latter firm, a London firm by the way, have put out a series of Shakespeare and Dickens calendars, quite distinctive from previous years. They are handsome in shape and the pictures, many of them at least, are drawn from scenes in the works of these authors not hitherto illustrated.

Then there is the Landscape calendar, consisting of a number of sheets, each with a colored landscape. The set is generally in three or four cards, and the landscape is

made to agree with the seasons of the months on that card. This is a very fine line and ranges in price from 5c. to \$1.50.

But perhaps the prettiest calendar of the year, and one having an extremely large sale, is what is called the Pierrot calendar. It is of a crescent shape, irregular owing to figures of two young girls playing the banjo. The calendar is arranged in pairs of months and these sets are covered by laughing girl's faces, surmounted by hats or caps to agree with the season. These faces are movable, and by moving one slightly to the side the months are displayed. The calendars are arranged both as wall and as table calendars and are a very pretty Christmas or New Year's gift.

The comical calendar is on the market every year. This year there is a good line to retail at 35c., which is surprisingly good in quality and in design. The "Switch-back" and "Organ Grinder" are of this class. They are operated by a string, and the figures are made jointed so as to move as the string is pulled, and the calendar for the month is displayed.

This does not by any means exhaust the various calendars on the market, but is a mere mention of some of the best designs of the season. The Robert Miller Co., Montreal, have a good assortment of the above and