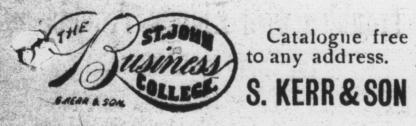
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We are now in the third month of the year, and would like to have all arrears and 1904 subscriptions paid before the end of the month.

We thank those who have already paid. The others will do us a kindness by attending to the matter at once.

#### 摩摩摩

THE ARMY.—The Salvation Army in St. John has leased the building on Prince William Street, now occupied by the Seamen's Mission. It will be the Army's business headquarters. It is, also, intended to establish in it a shelter where men in poor circumstances can find a comfortable place to sleep, and at a small cost.

#### 大きた。 THE MAGAZINES.

A map of Korea, Japan and Manchuria with mission stations indicated and statistical tables is the frontispiece of the March Missionary Review of the World. Mr. Robert E. Speer writes of "Our Missionary Responsibility." Dr. John B. Devine has a paper on "The Obstacles to Christianity in the Philippines," the result of his observation there. The discussion of "Roman Catholicism in Theory and Practise" will open the eyes of many to what the Papal church really teaches. It deserves a careful reading. Other subjects discussed in this number include "Problems and Opportunities in South Africa," "Famine Relief in India," "Saving the Sailors," "Why Evangelize Japan Now?" "The Unevangelized Soudan," etc. The editorials, notes and general intelligence, etc., are good. Published monthly by Funk & Wagnalls Company, 30 Lafayette Place, N. Y. \$2.50 a year.

People who feel an inclination, as most people do, to "read up" on Japan, Korea and Russia, and their relations and entanglements, will find in the Living Age for March 5th a very serviceable classified list, several pages long, of the freshest and most accessible books on these countries

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The article on "The Most Corrupt City in the World," which the Living Age for February 20th reprints from The National Review, accords the doubtful distinction expressed in the title to Philadelphia and cites an abundance of

evidence to justify it. The leading illustrated article in The Methodist Magazine for March is on Mt. Allison University, Sackville. It has eighteen cuts and a descriptive paper. Other illustrated papers are: "The Argentine Republic," "Recent Progress in Japan," and "The Sailor's Sister," an elegant tribute to the founder of the Sailors' Homes, beloved of British seamen throughout the world. Other topics are "Temperance Legislation," "Russia, Social and Political," "The Bible and the Missionary," "The Outlook in China," "The Vision and the Call," and "Distinguished People I Have Met." All are attractive articles. There are short stories, current topics, religious intelligence and book reviews. Toronto: William Briggs. \$2 a year; \$1.00 for six months.

In each number of The Canadian Magazine Canadian history and Canadian life are discussed and illuminated. There is an article entitled "A Year in

a Boer School," in the March number. A Canadian doctor, living in London, makes some contributions to philosophical thought and speculation, hence Arnold Haultain's article on "A Search for an Ideal." New methods for the regeneration of criminals are being tried, hence the article on "Crime and Its Suppression." W. L. Grant points out where the teaching of history is weak in our educational system. There are three Canadian short stories and the usual departments.

Besides the fiction in the March Century, there is a paper on Bismarck, three articles on the industrial and commercial field: "The Paris Bourse," "Economic Changes in Asia," "The Eye of Fear," a consideration of labor unions. "The Making of Public Opinion" is an imaginary lunch-table talk of a Senator, a college president, a doctor of divinity and an editor. The editor writes of the late John R. Procter, and the need of more scruple in public and private life, and there is a final instalment of the familiar and autobiographic Thackeray letters, setting forth his "Friendship with an American Family," including this month three letters to Miss Libby Strong and a drawing.

Lippincott's for March is up to its standard as a story-teller. Among the writers are Neith Boyce, Eleanor Hallowell, Paul Dunbar, George Hyde Reston and Clifford Howard.

In the March number of the Review of Reviews, there are "thumb-nail" sketches of the Russian and Japanese commanders on sea and land, with photographic portraits. Interesting details of the lives of Admirals Alexieff, Skridloff, Togo, and Uriu are here presented.

## FOREIGN.

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of the dining room and killing a lady sitting at luncheon.

At Prairie Duchien, Wis., Tuesday, two women were cremated in a fire which destroyed a hotel.

Reports from Oklahama say that last week five persons were burned to death and 3,000 square miles of territory swept by prairie fires. Hundreds of people are homeless, and it is impossible to estimate accurately the financial loss.

The latest report says there are fifteen dead, fifteen known to have been injured and three persons reported missing as the result of the collapse of the unfinished apartment hotel building in New York.

For the first time since the emancipation of the serfs in 1861, the anniversary was officially observed on Thursday throughout Russia as a general holiday and with special services in the churches.

At Lima, Peru, a tremendous earthquake, which did much damage, occurred Friday. Nothing comparable with it had been experienced during the last thirty years.

In Aroostook the price of potatoes has advanced two dollars. Some are holding for a higher price.

# NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to The General Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick at its next session for the passage of a Bill to incorporate the Free Baptist Woman's Missionary Society of New Brunswick—a voluntary society, whose object is to support Free Baptist missionaries, both Home and Foreign, and to do all acts that the said Society deems necessary for the furtherance of said object.

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