THE WORLD OF BOOKS.

Notes on Canadian Literature.

We had occasion, at an earlier date, to notice the importance of the work which Mr. J. M. LeMoine is doing, and has already done for Canada, and especially for his own romantic and historic city; but we did not then know that our poor opinion should have such abundant confirmation by our access to other later and voluminous works.* The Tourist's Note Book is an incomparable hand book for the traveller upon the St. Lawrence, between Montreal and Quebec. It abounds in facts, culled by a loving and close student of historical and legendary Canada, and conveyed in a style of literary elegance, quite superior to the uniform run of guide-books-which are not inviting compositions, however needful or useful they may be. Picturesque Quebec is a substantial work of 535 octavo pages, containing several maps in illustration of the text. This is a work important to every historical student, from the completeness of it, and the fullness of its detail, as Henry Gilbert, the Misses Caldwell, Mrs. S. Haywell as for the charm the author infuses into all his writings. The library of city, town or society can scarcely be called complete without a plain and strongly bound copy of this work; and the owner of many a private collection ought to desire it. The beautiful environs of the city are adequately described, with each noted spot, as Sellery, The Plains of Abraham, Battlefield Park, The Duke of Kent's Lodge, Marchmont, Wolfesfield, Spencer Wood and Grange; the author's own demesne, Woodfield, Mount Hermon, Bardfield, Benmore, Montmorency, and many other places. To read his pages you might fancy yourself amid the scenes he describes; and after you have thus been there in fancy you will desire to go in person and see the most majestic, beautiful and historic scenes in our land. Mr. LeMoine has labored long and well to promote summer travel in the direction of his native city, and to induce people to enjoy what is so really desirable; and we still hope that such labor shall in his life time be rewarded.

in Prose, t which are not wholly in prose, and since the pamphlet contains his translation from the French of Frechette's Les Excommunies and Le Drapeau Anglais. Letters and papers communicated from time to time to several leading Canadian journals, relating chiefly to legal and parliamentary questions, such as the Manitoba Railway case, the Jesuits Estate Act, Commercial Union, the Disallowance Question, etc., are here properly thought worthy of collection and preservation as a souvenir among the author's friends, which are many. One of the most interesting papers contained in it is a serial review on the volumes of Kingford's History of Canada, as they successively appeared; it is well and appreciatively written. The brief preface explains the author's object as follows: "Having been, at my own request, placed on the superannuation list at the beginning of 1888, when my age was rather over 87, but being still kindly allowed to use the seat I had occupied for more than twenty years in the room assigned for my office as law clerk of the House of Commons when the plan of the parliament building was made, I could not help still taking a deep interest in public, and especially in parliamentary affairs; nor could I abstain from now and then writing quiet little articles (never touching party politics) which the editors were kind enough to like and print; and some of which I have had the vanity to collect and get printed together in the following pages, for my own use, or that of any of my friends who might like to have them as a memento of their old acquaintance, W."

* The Tourist's Note Book on Quebec and its Environs, fifth edition. Picturesque Quebec, a Sequel to Quebec, Past and Present, by J. M. Scalloine, President of the Literary and Historical Society at Quebec, etc. Dawson Bros., Montreal, 1882, Edin- | Chandler, left today for her home in Toronto, acburgh, Rouen, York; Glimpses, impressions and contrasts. Inaugural address, G T. M. LeMoine. Quebec, Delisle, publisher, 1881.

† Waifs in Prose, by Geo. W. Wicksteed, Esq., clerk of the House of Commons, Ottawa.

About Girls.

Compositions, so called, are not written for amusement, but are sometimes amusing. Here, for example, is what a school boy has to say about girls, according to one of

our exchanges: their manner and behave themselves. They think more of dress than anything, and like to play with dolls and rags. They cry if they see a cow in the far distance, and are afraid of guns. They stay at home all the time, and go to church on Sunday. They are always making fun of boys' hands, and they say, "How dirty."

They can't play marbles. I pity them, poor things. They make fun of boys, and then turn round and love them. I don't believe they ever killed a cat or anything. They look out every night and say, "Ain't the moon lovely?" There is one thing I have not told, and that is they always know their lessons better than the boys.

Is a Cold Bath Dangerous for Ladies? At a recent meeting of physicians in London the question of cold baths for ladies was brought up for discussion. It was unanimously decided that a woman received great benefit from a moderately cold bath, provided she was free from chill afterwards.

An Ohio lad This may best be avoided by wearing a "Health Brand" pure wool undervest next the skin .- Advt.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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HAMPTON.

PROGRESS is for sale at Hampton station by T.G. Barnes, and Geo. E. Frost, and at Hampton village

by Messrs. A. & W. Hicks. ! SEPT. 17 .- Mrs. Edward Allison and Mrs. Cudlip, | ful dance on Thursday evening last.

who were spending the summer here have returned Mrs. S. P. Tuck, of British Columbia, spent a few

days here last week, the guest of Mrs. H. D. Mc and Mrs. Jotham O'Brien.

Mrs. A. L. Palmer, accompanied by her niece, know, who are staying with friends. Mrs. Steadman, Miss Dawson, of Montreal, spent Saturday and of Fredericton, and Mrs. Turnbull, of St. John are Sunday in Hampton the guest of her sister, Miss

Thursday in town visiting relatives. Mrs. Howard D. McLeod gave a very enjoyable at home on Friday afternoon at her cosey residence, Asholm. The hours were from 4 to 6 o'clock. Although the day was wet, quite a gay party gathered | cottage. to enjoy her hospitality. Among those present were Mrs. S. Parker Tuck, of Victoria, B. C., Mrs. A. L. Palmer, and the Misses Black, of St. John, Mrs. ward, Mrs. J. M. Barnes, Miss Barnes, Mrs. C. A. Palmer, Mrs. Philip Palmer, Mrs. J. G. C. White, Mrs. N. W. Barnes, Miss Hammond, Mrs. Thomas McAvity, Mrs. James H. McAvity, Mrs. John A. McAvity, Mrs. W. O. Stewart, Miss Stewart, Mrs. Geo. A. Maynard, Mrs. Jeahns, Miss Wedderburn, ing friends. Miss Bent, Miss Fannie Barnes, Miss M. K. Barnes, Miss Ryan, of Sussex, the Misses Peters.

Refreshments were served and a very pleasant afternoon was spent by all the guests.

son spent a day or two in town last week visiting | urday last.

Dr. Bruce, Mr. R. W. W. Frink, Captain Robert Moran, and Major Underhill, of St. John, spent for the last few days, the grounds are very wet and Sunday at Henry Lake.

Rev. G. O. Gates, Rev. A. Hartley, Rev. John A. Ford, Rev. Mr. Black, Mr. and Mrs. W. Peters Mr. | tables look most inviting and are presided over by C. M. Bostwick, Mr. C. W. Weldon, M. P., Mr. A. a number of ladies. Among them I observed Mrs. C. Smith, M. P. P., Mr. H. A. McKeown, M. P. P., Bliss, Mrs. Townshend, Mrs. J. Inglis Bent, Miss Mr. J. E. B. McCready, Mr. C. E. Burnham, Dr.

Thursday, en route to St. Martins. son spent Sunday here with their friend, Mr. L. W.

Mrs. Travis returned from Boston on Monday. A. Austin, Miss Tuck, Miss King, and Miss Eaton, spent Thursday at Asholm, the guests of Mrs. the main part. An extra fee is charged to enter

A fit and pleasant complement to his Mary's school chapel in the village on Tuesday of tea, or coffee and cake, listen to delightful music, Waifs in Verse are Mr. Wicksteed's Waifs evening to a fair audience. His subject was: "Our both vocal and instrumental, Prof. Sterne presiding Great North West," illustrated by the use of Pam at the piano. I cannot enter into all the details of N. W. rebellion and a great many splendid views of here, but has met with great success, both in Engthe scenery, etc., throughout that land and British | land and on the continent. The band is discoursing Columbia. The chair was occupied by Rev. George | sweet music in the distance and tomorrow there is

> The Misses Black, of St. John, formerly of Sackville, who have been visiting at Asl.olm for a short | the guest of Mrs. Kelsie.

time, returned home on Monday. Among those registered at the Vendome this week I noticed the following names: Mr. A. W. D. Knapp, of St. John, Mr. G. B. Fowler, of Dorchester, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Herritt, of Sackville, and Mr. C. A. Peck, of Hopewell.

Miss Bessie Peters and Miss W. Peters spent Monday and Tuesday with friends at Sussex. Mr. A. C. Fairweather, Mr. W. Pugsley, and Mr.

M. B. Dixon were among the visitors in town last

DORCHESTER.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Dorchester at George M.

SEPT. 16 .- Mr. H. R. Emmerson made a short visit to St. John last week, returning to Dorchester Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Fairweather left on Satur-

day for a short visit to Sussex, Mr. Fairweather's former home. Mrs. Fairweather will visit Fredericton before returning to Dorchester. Mr. Charles Hickman is in Amherst, whither he

has gone to attend the lawn tennis tournament now being held there. Although greatly out of practice, Mr. Hickman will, no doubt, uphold the honor of Dorchester in any matches in which he may take

Mrs. Pascoe, of Shediac, formerly Miss Moore of Dorchester, spent a few days here last week with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Keillor

Mrs. Covert, wife of Rev. Mr. Covert, is making a visit to Dorchester, and is staying with her sister,

Miss Dibblee, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George W. Chandler, has returned to Fred-

Mrs. Mowatt, wife of the manager of the bank of Nova Scotia at Moneton, spent last Thursday

with friends in Dorchester, returning home the same

Dr. Doherty, of Moncton, spent last Friday and Saturday here, having come to Dorchester in order to be present at Mrs. Hickman's dance on Friday

Miss Forsayeth, who has been spending the summer in Dorchester with her aunt, Mrs. Joshua

companied by Mrs. Chandler and Lady Smith, who intend spending a month visiting places of interest in upper Canada and the United States. The dance given by Mr. and Mrs. John Hickman

on Friday evening was a most enjoyable one, in spite of the very rainy night, which although preventing the use of the beautiful grounds for promenade purposes, did not appear in any wise to make its effect felt within the house by dampening the spirits or enjoyment of the dancers. Of the many guests present I can only recollect a portion, they being Mr. B. E. Paterson, of Sackville, Mr. Percy Forster, Dr. Teed, the Misses Chapman, Mr. B. B. Teed, Mr. A. J. Chapman, Miss Ella Tait, Girls are very stuck up and dignified in Mrs. D. L. Hanington, Miss Plant, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Teed, Mr. J. W. Y. Smith, Mr. W. W. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Palmer, Mr. J. H. Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Palmer, Mr. J. H. Hickman, Miss Hay, Hon. A. D. Richard and Mrs. Richard, Mr. R. W. Hanington, the Misses Peck, Miss Estabrooks, of Sackville, Miss Laura Shreeve, Mrs. A. J. Hickman, Mr. Lane, the Misses Bishop, Mr. Chas. Hickman, Mr. Kerr, Mr. G. B. Fowler, Dr. Doherty, of Moncton, Miss Anderson, Mr. Frank P. Anderson, Mrs. Wm. Hickman, and Mrs. J. E. Church.

Dancing was kept up with spirit until midnight, when a delicious supper was served, after which dancing was continued until about 2.30. The guests then dispersed, declaring that their evening had been a most enjoyable one throughout, and only regretting that it had passed so quickly.

Mrs. A. J. Hickman went to Moncton on Saturday,

for a short visit to friends there, returning to Dor chester on Tuesday.

Miss F. S. Chandler is away on a visit to Toronto Miss F. S. Chandler is away on a visit to Toronto having gone thither with friends from St. John.

Miss Nellie Palmer leaves shortly to spend the winter in Sackville, at Mount Allison.

Mr. J. W. Y. Smith went to St. John on Saturday to spend Sunday with friends there, returning to Dorchester Tuesday.

Mr. J. F. Teed has returned from a business visit to Londonderry, but is now again absent in Cape Breton.

Mr. G. B. Fowler is enjoying a short holiday trip to his former home in King's county. Mrs. Joseph Hickman has returned from Amherst where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W.

An Ohio lady was so frightened by a snake that her glossy black hair turned white as snow. It was soon returned to its original color by Hall's Hair

AMHERST, N. S.

SEPT. 16.—The important ceremony of laying the corner stone of the dock of the Ship Railway at Tidnish took place on Friday last. Hon. C. H. Tupper, Minister of Marine and Fisheries officiated. Mr. W. Tupper, of Winnipeg, Mr. A. M. Dickey, M. P., and Mr. H. G. Ketchum, C. E., were among the many who were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mariner McLeod left on Thursday for Bridgeport, Conn., where Mrs. McLeod will remain some weeks on a visit to her parents Mr.

Mrs. J. Medley Townshend gave a very delight-

The town is filled with lady delegates from the Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Evans have returned from different unions, attending the W. C. T. U. Conventheir wedding tour and have taken rooms at the tion now in session here. It would be needless to enumerate the names of all. I will mention a few I the guests of Mrs. McKean. Mrs. Archibald, of Cow Bay, C. B., is with Rev. D. and Mrs. McGregor. Mrs. Jonas H. Cleland, of Sioux City, Ia., spent Mrs. Todd, of St. Stephen, is the guest of Mrs. H. Dunlap. Miss Johnstone, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. W. T. Pipes.

Miss Holt Clerke, of Halifax, has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Dickey, at Grove

Mrs. G. Botsford Smith returned on Friday from her sojourn by the seaside. Mrs. McKean and Miss McKean returned from

Halifax on Friday. Mirs Moffat returned from Truro on Monday. Masters Joseph Douglas, George Townshend, and Cecil Townshend left here on Friday night to return

to school at Lennoxville, Que. Mrs. Cunningham, of Guysboro, is in town visit-

Mrs. Hewson went to St. John last week for a few

days, returning on Friday. Mrs. and Miss Gray, sister and neice of Dr. Dobson, who have been spending a few months with Dr. Lemont, of South West Harbor, Maine, and him, lett for their home in Wakefield, Mass., on Sat-

The fair and tournament opened to day (Wednes day.) The weather having been so disagreeable soft, which interfers with the games. I have only Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Macmichael spent Thursday | time to take a hasty glance at each department in the building adjoining, which is gay with bunting and evergreens. The luncheon and refreshment Symmens, Miss Winter. An ice cream stall, in F. McFarlane, Mr. R. T. Babbitt, were in town on | charge of the Misses Nellie Moore and Kindler. A table of exquisite potted plants, together with a fish Mr. Geo. A. Peters and Mr. J. Mortimor Robert- pond and fancy stall where a number of little girls are kept busy under the supervision of Mrs. M. E. Bent. One of the chief features of attractions is a cafe chautaut, under the immediate control of Mrs. Mrs. W. H. Tuck, Mrs. Geo. E. King, Mrs. H. Kelsie, assisted by a few ladies. It occupies fully one-third of the building and is screened off from this charming place, which is beautifully decorated Rev. G. E. Lloyd, of Rothesay lectured in Saint and looks most inviting, where one can enjoy a cup this unique entertainment. It is the first of the kind to be a contest between bands from other places.

Miss Ravenal Almon, of Halifax, is at present

Prof. Roberts, of Kings College, was in town this week, the guest of his cousin, Dr. Bliss. Miss Romans, of Londondery Mines, is visiting

Mrs. Harris at the vicarage. Mrs. H. C. Symmes gave a pleasant dance on Tuesday evening, in honor of her daughter, Miss

Miss Paterson, of Horton, is the guest of Mrs. David Douglas. Miss Jones, of Boston, is visiting her friends

HILLSBORO.

SEPT. 16 .- Miss Annie Pine left Saturday for her home in Salem, Mass., accompanied by Miss Ida

Mr. Thomas Steeves has returned to Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Putnam, who have been visiting at Granliden, left on Wednesday for their home in

Rev. Thos. and Mrs. Reid, who have been spend ing some time on P. E. Island, returned on Thursday. We are all glad to see the parsonage open

Miss Mary Blight gave a very pleasant party at her residence on Thursday; about thirty guests were present, and everybody thoroughly enjoyed

Miss Maisil Osman left today for New York to visit her aunt, Mrs. Kenneth Crawford. Mr. Shaddeck, of Boston, arrived on Friday; he is the guest of Mrs. Chipman Bishop.

Dr. and Mrs. Lewis entertained their young friends at an afternoon tea on Saturday. A very pleasant time was spent.

Mrs. W. F. Tayler has gone to Boston to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Conners. Miss Mary Blight left on Saturday for Cape Breton to spend a few weeks.

Miss Aggie Barnes has returned to her home in

RICHIBUCTO.

SEPT. 17 .- Mrs. W. H. Cathers, of St. John, was Mrs. Martin Flanagan is visiting friends in

Mr. H. A. Powell, M. P. P., of Sackville, was in town on Saturday.

Mrs. J. D. Phinney is visiting friends in Fred-Mr. W. A. Black returned from Chatham last

Mr. Wm. Robertson, of Boston, is in town, the guest of his brother, Mr. G. Robertson. He is receiving a warm welcome from his host of friends

Miss Annie Ferguson left on Saturday to visit friends in Bathurst. Miss Janie Haines and Nellie Rand, of Moncton, who have been visiting here for several weeks, re-

turned home last week. Mrs. James Atkinson returned from her visit to Bathurst a few days ago. Mr. T. P. Joudry, of Moneton, is in town this

MUSQUASH.

SSPT. 17 .- Mr. H. P. Brigham, of Boston, visited Inglewood Club last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Murray, of St. John, spent

last Wednesday at the Musquash Hotel. Miss Amy Carman has gone to Bridgewater, N. S.,

Mr. Levi Pond, of Eau Claire, Wis., was the guest of J. A. Balcom last week.
Mr. H. N. Dearborn, of St. John, arrived here on Saturday on his bicycle and returned home to-day. Mrs. G. C. Carman has returned home after a week's visit to Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Partelow Mott accompanied by
Miss Green and Mr. Johnston, of St. John, spent

last Sanday here.

The Rev. Father LeBlanc, of St. John, officiated in the R. C. Church in the absence of the Rev. F. Lavery last Sunday.

Miss Hattie Knight went to St. John last week.

"How delicious is the winning
Of a kiss, at love's beginning."—
sings the poet, and his sentiment is true with one
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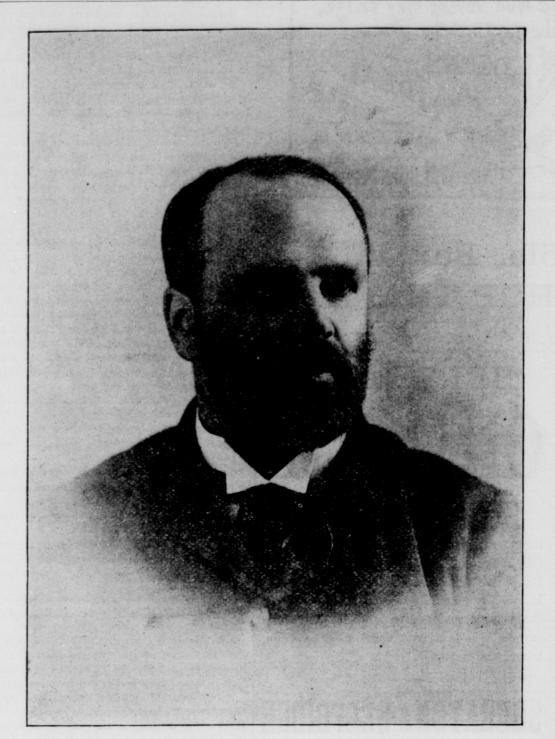
OF MINING, MINING MACHINERY AND ECONOMICAL MINERALS.

Applications in from Nova Scotia but the Exhibits are Not Certain at this Writing -Mr. T. McAvity Chairman of the Com-

economic minerals, mining and mining ing. machinery committee. Up to a few days ago and when this was written, the exhi- the same interest for New Brunswickers as bition officials were in doubt whether the for the Nova Scotians. Mining is to them mining exhibit would amount to much or really what lumbering is to us. Still this

Mr. McAvity should not have been let off so easily. He is capable of a great deal of | good work at the head of the committee, and the nominating committee gave him too easy a task. Like all the others he was willing and ready to do what he could to help along the show. The firm of which he is a member has a number of exhibits in Mr. T. McAvity is chairman of the the several departments of the build-

Mining and mining machinery have not



CHAIRMAN THOMAS McAVITY

not. There was an application for a large | province is not without important branches amount of space from Nova Scotia, but up of the mining industry, and could the comto this time there is an uncertainty whether panies be enthused sufficiently, could no the exhibit will be to the front or not. It doubt make a splendid exhibit of its is to be hoped that it will.

That's Often All They Do.

"What is your husband? Is he a workman?" asked the assessor, getting impati-

"Work? No, certainly not. He's bureau drawer. "A bureau drawer?"

"Pa, I ain't half Injun, be I?" asked

Georgie as he climbed upon Meek's knees. "Why, no, my child. What put such an idea into your head?'

The Boy Misunderstood.

"Willie Bogges said I was. He said he heard his pa say ma was a regular old savage and scalped you every day, and that "Yes; he's in one of the city bureaus was why you were so bald."-Ex.

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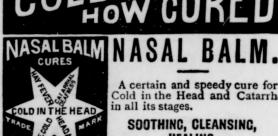
not only prevented my wife from becoming bald, but it also caused an entirely ne growth of hair. I am ready to certify to this statement before a justice of the peace."-

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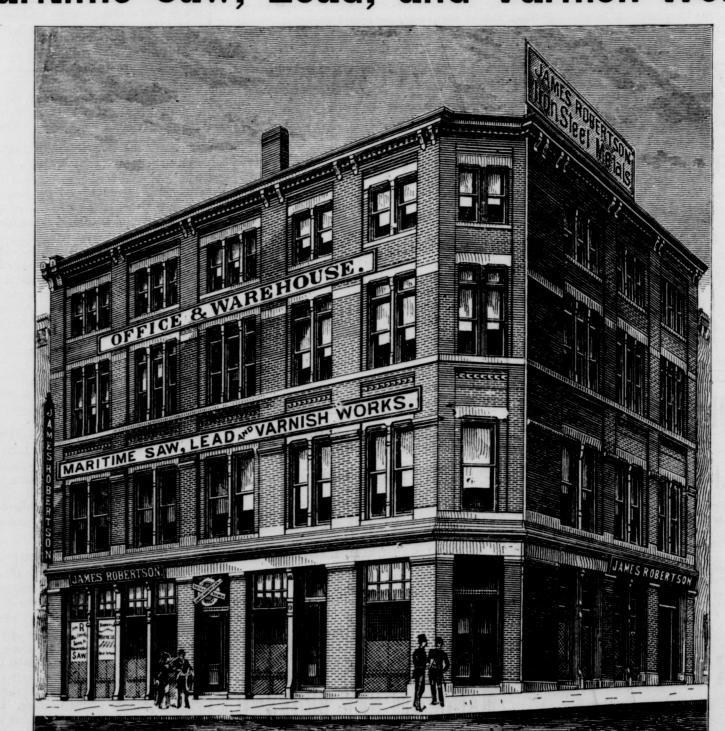
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