

NEW BOOKS OF THE MONTH

Thackeray's Biographical Edition is Now Nearly Complete.

LIFE IN THE MISSIONARY FIELDS

New Stories of Interest by the Writers of Novels—Works for Unbelievers as Well as for Believers—Literary News.

The Biographical edition of Thackeray's works, which is being published by Harper & Brothers, is meeting with a very cordial reception from all admirers of the great novelist.

There is not a single note of that pleasant quality which Stevenson deemed so requisite in the gloomy story of Norwegian life as portrayed by Johansen in "Niobe".

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"Did Man Make God, or Did God Make Man?" is a reply to Colonel Ingersoll and to modern agnosticism, by Dr. John P. D. John, ex-president of DePaul university.

Weak, Puny Children. Wonderful Blessing to Parents to Know There is a Remedy That Actually Meets the Child's Needs—Precisely Harmless and Certain to Cure.

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OUR LITTLE FRIENDS. It is a wonderful blessing to know there is such a remedy. Nearly all of us have experienced the distress and bewilderment of trying to find something that will safely bring back the hearty laugh and appetite of a child that should never be otherwise than full of life, activity and health.

wood and weel, incidentally, while painting the incidents of this courtship are delicately portrayed with his artistic love for Saska, as only a true artist can love his life is clouded upon her early death.

"The Night Watch" was the masterpiece of his marvelous genius. Originally, with the perfect management of light and shadow, are his acknowledged talents. One afternoon, inspired, seeing through a golden glory the face of his beloved Saska, he seized his brush to paint this heaven-sent imagination, but it was the vision which came alone just before the spirit fled, and he fell asleep to wake no more.

The impression seems to prevail in some quarters that Mr. Spears' recently published book, "Our Country, Old and New," is partly made up of articles previously published in the magazine. On the contrary, Mr. Spears' book is entirely new.

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Among the scientific books of recent publication is "The Wilderness of Worlds," by W. G. Morehouse, who treats on the evolution of masses. Mr. Morehouse is known as an author, scientist and astronomer.

"The Development of Thrift" is the title of a book by Mary Wilcox Brown, general secretary of the Henry Watson Children's Aid society, Baltimore, Md., which will be published by The Macmillan company in a few weeks.

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The second edition of "The Shifting and Settling of Taxation," by Prof. Edwin R. A. Seligman, of Columbia university, has been so completely revised, rewritten, and enlarged that it has been nearly doubled in size and a bibliography and index has been added.

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People." This is the most exhaustive work that has appeared on the situation in the islands and is therefore naturally having a very wide reading, and always received at length in these columns a short time ago.

That Mr. Richard Harding Davis has an audience that will follow everything he writes is proven by the phenomenal success of his "Cuban and Porto Rican Campaigns," of which an edition of 25,000 copies has been called for in less than a month.

When "Mona Maclean, Medical Student," achieved its large success the name which appeared on the title page, "Graham Travesty," was taken to be the author's real name. It is understood, however, that the title page of her new novel, "Windylough," which is to be published by Scribner's, shows the author's actual name, Margaret G. Todd, and that she is a physician.

The author of "She" has sent to press another novel, "Rider Hazard," a novel in three books in twelve months makes a pretty good record even in these days of rapid publication.

Monday, January 13, was the 50th anniversary of the death of Edmund Spenser. It is not generally known that he was a great poet. Having been appointed sheriff of the county of Cork, as "a man endowed with good knowledge and learning and not without some experience in the law," he assumed the duties of his office only to find a rebellion breaking out from which he escaped by the skin of his teeth.

ON BEFORE JUDGE FAWCETT

Hearing Commenced in Injunction to Restrain Terminal Company Occupying North Fourteenth Street. The application by the Omaha National bank and the Omaha Loan and Trust company for an injunction to restrain the Omaha Bridge and Terminal company from occupying the forty-foot strip on North Fourteenth street south of Nicholas, with its tracks and other structures, was argued before Judge Fawcett.

W. B. Taylor has instituted a suit in district court to recover a commission alleged to have been earned by effecting an exchange of Omaha property valued at \$45,000 for W. A. Paxton. Taylor asserts that the late Paxton, engaged in business with change and agreed to pay him a commission on the deal.

ARRESTED FOR EMBEZZLING

W. C. Boone in Jail as the Result of Failing to Pay His Landlady. "How to live for nothing a day and prosper," would be an apt title for the story of W. C. Boone's existence during the last few weeks. To judge from the facts told by the police and his landlady, Boone is pastmaster in the art of bill-dodging.

Boone roomed at 314 North Nineteenth street. Until within a week or two ago he was employed as collector for the Morrissey Plumbing company, 319 South Fifteenth street. Last evening while explaining to his landlady for the fifth time why he was unable to pay his room rent, Sergeant Whalen and Officer Vanolis entered the parlor of the boarding house and arrested him on the charge of embezzlement preferred by the Morrissey Plumbing company.

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OWNERSHIP OF TURNSTILES

Question Over Which Old and New Exposition Associations Clash.

ENCOURAGING NEWS FROM THE STATES

Many of the Legislatures Now in Session Favor Appropriations for Exhibits at Greater American Exposition.

The turnstiles that registered the 2,000,000 visitors to the Mississippi Exposition have lately become a source of no little trouble to the managers of the old and new enterprises. When the property was disposed of to the Greater American Exposition association the managers of the old organization supposed that they had divested themselves of all the worry incident to its possession.

The Department of Promotion is receiving very encouraging assurances from the members of the legislature of the western states relative to representation at the Greater American exposition. The benefits that resulted from state exhibits last year are becoming appreciated and the sentiment is generally in favor of adequate representation at the various commonwealths.

STATE FAILS TO MAKE A CASE

Reed, Charged with Stealing Brass from Street Railway Company, is Released from Custody. The state failed to make a case against Joe Reed, alias Charles Brown, who was accused of stealing twenty pounds of brass from the Omaha Street Railway company. The junk dealer who bought the brass said he could not tell whether Brown was the boy who sold him the brass or not.

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WOMEN MEET IN CONVENTION

Delegates from Twenty-Five Lodges of the Woodmen's Circle Gather in the City Today. The Woodmen Circle is holding its state conventions all over the country today. The Iowa convention at Creston and the Nebraska convention is held in this city.

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when residents of Hanscom park and the northern part of the city can make better time at a cheaper rate. The only relief in sight seems to be the restoration of the suburban service from the Missouri Pacific.

The local officials of this road seem favorably inclined and promise to run a train night and morning if they can be shown that enough people will use their train to give them sufficient compensation.

RECEPTION FOR REV. MORGAN

Members and Friends of First Baptist Church Formally Recognize Installation of the Pastor.

The installation of Rev. Vyrny Morgan as the pastor of the First Baptist church was formally recognized last night by a reception in the church building, which was made an occasion of more than usual interest.

The reception was preceded by an interesting program, in which a number of the clergy of the city participated. V. O. Strickland presided and after the usual song and invocation, Rev. C. B. Allen of Beth-Elden Baptist church expressed the sentiment of the evening in a brief address.

GAME OF FAST AND LOOSE

Reinstated Police Officers Fail to Hand in Their Resignations. The situation in which the matter lies is irritating the members of the board considerably on account of the financial aspect of the case. The court decision that orders the board to pay the officers their wages since they were discharged calls for the expenditure of about \$1,700 in this way.

TAKE UP WEIGHTY TOPICS

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Welcomes the newspaper men to his sanctum—like themselves he is handy with the shears—and the savings of the year will go a long way toward shoeing the family that didn't come to Omaha—there are shoes in our January sale for the children at \$3.00 and 75c that were \$1.00 and \$1.25—and all these and \$1.25 for the misses that were \$1.50 and \$1.25—while in women's shoes one in particular is worthy your money—a \$5.00 Derby, turn or well sole, for \$3.00—these are our regular goods—simply cut to close out odd lines.

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