Literary Notes.

"Quartz," the *nom de plume* so th knowing one says, of T. C. Patterson, formerly proprietor of the *Mail*, in a letter the other day to that newspaper handles the Earl of Desart, and his new book, the "Children of Nature," just published by Rose-Belford Publishing Company, pretty severely. He says "Lord Desart's new book is quite improper enough to insure its being read," and "our girls are not of that sort, and I chucked his Lordship's prurient trash into the St Lawrence, glad we had the means to wash at least one copy of its unhallowed impurities." The heroine of the story is supposed to be a Canadian by birth, so we judge this is sufficient reason for raising the indignation of the well-known fifth rib stabber.

The enterprise of J. B. Magurn, subscription book publisher, Toronto, deserves the thanks of all reading Canadians for bringing out such a reasonable priced edition of Stanley's "Across the Dark Continent."

It is encouraging to note that books pregnant with thought are having such large sales in Canada. It speaks well for the intelligence of our people. We understand that the Rose-Belford Publishing Co. have issued a second edition of "A modern Symposium," the first edition having been exhausted within three months. The same publishers have just issued Greg's "Creed of Christendom," and it is worthy of notice that the first edition of 2,500 copies, before it was off the press, were ordered. The complete index which this edition contains, and the greatly reduced price, makes it preferable to any other edition, which are all high priced and minus the index.

Advance orders for six thousand copies of Wilkie Collins' new novel, "The Haunted Hotel," have been received by the Canadian publishers, Rose Belford Publishing Co'y. Those who read the story as it progressed in *Rose-Belford Canadian Monthly* pronounce it equal to his "Woman in White."

There is a rumor that a Canadian edition of the Marquis of Lorne's work will be printed here.

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The report of the Copyright Commission, so far as it would effect Canada, if made law, would, undoubtedly, prove a great boon to Canadian Publishers.

Since Goldwin Smith's return to Canada, we can boast of having one of the best writers of the English language in the world. It is hoped he will contribute often to our magazines and newspapers. There never was a better opportunity than now to find patient readers of liberal doctrines.

It is pleasant as well as surprising to observe the rapid strides that publishing has made in Canada in the past few years. Another instance of this welcome enterprise is the announcement just made by the Rose-Belford Publishing Co., of their intention to issue a Canadian edition of Mrs. Annie Brassey's now famous book, "The Vovage in the Sunbeam." It is very handsomely illustrated, and it has been extoled as being as near perfect as any book could be, both literary and mechanically, by such first class magazines and newspapers as *Nineteenth Century*, *The Contemporary Review*, *The Saturday Review*, *The Academy*, and in fact by every periodical of any prominence in England and America.

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