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The Intimate Love Story of Amy "The Darling of the London Stage"

NOVELS THAT ARE SOCIAL HISTORY

French View of Women Disclosed in Three Novels

THE publication in translations this spring of three French novels gives American readers not familiar with the language an opportunity to discover for themselves what are the tendencies of modern French literature.

These three French novels indicate in a clear and lively appreciation of the basic human virtues.

LET us consider first "Maria Chapdelaine" (The Macmillan Company). Some are aware that it is a novel about the French Canadians in the Lake St. John country in Quebec...

THE people in the novel are the lumbermen and the trappers and the pioneers who are clearing the Canadian wilderness and making it fit for human habitation.

O. HENRY'S FANTASTIC LETTERS TO MISS WAGNALLS

Miss Mabel Wagnalls, daughter of a New York publisher, wrote a letter to O. Henry in May, 1903, expressing her appreciation of his stories.

DISOWNED BOY HEARS CALL OF THE BLOOD

In "The Inheritance of Jean Tronche" (Bobbs-Merrill Company) Neville Henshaw has written a story that will intrigue from its opening pages and will prove as interesting a novelistic feast as any in the current season.

Mrs. Pat Campbell's Letters

Beatrice Stella Cornwallis West would be recognized by that is her legal name. Much interest is expressed in her forthcoming autobiography, which she has titled "My Life and Some Letters."



MICHAEL SADLEIR A caricature by Hubert Lynch of the author of "Privilege."

LABOR AND CAPITAL

An Attempt in a Novel to Show How to Harmonize Them

Post-war relations of capital and labor and the psychological reflex of the men and women who served overseas after their return to the humdrum of everyday life are the motifs of William Dana Orcutt's "The Balance" (Stokes).

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