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**Francine F. Abeles\*** (fabeles@kean.edu). *Martin Gardner's 19th Century Counterpart:  
Richard A. Proctor*. Preliminary report.

Richard Proctor (1837-1888) and Martin Gardner (1914-2010) had many common interests and talents. As writers, both popularized mathematics and science, Proctor in the British science journal he founded, Knowledge; Gardner in the Games Column of the American journal, Scientific American. As a tribute to Martin Gardner, I will discuss Proctor's efforts to popularize mathematics, a topic about which little is known compared to his popular articles on scientific subjects. (Received January 25, 2011)