

MYSELF COMPLAINED.

To have the honour to submit this copy
for the favour of a review.

Work of this quality cannot be buried
for ever; the editor or critic with the courage
to recognise it must reckon with the usual
campaign of bullying, blackmail, and backstairs
intrigue; but, in the end, he may be sure of
the reward of self-respect.

Not need he await (a) a hard-luck story,
(b) an Adonais, (c) twenty-seven years, (d) a Lord
Haughton for the world to wake up. But let him
lose no time in sounding the war-drum if he would
stand in history and in heaven beside Phaulippides
and Paul Severo!

THE PUBLISHERS.