LITERATURE.

REVIEW OF NEW BOOKS.

THE CHILD WIFE. By Captain Mayne Reid. Published by Sheldon & Co., New York. For sale by J. B. Lippincott & Co. and Claxton, Remsen & Haffelfinger.

Captain Mayne Reid is chiefly known as the author of a number of books of adventures designed for the edification of juveniles, and in this branch of literature he has achieved a fair amount of success. Captain Reid is somewhat disposed to be prolix and to unnecessarily elaborate unimportant details, but his stories contain a great amount of really valuable information on the subject of natural history, although sometimes we are disposed to think that he draws on his imagination for some of his facts, at least. The boys, however, delight in him, and he really deserves his popularity. "The Child Wife" is, we believe, the first romance addressed to an adult audience that he has published for a number of years; and we scarcely think that he appears to the same advantage in it as he does in his juvenile stories. The plot is very slight and somewhat disconnected, and the inelegance of the style is not atoned for by the interest of the narrative. The publishers' announcement that this story is to some extent an autobiography gives to the author's laudations of the virtues and valor of his hero an air of self-glorification which is not altogether agreeable. "The Child Wife" will doubtless please a certain class of readers, but we think that we are entitled to expect something better from a writer of Captain Reid's experience.

THE DISEASES OF SHEEP. By Henry Clok, V. S. Published by Claxton, Remsen & Haffelfinger.

Dr. Clok, who held the important position of Veterinary Surgeon-in-Chief of the United States Army during the Rebellion, is qualified by education and experience to present reliable advice about the treatment of the diseases of the domestic animals. In this little manual he has endeavored to give such descriptions of the internal and external diseases of sheep as will enable the owners of flocks to deal with their ailments understandingly. The work is written in a plain, practical, and understandable manner, with an avoidance of technical terms, and there can be no difficulty in any one comprehending the descriptions of diseases and the remedies recommended. Dr. Clok states that everything in the book is the result of his own experience and observation, and that hardly a single disease is mentioned that he has not observed and treated. The work, we think, will be invaluable to sheep owners.

A TREATISE ON PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE, FOR SCHOOLS, FAMILIES, AND COLLEGES. By J. C. Dalton, M. D. Published by Harper & Brothers, New York. Philadelphia Agents: Claxton, Remsen & Haffelfinger.

This work being designed for pupils and general readers, the author has endeavored to avoid technicalities as much as possible, and to be so plain and exact in his statements that those who have no previous knowledge on medical subjects will have no difficulty in understanding all the important functions of the human body which come within the scope of a class-book of this kind. For convenience of reference a glossary is added, which contains the meaning of all professional terms which it has been necessary to employ in the body of the work. The treatise is illustrated by a number of diagrams, and we think, from the systematic arrangement of the subjects and the lucid manner in which they are treated, that it is exceedingly well adapted for the purpose intended.

THE PARABLES OF OUR LORD EXPLAINED AND APPLIED. By Rev. Francis Bourdillon, A. M. Published by Carlton & Lanahan, New York.

This book is the result of solid learning and much study. Simple and vigorous in style, clear in statement, full of deep though quiet spiritual life, it will be both popular and useful. It is worthy of a place in every family, and should be in the hands of every young man and woman and in every first-class Sunday School library. The publishers have done their part in the handsomest manner.

MANUAL OF METHODISM; OR, THE DOCTRINES, GENERAL RULES, AND USAGES OF THE M. E. CHURCH, WITH SCRIPTURE PROOFS AND EXPLANATIONS. By B. Hawley, D. D. Published by Carlton & Lanahan, New York.

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FROM SEVENTEEN TO THIRTY: THE TOWN LIFE OF A YOUTH FROM THE COUNTRY: ITS TRIALS, TEMPTATIONS, AND ADVANTAGES. Published by Carlton & Lanahan, New York.

This beautiful volume comprises lessons to the young, taken from the history of Joseph. To those who are walking the doubtful road from seventeen to thirty it will prove a useful companion. We have perused its pages with pleasure, and recommend it as an excellent work.

—"Dipping not Baptizing" is the title of a treatise by Rev. W. Thorn, author of "Modern Immersion not Scripture Baptism." The writer has ability, the subject is one of interest, and the pamphlet before us will be read extensively.

The above four works, from the press of Carlton & Lanahan, will be found on sale at Perkinpine & Higgins', or at the Book and Tract Depository, No. 1018 Arch street.

—"The Popular Encyclopedia and Universal Dictionary," edited by L. Colange, is an attempt to incorporate into a compact and concise form the vast information hitherto found only in numerous books, such as Gazetteers, Biographical Dictionaries, Encyclopedias, etc. The work will be issued in monthly numbers of eight pages each, each page having three columns of solid type, illustrated with cuts explanatory of the text. This work, to judge from the first number, will be one of the most valuable of the kind ever published in this country, and the low price, 10 cents a number, places it within the means of every one. Published by T. Ellwood Zell, Nos. 17 and 19 South Sixth street.

—*The Little Corporal* for December concludes the seventh volume. The contents are varied and attractive, as usual, and the editors appear to be exerting themselves to make this one of the most popular of the juvenile magazines. A number of improvements are promised for the coming year, and an attractive list of premiums are offered for old as well as new subscribers. All new subscribers for 1869, whose names and money are sent before the last of December, will receive the November and December numbers of this year. Published by Alfred L. Shewell, Chicago, Illinois.

—"Gleaning among the Sheaves" is a series of short selections from the sermons of Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, which will doubtless be appreciated by Christians of all denominations. Many of the passages are really eloquent expositions of religious truths, and are inspired by an earnestness which cannot fail to make an impression on the reader. This little book is issued in neat and tasteful style by Messrs. Sheldon & Co., New York. For sale by J. B. Lippincott & Co. and E. H. Butler & Co.

—"The New Music Album," edited and published by Julius Berr, No. 430 Walnut street, is a collection of fifty popular musical compositions. The editor has shown excellent judgment in making his selections, and his endeavor to please all tastes will undoubtedly make the "Album" extremely popular. Indeed, we understand that a large edition has already been disposed of. The "Album" is handsomely bound in morocco, with gilt edges, and the price, $2·50, is certainly low, when we consider the number and variety of its contents.

—"School Lyrics," published by Harper & Brothers, is a collection of hymns for devotional exercises in schools, which have been carefully selected out of a great number on account of their special fitness for the purpose intended. Philadelphia Agents: Claxton, Remsen & Haffelfinger.

Foreign Literary Items.

—The celebrated Committee of the Commons on the Longitude was in June, 1714; the project of Whiston and Ditton was heard, and evidence taken. Their tract was published in the same year, probably about June. But the first announcement of this plan, now thought so impracticable, was probably in July, 1713. In a number (107, July 14, 1713) of the *Guardian*, written by Addison, is a letter signed by Whiston and Ditton (dated the 11th), announcing the existence of their method, which they will communicate as soon as they are assured that no other person will be able to claim the reward for it: themselves desiring no reward until Newton and other competent persons should have approved of it. The letter is genuine, without irony, and beyond Addison in its handling of astronomical language. There is not the least symptom of an editorial joke, nor was the time come at which such a thing would have been intelligible. The letter in question has this effect: it introduces the name of Newton into a writing of Addison. So separated were literature and science in that day that the mere mention of Newton by Addison, Swift, or Steele is of the utmost rarity. If we look into Brewster's "Life of Newton," we shall become sensible of the value of Boswell's art. Addison and Newton must have met often, at the house of Lord Halifax if nowhere else; but it is not on record that they ever exchanged a word. Addison occurs twice in Brewster's Index, and we get the information that he delivered an address on Descartes at Oxford, and that Garth cited Halley's authority against Christianity. And this is all the connection between Addison and Newton which the book affords.

—The *Athenæum* says:—When Mr. Blades reprinted Caxton's very rare tract, "The Gouernayle of Helthe, with the Medecyne of ye Stomacke," from Lord Dysart's copy, he was not aware that at the public library, Cambridge, was a MS. of the Gouernayle. Just to add one to the list of MSS. mentioned in Mr. Blade's excellent "Illustrative Remarks," we mention that there is a MS. at Cambridge, in which the treatise is called "Liber de Bone Governance" (Cat. iv. 17); but it has not the short Introduction that Caxton's version has, and is evidently a careless copy of the text, omitting words necessary to the sense, that are in Caxton, and the other MSS. One piece of advice we extract, for the benefit of those people who indulge now in four meals a day:—"Bytwene two etynges, xi houres to be, is profytable; and so ete thries in two dayes, as todaye twyes, and to-morrow but ones; and so to continue forth." Of the second tract in the book, the "Medecyne of ye Stomacke," which is so continually attributed to Lydgate, an earlier version than Caxton's had been printed by Mr. Halliwell from the Harl. MS. 2251 in 1840, in his "Minor Poems of Dan John Lydgate," for the Percy Society. Though Mr. Blades notices this MS., he does not notice Mr. Halliwell's print of it, nor five MSS. of the poem that Mr. Halliwell mentions. Mr. Blades, however, notices three MSS. that Mr. Halliwell does not, and among them the Lansdowne, 699, which contains a very interesting poem, stuck on to Lydgate's. Lastly, Mr. Furnivall printed this year from a MS. unknown to both the former editors, the Lambeth, 853, the earliest version of the poem that has yet appeared, side by side with its Latin original ("Babees Book," pages 54–8). But Caxton's print, about 1491 A. D., and Mr. Blades' reprint of 1858 (of fifty-five copies only), were unknown to the latest editor, as also the Lansdowne MS., 699, and two other of Mr. Blades' MSS. He, however, added Harl. 5401 to the list of MSS. Trin. Coll. Camb. B 11, 24, is another; and there must be many more.

—The Turkish press in London has undergone a modification. There is again only one paper. The paper first started by Young Turkey was the *Mukhbir*. The editor of this was Ali Suavi Effendi, a member of the professional class (lawyer and ecclesiastic), and only in opposition because he was an old Tory. He is a man of considerable attainments in Oriental literature, history, law, and theology; has acquired the French, and, to some extent, the English language, and is the author of some translations into Turkish. His supporters of Young Turkey, besides contributing money, contributed articles, but the combination of old Toryism with their ultra Liberalism was little to their taste, and they therefore set up in London another paper, called the *Hurriyet*, or *Liberty*, and the editorship was undertaken by H. E. Aghiah Effendi, late Director-General of Ports, and editor of a suppressed popular paper. Now the *Mukhbir* has been stopped. The *Mukhbir* made a great sensation in Constantinople, where it was smuggled; but the *Hurriyet*, though politically more violent, creates less excitement. The conductors tried to make Paris their centre, having French sympathies, but found the political atmosphere of London was safer. Thus, strangely enough, London is a centre of propagandism against the governmental system of the Sublime Porte; and yet there are Englishmen in Constantinople still alive who remember the Janissaries in all their sedition, and the booming of the guns on the day of their massacre and suppression.

—The case of Low vs. Ward, reported at length in the "Law Journal Reports," "Chancery," p. 841, affirms, under somewhat singular circumstances, that copyright may exist in some chapters of a book, while others are unprivileged. The circumstances are shortly these:—While Professor Holmes, of Boston, was bringing out his story of "The Guardian Angel" in a serial form in the *Atlantic Monthly*, the plaintiffs (the well-known publishers of Ludgate Hill) entered into an agreement with him that he should acquire a British copyright in the story, and sell it to the plaintiffs. Professor Holmes accordingly, in October, 1867, went to Montreal, the tale not then having been completed in the *Atlantic Monthly*, and while there the entire work was published by the plaintiffs. At that time the last six chapters had not appeared in America. The defendants (who are publishers in Paternoster Row) afterwards brought out a cheap edition, and the suit was instituted for an injunction. The plaintiffs relied on the well-known case of Low vs. Routledge, which establishes that an alien who, during a residence in a British colony, publishes a work in England, acquires a copyright therein. It was rather ingeniously argued for the defendants that it was an essential condition of copyright that the entire work should first appear in the United Kingdom; that the benefit of such first publication was, in fact, the consideration in respect of which the privilege of copyright was granted, and that copyright could not exist in a part of a work only. The Judge, Vice-Chancellor Giffard, "had not the slightest doubt about the case." He decided that where the parts of a work can be separated, there may be copyright in any distinct part of it; and he granted the injunction, restraining the defendants from printing or selling copies containing the last six chapters of the work.

—A fictitious Elizabethan writer on the English language—one Hare—has just been expunged from the list of our linguistic authers by Mr. Alexander J. Ellis. The MS. Reg. 17, C. vii., in the British Museum, is described in the printed catalogue as "*Hare's* Censure of the English Language," and is labelled on the back "*Hare* on the English Language." The MS. was recommended to one of the Committee of the Early English Text Society for publication in the Society's series of Early Dictionaries and Grammars, and Works illustrating the History of the English Language. The Committeeman referred the matter to Mr. A. J. Ellis, and he, on examining the MS., found that the writer, in the Dedication, page 4, clearly wrote his name, John *Hart*. Mr. Ellis also found that many passages of the MS. were quite familiar to him; and on comparing it with his old friend, the "Orthographie, conteyning the due order and reason howe to write or paint thimage of manners, voice, most like to the life or nature," by John Hart, Chester Herald, London, 1569, it became evident that the MS. was simply the author's first draft of his printed "Orthographie," which he states in that work that he wrote about twenty years before he published his book—in reality, eighteen years; for the MS. is dated 1551, and is in Hart's own handwriting. Though, then, we have lost a Hare, we have a more interesting subject in the original Hart; yet a less valuable one than a phonetic treatise by an independent writer in 1551 would have been. If the Trustees and their keeper of MSS. are bibliographically minded, they will not complain of their loss of Mr. Ellis' correction.

—A few lately-made identifications of MSS. in the Cambridge University Library may interest manuscript men. The poetical treatise on the Ten Commandments, described in the Catalogue III, 449, turns out to be a copy of part of Robert of Brunne's "Handlyng Synne," taken out of that work, and put on to some one else's treatise on "The Seven Deadly Sins." The "Directions to Parish Priests, 'Women's servyce thou must forsake,'" (Catalogue II, 506), is part of Myrc's work, issued this year by the Early English Text Society. The fragment, "On King Arthur," (Catalogue III, 700), is a small part of a version of "Sir Lambwell," differing from both of those printed in the Percy Folio Ballads and Romances.

—A bill has been laid on the table of the Dutch legislature for abolishing, after the 1st of May, 1869, the now existing heavy tax on newspapers and advertisements. The law of 1843, which still oppresses Dutch journalism, is simply intolerable. In 1866 an anti-newspaper stamp league was formed in Rotterdam, and it rapidly spread all over the country. Its influence is considerable, and caused, no doubt, the present measure to be introduced. In no country of the world is the tax on papers and advertisements so excessively heavy as in the Netherlands. We sincerely hope for its suppression, as the "tax on knowledge" is totally unworthy of a free State.

—There will soon be an interesting auction in Amsterdam of the works of Nic. Pieneman, who was in his lifetime one of the best painters of the modern Dutch school, and chiefly excelled in portraits.

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CHARLES GIBBONS, Esq., will preside.

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