LITERARY NOTES.

Mr. Henry James has written for *The Century* an article both biographical and critical on the late Anthony Trollope. This will be pleasant news to the admirers of the English novelist, for no adequate mention has as yet been made of him in any periodical and Mr. James's work of this sort is always delightful.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe's "Life" of Margaret Fuller" will be the first volume devoted to an American woman in the biographical series projected by Roberts Brothers and so pleasantly introduced by Miss Blind's monograph on George Elliot. No more competent biographer of the Transcendental Sibyl than Mrs. Howe could be found; her knowledge of the subject she has undertaken is comprehensive and accurate.

The fourth edition of that fascinating book, Josiah Quincy's "Figures of the Past" has just been published by Roberts Brothers.

A beautiful portrait of Madame de Girardin, engraved in a skilful and spirited fashion by Kruell, will shortly be printed in *The Continent*.

A reprint of Bishop Thirlwall's "Letters to a Friend" will shortly be brought out by Roberts Brothers. Their edition of "Living English Poets" will be published almost immediately.

The Drawer, that department of *Harper's Magazine* which for many long years has brightened life for countless American households, is to have a new editor. Those who have enjoyed the merry humors of "My Summer in a Garden" may be sure that the Drawer will lose nothing of its old interest under the management of Mr. Charles Dudley Warner.

The Wheelman for April provides within its dainty new covers much fresh and lively reading matter and many excellent illustrations. The spirit of this magazine is a wholesome one, and its attractions increase with every number.

The Petrarch which Mr. Quaritch bought for $9,750 he sold to the British Museum for $10,250.

A semi-literary club in London which has twenty-one members answers to the quaint title of the "Sette of Odd Volumes."

A subscription book containing biographical sketches of noted literary women is said to be in preparation.

The leading article in the last number of *The Manhattan* is a picturesque paper by Miss M. W. Botsford on Michael Angelo and his works. It is embellished by several excellent illustrations. Miss Edith Thomas and Mr. Edgar Fawcett contribute poems. The latter takes for subject the river Amazon, and makes the great river say among other things:

Yet as the adequate symbol of virtues resultant
From aims that exalt,
Heaven at my summons will glass in these waters exultant
Her uttermost vault.

Discords are mine that can drown all the trivial dissensions
Of men far and near;
Euphomes float from my surge whose harmonious dimensions
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Mr. Joaquin Miller is for the present devoting himself to newspaper correspondence, and there is a rumor that he declares that he is no longer "poesying."

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B'swax, pkgs	1	Grease, pkgs	446	Butter, p'kgs	3,431
Cott'n, bal's	2,774	Seed, lbs	481	Cheese, p'kgs	2,544
Copp'r, bbls	24	Hides, bal's	5	D Hogs, No.	30
Copp'r, p'kgs	28	Hops, bales	106	Rice, pkgs.	150
Drugs, pkgs	10	Lead, pigs..	693	Skins, sides	49
Eggs, pkgs.	2,117	Leather, sides	15,735	Starch, p'kgs	305
Flour, bbls.	22,348	Sp Tur bbls	230	Sp'rine, p'kgs	50
C Meal, bbls	250	Rosin, bbls.	530	Tallow, p'kgs	275
C Meal, p'kgs	172	Oil, bbls	150	Tow, bales..	390
Wheat, bush	23,519	Oil Cake, p'kgs	1,407	Tob'co, hhds	257
Corn, bush.	95,070	O. L'br, bbls	163	Tob'co, pkg	177
Oats, bush.	65,794	Pork, pkgs.	84	Whisky, bbls	659
Rye, bush...	2,000	Beef, pkgs.	174	Wool, bales	36
Malt, bush.	13,500	Chas, pkgs	2,000		

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

NEW-YORK, Saturday, March 31, 1883.

ASHES—Quiet and unchanged.

COFFEE—Spot Rio strongest at 9¼@9¾c. for Fair, and 9¾@10c. for Good; only 1,109 bags ex Teddington were sold, but there is rather more inquiry; options advanced 5 to 10 points, closing quiet but steady; sales, 9,500 bags, including 2,500 for April, 5,000 for May, 7,750@7.80c. for June, 7,500@7.60c. for July, 8,000@8.10c. for August, and 8,500c. for December, closing as follows: March, 8.80@8.80; April, 7.85@7.90c.; May, 7.95@8.00c.; June, 7.75@7.80c.; July, 7.90@7.95c.; August, 8.10@8.15c.; September, 8.20@8.30c.; October, 8.25@8.35c.; November, 8.40@8.50c.; December, 8.50@8.60c.; January, 8.60@8.70c. Mild coffees quiet; Cordova, 10½c.; Central America on private terms.

COTTON—Spot Cotton quiet and unchanged; sales, 622 bales (450 bales last evening), including 222 bales for spinning and 400 bales in transit. Delivered on contracts, 600 bales. Receipts at the ports to-day, 1,967 bales, against 1,014 same day last week, and 6,307 bales last year. Futures moderately active, closing barely steady at a decline of 5@6 points; sales, 104,000 bales. Prices paid—April, 9.93@9.98; May, 10.06@10.13; June, 10.22@10.26; July, 10.35@10.38; August, 10.44@10.48; September, 10.22@10.24; October, 9.91@9.97; November, 9.87@9.90; December, 9.86@9.91; January, 10c. Closing prices—April, 9.96@9.97; May, 10.10@10.11; June, 10.22@10.24; July, 10.34@10.35; August, 10.43; September, 10.21; October, 9.90@9.96; November, 9.86@9.87; December, 9.87@9.88; January, 9.96@9.97. Transferable orders, 10.

FLOUR AND MEAL—FLOUR—Market a little more active, and sales in buyers' favor; moderate export demand, chiefly for the business mainly in Low Grades, part to arrive; jobbers only buying to supply immediate wants. Sales, 18,000 bbls., of which 14,200 bbls. were for export, including 1,000 bbls. Low Grade Extra, $3 75@$4 20; 4,000 bbls. Low Grade Extra, $4 25@$4 50; 700 bbls. extra, $4 60@$4 70; 4,000 bbls. City Mill Brands, $4 75@$5 00; 6,000 bbls. Spring and Winter Wheat Extra, mainly within the range $4 25@$5 50, including 4,000 bbls. to the trade at $5 25@$5 50; one half for April delivery at $5 10. Quotations $4 25@$5 50 for Minnesota Patent Extras, with inferior extreme; Common to Fair Extra Grades, $3 75@$4 20; Good to Fancy do, $4 25@$4 75; Common to Good Extra Western, $3 75@$4 50; Good to Choice, $4 50@$5 75. RYE FLOUR dull, with limited demand; prices unchanged; sales, 300 bbls. Buckwheat flour quiet at $3 75@$3 85. CORN MEAL quiet; sales, 500 bbls. Brandywine, $4 00; Yellow Western, $3@$3 40.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Market about steady for cash lots; options opened strong, with subsequently irregular movement of the decline, then fell heavily again, and closed steady at ½@¾c. above the lowest prices; fair active export demand, a limited trade for city Milling, and a large business on speculative account; sales, 2,426,000 bush. future, 255,000 bush. cash (nearly all the cash Wheat for export), including (barrafloat at $1 28@$1 31; Ungraded Winter Red, $1 04@$1 31; Steamer No. 3 Red, $1 19 delivered; Steamer No. 2 Red, $1 21½@$1 22; No. 2 Red, $1 21¾ for certificates; $1 19½@$1 20 for April; $1 19@$1 19½ for May; $1 19@$1 19½ free on board from store, $1 21½@$1 22¾ delivered; No. 1 Red, $1 26; Ungraded White, $1 03@$1 31; White State quoted $1 23½@$1 24; No. 2 White, $1 02; No. 1 White, $1 11; No. 2 Red Mixed to Select, March, $1 19¾@$1 20, closing $1 19¾; April, $1 19¾@$1 20, closing $1 19¾; May, $1 21½@$1 22¾, closing $1 21¾; June, $1 22¾@$1 23⅝, closing $1 22¾; July, $1 20¾@$1 21¾; August, $1 19¾@$1 20¾; September, $1 19¾. RYE—Easier; 57¼@57½c. per 56lbs. for Jersey, and 58½@59c. for State; Western, 58½@59c. BARLEY—Market quiet and steady; sales, 5,000 bush. Canada, 95c. ..... BARLEY—Market quiet, Two-rowed State, 90c.@$1, Six-rowed State, 90c@$1 05; Canada, $1 @$1 10, all on a cash basis. ..... CORN—Market opened ¼@½c. higher, subsequently recovered part of the decline, then lost strength, and closed heavy at a little above the lowest prices; very moderate export and home trade demand; a fairly active business on speculative account; sales, 1,720,000 bush. future, 130,000 bush. cash, including Ungraded Western Mixed at 60@62c.; No. 2 Mixed, 61½c. delivered; No. 2 Mixed, 61½c. delivered; No. 2 Mixed, 61½c. delivered; Southern Yellow, 62c. on dock; No. 2 Mixed Seller March, 61½@61¾c., closing 61½c.; April, 61¾@62c., closing 62c.; May, 61¾@62c., closing 62c.; June, 61¾@62c., closing 62c.; July, 61¾@62c., closing 62c.; August, 61¾@62c., closing 62c.; September, 61¾@62c.; November, 58½@58¾c.; December, 58¾@59c.; January, 59c. Closing prices—April, 61¾@62c.; May, 61¾@62c.; June, 61¾@62c.; July, 61¾@62c.; August, 61¾@62c.; September, 61¾@62c.; November, 58½@58¾c.; December, 58¾@59c.; January, 59c. Transferable orders, 61½@62c.

OATS—Market quiet and unchanged; sales, 65,000 bush. options; No. 2 Mixed at 45c.; No. 2, 52½c.; No. 1 quoted 53c.; No. 3 White, 50c.; No. 2, 51@51½c.; No. 1 quoted 57c.; Mixed Western, 52@53c.; White do, 53@55c.; White State, 54@56c.; No. 2 Chicago, 52½c. delivered; No. 2 Mixed Seller April, 51¾@52c.; closing 51¾@52c.; May, 51¾@52c., closing 51¾@52c.; June, 51¾@52c., closing 52¼@52½c.; July, 51¾@52c., closing 52¼@52½c.; August, 51¾@52c., closing 52¼@52½c.; September, 51¾@52c.; October, 51¾@52c.; November, 51¾@52c.; December, 51¾@52c.; January, 51¾@52c. Closing prices—April, 51¾@52c.; May, 51¾@52c.; June, 51¾@52c.; July, 51¾@52c.; August, 51¾@52c.; September, 51¾@52c.; October, 51¾@52c.; November, 51¾@52c.; December, 51¾@52c.; January, 51¾@52c. Transferable orders, 52c.

FEED—Market quiet; prices without decided change; Coarse Feed, $1 @$1 05; Fine do, $1 05@$1 10; Sharps, $1 20@$1 25; Rye Feed, $1 00@$1 10.

HAY AND STRAW—All prices are about steady. There is fair and moderate consumptive inquiry. We quote Hay, Shipping Lots, 80c.; Prime to Prime Timothy, 95c@$1c.; Shipping Bundles, 80c.; Clover, 95c@1c.; No. 1 Rye Straw, 70@75c.; short cut, 45@50c.; Oat, 40@45c.

HIDES—Quiet and essentially unchanged.

HOPS—Trade was again quite moderate and even small today. Dealers here, however, believe in higher prices and they propose to hold on. The undertone is firm. The English and German advices are good. New State Choice, 90c. cash, with higher prices for time lots; Yearlings, 70@80c.; Pacific Coast and Californians nominal; sales of the week for the trade, 1,000 bales; 500 bales for export. The Iron and Metal Exchange: Iron has been quiet all week. Tin has been quiet but irregular, opening easier and closing firmer. The sales for the week reach 250 tons. Copper has been dull and weak every since Monday, with business of only a few lots, and closes unchanged. Lead opened on Monday dull and weak, but has since seen more active at the decline, 1,000 tons selling from 4.60c. down to 4.45c., and closes weak. Spelter has been steady and unchanged.

MOLASSES—Firm, unchanged; a fair inquiry for New Orleans in small lots.

NAVAL STORES—Rosins were quiet but steady; Common Strained, $1 60; Finished, $1 70; Good do, $1 75; Spirits Turpentine was dull and weaker; 10 bbls. were sold at 40c. and 100 bbls. more were offered by a prominent operator at the same price, and both were quiet.

OILS—Linseed is firm, with a fair business reported; Crude, 58c.; Boiled, 61c.; Lard, Prime Western, 58@59c.; Cheese, American Choice, 7@8c.; Skimmed, 3@4c.; Part Skim, 3@4c.; Full Skims, 2@2½c.; Good to Choice Factory, 7@8c.; Light to Fine, 8@9c.; Part Skim, 3@4c.; Full Skims, 2@2½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork is somewhat firmer, but quiet; sales of 200 bbls. at $18 50 for Mess, and $19 for Extra Prime; Beef is quiet and unchanged; Beef Hams are firmer; sales of 100 bbls. at $22 50; 300 bbls. Extra Prime at West; private terms; 500 bbls. Mess, April, at $18 50; 500 bbls. Mess, May, quoted $19@$19 50; Western Prime Mess, $18 50@$19; Extra Prime, $18@$18 75; Clear Backs, $22@$22 50; Family Mess, $18 50@$21; Mess March, $19 asked; April, $19 15 asked; May, $18 25 asked. ..... BEEF rules at steady prices, with a moderate demand from jobbers; sales 75 bbls. Plate Beef, private terms; Plain Mess, $7 75@$8 25; Extra Mess, $13@$14; Packet, $14 50@$15 25; Plate, $14 75@$15 50; $13@$14 Packet; $14 50@$15 25; Plate, $14 75@$15 50; City Extra India Mess, in tcs, $25@$27 50. ..... BEEF CUTS HAMS in fair request, and quoted firm at $22. ..... CUT MEATS—Firmness is noted to prices, with a fairly active trade reported; sales, 1,700 Pickled Hams, 13¾@14c.; 500 Pickled Shoulders, 8½c.; 600 Smoked Hams, 13¾@14c.; 200 Pickled Bellies, 12 lb average, 10½c.; Pickled Bellies, 12 lb, 10½c.; Pickled Shoulders, 8½c.; Pickled Hams, 11¾@12c.; Smoked Shoulders, 9½c.; Smoked Hams, 13¾@14c. ..... MIDDLES very quiet, but firm with decided inquiry; Long Clear quoted here, 10½c.; at West sides 250 boxes Long and Short Clear, half and half, 10¼c., closing held at 10⅜c.; Long Clear, 9.70@9.95c.; Short Clear, 9.70@9.95. ..... DRESSED HOGS have a fair inquiry, and are well sustained in price; City, Heavy to Light, 9½@9¾c.; Pigs, 10½c. ..... LARD—Market opened ½@¾c. higher, subsequently ruled weaker, and fell back 4@5 points, leaving off fairly steady at the reaction; speculation very quiet, and cash demand limited to small lots for immediate wants; sales, 160 tcs. Prime Steam spot, 11.02½@11.05c.; 1,250 tcs. April, 11.05@11.06c., closing 11.05@11.06c.; 6,750 tcs. May, 11.07@11.10c.; 1,000 tcs. June, 11.17@11.20c.; 500 tcs. July, 11.27@11.30c.; closing 11.27@11.30c.; 1,000 tcs. August, 11.39@11.42c., closing 11.39@11.42c.; 4,250 tcs. August, 11.70@11.75c., September, 11.72c.; 1,000 tcs. seller year, 10.97½@11c., closing 10.97c.; City Steam firm and in fair demand; sales, 100 tcs. 11.20@11.30c.; Refined, 11.45@11.50c. Continent, 11.85c.; South American, 11.85c. ..... BUTTER as quoted last. ..... CHEESE—Demand is very fair, partly from exporters, but chiefly on wants of the home trade; prices rule firm, but are without radical changes; State Factory, 9@11½c.; Creamery Skimmed, 6@9c.; do., partly skimmed, 9@10c.; Selections for home use, 14@15c. ..... EGGS are a shade higher again, with a very fair demand; State and Pennsylvania, 19c.; Western, 18¾@19c.; Southern, 18¾@18¾c.

RICE—Firm, fairly active, unchanged.

SEEDS—Firm, unchanged and fairly active.

SUGAR—Raw firm at 7c. for Fair Refining and 7¾c. for 96° test Centrifugal; refiners were disposed to purchase sparingly since the arrival of their own importations, and state that they will continue this policy till the new duties take effect; sales 100 hhds. Centrifugal, 7¾c., and 275 hhds. and 200 bags French Island, 6⅞@6¾c. Refined quiet and slightly lower; Cut Loaf, 9¼c.; Crushed, 9¼c.; Powdered, 8⅞@9c.; Granulated, 8⅝@8¾c.; Cubes, 9c.; Mould "A," 8¾c.; Confectioners' "A," 8⅜c.; Standard "A," 8¼c.; Off "A," 7⅞@8c.; White Extra "C," 7¾c.; Extra "C," 7½@7⅝c.; "C," 7¼c.; Yellow "C," 7¼c.; Yellow, 7@7⅛c.

STEARINE—Quiet and held firm; Choice City quoted 11¾@11¾c.; sales, 10,000 lbs. Oleomargarine Stearine, quoted 10¼c.

TALLOW—Firm and in fair request; sales 62,000 lb, 8¼@8⅝c.

EUROPEAN MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—Bacon, Cumberland Cut, 54s.; Short Rib 55s.; Long Clear, 55s.; Short Clear, 56s.; Clear Middles, heavy, 54s.; do. light, 55s.; Shoulders, 36s. Pork, Prime Mess, 85s.; do. Western, 82s. Lard, Prime Western, 58s.; Cheese, American Choice, 70s.; Good, 60s. Corn, 6s. 6d. for Mixed old. Turpentine Spirits, 40s. Provisions—Lard, 56s. per cwt for American. Breadstuffs—Corn, 6s. 5d. for old Mixed Western. Wheat, 9s. 7d@9s. 11d. per cental for California Club. Red, 8s. 3d@8s. 9d. for Red Western Spring; 8s. 2d@8s. 11d. for Red Winter.

LONDON, March 31.—Spirits Turpentine, 39s. 6d. Calcutta Linseed, 44s. 9d. per quarter. Linseed Oil, £21 0s.@£21 10s. per ton. Tallow 47s. 6d. per cwt. Ref