

munity at large should have. The Department is laid under the responsibility of not encouraging the reading of all books morally unobjectionable, but should discriminate in favour of the better class of books.

4. In determining whether any book submitted for approval has sufficient merit to warrant the Committee in recommending it, there will be little difficulty in the following subjects, viz.: In Science, Mental and Physical; in Geography and History, in Criticism, in Poetry, in Theology and Religion. In case of works that give information of any kind, the Committee will readily decide what works are, and what works are not, suitable for prizes or for libraries. But as a very large portion of the prose Fiction published is trash, the Committee will not recommend any novel, or other fictitious narrative, unless it possesses decided merit.

5. The members of the Central Committee are not expected to peruse every volume submitted, but only to gain such an acquaintance with the works on which they pass judgment as to be able to decide whether they deserve to be authorized.

6. Each member of the Central Committee is constituted a sub-Committee for the purpose of examining books; his report to be accepted, rejected, or amended by the Committee. Each sub-Committee shall submit in a special return the works of fiction which he proposes to recommend for authorization.

7. Due notice of the dates of the meetings of the Committee for the examination of Library and Prize Books shall be published for the information of publishers, booksellers and others, and no book shall be examined at any meeting unless it has been received before the meeting begins.

8. Publishers, Booksellers and others are required to take notice that the above Regulations as to the nature and quality of the books to be authorized will be rigidly enforced.

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| | | | s. d. | £ cts. | |
| Willie and Lucy at Home | Religious T. Soc. | Cloth | 2 0 | 0 38 | P. |
| Willie and Lucy Abroad | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Willie and Lucy at the Seaside | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Book about Animals | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| What is her Name? | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Ferrol Family | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Original Fables | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| The Exile's Trust | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Barthel Winkler | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Fairly-cum Forelands | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| The Grafton Family | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Nearest Neighbour | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Steps to the Throne of Grace | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Sweet Story of Old | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Lilian's Talk with Mama | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Ludovic | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Home in Humble Life | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Little Serena | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| City Sparrows | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Peter the Apprentice | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| George Clifford | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Historical Tales | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Little Wavie | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Our Forest Home | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Uncle Ned's Stories | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Two Little Bruces | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Fishers of Derby Haven | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Nails Driven Home | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| My Brother Paul | do | do | 1 6 | 0 29 | " |
| Kardoo | do | do | 1 6 | 0 29 | " |
| Fuel for our Fires | do | do | 1 6 | 0 29 | " |
| Alone in London | do | do | 1 6 | 0 29 | " |
| The Bright City | do | do | 0 9 | 0 15 | " |
| Scots Worthies | Carter | do | 3 50 | 2 45 | " |
| Thought Hives | do | do | 1 75 | 1 23 | " |
| Four Years in Ashantee | do | do | 1 75 | 1 23 | " |
| Life of Marsh | do | do | 1 75 | 1 23 | " |

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| Robin Tremayne | do | do | 1 50 | 1 05 | " |
| The White Rose | do | do | 1 50 | 1 05 | " |
| Nellie of Truro | do | do | 1 50 | 1 05 | " |
| Isoult Barry | do | do | 1 50 | 1 05 | " |
| Tales from Alsace | do | do | 1 50 | 1 05 | " |
| Coulyng Castle | do | do | 1 50 | 1 05 | " |
| Oliver Cromwell | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Froggy's Little Brother | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Tim's Little Mother | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Bending Willow | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Rosalie's Pet | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Shadow on the Hearth | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Mabel Walton's Experiment | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Eleanor's Visit | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Well in the Desert | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Ashcliffe Hall | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Maggie's Mistake | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| The New Scholars | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Alice Neville | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Little Brothers and Sisters | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Rockbourne | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Floss Silverthorne | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Rose Marbury | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | L. P. |
| Nurses for the Needy | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Fanny's Birthday Gift | do | do | 1 25 | 0 88 | " |
| Evening Hours | do | Boards. | 1 00 | 0 70 | " |
| Martyrs and Heroes | do | Cloth | 1 00 | 0 70 | " |
| Truffle Nephews | do | do | 1 00 | 0 70 | " |
| Cripple of Antioch | do | do | 1 00 | 0 70 | " |
| Stellafont Abbey | do | do | 1 00 | 0 70 | " |
| Faithful in Little | do | do | 1 00 | 0 70 | " |
| Little Drops of Rain | do | do | 1 00 | 0 70 | " |
| Golden Chain | do | do | 0 90 | 0 63 | " |
| Cedar Christian | do | do | 0 90 | 0 63 | " |
| Fanny and her Mamma | do | do | 0 75 | 0 53 | " |
| Many Thoughts of Many Minds | Chas. Griffin | do | 21 0 | 3 99 | P. |
| Civil Engineering | do | do | 16 0 | 3 04 | L. P. |
| The Steam Engine | do | do | 12 6 | 2 38 | " |
| Machinery and Millwork | do | do | 12 6 | 2 38 | " |
| Applied Mechanics | do | do | 12 6 | 2 38 | " |
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| Mechanical Text Book | do | do | 9 0 | 1 71 | " |
| Bowdler's Shakespere | do | do | 8 0 | 1 52 | " |
| Eadie's Biblical Cyclopædia | do | do | 7 6 | 1 43 | " |
| Cruden's Concordance | do | do | 7 6 | 1 43 | " |
| Paley's Natural Theology | do | do | 7 6 | 1 43 | " |
| Magic of Science | do | do | 5 0 | 0 95 | P. |
| Christian Philosopher | do | do | 5 0 | 0 95 | " |
| Mental Science | do | do | 3 6 | 0 67 | L. P. |
| Chatterton's Poems | do | do | 3 6 | 0 67 | " |
| Barnard's Landscape Painting, Theory and Practice of | Routledge | do | 21 0 | 4 00 | " |
| Barnard's Drawings from Nature | do | do | 21 0 | 4 00 | " |
| Book of British Ballads (S. C. Hall) | do | do | 21 0 | 4 00 | " |
| Discoveries and Inventions of the 19th Century | do | do | 10 6 | 2 00 | " |
| Kingston's Shipwrecks and Disasters at Sea | do | do | 6 0 | 1 14 | P. |
| Pepper's Playbook of Metals | do | do | 6 0 | 1 14 | L. P. |
| do Science | do | do | 6 0 | 1 14 | " |
| Memoirs of Great Commanders | do | do | 5 0 | 0 95 | " |
| Opening of Chesnut Burr (Rev. E. P. Roe) | do | do | 3 6 | 0 67 | P. |
| Barriers Burned Away | do | do | 3 6 | 0 67 | " |
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| Froissart's Chronicles of England, France, Spain, &c., &c., illustrated | do | do | 3 6 | 0 67 | L. P. |
| Ragged Robin | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | P. |
| The Lost Rifle | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | " |
| Great Divide - Earl Dunraven | Chatto | do | 20 0 | 3 80 | " |
| Stories of King Arthur, by Sir Thomas Malory | do | do | 2 0 | 0 38 | P. |
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| do The Bird | do | do | 10 6 | 2 00 | " |
| do Nature | do | do | 10 6 | 2 00 | " |
| do The Sea | do | do | 10 6 | 2 00 | " |
| The Arctic World | do | do | 10 6 | 2 00 | " |
| Two years in East Africa | do | do | 3 6 | 0 67 | " |
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