

## Book Review.

WHERE THE ROAD LED, AND OTHER STORIES. Bensiger Bros., New York.

Where the Road Led, is a pretty little tale by Anna T. Sadlier who contributes three cher stories to the book. The other writers are well known Catholic authors like Magdalen Rock, Maurice Francis Egan, Clara Mulholland, etc., whom we have all known and admired in their productions. Our book contains twenty-eight stories in all, adapted to please both young and old and to instil in the mind lessons of piety.

WAYWARD WINIFRED, By Anna T. Sadlier. Bensiger Bros. New York.

This latest production of a prolific pen is worthy of its predecessors. It is a weird fascinating tale of the Wicklow Hills and their association with the fortunes of the old Irish family of O'Byrne. The heroine who lives with her old nurse and two devoted servants in an old castle of the hills of Wicklow seems the very spirit of the place. She is the sole representative, apparently, of the "ould stock" and is held in a sort of awe by the country people because of the strange circumstances attending her birth and subsequent life. She is taught by the mad schoolmaster who turns out to be her father's eccentric uncle who had abandoned all, even his faith in his anxiety to revive the family's fortunes in the person first c'his nephew, and, after his disappearance, of Winif-ed. The provential intervention of a kind American lady who takes Winifre to New York, is responsible for the return of the long-absent father, the reunion of all and the revival of the family.