

## LITERARY NOTES.

Messrs. Adam, Stevenson & Co. have ready an edition of the new issue of the Christian Evidence Society Lectures, delivered in the new Hall of Science, London, entitled "Popular Objections to Revealed Truth." "Modern Scepticism" and "Faith and Free Thought" are the subjects of the two earlier volumes of the same series, also issued by this firm.

Messrs. T. & T. Clark are issuing Prof. Christlieb's eagerly expected work on "Modern Doubts on Christian Faith," the substance of which was delivered by the author at the Evangelical Alliance Convention recently held in New York. Messrs. Harper Brothers, of New York, have published a cheap edition of the matter of the address, extracted from the complete report of the proceedings of the Alliance, which they have now in press.

Messrs. W. Isbister & Co., the successors to the firm of Alex. Strahan & Co., of London, announce the "Autobiography and Memoir of the late Thomas Guthrie, D. D.," edited by his sons, to be issued in two volumes. The same firm have ready a new work by Mr. Samuel Smiles, entitled "The Huguenots in France, after the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes, with a Visit to the Country of the Vaudois;" also a manual of Homiletical and Pastoral Theology, with the title of "For the Work of the Ministry," by Rev. Professor W. G. Blaikie, D. D.

Messrs. H. S. King & Co. have ready M. Jules Favre's interesting work on "The Government of the National Defence," from June 30 to October 31, 1870; a new volume from the pen of the Country Parson, entitled "A Scotch Communion Sunday, and other discourses from a University City"; two new issues of the "International Science Series;" Prof. Bain on "Mind and Body: the Theories of their Relations;" and Mr. Herbert Spencer on "The Study of Sociology." Messrs. King have also issued a collected volume of recent Papers by James Greenwood, the *Amateur Casual*, entitled "In Strange Company; being the Experiences of a Roving Correspondent."

Messrs. Macmillan & Co.'s new publications embrace Dr. Edward Freeman's Lectures, recently delivered at the Royal Institution, on "Comparative Politics;" "Speeches on some Current Political Questions," by Prof. Fawcett, M. P.; "Cobden and Political Opinion," by Prof. J. E. Thorold Rogers; and a new and enlarged edition of Prof.

Calderwood's "Handbook of Moral Philosophy."

Messrs. Holt & Co., New York, issue, by arrangement with the author's executor, John Stuart Mill's "Autobiography." They announce a translation of Dr. Strauss' recent work on "The Old Faith and the New," and reprints of Mr. Tylor's "Early History of Mankind," and "Primitive Culture."

Messrs. Harper Brothers have just reprinted the "Memoir and Letters of Sara Coleridge," edited by her daughter, which has been very favourably received by the English critics.

Messrs. D. Appleton & Co. announce Mr. Mivart's new work on "Man and Apes," and a reprint of the new novel by Rhoda Broughton, author of "Cometh up as a Flower," entitled "Nancy."

Messrs. W. Blackwood & Sons have in press a new work by Dr. David Page, on "Economic Geology, or Geology in its Relation to the Arts and Manufactures," and a reprint of a new series of articles on social subjects, from the *Saturday Review*, entitled "Sketches and Essays."

Messrs. Adam, Stevenson & Co.'s current publications embrace a cheap edition of "Jean Ingelow's Poems;" two new and attractive editions of "Tennyson's Complete Poetical Works," suitable for the holiday trade; and a further edition of Hesba Stretton's recent novel, "Hester Morley's Promise." They will shortly issue a Canadian edition of "French Home Life," a delightful volume on domestic life in France, a selection from which appeared in the November number of this journal. A reprint is preparing, at Messrs. Lovells' Lake Shore Press, Rouse's Point, N. Y., of Miss Florence Montgomery's beautiful story of child-life, "Misunderstood," and will shortly be received.

Mr. Lovell of Montreal, in a handsome 8vo. volume, has made a further contribution to Canadian literature in a work entitled, "Nova Scotia, in its Historical, Mercantile and Industrial Relations," by Mr. Duncan Campbell of Halifax. We trust to find space to review it in our next issue.

Mr. R. T. Walkem, Barrister, of Kingston, has just issued, with the *imprimatur* of Messrs. Willing & Williamson, Toronto, an important work on "The Law relating to the Execution and Revocation of Wills, and to Testamentary Capacity," which, doubtless, will be appreciatively welcomed by the legal profession.