

## BOOKS, MAGAZINES, &C.

**ST. AUGUSTIN, MELANCHTON, NEANDER.**—Three Biographies.—By Philip Schaff, D.D., LL.D.; Funk & Wagnalls, 10 and 12 Dey st., N.Y.; cloth \$1.

This book contains biographical sketches of three great men, St. Augustin the Church Father, Melancthon the Reformer, and Neander the Church Historian.

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**GODET'S COMMENTARY ON ST. JOHN.** Vol. I. (Translated from the new edition which Godet has just completed, having revised the work throughout, and enlarged it.) By Timothy Dwight, D.D., of Yale College. With introduction and annotations. Funk & Wagnalls, 10 and 12 Dey street, New York. Cloth, 8vo., \$3.

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**A PLAIN CATECHISM of the Sacramental Rite of Confirmation,** by a Priest of the Church.—The Young Churchman Company, Milwaukee, Wis.

Although the title of this little tract, in the form of questions and answers, would seem to elevate Confirmation into the place of a Sacrament, which it is needless to say is not the Church's teaching—there is little if anything of this teaching in the tract itself—which is good and will be found useful in refuting several of the popular errors as to Confirmation.

**OUR LITTLE ONES AND THE NURSERY.**—Russell Publishing Co., Boston.

The number for February comes to hand as attractive as ever. Valentine Day is duly marked by two pieces of poetry accompanied by illustrations.

**TREASURE TROVE and PUPILS' COMPANION.**—E. L. Kellogg & Co., New York.

February number contains much to interest and attract the young, amongst which is an interesting article by Dr. Alex. Mitchell, "A Walk under the Sea." The publishers seem determined to keep up the reputation acquired by the Magazine.

**THE PULPIT of To-DAY** with the January number discontinues its old name together with the publication of Mr. Beecher's sermons, and issues two magazines to fill the place of the one. *The English Pulpit of To-Day* gives from five to ten current English sermons, and *Plymouth Pulpit* (now published semi-

monthly) reports of Mr. Beecher's discourses. The price of each is \$1.50 yearly; Clergymen \$1. Subscribers who desire both can obtain them together for \$2.25; clergymen, \$5.00. Alfred E. Frost, publisher, Westfield, N.Y.

**MCCAHRELA & STAVELY**, 237-239 Dock street, Philadelphia, have sent us specimen copies of Lenten addresses, and cards for Lenten services for parochial use, which they are prepared to supply at very low rates, and which are excellent in composition and style. They have also in hand ready Easter Services for Sunday-schools. Catalogues and circulars on application.

**LITTELL'S LIVING AGE**—Littell & Co., Boston.

January 6th, contains a paper by the Bishop of Peterborough on the "Oaths, Parliamentary and Judicial," besides the usual amount of good selected matter.

**THE LIBRARY MAGAZINE.**—John B. Alden, 393 Pearl street, N.Y., for February contains a paper by T. H. Huxley, "The Interpreters of Genesis and the Interpreters of Nature"; also, "Hinduism" by a Hindu, &c.; \$1.50 per annum.

We have also received the February numbers of "The Spirit of Missions," "The Homiletic Review," "The American Antiquarian," "The Caterer and Household Magazine," No. 8 of Papers for the present times, by Rev. J. T. Cooper, D.D., Professor of Theology, (Presbyterian Seminary, Alleghany), entitled, "Christ our sanctification," S. R. Briggs, Toronto, 3c. each; The Report of the Proceedings of the American Forestry Congress, held in Boston, September, 1885—B. E. Fernon, 13 Burlington Slip, N.Y., (delayed by misdirection.) *The English Pulpit of To-Day*; (Alf. E. Rose, Westfield, N.Y.; \$1.50 per annum; \$1.00 to clergy), for January.

**NEW MUSIC.**—We have received the following pieces of music:—"Mary, darling, must you leave me?" by H. P. Danks. A pretty sentimental song. The author of "Silver threads among the gold" seems to have written a song which will make him more famous than "Silver Threads" did. "Little Ah Sid" (The Chinese Kid), by J. P. Skelly. "The Mikado Waltz," by Coote. All the above retail for 40 cents each, but the publishers offer to retail the lot post-paid on receipt of 60 cents, which is one-half the regular price. Address Richard A. Saalfeld, 12 Bible House, New York.

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## DIED.

**TRYDER.**—Suddenly on Monday, the 11th ult., at St. Paul, Minnesota, of Typhoid fever, Morton Tryder, aged 18 years, youngest son of the late Isalah Tryder, formerly engineer of the Intercolonial Railway, and a native of Hants, N.S.

**WHALEN.**—At Rawdon, N.S., January 30th, after a long illness, of consumption, Edith, youngest daughter of Stephen Whalen, aged 17 years.

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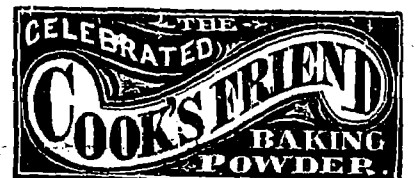
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