

Eleanor. By Mrs. Humphry Ward. \$1.50.  
 Monsieur Beaucaire. By Booth Tarkington. \$1.25.  
 The Master Christian. By Marie Corelli. \$1.50.  
 Babs, the Impossible. By Sarah Grand. \$1.50.

### ENGLISH LETTER.

LONDON, March 20 to April 20, 1901.

Trade has been a somewhat variable quantity during the past month. Of course, the Good Friday and Easter holidays were accountable for some of the slackness during the earlier portion, and as the vacation was lengthened by many of the houses closing also upon the intervening Saturday, a considerable break in the course of business was experienced. The fluctuations have, however, been very marked during the latter portion of the time.

Fiction has been extensive, and many of our most prominent authors have been in evidence. About forty new 6s. novels have appeared, and the sales in this class have been, taking the month throughout, very satisfactory. It is somewhat difficult to specialise among such a number, but among the most successful issues may be mentioned *Babs, the Impossible*, by Sarah Grand; *The Column*, by C. Marriott; *Lysbeth*, by Rider Haggard; *Mononia*, by Justin McCarthy; *The Silver Skull*, by S. R. Crockett; and *Pro Patria*, by Max Pemberton. With the death of that popular authoress, Miss Yonge, came an increase in the demand for the more popular of her works.

Theological books have not been much in request during the month just passed. There are, however, two works of this nature which have attracted the attention of the public, and have sold freely—viz., *The Body of Christ*, by Canon Gore, and Chambers's *Our Life after Death*. The latter has been before the public some considerable time, but appears to have an increased popularity. Several books bearing upon the African and Chinese campaigns have appeared, and, judging by the extent of their sales, the interest in these troubles has no appearance of flagging. In connection with the latter, we have had *These from the Land of Sinim*, by Sir Robert Hart; *A Year in China*, by Clive Bigham; and *The Siege of the Peking Legations*, by Allen Roland; and with the former, *My Experiences of the Boer War*, by Count Sternberg; and *The Journal of the C. I. V. in South Africa*, by W. H. Mackinnon. *A Subaltern's Letters to His Wife* and *A Common-sense Army* have both been much in demand.

*An Englishwoman's Love-Letters* has well maintained its popularity; and *Another Englishwoman's Love-Letters*, by Barry Pain, has equally continued its success. Consequent upon the expiration of the copyright of *Adam Bede*, by George Eliot, a goodly number of new editions have been placed before the public, and an increased amount of interest in this work has resulted.

The new issues of sixpenny reprints have been numerous, and very large orders have

been placed during the month. A large amount of trade has been transacted in this line, and there is every indication of a considerable increase in the near future. Among the most popular have been *The Heavenly Twins*, *Dodo*, *Pharos*, *the Egyptian*, *The Potter's Thumb*, *The Splendid Spur*, *Peg, the Rake*, and *Wild Proxy*.

The following is a list of the books which have been most in demand during the past month:

*Babs, the Impossible*. By Sarah Grand. 6s. (Hutchinson.)  
*The Column*. By C. Marriott. 6s. (Lane.)  
*The Master Christian*. By Marie Corelli. 6s. (Methuen.)  
*The Master Sinner*. By a Well-known Author. 3s. 6d. (Long.)  
*Lysbeth*. By H. Rider Haggard. 6s. (Longmans.)  
*The Silver Skull*. By S. R. Crockett. 6s. (Smith, Elder.)  
*Mononia*. By Justin McCarthy. 6s. (Chatto.)  
*Pro Patria*. By Max Pemberton. 6s. (Ward, Lock.)  
*The Visits of Elizabeth*. By Elinor Glyn. 6s. (Duckworth.)  
*Sin of Jasper Standish*. By Rita. 6s. (Constable.)  
*Little Grey Sheep*. By Mrs. Fraser. 6s. (Hutchinson.)  
*According to Plato*. By F. F. Moore. 6s. (Hutchinson.)  
*Englishwoman's Love-Letters*. 5s. net. (J. Murray.)  
*Another Englishwoman's Love-Letters*. By Barry Pain. 2s.; sewed, 1s. (Unwin.)

### BOOKS RECEIVED.

APRIL 10 TO MAY 10.  
 NEW YORK.

Abbey Press.

*From Clouds to Sunshine*. E. T. Kaven.  
*In Love and Truth*. Anita Clay Muñoz.  
*The Little Crusaders*. Isabel S. Stone.  
*Hallie Marshall*. F. P. Williams.  
*Lady Vere*. L. M. Elshemus.

American Book Company.

*New Education Readers*. A. Synthetic and Phonic Word Method. A. J. Demarest and W. M. Van Sickle.  
*A Text Book of Psychology*. Daniel Putnam, LL.D.

Appleton and Company.

*The Claim Jumpers*. Stewart E. White.  
*The Spanish People*. M. A. S. Hume.  
*Pleasures of the Telescope*. Garrett P. Soviss.  
*General Meade*. I. R. Pennypacker.  
*A Sailor's Log*. Robley D. Evans.  
*Bird-Life*. Frank M. Chapman.  
*War's Brighter Side*. Julian Ralph.  
*The Mystery of the Clapsed Hands*. Guy Boothby.  
*A Text-book of Astronomy*. George C. Comstock.  
*The Play of Man*. Karl Groos Sirius.  
*Ellen T. Fowler*.

- Baker-Taylor Company.  
First Years in Handicraft. W. J. Kenyon.  
With Wild Flowers from Pussy Willow  
to Thistledown. Maud Going.  
The Creed of the Presbyterians. Rev.  
E. W. Smith, D.D.  
Mr. Chupes and Miss Jenny. Effie Big-  
nell.  
Vedanta Philosophy.
- Benignus (William.)  
Ayre-Touches from the Hudson. Wil-  
liam Benignus.
- Brentano's.  
Nell Gwyn. Comedian. F. F. Moore.
- Century Company.  
The Prince of Illusion. John L. Long.  
Old Bowen's Legacy. Edwin A. Dix.
- Crowell and Company.  
Juletly. Lucy C. McElroy.  
Another Woman's Territory. Alien.  
Monopolies, Past and Present. J. E. Le  
Rossignol.
- Dodd, Mead and Company.  
Etidorhpa. John Uri Lloyd.  
The Pronunciation of 10,000 Proper  
Names. Mary S. and Maryette G.  
Mackery.  
Empresses of France. H. A. Guerber.  
The Eternal Quest. J. A. Stewart.
- Doubleday, Page and Company.  
The World's Work. Vol. I. November,  
1900, to April, 1901.  
A Journey to Nature. J. P. Mowbray.  
The Personal Edition of George Eliot.  
Vol. 2.  
The Lion's Brood. Duffield Osborne.  
The Niagara Book. By Mark Twain, W.  
D. Howells, E. S. Martin, N. S. Shaler,  
etc., etc.  
Masters of Men. Morgan Robertson.  
The Good Red Earth. Eden Phillpotts.
- Dutton and Company.  
The Feeding of Infants. Joseph E. Win-  
ters, M.D.
- Fenno and Company.  
The Deuce of Hearts.
- Funk and Wagnalls Company.  
Tarry Thou Till I Come. George Croly.  
In Deep Abyss. George Ohnet.  
For Charlie's Sake, and other Lyrics and  
Ballads. J. W. Palmer.  
The Transfiguration of Miss Philura.  
Florence M. Kingsley.
- Grafton Press.  
Newyorkitis. John H. Girdner, M.D.
- Harper Brothers.  
The Progress of the Century. By Em-  
inent Specialists.  
Under Studies. Mary E. Wilkins.  
The Love Letters of Bismarck.  
Labor. Emile Zola.  
A Victim of Circumstances. Geraldine  
Anthony.
- Fly—Rods and Fly—Tackle. Henry P.  
Wells.  
Practical Golf. Walter J. Travis.  
Orations and Essays of Edward John  
Phelps, LL.D. By J. G. McCullough.
- Hinds and Noble.  
A New Beginner's Latin Book. J. C.  
Hoch, Ph.D., and O. T. H. Bert, B.S.
- Jenkins, W. R.  
La Fille du Chanoine. Edmond About.  
The Complete Pocket Guide to Europe.  
Edited by E. C. and T. L. Stedman.
- Lane.  
The Aristocrats.
- Longmans, Green and Company.  
In Tibet and Chinese Turkestan. Capt.  
H. H. P. Deasy.  
A Subaltern's Letters to His Wife.  
Bolingbroke and His Times. Walter  
Sichel.  
The Later Life of Harriet Countess Cran-  
ville. Hon. Mrs. Oldfield.  
Queen Victoria, 1819-1901. Richard R.  
Holmes, M.V.O., F.S.A.
- Lovell Book Company.  
The Missing Answers to an English-  
woman's Love Letters.
- Macmillan Company.  
The Evolution of Immortality. S. D. Mc-  
Connell, D.D., D.C.L.  
The Writings of King Alfred. d 901.  
F. Harrison, M.A.  
The Arrows of the Almighty. Owen  
Johnson.  
Talks on Civics. Henry Holt.  
A Year in China, 1899-1900. Clive Big-  
ham, C.M.G.  
Voysey. R. O. Prowse.
- McClure, Phillips and Company.  
The Cruise of the *Petrel*. T. J. Hains.  
Every One His Own Way. Edith Wyatt.  
The Lovers of the Woods. W. H. Board-  
man.  
The Children of the Nations. P. Biglow.  
Five Years of My Life. Alfred Dreyfus.
- Neely Company.  
Circumstantial Affection. N. I. Gillman,  
Ph.G.
- Ogilvie Publishing Company.  
Mabel Gordon. R. K. D.
- Pott and Company.  
The Social Problem. J. A. Hobson.  
Shakespeare's Family. C. C. Stopes.  
Early Days in the Maple Sand. K. A.  
Young.
- Putnam's Sons.  
The Improvement of Towns and Cities.  
Charles M. Robinson.  
Logic. George H. Smith.  
The Hall of Fame. Official Book.
- Revell Company.  
Sunday-School Movements in America.  
M. C. Brown.

Russell.

- The Illustrated American Stage. A Pictorial Review of the most Recent Theatrical Successes.  
 Edna May, In the Girl From Up There. A Pictorial Souvenir.  
 The Apocalypse. Text selected from The Revelation of Saint John, the Divine. With note by Fitzroy Carrington.

Scribner's Sons.

- Bleak House. Charles Dickens.  
 Little Dorrit. Charles Dickens.  
 On Peter's Island. Arthur R. Ropes and Mary E. Ropes.  
 Mistress Nell. G. C. Hazleton.  
 The Ways of the Service. Frederick Palmer.  
 The Old New York Frontier. Francis W. Halsey.  
 The White Cottage. Zack.  
 The Delectable Mountains. Arthur Coltoy.  
 A Reading of Life. George Meredith.  
 The Church. (Ecclesia.) George D. Boardman, D.D., LL.D.  
 David Copperfield. Charles Dickens.  
 Barnaby Rudge. Charles Dickens.  
 Great Expectations. Charles Dickens.  
 Our Mutual Friend. Charles Dickens.  
 The Prose Dramas of Henrik Ibsen.  
 The Man in the Iron Mask. Tighe Hopkins.

Silver, Burdett and Company.

- Blue Shirt and Khaki. J. F. J. Archibald.

Stokes and Company.

- A Maryland Manor. Frederic Emory.  
 Philbrick Howell. Albert Kimross.  
 Prince Rupert, the Buccaneer. Cutcliffe Hyne.  
 The Compleat Bachelor. Oliver Onions.

Treat and Company.

- The Changing View-Point in Religious Thought. Henry T. Colestock, A.M., B.D.

Whittaker.

- The Son of Amram. Rev. G. M. Royce.

#### BOSTON.

Badger and Company.

- The Son of a Tory. Clinton Scollard.

Ginn and Company.

- Wigwam Stories. Mary C. Judd.  
 Guzman El Bueno. S. Primer, Ph.D.  
 The Working Principles of Rhetoric. John F. Genny.

Heath and Company.

- The Crofton Boys. Part 1. H. Martineau.  
 The Crofton Boys. Part 2. H. Martineau.  
 The Story of a Donkey. C. F. Dole.  
 Waste Not, Want Not, and other Stories. The Comedy of Errors. S. A. Hiestand.  
 The Little Lame Prince. Part 1. D. M. Mulock.

The Little Lame Prince. Part 2. D. M. Mulock.

- Tales from Munchausen. E. E. Hale.  
 The Siege of Leyden. W. E. Griffis.  
 Grib and Fly. C. F. Dole.  
 The Fairy Stories. J. Ingelow.  
 The Winter's Tale. S. A. Hiestand.

Houghton, Mifflin and Company.

- Miss Pritchard's Wedding Trip. Clara L. Burnham.  
 The Successors of Mary the First. Elizabeth S. P. Ward.  
 Under the Redwoods. Bret Harte.  
 Penelope's Irish Experiences. Kate D. Wiggins.  
 Titian. E. M. Hurl.  
 Life and Times of William Lowndes. Mrs. St. Julien Ravenel.  
 Everyday Birds. B. Torrey.  
 Poems. William V. Moody.  
 John Marshall. J. B. Thayer.  
 Ulysses S. Grant. Walter Allen.  
 Lewis and Clark. W. R. Lighton.

Lee and Shepard.

- Under McArthur in Luzon. Edward Stratemeyer.  
 Faneuil Hall and Faneuil Market. A. E. Brown.

Little, Brown and Company.

- The Master-Knot of Human Fate. Ellis Meredith.  
 Sir Christopher. Maud W. Goodwin.

Lothrop Publishing Company.

- The Dreams of My Youth. E. P. Tenney.  
 Jack Morgan, A Boy of 1812. W. O. Stoddard.  
 The Trend of the Centuries. A. W. Archibald.  
 Mag and Margaret. Mrs. G. R. Alden. (Pansy.)  
 An Aerial Runaway. W. P. and C. P. Chipman.  
 How They Succeeded. O. S. Mardey.  
 Pauline. Mrs. G. R. Alden. (Pansy.)  
 Under the Allied Flags. E. S. Brooks.  
 Paul Travers' Adventures. S. S. Clover.  
 Camp Venture. G. C. Eggleston.  
 The Potter and the Clay. Maud Howard Peterson.

West Company.

- The Wit and Wisdom of Jesus. George W. Buckley.

#### BUFFALO.

Wenborne-Sumner Company.

- Women of Tennyson. Janes E. Snow.

#### CHICAGO.

McClurg and Company.

- Birth, A New Chance. C. Bradford.  
 Garcilaso. J. B. Ellis.

Jamieson, Higgins and Company.

- The Warners. Gertrude P. Daniels.

Stone and Company.

- The Love of an Uncrowned Queen. W. H. Wilkins.

CLEVELAND, O.

Imperial Press.

American Orators and Oratory.

JACKSON, MISS.

Baptist Orphanage Press.

From Error's Chain. L. S. Foster.

LONDON.

Bell and Sons.

Pintoricchio. E. M. Philipps.

PELHAM, N. Y.

Gestefeld Publishing Company.

The Builder and the Plan. Ursula N. Gestefeld.

PHILADELPHIA.

Altemus Company.

The Woman Who Trusted. Will N. Harben.

Montanye, or the Slavers of Old New York. W. O. Stoddard.

Coates and Company.

The Tower of Wye. William H. Babcock.

In Search of Mademoiselle. George Gibbs.

McKay.

Age of Chivalry. Thomas Bulfinch.

Jacobs and Company.

Following Christ. Floyd W. Thomkins.

The Great Mystery. E. M. Jefferys and W. H. Jefferys.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Robertson, A. M.

The Lion at the Well. Lionel Josaphare. For the Blue and Gold. Joy Lichtenstein.

Speeches and Addresses. D. M. Delmas.

SYDNEY, N. S. W.

Dymock.

Poems, by Agnes L. Storrie.

WASHINGTON.

Government Printing Office.

Annual Report of the Smithsonian Institution. 1897. United States National Museum. 2.

Annual Report of the Smithsonian Institution. 1899. United States National Museum. 3.

Neal and Company.

The Last Man. N. M. McLoughlin.

Lowdermilk and Company.

The Songs of Alcæus. James S. E. Smith.

NEW YORK, UPTOWN.

1. The Story of Sarah. Forsslund. (Brentano.) \$1.50.

2. Alice of Old Vincennes. Thompson. (Bowen-Merrill Co.) \$1.50.

3. The Visits of Elizabeth. Glyn. (Lane.) \$1.50.

4. The Octopus. Norris. (Doubleday, Page & Co.) \$1.50.

5. Penelope's Irish Experiences. Wiggins. (Houghton, Mifflin & Co.) \$1.25.

6. Truth Dexter. McCall. (Little, Brown & Co.) \$1.50.

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2. Landmarks of New York City. Ullmann. (Appleton.) \$1.50.

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1. Alice of Old Vincennes. Thompson. (Bowen-Merrill Co.) \$1.50.

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3. The King's Pawn. Drummond. (Doubleday, Page & Co.) \$1.50.

4. Eben Holden. Bacheller. (Lothrop.) \$1.50.

5. The Ways of the Service. Palmer. (Scribner.) \$1.50.

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2. A Maryland Manor. Emory. (Stokes.) \$1.50.

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4. Like Another Helen. Horton. (Bowen-Merrill Co.) \$1.50.

5. Nell Gwyn. Moore. (Brentano.) \$1.50.

6. Nature's Garden. Blanchen. (Doubleday, Page & Co.) \$3.00.

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2. Clayton Halowell. Van Praag. (Fenno.) \$1.50.

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