## LITERATURE.

REVIEW OF NEW BOOKS. A BOOK ABOUT DOMINIES. By A. R. Hope. Published by Roberts Brothers. Philadel-

phis Agents: Turner Brothers & Co., No. 808 Chesnut street.

Some months ago we commented in favorable terms on "A Book about Boys," by Mr. A. R. Hope-a nom de plume, we understand-and we are pleased to see that the success of that work has induced Messrs. Roberts Brothers to issue a reprint of "A Book about Dominies." by the same author. Mr. Hope states that he is a schoolmaster, and he appears to be one who understands and respects his profession. With a rare appreciation of the strong as wel as the weak points of boyish nature, and with an experience as a "dominie" which entitles his words to a respectful hearing, he throws out a number of hints which are of the first value. "The Book about Dominies" is eminently readable, and, like its predecessor, we think it is calculated to do a great deal of good, if parents as well as schoolmasters will peruse it in an appreciative spirit.

-Frem Messrs, Turner Brothers & Co. we have also received "Realmie," by Arthur Helps: published by Roberts Brothers. Mr Helps is the author of a little volume entitled "Friends in Council," which has attained some popularity. The present volume is a story the scenes and people of which belong to another geologic era than our own; and the comments and criticisms of a circle of friends, as the tale progresses, give rise to dissertations and discussions on an infinite variety of subjects. A work of this kind requires a peculiar tact and delicate fancy to make it interesting, and these qualifications Mr. Helps does not apparently possess. We have found "Realmie" to be very dull reading.

-"Watchwords for the Warfare of Life," published by M. W. Dodd, New York, is the title of a volume which we are sure will be received with favor by Christians of all denominations. The "Watchwords" are selections from the writings of Martin Luther, translated and arranged by the author of "The Chronicles of the Schonberg-Cotta Fam-Ily." The contents are divided into five parts: "Words for the Battle-field;" "Words for the Day's March;""Words for the Halting Place;" "Words for the Wounded," and "Words for Victory." The volume is handsomely printed and bound. Received from J. B. Lippincott & Co. and Claxton, Remsen & Haffelfinger.

From J. B. Lippincott & Co. we have received "Recollections of Persons and Places in the West," by H. N. Brackenridge. La martine says that "Every family family is a history in itself, and even a poem, to those who know how to read its pages," and we do not see but that this will apply to individuals as well. Every one does not know how to tell a story, however, and the author of this volume is one of those deficient in this respect. As the work has reached a second edition, we presume that it contains matter to interest somebody; but while adventures by land and water are narrated, which a skilful writer would be sure to turn to account, the eminently prosaic style of this author reduces them below the level of commonplace. Mr. Brackenridge has adopted the precision of a legal document in relating his story, and it is encumbered by a mass of trivial details which he could scarcely expect would interest any one outside of his own immediate family. The book, if not entertaining, contains a great amount of curious information about men, manners, politics, etc., which will recommend it to a certain class of readers who care more for facts than they do for the style in which they are related.

The same house sends us "Trifles for the Christmas Holidays," by H. S. Armstrong-a collection of five or six short stories for the holiday season.

## ARKANSAS.

Extensive Jail Delivery. From the Van Buren (Ark.) Post, Dec. 12.

On Monday night last, just at dusk, thirteen of the prisoners confined in the jail at this place took rather a hasty leave of their limited habitation and accomodating guards. The men standing guard at the time were Dabbs, Morse, and O'Bryon. Morse went into the jall to replenish the fire and make an examination for the night. One of the prisoners seized him and threw him down, while another threatened to kill him with a stick of wood if he made a noise, and disarmed him. Another at the same time jumped out of the door and threw himself upon Dabbs who was guarding it, knocking him down and beating him severely, and disarmed him of his pistol. They then went to O'Bryon, who was in the guard-house, and made him "come down" with is pistols, threatening to kill him on the spot if he did not. Thirteen of the prisoners then struck out for the woods. Five or six others confined in the jail declined to go, satisfied, no doubt, that they were doing better in, and had far more comfortable quarters than out. After recovering somewhat from the surprise, the guards gave the alarm, and the town was hunted over, but only three were taken that night. The others have not been taken up to our going to press, and have undoubtedly made a successful escape. Seven of those who escaped were committed for murder by the United States Commissioner, and were awaiting

## VENEZUELA.

The Death of Monagas and its Effect-Peace Uncertain - A Disintegrating Scheme.

New York, Dec. 25 .- By the steamer Merrimac, from Rio Janeiro via St. Thomas, we have late intelligence from Venezuela. 'Ine intelligence of the death of General Monagas, sunounced through the cable, is confirmed. died in the city of Caraccas on the 18th No-vember, at the advanced age of eighty-four. Just previous to his death he had been almost unani-mously chosen Provisional President of the Republic. The Ministry appointed by him will continue to administer the Government until January next, when Congress will meet and a new President will be elected. General Domingo Monagas, the nephew of the late General, it was thought would be chosen for that office. He it was who fought the decisive

battles of the late revolution.

For some time before the death of Monagas the Provisional Government, established after the Provisional Government, established after the overthrow of Falcon, had been gradually gaining ground. The troubles in the State of Zulia had been ended by the submission of General Sutherland to the National Executive at Caraccas, followed by his departure from Venezuela for Caraccas. The two Venezuelan war steamers, Bolivar and Maparari, which, after the fall of Puerto Cabello, surrendered to Sutherland, had been handed over to the Gov-Sutherland, had been handed over to the Gov-

ernment, and the chief of the refractory States of Portuguesa and Zamori had also submitted to the Provisional Government. But the death of Moragas had awakened fears of fresh disturbby rekindling the smouldering embers of that violent party spirit from which Venezuela has suffered so much in her best interests. With the view of reconciling conflicting claims and putting an end to disastrous party divisions, it had been suggested that the Stales at present composing the Republic of Venezuela should be divided into three groups, forming separate republics. The project had met with considerable favor in certain influential quarters, but it was considered doubtful whether the people

generally would support it. Great indignation has been expressed by the Government at the action of the late mixed commission for the settlement of the claims of American citizens. Corruption of the deepest dye is charged, and the Venezuelan Government proposes to repudiate the whole action of the commission for fraud. The ratista of the 24th of November, the leading paper at Caraccas, has a very strong leader on the subject, denouncing the conduct of some of the commissioners, and advising an earnest appeal to the Government of the United States.

The business and financial prospects of Venezuela were anything but cheering.

#### ENGLAND.

Whe New Ministry. The Lordon correspondent of the New York Tribune writes as follows concerning Mr. Glad-

stone's Cabinet:-His Cabinet is criticized as a whole, and criticized in detail. The radical Liberals are out-raged by the exclusion of Messrs. Forster and Stansfeld, their two representative men. Mr. Bright excepted, there is not a radical in the concern, and the radical radicals doubt whether even Mr. Bright be an exception. Both Mr. Forster and Mr. Stansfeld have held office before, and both were expected to receive that promotion to which their faithful service, their great ablities, and their place in the confidence of the true Liberal party entitled them. Mr. Forster was Under-secretary for the Colonies in the Russell Ministry, from November, 1865, to July, 1866, when that Ministry resigned. His administra-tive talents were shown in a marked way, and his strength as a debater in the House, coupled with his personal loyalty to Mr. Gladstone and intimacy with him, were considered to insure him the Chief Secretaryship of the Colonial office. He is thrown overboard to make room for Earl Granville, whose claim to a Cabinet office nobody will dispute, but whose claim to that particular office was clearly inferior to Mr. Forster's. It is supposed to day that Mr. Forster will be made Vice President of the Council, which makes him junior to Lord De Grey, gives him no seat in the Cabinet, and is only tolerable as a step to the Ministry of Education likely soon to be established.

The injustice of Mr. Stansfeld's exclusion is not less flagrant. Under Lord Palmerston, Mr. Stansfeld was a junior Lord of the Admiralty in American phraseology, Assistant Secretary of the Navy-iu 1863 and 1864, and in 1865 an Under-Secretary of India, He developed in both offices extraordinary capacity, and has since been known in the House as the most intelligent critic of Tory extravagance in the Admiralty. But he, too, is a radical, and Mr. Gladstone's timidity has got so much the better of his judgment that he sacrifices Mr. Stansfeld as well as Mr. Forster to the croakings of the Whigs. Mr. Stansfeld might resume his old place as junior Lord of the Admiralty, but he considers that he has served his apprenticeship, and will not take a bench as journeyman again. He is offered, also, the place of Financial Secre tary to the Treasury, where there is more work and less pay than in any corresponding position in the Government. He has scarcely the strength or the fortune for such an office, and his friends hope he may decline.

If the radicals are thus left out in the cold,

nobody will say the peers have not been well provided for. There are six of them—surely a sufficient counterbalance even to Mr. Bright and two more that sat in the Tory Cabinet of Mr. Disraeli, I don't know that a peer is to be objected to as such, but then it is quite possible to have too much of a moderately good thing. The governing power of this country is irrevocably transferred to the House of Commons, and the men who govern ought to sit there-not all, but certainly the great majority. There must be strong men to lead the debates in the Lords, and a liberal government needs strength more than a Tory government, since the Tory majority in the Lords is large. But six lords out of afteen Cabinet Ministers are too many. A seventh must be added, as Sir William Page Wood takes a peerage, and becomes Lord Chancellor; so that, excluding Mr. Gladstone himself, exactly one-half the Cabinet sits, or will sit, in the Upper House. The Marquis of Hartington, included in this estimate, would not go to the Lords till his father dies, the present Duke of Devonshire. But he has no seat in the Commons, and one must be tound for him by persuading some faithful creature to resign, or he must be raised to the Lords during his father's lifetime under another title. A Cabinet Minister is of necessity a member of one House or the other.

But worse than being a Cabinet of Peers, this is a Cabinet of Whigs. Mr. Bright stands alone. The rest are not only Whigs, but most of them are Whigs of the Whigs; and how can one man leaven such a lump—of dough, I had almost said? Before the list came out the Whigs were in mortal terror. It was said Gladstone meditated a ministry wherein the Whigs should not be supreme. It they were in terror for a moment they are in ecstacles of joy now—if so decorous a person as an English Whig permits himself ever to be in ecstacles. Clarendon, Granville, Argyll, De Grey, Kimberly, Hartington—all are Whigs. Mr. Cardwell is a Peelite converted into Paimerston Whig-a quiet, mild sort of man, the least fit in all the Cabinet for making head in the War Office against the incessant assaults of the Horse Guarts. No man knows where the War Office ends and the Horse Guards begins. The limits of their authority are indefinable. Certain duties and powers are clearly the property of each, but between there is a great debutable land where each seizes a'l it can get, and holds all it seizes. It is the struggle of the army for independence of civil control, and it needs a resolute, clear-headed man of high politi cal and social position to make any stand at all against the Horse Gnards. Mr. Cardwell's chief merit is that he is an economist, but on matters of etiquette and the chronic disputes between the two authorities, the Duke will ride rough-shod over the Commoner. Over Mr. Lowe, commoner and plebeian as hells, no Dake would undertake to ride—would be unhorsed in a

twinkling if he did. Mr. Bright's acceptance of the Presidency of the Board of Trade is a compromise between taking office and refusing office. He would not have a pure sinecure like the Duchy of Lancaster, for would be take one of the great Secretaryships which involved an amount of admintrative labors to which he felt himself physically unequal. The Board of Trade will not give him much to do. What little it does is of a commercial nature, such as his business training will make easy to him. He need not even do that, but may give it all, if he likes, into the hands of the Vice President. It is nonsense to talk, as some of the Tory journals do, about Mr. Bright being put off with an inferior position. They know very well he might bave had anything he would like, and he was pressed to take one of the two highest offices in the Ministry. Apart from matters of detail, one place gives him as much opportunity as another. He is in the Cabinet and of the Ministry; and no more is needed. Other Ministers may surpass him in official rank, but, in this case, where McGregor sits is the head of

The Bear River City Riots. The Utah papers report that Mr. Freeman, editor of the Bear River Index, and announced as among the missing after the late riots there, is still alive; that the *Index* will soon be revived. the jail rebuilt, and that quiet and order now reign in the city. Here is the story of how the n ob treated a newspaper office and its editor:

Mr. Freeman, the editor of the Index, was "captured" by the mob, composed entirely of Chesebrough's and McGee's men, and threatened with instant death if he did not reveal the names of the Vigilants who hung the "friends" of the rioters. Mr. Freeman at once drew his "iron,"

the table.

ear of Tom Smith, one of the leaders. Patsey Mariey quieted the crowd and attracted their attention for a moment, when Mr. Freeman made his escape through a saloon and came ou on Bear River avenue. The mob became incensed at his escape, as also at my own, which occurred a few moments previous, and at once they began the search for us. By the assistance of Mr. Chesebrough, Patsey Marley, and a few others, Mr. Freeman and myself were disguised and taken out of town. Mr. Freeman struck for Fort Bridger, and at once got troops despatched to the number of eighty. Altogether fourteen men were killed and thirty-five wounded. Only one citizen was hurt. Tom Smith is in the hands of the military, seriously wounded, having been taken from the enraged citizens. Pat Daily is dead. A teamster, name unknown was killed during the riot. The printing offic and jail will be rebuilt at once, Mr. Freeman has telegraphed to Chicago for a new press and outfit generally. The Index will be "on wheels" again in three weeks.

#### RITUALISM.

The Fantastic Performances at St Alban's Chapel, New York, on Christmas Eve.

From the N. Y. Tribune of yesterday. At 9 o'clock last night the little church at the corner of Lexington avenue and Forty-seventh street, dedicated to St. Alban, the proto-martyr of Great Britain, was filled to overflowing. The service was the first Vespers of the great Christmas festival. The body of the little church was tastefully decorated with evergreens hauging in festoons from the beams of the roof, and the sanctuary, which was lighted by two large standards of wax candles, was rich in the most exquisite flowers. Two immense vases, filled with everything that floriculture can produce, or that can be forced into bloom at this inclement season, stood on either side of the altar; while on the re-table there were two magnificent pyramidal bouquets of white camelias, azaiens, etc., in two large medieval brass vases. The altar, which was lighted by two branches of wax tapers, was vested in a very handsome frontal, beautifully embroidered, the stoles and sacred monogram being exceed ingly rich, and the super-trontal one mass of gold embroidery, with a heavy Freuch gold ninge. A few bars of prelude from the organ warned the congregation that the service was about to commence, and then the strains of the grand old Christmas hymn, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," quietly stole upon the ear from the choristers' vestry. At the end of the first verse the procession entered the church, headed by the crucifer, in cassock and cotta, bearing the Processional Cross, followed by the choir boys, and four taper bearers in scarlet cassocks and surplices, then the choir men; and lastly the priests, Father Morrill, the rector, vested in a very beautiful white cape, all wearing their briettas. At the conclusion of the Processional Hymn, Evensong was sung; and we must say that Father Morrill has, in spite of many obstacles, brought his choir very fair standard; though we would suggest "Helmore's Plain Song" as being more suitable to congregational singing. At the termination of Evensong, the hymn "While Shepherds watched their flocks at night" was sung, and Father Morrill then proceeded to deliver an eloquent address, founded on the 11th verse of the 16th chapter of Deuteronomy. THE MIDNIGHT SERVICES.

At midnight, when the service commenced, the church was literally jammed, and to find even standing room was a matter of considerable difficulty. At 11.30 "the first acolyte," clothed in black, brought from the sacristy an open prayer-book, and passing before the altar made a reverential genufication, after which he placed the book on the altar. He was followed by two others (these latter clad in close-fitting ments of scarlet), bearing the sacred utensils to be used in the offertory. These were placed on a table at the left of the altar. At a little before 12 o'clock the 'first acolyte' again appeared, and, having made his obersance before the altar, proceeded to light the tapers, lighting first the two largest, which flanked the crucinx on either side, then those at the left and right (in front) of the altar, leaving untouched those afready men-tioned as behind the altar. At precisely 12 the olemn peals of the organ burst forth in the processional, "All my heart this night rejoices," but before its first bar had been completed the voices of the choristers could be heard chanting the sacred song; in an instant the head of the cession appeared at the right-hand door of the sacristy. In the van was a diminutive acolyte, bearing aloft a cross; next came several men choristers and acolytes; an emblemanc banner, borne by an acolyte; more choristers and acolytes; another banner, different in design from the first, and finally, preceded by more acolytes, and two clerks or deacons, came the Rev. Dr. Noyes, the celebrant of the services. He was attired in a vestment of celebration, which is composed of a skirt of white linen, surmounted by a cloak of the same, bordered at the edges with a gold and red band, and ornamented front and back by a broader band of the same material, which passed from the neck to the bottom of the skirt, being crossed transversely near the shoulder. At his en-trance he wore a cap, as did also his assistants, but these were removed and taken away by an acolyte. As the pro-cession entered the chancel and faced the altar, each member of it made a reverential how and the bearers of the cross and banners lowered them. As soon as the acolytes nled to the right and left, the celebrant of the services ascended the two stairs of the altar and chanted the Ten Commandments, the prayer-book from which he read being held upon the hands of one of the assistants pre viously mentioned. Subsequently the Rev. Mr. Morroll, the pastor, entered, and proceeding to lett hand side of the altar he read the Epistic for the day; then crossing (with another bow when before the centre of the altar), read the Gospel for the day on the other side. The breed was read, or rather chanted, by the Rev. Dr. Noves, and at the mention of the name of our Saviour the celebrants and congregation bowed low, and when the passage "and was made man" was read, all kneit down and made

the sign of the cross. All of the prayers were read by the celebrant with his back to the congregation, and at certain times he spread his hands and looked up imploringly to the crucitix. During the offertory or communion service those tapers which had been left untouched by the first acolyte were lighted, and the sacred chalice of wine and salver of bread, which were covered with a triangular altar cloth, were partaken of by the officiating clergymen. What with the numerous genufications, the chanting of the whole service, the swinging of the incense, the wanders, and the robes of the celebrants and choristers, it would have been no discredit to discrimination had he confessed to ignorance as to whether he was in a Protestant Episcopal chapel or a Roman Catholic church. When the ministers had partaken of the communion the congregation went forward to commune, and all desirous of going home (it was then 1 A. M. and the service half completed) had an opportunity to do so.

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IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY

AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

ESTATE OF JOHN HOUK.

The widow of said decedent, FRANCISCES HOCK, has filed her petition with appraisement of personal property to the amount of \$295, which she elects to retain under the act of April 14 1851, etc., and that the same will be approved by the Ceurt on SATURDAY, January 2, 1658 unless exceptions be filed thereto,

THOMAS J. CLAYTON,

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In the orphans' court for the city

And county of philadelphia.

The Auditor appoined by the Court to sudit, settle, and adjust the account of George W. Fianks, and solve the account of George W. Fianks, and Joseph H. Subers, Executors of the Estate of William Eager, deceased, and to report distribution of the balance in the bands of the accountant, will meet the parties interested, for the purpose of his appointment, on MONDAY, January 4, A. D. 1869, at 30 clock P. M., at his office, No. 405 WALLAUT Street, in the City of Philadadelphia.

12 24thstust\* WILLIAM D. BAKER, Auditor. IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.
Estate of JOSEPH and TROMAS WOOD, decased.

The Anditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle, and adjust the account of THOMAS S, and JOSEPH WOOD, surviving administrators of the estate of JOSEPH WOOD, deceased, and of MARIA WOOD and THOMAS WOOD, deceased, acting as agents for the beins of said estates, and to report distribution of the beins of said estates, and to report distribution of the balance in the hands of the accountant, will meet the parties interested, for the purposes of his appointment, on MONDAY, January 4, A. D. 1869, at eleven (11) o'clock A. M., at the office of Wood's Estate, No. 18 S. THIRD Street, in the city of Philadelphia.

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Is 2 sthstust\* WILLIAM D. BAKER, Auditor.

IN BANKRUPTCY
S.S., at Philadelphia the lith day of November, 1828,
The undersigned hereby gives hotice of his appointment as Assignee of WILLIAM H. BAKER and
THOMAS FABLEY, copartners, trading as BAKER
& FABLEY, who have been adjudged Baukrupts on
Creditors' petition by the District Court of said District. GEORGE J. HENRELS, Assignee,
Nos, 1301 and 18.3 CHESNUT Street,
Philadelphia.
To the creditors of said bankrupts and all whom it
may concern. 12 11 f8t

HENRY KLINGLER VS. LAURA KLING-LER. C. C. P. S. S., 1888, No. 57. In Divorce, Laura Klingler-Please take notice that the Court

has granted a rule on you to show cause why a decree
a unculo matrimonic should not be decreed in this
case, returnable Saturday, December 28, 1885, at 10
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Attorney for Libellant.

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