#### LITERATURE.

REVIEW OF NEW BOOKS.

-From Porter & Coates we have received the following recent publications of Roberts "Hermann and Dorothea," translated by

Ellen Frothingham, is a very successful attempt to render Goethe's exquisite idyl into English hexameters. So far as we are aware no poetical translation of this characteristic work has ever been made in the English language, and yet of all Goethe's poems it is perhaps the best calculated to impress ordinary readers with a favorable idea of his genius. The subject is a homely story of a poor girl who was beloved at first sight by a well-to-do young man, and who is met by a proffer of love and marriage in the home where she imagined that she had been simply introduced as a servant. The fine art of the poet in the management of this simple theme is shown by the entire absence of any attempt at mere poetical embellishment. There is no effort to raise it above the level of the commonplace in any of its outward characteristics, but the poetry, pathos, and quaint humor of the story are such as appear to actually belong to it, and are not added as mere embellishments. The translation of Miss Frothingham is very close to the original, too much so at times, and it would be improved by the absence of some of the German idioms that she has apparently not been able to get rid of. The reproduction of the hexameters of Goethe has also been an embarrassment to her at times, and necessitated some awkwardness of expression. The version, however, is for the most part exceedingly spirited, and certainly deserves an extensive popularity. It ought to make "Hermann and Dorothea" as well known and as highly esteemed by American readers as it is by Germans. The book is beautifully printed, and it is bound in a tasteful and elegant manner. "An Old-fashioned Girl," by Louisa M.

Alcott, is an attempt in the same vein as the very popular "Little Women" that first brought Miss Alcott into favorable notice. It is distinguished by the same pleasant characteristics of style and the same ability in characterization as "Little Women," and we commend it heartily to those who have enjoyed that work, with the assurance that they will be equally entertained by the adventures of "The Old-fashioned Girl."

Porter & Coates also send us "Home Influence," by Grace Aguilar. Published by D. Appleton & Co. This is the first volume of a uniform edition of Miss Aguilar's stories, the publication of which has been commenced by Messrs. Appleton & Co. It is deservedly one of the most popular of that authoress' writings, and it will be appreciated by her admirers in this neatly bound and nicely printed

Of their own publications, Porter & Coates send us "The American Chess-Player's Hand Book." This is a condensation of Staunton's work, and it is designed for the purpose of initiating the beginner into the rudiments of the game. A description of all the rules of chess is given, sufficiently full and exact for all practieal purposes, and then all the principal openings are analyzed and their variations exemplified by actual games played by Morphy, Harrwitz, Anderssen, Staunton, Paulsen, Montgomery, Meek, and others. This little manual will be found exceedingly useful to young students of chess.

-Claxton, Remsen & Haffelfinger send us "A Brave Lady," by the author of "John Halifax," published by Harper & Brothers. This story during its serial publication in Harper's Magazine was perused by an extensive circle of readers, and many who enjoyed it while appearing from month to month will be glad to read it again in its completed form. It is marked by all the characteristics of Mrs. Craik's style, and for those whose tastes do not incline them to strong meat it will doubtless be appreciated quite as highly as her previous writings. The subject is rather an unpromising one, but her manner of telling it makes it interesting, and the story is one that is well worthy of the consideration of those who appreciate pure and elevated fiction.

From the same house we have received "A Hand Book of the Sulphur-Cure," by William J. Flagg. Published by Harper & Brothers. Mr. Flagg is well known as the author of "Three Seasons in European Vineyards," and in the present treatise he has embodied the results of his observations with regard to the sulphur-cure for vine disease and its application to the vineyards of America. The work is plain and practical in its suggestions, and it should be in the hands of all who are interested in grape culture.

-T. B. Peterson & Brothers send us "George Canterbury's Will," by Mrs. Henry Wood. The manuscript and advance sheets of this work have been purchased by the Messrs. Peterson from the author. It is a story of English life, written in the peculiar style that has made Mrs. Wood so popular with many readers, and it will undoubtedly be read with interest by those who have admired her previous works.

-From J. B. Lippincott & Co. we have received the fifth part of "Lippincott's Pronouncing Dictionary of Biography and Mythology," by J. Thomas, A. M., M. D., which brings the work down to the title "Federigo Bianchi," This elaborate and scholarly work is deserving of a most cordial recognition by the public. It is more complete in the number of subjects treated than any other biographical dictionary before the public, while it embodies features that greatly enhance its usefulness and tend to make it the most satisfactory work of reference ever issued from the press.

-The Philadelphia Photographer for April, published by Benerman & Wilson, contains a variety of artistic and practical articles of interest to photographers and others who take pleasure in watching the improvements in the photographic art that are constantly being made.

- Van Nostrand's Eclectic Engineering Magazine for April is made up of excellent original articles and selections from the best European scientific publications. The leading article on "Coal Washing," by Arthur Beckwith, is especially worthy of attention.

-The Penn Monthly for April presents a series of scholarly articles that will repay

-From the Central News Company, No. 505 Chesnut street, we have received the latest numbers of Temple Bar, The Cornhill Magazine, London Society, All the Year Round, Punch, and Fun.

-The Gardeners' Monthly for April has a variety of articles of interest to horticultu-

-The Little Corporal for April presents an attractive series of stories, sketches, and poetry for young people.

-The April number of Leisure Hours. edited and published by J. Trainor King, No. 33 S. Sixth street, has an interesting variety of reading matter to suit the popular taste.

#### The Legal-tender Act.

To the Editor of the Evening Telegraph. Every well-read lawyer knows that the "Legal-tender act" could not constitutionally impair the obligations of contracts existing prior to the passage of said act by Congress. Yet we see corporations using every influence in their power, even to the employment of the United States Attorney-General, to set aside the most equitable and just decree that ever emanated from the Supreme Court of the United States.

It was bad enough in all conscience for those who loaned coin to corporations in good faith, to have patiently submitted for eight years to a violation of contracts by having to take depreciated irredeemable paper for interest on railroad and other company bonds when the difference between what they got and what they were entitled to was at one time equal to 170 per cent., without being still further imposed upon when the difference is only 12 per cent.

Have these loyal corporations no honor left? Are they just in paying to the stockholders ten per cent. dividend clear of taxes and refusing to pay the six per cent. to those who aided the stockholders to build their roads? Oh shame! This is nothing but barefaced repudiation and fraud.

Will the Supreme Court reverse its late decision, thereby decreeing that the creditor class have no rights? that those who labor hard and save by economy for their wives and children cannot be protected from repudiating debtors? In short, will the hignest court in the land enact the part of legalizing repudiation? When this demoralizing action takes place, every defrauded creditor should and will insist on all United States bondholders who purchased said bonds ofter the passage of the Legal-tender act, and paid for the same in depreciated paper, shall be paid, principal and interest, in like depreciated paper.

Corporate and individual repudiation once sustained, will inevitably beget national repudiation and dishonor. It will also seriously impede a resumption of specie payments, as the debtor class will, so long as they can pay their liabilities with a depreciated currency, oppose and be the enemies of resumption.

The masses love justice and equality, and admire the honesty of Chief Justice Chase's decision in a time of peace, even if in contradiction to his action under the necessities of war. The reversal of the late decision of the court will have a strong tendency to elevate the Chief Justice to a higher place in the gift of the people.

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CITY ORDINANCES.

COMMON COUNCIL OF PHILADEL-

CLERK'S OFFICE. PHILADELPHIA, March 25, 1870. In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia on Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of March, 1870, the annexed bill, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a loan for the erection of a bridge across the river Schuylkill at Fair-mount," is hereby published for public infor-

> JOHN ECKSTEIN, Clerk of Common Council.

A N ORDINANCE To Authorize a Loan for the Erection of a Bridge across the River Schuylkill at Fair-

Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the city of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Mayor of Philadelphia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at not less than par, on the credit of the city corporation, from time to time, such sums of money as may be necessary time, such sums of money as may be necessary to pay for the construction and erection of a bridge over the river Schuylkill at Fairmount, not exceeding in the whole the sum of seven hundred thousand dollars, for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent. Per annum shall be paid, half-yearly, on the first days of January and July, at the office of the City

Treasurer. Treasurer.

The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same, and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof: and certificates therefor, in the usual form of certificates of city loan, shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for any frac-tional part of one hundred dollars, or, if re-quired, in amounts of five hundred or one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificates that the said loan therein mentioned, and the interest thereof, are payable free from

all taxes. Section 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue thereof, there shall be, by force of this ordinance, annually appropriated, out of the income of the corporate estates and from the sum raised by taxatlon, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates; and the further sum of three-tenths of one per centum on the par value of such certificates so issued, shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes to a sinking fund, which fund and its accumulations are hereby especially pledged for the redemption and payment of said

RESOLUTION TO PUBLISH A LOAN Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Coun-

cil be authorized to publish in two daily news-papers of this city, daily for two weeks, the ordinance presented to the Common Council on Thursday, March 24, 1870, entitled "An ordinance to authorize a loan for the erection of a bridge across the river Schuylkill at Fair-mount." And the said clerk, at the stated meet-ing of Councils, after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for every day in which the same shall be made. 3 26 24t COMMON COUNCIL OF PHILADELPHIA.

PRILADELPHIA, Feb. 4, 1870.
In accordance with a Resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, on Thursday, the third day of February, 1870, the annexed bill, entitled

"AN ORDINANCE

To create a loan for the building of a bridge

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and for the payment of ground rents and mortgages," is hereby published for public in-JOHN ECKSTEIN.

Clerk of Common Council. AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE A LOAN
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STREET, AND FOR THE PAYMENT OF
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of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Mayor of Philadelphia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at not less than par, on the credit of the city, from time to time, one million five hundred thousand dollars, to be applied as follows, viz .: - First. For the building of a bridge over the River Schuvlkill at South street, eight hundred thousand dollars. Second. For the payment of ground rents and mortgages, seven hundred thousand dollars, for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be paid half yearly on the first days of January and July, at the office of the City Treasurer. The principal of the said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same, and not before, without the consent of the holders theresf; and the certificates therefor, in the usual form of the certificates of the City Loan, shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for any fractional part of one hundred or one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificates that the loan therein mentioned.

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papers for every day in which the same shall have been made. 8 25 24t PROPOSALS.

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