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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES,

APRIL 1, 1885,

WITH

A LIST OF RECENT ADDITIONS.

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TRUSTEES

OF THE

NEW YORK SOCIETY LIBRARY.

THE Trustees of the New York Society Library respectfully submit to its shareholders the following report of the condition of the Institution at the close of the fiscal year, on the 31st of March, 1885.

From the report of the Treasurer and that of the Auditing Committee, which are herewith also submitted, it appears that

The Receipts during the year from all sources have been\$14,220.59

(an increase of \$1,350 92 from the preceding year)

Of which there has been received from annual dues and other

usual sources of income..... 5,176.75

(an increase from last year of \$204 84)

From rents of Chatham St. real estate, and rent of room in the

Library Building..... 5,850.00

(an increase of \$120.25 more than last year.)

The increase in the receipts during the present year is further accounted for by the sales of about 560 volumes of duplicate

books, (leaving about 1,000 volumes yet to be sold) for.... 300.05

There remains in the Treasury from the general fund available

for the current expenses of the Library..... 1,625.21

From the income of the "John C. Green" memorial fund.... 698.58

of which \$185.76 is dedicated to the purchase of books for the Green alcove, and \$512.82 can be used for the purchase of books for circulation, except works of fiction.

The additions to the Library during the year have been about 1,000 volumes.

The number of volumes given out among subscribers and shareholders and others using the Library, remains about the same as during the preceding year, while there has been a slight increase in the number of those who frequent the reading room.

During the year a portion of the income from the Green endowment, has, with the consent of the donor, been expended in fitting up an adjoining alcove, as a much needed addition to the former "Green Alcove." The shelving has been more than doubled, and sufficient room and light for the more convenient accomodation of those who resort to these alcoves for study and work has been thus obtained. The value of this rare collection of books in art and design is shown by the increasing use that is made of it by the student and manufacturer, as its existence and the fact that admission to it is free to those who need its advantages in their profession and business, becomes more extensively known.

Another direct result from this endowment is the steady elevation of the tone of the library as regards the books issued to its members, the Trustees being enabled to purchase more works of permanent value in literature for circulation than ever before in the history of the Institution. Works of fiction and other ephemeral publications are now so cheaply purchased, that it is no longer required to expend a large part of our income in supplying this class of literature, and it is believed that the Library is now much more resorted to for the profitable reading matter which it supplies than formerly.

The Trustees endeavor to give to the Institution under their charge, a high character and repute as a library for the families of its members, in every respect, and in that endeavor confidently rely upon the approval and support of the shareholders. They are fully aware that some greater facilities in the distribution of books might make the Library more accessible to its shareholders and more popular with that class of the community for which it is intended, and plans to that end have been mentioned in previous reports, but as the income of the Institution has been barely sufficient for its most economical management, they have been reluctantly compelled to postpone any change requiring increased expenditure until they can rely upon some permanent increase in the annual resources.

CHARLES E. STRONG,
Chairman.

TO THE

TRUSTEES

OF THE

NEW YORK SOCIETY LIBRARY.

The Committee appointed to "audit the accounts of this Corporation and to make an inventory of its real and personal property, excepting the books," etc., respectfully report :

That they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer for the year ending March 31, 1885, compared the expenditures with the vouchers, and find the same to correspond.

The Committee have examined the securities which constitute the estate and permanent fund of the Library, and estimate their value (books excepted) as follows :

The Library Building, estimated at	\$100,000 00
The property in Chatham street	64,000 00
On deposit in Union Trust Company	5,000 00
On deposit in Manhattan Savings Institution.	1,000 00
Balance to the credit of the "Green Fund"	698 58
Balance in the Bank of the Metropolis	1,625 21
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	\$172,323 79

The Insurance on the property of the Library is as follows :

On the Library Building	\$44,000 00
On the Books, &c.	46,000 00
On the Chatham street property	20,000 00
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The Corporation has received in bequests, as follows, viz:

From the Executors of the estate of John C. Green, known as the "Jonn C. Green Fund ".....	\$50,000 00
And from the Executors of the Estates of—	
Mary M. Keese.....	12,000 00
George B. Dorr.....	5,000 00
George J. Foster.....	3,000 00
Richard E. Mount.....	1,000 00
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	<u>\$71,000 00</u>

The Corporation has no debts except a claim for assesments for about \$1,000 now in dispute.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. McLEAN,
FREDERICK SHELDON,
FRANCIS A. STOUT.

Dr. *The Trustees of the New York Society Library in account with Edward Schell, Treasurer.* Cr.

April 1, 1884.	
To paid for books and periodicals.....	\$ 801 30
“ “ books, binding, fitting up new alcove, &c., from income of the “Green Fund,”	3,801 42
“ “ binding.....	112 50
“ “ printing and advertising.....	121 90
“ “ stationery and postage.....	58 88
“ “ Croton water, ice, and sprinkling.....	59 80
“ “ gas.....	467 23
“ “ fuel.....	406 10
“ “ salaries.....	4,129 68
“ “ insurance.....	620 00
“ “ repairs and additions.....	301 42
“ “ collections.....	164 20
“ “ sundries.....	101 37
“ “ taxes on Chatham street property.....	675 00
“ “ assessment for paving 13th street.....	76 00
To balance of unexpended income of the “Green Fund,”	\$ 698 58
“ in the Bank of the Metropolis. 1,625 21	
	<u>2,323,79</u>
	<u>\$14,220 59</u>
April 1, 1884.	
By Balance in the Bank of the Metropolis.....	\$ 893 84
Cash received for annual payments.....	4,402 00
“ “ commutation of dues.....	75 00
“ “ temporary subscriptions.....	376 00
“ “ income of the “Green Fund” \$2,500 00	
“ “ including balance Apr. 1, ’84. 1,974 10	
“ “ and interest to Jan. 1, 1885.. 25 90	
	<u>\$4,500 00</u>
“ “ rents.....	3,349 92
“ “ interest on deposits.....	317 75
“ “ fines, etc.....	6 03
“ “ books sold, (duplicates).....	300 05

A LIST

OF

RECENT ADDITIONS TO APRIL 1, 1885.

Accessions to the "John C. Green Alcove."

- Bewick, Thomas. His Life and Works, by David Croal Thomson, with 100 illustrations. 4to. London. 1882
- Boughton, George H., and E. S. Abbey. Sketching Rambles in Holland, with illustrations. 8vo. New York. 1885
- Carpets. Ancient Oriental Carpet Patterns, after pictures and originals of the 15th and 16th centuries, with descriptive text by Julius Lessing. 30 plates painted in colors. Folio. London. 1879
- Cathedral Churches of England and Wales. Descriptive, Historical, Pictorial. 4to. London. 1884
- Chennevières, Henry de. Les Dessins du Louvre, 1882. Large, 4to. Paris. 1882
- Decorative Furniture. 70 Plates. Folio. London. n. d.
- D'Hericault, Charles. La Revolution, 1789-1882. Large, 8vo. Paris. 1883
- Ephrussi, Charles. Albert Dürer et ses Dessins. 4to. Paris. 1882
- Goncourt, Edmond and Jules de. L'Art du Dix-Huitième Siècle. 2 vols. 4to. Paris. 1880
- Guiffrey, Jules. Antoine Van Dyck sa vie et son Œuvre. Folio. Paris. 1882
- Hunt, Mrs. Alfred W. Our Grandmothers' Gowns, with 24 hand-colored illustrations, by G. W. Halkett. 12mo. London. 1885
- L'Art de la Mode. Reproduction en Noir et en Couleurs de Costumes d'Ameublements, &c., &c. Tome II. Folio. Paris. 1881
- Luthmer, Ferdinand. Ornamental Jewelry of the Renaissance in relation to Costume. Thirty engravings. Large 4to. London. 1882
- Ornament Fleurie. (48 Photographic Plates.) Publiée par A. Rozier. Folio. Paris. n. d.
- Planche, James R. A Cyclopædia of Costume, or Dictionary of Dress. 2 vols. 4to. New York. 1877
- Rayet, Olivier. Monument de L'Art Antique 2 vols. Folio. Paris. 1884
- Scott, Leader. The Renaissance of Art, an illustrated history. 4to. New York. 1883

- Sensier, Alfred. *La Vie et l'Œuvre*, de J. F. Millet. 4to. Paris. 1881
 Shipley, Rev. Orby, (*Edr*). *Ritual of the Altar. The Order of the Holy Communion*, according to the use of the Church of England. Large 8vo. London. 1878
 Sicard, A. *L'Ornementation Fleurie*. (See *Ornament Fleurie*.)
 Solon, L. M. *The Art of the Old English Potter*. Large 4to. London. 1883
 Tuer, Andrew W. *Bartolozzi and his Works*, a biog. and descriptive account, illustrated. 2 vols. 4to. London. (1881)

List of works in general literature purchased from the income of the "John C. Green Fund."

- About People. Wells. 16mo. Boston. 1885
 Across the Pampas and the Andes. Crawford. 12mo. London. 1884
 Adams, John. (Am. Statesman.) Morse. 12mo. Boston. 1885
 Ages before Moses. Gibson. 12mo. New York. 1885
 Agnosticism of Hume and Huxley. (Philos. Series VI.) 8vo. pph. New York. 1884
 Algonquin Legends of New England. Leland. 8vo. Boston. 1884
 Alice, Grand Duchess of Hesse. *Biographical Sketch and Letters*. 8vo. New York. 1884
 All about Derbyshire. Bradbury. 12mo. London. 1884
 Allemands (les.) Père Didon. 8vo. Paris. 1884
 *Almanach de Gotha, 1885. 16mo. Gotha. 1885
 Almanack, Whittaker's, for 1885. 12mo. London. 1885
 American Horsewoman. Mrs. Karr. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 American Political Ideas. Fiske. 12mo. New York. 1885
 Amongst the Shans. Colquhoun. 8vo. New York. 1885
 Ancient Coptic Churches of Egypt. Butler. 2 vols. 8vo. Oxford. 1884
 Ancient Empires of the East. Sayce. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Ancient Religion and Modern Thought. Lilly. 8vo. London. 1884
 *Annual Cyclopædia (Appleton's) for the year 1883, Vol. 23. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
 *Annual Register for the year 1883. 8vo. London. 1884
 Anti-Slavery Days. Clarke. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Appleton, Thomas Gold. *Life and Letters*. Hale. 12mo. New York. 1885
 Around the World with Gen. Grant. Young. 2 vols. 8vo. New York. 1879
 Art of Fiction. Besant and James. 12mo. Boston. 1885
 Austen, Jane. *Letters*. 2 vols. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Bacon. (Eng. Men of Letters.) Church. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Ballads and Verses Vain. Lang. 16mo. New York. 1884
 Bampton Lectures for 1883. Fremantle. 8vo. New York. 1885
 Beaumont, The Chevalier d'Eon de. Telfer. 8vo. London. 1885
 Beauregard, Gen. *Military Operations. Roman*. 2 vols. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
 Becket. Tennyson. 12mo. London. 1884
 Berlioz, Hector de. *Mémoires*. 2 vols. 12mo. Paris. 1881
 Bermuda, an Idyl of the Summer Islands. Mrs. Dorr. 12mo. N. Y. 1884
 Between Two Oceans. Lady Hardy. 8vo. London. 1884
 Biogen, The Origin of Life. Coues. 16mo. Boston. 1884

- Biographical Essays. Muller. 12mo. London. 1884
- Birds, North American, a Key to. Coues. 8vo. Boston. 1884
- Bloomfield, Lord. Memoirs. Edited by Lady Bloomfield. 2 vols. 8vo. London. 1884
- Boating Trips on New England Rivers. Fellows. 12mo. Boston. 1884
- Book-Lover. Baldwin. 16mo. Chicago. 1885
- Boots and Saddles. Custer. 12mo. New York. 1885
- Brazil, Business and Pleasure in. Burke. 8vo. London. 1884
- *British Almanac and Companion for 1885. 12mo. London. 1885
- Bugeaud, Memoirs. D'Ideville. 2 vols. 8vo. London. 1884
- Burges, Sir James Bland. Letters, &c. Ed. by Hutton. 8vo. London. 1885
- Burton, W. E. Actor, &c., &c. Keese. 12mo. New York. 1885
- Calderwood, Mrs. Letters and Journals, in 1756. 8vo. Edinburgh. 1884
- California. Vol. 1. Bancroft's Pacific States. Vol. 13. 8vo. San Francisco. 1884
- Carlyle. His Life in London, 1834-1881. Froude. 2 vols. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
- Do do (F. S. L.) 4to. N. Y. 1884
- *Cathedral Churches of England and Wales. 4to. London. 1884
- *Catholic Dictionary. Addis and Arnold. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
- Chapters in Popular Natural History. Lubbock. 16mo. N. Y. 1884
- Chinese Gordon. Forbes. 12mo. London. 1884
- Chinese Gordon. Forbes. (F. S. L.) 4to. New York. 1884
- Chinese Gordon, Story of. Hake. New Ed. 12mo. New York. 1884
- Choate, Rufus, Memories of. Neilson. 8vo. Boston. 1884
- Christianity, Divine Origin of. Storrs. 8vo. New York. 1884
- *Church Almanac for 1885. 12mo. New York. 1885
- *Church Cyclopædia. Benton, Edr. 8vo. Phila. 1884
- Church under Queen Elizabeth. Lee. 2 vols. 12mo. London. 1880
- Coleridge. Traill. (Eng. Men of Letters.) 12mo. N. Y. 1884
- Coligny. His Earlier Life. Bersier. 8vo. London. 1884
- Columbus, History of. Goodrich. 8vo. N. Y. 1874
- Confederate Soldier in Egypt. Loring. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
- Continuity of Christian Thought. Allen. 12mo. Boston. 1884
- Corpulence and its Treatment. Ebstein. 12mo. Wiesbaden. 1884
- Countess of Albany. (Famous Women.) Lee. 12mo. Boston. 1884
- Coup d'Etat, Story of the. De Maupas. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
- Creation. Guyot. 12mo. N. Y. 1884
- Creoles of Louisiana. Cable. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
- Criticism of the Critical Philosophy. (Philos. Series, 7.) McCosh. 8vo. pph. N. Y. 1884
- Crocker, Rt. Hon. John Wilson. Correspondence, &c. 2 vols. 8vo. New York. 1884
- Cruise of the Alice May. Benjamin. 8vo. N. Y. 1885
- Cruise of the Montauk; Bermuda, West Indies, &c. McQuade. 8vo. N. Y. 1885
- Currency and Finance. Jevons. 8vo. London. 1884
- Custom and Myth. Lang. 12mo. N. Y. 1885
- Destiny of Man. Fiske. 12mo. Boston. 1884
- Diary of an Idle Woman in Spain. Elliot. 2 vols. 12mo. London. 1884
- Dickens, Charles, as I knew him. Dolby. 8vo. Phila. 1885

Dictionary of Eng. Language. Stormonth. (F. S. L.)	4to. N. Y.	1884
*Dictionary of Miracles. Brewer.	8vo. Phila.	1884
Dictionary of Music. Grove. Part 19.	8vo. London.	1884
Dictionary of National Biography. Stephen, (Edr.) Vol. 1.	8vo. N. Y.	1885
Doctrine of Sacrifice. Maurice. New Ed.	12mo. London.	1879
Don John of Austria. Maxwell.	2 vols. 8vo. London.	1883
Dynamo-Electricity. Prescott.	8vo. New York.	1884
Education, Report of Com. of, for 1882-83.	8vo. Washington.	1884
Egypt, Ancient, in Modern Discoveries. Osborn.	12mo. Cin.	1883
Egypt and Babylon. Rawlinson.	12mo. New York.	1885
Electricity and its Discoverers. Brennan.	12mo. New York.	1885
Eliot, Life. Cross. 3 vols.	12mo. New York.	1885
Do do do (F. S. L.)	4to. New York.	1885
Emerson, Ralph W. Holmes. (Am. Men of Letters.)	12mo. Boston.	1885
Emerson, Ralph Waldo. Morley.	12mo. pph. New York.	1884
Encyclopædia Britannica. Vol. 17.	8vo. New York.	1884
Encyclopædia Britannica. Vol. 18.	8vo. New York.	1885
English School of Painting. Chesneau.	12mo. London.	1885
Episodes of my Second Life. Gallenga.	12mo. Phila.	1885
Essays, Practical. A. Bain.	12mo. New York.	1885
Essays and Leaves from a Note-book. Geo. Eliot.	12mo. New York.	1884
Every-Day Life and Every-Day Morals. Chaney.	16mo. Boston.	1885
Euphorion. Vernon Lee, 2 vols.	8vo. Boston.	1884
Famous Beauties and Historic Women. Adams. 2 vols.	12mo. London.	1885
Far, Far West. Life and Labour. Barneby.	8vo. London.	1884
Ferishtah's Fancies. Browning.	12mo. Boston.	1884
Fifty Years among Authors and Books. Derby.	8vo. New York.	1885
Fifty Years of London Life. Yates.	12mo. New York.	1885
Fifty Years of London Life. Yates. (F. S. L.) Parts 1, 2.	4to. N. Y.	1884
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Flemish School of Painting. Wauters.	12mo. London.	1885
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Four Georges and English Humorists. Thackeray.	12mo. London.	1879
Four Georges, History of the. McCarthy. Vol. 1.	12mo. New York.	1884
Four Georges, History of the. McCarthy. (F. S. L.) Part 1.	4to. New York.	1884
Fragments from an Old Inn. Messenger.	12mo. New York.	1885
France, A Little Tour in. James.	12mo. Boston.	1885
French Pottery. Gasnault and Garnier. (So. Kens. H. B.)	12mo. Lond.	1884
French Stage, Annals of the. Hawkins. 2 vols.	8vo. London.	1884
Fresh Fields. Burroughs.	12mo. Boston.	1885
From Crécy to Assye. Clinton.	8vo. London.	(1884)
From Opitz to Lessing. Perry.	12mo. Boston.	1885
Fry, Elizabeth. Pitman. (Famous Women.)	12mo. Boston.	1884
Gems, A Leisure Hour among the. Hamlin.	12mo. Boston.	1884
Glenaveril. A Poem. Book 1. Lytton.	12mo. N. Y.	1885
Glimpses in the Twilight. Lee.	12mo. London.	1885
Goethe's Early Letters, with Biog. and Notes by E. Bell.	12mo. London.	1884

- Goethe's Poems, transl. by Bowring. 12mo. N. Y. 1881
 Gold Coins of England. Kenyon. 8vo. London. 1884
 Gold-Headed Cane. Munk, Editor. 8vo. - London. 1884
 Gone to Texas. Hughes. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Gower, Lord Ronald. My Reminiscences. (2 vols. in 1.) 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Great Argument. Thompson. 12mo. N. Y. 1884
 Great Republic. Sir L. H. Griffin 12mo. N. Y. 1884
 Greece in the Times of Homer. Timayenis 12mo. N. Y. 1884
 Gustavus Adolphus, History of. Stevens. 8vo. N. Y. 1884
 Hamlet. Some Famous Hamlets. Burbage to Fechter. Brereton. 12mo. London. 1884
 Hand-Book of American Authors. Adams. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Hand-Book of Literature. (Universal) Botta. New Ed. 12mo. Boston. 1885
 Hawthorne and his Wife, a biography. J. Hawthorne. 2 vols. 12mo. Boston. 1885
 Hayti, or the Black Republic. St. John. 12mo. London. 1884
 Health in the Dwelling. (Vol. 3, Health Exhibit. Lit.) 12mo. London. 1884
 Health in Diet. (Vols 5, 6, Health Exhibit. Lit.) 2 vols. 12mo. London. 1884
 Health in relation to Civic Life. (Vols. 7, 9, Health Exhibit. Lit. 2 vols. 12mo. London. 1884
 ——— General Hygiene. (Health Exhibit. Lit., vols. 11, 12) 2 vols. 12mo. London. 1885
 Health Exhibition Lit. Vols. 13, 14, 15, 16. Conf. on Education. 12mo. London. 1884
 Heine's Poems and Ballads. Tr. by E. Lazarus. 12mo. New York 1881
 Henry VIII. Reign of. Brewer 2 vols. 8vo. London. 1884
 *Historical Reference Book Heilprin. 8vo. New York. 1885
 History of Our Own Times, 1837-1880. McCarthy. 2 vols. 12mo. New York. 1881
 Hittites, Empire of the. Wright. 8vo. New York. 1884
 Holland and Scandinavia, Sketches in. Hare. 12mo. London. 1885
 Hope-Scott, James Robert. Ornsby. 2 vols. 8vo. London. 1884
 Horsemanship. Anderson. 8vo. London. 1884
 Horsewomen, Hand-Book for. De Bussigny. 16mo. New York. 1884
 Hours with the Bible. Vol. 6. Geikie. 12mo. New York. 1884
 How to Play the Piano-forte. Lady Benedict, *et. al.* 16mo. London. 1884
 Huguenot Emigration to America. Baird. 2 vols. 8vo. New York. 1885
 Human Intercourse. Hamerton. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 In the Trades, the Tropics, &c. Lady Brassey. 8vo. New York. 1885
 India, Life and Travel in. Mrs. Leonowens. 12mo. Phila. 1885
 Indian Mutiny, Personal Experiences. Thornhill. 12mo. London. 1884
 International Law, Essays on. Lawrence. 12mo. Cambridge. 1884
 Irving's Impressions of America. Hatton. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Italian and other Studies. Hueffer. 8vo. London. 1884
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 James, Henry. Literary Remains. 8vo. Boston. 1885
 Jaunt in a Junk. A Cruise in Indian Seas. 12mo. London. 1884
 Jelly-Fish, Sea Urchins, &c. Romanes. (Int. Sci. Series.) 12mo. N. Y. 1885

- Job, Notes on the Book of. Davidson. 12mo. Cambridge. 1884
 Johnson, Doctor. His Life, Works, &c. Centenary Ed. 18mo. London. 1884
 Kentucky. (American Commonwealth) Shaler. 12mo. Boston. 1885
 Labrador. Its Peoples, &c. Stearns. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Lanier, Sidney. Poems, &c. Ed. by his Wife, with memorial. 12mo. New York. 1884
 La Revolution. Taine. Vol. 3. 8vo. Paris. 1884
 Law of Nations. Lorimer. Vol. 2. 8vo. London. 1884
 Leibniz. (Philosophical Classics for Eng. Readers.) Merz. 12mo. Phila. 1884
 Lena Delta. Melville. 8vo. Boston. 1885
 Les Chinois. Peints par Eux-Memes. Tchong-Ki-Tong. 12mo. Paris. 1884
 Les Evangiles. Renan. 8vo. Paris. 1877
 Letters from Hell. 12mo. New York. 1885
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 Life at Puget Sound. Leighton. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Life on a Ranch. Aldridge. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Life on the Lagoons. Brown. 12mo. London. 1884
 Life-Saving Service. (U. S.) An. Report for 1882-3. 8vo. Wash. 1885
 Lincoln, Abraham, Life of. Arnold. 8vo. Chicago. 1885
 Lincoln, Abraham, Life of. Stoddard. 8vo. New York. 1884
 Literary Recollections. Payn. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Locke's Theory of Knowledge. (Philos. Series V.) 8vo. pph. N. Y. 1884
 Logic, System of. J. S. Mill. 10th Ed. 2 vols. 8vo. London. 1879
 Madison, James. (Am. Statesmen.) Gay. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Maintenance of Health. Fothergill. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Malmesbury's Memoirs of an Ex-Minister. 2 vols. 8vo. London. 1884
 Malmesbury's Memoirs of an Ex-Minister. New Ed. 8vo. London. 1885
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 Margaret Fuller Ossoli. (Am. Men of Letters.) Higginson. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Marshall, John. (Am. Statesmen.) Magruder. 12mo. Boston. 1885
 Martineau, Harriet. (Famous Women Series.) Miller. 12mo. Boston. 1885
 Maryland. (Am. Commonwealths.) Browne. 12mo. Boston. 1884
 Maurice, Frederick Denison, Life of. 2 vols. 8vo. New York. 1884
 Mazeppa, The True Story of Viscount de Vogüé. 12mo. London. 1885
 Mediæval Thought, Illustrations of. Poole. 8vo. London. 1884
 Memoirs du Baron Vitrolles. 3 vols. 8vo. Paris. 1884
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 Mental Evolution in Animals. Romanes. 12mo. New York. 1884
 Metallic Money, Historical Summary of. Toppan. 16mo. Boston. 1884
 Mentor, The. Ayres. 16mo. New York. 1884
 Metternich, Prince de. Mémoires. Tome 8. 8vo. Paris. 1884
 Mexico, Vol. 4 (Hist. of Pacific States, Vol. 7) Bancroft. 8vo. San Francisco. 1885
 Mexico, Travels in. Ober. 8vo. Boston. 1884
 Monroe Doctrine; its History and Growth. Tucker. 8vo. Boston. 1885
 Monsell, Harriet, (of Clewes.) Carter. 12mo. New York. 1884

Montcalm and Wolfe. Parkman.	2 vols. 8vo. Boston.	1848
Montefiore, Sir Moses. Wolf. (F. S. L.)	4to. New York.	1884
Moquis of Arizona, (Snake Dance.) Bourke.	8vo. New York.	1884
Mott, James and Lucretia. Life and Letters. Ed. by Anna D. Hallowell.	8vo. Boston.	1884
Mozley, Rev. J. B. Letters.	8vo. London.	1885
My House, an Ideal. Bunce.	16mo. New York.	1884
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Natural Law in the Spiritual World. Drummond.	12mo. New York.	1884
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Necrology, 1870 to 1883. (Sup. to Thomas' Biog. Dict.)	8vo. Phila.	1883
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New York City, Appleton's Dictionary of.	16mo. New York.	1884
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