

SOME PUBLICATIONS

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An article on *John Paul Jones*, with portrait and illustrations, appears in the August, 1905, *American Monthly Magazine*.

Number 4 of the *Augustana Library Publications*, distributed during August, 1905, contains a paper *On the Cyclonic Distribution of Rainfall*, by J. A. Udden.

Oklahoma, a Vigorous Western Commonwealth, is the title of an article in the September, 1905, number of *The American Monthly Review of Reviews*, written by Clarence H. Matson.

Articles of interest in the August, 1905, number of *The United Service* are: *The March of the Fifth Infantry in Montana*, by Henry Romeyn; and *The Battle of the Sea of Japan*, by A. S. Hurd.

The Proceedings of the Fourteenth Continental Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution are printed in the July and August, 1905, numbers of the *American Monthly Magazine*.

The Frontier, published by The Frontier Publishing Company, Colorado Springs, Colorado, begins volume IV with the July, 1905, number.

Volume XIII of the compilation of the *Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolutionary War*, prepared and published by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, was distributed in August, 1905. The book is a quarto of 1025 pages.

Volume XXVI (1636), volume XXVII (1636-1637), volume XXVIII (1637-1638), and volume XXIX (1638-1640) of *The Philippine Islands* were distributed by the Arthur H. Clark Company during the summer months of 1905.

The *Journals of the House of Burgesses of Virginia, 1773-1776*, including the records of the Committee of Correspondence, edited by John P. Kennedy, has been issued during the year by the authority of the Library Board of the Virginia State Library. The publication makes a beautiful quarto volume of 324 pages.

The University Chronicle of the University of California, July, 1905, is devoted chiefly to an exhaustive study of *The Making of the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo on February 2, 1848*, by Julius Klein.

A list of books and pamphlets relating to New Hampshire has been issued by the Dover Public Library. Only those publications which are in the library are included. The list makes an octavo volume of one hundred and seventy-two pages.

The *Johns Hopkins University Studies in Historical and Political Science*, September-October, 1905, contains a paper entitled, *The Napoleonic Exiles in America, a Study in American Diplomatic History, 1815-1819*, by Jesse S. Reeves.

Methods of Measuring the Concentration of Wealth, by M. O. Lorenz, and *Homicide in New Hampshire*, by Harry G. Nutt, are the leading articles in the June, 1905, *Quarterly Publications of the American Statistical Association*.

The Mountains and Kibitkas of Tian Shan, by Ellsworth Huntington, and *The Western Sierra Madre of the State of Chihuahua, Mexico*, by E. O. Hovey, are the leading contributions in the September, 1905, *Bulletin of the American Geographical Society*.

Volume III of the University of California publications on American Archæology and Ethnology comprises an elaborate account of *The Morphology of the Hupa Language*, by P. E. Goddard. The book contains 344 pages and was issued in June, 1905.

Charles E. Goodspeed, publisher, Boston, announces the publication of *Early Census Making in Massachusetts, 1643-1765*. This work, which is compiled by J. H. Benton, Jr., begins with the

earliest attempt at enumeration in 1643 and closes with the long known "lost census" of 1765 which has recently been found and reproduced in facsimile. The work also contains copious extracts from contemporary documents.

The Macmillan Company announce the publication of *A History of the Pacific Northwest*, by Joseph Schafer, head of the department of history, University of Oregon; also a new ten volume edition of *The Life and Writings of Benjamin Franklin*, edited by Albert H. Smyth.

The American Antiquarian for July and August, 1905, has leading papers on *The Progress of Christianity in Japan*, by J. L. Atkinson; *Asiatic Ideas Among the American Indians, Part II*, by C. S. Wake; *The Bible and Syrian Archæology*, by Henry Proctor; *The Story of the Deluge*, by Stephen D. Peet; *Mounds Built by the Sioux in Minnesota*, by Warren Upham; and *Excavations at Sidon*, by Ghosu el Howie.

Wadsworth or The Charter Oak, by W. H. Gocher, is an attractive volume of four hundred pages issued in 1904. The subject matter treats of Hartford; the Constitution of 1638-9; Thomas Hooker, Preacher; Roger Ludlow, Lawyer; and John Haynes, Colonizer. There are sketches also of William Wadsworth, of Cromwell, and of the Regicides. Interesting chapters deal with *The Charter Oak*; *The Royal Oak*; *The Patent, Charter and Deed*; *Hiding the Charter*; *The Man*; and *The Tree*.

The Arthur H. Clark Company, Cleveland, Ohio, announce the publication of *The Crown Collection of Photographs of American Maps*. The collection is of photographs of unpublished maps in the British Museum and other foreign archives selected and edited by A. B. Hulbert. Volume I which contains *Maps of American Rivers* has been issued. Volumes II, III, and IV will contain *Forts and Military Maps and Plans*, and volume V will include *Maps of the Atlantic Coast*. Twenty-five sets only are to be issued for sale at the price of \$150 for volume I and \$100 for each of the succeeding

volumes. As a result only wealthy libraries will possess these inordinately high priced but otherwise desirable volumes.

The following contributions appear in the August, 1905, number of the *Bulletin of the American Geographical Society*: *The Basin of Lake Titicaca*, by A. F. Bandelier; *The Economic Importance of the Plateaux in Tropic America*, by J. R. Smith; *The Alaskan Range: A New Field for the Mountaineer*, by A. H. Brooks; *A Photograph of Mount Everest* with comment; *Commander Peary's Start for the Arctic*; and *Maps: their Handling, Classification, and Cataloguing*, by Thomas Letts.

Volume I of the Ethnological Survey Publications of the Department of the Interior, Philippine Islands, is a quarto monograph on *The Bontoc Igorot*, by Albert E. Jenks. The volume comprises 266 pages and 154 half tone plates, and bears the imprint 1905. The general character of the work may be indicated by the chapter headings which are as follows: I, The Igorot Culture Group; II, The Bontoc Culture Group; III, General Social Life; IV, Economic Life; V, Political Life and Control; VI, War and Head-Hunting; VII, Aesthetic Life; VIII, Religion; IX, Mental Life; and X, Language. Although a primitive people, the Bontoc Igorot are, nevertheless, an anomaly and present many interesting traits.

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The first number of *The Clarion*, a four column folio weekly, was issued on September 7, 1905, at Iowa City, Iowa.

The True Grandeur of Right Living is the title of a baccalaureate address given by President H. H. Seerley, June 4, 1905, and published by the Iowa State Normal School.

Articles on the early history of Madison County, Iowa, written by Andrew J. Hoisington, have appeared during the past few months in *The Winterset Madisonian*.

Folk-lore of the Musquakie Indians of North America and Catalogue of Musquakie Beadwork and Other Objects in the Collection

of the Folk-lore Society, by Mary A. Owen, was published for the Folk-lore Society by David Nutt, 57-59 Long Acre, London, 1904. The volume comprises 147 pages and eight plates, two of which are colored. The book contains a number of figures illustrative of the text.

The Plough and the Book, an address by John Clay before the agricultural students of the Iowa State College, May 30, 1905, is a finely printed pamphlet sent out by the Iowa State College at Ames.

The September, 1905, number of *Inspiration* begins volume II of that periodical, which is a monthly published at Des Moines, Iowa, by the Inspiration Publishing Company.

Autumn Leaves, a monthly magazine published for the past eighteen years at Lamoni, Iowa, has as a frontispiece in the September, 1905, number, a view of the noted Nauvoo Temple.

A biographical sketch of Capt. Pehr Dahlberg, who established the first Swede colony in the Territory of Iowa in 1845, appears in the *Fairfield Tribune* of June 14, 1905. The article is written by Robert N. Dahlberg.

What the Club Woman has a Right to Expect from the Public Library, is the title of a suggestive paper by Bessie S. Smith, which appears in the *Quarterly of the Iowa Library Commission* for July, 1905.

An article on *Interesting Facts and Information About Burlington* appears in the August, 1905, number of *Midland Municipalities*, published at Marshalltown, Iowa.

The Iowa Odd Fellow, published at Maxwell, Iowa, has recently been changed from folio to neat octavo form, and is now issued semi-monthly.

The papers in the June number of the *Investigations of the Departments of Psychology and Education of the University of Colorado* treat of the study of the branches taught in the secondary and high schools of the State.

The *Presidential Address* before the Iowa Academy of Sciences at Grinnell, April 20, 1905, has been issued in a pamphlet, illustrated with four plates.

The *P. E. O. Record*, published at Des Moines, Iowa, has in the September, 1905, number a well written account of the Colorado State Convention, held June 13-15, 1905.

The *Burlington Hawkeye* of April 30, 1905, contains an article on the life of Judge Joseph Williams, one of the pioneer judges of the Supreme Court of Iowa. A similar article appears in the *Cedar Rapids Evening Gazette* of April 26, 1905.

Thomas F. McCune, of Vinton, Iowa, has compiled a roster of the descendents of James and Elizabeth McCune, and has published the same in a pamphlet of forty-eight pages under the title of *McCune Roster*.

The *Normal-Eyte Annual* for June, 1905, is a finely illustrated quarto of about ninety pages descriptive of the Iowa State Normal School. The publication is dedicated to the President, Homer H. Seerley.

The President's address at the meeting of the Iowa State Bar Association, July 13, 1905, was given by the retiring President, Mr. A. E. Swisher, of Iowa City, on *An International Court*. The address has been printed in pamphlet form.

A complete report of resolutions passed and addresses given before the Iowa State Manufacturers Association Convention held at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, January 25-27, 1905, has been issued by the Association in a pamphlet of seventy-five pages.

Proceedings of the *Eighth Reunion of the Twelfth Iowa Veteran Volunteer Infantry and Dedication of Lincoln Monument and Henderson Statue at Clermont, Iowa, June 19 and 20, 1903*, has recently been issued. The publication, which contains eighty-five pages and a number of plates, was issued by the Secretary of the reunion association, Mr. Geo. E. Comstock, of Fayette, Iowa.

The Cass County Democrat celebrated its silver anniversary on July 20, 1905, by issuing a seventy-two page illustrated edition which contains extensive accounts of the city of Atlantic and of Cass County, together with sketches of pioneers, business men, and organizations.

The annual *Report* of Coe College library for 1904-1905 gives the information that there are 5,175 volumes in the collection. During the past year 504 books were secured, 325 by gift and 175 by purchase. Of pamphlets 489 were received as gifts as well as 133 unbound volumes of periodicals. The circulation of books during the past year numbered 3,686. Two hundred and four students registered as borrowers.

The Grasses of Iowa, part II, by L. H. Pammel, Carleton R. Ball, and F. Lamson-Scribner, is the title of an octavo volume of four hundred and thirty-six pages issued April, 1905, and distributed the following August by the Iowa Geological Survey. This volume, which is of considerable scientific merit, is well illustrated and is a companion to the volume of general information on Iowa grasses issued by the Survey in 1901.

Congregational Iowa for August, 1905, gives a life sketch with portrait of Rev. C. N. Lyman. Rev. Lyman, it appears, was born in Hartford, Connecticut, May 14, 1835. He enlisted in 1864 as a private in the Thirteenth Connecticut Volunteer Infantry. Later he was transferred to the Twentieth Connecticut Volunteer Infantry and commissioned as Chaplain, serving to the end of the war. In 1868 he came to Iowa where he remained to the day of his death, which occurred on July 4, 1905. Mr. Lyman was a graduate of Yale College, class 1859. In Iowa he served as pastor, two years at Dunlap, twenty years at Onawa, and eleven years at Alden.

The annual *Report* for 1904 of the Iowa Weather and Crop Service, a pamphlet of fifty-four pages, was distributed in July, 1905. This report contains the climatology for 1904 for the State of Iowa, along with monthly summaries and observers' notes; also a climate

and crop review for the season of 1904, with reprints of the weekly climate and crop bulletins, and monthly and final crop reports. An interesting paper is contributed by the Director, J. R. Sage, on *Concerning Weather Forecasts*, wherein the scientific method is given and its value explained as contra the empirical method.

The leading articles of the April number of the *Bulletin of Iowa Institutions* are: *Institutions for the Blind in the United States are an essential Part of Our Educational System*, by G. L. Smead; *The Adulteration of Food and Medicine*, by H. P. Duffield; *The Influence of Massage in the Treatment of Mental and Nervous Diseases*, by M. N. Voldeng; *Classification of Insane Conditions*, by Max E. Witte; *What Causes Tuberculosis*, by L. F. Summers; *The Therapeutic Value of Amusements in State Hospitals for Insane*, by J. W. Wherry; *What Can be Done in the Way of Prevention of Tuberculosis by Organization*, by E. Luther Stevens; and *A Morphological Continuity of Germ Cells as the Basis of Heredity and Variation*, by J. Beard.