CURRENT LITERATURE.

"Atoms of Empire," by C. J. Cutcliffe Hynn, is a story the opening scene of which is laid on the coasts of West Africa. The conversation carried on among colonial officials would make some mis-Bionary societies "boil." "I wish," Charteris, "that we could get some of those canting, whining fools out here for a bit to see for themselves the mischief they are doing. But no fear of that; they are making a living out of their silly theories. What's worse, good, old mutton-headed England believes them. West Africa is a polsonous swamp that isn't worth sticking to the white man is still the palm-oil ruffian of fifty years ago the black man is a little angel, only kept from being drowned in gin by their pious efforts. The sole reason the country isn't chucked away to France, or Germany, or any one elso, who wants it, is because it's such a fine hunting ground for the blessed missionary." Tommy," he said, "wet your whistle, and don't waste your wind. It's no use telling all this stale history to us because we know already, and it's no use going home and shouting it out there, because people would only look superior and not believe you if you did." But our friends were busy empire-making and had little time to give vent to their ruffled opinions. The story is full of incidents and adventure. The horrors of a "cholera ship" are given a vivid description. While happy to admit our inability to give an opinion from per sonal knowledge of such a dreadful affair, we are willing to stake our reputation that there is not one harrowing detail omitted. But all these things must be with empire making. Published by the Macmillan com-

"Little Burr," by Charles Felton Pidgin (Robinson, Luce company, Boston), is a volume which causes the reader to ask, "What is the use?" Napoleon has said that history is a lie which all accept-and admitting this to be true, it is especially true of Aaron Hurr-a man whose ability no one doubts, and who has been made the type of the American Fra Diavolo. The author of "Little Burr" says this was the work of his enemies. Maybe it was, but it is a sad commentary on the life of the man to know that he was compelled to walt until after all of his associates had died to find a person anxious to do him The book is well written and throws side lights on American revolutionary history which are probably as accurate as any found in a work which profeases to be "fiction with a mission.

"Daily Cheer Year Book," compiled by M. Allette Ayer. Each day in the year is provided with a page of well chosen extracts from the best writers. The introduction is written by Rev. Francis E. Clark, D. D. It is a charming volume and should bring hope and joy to every one to whom it speaks its cheery message. Published by Lee & Shepard.

"Jack in the Rockies," by George Bird Grinnell, is the story of a boy's adventure with a pack train. Civilization was not as near then as now, but our friends were not altogether inexperienced in this sort of life, so they knew how to equip themselves and where to journey to have a pleasant time. There were buffalo to hunt, and the beauties of the Yellowstone park to investigate, to say nothing of Indians and grizzlies. The book is prettily and appropriately illustrated, and it is safe to presume that all ages of boys will enjoy reading "Jack in the Rockies." Frederick A. Stokes company, publishers.

"The Touch of Nature," retold by August Mendon Lord. This is stories, shaped and colored by its own DR. BRADBURY national and racial characteristics, and is the outcome of the custom of "story telling" among friends. The author has drawn from English, French and German translations, and folk lore periodicals for her collection. Published by the American Unitarian association.

"The Friendship of Art," by Bliss Carman. Thic book, as the author says, "is "made of different elements, divers thoughts and moods and fancies." However, they are well chosen subjects, and the charming thoughts given to each can only be appreciated by those who are familiar with Bliss Carman as an author. Published by L. C. Page company.

"The Kaiser as He Is." by Henri de Noussanne, translated into English by Walter Littlefield. This book is an arraignment from the French point of view of sewing machine is acknowledged the light-Emperor William II of Germany. Pub- est running, most durable and convenient lished by G. P. Putnam's Sons.

Speaking of his famous story, "The Man Without a Country," a new popular-price National edition of which Little, Brown & Co, have just published, Dr. Edward Everett Hale, the venerable chaplain of the United States senate, says: "This story was written in the summer of 1863. It was meant for the Americans of that day. I fested for the different in the termology of to men and women, what it is to have a country. For this purpose I invented a history of the life of a young man who in a frenzy of excitement expressed a wish to live without a country, and had that wish granted." More than 500,000 copies of the book were printed in America and England within a year after it appeared in the Atlantic Monthly.

"The Wanderers." by Henry C. Row-land (A. S. Barnes & Co., New York), is a story filled with adventures and because it doesn't end as the reader expects from the first is worthy of perusal when looking for "something to read."

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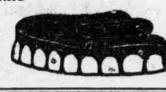
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street, Omaha; 438 North 24th street, South Omaha, Neb. Announcements of the Theaters. Apparently the theater goer's fancy is

nicely indulged at the Orpheum this week for the vaudeville is not only attracting large houses, but the enthusiasm manithe theater the "stunts" would be described as "hits." Jack Norworth, with funny stories and song, is making good his title, "the life of every party." Cole and Johnson are proving a decidedly magnetic card and are to be commended not only for bringing new songs, but good ones, and they deserve the success they achieve. Drako's sheep are a genuine novelty, being the first of their kind to nterest to Orpheumites. A matinee will be given Thursday.

It is always a pleasure to announce the oming of the Al G. Field Greater minstrels. The show this season is said to eclipse anything he has offered to the public. It is said that the color scheme and the "effects" of the first part surpass anything of the kind ever presented in minstrelsy. In song and in humor, in execution and effect, in refinement and in art, it is said to be superior to any first part Mr. Field has given to the public. Environed by the lights and the shadows of the forge, and inspired by the melody of the anvil and hammer, the Quaker City quartet is said to give a high-class entertainment of song and comedy. This act is relieved by the astonishing Avolos, who do a series of swings and somersaults from perpendicular bars. "Where the Moonlight Falls" shows a miniature landscape with a full moon and rippling waters. It furnishes an environment for a company of darkies who gather and do a series of dances. There is a monologue by Billy Clark and a musical "fete" by Nick Glynn. The performance is closed with "While Old Glory Waves," a series of spectacles disclosing the varied career of America in arms. The minstrels will be at the Boyd theater on Friday and Saturday evenings, with a matinee on

Saturday. An interesting demonstration of radium energy was made at the Omaha flight school building. It was made in the interest of the pupils in the physics classes of Mr. Bernstein, in order to convey some idea to the mind of the students of the nature of ions. The demonstration was made possible through the kindness of Mr. Edward Rosewater, who loaned the instrument for this purpose. This instrument consists of a tube, one and a haif inches long, with a fluorescent screen at one end over which is placed a movable pointer carrying at its point a small quantity of radium, the whole being under a powerful adjustable magnifying glass. It is a very late invention by Sir William Crookes, by which is demonstrated the extraordinary physical properties of radium. The small quantity of radium in Radium at the High School.

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Sam'l Burns is selling six Colonial tumlers for 60 cents, formerly \$1.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

William Whisker reached home yester-lay after three months pleasantly spent it his old home in Hull. England. Harry Fischer, secretary of the Omaha Retail Merchants' association, is in Lin-coln observing the doings of the state legislature. William Sinclair, who has been with Browning, King & Co., has resigned to ac-cept the management of the furnishing goods department for the same firm at Mil-waukee. He left Monday for Milwaukee.

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