

Business of Being Soldier Clearly Told

History of United States Army and "The Profession of Arms," Timely Volumes.

THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES, by William Addelman Gano, Major of Infantry, U. S. A.; D. Appleton & Co., New York. "THE PROFESSION OF ARMS," by George G. Smith, Ph. D., Captain of Infantry, U. S. A.; D. Appleton & Co., New York. Publishers.

A time for understanding the relations of the army to the general welfare of the republic has come, and its need is met by two very dependable volumes, each written with great care by a man who can deal with the topic sympathetically as well as authoritatively. Especially will be perusal of Major Gano's volume repay the effort of anyone. Those who tremble at the suggestion of militarism might be impressed with the great service the army of the United States has performed, in peace as well as in war. Those who regard the army as a necessary evil will be edified to learn that it has really been a blessing, and had quietly done its work, often under the most humiliating of handicaps imposed by civilian authority. For the majority who realize the benefits that have come to the country through the patriotic, unselfish efforts of the professional soldiers, the volume will provide reading of deep interest and information of genuine value.

Began with Washington. Major Gano starts at the birth of the army, when George Washington drew his sword and assumed command of the "Army of the Colonies." Here he refers in passing to the little known fact that Washington was chosen for the place because he was not known to hold "opinions" obnoxious to the politicians who made up the congress. It was because of his negative rather than his positive virtues that Washington was given the place. How he was harassed by congress, hampered by the utter lack of either discipline or dignity among his forces; the inadequacy of equipment and supplies; the stupidity and neglect of those who held high place in the councils of the dawning revolution; the indifference of the citizens, who lived well while the army starved; all this is briefly but vividly set forth, a splendid background against which to throw the picture of the army as it came into existence.

Major Gano's narrative style carries the reader along in a manner almost like that of fiction. It is authentic history, possessing the finest qualities of entertainment. One can see on almost every page a faithful picture of the nation's development and a side of our history which has too long been tucked away in obscurity. For example, General Winfield Scott, it is shown, saved the country from war three times, single-handed. The construction of the Union Pacific was due to the army and army training. The Indian fights, the reconstruction troubles, the conquest of Florida all are set down with vivid realism. It is a human story, every page of it. Among the interesting features are a chronological account of the soldier's life during the revolution; the truth concerning Von Steuben; what the soldier did and did not do in 1812; what the soldier's peace-time life is like—his work as a builder; a new view of the civil war; a chronological record of Indian wars, etc.

Duties of the Army. Captain Colby's book affords a vivid picture of the army, its motives, its work, its sacrifices and its satisfaction. Full information is included descriptive of the duties and activities of the various combatant branches, and the chapters truly reflect the typical sentiments and the characteristic traditions of those who follow the profession of arms.

Captain Colby opens the volume with a general description of the army and the profession of arms, telling of the military policy of the United States under the national defense act of 1920, of the means of obtaining a commission in the army, the reserve corps, the training and duties of an officer. On chapter forms a description of what the modern battle is from the point of view of co-ordination and control. Eight chapters cover the duties of all the combatant branches of the service in peace and war. The final chapter is an inspiring expression of the satisfaction to be derived from work in the public service and from military service in particular.

Bob Wallace Springs Some Welcome Words "INTELLIGENT" by R. H. Wallace, Mid-West Hotel Reporter, Omaha, publisher. "Bob" Wallace has done a lot of things in his time, but nothing more serviceable than this compilation of short, pithy paragraphs. He has gathered epigrams, bon mots, proverbs, and the like, and has classified and arranged them in a most attractive manner.

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ABE MARTIN

On Women in Business

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they've been th' inspiration that has goaded many a bass singer int' amountin' 't' somethin'. They've showed men ahead p'ltically an' they've helped clerks an' bookkeepers 't' own their own homes. They've put men's noses 't' grindstones an' made good, quiet, ploddin' citizens of them. Women have allus been in business in a hidden sort o' way. O' course they've busted up a lot o' men, but that's neither here nor there. Women are, by fer, best bare back rid-

so, but it's too late now. We've never known a woman 't' be left with five children that didn't sit 't' th' front an' put 'em all on a good payin' basis, an' we've never seen a husband that wuz left with a child or two that didn't whine around till his relatives come 't' his rescue. Women are no longer looked on as agencies 't' keep th' country's population on th' hop, but as keen competitors o' men in business, political an' social



Miss Mame Moon, Business Woman.

THE COMMON SENSE OF HEALTHY mystic must realize that they constitute a force that sooner or later must be reckoned with. But women have allus been more or less silent partners o' men, we won't exactly say silent, but they're more often than not been th' power behind th' throne. They've made more self-made men than most any other agency, an' they've made more home made "light wine" than all th' Hunyaks put 't'gether. Women have allus spurred loafers an' no accounts on 't' better things. They've had husbands an' down with children an' made 'em hustle. They've had husbands an' rested an' taught how 't' live, an'

Serious Subjects Treated in Chatty Fashion by Doctor

"THE COMMON SENSE OF HEALTHY" by Stanley M. Rinehart, M. D.; George H. Doran Company, New York, publisher. Dr. Rinehart, who is not so well known to the reading public as is his gifted wife, Mary Roberts Rinehart, still has such control of expression as makes his pages interesting, even when he is most seriously treating his subject. In this work, in a delightfully conversational fashion, he gives latest information about the mind and body, and in so clear a manner that his meaning is never mistaken. It is just as good as a long private chat with your family physician, and tells many things you might not find out that way.

"YOUR BUSINESS AND MINE," by John Stafford. (Dorrance & Co., Philadelphia).

The householder of today evinces a greater interest in economic and social studies than ever before. The author, through personal application, has equipped himself for the task of presenting to the public this careful study which is an education in itself. It is designed especially for the average voter and average citizen, and will open his eyes to many things which could be bettered by his intelligent observation.

More Books on Health.

Four more books of the 20-volume National Health series have been published and released by Funk & Wagnalls company of New York. The titles and authors are as follows: "Love and Marriage," by Dr. T. W. Gallowsay; "The Expectant Mother," by R. L. DeNormandie; "Tubercu-

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"The Tenth Woman," a Book of Pleasant Surprise

Harriet T. Comstock has developed a talent which results in fiction characters becoming involved in all sorts of situations, and she usually brings them through to a logical and satisfactory conclusion, with only slight shocks. "The Tenth Woman" is illustrative of her method of writing a yarn. This book is offered by Doubleday Page Co., and there is little wonder that it was recently filmed for the movie screen.

Rose-Ann Trevall is the heroine of the story and is "The Tenth Woman," because she does not follow where nine other women would go, instinctively or otherwise. Rose was born with a horror of anyone dominating her. She inherited tendencies from a grim ancestor, "Everyone wants to stretch his muscles and grow up to the best that is in him," she said. Our heroine marries William Bain, tree, handsome and with ideas of

his own. "I am no man's slave," she informs her husband. And she avers that a woman does not love a bit of the master in her husband, "but a woman cannot follow unless her husband is master." She then proceeds to lead her own life, though married, defies the rules of propriety, and then she experiences a "perilous hour" in the woods with Eric Manville. She leaves her husband and goes out where the west begins. Just

Kentucky's Praises Sung Loud by Loyal Son

"SPIRITUAL HISTORY AND DESTINY OF KENTUCKY," by Enos Eli Sutherland; The Sutherland Company, Los Angeles, publisher. Mr. Sutherland, a native of Kentucky, finds inspiration in the recollection of his childhood and youth, spent amid the mountains, the blue grass prairies, along the streams and back yonder in the hills of his home state. All these things he celebrates, and a lot more. His book contains

history, philosophy, poetry, essays, conjectures and many panegyrics to Kentucky. Any who know the state will enjoy the work.

"Clearing Up the Bible."

"The Interpleader," by Dr. Lewis B. Sawyer (Franklin Hudson, Kansas City, publisher) deals with some matters that perplex and annoy modern thinkers. It touches on Modernism, Fundamentalism, Inspirationalism, all in a way to clarify many of the doubts and uncertainties that bother everyday people. Dr. Lewis has sought to prepare a guide book to the Bible, to be helpful and not critical, and has given some cause for thought and surely his work should be helpful to the earnest seeker after truth.

There is a new shade of brown called "penny," which has aroused a great deal of attention in fashion circles.

"Ancient Fires" Tells Tale Thrilling in Its Details

"Ancient Fires" is a romantic adventure, written by I. A. R. Wylie, an English writer, who uses a vigorous style and goes into considerable detail. The story opens in quaint Stoneborough, England, and then the locale is shifted to a gold mining camp, known as Quetzalango, in Central America. John Smith, who wins many honors in the war, and Sir Euan Fitzroy, are motivated by a common object—a woman. Her name is Lisbeth and she has red-gold hair. Smith, whose naked simplicity lent dignity to what might have been a grotesque egotism, believed himself invulnerable. He married Lisbeth but that did not conclude the story. Euan loves Lisbeth. Miss Wylie has written several other novels. Her new book is published by E. P. Dutton & Company, New York.



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