

NEW BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

Valuable Work Bearing Upon the Science of Statistics

TRAVELS IN THE REPUBLIC OF MEXICO

New Novel Based Upon Life as Represented in New York Before the Revolution—Books that Will Appeal.

"Statistics and Sociology," by Richmond Mayo-Smith, professor of political economy and social science in Columbia college, is a new work of great interest to students of that department of science. The present edition is a valuable moment in the progress in scientific form those statistics of population which are of interest to the student of sociology and of economics, to the journalist and publicist, to those interested in social questions, and to intelligent men generally.

Theodore Gilman, the author of "A Graded Banking System," has brought out a new work, "Federal Clearing Houses." The object of the book is to present the reasons why the clearing houses of our country should be incorporated under a federal law. A national clearing house is the proper name for one organized under an act of congress. The word "federal" is industry and has reference to the mode of formation rather than to the complete organization.

There are few who have the ability to see the beauty features of a country and to tell what has been seen in graphic sentences. Among the few Mrs. Sherratt is eminent. Her book is one of the smaller number which take the physical endurance and the courage to go aside from the familiar highways of tourists' excursions, as per guide book, and visit the outlying regions of a strange country and report to those who cannot travel all that is striking in the aspects of nature and in the characteristics of the people. This Mrs. Sherratt, accompanied by her "Ahaeurus," has done for Mexico and we have the result in her bright, picturesque and eminently readable volume, "Mexican Vistas, Seen from the Highways and Beyond." She found the Mexicans practicing a lordly and almost oppressive hospitality. "When a stranger enters a house he is assured by his host, 'It is yours, honor; accept it,' and his it remains—in the assurance of the free-handed Don—so long as he chooses to stay, albeit his host never glances at the sight of the title deeds, properly signed and registered. Not often in all the romance of travel has a woman pioneered so enterprising a journey and one so fruitful of interesting information as that of Mrs. Sherratt on the highways and beyond, over three ranges of mountains, in order to visit certain Aztec villages lying among and behind them. Whoso would know Mexico without the inconvenience and expense of travel let him read Mrs. Sherratt's book. When with the ward-painting and the mosaic illustrations there is only left to be desired that a book could furnish. Hand, McNally & Co., Chicago. Price \$1.50.

"In Old New York" is a romance of great value and interest. The adventures of the English-Dutch colony at the stirring period before the outbreak of the War of the Revolution. The collaboration of Elyson Barron, the successful author of Manders, with Wilson Barrett, the brilliant actor-writer, has produced a work of fiction which will take very high rank. The adventures of "Manders," which was reviewed in these columns some little time ago, should not fail to read the latest effort of Elyson Barron. It is a neatly printed and bound volume, being attractive in appearance as well as entertaining. L. C. Page & Co. Price \$1.50.

"Living in the World" is the title of a volume of verse by Frank Putnam. The preface is written by Stanley Waterloo, who says: "It is a bold man, or at least a man unaffected of the world, who dares to print a volume of his poems." But real poetry is not dead and will never die. While the world grows in thought and keen perception and sensibility there will come, with every year throughout the coming years, more and more of those who will understand what poetry is and who will delight and revel in it and be helped by it. Poetry is not mere rhyme. There are many rhymers, but few poets. Frank Putnam is a poet. He has a claim upon the world and the world has a claim upon him. Hand McNally & Co.

"Lee's American Tourist's Map of Paris" is a guidebook of the very greatest value to anyone contemplating a trip to the World's Exposition the coming summer. The map has been especially engraved and contains the very latest changes in names. Moreover there is a tape-measure arrangement by means of which any place desired

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EFFORT TO COLLECT DAMAGE JUDGMENT

City of South Omaha is Asked to Make a Special Levy in Order to Pay Paul Elstfelder's Claim.

Mandamus proceedings have been started in the district court against the city of South Omaha by Henry Elstfelder, representing his minor son, Paul, the object being to compel the municipality to pay an outstanding judgment of \$4,000 in favor of the Elstfelders.

It is understood that the South Omaha authorities will make a vigorous effort to defeat the mandamus. Mayor Basyr came to Omaha yesterday and remained at the court house for some time, but whether his visit had any connection with the Elstfelder suit, he did not state.

DULL DAY AT COURT HOUSE.

Habitual Loungers Occupy Benches and Discuss Liquor Question.

Monday was an exceptionally dull day. There was entire absence of trials, apply or otherwise, the court commissioners were not in session, and, in fact, there was absolutely nothing in the way of entertainment for the loungers, except to enter into a free-for-all discussion on almost any subject that happened to present itself.

"Where would we get revenue to keep up the public schools if we didn't have saloons?" That's what I say, and if—"Yes, and if one man didn't rob it, some other would, so what's the—" "Talk about people being robbed in saloons, why—" "Yes, and I have heard of people being robbed at railroad depots and hotels, but that is not the case here."

DEPENDANT DEMURS TO PETITION.

Standard Oil Replies to Attorney General's Anti-Fraud Action.

The Standard Oil company has filed in the supreme court at Lincoln a demurrer to Attorney General Smyth's action in which he asserts that the defendant company is operating in this state in violation of the anti-trust law.

TROUBLE OVER PARTITION FENCE.

Mr. Murphy Says Mr. Glasgow Is Shutting Out His Light.

Judge Dickinson has granted a temporary order against John M. Glasgow directing him to cease construction of a partition fence along a building situated on lot 12, block 87, South Omaha. The writ was prayed for by James W. Murphy.

AGAINST A JEALOUS LOVER

Rose Clements Prosecutes William Libolt for Assaulting Her in the Street.

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