

CURRENT LITERATURE.

"The United States of America," by Edwin Earle Sparks, Ph. D., of the University of Chicago is one of a series of historical studies intended to present in graphic narrative the stories of the different nations. The work is in two parts. The author says in his preface: "In brief, an attempt is made in these two volumes to tell the story of the United States; to show how the phrase 'The United States' has been slowly and unconsciously evolved in the process of time from the early practice of saying 'The United States are.'" Published by G. P. Putnam's Sons.

"The President," a novel by Alfred Henry Lewis, author of "The Boss." This is a story full of incident with many glimpses at the game of national politics. Of course, there is a love story, and the development of the love affair, together with the intrigue of the political situation, makes a remarkable story. Published by A. S. Barnes & Co.

"Dorothy's Spy," by James Otis, is a story beginning with the first Fourth of July celebration, when Washington assembled his troops to listen to the reading of the Declaration of Independence. Dorothy Dean, the small daughter of a patriot, after seeing King George's statue pulled down and getting her feet trodden upon by the crowds, is sent home for safety. But there she and a playmate become involved in a more serious adventure with a British spy. Thrilling events follow fast in the story, but the ending is happy. Thomas Y. Crowell & Co., publishers.

"Red Hunters, and the Animal People," by Charles A. Eastman, M. D. This is a series of stories, the author of which is a Sioux Indian, "Oyasa," now a practicing physician among his people. The stories are not legends, but said to be real tales of what may be called the human side of animal life, and are a unique contribution to the literature of the west. Published by Harpers.

Francis E. Clark, D. D., founder of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, has this to say of "What a Young Man Ought to Know," of the Self and Sex series, by Sylvanus Stall, D. D.: "I regard Mr. Stall's new book, entitled 'What a Young Man Ought to Know,' as of exceeding value to every youth just entering upon manhood. It is written reverently, but very plainly, and I believe will save a multitude of young men from evils unpeakable. I shall give it to my own son and commend it to other young men as I have opportunity." Vir Publishing Company.

"Mammy, 'Mongrel the Wild Nations of Europe," by Ruth M. Babbitt, is properly illustrated by Francis P. Wightman. Mammy was very much averse to being "toted o'ah yonder 'mongst all dem wild nations," but rather than leave her young missus and the baby was finally persuaded to go. Mammy had a wonderful voyage and many experiences and there is not a dull line from the time she left her "ol' Virginny" until she was able to sing: "Den swing low, sweet char-yut, Swing low, sweet char-yut, Comin' 'fo' to c'yar me home." Published by Frederick A. Stokes.

"The Fire of Spring," (D. Appleton & Co., New York) by Margaret Potter, is one of those books in which one looks in vain for an excuse for its existence. Well written, it carries a description of nothing but a flavor which the longer it abides the more disagreeable it becomes. One can realize how a wife may err and how a husband may forgive, but one cannot feel that there is justification for willfully inventing a plot and developing it through 350 pages of dialogue and description to bring out nothing but facts which are not unknown to divorce courts, but are seldom discussed in society which prides itself upon its gentility rather than upon its "smartness." That the author is a woman makes the "Tense the greater. The flames could have been the author's greater favor than the publishing press in this case.

"What Happened to Johnston," by J. P. Johnston, is a story of twenty years of hard work in the business world. The story is a sequel to "Twenty Years of Hunting," by the same author. Published by Thompson & Thompson, Chicago.

"Freckles," by Gene Stratton-Porter, author of "The Song of the Cardinal." There are very pretty pen and ink marginal decorations by E. Stetson Crawford. Freckles is a nameless waif who the tale opens, but the way in which he takes hold of his life and his love affair with "The Angel" are full of wholesome sentiment. Doubleday, Page & Co., publishers.

"The Minute Boys of the Green Mountains," by James Otis, is a book for boys and girls, recording the stirring adventures of Tobias Stillman and Jethro Pike during the year 1777, when they served the colonies against the king. Published by Dana Estes & Co.

The three latest of the Unit books are "Life of Jesus," by Ernest Renan—the version here used is a composite of several translations published in England; "The Study of Words," by Richard Chenevix Trench, which was first published in 1831, and the right to reprint it is now free; "National Documents," compiled from state papers and so arranged to illustrate the growth of our country from 1696 to the present day. Howard Willford Bell is the publisher of the Unit books.

"The Taming of Betty," by Cally Ryland and illustrated by G. W. Picknell, is the story of a high-spirited Virginia girl of 12, who has a cold, stern father and a delicate, nervous mother. Finally her auto-crate father sends her to boarding school.

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A lot of mill lengths of very fine India linen, 32 inches wide, they are assorted grades, worth up to 25c per yard, go at, per yard... 6c

Wonderful Sale of Ladies' Shoes Thursday
Thousands of discriminating Omaha shoppers have admired our great window display of ladies' shoes during the past few days. On Thursday they go on sale. The entire floor stock of Jno. Ebberts, Buffalo, N. Y. They are worth from \$3 to \$5 pair—at, pr. 1.98

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We must clean up all the boys' suits and overcoats at once. They are in broken lines, but there is still a wide variety—Norfolk, Sailors, Russian Blouses, double-breasted styles, etc.—very stylish little suits, also up-to-date overcoats for boys and children, \$1.50

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Here are men's odd pants, many of them taken from suits that sold up to \$12.50 and \$15.00, all sizes, scores of patterns, for every day wear and semi-dress, worth \$3 and \$4 pair, at, pair... \$1.50

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Teeth Extracted... 25c
Porcelain Fillings \$1 up
Gold Fillings... \$1 up
Silver Fillings... 50c up
Crowns... \$2.50 up
Plates... \$2.00 up

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Ownership of one or more will give you that satisfied feeling. Why? It will insure you against a rainy day—right of it will give you constant pleasure—especially so if mounted in a ring—it is cash—because we will give you nine-tenths of what you paid us at any time within a year from date of purchase.

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The business formerly conducted by the late Mrs. J. Benson will be continued at the old stand by the Executor, Mr. Ed. J. Brown, till the expiration of the lease.
New Spring Goods
Are now in and were selected by Mrs. Benson. Waists, Skirts and Corsets. New Muslin Skirts, elegantly trimmed with lace and embroidery; Corset Covers, Chemise, Drawers, Gowns, Infants' Wear, Gloves—silk and kid, Ribbons, Laces, Art Needle Work, Etc. Come in and see our stock.
ED J. BROWN, Executor

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OMAHA WEATHER REPORT—Wednesday continued fair.

Where Quality Counts and Prices are low
QUALITY!

Bennett's Great Grocery Not Cheapness but Best Quality the keynote in our buyers' purchases
Twenty (2) Green Trading Stamps with each pound Bennett's Capitol Coffee... 25c
Twenty (2) Green Trading Stamps with pound Tea... 45c
Twenty (2) Green Trading Stamps with Aluminum Coffee Maker... 25c
Ten (1) Green Trading Stamps with 8 bars Bennett's Bargain Soap... 25c
Ten (1) Green Trading Stamps with three packages Bennett's Capitol Mince-meat... 25c

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See the window for new Spring Foliage Hats.
BENNETT'S MILLINERY—SECOND FLOOR.

Marvelous Dress Goods Bargains for Wednesday and Thursday.
A Merry March Sale.
At 50c Yard. Plain and fancy mohairs, all wool serges, new English tweeds, new fancy worsteds, new fancy twills, new heather mixtures, all are worth 75c yard, Wednesday and Thursday, yard... 50c

At 75c Yard. New Panama checks, new mohair melanges, new French volles and dotted Panamas, all are worth \$1.00 yard, Wednesday and Thursday, yard... 75c
Special Sales for Wednesday and Thursday at the Busy Silk Counter.
50 pieces of new 24-inch printed satin Foulards in the most wanted shades of blues, browns, greens and natural shades. This is the regular \$1.00 quality, for this sale, yard... 59c
20 pieces new Filo brilliant, something new and pretty, all the new shades, extra special, yard... 49c
100 pieces new chiffon taffeta silks in plain and changeable, very smart and stylish silk for suits, worth 55c yard, special... 59c

Skirts Cheap for Wednesday and Thursday.
A 17-gore brilliant skirt, new roll pleated vertical stitching on hips, made with extra flare and very stylish, very cheap at \$9.90, for this sale... 5.95
Very fine volle skirt, silk drop, new shape, 11-gore. This is a regular \$10.50 skirt, this sale... 11.90

500 new covert coats, very handsome styles, loose backs, box fronts, some are fitted, new covert coats, all made with the very latest sleeves, prices range \$18.50, \$12.50, \$9.00, \$8.95, \$7.95 and \$4.95
At Our Domestic Counter—Ready Made Sheets.
100 dozen of extra heavy seamed sheets, full bed size, a good 65c quality, for this sale each... 48c
Ten (\$1.00) Green Trading Stamps with each sheet.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs.
200 dozen fine Swiss handkerchiefs, lace and embroidered trimmed, worth up to 25c each, special, each... 10c
Five (50c) Green Trading Stamps with each.

Ladies' Belts.
A big lot of sample belts in leather, silk and satin, worth up to 50c each, this sale each... 10c

Extra Special.
White dress linen, very fine quality, Irish linen, 36 inches wide, worth 50c yard, special, yard... 29c

Embroidery Sale.
The big bargain square full of fine embroideries, worth up to 25c yard, at, yard, 10c, 7 1/2c and... 5c
DOUBLE GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

NEW SPRING TRIMMINGS—All the latest styles of plain and fancy braids in the leading shades of green, brown, grey blue and mode; also a full line of two-tone effects. Wednesday we put on sale about 300 pieces, worth up to 50c yard, at, yard, 25c, 15c, 10c and... 5c

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Give Them What They Need—SCIENTIFIC ATTENTION by Bennett's Optician.
Furniture, Carpets and Draperies
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Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth \$2.00 and \$3.00, special, at, pair... 1.75
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20c Silk Taffeta Ribbons, Yard, 9c
100 Boxes of very fine 20c Silk Taffeta Ribbon, in a complete line of colors and almost 4 inches wide, wonderful bargain Wednesday at, yard... 9c
This is the most prominent summer ribbon of the season and only this one lot will be sold at this price.
Manufacturer's Stock of Children's Dresses
purchased by our cloak buyer at a small fraction of their real worth, will go ON SALE WEDNESDAY
They come in the pretty Buster Brown and Sailor effects, are well made and nicely trimmed with braids and buttons; come in ages from 4 to 14 years. Great snap Wednesday at, choice... 49c

\$10.00 Cravenette Coats, \$6.95
As a leader for Wednesday we will place on sale 50 Ladies' Cravenette Coats, our regular \$10 values, as long as they last... \$6.95
Wool Dress Goods
Just arrived 80 pieces of new silk finished Mohairs, mixed colors and plain; nothing like them in Omaha, at, yd., \$1.00, 75c and... 49c
New Tailors' suitings, new Volles in Mannish effects; new Panamas in plain and Mannish effects; nothing like them in town at \$1.50 yard... \$1.00
New all wool Battiste and Vellings worth 75c, on sale at, a yard... 59c
Several specials on high grade wash goods in the main wash goods department.

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2-LB. CANS PINEST PACKED SWEET SUGAR CORN—NOTHING BUT THE BEST... 5c
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3-LB. Golden Pumpkin, nothing finer, per can... 75c
3-LB. cans Best Pick Lye Hominy... 75c
3-LB. cans Boston Baked Beans, with or without sauce... 75c
2-LB. cans Early June Sifted Peas... 75c
Gallon cans New York Apples... 75c
Gallon cans Solid Packed Tomatoes... 75c
Quart cans Golden Table Syrup... 75c
Baltimore Cove Oysters, per can... 75c
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