

ATHLETIC CLUB IN RACE FOR MEMBERS

Gene Melady, Harry Ryan and John Madden are leading attraction getters.

DARK HORSE MAY BE WINNER

Gene Melady is suspected of having in his possession at least fifty applications all signed up for membership in the new Omaha Athletic club.

Ryan going good, too. Harry Ryan, captain of another team, is said to have over fifty also, and thus far Ryan's team is looked upon as leading the contest.

President of School Board Pays Visit To High Cadet Camp

Valley, Neb., June 8.—The cadets were hosts to more than 800 parents and friends today. The visitors started to arrive at 8 o'clock in the morning, among the first ones being President Ernst of the school board.

The regimental parade directly after the ball game closed the entertainment. The third battalion took all three places in the lines.

Government Will Sell Indian Lands in Thurston County

Under the direction of the government, there will be a sale of several tracts of Indian lands, coming through inheritance, or non-competency of the owners, in Thurston county, during July.

At the sale the following tracts are to be offered Long Tail, 40 acres, \$3,800; Snowball, 80 acres, \$6,400; Thunder Twin, 80 acres, \$6,200; Walking Water, 40 acres, \$3,000; Hunting Man, 40 acres, \$2,000; Penny Face, 40 acres, \$3,200; Rosa Rainbow, 40 acres, \$3,800.

Drinking in Homes Is on the Increase

London, May 24.—Drinking in the homes is growing, and there is an increase of excess among those women who drank before the war, according to a report by a committee of prominent women which has investigated the subject.

Remedial suggestions offered included more drastic restrictions as to the distribution and canvassing for the sale of liquor, the withdrawal of the proposal that the wives of sailors and soldiers should not be arrested for drunkenness except after a first or second offense.

WANY RUSSIAN PRISONERS ARE REACHING HOLLAND

There has been a striking increase in the number of escaped Russian prisoners of war to reach Dutch territory in the last few weeks, arrivals being reported almost daily. The fugitives seldom come alone, usually arriving in parties varying from two or three to a dozen.

Mister Intercourse, can you tell me which is the richest country in the world? Why the United States is the richest country in the world, Mr. Tambor.

New Books

Poetry. THE SON OF MAN. By Percival M. Wells. Waltham, N. Y. Bartlett Publishing Company. \$1.25.

This book has been written with a twofold purpose—that of showing what a large part of the English Bible (illustrated by the gospels) is poetry as it stands; and of presenting to the public another view of the Son of Man—perhaps in some ways similar to those already expressed, and perhaps entirely different.

INCLUDING YOU AND ME. By Strickland Gillilan. Chicago. 443 South Dearborn street, Chicago.

This book contains over a hundred joyous poems by the popular author of "Including Fingert" and every poem has a charming human interest quality.

POEMS OF WAR AND PEACE. By Robert Underwood Johnson. Indianapolis. Bobbs-Merrill company. \$1.00.

In this volume are the Panama Ode, The Corridors of Congress, Rheims, The Haunting Face, Shakespeare, Embattled France and other poems of the great war.

THE UNCHASTENED WOMAN. By Louis Kaufman Anspacher. New York: Fredrick A. Stokes company. \$1.25 net.

A remarkable picture of a worldly modern woman, drawn with all sympathy of insight, but with no palliation, is Mr. Anspacher's "The Unchastened Woman"—unquestionably one of the most successful plays ever produced in America.

ALONG NEW ENGLAND ROADS. By W. C. Prime, LL.D. New York: Harper & Bros. \$1.

Mr. Prime catches his trout, or buys his bits of old china or pewter fagon, and, gay at some times, grave at others, altogether delights you as you go with him along New England roads.

ORLEANS OF THE MORNING GLORY CAMPFIRE. By Isabel Hornbrook. Boston. Lothrop Loos & Shepard. \$1.10.

The sensibly helpful and patriotic organization called the Camp Fire Girls is spreading with wonderful rapidity, because it is based on the right elements to appeal both to girls and their parents.

THE ROAD TO MECCA. By Florence Irwin. New York. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$1.15.

The mere recital of a woman's struggle for position and pre-eminence in the world of fashion would be a sordid story. The tale of what happens to the soul that makes the struggle its one and only aim—that never lets the heart speak, never lets the mind speak, or many subject save that one—is far from sordid, and it is more than a story.

THE GERANIUM LADY. By Sylvia Chatfield Bates. New York. Duffield & Co. \$1.15.

have wondered what really became of her. They will learn when they read these stories, the last that Anne Warner wrote, possessing that same winning humor which caused her to be ranked as one of the drollest of American humorists.

THE BATTLE MONTHS OF GEORGE DAURELLA. By Douglas Marie Dix. New York. Duffield & Co. \$1.25.

A great story of the development through love and war of a man and a girl. Not a war story or a peace story—just a romance.

THE PROOF OF THE PUDDING. By Meredith Nicholson. Boston. Houghton Mifflin company. \$1.25.

A story that combines the mystery and excitement of "The House of a Thousand Candles," the charm of "Othwise Phyllis," and the strength of "The Main Chance" into the most wholly satisfying novel Nicholson has yet written.

A WESTERN WARWICK. By Samuel G. Blythe. New York. George H. Doran company. \$1.25.

A story of the man who stole the nation for a toy—almost. The conditions are so like some of those today that you find yourself wondering 'who is who?' Sam Blythe knows all the ins and outs and twisted ways of American politics. His characters are discouragingly real.

THE BORDER LEGION. By Zane Grey. New York. Harper & Bros.

A thrilling romance of the border by the author of "Desert Gold" and "The Rainbow Trail," etc. Told in a very interesting manner, and containing interesting descriptions as well as holding the attention of the reader to the very end. Illustrated in a very beautiful manner.

THE NIGHT COMETH. Translated from the French by G. Fradette Lee. New York. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$1.25.

One of the most impressive works of imagination yet written under the influence of the war. A French military hospital is the scene of the story, and its chief characters are a famous Paris surgeon and a young wounded officer, whose fervent piety is in sharp contrast with the doctor's philosophic materialism.

THE KING'S MEN. By John Palmer. New York. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$1.25.

A story with a war-time setting, but the reader is not taken into the trenches, does not participate in a charge, and hears only once—and then from a distance—the muffled boom of artillery. It is the life behind the firing lines, the inner drama of a nation's transformation, that the author depicts in his striking characters and scenes.

UNHAPPY IN THY DARING. By Marjux Lyle. New York. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$1.25.

The scene of this story, which has won the highest praise from such masters of fiction as H. G. Wells and A. E. W. Mason, is laid in Ireland, and the action has to do with the growing estrangement of husband and wife, carefully nurtured by the wife's sister, who finally oversteps herself and becomes the cause of bringing the unhappy couple back to a closer companionship than they had known.

DESTINY. By Charles Neville Buck. New York. W. J. Watt & Co. \$1.25.

There are few splendid novels. This is one. It is nobly conceived and splendidly wrought. It is a serious book in its purpose, but teems with liveliest interest from the first page to the last.

MAROONED IN THE FOREST. By A. Hyatt Verrill. New York. Harper & Bros. \$1.25.

also a comprehensive presentation of national and international affairs during a momentous quarter century of our history.

PERSONAL RECOLLECTIONS OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN. By Henry B. Rankin. New York. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$2.00.

The author was one of the "Lincoln boys" who grew up in the valley of the Sangamon, before the sturdy race of pioneers had disappeared, and his pictures of that now vanished time help us to see Lincoln in the setting of his life, amidst the scenery which wrought itself into his mind, and the hardy, wholesome, self-reliant folk who left their impress upon his character and his career.

WARPATH AND HUNTING TRAIL. By Elmer Russell Greer. New York. Harper Bros. 60 cents.

In this book, the author has endeavored to show the Indian as he actually was. These adventures belong to the realm of fiction, but the thoughts, motives, customs and traditions which are illustrated are those which are characteristic of the old time red man.

War and Warring Nations. BY MOTOR TO THE FIRING LINE. By Walter Hale. New York. The Century Company. \$1.50.

An artist's notes and sketches with the armies of northern France, June-July, 1915. There is a distinction, a delicacy, a sensitive humaneness in the manner of the book that separates it from the mass of wartime volumes.

COMMON-SENSE PATRIOTISM. By A. A. Warden. New York. Duffield & Co. \$1.

This volume contains a well-thought-out and a well-worked-out practical plan to bring about peace between the belligerent nations of Europe. The plan proposed is so simple, and, if adopted, would be so effective, that it would forever obviate the possibility in the future of questions of national importance being settled by brute force.

OUR MILITARY HISTORY. By Leonard Wood. Chicago. Duffield & Co. \$1.

In this volume General Wood points out the costly defects of our past military policy—costly in money, time, men and results—the perils threatened by its continuation, and presents a practical plan to meet our present and future needs.

DEFENSELESS AMERICA. By Hudson Maxins. New York. Hearst's International Library Company. \$0c.

The main object of this book is to present a phalanx of facts upon the subject of this country, and to show what must be done and done quickly in order to avert the most dire calamity that can fall upon a people—that of merciless invasion by a foreign foe, with the horrors of which no pestilence can be compared.

BIOGRAPHY. THE LIFE OF WILLIAM MCKINLEY. By Charles S. Osgood. Boston. Houghton Mifflin company. \$5.00.

This official biography—in two volumes—is based on confidential material collected by the president's friends and executors, and gives for the first time an authentic and complete account both of the man and of his period. Few, if any, presidents have been more popular personally than William McKinley.

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Essays, Criticism, Etc. FATHER PAYNE. Anonymous. New York. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$1.50 net.

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MISCELLANEOUS. A LIVING FROM EGGS AND POULTRY. By Herbert W. Brown. New York: Orange Juice company. 75 cents.

Most books on poultry keeping emphasize but one side of the business—the silver lining of the cloud—but the cloud itself is left to the imagination or left in the background.

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