

• First Glances at New Books

Miscellaneous

COUNTERFEIT—NOT YOUR MONEY BUT WHAT IT BUYS—Arthur Kallet—*Vanguard*, 96 p., \$1.50. Naming names and presenting striking photographs, manufacturers and advertisers are taken to task for trimming quality and making exaggerated claims within the law. Concluding sentence: "In the opinion of the author, goods counterfeiting cannot be ended so long as it pays; that is, so long as industry is privately owned and profits are the motivating force behind production; and to suggest any easy remedy would be to offer only one more counterfeit to consumers."

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Physiology

VITAMINS AND YOUR HEALTH—Margaret Elston Gauger—*Robert M. McBride*, 102 p., \$1.25. A short, lively account of the why, where and how much of vitamins with brief notes on their discovery and history.

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Metallurgy

METALLURGY—E. L. Rhead—*Longmans, Green*, 396 p., \$4. A new revised and enlarged edition of a beginner's text of British origin which has gone through many editions since its first in 1895.

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Geology

THE BOOK OF NATURAL WONDERS—Ellison Hawks—*Loring & Mussey*, 256 p., \$2. Geology plus human-interest stories: the geologic building of the Alps plus the account of the first ascent of Mont Blanc; an account of the volcano Krakatau plus stories of what happened during its terrific explosion a half-century ago. With such judicious bits of bait, the book will be read by many who would not otherwise touch a work on geology.

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Entomology—Bacteriology

KEY-CATALOGUE OF PARASITES REPORTED FOR CARNIVORA (CATS, DOGS, BEARS, ETC.) WITH THEIR POSSIBLE PUBLIC HEALTH IMPORTANCE—C. W. Stiles and Clara E. Baker—*U. S. Govt. Print. Off.*, 913 p.—1223, 20c.

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Engineering

THE STORY OF STEAM—Anne Coolidge and Anthony di Bona—*John C. Winston*, 48 p., 60 cents. A book which is written for children and will catch their interest at the age when the bub-

bling tea kettle on the stove is a fascination. Using a tea kettle as a jumping-off place and grand three-color illustrations, the volume takes the children—and their parents who may not be technically minded—through the interesting story of how man harnesses steam to do work.

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Education-Recreation

HIGH-SCHOOL CLUBS—Maris M. Proffitt—*Govt. Print. Off.*, 63 p., 10c. Appearing as Office of Education Bulletin 1934, No. 18, this booklet should prove useful in high-school libraries. Of the 816 schools reporting clubs, 364 had clubs devoted to chemistry, physics, mathematics and astronomy, and 145 had nature study clubs.

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Paleontology

A STUDY OF THE OZARKIAN FAUNAS OF SOUTHEASTERN MINNESOTA—Louis H. Powell—*The Science Museum of The St. Paul Institute*, Science Bull. No. 1, 80 p. and 17 plates, \$2. This monograph is of interest not only as a substantial contribution to paleontology but because it marks the launching of a new series of scientific publications. The Saint Paul Institute here sets a high standard for its future efforts along the same line.

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Medicine

MEDICAL TACTICS AND LOGISTICS—G. M. Blech and C. Lynch—*Charles C. Thomas*, 219 p., \$4. Medical officers and physicians or medical students who wish to prepare themselves for medical service in the event of war will find this clearly written book very helpful. The text is prepared in accordance with official regulations.

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Medicine

PRACTICAL ENDOCRINOLOGY—Max A. Goldzieher—*D. Appleton-Century*, 348 p., \$5. This book is written for the busy general physician, presenting the recent developments in endocrinology in a way that will be most useful to him.

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Mineralogy—Engineering

THE STORY BOOK OF OIL—Maud and Miska Petersham; **THE STORY BOOK OF COAL**—Maud and Miska Petersham; **STORY BOOK OF IRON AND STEEL**—Maud and Miska Petersham; **THE STORY OF GOLD**—Maud and Miska Petersham, 32 p. each, 60c each; **THE STORY BOOK OF EARTH'S TREASURES**—Maud and Miska Petersham, 128 p., \$2.50. The story book series of the authors is a splendid way to mold the interest of children in paths which make for a better understanding of the scientific world which—whether they realize it or not—is all about them. Beautifully illustrated in color, the first four books take up the separate fields of oil, coal, iron and gold. The fifth is the collection of all four into one volume.

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Languages

MEDICAL GREEK AND LATIN AT A GLANCE—Walter R. Agard—*Edwards Bros.*, 43 p., \$1.10.

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Medicine

TUBERCULOSIS AND THE NEGRO IN PITTSBURGH—Elsie Witchen—Tuberculosis League of Pittsburgh, 120 p., Free while present edition lasts. Send 10c for handling, if requested through Science Service.

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Medicine

MOUTH INFECTION—Oliver T. Osborne—*Author, New Haven, Conn.*, 119 p., \$2.00. This book, primarily for physicians and dentists, gives the author's views on the relation of mouth infections to general health—or ill health. Clinical observations from his own practice are added to illustrate his points.

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Hygiene

EVERYDAY PROBLEMS IN HEALTH—Frank M. Wheat and Elizabeth T. Fitzpatrick—*American Book Co.*, 456 p., \$1.20. A text for junior or senior high schools which has been tried, in the form of stenciled sheets, in actual classes and enthusiastically received.

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