

• Books of the Week •

ANATOMY OF RACIAL INTOLERANCE—George B. de Huszar, compiler—*H. W. Wilson*, 283 p., \$1.25. Articles by recognized authorities discussing what race is, the causes of, and the remedies for, racial prejudice.

THE A PRIORI IN PHYSICAL THEORY—Arthur Pap—*King's Crown Press*, 102 p., \$2. A study of the arguments involved among the different viewpoints regarding the nature of a *a priori* truth.

A. S. T. M. STANDARDS ON PAINT, VARNISH, LACQUER, AND RELATED PRODUCTS—*American Society for Testing Materials*, 528 p., tables and illus., \$2.75. Specifications; methods of testing; definitions of terms.

ATOMIC ENERGY AND WORLD GOVERNMENT—Leopold Infeld—*Canadian Institute of International Affairs*, 20 pages, 10 cents. A statement of the technical and international problems put to us by our possession of the atomic energy secret; and a plea for international organization and cooperation as a solution to that problem.

COLOR MEASURE: AND ITS APPLICATION TO THE GRADING OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS—Dorothy Nickerson—*U. S. Dept. of Agric.*, 62 p., diags. and illus., 25 cents. A handbook on the method

of disk colorimetry. U. S. Dept. of Agric., miscellaneous pub. 580.

A DESCRIPTIVE CATALOG OF THE SHORE FISHES OF PERU—Samuel F. Hildebrand—*Smithsonian Inst.*, 530 p., maps and illus., \$1.25. United States National Museum, Bull. 189.

EGG TO CHICK—Millicent E. Selsam—*International Publishers*, 32 p., illus., \$1. The changes that take place from the time the egg is laid until the chick pecks its way out of the shell are described in clear, lively text, accompanied by pictures drawn by Frances Wells. Suitable for boys and girls from 6 to 10 years old.

ENERGY SPECTRA OF STARS—C. G. ABBOT—*Smithsonian Inst.*, 6 p., diags., 10 cents. Smithsonian Miscellaneous Collections, Vol. 104, No. 22.

THE FRESH-WATER FISHES OF SIAM, OR THAILAND—Hugh M. Smith—*Smithsonian Inst.*, 622 p., tables and illus., \$1.50. United States National Museum, Bull. 188.

HEARINGS BEFORE THE SENATE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ATOMIC ENERGY ON S. 1717: Part 4—Government Printing Office, 69 p., 15 cents. Statements of Mrs. Harold A. Stone, Mrs. Allen C. G. Mitchell, John C. Parker, Dr. Ralph McDonald, Mrs. Harper Sibley, Commander Stephen Brunauer, Maj. Gen. L. R. Groves.

HEARINGS ON SCIENCE LEGISLATION (S. 1297 and Related Bills): Part 6—Government Printing Office, 13 p., 5 cents. Testimony of the high school students who were finalists in Science Service's Fifth Science Talent Search for the Westinghouse Scholarships.

HOW TO KEEP YOUR FAMILY HEALTHY—*Franklin Watts*, 95 p., illus., \$1. An informative, fully illustrated, easy-to-understand handbook of health problems; written by recognized medical authorities and assembled from articles in LOOK magazine.

JOURNAL OF THE HISTORY OF MEDICINE AND ALLIED SCIENCES—George Rosen, Editor—*Henry Schuman*, Quarterly, \$7.50 a year. A first issue of a new Journal.

OMAHA BEACHHEAD—*Government Printing Office*, 167 p., illus., and maps, \$1.50. The authentic history of the first seven days (6 June-13 June, 1944) of the U. S. invasion of fortress Europe. The book covers every phase from the landing on the Normandy Coast through the hedgerow fighting to the Forest of Cerisy and Carentan.

THE PHYSIOLOGY OF SEX—Kenneth Walker—*Penguin*, 183 p., 25 cents. A clear, straightforward statement of the facts of sex and its problems in the life of the individual and the community. Though Dr. Walker writes strictly as a scientist for adult readers, he confesses his own belief that the questions raised cannot be satisfactorily answered in a world that is empty of spiritual values.

REHABILITATION AT LAKE TOMAHAWK STATE CAMP: A History—Harold Holand—*Natl. Tuberculosis Assn.*, 46 p., tables and illus., \$1. The story of how the state of Wisconsin has sponsored a colony-type project for the rehabilitation of tuberculosis convalescents.

SCHISTOSOMOPHORA IN CHINA, WITH DESCRIPTIONS OF TWO NEW SPECIES AND A NOTE ON THEIR PHILIPPINE RELATIVE—Paul Bartsch—*Smithsonian Inst.*, 7 p., tables and illus., 10 cents. Smithsonian Miscellaneous Collections, Vol. 104, No. 20.

SCIENTIFIC INSTITUTIONS, SOCIETIES AND RESEARCH WORKERS IN THE NETHERLANDS INDIES—Frans and J. G. Verdoorn—*Board for the Netherlands Indies, Surinam, and Curacao*, 34 p., free. A list of the items given in the title. Reprinted from SCIENCE AND SCIENTISTS IN THE NETHERLANDS INDIES.

THE SOLDIER TAKES A WIFE—*Planned Parenthood Assn.*, illus., 20 p., 10 cents. A statement of the arguments in favor of the planning of one's family.

TESTING PRECIOUS METALS—C. M. Hoke—*Jeweler's Technical Advice Co.*, 92 p., illus., \$2, 3rd ed. The identifying, buying, and selling of gold, silver, and platinum metals. A handbook for the jeweler, dentist, antiquarian, and layman.

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