

that is, the atheistic, agnostic, patheistic, and materialistic philosophizing, so common today. The book deals lucidly with the quips and questions which Catholics in contact with people of many creeds, may find hard to answer, not through lack of brains, but of the necessary knowledge. The student will learn from such a work what manner of struggle the very condition of things may prepare for him.

DODGE'S GENERAL ZOOLOGY with illustrations. Price \$1.50. American Book Co.

Orton's Comparative Zoology, such as revised and rearranged by Charles Wright Dodge, M.S. is a book which is entitled to a prominent place in the library as a teacher of Natural History. In colleges and schools where much time can not be devoted to the study Zoology, it may be too comprehensive to be used as a text book, but it will be found everywhere to be a most useful book for reference. The rearrangement of the former edition is certainly an improvement. In the natural order of things, Structural and Systematic Zoology should indeed precede Comparative Zoology. Animals can be compared only inasmuch as they are known. The printing and engraving are excellent.

FOA'S LE PETIT ROBINSON DE PARIS. Edited by Louise de Bonneville. Price 45 cents. American Book Company, New York.

This is not only one of the earliest, but also one of the best dog stories in literature. It recounts the adventures of a boy and a dog, alike waifs of the great city of Paris. The interest of the story, a simple easy style should render the book suitable for college preparatory work. The notes explain all difficult points and the vocabulary is complete.

Exchanges.

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