

distressing a precedent as in the other. Our citizens are as much entitled to protection abroad as at home.—*The Crisis, in the Yale Review for April, by William Howard Taft.*

"*The Wool Industry.*"—By Paul T. Cherington, Specialist in Marketing, and Assistant Professor of Marketing in the Graduate School of Business Administration, Harvard University. Containing 256 pages; size 8 $\frac{1}{8}$ inches x 5 $\frac{3}{8}$ inches; bound in standard crimson cloth, gold stamped; net, \$2.50.

This book, which is the first in a series of studies of the principal American industries which Edwin F. Gay Dean, Graduate School of Business Administration, Harvard University, is editing, is concerned with the commercial problems of the wool industry of this country. Many good books have appeared on sheep-breeding, wool-growing, the relation of the tariff to the growth of these industries, the technique of textile manufacturing, but never before has a study been made of the buying and selling problems of this industry.

A Brief Account of Radio-Activity.—By Francis P. Venable, Professor in the University of North Carolina. Cloth. Illustrated. Sixty pages. Fifty cents. D. C. Heath & Co., New York.

Dr. Venable in this monograph gives a brief account of what is best worth knowing in the subject of radio-activity. The work contains chapters on The Discovery of Radio-activity, Properties of the Radiations, Changes in Radio-active Bodies, Nature of the Alpha Particle, Structure of the Atom, Radio-activity and the Chemical Theory. The work is based upon the writings of Rutherford, Soddy, and J. J. Thomson, and should prove of value not only to students of general chemistry and radio-activity, but also to busy men in other branches of science who wish to know something of radio-activity and have scant leisure in which to read the larger treatises.

Fais Ce Que Dois, Le Verbe en Action, Exercices oraux, écrits et théoriques, First Steps to English, Elementary French Composition, Lectures Faciles, Pour les commencants, Easy French poems for Reading and Recitation, La Berniere Classe, L'enfant Espion, Graduated Free French Composition, French lessons on the Direct Method, Shall and Will, Cours de Francais, d'après la Methode Gouin, Introduction to Grammar, French and English, to be obtained at Hachette & Co., London. Philips' Free arm writing book by G. C. Jarvis, Int B. S. Lond Government of the united Kingdom by Albert E. Hogan, B. A. Lond, University Tutorial Press, Ltd., London. Hand Writing, by G. C. Jarvis George Philip & Son, Ltd., 32 Fleet St., Liverpool. Thirty-first Annual Report of the Bureau of American Ethology.

For a \$10,000 position as executive manager for New York's board of education only a handful of men applied, although paid advertisements were printed to attract attention of experienced school men throughout the United States. Were they afraid of the big salary?

Every child in New York's junior high school, presided over by Leon W. Goldrich, has his own

analytical record showing whether he is superior or bad in judgment, perception, imagination, leadership, interest, accuracy, etc. Any physical defect is also recorded. The card itself is printed in the school press.

A visitation report is filled out by state agents in Connecticut when they visit rural schools which tells the date, time, the length, the work observed, the work done by the agent on the visit, teacher's response to directions and corrections, etc. The agent records his estimate of the teacher's work under eight headings: teaching, management, school, written work, house-keeping, occupation, pupil response, and finally, a page and a half is left for suggestions and criticisms.

N. B. OFFICIAL NOTICES.

All applications for Normal School entrance, University matriculation and High School leaving examinations, received at the Education Office after June 1st in any year, shall be required to pay an additional fee of one dollar.

All candidates for these examinations desiring to change from one station of examination to another will be required to pay one dollar additional.

Engineering candidates are required hereafter to take the High School leaving examinations complete.

Education Office, April 5th, 1917. W. S. CARTER, Chief Supt. of Education.

A course in Physical Training will be given at the Normal School, Fredericton, N. B., beginning July 10th, 1917. The course will be from two to three weeks' duration. All applications should be made to the Education Office, Fredericton, N. B., not later than June 30th next.

Education Office, April 10th, 1917. W. S. CARTER, Chief Supt. of Education.

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THIRD, SECOND, FIRST, and the next higher class of Normal Trained teachers of Nova Scotia, certified by an Inspector as competent and by the Superintendent in Nova Scotia as in good standing, and holding Dominion Physical Training Certificates of Grade B., may be admitted promptly for the corresponding classes of license by the Chief Superintendent in New Brunswick, for one year, on condition that such teacher or teachers engage to pass the examination in School Law and Civics required for the class for which application is made. If a candidate makes not less than fifty per cent on this examination, a permanent license of the appropriate class will be issued accordingly, to take effect at the beginning of the next school year.

W. S. CARTER, Chief Superintendent of Education.
EDUCATION OFFICE, February 15, 1917.