passions and practices, strong as animal instincts, which millions of years of struggle have ground into its fibre. I have just finished reading Henry Osborn Taylor's last book, *Deliverance*, in which he sketches the ways in which our ancestors of all times and countries have adapted themselves to the fears and hopes of their nature. From such a story of incessant and successful adjustments one may take a Pisgah-sight of a day when 'nation shall not lift up a sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more'.