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Legal and Political Status of Women in Iowa. By RUTH A. GALLAHER. (Iowa City: State Historical Society of Iowa. 1919. Pp. 300.)

James Baird Weaver. By FRED EMORY HAYNES. (Iowa City: State Historical Society of Iowa. 1919. Pp. 494.)

Iowa Authors and Their Works. By ALICE MARPLE. (Des Moines: Historical Department of Iowa. 1918. Pp. 359.)

These three books are fresh evidences of Iowa's activity in the field of historical publications. The first two, published by the State Historical Society of Iowa, are issued under the general editorship of Professor Benjamin F. Shambaugh, long recognized as industrious and abundantly successful in that capacity. The Historical Department of Iowa, at the State's capital, issued the third volume. It has an introduction by Edgar R. Harlan, Curator. The author of the book is Assistant Curator. The Iowa authors are listed alphabetically. Some of them are shown to have been quite prolific. Professor Shambaugh's list is probably the longest. It includes sixty-three items, of which he was author or editor.

A Summary of Mining in the State of Washington. By ARTHUR HOMER FISCHER. (Seattle: University of Washington. 1918. Pp. 124.)

Mr. Fischer submitted this work as a thesis in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of Master of Science in Mining Engineering. It is edited by Dean Milnor Roberts of the College of Mines, and is published as Bulletin Number 4 of the Engineering Experiment Station Series.

Part I gives a summary of mining development and mineral resources in Washington. Part II comprises a list of the mining districts in the State. Part III contains an extensive bibliography of articles relating to mining and mineral resources of Washington.

OTHER BOOKS RECEIVED

CERF, BARRY. *Alsace-Lorraine Since 1870.* (New York: The Macmillan Co. 1919. Pp. 190. \$1.50.)

CURTIN, JEREMIAH, and HEWITT, J. N. B. *Seneca Fiction, Legends and Myths.* (Washington: Bureau of American Ethnology. 1918. Pp. 819. Thirty-second Annual Report.)