

*Early Days in the Big Bend Country.* By WILLIAM S. LEWIS. (Spokane: W. D. Allen, Publisher, 1926. Pp. 35. Big Bend Edition, \$1.50; Autograph Edition, \$2.50.)

The booklet here mentioned represents a printing in limited editions of 105 and 100 copies each of an address given by the author at the Meeting of the Lincoln and Adams Counties' Pioneer Association on June 17, 1919. The address was first printed in whole or in part in various newspapers. It is now issued in attractive and durable form for the benefit of students and pioneers.

Mr. Lewis writes for the pioneer and his immediate descendants. He has made for popular delivery a series of word pictures in which the excellencies of the pioneer settlers are justly and appreciatively extolled. Incidents of early times are here recorded also, thus making a convenient summary of the history of the Big Bend Country.

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*Little Journeys to Alaska and Canada.* By EDITH KINGMAN KERN and MARIAN M. GEORGE. (Chicago: Flanagan, 1926. Pp. 80 plus 94.)

The continued usefulness of this volume is shown by the fact that a new edition has been called for bearing a 1926 copyright entry. Previous copyrights bear the dates of 1901 and 1923. The little volume is written for the use of children and makes an excellent supplementary text for the grades.

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*The Book of the West.* By HOWARD ANGUS KENNEDY. (Toronto: Ryerson Press, 1925. Pp. 205.)

This book is dedicated to "All lovers of the West who are not too young to think or too old to learn." It is a story of Western Canada beginning with the earliest times and coming to date. As a brief resume of many matters and much time it has necessarily sacrificed details which a student of history would seek. It has retained enough of fact, however, to justify its inclusion of a list of books relating to the history and description of Canada. The illustrations have been selected with care and add to the descriptive value of the book.

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*The North American Indian 1926 Year Book.* By PHILIP HUGH HOWELL. (Everett: P. H. Howell, 1926. Fifty cents.)

This is the first Year Book published by the North American Indian Weekly. It is issued as a special supplement under the