

with his ox-team of 1852. The publishers have a series called "Pioneer Life Series." The book will have an honored position in such company.

The Land of Beginning. By FREDERICK C. DAHLQUIST and THEODORE E. FAULK. (Portland, Oregon: Commonwealth Publishing Co., 1922. Pp. 96.)

The book deals with the manifold industries and investment opportunities in Oregon. It is illustrated with beautiful pictures in color, including, as frontispiece, H. A. MacNeil's bronze statue, "The Coming of the White Man."

Achievements of Captain Robert Gray. By FRANCIS E. SMITH. (Tacoma: The Author, 1922. Pp. 12. Fifty cents.)

The pamphlet is neat and attractive. It quotes from many sources. The author endeavors to show that Captain Gray did work of discovery which the world has credited to Captain George Vancouver. He does not prove his case and in his efforts he minimizes the work of Vancouver. Both explorers deserve all the credit that can justly be given them. All available documents are being published from year to year. They are sure to be properly interpreted for they are fundamental in the history of the Pacific Northwest.

A Homesteader's Portfolio. By ALICE DAY PRATT. (New York: The Macmillan Company, 1922. Pp. 181. \$2.00.)

Miss Pratt began by living in a tent and raising White Leghorns on her homestead in Oregon. The book is written in spirited style and will find a sympathetic reading by homesteaders and by any who love the out-of-doors.

National Park Service, Report of the Director, for 1922. By ARNO B. CAMMERER, Acting Director. (Washington: Government Printing Office. Pp. 173.)

As in former reports, the first seventy-seven pages are devoted to the work as a whole. The balance of the book is given over to appendices, in which may be found the year's statistics and reports by the superintendents of the different parks. The

report on Mount Rainier National Park is by C. L. Nelson, Acting Superintendent, and covers pages 123-127. It is filled with compact information including a table showing a total of 70,376 people visiting the park during the year. The report is sure to be referred to by future writers on this wonderful playground of the people.

The Mountain Peaks of Colorado. By ROGER W. TOLL. (Denver: The Colorado Mountain Club, 1923. Pp. 59.)

The author, Roger W. Toll, was formerly superintendent of the Mount Rainier National Park, and at present he holds that position in the Rocky Mountain National Park. This present work is a collection of statistics about all the peaks of Colorado. It is not generally realized that Colorado has forty-six peaks which are 14,000 or more feet above sea level. There are 1,029 of the peaks above 10,000 feet elevation.

List of References on the History of the West. By FREDERICK JACKSON TURNER and FREDERICK MERK. (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1922. Pp. 156.)

This is a revised edition of the valuable work intended primarily for use in Harvard University, but useful anywhere if a systematic collection of titles is needed. The name of Professor Turner has long been intimately associated with the history of the West.

Bureau of American Ethnology, Thirty-fourth Annual Report, 1912-1913. (Washington: Government Printing Office, 1922. Pp. 281.)

Archeological Investigations. By GERARD FOWKE. (Washington: Government Printing Office, 1922. Pp. 204.)

These two scientific works have been delayed by reconstruction pressure since the war. The letter of transmittal of the first is dated August 5, 1913, and of the second February 17, 1920. The "Accompanying Paper" with the first volume is devoted to "A Prehistoric Island Culture Area of America," by J. Walter Fewkes. It occupies pages 35-281. Abundant illustrations add greatly to the value of the paper.