

The American Historical Review. Edited by J. FRANKLIN JAMESON. (Washington, D. C.: The American Historical Association, April, 1926. \$1.50.)

The April, 1926, issue of *The American Historical Review* has particular interest for readers in the State of Washington. One of three leading articles, "Russian-American Relations during the Crimean War" is by Professor Frank A. Golder, now of Stanford University and formerly of Washington State College. The leading document, "A Confederate Private of Fort Donelson, 1862," was contributed by Walter F. Meier, formerly Corporation Counsel of Seattle. On page 641 there is a brief note about the contents of the *Washington Historical Quarterly*.

Private Diary of Robert Dollar on His Recent Visits to China. (San Francisco: Privately Printed for the Author, Second Edition, 1916. Pp. 210.)

Memoirs of Robert Dollar. (San Francisco: Privately Printed for the Author, 1921. Pp. 144.)

Memoirs of Robert Dollar. (San Francisco: Privately Printed for the Author, 1925. Pp. 229.)

These three beautifully printed volumes comprise the record of the Pacific Coast's most picturesque and attractive mariner and especially his three trips around the world while at the head of the extensive shipping corporation now associated with his dominating personality. The books have not been published for sale and while the Captain has been generous with copies among his friends they will undoubtedly become most highly prized items in the libraries of those who collect the printed records of the West.

Foreign Policies of the United States. By JAMES QUAYLE DEALEY. (Boston: Ginn and Company, 1926. Pp. 402. \$2.80.)

Professor James Q. Dealey of Brown University is the author of a new work entitled *Foreign Policies of the United States*. In Part I, Bases and Agencies, the author deals briefly with Pacific Coast problems in the chapters which treat of racial factors and sea power. In Part II, Development of Policies, the author devotes three chapters to the international politics of the Pacific area. There is nothing original or new in the discussion, but it will serve as a useful outline of our foreign policy.