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*Books Added by the Library Association of Portland*

The following titles not in the Checklist of *Pacific Northwest Americana* have been recently secured by the Library Association of Portland: *Travels in North America* 168 pages, 3 plates, one frontispiece. (London, Rivington, 1831). This purports to be an account of one George Philips, an Irishman, who joined the Lewis and Clark expedition at St. Louis and remained with it until they reached Fort Mandan on the return. The other is the "*Memoirs of Brigadier General John Alexander Kress*. It includes his reminiscences of life at Fort Vancouver in the '70s and of the Nez Percé War.

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*A Notable Alaskan Item*

The University of Washington Library has recently received *A Journey to Alaska in the Year 1868: Being the Diary of the Late Emil Teichmann, Edited with an Introduction by his Son Oskar* (Kensington, Privately printed at the Cayme Press, 1925). One hundred copies of this book were printed and privately distributed, of which but three copies were sent to the United States. The present copy, the fourth for this country, was donated by the son, Oskar Teichmann, Esq. to the University of Washington because of its special interest in books on Alaska. The volume contains important material for the history of Alaska and the Northwest Coast. It is fortunate that this valuable diary has been printed and that one library in the Pacific Northwest owns a copy. It is to be regretted however that the size of the edition does not admit of a wider distribution in and near Alaska.