

revealing the growth and progress of the idea. Dr. Raymond Havens of Johns Hopkins University says: "I know of nothing quite like those two volumes—nothing that pictures as they do, a movement of the utmost importance as it is reflected in the correspondence of one man—the growth of the conception and its modification under the stress of events." The illustrations consist of twenty-nine portraits of leading men of the time—Americans and Europeans. Nearly every photograph is inscribed affectionately to Mr. Marburg.

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This volume of biography is similar to others of the *Who's Who* family but is distinguished by the comparatively small number of entries and by the fairly frequent inclusion of portraits. Like others of its kind its usefulness is limited to the names included and disappointment results from the omission of well known people whose names have not been included. As such omissions frequently result from an unwillingness of subjects to supply the data desired, publishers cannot be held entirely responsible for such blemishes.

Alaska; Facts about the Population, Government, Resources, Commerce and History of America's Last Frontier. (Ketchikan: The Alaska Chronicle, 1932. Pp. 82, plus index. 50 cents.)

Here is an attractively printed volume giving a series of questions and answers relating to Alaska. Much useful data is thus made easily accessible to all. Such a catechism is peculiarly fitted to the needs of secondary schools. Something of the purpose of the publication may be obtained by reading the following excerpt from the Foreword: "Alaska is the largest commonwealth under the Stars and Stripes. Its history is rich in romance. Its wealth is immense. But through all the years its vast area, capable of supporting millions of persons, has been but little populated. It has long been a belief among Alaskans that accurate information about the Territory, spread to the people of the world, would remedy the sluggishness of the advance."

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