attle, Washington Territory, in the United Service Magazine... vol. 5, Dec. 1881, no. 6," and contains original notes, letters and first known picture and a map of Seattle. Most important of the new material is a series of comments supplied by the author.

The Pathbreakers from River to Ocean. By Grace Raymond Hebard. (Glendale, California: Arthur H. Clark Company, 1932. Pp. 312. \$2.50.)

This is the sixth edition of Dr. Hebard's Story of the Great West from the time of Coronada to the present. As now issued the text has been amplified and corrected and new maps and illustrations add to the usefulness of the work. The book is intended for schools, particularly those in the Western states.

Teaching Wyoming History by Counties. By Grace Raymond Hebard. (Laramie: Wyoming Department of Education, 1932. Pp. 67.)

This is a revised and enlarged edition of Bulletin No. 9 of the Wyoming Department of Education. The author is Professor of History at the University of Wyoming and a well known authority on Western history. The usefulness of this guide is not limited to the state of Wyoming. It is a matter for surprise that more states have not prepared similar bulletins.

The Rise of Rome. By Gordon King. (New York: Doubleday, Doran & Company, Inc., 1932. Pp. 218. \$3.50.)

The author essays to cover the entire history of Rome from the earliest days until the establishment of the principate under Caesar Augustus. The acount also includes a survey of some of Rome's significant contributions to civilization, such as architecture and literature. To accomplish this task in the brief compass of two hundred and eighteen pages is, of course, impossible without pruning many important facts.

The author discusses the nature of the primitive Roman city, its conflicts with Carthage, the great change which resulted in its commercial outlook, the infiltration of Greek culture, the failure of the city state organization to manage the public affairs of the empire, and finally, the establishment of the authority of one man. All this is done without giving many dates or facts. So, for example, nothing is said about Roman expansion into the Po Valley or in Southern Gaul. Some readers undoubtedly will feel that the

number of facts is too limited to give them a concrete basis for the general ideas which make up the chief part of the book.

On the other hand, the book possesses merit in that few works, if any, set forth so clearly and simply some of the more important aspects of Roman history. Students would surely benefit from reading it along with such manuals as Boak's, Frank's or Heitland's.

The author seems to be accurate, but one curious slip cannot be allowed to pass unnoticed. On page 185 he states, "Augustus died about five years before the birth of Christ", whereas the accepted date of his death is 14 A.D.

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Guide to Materials for American History in the Libraries and Archives of Paris; Volume I. By Waldo G. Leland. Carnegie Institution of Washington, Publication 392 Vol. 1. (Washington: The Institution, 1932. Pp. 343.)

This is the initial volume of a Guide to Materials for American History in the Libraries and Archives of Paris. It is devoted to a description of collections of manuscripts in thirteen of the leading libraries of the French capital. The work has been prepared with painstaking accuracy by the editor and supplied with an indispensable index by Mr. David M. Matteson.

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