

McClurg & Co., Chicago, say, "we withdrew from the Amer. Pubs. Ass'n. about a year ago for the simple reason that the Illinois Anti-trust Law, seemed to make it advisable that we step out of the organization and remain out until a clearer view obtains of the rights of such organizations on the one hand and the rights of the public, as embodied in law, on the other. It is proper to add, however, that we are in sympathy with the objects of the Association in so far as it seeks to maintain fixed prices and to elevate the book-sellers' calling."

This is the best time in the year to get bargains in recent books. Note the sales at big book-stores, like Strawbridge & Clothier's, Phila. The Phila. Bookstore seems to sell cheaper than ever. John Anderson, Bible House, N. Y. City, Mal-kan, Hanover Sq., N. Y., and like firms have big stocks at low prices.

We have named several good importers who will furnish you one book or many, old or new. Another firm is Eliot Stock, 62 Paternoster Row, London, E. C.

McClurg, Chicago, have published a very valuable list of technical books.

Recent catalogs of new and second-hand books:

Smith, 24 Great Windmill St., London W., No. 42. (Chiefly old English literature).

Van Nostrand Co., New York. (Monthly Record of Scientific literature.)

John Grant, 31 Geo. IV. Bridge, Edinburg. Dec., '04. Also Annual Cat. of remainders. Autumn, '04.

Reader, 1 Orange St., Red Lion Square, London, W. C. (Special bargains, Nos. 352 and 353).

Smith & Wilkins, 207 W. 23rd St., N. Y. City. Holiday Catalogue.

Littlefield, 76 Cornhill, Boston. (History, Genealogy, Travels, etc., No. 15).

Here are a few books published a little more than one year ago. The Amer. Pubs. Ass'n. places no restriction upon these books and libraries are free to get any discount book-sellers will allow. A similar list will appear frequently in this bulletin.

Beveridge. Russian Advance. Harp. \$2.50.

Chapman. Color key to No. Amer. Birds. Doubleday. \$2.50.

Hadley. Freedom and Responsibility. Scrib. \$1.

Hoar. Autobiography of 70 years. 2v. Scrib. \$7.50.

Little. David, the Hero-king. Lipp. 30c.

Long. New American Navy. Outlook Co. 2 vols. \$5.

How to make a flower garden. Doubleday. \$1.60.

Seton. Two Little Savages. Doubleday. \$1.75.

Singleton. French and English Furniture. McClure. \$5.

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