

the comments delightful. At the back of the book the author has some blank pages for the child to make a list of his own pets. It is one of the prettiest books of the season.

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VI. MISSIONS.

The Nearer and Farther East. Outline Studies of Moslem Lands and of Siam, Burma, and Korea.

By Samuel M. Zwemer, F. R. G. S., and Arthur Judson Brown, D. D. New York, The Macmillan Co. 1908. Pp. 325. Price, 50 cents net.

This book is the eighth in the series of text-books prepared and published by the Central Committee on the United Study of Missions. It consists of two distinct parts. The first consists of four chapters of outline studies of Moslem lands by Zwemer; the second consists of three chapters, one each on Siam, Burma and Korea, by Dr. Brown. Dr. Zwemer's views of the Moslem lands, peoples and religion are well known from his various publications which have already appeared. These outlines, prepared for young people, are well done. In addition to the text there are references to other literature which will assist pastors and leaders in more thorough preparation. It is a good introduction to the subject.

Dr. Brown's chapters on Siam, Burma and Korea are excellent. He treats, briefly of course, the land, the people, their religious, moral and social condition, the progress and outlook of missionary labor. It would be hard to find clearer and more satisfactory treatment of any of these countries in the same space. The book can be commended heartily to all mission study classes interested in the subject treated.

W. J. MCGLOTHLIN.

The World-Call to Men of To-day. Addresses and Proceedings of the Men's Missionary Convention, held in Philadelphia, Feb. 11-13, 1908.

Edited by David McConaughy. The Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., New York. Pp. 323. Price, \$1.00.

This missionary meeting in Philadelphia was a notable and, it is to be hoped, a significant one. No such meeting was ever held before it—a meeting of men exclusively, largely laymen,