

STORY OF BOK'S LIFE READS LIKE ROMANCE

"Americanization" of Dutch Boy, Without Advantages, Shows What One Man Can Accomplish

"A little Dutch boy unceremoniously set down in America, unable to make himself understood" who "yet, by some curious decree of fate" was destined to write, for a period of years, to the largest body of readers ever addressed by an American editor.

Longfellow, Holmes and Emerson were some of the early literary gods of the little Dutch boy. He had their autographs, and wanted to meet them in the flesh. So, when he had saved money enough to take a vacation, he journeyed to New England.

They went to the play, to the boy's huge delight. The play was introduced to Wendell Phillips. Longfellow told the letter that the boy planned to call to see him and also Phillips Brooks.

"I shall be glad to see you, my boy," said Mr. Phillips. "And so you are going to see Phillips Brooks? Let me tell you something about Brooks. He has a great many books in his library which are free of his marks and comments. Now, when you go to see him, you ask him to let you see some of his books, and then, when he isn't looking, you put a couple of them in your pocket. They would make splendid souvenirs, and he has so

NEW FICTION FOR OLD AND YOUNG

SEASON'S NEW BOOKS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Wide Variety of Subjects and Interests for Youthful Reading

The fall season of juvenile books, now opening, presents a wide variety of themes and plots. Although these books are published thus early in the fall, many or all of them are adapted for Christmas giving.

American boys will find a thrilling war story concerning the British soldier in "Tommy of the Tanks," written by Scott Lynn, quite a favorite author of English lads. The author knows the war game well, and also the technical phases of the tanks which from Cambrai onward played such an important part in the winning of the war.

For the girls comes Edna Turpin's "Treasure Mountain," an unusual book in that it is replete with red-blooded adventures. Boys will be glad to peek into their sisters' copies of it.

Very appropriate to this year of the Pilgrimage tercentenary is "A Mayflower Fair" by Edna B. and Alden A. Knipe. The heroine, Barbara Gorges, a motherless Puritan girl, sets out from England with her father on what is to her the terrifying voyage to the mysterious new world.

At the Free Library Books added to the Free Library of Philadelphia Thirtieth and Locust streets, during the week ending September 30:

- Miscellaneous Boydell, John—"Illustrations of Holy Writ." "British Gallery of Contemporary Portraits." Van Wyck—"Ordeal of Mark Twain." "Expositor's Gazetteer of Foreign Markets." "Catalogue des Tableaux de la Galerie de France au Salon de 1898." "Historie Generale de Constantinople." "Travels in Turkestan Russia." "The Medical Missions." "League of Free Nations—"Russian-American Relations." "Adventures and Entertainments." "Rexon Obsequies." "Paris Exposition Universelle de 1889." "Paris Exposition Universelle Chateaufort." "The Pacific." "Textbook of Aero Engineering." "Cabinetmaker and Carpenter." "Recall of Emblems." "Select Collection of Drawings From Antique Gems."

Canon Gilbert—"Windmills." "Crematorium." "Surprise of Life." "Cohen O. R. "Hidewell—Heart of Unaga." "Curwood, J. O.—"Valley of Silent Men." "F. J. John, Jr.—"Brattle Falls, Pioneer." "Drummond Hamilton—"Maker of Saints." "George W. L.—"Callahan." "Gregory, W. L.—"The Worldlings." "O'Brien, Mrs. Oliver—"Bride of Kisco." "Parker, Gilbert—"No Defense." "Farrington—"Mistress's Baby." "Smith, H. L.—"Agatha's Aunt." "Wilder, Hugh—"The Wildcat." "Wolcott, George—"Our Peter."

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VIEWES AND VISIONS OF VERSAILLES PEACE

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The fate of Asia is more closely related to and more importantly bearing on the peace of the world than most people are aware of.

Mr. Gallagher's book is a succinctly running and sometimes rather journalistic account and appraisal of the Paris peace conference and Versailles treaty, with critical treatment of the covenant of the League of Nations. His emphasis is especially accentuated in reference to Asiatic and American affairs.

Personal residence in the Orient has taught me the danger of playing favorites among the Asiatic peoples," he says. "All are our friends. We are committed in friendship to all. Their interest and our interest require that they get along well together. Imbued with this spirit, since my first hour in the United States I have tried to help our own people to understand those Asiatic people and to make American influence a powerful one in Asia."

Mr. Gallagher was born in Ireland of an English mother and an Irish father. He was educated at home by his mother and then at the University of London. He was a journalist and was Manchester editor of the Pearson string of newspapers during the war.

Bachelor Talks at Book Fairs Irving Hacheller, who has spent the summer at Lake Placid, will go West this fall to deliver several talks at book fairs, a form of more-and-better reading propaganda that is becoming extremely popular and effective.

Heaven and Hell An account of things heard and seen there By Emanuel Swedenborg Swedenborg makes a reasonable claim to have been admitted into the spiritual world while his physical body remained alive and active in this world, and has recorded his experience in a way that is convincing.

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The Americanization of Edward Bok

the story of a Dutch boy fifty years after

The extraordinary range of interest in this autobiography of the famous editor of the Ladies' Home Journal is suggested by the names of those who figure conspicuously in its pages:

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