

he has given a fair exposition. The book is published in Macmillan's excellent series of *Manuals for Teachers*. (Pages, 288. Price, \$1.00.)

NOTES.

Fra Elbertus (alias Mr. Elbert Hubbard) publishes his Credo in the latest number of the *Philistine* which reads as follows :

"I believe in the Motherhood of God.

"I believe in the blessed Trinity of Father, Mother and Child.

"I believe that God is here, and that we are as near Him now as we ever shall be. I do not believe He started this world a-going and went away and left it to run itself.

"I believe in the sacredness of the human body, this transient dwelling place of a living soul, and so I deem it the duty of every man and every woman to keep his or her body beautiful through right thinking and right living.

"I believe that the love of man for woman, and the love of woman for man, is holy; and that this love in all of its promptings is as much an emanation of the Divine Spirit, as man's love for God, or the most daring hazards of human mind.

"I believe in salvation through economic, social and spiritual freedom.

"I believe John Ruskin, William Morris, Henry Thoreau, Walt Whitman and Leo Tolstoy to be Prophets of God and they should rank in mental reach and spiritual insight with Elijah, Hosea, Ezekiel and Isaiah.

"I believe we are now living in Eternity as much as we ever shall.

"I believe that the best way to prepare for a Future Life is to live one day at a time, and do the work you can do the best, doing it as well as you can.

"I believe there is no devil hut fear.

"I believe that no one can harm you but yourself.

"I believe that we are all sons of God and it doth not yet appear what we shall be.

"I believe in freedom—social, economic, domestic, political, mental, spiritual.

"I believe in every man minding his own business.

"I believe that men are inspired to-day as much as men ever were.

"I believe in sunshine, fresh air, friendship, calm sleep, beautiful thoughts.

"I believe in the paradox of success through failure.

"I believe in the purifying process of sorrow, and I believe that death is a manifestation of Life.

"I believe the Universe is planned for good.

"I believe it possible that I will make other creeds, and change this one, or add to it, from time to time, as new light may come to me."

Père Hyacinthe, the celebrated preacher and religious orator of France, made recently in a letter to Dr. Max Nordau an extremely interesting proposition à propos of the Dreyfus trial. Justified in the eyes of the world, Dreyfus is still condemned by *official* France; so Jesus, also long justified in the eyes of the world, is condemned by *official* Judaism. Let the Grand Revision of the ages now take place, pleads Père Hyacinthe, that of the trial of Jesus, the Great Jew, and let Him be rehabilitated, in the bosom of his own people! Then the curse of anti-semitism will be a thing of the past, and God will bless Israel.

The annual meeting of the National Congress of Mothers will be held in Des Moines, Iowa, May 21st to 25th inclusive.