

BOOK TABLE.

[Under this head we will be pleased to give editorial reviews of all books and tracts of interest that may be sent to this office.]

FRENCH CELEBRITIES—PART II. by Jules Claretie and others, Translated by Francis W. Potter.—This is Volume II. of the series of brief biographical sketches of the most prominent of modern Frenchmen. The many political crises which have taken place in France during the last twenty years, together with their subtle influence on secular and religious thought, have combined to draw to the front men who have wielded a determining influence in remolding an Empire into a Republic. Among these, Jules Ferry, George Clemenceau, Ernest Rena, Henri Rochefort, Challemeil-Lacour, Jules Simon, Erehmann-Chatrian, Paul Bert, and Alphonse Daudet, are worthy examples. To understand their career is almost essential to an intelligent understanding of the comments of the French diplomacy and social life. Written in clear, crisp, popular manner, the present volume supplies what no "history" has yet recorded, and what to Americans is quite unfamiliar. Published in Funk & Wagnalls' Standard Library, No. 102. Price 15 cents.

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