

regions. It evidently was prepared in view of the anticipated assumption of authority by Germany over these groups. The large sheet, which is twenty-two by thirty inches, gives not only a map of the whole region, but insets, on a large scale, of Ponape, and the Ruk Archipelago, Kusaie, Yap, and the Pelews. The mission stations and outstations of Roman Catholic and evangelical missions are marked, the latter being altogether those of our American Board, no other evangelical society having work in this region. The cover of the maps gives several statistical tables in reference to these islands and one table especially devoted to the work of the American Board. The map is to be commended in every way.

*The Missionary Manual: A Handbook of Methods for Missionary Work in Young People's Societies.*  
By Amos R. Wells. Boston and Chicago: United Society of Christian Endeavor.

This small handbook will be invaluable to all missionary committees, whether in young people's societies or in churches. Its 134 pages are packed full of suggestions. After some general observations in regard to the missionary society and the missionary committee, there are presented brief chapters on missionary meetings, hymns, music, prayers, reading, study classes, letters, museums, socials, followed by other chapters treating of missions in junior societies, mass meetings, conferences, conventions, etc. If there is in any young people's organization a missionary committee capable of being inspired to work, this will give them just what they want. Few persons have the inventiveness that characterizes Professor Wells, but in every society there should be some person who can carry out some of the suggestions which he makes, and should they do this they will surely succeed in giving to their organization a new and lasting interest in missionary work. By all means let missionary committees everywhere be provided with this book.

*Karte der deutschen Verwaltungsbezirke der Karolinen, Palau und Marianen.* Von Paul Langhans.  
Gotha: Justus Perthes, 1899. Price, 1 mark.

This map of the Carolines, Pelews, and Mariana or Ladrone Islands is the latest and by far the best map of these