


13. The Spiders of the United States. A collection of the Arachnological writings of Nicholas Marcellus Hentz, M.D. Edited by Edward Burgess, with notes and descriptions by James H. Emerton. (Occas. Papers, Boston Soc. Nat. Hist., vol. 2, 1875. [xiii + 171 pp., 20 pls.]) At pp. viii et seq. is given a very careful biographical sketch of N. M. Hentz, written by his son, Dr. Charles Arnould Hentz, then (1875) a resident of Florence, Ala. From this account, all subsequent sketches of the life of Hentz have been written.

School Texts on the French Language


2. A Classical French Reader, selected from the Best Writers of that Language, in Prose and Poetry ... compiled by N. M. Hentz ... Boston, Richardson & Lord, 1825. 264 pp., 18mo.

3. A Classical French Reader, ... preceded by an Introduction ... and attended with Notes ... Compiled for the use of the Round Hill School, etc. Philadelphia, Thomas, Cowperthwaite & Co., 1839, 12mo.

Fiction

1. Tadenskund, the Last King of the Lenape. An historical Tale. Boston, Cummings, Hilliard & Co., 1825. 276 pp., 12mo. [Published anonymously.]

A CAVE BAT, MYOTIS VELIFER INCAUTUS (J. A. ALLEN), FROM DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS.—The presence of the cave bat, Myotis velifer incautus (J. A. Allen), in Dallas County has not been reported previously in the literature, although its known range (open, arid country from Durango, Mexico, northward to Kansas) includes this area. On October 3, 1956, of this species I collected a female which was found hanging in a closet in a building on the campus of Southern Methodist University. This species may, therefore, be added to my list of mammals recorded for Dallas County (Field & Lab. 24:96-101, 1956). This specimen has been placed in the permanent collections of the Department of Biology at Southern Methodist University.—William B. Stallcup