AMONG THE PUBLISHERS.

In the New England Magazine for November, C. S. Plumb writes of "A Future Agriculture."

— Dr. Wyatt's work on "The Phosphates of America" is announced as in preparation by the Scientific Publishing Company of this city.

The Review of Reviews seems to have come to the aid of the Society for Psychical Research. It is about to publish, in an early number of its New York edition of modern ghost stories as a sort of contribution to a "census of hallucinations."

— D. C. Heath & Co., Boston, will issue shortly a beginner's book in Old English (Anglo-Saxon), by George Hempel, professor of English in the University of Michigan. It will consist of elementary grammar and easy texts suitable as introductory to advanced grammar and reading, though sufficiently for the usual course in Old English in colleges that give but one course, and in high schools.

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In the Educational Review for November President Hyde of Bowdoin points out what is to be done with the small colleges, now that great universities have been developed. Dr. William H. Maxwell has a paper on the "Literature of Education." Miss Annie Tolman Smith describes the provisions made in Europe for the pensioning of superannuated teachers, and suggests the inauguration of a similar policy here. Professor William B. Smith of the University of Michigan enunciates: "Ten," argues for the overthrow of the decimal system of numeration. The discussions on city school supervision and pre-school teaching.

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ticles on "Women as Teachers," "Recent Changes in the Regents
Minn.," the "Socratic Method of Teaching," and the "Educated
Proletariat of Germany." The book-reviews are by Professor
Woodrow Wilson of Princeton, Professor A. B. Hart of Harv.
ard, Professor F. H. Giddings of Bryn Mawr, President C. F. Thwing
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