

unlimited number of small bird cuts will be scattered through the text.

We desire to say that we will at once set to work on the July number, and will be pleased to receive MSS., exchange notices and advertisements at any time after Feb. 1st, '89. We hope you will all contribute something, as every little helps to make the work interesting, the more contributors the better the book.

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We ask you all as a personal favor to read every advertisement in our publication. You will certainly profit by so doing. We have had dealings with all our advertisers, and have found them honest and reliable in all their dealings with us. We can recommend them all to you. When answering "ads" please remember to always mention where you saw the "ad." You will help us greatly by following this little item.

PUBLISHER'S NOTES.

The *Hoosier Naturalist*, Messrs. R. B. Trouslot & Co. of Valparaiso, Ind., publishers, will in the future be issued monthly instead of bi-monthly from Kansas City, Mo. The publishers soon expect to make it an eight page monthly—now a four page.

The *Oologists' Exchange*, a four page monthly for young collectors, is now under the management of Messrs. Dickinson & Durkee of Sharon, Wis.

The *Old Curiosity Shop* comes floating in, this time from Riverside, Cal. With Mr. Haight as editor and proprietor, it will undoubtedly be a success. A journal devoted to Philately, Numismatics, Natural History, Antiquities and Bric-a-brac.

A new magazine for all persons belonging to the Agassiz Association is *The Scientist*, published by Mr. I. C. Greene, for Chapter 48, A. A., Fitchburg, Mass. An eight page monthly of fine appearance and contents.

The *Ornithologist & Oologist* of Boston, Mass., comes regularly and is without doubt the best of its class. The March number contained a cut of the nest of the Parula Warbler, described by Mr. Wm. Brewster. Two continued articles are now running in it, one on the "Birds of Colorado" by Chas. F. Morrison, and the other "Notes on Nebraska Birds" by Messrs. Taylor and Vanvleet.