

Moore's Horace's *Odes, Epodes and Carmen Saeculare* (American Book Co., New York) presents Horace's lyrical poems with special attention to the needs of freshmen and sophomores. The introduction treats of the poet's life writings, of the metres employed. The commentary gives such assistance in the interpretation as will help students to an appreciation of Horace's art and charm. Maps afford the necessary geographical information.

Books Received

Love Crucified and other sacred verses, by Francis W. Grey. A Royal Son and Mother, by the Baroness Pauline Von Hügel (Ave Maria Press). Among the People of British Columbia, by Frances E. Herring (T. Fisher Unwin, London). Reminiscences of the late Thomas Nevins, by the Rev. John McLaughlin (Burns & Oates, London). The Talisman, and The Pilkington Heir by Anna T. Sadlier (Benziger Bros.).

Exchanges

The January number of the *Catholic University Bulletin* contains a number of articles of universal interest to the general reader. The Rev. Cornelius Holland contributes a very thoughtful essay on "The Old English Chantry." We rejoice that the obscurity, which has for years surrounded the Chantry, is being gradually removed; thanks to the labors of a number of unbiased and disinterested men, who are willing to make an impartial study of the ancient order of things in the Catholic church, and to give to the public the results of their observations. It is too bad that the Chantry system is not better known. We scarcely credit the tales which we occasionally hear of the chantries being a great factor in the mediaeval system of relieving the poor; we do not understand the fact that the chantry system had an immense influence on the growth and development of English education. Why is this so? Simply because we have not thought enough about the work done by the chantries. Study and observation of the facts however convince us of the great work done by these institutions, especi-