

a fine *stock* of them in our heads, instead of having them in our hearts, in the power of the unction from the Holy One, teaching us in such a way, as to humble us, and fill us with real knowledge of our blessed Lord Jesus.

Oh my soul ! dost thou really know in the grace and power of the Holy Ghost, the truths which thou hast learned? *Extract.*



FRAGMENT.

If ever there was a day when it is important for every true follower of Christ to stand fast and to be true to his profession, I believe it is the present day. There is no answer to infidelity like the life of Christ displayed by the Christian. Nothing puts the madness of the infidel, and the folly of the superstitious more to shame and silence than the humble, quiet, devoted walk of a thorough-going, heavenly-minded, and divinely-taught Christian. It may be in the unlearned, and poor, and despised ; but like the scent of the lowly violet, it gives its fragrance abroad, and both God and man take notice of it. Works, if only hypocritical doings, go for nothing ; but works that are the genuine expression of living and walking with God in Christ, are of the same value as the hands of a good clock. A good clock without hands is, for practical purposes, of no value ; but the hands on the face tell the measure of the value of the works within, and record the lapse of time. " We are His (God's) workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them " (Ephes. ii. 10). Now is the time for works, and for overcoming, to him that has an ear to hear.