

## REVIEWS. \*

We had sent us for review some little time ago two very useful works (1) The Chief Days, by the Rev. A. W. Snyder, (2) The Hill Called Calvary, by The Rev. Dr. Green, Rector of Grace Church, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Both books are published by the Young Churchman Co., Milwaukee, Wis. The former of these two books cannot fail to be very helpful to our Clergy, offering as it does in the form of very brief addresses just a leading thought or two on each of our Chief days,—thirty-six in all. The latter is brim full of beautiful teachings and suggestions, in the shape of Addresses or Meditations on our dear Lord's Seven Sacred Words from the Cross. This will prove most helpful in the preparation of a Lent, Holy Week or Good Friday course. It is from the pen of one who occupied our Quebec Cathedral pulpit two summers ago, and whose words have, some of them, never been forgotten. Dr. Green is distinctly a preacher and a man of true eloquence and power.

### About Ourselves.

From time to time we receive kindly words from some of our subscribers, lightening a bit our load by indicating that our efforts for the welfare of the Diocese are not entirely fruitless and by suggesting to us once in a way some new line or feature of usefulness.

During the past month *e. g.*, we have received amongst others the following:—

(1) From a learned Judge :

“The GAZETTE is an admirable publication. The last number is one of the best which has come to me.”

(2) From a French Clergyman :

“I always enjoy the reading of the interesting news of your Diocese.”

(3) From “A grateful Subscriber, who has never kissed the Blarney Stone” :

DEAR MR. EDITOR,

You don't “blow your own trumpet,” and most ears would be deaf if you did, but I am sure I voice the sentiment of “the many” who are benefited by the publication of the “QUEBEC DIOCESAN GAZETTE” if I venture to take this opportunity of saying now, on a perusal of your last number, what has many times before to-day been impressed upon my mind, namely, how valuable we think your paper to be in a general way, how important to the Diocese, how judiciously conducted, and how timely and helpful its contents—especially those which are of common concern to all our congregations.

St. Patrick's Day, 1899.

If we really deserve even a hundredth part of all this, we are more than amply rewarded.

“He is not rich who lays up much, but he who lays out much.” Such was the motto of Amos Lawrence, whose benefactions aggregated \$700,000.

## DISTRICT NEWS.

### SCOTSTOWN.

On Saturday evening, March 4th, about seventy people assembled at the Parsonage in Scotstown, and presented the Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Brooke with the following address, accompanied with a handsome gold watch and thirty dollars, and a gold chain and dressing case to Mrs. Brooke. The address was read as follows by C. W. B. French, Esq., of Scotstown:—

“It is with the deepest regret and sorrow that we have learned of your intended departure from our midst; for during the years you have so faithfully toiled among us, not even a ripple has disturbed the tranquility of our relationship. You have by your keen interest in our spiritual welfare, and never failing kindness in sickness, as well as in health, taken such an exalted position in our hearts, that when called upon to part