

of treatment ; and there is a novelty about that which is exceedingly charming. Dr. Dykes condemns no one for his opinions, he enters into no religious polemics ; but he simply states what he conceives to be the truth as given by St. Paul, and certainly a vast step has been made in disentangling the Apostle's statements and making them plain so "that all who run may read."

*The "Coming Conflict of the Church"* (7) is a little work in which Mr. Garratt gives what he calls "present truth for the present day," mainly drawn from his larger work the *Commentary on Revelation*. The purpose of the work is to show what parts of the Revelation have been fulfilled, what are being now fulfilled, and what yet remains. Mr. Garratt is led by his studies to believe that even if the decadence of the British nation with regard to Divine truth and morals does not lead to the scourge of war and invasion—yet the Protestant Churches, and our own in particular, will surrender their Protestantism in accordance with the public opinion of a world-wide commonwealth of nations, the ecclesiastical centre of which will be Jerusalem. The "image of the beast" is an Œcumenical Council which will claim obedience to its canons on the pain of death. This will continue for three years and a half, after which there will be a great revival of true godliness, which will change the whole aspect of things. Mr. Garratt does not attempt to say when all this will be, but he leads us to understand that he considers the coming of the Son of Man to be in the near future.

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(2) *From Adam to Abraham ; or, Lessons on the First Fourteen Chapters of Genesis*. By Rev. J. Gurney Hoare, M.A. London: James Nisbet & Co., 1888. Price 1s.

(3) *A Manual of Introduction to the New Testament*. By Dr. Bernhard Weiss. Vol. 2. Hodder & Stoughton. Price 7s. 6d.

(4) *The Epistle to the Galatians*. By the Rev. Professor G. G. Findlay, B.A. London: Hodder & Stoughton, 1888.

(5) *Studies in the Book of Acts*. By Dr. Williams. London: James Nisbet & Co., 1888. Price 6s.

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