

questions that every minister of the Gospel should take up for the regeneration of a lost world. Dr. Gregory has no faith in substitutes for the Gospel; he gives the proper place to the divine message, and aims at making the Church a stronger arm for righteousness. This discriminating, timely book should be read by every preacher and theological student. It is, indeed, a trumpet that gives no uncertain sound and will inspire every reader with higher motives.

A. M. P.

Across Siberia on the Great Post-Road.

By CHARLES WENYON, M.D. London: Charles H. Kelly. Toronto: William Briggs.

This is one of the most interesting books of travel we have ever read. The author, who seems to be a Chinese medical missionary, made the journey from Vladivostok, on the Pacific coast, to the German frontier, over the great Post-Road and in part by the Yenisei and Obi rivers, a distance of about 5,000 miles. As an important section of the Siberian railway has been opened since, he was one of the very last Englishmen to make this journey in the old-fashioned way. He gives a vivid conception of the growth and consolidation of the Russian Empire, of the vast and, in large part, fertile regions of Siberia, with its strangely mixed nomad and settled populations, and its sad contingent of political and criminal exiles.

Mornings in the College Chapel. Short Addresses to Young Men on Personal Religion. By FRANCIS GREENWOOD PEABODY, Professor of Christian Morals in Harvard University. Boston and New York: Houghton, Mifflin & Company. Toronto: William Briggs. Price, \$1.25.

This is a charming volume, both in contents and in form. It contains ninety-one sermons. They are models of brevity, pointedness and spirituality. The longest of them can be read in three, and the most of them in two, minutes. They constitute a good atmosphere for a student's morning hours. Fifteen minutes are allowed for the daily college service, and "the preachers to the university usually say a few plain words to interpret or enforce the Bible lesson which has been read." These sermons are Professor Peabody's contribution in this relation. They are worthy of the man, the occasion, and the beautiful form in which the publishers have introduced them to the public.

E. I. B.

The Spirit-Filled Life. By REV. JOHN MACNEIL, B.A., Evangelist. Introduction by REV. ANDREW MURRAY. Cloth, 8vo. Pp. 126. Price, 75 cents.

The Spiritual Life. By ANDREW MURRAY. Lectures delivered before the Students of the Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. Cloth, 8vo. Pp. 243. Price, 50 cents.

The Master's Indwelling. By ANDREW MURRAY. Addresses delivered at the Northfield Conference Re-written and Revised. Cloth, 8vo. Pp. 180. Toronto: Fleming H. Revell Co. Price, 75 cents.

It is very gratifying that evangelical literature is on the increase. The demand must exist or the supply would not be so abundant. "The Spirit-Filled Life" comes from the Antipodes, the author being an Australian, and a worker among the Australasian Churches. He takes it that "Be filled with the Spirit" is a command to be obeyed, a duty to be done; and writes for "babes" who are living on the wrong side of Pentecost. His object is to call the attention of all who are "Born again" to the fact that the fullness of the Spirit is the birthright of every believer. The substance of the book was first delivered as a series of afternoon Bible readings in connection with evangelistic services, and published in permanent form by request. The standpoint of the author is, that being filled with the Spirit is "something different from the new birth," that it is everybody's need, may be obtained through cleansing, consecration and claiming, and that one may know that he is filled. "Christianity is nothing, except as it is a demonstration of the Spirit," says Rev. Andrew Murray in his introduction to the American edition, hence the great need and absolute duty of being filled with the Spirit. We are confident that the reading of this little book will bring help and blessing. Though not critical, it is thorough and scholarly, and brings out distinctions not usually found in works on the Holy Spirit. Ministers will do well to read this work carefully as an aid to a study of the subject.

Rev. Andrew Murray's writings have been made such a blessing to thousands that he needs no introduction. The publishers of these two volumes did well to put his platform utterances at the summer schools of 1895 in print, so that they might benefit a larger audience than heard them. "The Spiritual Life" con-