

Book Notices.

NICHOL'S STANDARD DIVINES—THE WORKS OF THOMAS ADAMS, WITH MEMOIR—
By Joseph Angus, D.D. Edinburgh: J. Nichol. Montreal: B. Dawson & Son. Toronto: W. C. Chewett & Co.

These volumes belong to "Nichol's Series of Standard Divines." Like their predecessors, they are carefully edited, and well got up. Those who enjoyed the solid style of Goodwin will find here a great transition. Still they cannot but relish the fancy and learning of the new author here introduced. Adams has been called the Shakespeare of the Puritans, on account of his great knowledge of human nature, and his rich and exuberant fancy. The publication of the works of these old Puritan writers, in all their purity and vigour, cannot but be conducive to the spiritual good of the church in the present day. We trust the undertaking will meet with extensive encouragement. Names of subscribers may be sent to Mr. Dawson, Montreal, or W. C. Chewett & Co., Toronto.

THE PRESBYTERIAN HISTORICAL ALMANAC FOR 1862—By Joseph M. Wilson.
Volume IV. Philadelphia: J. M. Wilson.

We have received the fourth volume of this very interesting and useful publication. It is, we believe, not merely equal to the volumes already issued, but larger and more complete. It contains a summary of the proceedings of Presbyterian Churches throughout the world, with portraits of Moderators, engravings of churches, historical sketches of Presbyterian churches, lists and post office addresses of Presbyterian Ministers in the United States, the British Provinces, and Great Britain. The volume contains a very good portrait of our excellent Moderator, Dr. Taylor. It is earnestly to be hoped that some adequate encouragement will be given to the enterprising publisher. He has brought out the volume in the face of great discouragements, from the state of things in the Union at the present time, and this makes it more necessary that the friends of the church should strive to sustain so laudable an undertaking. The volume costs \$1.50 per copy, and may be obtained through D. McLellan, Hamilton, or Rollo & Adam, or J. Bain, Toronto.

THE EXILES OF MADEIRA—By the Rev. W. M. Blackburn. Philadelphia: Presbyterian Board of Publication.

The Gospel made from 1838 to 1850 such remarkable progress in Madeira, that the work has been called "the greatest fact of modern missions." The history of the church in Madeira at that period shows what Popery can do, and what the followers of the Lord Jesus can endure. The narrative contained in this volume details the interesting events which took place in Madeira, ending in the exile of many Portuguese, who sought a refuge on this side of the Atlantic.

PIONEERS OF FUEGIA—Compiled by Sarah A. Myers. Philadelphia: Presbyterian Board of Publication.

This interesting volume contains an account of the life of Captain Allen Gardiner, and of his missionary labours, especially in connexion with the mis-