

Lamarck and others. He thinks that these theories "represent 'a confused movement of the mind of the age,' of an age strong in material discoveries, but weak in self control and higher consciousness," and while not depreciating the value of what has been ascertained and taught by those who hold such theories, he shows once more the truth that Christians have nothing to fear, but everything to gain, from the progress of true science.

1. *The Cambridge Bible for Schools and Colleges. Haggai, Zechariah and Malachi.* By the Ven. T. T. Perowne, B.D. 4s. 6d.

2. *The Epistle to the Philippians.* By the Rev. H. C. G. Moule, M.A.

3. *The Smaller Cambridge Bible for Schools. I. Samuel, II. Samuel.*—By the Rev. A. F. Kirkpatrick, B.D. *St. Matthew.*—By the Rev. A. Carr, M.A. *St. Mark.*—By the Rev. G. F. Maclear, D.D. *St. Luke.*—By the Ven. Archdeacon Farrar, D.D. 1s.

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