

in this volume in a new role. We venture to predict, that excellent as his former books have been, this one will have a popularity far surpassing that of any of them. It combines at once more humour and more pathos than any book of its size that we know, and will be read with intense interest by both old and young. It abounds with illustrations of the wickedness, folly, crime, and misery caused by drink. In his closing chapters he shows that the only permanent cure for this evil is the manifold grace of God. The book is admirably adapted for use in Sunday-schools, and for Band of Hope and Temperance Lodge readings. We hope for it a wide circulation.

The New Man and the Eternal Life is a series of Notes on the Reiterated Axioms of the Son of God. By ANDREW JUKES. New York: Thos. Whittaker. Toronto: Wm. Briggs. pp. 296. Price \$1.75.

In this series of discourses the author has taken up those utterances of our Lord to which He Himself gave especial importance by the emphatic words, "verily, verily." The theme of the book is that the end of the Gospel is the new man, reformed by God into His own image through Christ. These discourses unfold the successive stages or aspects of the development of this "new man" in these emphatic utterances of our Lord. This is an instructive and suggestive series of sermons.

Guide Book for the Eastern Coast of New England. By EDSON C. EASTMAN. Pp. 220, with maps. Concord, Mass.: E. C. Eastman. Price, \$1.50.

White Mountain Guide Book. By S. C. EASTMAN. Pp. 236, with engravings and maps. Concord, Mass.: E. C. Eastman. Price, \$1.

There are many persons who will spend one or two hundred dollars for a summer trip who will grudge one or two dollars for a reliable guide-book. They make a great mistake. A good guide-book, such as are those above enumerated, will enable one to derive double profit and pleasure from a holiday trip,

and will often help him to save time and money as well. One of the most delightful summer rambles that we know is that briefly outlined in our article on the Atlantic coast in this number. Edson's Guide Books give full information about the White Mountains and the sea-coast, the best places to go, the way to reach them, the cost of travel and of lodgings, an account of the historic and other interesting associations of the places described—everything that a tourist wishes to know. Their value is increased by good maps and full indexes.

The Candle of the Lord and other Sermons. By the Rev. PHILLIPS BROOKS. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. Toronto: Wm. Briggs. pp. 370. Price \$1.75.

Phillips Brooks we deem one of the greatest of modern preachers. In his broad human sympathies and fine English literary style, he is more like Frederick W. Robertson than any one whom we know. But there is in his sermons, we think, a deeper spirituality of tone, and more orthodox statement of doctrines, than in those of the great English preacher.

It is a significant sign of the times that over 20,000 copies of his previous volumes of sermons and lectures on the Influence of Jesus should be called for in so short a time. The present volume is worthy of his high reputation, and will cause no disappointment. We have been especially impressed by the Sermons on the Heroism of Foreign Missions, on the Manliness of Christ, on the Law of Liberty, on the Symmetry of Life, and on Christian Charity.

Among western books announced for immediate issue, S. C. Griggs & Co., Chicago, promise a new edition of Prof. R. B. Anderson's "Viking Tales of the North," carefully revised and corrected by the author. This is a book of singular interest, containing the Swedish poet, Tegner's, famous poem, "Fridthjof's Saga," and also the two prose sagas upon which that Northern epic was based.