

uated after attaining ease and facility in reading the scriptural tongues.

In the department of the English Bible, book and subject study is the basis of the plan. Be the study by individuals or clubs, the emphasis is always laid upon individual personal study. It is true that the thorough character of the work requires more time than many busy people can spare, although excellent work can be done in one hour a day. The extreme flexibility of this organization, however, enables it to meet the needs of the busiest people by offering each year a special course of study which can be pursued by the student alone, without assistance (except such as is furnished by the helps recommended), and an optional examination at the end of the course. The subject of this simpler work is always that of the current International Sunday-School lessons. The cost is nominal. These examination courses have been pursued by a large number of people engaged in Sunday-school work, or wishing to keep in line with it.

The Institute correspondence courses now in progress are as follows: English New Testament, the Gospel of John, the Life of Christ, based on the four Gospels; the Gospel of Luke, the Founding of the Christian Church, based on Acts; English Old Testament, Samuel to Solomon; Hebrew, first, second, third, and fourth courses; New Testament Greek, first and second courses. Examination course (examination to take place January 10th, 1893), the Founding of the Christian Church, based on Acts. Only the first half of this subject will be covered this year (Acts i.-xv. 35).

The attitude of the Institute toward other religious organizations is not that of a rival to any of them, but it assists and co-operates with them all. Wherever Bible study is a legitimate department of an organization, such as the Y. P. S. C. E. or the King's Daughters, the Institute adjusts a course of study to its needs, and offers the stimulus of an examination.

The financial support of all this work is secured by annual subscribing memberships and special endowments, the tuition fees being so low that they meet but a small part of the expense.

More can be learned of the Institute and its work by addressing the principal, Dr. W. R. Harper, Hyde Park, Chicago, Ill.

BOOKS RECEIVED.

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SWAN, SONNENSCHNEIN & CO., London.—How Nature Cures. By Emmet Denismore, M.D.

E. A. JOHNSON & CO., Providence, R. I.—Sermons on the International Sunday-School Lessons for 1893. Edited by E. Benjamin Andrews, D.D., LL.D. The Maybrick Case. By Dr. Helen Denismore.

A. S. BARNES & CO., New York.—Bible Studies from the Old and New Testaments. By George F. Pentecost, D.D.

JOHN D. WATTLES, Philadelphia.—The Blood Covenant. By H. Clay Trumbull. The Ten Commandments as a Covenant of Love. By H. Clay Trumbull. The National Hymn Book. Edited by Robert Ellis Thompson, S.T.D.

JOHN HOWARD, Boston, Mass.—The Physiology of Artistic Singing. By John Howard.

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GUIDE PRINTING AND PUBLISHING CO., Louisville, Ky.—Alexander Campbell's Tour in Scotland. By Thomas Chalmers, A.B.

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A. D. F. RANDOLPH & CO., New York.—A Year of Blessings and a Blessed Year. Compiled by Roe Porter. Christ and Criticism. By Prof. Charles Marsh Mead. Sermons Preached in St. John's Church. By George William Douglas, S.T.D.

PRACTICAL PUBLISHING CO., New York.—Fifty Years Hence. By Robert Grimshaw.

SCRIPTURAL TRACT REPOSITORY.—The Crowning Sin of the Age. By Rev. Brevard D. Sinclair.

THE BAKER & TAYLOR CO., New York.—The Gospel of the Kingdom. By C. H. Spurgeon.

FOWLER & WELLS, New York.—Where is My Dog? By Rev. Charles J. Adams.