

NICHOL'S SERIES OF STANDARD DIVINES, PURITAN PERIOD. THOMAS GOODWIN, D.D. VOLS. I, II. 1861.

Nichol of Edinburgh is issuing the works of the divines of the Puritan period. We have received the first two volumes of the works of Dr. Thomas Goodwin. Although we sympathize more with the theological views of his illustrious namesake John Goodwin, author of *Redemption Redeemed*, than with his, we are free to confess that he was a theological giant among the Calvinistic theologians of his age, and that much solid instruction may be gathered from his writings. The books are well got up. Dawson and Son, Montreal, are agents for British North America.

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### INTELLIGENCE.

A NEW WORK.—A new volume by Dr. James McCosh of Belfast, Ireland, author of "The Method of Divine Government, Physical and Moral," was to be published last month, entitled, "The Supernatural in relation to the Natural, with special reference to existing controversies." Most probably it will soon find an American publisher. We are pleased that thoughtful theologians are directing their attention to this subject. The views we entertain respecting it give complexion to our entire theological system. And it is a good omen that it is attracting the attention of thinking men.

REVIVAL MEETINGS.—The Rev. T. G. Salmon, of the Evangelical Union Home Mission, held, in the month of December, a series of revival meetings in Dalbeattie, Scotland. Some professed to be savingly benefited, and the friends of the cause are greatly encouraged. Also in Dumfries Mr. Salmon has been engaged in revival work. There is decided evidence of good having been done in Dumfries. The Revs. A. Davidson of Glasgow and John Kirk of Edinburgh have also taken part in the meetings. There is good reason for believing that in a short time there will be an influential E. U. Church in this town. A series of meetings for the promotion of revival have also been held in Tillicoultry. The meetings have been conducted by the pastor of the church, Mr. Strachan, Rev. A. Fairbairn of Bathgate and Rev. John Kirk. Some good has resulted from the effort. These particulars we have gleaned from the *Christian News*.

CONCERT OF SACRED MUSIC.—A concert of Sacred Music was held in E. U. Congregational Church, Huntingdon, with Harmonium accompaniment, under the management of Mr. D. Shanks, precentor. The singing was excellent, and reflected great credit on all who took part in it. Between the parts an address on Sacred Song as adapted to the worship of God was delivered by the pastor of the congregation.