

of rare spiritual insight and he has a fine theme in the great Apostle to the Gentiles. He handles it with his accustomed skill.

**Side-Lights on the Epistle to the Philippians.** Compiled by Charles G. Baskerville, M.A. James Nisbet & Co., London, 1914. 94 pp. 1s. 6d. net.

Canon Baskerville has given in this neat little volume suggestive and helpful illustrations of Paul's beautiful words to the Philippians. It is not a commentary, but just what the title implies.

## II. THEOLOGY AND APOLOGETICS.

**The Truth of Christianity:** Being an Examination of the More Important Arguments for and against Believing in that Religion. Compiled from various sources by Lt.-Col. W. H. Turton, D.S.O., Late Royal Engineers. Eighth Edition; thirtieth thousand (carefully revised throughout). New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1913. 636 pp. \$1.25 net.

The wide and accurate knowledge, the clear and forceful statement, the frank and courteous manner of this work must largely account for its continued popularity. It is a notable fact that this work by a layman has longer and more widely commanded public attention than most apologetic treatises. It is now nearly twenty years since its first appearance. Its translation into Japanese, in 1910, is to be noted; and one would suggest that it would be well if it could be put into Spanish and Portuguese for use in South America where the problems of skepticism so well met in this work are acute just as they are in Japan. This edition takes account of some of the more recent arguments of the rationalists.

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**The Proof of God.** By Harold Begbie, Author of *Twice Born Men*. New York: Fleming H. Revell Company, 1914. 159 pp. 75c net.