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I MAKE no apology for this book. No book of my theological acquaintance, British, Continental, or American, quite realises the ends I have in view, or seeks them by the plan and in the spirit that will be found to pervade this work, in which, from the wide range of theological topic considered, an exhaustive mode of treatment must give place to one which can at most only be suggestive. References, generally fragmentary or fugitive in character, have not been altogether wanting in connection with the progress of modern Christian theology, but the subject has appeared to me to call for