RRESBYTERY OF ROCHESTER.

Rev. Hiram Dyer was received as a

American Presbyterian.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1866. -----

PREMIUMS.

We have now sent out every premium ordered for new or old subscribers up to January 16th. Subscribers failing to receive their premiums, after due delay, will please inform us.

SMITH'S DICTIONARY OF THE BIBLE; AND LANGE'S HOMILETICAL COMMENTARY are offered as premiums for new subscri-| Street. bers. See advertisement

SECOND WEEK OF PRAYER.

Wednesday, 4 P. M.-Rev. Mr. Cookman's, Twentieth and Spring Garden. Thursday, 4 P. M.-Rev. Dr. Wylie's, Broad below Spruce.

Friday, 4. P. M .- Rev. Mr. Giesy's, Green above Fifteenth.

Saturday, 4 P. M .--- Rev. Dr. New ton's, Chestnut above Fifteenth.

A FACT .- The Pittsburgh Banner of last week says: "Mr. Baldwin is doing more to extend the New School Church in and around Philadelphia than all the Old School Presbyterians put together are doing for their Church."

" THE RUBRIC" SERIES ---- We have anticipated somewhat in the article of this series, published on our correspondence | the guidance of Mr. George F. Work. page this week. The expose which it On the 29th of March 1862, its first Rouse's version of the Psalms in public worship, should have appeared even earlier.

LONG'S MONTHLY LETTERS.-We give one of these letters on our family page. The author deserves praise for the ingethe advertisement, and advised to try them for a year.

GIVERS seem to be confined to a select few in the Presbyterian Church in England, as well as among ourselves. Dr. Hamilton, in the Presbytery of London, lately stated that the £9000 contributed to the Church Building and Debt Extinction Fund in that body, by the churches of London, came from 170 out of the 4900 communicants connected with those churches.

THE ASSASSINS are not out of Wash- | land Hamner, and others, participating ington yet. Senator Wade, of Obio, in the services. A deficiency of \$2500 was visited at his rooms on the 10th of of the amount necessary to pay the cost January by a man who pretended to be of the whole, was promptly-contributed 'seeking the Senator's recommendation on the spot, in response to the appeal of to a situation. Mr. Wade, not knowing Dr. Brainerd, who proved himself as the man, declined; soon after which the | felicitous here, as he always is, whenstranger drew a knife upon him, and ever he opens his mouth to speak.

SION CHAPEL. It gives us great pleasure to notice an aggressive spirit of our Church, and record the march of church extension in

this city. It is not merely in one direction, but in every part of Philadelphia, that our Church is laying foundations for the future.

Last Sabbath afternoon, Southwark witnessed the opening of the tasteful and commodious chapel, which most appropriately bears the name of the bonored and veteran pastor of "old Pine

Several years since, Mr. George Pearson, an estimable member of that Church. who loved the gates of Zion, and was ever constant there, in appreciation of the fact, that evangelization can be made permanent, only by the agency and work of local churches, left as a legacy to the Master's cause, a lot on Greenwich street, east of Third street, 80 by 200 feet, "for the erection of a Presbyterian Church, and such other buildings as usually appertain thereto, etc. It is upon this lot that the chapel, dedicated last Sabbath, has been built, for the accommodation of the Brainerd Mission school, and the ultimate use, as a lecture room, by the church, which in the order of Providence, will soon follow, as the

elements in the neighborhood are gathered and focalized around the school as a centre. It is not quite four years since this school was established under

makes of semi-theatrical performances session was held, with six teachers in under the patronage of a Church, which the second story of the Shiffler Hose thinks it a sin to use anything but House. With the changes incident to all schools, but with steady prosperity and God's blessing, the school has advanced and grown, maintaining regularly two sessions every Sabbath. The incon-

venience of location, and the narrowness of accommodation, necessitated the movement which has resulted in the nuity of his contrivance to interest and erection of the chapel, under the auspices instruct the young in the family and the of the Missionary Association of "old Sabbath-school. Those who wish to Pine street," and mainly by the help of know more about them are referred to the same generous men who so nobly by it through the recent national troubles aided in lifting the debt from the First had become a threatening burden to us, Church of Southwark, a year or two and the removal of which, by their timely since. aid, is now practically guarantied. To

The chapel, built of brick in the rear of the future Church edifice, is 45 by 70 feet, neatly and substantially furnished with sittings for 500 children. The cost of the whole, with furniture and library complete, was nearly \$10,000the exact figures, \$9,871 40. The iron merchant, New York, From Brethren of the Pastors' As-sociation of New York City, a pledge bearing interest from Janu-ary 1, 1866, of dedicatory services were most interesting. A historical report was read by the Superintendent, Mr. Randolph Sailor, and addresses made by Rev. John McLeod, Dr. Brainerd; Rev. J. Gar-

DEDICATION OF THE BRAINERD MIS-1 of India, and Mr. Hill, of Missouri, were [OUR ROCHESTER CORRESPONDENT. capital, representing the paganism of the

East and the wants of the West; the distribution of more than forty prizee-books to boys and girls, who had committed to me-Brockport on Tuesday and Wednesday mory the entire Gospel of Matthew, was a of the present week. Rev. O. H. Barnhappy feature; and the report of ten of ard, of North Bergen, was elected Modthe members of the school added to the erator; Revs. B. Bosworth, and E. B. Van Auken, clerks. The previous Mod-Church the past year, showed that the labors of the teachers were not in vain. erator being absent, Rev. J. F. Pettibone, a returned Missionary from Con-

THE SECOND MANTUA CHURCH bad its stantinople, was called upon to preach S. S. anniversary on the 14th inst. Addresses were made by the Rev. Messrs. Calkins and Butler, and all went off finely. | most intelligible and intensely interest-This young enterprise is growing, and ing account of the work accomplished needs immediate increase of accommoda- | by the Gospel in Turkey. tions. It should be helped by our good people in the city. Those who are laboring there are worthy of fresh aid.

LETTER FROM REV. HALSEY DUN-NING.

been a year of unusual changes. It is REV. JOHN W. MEARS-Dear Broa remarkable fact that some eight or ten ther :---Being about, in my present broof our churches have either changed ken state of health, to seek relief from their pastors, or are now destitute. the roughness of our winter climate by a resort to the more genial latitudes of the member of this body from the Presby-West Indies, will you permit me the tery of Chenango. Rev. Augustus C. privilege of a little space in your columns, Shaw was dismissed to join the Presbyfor the following acknowledgment in betery of Utica. Benjamin F. Miller, a half of both myself and my Church. in member of the Union Theological Semiwhich you have always manifested so dary, and of the church of Holley, was deep an interest.

wards the removal of this burden and

bar to our prosperity, I gratefully a

knowledge the following pledges, viz:

From Mr. John A. Brown, of Phila., \$500 0 From Messrs. Matthew W. Baldwin & Co., of Phiadelphia, 500 0 From Mr. Enoch Ketcham, sheet-

The first two of these gentlemen re

received under the care of Presbytery, In the first place, I desire to make with a view to licensure for the ministry. special acknowledgments to the great He graduated at Hamilton College in Head of the Church, that He has in His 1862; enlisted as a private in the army; ever watchful provilence over the rose to be a captain; served to the Church, sent to us the Rev. S. G. Spees, end of the war, and now resumes his D.D., recently of Dayton, Ohio, to abun studies with reference to this holy work, dantly more than supply my "lack of to which he had before consecrated his service" in the pulpit and in the pasto- life. ral work. This I regard as a special

Rev. Dr. Shaw and Rev. C. P. Bush, kindness both to myself, in my weakness, of Rochester, were appointed clerical commissioners to the General Assembly; and to the Church, to which it has been my privilege for eleven years to minister. Dr. Ralph Thacher, of Brockport, and Secondly. I desire to make acknow- Frederick Starr, Esq., of Rochester, lay ledgments of the great generosity and commissioners. George W. Parsons, liberality of those who have so readily Esq., of Rochester, was also appointed and pleasantly responded to my apcommissioner to Auburn Theological Seminary. The semi-annual meeting of peal from my sick chamber, in be balf of the ground-rent fund of our Presbytery is to be held in Bergen, in Church, which, in the losses sustained June next.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL AT LE-ROY.

The Sabbath-school of the Presbyterian Church of Le Roy, under the admirable superintendence of Mr. S. H. Parmelee, is in a very flourishing condition whole number of scholars, 370; average attendance during the past year, 255; amount of money raised by the school for Sunday-school and mission purposes, \$471; total amount for the past three years, \$1846.

The Christmas festival was held in Starr Hall, and was largely attended. The children were abundantly feasted and a huge Christmas tree was loaded

sponded, as is their wont where their with fruit for little hands to pluck. judgment approves, immediately, kindly We may add that the Teachers' Meetand liberally tomy application; the third ing is well sustained in this school did not wait for my application, but, un- the pastor, Rev. C. C. Kimball, attend. solicited by myself or others, sent me \langle ing, and aiding in its exercises. There check for the above named amount is also a very interesting and profitable while of the deep sympathy and tended monthly concert, held on Sabbath evefraternal interest and ready response of ning, under the direction of Dr. R. Wilwould have done him violence, but that There are many hearts that unite in the Brethren in New York, I cannot suf liams, which seems to keep alive the inhe had fortunately armed himself with a saying: "God speed to this enterprise." ficiently express my grateful sense. And terest of the congregation in the school, revolver, which he put at the head of May many more of Christ's children and the more would I acknowledge their as well as to quicken and encourage the

of builders, painters, paperers, and the sufficient supply of words, in which to This body held its annual meeting in pulpit very acceptably; and a new inservices.

S. S. CONVENTION AT AUBURN.

The Cayuga S. S. Teachers' In the opening sermon, in which he gave a stitute, conducted by Ralph Wells, and R. G. Pardee, of New York, is to be held in the First Presbyterian Church of Auburn, to commence on Wednesday, The reports on the state of religion 24th instant, and continue three days. within the bounds of the Presbytery, It will doubtless be an occasion of great indicated a good degree of prosperity interest and profit; and the friends of during the past year. Quite a number Sunday-schools in all the region are corof the churches have been refreshed and dially invited to attend, and get the enlarged, while, at the same time, it has benefit.

PERSONAL.

We are glad to learn that Rev. Dr. Ellinwood is now thought to be rapidly improving in health. He has been for many weeks residing in his "own hired house" as Clifton Springs, and resorts daily to that admirable cure for treatment. His physicians say he is doing splendidly," and there is hope that by a year of entire rest he may be as well and strong for work as ever. His innumerable friends, and the friends of Zion, especially in all this region, will greatly rejoice in this prospect, and pray that this fond hope may be realized.

The good people of Lima have been remembering their excellent minister, Rev. A. L. Benton, in a donation, to the amount of some two hundred dollars; and they are also moving, with good prospect of success, to get him a parsonage to live in. At the same time there are hopeful indications of spiritual quickening. The generous are always

ALMOST A COLFLAGRATION.

called. The new and beautiful chapel of the First Presbyterian Church, of this city, came near being a heap of ashes last Monday morning. Floor, carpets, seats, and ceiling were damaged to the amount of some twelve hundred dollars, before the nascent conflagration was suppressed. It is supposed to have taken from some Christmas evergreens trailed too near the stove pipe-thoroughly dried thereby, and easily ignited upon the kindling of fires in the chapel, for some purpose, at that time. Fortunately it was discovered in time to save it from the worst. Genesee.

ROCHESTER, January 13, 1866.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 13, 1866. The friends of justice and equal rights are watching with some solicitude the action of Congress, on the bill now before that body, enfranchising the colored | State rights under the Constitution. men of the District of Columbia. There are strong hopes entertained of its final passage, but I am afraid it will not be civil rights, and furnish the means of by such a majority as will give the their vindication before the courts, to-President to understand that his refusal gether with his bill for the enlargement to sign it will not prevent it from becom- of the powers of the Freedmen's Bureau, ing a law. In writing this, I do not mean to say that he will veto the bill. though there are intimations to that effect, but in doubtful cases, it is always | tion over the colored race, North as well best to "make assurance doubly sure." The President is understood to be in favor of a qualified suffrage for the negroes of the District; the test, to be ability to read and write, and also the possession of a certain amount of propwhich we have before alluded, has gone erty. The bill offered by Senator Wade, in the Senate, provides that each voter vernment. Both these measures will be shall be able to read the Constitution of passed without serious opposition. the United States, and to write his own name, but does not set forth any prop erty qualification. The House bill offered by Judge Kelley, of your city, does not prescribe any qualification whatever, simply amending the present election laws of the District, by striking out the word "white." While the President may sign the Senate bill, if passed, I do Church, about as large as on milder not think he would attach his name to the House bill, even if it succeeds in getting through both Houses. In his conversation with Mayor Stearns, of Boston, it will be remembered he admitted that he was in favor of qualified suffrage for the negro, and intimated that if he was Governor of his own State of Tennessee, he would strive to promote it, and, if possible, secure it. Before reaching the Presidential chair, Andrew Johnson was known to be in favor of qualified suffrage for all classes, and I believe his opinions on that subject have naturally be read with more eagerness in undergone no change. In the House, the suffrage question has been the main theme of debate In respect to the North Church, we during the week. I cannot say that any were very sorry to learn that Rev. A. very able or remarkable speeches have been made, either for or against it, though it has already been handled by the Democrats, the conservative Republicans, and the Radicals. The ablest speech in its favor was Judge Kelley's great hopes had been raised in respect reply to Mr. Boyer, a Democrat from We the Montgomery District of your State. It was, by no means, one of Kelley's best or happiest efforts, for he spoke on the impulse of the moment, without any preparation, but he demolished Boyer completely, and even carried the war partly into the enemies' domains. Kel-REV. THEODORE MONOD has reached user product in the selations, having ley, is, perhaps, the most popular and effective speaker in the House. His fine voice, pleasing delivery and boldness in debate always secure him an attentive and respectful hearing. He scarcely ever writes his speeches out, as the majority of the members do, but possessing a well stored mind, a retentive memory, and quick apprehension, trusts

like, and comes out almost as good as convey his ideas. Notwithstanding new. After extensive repairs and im- this, however, he is a most careful and provements, it was rededicated on Thurs- industrious student, seldom approaching day, the 4th instant, with appropriate a subject without first understanding it services. Mr. Merritt Gally, a licentiate thoroughly in all its bearings. With of Cayuga Presbytery, is supplying the the exception of Kelley, none of the leading Republicans have yet spoken on terest has been awakened in its Sabbath | the suffrage question ; I mean such men as Stevens, Bingham and Banks. We shall probably hear from some, or all of them next week. The Democratic members, in consideration of this question. have disclosed the fact that they have lost none of their old hatred and prejudice against the unoffending negro; nor are they cured yet of their heretical doctrines about State rights and secession. Their ideas have not yet expanded beyond the conviction that this is "a white man's Government," and that the negro is sprung from an inferior race. The House of Representatives of the Thirtyninth Congress is marvellously scarce of anything like ability or talent on the Democratic side, and were it not for the aid and comfort they derive from the course of such miserable demagogues as Henry J. Raymond, among the Republicans, they would make very little noise this session. Raymond started out well, voting with his party for the Thad. Stevens Committee on reconstruction, but he became frightened at the anathemas of the New York World, and hastened to put himself on the record as a " conservative," Republican, which he did in his speech replying to Stevens. The trouble with many members of Congress is that they want to secure a renomination and election, and they act accordingly. If they see their district going against a measure, they soon find it convenient to oppose it. Raymond was elected from a Democratic district, simply because the Democrats were divided, and ran two candidates, and he knows he cannot secure a renomination if he acts with the radicals, as they are

> There has been very little discussion in the Senate during the week, but a number of important bills and resolutions have been introduced, whose consideration will call forth considerable debate. Senator Howe, of Wisconsin, delivered a very able speech on the relations of the late rebellious States to the General Government. Very unexpectedly he took the radical view of the question, much to the delight of Sumner, Wade and Wilson, who crowded around him during its delivery, and congratulated him on its conclusion. Heretorore Senator Howe has been ranked with the conservative Republicans. He is an able lawyer, a cool, deliberate debater, and an agreeable, though not an eloquent speaker. Reverdy Johnson, Senator from Maryland, attempted to reply to him, but instead of meeting the arguments of the Wisconsin Senator, he launched off into a labored discussion of

> Senator Trumbull's bill to protect all persons in the United States in their

the intruder and drove him from the churches be provoked to like good works ready and very liberal response, because teachers in their blessed work. house. Senator Wade is one of the for the Master. most uncompromising Republicans in

the body.

ASYLUM FOR WIDOWS AND INDIGENT WOMEN .--- This is one of the oldest and most truly Christian charities of the city. Its building, located in Cherry near Eighteenth Street, has accommodated over seventy inmates during the year. The anniversory exercises were held last week, when it appeared that the increased cost of living had acted unfavorably on the finances. The deficit was \$5500, and it was found absolutely necessary to make use of that amount of the invested funds of the institution, notwithstanding the practice of the most rigid economy. We trust the funds will not remain long in this depleted condition.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR COLLEGES .- At a meeting of officers delegated from a number of the New England colleges, held in Providence in October last, it was decided to recommend to the churches and colleges that the first Thursday succeeding the 22d day of February should be observed hereafter as the day of prayer for colleges. If this change is made, the day will still be the last Thursday of February, except in the few cases in which the 22d is the last Thursday; and then it will fall on the first day of March. This will not happen more than five times during the remainder of the century. The change is, therefore, a slight one, while it entirely prevents the undesirable coincidence of the public holiday and the day consecrated to prayer .--N. Y. Observer.

THE ANTI-SABBATH MOVEMENT.

We notice that, as intimated a week ago, bills to authorize the running of cars on the Sabbath in our cities were simultaneously introduced into both branches of the Pennsylvania State Legislature last week. The following scene took place on the reference of the bill offered in the Senate on Thursday the 11th :---

Mr. DONOVAN introduced a bill authorizing passenger railway cars to run on all days of the week, which being referred to the committee on Vice and Immorality by the Speaker, Mr. DONOVAN requested that it should be referred to the Railroad Committee.

Mr. NICHOLS said his committee (Railroad) did not want it. The Speaker said it would be referred to

OUR SABBATH-SCHOOLS.

ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF THE SABBATH-SCHOOL OF THE WHARTON ST. CHURCH.-This joyous yearly gathering took place at 2 o'clock, R. M., of Thursday, January 11. and was in every way an occasion worthy of remembrance. From the annual report of the Secretary, it appears that during the year 1865, the school had raised the very creditable sum of \$485,73 for charitable purposes. Among other contributions made from this sum are the following :---

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American S. S. Union, Pres. Pub. Committee. Home Miss. Com., Education Committe, Philadelphia Bible Society,

S. S. Asso'n, Soldiers Orphans' IIome'd.

We are glad to mark so great liberality, and especially glad to observe the tokens of such loyalty to our denominational committees. We say this in no sectarian spirit, but by way of commendation for what we believe to be the duty of all our churches and Sabbath-schools; a duty, however, which some are slow to discharge.

There were present at the festival about six hundred scholars, with a corresponding representation of teachers and parents: and, we were informed, that none were admitted except such as had been for three months attending the school. We were further told, that 1000 or 1200 children could be easily gathered into the school, if they could be accommodated. But, spacious as the school rooms are, they are already filled to overflowing. Such success, considering the brief space of time since the Church has

been organized; is really wonderful. Abundance of good cake, oranges, boxes of confections, &c., were distributed to the children. Addresses were made by the Rev. Albert Barnes, Rev. S. W. Crittenden, Mr. Godfrey of the S. S. Union, and the pastor. Several beautiful hyms were sung with good effect by the children. All present agreed that they had a good time.

WEST PHILADELPHIA .--- The anniversary of the Sabbath-school of the Walnut Street Presbyterian Church, (Rev. Dr. Butler's) on January 7th, was a delightful occasion. The school, in its older and younger departments, was out in full force; the exercises flowed without the committee he named, because it had re-friction; the singing was frequent and ference to the morality of the community. delightfol. the addresses by Mr. Wahh

their pledge was given with the consciousness that, in consequence of my inability, they were adding to their own already overwhelming pastoral burdens munion on profession, and five by letter.

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and responsibilities. The reward of all Others are coming. Some conversions those who have thus generously come to have recently occurred, under the faithour relief, will be the consciousness of ful labors of their excellent minister. having secured the ultimate entire freedom of this Church from all pecuniary burdens, and the establishment, by the continued blessing of God, of its financial on for many weeks. A part of the time future beyond a peradventure-what has been pledged, will, undoubtedly, ere long, secure to us the still remaining deficiency.

Besides the above, I take great pleasure also in acknowledging the receipt of the following sums, generously volutteered towads defraying the expenses of my contemplated visit to the West Indies viz :--- From Mrs. Susan Van Auken and B. H. Van Auken, Esq., of New York, each one hundred dollars : from James S. Gary, proprietor of the Alberton Cotton Mills, Maryland, one hundred and fifty dollars, very generously and unostentatiously presented to almost a stranger, who hereby takes pleasure in acknowledging an unextinguishable debt of gratitude to him, as also, to the others above mentioned. May it please the Great Physician to grant their desires in restored health and enlarged usefulness of their

Ever obliged and grateful beneficiary, H. DUNNING.

BALTIMORE, JANUARY 8, 1866.

THE UNITARIANS of New York and Brooklyn have inaugurated a series of Sabbath evening public services, to occur during the ensuing Winter and Spring. The introductory discourse was delivered January 14th, in the Cooper Institute, by Rev. James Freeman Clarke, D.D.. of Boston.

REV. HARVEY D. KITCHELL, D.D., of Chicago, Ill., has been elected President of Middlebury College, Vt. He graduated at that institution in 1835.

this country for the Paris Evangelical accepted a call to the Spring Street Society

THERE WERE about 60 members of the late Southern Assembly at Macon.

Miss Rose Terry, the poetess, according

We could speak also of the growth and prosperity of the church. Last Sabbath there were added to its com-

REVIVAL AT BERGEN.

The spiritual interest in this place, to preaching was maintained nearly every evening, mostly by the esteemed pastor himself, Rev. H. B. Gardiner. Some thirty persons are thought to have passed from death unto life. Ten were recently received to the church.

A DAY IN BUFFALO.

It was bitter cold. We were surprised, however, to see the Sabbath congregation in the old and honored First days. We thought many persons would make the intense cold an excuse for hovering around the home fires. This church seems to be maintaining its ancient prestige, under the able ministry of Rev. Dr. Clarke. The congregations are large; the seats all rented; more needed, and some talk of enlargement.

This church is sustaining, wholly or in part, two or three mission schools, one of which embraces some three hundred scholars, for whose accommodation it is intended soon to erect a neat and commodious chapel, at an expense of about three thousand dollars. About two thousand are already subscribed. H. Plumb declines the call recently extended to him. The church had become deeply interested in him, the congregations were growing under his ministry, as he supplied them a few weeks, and to his usefulness among them. wish his valuable services could have

been secured for this important post. Rev. John Allison has been preaching for two years in Buffalo, as a Methodist, and has been a leading and a popular preacher in the denomination. He

Congregational Church of Milwaukee. His Methodist brethren evidently would prefer to keep him among themselves; but he as evidently prefers to go another

way. CHURCH IMPROVEMENTS AT MARION. The Congregational Church of Marihas been for some time in the hands to the inspiration of the occasion, for a York.

are among the most important measures introduced into the Senate. The former is intended to throw the shield of protecas South, and is the first step towards granting them civil and political equality. The latter will correct all misunderstandings and feuds arising between the Freedmen and their employers, and bring the ex-slaves more completely under the protection of the General Go-

J. M.

WHO READS AN AMERICAN BOOK IN ENGLAND?

We have heretofore noticed the "Life of John Brainerd," by Dr. Brainerd of this city, as one of the most valuable publications of the day. We are glad to see that the work is appreciated in Great Britain, as well as at home. In the London Wesleyan Times, of December 18th, we find an analysis of the work extending through four columns. We furnish one or two paragraphs:

"This beautiful specimen of trans-Atlantic typography (if we should not say ' electrotypy') than which, perhaps, nothing more finished in the same branch of art has been prepared to enhance our own Christmas and New Year's Day festivities, ought to be as welcome among the Evangelical Churches of Great

Britain as in those of the United States." "After this rapid outline of the contents of this volume, it is superfluous to say that it is full of interest. On some accounts, it will America than in England. The reason is, that Dr. Brainerd has been wisely careful to make it historically accurate, clear, full, and satisfactory. Regarded from this point of view, his notes and connecting statements and remarks will be highly appreciated by his countrymen, and especially by the denomination which he adorns and serves."

"The omission of some collateral particu lars, and the casting into a narrative form of some series of documentary illustrations, would enchance the charms of the work to English readers. Taking it as it is, however, we ought to feel thankful to the author for the rich entertainment afforded us. In one place, he admits that he could have made the matter of his extracts more attractive had he used them as the woof of his own warp, and, from occasional specimens, in which his powers of narration, of illustration and of moral, have been permitted to play, we can readily imagine what would have been the result had he digested the whole of his materials into a continous story. Not many books contain a finer photograph of former times than his lively picture of the domestic system practiced by the Pilgrin Fathers."—Evening Bulletin.

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REV. THEODORE MONOD has reached