

Milwaukee, Wis.—There is much religious interest in the First Presbyterian church. Meetings daily.

Branford, Pa.—We have just closed a series of evening meetings, during which, I think, about twenty souls have found Christ.

Macon, Ill.—One of "the first settlers" of this fifteen-year old town, who is also an elder in our church, has built a steeple and furnished a bell for their house of worship.

Red Wing, Minn.—This church, of which Rev. D. E. Wells was recently installed pastor, numbers now 156 persons, thirty-eight having been received within a year.

Reeseville, Pa.—This church has given to Mr. Thomas Aiken, an O. S. licentiate, the son of one of the elders, a very cordial call to its pastorate.

San Francisco, Cal.—Howard Church.—The average collections during the year 1867 were for the morning, \$36 64, and for the evening, \$58 84; total for the year, \$1,164 15.

San José.—The Presbyterian Society advises for proposals to repair their church from the damaging effects of the earthquake.

THE PRESBYTERY OF OSWEGO, N. Y., met at Fulton, January 26th, at 2 o'clock, P. M., and was opened with a sermon by Rev. H. N. Miller, Moderator, from Isaiah, lii: 7, after which Rev. Thos. A. Weed was chosen moderator.

Rev. H. N. Miller and Elder D. W. Ingersoll were chosen as commissioners to the next General Assembly, and Rev. T. A. Weed and Elder Samuel Smith, Alternates.

The narrative of religion speaks of revivals in the churches of Williamstown and Mexico since the week of prayer, and of a more than usual interest in the church at Fulton.

The usual committees on Home and Foreign Missions were continued, and steps were taken, with a view to reclaim one of our churches, which has for a long time been without the stated ministrations of the Gospel.

H. N. MILLER, Stated Clerk.

THE PRESBYTERY OF UTICA met in Clayville, on the evening of the 25th, and was opened with a sermon by Rev. P. H. Fowler, D.D., from Matt. xxviii. 20.

On Thursday night, 21st inst., Rev. Peter Stryker, D.D., delivered his lecture on "Conversion" in the First Presbyterian church, Manayunk.

The following resolution on Reunion was unanimously passed.

Resolved, "That this Presbytery approves of, and gives its assent to, the Reunion of the two branches of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, either on the basis, proposed by the Joint Committee of thirty and approved by the two General Assemblies meeting in May, 1868, respectively at Albany, N. Y., and Harrisburg, Pa.; or on that basis modified by an omission of the 10th article and of the following words in the 1st article—'It being understood that the confession is received in its historical, that is, the Calvinistic or Reformed sense.' It is also understood that various methods of viewing, stating, explaining, and illustrating the doctrines of the confession, which do not impair the integrity of the Reformed or Calvinistic system are to be fully allowed in the United Church, as they have hitherto been allowed in the separate churches."

City Bulletin.

RANDOLPH SAILER, ESQ. At a congregational meeting of the Greenwich St. Presbyterian church, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father has by a dark and mysterious Providence removed from us by death, our beloved friend and brother Randolph Sailer, and whereas, This church and Sabbath school, owe, under God, their existence, in great measure, to his energy, self-sacrifice and liberality. Therefore, Resolved, That in this sad and mournful event, we recognize the hand of an All-wise, and All-merciful God; whose thoughts are not as our thoughts; whose ways are not as our ways; and that we bow submissively to the will of Him, who knowing the end from the beginning doeth all things well.

WM. HUTTON, Moderator. THE PASTOR OF CALVARY CHURCH, Rev. Z. M. Humphrey, D.D., is bringing to a close his series of sermons on the LIFE OF CHRIST.

—The serious and hopeful state of things announced in the First and Green Hill Churches continues, and in the latter especially has deepened to the most marked results.

THE SEVENTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY of the organization of the First-Reformed Presbyterian Congregation, Rev. T. W. J. Wylie pastor, was appropriately celebrated in the very large Sabbath-school room of the church on Broad st., on Thursday Evening last.

—Lippincott has just published a new story by the deservedly popular author, whose nom de plume is "Martha Farquharson."

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The fearful frequency of murder cases in our courts within the last two months, must have roused the apprehensions of our citizens.

The deceased was diseased in heart and liver and predisposed to apoplexy, and the flow of blood which was the immediate cause of death, came from the bursting of a blood vessel, produced by his passion, surprise and emotion.

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The Presbytery of Keokuk will hold a special meeting at Montrose on the second Tuesday (the 9th) February, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

MARRIED.

YOUNG—LEISHMAN.—On the 28th ult., by Rev. W. W. Taylor, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Richard S. Young, of Wilmington, Del., to Miss Agnes Leishman, of this city.

NAVY—CHANCE.—On the 19th ult., at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. W. W. Taylor, George Taylor, of Pottsville, Pa., to Carrie M. Chance, daughter of J. C. Chance, Esq., of Philadelphia. [Illinois papers please copy.]

MOLAND—STITES.—On the 23rd ult., by the Rev. J. H. Alday, Mr. Charles C. Moland to Miss Mary H. Stites, both of this city.

Special Notices.

CITY EVANGELIZATION.—Philadelphia Tract and Mission Society. Organized in September, 1827. Office, 1334 Chestnut Street.

The 27th Annual Meeting will be held at the Princeton Presbyterian Church, Powell Avenue, between 9th and 10th Streets, Sabbath evening, 7th inst., at 7 1/2 o'clock.

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