OUR RELIGIOUS COLUMN.

AMATEUR MISSIONARIES.

We are informed in a certain good old book that the primitive Christians who were scattered away from Jerusalem by the first persecution, "went everywhere preaching the word." It seems in those days every Christian had a word to preach-every man and every woman had a mission to preach it. Is it so with the Christlans in our day? There is no persecution to scatter them through the country; but ours is a wonderfully travelling people, and our Christian churches send an annual detachment all over the country. New York, Philadelphia, and Boston churches are almost deserted at certain seasons of the year. Are the emigrating and travelling Christians at those times "going everywhere preaching the word?" Have they any word to preach? We should hope so,

These Christians of various names in different denominations, however much they may differ in other things, agree in believing that God hath saved them and called them with a holy calling: that they are heirs of an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled; that they have a treasure in heaven that faileth not. They have a great secret of peace and happiness locked in their bosoms, and if they are like the primitive Christians, they will long to spread the knowledge of this exceeding joy.

The desire to spread the knowledge of anything that has proved helpful in household economies, or business, or in medicine, is often manifest in people's conversation. They speak of this invention that lightens labor, of that medicine which cures sickness, and will recommend these things with warmth wherever they go. Often a stranger in a railroad car shall tell you of some famous curative agent by which he has been helped, which he urges with a real interest on you.

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In the State of Florida alone this winter there have been some thousands of strangers and pilgrims-a goodly number of whom are Christians and Florida is emphatically missionary ground. If all those who have made the Christian profession and have the Christian hopes were inspired by the primitive spirit to go everywhere "preaching the word," the annual influx of visitors here would soon evangelize the State. Has it done it? Is it doing it? Is there not unfortunately too often quite another state of things among travelling Christians?

Do not some at least leave their religious responsibilities with their hymn-books and prayerbooks in the pews of their stated churches when they go into the country for the summer, or to the South for a winter? Is there not sometimes at least a feeling that now they need not be particular in attending religious ordinances-that they are free to take a religious holiday till the time of returning to their own stated churches?

We throw out the inquiry as suggestion and subject of thought for the many Christians who spend portions of the year away from their regular churches. It is well to remember that the first idea of Christianity was a missionary one. Every Christlan, wherever he or she went, was a preacher of the word. The Spirit was poured out equally on the sons and the daughters, and they both prophesied.

Have not modern Christians the same Christ, the same hopes, the same joys? Why should there not be the same results?

SUMMARY OF CHURCH NEWS.

EPISCOPAL.

-The London Church Times (High Church) seriously urges that officiating celebrants at funeral services should not wear white, as it would imply that the departed, no matter how wicked, have gone to heaven. Neither, of course, should they be clad in hopeless black; but violet, grey, lavender, or brown chasubles should be worn, the color being lighter or darker according to the character of the deceased and the hopefulness of his state.

A "House of the Evangelists" has been established in New York. It proposes to sustain and educate young men who will devote them selves to preaching the Gespel among the neglected classes. Churches or individuals contributing \$300 a year may secure to a young man the benefits of the institution. It is under Episcopal control.

-When the Episcopal Diocese of Albany went off from that of New York, it was understood that the Episcopal fund was to be divided. But the Diocese of New York refuses; and a bill passed the State Legislature authorizing the trustees of the Episcopal Fund of Albany to sue their New York brothren for the amount A letter from an American Episcopal bishop is printed in England, in which he says that the

Thirty-nine Articles have but a slight hold on the Christian conscience, being the work of but one synod of a branch of the Church, and that he hopes all such barriers to union with Eastern and Western churches may soon be done away. -The journal of the seventy-ninth Annual Convention of South Carolina shows that there are but 2884 white communicants of the Episcopal Church in South Carolina. Communicants (white) added during the year, 328; communicants lost, 191; thus showing an increase of only 37 during the year.

-A "Father Bradley" came out from England some time ago to establish a Ritualistic mission after the London style among the poor of New York. He cannot have met much sympathy there, although he had the bishop's sanction, as he is now in Liverpool, trying to collect money for this object.

-The Rev. Treadwell Walden, late of this city, has entered upon his duties as rector of St. Paul's Church, Indianapolis, Indiana. On Sunday, February 6, the collection for the liquidation of the debt of the parish amounted to \$18,000.

-W. Welsh, Esq., built the new Episcopal church of Bridesburg at a cost of \$10,000. He also gave the ground on which it stands.

—The Rev. W. G. U. Lewis, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., has left the ministry of the Methodist Church and joined the Episcopal.

PRESBYTERIAN. -Presbyterianism has in Washington eleven churches, with 2500 communicants, and which expended last year over \$57,000 for running ex-

penses and benevelences. The leading churches are the Fourth Church, with 603 members, to which John C. Smith, D. D., has ministered for thirty years; the New York Avenue Church, Rev. S. S. Mitchell pastor; and the old First Church, under the care of Dr. Sunderland. —On Sunday, April 3, Rev. T. L. Cuyler entered the tenth year of his ministry as the first pastor of the Lafayette Avenue Church,

klyn. From the Ecangelist we learn that during these years 1710 persons have been admitted to membership; of these, 680 were on confession of their faith. The average addition has been 170 a year.

-The Pittsburg Reformed Presbytery suspended relations with the General Synod when that body cast out George H. Stuart. This presbytery is now negotiating to "transfer its relations' to the Presbyterian General Assembly, if its congregations may be allowed to retain their old psalmody and their usages generally.

Of course, there can be no objection The Presbyterian University at Wooster, Dalo, is to receive \$20,000 by the will of the late Boyd J. Mercer, of Mansfield, Ohio. Rev. Willis Lord. D. D., of the Theological Seminary of the Northwest, has accepted a call to the Presidency of this University.

-The United Presbyterians have felt obliged to drop their missions in China, and to sell the property of the board in Canton. The Frankford (Philadelphia) Presbyterian Church will celebrate its one hundredth anni-

vereary on the 4th of May.

—The publication of the Observer, the organ of the Cumberland Presbyterians on the Pacific coast, has been suspended. BAPTIST.

At the Third Germantown Church, on Sunday, 3d inst., the hand of fellowship was extended to thirty new members by the pastor, Rev. A. H. Lung. It was just one year since this church surrounded the Lord's table for the first time in their new chapel. They organized in a public hall on the 25th of June, 1868, with 136 members; now they number upwards of 250.
—Dr. Jeter, a very prominent Baptist minister of Richmond, Va., resigns the pastoral work in which he has been engaged there for thirty-two years, to take charge of the Religious Herald, with which he has been partially connected for

-Mr. Lowe, Secretary of the Unitarian Association, reports in the Christian Register the aid given to the African Methodists. He says that all sectarian efforts are for the present held subordinate, and the attempt is to supply the pressing need for education and such ome guidance as will prevent their fallprey to disorganizing influences. reports that the characters of the ministers is as good as could be expected; although, with the marvellous growth of the communion, it has been necessary to extemporize a a vast number of leaders, of whom many are not what would be desired. Thus Bishop Frown has appointed 365 preachers and 3000 exhorters in his diocese of South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida. The money of the association is expeded in educating the ministers. At Charleston a teacher, Mr. Golland, is maintained, in whose school 32 are training to be ministers and 28 to be teachers. He acts as helper and adviser to Mr. Brown, pastor of the large African Methodist church, who has a congrega-tion of 3000. Aid is also given to Wilberforce

University.

Of Methodist ministers in Germany, Dr. Vail is Consul in Rhenish Bavaria; Rev. G. F. Kettell was Consul at Carlsruhe, and is succeeded by Professor W. H. Young, of the Ohio Wesleyan University; and Rev. M. J. Cramer is Consul at Leipsic. It is said that they all do our country more credit than the average of our

consuls. -Subscriptions have been opened for a new Methodist church in Montpelier, Vt., and \$15,000 have already been subscribed, with a prospect of

a speedy increase to nearly \$20,000.

The Free Methodists dedicated a church known as the Church of the Pilgrim, which they have recently purchased in New York, last Sunday. Two thousand ollars were raised. -A meeting in Columbus, Ohio, for April 21, was arranged to be held to take into considera-tion the subject of holding a Methodist State

-The Free Methodist Church, which was organized in 1860, has now 109 preachers and about 6000 members. It has four annual con-

-The Pittsburg Advocate estimates that lav delegation will be carried with a surplus of one hundred and twenty votes.

The Rev. Dr. Jesse T. Peck, of Albany, has been chosen President of the Syracuse

-Indiana is to hold a Methodist Convention in the city of Indianapolis on August 9, 10 and

-Bishop Janes has become possessor of the watch which was once worn by Bishop Hedding. CONGREGATIONAL.

-Rev. Theron Baldwin, D. D., died at Orange, N. J., on the 10th inst. The N. Y. Observer says of him:—"He was and had for more than twenty years been the efficient secretary of the Society for Promoting Collegiate and Theological Education in the West, and to this great work had given such great executive ability, with such indefatigable industry, as to make it the instrument of incalculable good to the whole

- Dr. A. H. Quint gives in the Congregational Quarterly the statistics of the Congregational seminaries. We find that in 7 institutions there are 240 students, instructed by 30 professors or tutors. Andover has 78 pupils, Chicago 45, Bangor 23, Yate 33, Oberlin 25, Hartford 21, San Francisco 5. There are 74 seniors.

-Rev. Jacob Ide, D. D., pastor of the Congregational church in Midway village, is the oldest Congregational pastor in Massachusetts, having occupied his pastorate fifty-six years. Although eighty-five years of age, he is still able to attend church, but he seldom now officiates in

-Rev. James Gibson Johnson, formerly of the Second Presbyterian Church of Newburyport, has accepted the call of the Congregational Church of Rutland, Vt. Dr. Scaver was called from this church to the First Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, N. Y.

-Mr. R. S. Bussing has purchased, on behalf of the Plymouth Church trustees, the church edifice in Pearl street, Brooklyn, New York, for \$75,000. It will be altered and opened as a Second Bethel Mission School, to be attached to Plymouth Church.

The First Congregational Society of San Francisco have purchased a lot at the corner of Mason and Post streets, on which it is designed to erect a new church edifice at an early day. The price to be pald for the lot is \$35,000. -Mr. Isaac Pierson was ordained at the

Asylum Church, Hartford, Conn., on the 30th He expects to labor as a missionary in China under the American Board. -The students of the Chicago Theological Seminary have petitioned the trustees for a

UNITARIAN.

-Rev. C. H. Brigham, Unitarian minister in Ann Arbor, Michigan, has had the past winter a very large Bible class of the young men in the Michigan University. He reports that he began October 21 with 14 students; and at the close, March 27, the class numbered 211, of whom 190 were on the college catalogue, coming from 173 towns and 20 States, and varying in age from 17 to 40. On Sunday mornings he read them for half an hour a series of essays on the "Laws of Moses," "Elements of Religious Culture," followed by half an hour's discussion. On Saturday afternoons he has given a series of familiar lectures on the Holy Land. A large part of his Sunday evening audience is composed of students. He has distributed to all of them copies of Martineau's "Studies of Christianity: and other works by Bellows, Metcalf, and Eliot besides doctrinal tracts.

CATHOLIC. -Mr. and Mrs. Richard Condon, Catholies, were married in New Haven during Lent. Father Hart publicly announced, the following Sabbath, in St. Patrick's Church, that unless they appeared and expressed their penitence before the audience he should excommunicate them and forbid others to have intercourse with them. When Condon was commanded to come forward, he walked out of the church.

—The Paris Univers reports two cases of col-lision between the Pope and Armenian bishops in Rome. In one case a bishop gave refuge to the theologian in attendance on him whom the Vicariate tried to arrest: and in the other the bishop refused to give admission to the apostolic visitation to an Armenian convent. The Pope ordered the bishop to retire to a Dominican monastery; but he refuses, and has written to obtain the protection of France.

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Business Stand—Brick Livery Stable and Dwelling, Nos. 1026, 1028, and 1030 Coates street, west of Tenth street, 80 feet front, 178 feet deep to Melon street, two fronts.—On Tuesday, May 8, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that large and valuable let of ground composed of these southerness lets. lot of ground, composed of three contiguous lots, and the improvements thereon erected, situate on the south side of Coates street, west of Tenth street; the south side of Coates street, west of Tenth street; the first containing in front 30 feet, and in depth 106 feet 5% inches; the second 30 feet front, 85 feet deep; the third 20 feet front, 118 feet 9% inches deep by survey, and by deed 175 feet. The improvements are a genteel two-story brick dwelling, with two-story back buildings (has gas, bath, hot and cold water, range, furnace, etc.), No. 1026 Coates street, and a large two-story brick stable, Nos, 1028 and 1030 Coates street; has stalls for 54 horses, carriage-room, hay-loft, etc. Terms—\$11,500 may remain on mortgage. May be examined any day previous to sale.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers, 4 21 23 30 Nos. 139 and 141 S. FOURTH Street.

EXECUTORS' SALE—ESTATE OF T. B. Chapman, deceased—Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers.—Two-story brick Machine Shop, steam engine, boiler, etc., southwest corner of Beach and Mariborough streets, Eighteenth ward, On Tuesday, May 3, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that two-story brick messuage (together with the 12-horse-power steam engine, boiler, and shafting) and lot of ground, situate at the southwest corner of Beach and Mariborough streets; the lot containing in front on Beach street by feet and on Mariborough street. on Beach street 51 feet and on Mariborough 75 feet 2% inches; thence southwest 71 feet 2% inches; thence southeast 13 feet; thence northeas 20 feet; thence southeast 62 feet to Beach streetthe lot forming an L. Clear of all incumbrance. Terms, \$3500 may remain on mortgage. Possession June 1, 1870.

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REAL ESTATE—THOMAS & SONS SALE.—
Valuable 24-story Brick Dwelling and large Lot, No. 1611 Christian street, 72 feet front. On Tuesday, May 3, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that large and valuable 23-story brick dwelling and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Christian street, west of Sixteenth street, No. 1611; the lot centaining in front on Christian street 72 feet, and extending in front on Caristian street 12 feet, and extending in depth 62 feet 7% inches, together with the common use and privilege of a 3-feet wide alley. The grounds are planted with fruit and shade trees, shrubbery, etc. Would be very valuable for an ice cream saloon or beer garden. Subject to describe the ground tents of \$5% amounting the control abject to 4 ground-rents of \$54, amounting

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EXECUTORS' SALE.—ESTATE OF ANN COULTER, deceased.—Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers.—Ninety desirable lots, Chelten avenue, School street, Coulter, Penn, Queen, Hansberry, Pulaski, Morris, Laurens, and Wissahickon avenue, Germantown. On Tuesday, May 17, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all those ninety very desirable lots of ground, having a large lot on Chelten avenue, School street, Coulter, Penn, Queen, Hansberry, Pulaski, Morris, Laurens, and Wissahickon avenue, Germantown. EXECUTORS' SALE -ESTATE OF ANN Germantown.

They will be sold according to a Plan, which may be had at the auction rooms.
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4 21 23 30m7 14 Nos. 139 and 141 S. FOURTH St. REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE

—Very desirable Lot, Twelfth street, north of Cherry street, 21% feet front, 107 feet deep. On Tuesday, May 3, 1879, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that very desirable lot of ground, situate on the east side of Twelfth street, 86 feet north of Cherry street; containing in front on Twelfth street 21 feet 6 inches, and extending in depth 107 feet to a four-feet-wide alley. Terms—cash.

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Jackson Street, Cape Island—"Lincoln House" and

large Lot.
WASHINGTON Street, Cape Island—Frame Cottage,
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MOUNT VERNON, No. 1627—Modern Dwelling.
POPLAR, No. 1140—Modern Dwelling,
HARMER, No. 1143—Genteel Dwelling,
EIGHTEENTH (South), No. 938—Modern Dwelling,
WOODLAND, No. 3339—Modern Residence,
PASSYUNK ROAD, Nos. 1785 and 1737—Two Genteel
Dwellings

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Dwellings.
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P. S.—I would particularly call the attention of the public to the above.

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On Thursday and Friday Evenings.
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At 7% o'clock, at the Galleries, No. 1117 Chesnut street, will be sold 175 Paintings, Chromos, Engravings, etc. The collection embraces the usual variety of Landscapes, Marines, Figure and Fruit Pieces, etc., mounted in fine gold-leaf frames. Sale positive, with the least reserve.

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On Tuesday and Wednesday Evenings.

April 25 and 27, at the salesrooms, No. 1140 Chesnut street, will be sold a collection of about 140 oil paintings.

Among the European pictures will be found the works of Kockkoek, Jansen, Kreutzor, Jernberg, Le Plas, Spohler, Le Plas, Spohler, Pauerholt, De Fay, Hollander, Whinter, Van Severdonck, Nordenberg, and others.

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