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OUR RELIGIOUS COLUMN.

TIRED.

I roam the woods that crown The upland, where the mingled splendors glow; Where the gay company of trees look down On the green field below. And far in heaven, the while, The sun that sends the gale to wander here, Pours out on the fair earth his quiet smile -The sweetest of the year. O Autumn! why so soon Depart the hues that make the forests glad: Thy gentle wind and thy fair sunny noon, And leave thee wild and sad ? Ah! 'twere a lot too blest Forever in thy colored shades to stray; Amid the kisses of the soft southwest, To roam and dream for aye:

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And leave the vain, low strife That makes men mad-the tug for wealthand power.

The passions and the cares that wither life, And waste the little hour.

FAITH'S FRUITS.

"Herein is my Father glorified that ye bear much fruit,"-John xv, 8.

Are you a fruit-bearer in your Lord's vineyard? Are you seeking to make life one grand act of consecration to His glory-one thankoffering for His unmerited love ? You may be unable to exhibit much fruit in the eye of the world; your circumstances and position in life may forbid you to point to any splendid services, or laborious and imposing efforts, in the cause of God. It matters not. It is often those fruits that are unseen and unknown to man, ripening in seclusion, that He values most; the quiet, lowly walk, patience and submission, gentleness and humility, putting yourself unreservedly in His hands, willing to be led by Him even in darkness, saying "Not my will, but thy will," the unselfish spirit, the meek bearing of an injury, the unostentatious kindness-these are some of the "fruits" which your heavenly Father loves, and by which He is glorified.

SUMMARY OF CHURCH NEWS.

EPISCOPAL.

-The Ladies' Domestic Missionary Association of the Protestant Episcopal Church held its annual meeting in New York on last Sun-day evening. Bishop Potter presided, and Rev. Dr. Dix preached. The receipts during the year were \$4865. Thirty-one branches or auxiliaries have sent 97 boxes to the domestic field, while last year there were sent but 69.

-The financial statement of the Domestic Committee of the Board of Missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States shows the receipts to have been \$134,985-18. The receipts during the year for general pur-poses were \$95,987.30; the expenses \$127,854.01, leaving a deficit of \$31,866.71. The whole amount of deficiency, Oct. 1, 1870, was \$28,-216.97.

-Judge William H. Campbell was ordained Deacon by Bishop Davis at Andersonville, on Saturday, October 15. Mr. Campbell has ac-cepted the rectorship of St. John's, Winsboro', and expects to remove thither shorily.

METHODIST.

-At the Virginia Conference held in Norfolk last week, the long pending negotiations for a union with the Methodist Episcopal Church in Virginia was brought io a close. After a very earnest and protracted discussion the question was decided against an organic union, by a vote of 14 to 12. A number of those voting in the minority withdrew, and have united with the

Virginia Conference now sitting at Lynchburg. —The statistical paper read by Dr. Trimble before the recent Ohio Methodist State Convention, held at Delaware, gave the membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Ohio at

members of any Presbyterian church in the United States for the last year-227.

-The Lee-avenue (Brooklyn) Baptist Church, Rev. J. Hyatt Smith's, has, with but four dis-senting voices, rescinded its former form of invitation to the Lord's Supper, making it practically open communion.

cally open communion. —After a long delay, the University Place Church, of Chicago, Illinois, have obtained a good title toa lot on Douglas place. It is only a few rods from the Theological Seminary an 1 University. Cost of the lot, which is 100 by 255 feet, \$9500. Ten years ago, or less, it could have been had for \$500. A chapel, to stand in the rear of the main building, will be commenced at once.

-The Rev. T. E. Skinner, D. D., recently of Nashville, has accepted the call to the pastoral care of the Baptist Church at Columbus, Ga. -At the meeting of the General Association of Illinois, it was resolved to take Almira College, a prosperous female institution, under the wings of the Baptist denomination. It has property valued at \$102,000, with an indebtedness of about \$20,000. A hundred young ladies are in attendance.

recently taken place in the union of the Laight street and what was known as the Bloomingdale church, New York city. The Laight street had a valuable property for business purposes down town, but a posr church location. The Bioomingdale church had a good location and a good house, but a bad debt. Wisely they have

-On the Sabbath, October 23d, the Rev. F. E. Harrison, a Methodist minister, was baptized into the fellowship of Mount Hope Baptist church, Cook county, Texas.

-Since the enlargement and remodelling of the Church of the Pilgrims, Brooklyn, N. Y. (Rev. Dr. R. S. Storre, Jr., pastor), it is said to be one of the most beautiful in the city. The cost of repairs, etc., has been \$135,000, and the valuation of the entire church property is now \$260,000. At the recent sale of pews the

Church, corner of Madison avenue and Forth-

mous call of the Fort Street Church, Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, and intends to return to Maine in the spring.

-At a late meeting of the New York and Brooklyn Association, held on the 2d inst., in the church at Parkville, Long Island, the Rev. William Westerfield, Jr., a local peacher of the Methodist Church, now acting pastor of the First Congregational Church of Morrisania, was licensed to preach.

-Dr. Clapp, of the Home Missionary Society, stated at the last meeting of the Clerical Union, at the Biole House, that fifty-nine Congrega-tional churches have been organized in Missouri since the war.

-The Rev. C. M. Wines declines the call to New Britain, and is to become pastor of the Fourth Church in Hartford, Conn., succeeding Mr. Burton.

of a Congregational church in East New Yorka suburb of New York city.

assets of this institution (located at Bethlehem, Pa.) at the close of the financial year, May 1, 1870, were \$43,435, of which \$42,806 constituted the endowment fund. The receipts of the cor-poration last year from its own resources were \$5549.79, which was supplemented by a grant of \$3283 33 from the sustentation fund of the synod. The college library contains 3671 vol-umes, and there are 26 students. The various reports showed an encouraging advance in the various interests of the institution.

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the Methodist we extract the following figures, in which are included the whole of the New Jersey Conference and such parts of the Newark, East German, and Delaware Conferences as lie in the State. There are 330 travelling preachers and 335 local preachers, making the total numbers of ministers 665. These preach in 433 churches and in 159 other places, making the total number of preaching places 592. There are 45,584 members and 8918 probation-ers. The value of the 433 churches is estimated at \$3,113,745. There are 165 parsonages, valued at \$604,950. Besides these, there are the three academies at Pennington, Vineland, and Hack-ettstown, valued at \$215,000; and the Drew Theological Seminary at Madison, belonging to the Church at large, valued, including its en-dowment, at \$500,000. The total value of church property in the State, including churches, parsonages, academies, and seminary, is \$4,433,695. There are 568 Sunday-schools, having 9991 officers and teachers and 56,034

scholars. Drew Theological Seminory.—The Board of Trustees met in Jersey City on the 15th inst. Since the last meeting the Hon. George P. Cobb and the Rev. Archibald C. Foss have died, and the faculty has lost the Rev. Dr. McClintock and the Rev. Dr. Nadal. The election to fill the vacancies in the Board of Trustees resulted in the choice of the Hon. George J. Ferry and the Rev. S. D. Brown. The presidency of the seminary, made vacant by the death of the Rev. Dr. John McClintock, was filled by the election of the Rev. R. S. Foster, D. D. The Rev. John F. Hurst, D. D., was elected to fill the Chair of Church History, made vacant by the death of Dr. Nadal. The Rev. C. D. Foss, D. D., was also elected to a professorship. —There are 52 Southern Methodist churches

in Maryland, nearly all of which have been built or purchased within five years.

-Work on the new seminary building at Hackettstown, N. J., says the Methodist, is progreesing finely. The walls are up and roof on, and the building presents an imposing appearance.

PRESBYTERIAN.

-The Rev. Dr. B. T. Lacy has resigned the pastoral charge of the Pine Street Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, Missouri, and accepted the post of Superintendent of Missions in the Synod of Missouri.

-At the late meeting of the Presbytery of Arkansas the Rev. J. S. Wilbanks reported the organization of a church five miles from Dardanelle, (with twenty-six members, called Prosperity, and another five miles from Norristown, with eleven members, called Mount Zion. The committee appointed for that purpose reported the organization of a church at Clarendon, with twelve members, and another near Mariana, with ten members, called Ebenezer. These churches were taken under the care of the Presbytery, and their names enrolled.

-Fifty communicants have been added to a Presbyterian church in Robertson county, Texas, to whom the Rev. Dr. Byers has been preaching one Sabbath each month since last spring.

-An interesting revival has occurred in Jackson, Texas, under the preaching of the Roy. Dr. M. M. Marshall and E. McNair. Some fifteen

or twenty members were added to the church. —The aggregate debts of Presbyteriau churches in this country, according to the New York Evangelist, is \$2,000,000. A considerabl percentage of the \$5,000,000 memorial fund will probably be absorbed in their liquidation. —The Presbyterian Church of Irelaud has

126,000 members, with an annual income from the British Government of £94,000. It reports 1094 Sabbath-schools, 8050 teachers, and 16,350

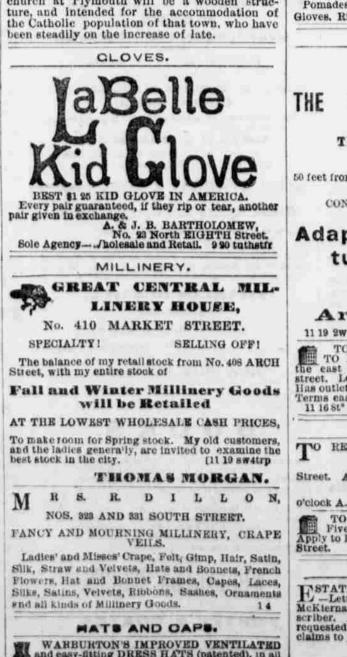
place, will give a lecture on "The Death of the Body as an Orderly Step in the Life of Man." CATHOLIC.

-Archbishop McCloskey confirmed 700 children at the Church of the Transfiguration on the 16th.

-The new Diocesan Theological Seminary, of New Orleans, projected by the late saintly and beloved Archbishop Odin, will shortly be dedicated.

-The Rt. Rev. Thaddeus Amat, Bishop of Monterey, California, officiated at St. Patrick's Church, Washington, D. C., on the 13th. He delivered a brief but impressive discourse on the persecutions which the Church is undergoing in various parts of the world, but especially in Europe, and on the efficacy and necessity of Bishop Amat is a native of Spain, but prayer. has resided for many years in this country. He was consecrated in 1854 to fill the vacancy created by the translation of Bishop Allemany to San Francisco as its first Archbishop.

-Catholicity has been spreading and perme-ating this country so rapidly and effectually that at last it has reached the fountain of Puritanism, Plymouth, where the Pilgrim Fathers effected a landing on the American shores. There arrangemants have been fully completed for the erection of a Catholic Church by Rev. Father Peter Bertoldi, a zealous and faithful priest, whose labors have resulted in the erection of two churches already, one in Wareham and the other in Harwich, Mass. The new church at Plymouth will be a wooden struc-



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