OUR RELIGIOUS COLUMN.

THE WANDERER'S RETURN.

Behold what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God. Beloved, now are we the sons of God.—1 John iii, 1, 2.

The wanderer no more will roam,
The lost one to the fold hath come,
The prodigal is welcome home,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

Though clad in rags, by sin defiled,
The Father hath embraced His child,
And I am pardoned, reconciled,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

It is the Father's joy to bless,
His love provides for me a dress,
A robe of spotless righteousness,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

Now shall my famished soul be fed,
A feast of love for me is spread,
I feed upon the children's bread,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

Yea, in the fulness of His grace,
He puts me in the children's place,
Where I may gaze upon His face,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

I cannot half His love express,
Yet, Lord! with joy my lips confess,
This blessed portion I possess,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

It is Thy precious name I bear,
It is Thy spotless robe I wear,
Therefore, the Father's love I share,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

And when I in Thy likeness shine,
The glory and the praise be Thine,
That everlasting joy is mine,
O Lamb of God, in Thee!

SUMMARY OF CHURCH NEWS.

EPISCOPAL.

—Bishop Lee, of Iowa, has felt compelled, by the canons of his Church, technically to "dispose" Rev. Dr. Cooper from the Episcopal ministry, carefully stating, however, that it was simply because of his voluntary withdrawal, and "not for causes affecting moral character."

—Dr. William Davidson, of Hamilton, Ohio, has been compelled to desist from ministerial labors for a time, on account of failure of health.

—The closing exercises of the Newberg Theological Seminary were held on the 18th and 19th of last month, in the presence of the Board of Superintendents. Nine students have been in attendance during the session.

—Dr. Beveridge, Professor of Theology in the Seminary at Xenia, has resigned his chair on account of the infirmities of age. He has been connected with the Seminary for thirty-six years.

—Mr. J. Owen Dorsey, a candidate for Holy Orders in the Diocese of Maryland, was ordained on Sunday, April 2, by Bishop Johns, and will soon leave for the Diocese of Nebraska, to take charge of a new work among the Ponka tribe of Indians.

—Bishop Randall, writing from New Mexico, says:—"My missionary funds are more than exhausted. The Domestic Committee have reduced their appropriation to this jurisdiction, and I have been compelled to cut down the stipend of missionaries already employed, and am left without a dollar wherewith to place a missionary in New Mexico, or to add one to the small number in Colorado and Wyoming."

—The Rev. Washington Rodman, of West Farms, N. Y., has been elected principal of the Mission House of the Protestant Episcopal Church, located in this city, and will enter upon his duties immediately.

—Rev. Joel F. Bingham, D. D., formerly a Presbyterian, and latterly pastor of a Congregational church at Augusta, Me., has been admitted to deacon's orders in the Episcopal Church at Hartford, Conn.

—Bishop Tuttle reports that his parish in Salt Lake City is self-supporting, and the work in other portions of Utah going on hopefully.

BAPTIST.

—The following letter written to the First Baptist Church, Philadelphia, by their pastor, although dated Mount Sinai, February 21, 1871, was mailed from Jerusalem thirty days later:—

Ever Dear Brethren:—Since writing you from Rome, mine eyes have gazed on many a memorable spot. I have crossed the blue Mediterranean, the scene of Jonah's recreancy and Paul's shipwreck. I have sojourned in the land of Egypt—the land of the mysterious and sacred Nile; the land of the mighty pyramids and sphinxes and temples; the land made memorable by the footsteps of Abraham and Jacob and Joseph, and the millions of the oppressed children of the covenant, and Moses; the land made dear to Christ's Church by the presence of Clement and Catharine and Origen and Athanasius and Augustine. I have crossed from Africa to Asia, the continent which gave me birth. I too have crossed the Red Sea, not indeed under guidance of pillar and cloud and fire, but under guardianship of Him who is evermore working the unnoted miracles of daily food and shelter, and friends and redemption. I have encamped at Elim, where were "twelve wells of water, and three score and ten palm trees." I have traversed the dreary Wilderness of Sin, where the children of Israel, almost frenzied with thirst and hunger, cried to Moses and Aaron, "Would to God we had died by the hand of Jehovah in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the flesh pots, where we did eat bread to the full; for ye have brought us forth into this Wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger." I have encamped in the Valley of Rephidim, where Israel, under the chieftaincy of Joshua, fought with Amalek, while Aaron and Hur held up the weary hands of Moses as stationed on one of the outhanging cliffs, he lifted up his great heart in prayer. And now to-night I am encamped before awful Sinai itself; even now mine eyes gaze on the sacred Mount, on which rested the Glory Cloud, from which proceeded the voice of the trumpet waxing exceeding loud; the mountain which heaved and quaked "because Jehovah descended on it in fire." I have scaled the august height itself, and stood trembling in the rift traditionally believed to be the "cleft of the rock" where Moses saw the glory of Jehovah sweeping by.

Oh, brethren, even amidst the bright anticipations of past years, I had hardly dared to hope that mine eyes would ever gaze on this majestic scene. But through the tenderness of our God and your own generosity, I am here in the wilderness of the wandering, with my tent pitched at the very foot of the awful height. Yet even amidst this scene of terrific majesty, I hear the still, small voice which speaks even louder than Sinai's whirlwind and earthquake; it is the still, small voice of Him[] with whom on another height, which I hope ere long to behold, Israel's Lawgiver and Prophet conversed concerning his approaching exodus. Heaven grant that the law may indeed be my school-master to lead me unto and keep me with Christ. For "this Mount Sinai in Arabia answereth to Jerusalem which now is, and is in bondage with her children; but Jerusalem which is above is free, which is the mother of us all." God for Christ's sake grant, dear brethren, that all of us may be like Isaac, children of promise!

Amidst my wanderings, my heart fondly turns to you all. Specially do my petitions daily and almost hourly arise for the bereaved and sick and poor and aged and afflicted. I trust you have had a profitable fast-day. I long to hear from you. May God give me grace to walk in and out before you more humbly and faithfully. To the care of the Heavenly Shepherd I trustfully commit you all. Your affectionate pastor and brother,

GEORGE D. BOARDMAN.

—J. H. Castle, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church of West Philadelphia, has been granted a leave of absence from his church for a few months. He has labored faithfully for the church a number of years, and needed rest. He left this city on Wednesday, intending to sail from New York for Europe on Thursday morning, and will spend the summer months in travelling in different parts of Europe. The pulpit of the church will be regularly supplied from Sabbath to Sabbath.

—Some two hundred Baptist women in Boston have organized a Women's Baptist Missionary Society, to co-operate with the Missionary Union, on a plan similar to that of the society which co-operates with the American Board, and of our Women's Foreign Missionary Society. It is designed to make the society general, and to organize branches in all the Baptist churches.

—The "Baptist Hand-book," of London, reports for the United Kingdom a total of 2004 ministers, 2568 churches, 3093 chapels, and 233,675 members of the denomination. A loss is shown in the aggregate membership of 3760, and a decrease in the number of ministers of 500. After Great Britain, European Baptists are numerically strongest in Germany, where they have 72 churches and 13,509 members, and in Sweden, where there are 207 churches and 8120 members.

—The Baptists have seven schools for freedmen in the South, as follows:—The Wayland Seminary, at Washington; Colver Institute, Richmond, Va.; Shaw Collegiate Institute, Raleigh, N. C.; Benedict Institute, Columbia, S. C.; Augusta Institute, Augusta, Ga.; Leland University, New Orleans, La.; Nashville Institute, Nashville, Tenn. These schools, says the *American Baptist*, "have grounds and buildings valued at over one hundred thousand dollars, and are every cent paid for! With the exception of about ten thousand dollars' worth, this property was all secured and made sure to the Baptists during the year 1870."

—The old Broome Street Baptist Church, New York, is erecting a church, to cost $100,000, at Park avenue and Thirty-ninth street. The spire will be one hundred and ninety-five feet high, and will be surmounted by a cross six feet long.

—The Rev. Dr. D. C. Eddy has resigned the pastorate of the Warren Avenue Church, Boston, and accepts the call of the First Church, Fall River, Mass.

CONGREGATIONAL.

—The Congregationalists of Boston and vicinity have raised $150,000 for the purchase of an estate on Beacon street, to be converted to the uses of that denomination, and called the Congregational House—$50,000 additional to be raised for building purposes.

—The Bangor *Whig* says that President Samuel Harris, of Bowdoin College, has accepted the Dwight Professorship of Didactic Theology in the Yale Divinity School, and that ex-Governor Chamberlain has been tendered the Presidency of Bowdoin.

—The Rev. Henry Martyn Scudder, D.D., was formally installed as pastor of the Central Congregational Church in Ormond Place, Brooklyn, on Thursday evening, April 27. The charge to the pastor was delivered by the Rev. H. M. Storrs, D.D., and the sermon was preached by the Rev. Merrill Richardson.

—The *American Missionary* for May reports an addition in March of thirty members to its mission church at Marion, Alabama—all but one on profession of faith. This church was formed with sixteen members, nearly all colored, January 7, 1870. The additions are said to be of a very promising class, most of whom have been or are members of the mission school, and some of them young men who have the ministry in view.

—The Rev. Dr. Clark, for four years pastor of the Second Congregational Church at Greenwich, Conn., has resigned on account of ill health.

—Rev. Wm. M. Taylor, of Liverpool, England, has been engaged to supply the pulpit of Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs, Jr., in the Church of the Pilgrims, Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Rev. Henry M. Scudder, D. D., formerly of San Francisco, Cal., was installed as pastor of the Central Congregational Church, in Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 27th of April.

—Rev. Humphrey Moore, D. D., died in Milford, N. H., April 8, at the age of ninety-two. He graduated at Harvard in 1797, and was ordained in Milford in 1802.

PRESBYTERIAN.

—The *Cumberland Presbyterian*, of Alton, Ill., accounts from the records of its own columns 2078 additions to the Church by profession of faith during the first three months of this year.

—The New York *Observer* says:—"One of the enterprises proposed for the Memorial year of the Presbyterian Church was the erection of a Presbyterian house in this city for the accommodation of the boards of the Church located here, and designed to be a centre of Presbyterian operations. Arrangements are now nearly completed for the purchase of the lots and buildings, situated on the northeast corner of University Place and Ninth street, which is regarded as a very desirable location."

—On Sabbath, April 9, a Presbyterian church was organized by the Rev. Joseph Brown in the neighborhood of his residence at Clear Water Harbor, Florida. It consists of fifteen members.

—Sixty-nine persons have been received into the communion of the Presbyterian church in Norfolk, Virginia—sixty on profession of their faith in Christ, and nine on certificate from other churches.

—The Lord has greatly blessed the Third Presbyterian Church, Memphis, Tenn., within the last two years, its numbers having been more than doubled within that time. At its last communion service the names of nine members, received into the church since the last communion, were announced.

—At the late meeting of the Presbytery of Chesapeake, Judge W. W. Legare was introduced by the Rev. J. J. Bullock, D. D., as a candidate for the ministry, and, after examination as to his personal piety and motives in seeking the ministry, was received under the care of Presbytery.

—The Treasurer of the Committee of Foreign Missions of the Southern Church has just closed his accounts for the year ending April 1, 1871, and finds that the contributions amount in the aggregate to a few hundred dollars more than they did the previous year.

REFORMED.

—The *Reformed Church Messenger* (German) reports many revivals of great power in the churches. Its last two numbers have been filled with accounts of the Easter communions, and report accessions amounting in the aggregate to more than eight hundred souls.

—The *Messenger* reports the missionary affairs of its Church in an improved condition. Some of the missionary charges have lately become self-sustaining; others are able to support themselves with smaller appropriations; the list of unpaid appropriations is being reduced, and the board hope, at a day not far distant, to be entirely out of debt. The Rev. Dr. Stern, superintending the missions of the West, generally, is industriously at work. The missions in the Pittsburg Synod are prospering.

—California has recently been taken under the care of the General Board. Rev. J. Wernley, late of the Mission House at Howard's Grove, Sheboygan, has been sent to explore and report on Stockton, Cal. A commission has been made out for him, and an appropriation has been allowed for his expenses.

—The General Synod of the Reformed Church, at its late session, recommended the raising of $50,000 for the Church Building Fund, during the present year. Ninety-two churches have contributed $3789·89, and three hundred and seventy-one remain to be heard from. The Secretary laments the meagre result of the effort.

METHODIST.

—The Troy Conference recently tried Rev. R. L. Herbert, of Fairhaven, Vermont, for heresy, and decided that his preaching tended to encourage Liberal Christian views, and that he should be publicly reprimanded by the Bishop.

—Rev. J. W. Waugh, D. D., and Mrs. Rev. H. Mansell, of the India Mission Conference, recently arrived in New York from India.

—A new Methodist church building was lately dedicated in Troy, N. Y., which cost $130,000. It contains a gallery near the organ for the use of newspaper reporters.

—At a convention lately held in Waxahachie, Texas, a commission was appointed to locate the Methodist University of Texas.

—Rev. Alfred Griffith, of the Baltimore Conference, one of the oldest preachers of America, died in Alexandria, Va., April 15, at the age of eighty-eight.

—The great California Camp Meeting was opened in Sacramento on Saturday, April 22. There were about 10,000 persons present at the first meeting in the mammoth tent.

—Rev. J. M. Thoburn, of the Lucknow India Mission, writes that the preacher of the Brahma Somaj, the Hindoo Unitarians, has been converted and baptized in Lucknow.

LUTHERAN.

—Some of the Lutheran churches in Baltimore, Md., received encouraging accessions to their membership at the Easter communion. At St. Mark's 21 were admitted; Second English, 22; Third English, 21; St. Stephen's German, 42; St. John's German, 58; St. Matthew's German, 111.

—A German Lutheran Church is soon to be organized in New York city, under the auspices of the City Missionary Society of the New York Ministerium.

—Mr. Endre Vold, of Norway, Iowa, recently donated $500 to the mission cause, as a thank offering for recovering from a severe illness. The money is placed in charge of the Synod for the Norwegian Lutheran Church in America.

—The Lutherans are rapidly increasing in America by immigration. They number at present 400,000.

JEWS.

—The Secretary of the Universal Israelite Alliance, at Paris, has issued a circular announcing that the operations of the society have not been suspended by the war, although its resources have been greatly impaired. The Agricultural School at Jaffa, Palestine, has progressed finely under M. Netter's administration, and the Normal School at Paris has held its sessions regularly, notwithstanding the siege.

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Philadelphia, May 1, 1871. GLENN & CO.

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Philadelphia, May 1, 1871. 5 2 6t*

INSURANCE.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
PHŒNIX MUTUAL
Life Insurance Company,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.,
On the 31st of December, 1870, as made to the Auditor-General's Department.

First.

Guarantee capital stock		$100,000·00
Amount of assessments or instalments on stock paid in cash		16,000·00

Second.

The value as nearly as may be of the Real Estate held by the company		....
Cash on hand / Cash in Banks, specifying the Banks		203,282·80
Cash in hands of agents in course of transmission		407,016·43
Amount of Loans secured by bonds and mortgages, constituting the first lien on Real Estate, on which there is less than one year's interest due and owing		1,670,750·00
Amount of Loans on which interest has not been paid within one year		....
Amount of stocks owned by the company, specifying the number of shares and their par and market value:—		
200 sh. Charter Oak Nat. B'k, Hartford, Conn.	$26,000·00	
200 " First " " " "	27,400·00	
55 " Ætna " " " "	4,375·00	
100 " Mercantile " " " "	11,600·00	
400 " American " " " "	24,400·00	
70 " Farmers' & Mechanics' " "	9,240·00	
200 " Phœnix " " " "	30,600·00	
100 " First " " Massillon, Ohio.	12,500·00	
250 " Toledo " " Toledo, "	31,250·00	
199 " Hartford City Gas Light Co.	7,761·00	
38 coup. bds. Key City Gas Light Co.	38,760·00	
8 " Indiana Central R. R. Co.	8,000·00	
10 " Southern Minnesota R.R.Co.	25,000·00	
20 " Tennessee State	12,700·00	
U. S. Registered Bonds	263,925·00	
Amount of stocks held by the company as collateral security for loans, with the amount loaned on each kind of stock, its par and market value		.....
102 sh. City N'l Bank, Chicago, Ill. $10,659 00		8,500·00
Amount carried forward		$2,833,060·23
Interest on investments due and unpaid.		....
Accrued interest not yet due		....
Other available miscellaneous assets, specifying their character and value	$56,016·48	
Deferred premiums	103,243·09	
Notes secured by real estate and endorsements	15,288 00	
Bill receivable amply secured	3,063,361·40	
Furniture in Home and Branch Offices	19,592·93	
Gross present assets		$6,090,562·13

Third.

Amount of losses during the year, adjusted but not due	$117,900·00
Amount of losses reported to the Company but not acted upon	....
Amount of losses resisted by the Company	....
Amount of dividends due and unpaid	....
Amount of money borrowed, and the nature and amount of the security given	....
Amount of all other claims against the Company, contested or otherwise	....
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks	4,211,514·94
	$4,329,414·94

Fourth.

Amount of cash premiums received	$1,732,924·52
Amount of premiums not paid in cash during the year, stating the character of such premiums:—	
Premium notes	783,601·73
Amount of premiums earned	....
Interest received from investments	148,247·22
Income from all other sources, specifying what sources	....
Interest on notes taken for premiums	167,864·69
Gross income for year 1870	$2,827,638·16
Amount of losses paid during the year	$500,466·14
Amount paid and owing for reinsurance premiums	1,510·72
Amount of return premiums, whether paid or unpaid	....
Amount of dividends declared during year	....
Amount of dividends paid	499,711·11
Amount of expenses paid during the year, including commissions and fees paid to agents and officers of the Company	278,369·91
Amount of losses due and unpaid	....
Amount of taxes paid by the Company	37,381·57
Amount of all other expenses and expenditures	68,554·07
Amount of promissory notes originally forming the capital of the Company	84,000·00
Amount of said notes held by the Company as part of or the whole of the capital thereof	84,000·00
Par and market value of the Company's stock per share, par value	50·00
Paid for interests of Agents in Renewal Commissions	114,000·00
Paid for Medical Examination	23,580·78
" Surrendered Policies	27,833·46
" Officers' and Employes' salaries	27,506·60
Gross expenditures for year 1870	$1,578,914·36

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Franklin Fire Insurance Company
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Office, Nos. 435 and 437 CHESNUT St.
Assets Jan. 1, '71, $3,087,452'35

CAPITAL	$400,000·00
ACCRUED SURPLUS AND PREMIUMS	2,687,452·35

INCOME FOR 1871, $1,200,000. LOSSES PAID IN 1870, $972,881·70.
Losses Paid Since 1829 Nearly
$6,000,000.
The Assets of the "FRANKLIN" are all invested in solid securities (over $2,750,000 in First Bonds and Mortgages), which are all interest bearing and dividend paying. The Company holds no Bills Receivable taken for Insurances effected.
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ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, JANUARY 1, 1871,
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CASH ASSETS, December 1, 1870 600,388·00
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CAPITAL		$500,000
ASSETS January 1 1871		$3,050,536
Receipts of '70	2,096,154	
Interests from Investments, 1870	137,050	
		$2,233,204
Losses paid in 1870		$1,136,941

STATEMENT OF THE ASSETS.

First Mortgages on Philadelphia City Property	$834,950
United States Government Loans	325,932
Pennsylvania State Loans	169,310
Philadelphia City Loans	200,000
New Jersey and other State Loans and City Bonds	225,510
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co., other Railroad Mortgage Bonds and Loans	368,245
Philadelphia Bank and other Stocks	62,486
Cash in Bank	281,048
Loans on Collateral Security	81,434
Notes receivable and Marine Premiums unsettled	438,420
Accrued Interest and Premium in course of transmission	83,201
Real estate, Office of the Company	30,000
	$3,050,536

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ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, November 1, 1870.

,000 United States Six Per Cent Loan (lawful money)	$333,375 00
200,000 State of Pennsylvania Six Per Cent. Loan	214,000·00
200,000 City of Philadelphia Six Per Cent. Loan (exempt from Tax)	204,162·50
164,000 State of New Jersey Six Per Cent. Loan	168,920·00
20,000 Pennsylvania Railroad First Mortgage Six Per Ct. Bonds.	20,700·00
25,000 Pennsylvania Railroad Second Mortgage Six Per Ct. Bonds.	25,250·00
25,000 Western Pennsylvania Railroad Mortgage Six Per Cent. Bonds (Pennsylvania Railroad guarantee)	20,000·00
30,000 State of Tennessee Five Per Ct. Loan	18,000·00
7,000 State of Tennessee Six Per Ct. Loan	4,200·00
12,500 Pennsylvania Railroad Company (250 Shares Stock)	15,000·00
5,000 North Pennsylvania Railroad Company (100 Shares Stock)	4,300·00
10,000 Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Company (80 sh's Stock)	4,000·00
1,650 Loans on Bond and Mortgage, first liens on City Properties	261,650·00
$1,260,150 Par. C'st, $1,264,447·34. M'kt v'l	$1,293·557·00
Real Estate	56,000·50
Bills Receivable for Insurances made	230,971·27
Balances due at Agencies—Premiums on Marine Policies—Accrued Interest and other debts due the Company	92,375·40
Stock and Scrip, etc., of sundry corporations, $7950, estimated value	3,912·00
Cash	142,911·73
	$1,820,727·97

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