

dious basement building, which, after the completion of the entire edifice, will be devoted to school purposes alone, has already been erected, and is now used for public worship. The corner stone of the Church proper was laid October 31st, 1863, with appropriate services, and the entire building will soon be finished. A German and English day school, superintended by a School Board, with Mr. G. H. Labohm as principal teacher, is connected with this congregation.

Officers—President: Jacob Schreiber; Vice President: H. Doscher; Treasurer: Otto Kloppenburg; Secretary: E. Kruse; C. Spreckels, H. Kohlmoos, H. Schultheis.

First German Evangelical Lutheran Church.

F. HANSEN, Pastor; location, north side Greenwich, between Dupont and Stockton. Services in the German language, each Sabbath, at 10½ o'clock, and Sunday School at 9½ o'clock, A.M.

Officers—President: F. Maass; Vice President: L. Schneider; Secretary: H. Buttner; Treasurer: M. Lammers; Trustees: F. Kramer, A. Marks, and W. Reinhardt.

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church.

N. STROMBORG, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A.M., in the Mariners' Church, on Clark Street.

Officers—Trustees: C. J. Janson, S. Alstrom, and O. W. Kling.

Reformed Protestant Dutch Church.

Rev. PETER S. WILLIAMSON, Pastor. Services each Sabbath at 11 o'clock, A.M., at 629 California Street.

H E B R E W .

The Congregational Sherith Israel.

Rev. Dr. H. A. HENRY, Minister and Rabbi Preacher; residence, 736 Green. Location of Synagogue, East side Stockton between Broadway and Vallejo. Sexton, L. Ries.

Officers—President: Israel Solomon; Vice President: C. Meyer; Treasurer: L. King; Trustees: S. Pulvermacher, Abraham Martin, S. O. Alexander, P. Funkenstein, and Jacob Rich; Secretary: M. Schloss.

Congregation Emanu El.

ELKAN COHN, Minister; Residence, 408 Sutter. Location, north side Broadway between Powell and Mason streets. Organized April, 1851. The present building was erected in 1854, at a cost of \$35,000; it is a noble edifice, and will seat about 800 persons. The school for the religious education of youth is now conducted in the school building of the Pastor, north side Post Street between Dupont and Stockton.

Officers—President: L. Sachs; Vice President: M. Heller; Treasurer: W. Scholle; Secretary: B. Hagan; Sexton and Collector: M. Steppacher; Trustees: L. Cohn, J. Cerf, S. Wand, I. Wormser, M. Meyerfield, and J. Bloch.

SOCIETIES.

Religious.

THE CALIFORNIA BIBLE SOCIETY.—Organized Oct. 30, 1849, with John M. Finley as President; and the Revs. J. L. Ver Mehr, Albert Williams, W. Taylor, Vice Presidents; and T. D. Hunt as Sec-

retary. Depository, 757 Market Street. Meetings of the Board of Trustees are held by appointment on the Tuesday after the first Sunday of each month. The first building of the society, on Stockton Street, was destroyed by fire April 26, 1853, when a new one was erected on the same site at an expense of \$7,000. The corner stone of the new building of the Society, 757, 759, and 761, Market Street, was laid with appropriate ceremonies on the second day of May, 1862. The edifice is an ornament to the city, a marked feature of the enterprise and foresight of the Board of Trustees; having disposed of the property owned by the society on Montgomery Street, they selected this location on a growing thoroughfare, in hopes that the future income of the property will enable the respected agent, Rev. F. Buel, to more fully extend the circulation of the Holy Scriptures in this State, and the Pacific Coast. The building is 50 feet by 75, three stories, with stores on the ground floor. One of them is now occupied as the depository of the society. The name of the society was changed by Act of the Legislature, 1859, from the San Francisco Bible Society to its present title. New Constitution adopted November, 1860.

Officers—President: Rev. J. T. Peck, D.D.; Vice Presidents: Reverends A. Williams, D. B. Cheney, D.D., S. H. Willey, S. D. Simonds, F. M. McAllister, J. Rowell, J. A. Benton, all of San Francisco; Rev. M. C. Briggs, Santa Clara; Rev. W. C. Pond, Downieville; Rev. Lucius Hamilton, San José; Rev. W. H. Hill, Sacramento; Rev. C. C. Pierce, Placerville; Rev. J. W. Ross, Yreka; Hon. D. O. Shattuck and Hon. H. P. Coon, San Francisco; Rev. John Braley, Santa Clara; Rev. Isaac Owen, Sacramento; Rev. Peter Veeder, Napa; Treasurer: C. Wittram; Secretary: William R. Wadsworth. Depository, 757 Market; Agent: Rev. Frederick Buel.

SABBATH SCHOOL UNION.—Reorganized May, 1857. The Union meets quarterly, alternately at the different churches whose schools are represented in the Union, when reports from the different schools, showing the average attendance of scholars and teachers for the previous month, are presented. (See General Review.)

Officers—President: Benj. T. Martin, First Baptist Church. Vice Presidents: E. D. Sawyer, Second Congregational Church; E. W. Playter, Powell Street Methodist Episcopal Church; Warren Holt, St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, and Joseph Mysell, Mission St. German Church. Secretary and Treasurer: Samuel Pillsbury.

SAN FRANCISCO TRACT SOCIETY.—Auxiliary to the American Tract Society; Depository at C. Beach's Book Store, 34 Montgomery Street, near Sutter. Organized August 16th, 1852.

Officers—President: Rev. J. Rowell; Secretary: Thomas B. Ludlum; Treasurer: J. K. S. Latham; and a Board of Directors composed of one delegate from each Evangelical Church in the City.

SAN FRANCISCO PORT SOCIETY.—Organized March, 1860.

The object of the society is the moral improvement of seamen, and others connected with the sea, in this port, by aiding the American Seamen's Friend Society of New York in sustaining the Mariners' Church of San Francisco, and in such enterprises connected therewith as the society may approve. This society is organized and sustained on the principle that it belongs properly to the people of San Francisco to provide religious privileges and instruction for the sailors belonging to and visiting this port. Any person may become a member by paying \$5 a year, or a life member by the payment at one time of \$50.

Officers—President: Ira P. Rankin; Vice President: R. B. Swain; Secretary: J. Rowell; Treas-