of three hundred volumes. Meets immediately after morning service. Superintendent, N. J. Thompson. There is also a Chinese Sunday-School connected with the church, which meets at three o'clock, P.M. Number of scholars, twenty-four; Superintendent, William Powers.

Church Officers.—N. J. Thompson and Dr. William Bamford, Deacons; N. J. Thompson, Dr. William Bamford, Branson Bangle, E. Grover. (Treasurer) and William Friend, (Clerk) Trustees.

Church of the Advent, (Episcopal.)

Location, southwest corner of Broadway and Adams streets. Rev. Sidney Wilbur, Rector; residence, south side of Washington street, between Polk and Walker.

This church was organized May 25th, 1860. The Rev. Benjamin Akerly, of St. John's Church, Oakland, was the first rector, and officiated until February 25th, 1866, when he was succeeded by the Rev. Daniel Wills. In 1869, Mr. Wills resigned, and was succeeded by the Rev. Daniel Kendig, who continued in charge until 1870, when the present rector entered on the discharge of his duties. Number of communicants, June, 1872, forty-two.

In the spring of 1860, James B. Larue, Esq., donated to the parish two lots on the corner of Broadway and Adams streets; and the same year the church edifice was erected, at a cost of \$2,400. Since that date, the sum of \$600 has been expended in improving the building and lots.

The Sunday-School connected with the church was organized in 1860. It has an attendance of fifty-two teachers and scholars, and a library of two hundred volumes. Meets at half-past nine, o'clock, A.M. Superintendent, Rev. Sidney Wilbur.

Church Officers.—E. G. Mathews, Senior Warden; Dr. S. F. Benjamin, Junior Warden; A. F. Rodgers, Dr. M. W. Fish, Joshua Tevis, L. B. Larue. and L. J. Rector, Vestrymen; L. J. Rector, Parish Clerk.

First Presbyterian.

Location, northeast corner of Adams and Arroyo streets. Rev. E. H. Camp, Pastor; residence, south-west corner of Harrison and Larue streets.

This church was organized February 17th, 1861, with ten members. The Rev. George Pierson was the first pastor, and officiated until 1870. From that time the Rev. Oliver Hemstreet acted as stated supply, until May, 1872, when the present pastor, in response to a unanimous call from the congregation, entered upon the discharge of his duties. Number of communicants, June, 1872, fifty-one.

The church edifice was erected in the summer of 1861, at a cost of \$4,700. The lot upon which it stands is 75 by 150 feet, and was donated to the society by James B. Larue, Esq. In 1867, the building was improved, at an additional expense of \$1,800, and a bell for the edifice purchased for the sum of \$1,000.

The Sunday-School connected with the church was organized in the spring of 1861, with eight teachers and forty scholars. At present, there are one hundred and fifty teachers and scholars, and a library of seven