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Second Baptist Church.

The house of worship is located on Fifth Street, between Market and Mission. Rev. HENRY A. SAWTELLE, Pastor; residence 130 Turk Street, between Taylor and Jones.

The church was organized December 22d, 1862, with 41 constituent members. The present membership of the church numbers 110, nearly all of whom reside in the city. The affairs of the organization are in a healthful and prosperous condition. During the past year the house of worship has been extended twenty feet in length, and the interior otherwise improved. Officers of the church, not including pastor, are as follows:

Officers—Deacons: S. A. Benis, J. Reynolds, L. L. Alexander; Treasurer: A. J. Chase; Clerk: J. Daniel; Trustees: S. Benson, Thomas Day, Peter Craig, J. Reynolds, and G. S. Haskell.

The Sunday School connected with this church holds its session every Sabbath at a quarter before 1 o'clock, P. M. The school numbers 280 members, with an average attendance of about 210. It has a library of 700 volumes.

Officers of the School—Superintendent: William Neil; Secretary and Treasurer: John Daniel; Librarian: — Davenport.

Third Baptist Church (Colored).

Rev. THOMAS HOWELL, Pastor; location, east side of Dupont Street, between Filbert and Greenwich; residence of the Pastor, north side of Oak Street, near Taylor. Services at 11 A. M. and 3 and 7½ o'clock P. M.

This church was organized in 1854. It owns its church property free of debt. The present pastor, who was ordained in 1861, began to supply the church some five years ago. Under his ministry the church has been much prospered and increased in numbers and efficiency. It has about 80 members. William Harris is Church Clerk.

Sabbath School—8 teachers, 44 scholars.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Congregational Church.

Location, south-west corner of California and Dupont. Pastor (vacant).

Preaching every Sabbath at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7½ P. M.; Lecture every Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock; Sabbath School immediately after morning service.

Officers of Church—Deacons: L. B. Benchley, W. O. Ayres, M. D., Lyman Dickerman, J. W. Clark, M. D., and J. T. Foyd. Standing Committee: A. C. Nichols, Henry Dutton, and A. G. Stiles.

Officers of the Society—Ira P. Rankin, Moderator; J. W. Clark, Clerk and Treasurer; Trustees: J. W. Clark, H. L. Dodge, William A. Dana, A. C. Nichols, Ira P. Rankin, and A. G. Stiles.

This church, or congregation, was organized July 29th, 1849, when Thomas Douglas and Frederick S. Hawley were chosen Deacons, and inducted into office on the following Sunday by Rev. T. D. Hunt, assisted by Rev. A. Williams. The society met in the school-house, on the Plaza, until it was required for other purposes, when the members were deprived of a regular place of meeting for several

months. As early as practicable, however, efforts were made for the erection of a suitable house of worship, which resulted in the building of a commodious frame structure, 25 by 50 feet, on the corner of Jackson and Virginia streets, which was dedicated to the worship of God, February 10th, 1850. Rev. T. D. Hunt was chosen Pastor, and installed June 26th, 1850, who, in this connection, it is proper to state, was the first Protestant clergyman, located as such, in the State, having arrived at San Francisco as early as October 29th, 1848, and was immediately invited by the citizens, in a meeting called for the purpose, to act as their chaplain for one year, commencing November 1st, 1848, in which capacity he was laboring at the time of the organization of this church. The congregation increased so greatly as to require a larger house; accordingly measures were adopted, in the summer of 1852, for the erection of the present substantial brick edifice, which was dedicated on the 10th of July, 1853. Rev. E. S. Lacy was installed as Pastor July 6th, 1856.

The whole number of members admitted to the church since its organization is 524. The present membership is over 400. The cost of the present church property, including lot, building, and repairs, has been about \$70,000.

Sunday School—Superintendent: L. B. Benchley; Assistant: Franklin Tuthill, M. D. Number at present connected with the Sabbath School, of scholars and teachers, is about 590; average attendance, 380. A valuable and instructive library of over 1,000 volumes is attached to the Sabbath School.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. J. A. BENTON, Pastor; residence 818 Bush Street. Services held every Sabbath at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7½ o'clock P. M. The Sabbath School and Bible Classes meet immediately after the morning service. Lecture room prayer meeting in the church every Sunday evening at 6½ o'clock. Weekly prayer meeting and lecture every Wednesday evening.

The neat and commodious church edifice, with tall spire, recently erected and now occupied by this society, is on Taylor Street, south of Geary. It presents a fine appearance and is very accessible, the Central Railroad passing in front of it.

Third Congregational Church.

Rev. E. G. BECKWITH, Pastor. Location, Fifteenth Street, just above Mission. Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School immediately after morning service. Weekly prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

North-End Congregational Society,

South-east corner of Dupont and Green streets. Rev. E. C. BISSELL, Pastor. Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7½ o'clock P. M.

This Society intend very soon to erect a chapel. The Sunday School now meets in the Union School House.

EPISCOPAL.

Grace Cathedral.

Right Rev. Bishop KIP and Rev. H. GOODWIN officiating. Location, corner California and Stockton streets.

Public services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M.; Sunday School at half-past nine in the morning. The congregation was organized in 1849, the statistics of which may be summed up as follows: Communicants, 300; the Sunday School numbers about 200 scholars, and has a library of over 300 volumes. The first Rector of the church was Dr. J. L. Ver Mehr, who preached his first sermon in California