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St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Location, west side of Russ Street, between Howard and Folsom. Rev. AMOS B. JONES, Pastor.

This church was re-organized in October, 1855, by the Rev. O. P. Fitzgerald, Revs. W. R. Guber, Morris Evans, Samuel Brown, E. K. Miller, Jesse Wood, Dabney Ball, E. E. Hoss, W. J. Mahon, and C. Chamberlin having severally had pastoral charge. The congregation worshipped for several years on Minna Street, between Fourth and Fifth, and afterwards in Pythian Hall Building. They now own and occupy the commodious edifice formerly known as the Columbia Square Baptist Church.

Services every Sabbath at eleven o'clock A.M., and half past seven o'clock P.M. Sabbath School at close of morning service. Class Meetings at half past nine o'clock A.M. Prayer Meeting on Thursday evenings.

Church Officers.—C. L. Newman and R. Larrimore, Class Leaders; Wick B. Parsons, John A. McClelland, Rufus K. Cain, C. L. Newman, and R. Larrimore, Trustees.

Bush Street Methodist Episcopal Church.

Location, Bush Street, between Scott and Devisadero. Rev. DAVID DEAL, Pastor; residence, 2520 Bush Street.

This house of worship was built, at a cost of \$5,500, from the proceeds of the sale of the Seaman's Bethel, in 1899. A Sabbath School, with about three hundred members and a library of three hundred volumes, are connected with the church.

Services every Sabbath at eleven o'clock A.M. and half past seven o'clock P.M. Class Meeting Fridays, at 7.30 P.M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evenings.

Church Officers.—Charles C. Lombard, Charles A. Morrill, Paul Bunker, Gershom H. Percy, and D. L. Hadley, Trustees.

South San Francisco Methodist Episcopal Church.

Location, Fifteenth Avenue, South S. F. Rev. A. M. STARR, Pastor; residence, 534 Bush Street.

This society have erected a small edifice, at a cost, including furniture, of \$3,500. The lot, seventy-five by one hundred feet, was donated by Messrs. Williams & Case.

Services every Sabbath at eleven o'clock A.M., and half past seven o'clock P.M. Sunday School at two o'clock P.M.

Scandinavian Methodist Episcopal Church.

Place of worship, north side of Harrison Street, between Fifth and Sixth; Rev. E. Shogren, Pastor; residence, 9 Grand Avenue.

This church was organized September 27, 1875. Services are held every Sabbath at half past ten o'clock A.M., and half past seven o'clock P.M. Prayer Meetings Thursdays at half past seven o'clock P.M.

African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church.

Location, west side of Stockton Street, between Clay and Sacramento. Rev. JENKINS WILLIAMS, Pastor.

The congregation was organized by Rev. John J. Moore, August 1, 1852. In April, 1864, they purchased the Unitarian Church on Stockton Street, for \$15,500, on which there is a debt of \$2,000. Connected with the church is a Sabbath School of three teachers and thirty scholars, and a library of four hundred volumes.

Services every Sabbath at eleven o'clock A.M. and at three and half past seven o'clock P.M. Sabbath School at one o'clock P.M.

Church Officers.—S. E. Freeman, President; William Mitchell, Secretary; John Harris, James Hargrove, W. J. Parker, John Mason, Henry Tolburt, Giles Sneads, and George F. Norton, Trustees.

African Methodist Episcopal Church.

Location, west side of Powell Street, between Jackson and Pacific. Pastor (vacant.)

The society worshipping here was organized in 1850, and is the same that formerly occupied the St. Cyprian Church. Under the past-rship of Rev. T. M. D. Ward, they re-organized in 1856, and secured the Scott Street church property, where they continued to worship until March, 1862, when they purchased the property which up to that time had been known as Grace Church, for \$5,500. Rev. J. B. Sanderson was Pastor from May, 1857, to June, 1859. At this time Rev. T. M. D. Ward again took charge, and remained Pastor until May, 1868, when he was consecrated Bishop. From July, 1869, to June, 1870, Rev.

John R. V. Morgan acted as Pastor. The Rev. R. Dorsey next took charge, and was succeeded by the Rev. J. H. Hubbard March 30, 1872. He was succeeded by the Rev. I. N. Triplett, who officiated until 1876, when the Rev. John L. Dyer took charge. During the year 1865 three deacons were ordained by the Right Rev. Jabez P. Campbell, Bishop of California.

Services every Sabbath at eleven o'clock A.M. and half past seven o'clock P.M. Sabbath School at half past one o'clock P.M.

Church Officers.—Barney Fletcher, George Richardson, William H. Carter, James Dizard, James Reader, George Green, Horace Ennels, Thomas B. Davidson, and Philip Jenkins, Trustees.

Chinese Mission House of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Location, north side of Washington Street, between Stockton and Powell. Rev. ORIS GIBSON, Superintendent; residence, 916 Washington Street. Lan Huk Han, Chan Pak Kwai, and Chan Hon Fan, Native Helpers.

This Mission House, erected in 1870, is a neat and commodious edifice, fifty-six by seventy feet, and three stories high. On the main floor are three school rooms, with double folding doors between, so that when desirable they can all be thrown into one room for general school exercises or religious services. On the second floor of the Chinese department are two school rooms, also connected by folding doors, and rooms for a missionary family. The third floor of this portion of the building contains four fine rooms, designed for, and used as, an Asylum for Chinese women and girls, who may be saved from lives of slavery and shame. Mrs. Jane Walker is employed as teacher and missionary in this department. Sabbath School for women at twenty minutes past one o'clock P.M. every Sabbath. The entrance to the Chinese department is on Stone Street, and to the Parsonage department, 916 Washington Street.

The total cost of the property is \$32,000, one-third of which has been contributed by friends on this Coast, and the balance has been paid by the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, to which society the property is deeded.

The schools are graded into five classes, employing five experienced teachers, and are open every evening during the week except Saturday. Tuition \$1 per month. Bible Class meets every Sabbath at eleven o'clock A.M. Sabbath School at half past six o'clock P.M. Praise Service and Bible Class Wednesday evening. Services in the Chinese language every Sabbath, at twenty minutes past twelve o'clock P.M., at the Mission House, and every day of the week at two o'clock P.M. at the Chapel, 620 Jackson Street, between Dupont and Kearny.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First Presbyterian Church.

Location, west side of Stockton Street, between Washington and Clay. Rev. ROBERT PATTERSON, D.D., Pastor; residence, 1110 Powell Street.

This church was organized May 20, 1849, under the direction of Rev. Albert Williams, and was the first Protestant Church organized in San Francisco. W. W. Caldwell, Frederick Billings, Dr. George F. Turner, Mrs. Sarah B. Gillespie, Mrs. Ann Hovgson, and Mrs. Margaret A. Geary were the original members; Capt. B. Simmons, E. Woodruff, and H. Grimes were the first Trustees.

During the summer of 1849 the congregation worshipped in a tent on Dupont Street, afterward in a store room of the Custom House, and in the Superior Court Room, City Hall, until January 19, 1851, when a neat Gothic edifice was erected on Stockton Street, near Broadway, capable of holding seven hundred persons. This house was destroyed by the great fire of June 22, 1851. A plain building was immediately erected on the same spot, in which the congregation worshipped until August, 1857; and from that time until May, 1858, their meetings were held in the Chinese Mission Chapel. Their present fine house of worship was built in the summer and autumn of 1857, at a cost of about \$60,000, including the lot, furniture, and fixtures. It is in the Gothic style of architecture throughout. The main building is one hundred and seventeen feet long, or to the outside of the tower, one hundred and twenty-three feet, and is sixty-one feet wide. Rooms for the Pastor's study and social meetings are on the same floor with the audience room, which last is eighty-one by fifty-eight feet, with a ceiling thirty-nine feet high. A Sabbath School room, fifty-seven by thirty-six feet, is over