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Religious Gleanings

The presbytery of Boston has now 30 churches, 49 ministers and 4,129 communicants. Five years ago there were 17 churches, 36 ministers and 2,721 members.

The Reformed (Dutch) church has completed the endowment of the first theological seminary established in India, amounting to \$54,000. The Rev. Dr. W. W. Scudder is professor of theology in this permination. of theology in this new institution.

In his recent charge the bishop of London stated that in his diocese the average number of persons present at Sunday morning services has been 200,890; at Suaday evening services, 205,496; the average number of com-municants, 47 714, though there were 99,000 at Easter. There were 81,894 baptisms, and an average of 5,047 services on each Sunday.

Upon the arrival of the "Jubilee Fifty," officers of the Salvation Army, who left London in August for India, Commander Tucker found a check for \$55,000, which had been sent to him to assist in maintaining the work of the Army in that country. The donor, who has amassed a large fortune mainly in India, recenly gave a check for \$55,000 toward the same object,

He Pleads Guilty of Manslaugh-

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 20,— Thomas Doyle, who kicked his wife to death last summer, pleaded this morning, guilty of manslaughter, and was sentenced to State prison for five

Bookish People.

A bibliopegist is a bibliophile with special regard for book bindings. bibliotaph is a book miser. A bibliopole is a book seller for bibliophiles. A biblioklept is a stealer of valuable books, Mr. Lennox, who would not let Prescott see his Mexi and Sam Pepys was a bibliotaph, Bibliolatry is the worship of books. Christmas Cards, -Art Review.

A Thief's Kestitution.

When Mr. W. H. Heaton, of Glassboro, N. J., was a guest at a Phila delphia hotel more than twenty years ago, a thief stole his watch. Last week he received by express a small parcel containing a hand-ome gold watch and a note which read: "In this box you will find a gold watch to be recognized as a substitute for the one taken from your room in a Philadelphia hotel in 1865."-New-York Eyening World.

Killed by a Runaway Car.

An Asheville special of the 21st toRaleigh News Observer says: Two flat cars losde 1 with lumber, attached to a freight train coming up the mountain near Mud Cut yes erday, broke loose and ran wildly to the foot of the grade, s rewing timbers right and left and killing two negro tramps who were stealing a ride.

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