Hebraica, a quarterly journal in the interests of Semitic study. Wm. Harper, Ph.D., Yale, editor; Paul Haupt, Ph.D., Johns Hopkins; and Hermann L. Strack, Ph.D., D.D. Berlin, Associate Editors. The most interesting articles in No. 1 of Vol. V., are: "Pentateuchal Analysis," by Rev. B. W. Bacon, being a statement of the various views relating to the exact material of each document. "The Pentateuchal Question," by Rev. W. R. Harper, the first of a series of articles discussing "the alleged facts and considerations of the Hexateuchal Analysis" on the question, "Are there really distinct documents?" Prof. Harper presents the claims of the analysts, and Prof. Green, of Princeton, will oppose, beginning in the April number. The discussion is after the inductive method—first the facts, then the conclusions. And "Addresses on Semitic Studies in America," by members of the American Oriental Society,

The Statesman discusses "The Sunday Newspaper," "Factory Legislation," "Economic Influences," "The Single Tax," "Equitable Compensation," "The Woman Vote," "Revenue Reform," etc. The editor defines capital as "Wealth devoted to the production of more wealth. Seed wheat is wheat devoted to the production of more wheat; wheat devoted to food is not seed wheat. Wealth devoted to luxury, comfort or entertainment is not capital." And the capitalist as "A man who devotes his wealth to production, either by direct investment in industry, or by a loan to another who does so invest it. All employment of labor and all the increase of wealth depends for one of its conditions on this investment."

The Methodist Magazine of Chicago is a neat monthly, in its second year. Gladstone's review of "Robert Elsmere" and Mark Guy Pearse's "Thoughts on Holiness" are being published in continuous numbers. As a "Family Repository" it does not equal our own Canadian Methodist Magazine.

THE A. M. E. Church. *Review* (Quarterly) is published at Philadelphia by the African M. E. Church. The January number contains twenty-one articles, together with editorials and book reviews. Many of the articles, as might be expected, deal with questions affecting the colored people. Most of them are well written, and give a good idea of the progress that has been made in intellectual and religious matters. Evidently the old race struggle is not yet dead.

The African News, edited by Bishop Wm. Taylor, assisted by T. B. Welch, of Vineland, New Jersey. A monthly magazine, containing information and news from and about Africa, and other Mission Fields.

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