

## Religious Intelligence.

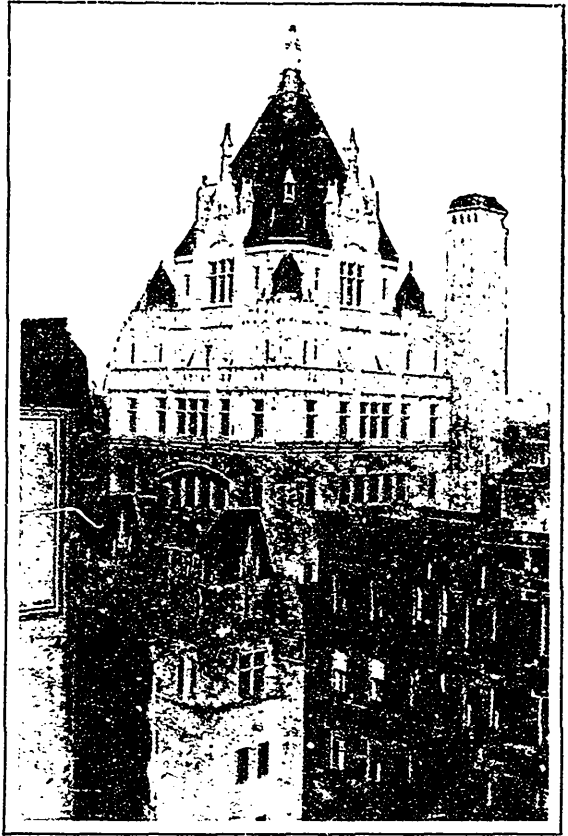
### A TEN-STORY CHURCH.

A decided novelty as a church building, says The Christian Herald, is rapidly nearing completion in New York City. It is the new home of the Broadway Tabernacle Church, whose former place of worship was so long a famous centre of Christian work and influence, at the intersection of Broadway and Thirty-fourth Streets. The building is a cathedral-like edifice, constructed on the principles of a modern skyscraper, combining beauty and utility in a high degree.

The church proper is the auditorium in the west end of the building. The ten-story part of the edifice is an interesting and imposing structure. Here is a "magnificent nine-story parish house, comprised in a tower, rising majestically with its red-tiled roof 190 feet above the pavement, the lower part measuring 80 by 50 feet.

The third and fourth floors are built as a model Bible-school, the lower floor being a square auditorium, and the two floors containing thirteen large class-rooms, with folding partitions, so arranged that the whole can be thrown into one galleried room, which seats 800 persons. The fifth floor is divided into parlors for the Women's Missionary Societies and the Young Women's Club. The sixth is devoted to the Men's League and the library. On each floor all the rooms can be thrown into one.

The seventh floor contains the pastor's study, church offices and reception parlors, and will be known as the administration floor. Above these is the residence of the sexton, who is practically business manager of the great building. A safety vault has been constructed in the basement. Pilgrim Hall takes up one-half of the basement, being reached from Broadway by two flights of stairs. It seats 600 people.



THE NEW BROADWAY TABERNACLE, NEW YORK.

The entire Tabernacle has about 100 rooms, and can house 5,000 people in ten simultaneous meetings, none of which can interfere with the others. The building which is fireproof throughout, will, when completely furnished, have cost a million dollars, including \$450,000 for the land.

### BISHOP VINCENT ON CHURCH LIFE.

The Seven Days' Bible Study, conducted by Bishop Vincent, in the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, has been a revelation in many ways, a revelation of the great fields of biblical knowledge yet be-