

## PACIFIC ISLANDS.

"Where a trader will go for gain, there the missionary ought to go for the merchandise of souls. In these islands something must be risked if anything is to be done."—*Bishop Selwyn*.

"It isn't High, or Low, or Broad Church, or any other special name, but the longing desire to forget all distinctions that seems naturally to result from the very sight of these heathen people."—*Bishop Patteson*.

"A man who takes the sentimental view of coral islands and cocoanuts is worse than useless; a man possessed with the idea that he is making a sacrifice will never do; and a man who thinks, any kind of work "beneath a gentleman" will simply be in the way."—*Bishop Patteson*.

"I have now been reading the twenty-ninth chapter of the Acts of the Apostles."—Exclamation of the *Bishop of Ripon* as he laid down the wonderful story of John Williams' missionary career.

## AFRICA.

"Africa—the last stronghold of paganism."—*Dr. Sims*.

"An African is the image of God carved in ebony"—*Dr. Fuller*.

"An African slave-dealer is the image of the devil carved in ivory."—*Dr. Johnston*.

"Let a thousand fall before Africa be given up."—Dying words of Melville B. Cox, first foreign missionary of the Methodist Episcopal Church, U.S., who died of African fever less than four months after his arrival.

"The end of the geographical feat is the beginning of the missionary enterprise."—*Livingstone*.

"I have been in Africa for seventeen years, and I have never met a man who would kill me if I folded my hands."—*Stanley*.

"If I am to go 'on the shelf,' let that shelf be Africa."—*Livingstone*, in 1867.

"To exaggerate the enormities of the slave trade, is simply impossible."—*Livingstone*.

"All I can add in my loneliness is: May heaven's rich blessing come down on every one, American, Englishman, or Turk, who will help to heal this open sore of the world."—*Livingstone's* last message to the outer world in reference to the slave trade. This sentence is carved on his memorial slab in Westminster Abbey.