

MISSIONARY NEWS.

The Rev. A. W. Poole, the first English Missionary Bishop for Japan, has been working in South India in connexion with the C. M. S. This Society has now in Japan eight clergy, the S. P. G. has four, and there are four or five other English clergymen besides. The American branch of our Communion is already completely organized under the scholarly Bishop Williams and his six clergy.

The United States Consul at Jerusalem reports that the population of Jerusalem, Jaffa, and Hebron, has increased considerably in the last year owing to the arrival of many Jewish immigrants from Russia. There has also been an advance in real estate in Jerusalem, where permits for the erection of sixty-five new houses and sixty-three new additions were issued. Houses in modern style have sprung up in the suburbs, and rents are advancing, but two-thirds of the 20,000 inhabitants of Jaffa still go barefoot all the year round.

The Rev. John Wood, Commissary of the Bishop of Zululand, reports the completion and consecration of the Memorial Church at Isandlana. The Church is small, and lighted by nine lancet windows. The Church is erected on the identical spot where the greatest number of the English soldiers fell in the fatal combat of January 29th, 1879. The Bishop proposes to fill the windows of the new Church with stained glass, and trusts that the friends of some of the officers and men buried on the field of battle may make these windows memorials to their deceased friends.

An interesting accession to our Communion has taken place at Zuurbraak, South Africa. We abridge our account of it from the Capetown *Church News*. Zuurbraak is a village fifteen miles from Swellendam; it was originally a Hottentot location ruled by its own chief. The last of these was one Thomas Smith; his predecessor had received a missionary of the London Missionary Society, and given him ground for chapel, school, and house; but after Smith's death, the station was for some years left without any teacher at all. Eventually, the London Society advised the people to join the Dutch Reformed Kirk, whose system, they said, 'most nearly resembled their own.' Though this was not acceptable to all,—some wishing to apply to the Anglican Church,—a Dutch Presbyterian minister was thenceforth placed at Zuurbraak. But dissatisfaction, instead of ceasing, increased, and at length a majority of inhabitants resolved to make a formal application to the Bishop of Capetown. This was, after inquiry, acceded to; and in October the Rev. P. G. Schierhout was sent to Zuurbraak to commence regular services. These have ever since been well attended. A school has 115 children in it, the same building being at present used both for this object and for the services. As many as 142 adults and 136 children have been found unbaptized.

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(From the Mail, Can., Dec. 14th).

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A. W. MCLELAN,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries.
Department of Marine and Fisheries,
Ottawa, 24th August, 1883.