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Field Notes.

WHEN the late Rev. Dr. Punshon, with others, proposed that the Methodist Church should enter the foreign mission field, mentioning Japan as

less. In 1872-3, the year in which Drs. Macdonald and Cochran left for Japan, the income of the General Society was \$108,369, and it has been steadily increasing until last year it reached the handsome sum of \$220,026. The Metropolitan Church, in which Dr. Punshon made so eloquent and earnest appeal on



MAP OF CHINA.

* The City of Chen-too (or Ching-too) the Proposed Head-quarters of our New Mission.

the objective country, there were not wanting many whose fears were greater than their faith, and who predicted, if not failure, embarrassment to the Church. Time has proved that all such fears were ground-

behalf of a foreign mission, never to be forgotten by those who had the privilege of hearing him, gave that year \$2,243; and, although fast becoming a down town church, and having the difficulties to contend with