



PATRIARCH OF CONSTANTINOPLE.

The ecclesiastical head of the Armenians is the Catholicos residing at Etchmiadzine in the Caucasus. Of the same rank are the Catholicos of Aghtamar (near Van), and the Catholicos of Sis, in Cilicia. Next come the Patriarchs of Constantinople and Jerusalem, the former taking precedence as the civil head of the Armenians in Turkey.

as to the mode of distribution. A letter from a large Armenian village, or city, as it might be called, speaks of the perfect harmony between the Gregorians and Protes-

tants. Their evening prayer-meetings were crowded, and Gregorians and Protestants took part in them with equal fervour. The same spirit of union is found in all