

i. Summary:

We cannot mention all the missions developed and rooted in the American culture. It is a very large number. Yet the church has and has had a lot to do that was not done as far as our expectations can tell. The frontier received great emphasis and the bordering countries received a certain stress. Yet American missionaries have gone into all the world as well and while their numbers could have been greater, what they have accomplished for God is considerable in human perspective while only eternity will fully reveal the divine perspective.

4. The Church and Slavery:

I will discuss this with you at some length including treatment of the theological ideal in slavery and various vindications offered. I will continue moving from the slavery issue to the "civil rights" issue (racial order in general) and thus treat this material as a block. I will leave the following space for you to fill in some notes, if you wish.