FAVORS MISCEGENATION. Methodist Bishop Hamilton for Mar-

riage of Whites and Negroes.

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—Bishop Hamilton, by declaring before the Young Men's Methodist league that he does not oppose the intermarriage of blacks and whites or Chinese and whites, and is not averse to officiating at such marriages, has created much comment

among the Methodists of the city. "You may shudder," said the bishop to his hearers, "at the idea of such integrnarriages, and it is natural that you should, but such unless are an illustration of the sweeping away of caste lines, which should occur in the church and

which are occurring in the world."