

winning martyrdom. But God spared his life and he labored on, first in Russia, then in India, and finally in Constantinople. Everywhere his tongue and pen were mighty forces in the proclamation of the truth. He died at Richmond-on-the-Thames, December, 1865.

In 1827 Dr. Joseph Wolff visited Persia, and as a result of his writings the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions determined to begin work among the Nestorians. In 1834 the first missionaries went out and attempted work among Moslems, but the way was not open. For many years the work was entirely among the Nestorians. In 1871 this mission came under the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, and in more recent years there has been work also among Moslems. Some have professed Christ openly and several have suffered martyrdom, among them Mirza Ibrahim, whose wonderful life story is told by Robert E. Speer.¹

Dr. Wolff
in Persia

The Church Missionary Society began work in Ispahan in 1875. Their work has been largely among the Mohammedans. Three other stations, Yezd, Kerman, and Shiraz, have been occupied, and the work has been fruitful in results to a remarkable degree.

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¹ *Young Men Who Overcame*, 153-165.