

made, by means of the ministry and the Churches, for much larger results than they *immediately* witness. But even the *direct* fruits of their labour, are amply sufficient to encourage, nay, to require us to sustain them.

But we now proceed to give a more detailed view of the operations of the past year.

MISSIONARIES, AND MISSION CHURCHES.

There have been assisted by the Society;

Rev. THOMAS BAYNE, St. Andrews.

"JOEL FISK, Philipsburg.

"R. V. HALL, Stanstead.

"A. J. PARKER, Danville, Shipton.

"E. J. SHERRILL, Eaton.

One name will be missed here, familiar to all the friends of the Society, and honoured wherever known,—that of Rev. W. McKillican.

In November 1849, this servant of God entered into his rest, at the age of 72 years. The Committee feel that it is due to his memory to insert here a resolution passed by them, December 18th 1849, and forwarded to his afflicted family, which, they are assured, will express the feelings of all who knew him:—

"*Resolved*—That this Committee have learned with profound sorrow, that their venerable Missionary, the Rev. W. McKillican, has been recently removed by death from the bosom of his family, and the scene of his long-continued, arduous, and self-denying labours as a minister of the Gospel of Christ; and while they would bow, with entire submission, to the will of the Great Head of the Church in this bereavement, they deem it proper to record their high estimate of that vigour of mind, fulness of Scriptural knowledge, patient endurance of labour and privation, untiring zeal, and holy devotedness, by which the ministry of their venerated friend was distinguished; and their gratitude to God who enabled him to adorn that ministry by a walk and conversation becoming the Gospel, and who spared him to a good old age that he might to the end "serve his own generation by the will of God." The Committee desire to convey to the aged widow and the bereaved children of their late Brother,