

fects of the gospel. There were two that I believed received Christ, and could tell of his love; and others were groaning under a sense of their danger, while out of Christ. I had a great desire to stay longer with them, but thought it my duty to proceed. O that God would out of his love and power carry on the work in those mourning souls!

I STAID there until the 3d day of November, and preached among the people, and I have reason to hope that it was not in vain, for there were some that I discoursed with after sermon, that manifested some movings in their minds; but the people in general were settled down on a form of religion, and some not even on that, but all at peace, and but here and there one among a great crowd of professors that know any thing of the work of God in their souls. O the shocking and irretrievable loss they will meet with when this poor miserable life is at a period. They go sleeping to the grave, with an expectation of awakening in heaven, when they have that nature in them, in their own souls, that will be a hell to them for ever: and this is the shocking mistake, that thousands make a dependance upon God to save them, and to keep them out of hell, and beg that they may not go so hell, but do not think of their being already in hell, nor make it their concern to have their natures changed from that nature of hell, to the nature of heaven.

3d. I RODE to the town below, where I preached; and I think they were the most careless, hardened people, that I had found on that eastern shore; Lord what will their end be! O that they might consider and be awakened before their day is over! I then went to New-Casco, where I preached, and the people gave great attention, and there began to be some movings. I staid and preached there some days. The minister of the place was very free, and rejoiced to see some movings among his people.

On Wednesday the 12th, I preached at a wedding, and had the happiness thereby to be the means of excluding carnal mirth; and the young people seemed more fond after sermon of gathering round about me to hear me discoursing on religion, and to give them advice, than to be in the other company. And when I went away they likewise scattered and went home. O Lord Jesus, follow them with thy blessing, and let not the least impression on their mind be lost.

13th, I RODE over to one Mr. Brown's, preached the