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## CONDENSED VIEW OF THE LONDON ANNIVERSARIES. MAY, 1837.

### BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Fortieth Anniversary,—held 1st May.

THE Report of this Society stated, that there was, upon the whole, much cause of gratitude to God, who had continued to pour out his spirit, and own the efforts of the Missionaries, to the effecting of so much good, during a season so unparalleled in the history of our country, for every thing calculated to depress their spirits, repress their energies, and impede and embarrass their movements.

There were now in connection with the Society, either directly under its control, or indirectly, as under the control of the Auxiliary Societies, upwards of 100 missionaries, besides village preachers, scripture readers, tract distributors, and Sunday school teachers, amounting to about 1,000 devoted laborers; and perhaps not less than 10,000 poor children in the schools. From the Treasurer's account, it appeared that the receipts of the Society during the past year, were £1,874, and that there was now a balance due to the treasurer of £1 16s.

### CHRISTIAN INSTRUCTION SOCIETY.

Twelfth Anniversary,—held 2d May.

THERE were at present 1,909 gratuitous visitors connected with 85 Associations of the Society, which were scattered throughout the metropolis. Besides the constant circulation of religious tracts, their Associations had 125 stations in the most neglected and deplorable parts of their respective districts, at which prayer meetings were held at least once a week.—their agents had, during the past year, circulated 1736 copies of the scriptures; induced 2,616 children to attend Sabbath and other Christian schools; and relieved 1,900 cases of sickness and distress. During the last eight years, they had circulated 4,500 copies of the scriptures; had relieved 11,714 cases of sickness and distress; and induced 19,186 children to attend schools.

The receipts of the Society during the past year, had amounted to £1,212 10 6, and its expenditure to £1,207 9 8.

### BAPTIST IRISH SOCIETY.

Twenty-third Anniversary,—held 2d May.

THE Agents had in many cases met with serious opposition; but they had been enabled successfully to continue their labors. The schools, upon the whole, were flourishing. In some instances, an astonishing number of chapters in the Old and New Testaments had been committed to memory.

The Report deeply lamented the want of pecuniary means to enable the Society to embrace various openings which had been presented, but of which their funds had not permitted them to avail themselves. The British and Foreign Bible Society had granted a liberal supply of Bibles; and the Tract Society had placed Tracts to the value of £80 at the disposal of the Committee.

The receipts of the B. I. Society for the last year had been £1,978 12 10, and their disbursements £2,438 6 8.

### BOOK SOCIETY, FOR CIRCULATING RELIGIOUS BOOKS AMONG THE POOR.

Eighty-seventh Anniversary,—held 15th May.

IT appeared from the Report that the Divine blessing had eminently rested on this Institution, during the many years of its existence. There had been associated with it the names of some of the most distinguished ornaments of Church and Dissent. No books of a controversial nature were allowed. The number of books issued during past year was 13,332. No statement of the funds appears.

### HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Eighteenth Anniversary,—held 11th May.

THE Report detailed the Society's operations in various Counties, and stated that the number of agents who had received grants to aid them in village preaching during the past year, was upwards of 80. The population among whom they laboured, was about 150,000; the number of houses about 30,000; and the number of children in their Sunday schools was 6,000. Fifteen new stations had been adopted during the past year, in consequence of legacies left to the Society. Without an increase of the Society's funds it would, however, be impossible to continue many of the stations; and in consequence, five applications had been refused.

The receipts of the Society for last year amounted to £7,518 2 5; and its expenditure to £6,523 7 5.

### LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Forty-third Anniversary,—held 11th May.

THE Report stated that the Society's Missions in the South Seas, had been highly favored by tokens of Divine blessing. China continued the object of faith, hope, and supplication. The accounts from India were fraught with mingled and deeply affecting interest, and yielded a measure of encouragement and hope beyond any that had preceded them. The Anglo-American Church of St. Petersburg participated in the favor of the Most High. In Siberia the native converts were faithful and active. The Missions in Corsica enjoyed gracious support. Throughout the Ionian Islands, the newly-organized system of education was producing the happiest results. In South Africa the cause of humanity and justice was reviving. In Madagascar, though the immediate scene was cheerless, yet rays of light and hope appeared in the distance. In the West Indies, notwithstanding the continuance of many of the evils of slavery, under a nominal emancipation, the pleasure of the Lord seemed to prosper in the hands of his servants. The following is the number of missionary stations and out-stations belonging to the Society in different parts of the world, missionaries laboring at the same, &c.

	Stations and Mission-out-stations.	Assistants, arics.	Native &c.
South Seas,	50	21	70
Ultra Ganges,	5	7	5
East Indies,	310	36	375
Russia,	3	4	1
Mediterranean,	1	1	0
Africa & African Islands	31	29	21
West Indies,	28	16	10
Total,	428	114	482

The whole receipts of the Society for the past year amounted to £64,372 16 6, being an increase beyond