

ANOTHER LETTER FROM IONA RUTH.

THE CALCUTTA ORPHANAGE.

We have been again much gratified by the perusal of a letter from Iona Ruth, the interesting protegée of the Sabbath-school at Portsmouth, in connection with St. Andrew's Church, Kingston.

Some months since, we presented our readers with an accurate woodcut of Iona's first letter. 'The copy of the *Juvenile* containing this was forwarded to Calcutta, along with a reply from the Portsmouth children. Private letters say that Iona Ruth was perfectly astonished to see her own letter in print, and that she was delighted with the reply to it from her Canadian friends. We have, therefore, much pleasure in continuing to place our readers in possession of this most interesting correspondence. Iona's second letter is evidently an improvement upon her first, being beautifully written in the Bengali characters; and, judging from the style, we think that Iona's mind is improving as rapidly as her hand-writing.