

given by John Boston, Esq. Sheriff of this District,) and which it is hoped will be completed early in the ensuing summer. Two other Churches have also been projected with favorable appearance of their being carried into effect.

Mr. Dawes has commenced, and, by the aid of several pious and zealous assistants, carries on, several flourishing Sunday Schools, which have been supplied with Catechisms and other books at the expense of this Society. A large number of prayer books has been distributed by sale or gift, and Mr. Dawes has zealously co-operated in carrying into effect the liberal and Christian resolution of the Montreal Bible Society, to supply every family in the Province, in want of them, with a copy of the Scriptures.

During the summer, Mr. Dawes was directed to proceed upwards as far as Dundee, with the view of exploring the Church statistics of that section, and during his absence his place, as Chaplain and as Missionary, was filled by the Rev. P. J. Maning, recently appointed second Travelling Missionary.

Numerous interesting details are contained in the Journal which, (according to the desire of the Committee), Mr. Dawes transmits, and it cannot, certainly, but fill with gladness the hearts of the contributors to the support of this Society, to hear of the gratitude of the poor destitute settlers in situations never before blessed with the presence of a Minister of any denomination; of the delight expressed by many in partaking of those services of which they had been deprived for many years; of distances traversed, and of the pains taken, to enable them to reach the place appointed for the Church Service; of the interest manifested by the poor children in the instruction given them, not only in the Sunday School, but whenever his regular round of duty brought the Missionary to the various scattered settlements; of the consolation and comfort afforded to many poor sufferers on the bed of languishing, who, but for this Society, might have departed, without having their minds directed to that Saviour, who is the only refuge in the hour of death. It is indeed with thankful hearts that the Committee give praise to God, for having permitted them to co-operate in this good work; truly, this labour of love;—and they hesitate not to call upon their fellow Members of the Congregation to rejoice and be exceeding glad, that their contributions have been enabled to effect so much good.—Yet let us not pride ourselves on what we have done, but rather