

rior capacity. To Brothers Crawford and Johnson are due the gratitude of the Society, for their assiduity and perseverance, as Teachers in the School.

The House at this station, was erected for the double purpose of Schools and Meetings; and is of hewed oak, neatly plaistered and made comfortable by a stove for winter. It was built partly by the labour of the natives; but mostly by liberal donations of benevolent individuals in the adjacent settlements. Before the house was erected, no room could be obtained for the School, till an aged Chief, lately converted, offered his own house for the purpose, and retired to a Cabin in the woods.

At this station, about 100 adults of the Mississaugas have their tents erected, with a view to afford to their children the advantages of education; the principal Chief of the tribe setting a suitable example, by encouraging his young wife to attend the School. A strong and increasing desire is waked up in the youth, for learning to read;—the following is an example: A few months since, a lad of about 17, having heard of the School at the Grand River; and prompted by a desire for education, set off on a journey of one hundred miles, to visit the place where Indians are taught to read. Being hospitably received by the Indian Brethren, he entered the School, and is now making proficiency in his studies; and what is further encouraging, he appears to have experienced a change, and begins to improve his gifts by prayer, in his native tongue.

Among the *Muncey Indians*, a tribe of the *Delawarés*, on the River Thames, a School was opened in the month of May last. Its commencement was discouraging, and was attended with circumstances of an unpromising nature, among which was the reluctance of some of the Chiefs to consent to the School. Had the pious youth who commenced the undertaking, possessed less enterprise and perseverance, the attempt would probably have failed, and thereby much good been prevented. After several visits, and much labour, he at length succeeded in getting a School of 7 children. The School has since become more popular; for on the first of the present month, it consisted of 15 scholars. Through the exertions of the Preachers, and the liberality of friends in the Westminister and Thames Circuits, materials have been procured for