

his unbelief. On one occasion this dear child, then only nine years old, was present when her father was endeavouring, but in vain, to convince this gentleman of his fatal error. When the painful conversation had ended, and her father had left the room, she asked this gentleman to take a walk in the garden; and when no one could overhear them, she inquired whether she might not ask him a question. "Certainly," he replied, "any question you please." "Then," said she, "have you ever read the New Testament through with a desire to understand it?" "No," he answered, "I have not." "I thought, so," said she, "for I am sure you would not have spoken of it to my father as you did just now if you had;" and in an earnest manner, she added, "Oh! do read it, and do wish to understand it." His concluding words to me were, "My dear Sir, that child's entreaties and tears did far more than any argument had ever done; they led me to the Bible, and the Bible led me to my Saviour."

I might tell you much more of what the Bible, by the HOLY SPIRIT'S teaching, has done for dear children; and much more of what children have done to make that Bible known to others, but I prefer asking you *individually*, to put three questions to your own heart—

1. Do I love the Bible myself?

2. Do I pity those poor people who are without the Bible?

3. Can I send to a fellow-creature a better gift than the Book of God?

May the Lord bless you in your work and bless His work in your hands and to your hearts!

Your's affectionately,

AN OLD FRIEND OF THE YOUNG.

CORRESPONDENCE.

It affords us the highest possible gratification to give insertion to the following communication from the Secretary of the Branch Association of Musquodoboit Harbour. Were the various settlements throughout the Province animated by the same spirit that that interesting settlement seems to be, might we not reasonably expect the copious outpouring of the Holy Ghost on this movement.—Might we not anticipate the realization of a £1000 as the contribution of Nova Scotia towards the Jubilee Fund.

To the Convener of the Jubilee Committee of the Nova Scotia Bible Society.

SIR,—

I beg to hand you the following Resolution of this Branch Society passed by its Committee, which may furnish some hint to others similarly situated, as to a method of celebrating the Jubilee. There are many settlements under deep obligations to the Society, in which there never has been any effort made in behalf of it, where no public meeting has ever been held to communicate information regarding its claims. And as the present is the most admirable time for making such an effort; for it perhaps requires a Jubilee Year to bring some of them to a remembrance of some of their obligations, and to seek a discharge of the debt by offering a "composition." Something of the following plan might be pretty generally adopted by the several branch Societies throughout the country parts of the Province. Remembering that so good an opportunity cannot occur for the next fifty years; and ever remembering and seeking to feel that it is through the bless-

ing of God alone that any of our feeble efforts for the advancement of his glory or the spread of His Word, can be made effectual.

At a meeting of the Committee of the Musquodoboit Harbour Branch Bible Society, held here on the evening of the 17th Junr., the following Resolution was unanimously adopted:

"The Society at its last anniversary having recommended to this Committee the necessity of making arrangements for celebrating the Jubilee of the Parent Institution, when a portion of the day be set apart to commemorate the goodness of Almighty God in giving us the Bible and Bible liberty. To pray for a more copious effusion of the Holy Spirit upon the Word among us, and throughout the world. And to make some special effort in its behalf. *Therefore Resolved*, That on Sabbath, the 9th day of October, a collection be made in the Sabbath School to receive the Juvenile Offerings of the young of this place: for some particular branch of, or the general object of the Society. And on Wednesday, the 12th, at ten, A.M., a Public Meeting be held in the Church, for reading the Bible, Addresses on the claims of the Institution, and our duty regarding the Bible in the present aspect of the world. At 6 o'clock in the evening, a meeting for devotional exercises to be conducted by those who decline to join the Deputations which will proceed from the morning meeting to the several settlements in the neighbourhood, which will be previously announced, and agreed upon with the leading men or the Churches of the several localities."

The order of Meetings at present under consideration and in part settled upon by the Committee are

Musquodoboit Harbour at 10 A.M., and at 6, P.M., a Prayer-meeting.
Lawrencetown at 12 A.M., Rev. Mr. Sutherland.
Porters Lake at 6 P.M., Rev. Mr. Sutherland.
Head of Jeddore Harbour * at 6 P.M.
Jeddore Mouth at 6, P.M., James Farquhar.
Head of Chezzetcook * at 6 P.M.
Menghers Grant * at 6, P.M.
Ship Harbour * at

Providence may cast some of the friends of the Society in a place on that day where they might benefit it. And hence let the friends throughout the Province watch for opportunities to get good and do good. If a list something like the above was prepared, and filled regularly as the information comes, and published in the third No. of the *Remembrancer* it would be an advertisement of the meetings throughout the Province. And as it is but one day, let every member of the Society, and every friend of the Bible work as if the whole success of the enterprise depended upon him alone. And believe and pray as success in reality is

Those marked (*) are not yet finally agreed on, as sufficient arrangements have not been made with the parties in those places. I send them now that some other Branches may have time to make similar arrangements.

already recorded in the counsels of the Eternal One, because it is an object well pleasing in his sight, and one upon which he has already been graciously pleased to smile.

I remain, &c.,

JAMES FARQUHAR, Secretary.

The Treasurer of the Nova Scotia Auxiliary Bible Society has received the undermentioned contributions in aid of the Jubilee Fund of the British and Foreign Bible Society—

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" " Cape Canso	13	1 1/2
" " Manchester	3	10
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