

year to benevolent purposes, and she had a portion set apart for our Society, and she hopes to do better for us next year.

A young girl gave to our Society all the money she had, and said if she had three times as much she would give it. Another little school girl had a donation laid by for the Society, keeping it until I would call. Another noble hearted young girl gave a whole week's wages as a donation for our Society.

Several persons who were desirous of taking part in making known the unspeakable gift, borrowed a donation and gave it to me.

In justice to many other friends of the Society, I consider it my duty, as well as a pleasure, to state that I know that their donations would be freely given to this Society if I had time to call on them.

How can any person that has felt the Gospel to be the glad tidings of great joy withhold sympathy, prayer and gift to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ and lead souls to Him?

MR. SECORD writes:

Sale of books, \$1103.69; grants, \$84.74, including 500 testaments, 3 cents, and discounts; visited 2729; conversed or prayed with 1285 families; 115 Roman Catholic families visited; 9 Protestant families destitute of Bible; 6 families had no religious books of any kind; travelled 1358 miles; distributed 848 bibles and 1409 testaments.

My work has often been hard, but when I recall "Be not weary in well doing" I go on cheerfully. Every case of Bible destitution I supplied. In one family there was a woman about 70; her daughter and grand daughter young women, and not a book of any kind in the house. I had not found out this family before. The noble gift of Jubilee Testament from the Bible Society brought joy and gladness to many children's hearts. In a poor locality I gave 19 Testaments in one day to children that had none. Quite a sale of Douay Testaments. They do not refuse tracts. I must say that the hospitality of the people continued the same. Great kindness is shown to me. In calling upon the subscribers to renew their subscription, I find I am only asking for what they take pleasure in giving.

Our work is a good one; it could not be dispensed with. It is so nice to have something good to put in the hands of every family. The people are looking out every year for me to call that they may get books. A young man told me with the deepest interest that he had received a message from God. That message was in a Tract. It was in an hour of deepest trial; he took courage; God is helping him. Another tells me of religious conversation made a blessing to him. I have instances of conversion from reading Dodridge, Baxter, Pike and Alleine's books; also, "Come to Jesus," and "Blood of Jesus." I believe the secret of success with God's blessing is to keep a good stock of books on hand and showing our wares.

E. S. SUTCLIFF

After work the Society to be able to report poured out hold, and help

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