

advancement of the objects which the Society has in view. These objects are to train up the young in the path of life, in the hope that they will not depart from it when they are old, and to circulate the Book of God and other devotional Books and Tracts, amongst the poor of more mature years, who would otherwise perhaps dwell in darkness, without a single ray of Gospel light shed upon their benighted minds, and thus to increase the love of God, and to promote useful knowledge.

These objects are doubly important in a country situated as this is, receiving a constant influx of new inhabitants, and thus opening on every side new Channels through which the light of the Gospel may be poured into the minds of thousands of our countrymen, who are in many instances without the means of improving themselves and instructing their children in the principles of moral and religious duty. To assist them in advancing these great objects, the Committee request increased exertions and support from the Members of the Society, and the zealous co-operation not only of every Member of the Established Church, but of every friend to Christianity.

By order of the Committee,

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