

Books have also been supplied for the use of Sunday Schools, and for other objects, in the Township of Stoneham, Broughton, Brampton, Melbourne, Durham and Clarendon on the river Ottawa. They have been furnished to the Revd. G. Archbold, the Revd. R. R. Burrage, and the Revd. A. Norman, for gratuitous distribution on their ministerial circuits, in the adjacent Townships and elsewhere; and they have been circulated in the same way by the Clergy, in this city and neighbourhood, to the amount of £12 13 1. The cost of those supplied during the past year, to the National School, is £14 15; and a debt of long standing to the District Committee at Kingston, has been liquidated, by the transmission of Books and Tracts to the value of £25 3 10.

A Lending Library in the Gaol, established last year by the Archdeacon of Quebec, has also been furnished with books from the Repository, to the amount of £12 7 3; and the Committee have the satisfaction of stating, that they are eagerly sought after by the prisoners, in whose habits and conduct there is an improvement, which, if not *marked*, is at least *certain*, and may be expected to be progressive.—To this desirable end the Schools which have been opened in the Prison, under the auspices of a Society recently formed in this city, with a view to ameliorate their morals and condition, will no doubt mainly contribute.

It may be proper to remark, that some alterations have lately been made in the price of the books, both to members and the public, in consequence of the new terms, on which Foreign Committees are now supplied by the Parent Society; and it is also in contemplation to print a fresh Catalogue, which is much required on many accounts, but particularly by reason of the change of prices.