

### LABOURERS INCREASING.

It will afford satisfaction to our observant and zealous friends, who saw in the last Minutes "One wanted," and, "To be supplied," affixed to not a few of the Mission Stations and Circuits, to be informed, that since Conference the gracious Head of the Church has partly relieved the anxieties of the Superintendent of Missions, and Chairmen of Districts, by thrusting several promising men into the work; and that others are coming forward: but the insufficiency of the number makes it still necessary to pray the Lord of the harvest for *more* gifted and faithful labourers.

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### APPROACHING ANNIVERSARIES.

It is of great importance that the Branch Meetings should have correct, and sufficient information of the past year's proceedings of the Society in whose behalf those Meetings are held; and the Introduction of the Annual Report is so constructed as to embody that information. It would occupy about ten minutes in reading, and our suggestion is, that when a local report for a Branch has not been prepared, the Introduction might be presented to the Meeting. It is official and authentic in its statements. No annual gatherings in Canada are so fresh and exhilarant in their spirit, none purer and loftier, than these Anniversary Meetings, and none more conducive to the object sought by the Christian Church. Every District plan of appointments conscientiously carried out by the indefatigable Ministry and Laity, and the presence of the Divine Being believably invoked, shall not this Missionary season be unusually hallowed and productive?"

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### REQUEST TO MISSIONARIES.

While it is expected by the Conference that every Minister having a Mission in charge, will furnish annually a full, official Report of his work at the May District Meeting, it is very desirable that more frequent correspondence should take place with the General Superintendent of the Missions. All particulars need not be embraced in it; but remarkable success in old fields, the occupancy of new ground, the formation of congregations, classes, and schools, the erection of churches, school houses, and parsonages, the organization of Branch Missionary, or Tract Societies, Dedicatory and Anniversary occasions, Special efforts in spiritual or temporal things, striking incidents, and above all the conversion of precious souls—these are facts which cannot be too soon recorded; and if chronicled with *brevity*, and for the glory of God, should, if practicable, be published. We need *facts*, not comments. The publication of Wesleyan Missionary Notices in Canada presents an opportunity for gathering up, and rendering useful all such matter. The issue for the present is *quarterly*, and the next number will appear in February, and communications must arrive by the First of the preceding month, that such extracts be made as space allows. In this way "the knowledge of the Lord" is intended to be diffused, and the means necessary for the accomplishment of the holy object for which our respected Brethren only live, be more fully attained and applied.