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THE Committee, deeply sensible of many imperfections connected with their labors, would humble themselves before the searcher of hearts. They desire to commend the Society, its publications, and themselves to God for his blessing, through the blood of the Divine Redeemer. Yet, while they thus appear before God as unprofitable servants, would they hail with emotions of gratitude and joy the return of this Anniversary season to report the transactions of the past year. To God the tribute of thanksgiving ought to be rendered for the tokens of his approbation, as seen in the love, union, and success which have characterized all the proceedings of the year.

The affairs of your Society viewed merely in a commercial aspect, present little that is grand or imposing; but regarded in a spiritual light they are invested with sublime importance, and issue in eternal blessings. This is not said because there are many well authenticated facts of good having been effected, but in the assured persuasion that divine truth conveyed in such a variety of ways, and to such an extent as is done by your Society, must by the blessing of God be profitable to the souls of men.