

APPENDIX :

Bible Society House, Earl Street,
Blackfriars, London, May 31st. 1824.

J. W. NUTTING, Esq. Sec'y
Nova-Scotia Bible Society.

DEAR SIR,

Your esteemed favours of the 2d and 29th ult. duly came to hand. The latter enclosing a Bill for one hundred eighty eight pounds sterling; of which I have entered £94 as free contribution from the Nova Scotia Auxiliary Society; and £94 for the purchase of Bibles and Testaments: which together with a former balance of £13 9 5 in your favour, makes the present credit of your Society £107 9 5 for Bibles and Testaments if required.

The Committee will, at all times, most cheerfully grant to the Nova Scotia Bible Society such supplies of the Scriptures, in any of the languages spoken in that Province, as will encourage them to investigate by every means in their power, and supply the wants of the poor, throughout the Province; by sale at low prices or gratuitously, as their circumstances may require them.

They would, however, recommend that, whenever it be found practicable, Bible Associations be established for the purpose of regularly ascertaining the wants of the inhabitants in regard to the Holy Scriptures: and encouraging them to supply themselves with them by means of small weekly contributions, which should be regularly called for by the Collectors. Such Associations have been found, by experience, to prove the very life of an Auxiliary Society; and have been found most effectual where female exertion has been obtained in visiting the poor.

It will afford you pleasure to learn that our 20th anniversary was not less interesting than any preceding one; and that every month adds several new Associations to our list. Our late meeting exhibited two peculiar features, a British Nobleman openly testifying his conversion through the means of Bible Society Meeting, and Dr. Morrison from China presenting a copy of the whole Bible translated into that language by himself and Dr. Milne, which was borne, while he was addressing the meeting, by his interesting little son, who is, I believe, a native of China.

Hoping that your Society may increase in extent and usefulness is the earnest prayer of

Your faithful and obedient servant,

JOS. TARN,

Ass. Sec'y and Accountant

P. S.—I have omitted to communicate to you a resolution of our Committee which I now subjoin.

Committee British and Foreign Bible Society,
May 28th, 1824.

RESOLVED,—That 500 Bibles including 25 French Bibles and 1000 Testaments including 50 French Testaments, be placed at the disposal of the Committee of the Nova Scotia Bible Society.

J. W. NUTTING, Esq.

DEAR SIR,

I am happy to be addressed to Mr. Br. the business of the cases containing to your Mr. G. B.

The perusal of the Committee, to which I am obliged by this Gaelic Scriptures, to your Discretion whether gratuitous.

The manner in which the last remittance of the Committee, to which I am obliged by this Gaelic Scriptures, to your Discretion whether gratuitous.

Wishing you every success in your labours, I am, Sir, your obedient servant.

DEAR SIR,

I enclose herewith a list of the names of the donors of the Nova Scotia Bible Society, and the exertions of this Society, which may add some interest to your benevolence, which is ever your friend.

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