

made by ten of the missionaries, 12000 pages tracts distributed by four of the laborers, 3 meeting-houses opened, 2 churches organized and 313 baptisms reported; that the total income of the Society since the last annual meeting, amounts to £692 18s: total expenditures £670 5s. 9d½: balance in treasury £22 2s. 3d½.

The friends of the cause may well be encouraged at such an increase of labor, income and results, over the preceding years. "Pray ye the Lord of the Harvest that he send forth more laborers into the Harvest."

In view of the resources of our churches, and the wide spread destitution in our Home Mission field, and of the blessings so bountifully granted in connexion with the labors of our missionaries, your committee dare not counsel retrenchment. We rather say, "devise liberal things," for the promotion of this glorious work.

Your Committee approve the method of affording constant aid in places where a weak interest has good prospects of enlargement, until such interest becomes self-sustaining.

In view of the necessity for meeting-houses in some parts of the country, we beg to recommend to the churches the matter of aiding in the construction of such houses, whether by combined effort in the form of a "Chapel Building Society," a "Lending Fund," or of individual beneficence.

In behalf of the Committee.

S. N. BENTLEY, *Chairman.*

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Infirm Ministers' Fund, in acct. with B. DOUGLAS, Treasurer.

1859.		DR.	£	s.	d.
June 30.	To sundry payment to Mrs. Hull during the year,		9	10	4½
1858.		CR.	£	s.	d.
July 1.	By cash in Treasurer's Hands as per account rendered,		£24	0	10½
8.	Cash per C. Black Esq.		16	0	3
	Bal. in last acct. to June 30th, '59.		1	0	0
			£25	17	1½
Bal. to June 30th, '59.			£16	6	9