

lost condition ; convinced me of my sins and their eternal consequences, and enabled me to return to my Saviour again. The Lord is gracious, He has pardoned my sins, and now I feel that I love Him ; and, enjoying His favour, I do magnify the grace of God which has done so much for me. I look upon this world and temporal things as dung and dross compared with the things of eternity. At home or abroad, I feel Him precious to my heart ; and whenever I contemplate Him, He is sweet to my soul. I can trust him for the future ; and I am ready for His call, whenever He may be pleased to call me hence."

JAMES STANDER.—"I am deeply convinced that I am frail and mortal, and may soon leave this world ; and for this end I often examine my heart, and more especially I have tried to-day to cast my whole soul to Jesus, and to consecrate myself afresh to Him. I feel happy in His love, and I have the assurance of His favour ; and in meditating on the great atonement and the sufferings of Christ, which we are soon to commemorate, I can look with the eye of faith and there see the blood of Christ streaming down from His wounded side. I long to go home to my Father's house—that beautiful house, where the weary are for ever at rest."

THOMAS MAMANOWATUM.—"I desire also to express my gratitude to God for His mercies and blessings in the past. I have felt and tasted of His goodness and love. I feel very happy, being delivered from the guilt and power of sin. I had no power, no merit to save myself from sin ; but the grace of God was sufficient, and that was enough. It saved me from sin, and I can now rejoice in His all-prevailing power. I am a child of God, saved by grace, and adopted into His family by the cleansing efficacy of His blood. I am growing in grace ; and I desire more than ever to glorify my God in all I think, or speak, or do. Last year, this time, I left you here to assist in the good work of establishing a Mission, at Beren's River ; while there, I have often felt

happy while endeavouring to point my heathen brethren to Jesus Christ that taketh away the sin of the world ; and I often feel happy in my heart while trying to lead my members the way to heaven. I consecrate myself afresh to God. I can trust Him for the future : for His guidance and support in life and death. He is my God and my portion for ever."

MARY OIZ.—"I feel very happy this moment. My heart is filled with the love of God. I know that I love Him and His people, and I feel a great delight in the means of grace. I was once a sinner before God, wandering in the paths of sin ; but God convinced me of my lost condition, and enabled me to rejoice in His pardoning mercy through faith in the atonement. I pray God to keep me faithful, that I may feast with you in heaven around the throne of God."

NANCY BADGER.—"My heart is full of joy and peace in believing. When I contemplate the past, when Mr. Brooking and his interpreter first endeavoured to point to me the way of salvation, and was led to believe in Christ as my only Saviour, I rejoice to think of the happy period of my life, when Jesus spoke peace to my troubled heart by washing away my sins by His precious blood. Since that time I have tried to live in the fear of God, and to walk closely with my God ; and in doing so my peace and joy have been increased proportionately. May God ever keep me humble and faithful."

NANCY RUNDLE.—"I feel very happy, and my heart is warmed while hearing the people of God telling their experience to one another ; and I bless God that he has permitted me to attend this lovefeast. You are all aware that I was not able to attend your last quarterly meeting, on account of sickness ; but I bless God for His mercies toward me, in thus prolonging my life. Still, I feel my time is short here, on earth. For this end, I desire so to live in this world that when I am called away I may enter heaven, and enjoy everlasting life to all eternity."

MARY GIBB.—"I desire to praise