

	Bibles.	Testaments.
To Branch Societies and individuals,.....	1,169	759
Ladies' Associations,.....	174	128
The poor gratuitously,	296	174
Cash sales at Depository,.....	278	219
Colporteurs and Agents,.....	421	324
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Total number of Bibles and Testaments distributed, 4142, being an excess of 862 over the previous year.

The Committee, before closing this report, would advert to the loss which they have sustained by the death of one of their oldest and best tried friends, the Rev. JOHN MARTIN, whose advocacy of the cause of the Bible, and whose attachment to its precious truths, were conspicuous during his long ministerial career in this city. The friends thus taken from us only admonish the more those who remain to use every exertion during the time still allotted, for the spread of God's Holy Word, as the best instrumentality for the salvation of immortal souls.

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