

our brethren, no other means of religious instruction is afforded to the people; and that but for their labours the Sabbaths of the Lord would fall into disregard, and the very forms of religion be relinquished, (for in this state the people were generally found,) the stations in Newfoundland have a powerful claim upon the christian compassion of the public at home. Much good has been done, and the toils and privations to which the Missionaries have subjected themselves in their benevolent work, have been in many places abundantly rewarded in the moral and religious improvement of the people.

Canada.—The stations occupied are Quebec, Montreal, Kingston, St. Armand's, Melbourne, Stanstead, Three Rivers, Shefford, and Caldwell Manor; the number of missionaries is nine, with Mr. De Patron, who conducts the French Mission, itinerating wherever he has an opening.

The numbers in society in the Canada District, were not fully reported in the minutes, owing to the transfer of several stations in Upper and Lower Canada, between our brethren and the missionaries of the American Conference.

MISSION IN THE IRISH LANGUAGE.

The missionaries itinerate from town to town, and preach to multitudes of people in the open air; and in the course of the last year, many who were involved in gross darkness and superstition, have been brought to the knowledge of the truth.

The Missionaries employed by the Society, including several Native Assistants, are,

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| In France and Gibraltar | 5 |
| In Ceylon and Continental India | 23 |
| In New South Wales, Van Diemen's Land, and New Zealand | 8 |
| In West and South Africa | 13 |
| In the British Colonies, West Indies, including upwards of thirty Stations | 47 |
| In the British Dominions in North America | 41 |
| In Ireland (using the Irish language) | 11 |
| Total | 148 |

The numbers in our Foreign Societies on the Mission Stations when last reported are,—

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| In Gibraltar and France | 104 |
| In New South Wales | 90 |
| In Ceylon and Madras | 359 |
| In Western Africa | 470 |
| In Southern Africa | 207 |
| In British North America | 3582 |
| In the West Indies | 23857 |
| Total | 28,699 |

The following are the gross amounts from the various Auxiliaries, &c. of Contributions to the Wesleyan Missionary Society, from January 1, to December 31, 1821:

| | £. | s. | d. | | £. | s. | d. |
|-------------------|------|----|----|------------------|------|----|----|
| Aberdeen District | 51 | 16 | 1 | Liverpool do | 1679 | 1 | 70 |
| Birmingham do | 797 | 17 | 3 | London do | 4207 | 11 | 7 |
| Bristol do | 1270 | 12 | 6 | Lynn do | 261 | 2 | 0 |
| Canterbury do | 623 | 8 | 6 | Macclesfield do | 524 | 4 | 0 |
| Carlisle do | 189 | 6 | 0 | Madeley do | 281 | 2 | 3 |
| Cornwall do | 941 | 12 | 1 | Manchester do | 1805 | 15 | 5 |
| Edinburgh do | 130 | 12 | 8 | Newcastle do | 803 | 10 | 9 |
| Exeter do | 159 | 8 | 8 | Norwich do | 379 | 5 | 0 |
| Guernsey do | 166 | 5 | 6 | Nottingham do | 1100 | 14 | 1 |
| Halifax do | 955 | 9 | 2 | Northampton do | 170 | 7 | 3 |
| Hull do | 1192 | 9 | 7 | Oxford do | 232 | 16 | 1 |
| Ile of Man do | 65 | 4 | 3 | Portsmouth do | 226 | 18 | 0 |
| Leeds do | 1335 | 2 | 11 | Plymouth Dock do | 443 | 2 | 11 |
| Lincoln do | 977 | 15 | 5 | Sheffield do | 1452 | 16 | 0 |

First Welsh do
Second Welsh do
Whitby do
York do
Hibernian do
Missionary do
Bahama Auxiliary do
Bermuda do
Bombay do
Madras do
Montreal do
Quebec do
Nova Scotia do
Demerara do
Dominica do
France do
Fort Wellington

Notwithstanding exceeded those large as to the £7508 : 5s. : 11 the Committee suffered to wait but greatly enlarged

For the liberations to the Officers of have in so many and Saviour, at their best than are again left claims upon the blessed have they have, thro still judgment is Congregations but when the a Every principle ticipate the con full enjoyment of " saving heal dition of so many should decline again, when in fluence, and his nity, and, in the and if ministers to answer the ca hands to pour in those Circuits v up to our help," shall not fail to and Branches, v conducted more them that specia

In conclusion, spirit of prayer s be conducted, au Whether we labo lie, ever be it ren holy. " To Him