

year £160,000, and the expenditure about the same.

"THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE GOSPEL IN FOREIGN PARTS" held its 161st Anniversary in May last. This is another English Church Society which since its institution, has expended more than £2,000,000 sterling, and sent 2,500 clergymen to minister to members of that communion in foreign lands. The Society's income for 1861, we are informed, amounted to £84,000 and that 419 clergymen and a great many teachers were supported altogether or in part out of these funds.

The Wesleyans in England are a powerful, well organized and rapidly growing body. They have long been distinguished for their zeal in missions. THE WESLEYAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY held its annual meeting in Exeter Hall. Our readers may have some idea of the scale on which this Society conducts operations when we inform them that it occupies 265 principal stations, upwards of 4000 chapels, employs 849 missionaries and upwards of 1000 agents, catechists, interpreters, &c. It has also 1,500 unpaid agents and about 150,000 members under its charge. To keep in motion this extensive and complicated machinery, it possesses an annual revenue of £136,000, besides legacies, donations, &c.

We have next THE LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY with a total yearly income of £79,000. The work of this Society is carried on throughout the islands of Polynesia, China, India, Madagascar and Central and South Africa. It possesses three institutions for the education and preparation for the Christian ministry of native Christians, and it is encouraging to find that 115 persons of this class are receiving instructions in connection with the numerous islands of Polynesia.

The BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY also held its Annual Meeting in Exeter Hall. This Society at the present moment sustains 66 missionaries and 148 native preachers and catechists. The number of members is nearly 6000, and it is stated that during the year 3,757 have been baptized. They maintain a mission college at Serampore, and report conversions of the heathen from nearly every station in Bengal. The funds of the Society amount to £33,000 a year.

What is called the UNITED METHODIST FREE CHURCH, maintains Home and Foreign

Missions with an annual income of £11,000.

The PRIMITIVE METHODIST MISSION, held their annual meeting at the Tabernacle, Newington, which was crowded by more than 7,000 listeners. This Society supports 190 missionaries with an income of £14,000.

The TURKISH AID SOCIETY expends £5,000 for the spread of Christianity among the Turks.

The PASTORAL AID SOCIETY.—This excellent Society raises nearly £50,000 a year, which is expended in grants to clergymen and lay agents in bringing the gospel to the destitute heathen of the great cities of the Mother country.

The LONDON CITY MISSION whose object is of a similar character with the preceeding, but carried out somewhat differently, by distributing copies of the Scriptures, tracts, and employing besides 400 missionaries in the work. Their receipts during the past year were £37,000.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCRIPTURE READERS SOCIETY.—Annual income £10,000.

There are also Wesleyan Home Mission, Congregational Home Mission, and Baptist Home Mission Societies, each in its own way doing much good.

The IRISH CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY has an income of £30,000.

The LONDON SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIANITY AMONG THE JEWS, has an income of £33,000—expends £30,000.

The BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE JEWS.—Annual receipts £6,274.

The COLONIAL CHURCH SOCIETY possesses an income of about £30,000.

The BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY which has agencies in nearly every quarter of the globe and a princely income of £168,000. Had our space permit we would gladly give details of the Report of this great and most useful Society, but at present we can only name it.

The RELIGIOUS TRACT SOCIETY.—This Society's income last year was £12,000 and the number of its publications amounted to about 42,000,000. This Society has done much to to meet and check the many infidel publications which annually pollute and deluge the land.

We might go on enumerating but we find that space would fail us to give even a list of all the benevolent and Missionary Societies