

triarch of Constantinople is very favorable to the Bible Society, and has given his sanction and favour for the circulation of the Turkish version of the New Testament in the Armenian character. The Greek Patriarch is likewise favourable to the proceedings of this Society; and a hope is entertained, that under his auspices, their work will, with the divine blessing, proceed without interruption.

The exertions for the spread of the Bible at Bermuda, have been highly prospered, particularly among the black population. The same important results have attended similar exertions at Trinidad; and a manager of an Estate affirmed, that the Negroes do three times the work they formerly did, and are quite cheerful and happy.—Any thing which tends to the amelioration of the condition of those unfortunate people, must cheer the heart of every benevolent individual, to see adopted.—The LADIES ASSOCIATION of Nottingham (England) have obtained, in little more than six months, 5,000 subscribers: nearly 2,000 Bibles and Testaments have been circulated at the cost prices; and about £1,200 have been collected. A LADIES BRANCH COMMITTEE at Coventry had, within seven weeks, obtained 3,368 subscribers, and collected £203.—A Bible Society is established at Grenoble (France) auxiliary to the Paris Society.—

The printing of the whole of the Bible in Chinese, carrying on at Malacca, draws near to a close.—In three days, 499 Arabic Testaments and 640 Arabic Psalters were distributed by the Societe's Agent at Aleppo.—The Evangelical Missionary Society at Basle, has been encouraged to provide Missionaries, destined to several quarters of continental Asia. No one of that Seminary, announces himself as the disciple of Luther, of Calvin, or of Zuinglius—they know but one master—Christ.—The vacant Churches at the CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, by an official act, are to be filled by Clergymen of the established Church of Scotland, who have received instruction in the Dutch language in Holland.—One hundred and fifty new schools have been formed in France in the preceding year of April, 1829, making, with those previously reported, 140. Government, by grants of money, aids the establishment of these elementary Schools, whether Protestant or Catholic. Efforts are making to establish Sunday Schools.—The Paris Bible Society, during the last year, distributed 600 Testaments in the Schools, connected with the Paris Society, for instruction.—1000 Spanish Bibles and Testaments were disposed of at Lima (South America) in less than three days.

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