

Room, and whether old or young, walk two and two, attended by the Minister, to Henley.

The distance being nearly four miles, there is a waggon provided, to relieve those who may be fatigued. They have some slight refreshment at a private house, and are never allowed to separate or disperse till they return home. On the road, both going and returning, psalms (with which the greater part are familiar) are sung as they walk in order. Before they break up, on their return to the School-Room, a few words of exhortation are addressed to them, and a prayer for their spiritual welfare is offered up.

Medical Aid.

“ Nearly 200 were vaccinated this year, it being, as usual, in the third year after the last Vaccination. Of these many mixed with those who had the small-pox, and no instance occurred of that complaint being communicated.”

It would be well if young persons, devoted to the Ministry, had some little knowledge of Surgery and Medicine. The Holy Apostles and our Divine Master healed diseases, and it can never be considered inappropriate in the Minister of Christ, to imitate his Master's conduct as far as lieth in him; at all events it would seem more useful and not less interesting, than chemistry, and many other branches of science to which a large portion of Academical time is devoted.

The Clergyman is brought so often in contact with the sickness of his parishioners, and has so many opportunities of arresting disease in its first attack, or of relieving its acuteness, that it seems to be quite in character with the duties of a Parochial Clergyman to be able to administer, with some little degree of judgment, those medicines which a good God has bestowed to heal sickness. Vaccination seems particularly to come under his charge; nay, it is almost impossible in country parishes, far from medical advice, to have this properly attended to, without his assistance. The medical attendant of a parish is not, and never can be, paid a sufficient sum to enable him to devote