

Nova Scotia and Prince Edward's, interesting statements, by the Revs. J. Alexander, A. Jordan, R. W. Dyer, and other agents, are published. Respecting Newfoundland, Commander Hancock, R. N., sends a striking appeal to the sympathies of British Christians. Mr. J. W. Marriot, Inspector of Schools and Organizing Master, reports on the great distress prevalent in the island. Extracts are given from the letters of agents in New Brunswick. With reference to the diocese of Rupert's Land, the Bishop (Dr. Anderson), after reporting on the labours of the Rev. G. O. Corbett, and urging the appointment of another missionary, says:—

"Should this year bring on events as rapidly as the last, how much will have transpired in it! What a change already in Italy! May it only continue and advance, and the poor unhappy country settle down. What a large list you now have of chaplains on the Continent! How many, too, in the Diocese of Huron! I tried to extract one from good Bishop Cronyn in September, but he would not allow he could spare any, although I told him I thought my need was greater than his. He is doing a good work, and filling his diocese with good and true men."

In the Diocese of British Columbia, the Rev. W. B. Orikmer has been removed from Derby to Fort Yale, as offering now a better field for missionary labour.

JAMAICA AND THE BAHAMAS.—The African population of Jamaica look to England for the means of establishing scriptural schools for the young and for the encouragement of lay agency for the visitation of their scattered houses, under the superintendence of the local clergy. Extracts are given from letters of the Bishop of Kingston (asking for a clergyman for Coracal, Honduras,) and several of the clergy in reference to scriptural schools, the revival, &c. Reports are also published from the agents in the Bahamas (which are in Jamaica diocese).

SIERRA LEONE.—SEAMEN'S MISSION.—The Committee had promised the late lamented Bishop Bowen that they would provide assistance towards the maintenance of a chaplain for British sailors in the port. The grant has been claimed by, and conceded to, his successor, the present Bishop. A clergyman, originally appointed by the Bishop for other services, has undertaken to perform the duties until permanent arrangements can be made.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.—The Rev. R. G. Lamb has been obliged to return to England for a time to recruit his health. During his sojourn here he received a most gratifying token of the goodwill of some of his former flock. From the Eastern Province, the Bishop of Graham's Town writes respecting three of the Society's agents.

MAURITIUS.—The Sailors' Mission in Port Louis has been a remarkable instance of progress. The faithful labours of Rev. J. G. Bichard, under the immediate superintendence and constant encouragement of the excellent Bishop of Mauritius, have been attended with most blessed results.

THE EAST INDIES.—Details are given with regard to the Seamen's Mission, employing a clergyman and catechist at Calcutta, and also with respect to Madras.

CHINA.—The Rev. J. Hobson, Colonial Chaplain, sends the Report of