

ago, and have since been gradually deepened. Not until this had he ventured to open his mind to any but his God. May the Lord in his mercy raise up many such to speak for Him in these little nurseries, helping all who are engaged in them by his Holy Spirit!"

#### NEW OPENINGS FOR LABOR.

"During the spring and summer I received very pressing invitations to visit the East Branch of the Saint Mary's River, 26 miles from my residence; also to visit a settlement within twelve miles of Antigonishe, where, I am informed, there are a few poor neglected families; likewise another settlement at or near Lochabar Lake, on the same route. These are all desirous of having Sunday-schools and Libraries established. 'Although,' say the people, 'there are not so many Episcopalians, there are some, and all sorts, as well as your own, would be glad to see you, and be thankful for a service or two from you, and some of the papers about your Society, and those nice little tracts you scatter about.' Since those invitations, which have been repeated several times, it has been out of my power to visit the people. I mention these as so many proofs, not only of destitution, but of the willingness of the people to receive the services of the agents of the Colonial Church Society."

"Nov. 8th 1849.—I might very easily fill many sheets in reporting destitute localities, but it may at present suffice to say that we are now wanting at least seven or eight Catechists, School masters and mistresses for stations, several of which have been long occupied by the Society, and the others have made strong and repeated appeals for assistance. The inhabitants at each of these stations are ready to do to the utmost in their power towards the stipend of each teacher whenever the Society will send them."

"The stations here referred to are:—Gut of Canso, a catechist and schoolmaster, a single man, or one married but without a family, would be desirable; Halfway Cove, Chedabucto Bay, ditto; Country Harbor, ditto; West Branch of St. Mary's River, a female teacher; St. Mary's River, near the mouth, ditto; St. Margaret's Bay, ditto; Kennetecook, ditto; and at Little Liscomb and Jegoggin, a *good* man, even with inferior abilities, would do for the present. The people are very, very poor, but desirous of instruction. For those stations we require persons of *piety, activity, and self-denial.*"

Your Committee would here bring these extracts to a close. The materials under their hands were so abundant, and the facts brought to their notice so numerous and in-