

sitory. Agents are wanted to distribute them, and your committee would earnestly urge on every subscriber to take a personal interest in the work of distribution.— By a law of the society every subscriber is entitled to Tracts equal in value to half the sum he has subscribed. Let each subscriber make a judicious distribution of these at least, and the society will have reason to rejoice in the number of its agents.

It forms one part of the plan of this society, to remit a portion of its funds to the parent institution in London—with the view of extending the distribution of Tracts in Heathen Lands. The sum which will be thus appropriated, can for the present only be small, but it becomes us thus to express our interest in the benevolent plans of the parent society, and our obligations as those who have tasted of the good word of God, to bear a part in the evangelization of the world. The Gospel wherever its power is felt, expands the soul with its own heavenly charity, and awakens the desire that all nations may share in its unsearchable riches.

Whether therefore we look upon the promising fields opened up, for the dissemination of religious truth by Tract distribution, in this or in foreign lands, we ought to be encouraged to greater and more persevering exertions. Though few in number and of limited resources, we may bear a part in the blessed work. Nor will the drop we let fall undistinguished by human eye, into the vast tide of Christian enterprize, ever lose its individuality before the eye of God, or fail of its reward.

While the Committee return thanks to the collectors who this night retire from office, they fervently hope that those who shall be appointed to succeed them, may manifest still greater diligence, and meet with still larger success, and be highly honoured as co-workers together with God in the redemption of the world.