

being a forty mile stage drive to Kingsport. This church is the oldest in the Union. The Pastor's wife (Mrs. E. C. W. MacColl) writes: "We had a pleasant meeting with Mrs. Watson in the afternoon; in the evening both Mr. and Mrs. Watson addressed the meeting, and their addresses were much enjoyed; we were glad to meet them, and hope their visit here will be an encouragement and help." Passing on to Queen's Co., meetings were held at Brooklyn, Milton, Beech Meadow, and Liverpool. These societies were strengthened by wise counsel and cheering words; especially were the meetings enjoyed at Beech Meadows; old friends met and new plans were formed. From Liverpool Mrs. Watson continued her journey alone, visiting Pleasant River and Hemford (the Dr. returning to Hamilton). Her labors were so much appreciated in one place that she received a call to remain and minister to the spiritual wants of the people.

The condition of the roads at this time, owing to the prevailing wet weather, made travel very fatiguing on the old fashioned stage coaches still used in Queen's Co. Mrs. Watson arrived in Yarmouth weary and ill; here she rested a few days, before resuming her labors; old friendships were renewed and pleasant memories of her visit will linger long with us.

Her addresses in Yarmouth and Chebogue were practical, forcible and inspiring, giving an impetus to our local work and begetting a greater interest in missions generally. Letters were coming in from the various Societies, telling of the interest aroused and the good work done on every hand.

We feel grateful for the information and help afforded through the medium of our sister's visit.

Lions were sometimes in the way, but she bravely met and overcame them, and succeeded (with one exception) in carrying out the plan she had marked out. After a short rest in Yarmouth, completing a two months tour, one bright morning found her en route for the "Kingdom called Home," where bright smiles and loving hearts were waiting for her. Her words and work will not be forgotten.

From Miss Helen J. Melville.

CISAMBA, W. C. Africa, Oct. 5th, 1896.

We are all well and so thankful for this continued good health. I have fever now and again, but very light attacks. Last Saturday we had a long walk, for about two hours, and visited quite a number of villages. There is quite a work to be done in visiting the women in their own homes; we can do so little and there is so much to be done; the women so need the light of the Gospel. O do pray for us, that in some way we