

To return to our own Society :

The issues from our Depository for the year ending 30th of		
April, 1841, were, in all, .....	8,721	
For the year now ended, .....	12,127	
Making an increase of .....		3,406
The amount supplied to Branch and Auxiliary Societies		
for 1841 .....	£930 17 2½	
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Of the above, 1,336 copies have been issued for the use of Sunday Schools principally in Toronto and its vicinity, exclusive of what may have been supplied for the same purpose by Branch Societies, affording satisfactory evidence that the teachers and parents of the pupils of those schools consider the Bible to be the very best and the cheapest book they can provide.

Owing to the exertions of certain philanthropic individuals, the monopoly of printing the Bible has been abolished in Scotland, in consequence of which a corresponding reduction of price has taken place among the English printers. This has enabled the British and Foreign Bible Society to furnish Bibles at the low rate of 1s. 6d. sterling, and which have been issued from our Depository at 2s. currency.

Your Committee, finding that a great demand existed on the part of the Scotch and Irish Presbyterians for copies of the Scriptures having the Scotch Metrical Version of the Psalms and the Paraphrases bound up with them, ordered from the Glasgow Bible Society a small supply, but finding that that Society furnished them with the Psalms only, have forwarded an order to the Scottish Board of which the Rev. Dr. Thomson of Coldstream is the Secretary, for 1,330 copies, which they hope to receive early in the summer. We have here much pleasure in acknowledging the liberality of the Glasgow Society in forwarding the books free of

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