There is a strong desire existing here to build a suitable house for the Service of the Most High. Mr. Ward has promised 10 acres of land, while the residue of his family make up an amount of \$200. A farmer in the neighbourhood has promised \$10, while another who lives near Drew's Mills, has offered \$25. There is reason to hope then that this Township of Barford may have a Church erected within it before many years have gone by.

The Barford Congregation have paid to me the full amount due from them. It is, however, but just to say that Mr. Ward has forwarded the whole of this; with very little prospect of any being refunded. On the other hand, I must add, that Mr. A. Damon, of Drew's Mills, seems determined to support the Church, and will, I have no doubt, pay the subscription he has promised.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

CHAS. ROBERTS.

The Rev. the Secretary of the Church Society. Bourg-Louis, January 15, 1862.

THE REV. C. ROBERTS' REPORT OF HIS SERVICES AS LAY-READER.

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I have been requested to send in a Report to the Church Society, detailing Missionary operations in Bourg-Louis, for the last five months, during which time I laboured in that district as Lay-Reader.

I found a very good spirit manifested upon my arrival at Bourg-Louis. The people had come to the conclusion that a resident Missionary would be an advantage to them. Consequently they were determined to show by their good con-