

chiefly managed by some well-disposed young ladies belonging to the Baptist Church; but they seem to think they cannot for another year bestow on it the attention it requires." Your Committee trust that these young ladies will not weary in well-doing; but, like their Divine Master, will go about doing good, knowing that in due season they will reap if they faint not.

Several applications have been made from various quarters to your Committee, for a supply of Books and Tracts on sale, for the purpose of forming small Depositories at different places. A Resolution has been passed by them allowing responsible persons to have small supplies on a short credit, with the condition that none of the books are to be returned; and an intimation that, if punctuality in payment was observed, they might expect the continued assistance of the Society in always keeping up an assortment in such places. The Rev. Mr. Mechan, of Bowmansville, and Mr. Arnold, of Woodstock, have each received a small stock on these terms; and the Rev. Mr. Christie, of West Flamboro', having applied for a similar privilege, his application has met with the approval of your Committee.

#### *Brantford Agency.*

A supply of Tracts having been granted to Mr. Ludlow, of Brantford, for gratuitous distribution in that Town, a letter has been received from him in which he states: "I distributed in Brantford and vicinity a great number. I visited forty-four houses, and at each house left a Tract, to be exchanged on the following Sabbath." Again he states: "A great number were quite happy that I had received a fresh supply of Tracts. I revisited the places I had visited on the previous Sabbath, and several other houses, in all 76, and I gave several to the Military in the village, and a great number to the poor negroes; they were received with tears of thankfulness to Almighty God and to the benevolent Society which is the channel through which the Most High is pleased to convey them. I leave Tracts at five Taverns, trusting that bread cast even upon these waters may return after many days. Mr. Ludlow again writes: \* \* \* \* \* "I humbly beg to return to the Society my sincere thanks for the last donation of Tracts; this makes me feel that the Lord of the harvest will still send out his messengers into the vineyard, whether the people be willing or