

books to give to their servants or friends, or enter into friendly conversation with me about the Society's work, to which they wish success. From these places I go away feeling glad that I came to them.

I sometimes meet with persons whose minds are fixed on the things that pertain to their eternal peace, but are still without a consciousness of their sins being pardoned. I show to them the freeness and fullness of salvation through Jesus.

I am glad to be able to report that some persons have become pious and God-fearing men, and the book or tract given in faith and love, with the blessing of God, may have formed an important factor in producing this result.

During a portion of every year the roads are in a bad state, which sometimes caused travelling to be dangerous and difficult, but in the midst of hardships I sometimes would meet with kind friends by the way, for whom I feel grateful to Him who provides for us and bestows on us so many consolations.

I meet the religious and the irreligious; the devout and the profane; the believer and the infidel; the young and the aged; some rejoicing at a recent event, others weeping owing to bereavement; some in affluence, others in poverty; some on their death bed, rejoicing in the hope of a glorious immortality, others cast down with doubts and fears. To all I show the record that God has given His Son; "that God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." I try to give words of comfort or counsel suitable to the case of each person.

I visited the Lunatic Asylum, and was very kindly received by the Supervisor, Mr. McPhail. I sold nine dollars worth of books there. The poor lunatics are well cared for here and kept comfortable.

It is cheering to see, as I travel from place to place, the erection of new churches and the enlargement of old ones, and to hear of the addition of church members to almost every Protestant congregation, and to hear of Sunday Schools started in remote corners, where, perhaps, in the near future there will be a church erected.

During revivals which have taken place here and there, many souls have turned to the Lord with full purpose of heart, and are evidencing the reality of their faith by the consistency of their lives. I am happy to bear testimony that there is a continued demand for the Word of God, and those beautiful, evangelical hymns, as well as those lovely books of sermons, which we sell so cheaply and plentifully, are considered as spiritual food to thousands on this Island. The knowledge which people have thus acquired of Divine Truth has been the means of leading them to show forth the praises of Him who hath called them out of darkness into his marvellous light.