

THE
REPORT
OF THE
WESLEYAN METHODIST
AUXILIARY
Missionary Society,
FOR THE
NEWFOUNDLAND DISTRICT,
1840.

WITH A LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS, &c.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND:
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Rules.

IN consideration of the lamentably destitute state of many parts of this Island, and the large expenditure of the Parent Society in London in support of Missions already established in it, it has been agreed to form an Auxiliary in Newfoundland, of which the following are the general rules:

- 1.—This Society shall be denominated the "NEWFOUNDLAND AUXILIARY WESLEYAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY."
- 2.—The express object of this Society shall be to raise a fund for increasing the number of Wesleyan Missionaries for preaching the Gospel in those places which are scarcely ever visited by the Missionaries of any Protestant denomination, and for the establishment of Sunday and Week-day Schools.
- 3.—That subscribers to the St. John's Auxiliary and its Outport Branches, of Ten Shillings per year, do constitute the members of this Society; and that all annual Subscribers of One Pound and upwards shall be eligible to act on Committee.
- 4.—That a General Annual Meeting be held in St. John's the last Wednesday in May.
- 5.—That at every Annual Meeting a General Committee shall be appointed,—the said Committee to be composed of the Wesleyan Missionaries stationed in Newfoundland, eighteen other gentlemen, and the Treasurers and Secretaries of the St. John's Auxiliary and the Branch Societies of the Island,—from which Committee, a Chairman, a Treasurer, and two Secretaries shall be chosen. The Committee shall manage the affairs of the Society in the receipt and disbursement of money and accounts. Seven members shall form a quorum for the transaction of business. All orders on the Treasurer for money, to be signed by the Chairman, and, at least; one of the Secretaries.
- 6.—That Branch Committees shall be formed as extensively as possible in all the stations occupied by the Wesleyan Missionaries in Newfoundland, to co-operate with the General Committee in accomplishing its important design.
- 7.—Wherever a Branch Committee may be formed, a Treasurer and Secretary shall be appointed, with a proper number of collectors to solicit subscriptions in their respective neighbourhoods; and to call on the Subscribers for their donations, weekly, monthly, quarterly, or yearly, as they may become due.
- 8.—The Branch Committees shall meet once every month, when the Collectors shall pay to the Treasurer whatever sums they may have received. The Treasurers of each Branch Society

to remit to the General Treasurer the amount of monies so received by them, once in every six months.

9.—The General Committee shall prepare and present to the Annual Meeting a Report of the proceedings, successes, and prospects, of this Society, accompanied with such other information relative to the Methodist Missions generally, as may be deemed necessary. The Report, if approved by the Annual Meeting, shall be printed and circulated, together with a list of contributions received in Newfoundland.

10.—In order that the names of Annual Subscribers of One Pound and upwards, with the amount of contributions raised, may be received in London sufficiently early to be printed in the General Report of the year, the accounts of each station shall be closed not later than the 15th November; and the superintendant missionary of each station shall cause an alphabetical list of subscribers of the above class, with the total amount of receipts, to be forwarded to the General Secretaries of this Society.

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Report, &c.

The Committee of the Newfoundland Auxiliary Wesleyan Missionary Society, present to its friends their Second Annual Report with feelings both of pleasure and regret. They are truly grateful to God for the continued zeal and activity manifested

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by the Collectors and Committee of the St. John's Auxiliary, and of the Outport Branches; but chiefly so on account of those obvious signs of usefulness with which the Society's operations have been attended in some of the remote places of the Island. They are cheered likewise by the deepened and confident expectation that the means which a generous public have enabled them to put in operation for meeting the moral and religious wants of large numbers of the inhabitants of Newfoundland, will, under the Divine blessing, be rendered efficient in accomplishing the saving and final purposes of our Redeemer.

The Committee have the pleasing duty to announce that through the exertions and personal intercourse of the Rev. John Pickavant, and John Nichols, Esq., Treasurer of the Society, with the Parent Committee of London, they have obtained the appointment of two additional Missionaries, the Rev. John S. Peach, and Rev. Jabez Ingham, who arrived here on the 21st November, in the Ann, Capt. Seager; that with this accession to the Missionary strength of the Island, two new stations in the distant parts of the colony will be formally and permanently taken up by the Society.

The Committee deem it unnecessary to enter into lengthened detail concerning the general Missions which are under the direction of the Parent Society; for these they respectfully invite attention to the General Annual Report, Monthly Missionary Notices, and Quarterly papers published in London; yet recognising themselves as a part of the same Society, and as engaged in the same common cause, it becomes a part of their design to include in this publication such information relating to the Methodist Missions generally as may be likely to encourage and stimulate the efforts of our friends in Newfoundland; this information, however, must be chiefly confined to New Missions, or to those whose strength has been considerably augmented, or otherwise altered in circumstances during the last year.

SPAIN.

In this country two Missionaries belonging to this Society have for some time past been employed in setting before the Spaniards a model of pure worship and sound doctrine, in opposition to the dogmas and superstitions of popery in their most debasing forms; this, as might be expected, called forth the persecuting influence of the priesthood, which has for the present proved successful in its object, and Mr. Rule and Mr. Lyon have been banished from Cadiz; the Government instigated by the priests, not even allowing one of them to remain for the purpose of administering to the religious wants of their own countrymen on board the vessels which frequent that port. The time and labour of the Missionaries have not however been thrown away; several of the Spaniards furnished proof that they had not received the Grace of God in vain, and the commencement of a work has been made which it is fervently hoped persecution may not be permitted to destroy.

NEW ZEALAND.

Within the last three or four years this Mission has assumed an aspect affording ample compensation for the hardships and sufferings endured by the Missionaries in their first attempts to introduce the Gospel among the tribes of Wangaroa on the North-east coast of New Zealand. But during the last year several important events have transpired which have called the special attention of the Parent Committee to this very promising part of the Mission field. There has been a determined effort made by a French Romish Bishop with several priests, to introduce among the natives, the unscriptural doctrines of popery; for the promulgation of which the most insidious arts have been employed, and we lament to say they have been successful in several places; again, New Zealand will, no doubt, be regularly colonized—the chiefs having ceded their country to Her Britannic Majesty in February last; and the supremacy of British rule having thereupon been formally proclaimed by Captain Hobson, R. N., Lieutenant-Governor of New Zealand, large numbers of Europeans have already emigrated thither; and under the new state of things, it may be confidently expected that the tide of emigration will flow still more largely to its shores; and from numerous precedents in the cases of other barbarous tribes, it must obviously appear that, in order to preserve the interests and secure the just rights of the Aborigines of New Zealand, they must be raised generally in the scale of civilization—and for this purpose have placed within their reach the ennobling blessings of Christianity. In addition, there is a general desire among the natives for Christian instruction. In a letter received in this Island a few days ago, from one of the Missionaries now in New Zealand, it is stated:—"There is a general call for more Missionaries for instruction in Divine things, and books are in constant demand; thousands of tracts have been printed and circulated during the year, and the forthcoming year we intend to translate and print various portions of the Old Testament. The New Testament has been circulated far and wide, and will stand as a mighty bulwark against the Man of Sin; we long to see the sacred canon completed in the New Zealand dialect." Encouraged therefore by the success which the great Head of the Church has vouchsafed to past exertions, and feeling the weight of obligation resting upon the Society in the present critical state of New Zealand to press into openings of greater usefulness which now offer themselves, the parent committee resolved to embrace the opportunity of sending by the Centenary Missionary Ship "Triton," six additional Missionaries to strengthen the older stations, and to answer some of those calls for help which hitherto, from necessity, have been altogether practically disregarded.

SOUTH AFRICA.

The claims of the Missions in this part of the world, including Albany, Caffraria, Bechuanna, and the Manlatte country, for more extensive support, which had for some years past been gradually

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increasing in strength, and latterly became too urgent to be longer neglected. While the committee have been engaged in raising to a state of greater efficiency the Missions of the Society in India, New Zealand, and other places, in preparing an extended School system for the instruction of the negro and coloured population of the West Indies, and in establishing the new and important Mission in Fejee, the religious instruction of whose extensive population had been to so great an extent, providentially committed to the Society, the number of our missionaries in this part of Africa had been diminished rather than increased. Through the Divine blessing attending the labour of the Missionaries, the work of religion, had, however, considerably prospered, and the spirit of inquiry had been so greatly excited among the natives, that it became imperatively necessary either to send out additional labourers, or to relinquish, to a painful extent, the important advantages which had been gained at the cost of so many years of toil and privation on the part of the Missionaries, and of so great an expenditure of the funds of the Society. The Rev. W. Shaw, General Superintendent of the South African Missions, and his brethren, at length, pressed beyond measure with the difficulties of their situation, earnestly implored the Committee to send them immediate help, or if that could not possibly be done, to allow them to concentrate their strength within a more limited field, on which they might be able to bestow adequate means of cultivation, instead of diffusing their labours over a wider surface, and awakening among a greater number of natives a desire for instruction, which could only end in disappointment. This appeal was irresistible—and the committee were convinced that it would be a criminal betrayal of their trust were they not to presume upon the approbation of the Society at large, in meeting the emergency—an emergency which had arisen from the very success of past endeavours, and in answer to prayer—by strengthening the ranks of the missionaries and thus enabling them to embrace some, at least, of those openings for greater usefulness which presented themselves. A number of well-qualified individuals—some of whom had been employed in the ministry at home, while others had been trained in the Theological Institution—were accordingly selected and appointed, who have safely reached their destinations and have entered upon their important work. The Rev. JAMES ARCHBILL and family, and the Rev. W. J. DAVIS and family, have returned to the sphere of labour which they had so usefully occupied for many years; besides whom *nine* additional missionaries have been sent to this part of Africa; and it is confidently hoped this increased agency will be rendered extensively useful in diffusing among the tribes of the interior the influences and blessings of our Divine Christianity.

GOLD COAST.

CAPE COAST CASTLE—ASHANTEE.

A most animating and encouraging opening for the formation of an extensive Mission is now awaiting the labours of the Parent

Society in the kingdom of Ashantee, on the Western Coast of Africa, which, with its vast population of four millions, has, in all its parts, become accessible to Missionary operations. That the General Committee may be enabled to embrace the favourable opening thus presented for the establishment of a Mission in the Capital of the kingdom, a special subscription has been commenced—as it affords the only means by which, in the present state of their general funds, they could prudently undertake this arduous enterprise with the promptitude and vigour for which it loudly calls. Two Missionaries have been already sent to Cape Coast, and so soon as the special fund for that purpose shall amount to £5,000, five others will immediately follow them, making in all eight new Missionaries to Cape Coast and the Ashantee Kingdom. Mr. President Maclean, with several members of the council, have manifested a lively and zealous interest in this Mission, and have afforded to the Rev. T. B. Freeman, the Society's excellent Missionary, every facility in their power for the prosecution of his judicious and successful plans. According to the latest advices from England, it may be presumed that the special fund is, by this time, completed; also, that the band of Missionaries will, in a few weeks, embark in their dignified enterprize. Judging from present appearances, little doubt can be entertained but that a brighter day is dawning upon African nations, than has ever yet been witnessed.

HUDSON'S BAY.

A new and extensive field of labour and usefulness has, during the past year, been opened to this Society in that part of the North-Western section of America, which constitutes the territory of the Honourable the Hudson's Bay Company. In addition to the European and half-caste population residing at the numerous forts and stations belonging to the Company in those immense regions, there is in the Southern department of the territory an Indian population, amounting to upwards of Ten Thousand souls. In the Northern department, extending in a Northerly and Southerly direction from the height of land which divides the waters that flow into the Lakes Superior and St. Lawrence, from those that flow into the Mississippi and Missouri, to the high land that divides the waters which fall into the Polar Sea from those that flow into Hudson's Bay; and in a West-erly direction from Hudson's Bay to Rocky Mountains, there is an Indian population of One Hundred Thousand souls. To these long-neglected children of the far North and West, our way is now open, in consequence of arrangements into which the Committee have entered with the Governor and Committee of the Hudson's Bay Company; and thirty Missionaries might at once be employed in guiding their feet into the way of peace.

Four Missionaries have already been sent to commence this new undertaking; and should it please the God of all Grace to smile upon it, the day cannot be far distant when the Gospel shall be preached by the Missionaries of this Society across

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the entire continent of North America, from the shores of Newfoundland and Nova Scotia, to those of the Pacific Ocean.

The Parent Committee have been encouraged to embark in this holy enterprise, even in the present embarrassed state of their funds, in consequence of the liberal offers of assistance which were made to them by the Hudson's Bay Company. Such is the desire felt by that distinguished body for the propagation of Scriptural truth among their Agents and Servants, as well as the Indian tribes within their territory, that they have agreed to provide for the Missionaries which the Parent Committee have sent or may hereafter appoint, whether married or single, board and lodging, interpreters, servants, the means of conveyance from place to place, free of all expense to the Society. In addition to this, the Governor and Committee have spontaneously contributed One Hundred Pounds towards the amount of passage-money paid for the Missionaries already sent out. The Parent Committee, in their General Report, express their deep sense of obligation to the Governor and Committee of the Honourable Company in general, and especially to GEORGE SIMPSON, Esq., Governor-in-Chief of their territories, and to Captain DREW, R. N., for the lively interest they have taken in all the arrangements connected with this undertaking, and for the valuable assistance which they have rendered to the Society.

CENTENARY MISSIONARY SHIP.

Through the liberality of the General Centenary Committee, an important arrangement has been made, at the sole expense of the fund placed at their disposal for the benefit of the Wesleyan Missions in the South Seas.

A vessel has been purchased and equipped for the purpose of keeping up regular intercourse among the Missionaries in New Zealand and in Polynesia respectively, and between those stations and the Colonies. The "Triton," having on board eleven Missionaries, eight of whom were married, and a large supply of Mission stores, sailed from Bristol in October (1839), and reached the Cape of Good Hope in safety, in the month of January; and Hobart Town, Van Dieman's Land, on the 7th of April. After a brief sojourn at Hobart Town, which was mutually refreshing both to the Missionaries and the christian friends who kindly received them, they re-embarked, accompanied by the Rev. JOHN WATERHOUSE, the General Superintendent of the Society's Missions in Australasia and Polynesia, and ultimately sailed for New Zealand on the 23d of April. Mr. WATERHOUSE has been a highly respectable Minister at home for more than thirty years;—about two years ago, having offered his services as a foreign Missionary, he was appointed as above, and has now proceeded on his first visit of superintendance to the Missions in these distant parts of the earth. The friends of the Society may therefore confidently expect that the employment of the Missionary ship, together with the judicious advice and direction of the experienced Su-

perintendent, may greatly contribute instrumentally, to promote the work of Christ in these parts of the world.

In addition to the places mentioned in the preceding paragraphs, there are also Missions belonging to the Society in Ireland, Sweden, Germany, France, Spain, Malta, Ceylon, Continental India, New South Wales, Australia Felix, South Australia, Western Australia, Van Dieman's Land, Friendly Islands, Feejee Islands, Sierra Leone, Gambia, Macarthy's Island, the numerous West India Islands, Upper and Lower Canada, Nova Scotia (including Cape Breton and Prince Edward's Island), and New Brunswick; concerning all of which details of considerable interest might be laid before the public, but which cannot be comprised within the limited space of this Report. Many of these Missions are very extensive, and all of them in a highly prosperous condition, especially in the East and West Indies and the Colonies of the South Sea;—perhaps this may be best shown by the following brief summary of the Wesleyan Missions in general, viz—

The Society occupies about 250 principal Stations; its Missionaries about 375, besides Catechists, Local Preachers, Assistants, Superintendents of Schools, Schoolmasters and Mistresses, Artisans, &c., of whom upwards of three hundred are employed at a moderate salary, and about four thousand afford their services gratuitously.* The number of communicants under the spiritual care of the Missionaries, are about 80,000; the total number attending their ministry may be reckoned at more than 200,000. In the Schools there are upwards of 58,000 adults and children.

Upwards of twenty different languages are used by the Missionaries, and into several of them the translation of the Scriptures and of other useful books is in progress. Seven Printing establishments are supported on the foreign stations.

The Income of the Wesleyan Missionary Society for the year 1839, was £92,697 18s. 8d., shewing an increase on that of the preceding year of £7879 6s. 6d. The expenditure of the Society for 1839, was £104,017, leaving a deficiency of £11,319 7s. 5d.

These details may serve two purposes—to shew the vast operations of the Society, and the strong grounds of appeal to its friends for enlarged support, as exhibited in the present state of its finances.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

The Island on which we dwell being the *especial* object of our sympathy and exertions, the Committee of the Newfoundland Auxiliary Wesleyan Missionary Society are desirous to engage the Christian public in the consideration of its moral and religious state; and though there are many favoured spots on our Island, brightened by the rays of Gospel light, yet there are many others where, alas! the picture is affectingly dark. To the North and West of Newfoundland, as well as in some of the more cen-

* Forty-five Missionaries have been sent out during the last year.

tral settlements, ignorance and vice have their almost undisturbed reign, in the entire absence of either Schools or religious means of any description to remedy the evil. With the view of ameliorating the morally wretched condition of the people on the Western shore, the Rev. WILLIAM MARSHALL was, more than twelve months ago, appointed as a Travelling Missionary to that part; and his labours have not been in vain in the Lord, as the following statement from his written communication will shew:

"During the past year, fifty-two harbours and coves have been visited; in many of them the people are deeply sunk in ignorance, superstition and depravity. The Sabbath is awfully profaned—drunkenness abounds in several places, and many of the settlers on this part of the coast were never before visited by any minister in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. Along the whole Western shore, comprising an extent of many miles, there is a lamentable destitution of religious instruction—not even a school of any description, except one at Hermitage Cove established by your Missionary during the past year. There are harbours where there is not a single individual that can read at all, and where a copy of the Sacred Scriptures cannot be found—and these are Protestants, chiefly the descendants of English parents. The people generally manifest a great desire to be favoured with religious instruction; they welcome the Missionary of the Cross among them, and count it an honour to receive him into their houses; and though we cannot boast of having seen sinners converted to Christ, there is abundant reason to thank God and take courage. Much prejudice has been removed, and if breathless attention and tear-washed cheeks under the Word, be any evidence of the work of the Spirit on the mind, with these we have been favoured, and in one or two instances the agonizing inquiry has been heard—"Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" It is truly affecting to listen to the requests of the people for Missionaries; their general inquiry on our leaving them is,—Oh, when shall we see another Minister? They are crying from every place like the man of Macedonia—Come over and help us.

"Two visiting Missionaries might be very usefully employed on this shore; one for Hermitage Bay, where he could visit regularly thirty Harbours, containing a population of 1700 souls; the second for Burgeo and Westward. From Burgeo he could visit regularly from eighteen to twenty-one places, containing a population of near 1,000 souls; he might also during the summer visit Bay St. George, and Bay of Islands, where there is a loud call for Missionaries, and in every one of the places they would be gladly received." Respecting the School at Hermitage Cove, Mr. MARSHALL also writes:—"The School was commenced in January last: there are 33 children who attend every Sabbath, and also on the week-days, when the Missionary is in the harbour. The improvement they make in learning is very satisfactory; many of them who did not know a letter in the alphabet when the School was opened, are now

able to read portions of the Holy Scripture, and have committed to memory the First Conference Catechisms, also several of our Hymns. We have reason to expect that this School will prove an extensive blessing to the rising generation in the neighbourhood. There is one person who assists in the School, and reads the Liturgy of the Church of England, with a sermon on the Sabbath in the absence of the Missionary." During the year Mr. MARSHALL baptized 156 children, and travelled near 2,000 miles.

Extensive visitations of destitute places have also been made by the Missionaries stationed in Bonavista, Placentia, and Fortune Bays; nearly twenty places in each Bay have been visited, and the Gospel salvation published in every one of them. The reports of the Missionaries who have pursued their arduous labours in these extensive and religiously destitute places, served but to confirm the previous impressions of the Committee that it is obligatory upon us, whose privileges are so much greater, to extend to the ignorant and perishing of our fellow colonists, the unsearchable riches of CHRIST.

In conclusion, this Society never more needed the combined and zealous efforts of its friends than at the present period. Two reasons may be assigned for this; First—The embarrassed state of the finances of the Parent Society; an existing debt of more than £20,000 has, for the present, rendered all extension of its Missions utterly impracticable; while, at the same time, millions of Heathens in the different countries of the globe are imploring their help, and whose applications from necessity the Committee have the pain of refusing; besides it is for the christian, and especially for the Wesleyan public, to bear in mind the time when spiritual darkness overhung this land, when the number of the faithful was indeed few; and if a better state of things now exists, it is, under God, mainly owing to the labourers sent forth by that Society to whom we are indebted for all our religious privileges. Their interest and ours being one, it becomes our duty to afford them special pecuniary help in this their great emergency, and to co-operate with them in the work of the world's conversion.

A second reason for enlarged exertion in supporting the claims of this Society, lies in the fact that the two additional Missionaries, whose appointment was noticed in the beginning of this Report, are sent to Newfoundland with the express understanding that they be wholly provided for by funds raised in the Island; in order that this may be accomplished, and the other numerous exigences with reference to Missionaries and Schools be at least partially met, the friends of the Society must rally their efforts in every place, by the formation of Branch Societies wherever practicable, or by such other means as may be best adapted to the respective localities; then shall the "WORD of the LORD have free course, and be glorified, even as it is with you." The Committee have only further to remind the

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friends and supporters of christian institutions, and of this Society in particular, of the paramount importance of the cause in which they are engaged—the declarations of Jehovah which ensure its ultimate triumph and complete success—the affecting and dangerous condition of those whose benefit it is intended to promote—the value of the human soul—the dignity and efficacy of our Saviour's atonement—our own solemn responsibilities—the brevity and uncertainty of this life—and the nearness of eternity. "He that soweth little shall reap little, and he that soweth plenteously shall reap plenteously."—"The Lord loveth a cheerful giver."

The following lists have been furnished by the different local Treasurers:—

ST. JOHN'S CIRCUIT LIST.

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Mr. George Bulley	Mr. D. Graham	0	5	0
" Cox	Captain Greig	0	10	0
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" Thomas Coyle	" M'Gibbon	0	5	0
" James Esboon	" M'Donald	0	5	0
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" James Pitts	" P. Tessier	0	2	6
Miss Rendle	" W. Warren	0	10	0
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3 9	" M'Calman	0 14 8	Miss Garrett	0 5 0
4 4	Mr. M'Curdo	0 10 0	" S. Garrett	0 5 0
0 0	Rev. W. Marshall	0 5 0	Mrs. Haddon	0 8 0
2 6	Mr. M'Iver	0 10 0	Mr. Hooper	0 5 10
5 0	" Manuel and son	0 10 0	Mrs. T. B. Job	2 10 0
2 6	" W. Manuel	0 5 0	Mr. R. Job	2 2 0
7 6	Miss Miller	0 5 0	Mrs. R. Job	1 1 0
13 3	Mr. Nurse	0 5 0	Mr. Thomas Knight	2 0 0
	" W. Parsons	0 5 0	Mrs. H. Knight	0 10 0
SONS—	Mrs. Parsons	0 5 8	" T. Knight	0 11 9
	Master S. Parsons	0 5 0	Master Knight	0 6 9
	Miss M. J. Parsons	0 2 0	Mr. S. Knight	0 6 9
	Serjeant Piper	0 5 4	" Lovace	0 5 0
2 5	Miss Palmer	0 6 0	Mrs. Langley	0 6 8
5 0	" Parsons	0 7 0	" M'Kie	0 5 0
5 0	Misses P. R. & C. Parsons	0 7 6	Mr. M'Pherson	0 5 0
5 0	Miss Sarah Parsons	0 5 0	" P. M'Pherson	0 10 0
5 0	Mrs. Pippey	0 4 3	" Nuckey	0 5 0
	Mr. Rodger	0 10 0	" R. Prowse	1 0 0
0 0	Miss Ryall	0 3 0	Captain Plover	0 5 0
10 0	" Ryans	0 2 4	Mr. J. Ryan	0 12 0
10 0	Mr. Stewart	0 5 0	" Mr. S. Rendle	1 0 0
5 0	" J. Toor	0 5 0	" W. Rendell	0 5 0
5 0	" Tong	0 5 0	Mrs. Rendell	0 2 6
5 0	" Wheatley	0 5 0	Mrs. Rankin	0 7 6
9 2	" James Wiseman	0 5 0	W. B. Row, Esq.	1 0 0
5 0	" Winter	0 5 0	Mr. A. Smith	0 5 0
10 0	Mrs. Wilson	0 3 4	" W. L. Solomon	0 10 0
0 0	Rev. J. Pickavant	1 0 0	" D. Sclater	0 10 0
9 2	Small Sums	0 2 4	" Small	0 10 0
14 7		£26 19 9	Mr. John Trimmingham	0 5 0
10 0			" R. Trimmingham	0 5 0
12 6	Collected by Mrs. M'WILLIAM		Mr. Tolson	0 5 0
0 0	& Miss FORSAITH—Ward No. 6.		Mrs. Thomas	3 0 0
6 4	Mr. G. B. Beck	0 10 0	" C. Winton	0 5 0

Mrs. Withers	0	6	3
Small Sums	0	3	3
	£29		5

Collected by Misses STACEY
and BACON—Ward No. 7.

Hon. J. B. Bland	0	10	0
Mrs. Brace	0	7	3
Mr. Bearnese	0	5	0
“ E. Coxson	0	5	0
“ Mark Coxson	1	15	0
Mrs. Creed	0	2	8
Mr. Creed	0	2	8
“ Francis	1	0	0
“ Geddes	0	10	0
“ W. Knight	0	10	0
Mrs. J. Knight	0	3	4
“ M. Knight	0	7	0
Mr. M. Knight	0	7	0
“ R. G. Knight	0	5	0
“ Laing	0	2	3
“ M'Calman	0	10	0
Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell	0	4	8
“ John Taylor	0	10	0
Mrs. Vey	0	8	6
Mr. John Woods	0	6	8
Mrs. J. Woods	0	6	8
Mr. W. Woods	0	7	6
Mrs. White	0	5	5
Mr. White	0	5	5
Small Sums	0	4	1
	£10		1 1

Collected by Mesdms. CREED
and COXSON—Ward No. 8.

Mrs. Coxson	0	4	0
Mr. and Mrs. Creed	0	8	0
“ Eager	0	2	6
Friends	0	8	4
Mr. Green	0	2	0
Mrs. Ivamey	0	2	6
“ McCreith	0	6	3
Mr. & Mrs. Mitchell	0	9	4
Mrs. Lebuff	0	2	1
“ McKinnon	0	2	0
“ Murch	0	2	1
“ McPherson	0	2	0

Mr. Nohn	0	2	0
Mrs. Stoddart	0	5	8
Mr. Stoddart	0	7	6
“ J. B. Wood	0	10	0
Small Sums	0	2	4

£3 18 7

Collected by Miss HADDON &
Miss M. A. PARSONS—Ward
No. 9.

Mr. Avalon	0	4	4
“ Atkinson	0	2	9
Serjeant Beverly	0	9	3
Mr. W. M. Bearnese	0	5	0
“ J. Cormack	0	5	0
“ Seager	0	1	2
Friend	0	17	7
Mr. Grace	0	5	0
“ Green	0	2	4
Mrs. Gildurd	0	2	8
Mr. Godfrey	0	2	6
“ H. Hudson	0	2	6
“ LeMessurier	0	4	4
Capt. Lushington, of H. M. S. <i>Cleopatra</i>	1	5	0
Officers of <i>Cleopatra</i>	1	2	6
Mr. Lash	0	5	0
Mrs. Murch	0	4	1
Mr. M'Gill	0	5	0
Mrs. M'Pherson	0	3	7
Mr. W. Moist	0	2	8
“ Noon	0	3	0
“ Noad	2	0	0
Mrs. Ourand	0	2	8
“ Scott	1	0	0
Mr. Winter	0	6	8
Small Sums	0	10	2
	£10		14 9

MILITARY WARD.

Collected by SERJEANT
PIPER, R.V.C., 1840—

Mrs. Jeffares	1	10	0
Serjeant Beverly	0	10	0
Serjeant Knox	0	5	4
Serjeant Piper	0	5	0
Serjeant Bedford	0	5	0

0 2 0
 0 5 8
 0 7 6
 0 10 0
 0 2 4
 £3 18 7

HADDON &
 rs—Ward

0 4 4
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 0 5 0
 0 5 0
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 1 2 6
 0 5 0
 0 4 1
 0 5 0
 0 3 7
 0 2 8
 0 3 0
 2 0 0
 0 2 8
 1 0 0
 0 6 8
 0 10 2

£10 14 9

WARD.

RJEANT
 1840—

1 10 0
 0 10 0
 0 5 4
 0 5 0
 0 5 0

G. Pocklington 0 2 0
 M. Lynch 0 2 0
 W. Wilson 0 0 8
 £3 0 0
 No. 1 Ward £8 17 1
 " 2 " 10 9 3½
 " 2 " 26 18 1

No 4 Ward 15 13 9
 " 5 " 26 19 5
 " 6 " 29 6 3
 " 7 " 10 1 1
 " 8 " 3 18 7
 " 9 " 10 14 9
 Military Ward 3 0 0

£145 18 3½

OUT-PORTS.

HARBOUR-GRACE CIRCUIT LIST.
 SUBSCRIPTIONS TO MAY, 1840.

Richard Anderson, Esq.	0 12 0	Mrs. Catherine Stowe	0 5 0
Mr. S. Boreham	0 5 0	Rev. J. Snowball	1 1 0
" S. Cozens	0 5 0	Mrs. Snowball	0 5 0
" J. Currie	0 10 0	Mr. J. Sharpe	0 4 0
Miss Currie	0 7 6	Charles Thorne, Esq.	0 10 0
Mrs. Ellis	0 5 6	Mr. Charles Tuckett	0 4 0
Friend	0 9 0	" C. Thompson	0 5 0
Friend	0 5 0	Small Sums	2 17 6½
Mr. G. Hippiley	0 5 3	Mrs. H. Webber's Mis-	
Mr. and Mrs. Munn	1 1 0	sionary Box	0 17 1
" A. Munn	0 5 0	Miss Snowball's ditto	1 1 2
Capt. D. Munn	0 15 0	Public Collection fall of	
Mrs. Moore	0 6 6	1839	6 15 9
Mr. Nuttall	0 5 0	To 1st May, 1840	£24 5 11½
Mrs. Nuttall	0 5 0	Missionary Collection	
Mr. M. Parsons	0 5 0	at Harbor Grace,	
Miss Parsons	0 6 0	Fall of 1840.	5 5 10
W. Punton, Esq.	1 0 0	Miss Snowball's Mis-	
Mrs. L. Pike	0 5 0	sionary Box	0 18 0
Mr. C. Parsons, Jr.	0 4 6	Miss Ellis's ditto	0 16 6
Miss Julia Parsons	0 4 6	Mr. Munn	1 0 0
Mrs. Susan Parsons	0 4 8	W. Punton, Esq.	2 0 0
" Matilda Parsons	0 4 0	Total Harbour Grace	£34 6 3½
" E. Pike (Musquito)	0 5 0		
Thomas Ridley, Esq.	1 0 0		

CARBONEAR CIRCUIT LIST.

Amount collected by the Ladies in their respective
 Wards £15 9 6
 Collection at Missionary Meeting, 24th Nov. 1840. 17 3 0
 Total Carbonear £32 12 6

BRIGUS CIRCUIT LIST.

Subscriptions for the Years 1839 & 1840.

<i>North Side</i> —Collected by		Mrs. Rabbits	0	7	3
Misses FINCH & CHANCEY—		Mr. Smith	0	4	6
		Small Sums	0	11	4
R. Brown, Esq. & family	1 0 0				
Mrs. Breaker	0 4 4				£7 7 0
Miss Chancey	0 6 3				
Mr. Desbrisay	0 9 0	<i>South Side</i> —Collected by			
Miss Finch	0 5 0	Misses PERCEY & GUSHUE—			
Friend	0 5 0				
Mr. Loveys	0 5 0	Mrs. George Brown	0	4	6
Mrs. N. Munden	0 5 0	“ J. Gushue	0	5	0
Miss Munden	0 5 6	“ Mercer	0	5	0
Mr. J. Norman	0 10 0	Mr. J. Norman	0	5	0
“ Elizabeth Roberts	0 5 0	Mrs. J. Norman	0	5	0
“ Stephen Roberts	0 7 0	“ John Wilcox	0	5	0
“ Moses Roberts	0 4 4	“ James Wilcox	0	5	0
“ S. Spracklin	0 5 0	“ Samuel Wilcox	0	5	0
Mr. W. T. Stentafor	0 5 0	“ Whelan	0	5	0
Small Sums	0 9 1	Small Sums	0	15	6
	£5 10 0				£3 0 0
<i>Middle Ridge and River Head.</i>		Collected at Brigus } 7 3 0			
—Collected by Misses C.		Missionary Meeting }			
STENTAFORD & S. PERCY.		CUPIDS.			
		Collected by Misses SPRACKLIN			
		and PERCEY—			
Dr. Allan	0 5 0	Mr. Fox	0	5	0
Mr. W. Antle	0 5 0	“ S. Norman	0	5	0
Mrs. A. Bartlett	0 5 0	“ H. Shepherd	0	5	0
Mrs. John Bartlett	0 5 0	“ S. Spracklin	0	5	0
“ Joseph Bartlett	0 4 0	“ W. Spracklin	0	5	0
Mr. J. Branscomb	0 5 0	“ G. Wells	0	5	0
Mrs. Green	0 5 0	“ John Whelan	0	5	0
Rev. J. G. Hennigar	0 10 0	Miss Soper	0	5	0
Mrs. Leamon	0 4 4	Small Sums	0	10	0
Rev. J. McMurray	1 0 0				£2 10 0
Mrs. W. Munden	0 5 0				
“ A. Munden	0 5 0				
Miss Susanna Munden	0 5 0				
Mr. W. Percey	0 5 0				
Mrs. W. Percey	0 6 3	Cupids Missionary } 5 0 0			
Misses Percey	0 5 0	Meeting, Dec. 1840. }			
Mr. Jonathan Percey	0 5 0	Mr. English	0	5	0
Mrs. J. Percey	0 5 0				£5 5 0
“ S. Percey	0 5 0				
“ M. Percey	0 5 0				
Master Pinsent	0 4 4	Total Brigus Circuit	£30	15	0

OLD PERLICAN CIRCUIT LIST.

0 7 3	Mr. R. Brooking	£0 5 0	Mr. G. Mills	0 5 0
0 4 6	" J. Barratt	0 5 0	Mrs. March	0 5 0
0 11 4	" Cox	0 5 0	Mr. & Mrs. March	
7 7 0	" W. Day, Jr.	0 5 0	and Family	0 17 0
	" W. Day, Jr.	0 5 0	Mr. J. March	0 5 0
ected" by	Rev. J. England	0 6 0	" W. Rowe	0 5 0
USHUE—	" W. Faulkner	0 5 0	" James Read	0 5 0
	Mr. John Green	0 5 0	" W. Read	0 5 0
	" James Green	0 5 0	" David Rodgers	0 5 0
	" James Green	0 5 0	Rev. S. W. Sprague	0 9 0
0 4 6	" J. Harder	0 5 0	" J. Sutcliffe	0 5 0
0 5 0	" J. Harder	0 5 0	Mr. J. Strong, Sen.	0 5 0
0 5 0	" W. Harder	0 5 0	" J. Strong, Jr.	0 5 0
0 5 0	" J. Hopkins, Jr.	0 5 0	" John Strong	0 5 0
0 5 0	" T. Hopkins	0 5 0	Dr. Thompson	0 10 0
0 5 0	" Stephen March	5 0 0	Mr. G. Tilley	0 5 0
0 5 0	" S. Mills	0 5 0	" J. Tilley	0 5 0
0 5 0	" W. March	0 5 0	" W. Tucker	0 5 0
0 5 0	" J. March, Sen.	0 5 0	" W. Youngs, Jr.	0 5 0
0 5 0	" J. March, Jr.	0 5 0	Small Sums	2 4 4
0 15 6	" T. March	0 5 0	Total for the Old }	
3 0 0	" T. Miller	0 5 0	Perlican Circuit }	£18 1 4
7 3 0				

ISLAND COVE CIRCUIT LIST.

	Mr. J. Bussey	£0 5 0	Mr. W. Moores, Jr.	0 5 0
	" S. Blundon	0 5 0	" Richard Rankin	2 0 0
	Rev. James England	0 5 0	" J. Rogers	0 5 0
0 5 0	" W. Faulkner	0 5 0	Rev. S. W. Sprague	0 18 0
0 5 0	Mr. John Garland	0 5 0	" Ingham Sutcliffe	0 5 0
0 5 0	Mrs. Olivia Garland	0 5 0	Mr. John Snelgrove	0 5 2
0 5 0	Mr. D. Garland	0 5 0	" J. Snelgrove	0 5 0
0 5 0	Mrs. Anne Garland	0 5 0	Dr. Thompson	0 5 0
0 5 0	Mr. Jackson	0 5 0	Mr. W. Willshear	1 0 0
0 5 0	" P. Lewis	0 5 0	" J. Willer	0 5 0
0 5 0	" E. Lewis	0 5 0	Small Sums	1 19 4
0 5 0	" P. Lewis	0 5 0		
0 10 0	" J. Lewis	0 5 0	Total Island Cove	£11 2 6
2 10 0	" Lewis	0 5 0		

BLACKHEAD CIRCUIT LIST.

5 0 0	Mr. W. Butt	£0 5 0	Mr. J. Hudson	0 5 0
0 5 0	" R. Anderson	0 5 0	" M. Hudson	0 5 0
5 0	" T. Butt	0 5 0	Miss Hudson	0 5 0
	" J. Butler	0 5 0	Mr. J. H. Hudson	0 5 0
0 15 0	" Hugh Hudson	0 5 0	" Peter Diamond	0 5 0

TOTAL PORT-DE-GRAVE CIRCUIT.

Port-de-Grave	£5 2 6
Bay Roberts,	2 11 0
Additional	2 10 0
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	£10 3 6

 RECAPITULATION.

To Cash from the Treasurer of the St. John's Auxiliary	£145 18 3½
“ Cash from the Harbour Grace Branch	34 6 3½
“ Ditto from the Carbonear Branch	32 12 6
“ Ditto from the Brigus Branch	30 15 0
“ Ditto from the Old Perlican Branch ...	18 1 4
“ Ditto from the Island Cove Branch ...	11 2 6
“ Ditto from the Blackhead Branch ...	18 9 7
“ Ditto from the Port-de-Grave Branch	10 3 6
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	£301 9 0