

I thank the Lord I am something recovered -  
 Distressing is the state of Religion - at the above place about  
 Four thousand people & no Evangelical Minister -  
 I visited the two principal Stations viz Robust Town and  
 Port D'Arny - I am in hopes of being ordered to the  
 former station as I stand appointed for that place by East  
 Burthurst the moment the present incumbent retires, which  
 is expected shortly, being in a very bad state of health -  
 I regret to observe that no Auxiliary Society has  
 been founded amongst us - much to be desired that our  
 respected friends in England who compose your Society  
 may have a small pledge of our earnest wish for  
 your prosperity -

I think Mr Marden should begin I understand one of  
 our Judges is willing to join us - which shall more  
 fully assist in the first time I see him -  
 and there are several other respectable persons ready  
 to take a part -

I am not for waiting as some of our Brethren has stated  
 for the time when virtuous Godly men can be found to  
 cooperate - we may wait a long time for this & be beyond  
 the pleasure for there is no worth or device in the grave