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as offer up our ardent prayers to the great head of the church to raise up others to fill their ranks. Every Christian is called upon to aid in this glorious work while it is called to day.

May 2

May 2nd I preached twice at the chapel and was much pleased with the conduct of the natives at public worship. The Holy Spirit is working powerfully upon some of their minds - they are earnestly praying to God, and seeking after his salvation. They now assemble every evening at this station, for prayer and religious conversation.

May 3

On the 3rd I was unwell from a severe cold, and remained in the house. In the evening about twenty Natives came in and sat down, when I addressed them from the 18th Chapt. of Genesis, and told them how the Lord appeared unto Abraham who was a righteous man, accompanied by two Angels, and informed him that it was his intention to destroy Sodom, and all its inhabitants for their wickedness. Abraham prayed for them, but they were all destroyed with the exception of Lot his Brother's son, and his two Daughters. For God in his anger rained down fire from Heaven, and consumed them. The Natives were much affected when I had concluded, and retired.

May 6

Thursdayth. This day I dined with Mr. & Mrs. Hambley, a young woman waited at Table whom I had not seen before.