

since my last visit and the prospect thus afforded of their future welfare. There can be no doubt of the success of this Mission if those employed in it will only do their duty - The children are as fine subjects to work upon as any in the known world. After we had heard the Natives perform their service, I expounded a portion of the scriptures, and the evening was concluded with our united worship of that God who has made of one Blood all Nations that dwell upon the face of all the Earth -

The voice of joy and gladness shall yet be heard in the barren deserts of Zealand. The Divine promises must be fulfilled which assure us that in that great multitude which no man can number there shall be some of every nation kindred Tongue and People.

Aug 25

Monday <sup>Aug 25</sup> / 23 I had summoned a full Committee to meet at Thidlee Thidde today, and early this morning prepared the different subjects which I wished to bring under consideration relative to the Expenditure of the Public Store, the Public Buildings Schools &c &c. The Committee met at the appointed time, and we did not close our deliberations until after 12 O'clock at night. A Mass of evils required close investigation