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"Blessed are they who sow besides all Nations who send forth
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or who execute plans of Spiritual and Temporal good for the Hea-
-then, labor and patience being essential qualities of their
character - perseverance in well doing the rule of their conduct
Sudden and genl. effects should not be contemplated in
such undertakings - That a Nation should be Born in a Day
is with the Lord who can accomplish his special purposes with-
-out means - Man must break up the fallow ground - must Till
Sow and Water expecting the increase from the Blessing of God, and
he will give, "some Forty some Sixty some an Hundred Fold -
according to the good pleasure of his Will - Sure it is however that
his Word shall prosper in that to which he sendeth it: What
true Servant of his would desire more? "If we ask any thing according
"to his Will, he heareth us: and if we ask, we know that we have
"the petitions that we desired of him - A simple Devoted &
Resigned Heart and Will, will prevent discouragement under
difficulties and maintain the Christian Missionaries' Zeal in
vigour; for thus are his "feet shod with the preparation of the
Gospel of Peace -
With a Mind thus endowed selfish considerations can have
no place - Himself being offered up Body, Soul, and Spirit in
sacrifice of Service to the Lord, the lesser consideration of Worldly
Property will be superseded, and that he cast into the Treasury
with a free Heart - For an answer to a call for Heathen Missions
must be with the Spirit of the first Christians, when no Man
counted ought that he had his own -
Suppose a Number of Persons animated with these Sentiments
and disposed