

We have also been at Solons Town where we have
a new, walled meeting house just finished. Here too
we are also doing around
winners are committed to God, and the united team which
rolls down their noble faces shows the feeling of their
heart. I may be to God I never felt happier in my
life. I would not exchange my present station for a hour.
It is my determination that I believe of my Colleagues
also, that the divine assistance we will lay ourselves
out in every possible way to advance the cause of Christ
in this mission. At present I find it difficult at times
to understand or be understood by them, but this I hope
soon to get over. I always thought from the first
that my appointment was of God, and I am now
more than ever persuaded of it. I am fully aware that
we shall have to ~~endure~~ these violent temptations and
surely we need, and shall have an interest in your prayers.
When I look at the great importance of the work in
which I am engaged, and say upon my knees for it
it makes me humble; but thank God I feel if a
consideration of no small importance, that ~~God~~ ^{he} hath promised
to help our weakness and infirmities. I really think the
state of the mission very promising. He intends as soon
to set as many schools on foot both adult and children as we
are able. There are ~~great~~ numbers both of children and
adults ~~who would be glad to learn to read.~~ He intends to form
a ~~large~~ ^{large} town who have been taught since a week by ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~missionaries~~
into a regular school; here we have a stone Chapel building
the particulars of which you will have from him, and ~~there~~
is a lad with Mr Brown now who is able to read ~~teach~~ ^{teach} ~~well~~
him we mean to place over the children as teacher and
superintend them ourselves. We shall have one of the natives here
where our Boy will remain, and we shall go each of us once or
twice a week, going from our own house after breakfast in the
morning to school, we shall teach all day, preach to them at
night, sleep in our hut, have family prayer with the village
in the Chapel, in the evening, stay in school the day, and
return home at night. It is my intention if I can get 5 or 6
proper persons to spend a considerable ~~time~~ ^{portion} of time with
them, and let them to teach others, that the schools may not
hang entirely upon us, in which case should we be taken sick
they must surely fall to the ground. He intends having our adult
school in various places on the same plan on which it is
established at Bristol, ~~and~~ ^{and} Sunday School at free town Chapel
which for want of help has been some time given up.
~~that~~ ^{that} I should have said of our dear friends at home will
supply us with Books for this purpose. I wish ~~those~~ ^{the} kind
supporters of such institutions in England could see the
prospect, ~~then~~ ^{then} ~~it~~ ^{it} ~~great~~ ^{good} ~~being~~ ^{being} ~~that~~ ^{that} ~~there~~ ^{there} means
and then I am sure they would willingly and cheerfully give
the help we require. And I do hope that their not being of
witness to these facts will not make them the less willing

to afford us assistance to carry our designs into effect. I hope dear Father you will render us this help as soon as you possibly can, as we want to begin this work without delay. Glory be to God we feel desirous to labour while we can, as we know not how soon sickness or death may prevent us from labouring at all. At present thank God we are both well, the heat seems oppressive but we hope we will soon remove this inconvenience. There are several necessities wanting in the house, most of which we can get here he returns home. He also are much in want of Class Papers, Tickets, Notes of admittance &c. of which there is none here nor has been for some time. We hope you will help us with these things and as many Books as you can. Friend Capt Row, who bought them here for sale and has been swallowed up immediately without being any thing like a scanty supply, for the different adult and Childrens schools we hope to set on foot. In my next you shall have every information which I may be able to gather. I will not say any more now in particulars as Mr. W. will give you every information, with earnestness for our interest in your prayer and a hope soon to hear from you. I remain dear Father yours

Respectfully, Dear Sir

S. There is a foundation for a new Chapel outside the present old one in which we now preach in Free Town, the walls are in some places 9 feet high. I understand there is about 40 £ now in hand towards building it, and as soon as I have found what subscriptions can be raised more and what the work would cost, I shall send the accounts to you & we shall some time not far distant, be able to finish the Chapel, as it is much wanted. the present one is nearly filled at a Prayer Meeting, and I inwardly we should (if we had a decent Chapel) have the most respectable inhabitants in the Colony preaching. As for the Chapel the Morosons are determined to finish it, before they know how they intend to dispose of it.