

A

SALE OF WORK

In aid of the funds of the

Shepherd St. Mission,

Will be held in

LANCASTER ROAD

CONGREGATIONAL SCHOOL-ROOM,

ON

THURSDAY & FRIDAY, DEC. 27th & 28th, 1883.

at 3 o'clock each day

Your kind assistance either in goods for Sale, or Contributions in money for the above object, will be thankfully received by

Mrs. BRIGGS, Mill House, Walton-le-dale.
Mrs. COULTHARD, Ellerslie, Ashton-on-Ribble
Mrs. GARRATT, 10, Fishergate,
Mrs. HARMAN, 40, St. Thomas's Road.
Stall Holders.

YOUR PRESENCE AND GENEROUS SUPPORT AT THE SALE WILL BE HIGHLY ESTEEMED.

Mrs. CROOK,
8, Bank Parade.
Mrs. COULTHARD,
Ellerslie, Ashton
SECRETARIES.



APPEAL OF THE WORKERS
OF THE
SHEPHERD + STREET + MISSION.



CHRISTIAN friends. The Master whom we serve, and to whom we are indebted for all we have, and all we hope to be, has said to each and all of us, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature, and go out into the highways and hedges and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled." In obedience to these commands, the workers in the SHEPHERD STREET MISSION, have visited twenty-three lodging houses each Sunday Morning, have had a Bible Class for Adults, and a School for Children in the Afternoon, and a regular service in the Mission Room on Sunday Evenings. There have been five Religious Services, at as many lodging houses, each Sabbath. Temperance Meetings each Thursday evening, and Temperance Meetings each Saturday night, during the six winter months. The places of these services and the attendance at them is tabulated below.

Many sick, infirm, and dying people of the district have been visited at their request, and assisted as far as help could be given in their distress.

Many difficulties and discouragements are met with in this work, but we need not marvel at them, when we look at the character and circumstances of the people. They are a class sunk in the lowest depths of vice and degradation, and many of them are here to-day and gone to-morrow. Though they are far from God, yet Jesus says to his people, go to them, preach to them, "Compel them to come in that my house may be filled."

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AVERAGE ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS, &c.

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Seven o'clock Service	120
Prayer Meeting.....	41
Sunday School	61
Temperance Meetings.....	93
Temperance Entertainments	90
Main Sprit Weind	37
Back Lane.....	40
Water Street (Charmacks).....	16
Water Street (Ellert Thorpe's)	20
Shepherd Street	22

120 Scholars on the books.

