

the third day, half a dozen; but before many weeks had passed, they came in such crowds, that respectable women and children assembled at the doors the previous evening, and sat all night in the street, that they might be in time to obtain an early ticket for admission." At the end of twenty-one years his patients entered upon the hospital books numbered 53,000! To all of these, according to the rules of the Mission, the gospel had been presented, and that under the circumstances of the case with more hope of favorable results than could otherwise have been. Eternity alone can reveal the fruits of such a work. Surely nothing more need be added at present to show the value of such agency, and of how we should rejoice and give thanks that as a Church we are now in the Providence of God permitted to embark in this most hopeful and blessed work. Let our abundant prayers and offerings go forth to sustain our devoted laborers in Formosa. It is well known that already for some years a similar mission from the English Presbyterian Church has been working in the southern part of that island with most wonderful results. God grant that for them and for us, "To-morrow may be as this day, and much more abundant."

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MESSRS. MOODY AND SANKEY IN ENGLAND.

The labors of Messrs. Moody and Sankey continue to be still attended with extraordinary success, and to be crowned with an abundant blessing. In Liverpool, as in the places previously visited, the meetings were largely attended, and the results very marked. The attention of the whole city appeared to be attracted.

We give from the *Weekly Review* some accounts of the meetings:—

"During the assembling of the noonday prayer-meeting on Friday, a gentleman in the body of the hall asked permission on behalf of the Welsh present to sing one of their hymns. Permission being granted, the Welshman first recited a verse of the hymn to be sung, and then led off in a soft wailing melody, which was soon joined in by a number of those present, and evidently much enjoyed by the few ministers who were at the time on the platform. Mr. Sankey was absent, his place at the harmonium being taken by a lady from Manchester. The afternoon meeting was very large, and the evening meeting was so packed an hour before the advertised time that Newsome's Circus, in the adjoining street, was thrown open and speedily filled. The number of inquirers was so great that the ante-rooms of the Victoria Hall could not contain them, and many were dealt with in the hall itself.

Saturday is now recognised as a day of rest by Messrs. Moody and Sankey in preparation for the labors of Sunday; accordingly neither of these gentlemen were present on Saturday at the services, and the audiences were not large.

On Sabbath morning the meeting for Christians at 8 a.m. was crowded. Mr. Moody's address was from Mark xxx., 34, "To every man his work." The forenoon service for non-church-goers was also crowded, and to a large extent the audience was of the class desiderated. Even some of the roughs could be seen here and there in the hall, and in the inquiry meeting held at the conclusion of the service there were two or three gipsies, who seemed impressed with the truths they had listened to; and were desirous of further counsel. The meeting for women was simply over-