THESE CAROLS.

First published in "Passage to India," 1870.

THESE Carols, sung to cheer my passage through the world I see, For completion, I dedicate to the Invisible World.

WHAT PLACE IS BESIEGED?

First published in 1860 as part of "Calamus," 31.

What place is besieged, and vainly tries to raise the siege? Lo! I send to that place a commander, swift, brave, immortal; And with him horse and foot—and parks of artillery, And artillery-men, the deadliest that ever fired gun.

JOY, SHIPMATE, JOY!

First published in "Passage to India," 1870. Joy! shipmate—joy!

(Pleas'd to my Soul at death I cry;) Our life is closed—our life begins; The long, long anchorage we leave, The ship is clear at last—she leaps! She swiftly courses from the shore; Joy! shipmate—joy!

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