SINGING.

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in thee; Let the water and the blood, From thy wounded side which flowed, Be of sin the double cure, Save from wrath and make me pure. Could my tears forever flow, Could my zeal no languor know, These for sin could not atone, Thou must save and thou alone; In my hand no price I bring, Simply to thy cross 1 cling.

While I draw this fleeting breath, When my eyes shall close in death, When I rise to worlds unknown, And behold thee on thy throne, Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in thee."

Benediction—Now unto Him that is able to guard you from stumbling, and to set you before the presence of His glory without blemish in exceeding joy, to the only God our Saviour, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion and power, before all time, and now, and for ever more. AMEX.

INDIAN WORK.

From Mrs. Redner.

PORT SIMPSON, B.C., December 10th, 1895.

We were very glad to receive your letter of November Sth, and desire to thank the Board for their kind greetings. I can assure you, they go far to encourage us in our work. We feel that we have a great storehouse of strength to draw from when we have the prayers and well-wishes of so many earnest Christian co-workers.

With regard to the few questions you asked concerning the work: Coal—the reason the bill for two seasons' appeared ia one year's Report is this: last winter's coal was bought in November, shortly after the Annual Report had been made up; this winter's coal was bought in August, as we decided it would be better to get it up while the roads were dry, the Indians objecting to doing much carting while the roads are soft. I have just bought five tons more of coal, fearing our supply might be used before the spring rains were over. Previous to this the coal has always been bought in the fall. Mr. Crosby keeps a horse, and the boys do all our carting from the wharf. We pay them the same as we would have to pay others, for they need a little help in this way. We do not pay for the gravel, but for getting it up; this the boys do for us as well. We could not ask the girls to carry the gravel from the beach, to bring it all across from the other road is quite far enough. The