

attendant at Church and S.S., so also is her husband. If they decide against her, her children will also go into slavery. Those who are here are safe, for no one living at the Mission Station can be sold. Mr. Sanders was detained a day late from the Annual Meeting, because some one was trying to enslave four of his boys. One of the Portuguese sold a horse for five slaves, as the Government demands slaves in payment of fines. One of our girls is a slave at the Fort because her father had a fine there. He persuaded her to leave our station upon some pretext when he sold her for his fine.

From Mrs. Findlater (Formerly Miss Sarah A. Jeffery)

SPERRINVILLE, Kasanli, Punjab, India, June 29th, 1897.

MY DEAR MRS. SANDERS,—The last mail has brought safely the sum of rupees 19, annas 13, from the Auxiliary of Calvary Church, Montreal. This is forwarded to be used in helping to rescue some of the starving children of India.

I trust you have received the letter I sent in reply to your last with the offering of \$49. You can scarcely understand what great help and encouragement these unexpected offerings from home friends are. Many times before I left the Orphanage at Khamgaon, small gifts came in just in time to help us with some fresh case, which we had taken in without any knowledge as to how they were to be supported. It is not easy to turn away from the starving little ones so often brought to our doors.

We are now looking to the Lord to send the needed rains just at this season. We dare not say what it will mean if another rainy season goes by with little or no rain. This hot season has been very trying and surpasses the record of past years for heat.

The Lord has surely been visiting India with famine, plague and earthquake, and we wonder if there can be more suffering allowed in the land. But we praise Him for the souls rescued during the past year and trust more will yet be led to accept God's only way of salvation.

May the Lord keep you faithfully holding up in prayer, his workers in this dark land.

Yours in His service,

S. A. FINDLATER.

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