

THE NAME OF JESUS.

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I. There is a Name I love to hear, I love to speak its worth, It sounds like mu-sic in my ear—The

CHORUS.

sweet-est Name on earth, The dear-est Name in earth or heaven, Is to our Lord . . . and Mas-ter

The dear-est Name, in earth or heaven, Is to our Lord

given . . . On Him a-lone . . . my hopes de-pend, On Him our best and near-est friend.

and Mas-ter given, On Him a-lone my hopes d d.

It tells me of a Saviour's love,
Who died to set me free,
It tells me of His precious blood,
The sinner's perfect plea.
The dearest Name, etc.

Jesus the Name I love so well,
The name I love to hear;
No saint on earth its worth can tell,
No heart conceive how dear.
The dearest Name, etc.

words, poured forth from an earnest heart: "Lord Jesus, they have driven thy persecuted servant out of the city, and he is perhaps wandering at this moment in a strange place of which he knows nothing. Oh, may he find my home, that he may receive here food and lodgings."

The preacher, having heard these words, glided into the house, and as soon as the speaker said "Amen," he saw his prayer answered. Both fell on their knees, and together thanked the Lord who is a hearer of prayer, and who never leaves nor forsakes his servants.—*Christian Era*.

OUR LIBRARY TABLE.

THOSE well-known publishers, Messrs. Griffith and Farran, have sent us quite a pile of books for notice this month. Their eighteenpenny series (1) of books for the young is an exceedingly good one. Each book consists of about 130 square pages, and is well illustrated and prettily bound, and the list of authors includes some well-known names. The books of the series before us are *Brave Nelly*, a very pathetic and inspiring story, by M. E. B.; *The Three Wishes*, by the same author, and written very much in the same strain; *Featherland*, by G. Manville Fenn, both instructive and amusing; *Angelo*, by Geraldine Jewsbury, reciting the career of the celebrated painter; and *Playing at Settlers*, a miniature "Swiss Family Robinson," by Mrs. Lee.

The Heroic Wife (2), by W. H. G. Kingston, though not in the series, is published at the same price, and is well worth reading, full of adventures and teeming with moral lessons, as all Mr. Kingston's books are.

Yet another series, by the same publishers, and one of which we cannot speak too highly. The *Taking Tales* (3), unpretentious in their character, are just the books to place in the hands of the humbler classes; well-written tales, in large type, with bold illustrations, and at a marvellously low price, they ought to sell by thousands, and the dissemination of this class of literature would do much to elevate the taste of our agricultural population. Further particulars of the above-mentioned series will be found in our advertising columns.

We have always greatly admired Miss Havergal's writings, but she seems to improve with every successive production. Her last two books are perfect gems. *Royal Commandments* (4) is a series of morning readings for every day in the month, and very beautifully and completely is the idea which the title expresses carried out, while the value of the readings is greatly enhanced by their being for the most part in the very words of Holy Writ. *Royal Bounty* (5) is a similar volume for evening reading, and we heartily recommend our readers to procure these dainty and inexpensive companions.

For a small poem, by an unknown author, to reach a circulation of half-a-million, is presumptive evidence there is something good in it, and we are glad to see *No Sect in Heaven* (6) reproduced, with other poems by the same writer, in a very attractive and elegant volume.

Dr. Newton is well known and appreciated as a writer for children, and his book on *Giants* (7), though an old favourite, is as welcome as ever. The characteristics of *Giants* Covetousness, Selfishness, Ill-temper, and Intemperance, are portrayed in a brisk, vivacious style that cannot but interest while inculcating the best of lessons.

The great African explorer, *Livingstone*, forms the subject of a very interesting little gift-book (8). The author has selected his facts with much discrimination, and the illustrations are profuse, the whole forming a welcome addition to our Sunday-school libraries.

The Prophet of Germany, as Martin Luther is well called, has formed the subject of many a volume, but we can yet find room for the little biography before us (9). The author has ransacked all the writings on the subject (having the rare honesty to quote his authorities), and our younger, and perhaps our elder readers, would do well to see this concise, impartial, and interesting little book.

Missionary stories always fascinate us, and the author of the book before us (10) knows well how to tell them. The greater part of the volume is a narration of personal expe-

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(4) *Royal Bounty*. By Frances R. Havergal. 1s.

(5) *Royal Commandments*. 1s. By Frances R. Havergal.

[London: Nisbet and Co.]

(6) *No Sect in Heaven, and other Poems*. [London: Provost and Co.]

(7) *Giants, and How to Fight them*. 1s. By Dr. Newton.

(8) *David Livingstone*. 1s. 6d. By Rev. J. Marrat.

(9) *Martin Luther*. 2s. By Rev. J. S. Banks.

(10) *Missionary Stories*. 3s. 6d. By Rev. W. Moister.

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