

MISSIONARY MUSIC.

HAVE you ever brought a penny to the missionary box,—

A penny which you might have spent like other little folks?

And when it falls among the rest, have you ever heard a ring

Like a pleasant sound of welcome which the other pennies sing?

This is missionary music, and it has a pleasant sound,

For pennies make a shilling, and shillings make a pound;

And many pounds together the gospel news will send,

Which tell the distant heathen that the Saviour is their friend.

And, oh! what joyous music is the missionary song,

When it seems to come from every heart, and sounds from every tongue;

When happy Christian little ones all sing with one accord

Of the time when realms of darkness shall be kingdoms of the Lord!