THE PENITENT'S PLEA.

BY R. M. OFFORD. Jesus, see me, lost and dying, Unto Thee for shelter flying. Hear, O hear my heart's sore crying Heed me, Jesus, or I die ! All my sin and sorrow feeling

Come I, as the leper, kneeling; Come to Thee for help and healing Heal me, Jesus, or I die! Nought have I to plead of merit,

Nought but curse do I inherit; By Thy gracious quick'ning Spirit : Save me, Jesus, or I die! Not my tears of deep contrition

Can secure one sin's remission Helpless, hopeless my condition Help me, Jesus, or I die! Far away my dead works flinging,

Nothing owning, nothing bringing, Only to Thy mercy clinging: Bless me, Jesus, or I die ! Nothing but thy mercy pleading,

Pardon, cleansing, shelter needing; In thy side, once pierced and bleeding Hide me, Jesus, or I die! Sin-cursed! in thy grace, Lord, bless me ;

Naked! in thy beauty dress me; Prodigal! in love caress me : Take me, Jesus, or I die! By thy cross, where hope is beaming, By its crimson fountain streaming,

Flowing for the world's redeeming

Cleanse me, Jesus, or I die! Save me, and I'll praise thee ever, For the love which changes never, From which not e'en death can sever : In a land where none can die! -New York Observer.

"AS THOU WILT."

BY MRS. MARY D. JAMES. Though every step be marked with blood Through all life's weary way, Good is Thy will, O blessed Lord. My fainting heart shall trust Thy word, And lovingly obey.

If by the thorny, stony road Celestial bliss I'll gain, The dreary way I'!! gladly plod That saints and holy martyrs trod, With them on high to reign.

And when I reach Mount Zion's height, And with the white-robed stand, Pure in my dear Redeemer's sight, I'll see how good, how wise, how right The leading of Thy hand,

The fireside.

THE QUEEN WHO COULDN'T BAKE GINGERBREAD.

The King of Macaroni got up one morning and sat on the edge of his bed. The Lord Chamberlain stood before him, and handed him his stockings, one of which had a great

hole in the heel. The stocking was artfully turned so that the hole should not be visible to his Majesty's eyes, and though the King generally dida't mind a ragged stocking as long as he had pretty boots, this time, however, the hole attracted his attention. Horrified, he tore the stocking out of the Lord Chamberlain's grasp, and poking his forefinger through the hole as far down as the knuckle, he remarked, with a sigh, "What is the use of being a king, if I have no queen? What would you say if I should

"The idea is sublime, your majesty," the Lord Chamberlain said, humbly. " But do you think I shall easily find a suitable wife?" asked the King. "Good gracious, yes! ten to one," was the

"Don't forget that I am not easily satisfied. I I am to like the Princess, she must be very wise and beautiful. Then there is another and very important condition. You know how fond I am of gingerbread! There isn't a person in my kingdom who understands how to bake it-at least, to bake it to a turn, so that it is neither too hard nor too soft, but just crisp enough. The condition is

the Princess must know how to bake gingerbread. The Lord Chamberlain was terribly frightened on hearing this, but he managed to say that, without doubt, such a Princess could be found.

" Very well," said the King; "suppose we be gin the search together." And that afternoon, in company with the Lord Chamberlain, he visited all the neighboring sovereigns who were known to have spare princesses to give away. Among them all were but three who were both wise and beautiful enough to please the King. And, unhappily, none of them could bake gingerbread !

"I cannot bake gingerbread, but I can make the nicest little almond cakes you ever saw," said the first Princess. "Won't they do?"

" No, it must be gingerbread," said the King. The second Princess, when the King asked her, made up a dreadful face, and said, angrily, "There is not a princess in the world who can bake gingerbread-gingerbread, indeed!

The King fared worse when he asked the third Princess, though she was the wisest and fairest of all. She gave him no chance to ask his question ; even before he had opened his mouth, she demanded if he could play on the trombone. When he acknowledged that he could not, she said that she was really sorry, but that she could not marry him, as he wouldn't suit. She liked him well enough, but she dearly loved to hear the trombone played, and she had decided never to marry any anan who

The King drove home with the Lord Chamberlain, and as he stepped out of the carriage he said, quite discouraged, "So we are about as far in our plans as we were before."

However, as a king must have a queen, after a time he sent for the Lord Chamberlain again, and scknowledged that he had resigned the hope of marrying a princess who could bake gingerbread. I will marry the Princess who can bake nice little almond cakes," he added. "Go, and ask her if she will be my wife."

When the Lord Chamberlain returned, the next day, he told his majesty that the Princeas was no more to be had, as she had already married. So the Chamberlain was sent to the second

Princess, but he came back equally unsuccessful, for the King, her father, regretted to say that his daughter was dead. After this the King pondered a good deal, but

as he really wished to have a queen, he commanded the Lord Chamberlain to go to the third Princess. " Perhaps she has changed her mind," he thought. The third Princess received the Lord Chamberlaid very graciously, and remarked that she had once decided never to marry a man who could not play on the trombone. But that was a dream-a youthful, idle dream, she sighed, a hope never to

The Lord Chamberlain whipped up his horses vision. The old man was struck with amazement. For deeper burns, but where the skin is not broken, and tore down the road to the palace, where the "I am Solomon," spoke the phantom, in a friend-King, overjoyed at the good tidings, embraced his ly voice. "What are you doing here, old man?" faithful servant, and gave him as reward all sorts "If you are Solomon," replied the venerable the solution. For very severe burns, followed by of toy crosses and stars to wear at his breast, and labourer, "how can you ask this? In my youth suppuration (formation of pus), apply the rags in

The wedding was splendid. The whole city was then learned I have followed out to this hour."

The King and Queen lived so happily together for a year that the King had quite forgotten about the gingerbread and the Queen about the trombone. Unhappily, one morning, the King got out of bed with his left foot foremost, and that day all things went wrong. So it happened that the royal pair quarreled for tho first time, though they could not have told the reason why. In short, the King was cross, and the Queen was snappish and insisted on having the last word.

"It is about time that you ceased finding fault with everything," the Queen said at last, with great scorn, shrugging her shoulders. "Why, you can't even play on the trombone.' "And you can't bake gingerbread," the King re-

torted, quick as a flash. For the first time the Queen did not know what to say, and so, without another word, they went to

you had tried."

The more he thought, the more cheerful he be- going. came. He whistled a favorite tune, looked at the great picture of his wife over the mantle, and then, climbing upon a chair, he brushed away a cobweb that was dangling over the nose of the Queen.

"How angry she must have been, poor little mischief between the boys?" woman!" he said at last. "Suppose I see what He stepped into the long corridor into which all

the rooms opened, and it being the day when all things went wrong, the groom of the chambers had forgotten to light the entry-lamp, though it was eight o'clock at night and pitch dark. The King went groping forward, with his hands stretched out for fear of falling, when suddenly he touched something very soft.

"Who is there?" he demanded. "It is I," said the Queen.

"What are you in search of, my dear?" "I wanted to beg your pardon-I was very un kind," she sobbed. " Pray don't, my love," the King said, in his very gentlest tone of voice. "It was my fault, but

all is forrgotten. One thing, let me say, however, my dear : there are two words which must never be uttered in our kingdom on pain of deathtrombone ' and ----"Gingerbread," the Queen added, laughing though she stealthily brushed away a tear.

THE ENERGY THAT SUCCEEDS.

And so the story ends .-- St. Nicholas.

The energy that wins success begins to develop ery early in life. The characteristics of the boy will commonly prove those of the man, and the by the apple falling to the ground sprang the best characteristics of young life should be encouraged and educated in the wisest possible manner. The following story strongly illustrates this truth:

"About thirty years ago," said Judge P-I stepped into a store in Cincinnati in search of some books that I wanted. While there, a ragged in the west of England. The first overslept himfor a geography.

" Plenty of them," was the salesman's reply. ' How much do they cost?' 'One dollar, my lad.'

'I did not know they cost so much.' ' He turned to go out, and even opened the door, ant closed it again and came back.

let me have a geography and wait a little while for the rest of the money? How eager his bright eyes looked for an answer, little wings. and how he seemed to shrink within his ragged clothes, when the man not very kindly told him he could not. The disappointed little fellow looked up at me with a very poor attempt to smile, and

left the store. I followed and overtook him. 'And what now?' I asked. Try another place, sir.'

each time he was refused.

Shall I go, too, and see how you succeed?' 'Oh, yes, if you like,' said he in surprise. ' Four different stores I entered with him, and

Will you try again? I asked. Yes, sir, I shall try them all, or I should not mow whether I could get one.' We entered the fifth store, and the little fellow walked up manfully, and told the gentleman just what he wanted and how much he had.

'You want the book very much?' asked the

'Yes, very much.' Why do you want it so very much?' 'To study sir. I can't go to school, but study when I can at home. All the boys have got one, and they will get ahead of me. Besides my father was a sailor, and I want to learn of the places where

Well, my lad, I will tell you what I will do ; I will let you have a new geography, and you may pay me the remainder of the money when you can; or I will let you have one that is not quite new for fifty cents.'

Are the leaves all in it, and just like the other nly not new?'

Yes, just like the new one.' It will do just as well, then ; and I will have and said : eleven cents left towards buying some other books. I am glad they didn't let me have one at the other

vessels that ever ploughed the waters of the Atlan- like a fairy. It was easy now to turn the wheel. tic. We had very beautiful weather until very near That drop of oil on a dry spot in the machinery the end of the voyage; then came a most terrible made all right. storm that would have sunk all on board had it not There are many other places where a drop of oil been for the captain. Every spar was laid low, the works just a great wonders. When things go rudder was almost useless, and a great leak had wrong, when tempers get ruffled there is no magic shown itself, threatening to fill the ship. The crew like a few sweet, cheery words. So when one is were all strong, willing men, and the mates were in anger and ready to do or say rash things just all practical seamen of the first class; but after give him a "soft answer," and you will see how it pumping for one whole night, and the water still can cheer and brighten the way for yourself and all gaining upon them, they gave up in despair, and about you. prepared to take the boats, though they might have

known no small boat could live in such a sea. The captain, who had been below with his chart, now came up. He saw how matters stood, and, close of a lesson on a recent Sabbath, handed to with a voice that I distinctly heard above the roar her scholars little slips of paper, on which was

he said, 'if you will be men.' deck of the sinking vessel, receiving the thanks and doubtless learned by bitter processes the painful gang-plank As I passed he grasped my hand and shops in heaven."

Judge P-, do you recognise me? I told him that I was not aware I ever saw him intil I stepped aboard of his vessel. Do you remember that boy in Cincinnati?'

Very well, sir; William Haverly.' I am he,' he said. 'God bless you ! And God bless you, noble Captain Haverly.'

SOLOMON AND HIS PUPIL. An old man was toiling through the burden and heat of the day in cultivating his fields with his own tic, antiseptic and disinfecting properties—all highbe realized—and as she liked the King in spite of hands, and depositing the promising seeds in the ly beneficial for burns. For slight burns, cover all fruitful earth. Suddenly there stood before him a the injured parts with a layer of powdered soda.

about fifteen yards of ribbon to wind about his neck | you sent me to the ant; I saw its occupation, and learned to be industrious, and to gather. What I fully wash off with the soda solution any matter gay with flags and banners, and garlands hung in "You have only learned half your lesson," re. not be absorbed into and poison the blood. Leadhuge festoons from house to house; and for two plied the spirit. "Go again to the ant, and learn ing European medical journals give numerous in-

MY SHEPHERD AND GUIDE. Jesus, my shepherd and my guide, O keep and shelter me ;

With Thy dear flock I would abide, Thy true disciple he. Dear Jesus, Thou hast loved me so,

And sought me from above-O never let me cease to know The sweetness of Thy love.

Blest Jesus, take and rule my heart; Each thought, all life be Thine ; Then may I see Thee as Thou art, And in Thy glory shine.

"IT'S ALL RUINED!"

The ruin of the Sunday-school--at least for one their separate rooms. The Queen threw herself on of its members-was thus pathetically announced the sofa and wept bitterly. "What a little fool by him to a missionary of the American Sundayyou are?" she sobbed. "Where was your common school Union in North Carolina. This may reprove sense? You couldn't have been more stupid if some other teacher guilty of such raination. This missionary related it thus : On Sunday afternoon As for the King, he strode up and down the room I stopped in front of a log-cabin, and asked a little rubbing his hands. "It is fortunate that my wife | fellow who sat on the door-step for a cup of water. can't bake gingerbread," he thought, gleefully, In reply to my inquiries he said his name was for if she could what should I have answered Lewis; that he was eight years old, and that he when she said that I couldn't play on the trom | knew the way to Sunday-school; and as I was hurrying to its meeting, I asked if he was not

"No," said he, "I ha'n't been there in three Sundays-it's all ruined !" "Why, how is that, Lewis? Has there been any 'fues' between the teachers; any fighting or

" No, sir, I reckon not; but it's all ruined!" "Now, Lewis, my dear boy, what has ruined your nice little Sunday-school !"

Looking at me with an expression of grief, pecu-

"She don't come any more; it's all ruined!" The poor boy knew not why his loved teacher had failed to come to the school. Enough for him to know that in her absence it was ruined for him. The absence of a teacher may cause ruin to some scholar's interest. - N. Y. Observer.

GREAT THINGS, LITTLE WINGS.

liar to one of his tender age, he said :

Great ends spring from little beginnings, we all know. Beautiful islands in the Southern Ocean, the work of the tiny coral insect; the unseer worm in the timbers of the ship, anseen until the work of destruction is complete and the vessel lost. These are little beginnings in nature.

The men who make large fortunes are those, as a rule, who began with little, and were careful, industrious men ; men who built their fortunes on a small foundation, but well and truly laid. Careless people seldom do great things.

From the very small thing of watching the steam issue from his mother's tea-kettle, young Watt started the wonderful science of steam engines and machinery, which has changed the whole world. From the thoughts roused in Newton's mind scovery of the law of nature called "gravita-

It will not do to make a mistake in beginning a thing, as a little story will show: Four men had to attend the trial of the prisoners at some assizes boy, over twelve years of age, came in and inquired self, lost his train, and did not arrive in court till the case he was wanted for was finished; the second got into a carriage without asking the guard if is was the right one, and was many miles on his jonFney before he found he was in the wrong train; the next reached the assize town, and then found he had left papers behind, without which his presence was no good, the fourth was careful what he was 'I've got sixty-one cents,' he said ; could you about, and helped to win the case he was engaged in. The first three began wrong, and nothing afterwards could put them right. Great things fly on

LOST WILLIE.

A poor boy employed in Scotland to keep sheep was overtaken on the hills by a severe snow storm. Long and bravely he kept up and tried to drive his flock home by taking note of the land marks he knew. All in vain; the snow fell fast and before night all traces of paths and roads were lost, and poor Willie found himself alone in the hills with

As the night wore on the fatal drowsiness began to creep over him, beyond his power to resist, and, without a scrap of shelter, he laid himself down among his sheep to sleep and die, for he was sure he would never more wake on earth. With a smothered prayer for help he fell asleep, and, as he lay there, more sheep came and huddled around him. Strange, indeed, as it may seem, the warmth from their bodies kept him from being frozen to

A party from home went in search of him, and they found him surrounded by a dozen old sheep, whose instincts had saved his life. In keeping themselves warm they had kept warmth and life in him. And he livee many years to tell this anecdote of his boyhood's peril when lost on the northern

A DROP OF OIL.

The sewing machine went hard. Brother Willcame and loked over Amy's shoulders and knit his brow, as was his custom when in a puzzle. At last, turning back the machine, he glared over the works

"Do you oil it here, Amy?"

"Why, no : I never thought of that." A drop of oil was supplied, and in another min-Last year I went to Europe on one of the finest ute the slender needle was flying through the work

THANKFULNESS.

A Sabbath school teacher in Michigan, at the of the tempest, ordered every man to his post. printed the question, "What have I to be thankful 'I will land you safe at the dock in Liverpool,' for I' asking that each should take time to consider and answer on the following Sabbath. Among the He did land us safely; but the vessel sank replies that were then given was the following moored to the dock. The captain atood on the pathetic sentence, written by a little girl who had blessings of the passengers as they passed down the truths it told: "I am thankful there are no rum-

HOME HINTS.

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For sale by apr 20 T. B. BARKER & SONS. EQUITY SALE.

THERE WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION,

at Chubb's Corner (so called) in Prince William street, in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, on SATURDAY, the twenty-third day of June next, at twelve o'clock noon, by virtue of a decretal order of the Supreme Court, in Equity, made on the third day of March, A. D. 1883, in a certain suit therein pending, whereis Ariana L. Hunt is Plaintiff, and James Mahony is Defendant, the mortgaged lands and premises described in said decretal order as: "All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land situate, 'lying and being in the Town of Portland, in the said 'City and County of Saint John, conveyed to said 'Samuel Schofield, by one William M. Jarvis, by deed bearing date the thirtieth day of November last, and the description and heaviled as belong a vertical section. described and bounded as being a part of two certain dots known and distinguished by the numbers 16 and 17, on the plan of building lots, near Mr. Wright's cottage, northward of the City Road, formerly belonging to the estate of the late Honorable William Hazen, commencing on the northern side line of Winter street, in said town of Portland, at a point distant eighty feet from the western side line of Summer street, thence running parallel with said western side line of Summer running parallel with said western side line of Summer street one hundred feet, thence westerly parallel with the said northern side of Winter street (41) for by-one feet and thence southerly parallel with the said western side line of Summer street one hundred feet and thence easterly along Winter street (41) forty-one feet to the place of beginning, forming a lot of forty-one feet by one hundred feet, together with all and singular the buildings, erections and improvements on the said lot of land now standing and being, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issu and profits thereof. 27 For terms of sale and other particulars apply to he Plaintiff's Solicitor.

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SPRING 1883. WE are fully prepared to meet the demands of our customers and the trade generally in our lines of STAPLE GOODS. Received, in store and due here: 2,000 bbls. FLOUR,

700 Bbls, Cornmeal and Oatmeal; 200 "Heavy Mess Pork, new; White Beans; Whole and Split Peas; Sugars; Choice Sliced Dried Apples; Best Pot Barley; 50 Boxes Factory Cheese :

600 Packages Butter and Lard;
500 Teas and Tobacccs, of various grades;
90 Puns. Molasses, including some choice new crop; 75 Bags Rice; 450 Boxes Valencia and Muscatel Raisins; 250 Kegs B. Soda, and usual variety of other goods SALT. SALT. 4,400 BAGS about due—first spring cargo, and we have a large quantity to follow through the season.

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D. POTTINGER. Chief Superintendent. Railway Office, Moncton, N.B. 28th November, 1882.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION 40 Chubb's Corner, Prince William Street, City of Saint ohn, on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd day of FEBRUARY A.D., 1882, between the hours of Twelve o'clock, midday, and Five o'clock in the afternoon: All the right, title, and interest of Peter Riley to that certain leasehold piece or parcel of land demised the said Peter Riley by Sarah Elizabeth Hazen and JOHANNA R. RITCHIE by Indenture, bearing date the thirty-first day of October, A. D., 1874, and described n said Indenture as All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate lying, and being in the said Town (formerly Parish) of Portland, on the northerly side of the public highway eading from the said City of Saint John towards In diantown, and known and distinguished as Main-Street, Portland, and bounded and described as follows—that is to say: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the eastern line of a street leadng northerly from the said highway or Main Street-

Hazen, and now in the occupation of Mrs. Alexander McNaughton, thence northerly on the said western the ine of Scott's Lot, seventy feet thence westerly on a line parallel to the said highway or Main Street, before mentioned, thirty-four feet, more or less, to the said eastern line of the said street, and thence southery on the said line of the said street seventy feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, being the same lot of and demised and leased by the said Robert F. Hazen in his lifetime to one John McAnally by Indenture o Lease, bearing date the thirty-first day of October, 1850, of which lease the said Peter Riley is assignee, and the said lot of land and premises hereby demised having been devised and bequeathed by the said Robert F. Hazen to the said Sarah Elizabeth Hazen and Johanna Robinson Ritchie by his last Will and Testament duly recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of Saint John aforesaid;"

John Howe and wife to one Thomas Maher, bearing date the fifth day of March, A. D., 1866, as commencing on the dividing line of lots, numbers (8) eight and (9) nine, easterly on the street or road leading to Indiantown (now Main street), as marked in red ink on the map or plan of division of lands between Messrs. Hazen, Simonds and White, and having thence the space or front of twenty-four feet, more or lessthe space of Front or twenty-long lett, more or less, thence east-thence northerly eighty feet, more or less, thence east-erly to the said dividing line, and thence southerly to the first-mentioned boundary line, the said lot having a front at right angles of twenty-four feet, more or less, a front at right angles of twenty-four feet, more or less, on Main Street, and extending back eighty feet, more or less, and adjoining a lot of land now occupied by one Crawford," with all the buildings and improvements on the said several lots being the same, having been taken under aff Execution issued out of the Supreme

ourt at the suit of MARY AUGUSTA CANBY, JAMES A. HARDING. Saint John, N. B., 15th Nov., 1881. nov 18-3m

Dated the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1882. The above sale is postponed till WEDNESDAY THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF APRIL next, then to take place at Chubb's Corner, and between the hours above mentioned. JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff. Dated the 20th day of March, A. D. 1882.

JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff. Dated the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1882. The above sale is further postponed till SATURDAY
THE TWENTY THIRD DAY OF SEPTEMBER of all grades, including such brands as Bent's Choice, A 1, Bull's Eye, Three Bells, Star, Buda, Shawnee, Chisholm's, etc., etc. Also, RYE and GRAHAM FLOUR.

JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff.

Dated the fourteenth day of June, A. D. 1882. The above sale is further postponed till SATURDAY, THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF DECEMBER next, then to take place at Chubb's Corner, and between the boundary continued. the hours above mentioned. Dated the 19th day of September, A. D. 1882.

JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff. The above sale is further postponed till SATURDAY, the TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF APRIL next, then to take place at Chubb's Corner, and between the hours above named.

The above sale is further postponed till SATURDAY THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF AUGUST next, then to take place at Chubb's Corner, and between the hours above named. Dated the the 20th day of April, A. D. 1883. JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff.

With more frequent trips in July, August and September, of which due notice will be given.

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before mentioned, thence running from the said corner on the said northern line of the said highway or Main Street, before mentioned, thirty-four feet, more or less, to the western line of a lot held (or hereto-fore held) by one William Scott from the said Robert

aid lot being subject to a yearly rent of \$32, and a nortgage to John R. Armstrong. Also: "All the said Peter Riley's right, title and interest in all that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the said Town of Portland, described in the deed thereof from the land wife to one Thomas Maher bear

The above sale is postponed till WEDNESDAY THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF MARCH next. JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff.

The above sale is postponed till SATURDAY THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF JULY next, then to take place at Chubb's Corner, and between the hours

JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff.

Dated the twentieth day of December, A. D. 1882 JAMES A. HARDING, Sheriff.