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PREFACE.

THE publishers of this little work would say to their brethren of the various denominations, and friends in general, that their sole object in framing "THE CHRISTIAN HARP AND SABBATH SCHOOL SONGSTER," was the purpose of supplying a want—long felt by themselves and many others—of such a work.

When they first spoke of arranging and publishing a book of this kind, all who heard of it seemed much delighted, and many encouraged them to prosecute the work at once, declaring their hearty patronage.

They have, therefore, selected such melodies, and collected such ballads from far and near, as were thought best adapted to social worship—revivals, and Sabbath Schools, and tending to promote the cause of pure and undefiled religion.

The large sale and increasing demand for this little work, have induced the publishers to issue a Tenth Edition. No changes have been made in this from the former edition, and it is now offered to the public in a permanent form.

THE PUBLISHERS.

INTRODUCTION.

MUSIC is composed of sounds produced by the human voice or musical instruments. These tones have three essential properties namely:

PITCH, LENGTH, POWER, Pitch regards a tone as high or low; length, as

long or short; and power, as loud or soft.

At the foundation of high and low tones lies a

series of eight notes called

THE DIATONIC SCALE.



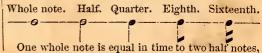
To the first tone of the scale we apply the syllable Do, to the second RE, &c., as above.

Music is written upon a character called the Staff. The staff is composed of five lines and four spaces. The notes are written on the lines and in the spaces. Each line and each space thus represents a degree of sound. When more than nine degrees of sound are wanted, the spaces below and above are used; and if still more degrees of sound are wanted, short lines are added below and above on which the notes are placed.

There are two staffs in use. These staffs are distinguished by characters called Clefs—the F Clef and the G Clef. The lines and spaces represent different tones. These tones are named after the first seven letters of the alphabet. When the F Clef is placed on the staff, the first line is called G, the first space A, &c., as in the following example; but when the G Clef is placed on the staff, the first line represents E, the first space F, &c.



To represent the length of tones, characters are used called notes. These notes are of various lengths, as follows:



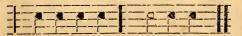
or four quarters, or eight eights, or sixteen six-time of two notes of equal value without the figure teenths: and the same relative length must be allowed to each note. Thus if we sing the whole note in four seconds of time, the half note must be sung in two seconds, the quarter-note in one second, the eighth-note in half-a-second, and the sixteenth note in a quarter of a second. But if in any piece of music the whole note is sung in three seconds, the half-note must be sung in a second and a half, &c.

The notes of a piece of music are divided into equal measures—each measure containing the same value of notes. For this purpose bars are used. There are three bars in common use, viz: the single bar, the broad bar, and the double bar.

The single bar divides the staff into equal timemeasures: the broad bar marks the end of a line of poetry; and the double bar shows where a strain ends that is to be repeated, and is also used at the beginning of a chorus.

EXAMPLE:

Single Bar. Measure. Broad Bar. Measure. Double Bar



Notes are subject to some modifications by the use of additional characters. A dot or point (*) placed after a note adds one-half to its length; thus, the pointed whole note is equal to three halfnotes: the pointed half-note to three quarters, &c. When the figure 3 is placed over a group of three notes, such three notes are to be performed in the their equal in other notes or rests.

3. When a pause of is placed over a note it adds about one-third to its original length.

When four dots or points are placed across the

staff the strain following is to be repeated.

When the initials D. C. are placed over the staff they indicate a repetition of the first strain again, and closing with that.

There are three kinds of TIME in music, namely. Common Time, Triple Time, and Compound Time. There are three varieties of Common time; two of Triple, and two of Compound. The first measure of Common Time is marked with the fraction 2-2, and contains two half-notes in a measure, or their equal in other notes or rests. The second measure is marked with the fraction 4-4, and contains four quarter notes in a measure, or their equal in other notes or rests. The third measure is marked with the fraction 2-4, and contains two quarter notes in a measure, or their equal in other notes or rests.

The first measure of Triple Time is marked with the fraction 3-2, and contains three half-notes in a measure, or their equal in other notes or rests: and the second measure is marked with the fraction 3-4, and contains three quarter-notes, or their

equal in other notes or rests.

The first measure of Compound Time is marked with the fraction 6-4, and contains six quarter notes in a measure, or their equal in other notes or rests; and the second measure with the fraction 6-8, and contains six eighth-notes in a measure, or

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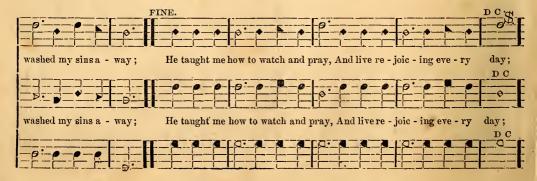
TO-DAY. 6s & 4s.

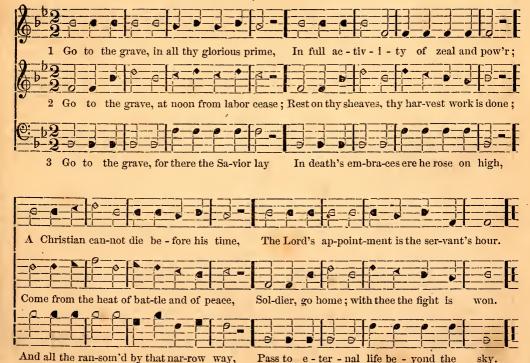


4 The Spir-it calls to - day: Yield to his pow'r: Oh, grieve him not a-way; 'Tis merey's hour.



3 'Tis done, the great transaction's done; I am my Lord's and he is mine; He drew me and I followed on, Charmed to confess his voice divine.









3 Shall we sing with holy angels In that land?

Shall we sing with holy angels In that happy land?

Yes! oh, yes! in that land that happy land Saints and angels sing forever Far beyond the rolling river Meet to sing and love forever In that happy land!

4 Shall we rest from care and sorrow, In that land?

Shall we rest from care and sorrow,

In that happy land?
Yes! oh, yes! in that land, that happy land,

They that meet shall rest forever
Far beyond the rolling river, &c.

5 Shall we meet our dearlost children

5 Shall we meet our dear lost children, In that land?

Shall we meet our dear lost children, In that happy land?

Yes! oh, yes! in that land, that happy lad, Children meet and sing forever Far beyond the rolling river, &c. 6 Shall we meet our Christian parents In that land?

Shall we meet our Christian parents In that happy land?

Yes! oh, yes! in that land that happy land.
Parents and children meet together
Far beyond the rolling river, &c.

7 Shall we meet our faithful teachers In that land?

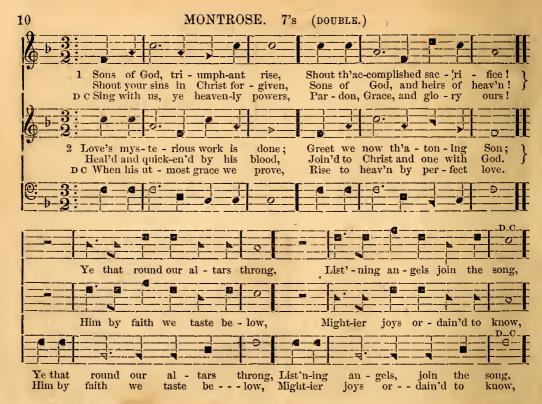
Shall we meet our faithful teachers In that happy land?

Yes! oh, yes! in that land, that happy land, Teachers and scholars meet together, Far beyond the rolling river, &c.

8 Shall we know our blessed Savior, In that land?

Shall we know our blessed Savior, In that happy land?

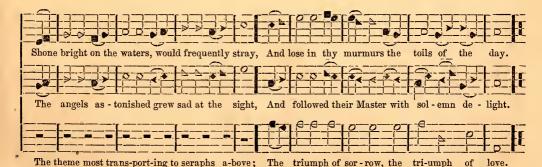
Yes! oh, yes! in that land, that happy land,
We shall know our blessed Savior
Far beyond the rolling river,
Love and serve him there forever,
In that happy land!



skies.



3 O garden of Olivet, thou dear honored spot! The fame of thy wonders shall ne'er be for - got: 4 Come, saints, and adore him, come bow at his feet? Oh, give him the glory, the praise that is meet.



And join the full cho-rus that glad-dens

Let joy - ful ho - san-nas un-ceasing a-rise,

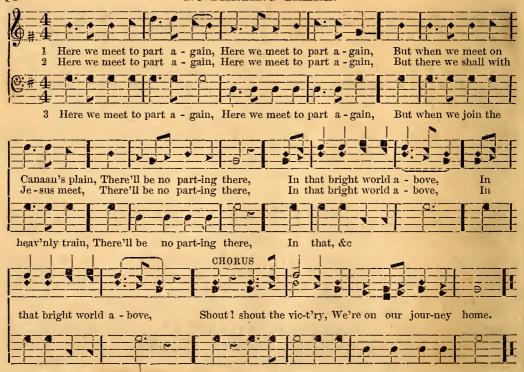


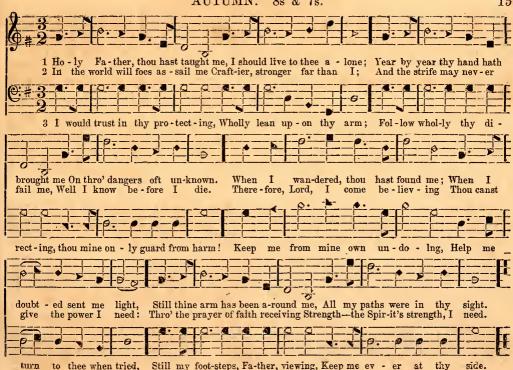


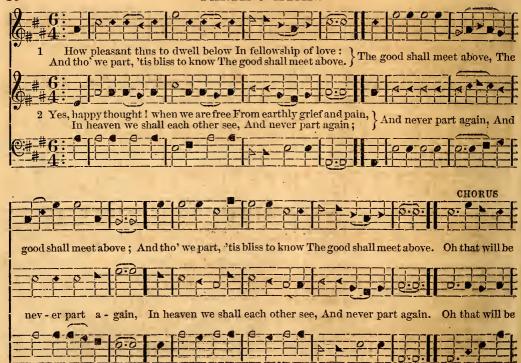


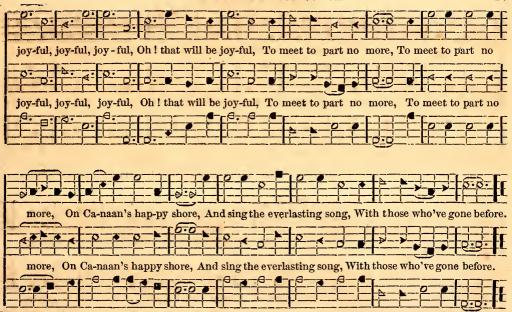
vast e - ter - ni - ty with the news, with the news, Fill vast e - ter - ni - ty with the news.

- 4 Ye friends of Zion's King, join his praise! join his praise! Ye friends of Zion's King, join his praise! Ye friends of Zion's King, with hearts and voices sing, And strike each tuneful string in his praise, in his praise: And strike each tuneful string in his praise.
- 5 To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing,
 To God and to the Lamb I will sing:
 To God and to the Lamb who is the great I AM,
 While millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing,
 While millions join the theme, I will sing.
- 6 And when from death I'm free, I am free, I am free And when from death I'm free, I am free; And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be, And through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on, And through eternity I'll sing on.







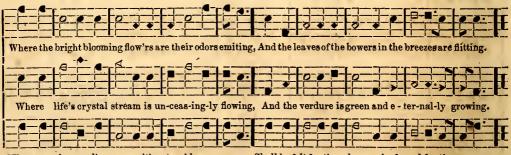


- 3 The children who have loved the Lord, Shall hail their teachers there! And teachers gain the rich reward Of all their toil and care.
- 2 Ch. Harp.

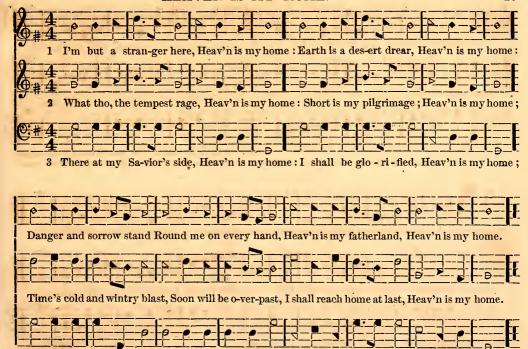
4 Then let us each in strength divine, Still walk in wisdom's ways; That we with those we love, may joy In never-ending praise.



4 He's prepared thee a home, sinner canst thou believe it? And invites thee to come, sinner, wilt thou receive it!

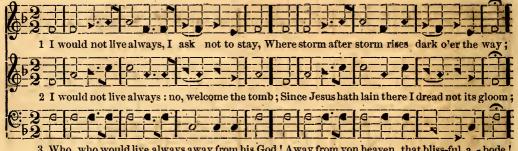


Where no sin, nor dis-may; neither trouble nor sor-row, Shall be felt for the day nor be feared for the morrow. Oh! then come, sin-ner, come! for the tide is re-ceeding, And the Savior will soon and for-ev-er cease pleading.



There are the good and blest, Those I love most and best; There, too, I soon shall rest, Heav'n is my home.





3 Who, who would live always away from his God! Away from you heaven, that bliss-ful a - bode! 4 Where saints of all a-ges in har-mo-ny meet, Their Savior and brethren trans-port-ed to greet;



Where rivers of pleasure flow o'er the bright plains, And noontide of glory e - ter - nal-ly reigns. While an-thems of rapture un-ceas-ing-ly roll, The smile of the Lord is the feast of the soul.



Home, home, sweet, sweet home: Re - ceive me, dear Sa - vior, in glo - rv, my home.

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THE FATHERLAND.



8 There is a place where my friends are gone, Who worship'd and suffered with me-Exalted with Christ, high

a place where I hope to live When life and its trou-bles are o'er, A place which the Lord to



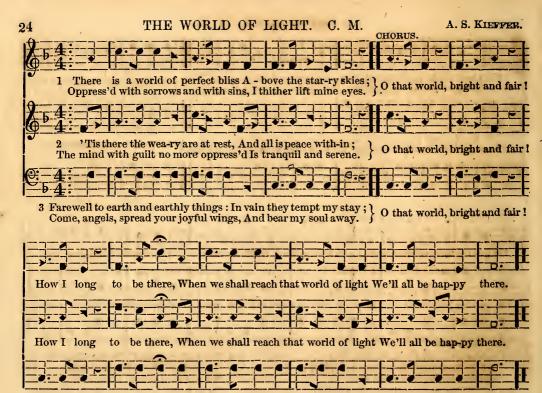
on his throne, The King in his beauty they see. me will give, And then I shall sor-row no more.





3 Let others seek a home below,
Which flames devour, or waves o'erflow;
Be mine the happier lot to own,
A heav'nly mansion near the throne.

Then fail this earth; let stars decline, And sun and moon refuse to shine, All nature sink and cease to be, That heav'nly mansion stands for me.

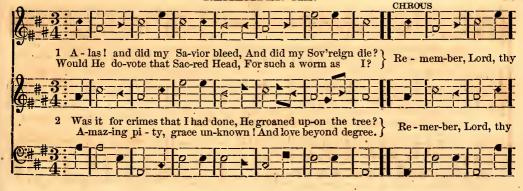








The Ho-ly Spir - it I received, And Christ from death my soul retrieved, Mercy's free, Mercy's free.

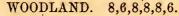


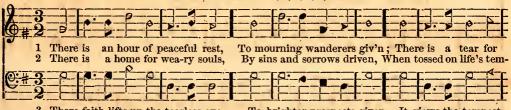


- 3 Thy body slain sweet Jesus, thine, And bathed in its own blood, While all exposed to wrath divine, The glorious Suff'rer stood.
- 4 Well might the sun in darkness hide, And shut his glories in, When Christ the mighty Maker died, For man, the creature's sin.

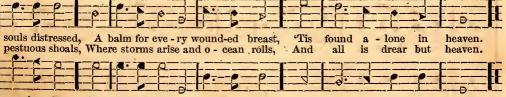


- 3 We'll tell the world as we journey along We're homeward bound, homeward bound: Try to persuade them to enter our throng, We're homeward bound, homeward bound;
 - Come trembling sinner, forlorn and oppressed; Join in our number, O come, and be blest; Journey with us to the mansions of rest. We're homeward bound, homeward bound.
- 4 Into the harbor of heaven now we glide, We're home at last, home at last; Softly we drift on its bright silver tide, We're home at last, home at last: Glory to God, all our dangers are o'er; We stand secure on the glorified shore; Glory to God! we will shout evermore, We're home at last, home at last.





There faith lifts up the tearless eye, ... To brighter prospects given, It views the tempest



passing by, Sees eve-ning shadows quick-ly flv. And in heaven.





3 Lo! glad I come, and thou blest Lamb Shalt take me to thee as I am: My sinful self to thee I give— Nothing but love shall I receive. 4 Then will I tell to sinners round, What a dear Savior I have found; I'll point to thy redeeming blood, And say,—"beheld the way to God!"



- 2 I'll praise my Maker while I've breath; I hope to praise him after death; I hope to praise him when I die, And shout salvation as I fly.
- 3 Farewell, vain world, I'm going home,
 My Savior smiles and bids me come;
 Sweet angels beckon me away,
 To sing God's praise in endless day.

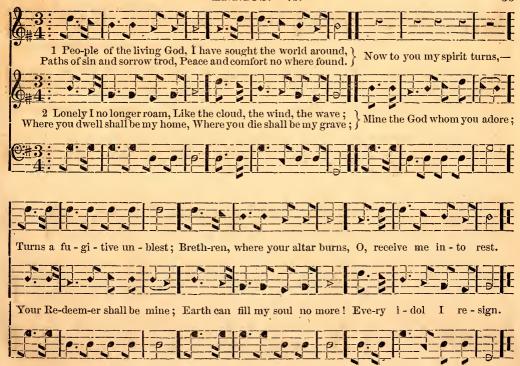
- 4 I soon shall pass this vale of death, And in his arms I'll lose my breath; And then my happy soul shall tell, My Jesus hath done all things well.
- 5 When to that blessed world I rise, And join the anthems in the skies. This note above the rest shall swell My Jesus hath done all things well.



And view the land-scape o'er, Not Jor-dan's stream nor death's cold flood, Should fright us from the shore.

3 Christian Harp.





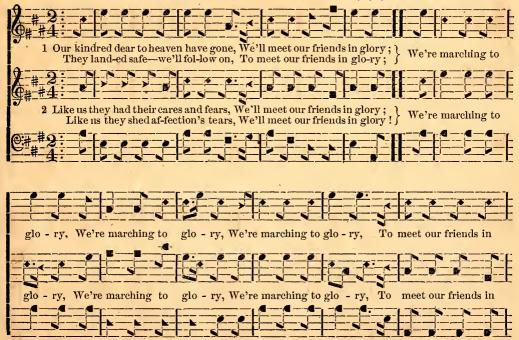


4 Then to my rav-ish'd ear, Let one sweet song be giv'n! Let mu - sie charm me



gleam Which on each fea-ture plays. last on earth, And greet me first in heav'n.





3 Now they are shining bright and fair, We'll meet, &c. Victorious palms with joy they bear, We'll meet, &c.

⁴⁻Safe housed in their eternal home, We'll meet, &c. They wait till we with songs shall come, We'll meet, &c.







3 And when I have ended my pilgrimage here, In my Sa-vior's pure righteousness let me ap - pear; 4 And when the last trumpet shall sound thro' the skies, And the dead from the dust of the earth shall arise,



From the swellings of Jordan to thee will I cry—"Lead me to the Rock that is high-er than I! With the mil-lions I'll join far a-bove yon-der sky, To praise the great Rock that is higher than I!





3 To Je-sus Christ I sought for rest, He bade me cease to roam, But fly for suc - cor



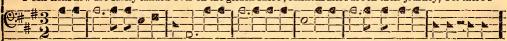
his breast, And he'd con-duct me home.



- 4 When by affliction sharply tried, I view the gaping tomb; Although I dread Death's chilling tide, Yet still I sigh for home.
- 5 Weary of wand'ring round and round This vale of sin and gloom, I long to quit th' unhallow'd ground, And dwell with Christ at home.



1 We are out on the ocean sailing, Homeward bound we sweetly glide; We are out on the ocean sailing To a 2 Mil-lions now are safely landed Over on the golden shore; Millions more are on their journey, Yet there's



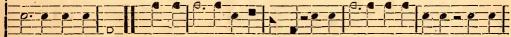
3 Come on board and ship for glory, Be in haste make up your mind! For our vessel's weighing anchor, You will

4 You have kindred over yonder, On that bright and happy shore; By and by we'll swell the number, When the



home be-yond the tide.

All the storms will soon be o - ver, Then we'll anchor in the har-bor; We are



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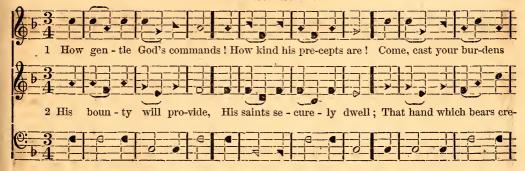
- 5 Spread your sails, while heavenly breezes, Gently waft our vessel on; All on board are sweetly singing— Free salvation is the song.
- 6 When we all are safely anchored Over on the shining shore, We will walk about the city, And will sing forevermore.





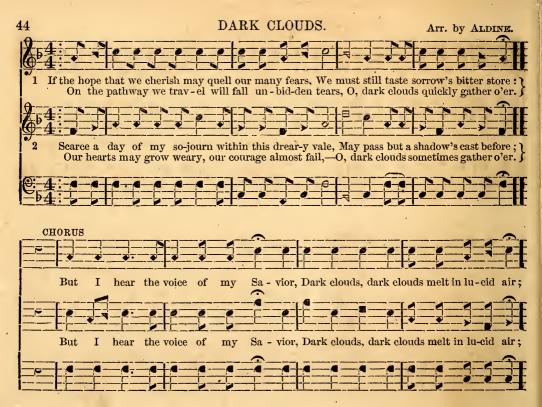
shall my ash-es lie, Waiting the summons from on high.

- How blest the righteous when he dies! When sinks a weary soul to rest, How mildly beam the closing eyes, How gently heaves th' expiring breast.
- 2 So fades a summer cloud away, So sinks the gale when storms are o'er! So gently shuts the eye of day, So dies a wave along the shore.
- A calm which life nor death destroys: Nothing disturbs that peace profound, Which his unfettered soul enjoys.





- 3 Why should this anxious load, Press down your weary mind? Oh, seek your heavenly Father's throne, And peace and comfort find.
- 4 His goodness stands approved, Unchanged from day to day; I'll drop my burden at his feet, And bear a song away.





Dire enemies surround us
At morning noon and night,
As the lion crouches for his prey;
And when we look to Jesus,
Big tears bedim our sight,—
O, dark clouds hover o'er the way.

4 If the bliss of Christian union,
Revives the fainting heart,
While loved ones to comfort tarry near,
In vain do we linger,
The dearest friends must part,—
O, dark clouds separate us here.

This life's a tiresome journey
As still from stage to stage,
We go on to future good or ill;

From the earliest hours of childhood Even down to trembling age,— O, dark clouds quickly gather o'er.

As the sunbright of a morning
May hide behind a cloud,
And bright buds of promise strew the ground—
So in place of bridal garment,
May come the snowy shroud,—
O, dark clouds quickly gather round.

If the fond doting mother
Commends her infant's charms,
Too soon her rapture turns to gloom;
Like a sweet drocping flower,
It withers in her arms,—
O, dark clouds hover o'er its tomb.





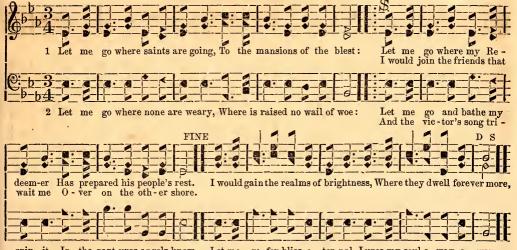


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You may value the friendships of youth and of age, And select for your comrades the noble and sage; But the friends that most cheer me on life's rugged road, Are the friends of my Master—the children of God.

You may talk of your prospects of fame and of wealth, Of the hopes which so flatter the fav'rites of health; But the hope of bright glory—of heavenly bliss,—Take away every other, and give me but this.

5 Ever hail! blessed temple, abode of my Lord, I will turn to thee often and learn from his word: I will walk to thy altars with those that I love, And delight in the prospects revealed from above.



spir - it In the rapt-ures angels know. Let me go, for bliss e - ter-nal, Lures my soul a - way, a - way, umph-ant Thrills my heart, I cannot stay.

3 Let me go, why should I tarry?
What has earth to bind me here?
What but cares, and toils, and sorrows?
What but death, and pain, and fear?
Let me go, for hopes most cherished,
Blasted round me often lie;
O! I've gathered brightest flowers,
But to see them fade and die.

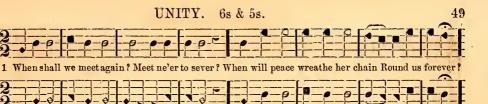
4 Let me go where tears and sighing,.

Are forever more unknown,
Where the joyous songs of glory,
Call me to a happier home.
Let me go—I'd cease this dying,
I would gain life's fairer plains,
Let me join the myriad harpers,
Let me chant their rapturous strains.

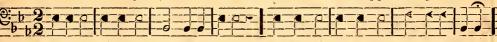




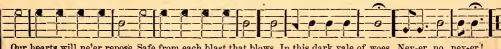
- 1 Come, weary souls with sins distrest; Come, and accept the promised rest; The Savior's gracious call obey, And cast your gloomy fears away.
- 2 Oppressed with guilt a painful load; O come and spread your woes abroad; Divine compassion mighty love, Will all the painful load remove.
- 3 Here mercy's boundless ocean flows, To cleanse your guilt and heal your woes; Pardon, and life, and endless peace; How rich the gift, how free the grace.



2 When shall love freely flow, Pure as life's river! When shall sweet friendship glow, Changeless forever?



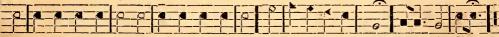
3 Up to that world of light, Take us, dear Sa-vior: May we all there u - nite, Hap - py for - ev-er! 4 Soon shall we meet again, Meet ne'er to sev-er; Soon will peace wreathe her chain Round us forever!



Our hearts will ne'er repose, Safe from each blast that blows. In this dark vale of woes, Nev-er, no, nev-er!



Where joys celestial thrill, Where bliss each heart shall fill, And fears of parting chill, Nev-er, no, nev-er!



Where kindred spirits dwell, There may our music swell, And time our joys dis - pel Nev-er, no, nev-er! Our hearts will then re - pose, Se-cure from world-ly woes; Our songs of praise shall close Nev-er, no nev-er! 4 Christian Harp.





My Fa-ther's house is built on high, We'll be gathered home: A - bove the arched and When from this earthly pris - on free, We'll be gathered home; That heavenly man-sion



sky, We'll be gath-ered home, We'll wait till Je - sus comes, We'll wait till star - ry be, We'll be gath-ered home, We'll wait till Je - sus comes, We'll wait till mine shall



- 5 While here a stranger far from home, We'll be gathered home; Affliction's waves around me foam, We'll be gathered home.

 CHO—We'll wait. &c.
- 6 I envy not the rich and great,
 We'll be gathered home;
 Their pomp of wealth and pride of state,
 We'll be gatherd home.
- 7 My Father is a richer King,
 We'll be gathered home;
 That heavenly mansion still I sing,
 We'll be gathered home.

- 8 Let others seek a home below,
 We'll be gathered home;
 Which flames devour or waves o'erthrow,
 We'll be gathered home.
 CHO.—We'll wait, &c.
- 9 Be mine the happier lot to own,
 We'll be gathered home;
 A heavenly mansion near the throne,
 We'll be gathered home.
- 10 Then fail this earth, let stars decline, We'll be gathered home; And sun and moon refuse to shine; We'll be gathered home.



3 Pilgrim! God thy guide will be, Him o-bey, Him o-bey! Pilgrim! God thy guide will be, Him, Him, obey, 4 Hark! a voice of melody! "Pilgrim, come! pilgrim come!" Hark! a voice of melody! "Pilgrim, come home!"



Trust him tho' thou canst not see, 'Tis his hand that leadeth thee, All the way, all the way, All, all the way. 'Tis thy Fa - ther calleth thee, Onward press and soon thou 'It be, Safe at home, safe at home, Safe, safe at home.



- 2 Return, O wanderer—now return;
 He hears thy humble sigh:
 He sees thy softened spirit mourn,
 When no one else is nigh.
- 3 Return, O wanderer—now return: Thy Savior bids thee live;

Go to his feet and grateful learn How freely he'll forgive.

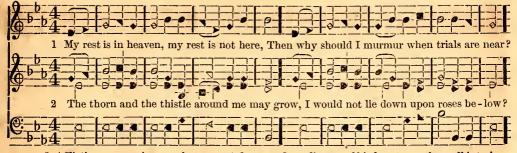
4 Return, O wanderer—now return And wipe the falling tear:

Thy Father calls—no longer mourn, 'Tis love invites thee near,





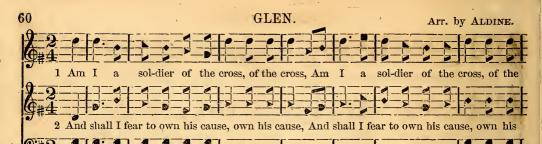
bil - lows rock-ing Far, far at sea, Save him on the bil - lows rock-ing, Far, far at sea. Sore temp - ta - tions long have tried him, Far, far at sea.



3 Afflictions may grieve me but cannot destroy, One glimpse of his love turns them all into joy; 4 A scrip on my back, and a staff in my hand, I march on in haste through an en-e-my's land;



And bit-ter-est tears if he smile but on them, Like dew in the sunshine grow diamond and gem. The road may be rough but it cannot be long; I'll smooth it with hope, and I'll cheer it with song.



3 Must I be car-ried to the skies, to the skies, Must I be car-ried to the skies, to the 4 While others fought to win the prize, win the prize, While others fought to win the prize, win the

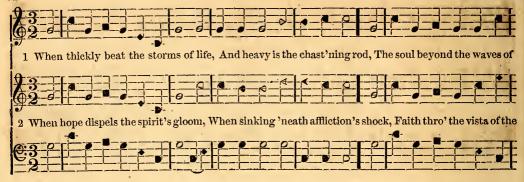


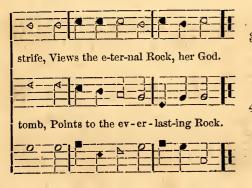


3 Room in the Sav-ior's bleeding heart, There love and pi - ty meet; Nor will he bid the

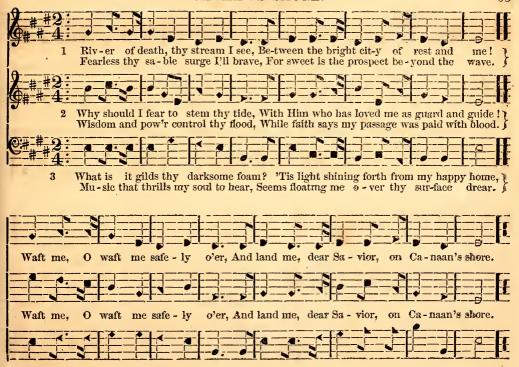


- 4 0 come, and with his children taste, The blessings of his love; While hope expects the sweet repast, Of nobler joys above.
- 5 There with united heart and voice. Before th' eternal throne, Ten thousand thousand souls rejoice, In ecstacies unknown.
- 6 And yet ten thousand thousand more, Are welcome still to come; Ye longing souls, the grace adore, Aproach there yet is room.





- Is there a man who cannot see
 That joy and grief are from above?
 O, let him humbly bend the knee,
 And own his Father's chast'ning love.
- 4 Hope, Grace, and Truth with gentle hand, Shall lead a bleeding Savior's flock, And show them in the promised land. The shelter of th' eternal Rock.





PART II.

Sabbath School Department.

THE LITTLE PILGRIM BAND.

Words and Music by A. S. KIEFFER.

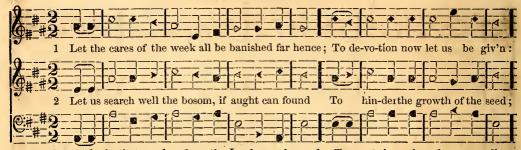


3 Soon that better land to gain, Free from sorrow, grief and pain, Sing the angels' happy strain—No more to roam.

4 There with Christ to live and reign, Nevermore to part again; Sing the Lamb that once was slain, No more to roam.

5 Ch. Harp.



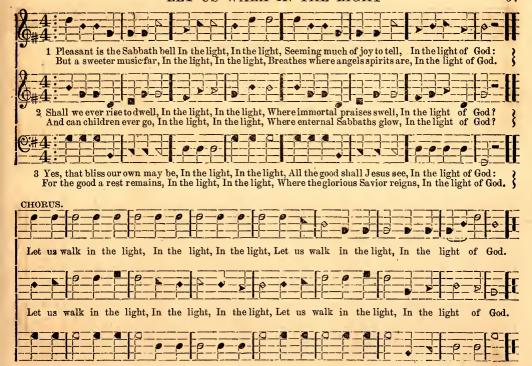


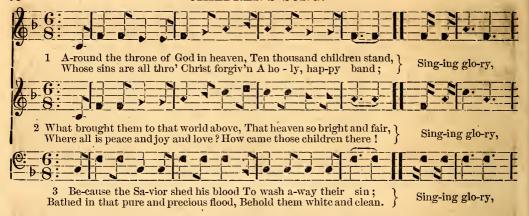
3 And oh, that a dew from the Lord may descend, To rest in a-bun-dance on all; 4 And may the Re-deem-er his pres-ence be - stow, De-light-ing each heart with his love;



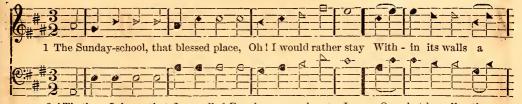
For with-out it no blessing the word will at - tend, And give us to taste, in his dwell - ing be - low, Though preached by A-pol-los or Paul.

The joys of his tem - ple a - bove.

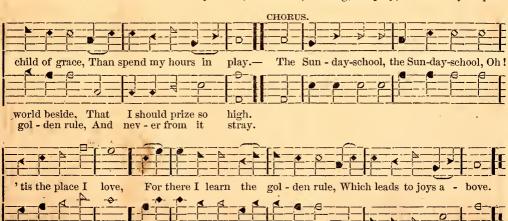








2 'Tis there I learn that Je-sus died For sinners, such as I: O what has all the
3 And wel-come then the Sunday-school, We'll read, and sing, and pray, That we may keep the





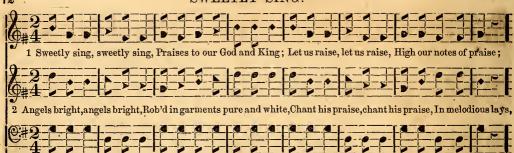
Once did in-fants prove thy fa-vor, And were in thy arms entwined; \ Oh, thou kind, indul-gent Sa-vior! Great Redeemer of man-kind. \ \ Hal - le - lu - jah!



- 4 We unto thy arms are pressing—
 We in thy embrace would rest;
 Now pronounce on us thy blessing—
 Bless us and we shall be blest.
- 5 On we tread life's pathway, fearless,
 If thou but our steps attend;
 How can life to us be cheerless,
 Jesus, if thou art our friend?







3 Far a-way, Far a-way, We in sin's dark val-ley lay; Je-sus came, Jesus came, Bless-ed be his name.

4 Now we know, now we know, We from earth must shortly go; Soon the call, soon the call, Comes to one and all!



He redeemed us by his grace, Then prepared in heaven a place, To receive, to receive, All who will be - lieve. Savior, when our time shall come, Take us to our heavenly home, There we'll raise notes of praise, Thro' unending days.



2 If the world upon you frown,
Sing, sing, sing his praise,
If you're left to sing alone,
Sing, sing, sing his praise,
If sad trials come to you,
As to every one they do,
For that they are blessings too,
Sing, sing, sing his praise.

3 For his wondrous, dying love
Sing, sing, sing his praise,
That he intercedes above,
Sing, sing, sing his praise,
Thus when'er you come to die,
You shall soar beyond the sky,
And with angel choirs on high,
Sing, sing, sing his praise.



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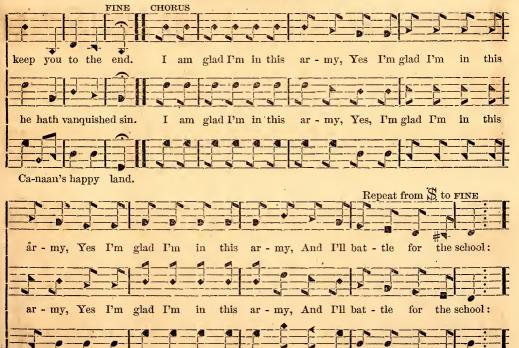


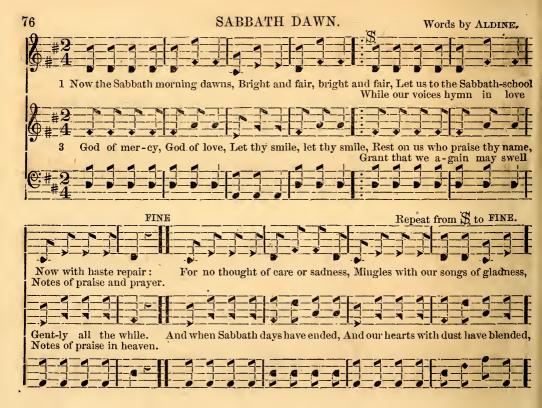
3 And when the conflict's over, Before him you shall stand, And when the conflict's over, Be-



fore him you shall stand; You shall sing his praise forever, You shall sing his praise forever, In

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL ARMY—Continued.









- 3 So our little errors,
 Lead the soul away
 From the paths of virtue,
 Oft in sin to stray, In sin to stray.
- 4 Little deeds of kindness, Little words of love, Make our earth an Eden, Like the heaven above, The, &c.
- 5 Little seeds of mercy,
 Sown by youthful hands,
 Grow to bless the nations,
 Far in heathen lands, In, &c.



3 On the mar-gin of the riv-er, Washing up its silver spray, We will walk and worship 4 Soon we'll reach the shining river, Then our pilgrimage will cease; Then our happy hearts will



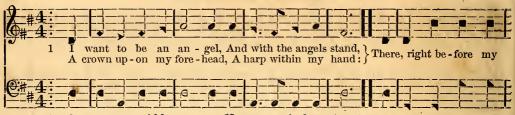




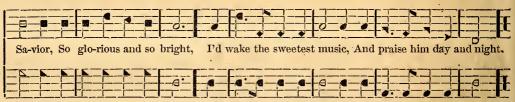
ALL THINGS BEAUTIFUL AND FAIR. 7s.



- 2 Every tree and flower we pass, Every tuft of waving grass, Every leaf and opening bud, Seem to tell us "God is good."
- 3 Little streams that glide along, Verdant, mossy banks among, Shadowing forth the clouds above, Softly murmur, "God is love."
 - 4 He who dwelleth high in heav'n Unto us all things hath giv'n,— Let us as through life we move, Ever feel that "God is love."



1 2 nev-er would be wea - ry, Nor ev - er shed a tear, Nor ev - er know a sor - row Nor ev - er feel a fear; But bles - sed, pure and

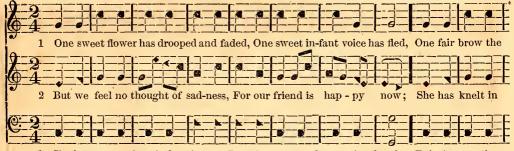


ho-ly, I'd dwell in Jesus' sight, And with ten thousand thousands, Praise him both day and night.

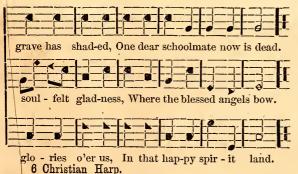
3 I know I'm weak and sinful,
But Jesus will forgive,
For many little children
Have gone to heaven to live.
Dear Savior, when I languish,
And lay me down to die,
O! send a shining angel,
And bear me to the sky.

4 Oh, there I'll be an angel,
And with the angels stand,
A crown upon my forehead,
A harp within my hald;
And there before my Savior,
So glorious and so bright,
I'll join the heav'nly music,
And praise him day and night.

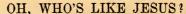
ONE SWEET FLOWER HAS DROOPED AND FADED.



3 She has gone to heav'n be - fore us, But she turns and waves her hand, Pointing to the



- 4 May our footsteps never falter In the path that she has trod: May we worship at the altar Of the great and living God.
- 5 Lord, may angels watch above us, Keep us all from error free— May they guard, and guide, and love us, Till, like her, we go to Thee.





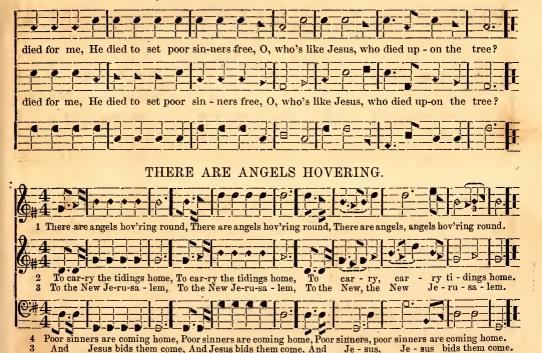
3 When he had died, what happened then? On the third day he rose again. Where did he go when he had risen? 4 Where is he now? is he still there? Yes, and he pleads with God in prayer. What does he pray for, and for whom?



He went to God's right hand in heaven. He prays that we to Him might come.

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There's glo-ry all around, There's glo-ry all a-round. There's glo-ry,







3 In the class I meet with the friends I greet,
At the time of morning prayer;
And our hearts we raise in a hymn of praise,
For 'tis always pleasant there:
In the Book of Holy Truth,
Full of counsel and reproof,
We hehold the guide of youth,
At the Sabbath School:
I'll away! away! I'll away! away!
I'll away to Sabbath School!

4 May the dews of grace fill the hallow'd place,
And the sunshine never fail,
While each blooming rose which in memory grows,
Shall a sweet perfume exhale:
When we mingle here no more,
But have met on Jordan's shore,
We will talk of moments o'er,
At the Sabbath School:
I'll away! away! I'll away! away!
I'll away to Sabbath School.

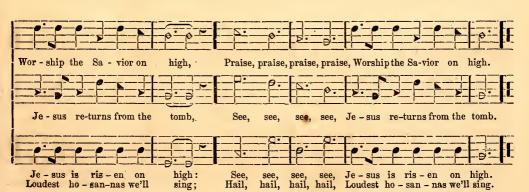


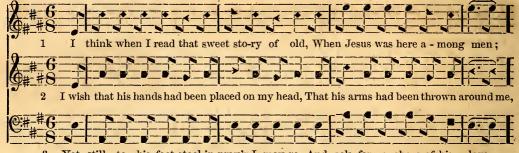


Where no tear shall ever fall, Nor heart be sad: Where the glory is for all And all are glad. Farewell, earthly pleasures, all, Pilgrim I'll roam; Hail me not—in vain you call, Yonder's my home.



Rise, rise, free from thy mourning, Light, light spreads from the sky, See, see, bright the day dawn-ing,
 Hail, hail, children, a - dore him,
 Here, here an-thems should ring, There, there, dwelling before him,





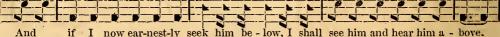
- Yet still to his foot-stool in pray'r I may go, And ask for a share of his 4
- But thousands of thousands who wander and fall, Never heard of that heavenly home,—



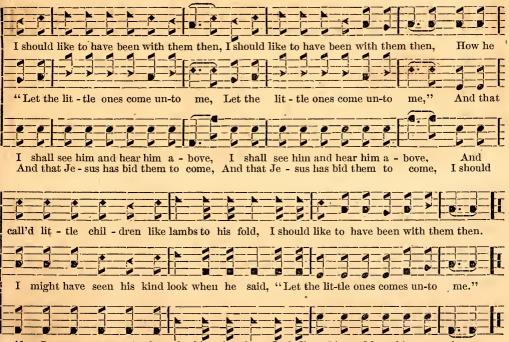
How he called lit - tle children like lambs to his fold. I should like to have been with them then.



And that I might have seen his kind look when he said, "Let the lit-tle ones come un - to



I should like them to know there is room for them all, And that Je - sus has bid them to



if I now earn-est - ly seek him be - low, I shall see him and hear him a - - bove. like them to know there is room for them all, And that Je-sus has bid them to come.



2 There's a choir of infant songsters. White-robed round the Savior's throne, Angels cease, and waiting, listen! O! 'tis sweeter than their own; Faith can hear the rapturous choral, When her ear is upward turned: Is not this the same perfected, Which upon the earth they learned.

3 Jesus when on earth sojourning, Loved them with a wondrous love, And will he to heaven returning, Faithless to his blessing prove? Oh? they cannot sing too early; Fathers, stand not in their way? Birds do sing while day is breaking-Tell me then why should not they?



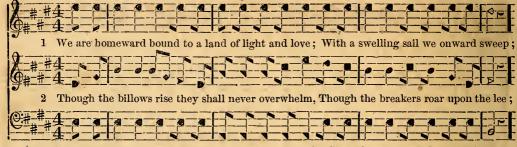
1 Here we suf - fer grief and pain, Here we meet to part a - gain, In heav'n we part to more.
2 All who love the Lord below, When they die to heaven will go, And sing with saints above.



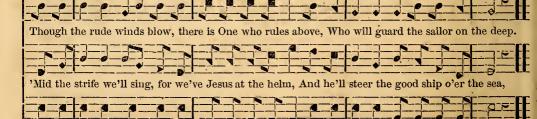


- 3 Little children will be there,
 Who have sought the Lord in prayer,
 From every Sunday school:
 O, that will be joyful! &c.
- 4 Teachers, too, will meet above, And our pastors whom we love Shall meet to part no more: O, that will be joyful! &c.

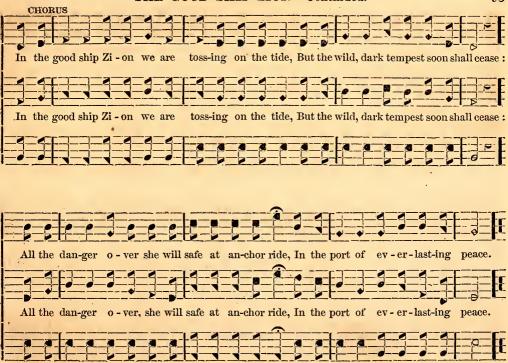
- 5 O! how happy shall we be! For our Savior we shall see, Exalted on his throne, O, that will be joyful! &c.
- 6 There we all shall sing with joy, And eternity employ, In praising Christ the Lord: O, that will be joyful! &c.

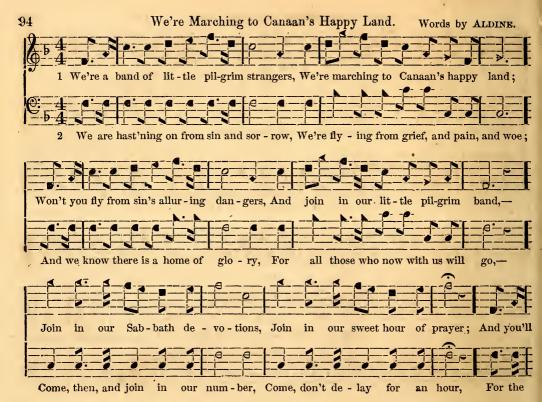


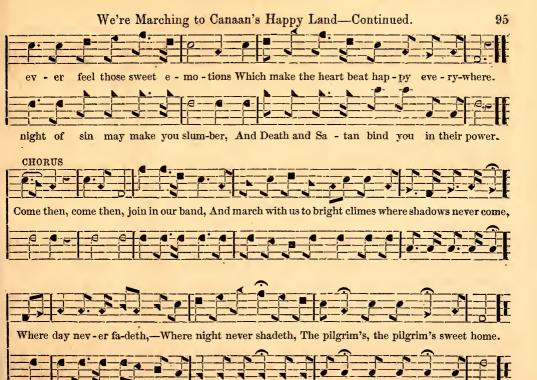
3 Though for ages past she has plowed the stormy main, She's the stout ship Zion as of yore; 4 We are homeward bound: won't you join our happy crew? Come aboard, poor sinners, while you may,



Safe 'mid rocks and shoals and the fearful hurricane, She has thousands brought to Canaan's shore. To the eye of faith there's a bet-ter land in view; 'Tis the land of nev-er-end-ing day.



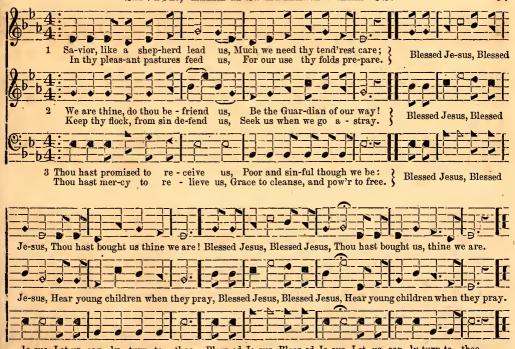






So to the Jews old Canaan stood While Jordan rolled between.



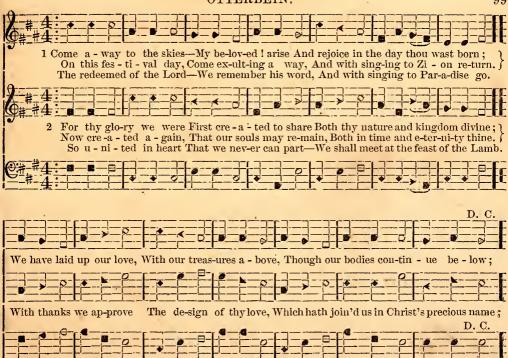


Je-sus, Let us ear - ly turn to thee, Bless-ed Je-sus, Bless-ed Je-sus, Let us ear - ly turn to thee. 7 Christian Harp.





friends are often weeping. And the stars their watch are keeping O'er the grassy graves, where sleeping Lie the young. Je-sus will befriend you And from danger will defend you, And a peace divine will send you, While you're young.

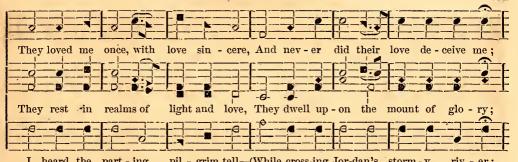




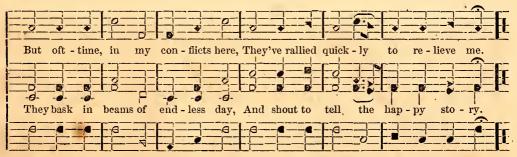
3 I heard them bid the world a - dieu, I saw them on the roll - ing bil - low, 4 Oh, how I'd love to join their wing, And range the fields of bloom-ing flow - ers!



Their far off homes ap-peared in view, While yet they pressed a dy - ing pil - low,—Come ho - ly watch - er, come and bring A mem - oir from your bliss - ful bow-ers!



I heard the part ing pil grim tell—(While crossing Jordan's storm y riv er: I'd speed with rap ture on my way, Nor would I pause at Jordan's riv er:



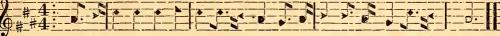
"A-dieu to earth! for all is well, Now all is well with me for ev-er." With songs I'd en-ter end-less day, And live with my loved friends for ev-er!



2 To his bosom close he pressed me, Pardoned all my sin, Led me by the stillest waters, Into pastures green. Now all day I'm glad and joyful, Happy in his love; All the night my rest is peaceful, Guarded from above. 3 Evermore I'll trust in Jesus,
He shall be my Guide;
No allurements shall entice me
From my Shepherd's side.
By and by from earth's temptations,
He will give me rest,
And in heaven's greener patures,
Make me ever blest.

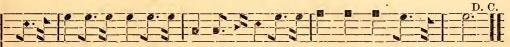


1 There's a land of light and love far a -way, Where the long severed friends meet a - gain; Where the long dark night and toil-wearing day, Nev-er tar - nish the bright gol-den plain; Where the soul is freed from sor-row and death, And the tear nev - er - more dims the eye.



To that gol - den shore some dear ones have gone, And we trust we shall meet them a - gain, When that glorious morn in lus-tre shall dawn, And we stand on the bright gol-den plain; And with an-gels bright through time's ceaseless flight, We shall sing of a dear Savior's love.

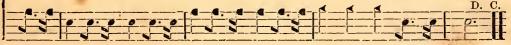




Where the rude winter blast nev - er chill with their breath, Nor the darkling storm glooms the sky



By the riv er of Life, in the Ci-ty of Light, We shall roam with lov'd ones a - bove;





3 Tell me pil-grims, what you hope for In the bet - ter land? Spot - less robes and 4 Will you let me tray - el with you To the bet - ter land? Come a - long, we



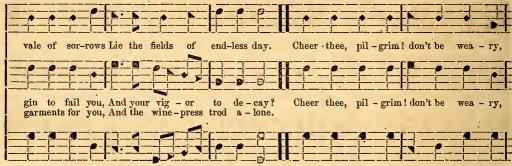
crowns of glo - ry, From a Sa - vior's hand. bid you wel-come, To our lit - tle band. We shall drink, of life's pure riv - er, Come, oh! come, we can - not leave you,



We shall dwell with God for-ev - er, We shall dwell with God forever, In that bet-ter land. Christ is wait-ing to re-ceive you, Christ is wait-ing to re-ceive you, In that bet-ter land.



4 Round him are ten thousand angels, Ready to o-bey com-mand: They are al-ways



hov'ring round you, Till you reach the heav'n-ly land.



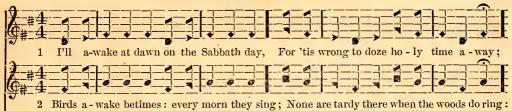




to be late at the Sabbath school.

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- When the summer's sun wakes the flowers again, They the call obey—none are tar-dy then;
 But these Sabbath days will soon be o'er, And these happy hours shall return no more;
- With my les sons learned, this shall be my rule— Nev-er to be late at the Sabbath school.

 So when Sun-day comes, this shall be my rule— Nev-er to be late at the Sabbath school.

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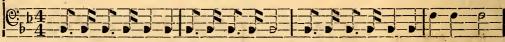
Nor will I

for - get that

Then I'll ne'er re - gret that



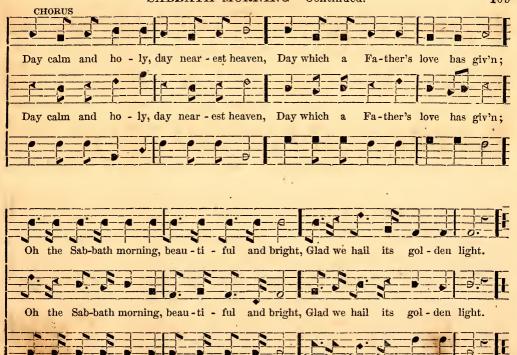
2 All the days of la-bor end-ed one by one, Glad are we the six day's work is done;

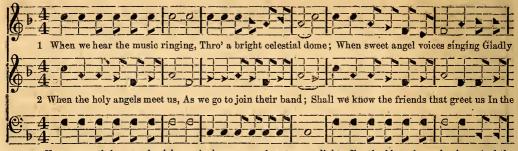


3 Let us spend the moments of this ho-ly day, So that when they all have passed away,

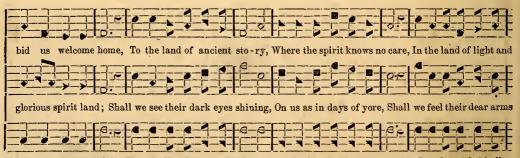


Sweet 'twill be to think, this qui - et Sab - bath even, Brings us one day near - er heaven.





3 Yes, my earth-born soul rejoic-es, And my weary heart grows light; For the blessed angel voices, And the 4 Oh, ye weary ones, and tost ones, Droop not, faint not by the way; Ye shall join your lov'd and lost ones In the



an - gel fa - ces bright, That shall welcome us in glo-ry, Are the loved of long a - go—And to them 'tis kindly land of perfect day, Harp-strings touched by angel fingers, Murmur in my raptured ear; Evermore the sweet tone



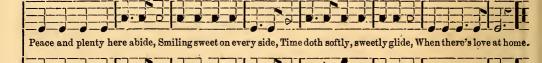
giv-en, Thus their mortal friends to know, Shall we know each oth - er, Shall we know each lin-gers—We shall know each other there, We shall know each oth - er, We shall know each



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3 Kindly heaven smiles above, When there's love at home: All the earth is filled with love, When there's love at home. 4 Jesus, show thy mercy mine. Then there's love at home: Sweetly whisper, I am thine. Then there's love at home.



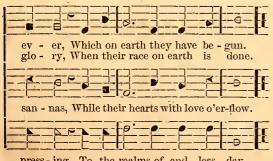
Roses blossom 'neath our feet, All the earth's a garden sweet Making life a bliss complete, When there's love at home.



Sweeter sings the brooklet by, Brighter beams the azure sky; Oh, there's One who smiles on high When there's love, &c. Source of love, thy cheering light Far exceeds the sun so bright -Can dispel the gloom of night; Then there's love, &c.



3 Here they have both joy and blessing, As they're trav'ling on their way; Faith is too, their footsteps



press-ing, To the realms of end-less day. 8 Christian Harp.

When they reach that blissful station,

Then their toils of life are o'er;

Hope is changed to glad fruition,

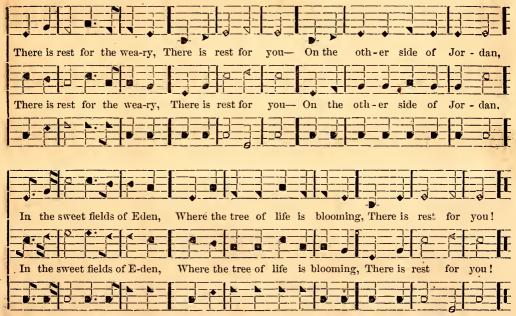
And they shout for evermore,

CHO.—Blessed are the pure, &c.





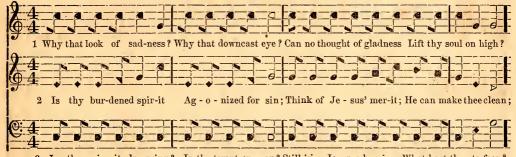
a crown of life shall wear. There is rest for the wea-ry, There is rest for the wea-ry,



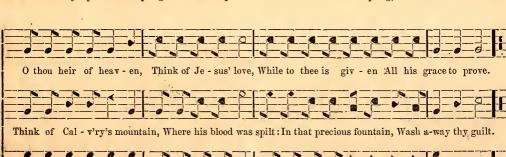
4 Death itself shall then be vanquished, And his sting shall be withdrawn; Shout for gladness, O ye ransomed! Hail with joy the rising morn.

5 Sing, oh sing, ye heirs of glory! Shout your triumph as you go: Zion's gates will open for you, You shall find an entrance through.

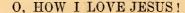




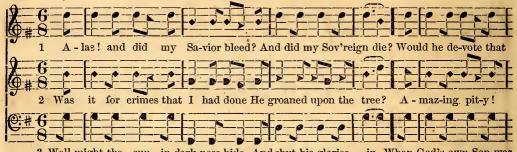
3 Is thy spir - it droop-ing? Is the tempt-er near? Still in Je - sus hop-ing, What hast thou to fear?



Set the prize be-fore thee, Gird thy ar-mor on; Child of grace and glo-ry, Strug-gle for the crown.



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3 Well might the sun in dark-ness hide, And shut his glories in, When God's own Son was
4 Thus might I hide my blushing face While his dear cross ap-pears, Dis-solve my heart in





AN ADDITIONAL HYMN.

- 1 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
 In a believer's ear!
 It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds,
 And drives away his fear.
 O, how I love Jesus, &c.
- 2 It makes the wounded spirit whole, And calms the troubled breast; 'Tis manna to the hungry soul, And to the weary rest. O, how I love Jesus, &c.

- 3 Dear name! the Rock on which I build,
 My shield and hiding place:
 My never failing treasury fill'd
 With boundless stores of grace.
 O, how I love Jesus, &c.
- 4 I would thy boundless love proclaim,
 With every fleeting breath?
 So shall the music of thy name
 Refresh my soul in death.
 O, how I love Jesus, &c.





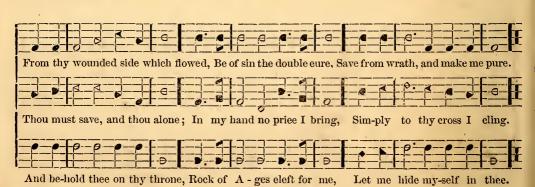




- 3 We are striving, striving, striving, Manfully to fight with sin, While the days are flying, flying, We would grow more pure within; For the meek ones and the lowly, God will as his chosem own; Nought polluted or unholy Shall behold his spotless throne.
- 4 Thus while years are fleeting, fleeting,
 Pace we on with prayer and song,
 Hasten to the meeting, meeting,
 Of the blood-washed ransom'd throng.
 Jesus, Savior, leave us never,
 Help us faithful still to prove;
 Then at home with thee forever,
 May we gathered be above.



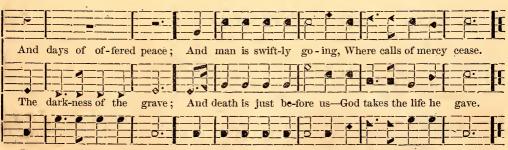
3 While I draw this fleeting breath, When my eyes shall close in death, When I rise to worlds unknown,







3 Say, hath thy heart its treasure, Laid up in worlds above? And is it all thy pleasure, Thy God to serve and love? Beware! lest death's dark river,



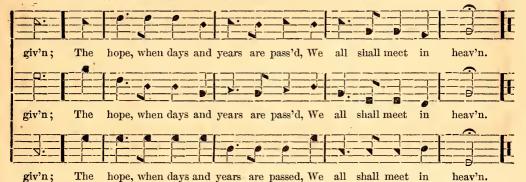
Its bil-lows o'er thee roll, And thou la-ment for-ev-er, The ru-in of thy soul.



3 From Burmah's shores, from Afric's strand, From India's burning plain, From Europe, from Co-4 No ling'ring hope, no parting sigh Our fu-ture meeting knows; The friendship beams from



lumbia's land, We hope to meet a - gain; It is the hope, the blissful hope Which Jesus' grace has eve-ry eye, And hope immortal grows; Oh sacred hope! Oh blissful hope Which Jesus' grace has

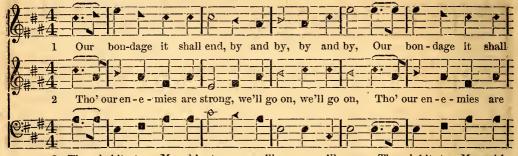


SECOND HYMN.

1 My latest sun is sinking fast,
My race is almost run;
My strongest trials now are past,
My triumph is begun,
CHO.—O come, and bear me, angel band,
To my immortal home,
Come bear me on your snowy wings
To my immortal home.

2 I know I'm near the holy ranks, Of friends and kindred dear, For I brush the dews on Jordan's banks, The crossing must be near. CHO.—O come, &c. 3 I've almost gained my heavenly home,
My spirit loudly sings:
The holy ones, behold, they come!
I hear the noise of wings.
CHO.—O come. &c.

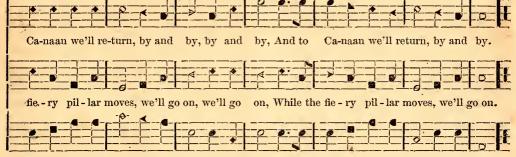
4 O, bear my longing heart to Him
Who bled and died for me;
Whose blood now cleanses from all sin,
And gives me victory.
CHO.—O come, and bear me, angel band,
To my immortal home,
Come, bear me on your snowy wings
To my immortal home.



3 Though bit - ter Ma-rah's streams, we'll go on, we'll go on; Though bit - ter Ma-rah's And when to Jor-dan's flood we are come, we are come, And when to Jor-dan's



streams, we'll go on; Though Bo-ca's vale be dry, And the land yield no supply, To a flood we are come, Je - ho-vah rules be dry, And the wa-ters he'll di-vide, And the



land of corn and wine, we'll go on, we'll go on, To a land of corn and wine, we'll go on. ransom'd hosts shall shout, we are come, we are come, And the ransom'd hosts shall shout, we are come.

5 Then friends shall meet again,
Who have loved, who have loved,
Then friends shall meet again
Who have loved;
Our embraces will be sweet,
At the dear Redeemer's feet,
When we meet to part no more
Who have loved, who have loved,
When we meet to part no more,
Who have loved.

6 Then with all the happy throng
We'll rejoice, we'll rejoice,
Then with all the happy throng
We'll rejoice;
Shouting glory to our King,
Till the vaults of heaven ring,
And through all eternity
We'll rejoice, we'll rejoice,
And through all eternity
We'll rejoice.

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