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DO THINGS WELL. Whatsoever you find to do, Do it boys, with all your might. Never be a little true, Or a little in the right. Trifles even Lead to heaven,

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Trifles make the life of man; So in all things, Great or small things Be as thorough as you can.

THE HUNGRY RED-HAIRED BOY

A New York merchant, who is a Sunday School teacher, says Dr. Newton, was called upon for a speech at a great Sunday School meeting out West. He said:

"I will tell you a little story of a beggar boy. I started out one fine Sunday morning to get up some recruits for my class. At the corner of the street I met a bare-footed boy, without hat or coat. His hair was fiery red, and looked as if it had never been combed. I asked the boy if he would come to school.

"'No, sir," was the sharp reply. "'You ought to go to Sunday School, I said kindly.

"'What for?' he asked.

"' We teach boys to be good,' I said. "'But I don't want to be good,' he

"'Why not want to be good ?' I said earnestly.

"' Because I am hungry,' was the quick reply.

"'It is now nine o'clock,' I said, looking at my watch; 'haven't you had

any breakfast yet?' "' No, sir.'

"'Where do you live?'

"'Up the alley there, with aunty. She's sick.'

"'Will you eat some gingerbread and crackers, if I go to the bakery and buy some?'

"'Yes, sir, that I will, and be glad to get 'em.'

"I bought a lot and set them before him. He ate them in a way which showed how keenly hungry he was. I asked him if he would like some more. "'A little more, if you please, sir,'

"I got a fresh supply, and set them before him. I waited till he had done go with me to school now?"

"'You have been so kind to me, sir,' said he, 'I will go anywhere with you. Please wait till I take what's left of the gingerbread round to aunty, and then I will go with you.'

"He returned directly to the sidewalk where I was waiting for him, and went with me to school. He had never been to school before. He thought of school as a place where boys had to bold out their hand to be slapped with a ruler, and have their hair pulled and their ears pinched. But when he found himself in the hands of the pleasantlooking young lady, who treated him kindly, and said nothing about his shabby clothes, he was greatly surprised.

"He became a regular attendant. He told all the boys of his acquaintance about the school, and persuaded many of them to attend. About two years after sent out West, and distributed among for you. the farmers. My red-haired boy was sent among them. I used to hear of him for a while, that he was getting on and doing well. I have lost sight of him for years now, but I have no doubt he is doing good wherever he is."

In a moment, a tall, good-looking gentleman, with red hair, stood up in the meeting and said:

"Ladies and gentlemen: I am the red-haired beggar boy of New York, who ate the gentleman's gingerbread. I have lived in the West for years, and have prospered. I am now a rich man. I own five hundred acres of as good land as the sun shines on. My horses and carriage are at the door, and when the meeting is over, I shall be happy to take my old friend to my home, where he will be welcome to stay as long as he pleases. I am a member of a Church, and a superintendent of a Sabbath School; and I owe all that I have in this world, and all I hope for in the next, to Whitworth, the most scientific and most what was taught me about Jesus in the skilful machinist in the world, says that Sabbath School - Selected

#### WHO WAS THE BAD BOY.

Little Annie was prettily dressed, and standing in front of the house waiting for her mother to go out to ride.

A tidy boy dressed in coarse clothes was just passing, when the little girl

"Come here, boy, and sa'e hands with me. I dot a boy dus' like you named Bobby."

The boy laughed, shook hands with her, and said-

only she hasn't got any little cloak with pussy fur on it."

Here a lady came out of the door and

"Annie you must not talk with bad boys in the street. I hope you haven't | Fine Extra Satin Tinted Repo. taken anything from her? Go right along and never stop here again, boy!"

That evening the lady was called down to speak with a boy in the hall-He was very neatly dressed, and stood with his cap in his hand. It was the enemy of the morning.

"I came to tell you that I am not a bad boy," he said. "I go to Sunday School, and help my mother all I can I never tell lies, nor quarrel, nor say bad words; and I don't like a lady to call me names, and ask me if I've stolen her little girl's clothes off her !"

"I'm very glad you are so good," said the lady, laughing at the boy's earnestness. "Here's a quarter of a dollar for you."

"I don't want that!" said Bob, holding his head very high. "My father works in the foundry, and bas lots of money. You've got a boy bigger than I, have'nt you?"

"Yes, why?" "Does he know the Ten Commandments?"

"I am afraid not very well."

"Can he say the sermon on the Mount and the twenty-third Psalm, and the Golden Rule?"

"I'm very much afraid he cannot," said the laby, laughing at the boy's bravery.

"Doesn't be ride his pony on Sunday, instead of going to church?"

"I am afraid he does, but he ought

not," said the lady, blushing a little. "Mother don't know I came here," said the bright little rogue; "but I thought I would just come round and see what kind of folks you were, andand-I guess mother would rather your boy wouldn't come round our doors, beeating; then I said, 'My boy, will you cause she don't like little Mamie to talk to bad boys in the street. Good evening. And the boy was gone .-- The Watchman.

WAS IT OUR JESUS.

A little three-year old girl stood at the window one pleasant Sabbath watching for papa, who was at Church. Soon she spied him coming, and as he entered the door she raised her dark eyes to him and

Papa, what did Mr. Roberts preach bout this morning?"

Her father replied:-"He preached about Jesus."

"Papa, was it our Jesus?" she asked. "Yes," said her father, it was our Je

The dark eyes brightened at the thoughts that papa's minister knew her Jesus, and talked about Him to his congregation.

Do you, my dear child, claim this Jesus as yours? I hope so, for it is a most blessed thought that every little girl and boy may have Him for "their own" Saviour. No matter how much He loves this, a lot of boys from New York were other children, there is room in His heart

> STEPS TO HEAVEN .- There was a little boy whose slender stock of wit scarce raised him above idiocy, but who had been taught by the Spirit a knowledge above all human wisdom. A friend wishing to find out whether he had any ideas on the the subject of religion, said to him one day, "It is hard work, is it not to get to heaven?" He was surprised to receive the answer, "No; it is easy. There are only three steps-first, out of self; second into Christ; third, into heaven."-The Sunday Teachers Treasury.

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