Unmindful of the cross or crown,

Ie sus fills my breast. God has my belplessness revealed; I met upon the battle-field, This day, a foe that would not yield,

That would not give me rest. I met it square! with eagle glance, I aimed a blow with tilted lance : I trusted in the fight to chance; I struck, but struck too low!

Shivered, the lance lay at my feet, And I had suffered base defeat; A moment more, in full retreat, I hastened from the foe!

We met again; upon the field From which I, lately vanquished, reeled, The taunting challenge loudly pealed; I his time from me the cry.

I raised myself above the crowd, Which seemed to compass us about : I struck, with wild exultant shout That ran along the sky. I struck, and struck again, but lo

Beneath my quivring arm, the foe Sprung safe beyond the crushing blow. For I had aimed too high! I wavered-then a taunting yell

Came floating from the courts of Hell,

And 'round my path a darkness tell, Darker than starless night. Within my heart I seemed to hear A siren voice, quite plain and clear,

Tell me to wield this once. That all would yet come right I started like a hunted deer. When bay of hound sounds on his ear

I looked, but saw no refuge near, Then sank despairing low! Just then a flash of golden light Broke on my sou,"s dark hopeless night I saw the Saviour's open side-

The crimson current flow. Quick as that light with golden beam Showed me the crimson fountain gleam, Fresh dipped within the purple stream,

I grasped my lance once more. Then with its dripping point I turned, And telled the toe myself had spurned; And this sweet lesson then I learned.

To trust my Jesus more! -Western Advocate.

MY MOTHER.

On the margin of the town of Roachdale, on it to this stone table, where the buyers of the town awaited them morning and evening. The ancient custom gave to the stone the name of tatherless boy. She worked hard day and of reach of the great waves that come rolling. vy burden upon its broad service.

reached the "Milk stone" the woman laid darling at it.

by my side."

to the place of sale.

would run eight days without being wound up, schoolmasters, quite as much as the dominie of and raised his voice in prayer. He prayed a white Sunday shirt for the young men, and a printed muslin dress for the young ladies. A

went without question until within.

time to go to bed yet. Let me play a little made friends with the most distinguished archito find it empty. One man only took heart, while longer; will you?"

Her sad look and quiet tone brought to si- elected surveyor of public works for the upon the poor men. With a trembling hand lence all my objections. I went up stairs with- county. out a word, took of all the clothes I had in the Our Laughing Laddie is Tam no longer. the little feeble flame broke out, 'Thank God!' flour, water, and salt, neither milk, butter, nor others who are similarly afficied may exworld, and put myselt in my little bed, so that The shepherd boy, who, taking his mother's burst from the men. she could begin immediately to wash and dry morning kiss went laughing and frolicking out "They soon managed to make the wood she could begin immediately to wash and dry morning kiss went laughing and ironcking out them for Sunday. My companions were still on the brace five and twenty years ago, is now catch fire, and as the bright blaze shot up, the use is almost universal among physicians. Bread, biscuit, any form of farinaceous tood, laughing and playing in the street. I assure Mr. Thomas Telford, about whose works all glare brought relief to the poor captain, who you, when I covered myself up in bed it was the world is talking. And well they might tay on the beach too weak to crawl. not to sleep, but to think and to weep. My talk. From this date onward for forty years thoughts traveled far out into the future that he was the great engineer of Europe. In conhelped to keep him alive. When the sailors vastly better than pure cream of fartar, but is night. What air castles I built! I saw myself ception, description, and execution of the came to where he lay he was nearly gone, but is cheaper, as it costs much less to manufacture a man, carrying on a great business, making mightiest works of internal improvements, the they carried him in, and gradually he revivmuch money, building a handsome house with apprenticed stone-mason of Westerkirk has ed. white doors and shining brass knobs that look | never had an equal. His history is the history ed like gold. I planted trees, smoothed off of English engineering.

lawns, curved and graveled walks. I had ma- We can no more than refer to some of the ny suits of clothes, many white shirts; and my works which made Te ford's name famous, and dear mother had a new cloak, hat, and dress- loaded it with honors. He conducted the Eilsall of my buying; a mahogany bureau, clock, mere canal across the river Dee, seventy feet

awate without clothes sufficient to screen me world had ever seen, he poured the waters of men sick, while in the streets, between the from great mental suffering. Sabbath morning my mother did her best to and almost insuperable obstacles, into the At- ing half unconscious, but in the greatest agony. get us all off to school in time. She arose first, lantic. lighted the fire, prepared our simple break- In 1808 he was invited by the king to visit water obtained from a spring hard by, which fast, dressed the younger children, and helped Sweden." "It the Berenau can be joined to was obtained in a measure by rain and dew filus all generally, as only a good mother can. the Baltic," the Swedes had been saying for tered through the graves of thousands of ne-This Sunday I was to put on my new coat that twenty years, "then the sun will shine in groes who were buried on the hill at whose was to cover my patched clothes. I shall nev. Northland." But the Swedish engineers fear-base the spring was situated. er forget that coat! My good mother had re- ed failure. Our stone-mason said "Yes," ceived from a store as a gift a piece of coarse when he had traversed the rugged hills which pital boat, northward bound, stopped at the wrapping-cloth, on which was printed in large separate the two waters; and in three years landing, and information was given that a few black letters, the word Wool. But it was al- the long gondolas guided by Norwegian fisherready so worn in spots that she could not cut men, were floating from Stockholm to Chris-

into the big black letters. She chose the lat | Telford returned home, knighted by the Sweter alternative, thinking she could wash it out dish king, and almost idolized by his people. to fall from her loving eyes, I choked back statue in the Vatican, that surpasses it. the clerks into the registry, and only those that? The coat fits me exactly; it covers my web, pictured to as surveyed from the neigh-admitted to the boat. patches, and when I get to school I will man- boring cliffs beyond representation, and solid age to sit down on the letters so that no one as the everlasting rocks which forms its piers, can see them. Don't cry, mother; we shall it is a monument to native genius, the noblest see better times some day.

Telford's name will not be forgotten.

tion, walked all the way with God, I know of

THE OLD FISHERMAN'S STORY.

A little bright-faced boy had just put

thought and half aloud, he said, " Who would

"Ab, yes, my little man, said his father.

used to shelter his boat. At the time of our

dreary about that little house on the cold De-

cember day of which I am speaking. A dull,

for their safety, if God so willed it, that they,

ly launched, and every man seated in it. But.

seems so insigificant as a match can do."

Laddie of Eskdale. - N. Y. Observer.

with my coat showing all up and down the left ping on my toes. The thought that I was poor made me desperate; but I knew that it I did not continue in the school my mother would be hand through life with mighty intellect more greatly afflicted, and I could not bear the thought of causing her additional sorrow or pain. I was sad in remembering that I had left her in tearsp but when I went into Church and caught her smile, that reached even down to me from the gallery where she had taken her seat, I selt that every thing was right. 1 match to the kindling wood of the grate, and praise, and hope again for better day's. - Wes. among the crackling coals; when, half in to the clerk.

LAUGHING LADDIE OF ESKDALE.

tern Advosate.

BY N. S. DODGE. One hundred and fi teen years ago the wife merly stood a great stone table, supported by three separate columns of stone. A great while on the pastures of Dumfrieshire, gave birth to ago the farmers who had milk to sell brought a son. The father died in the same year, and match, and the good that it did. the "Milk table." More than one little fellow, night and trusted in God; never grumbling nor on his way to or from school, and caught in a complaining, but putting her shoulder to what storm, had taken shelter underneath it; more had to be done with a bright face and cheerful than one weary traveller had dropped his hea- spirit. By-and by, as soon as the little fellow was old enough she put him to the parish One warm summer day a poor woman wearily school. Some of her neighbors advised her to One warm summer day a poor woman wearily school. Some of her neighbors advised her to send him out to beg, but, poor as she had long had stayed from home. It was desolate and a great roll of flannel upon her shoulders. A been, it was never in the staunch Scotch heart little boy walked by her side. When the two of her to beg for herself, much less to set her

down her heavy burden upon it, and, leaning At school, little Tam seemed different from clouds of sand along the shore; the moaning against it, wiped the great drops of sweat from the other boys. He was not remarkably bright of the sea-birds, and the regular beat of the her torehead with the coreer of her apron. or quick, but was always wanting to know how waves upon the shore, formed the total of The child looked up into his mother's face, with to do a thing, and then how to make it useful. the sights and sounds on the coast that day. Tam could only attend school during four A strong wind had been blowing for three Mother, so soon as I shall be a little lar- months of winter; for, being old enough for days, and all who thought of the sailor at sea ger, you shall nevermore carry the rolls of flan- school, was old enough for work, and therefore prayed God to keep him from its dangers. nel; I will carry them all, and you shall walk in the summer, after his mother's prayer and A good brig had just made the entrance of the a hymn, he had every morning to be off to the channel, and was beating up towards Bristol. That day the little boy comprehended for the hill sides, looking after the flocks of sheep, as She had a captain, mate, and six sailors for her first time the sad truth that he was the child his father had done before him. But boys do crew. Their voyage had been a pleasant one, of poor parents, but he also comprehended that not learn all that they know in the school- and was now nearly over. They were thinkhe had a humble, industrious, and good mother. When he was older he kept his prom- could borrow he took into the pastures and storm came on. The rigging was stiff with And one can see the mouldy earth ise, and carried the rolls of flannel all the way studied it there. And then there were the ice, and it was hard to handle the ropes or misty crags garmented in the thunder when the manage the ship. The men did their duty, as That day, when the position that our family tempest came, and the warbling of the lark all the true English sailors will do; but it was occupied in society dawned upon me, I discov- high up in the blue depths, and the torrent in vain. The winds and the waves and the ered that we were not the class held as "re- rushing down the ravine, and the glassy sur- bitter cold were too strong for them, brave as face of the silver tarn lulled in the bosom of they were, and carried the poor brig steadily At that epoch and in our section of the country, to be respectable meant at least to possess too, every word of which he could repeat when terrible to seaman; it was the noise of breaka mahogony bureau, a mahogony clock that he was seven years old. These were Tam's ers. The captain called all hands about him,

Westerkirk.

might have strength to meet the fierce waves. The boy in time grew to a sturdy lad. stout good number of the woolen weavers could of heart and brawny in limb, and finally got and that, if they could not be saved from The happy past will be'er forget, boast of the possession of these treasures, and himself apprenticed to a stone-mason. The shipwreck, they might be safe in the mercy of they carried their heads proudly above those work suited him exactly, and he wrought at it God. who were less fortunate. But the still greater for years, toiling in the open air by day, and lords were those who not only had these, but greedily devouring at night, by the light of his used napkins at their dinner repasts, used mother's fire, as many books as he could beg, space was so calm that the small boat was safeknives and forks, and hung white muslin cur- buy or borrow. Far and wide he was noted tains at their windows. None of us poor ven- for his animal spirits. His nature bubbled tured so much as even to address a word to with waggishness; frolic and laughter. Counsuch grand personages. And we children try-side tolk said that the bare sight of him were cast into the boiling sea. Four of them, played only among such as were similarly con- was a cure for the blues, and called him "The with the captain, reached the land, and though Laughing Laddie of Eskdale." But Tam was scarcely able to move, dragged themselves for-One Saturday evening, while I was playing not always laughing, as we shall presently see. ward to find a shelter. They raised a shout marbles with my comrades in the street, my mother came to me, and, gently placing her Edinburgh in search of better employment. hand upon my head, bade me enter the house He found it, and worked there for two years them. 'We must go through or die,' said the with her. Without a word I gathered up my as a stone-mason, all the while studying. He captain; and after a great struggle, in their marbles, and silently followed her into our then set out for London, got a job at the quatired state, they reached the other side; but humble abode. I knew she had some good drangle of the Somerset Place Buildings, stuthe brave captain could go no further. reason for calling me from my play, and so I died when off work all the public edifices in the 'Leave me, my men,' said he; 'get help for great metropolis, and was so intelligent in con-Why do you wish me, mother? It is not versation and respectful in manner that he The men gained the house, but were horrified

itects of the day. "I know it is too early to take you from His services now began to be in requisition. near it. But, alas! there was neither flint nor per cent.; only a few minutes are required your play, my dear boy, but it is necessary. What he did was so well done, what he sug- steel to strike a light. A moment he stood in Your trowsers need mending, and your shirt gested was so clearly said, that he was sent to agony; but as he raised his head he saw upon variably good, white, palatable and wholemust be washed and dried to night; we are Portsmonth Dock-, and to erect an efficial manindeed very poor, but we must be clean. I sion and chapel. While doing this, study, With trembling haste be seized it, and found had hoped before this to procure for you a pair which was his law, was directed to the tounda- one single little match. O how much dependof shoes, but I have not been able to make tion and construction of graving docks, wharves ed on that little match! Here were four sailmoney enough. I am making you a coat which and walls. Remaining for three years, he was will partly conceal your worn clothes, and will invited into Shropshire, to superintend opera. All their lives depended, one might say, upon those who desire to dispense with meat to do help to make you look more like the other boys tions about to be made in the Castle of Shrews- that single match. It it failed, all must die, so to a great extent, and supplies a special bury. This he executed so well, that he was tor cold and hunger were fast doing their work

IS YOUR NAME THERE?

BY B. H. CARL.

It was in August, when the regiment to and muslin curtains; and, besides that, plenty above its bed; he threw as if with the magic which the writer beloped was camped on the of money to dress my little brothers and sisters, without any more hard toil; and the saddred and twenty seven feet above the same rivness was all gone out of her face. That was a er, the Ponteyslite aqueduct; and by means of from its heat save that afforded by the thin the North Sea, in spite of unforseen difficulties tents of the different companies, men were ly-We all had been poisoned, by drinking the

While all were thus suffering intensely, a hosmore patients could be accommodated on board and would be taken North where they out the garment without patching it or cutting tiana, on the waters of the Skager-Rack. would receive better treatment. This news caused no little excitement in the camp, as all were anxious to go, feeling that to remain by dint of hard rubbing. But although she To this day travellers come from every part where they were meant death; but on y a few had laboured hard, washed and rewashed, the of the world to see the Menia Suspension from each regiment could be taken. Who tell-tale letters remained black, black, black, black. Bridge. It is flung across the heavens like a should be the fortunate ones? The surgeons had just slipped my arms into the sleeves bow in the heavens. The tallest masted ships passed through the regiment and took the when I perceived for the first time their ugly ride beneath it. In design and workmanship names of those they deemed most in need of forms. My heart swelled to break; I looked it is even yet unequalled. And as for beauty, immediate treatment. These names were sent at my mother, but seeing the great tears ready there is not a ruined temple in Greece, nor a to the surgeons on the boat and were copied by

When the examiners passed through the regiment on inspection they looked into the tent where the writer lay, exchanged a few in the world. So long as it spans the waters, words in a low tone and passed on. How hope and tear struggled in him. To go was life; to with my coat showing all up and down the left side one half of the word Wool. I took my place in the third Bible-class, by the side of boys much better clad than I, and who showed boys much better clad than I, and who showed of God. He died is seen that the presence of the presence of God. He died is seen that the presence of the presence of God. He died is seen that the presence of God. He died is seen that the presence of the presence of God. He died is seen that the presence of the presence of God. He died is seen that the presence of the presence o boys much better clad than I, and who showed plain enough that they did not like to sit by me. I did not know then, to ease my sufferings, that they were ill-bred and knew little of Even ing the case of the great and bis remains rest in Westminister Abbey. Jesus. O, how I suffered that day in my pride, as I drew my bare feet back under the bench to keep my proud comrades from steper, though, as the vehicle passed the outside guard line and hastened to the river. Arriving at the poat we found a large company of striking than that furnished by the Laughing

tance. Some presented themselves at the returning EVERY DOLLAR OF SURPLUS PREMIUM to its members. the clerk's desk and were met by the question : "What is your name?" This being given and found on the registry they passed into the boat; but if not found, they could only retrace their steps with sad sad hearts. With feeble could smile back to her, join in the song of was watching the flame as it forced its way step, and rapidly-beating heart we walked up

"What's your name?"

think a little match would make so big a The clerk turned to his book and after looking through the C's, turned and said, " Not "a little match, like other little things, may bere, sir."

do great good or great harm. A good "Must be,' we faltered, while we felt as it apostle once said, 'Behold how great a matter we would choke with grief. "What's your name, did you say?" he ask

ed again, noticing our grief as we turned to walk back to the—grave.

Bitters! BUILDING SOCIETY "Far away down on the shore of the Brisover the list. "Oh, yes; here it is. All right. of reach of the great waves that come rolling

our way, homeward bound. Death was behind us. Home, father, dear mother, loving sisters, kind friends and all that we held dear, were just ahead. We shudder as we think of the and gone to Tenby. It was market day there, consequence of our name having been left off that registry.

So when we come to heaven's gate our admittance is sure it our names can be found on the Saviour's book. Then we enter our eternal These BITTERS are taken in connection with leaden sky; a cold, keen blast, sweeping up home, where are father, mother, sisters, brothers and friends. But if the guardian angel does not find our names there we must go away to death, the devil and his angels. Are you sure your name is there?

THE LAST VISIT. BY CARRIE N. WHITNEY

The moss is gray upon the thatch, And storms have stained the wood in latch That held the cottage door; The bricks are crumbling from the hearth, Beneath the broken floor.

The garden walks are overgrown; The gate and post wide overthrown; The bee-hives toppled o'er; I gaze in sadness o'er the place, But ah! see no familiar face. toward the shore. Soon they heard a sound As in the days of yore.

> The loved ones sleep; their cares are o'er They stepped from time's uncertain shore: A long, long time ago. But I, their grandchild and their pet, While tarrying here below

"The brig soon struck, and as she lay with Old home, farewell! I may not stay, her side to the shore, the water for a little Yet turn in tears "good-bye" to say; The years roll on in rapid flight, alas! before they could reach the shore a great My own hair now is growing white-Farewell, old home, farewell!

> A few more years of thee I'll dream This side, perchance, of death's co d stream And for a summons wait: And in the end expect to meet The loved ones in the golden street

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High water at Picton and Cape Tormentine, hours and II minutes later than at Halifax. At Annapolis, St. John, N. B., and Portland Maine, 3 hours and 25 minutes later, and at St. John's Newfoundland 20 minutes earlier, than at Italifax FOR THE LENGTH OF THE DAY .- Add 12 hours the time of the sun's setting, and from the sum btract the time of rising.

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