

and now, no longer patient, they came trooping like little angels, as they were, and beat their very wings upon the prison door." Then follows a long account of the day's exercises and incidents, from which we take but an extract or two. "At the head of the procession which was conducted by Prof. J. M. Ellis, and which was marched through the streets of Cleveland, accompanied by a band of music, was a splendid banner, inscribed as follows:

OBERLIN SABBATH SCHOOL,

J. M. Fitch Superintendent.

"STAND UP FOR JESUS."

"Them that Honor me I will Honor."

"FEED MY LAMBS."

The children pressed anxiously on to the jail, and soon the throng of little feet pressed the prison floor, and the various rooms, stairways, halls and cells were filled. Each one was anxious to grasp the hand of one of the men, of whom Judge Wilson impudently said, "They are not good Christians." In the afternoon the children listened to speeches from Mr. Fitch and others. Mr. Fitch's closing words were these: "Do right! always to right! nothing shall by any means harm you if ye be doers of that which is right. Glorious words from a man in prison for doing right!"

The feelings and sentiments of the Sunday school are still further indicated by the letters which reached Mr. Fitch in prison, from the children. One writes thus: "We still think you did right in doing as you did. We think it is doing a great deal of good in the Sunday school as well as in other places. I think there are many of your scholars trying to follow in the footsteps of their blessed Savior. I for one am trying to serve the Lord. I feel willing to do