



Advent Hymn.

"REPENT, REPENT!"

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Slow.

Quicker.

1. "Re-pent, re-pent! And be ye clean, God's Kingdom is at hand;" With more than Prophet's pow'r be -
2. And lo, they come, Sin-la-den souls, to loose their hea-vy chain; Sin-bliind-ed eyes, their vi-sion

- hold him stand, The Lord's own Her-ald, cry-ing thro' the land, "Re-pent, re - pent!" A - men.
to re - gain; Sin-stain-ed hearts, to wash a-way their stain—They come, they come!

3. O let the cry,
Ring where sin reigns, till every soul is free,
Till even sin itself hath ceased to be,
And all the captives look and surely see
Redemption nigh.

4. If o'er one soul
Repenting, angels in the Heaven rejoice,
O with what praise, with what surpassing voice
Would those quires sing, beholding all men's
To be made whole! [choice,
Amen.

ARE YOU INSURED?

THE BISHOP OF LIVERPOOL says: "The best and shortest answer I can give to your question is to tell you that I have insured my life five times. I think it the plain duty of every man whose income depends upon his life, and terminates with his life, to effect a Life Assurance."

PROFESSOR MAX MÜLLER writes: "It is difficult to prove what is self-evident—namely, that every man who has not a sufficient capital of his own ought to insure his life before he marries."
(From "To be, or not to be insured?" By A. A. Reade.)

A STATESMAN'S TESTIMONY.—"If by some reasonable, wise legislation we could diminish the facility of recourse to the public-house and gin-shop, what a very large proportion of scores of millions would be diverted from the liquor-trade and would flow over to other trades and industries. All trades would benefit; more food would be purchased and better kinds of food; more clothing would be purchased, and a better kind of clothing; more furniture would be purchased, and better kinds of furniture; more education would be given to children, and a better kind of education. In every way in which money could be diverted from expenditure on the liquor-trade the other trades of the country would benefit."—LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, M.P.