

MY HYMN THIS WEEK.

WHAT sorrows may my steps
attend
I cannot now foretell:
But if the Lord will be my Friend,
I know that all is well.

MY VERSES THIS WEEK

MONDAY—2 Pet. 4: 13.
TUESDAY—2 Pet. 4: 14.
WEDNESDAY—Acts 5: 41.
THURSDAY—Matt. 5: 10.
FRIDAY—Matt. 5: 11.
SATURDAY—Matt. 5: 12.
SABBATH—2 Pet. 4: 16.

MY STORY THIS WEEK.

AN apple woman sat where Joe passed every day. The school boys and telegraph boys from an office building bought the good things she had to sell. She was growing very old, so that her basket was too heavy for her. She had to get up early, so that her son might carry it before he went to work, and she sat all day till he could take it back. One morning her son's wife said, "Mother, I don't like you going out in this cold. If I were well, I would not let you." "No, daughter," said the old woman. "While I have strength I must earn my share." But she was very tired. That is the reason she went sound asleep. If the office boys had known this they would not have robbed her. But as they waited for messages to deliver, they saw only an apple woman asleep in her shawl, with a basket of goodies beside her. One suggested hiding it; another, emptying it; and quicker than it takes to tell, their fingers had taken everything. If the woman had awakened then, she would have been broken-hearted. But she slept on. Joe came up as the boys were stealing. He was smaller than they and could not fight them. But he had the courage God gives all who try to "do the right," so he said, "Put these back or I'll tell a policeman!" "Tell," said a boy with a mouth full of cooky. Just then the manager came out, the boys' employer. They tried to scurry back, but it was too late. Joe told what the man could not see. The boys were glad then to put back all they could, and the manager made them pay well for what was destroyed. Joe was trembling when it was over, for the boys cast black looks at him, but he was glad he had been brave and willing to suffer for the sake of others, for he knew it was right.

MY QUESTIONS THIS WEEK.

- 1.—What did the Jews try to do to Paul when he went to Jerusalem?
- 2.—Who rescued Paul from the Jews?
- 3.—Where was he then taken?
- 4.—Why was he not beaten by the Roman soldiers?

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MY PRAYER THIS WEEK.

Oh God! Make me strong to do the right, even though
I may have to suffer for it.