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thankfulness, and quietly he breathes the words which he had learned in his childhood, which had arisen over many a dark and bloody battlefield, and which a singer of Israel gave to the world, "Let God arise, and let His enemies be scattered." The king, it is true, went back to England after the reign of the Commonwealth, but it was not the same England. Homes in England are freer and happier to-day because Cromwell was taught to obey God.

It was prophesied of the Messiah, who was to come, that he should be a leader and commander of the people. With the exception of the Messiah, the greatest leader in the world to-day is the little child. Not only was it stated that the Messiah should be a leader and commander of the people, but it was also said, "A little child shall lead them." When the prophet pictured the age of peace in which wrongs were to be no more, and fiery temptations overcome, he exclaimed, "A little child shall lead them." We