

The Lord...shall keep you from evil.

2 Thess. iii. 3.

THE BREWER'S DOG.

THE brewer's dog is abroad, boys,
Be careful where you stray :
His teeth are coated with poison,
And he's on the watch for prey.
The brewery is his kennel,
But he lurks on every hand,
And he seeks for easier victims—
The children of the land.
His eyes gleam through the windows
Of the gay saloon at night,
And in many a grocer's window
He crouches full in sight.
Be careful when you enter,
And, if you smell his breath,
Flee as you would from a viper,
For his fumes are the fumes of death.
O boys! would you kill the bloodhound ?
Would you slay the snarling whelp?
I know that you can do it
If everyone will help.
You must make a solemn promise
To drink no ale or beer,
And soon the feeble death wail
Of the brewer's dog we'll hear.
For, if all keep the promise,
YOU CAN STARVE HIM OUT, I KNOW;
But if boys and men keep drinking,
The dog will thrive and grow

—Selected.

LIVINGSTONE AND HIS BIBLE.



EARS had passed
since he had heard
from home. The
sound of his mo-
ther-tongue came
to him only in the
broken sentences
of his attendants,
or in the echoes of
his own voice as he used it in prayer,
or in some cry of home-sickness that
could not be kept in. Where, then, did
he find any comfort? In his Bible, and
here is the proof: "I read the whole
Bible through four times while I was in
Manyuema," he wrote in his diary
under date of Oct. 3rd, 1871.

FACTS WORTH KNOWING.

Envelopes were first used in 1839.
Telescopes were invented in 1590.
The first steel pen was made in 1830.
Watches were first constructed in
1476.
The first iron steamship was built in
1830.
The first lucifer match was made in
1829.
Gold was discovered in California in
1848.
The first horse railroad was built in
1826-7.
The first steamboat plied the Hudson
in 1807.
Coaches were first used in England in
1569.
Post offices were first established in
1464.
Modern needles first came into use
1545.
Kerosene was first used for lighting
purposes in 1826.
The first newspaper advertisement
appeared in 1653.
The first use of a locomotive in this
country was in 1829.
The first newspaper was published in
England in 1588.
The first printing press in the United
States was introduced in 1629.
Glass windows were first introduced
into England in the eighth century.
The first steam engine on this conti-
nent was brought from England in 1753.
The first complete sewing machine
was patented by Elias Howe, Jr., in
1846.
The first knives were used in England,
and the first wheeled carriages in
France in 1559.

Blessed are the peacemakers :
for they shall be called the children
of God.

Matt. v. 9.

Deliver us from evil.

Matt. vi. 13.