

THE LITTLE GIRL BOOK

the garden, the flowers, the grass and all other kinds of growing things. This class of life makes up what is called the vegetable kingdom and is the kind of life which in general has no feeling and cannot move about. It has none of the five senses, for it cannot hear, see, feel, taste or smell. It has life and that is all, and is the simplest kind of life.

After that God created the other living objects on the earth—the fishes, the birds, the cats, dogs, horses and all other kinds of animal life, domestic and wild, and to these he gave the ability to feel, to see, to hear, to smell or to taste. He did not give to all of them all of the senses. The oysters and clams belong to the fish family, but they cannot hear, see, taste or smell. They only feel. Some of the other animals can do part of these