The sacrifice that He has made ; The thorns that on his brow were laid ; Will draw sin's poison from our veins, And cleanse our souls from all sin's stains.

O! let me lift the veil that hides The Saviour's virtues from your eyes. O! let me teach you that you must, Like Him, be perfect, pure and just.

At once begin your lamps to trim, With holy fire and grace within ; Come quickly to the marriage feast Of Jewish, Turkish, Christian Priest.

THE CHRISTIAN'S CROSS.

For nearly nineteen hundred years Christians have been shedding tears ; Struggling, striving, meekly bearing Scorns and slights ; yes, ever wearing

Satan's grievous heavy crosses, And trying to maintain the loss Of the One who came to teach them How to live like Christian men.

For forty long and weary days, The Saviour, with evil ways The Tempter tried to overcome, But there he found himself undone.

He calmly yielded up his life, Pierc'd to the heart with all the strife; He hasten'd to the spirit land— Such love is hard to understand.