

you we intend playing one more trick—and that is to make and upright man, a worthy father of you. Because now, its your turn to watch over little Jim ; in future he will share your labor and be your constant companion. Will you take him to the saloon ?

Touched in spite of himself he did not answer. Involuntarily his eyes rested on his dead wife's picture hanging just overhead and their mute pleading completed his conquest ; as with a sob in his voice he replied. Yes, Father you are right. I must reform with God's help Ill turn over a new leaf this very night.

And as first proof of his sincerity he tenderly embraced little Jim.

LISTEN.

BEGIN *the day with God,
He is thy sun and day ;
He is the radiance of thy dawn
To Him address thy lay.*

*“ Take thy first meal with God,
He is thy heavenly food ;
Feed with and on Him He with thee
Will feast in brotherhood.*

*“ Thy first transaction be
With God Himself above ;
So shall thy business prosper well
And all the day be—love.”*