







WILLIE AND THE BIRDS.

A TRUE STORY. A little black-eyed boy of five, This spake to his mamma,—

Dear child, I would a lesson learn From this sweet thought of thine,

And heavenward, with a glad heart, turn From this earth-bound eyes of mine:

Perfected prayer, indeed is mine: By babes beloved to God in heaven.

our senses. Now, among these there are many so very surprising, indeed apparently so extravagant, that it is quite impossible for any inquiring mind to rest contented with a mere hearsay statement of them,—we feel irresistibly impelled to inquire further into their truth.

What mere assertion will make any man believe, that in one second of time, in one beat of the pendulum of a clock, a ray of light travels over 92,000 miles, and would therefore perform an immense distance in a distance, by the same time that it requires to wink with our eyelids, and in much less than a swift runner occupies in taking a single stride? What mortal can be made to believe, without demonstration, that the sun is almost a million times larger than the earth? and that, although so remote from us, that a cannon ball shot directly towards it, and maintaining its full speed, would be twenty years in reaching it, it yet affects the earth by its attraction in an inappreciable instant of time?—a closeness of union of which we can form but a feeble, and totally inadequate idea, by comparing it to any material connection; since the communication of an impulse to such a distance, by any solid intermedium we are acquainted with, would require, not moments, but whole years.

India-Rubber Boots & Shoes.

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Just received from London, per Steamer via Boston— LADIES' White and Black Satin SLIPPERS; 24 Black and Brown Kid Slippers; Jenny Lind, Victoria, Hungarian, and various other SLIPPERS and WALKING SHOES; Cashmere and Prunella BOOTS, &c.

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