"NOTHING BUT LEAVES."

Nothing but leaves! The Spirit grieves
Over a wasteful life —
Sin committed while conscience slept,
Promises made, but never kept,
Hatred, battle and strife —
Nothing but leaves!

Nothing but leaves — no garnished sheave
Of life's fair, ripened grain;
Words, idle words, for earnest deeds:
We sow our seeds — lo! tares and weeds;
We reap with toil and pain,
Nothing but leaves.

Nothing but leaves! Memory weaves
No veil to screen the past;
As we retrace our weary way,
Counting each lost and misspent day,
We find sadly at last,
Nothing but leaves.

And shall we meet the Master so,
Bearing our withered leaves?
The Saviour looks for perfect fruit;
We stand before him humbled, mute,
Waiting the word he breathes —
"Nothing but leaves."

MOORE, STRANGE AND WRIGHT.

At a tavern one night,
Messrs. *Moore, Strange* and *Wright*,
Met, good words to exchange;
Says *Moore*, among us *three*,
We'll all of us agree
There is but one rogue—that's *Strange*.
Says *Strange*, since I've examined it o'er,
I think there is one *Moore!*
Yes, says *Moore*, that's *Wright!*

Reward of Honesty.

Johnny Moore is the name of a bright-eyed, jolly-faced lad, twelve or fourteen years of age, whose invalid and widowed mother, living on Morgan street, he helps to support by the sale of newspapers, and by such errands as he may fall in with. One morning he chanced to stumble against a large pocket book, which he picked up, and found to contain a large number of bank notes and papers.

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"Have you lost anything?" asked Johnny.

"Yes, my pocket book," was the gentleman's answer. "Have you seen it?"

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