

IN STORM AND CALM.

My God, on seas of storm and calm,
I pass the ocean o'er,
And sing to thee my thankful psalm,
Each evening nearer shore.

DIAMONDS IN THE GUTTER.

A little girl sat on a doorstep, watching
the rain-drops as they splashed in the
puddles, stopping to count them in
her misery, for she had nothing to do,
nothing to think of, and nothing to hope
for.

for the ring, but no traces of it was to
be seen, although in consequence of the
badness of the weather, the policeman
averred that no one had passed by for
the last half hour.

Frederick the Great.
It is related of an illustrious Russian
general, that when a boy he lived for
some time at the court of Frederick the
Great, where the following incident oc-
curred:

There are many curiosities of burn-
ing, of extraordinary rapidity of com-
bustion, which would be worth detailing
if we had the space. Bad building is
the cause of most, for bad building
means rapid destruction by fire.

David Minthorn, of Pamelin, N. Y.,
is the owner of a watch which was
made by Thomas Linford of London,
in 1628, and which, according to the
records of the Minthorn family, has the
following history: It was presented by
George III to Sir William Johnson
when he left England to take charge of
his Majesty's affairs in the colony of
New York.

The state industry of Northampton
County, Pa. continues to increase, and is
attracting the attention of capitalists in
several States. New quarries are being
opened every week, and the formation
of new companies is frequently spoken
of. Among the latest capitalist to en-
gage in the industry is J. Bradford
Prince, Chief Justice of New Mexico
under President Arthur, who has ac-
cepted the Presidency of a new com-
pany to be known as the Bangor Slate
Mining Company on property adjoining
the Old Bangor Slate Company at Ban-
gor. Operations on the new quarry
will be commenced next month.

One of the largest horses in New Jersey
was recently shipped from New York
City to a Trenton beer agent, by whom
it will be used as a lead horse. The
animal is 18 1/2 hands high and weighs
over 1900 pounds. There was no car
convenient it is said large enough
to transport him and only one boat; a
side wheeler that plies between New
York and New Brunswick could ac-
commodate him. The beast was brought
to New Brunswick on that vessel. A
colored man was then hired to walk him
to Trenton.