



THE HAND-ORGAN MAN.

JOSIE is a little boy three years old, who lives in Boston. He has seen the hand-organ men go round the streets, and stop at the doors to play.

He thinks he will be a hand-organ man. He puts on his hat, and takes a little wooden cricket under his arm, and marches down stairs.

Papa is in the sitting-room: so are grandpa and Aunt Helen. Josie walks in, and begins to sing; at the same time he strikes with his hand on the top of the stool.

He sings very loud, —

“Do you know the muffin-man,
The muffin-man, the muffin-man?
Do you know the muffin-man,
Who lives in Drury Lane?”