All night the snow came down, all night, Silent, and soft, and silvery white; Gently robing in spotless folds Town, and tower, and trecless wolds: On homes of the living and graves of the

Where each sleeper lies in his narrow bed On the city's roofs, on the marts of trade, On rustic hamlet and forest glade.

When the morn arose, all bright and fair, A wondrous vision gleamed through the air The world, transfigured, and glorified, Shone like the blessed and holy Bride; The fair, new earth, made free from sin, All pure without and pure within-Arrayed in robes of spotless white, For the Heavenly Bridegroom, in glory dight.

But, ah! not yet hath that blessed morn Dawned on our weary world, forlorn, When clothed in her bridal garments white, She shall stand redeemed in Heaven's pure

light;
For, trampled upon by a thousand feet, Hurrying to and fro in the street; In the crowded mart, 'mid the city's din, In the haunts of shame, the abodes of sin-

All marred and soiled is that whiteness pure, Beyond retrieving and past all cure; The virgin snow is befouled and stained, Its purity all besmirched, profaned; Save in some quiet, sequestered spot.
Where the rush and strife of life is not; Screened from polluting dust and soot, And defiling tread of vagrant foot.

The snow in the country lieth white, Dazzling and pure in the morning light; Softly flushing with sunset's gold, Spectral and ghastly 'neath moonlight cold A scarce stained path from house to barn Save this, untrodden is the broad farm; A single track leads o'er the hill. All sounds of life are hushed and still.

So, human nature, amid the strife Of the crowded city's turbulent life,
Is marred and stained by the subtle spell Of keen temptations, fierce and fell, That trample beneath their soiling feet Its virgin purity, fair and sweet, Till, oft defiled by sin and shame, Its virtue is gone beyond reclaim.

Yet some there are who keep unstained Their heart's pure treasure, their lives un

shamed: Although temptation and sin abound On every side, and hem them round, Amid the country's sequestered life, Remote from the city's din and strife, Temptation doth less assail the truth, And virgin innocence of youth.

Yet, no condition is wholly blest; Not upon earth find we perfect rest; Neither in town or country is life Wholly free from sin and strife; Neither wholly pure, nor wholly vile, In crowded city or lonely isle; Only in heaven, home of the soul,
Is respite found from sorrow and dole.

New Dominion Monthly for December.

ODDS AND ENDS

NEARLY 20,000 linen-drapers' assistants are out on strike in Paris. SISTER Hyacinthe has, says a Paris correspondent, followed her brother's example, and left the Convent of Carmelites.

AT Bonny, a great battle has been fought between Ako Jumbo and Ja Ja. The fight lasted 36 hours, and there was immense slaughter. Ja Ja's forces were completely

AT a late meeting of the clergy of the Irish Church, convened by the Archbishop of Dublin, it was resolved that the laity should have the right to decide on matters of doctrine and discipline.

A VIOLENT handbill was lately circulated in districts of London where the working classes mostly reside, calling on them to at-tend in tens of thousands on the day of opening Blackfriars' Bridge by the Queen, and to let their cry be for "Work."

THE Persian Gulf cable has arrived at Bombay in the ships Tweed and Calcutta. The Tweed, Captain Stuart, made the passage from the Lizards to Bombay in 79 days. The cable when laid down will form a complete line from Kurrachee to the head of the Persian Gulf.

GALIGNANT says medical statistics establish the two following points of interest to the ladies-first, that since stays have been abandoned, the annual mortality has diminished amongst females 18 per cent.; and second that since the overloading of the head with chignons, brain fevers have increased 723

A good story about poor Lord Derby i going the rounds. Some time since an admirer of the illustrious Earl having heard of his sufferings, sent him a case of white wine as a present, with the intimation that if he would drink that and forsake all other, he would never more be troubled with the gout. The Earl having out of curicsity tasted the wine returned it, with the leconic reply, "I'd rather have the gout."

Coboung, Nov. 24.-A very influential meeting assembled in Convention in this town to day and resolved to petition the County Council to pass a By-Law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in the United Counties at its next session in December, said By-Law to be submitted to the people for approval. The feeling of the meeting was enthusiastic in its determination to succeed in the effort to carry the By-Law at the polls. The feeling being very strong in favor of a County Act. Committees were appointed in each municipality to carry out the resolutions. There were about seventy delegates in attendance,

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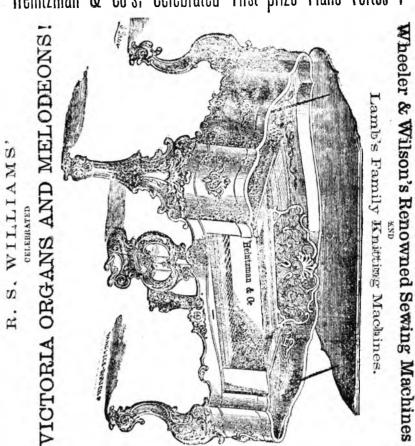
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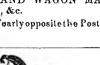
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