

UNDER THE SNOW

BY JOHN H. BOSE. This beautiful poem originally appeared in the Salem (N. C.) Press...

The brown old earth lies quiet and still Under the snow...

Every twig is fringed with mossy pearl, The drooping cedars bend to the ground...

The rough old barn and sheds near by, The mounded staves of wheat and rye...

There are hearts that once were full of love Under the snow...

There are eyes that glowed with the soul of love Under the snow...

There are faded tresses of golden hair And locks that were bleached with the frost of care...

There are lips that once were like the rose, There are bosoms that were tinged with snow...

There are breasts that once were true and strong, There are forms that once were praised in song...

O, there's a strange and mighty thing Under the snow!

Another mound will once lie deep Under the snow!

And I will with the pale ones sleep Under the snow!

O, God, transform my soul with grace That in the love of thy face I may stand pure when death shall pass...

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A POINT IN THE REPUBLICAN GAME, in both Houses, is to provoke, by taunts and jeers, the members who were identified with the late Confederate States Government...

And I think, as I sit in the gloaming here, Watching the objects disappear, How many things are faded low Under the drift of the falling snow!

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Dr. PONTA, director of the Lunatic Asylum at Alessandria (Italy), being considered an ideal that the solar rays might have some curative power in diseases of the brain...

TELL YOUR WIFE.-If you are in trouble or a quarry, tell your wife that is, if you have one—all about it at once.

CAUSES OF FAILURE.—A prize was once offered in a large college to the one who should give the best answer to the question: "What was the secret of success?"

"THEY FALL AS THE LEAVES FALL." The telegraph will have informed you of the indictment and arrest of U. S. Senator S. B. Conover, of Florida...

SOMETHING OF INTEREST TO PLANTERS.—If the following described machinery is as good as some of the best, it is bound to work a revolution in the cotton growing region...

TOO MUCH COTTON.—Bishop Pierce, in a letter to the Southern Christian Advocate, offers the following rational advice to his countrymen:

A VERY GOOD REASON.—Judge Pitman came down stairs the other day in response to a call from his servant girl, and found her waiting at the front door with a carpet-bag. The man said: "Is your piano out of tune?"

FILLING TEETH BY ELECTRICITY.—A dentist of Philadelphia has invented a little machine for putting the filling into teeth, which is thus described:

The latest discovery in the vegetable world is an incombustible tree found on an island of New Caledonia...

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