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Oh, the snow, the beautiful snow,
How the flakes gather and laugh as they go, Whirling along in its maddening fun; It plays in its glee with everyone, Chasing, laughing, hurrying by, It lights up the face and it sparkles the eye; And even the dogs with a bark and bound Snap at the crystals that eddy around. The town is alive and its heart's in a glow To welcome the coming of beautiful snow.

How the wild crowd goes swaying along, Hailing each other with humor and song. How the gay sledges like meteors flash by, Bright for a moment, then lost to the eye, Ringing, swinging, dashing they go Over the crest of the beautiful snow, Snow, so pure when it falls from the sky, To be trampled in mud by the crowd rushing by, To be trampled and tracked by the thousands of feet 'Till it blends with the horrible filth in the street.

Once I was pure as the snow, but I fell; Fell, like the snowflakes, from heaven to hell; Fell, to be trampled as the filth of the street; Fell, to be scooped, to be spit on and beat; Pleading, cursing, dreading to die, Selling my soul to whoever would buy. Dealing in shame for a morsel of bread, Hating the living and fearing the dead, Merciful God, have I fallen so low And yet I was once like this beautiful snow?

Once I was fair as the beautiful snow, With an eye like its crystals, a heart like its glow; Once I was loved for my innocent grace, Flattered and sought for the charm of my face, Father, mother, sisters, all, God and myself I have lost by my fall. The veriest wretch that goes shivering by Will take a wide sweep lest I wander too high For all of that it's on or about me I know There is nothing that's pure, but the beautiful snow.

How strange it should be that this beautiful snow Should fall on a sinner with nowhere to go. How strange it would be when the night comes again If the snow and the ice struck my desperate brain; Fainting, freezing, dying alone, Too wicked for prayer, too weak for my moan To be heard in the crash of the crazy town Gone mad in its joy that the snow's coming down To lie and to die in my terrible woe, With a bed and a shroud of the beautiful snow. —J. W. Watson.

Everybody Lucky.

An old farmer of the County of Durham called at a roadside public house where he was well known. The landlady asked him to buy a ticket for a lottery they had on there.

"Well," he said, "I have naught in my pocket, or I might."

"Oh, that's a' reet, John," she says; "take the ticket and pay for it any time."

Some time later John called again and the landlady asked him if he knew who had won the lottery.

"No," he said, "who won?"

"Well, hardly durst tell you, but oor Sam won. Wasn't he lucky?"

"Aye," said John, "he was lucky. And who was second, then?"

"I durst hardly tell you. Who would you think now?" she said.

"I couldn't say," said John.

"Well, it was oor Sally. Wasn't she lucky?"

"Aye, she was lucky," said John, "and who was third?" he asked.

"Well," she said, "you would never guess, and I might as well tell, I was third. Wasn't I lucky?"

"You were," he said. "Did I ever pay you for that ticket, missus?"

"No, John, you didn't," she said, fawning upon him.

"Well," said John, "isn't I lucky?"

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