

**Poetry.**  
**A SIMILE.**  
By W. W. LORRELL.  
Slowly, slowly, up the wall  
Steads the sunbeam, stealing the shade,  
Evening dews begin to fall,  
Eve's shadows are displayed.  
Round me, 'ere me, everywhere,  
All the sky is grand with clouds,  
And all around the evening air,  
Which the swallows love in crowds.  
Shafts of sunshine from the West  
Paint the dusky windows red;  
Darker shadows deeper red  
Underneath the overcast.  
Darker, darker, and more wan  
In my breast the shadows fall;  
I grieve to see the life of man,  
As the sunbeams from the wall.  
From the wall into the sky,  
From the roof of clouds that die—  
Ah, the soul of slugs that die—  
Are but sunbeams lifted higher.

**OH, NEVER LET AN UNKIND WORD.**  
Fall from those lips of thine,  
For hardness never but to divide  
Love's golden chain of mine,  
And as the rose when once 'tis plucked  
We never see restore;  
So the heart that's once crushed  
Will cling us to sore.  
We often kill earth's fairest flowers  
By some unkind word;  
Then wait our time in useless tears  
For what we might expect,  
Oh, sweeten far to gaze upon  
The eyes of the dead,  
Than on those dark, and sombre souls,  
From whom all love has fled.

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The Editor of the Scalpel, in the February number, in an article on the "Education of American School Girls," has ascertained that a high school in the city of New York, where the most popular and interesting young ladies of eating chalk and slates, and drinking vinegar, to avoid gaining flesh.

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