

The Waif.

The storm was raging round about the town As if a thousand demons were abroad Shaking the steeples—hurling chimneys down— Fighting the drowsy from the land of Nod.

The sun was rising, reddish in the face, Like an old toper from a feverish dream; Each maiden's fingers left their vantage place In her opponent's hair; each hushed her scream.

Smooth coiffures are more fashionable than fluffy ones. Carnations are the fashionable flower at the moment. Pekin is a general term applied to all-striped silk materials.

THE REFORM ROBBERS. What the "Mail" Says. Yesterday we referred to the fact that the two great parties are constantly accusing each other of fraud. Here is another illustration of it from the Mail.

AGRICULTURAL. Sheep Farming. (From an Exchange). Very few persons that the farmer can follow pay better than sheep farming. It is a branch that requires very little outlay and short experience, and is one that is sure to be exceedingly remunerative.

BURY & McINTOSH, ASSIGNEES AND ACCOUNTANTS, MOLSON'S BANK CHAMBERS, CORNER ST. JAMES AND ST. PETER STREETS. (Entrance on St. Peter Street.)

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