THE PURE IN HEART.

Exlest is the pure in heart! For to him is this rich promise given: lle, daily having striven, At last has learnt the art And seeks his God.

Fure of purpose as of mind,

His heart is filled with love;

He sees his home's above; Within him God's own word's enshrined;

He seeks his God.

Peace, perfect peace, the calm That over his tired spirit reigns; Though he fast bound in chains, Fears not and dreads no harm, For he shall see his God.

Love, perfect Love, 'Which seeing not, yet knows As in its daily life it shows Its very life's above: He sees at last his God.

-R. R. S. H. B.

OUR HEALTH.

There's that more precious than the diamond's flame.

And beautiful as is the ruby's glow,

Or bloom of pears, which gold indeed may maim, And yet not easily again bestow;

Which giveth beauty grace, like scent to flowers;

Without which beauty is a rootless bloom,

Which raiseth bright dressed thoughts, like vernal showers

The beaded grass, and gildeth sorrow's gloom. It makes a beggar happy as a king; 'Tis manhood's very sceptre; it may bring

Hope to the hero, courage to the brave!-

- "Come, tell us, pray, what is this priceless wealth?"
 - What we are spendthrifts with my friendsour health!
 - -G. G. Somerville, in Chamber's Journal.

SHE WAS LISTENING.

A certain minister, who is not always so careful as he ought to be in making his preaching and his practice correspond, was lately telling some friends a story of adventure. It was a pretty 'tall' story, and the minister's ten-year-old little girl was observed to be listening to it very intently. When he finished she fastened her wideopen eyes upon her father's face, and said, very gravely—"Is that true, or are you preaching now, papa?"

Brother Godfrey, of Primrose Lodge, Kamloops, paid a visit to the office of the "True Knight" last week. We found him hale and hearty and well pleased with our City.

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Brother Robert Morton, of Whatcom, is in the City, renewing old acquaintances. Brother Morton is one of the Charter members of Crusader Lodge, No. 19. The boys gave him a warm reception.

Past Chancellor Mains, of Chicago, Ills., paid our City jodges a visit last week. We are always glad to welcome our brothers from across the line, and trust we may meet with many of our visiting brothers in the future.

J. M. Murray, K. of R. & S., Granite Lodge. New Westminster, was in the City last week. on business connected with the furnishing of their Castle Hall, which it is expected will be completed in a few weeks.

