

Alas, the picture changes. Although it is nearly nineteen centuries since Christ died, there are still 1,000,000,000 souls on earth who are unsaved. Of the 390,000,000 of so-called Christians, including Romanists, Greeks and Protestants, a vast majority have only a nominal, doubtful religion that does not, cannot save them. Over against the 30,000,000 professedly converted to Christ, there are 80,000,000 of Protestants (omitting the Romish and Greek churches) unconverted, and voluntarily remaining in sin right in the very heart of our best Christendom. Our only hope for the 1,400,000,000 on earth, only less than a third of whom are saved at all, is in the 30,000,000 of church members; and Bishop Foster, according to the *New York Independent*, throws one-half of these out, declaring that they are but "undeveloped idle factors," leaving but 15,000,000 of active, working Christians in all the globe.

Says Bishop Foster: "The Church boasts that she is going to conquer the world, and comes from her palaces and princely farms and subscribes fifty cents a head for the undertaking."

All Christendom collects the sum of \$10,000,000 a year for mission work; put over against it that the American nation "expends the sum of \$20,000,000 each year for imported artificial flowers to put in the head-gear of their women. Put over against it the fact, that Boston alone (says Dr. Dorchester) expends \$50,000,000 each year for intoxicating liquor—and where is boasting?"

A certain missionary society met in Boston some time ago, and reported that since sixty years ago \$25,000,000 had been received and expended by it to evangelize the world. But the shameful fact remains, that the liquor bill of the United States is \$900,000,000, and the tobacco