

## Fragments of Sam Slick

When you are down, poverty, like snow-shoes, keeps your feet fast, and prevents your rising.

A good temper must be kept cool to retain its sweetness.

Innocence is not suspicious, but guilt is always ready to turn informer.

X The great secret of life is never to be in the way of others.

Never draw on to-morrow. Anticipatin' one's income makes the future bear the expenses of the past.

The vanity of fools is the wisdom of the wise.