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Select Poetry.

SONG OF THE SEASON.

The dreary day is near its close, And sad a sorrow's sigh, When bending over beauty's tomb, The wailing winds sweep by...

MEANINGLESS MUSINGS.

Why do we cling, with such fondness to earth? Its smiles are delusive, and short-lived its mirth!

Romance and Reality.

SISTER ANNE.

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RELIGIOUS SIGNS. The latest and apparently the fairest estimate of the religious condition of the earth, is as follows: Pages 675,000,000; Christians, 324,000,000; Mohammedans, 140,000,000; Jews, 14,000,000; of Christians, there are: 170,000,000 Catholics; 100,000,000 Protestants; 60,000,000 of the Greek Church...