

THE HERO OF TEMPERANCES

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Not in the mighty halls,
Where a monarch holds his throne—
Where the fear of power stout hearts enthrals,
And a kingly frown their souls appals,
Hast thou thy thoughts made known.

Yet a nobler strife was thine—
Thou hast striven with stronger foes;—
With the shackles that round the soul entwine;
With the iron might of the conqueror Wine,
And his cup of world-wide woes!

And a brighter wreath of fame
Than the hero's crown, is thine—
For a million freemen bless thy name,
Who once, in the depths of a drunkard's shame,
Were slaves to the despot, Wine!