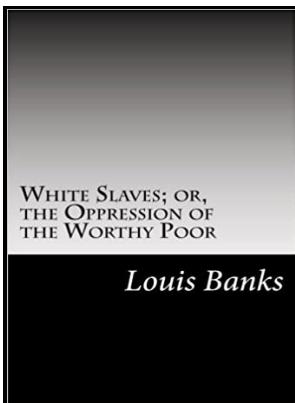


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. The inadequate wages received by some of the members of my own congregation, and the impoverished and unhealthy surroundings of many of the poor people who came for me to christen their children, pray with their sick, or bury their dead, so aroused my sympathy for the victims, and my indignation against the cruel or indifferent causes of their misery, that I determined upon a thorough and systematic investigation of the conditions of life among the worthy Boston poor. Edison tells us that ninety per cent of the energy that there is in coal is lost in the present method of converting it into a usable force.

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And besides that, this great, rich firm, whose members are rolling in wealth and luxury, charges this poor widow fifteen cents expressage on her package of ten dozen aprons, so that for making one hundred and twenty aprons, such as I have described, she receives, net, one hundred and thirty-five cents!. Her sewing has been confined to two lines—cloaks and aprons.

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I take great pleasure, therefore, in commanding this work, because it stirs all who read it. Some of the women whose story I shall tell do not work for sweaters, but are treated almost as badly by the powerful and wealthy firms who employ them. It is my purpose, at this time, to take you with me on a tour of observation.

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