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I.

THE lights are out, and gone are all the guests
That thronging came with merriment and jests

To celebrate the Hanging of the Crane
In the new house, — into the night are gone;
But still the fire upon the hearth burns on,

And I alone remain.

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