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IN THE SPRING.

In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love.

In the Spring the gentle showers come a-dropping from above;

In the Spring we shed our flannels and we catch a dose of gripe;

In the Spring the iceman woos us and the coal man has to ship.

In the Spring we put our ulsters and our overcoats in hock.

In the Spring the spy assessor at our domicile will knock;

In the Spring we quit on pancakes and we start in eating eggs;

In the Spring the happy schoolboy sheds his shoes and bares his legs;

In the Spring the festive maiden bares her wishbone to the breeze;

In the Spring she cough and sputter and develop quite a sneeze;

In the Spring the happy farmer runs his plow across the ground;

In the Spring the hungry bobo at our door is always found.

In the Spring the maple syrup is bubbling in the pan.

In the Spring the politax fellow makes us ante—if he can.

In the Spring our corns and bunions start to make our life a bore;

In the Spring, the buzzing "skeeter" loves to tap us for our gore.

In the Spring the Easter bonnet gets our money—and our goat.

In the Spring the floods surround us till our property's afloat;

In the Spring we save up money for our glad vacation time.

When the grip—or something—gets us, and the doc grabs every dime!

In the Spring—but why in thunder must we say another thing?

There's so much that always happens in the mad and merry Spring!

—By E. A. Brininstool in the Los Angeles Express.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY.

How would you be, if He, which is the top of judgment should

But judge you as you are? Oh! think on that,

And mercy breathe within your lips Like man newmade.

—Shakespeare.

The rule is that a gentleman is one who isn't conscious of it.

An agreeable hostess is one who is able to conceal her feelings.

In appraising a man, curly hair generally is listed as a liability.

Men and wolves now are about the only game unprotected by law.

Kansas City's public library is circulating music rolls for player pianos.

When a man achieves success in his business the people say his employees did it.

In a girl the combination of good common sense and freckles usually goes hand in hand.

St. Louis is to have a court for girls exclusively, presided over by two women judges.

Atlanta, Ga., real and personal property in 1913 yielded an aggregate tax of \$2,283,158.47.

Rochester, N. Y., is to have a monument in memory of J. D. Reid, a pioneer telegrapher.

Clevelanders last year forgot 50,000 packages in street cars and reclaimed about half of them.

It is only by attributing his downfall to liquor that a failure can work up much sympathy for himself.

Nothing is so irritating to an old-fashioned woman as her daughter-in-law's attempt to rear a baby.

Buffalo is to have a new New York Central railway depot six stories high, on Main street, to cost \$1,500,000.

St. Paul claims to be the largest fur market west of New York, though St. Louis insists on second honors.

Army officers are so well paid by the government that about all they need to live comfortably is a rich wife.

G. W. McDonald, who has founded a school of telegraphy in Carmi, Ill., is an expert operator though totally blind.

It is not until after he discusses the matter with his wife that a man learns his hostess' dinner was not a success.

It is true that most of those in society are uninteresting. But so, for that matter, are most of those not in society.

Pittsburgh acknowledges a frost on the regional bank argument. There are others, inasmuch as the demand exceeds the supply.

George Frain, aged seventeen, of Philadelphia, danced for three hours the other evening at a social function. Then he dropped dead.

Miss Ellen Pooley of Chicago, born in London seventy-eight years ago, has taken out her first citizen papers in order that she may vote.

The choicest nuisance in Kansas City is reported to be checkroom piracy in hotels. The business is farmed out to one general pirate who hires girls at \$4 a week to collect the tips for the boss.

Mrs. Robert Golet of New York and Newport, in her suit for divorce swears that Bob treated her with "extreme cruelty." Golet is said to be worth \$25,000,000, yet "coming across" regularly seems as painful to him as warm weather to an ice harvest.

New York state made a clean up of \$3,099,000 premium on \$51,000,000 canal and highway 4 1/2 per cent bonds sold last week. The bonds are non-taxable, are payable in gold and run fifty years. It was the most successful bond sale in the history of the state.

Mr. Ford's outpouring of money for his workmen is bringing multitudes to Detroit and their care is becoming a serious problem for the city. The Detroit Free Press says the local supply of labor exceeds the present demand, and newcomers who are not considered until the home supply is exhausted. Workmen cannot better themselves by going to Detroit. They will save money by staying away.

The late Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, during the last twenty-five years of his life logged around three-fourths of the alphabet in capital letters initializing the titles of honors bestowed upon him. By his own energy and ability plain Donald Alexander Smith became "Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, G. C. M. G., G. C. V. O., F. R. S., LL. D., P. C., D. L." In spite of all he scored a netty-three years of life.

B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the board of directors, and nine other officers of the Frisco railroad system, are summoned into court in Missouri to pay back \$14,408,921.29 alleged to have been taken from the parent company to purchase branch lines in which they were interested personally. Mr. Yoakum has achieved quite a reputation as a writer of booster literature and it is feared this annoying lawsuit will mar the highbrow tone of his future literary efforts.

At a conference of Home Agency Secretaries, held at the Bible house to New York, the officers of the nine home agencies were present. Their work covers nearly all of the United States. They reported for the year 1913 a remarkable advance in the circulation of the scriptures. The total reaches the figure of 1,076,459 volumes. This takes no account of the general circulation of the American Bible society in foreign lands, to the trade, or the circulation effected by the auxiliary and other local Bible societies. The total is an advance of 280,222 volumes in these home agencies over the preceding year.

MURDER BY DISEASE GERMS.

Some time ago the daily press was considerably aroused over an attempt at blackmail through mailing virulent germs to various wealthy persons, together with pleas for aid and the offer of an antidote or positive cure. Recently in Germany a man named Hopf was arrested on suspicion of having killed his wife by inoculation with disease germs and the internal administration of arsenic. During the trial, information was brought out to the effect that he had probably on former occasions murdered other members of his family in the same way. Before the criminal court in Frankfurt he was charged with the murder of his father and his mother, two of his children and his first and second wives, and with the attempted murder of his third wife. All the persons killed had been heavily insured. Arsenic was found in the bodies of the children and the first wife, but the second wife he had cremated. He denied having inoculated his wives, and there was no post-mortem evidence that he had done so; but he stated that he had used such bacteria for experiments on dogs in connection with certain private studies, although he was not a bacteriologist or a medical man. The bacterial cultures were purchased in Vienna, because no German labora-

tory was willing to supply the cultures which he ordered, using the name of an alleged scientific institution. The jury found him guilty of murder in all the cases except those of his parents. Medical experts declared that the man was not insane. In Germany, says the Journal of the American Medical Association, there is a law forbidding the sale or giving of pathogenic micro-organisms to unauthorized persons; it is reported that the Austrian authorities are about to adopt similar regulations.

JOTTINGS FROM THE SAGE OF SEVEN PINES

Talked Over Old Times With Editor Murphy, of Burlington Saturday Evening Post.

River, oh river, thou roamest free From the mountain height to the distant sea.

Stream of our fathers, Sweet still The sunset rays The valley fill.

'Tis alone on the waters When eve's joyful bell Sends forth to the sunset A note of farewell.

In easy style the great company from Alexandria, Aransas, Keokuk and other cities passed along the river street that June afternoon, and as our select group of three reached Jefferson avenue, we paused to admire the magnificent Saint Paul, as the fine river ship lay in near perspective at the wharf in all her brilliancy of color so well reflected by the soft sunlight. Mr. Brinkman came hurriedly up the street and asked the writer of his whereabouts during the journey, and was informed that the person of his search had been a studious citizen of the high deck of the steamer all the way from Alexandria, where with observation glass and pencil and paper, the writer was making records of the river views and many affairs of the voyage of pleasure and instruction. In company with Editor Murphy, we rested and talked over old times in the office of the Saturday Evening Post, and met there several acquaintances, including Captain Frank Myers who remarked to the writer of the somewhat perilous entry the Saint Paul had at the new lock, coming up. There were a half dozen U. S. boats just below the lock, and the steamer of great length and weight was compelled to make its own right of way through the squadron of dredge boats and other kinds of heavy craft. Our day's visit in Burlington was a time of sociability and instruction, and in the afternoon of the second day, we returned to the office of the Saturday Evening Post to rest and reflect, and await the time when the good ship Black Hawk would depart on its regular journey to Keokuk.

I've just had an application of WAVENLOCK and — my but my head feels fine — and my hair looks good, too — doesn't it? I never knew what real scalp comfort meant until I began using WAVENLOCK; now I wouldn't be without it — neither would you or anyone else if you would try it. Buy a bottle today — try it at once.

Will cleanse your scalp of Dandruff, prevent its return, stop Falling Hair and instantly relieve the itching, burning sensation of the unhealthy scalp, giving nature a chance to grow the luxuriant, beautiful hair that rightly belongs there. WAVENLOCK is not greasy or sticky and will not stain. It has a most pleasing, delicate odor and is delightful to apply.

Wavenlock Hair Tonic

All druggists sell lots of WAVENLOCK. Ask yours about it today.

A gentle breeze floated up from the south, and as the shadows of the hills and forests began to picture themselves on the quiet waters, a cooling temperature added its soothing influence to the delightful hours.

As voyage proceeded, people changed around, and one cousin form new acquaintance. A pleasant appearing lady on my left, said she would get off at Nauvoo, and for an hour or so she related to me quite a history of the historic Mormon town, and said if I wished to see any of the early Mormons, I must visit the town very soon. She stated that the real Mormons of long ago were rapidly passing away.

A mile or two north of Nauvoo a clam hunter had his tent located near the river's margin, and the Black Hawk called for the lonely dwelling, and made a regular landing. The man and his wife landed and walked slowly up to their cloth house and were welcomed by their friendly Carlo. Several girls up in front were making an ado as to the furnace of brick, and the writer gave them the information that the object is where the clam-man cooks the clams. One notices all the way north of the Keokuk dam, that deep water allows boats to land anywhere, and that all the water expanse is safe for the largest steamer. This one feature of the river is of great importance to navigation at all times. Coming around to Fort Madison the observer who is acquainted with the river's history, may look far away to the west and southwest and behold a territory which was in other years occupied by the ancient Mississippi when this waterway was of vast depth and width and ruled supreme when silence brooded over all the land. Now the river moves in a new avenue far to the east of its remote channel. This is a subject of profound thought for the student who is interested in geological affairs of our territory.

From Nauvoo the line of progress is easy and of gentle curves, around and below the pretty little city of Montrose. Far to the south a few well outlined objects appear, first the great white dam all illuminated so beautifully, and then the lights of Hamilton and Keokuk and the bridge connecting the two cities. The Black Hawk moved gracefully through the new lock and thence in a curve to its landing. I would say that the Mississippi river is not appreciated in its greatness and national importance, as an avenue of commerce and travel. The cities and states all along the way from the American boundary on the north, to the Gulf of Mexico, should bestow greater honor and respect upon this one imperial stream of North America.

SALTS IF KIDNEYS OR BLADDER BOTHER

Harmless to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and some times very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

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Mrs. Earl DeHaven, of Burnside, spent Tuesday evening with Miss Nellie Evans, and attended the Rebekah's St. Patrick mask social; Miss Emma Carr, who spent the winter with relatives and friends in Kansas and Missouri, is also visiting Miss Evans.

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You Take advantage of the opportunity and start a savings account.

For 46 Years The Keokuk Savings Bank has been the friend of the saving man.

Saving is only a little matter of habit—so get the habit. Deposit a dollar, get a savings book, and you are on your way.

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CARTHAGE, ILL.

Walter S. Robertson, of Quincy, and George W. Robertson of Davenport, visited over Sunday with their father, Amos R., in this city.

Misses Ethel Brown and Frances Westcott, were Burlington visitors Friday evening.

Miss Mabel Gray, who is attending state normal, at Macomb, came home Friday evening for the spring vacation.

Will Hunter of Burnside, was a business visitor to the city the first of the week.

A. Kirby of Dallas City, was in the city Monday on business.

James Loynd, who has been spending the past several months with his

Duncan-Schell Furn. Co. We Invite Charge Accounts

Rich Drapery Fabrics —Guaranteed Fadeless

We know of no materials for draperies and coverings that are at once so attractive and serviceable as Orinoka Guaranteed Sunfast Fabrics. They are absolutely color fast to sun and water—guaranteed so by the makers.

You can flood your rooms with cheerful sunshine—these fabrics will not mind it a bit. They are surprisingly inexpensive and come in many beautiful weaves and patterns—all in good taste and adaptable to any kind of room.

Our experience in home decoration is at your service in planning harmonious effects for one room or several.

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