

### Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

GOOD-BYE SPRING  
"Good-bye, Spring, I must be going," said the blue Hepatica flower.

"Good-bye, dear little Hepatica," said the Spring.  
Now the Spring was dressed in all her best. Oh, she was most gorgeous. She wore a cap of beautiful, olive green leaves, so fresh and pretty and new, and her hat was of many spring flowers. It was a lovely hat.

Her skirt was of soft green moss with new ferns decorating it, such dear little delicate ferns.  
Her shoes were of green moss and her shoe laces were of lovely tall green grasses.

Her waist was of spring blossoms and was so pretty, and had sprinkled over her a perfume which all of the spring flowers and shrubs and trees and grass had given to her as a gift from all of them.

"I hate to see you go," said Spring, "but I know you must be on your way. This is the time for you to finish your blossoming or flowering."  
"Yes," said the blue Hepatica flower, "I have been about really ever since December. I was under the snow, you know, and my fuzzy stem kept



"I Must Follow You."

me warm just as people will wrap their furs about their necks to keep themselves warm.

"And though I was but a bud I kept warm and the snow protected me too."

"Some of your family have different names," said Spring, "but I like to call you Hepatica best."  
"It is my favorite name of all I have," said the blue Hepatica flower. "Sometimes we're called Liverwort, and sometimes we're called Squirrel Cups, and sometimes we're just known as Hepaticas, which is my favorite name as I've said."

"Some of us wear blue and some of us wear lavender. Some of us wear white, and some of us wear pink, and some of us have a different style of grouping ourselves together. We don't dress just the same, and we don't care if we're all in Hepatica style."

"By that I mean we don't care if we all do just as the other does. Real Hepatica style, among the Hepatica flowers, means to dress differently and as we please and to look as lovely as each one of us can."

"That is what we try to do."  
"And that is what you really do," said Spring.

"Thank you, dear Spring," said the blue Hepatica.

"Some of us wear perfume and some of us don't," said the blue Hepatica. "There is no special rule about that either."  
"It doesn't make any difference whether we wear blue, or pink, or white, or lavender, whether we add perfume or not. It is just as our own little group feels like doing."

"But the same family wears perfume year after year."  
"You see my mother plant wore perfume and I thought it was so lovely that I wanted to wear it too. That is always the way with the Hepatica flowers."

"We do what our mothers have done, and if they have used perfume, so do we. It is natural that we should for we like our mothers' perfume, and we wanted to have some of it when we grew up!"

"Yes, dear Spring, I must go."  
"And before long I must follow you," said Spring. "Summer is coming along you know."

"But," said the blue Hepatica, lifting its little star-like petals up and gazing at Spring. "I'll come and see you again next year if you want me."  
"Darling little blue Hepatica, Spring wouldn't be happy if you didn't come to the edges of the woods to smile at her and to say:

"Here I am, dear Spring, Spring really wouldn't be Spring without you."

"Blue Hepatica will open her eyes to greet you next year, Spring. Good-bye, dear Spring. Good-bye, lovely world, all dressed in your new clothes."  
And the warmer breezes of summer came along and whispered:

"Blue Hepatica was right, Good-bye Spring!"

**A Rare Guess.**  
Professor to Student—Mr. Blank, tell us something of the occurrence of calcium carbonate in nature.  
Student (unprepared)—Well, sir, it is very rare.  
Professor—Very good, sir, for a guess. But you failed to mention that the Appalachian mountains are composed quite largely of this rare substance.—Science and Invention.

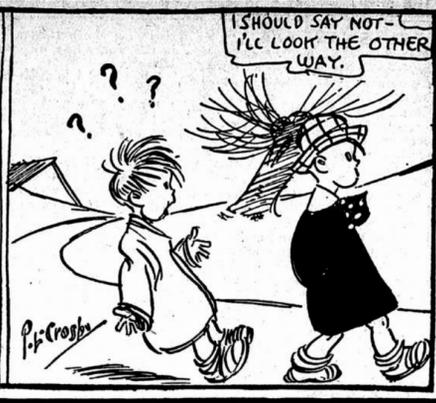
**TWIN LAKES**  
Nov. 9.—Frank Stoltman left for North Dakota Monday. He will remain for some time.  
The program and social held at the Twin Lakes school Thursday evening proved very successful. The proceeds amounted to \$30.15. The teacher and children wish to thank all those who helped to make it a success.  
John Doroff purchased a fine team of horses at the William Burns auction last week.  
Mrs. Henry Doroff of St. Paul underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is reported doing nicely.

### The Clancy Kids

Consideration



By PERCY L. CROSBY



### PIERZ

Pierz Journal 9.—A happy wedding event was solemnized at St. Joseph's church in Pierz yesterday morning at 9 o'clock when Miss Anne Girtz and Math Faust were united in marriage, Rev. J. G. Stiegler officiating.

The attendants were Mike Girtz, brother of the bride and Miss Catherine Faust, sister of the bridegroom. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Faust of Pierz and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Girtz also of Pierz.

The bride wore a white satin dress and wreath and veil and carried a bouquet of white and pink carnations. The bridesmaid wore a yellow satin dress and also carried a bouquet of white and pink carnations. The groom wore a blue serge suit.

The wedding was celebrated at the bride's home in the south end of the village where a bowery dance with very good music was held in the evening at which a large number of friends and relatives enjoyed themselves.

Out-of-town guests present at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Nick Faust and children of Elk River and Mrs. Martin Wenzel and son William of Little Falls.

In spite of the rainy weather a large number of people took in the church fair in Pierz which was held Sunday and Monday. Those in attendance spent an enjoyable time.

Joseph Bentfeld returned from Forsyth, Mont., last Saturday, where he has been employed since last spring.

Deer hunting season opens Nov. 10 and lasts until Nov. 20, only 10 days a crowd of Pierz hunters left for Wirt, Minn. Those from here are: Frank Faust, Joseph, Peter and Mike Meyer, Peter Bares and Carl Merrill, Henry Gau and Louis Schaefer also left for the same place with the Gross Bros. of Lastrup.

F. J. Gau Sr. left today for several days at the home of Jos. B. Breitbach and family.

The two large barns on the Mrs. Arnold Nagel farm about five miles southeast of the village were totally destroyed by fire Monday morning about 2 o'clock a. m. How the fire got started is not known. At about 2 o'clock Edward Otramba and Peter Banach drove by in an auto, noticed the blaze and gave the first alarm at the house but by this time the fire had advanced so far that all aid to put it out was of no avail. The two barns were burned to the ground with all they contained. The larger one was one of the largest and best barns in the surrounding country. The loss is enormous. All harnesses, tools and other small machinery also had been consumed by the fire. In the large barn 8 head of cattle were burned. Fortunately the horses were not at home otherwise the loss would have been much larger. The barns were insured in the Pierz Farmer's Fire Insurance Co. for \$2,000.

Mrs. Mary Wiley of Broodview, Mont., arrived Saturday morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Listberger of Pierz. She expects to remain here about three weeks.

The Jacob Hermann family who resided at Lastrup for many years moved

to St. Cloud Saturday, Oct. 25th where they will reside in the future. Mr. Hermann traded in his farm at Lastrup for a fine house in St. Cloud.

Peter L. Poster and son Frank left Tuesday for Shaw, Minn., about 45 miles north of Duluth. They intend to look over the country and also kill a deer if they get a chance.

**MOTLEY**  
Motley Mercury 10.—Mrs. E. G. Haymaker received a telegram Monday morning stating that her father, T. H. McGuire, had died that morning at his home in Yakima, Wash.

He had been in fairly good health up until about a week before his death when he was taken with influenza, which caused his death.

Thomas H. McGuire was born on Feb. 22, 1862, at Louisville, Ky., and moved with his wife and family to Motley in 1890 and settled on a homestead 14 miles north-east of Motley in Cass county where he lived until his wife died in 1905. After the death of his wife he moved to Motley where he lived until about five years ago when he went to Yakima, Wash., where he has since resided with the exception of a few months when he was back to Motley on a visit. After going to Yakima he married again and is survived by his wife. Besides his wife he is survived by three sons and three daughters: Buel McGuire, of Kentucky, Mrs. E. G. Haymaker Motley, Minn., Mrs. C. R. Townsend, of Pine River, Minn., Frank McGuire, of Lude, Minn., W. E. McGuire of Baudette, Minn., and Mrs. Olive Lasher of Yakima, Wash., as well as a number of brothers and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Morrill autoed to Minneapolis Sunday and returned Wednesday. They have traded their Montana property for a residence in Minneapolis.

Fern Hemphill, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hemphill, was taken to the Brainerd hospital Monday suffering with blood poison as a result of having broken one of her legs last week.

B. F. Cottingham left Thursday morning for Coleraine to go deer hunting and visit a couple of nephews who live near there.

F. M. Hendricks left Thursday for Marblehead, Ill., where he expects to spend a couple of months.

J. M. Schmitz left Wednesday for South St. Paul with five ear loads of stock for the market.

### ROYALTON

Nov. 9.—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. St. Lambert of Funkley, at the home of Mrs. Lambert's parents at Royalton, Nov. 1st.

Mrs. Rose Murphy returned to her Nick Daniels of Buckman was in

### home at St. Paul Sunday.

town Tuesday, on his way to North Dakota, to receive treatment for sciatic rheumatism.

Jay Geer, a former resident of Royalton, was in town the past week visiting friends. From here he went to St. Paul, where a brother resides and will also visit his mother and sisters in North Dakota, enroute to his home in Montana, where he is employed in railroad work.

Alf. Foote spent Sunday in town, returning to St. Cloud that evening, where he is employed in the Great Northern car shops.

Owing to the shortage of cars, J. Newman has been obliged to place three ear loads of cattle, hogs and sheep in pasture in this vicinity.

A son was born October 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Schellinger (Anna Lodermeier) of St. Cloud.

Dean Couper of Duluth held a conference at Grace church Thursday afternoon and evening.

**EAST RIPLEY**  
Nov. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Propiek was called to Lastrup Monday by the death of Mr. Propiek's father, Mr. Wash and family and Mrs. Lorenzen went to Little Falls Sunday evening.

Leonard Pint went to Effie Monday where he will be employed this winter. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Felver of Brainerd spent Saturday and Sunday here.

E. E. James motored to Omaha, Neb., to attend the funeral of an uncle. He said all through Minnesota, they had the best of roads but in all other states they were almost impassable.

D. Baxter has moved into the Chas. Compton place for the coming year. We wish the sun would shine again to see how it seems.

We wish to thank the people of the community who have helped us financially since we lost all our household goods, when Mr. Kiewel's house burned. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pint, James Pint.

**SWANVILLE TOWN**  
Nov. 14.—George Schlumberger was busy hauling wood last Wednesday to Little Falls which took him twelve hours to make the trip and if he would have taken his light team, he could have made it in a shorter time. This was on account of the bad roads.

Number of families of this community attended the celebration of the pavement roads in Little Falls last Thursday.

**HILLMAN**  
Nov. 13.—Mrs. Alvin Sell is at Delano helping to care for a brother, who has been ill for some time. Hillman is now on the map since we

### have elected a representative from our town. O. P. Jacobson.

Mr. Blacketter has his store building nearly completed.

Miss Viola Larson, sister of Mrs. Siverson, came down from Milaca for the week-end with her sister and family.

Miss Bokke, one of the teachers is ill. There will be a vacation of a week in her room.

Religious services at Community hall Sunday morning by the Lutheran minister from Onamia.

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**UPSALA**  
Upsala News-Tribune 10.—Miss Alice Wedin of Minneapolis spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Wedin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peterson spent Sunday with relatives at Minneapolis.

Miss Clara Sundin and Miss Ethelyn Nelson, who are employed at Minneapolis, spent Sunday at their respective homes here.

**BOWLUS**  
Bowlus Advance (10).—John Dolney made up his mind that mud and rain couldn't keep him from attending the

bazaar so he motored down from Little Falls Sunday with his family and stayed till the last piece of chicken was gone.

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