

EASTER FLOWERS

Dear blossoms, once again you come
Your story to repeat,
Too often, dears, you cannot bring
The Easter message sweet,
Of beauty springing ever new
From loss, and grief, and gloom;
Of joyful resurrection from
The darkness of the tomb

—Mary F. Butts.



THE OTHER FELLOWS JOB

By Dr. J. W. Holland in The Farmer

When I was a boy I used to lean upon my hoe and watch the evening train speeding past the cornfield where I was working. Many times I remember of having done that, and as often did I think: "Those people who have nothing to do but ride on a train must be very happy."

Since that time I have ridden a good deal upon trains, and have studied the people who make up the passengers, and I have revised my boyhood estimates of happiness.

I have seen as much human misery aboard trains as anywhere in the world. I can think now of some of the people taking their loved ones to insane hospitals; young folks breaking the home ties, and headed to the big lonely city; business men worried about financial crises in their affairs; sad-faced and quiet people hoping to get back home before some loved voice is forever stilled.

Doubtless some of the same kind of people were on those trains that hurried past my father's cornfield in Southern Iowa when I was a boy.

How human that all is! The average human being thinks that, if he were someone else, all would be well. Not so. It is probable that the man or the woman you are envying, envies you.

The wisest thing is to take ourselves as we find ourselves, and let envy go. I verily believe that, if each of us knew all about any other human being in the world, we would not willingly exchange places with anyone on earth.

Not long ago I heard a good farmer and his wife saying, "You know, we are just farmers." Well, what of it? If you will show me anything that is more fundamental to human life and the seat of more happiness than "just farming," I'll treat.

My brothers and father are farmers—good ones, too. I hold that the plow handle is as sacred as an altar if only an honest man stands behind it. The man is what counts, not the vocation.

Be glad of what you are. Take yourself seriously, but not too much so. Thank the kind stars over your head that you are on earth, and stay here, and love your work and your fellows as long as you can.

Mr. S. E. Kiser has a poem that expresses for me what I want to say: Most every day a little boy comes drivin' past our house,

With the nicest little pony, just the color of a mouse;
And a groom rides close behind him, so he won't get hurt, you see—
And I used to wish the pony and the cart belonged to me.

I used to watch him from our porch, and wish that I could own His pony and his little cart, and drive out all alone;
And once, when I knelt down at night, I prayed the Lord that He Would fix it so the pony and the cart belonged to me.

But yesterday I saw him where he lives; and now I know Why he never goes out walkin'— 'cause his legs are withered so! And last night, when I was kneelin' with my head on mother's knee, I was glad he had the pony and the cart instead of me.

STEPHEN

From the Messenger

Mrs. F. J. Wickie came down from Hallock Friday, and spent the week end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Green.

Andrew Rost spent Sunday at his home here, returning that evening to Crookston, where he has a contract to remodel the J. H. Boucher residence. Mr. Boucher represents the International Harvester Co. in this territory.

Mrs. Henry Hoyer and Miss Gladys Peterson returned Friday from Crookston, where they had attended the graduating exercises at the Northwest School of Agriculture. The former's son, William, who had attended the Ag. school, returned with them.

Frank Houlin returned to Stephen Tuesday from a week's sojourn to the twin cities, and is spending a couple of days looking after his farming interests here.

Miss Emma Stevning, who is a stu-

dent at the University of Wisconsin, at Madison, has captured the girls' indoor baseball team there this season, and is reported as the star of her team's pitching staff.

The twentieth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of Adams Presbyterian Church at Crookston on Thursday and Friday, April 13 and 14. Among the members of the Stephen Society who will attend are Mrs. J. Rosser Jones; Mrs. Geo. W. Eastburn, corresponding secretary and secretary for associate members; and Mrs. B. B. Brett, secretary of young people's work. An unusually attractive program has been prepared for the meeting with addresses by Mrs. Ida Gardner and Miss Emma Paige, home and foreign synodical presidents, of Minneapolis; Miss Lillian Evans of the Kirkwood Memorial Indian School in Arizona; and Dr. Adelaide Woodard of Fatchgahr, India.

OSLO

From the Tribune.

Willie Erickson, of Argyle, was a Sunday guest at the Magnus Erickson home in this city.

Willie Erickson and Victor Gordanhammer from Argyle were over Tuesday evening on a business trip.

Oscar Grenlin returned this evening from his visit with his brother Alfred, who resides at Conway, N. D.

James Clausen left Saturday for Thief River Falls where he visited over Sunday with his sister, Miss Christine Clausen.

John Stromberg, of Warren, was down Monday after some of his personal belongings used in connection with the cleaning establishment he operated last winter.

N. C. Hustad, from Saginaw, Minn., and son Martin from Antelope, Mont., spent last Saturday and Monday visiting with the James Clausen family in this place.

Miss Alice Clausen left this morning for Inkster, N. D., to spend her Easter vacation with the J. A. Hilden family. Her brother Jimmie accompanied her who will be a guest of Master Harold Hilden.

Fred Chronkhite, who has been visiting at this place and Big Woods the past three weeks, departed Tuesday for his home at International Falls.

Charles Dahlstrom and Dave Young autored to Grand Forks Wednesday where they secured a new International Service truck to be used in connection with the hardware firm of Dahlstrom & Nordstrom. It is a hummer and every farmer should read their ad in this issue regarding their truck service.

Rev. Redal and wife and Henry Nelson motored to Grand Forks Monday evening, where they met Leroy Redal, the oldest son of Rev. Redal, who has been a sailor for Uncle Sam the past two years, sailing on the battleship Baltimore, that has cruised in the Pacific ocean during a greater part of Leroy's services.

Mothers' Sense
Every woman knows that her House has to be cleaned thoroughly every Spring. During winter, dust, dirt and germs accumulate in the corners, under the rugs, in the curtains and every place. Just so with your system—it should be given a thorough cleansing, purifying this Spring. **HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS** will do the job sick and quick. They will clean your system, freshen and purify you all over—you'll enjoy living, eat better, sleep better—feel better. — Warren Pharmacy.

A dollar and a half invested in a year's subscription to the **Sheaf** will save you many times that amount if you watch the advertisements closely.

MIDDLE RIVER

From the Pioneer.

A carload of phosphate fertilizer was received by the Middle River Co-operative Elevator last Saturday and several of the farmers have been busy hauling same out of it.

Ralph Austin, of Finkle Siding, Minn., near Moorhead, arrived here last Friday with a car of personal effects which he moved out to the John Dahl farm near Gatzke, where he has bought and will operate.

Leave a standing order for a box of the famous "Martha Washington" homemade candies.—Warren Pharmacy.

Rheumatism is Gone and He is Back to Work

St. Paul Man Was Flat On His Back For Fifteen Weeks. Says Tanlac Did What He Thought Was Impossible In His Case.

"Tanlac got me up from a bed of rheumatism where I had lain for four months so of course I am a strong believer in it," said Edmund Hapert, 1038 Livingston Ave., West, St. Paul, Minn.

"Rheumatism had me in its clutches for four years and finally I got to where every bone and muscle in my body ached and had to give up work and go to bed. For fifteen weeks I lay flat on my back in constant pain and suffering and as helpless as a baby."

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Pointers Thomas

If Congress doesn't pass a few bills we will have to pass all of ours.

This would be a noisy town if a fly cackled every time she laid an egg.

Health hint: Stand in with the cook.

Since prohibition, the fish that get away are not near as big.

Bel a horsefly hates a tractor.

Many a woman tells hubby her troubles because they are him.

Finé motto: Luck is pluck.

Two may not live cheaper than one; but they can feel cheaper.

As ye know so shall ye reap.

A New Yorker's will left his stenographer \$100,000. It will buy 2,000,000 packages of gum.

Frowns cover a multitude of grins.

Lots of people say they can't sing and then prove it.

ARGYLE

From the Banner.

Miss Glynn Sinclair who is teaching school at Minot, N. D., came home on Saturday to spend the Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sinclair of Stephen were week-end visitors here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sinclair.

Mrs. R. B. Taralseth and daughter Bonita Belle, came up from Warren on Monday to spend a few days at the home of Mrs. Taralseth's mother, Mrs. Andrew Olson.

J. J. Stookey returned Monday from a winter's stay in Texas where he has land holdings.

Nurse Hattie Howacki went over to Thief River Falls on Tuesday to take care of a sick patient there.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stoltz came over from Grafton, N. D., on Monday on a few days visit, returning to Grafton on Thursday.

Miss Florence Meisch went over to Grand Forks on Monday to spend part of the Easter vacation there visiting with friends.

C. L. Henkel, who had been with the Banner for the past year, has accepted a position with the Cando Herald, his home town paper, and left Sunday to take up his work there.

"And There Wasn't the Slightest Smell from Dead Rats."

Writes John Simpkins, farmer of Annandale, N. J.: "Rats were cost-

ing me hundreds yearly; tried dogs, ferrets, poison, could not get rid of them. Bought \$1.25 pkg. of RAT-SNAP (5 cakes). Used half, not a live rat since. Dead ones a plenty. I like RAT-SNAP because after killing rats it dries them up—leaves no smell." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Warren Pharmacy and Peoples Trading Co.



"Faster, Jimmy, faster! You know mother said there wasn't be any breakfast till we bring the Kellogg's Corn Flakes!"

Compare flavor and crispness! KELLOGG'S against any Corn Flakes you ever ate!

Takes the rough edges off hopping out of the covers these snappy mornings just thinking about that luscious bowl of Kellogg's Corn Flakes waiting down stairs! Big and brown and crispy-crunchy flakes—a revelation in appetizing flavor, wonderful in wholesome goodness—the most delicious cereal you ever tasted!

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BANKRUPT SALE OF GROCERIES!

I have purchased the Holmgren Grocery stock and will close out the entire stock in a ten day sale at sacrifice prices, commencing

Wednesday, Apr. 12

Come Early and get the Bargains! **EVERYTHING GOES.** Following are a few of the Bargains that will be found here:

University brand Coffee, regular 50c seller, closing out at	30c	Karo syrup, 5-lb. pails, closing out price	25c
Bulk coffee, 40c value, goes at this sale at	25c	Post Toasties and Corn flakes, large size, closing out, only	10c
30c bulk coffee, this sale	20c	Quaker rolled oats, full size package, closing out sale, only	20c
Salmon, per can, only	10c		

We can only give a few of the prices here. Come and you will find bargains in everything you need. All this stock is good merchandise of high quality.

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