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## THINGS BEYOND.

Amid the Worldly Scenes that Appeal to Action, There Comes A Voice From Above.

It is good for us to revel in the delights of vernal summer; to imbibe with enthusiasm the significances of the ripening year; to husband the beauties of nature with which to sweeten our lives; partaking of these things with gladness of heart, to the continual exclusion of everything tainted by gloom or sourness.

But all these things perish with the using; they pass away as a dream of youth; and though we may cull, analyze, until the essence of them is crystallized, becoming our own, setting our very being in harmony with all that is excellent and beautiful in the walks of life, what, after all, is it to us if we fail to hear the still, small voice of God, and feel not the effects of the spirit-wind that blows into the soul an assurance of still better things—things beyond—where things counted as excellent here will remain only as shadows—only the buds of glad fruition?

It is our business, our privilege, our duty to consider our interests, to see that our fields are tilled for the best possible results, to persevere till the glorious science of agriculture shall reveal to the world its perfected front, not a single problem of it remaining unsolved, nor a single feature unlightened.

But, after this attainment, what are we if we fail to obtain an inheritance in the earth—the land beyond—wherein dwelleth righteousness? Our fruit trees of the years will die at the top, our plowshares will rust into dust, our houses cease to be even remembered. O mortal man, what then?

Amid these scenes, these environments that appeal to action, that claim much of our mental and physical energy—the things that we must pursue for the world and ourselves—there comes a voice from above, from beyond, whispering of a river, the streams whereof shall make glad the city of God. And though the landscape is very beautiful, the fields ripe with promise, the front yards ablaze with bloom and fragrance, the orchestra of woodbirds inspiring with delight, there are better things beyond. And we are more than dullards if, enchanted by the shadows, we do not desire a better country, that is heavenly.

**Saved His Comrade's Life.**  
"While returning from the Grand Army Encampment at Washington City, a young man from Elgin, Ill., was taken with cholera morbus and was in a critical condition," says Mr. J. E. Houghland, of Elgin, Iowa. "I gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and believe saved his life. I have been engaged for ten years in immigration work and conducted many parties to the south and west. I always carry this remedy and have used it successfully on many occasions."

One kind of optimist is a self-satisfied bachelor who imagines he might be happy if married.

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## Heart Weakness

The action of the heart depends upon the heart nerves and muscles. When from any cause they become weak or exhausted, and fail to furnish sufficient power, the heart flutters, palpitates, skips beats; and in its effort to keep up its work, causes pain and distress, such as smothering spells, short breath, fainting, pain around heart, arm and shoulders. The circulation is impeded, and the entire system suffers from lack of nourishment.

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## CONTEMPLATION.

I stood, in admiration, watching the sunset's rich glow, Viewing the clouds, their colors softly come and softly go; And I wondered if my life's evening would be nearly so bright— My reward awaiting me in that land of pure delight.  
There to mingle my voice with others in anthems of love— The home of departed spirits—that crystal city above.  
I stood, too, if I should die in the glow of the noon tide sun— Little done for the Master—my life's mission scarce begun— No reward beyond the grave—no mansion in Heaven— No fruit at the harvest—no crown to me given!  
I stood, in admiration, watching the sunset's rich glow— Viewing the clouds, their colors softly come and softly go— And I resolved in faith to labor, though I've but a little while to stay, And, indeed, reap my reward in heaven—the land of Eternal Day.

## IS THERE NO LIMIT?

Mother's eating carrots, lettuce, greens and beans; Father lives on onions; we've quit having meats; Pancakes in the morning, breakfast food and rice— Well, we're saving money and it's worth the price.

Sausage? Bah! We wouldn't feed it to the pup! If you speak of beefsteak sister's nose goes up. We have eggs for dinner, bread and milk for tea, And we must be getting richer rapidly.

Every morning father, as he reads the news, Seems to get discouraged, seems to have the blues, And he pounds the table, saying things are wrong— Vegetables seem to keep him pretty strong.

Every day somebody tells about some more Packing fill, we hadn't heard about before; It is nearly time to hear again, I think, That the milk is doctored and unfit to drink.

Onions, prunes and carrots, lettuce, turnips, rice— Well, they might be better, still they're pretty nice, Yet before to-morrow some one, raking muck, May discover filth in these things, darn the luck!

## DISTANCE TRAVELLED IN DANCING.

A young man fond of dancing took a pedometer with him to a hall, and found that in the course of the evening he had covered thirteen and a half miles. The average length of a waltz was half a mile; of a polka, three-quarters of a mile; of a galop or shotshite, a mile, and of a lancers, a quarter of a mile. A girl usually dances more than a man, and is calculated to cover more than sixteen miles in a single evening.

**A Tragic Finish.**  
A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped to be a tragedy break, devastating an entire province of Holland. In the name of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, permitted a little child to go unattended until a tragedy was only by accident. Dr. King's New Discovery. He writes: "These shoes gave me up to do of lung inflammation caused by a neglected cold, but Dr. King's New Discovery cured my life." Guaranteed best on hand and sold everywhere, at any drug store. 50c and \$1. Trial bot. free.

**IN HOT JULY.**

Oh, the ripening of the summer, when the cricket bring to pass A recollection of the years of which the dotards gape;  
When the watermelon opens with more interest than the rose, And scents from field and woodland regale the loiterer's nose;  
When the cider press is going, and the picnic on the bill,  
Oh, life is worth the living, say otherwise who will.  
What a pity, what a pity that the flies are on the swarm,  
And a pity the thermometer, insists that it is warm!  
What a pity that the Haman of a household, soon and late, Must feel the Jew of vermin forever at his gate!  
A pity for the jobless man to wear his last year's clothes—  
Oh, the pity, pity of it—there's a thorn beneath the rose!

**Only 82 Years Old.**  
I am only 82 years old and don't expect even when I get to be real old to feel that way as long as I can get Electric Bitters, says Mrs. E. H. Bennett, of Dublin, Ga. Surely there's nothing else keep. "I was as young and makes the weak as strong as this grand tonic medicine. Dyspepsia, torpid liver, indigestion or chronic constipation are unknown after taking Electric Bitters a reasonable time. Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 25c."

There are still a few old-fashioned married people in the world who really do not want a divorce.  
**Modest Claims Often Carry the Most Conviction.**  
When Maxim, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be much below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise, instead of disappointment. It is the same with the manufacturer of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It does not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the user make the statements. What they claim, is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail.

For sale by W. M. Cohen, Weldon; W. E. Beavans, Edfield; J. A. Hawks, Garysburg.

## A PLEA FOR THE "OLD MAN."

A Pat on the Back for the Fellow Who Pays the Freight.

Why doesn't somebody start a magazine devoted to "articles of interest to men"? Why don't the newspapers devote a few columns of their space to the newest wrinkles in men's trousers, airy bits of flossam and pepsam, giving the best recipes for making things in which men's hearts take delight? The book stands groan beneath the weight of pages devoted to Milady, bless her heart. I have read women's pages by the peck, says a writer in the New York Press, but it was all about boas and boleros and coral pink Henrietas and ribbon appliques and things of that sort. Nothing about the old man. Nobody cares what sort of glad rags he wears or whether he has any to wear. Nobody gives him a tip as to the latest fashion he happens to get a one-cent advertising circular from a tailor who got his name out of the directory.

I have a warm spot in my heart for the old man, and I think he ought to be given a little attention, just a paragraph or two once in a while down at the bottom of the column next to pure reading matter. In the old wilderness of fashion notes and recipes and hints to housewives and other things of that sort I have read between the lines just one tip for the old man. That is that his coats are worn longer than usual. They have to be. He has troubles enough paying drapers' and milliners' bills. He has to wear them longer, and the trousers and waistcoats, too.

You know the fellow I mean, the old man; the ostensible boss of the ranch; the gent whose bearded brow drips the dollar that make Milady and her daughters so dainty and cool. Henry or John, who lies awake nights figuring how to make both ends meet and who is gently bunched to the second parlor when there's any big doings going on at the house; "the governor," who digs up, or digs down, for the corn to send the boys to college and whose reward is the enthusiastic declaration made by the boys in private that the governor is a brick; "papa," who likes to see the girls pretty and luffy and dressed as well as the other fellow's girl, because he likes to see their mother look that way back there in the long ago.

That's the chap I mean, the Lord bless Milady. We couldn't live without her and lots of times we can't live with her. But the Lord bless her. Increase her pulchritude with every blooming little furblew and folderol, every dinky little frill and flounce, every puffy little fluff and every luffy little puff that makes her sweet and dainty and delightful. That's all right. But here's a pat on the back and a good word for the old man, all the same.

**GEN. LEACH WAS A CORKER IN HIS TIME.**

Amid the discussion in, and editorial of the Georgia gubernatorial campaign, and the violence of the speeches between Hoke Smith and Clark Howell, and Smith's share in a hotel bar, the Charlotte Observer brings up this reminiscence:  
The older public will remember the Congressional "back salary grab" of the late 60's or early 70's—the members of one Congress reaching back and voting themselves additional salaries which they convinced themselves was due them from the preceding session. Among those voting for this measure was the late General James Madison Leach, of North Carolina, then a Representative in Congress. The next year he was a candidate for re-election and when he was thundering away on the stump one day a man in the audience interrupted him: "But what did you do with your part of the back salary grab?" "I used it to pay a debt for your daddy, damn you—that's what I did with it!"

He who thinks no evil can do no wrong.  
It sometimes happens that a shady character basks in the sunshine of popularity.  
When a man gets a chance to dispose of his troubles he always heaps up the measure.

**NEWS TO HER.**  
"Madam," began the beggar, "won't you help me? I haven't a cent to buy a loaf of bread for my—" "What?" exclaimed the economical housekeeper. "Where can you buy a loaf of bread for a cent? Tell me and I'll give you a dime."—Detroit Free Press.  
A business man should neither nose nor bulldozer.

## WHY HE DIDN'T PROSPER.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in an address on the subject of success, said:

"I will illustrate my meaning with an incident that happened in a western mill.  
"A huge, brawny chap applied to the foreman of the mill for work. Though there were no vacancies, the foreman took him on—he told so piteous a tale of woe—and set him to shovelling coal in the mill yard.

"In the afternoon the foreman went to see how the new hand was doing. He found him in company with an old hand—a lean veteran of 60—shovelling coal into a cart. But the old hand worked faster than the new one, shovelling in two shovelfuls of coal to the new hand's one.

"'Look here,' said the foreman to the brawny stranger, 'this is hardly fair. Pete is throwing two shovelfuls into the cart to your one.'  
"'Yes, boss,' replied the new hand, 'and I told the fool about it, too.'"

## REPORTER'S SWEETHEART.

Her beau had called. Her heart beat warm,  
She chose her prettiest dress;  
And then with care made up her form  
Before she went to press.  
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