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Springtimes of the Poets.

The year's at the spring,
And day's at the morn;
Morning's at seven;
The hill-side's dew-pearled;
The lark's on the wing;
The snail's on the thorn;
God's in His heaven—
All's right with the world!
—BROWNING.

The cataracts blow their trumpet's from the steep;
No more shall grief of mine the season wrong;
I hear the echoes through the mountain throng,
The winds come to me from the fields of sleep,
And all the earth is gay;
Land and sea
Give themselves up to jollity,
And with the heart of May
Doth every beast keep holiday.
—WORDSWORTH.

The groundflame of the crocus breaks the mould,
Fair Spring slides hither o'er the Southern sea,
Wavers on her thin stem the snow-drop cold
That trembles not to kisses of the bee;
Come Spring, for now from all the dripping eaves
The spear of ice has wept itself away;
And hour by hour unfolding woodbine leaves
O'er his uncertain shadow droops the day.
—TENNYSON.

See Nature gay as when she first began,
With smiles alluring her admirer, Man.
She spreads the morning over eastern hills,
Earth glitters with the drops the night distills,
The sun obedient at her call appears,
To fling its glories o'er the robe she wears;
—COWPER.

After dark vapours have oppressed our plains
For a long dreary season, comes a day
Born of the gentle south, and clears away
From the sick heavens all unseemly stains.
—KEATS.

The sun is bright, the air is clear,
The darting swallows soaf and sing,
And from the stately elms I hear
The blue-bird prophesying Spring.
So blue your winding river flows,
It seems an outlook from the sky,
Where, waiting till the west wind blows,
The freighted clouds at anchor lie.
—LONGFELLOW.

The air and woods are still,
The faintest rustle in the trees below,
The lowest tremor from the mountain rill,
Come to the ear as but the trailing flow
Of spirit robes that walk unseen the hill;
—BRET HARTE.

Light, warmth, and sprouting greenness, and o'er
all
Blue, stainless, steel-bright ether, raining down
Tranquillity upon the deep-hushed town,
The freshening meadows and the hillsides brown.
—WHITTIER.

Shocking Disregard For Human Life.

There seems to be more than an indirect connection between the development of the spirit of militarism and foreign conquest and the appalling disregard for human life shown at home. The story of the disaster to the steamer General Slocum, when some thousand lives were lost, is still fresh in the public mind. The investigation following that disaster showed that, although the steamer had passed inspection, her life preservers were rotten and her fire fighting appliances shamefully defective. Public opinion at once demanded a fresh inspection of all steamers in New York harbor, and this was ordered. The owners of a sister ship to the Slocum refused to comply with the order, declaring they had passed one inspection, and that was all the law called for. They at last yielded under threat of legal proceedings, and then it was found, says the New York Outlook, that of 2,500 life-preservers on board, 1,000 were unfit. Yet it is said that this vessel has during this season carried on one trip six thousand passengers. It is this brutal disregard of life by great corporations, rather than the financial side of the trust evil, that is swelling the ranks of Socialism in the United States.

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It is of course true that a jury, theoretically, is composed of a set of unprejudiced men, with open minds; still there may be occasions when a slight personal feeling invades their ranks.

Such was evidently the thought borne in upon the tailor who, rising to state his case, and having declined the services of a lawyer for reasons best known to himself, looked over the jurymen and then turned to the judge.

"It's no use for me to tell you about this case, your honor," he said, dejectedly, "not unless you dismiss that jury and get in a new lot. There isn't a man amongst 'em but owes me something for clothes."

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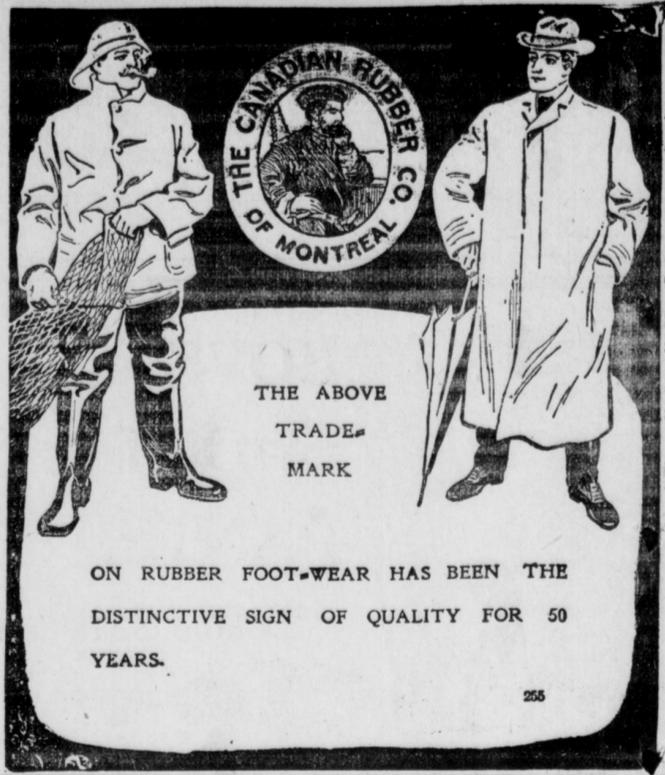
Aged And Infirm.

As long as the grass in Central Park is healthy and green the citizens of Manhattan are said to look upon it as some sort of a garden and to keep off from it, and the signs command them to do. When it begins to die out, however, their respect for it instantly vanishes.

One of them being in a hurry, started to cut across a yellowing patch in the upper park, says the New York Times, but was stopped by a policeman.

"What difference does it make?" demanded the citizen. "The grass is half dead already."

"Sure," replied the indignant officer, "if ye had a sick friend wou'd ye be walkin' on his stomach?"



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Divorce in Burmah.

There is something to be said for Burmah. If the Burmese husband and the Burmese wife come to the conclusion that they have injudiciously increased the marriage rate their procedure is simple and direct. The wife does not go to her solicitor, but to the tailor chandler. From him she obtains two little candles. These she brings home, and she and her husband sit down on the floor, placing the candles between them. One candle represents the husband, one the wife. They are lighted at the same moment, and the owner of the one which goes out first leaves the house, taking only his or her clothes, while the owner of the more enduring candle remains also the owner of the house and all that therein is. Thus divorce becomes simple and charming. It will be observed that the wife always selects the candles.

For apricot omelet soak one half of a cupful of evaporated apricots overnight in cold water; cook in the same water until tender, and drain. Save four tablespoonfuls of the juice. Press the pulp through a fine sieve and add to it four tablespoonfuls of granulated sugar and the four tablespoonfuls of reserved juice; stir over the fire until the sugar is discolored, then let it cool. Make the omelet by beating four eggs [yolk and separately until thick, adding two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar (granulated) to the yolks and 1½ teaspoonfuls of lemon juice; add the stiffly beaten whites and fold them in carefully. Put one tablespoonful of olive oil in an omelet pan over a moderate fire, and when slightly heated turn in the omelet cook slowly without stirring until well puffed up which will take from eight to ten minutes then place it on the upper rack in the oven a moment to dry the top. Take from the oven. Lightly spread two tablespoonfuls of the apricot juice over it, and fold; turn out on a heated platter, sprinkle the top with powdered sugar, and pour the remaining juice around. Serve at once. This is very nice for breakfast or luncheon.

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