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Original Poems

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8/27

RIDEAU CLUB

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X
The Valley of the Styrmers

The men that tilled these fields lie dead,
And earth is cold on hand & head
That worked & sown
And furrowed prodigal gain
Where still you river winds across the plain
To well in the blue sea.

They had no voice — with simple toil
They broke & turned that heavy soil
That blooms today
As prodigal again
As when the sun & drifting summer rain
Passed in that time before it knew the plough
Of its own harvest were the armed men
That lit the beacon-fires to further Lind —
Of Greece, that rose, & passed

In scattered leafage, dropping on the wind
That Alexander might prevail & last
One marble shaft above the sea of time.



THE GREAT NORTH WESTERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY OF CANADA.

FORM 2.

Cable Service
to
all the World.

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No employee of the Company shall vary the foregoing.

Correctness in the transmission of messages can be insured by contract and the Company will repeat back any telegram for an extra payment of one-half the regular rate and in that case, it shall not be liable for damages beyond five times the amount received for sending and repeating payment of premium thereon at the following rates, in addition to the regular rate:—

For messages of 1000 miles and two per cent. for any greater distance.

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H. P. DWIGHT, President and General Manager.

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Life - a high potency
of force

Disipated ^{changed} - not
lost.

'On some long way to
Journey back!'

Buddant-parallel of
transmigration - an
approach to a material
Explanation.

L.R. Wright
S.B. Kent. Fishing Society.

**THE RIDEAU CLUB,
OTTAWA.**

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~~copy~~
New C.S.
Law
Copy for
Treasurer

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Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Telegraph

All Messages taken by this Company are subject to the following terms:

If it is agreed between the sender of the following message and this Company that the said Company shall not be liable for damages arising from failure to transmit or delivery or from any error in the transmission or delivery of an unregistered telegram, whether happening from negligence of its agents or otherwise or from delay in the working of its lines, for errors in cipher or for errors in the amount received for sending or for errors from illegible writing beyond the amount received for an extra payment or for any other error, the Company will return back any telegram for an extra payment of one-half the regular rate, and in that case it will not be liable for damages beyond fifty times the amount received for sending and repeating the telegram.



One day ^{his} absent ^{with} ~~his~~ absent ^{with} ~~his~~ absent head
led him so high
~~He stayed~~ ~~aboard~~ ~~as~~ ~~far~~ as far.

He ~~could~~ slid within the folds of heaven

That chanced to stand ajar,

& there an angel
~~an~~ angel caught him too soon

In walk a little star,

But ~~it~~ ^{with this} refused to shine or burn,

He ~~it~~ spluttered, winked ^{& died} ~~lay dead~~

Before it ~~was~~ ^{was} made a ^{word} ~~word~~ ^{burn} ~~burn~~ —

Oh serves him right, St Peter ^{cried} ~~said~~

That boy would never learn!

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SIR WILLIAM C. VAN HORNE, President.
CHAS. R. HOSMER, Manager Telegraphs.

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of forces upon which this flame feeds
spreads, interminably & other, No beginning nor
ending of these forces or of this eternity is ^{it} possible
~~to see~~ to see from where I stand. But I do
not ~~question~~ impatiently question — The
Summation of all things — God & I am & serve
pleas of ~~the~~ all in ~~all~~ God, being, in
so far as it is just that I should rule, submitting
in so far as it is ^{just} that I should submit.
Justice which is ~~quantitative~~ effect rules — I am

Jan 15. 98. content with this role, & happy ~~to~~ in being able to
^{realize}
~~appreciate~~ its quantitative effect.

To

It is agreed between the sender of the following message and this Company that the Company shall not be liable for damages arising from the transmission or delivery of a telegram, or from any error in the transmission or delivery of an unreplicated telegram, whether happening from negligence or for delays from irregularities in the working of its servants or otherwise. In sending telegrams, the Company will repeat back any telegram for an extra payment of one-half the regular rate, and in that case it shall be liable for damages beyond the amount received guard against errors, the Company will repeat back any telegram for an extra payment of one-half the regular rate, and in that case it shall be liable for damages beyond fifty times the amount repaying.

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W. G. VAN HORN
CHAS. R. HOSMER

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JAMES KENT, Supt., Montreal.

Canadian Pacific Railway Co's Telegraph.
All Messages taken by this Company are subject to the following Terms:

Credo

part, & there is a future
There was a ~~beginning~~ ^{beginning} ~~which has no end~~
of all things, & ^{we} ~~we~~ ^{we} were ^{in the beginning} part in both. In the
beginning was God, & ~~we were in the beginning~~ ^{we were in the beginning}. Today we
~~connect~~ ^{are a link in eternity}
~~form a link between the past & the future~~ ^{inherent}
in the nature of ~~eternity~~ ^{eternity} & in a ~~man~~ ^{man} ~~part~~ ^{part}
determined by the all in all of which we are part.
our lot is ~~right~~ ^{just} & by measure every way,
& there is ~~no~~ ^{no} ~~power~~ ^{power} of ~~evil~~ ^{evil} to prevail against

this necessity of law. We speak of good & evil, but
both are just & true, & the ^{integration} ~~separation~~ of all is
righteousness. I rejoice in the unknown part,
I rejoice ^{to} ~~to~~ live, & will rejoice to die & ~~continue~~ ^{take my part} in the

inevitable further tide of things, whether knowing
or without individual knowledge ~~returning into~~
~~God as part of God~~ continuing as a part of
the all in all which is God.

To ~~me~~ ^{me} in life, the ^{known} ~~beginning~~ ^{beginning} is the beginning of ^{my} life &
the ^{known} ~~end~~ ^{end} of life, ~~not~~ but from this point of vision
I can see life ^{interminably} ~~interminably~~ behind & beyond, of which
I am only ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{shining} ~~shining~~ flame, ^{and} ~~and~~ ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{interaction} ~~interaction~~
a ^{shining} ~~shining~~.

the interaction
of opposites is life

To

Credo

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Rideau Club,
Ottawa.

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+ Back to the ocean,
Back from hills as plains
By each long way to join the deep again.
Loud in the torrent - silent, dropping slow,
The tides of life - up down from high to low.
Eternity receives them Calm & vast
But still there is no end, no part



CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S TELE

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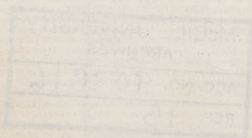
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Capt. Wilson & party leaving Forto Camp
Daily Graphic. Feb 12. 94

There are the men who were to die,
Who, riding out ~~at~~ ^{at} close of day
Rode out forever, ~~on the~~ ^{to the} ~~reductions~~
~~that followed~~ ~~fall~~ for the night fell,
& ~~the~~ ^{as} ~~the~~ ~~dent~~ that followed fell & lay
away the scrub
~~So~~ ~~when~~ the dawn rose they lay dead,
~~away~~ ~~the~~ ~~scrub~~
They were ^{no} not saints, that little band
of laughing men who left us yesterday,
But rough bush riders, hard of
reckless boys
All turned & ~~scattered~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~sun~~
~~as~~ ~~we~~ ~~are~~
Cheeks tanned by sun & coats
bedaubed with clay



Scattered fragments in?
the deep. In winter & in summer,
Sun & storm. In fury of the
tempest - or in truce of sleep
where only the slow pulse of nature
Ever beats. & how we laboured
with fierce breath of fire steam
up that vast gorge in the lone
depth of night - resounding with
our clamour, while the snow swam
down in silence, passed athwart
the blaze of ~~night~~ light - & sank
into some depth below unseen.

Oh the long years that this great
valley, graven in the hills, hath
held its peace, or spoken only
in the roaring of the torrent on
the fall of some great rock
from cliff to cliff

X
Up out of the Sea, my maid so fair
X over the ships black side came she
I call her mine, though the tiding life
Has carried her far, & away from me

For the world grows old & my
youth is dead

But her gracious presence is with
us still

For her memory stays, & is mine alone

With the touch of her hand & the breath of a sigh
Had I known her better these night hours flown

But now they are mine if I live or die

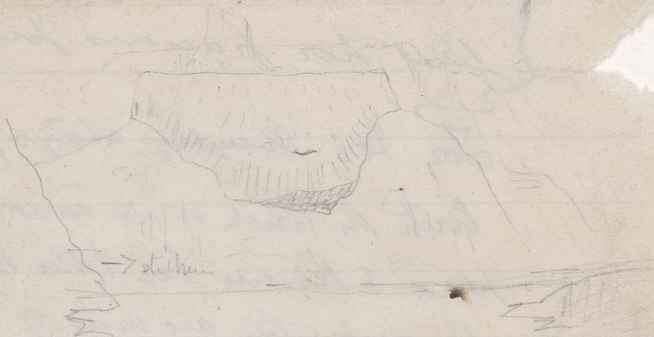
Yet I sometimes feel if it might have been,
Had her lips been mine, & her life & mine

Been ^{one} ~~blissful~~ prayer, for good or ill
Would I not surrender my voice for mine

~~of joy~~ my every dream
Would I not give up ~~this dream of mine~~

For the fruit of knowledge of good & evil

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Victoria, B. C.

The Herald,

Redon & Hartnagle,
PROPRIETORS.

X

Roets

The times are out of joint, the Gods retire
The Sistrum's jangles ~~to their ears~~ ^{drawn the sparkling lyre}
our Todd is gone, our Kingford had to go,
we lost our Wiggins, ^{wind &} our windy Bonnet.
Parkman is dead & Sampson ^{swaps} ~~weathers~~ to noise
But Fraser's Moore-calf takes the vacant floor
While for the zone, the only food we get
Are water ices frozen by Freebelle?

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TELEGRAPH COMPANY



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to be of any value -

Refer to several of those
marked in red, & see if
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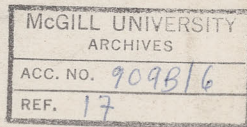
This is your birthday Annie dear
You told me once, & I remember
& note this day in every year

It is a memory all my own -
This is your birthday Annie dear

My little sweetheart, long ago -
^{How} long I scarcely dare to reckon

This is your birthday, that I know,
You told me once & I remember

The time has passed & times have changed
The fire burnt high ^{has slipped away} & then fell low
Gay June ^{as I find} December
The fire burnt high & then fell low



~~Will it~~ at least, a
~~at least~~ is but a fading ember.
Yet still I think of that dear time
When you & I were happy lovers,
When lips ^{met} ~~reunited~~ lips & eye met eye
With blushing, speechless, but —
I know not where you are, or how
Time deals with you, or ^{even} whether
You ever think of me today —
The long bye part, that is forever.
I think of you, & here tonight, alone

to? / & lonely still I give you offer
My first first love to you, my sweet!
The only first love gift I don't prefer

a long time ago, near about the
beginning of time ^{it seems} ~~I think~~, there was
built a great snow ^{temple} pyramid
by the children. They worked hard
rolling up ^{great} balls of snow, putting
them in place & quarrying them in the
centre of a great field. But after some
days, having raised a broad base, they
despaired of rivaling the pyramids of
Chops & decided, under the advice of
the chief architect, to omit the culminating
point & so finished & well laid a
truncated ^{cone} pyramid only with means, by
ascending steps to reach the broad
summit. It became in effect & by
force of circumstances an ^{temple} ~~altar~~ platform
of the Sun instead of such a
mass aspiring & completed structure
as ~~that~~ which rise along the borders
of the Nile. But the Sun destroyed its
own, ~~monument~~, & although for many

many weeks standing strong
 amid drifting snow & frost the
 soft new ~~surround~~ ^{flakes} gathering ^{around}
 the icy walls & slopes like the sands
 of the desert about the rocks, there
 came a time when the decayed &
 slanting remnants of the edifice
 stood alone upon the bare surface
 of the ground, wild & deceiving to the soil
 which drank in its substance. Then
 a night of rain & southerly wind
 of damp & heat & the morning showed
 nothing of the monument, merely the
 grey drops falling ceaselessly upon
 the yellow sod while the red buds
 were swelling to spring upon the
~~shining~~ ^{shining} branches of the maple, ~~tree~~.
 But the children did not regret
 their work or its downfall, for the
 brook was running bank high, with

yellow water, & new prospects
 were opened by the change. Now
 had they seen the black boulder
 beneath the low bank so
 deeply covered & the channels for
 the navigation of this boat were
 wide & swift. From the ^{glittering} Sandy
 deltas of the little branch, the
 vessels sped swiftly by the green &
 rushes of the lower stream & in
 good luck creeping the overhanging
 ledges of ice which still here &
 there bordered the water, they safely
 discharged their rich cargoes of
 pebbles & other precious things
 far down the great main artery
 of Commerce. The days were long,
 even between school time & dark,
 & many a year of history passed
 in that week, before the brook cleared
 & ^{fill} full & the minnows reappeared

curling behind the stones & tufts,
 earnest in their ^{lives} work, for not only
 had they a living to make from what
 might pass ^{that} & without benefit of
 the Clergy or Law, but next were to build
 & eggs I care for, tough for the
 children it was all ^{but} only play.
 Then came the leaves & the new
 blossoms, the hepaticas in the
 wood, the catkins on the willows &
 poplars, the green shoots of grass & the
 damp meadows where violets ^{night} were
 to be found. The brook was faint
 sedate & small, flowing away
 without noise in the grass, — still
 yellow about its borders. In the
 garden the ^{brown} fall must be turned
 & the ^{gardener} ~~workman~~ filled the grade,
 a new ~~to~~ walk was laid out where

had been a border of flowers,
 - great changes occurred in the
 realm of the children.

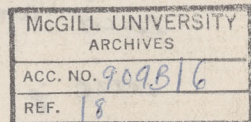
There was a world of grown
 up people, as we knew, ~~known~~
 buried with great things as we heard,
~~known~~ but which concerned us
 not at all or the great world
 beyond, as we came to know
 later, was full of work & of
 war. It seems that many
 thousands were killed in battle
 but that did not affect our ^{Kingdom} ~~realm~~
 which was covered & at peace.
 Long afterwards there came a day
 when some of us (others were dead,
 as they said untimely) realized
 that we had become of the grown people
 or of the great world, that what was
 said was of weight & should be
 wise; that the day & soon the year

was short & that Castles of
 Snow, however well builded
 were - but Snow. This knowledge
 was not wisdom but unwilling
 progress along the path & when
 we looked around for comrades
 of early times they were not with us.

Some, as I have said were dead
 untimely, others lost, forgotten,
 strayed to the remote parts of this
 world, striving each alone to
 fulfil some purpose. But the
 Summer comes & the winters of old
 & there are yet the children &
 sometime again there may come the
 idea & the effort of some snow
 temple - may it be a lasting pyramid
 fitly completed & no more truncated
 temple.

The Sun
 of the
 Winter

Snow platform of the Sun.



Dead! no longer in ^{want} need,
hour by hour
of medicine food & care
Quiet & still in the night, so
cold;

Silent & lying there

God! is it true that all love

must fail ^{at the} ^{edge of} the ^{darkness of}
& hope, on the verge of Eternal night

That friendships & ~~love~~ ^{care} are all so

our ^{fragile}
so ^{the} hold ~~on~~ upon life is so ^{weak} slight?

Yesterday morning awake in the
East

as before, as of Custom ^{& Habit} ^{used}

Shall the Sun ^{now arise} ^{no more} ~~never rise any more~~

shall ^{or} the plant not grow up from the seed?

Oh Father in heaven I hear w^h they

long

run thy course through the deeps on
thy currents or laws.

But here on the dust ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~corn~~
but kneel a kneel alone. M
can ^{but} pray cry
or may ^{pray} cry to the silent ~~face~~
to the feet to the silent joint Cause.

If the reaper had reaped in the
corn which was ripe
& yellow to harvest my soul would
have bowed
to thy law which is written known
& writ large.

Had the reaper but reaped
where the corn stood well ripe
& yellow to harvest my soul might
have bowed

To thy law, to the fate which
the ages here made thy plain law

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In top drawer
of desk
together in this
envelope

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With his gold pan & his
shovel
* Little else beside
He lit his pipe & started ^{left the camp}
To cross the high divide

~~He shouldered picks & scrambled down~~

~~But he revisited~~

(We wished him every kind of luck
& chipped him on his chape

Then shouldered picks & scrambled down

For where we'd made a raise

* The last we saw of Roddie

He was near Long Tom's old mine -

Looked like a fly upon the snow

Above the timber line

Well, all that summer ^{month the} luck was ^{bad,} crossed

The creek was high, the wing-dam broken

& half our pile was whuffed away

For picks & tools & such, like smokes

We often said Roddie struck it rich,

He'd never stay so long unless

We often spoke of Rodolphe
we said he's struck it rich
or he'd be back to do his ^{work} turn
upon ^{the} ^{water} the pleasure ditch
But damn that pleasure ditch
They bought him in the spring
That made him so uncommon glum
& cross with ^{very} everything.
Well let them come a roaring flood

Prinean Dhul,
Dhama.

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part
She is but the animal side
of a woman true
For her soul is the soul of a
Charles,
a few kisses or caresses is a sex
made to sex
and is old as the hours of time
before spirit or light.

They are
conceiv'd in the darkness of old
But true in so far a direct

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I am engaged in mind
with all that might have been
The beautiful illusions of the
Past

The dreams of youth, the thoughts
lapsed, the chances missed.
The present is a wilderness &
only vast.

all these are mine, but nothing
more

The active pushing hand of the
day, is but momentary

& who shall say that I, with
my long dreams am
all unlost,

That which is lost ^{accrued} ^{not}
finds no place in all
the dusty highways of the
time.

Give me my dreams, which
lead through sylvan shades
That soar & vault to starry peaks
All else is vanity, the course
fruition of the time.

But eyes & wheels that walk below
with the vast sublime.

Great God, I ask ^{not} ~~not~~ know or
Renown

But inasmuch as I have to add
for

Beneath the sun, & studied long
& looked toward thy star

By night & day, I own that every
hour

Some message to the labouring world

To walk more by the tool of life

To give some reason for all seeming
wrong

& left the sigh of labour in song.

Night follows day & day succeeds to

night

But all the stonied pages of the
past

Still give no cheer. The fruit is
as the last

But dawn & twilight, but dark
& day ^{of} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~of~~

& man divine in aspiration,

Made in clay

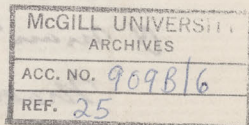
Seeking & finding not
Then dull & cold subsiding
slowly to the parent world.
Oh head of all created things
Give ear & speak
Thy wisdom to uphold the weak.
We live but in half knowledge, on
the rim
& edge of things that pass
from deep to deep

(Dull) uneasy dreams that fall in
(troubled) sleep.

Grant that we walk to day full
orb'd day
What time the clouds of life

Still pass away
We follow knowledges doors
from gain to gain
But never touch the dew & —
of all.

British Museum
Library



The threads of life - a tangled skein

My line is short - The threads of life,
A tangled skein, I cannot sort,
But cannot fail to live -

To live & die. For see & know
A part of the unknown.

If I might live ^{again} ~~again~~, a plan
Throughout a shape again

So far as man may do

The web of life - would I

Or would I not pursue

The self-saver scheme?

would I be let away as heretofore

Or will my life anew

& wear new dreams?

I know not, for it has seemed to me

That I chose well & truly,

~~the~~ default was made, not so much

Or still by men, as by the an

overruling fate.

One want to find life, or a good

In ~~the~~ ^{rule} ~~the~~

with knowledge of the future long act.

But still I cannot think that all

Must end in failure, all must be in vain

Thought is too subtle, love is too transient

To die & live in places

Love is too deep & hope too high to fail

Of ~~some~~ their position somewhere ~~at~~ some time.

Perchance - It is but to render to live again to live.

To pass the clues of love to sleep

Through all the realm of darkness to some life
Which ~~lies~~ beyond, which must needs

When lies fruition, when the word is said,
The days runny, the ~~days~~ immaterial
Account-dreams of that flower like sunset
On the world, take form to my dear
Eyes, like sunset on the world - Take form,
When all that has been wrong, ^{or} longly ordered
Will be well.

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Oh God, in the obscurity
Enlighten me
& may I be a voice in this
great mystery

To speak thy word away
to sons of men

To trace the purpose of the
history

of day & night, of life & death

of love & loss & all the
long account

That out of darkness flows
to darkness once again

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X
You are ~~in~~ ^{that} ~~the~~ ^{from} ~~the~~ ^{Early} dawn
That sounds through life however long
The pristine music of the race.
We can but name the warning sign.

The world is old & I am old
Grey hairs grow thick, some honours fall
But that one day, when you & I
Were one, is still the best of all.

So now come death, or chance what way
In downward slope of passing years
I hold the memory of a day

Rideau Club,
Ottawa.

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Through all the dust &
Swollen of life

The noise & incidence of
strife

This much is sure & clear

Thus ~~is~~ is, there must be
far or near

Another side & this grain should

A further, better, truer state

A means to ~~pass~~ satisfy the

Some souls

A counterpoint to walk the
whole.

We know here but the edge of

things
as deep as space as long as time

We see but steps before us said

That's good call for strength to
climb

The summit reached, & this
 matter,
 Some easy slopes will lead us
 down

In flowery valleys state leaders
 When rest & peace alone are
 known.

So may we hope that just & true
 The good will

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on this dead Crater's broken rim

The cold mists of the upper
air ~~display~~

Fold & unfold their silent wings
Drift & deploy

Awhile shut in, with crumbling rocks
& alpine blossoms set between
a floating cable of the void.

Then far below the forests green
The tinkling lakes & on all
The ^{steepest} steady sun.

Nature has rest & in this want
Stays her fires

on the shore of the bay
The water is very shallow
and is covered
with a carpet of sea
weeds & shells.

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Thought the land the maples flame
The time has come, the leaf must fall
Though still the sky is blue, serene,
No storm nor winter blast at all
The time is ripe, & leaf by leaf
The fork of life is shed away
Not by the tempest's shers, but in
The dreaming azure haze of day.
So, ripe in knowledge, ripe in years
The pulse beats low, the eye grows dim
& we, though blinded still with tears
We know the time has come for mine.

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W. C. VAN HORNE, President. B. S. JENKINS, Supr., Winnipeg. J. WILSON, Supr., Vancouver. B. C. CHAS. K. HOSMER, Manager Telegraphs. HOMER PINGLE, Supr., Toronto. JAMES KENT, Supr., Montreal.

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I tell you now the story of the said hills
as it was known in sleep to - - -

When - - - made the world of plain men

the country of the Blackfeet & Dakota

He built the mountains strong to the westward

& drew the first round to the north & eastward

But left the country boundless to the southward

For that way lay the pathway of the Sages

& the winds that eat the snow away in winter

of the buffalo & antelope & wildfowl.

There were other people, other plain men

Ye shall war with them, but they shall not destroy you

& in warning ye are brave & shall be mighty.

Then he drew led the rivers through the plains & filled them

with ~~water~~
filled

Saying now ye were through the land a fair world

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The Lost Cause.

I sing the cause that lost,
For which men died, & women wept
& died of grief for sons & ~~husbands~~ ^{lovers} dead;
For victory ~~songs~~ ^{shouts abroad} & ~~songs~~,
Our Courts the cost
The battle stones bare & swept
The road that gulfs the day, descending red.
True rights not wrong like this,
The tale is made to suit the ages,
~~and~~ ^{on} afterward, of truth perished,
The years have left it, page by page
Till life & love & knowledge fail.
There is no angel faint to kiss
The feet of those who ~~perish~~ ^{perish} & fall

No god-like ^{one} ~~thing~~ to speak or say
You faint a bit, but all is well.

I raise alone a feeble voice
Against the dominant & strong
Against the serious reapers of Hell
And ~~we~~ ask, how long, Oh God how long!

Richard Clark,
① Hibernia.

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X

Through this dim portal
Cold, in stone
So I turn me & must walk
alone

My choice was made —
^{are there}
There are two ways to worship God

I chose ~~my~~ ^{my} this high creature
retreat

& left the path where busy feet
glean a woman's care & so
obscured the warm full day life

But I must also feel as doth a man
I cannot but remember such things were.
That were not precious to me
Shakespeare.

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Monday April 1st. Was out
a long time. In the
morning I was in a boat in which
there was an anchor and the
boat was full of people.

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(Inscription from a Roman tomb)

I Procope, lift up my
hands against God, who
took me twice, though I was
innocent. She lived 20 years.

*Ms. Add. 10
B. 4. 11*

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has

She hath no soul nor knoweth grief,
 But like a thistle-down she flies,
 When ripples flow upon the lake,
 In soft warm wind & sunny skies.
 When bough joins bough with gossamer
 Beneath the sun or summer moon

illusion

She is a fay, a fond apparance,
 The lovely phantom you know
 By sunbeams painted on the sea, ocean
 The face, the colour of a flower,
 A woodland dream with out fruition -
 I know not what - a witching form
 To body known or perdition
 She ^{without a part} has no lot in life's ~~bound~~ ^{stray} flood
 That turns a thousand Mills of Care;
 She has no part in tears & blood.
 A light-felt phantasm of the air.
 The humblest worker in the furrow
 Or fisher lad upon the sea
 All sun embrowned & harvey handed
 Is truer, holier than she.

May 89.

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Oh lovers drink each others breath
or Kiss + Clasp + laugh at death
For thus is linked lifes golden chain
& you shall live + love again
In unborn time.

Cling closer, My dear; let me feel
Your kisses, warm, respond to mine
I know that in the after time, the wide full day which is to be
all that is best of three + one
will stand exultant in the dawn, holy dawn
of night's truth. The long night gone
with a pang but a dim inherited regret
Says pit for the sorrows long ago
But we, we love, + touch the foretaste of it all
& each in other know the promise
of the day

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One kiss from son would be to me
The price of Empire — I could die
For but a ribbon from son's hair —
A ribbon or a flower to wear

One has from the world to see
the power of capital - I don't see
to have better from the world
to have or a plan to work

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X

Gods Peace upon the Mountain Land,

Gods Peace a rest.

The clouds brood low, among the sheltered peaks
Each ragged crest, parts its white banner to the sky

The hills are scummed & old, & grey

Not sheltered on their sides, a thousand frowning things

Running south

but with ^{strange} deep rough mannered lines

& fringed with lines from their fathers art,

in which whoso desires may read.

read change in all rivers.

R.P. Cook

Forwardy etc

G.D. Sugall,

Vancouver.

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X

How thro' we love we pity most
We see in fairs of every day
The surging upward of the soul
Within its envelope of clay
We note the path of rapid years
In growing furrows whitening hair
But find no word of full reply
To love the gird of petty care.
There still is longing unexpressed
Some latent wealth divine of love,
Some dream of an idyllic rest
Or underrigh for things above
Which finds no voice or answer here
No image in the changing year
No concord in our little day

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To sit in the wood, with the sound
of the brook at my feet
& let my thoughts wander & wander
whenever they may
Like to bees in a garden, or light
Summer butterflies play
Now to linger a moment on this or on
that, float away with the stream
Cognate with a Sunbeam or bear the
leaves ^{share in a} say of some syllabic ^{dream} thing
To live & to know that I live as a
part of a whole.

Interwoven, apparent, in carnate the form
of the soul

To grasp the light clues of the day & to
follow them on
or back into darkness of night &
days ^{that} are gone.

Routledge, June 89.

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May we not, Linking hand in hand
Together tread the Vale of years

Hand in hand in the
camp at 2000 ft. in the
mountains of the
Sierra Nevada

Together in this
bundle -
of books

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X

From field a mart, from mine a war
From our broad land from shore to shore

{ stand foot to foot a hand I heard a ruck on ruck for fatherland.

our fathers made the land we live
our Series have marched before

To beat the proud invaders back & drive him from our shore

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X

I would lustre a thought
That it may ^{in verse} live though I shall
die

To speak down all the after years
To ~~stand~~ ^{stand} ~~above~~ ^{above} the mist of years

Like some white mountain, seen far

Beyond a scope of heaving sea

May! like the wreckage on the shore
So that shows this sea was sailed before

By other men in former days.

That ye may pass by light of day

When there's no moon or star
In the night.

Up on the range where the red backed pines

are scattered along the hill

& the yellow grass in billowy lines

is warm in the sun & still

When the mountains afar with grey or grey

show purple & blue on the far sky lines

Through the still hot air comes then & clear

The distant sound of the Cowing Kine

Passing beautiful, free & fair

Hold fast the banner of thy soul

Be true to love of early years

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X He drew the paths for the bison on the prairie
& in the sky he marked the ^{way} ~~paths~~ of birds & winds,
& seasons.

Two ills there are, he said, I cannot hinder —

Harsh food the land is, still my people

Must wear in living, must grow old & feeble

Till summer & till winter, is a burden

Till hunting & till tolling is no pleasure

& in after time will come a stranger people

Whose medicine is stronger than my knowledge

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It was but yesterday, a yet-
mereens, mereens it- night
years ago or aons since I
walked out a living in the Sun

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To raise a glossy head & roar, alone
 In strong blue seas that beat against
 The tide ^{up} ~~was~~ — Strait.

We tread upon the verge of former days
 That shrink & die

The great blind heart of Nature

Moving on, legendary forms that live
 & die, unconscious steps in fate
 as with them. Conscience, startled,

Saying on the day & seeking rest in night

Great ~~Strong~~ ^{Start} & alone, you ~~are~~ swim & roar
 Amid the spume of strong blue seas
 That beat against the tide

across Nawitti bar

^{forgot in time}
 A creature of forgotten time

or still in sunlight seek the shore

In thousands seeking there at ebb

Secure & side by side
 on same low inlet bar



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*In case of loss of a card, please
be sure to see the book of
the office*

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*The first time that a card
is sent to the office
of the Commission of
the Board of
the Board of*

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CHAS. R. BOSMER, Manager Telegraphs.				

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Contorted beds of unknown age
By wear levels shall bear
Perchance ~~in~~ next synclinal fold
A rock-may be my cair.

Depos shall later on unnamed streams
Or where the rocks strata follow
Along the Central mountain ridge
Or anticlinal hollow

→ A fossil with the hammer broke
The slumbering petrification
That for a hundred million years
Has been dormant from action
Can in Celer inaction.

Where long neglected mountains stand
Tert-crumbling in shreds
& Laying bare on ^{every} hand the treasures

The treasures of their beds
A river valley ^{from the public square} to the Sea
By ~~both~~ ^{both} dull attrition spoil

The plunderer relics of the past
Or snatch ^{some} the Crinoid or mollusc

Not clear
25/5/1880

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Memoranda

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And where is Pincher Creek, above where
Lord Roberts says fault will ~~be~~ ^{a deep}
at Ketchikan in the ^{far} dry Transvaal
Upon the ^{stone} rocky slopes' side.

Its waters drain ^{fed} from snowfields high
along the western mountains ^{drain}
Run where the flower-decked foot hills spread
Upon the furthest Krunic's rim,
And cattle, lowing in the dusk,
Come down to seek its cooling flood

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A Man, for whom all maids may pray
in purity of soul,

Young, & a god among the gods, sweet & true
& whole

a type of all that stands for right against
the flood of time

The perfect form in wildness of nature's work
Sublime.

So it doth seem, ~~but~~^{oh} I who write, admire
& give him place.

What is my love to women kind against the
human race,

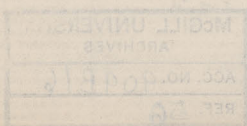
The web of thought, the facile pen, the subtle play
of mind,

There may be more in some estate that
fantasy may find,

if there I rest, with great intent & motives
~~true~~^{true} & vain

But little more than shadowing the
Sambucus & the rain

That beat upon this side of life



+

A person, for whom all business was done
in front of you,
Happ, a fact among the facts, that a line
is drawn
is the only one that stands for right spirit
the first of time
the first from in evidence of a better work
sublime

So it is that time, that I will work, because
a fine line drawn,
that is my goal, to know that spirit the
human race,
the work of thought, the first of time, the subtle way
of knowledge,
There is a way to work, in your hand that
working may find,
A that I seek, with feet without a partner
there is a line
But little more than showing the
Saviour's love
that is the only one of the

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Feb. 25, 1900. Canada at Boerdefburg,

We know today our tale of death,
Spent on the sun-baked windy plain;
Our best, who left us without dread
But may ~~not now~~ ^{not now} return again.
But pride is mingled with our tears,
The seed grows to the stately tree,
We know that in the tide of years
We saw for Empire yet to be.
Our loss, our gain - nor sorrow felt
As rising in the East we see
~~The sun bring daylight to the world~~
The day flood all the waiting held.
But fathers, mothers, sisters, wives -
Your loss ~~seems~~ ^{is} more than you can bear
For you three young excellent lives
Come out, is darkness everywhere.
We grieve with you, we stand to aid

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Yes, it is early morning there,
 At Lassa, somewhere in Tibet,
 We know the dawn is rising grey
 Upon the ^{slopes} hills, & gardens ~~streets~~ ^{wet}
~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~with~~ ~~night~~ ~~dew~~ ~~wet~~
 Summer dew, with poppeys gay.
 The willows hang along the banks
 Of ancient rivers, green & still,
 And bells begin to strike & clang
 In old Cathay from hill to hill.
 And that is all we know ~~of Cathay~~ ~~land~~
 Of Central Asia, ^{alone} ~~remote~~ & far
 More unfamiliar than a distant star.

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Two hundred men that Jordan crossed

In stem the tide of gathering war;

Two hundred men, that might have saved

His life & all he stood there for

So many thousands keen to go

But none to send - or word to say

Advance! with steel & shot & buck

~~to waste the firing beam~~

The bars of conyery away.

Now fourteen years of silence lies

Upon his unrecorded tomb

At last the wanted banquet rise

In gleams to light the modern gloom.

High on the deserts glimmering ~~eye~~ verge

The flag be loved, some men be knew

Home, foot, & gun in one great surge

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She was not a woman just to me
But a youthful goddess
When the world was still to be

Boy & girl, in the youth of the world
I know not if she was a goddess
Or whether the ^{goddess} bride (of what was to be)
That rose in my soul was her glory
~~XXX~~ I know, looking back in the wreckage

The last drift of the sea
That the glory encircles her still. -
There is nothing to be
Even memory slackens its hold (on the part)
But I pray that the light of her love may endure
Still the best.

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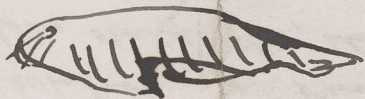
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Give me the 'almighty dollar'
of the Great United States
~~with much to buy a~~
~~at the exhibition sales~~
~~for the States & stamps~~
But wait - I ^{want} two another
An Irish or darky 'Brother'
To work & attend to chores
While I take my toll at the doors,
& supervise the show.
I take in the name of freedom,
What better name can I see?
That part of my 'brothers' earnings
Which rightly belongs to me.

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nothing but an
You are quite a little angel.
But what are we to do
when they take to 'raising' angels
in the town of Kalamazoo
Kalamazoo ^{of} Michigan
(Why the 'Jan', would not
Michi, ~~and~~ Michi only it might
~~do~~ do?)
You're the profile of a goddess
of a hole of the sun

TELEPHONE No. 3070.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"HOSTELRY, LONDON."

Westminster Palace Hotel,
Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

*In top drawer
of desk -
together as here.*

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ACC. NO. 9098/6
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MC GILL UNIVERSITY

TELEPHONE No. 3070.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"HOSTELRY, LONDON."

Westminster Palace Hotel,
Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

What you see when you have not
got your gun - Brother Jonathan
at Cumberland House.

Fig. The d-d old fowler, after
I've been twisting his tail for
the last hundred years he gets up
there & stokes all the knots out
of it.



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We raise the great Silk flag of war;
Our people wore it, thread by thread
Through countless flowing years of peace
When long canals, through gardens led,
Enrich the land.

By paths where million workers tread
The spindle & the loom were piled,
Beside ~~our~~ ^{the} sacred ~~tombs~~ ^{fields} where, dead,
~~our fathers dwell to sacrifice.~~
Our fathers' ~~tombs~~ ^{bones} lie ~~are~~ deified.

That banner flew in times of peace

In seed & harvest drought & rain
Before the strong barbaric west
Came striking all the world with slain,
Came seizing lands & fleecing furs.
Amid our fields, on temple walls,
It is our protest ^{for} & our sons,
We see the Owen of our fall.

But every loom - descended one
Of soft or toiler in the Sun.
For Hwa Hsia can die.

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So, worn by age, he lies there - dead,
And all the weary lines of doubt & stress
That grew upon his face have fled.

Once were, and after life, a self-succors

~~The confidence of youth returns~~
His brow is confident & ^{clear} ~~young~~;

~~and franking fate~~

And ^{young} ~~strong~~, He lies there franking destiny

~~as memory shows him~~
as strong as in some early year

? - I see him leading in the world's array,
Lead his sons.

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The Sea is very near,
That Sea to which all come
^{where}
When the eyes see not

And the voice is dumb.

Where life ebbs a the flux of life is death
To prove that life is life.

The ^{hawk} ~~wind~~ that held a measured
weighs no more, the ~~hawk~~ ^{hawk} ~~mind~~,
That played about the secret soul of things,
Has looted cunning ~~its course~~
all its course is stayed
And dropping like the sun, the night
Spreads wide & still its sable wings

~~In~~ ~~the~~

The dark intolerable night of death.

And yet, ~~so far~~ ~~as~~ ~~knows~~ beyond, it seems

There must be waking, ^{as} in some ^{great} new town

^{with} ~~where~~ all the ^{new} voices of the dawn ~~are~~ ~~new~~

And stroke of unfamiliar bells

~~I~~ ~~see~~ ~~of~~ ~~our~~ ~~it~~ ^{as} in some ancient city
where ^{we} ~~the~~ ~~sleep~~ ^{as} ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~light~~
Hear ~~the~~ ~~unfamiliar~~ ~~voices~~ of the dawn
and music of stranger bells.

THE GREAT NORTH WESTERN



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TELEGRAPH COMPANY

OF CANADA

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Sailing free, in the dead of the night, in the Jole
With a white foam behind & no light —

All the spume of the sea blowing thick in the air — a dim veil.
On the reef — with a crash, in the night

And the sea heaving heavy & long on a wreck

Climbing dark on its side, rushing white on the slant of the deck.

~~The~~ Cold bitter winter of wind that cries shrills up aloft,

The boats lost, far from land, no reply to the flares on
the jaws.

Stem. Tattered & broken the wreckage is spread

On the face of the ~~sea~~ ^{deep} that is guarding its dead.

~~So laden the voyager was sea, in the sea, many days~~

~~So the weary bux, above white sail from afar~~

Has been wafted so long over sea
Blown from far by soft winds over sea many days,
In a blue sphere of ocean & air

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Cable Service
to
all the World.

PARK HOUSE,
KING'S ROAD,
RICHMOND, SURREY.

Love on G. In D's deck
several abt. father

PARK HOUSE
KING'S ROAD
RICHMOND SURREY

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How grand
I was in the adventurous days of old
When half the world was yet untold,
When men looked out upon the deep
And dreamed as we do but in sleep;
Dreamed of fair lands, where gems and gold
Lay on the white sea sands untold,

uncontrolled

while

Or rivers slid on golden sand
Where spice-trees ^{lined} hung on either hand.

Loas then ^{their} ships their sails unfurled
To seek the newly found, new world.
Small ~~sits~~ as they were none then could say
They'd shape a country's destiny.

¶ (But) on the foremost floated high
Jaques Cartier's pennon gaint the sky
That flag had crossed the seas before
And flown by ^{wind} many, an unknown shore.

Day sinking in the illumined west
Lights every ruddy billow's crest
As with gay songs the seamen, free
Their sails, upon the open sea.

x x x x
As night the stars hang thick on high,
And glassy waves reflect the sky.
Three ships lie rocking on the deep,
And the wild sea seems ^{to} curled to sleep.

The seamen sleep and some return
^{In dreams, to where their} household presses bairn,
While others in their thoughts explore,
The treasures of some unknown shore.

x x x x
Dark clouds are rushing from the west
Pregnant with storm, and thunder forth
Their rage that man should dare ^{to} ~~to~~ ^{while}
The sea where they so oft had played.
And bounding on the hungry waves
To drag the ships to ocean graves.
While the mad winds, without control
Rush ^{unimpeded} ~~on their way~~ from pole to pole.

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2 ~~Scudding~~ ^{plunging} before the furious blast,
While every plunge appears their last;
1 The ships rush onward ^{moment by moment} amid the storm,
And with fear, and dreadful darkness borne.

X X X X
Dawn breaks across the pulsing deep,
And night's black pinions westward sweep,
Moon lights with gold the pointed mast,
On the white sails its beams are cast,
The sleepy steersman marks the sun
That shows his weary watch is done,
And then he westward turns his eyes,
His face lights up with glad surprise
Land! Land! Awake the land's in view!
Lai in the distance looming blue!"

Then with a rush from down below
Comes the glad crew; and from the glow
Each with his brown hand shades his eyes
And for himself the land describes.

~~Not find~~ ^{Not find} with glad shouts come shake the air,
While others bend in thankful prayer.
And all day long the ship doth ring
With song, and joy drowns every thing;
Till when the sun goes down to rest
Mid the red curtains of the west,
They float beside a pine-clad shore
Where ~~with~~ ^{on} black rocks the billows roar
And till coasting onward soon they find ~~see~~ find
A haven sheltered all around ~~glaring~~ in the lee
Shut in by rocks, ~~but~~ just before
Their lay a patch of a meadow a little bow of shore—
The red man peering through the leaves
Dies the great ship but scarce believes

The shelter of a haven kind

So silently it neers the shore
 Without the splash of dipping oar,
 But when the crew with joffal shout
 Throw the long useless anchor out.
 He thinks of monsters from the deep,
 Of ~~evil~~ ^{evil} spirits seen in sleep;
 He turns, and through the forest flies
 Silent, to where his ~~wigwam~~ ^{village} lies.

They ~~rested~~ ^{rested} there
 Then ~~stayed~~ ^{rest} they there a little space,
 And, though 't was but a rocky place
 After the turmoil of the sea,

It ~~seemed~~ ^{seems} to them all heavenly.
 They ~~plucked~~ ^{plucked} the mayflower ^{meets the} trees,
 That sheds ~~and~~ spring perfume on the breeze; ^{& revolved in} ~~the~~ ^{the} perfume breeze

They ~~climbed~~ ^{climb} with joy each neighbouring hill,
 And ~~drank~~ ^{drunk} from every secret rill.

Till when the other ships ^{appeared} ~~appeared~~,
 They set their sails and westward ~~steered~~ ^{steer}

Then they sailed by many islands
 Rocky islets fringed with trees
 On whose rocks forever jabber
 Wavelets driven by the breeze.

Till they reached the broad St. Lawrence
 Where it mingles with the sea
 When its bank all blue and distant
 Ebbing flows classlessly.

I would have written the part at the close of my m. & in the present part & introduced the part at the close of my m.

It was the river which beforehand
From the red men, Carib houses
Quads its flood they said stretched westward
Till its sources no man knew
Passing any human view
But some thought its fountain bubbled
In the cavern of the west
Where the sun retires each evening
In the islands of the blest.

Westward Westward, ever westward
~~Let~~ ^{the} ~~king~~ ^{and} ~~the~~ ^{his}
Latching on from side to side
Where the mountains rise in clusters
With fair feet ~~dropped~~ ^{dropped} ~~in~~ the tide

Till again they ~~lost~~ ^{dropt} ~~their~~ ^{the} anchor
Where the Laguenays dark tide,
Stretches up among the mountains,
Hung with cliffs at either side.

There at Tadvarac they rested
In the little rock gut bay
Mountains crowded ^{ing} up around the
Dark with pines at highest day.

On the water ^{these} fished the ^{red men} ~~indians~~
Hunted deer among the hills
And ~~when~~ ^{when} they had been successful
~~dropt~~ ^{dropt} away all cares and ills.

Now the steamer rushes ever
Struck on ^{between} the hills up and down the stream
Bearing crowds in search of respite
From the sultry cities steam.

For another a toiling race possesses
All the red man once enjoyed
Who strive on for fame and riches
Till their bodies are destroyed.

And ~~once~~ again the sails were set and
And yielding to the favouring wind
They shot out on the seas sea St Lawrence
And left the mountain's gloom behind.

Passed they then where ^{green clad} ~~wooded~~ islands
Lie asleep upon the stream
Where the woods ~~are~~ ^{too} thick and silent
And among them, brooklets gleam.

Tell ^{soon} ~~where~~ Cape Diamond's cliffs arise
Tall ~~against~~ ^{against} the ~~rocks~~ ^{skies} ——— B

As if ~~some~~ ^{some} man in war
Had torn it from ^{the} some mountain far,
Had thrown it there upon the ground,
Had traced the river's course around,
And there ^{than} his enemies defied.

And dared their strength to cross the tide ^{and bade them keep}
They when at its foot a village lay ^{the further side.}
Whose shadow lay today.

They stayed, and made the cliffs resound
With joyful cannon's thundering sound.

How often since, that rock of fame
Has belched its mingled shot and flame
How often round its steep side,
Has roiled the conflict's ~~changing~~ ^{warring} tide.

But then all peacefully it stood,
Reflected in the ~~troubled~~ ^{undisturbed} flood.

And in canoes the red men came
Singing; with fruit, and fish, and game
~~They~~ ^{And} ~~they~~ ^{laid} them at the travelers feet, &
That they the country's food might eat =?
And some a lord and king
Did offerings and presents bring.

But still the ardent travellers pressed
Into the dim, unknown west
In boats they ~~pressed~~ ^{pushed} stemmed the riverside
And rowed along its tree-clad side
And when at eve their work was done
They ~~watched~~ ^{gazed} upon the setting sun.
In thought preceded their slow course
And traced the mighty rivers source.

Till after many days of toil,
They came to where ~~the~~ ^{wood} waters boil
~~And~~ ^{hurry} ~~and~~ ^{and} rushing, surging, on their way
Fell all the quivering air with spray.
No longer could their journey go
Nor pass ~~the~~ ^{the} rushing water's flow.
No farther could the adventurous band
Explore the far extending land.

My love! a pure dream maiden,
Withouten taint of clay,
all night I seek in dreamland far,
Where hopes, & fair ideas are,
Where naught is distant, nothing dead
But all things we have thought or said,
or seen, or fancied, stay.
Your earthly maids, are too like men,
Shaped in the same untempered clay,
Keen to enjoy, to have & hold,
Infected with the love of gold
& all the fever of the day.

S. M. D.

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For Health

All-potent Jupiter, smiles from on high,
Calmly the fruitful earth, smiles in reply.

Smiles mighty Jove, from the Olympian height,
And nature looking up smiles at the sight.

If then you wish to live aright,
Begin it now, today;
Nor think of some convenient time,
There's failure in delay.

'Tis like the countryman who stood,
Upon the rivers shore,
There waiting till it had run past
That he might dry go o'er.

But still the river flows along,
Rushing towards the sea,
And forms a barrier as strong
In all eternity.

G. M. Dawson.

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Graves Poems

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C

List, to the new-born leaflets

Up in the spirey trees
Talking together in whispers,
In the lilac-scented breeze.

Oh could I translate the feelings
That rise within my breast,
The silent-joy, & the sadness
That flow from nature's rest.

The thoughts of forgotten gladness,
And of unremembered care,
Well up in a blended fountain,
Under the sunshine fair.

My mind for a moment sketches
Into the the misty deep,
That silence so vast & voiceless
Where the secrets of nature sleep,
But the rift as quickly closes
And the world surrounds again,
The deadening sense of matter,
And the busy hum of men.

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But the ocean holds
 its secrets,
 and its depths we
 cannot tread,
 they are sacred still
 to silence
 to the couches of the
 dead.

What power hath the flowing
 ocean
 Where the land's waters meet
 With its hollow whispered secrets
 As it rushes at my feet -

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Delsera Congregational Church Home Mission

MR. W. H. WHITBREAD, MISSIONARY.

During the year ending September 30th, 1870, about 960 hours were occupied in the work, and about 3000 visits paid. At 600 of these visits, opportunity was given for Reading of the Scriptures and Prayer. Most of those were to the aged, the sick, and the dying, and frequently our Missionary was the only friend whose ministrations they received.

Frequent visits were paid to the Mothers' Meeting and the Sabbath School, where he usually delivered an address. Many of the Mothers and Parents of the Scholans have received visits at their own homes, and his influence has frequently been successful in inducing parents to place their children under Christian instruction.

Services were conducted during 9 months of the year, in Sydney Hall, Leader Street, and 45 of the addresses were by the Missionary. These meetings were not altogether without fruit. Several were induced to attend the Services at Markham Square, and at least three to attend Young the Men's Bible Class, in addition to some known cases of spiritual good.

Many cases of distress have come under his notice, been carefully investigated, and as far as possible helped. In one case he was able, by the help of friends, to raise £3 for an aged Christian couple, and so saved them from losing their little all.

At the unanimous request of the members of the Young Men's Bible Class, and with the sanction of the Committee, he has undertaken its Presidency; 22 have already joined, and several plans are projected, calculated to increase its efficiency, and to make it an important auxiliary in our Church work.

The results have been such as to impress the Committee with the desirability of continuing, and if possible extending, such operations. The amount required per annum is under £60, and towards this we have received in Subscriptions this year £16:8:0; from the Sabbath School Mission Fund, £10:0:0; from the Christian Instruction Society, £5:0:0; leaving £20:12:0 still to be raised for 1870. Our Collection last year was so small that we closed the year with a balance due to Treasurer of £13:14:4½.

Collections will be made next Sabbath, when we trust your liberality will be such as to free the Committee of liabilities, and enable them to pursue their work.

Promises of Annual Subscriptions will be thankfully received by Mrs. PULLOR, 22, Beaufort Street, Collector; or Dr. SCATLIFE, 132, Sloane Street, Superintendent and Treasurer.

ANDREW MEARNS, *President*,
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C they tell that the time is passing
They shake the eyes fast,
& whisper of their future,
That cometh all too fast,

But there is ~~some~~ ^a deeper meaning
Some dim mysterious fate
That is ~~whispered~~ ^{whispered} ~~in~~ ^{without} ~~the~~ ^{classy}
& blunted in the gate.

And this voice this cry incessant
Out from the camp of the
To them it is but a shadow
& a tale without an end.

But from beside the surges
With the echo in their ears
Come ~~that~~ poets, sages, soldiers
Who name the passing years.

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C

Stars - beacon lights to guide the

mind

From all things earthly - poor & low
Reposing calm above the wind
That always heats us too & freezes?

Star beyond star & state beyond
The ever lessening clusters glow

Notes,
Wool specimens,
P.O. orders
Rec. notes
Cill,
Letters
Boots.

Forms
Watch,
Bookings
Letters

Like a ^{stream} ~~wind~~ carried leaf as it
wafts along.
Now flitting in sunshine, now gliding
in shade
as the
So the last days of summer are
upheld & fade.

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C

Some power speaks within us, with eloquent voice
We are not alone meant for the tomb;
But the future lies dark fast the confusion of life
and no eye can pierce through the thick gloom.

As our friends one by one, pass away, disappear —
In the stillness, the darkness, the dread
We look on each other in silence, in fear, —
Speak softly, because he is dead.

yes
He's gone ~~gone~~ out into space, like the meteor that burns,
As it flashes a moment in view
And then rushes out, on its infinite course;
Where none its dark way may pursue.

We see the strong links that do bend as to earth,
Do the hearts that around us do move.
But we grasp into darkness & space, unpaid,
For a link coming down from above.

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C

The sea the sea. I love the Sea
So vast - so mystic & so free
The sea the universal soul
That quicks the earth for aye to be
The sea that washes every shore
& whereso'er its billows roar
Near tropic sky or arctic pole
Repeats ever its old tale
(In ^{flashes} ~~flashes~~ on the shore)
A tale that none may comprehend
Although its accents never end.
That as it surges on the mind
Is all too vast to be defined
But leaves a ^{series of} mighty awe
The sea upon whose ^{thy} mighty breast
The day is born - & in the west
Into thy lap at eve goes down
Pursued by night's advancing frown.
Seducing sinners & dies

The Sea the Sea I love the Sea
 So vast & mystic free
 The sea the universal soul
 That earth beneath to hold
 The sea that lashes every shore
 & where none its bellows roar

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 Bids: Pins!
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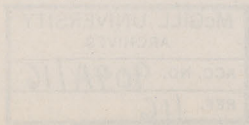
Land bird at Sea

Thou art not like the ocean birds
With well oiled plumage & venturing wing
That sit upon the wind rocked waves & laugh,
To see the storm tossed vessel pitch & swing.

Thy strength is nearly gone, & thou
Beating the air with ever flagging wing
Searchest ^{vainly} the weary deep, to find
Some foot-rest on some solid thing

Bending & flying on before the gale
Thou seek'st a refuge in the distant coast
Sliding along the wind towards the fall
Fainting thou faltest on the deck at last.

Shud.



Grand Hotel de la

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The air was like the ocean breeze
with wild, funny, gusty wind
but not upon the wind walked across the
to see the other hand, much better & easy

The strength is very good & then
fighting the air with our fingers
back - the way left to find
how fast - but in some other thing

Looking of you on paper to see
how well - paper in the distant
clearly the wind towards the wall
Fighting the force in the back at last

Hub.

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C
Where ^{seagulls} the blue waves come rooling
and falling
and rushing upon the wild shore
Or ripples steal softly upon it
and kiss the bright pebbles they love

Where the mountains ^{all} rise dark with their
pine trees
and hoary with lichens each stone
Look ^{all} silently down, in the ocean —
On the rocks at their feet where we're thrown

From our home in the deep pulsing
ocean

Where we swayed too and fro with
the tide

We were torn in its angry commotion

And thrown as bright wrecks far and
wide

Alone unbalanced and spread out
on this paper

We regret the cool sea where we

But are happy to linger in exile
^{gone}

If we bring any pleasure to you

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Dark

Forever and forever, breaks, the sea upon the shore,
And changing woods wail solemnly to ocean's roar.
Forever and forever, float the clouds above the sea
Now black and sullen with their load, now bright and heavenly.
Forever and forever, turns the never changing globe,
Each instant gives to ^{thousands} millions birth, and takes away the load.
Forever and forever, floats the earth around the sun,
A hetacomb of dreadful death, where life is never done.
Like some great plague-ship doomed to swing at anchor evermore,
Where certain death waits everyone, and none can reach the shore.
What art thou life that I so prize?—The ability to die.
Oh that I never had awaked from calm nonentity!

Book

James and James, books, the sea upon the shore,
and changing woods, and inland to ocean waves.
James and James first to cross above the sea
upon back and called with their boat, and light and heavy.
James and James, books to cross changing water,
back inland from a mountain, with their boat, and inland to sea.
James and James, first to cross the sea, and inland to sea,
a distance of beautiful water, where the sea is inland.
The same first James, and inland to sea, and inland to sea,
where the sea is inland, and inland to sea, and inland to sea.
The first and last James, and inland to sea, and inland to sea,
at that I never had another from inland to sea.

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C

She is waking, She is waking
Where the distant waters flow;
Where the silent day is breaking?
& the heavens are a glow

Where the breezes that have slumbered
Shake their drowsy wings again
& arise with scents unnumbered
From the flowers where they have lain.

It is noonday here & toiling
And the floods of life are strong
And the dusty highways teeming
With the busy moving throng.

But the west is in its morning
And the shadows still retreat
While the dawn in its adorning
Follows fast with shining feet.

Wm. D.

Feb. 72.

When the birds are in the air
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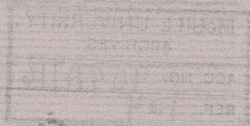
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C From ~~the~~ scented lake, to scented lake
The happy breezes went to camp
& slowly fell the setting sun
upon a sea of living flame.



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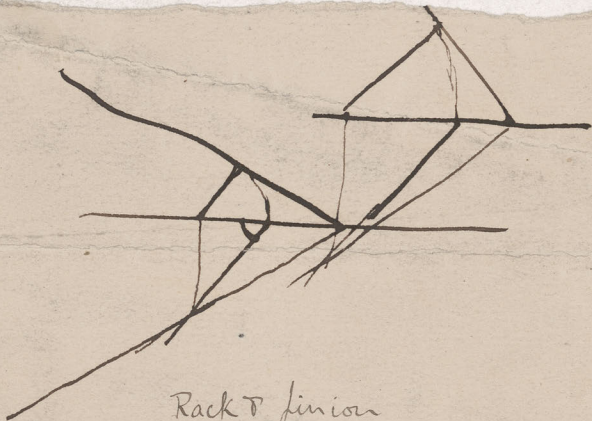
C

on the worn brow the Sun
from the far deserts brink
Throned in gold hath cast long yellow

Leaves,
How often who
can tell.

There still thou art while the
warm lands that gave thee form
are still, — with shrunken
falcon up turned to heaven
or folded on the
breast.

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Rack & pinion

The curves of the rack teeth are cycloids generated by a circle whose diameter equals the distance between the centre of the pinion & its pitch line.

The curves of the pinion cogs are involutes of the circle, but in practice are drawn by describing arcs of circles, from a centre on the pitch line, & in the centre of the next cog.

C
Calm smiling face who with unslipping eye
Hath seen so many thousand years roll by.
Whose feet - the purple Nile as oft hath bathed
When all the Land of Egypt was enswathed
By the kind pregnant flood.

Empires have waxed, have waned,
Have rooled around thy feet;
T' like the flood of time ~~over Nile~~
own Nile have slid away.

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C. Canada,

Nothing for the cruel Spaniard,
Caught to quench his thirst for gold;
No rich Aztec chiefs to plunder,
Where the broad St Lawrence rooled.

So they turned their prows, and left it,

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Left it pure, and left it free,
Left it for the sturdy Romans,
Irons of a nobler tree.

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~~Letters~~ - G. M. D.

relating to his trip to
Europe - in 1882.

- a lonely journey with a
sad heart -

