

Birds having just helped a girl trim
the trees + shrubs.

Birds joyous in their approval of the projects
that a girl is pursuing on the trees + shrubs.

Adrian Clark

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When summer sun had warmed the pad
and friendly willows gave them shade
the child's sport was my friend
of crandem's cheer to wade.

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Sacker Coyote.

at twilight time when the camps
are set

Sacker coyote comes to set
at the cliff's edge on the
mountain side.

comes to listen and to divide
the ranch's land and the ranches
own

the passes by and away

~~with us~~

and we pause at meekly lines to hear
his reckless howling shrill & clear
his least and swift and valorous toll
Pitiful, solidly, scornful doll
as one might say in coyote land.
No ho ho and a lot of rum.

Its sustenance from cloud

Guiding it upward from our God

On peace and ^{sweet} calm + tranquility.
I ~~will~~ stand and gaze up at the trees
and when ~~our~~ ^{my} gaze doth reach
I ~~on~~ ~~un~~ ~~der~~ ~~stand~~ ~~the~~ ~~lot~~

For unknown reasons, ^{my} ~~the~~ gaze
doth stop.

Looking up to a tree.

How very round - and very profound!
It seems to me

That a man should stand up on
its ^{its} ground
and look up to a tree.

This ~~is~~ may dream - and lines
"compose"

a tree is real and grows
& grows ^{grows}!

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Now Elsie is a fine young cow -

Beloved from Coast to Coast
and let me keep you here and now

She is not a Borden idle boast

— ^{judg' - in slack years but}
Elsie is a gauge by which we judge ^{our stock} our cows

and you know the word she uses -

But ^{young} Elsie is a little shock -

She's ^{the} just the same - as other Borden cows

that means the rest are of the best

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Throughout the great big nation
Can't you see they'd have to be
To keep up Elsie's reputation.

To see her at the fair ^{IV}
You stood upon the benches

It seems to me, I do declare
You fought like men in trenches.

When fairs are on and youngsters ask
(and grown-up youngsters too)

Elsie.

Elsie gives milk ^I and rich cream too;
The best in all creation.

But that's what Elsie has to do
To stay in the Borden organization.

Now Elsie is a fine young cow
Beloved from coast to coast
and let me tell you here and now
It is no idle Borden boast

Elsie is a grass by which we judge our stock.
Though gray crowd she grows.

Perhaps it's a little shock-

She's just the same as other Borden cows.

sweet and delicate emotion -
an indefinable childhood devotion.
and with that wholesome natural disfiguring
there came a spiritual uplifting.

It guided us here - protected us there -
a benediction, everywhere!

But sweetest of all was a lilac bush
in play-trail hours, or twilight hours
we were there, alone with the thrush,
and the thrush in his song told us he knew
the fragrance of lilacs was just for two.

- Silas -

We were just kids - didn't know about love
just basked in the blessings sent from above.
We lived the life of our little home town -
loved smiling summer + autumn brown,
The buds of spring - sparkling winter too -
and fun and played pranks, as youngsters do.
Hand in hand we walked to school,
Unconsciously living "the Golden Rule."
Our hearts didn't pound
But in innocence we found

My Sisters Cats
(and Ben's nemesis)

Cats and cats and still more cats!
Scads of canned salmon + expensive liver!
The awful order from those dog-gone hats
Gives me goose-pimples + makes me shiver!
They're ~~vicious~~ independent + swaggering + sunny
Sometimes I wish their parts were dug!

we talk + we read and reminisce,
But the smell of those cats I can't dismiss.
I'll make excuses and go outside -
a tiny child - could that decide.
(I'm too loyal to decide.)

So much comfort they give to her.
That I just let em - "P" + purr!!

NAMELESS

Ah yes, the color is brown!
I used to think
That pink,
Or blue,
Or almost any color I knew
Was prettier than brown.
I've seen Nevada skies,
The jewels in a crown:
Then I saw your eyes
And they were brown.

- Leland J. Sparks

UNWRITTEN SONNET

One day methought a sonnet I would write,
A sonnet such as poets never knew.
'Twould be in perfect form, with lyrics bright
And all its fourteen lines inscribed to you.

'Twould be of highest inspiration born,
And so I sought the highest hill to there
Commune, and watch the Master create morn,
And thoughts of you are close akin to prayer.

A blue-green meadow nourished by a brook
Whose tuneful waters are so crystal-clear
That every day an angel comes to look
And every winged choir comes to hear.

From out the azure blue will glide a bird
And perch upon a reed and sing to me
In notes that mortal man has never heard,
Its first, and silver-throated symphony.

I left the hill, the brook, the meadow ~~too~~;
Came back to earth to feast my eyes on you.

blue - I left my sonnet to

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My Mind and I.

My mind and I did walk one day /
as oft we're wont to do.

My mind and I did talk that day /
and as I love this talk is true.

My mind spoke first and did propose /
a game we two should play;

The child-hood game known as "suppose" /
and straightway mind did say

"Suppose that I were God this hour /
descended unto you

and proffered all of His own bare /
what wouldst you hard me do?"

"Wouldst hard me give you hoards of gold /
vast money, wealth /
on galleons, pearls, or bare untold /
or nether ending wealth?"

Perhaps great learning you desire,
^{with} and such enduring fame ^{it would},
Wants greatest needs you ^{or} could ^{not} fulfill -
^{But to} ^{but pray} if they honour you name.

again, who knows, you may desire
a worldly woman's charms,
Perchance it is that you aspire
to another nature's decent arms.

You better self you'd have to give,
all else would count for naught
if you would learn to love and live
what God and she have taught.

To know the language of the flowers
The murmur of the brook translate,
Return to child-hood care-free hours
Know freedom from all hate.

In turn, I in humble tone,
and did of ^{my} request
an hour's contemplation,
that I might answer best.

~~I will each puff and puff I weighed~~
I took me to the fields away ~~of the~~
I will each puff I weighed,

'Tis but a game, I need to say -
But ^{yet} fast my time ^I stayed.

Said to my mind, I'll none of these,
and yet I can't deny,
a single one of them might please
a hatter man than I.

My choice I made, and I was free,
and happy with my choice,
I was one that long had been with me
The use'rs expressed in voice,

within my life 3 after how
when child would not so
of a few

when sweetest child would
be gone -
in

It's been my lot to
open set - know
Sweetest child had
it

of joy my life has had
great share -
of sorrow too for hours -
It's meant me the worst
to be
of child's death.

I feel that in my
each -
how tears - etc. none other
mother -
when
mother and she is alike
Some try to
of larger child - it's not

my choice was made and
and ^{was for} ~~with~~ in my choice
I felt for fear it might not be

~~was out that long~~
I was out that long
I see with me

Expressiveness in voice
Expressed

Y it is ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ voice
in voice.

~~How long~~ ^{How long} ~~with me~~
How long ^{with me}
~~But the~~ ^{But the} ~~voice of~~
in voice

Throughout my life I
often see - see
my life has had ^{great} its share
of joy
and sorrow too I know
each I know

my life great share of joy
and yet ^{and} ~~yet~~ ^{know} ~~seeing~~ to me
in ^{the} ~~peace~~ ^{know} ~~can~~ ^{the} ~~be~~ ^{known}
when ~~death~~ ^{death} ~~left~~ ^{left} ~~my~~ ^{my ~~place~~ ^{place}}

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Autumn & God

For aye aye

Whispered
at the day

But God

Wang then

Was.

looked
with that
assumed type
of leaf

Franky Corbush
200 Bush

Sandbag.

Miss Ann
Kendall
Aug

the ...

Gerry Mc Small
Brink (Protoplasm)
Bedford

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Angela Wang -

Doc Hunt

Paul West - 3rd

Mrs. Mitchell -
Paris

215 Indian Ave

1000 Randolph Ave
England

Sunshine - Rain - Sunshine -

Lets start the year that ^{Rain - 3} ~~child~~
Every thing people may say they don't know
on the right side of the tracks - their
parents - lives & lives were decent -
and making people...

We were not ~~just~~ ~~dark~~ ~~dark~~
handsome - ~~life~~ was not ~~what~~ ~~that~~
~~that~~ - ~~little~~ + ~~little~~

They met in high schools, + attractive,
Vassar - ~~with~~ love

grateful.

We thank thee God - that in a world
where hatred, words and shells are
unleashed,

there still exists a decent shrine
where decent feet and lowly voice
may tread the path through
this land.

those feet by decency protected!

And by their very tread they walk
around this land that precious land

and hold therein, for all and me -
your priceless gift of liberty.

with grateful, almighty God

We say - with hearts and hands!

As by thy hand free from hates

Thank you for these United States

- Idioms -
We were just kids - didn't know about love -
Just basked in the blessings sent from above.
We lived the life of our little home town -
Loved smiling summer + the autumn brown -
The buds of spring, sparkling winter too -
Had fun + played played pranks as youngsters do -
Hand in hand we walked to school
Unconsciously living - "The Golden Rule."
Our hearts didn't pound
But in innocence we found
A sweet and delicate emotion
an indiscribable childhood devotion

with that ⁷⁰⁰⁰⁰⁰⁰ gloom, natural drifting.

There came a spiritual uplifting
It guided us, hee-protected us there -
a benediction, - ever, where.

But sweetest of all was a lilac bush!
In playful hours, at twilight hours,
we were there, alone with the thrush
and the thrush in his song told us he knew
The fragrance of lilacs was just for two.

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That God was that
she was a ^{with the head} ^{held} ^{excellent} ^{stars?}
Wife & he a ~~merciful~~ -
Two finest youngsters you've ever seen -
although they were always in imminent danger -
Our prayers to Him - Whose truth is thy way
Our parent - wrong hearts - He answered our prayers
and they came bounding back up our stairs

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Watch if you can
The righteous mean -
Who records down the facts of
republicanism,
Only to rules ??

1) My Mind and I,

My mind and I did walk one day,
as oft we're wont to do.

My mind and I did talk that day,
and as I live this tale is true.

My mind spoke first and did propose
a game we two should play;
The child-hood game known as 'Suppose'
and straightway mind did say -

2) "Suppose that I were God that from
Descended unto you,
and proffered all of His own power,
What wouldst you have me do?"

"Wouldst thou have me give you hoards of gold,
Vast monetary wealth,
Or genius great, or power untold,
With never ending health?"

3) "Perhaps great learning you desire,
Or such enduring fame,
Man's greatest deeds it would inspire
If they but speak your name."

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a worldly woman's charms;
Perchance it is that you aspire
To Mother Nature's secret arms."

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5) "You then spoke I in humble tone,
and did of mind request
an hour of contemplation,
that I might answer best.

It took me to the fields away,
and well each offer weighed.
"Tis but a game" I tried to say -
next part my mind I stayed.

Made my choice and I was free,
and happy with my choice.

I was one that long had been with me
This need expressed in voice,

Said I to myself. "I'll none of these,
and yet I can't deny
that any one of them might please
far better men than I."

"I made my choice," said
9th mind,
"So know that God has
smiled
His healing smile, or rather said
So every cripple should."

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Richardson

Walter Jackson,
3.5 Monty

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Dancer -
Plumber -
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House Wife
Minister -
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I'M SURE SOME DAY OURSELVES WE'LL FIND
AND LEARN JUST WHAT W'RE MEANT TO BE:
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Dejection deep and every kindred mood
engulfed me as I wandered by its stream,
I impelled my footstep through a much-loved wood
But ~~it~~ ^{at that} was changed, or ~~no~~ ^{it} did seem!

My eyes beheld again the milk-flower field
The lupin and the poppy where they
The blackbird swinging on a reed revealed
No more ~~than~~ ~~as~~ ~~it~~ ~~rest~~ to me the beauty ^{that was} ~~always~~ ^{that?}

To Mother Nature I come always true
In joy or pain, and each has had its turn
And she would soothe and ^{guide and} comfort ~~and~~ me
As mothers do in all adversity.

Chapman, Richard, and the whole

And even Gods will. Then shall we
for shame become, man's sacrifice
To man and full and stark until
Demons Tutelaryes again
Shone through to guide their waddened way
And from above, ~~was caught to lost~~
Went caught to lost
To lost and practice, know and see
The wisdom of Democracy.

Though pains of war were long
We fought a war to right a way

-Skid Row-

Where do they go?

Those skidders on skid row.
(Think of Howard,
character devoured,
nobody seems to know.

They simply come + simply go
In endless streams of orphans + breath
of cheap wine that keeps them close to death.
Men of prod. high poetry, - talent
Breed, intelligent - cultured
Rampant - lost -
consumed by the culture -

Dan seemed to know what he had to
say.
With pleading eyes he begged
to stay.

His intention (doubtless if you knew)
from deep emotion - said "do not go"
With loyal obedience, but deep
disobedience
He walked dejectedly away.

I wanted to take that trip

a way -

was

only reached by the cable
cars;

I wanted to hear the gentleman
speak -

"Head comes a curve -
hang on - look out!!!"

I felt the way it rocks &
swerves -

sure I'd hang on - hang on
the curve!!!

I tried to give the conductor
a thumbs up & say "hello" -

and (I was 4 or 5 up ~~and~~
I had down ~~the~~ - I would hardly be able
to see him - my vanity

gts great the way she rocks
and sways -

It might even break some
corset-stays! -

We ~~may~~ turn to the masters of
~~not~~ rhythm + rest - -

(9th read stump + 9th read
stump worse)

But a woman can say no grander
thing -

than - "I got to the cables -
a corset string!!!"

mother

When Whittle pined, ^{inspired} ^{long} ^{long}
and Pol his lines inscribed,
Some it seems they were the
Woodcock's Linnæus.

another song has song -

Trisely the song of the lark
and dew sparkling on the
grass - young Gump's part
Young - young -

mother

Oh dear who does pass a day
growing, God meant a mother
should possess, who with suffering
and in that suffering and love
some of that suffering did show
to me the world, God try to
say something, worthy of the
name Mother -

9 mi had a bad day (not ~~at~~ business
Walt mean business - "was good I'll say,
But when folks like Sullivan
I'm clonget about - all about.

So adamant and want Cudney
to much along

~~he said his name was the how~~

~~The said doctor how do you do
your name only was I'm sure~~

brother said his name was Doctor W
I said doctor - how do you do -

You are the first W - I've known
after such a sick crack

He proceeded to

wash his
Cudney

My own confounding, my own ^{but} ^{then}

I entered the house at five fifteen
One of the "pleasant" nights, I've ever seen
You know what I mean afore its said -

That purple pan of your own corn head.
With hat still on I cut a slice,
Then a second slice, "cannels just was mine,
Sently aside, I've had a hard day
Don't mean business - was good I'll say

accept my thanks for granting a wish
So lightly expressed for your narrow deal,
Mum
Grand

YOU SPOILED MY GARDEN.

I liked roses, 'cause roses were like you;
And when you wore roses, (cross you heart that this is true)
'Couldnt tell if that frgarance came from roses
Or they reflected you.

I was fond of violets too;
~~Always thought them about~~
'Always thought them about the nicest things I knew,
Until that day I brought them
And pla ced them close to you.

I used to like a hyacinth,
Its labryith
Of hue: - *its loveliness too*
Then came the day I saw one
Pinned on the breast of you.

And now I know where went
The honeysuckle's scent;
The sweetest scent I ever knew.
The vine remains, but the fragrance flew to you.

Please go out to my garden,
And slowly wander through,
To brighten-up the bowers
And revive the flowers
With just a breath of you.

Leland J. Sparks.

NAMELESS.

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Re-Converting A Ship.
(and maybe a man).

The wind is fresh and the air is clean,
And there's urgent work to do;
Man feels no need, so he pays no heed
To venting a selfish spleen.
You're one of a team in a useful scheme,
To restore a ship, the compelling theme,
And you WORK, with a WORKING crew.

You think the BEST, so your best you give,
From that moment ~~On sea-start-to-retrieve~~
You start to retrieve
The things you believed were gone.

I've seen men come with shattered nerve,
And bloated cheek and blood-shot eye
Who would not serve, but merely observe
The time that passed them by.

(Abard once wrote of the curse in a dead man's eye:
Ah but the scorn of the earnest man, for the man who will not try.)

Perhaps you have cursed
Your fortunes reversed,
And bitterness too you have known:
Blighted another's life, or wasted part of your own.

You've felt the merciless thing
That's Conscience' relentless sting:
And tossed in your bed
And wished you were dead
To escape, for you felt you could tell,
It would be heaven, even in hell.

And while you burned and turned and tossed,
And in your mind you tried to find
Excuse for* yourself, that was embossed
With fickle resolve (you know the kind)
You will not keep,
But to entice some sleep
You promise yourself yet still aware,
As into the dark you glare and stare,
The morn will bring no relief,
Just grief,
For the frozen facts are there.
The law is clear, no change it brings,
For God hath a way with such things.

Perhaps upon this very ship,
On some other, it matters not,
While caught in war's thrice cursed grip,
(And Holy Bible, some men forgot)
We toiled with feverish haste, and sweat,
To quick convert, and quick beget
Amighty instrument of war
(Full well the world now knows what for)
And man it with guns and precious sons.
(Full well the world now knows what for.)

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Mount me on a team

On a useful scheme -

"To restore a ship," the compelling theme
and you work with a working team.

You think the best - as you best you see,
and from that moment on
you start to retire.

The things you believed were good.

So men come with shattered views
and started duck and that shut eye
who would not see

But surely absent

The time that passed them by.

~~Perhaps your crowd your fortunes~~

a band once ^{last} ~~most~~ in a head man's eye

Oh but the scars of the ^{last} ~~most~~ mean for the ^{last} ~~most~~ will not try!

Good men good men - "I'm glad not to see!"
I believe I have many more to see!

Carmel's Pines.

I wandered far into the pines:
I sat upon the ground
Half drunk with inhalation of the pines.
And from the ground, when I had found
That Mother Nature breathed up her breath on me,
Then came the estacy- 'tween pines and me
That man and tree
Had found a common ground.

Same old 129.
Sat. about 6 PM.

Dear Maud:

This letter will serve two purposes. First, to wish you a happy birthday, and to thank you for your nice letter and phone call wishing me one. Also to thank you for your sweet thought and enclosure. Wish you hadn't done it.

I like your letter. Have reread it a number of times. Surely one would think 'The Bard of Carmel' might write something worthy of Carmel, the coast you spoke so nicely of, both no doubt have done much to make Jeffers the man he is professed to be.

As to the real estate sharks, damn 'em, I say this;

I'm sure God smiled upon that coast
When He created it.
Alas, now bit by bit,
As men commercialize,
Could they but realize
The coast remains, but Smile is lost.

And as man schemes and dreams of gains,
(Unmindful of the sea out there)
He stabs the heart, kills what remains
Of brush or pen (Good God now where)
Can people turn, unless within,
To thoughts they have, and they can win,
To write and paint ~~and paint~~ and so create
A form full free of selfishness
And thrice cursed ~~cursed~~ hate ~~of hatefulness~~
Of hatefulness
That Art may clothe in sacredness.

Some day perhaps we'll find ourselves we'll find,
And learn just what we're meant to be.
But all my life I've felt that HE
(Until that time) bade use of mind.

There.
'taint poetry or even verse:
Perhaps a curse, or even worse:
But if no TRUTH the darn thing tells,
I'll 'gree to burn in forty hells.

Shove it under old lady White's door and stick a copy in
Jeffer's mail box. How's zat for bein tough?

*A form full free of selfishness
I'll call it death in hermes shoes*

Some day our selves I'm sure will find
and know just what was meant to be
Until that time we shall be
For Warden great

Stans joined a company to
guard the river across the city.

In just a lovely mongrel pup.
Scratch fleas + bark + drool, + burp.
Chase cats + guess I do
Lotta thump ma says I oughter do.

To My Husband -

Sometimes you're kind and tender,
and there are times when you are cross.
You don't go on a "kendi",
Most always let me be the boss.

~~Some~~ times you may be funny,
Most always though, your jokes are stale.
You let me handle all the money,
You're just about an average male.

The things you like to buy me,
ah yes, the things you like to get me;
There's naught that you'd deny me -
But there are times when you upset me!
Won't help me with my diet -
The pounds you know I'd like to heat,
But you will say - "just try it"
and I will eat, and eat, and eat!!

To many it would be to shoot it
But I would give you the richest
Crown

When I got into the toilet
Just once I did find the seat
was down.

watch TV. and then
see plays and movies - and shooting of whales -
the dead can compare -
with daily readings of my bath room scales.

Some it kind of seems best
to get a ~~set~~ few things off my chest -
But I am willing to grant
that you are entitled to a different point

Like Abraham Lincoln.
(Great man of ours.)

Don't had his power -
of Resolute situations -
Our mottled laws
would find solution - instead of solution
in higher powers.

To a Post Office Pen -

You hand - yet deplorable, you
ink - coated pen

Wartens of news - tout women
and men -

Blessed children to ^{could} you -
as you know
(you know they do)

Confiding their ^{to you} ink

Stinky - Jumps - to you -

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Worth the cost of treatment - good luck

When looking for a doctor -

I'm anxious to see you



Leland J. Sparks
129 Central Ave.
San Francisco, 17, Calif.

I'm anxious to

1000 you can't get it

*because of you
they know it's best
to see you*

*Mr. Sweet
I know a lot*

Mr Sweet, has about a 7¹/₂
Mochy ~~town~~

We joined the dogs, but did not
play

This urged by them in their
cautious way

YOU SPOILED MY GARDEN

I liked roses, 'cause roses were like you;
And when you wore roses (cross my heart that this is true),
Couldn't tell if that fragrance came from roses
Or they reflected you.

I was fond of violets too;
Always thought them about the nicest thing I knew,
Until that day I brought them
And placed them close to you.

I used to like a hyacinth,
Its labyrinth
Of hue: its loveliness too.
Then came the day I saw one
Pinned on the breast of you.

And now I know where went
The honeysuckle's scent;
The sweetest scent I ever knew.
The vine remains, but the fragrance flew to you.

Please go out to my garden
And slowly wander through,
To brighten-up the bowers
And revive the flowers
With just a breath of you.

- Leland J. Sparks

My Dog.

In sure this faithful friend is always right.
He can, and will, but doesn't have to fight.
He's not the dignified, or wrong defies,
By almost God-like good that in his eyes.

"aggie"

We loved you Aggie - with shaggy hair -
We loved you after the father's chair,
~~the~~ ^{you} left you still, that "devil may care"
self-assured assie, no matter where!!

We met you through our mutually-^{loved} Alice.
Had even a dog - a ^{most} love-filled palace?

For a time you lived with Nancy Sue Starke -
she also loved assie - ^{was amused by you} ~~didn't mind her~~ ^{tricks}.

and at first - ^{eighty} - ^{years} - in the armoire
some more of the storks, ^{cases} attached to you!
and across the way in Drury's town
aggie enjoyed her be-re-known!!

To Gidley then, with Auntie Rose -
and live the life - a wofy dog knows -
except perhaps an occasional spat
with a slightly jealous not tolerant cat!!

"Young" miss you Aggie in the early light,
your "happy" tail - expressing delight
While I shave and ^{take} my shower -
you are content - ^{whatever} no matter the hour!

So much fun!! -
and not planning
you're deep sleep.
after you sleep.

Any one ever left from mine or "joggy"
the child of a ~~se~~ ^{sub} ~~being~~ ^{being} from a faithful dog?

10 feet me
wonderly meet up!!

Gardner's Old and Yellow Depot.

O like the old and friendly depot
 In its fading coat of yellow
 When people and trains so oft did go,
 How kindly ^{patient} time has made it mellow
 Sentiment and time
 May suspect a humble rhyme -
 How clear and loud the whistles blew,
 and the freight ~~s~~ went roaring through
 This was nice to see and hear -
 Perhaps a wave from the engineer
 and of course ~~be~~ you knew he didn't mean
 a nudge and a wave from the fireman too,
 now all is quiet as quiet can be
 not even the click of a telegraph key.

Gardener's the name of the place
 the time when a train's not even
 but about day
 usually made the best of
 part of the name, hard to
 see the
 when usually know

all this a relic of the part
a relic yb but at mic last
and ybly "old times" mic understood
when told their old days is truly
acted a few signs of some neglect
the composite picture is more perfect
secure in its own tranquility
& monument of dignity

In your
at present Mr Grant is member of the
and that from Grant is member of the

Home
Fri - 6 PM.

Sister Horney -;

Why leave me loaded with money?
I'll admit - from a "bucks", I rarely shy -

But all in all, I'm a jugal guy!
Home from work - came nearly fainting -
Looked like a payment on Striksteep's painting -
You know what you left on my cheffier -
Insurance paid - so we'll have no fear - !!

My salary check + yesty week,
(which was more than plenty) -
But on top of that - a great big "twenty" !!

as a temporary bachelor - I'm not a beginner,
But ~~thanks~~ to you for thought I had a fine dinner!
You know how I like that cold crisp lettuce -
Sits in the manacular, that printed lettuce,
You ~~don't~~ find it in a salad bowl.

But golly its nice in a great big roll!

The kind that makes you want to pray
and get on your knees and earnestly say

" always let us

your thanks for all of this fresh and printed lettuce.
and all of the ~~trip~~ things the latter will set us!! "

The roast that was left
was slightly receipt-
of moisture - in other words dry.
says I to myself - to myself says I

"I've discovered something this formula try!!
Remember you left some beef tenderloin?
Well I heated it up and poured it in -!!
I know of this mixture you'll be suspicious,
But really & truly it was delicious!!

My dishes are done - I've cleaned the sink;
and I've put the dishes on the cupboard shelf.
The music not here, I marvel and think
I led it all ~~by~~ stay my little self!!
It's time to ~~sway~~ and time - almost
for the Gillette Razor to be my host,
It's Hurricane Jackson - Gene Fuller too.
I'm wondering what the ex-champion will do!
I'm pulling for Fuller - though I don't know why
unless I admire the jump of a guy
who lost his job, or his championship!
With guts enough for another try!
announces introductions - Referees instructions

Then records put them with towels -
on an ant day - the Greeks would say -
"I sat ^{at} the table with my towels"
I saw him a champion - and I ask of him -
(about his courage and muscles and limbs)
just how he felt before a fight -
I'd seen him sweat on many a night,
and know himself, oblivious to crowd -
and cheers and jeers - but he was sure & he was hard.

On training camp, where all was well -
conditions & conditions were sure to tell.

But always, he said, ^{the} that terribly ^{thing} -
These dressing room ornaments including the ~~thing~~ ring.

But ^{truly} fine, was that other thing
That I was myself - when I entered the ring.

The fight is on - and I'll be won!!

Unanimous (?) decision - Both jobs well done!

and now I sit in ^{my} comfortable chair,
and the evening Call-Bulletin awaits me there -

as I read on my interests diminish
and I know full well - I will not finish
Pursuing the news -

But indulge myself in blissful "snooze" !!

To night in the dinner - a merry crowd -
and when I think - I laugh aloud
The more I think - I agree with Rose -
and as I thought - my anger rose!
Vindictive I am - and I'll follow through -
For as long as I live, I'll not forget
That ill-mannered slight to Snook and you!!
They spilled ^{the} kin-folks all over the place,
(But this is something I cannot erase)
'Cept you and Snook who traveled so far -
So to keep with them, wherever they are!!
Golly - just had a sudden thought -
Perhaps all this should so far naught,
In their happy rush - both day and night -
It wasn't a slight - just an oversight!
In fancied hunt - I didn't realize -
In these hasty lines I apologized.

— On Suicide —

Suicide? Suicide?

alright go ahead + decide —

Say I'm nuts —

Say I haven't got the guts

To see life through —

But who the hell are you

To moralize — ?

Why on ever realize

That I too

Have gone through

Times like hell — that I've caused you,

No! of course you'd say —

'Twas all my fault — that's your way — P

When your heels hit heavy & your head jukes back,
and you stub your toe in a sidewalk crack
you feel no pain and you ~~feel~~^{know} no fear,
and your thoughts rise up like foam on beer -
you're drunk; by gosh, you're drunk!
Don't care if it's foggy - or skies are clear
Don't give a damn about the atmosphere -
you're drunk, by gosh you're drunk!!!

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CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Office 585 Bush St. Street

RE: SPARKS, Nancy E.
#7030

October 7, 1941

Mr. Leland Sparks
129 Central Ave.
San Francisco

Dear Mr. Sparks:

The eligibility of Nancy E. Sparks for aid under the Old Age Security Law is under consideration as the annual re-investigation is now due. We are enclosing a statement which must be submitted to all legally responsible relatives of the Recipient.

This completed sworn statement which must be notarized should be returned to the Public Welfare Department within ten days if you live in San Francisco and within thirty days if you live elsewhere in the state. This is a requirement under the present Old Age Security Law.

If you have any questions regarding this statement the County Welfare Department in your county, located at 585 Bush St. San Francisco will be glad to assist you. For your information, there is no fee charged for notarization of the statement.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours very truly,

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT

By Lillian Roddy
Social Worker
(Mrs.) Lillian Roddy

LR:LCW
Enclosure

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South City -

September -

a gentle haze;
Soft purple, loving ^{my} gaze - lingers, stays,
Hills slope down, ^{and} with silent eloquence say
That they
Came down to watch the willows sway
Their greeting to the children, on their way
From school to play.

Truly - God seems very near today!!

Shed thy light
Thy love
Thy beauty

Thy grace
Thy peace
Thy joy

Who sees the winter
Bare feet high,
Confident white, +
defiant eye
Innocent of fault
Yet you divide
You divide
I see the world
With you clean and

Very much + Capt.

Rep. Ball, sad

My mind is well
as the sun

So my prayer -

in my heart broken down
all things done
I get it all back
I get it all back

- The Pines -

That stirs my senses like
red wine

ah that fragrance of the pines!
ah that mystery ⁱⁿ of the pines!

stirring and thrilling my senses like old wine,
and yet my consciousness can not define
The meaning - even though so thinly veiled.
Perhaps its of some ~~ancient~~ ^{phantom} ship that sailed
uncharted seas - but friendly winds prevailed
and at last Utopia was hailed!

Or could it be a memory of Rome
where Corinthian ~~pillars~~ ^{columns} hold the dome
of saints and gods within the Pantheon -
or the glory of the Parthenon
of ancient Greece, where Athens dwelt
and ~~so~~ virtues and the arts about her dwelt

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Paralysed beam
a bench beam
Corollates with clips.

1/4 my lamp fixture
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Inventor

You will get
rebut if you
demand it - not
over by prod of
mouth but
action -

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I cant think that trust
will succeed - you fear -
when light and love
there is system - - should have -

Parental Silence

How could you know - couple kids in our teens?
 you in your hearts and I in my jeans.

We parked the jealousy in innocent care.

How did we know hidden passions was there?

Why didn't our parents their duty do?

The truth from them would have carried us through,
 an innocent girl and a clean young lad.

Two sheltered lives - that's all we had had

'Een though there was moonlight - a youthful kiss -

It might have been different - but alas it's this:

Relentlessly they shame us

Unmercifully they blame us

and when our innocent pledge is born

We'll face the cruel fangs of scorn!

Oh you, and other parents could not see

Their delicacy is but false modesty,

ah yes - couple kids in shorts and jeans

Have learned the hard way what the moonlight means!"

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How to combat the objection women
 have to ordering dresses for fear they won't
 fit properly, even though I tell them
 the measurements are standard
 and adopted by the association of
 Designers.

Edward G. Sparks

Don't neglect
 frequent
 attention to
 the
 measurement
 of all jobs

Follow up
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 15 15 15

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Please surgeon come with me along
 and let my heart join yours in ~~prayer~~ ^{prayer}
 Let's set aside this blessed day -
 that you and I may go and pray
 Let's set ~~with~~ some green and flowering banks
 and ~~let~~ raise our heads in grateful thanks
 set her eyes, seeds
 way.
 and how I want
 my head with
 my hands
 hands

I once knew a man = quite a heavy drinker
but with it all - a pretty good clinch -
a kind of back - a. Hoosier guy
The land of a fellow did you + →

might be at a man - who's been by

He had a honey photograph -

That might apply to
he said - ~~and~~ in ^{try} - ~~and~~ -
restraint -

man - or never select

you - God said - self restraint

When we see a
doubt

quicker
by God's

You know what moment
when god deluded
~~the~~

the sunset -
and the light just
played

On the hills the
ocean & it stayed

Just long enough
While it played
again & stayed

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B of a Clerk.

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all and Sufferi.

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Ellis

Now Kitty was pregnant, as big as a hen
 So heavy with kittens, couldn't chase a mouse.
 On the bar-room floor she dozed one day
 and Dan was there, not far away.
 A drunk barged in, in ugly mood,
 He ordered a drink, said it'd sell for good!
 His eye lit on Kitty - he yelled a loud 'scat'!
 Said he'd always hated ^{a so and so} any kind of a cat.

They fought all over the whole saloon;
 They knocked over chairs + upset a spittoon.
 They drew a big crowd, and even a cop;
 (It was the kind of a fight he wouldn't stop)
 He loved old Dan + he knew the guy
 so he stuffed his duty - yes passed it by.
 He was down - right sure that Dan would win
 To hell with it - moved to a sin -
 The captain heard - but he let it drop
 Nine bars 9 bars - nine bars to each of!

In just one second Dan opened his jaws
to get a new grip and brace his hands.

It sure the drunk his hoped for chance.

He sped through the door - minus most of his pants,

There were cheers + hoots + "hows to Dan"

But Dan you know was a modest man

He crossed his hand - seemed to say -

"Jesus neither fellows - all in a day.

There are lots of fights in lots of saloons"

Then he went to a corner to nurse his wounds.

But bartender said - he snatched his hand

and the cook in the kitchen brought him a snack.

A peevish remark - and usually right -
and dignified too - but how he loved to
be - What day - afternoon, occurred that he could tell
of you was in the land - in Michigan in 1880

To a Post-office Inverell.

How many humble hearts have dived
in you and scrawled their manuscript.
Have shared their secrets, told their cares
their curious and quaint affairs.

You pool of ink, you scratchy pen,
Have moved the lives of untorn men,
and with young people breathing hard
Put heaven on a postal card.

- Prayer -

It matters not - if in your knees -
Heath scorches sun - or cooling breeze
no matter what - no matter what
if you wish but indulge in prayer
I shall ^{undoubtedly} and comfort will greet
you there

not my feet, but they will
~~walk to meet~~ greet
will they step ~~greeting~~ greet
But they will walk to meet
you on your way -
It is a privilege to pray.

On snowys winters,
shaking my hearts
(I hope up to heaven - may
speak of death.)
The gentle summer - the
early spring -
Moonlight and ~~my~~ day and
my lovely ~~day~~ day

Perhaps this is subtle
or is not
(Do I hear a rebuttal?)

It implies unit - well -
It's say for down + to say hot!

Unit form ^{unit your number} number -
just random - amples -
We inserted form into the table -
Have + units - need unit table

Would You Believe...

that your discarded clothing - broken chair - old electric appliances would provide a job for someone less fortunate than you? Well they will. Right here in San Francisco is a wonderful organization called Goodwill Industries. Without too much publicity, without benefit of great drives for public funds, it is providing jobs for handicapped persons who take your discarded household materials and rehabilitate them - at the same time rehabilitating themselves.

GOODWILL BUILDS SELF RESPECT, TOO.

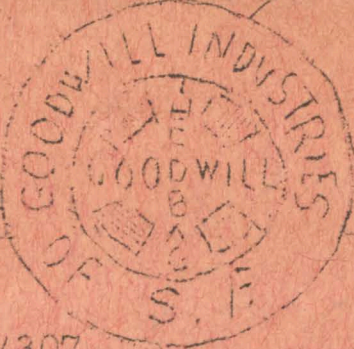
in a flash - you lose a hand - a foot - an eye - back injury - How would you make a living? How would you retain your self respect? working? Where?

THAT'S WHERE GOODWILL COMES IN

We take your discards - train our workers to recondition them - (they earn their living that way.) Then they are sold thru our own stores and the proceeds pay the wages. Won't you be our partner in continuing this service for those who want

*Not Charity but
a Chance!*

GOODWILL
BAG



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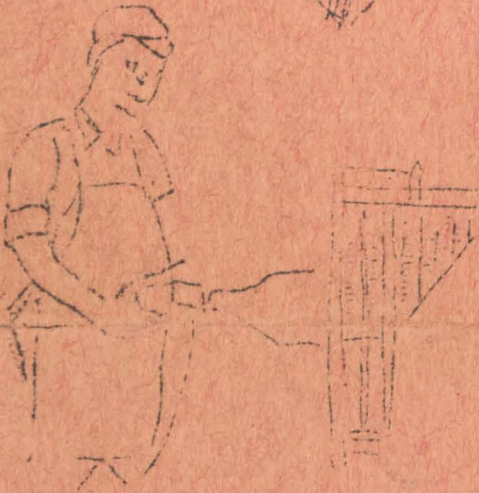
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Goodwill helps handicapped to help themselves



*Just imagine the new
order for them
you in the aspect of handicapped*

- Sky and Hill.

The sky curves down to touch the hill;
The hill tip-toes to meet the sky!

They kiss -

God's creation - both -

They are loath

To break the kiss

Swift earth and sky -

Wouldn't you and I?

- Why Flowers Are Fragrant -

Yes now I know why flowers smell sweet,
and beauty alone will not suffice.

(Though grateful man doth call them nice)
'Tis that the flowers wish to greet

Or say,

Or shall I call it pray

Their thanks to God for sustenance

For sustenance from cloud and sod!!

My thought I know you'll ridicule,

and loudly claim I am a fool

to say

that flowers pray!!

But if I am a fool

'tis only by a man-made rule!

Think if you wish my thought amiss

It will not me annoy

for I have had the joy

of thinking and of writing this!

Walters Ireland The Sea
Thames
Brandy + Gin + Dubaich

~~Scotch~~
Brandy + Scotch in
tumbling away

Dancers + Teachers +
Cutty Sack.

Lat 69 - you make me feel
my jolly ^{on poles} I tried to
embark

On a voyage of ^{well known} names -
9d to ^{high} to ^{way of salt} shavers

For 9d leave out a
just ^{fair} hand

The shining clean shores
Intrigues all classes
Poor - or rich - or
middle class

The disguised man -
or the ^{sup} what an ass

~~9-16~~
~~10-17~~

^{clap}
And the patient will
thy busy ~~hand~~ tender.
Years you + me + thy
Guy on a bander.
He agrees that your
science
are not just dreams -
That people think are
funny -

With serious men he
rids his head -
That what you have said
I would ~~replay~~ ^{replay} ~~with words~~

without you the ~~course~~
is just a ~~place~~ -
a ~~hand~~ ^{well} ~~vacant~~ ^{land} of
~~space~~ - ~~space~~ -

Villages of flowers
In ^{profusion} wild
shady ^{rocks} + ^{tumbling}
rocks
The spray from the ^{meads}
scenery say
Bring your greetings from
very long way
You promised yourself
you'd visit some time
a ^{fully} ^{imaginated}
ethereal ^{land}.

^{about 5 years}
when we said our
"9d" - ^{re} ^{what} ^{is}
fears.
Two in an obscure
mountain ^{land} -
Quiet + holy +
"not here a man"
and that holy man +
we both with

Golden Gate Factory

Sausalito, Calif.

GENERAL STATEMENT

A General Statement
by E. R. HASLETT
General Manager.

*Antibiotic papers
and
Dispenser of
the flowing water.*

WHAT IS LUX-EAU

Lux-Eau is pronounced Lux-O (Luck-So) and is a portable water softening apparatus that attaches to the faucet—and catches or removes ALL THE HARDNESS, instantly and immediately, without use of chemicals. It is made in several sizes, and as to its construction, capacity, operation, information in detail is covered in our circular. Our General Sales Manual as furnished all agents with their first samples is even more complete.

WHAT IS HARD WATER

Throughout the greater part of the United States and Canada, the water is, in general, satisfactory from a sanitary standpoint, in that the sources have been guarded against bacterial pollution by competent health officers employed by every state, county, city and village. However, from a usefulness standpoint, water is in most sections very unsatisfactory. That is, for those things that most people depend on water like washing, bathing, cleaning, cooking and drinking, its everyday usefulness is impaired by the fact that it has dissolved from the ground so much lime and magnesia minerals that such a heavy excess of these insoluble alkalis have become a nuisance. Hard Water is the name commonly used by everyone to describe this nuisance—and it merely means otherwise good water—with so much lime and magnesia that it is hard to use from the standpoint of health, economy, personal appearance and comfort.

A REVOLUTIONARY IMPROVEMENT IN WATER

Because everyone uses water in so many ways and for so many purposes, anything that improves water even slightly is of immediate interest to everyone. But when something comes along that so materially changes water that it reduces the soap bill fifty per cent, changes dishwashing and laundry from drudgery to a pleasure, instantly and permanently beautifies skin and hair, yet provides a very definite health improvement by its quality for drinking alone, then it requires no great imagination to foresee it soon accepted as a basic necessity.

GOVERNMENT RECOGNIZES THE HARD WATER NUISANCE

Even the Government frankly recognizes the hard water nuisance and in one bulletin (Agricultural Dept. 1497, Page 16) says that lime and magnesia in water not only destroys the power of soap but forms a new product which does not dissolve in water but forms a "sticky unpleasant SCUM" which makes the laundry gray....This "Scum" is commonly called hard water curd. Another bulletin frankly predicts that the day is soon approaching when soft water will be considered as necessary to the home as ice, gas and electricity are now.

WOMEN WELCOME RELIEF FROM HARD WATER

Women know that it is the hard water that makes their hair dingy and coated, their skin clogged and lifeless, their dishes and glassware covered with a tenacious dull film, their laundry insufferably gray. They also know hard water makes their silk hose and lingerie immediately lose its luster and newness, that causes them to use three times the soap that soft water would require, that makes their coffee and tea bitter, that makes their cooking require so much longer time, that makes water chafe and irritate tender skins, that makes it preferable to buy bottled water for healthful drinking. And because women do know these things, when anyone can honestly say to them "YOU CAN NOW COMPLETELY AND INSTANTLY SOFTEN WATER WITHOUT CHEMICALS, AS IT COMES FROM THE FAUCET" it is never a question of creating a demand for your product, it is solely a matter of convincing them that the good news you have brought them is genuine. You, thus, have a product where you never need search for prospects — for EVERY HOME IS ONE—and, having the thing THAT'S WANTED is Rule One for profitable selling.

UNLIMITED OUTLETS FOR LUX-EAU

Now before I explain further my plan, I do not at this point want you to get the idea that house to house canvass, retail stores and demonstration booths are the only outlets for Lux-Eau. Many men buy them just for having soft water for shaving. Photographers, for washing prints to prevent lime spots, doctors and dentists for use in their sterilizers preventing scale and keeping the instruments bright; diesel engine owners to prevent scale in the water cylinder head; service stations for filling radiators to prevent scale; (in many places they use it for battery water; dry cleaners use it for spot radiators to prevent scale; (independent Service Stations make good dealers; dry cleaners use it for spot making coffee; hand laundries, for soap and labor saving and improved appearances; light manufacturers of syrups and solutions to prevent cloudiness; high school and college laboratories for demonstrating base exchange softening by zeolite. You could almost say unlimited—and not be disputed.

*Don't miss this
with water a
benefit*

Millwright

How ancient Greeks
and Romans sold!!
and perfectas! Greeks
Blame sold!!
The duffles don't sanders
made on its street

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*I've already not beyond for ever
 for my heart to see their days
 and not trying but to become needs
 and work (about their)
 to have a kinder person
 to find your lovely check.*

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To the a sparrow?
 I find - ah how near it,
 How sweet to meet
 Your power to meet!
 Her beauty quiet ⁱⁿ my
 Dignity ⁱⁿ my ^{existence} ⁱⁿ my ^{world} ⁱⁿ my ^{eyes}
 I so cross a ⁱⁿ ^{my} ^{applied} ^{lawn}
 I so watched ⁱⁿ ^{my} ^{eyes} ^{lawn}
 and the smile upon her lips
~~So~~ ^{So} ^{also} ^{sweet} ^{as} ^{nectar} ^{that} ^{the} ^{is} ⁱⁿ ^{my} ^{out}
 from dew. ^{cherished} ^{and} ^{so} ^{fairly} ^{of} ^{my}
 I ^{had} ^{rest} ^{of} ^{my} ^{eyes} ^{for} ^{my} ^{eyes} ⁱⁿ ^{my} ^{eyes}

This is no wit-crack,
It's really true.
You're ^{that} ~~the~~ ^{same} old bunch
of Aladdin's stew!

and if ^{the} young you were suspicious
forget all about it - it was really delicious!
I know I have that flapjack fault
of always using too damn much salt.

But ^{the} ^{pre-} ^{framed} ^{also}
So ^{the} ^{phub} ^I ^{shut} ^{the} ^{salted}
^{bunch}

And then I found a ^{little} delight
the young weren't salty - ^{it was just a} ^{little} ^{bit}
and if all these years I'd only learned
when you serve the food - it's ^{so} ^{helpful} ^{learned}!
and that other little ^{shakes} - ^{the} ^{windy} ^{one}
I hear I should stamp when the ^{windy} ^{one} is done

I got it a start and leave it there -
I never felt enough - no I should care !!

Became bothered with ants
on my blue denim pants
So I took the ~~cap~~ cup measure
(I was really a pleasure)
and watched all of your plants,
and so!

and so!

It finally came to pass

That W. P. Fuller fixed the glass
and as I ~~wrote~~ wrote - Subsequent
of my dump at Belmont (hope parents excuse)
when I studied with Fuller) did I say study?
I knew him well - tho not my buddy
wld. meet on the grounds and walk to class,
and I would worry - and he would pass
and later at Stanford, gun flew to see
I was pleased because
through his own head he brought a sense
and terribly act - folks didn't deserve

Descartes' friend

because he has a sense
of humor

but I think he
is a bit of a
man with
a sense of humor

Rummy Ramblings On The Burning Deck.

The boy sat on the burning Deck,
(Less fifty-one more cards.)
Believe me 'twas an ace by heck,
With which to gyp his pards.

He waited for the proper time
When he should have the chance,
To get that card(now what will rhyme?)
From underneath his pants.
He chose the time,oh oh,oh oh
He chose the time,oh oh,oh oh!
But all his pards gave chase.
Perhaps it is you'd like to know
They shot him in the ace.

The boy stood on the burning deck,
With peanuts? Yes by heck!
Darn glad he was there was a wreck,
With no one there to neck.

The First Mate offered all his aid,
And met with a frown.
"What YOU,my Mate?",the boy he said,
"I'll let the ship go down!"

The First Mate argued,man to man;
As you can well believe
That any great big sea man can
With 'kerchief in his sleeve.

FLASH! The boy swam to another ship!

The boy and girl were on the deck;
Burning was her throat;
What made it so,you'd not suspect,
Is that what drives the boat.
(Editor's note: The boy had no twin brother.)

This dog-gone thing is off my mind,
So now its up to you
To see if you can surely find
A word that rhymes with propeller.

Books.

Methinks a poem I once read,
In which twas said,
That only God can make a tree,

I'll well we know, how true it is,
Such craftsmanship could be but His.

He made its trunk, each leaf and limb,
Forches - and more, we reverence Him.

So don't you think 'twould foolish be
For you or I, to even try
To make a tree?

Suppose we say - we made an tree;
We'd steel be short our goat -
So don't you see, could were be
We'd got on trees a goat?

The trees we make and flowers too -
and field and meadow - work -
yet after all, man's not so sweet
for he can make a fool.

4 Both of Genes.

Somewhere there is a tiny pool
That's very hard to find.

I know no path, I know ^{no} ~~no~~ ^{no} ~~no~~
Through field or wood, or human mind
To guide me there, ~~for it is where~~
For it is where

The poets go
To dip a trusting pen,
That you and I and other men
May ~~know~~ know

The joys that flow
From mythos, rhyme and ~~of~~ euphony
Into the realm of poetry.

oft times I've tried to find that pool,
(I had a parched and yearning pen)
In Mother Nature's lovely school,
Imagination's dearest den.

The pleasant ~~to~~ the paths I used;
E'en tho' the Sisters kind attend
Me, or about me play,

I know full well I've missed the way.

Then Reason comes to comfort me,
and bids me understand
It's not my lot that poor to see
'Tis that that God has diffed His hand
and sprinkled sparkling drops upon
The ~~earth~~ earth that shall await anon
Some happy, playful child
By desert break, a flower wild
On whose side these children play
'tis pre-ordained by Him that they
Who shall so much as touch
with childish purpose just
These crystal spheres in miniature
Become forthwith for us to know,
Sweet genius now in embryo.
Within our midst, yet set apart
with guided innocence they start
upon a consecrated path
That doth besage sweet aftermath.
For come perhaps the path is stony
With ~~with~~ heart-aches sore, (life's sharpest thorn)
'Tis by determination born
That character is born.
The picky kiss of luxury
may start some on their way;
The priceless pearl of deity
and cultured hold refined away.

THE SWING.

Today I saw the nicest thing,
I watched a daddy make a swing.
He didnt know that I was there
And read his thoughts, akin to prayer:
but from my house across the yard
I watched him play, yet work so hard
With nail and hammer, saw and spade,
And all the while the nicest smile
Around his features played.

He dug a hole down in the ground
And in the hole he stood a pole
Then packed it in all good and sound.
Atop the pole he nailed an end
Of stoutest wood that wouldnt bend;
It pleased me much to see that he
Secured the other to a tree,
For ever since I was a child
I've loved a tree (my parents smiled)
And always gave approving nod
When I would say it seemed to me
That every kind of living tree
Was something very close to God.

He must have asked her not to peek
Until he said the swing was done,
But now and then his eyes would seek
The window (surely just in fun).

Now if there is a nicer thing
Than watch a daddy make a swing
It is to see his happy child
Burst from the door with laughter wild,
And blowing curls and childish charms
Rush to her daddy's waiting arms.
And I am grateful for this day,
The impulse too that bids me say
My thanks to Him for giving me
Appreciation, and to see
And know the joys of simple things
Like watching daddies making swings.

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Then came the ropes all bright and new,
And painted seat ('twas dandy too).

A breathless messenger
stopped in to report

"I he enemy reheatung
and we held the fort

and Elsie will tell you
and give you her word
There's not a horn cow
In the Baden herd.

Slappers Court.

Meris to Man

If we like him - we lose him

If we love him - we let him

If we let him - we lose him.

God damn him.

and every transgressor
thinks the father confessor
can purge him of his sins,
Then - my gosh supposing its twins!

Of from righteousness you have strayed
Be ye not dismayed.

Of the "straight and narrow" you have missed,
The father will give you a slap on the wrist
and say "run along now and be a good boy
Your frequent confessions ~~is~~ begin to annoy.

I can think of nothing dearer
than being a lonely mother superior,
whose natural passions can't be released
Even to a yearning and passionate priest.
There must be times when they sit and fret
and wait for something they will not get
Nor do they have the slightest hope
for human and understanding Papal.

- I Heard a Bird Sing. -

I heard a bird sing
in the dark of December;
a magnificent thing
and sweet to remember.
I am closer to spring
than I was in September!

a wonderful thing
when comes the spring,
for I shall be dead
when this is read,
and who will ~~not~~ remember
as long as September?

— June —

June heals?

ah no! Her cruelty reveals
all I have lost

in her, its embossed

with phrases high - and thought
physical, it comes to naught!

and yet why am I so sad
love I never have had?

and yet I'm happy - rewarded - blest -

and lovely - - - - - never was guessed!

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with manuscript
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It was on film; she was colored & she carried a baby in
a blanket. She was young & her face was drawn but
there was spring in her step. This little black boy
shone in that sun.

I said - "Get her your own hand -"
"Proud" she said - "Proud"

"Why shouldn't Ah be proud - Ah's taken him up to
the clinic"

"Oh - to the clinic" - I said - "I'm sorry, what's
the matter with him?"

"Matter with him? Matter with him?"
Nothin's ~~the~~ matter with him you fool -

Ah's just taken up to show them doctors
nurses & specialists what a strong, healthy
colored child can be -

I felt the burn of her eyes on my back & was grateful
for the happy light that told me to go

To Doug Montel + Assoc. Stationers

Hi Doug -

Old plug -

Please read me through,

Cause this is kindly meant to you.

Yet who am I to express affection
to you + associates in any a station

When millions of people from fall

Also nuts with you about football.

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eyes cold.

But please good folks
Give me a break
Please set your teeth
+ try to talk.

Some punishing lines
~~compassionate~~
for patience and ~~for~~ ^{sub} ~~take~~

Polms - yo - I read 'em all
The master of counsel + ever the
small

The hills the sky - the
blossoms + vines -
Moonlight + all - left
into my lines

I kept it a secret until
I was sure
That the knits I had written
would always endure

I did all the ~~things~~ things

that youngsters did.
Lived the normal life
of a happy kid.

Ah but the ~~day~~ ^{smell}

of new-mown hay

~~The~~ ^{Downy} down of a tree-branch on
a melting day.

The warmth of December
'twill always tell -

~~of~~ of quiet & winter
- all is well.

- To Poetry -
with apologies to
Oliver Goldsmith -
In his "Deserted Village"
"And then Sweet Poetry
Thou loveliest maid
~~with~~ still first to thy
"when sensual joys in"

Almost since the day I
learned to read.

Poetry for me has filled
a need.

I was a country boy
went to a country school

where another nation

spread her joy

^M about our home school!

as time went on - they would

id read and ~~see~~

I had rhyme & rhythm become a
part of me.

(Oh by the way, good folks

please let me say

that I'll attempt my ~~is~~

thought as ^{my} ~~thought~~ profound

stupid of me. ~~There's that~~

~~Just~~ that you have just

to me exact -

I know that just

that you have already said

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Yes I confess my deep chagrin -

(I know you never meant to be made)
You could have prayed for fortitude!

to overcome each cruel succumb!

and get up off the floor and win!

I'm on the floor and everything hurts like hell

I'll get a chair - the count is only seven -

know what might do it a week -

Some one else is near -
I know when I reach - and just

and I don't know you mean -
I'll get up in the end

Just when I want you most of all

Every time I want you most of all

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a week of a year
and many days
never run

Time + Space -

Think you that time or space or miles can dull
The holy lust of my love or dull
To last

Or ever appease
This pulsing, throbbing heart of mine &
Yes throbbing & pulsing for one desire!

Love, or more or more

Can not portray oh love or how I long.

And to sweet madness I am driven!

By a love that is God-given!

One morn about a week ago,
Our phone bell gave a cheery tinkle;
A friend's voice said he'd like to know
If he could his good wife might sprinkle
Some drops of pleasure on our lives
(Is on such things the soul survives)
and drive with them o'er pleasant mills
through rolling hills far far from town
~~when~~ parting summer left her smiles
for field and trees of woodland brown.
With modest mien and easy grace
He said they'd built a little place -
'Twas by a river, and many a tree -
and would we like to go and see? -
My ready answer was to him -
"Ask me if a duck can swim."
My wife inquired, what to prepare -
He terse reply - now don't you dare -

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Burned oak
blends
with juniper

Surpass

By an old ticket line
Or a more impatient wait
By a swampy garden gate
mom. etc

a h. y. night club
a climb's heavy 9 millions
over the But

Wright On a Recursion ship.

The wind is fresh, and the air is clean
and plenty of work to do;

Man feels no need

So he pays no heed

Do venturing a selfish spleen,

The work you do, with a working crew!

see part of a new useful scheme.

Part of a team

conspiring them!

as contented as grandmother
wanting her ^{to} plant
some ~~seed~~ - such on her

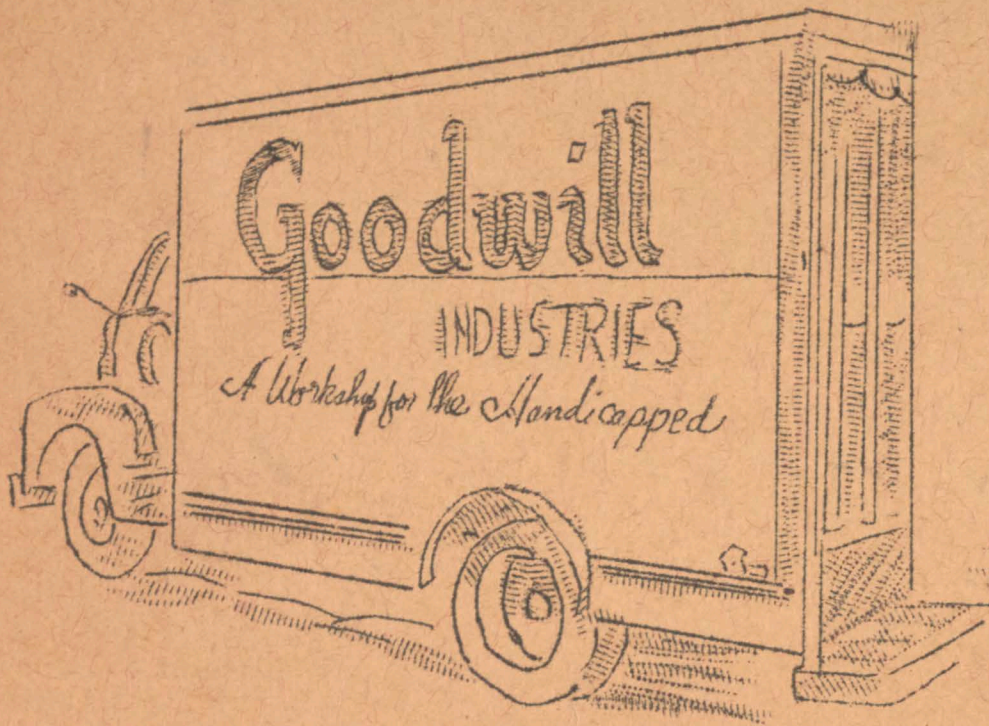
You think the BEST,
So you rest you see,
I'm that nervous in
You don't & relieve
The thing's you thought was gone

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We said his name was Doctor Woo.
I thought and "wearing doctor - how do you do -
You're not the just Woo - I've known!"
"I well remember, when quite a small lad
a certain experience that I had.
The doctors said - was stone of the bladder
my parents worried - got sadder sadder,
and so at once they brought me down
from New York - that town of great renown!!
They'd heard of a doctor - a Doctor Wang Woo
and so it was that they took me to.

They said that was ~~was~~ a story he could do
with his herbs and teas & medicines too!!
A kindly gentle man - made me feel at ease
I'm known and liked, many Chinese.
The place was swam and swamps of clay
Belcher's I'll remember to my dying day.
He placed before me - a steaming dish -
Take ~~at~~ drink he said - I made a wish -
The wish alone was a truly wonder
In his a wish of summer thundery

Seems kind gently what
difficult to name
dog & monkey
seems to be
I've seen this
kind eye

Took "Eplumbus The Second" into wheelchairs to see what could be done about curbing his appetite for gasoline. Explained to him that even though I was from Texas, I don't own an oil well.

They adjusted his carburetor.

Then I drove him down to 3-A - let him see me pay \$9.00 for additional insurance, want to teach the young ones the value of money, what it costs to give him a good home.

and as Mrs
Hessup would -
for numerous to
confi!
my childish faith was
then, around 11!
I had had to drink of
the wonderful wonders.
and day after day they
took me there -
I'd only known this
what I know about the
pages!!
for ~~best~~ they very first
was a list of names of
was ten times ten was
them enough.
We must recognize them of the
Nelson's help
and reflect on recent and
all was well.

prompt on receipt of a message about
the general nature of the problem
and by a nuclear problem
We're a hell of a lot better than we were before.

We was cordial + so was
I'm sure we will have to say
never I will be - (pardon public license)
I have statements of cordality.

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I can not find death
-

Perhaps unwise, stupid,

But I have always

Wad is you -

In silent mystery

Say to me

No voice whips in your

heart.

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O, grown-ups cannot understand
and grown-ups never will
You show the way to family land
across the purple hills.
They smile: their smile is very kind
Their eyes are wise and deep;
and yet - at just a child's command
The world's an open street.

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~~It's almost over~~

It's almost over - its round
minute here -

A couple of birds + a young one
were ~~to~~ flying out - but to get
like you I would like to know

The word - ah ^{word} ~~is~~ word with
with soft division -
anant they reflects exposed
depression

But it seems to me whoever
~~is~~ ~~was~~

To me my work loses guise
to always guise -
He would ~~be~~ my + they cut up the
flaws -

To an Urchin,

Hello little boy!

Maybe I'm welcome, perhaps I annoy,

But you seem so stuffed,

you guffeed
my heart
right from the start!

Another thing too

is that you

Don't seem to envy those ^{little} other chaps
with cow-boy hats in pistols & shaps.

Something tells me, there's lots within -

^{But not outwardly you care}
But outwardly you take it on your strong little chin.

You have a nice smile, that won't retreat,
with it

and it seems misfortune has caught you to meet

that tossing about from heels to pole

and talk of knowledge that you have a soul.

Lets go to the corner - just you & I.

It's without you knowing why, I'd like to try

To meagerly fill those pitiful gaps

So pitifully empty of pistols & shaps.

A double cream cone, or a chocolate malt

The phylis is yours - but yours not the fault.

Might now give fifty (plus ~~two~~ two or three)

That's a lot 'o' years - I tell you & me -
ah well my trials just the way
I mean as I say

understanding

your lips say it,
But your eyes say that

you can say what you like

but I know the way that you
say it

another thing to

my heart -

heart that you've got

you seem so kind

might be true - and I say

well well my

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Where do they ^{Skid Row}
More skidders ^{in Skid Row} ~~How~~ ^{where} they
Thud & thud - characters devoured.

Nobody seems to know
They simply come & simply go
In endless streams -
Of blue overalls & breath
Of cheap wine that keeps them
Close to death.

Sometimes you see -
Men of prose & high poetry -
Breeding, cultured - talent -
Consumed by the vulture -
Booze

Rampant, loose

Skid Row
Where do they go?
Those skidders on Skid Row!
(Thud 'n' thud -
Characters devoured)
Nobody seems to know
They simply come 'n' simply go
In endless streams of overalls 'n' breath
Of cheap wine that keeps them close to death!!!
Men of prose - high poetry -
- artistry -

Breeding, talent, cultured
Rampant, loose
Consumed by the Vulture
Booze - 1!

Charles: Ties
Hate that
after school look
youthful head upon
Takes on the softness
of a woman

all these things -

Thanks for letting me look beyond
a Cock-tail Bluff

Look beyond in two ways -
sympathize - for a ^{single} day - about the
- for a ^{single} day

Met. Thanks again - there's intelligence
to avoid - well - certain ways

Dear Tee - Thank Tee

In the land of orange & fig,
without a day long ^{single} ^{what you may call}
There's only out with ^{what}

Bury me under a what-you-may-call it
and plant ^{what you may call} toys on my grave

- More Tony -

Ho-lo everybody - again eet ees Tony.

I lika de friend - or what you call "crazy,"

To-day I need both, for I say from da start

I hava beeg hunt - beeg hunt in da heart.

Eets about thees war! I cant understand!

God geve so much, to make life grand!

Tony know da wrong from da right,

and God mean that men should make fight!

The first thing I do is make da prayer.

I go to da church - I lika de there.

and you set you my life, that after I kneel

and leave the church - much better I feel.

The church eet ees good and I like to go.

But heesten to Tony - for Tony know;

Eef I'm good - eets like God, and you set you that He

will heesten to Tony - WHEREVER I AM!

My Rosa she say "Tony you wrong - for why you do for?"

I lika hava you pray - but no matter what you say,

But no matter what you say,

You no a can stoppa thees war!

Gray Rosa you wrong - for God ees too strong

To leta thees men keep fight!

Eets against Hees law that men do wrong

When He mean that men do right!"

In June you blow the tiny leaves,
Then pause, and ^{in reverence} ~~reverently~~ you say
"We thank ^{you} God" and bless the day,
That Christ our Lord was born.

and then there is the tiny tree
that's left through many times seasons
(~~Yes~~ for purely sentimental reasons)
Year after year it seems to ~~be~~
with its cheery, ~~times~~ ^{times} limbs
again ^{at June} next year, ^{the same} well shrouded,
never more upon another ~~times~~ ^{times} tree
for children all - and ~~grown~~ grown up too, to see

Dismantling the Christmas tree.

This is a paradox, I know you'll say,
and yet to me, ~~there~~ ^{there} always seemed to be
a kind of ^{that always seems to be} pleasant sadness"
mingled with the seasons gladness
On the day,
we dismantle the Christmas tree
and tuck the ornaments tidily away.

We rained up and due from the open
and seemed to see a much from a tree
and welcome he was wherever he went
and it kept of seemed that Dan was sent
to show part human whose lives were spent
in weakness + wants they is sure to repeat
there is much to be learned if they follow the log
of ^{this} a decent and friendly old Maloput dog.
how nobody knows
just why Dan chose

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How "Kitty" was pregnant,
 as by as a hoar,
 So doggone heavy she
 couldnt catch a mouse.
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This is the tall of a ^{Centurion} ~~day~~
 waterport day
 The used boy he was
 raised on "frog"
 But belit ^{my} that wonderful
 Arch.

He never lasted that
 waterport Arch.

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and in the grey who stood
and pulled the things
came I must paddy
with the - saw valley - his neck -
shaved hair
wants to cut a check -
assures you - he himself is busy
But it died - doesn't have the right

Some yellow was weathered from
could be a fan
and at the weathered horn
Some yellow with ^{hills} ~~flaws~~
Partly in his better hole
Partly in the reserves you find
might a carnation - the best in the nation
cause to mother day - ~~on the~~

In suffered to
be an action that
gives - happiness
utterance to things.
according to the
best will by -
cause of
mother
day

Symphonic -
new citizens

Under stamp
I like day out all way

Jordan to deal with ~~the~~ ^{dreams}
agree with all that ~~the~~
about the fights, last night - ~~that fella~~
the fur was yellow +
But then I love you + my

The reflex
was for this other fellow
The you - ~~the~~
The word -
The punk decision -
Say - did you see the television
at the 9/11 ~~3 days~~ + ~~partly~~ phase
and Jordan to ~~the~~ some club cases

The stock
at change -
Katherine Perry -
Punkie about
down - Bush's
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Zambel -
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He was sick at heart - his strength ^{was} fast gone;
 I was only for Dan that he faced each dawn.
 at times his better self would say
 "Dan would be better with me away"
 He'd find a good home and soon forget
 "got out of all - and yet - and yet" -
 you had to think of breaking our bond.
 Perhaps - who knows - in the Great Beyond! -
 I have just seen how Dan would greet -
 "But Dan said that I should leave!"

He saw some dogs, not far away
 and said to Dan "go over and play
 and frolic and run, and have some fun
 and ~~of~~ ^{front} and back and have a look"
 Dan seemed to know what he had to say
 With pleading eyes he begged to stay
 His intuition (dogs have it you know)
 from deep within - said "do not go"
 With loyal obedience - but deep dismay -
 He walked dejectedly away!
 He joined the dogs but did not play -
 altho they urged in their earnest way

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 and said to Dan - go over and play
 and frolic and run - have some fun
 and ~~of~~ ^{front} and back and have a look
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(And His Friend)

This is the tale of a waterfront dog:
They used to say he was raised on "grogg",
But believe you me, that wonderful pooch
Never drank of that waterfront "Hooch".
Perhaps some time a good natured "stew"
Would offer him a bit of his brew;
Because he was friendly, a lap or two,
'N he'd wag his thanks, but then he was through.

He roamed up and down from pier to pier,
And that went on from year to year.
'Twas said his master had once been rich;
So many tales nobody knew which
To believe, or if even if any were true,
Until one day a man who knew
His master in years gone by, and when
He was honored and respected by other men.
~~I believe its true~~ In a far away town, I believe its true
And the story he told, I'll tell to you.

It seems with talents he was richly endowed;
God-fearing and honest, and very proud.
But most of all he adored his wife,
And when he lost her it shattered his life.
Ah yes he loved her with every breath,
But the way he lost her was worse than death.
He'd summon his courage, but soon despair;
Dejection engulfed him and he wouldnt care.
The market would drop and he'd hit the booze;
The more he drank drank the more he'd lose.
He lost his business and most of his friends;
Well thats the way it usually ends.
Then came the day they all had feared;
He wasnt around--just disappeared.

~~The man who told me the story that day~~
Was he
The Embarcadero as you may know
is San Francisco's waterfront;
Where night and day there's contiouous flow
Of business and misery and those who hunt
For a livelihood or a brief respite
By those who know they have lost the fight.

~~The Man who told me the story that day~~
~~Was here on business, and holiday~~
~~The former had~~
On one side her piers and world-wide shipping;
The other, human interest thats often gripping;
And if you go there your'e apt to find
A true cross section of all mankind.

The man who told me the story that day
Was here on business, and holiday;
The former had taken him down to the docks
And there he received the shock of all shocks
For face to face he came upon
A delect man with features drawn
And bloated cheeks and bloodshot eyes,
But ~~her~~ he was able to recognize
His former townsman and one time friend:
He offered his help and begged him to end
His self-imposed misery and let him send
Him where his body and soul might mend.
With halting speech and cough that wracked
His wasted body he said lacked
The will or the wish to retrace his track;
~~***~~ "I'm too far gone to try to come back".

His face was unshaven and his hair unkept,
'Twas often a mystery where he had slept.
Although he'd long since given up caring
He had a natural princely bearing;
With all of his weakness and self-neglect
Your heart strings gave him a note of respect.
Somewhere he found a little pup;
And on the "front" the dog grew up;
He had been injured and left to die
But the delect's heart couldn't pass him by.
He nursed him and fed him as best he could,
Though hungry himself he often would
Forego the meagerest kind of a meal
So that the dog might eat, and heal:
Nobody knew why, not even the man;
For some unknown reason he named him Dan.

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And every winged choir comes to hear.

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In notes that mortal man has never heard,
Its first, and silver-throated symphony.

I ~~first~~ left the hill, the brook, the meadow too;
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She had this funny little way -
~~She'd laugh & wrinkle her nose~~
She'd never let you kiss her -
She'd laugh & wrinkle her nose
and always ~~to~~ she'd say -
"It's moonlight - let's not spoil it"
A kiss - well not miss it

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also that ~~before~~ perfume of his
4 pretty clocks.

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So Elsie's place is at the lot
and, twice you and not
Borden will see
that by the quantity,
will never, never drop.

Time? ^{can be} ~~is~~ ^{is} relentless, but time endures
and makes more ~~sure~~ ^{sure}, that passing years

again I ask that you forgive
my very inadequate pen
But its tender & sweet to his "relieve"
So thank you much - again and again

→ drove along the country ~~with~~ ^{side}
Lupine, orange, poppie - California Ind -
and lupine - purple lupine - ah who could decide?
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She corrects series almost every day;
Intelligent, refined - in a dignified way.
A background of culture, no plain dress
I told her of lines from my ~~unpublished~~
attributes from her - for all to see.
I quoted some lines from my ~~unpublished~~ ~~series~~;
I know what she did - I smiled + then

Well - I made some mistakes
I had some tough meals -
I ~~was~~ thought them, he is suffered
But she always suffered
My mistakes + misdeeds - with reason -
I when reason speaks, look out the reason
of repentance, for 'as, sure as hell,
safest bet you'll, you'll bet I have got

Lafayette

McWong -

" ~~any I am a~~ ~~mean~~ ~~mean~~ -
Cases like Martin -
(Or maybe two)
Something I need to -

Well Wong - Monday ^{was} ~~with~~ through
That is an old ~~mean~~ ~~mean~~ -
Case I like a Martin -
Or maybe two.

But better way - that's the way to make
before I come back by a.

For business reasons I partner
with ~~business~~ ~~agent~~ ~~with~~ ~~partner~~

Before you put your shoes & clothes coats you said in book

CATTLE ARRIVALS

Wait a minute seller - walk around the block

Maybe something will happen you didn't expect

Date Out of Time it damaged you Ex self refect

No. It happened Kind Weight Cost Avg. Lb.

It may come of Country Avg. net from the May

Freight, etc.

and seller S. F. Avg. throw out you lost chest

Shrink

Hold your head Country Avg. light weight

Freight, etc.

And say that I

Yours the S. F. Avg. rest

Shrink

That God Country Avg. with line

Freight, etc.

of God will me S. F. Avg. I cannot lose

Shrink

And blunts to that S. F. Avg. didn't the boze

Country Avg.

Freight, etc.

S. F. Avg.

Shrink

Avg.

Remarks: _____

To the alcoholic -

Some times I think I would be a sacrifice
To burn the budget

"I mean" you and me -
Rather I think I would be a sacrifice.

In both of us - to strengthen and support
That mythical cross - you someone didn't see

But read the signs - "bout Muscald and Pat.

Let's put it in language - heartfelt + simple -
Was a chubby child - whose smile + dimple.

~~By passed your heart - cold hand & cheek
sought your heart, but in vain did seek
What you sought the truth - cold + bleak!
You by-passed -~~

But you look upon your sacrifice -
Can't think of grief + joy is all
Must you feel himself has set out well
Success and my shining moment

July 15, 1955

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Alcohol-

Alcohol - Shouldn't that year - ?
Or should it water year ?
Was poetry - a art. ?

No doubt your played your part -
and head is well ~~well~~
and ready - folks to learn - in lesson, 1, 9.

The baker - who finds himself against the wall.
Ember year - heads to feel at all -

The yaghtful water - was long dead -
ah - but check he is found -

and pray to God for Anderson's name. !

Then try turn to you - when the first thing -
Distant - it may not be -
Good up there - what is it a paper -

Carmel, California.
August 26, 1947.

Mr. Edward Weeks; Editor.
The Atlantic Monthly.
8 Arlington St.
Boston 16, Mass.

Dear Sir.

I am pleased to enclose herewith three pieces of verse
which I hope you may find usable.

Yours truly,

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Address;
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My Sonnet

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YOU SPOILED MY GARDEN

I liked roses, 'cause roses were like you;
And when you wore roses (cross my heart that this is true),
Couldn't tell if that fragrance came from roses
Or they reflected you.

I was fond of violets too;
Always thought them about the nicest thing I knew,
Until that day I brought them
And placed them close to you.

I used to like a hyacinth,
Its labyrinth
Of hue: its loveliness too.
Then came the day I saw one
Pinned on the breast of you.

And now I know where went
The honeysuckle's scent;
The sweetest scent I ever knew.
The vine remains, but the fragrance flew to you.

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Ah yes, the color is brown!
I used to think
That pink,
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