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SPRING POEM.

Watertown, Wis.
April 26, '20

Dear Mr. Editor:

No "Spring Poem" having ap-
peared in your columns, I am send-
ing one which may please some of
your many readers.

Here in the Badger state we have
had a long, cold winter, and are
having a late spring. Garden-mak-
ing has only just begun.

Yours truly,
Mrs. E. Kaub.

APRIL.

Boist'rous March has said good-bye,
And the winter's snow is gone;
Warming sunshine, azure sky,
Crucos' smiling on the lawn—
That's April!

Pussy willows by the brook,
Creeping out in coats of gray
Bursting buds where e're you look,
Blue-birds coming back to stay—
In April.

Dripping sap and greening grass,
Robin Redbreast's "Cheer Up"
call;
Gentle breezes where you pass,
Snowdrops by the southern wall—
Mild April!

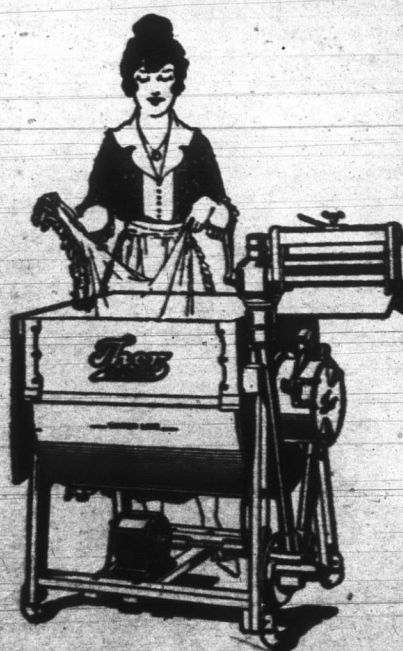
Vanished sunshine, sullen sky,
Cold, rough winds go hurrying
past,
While the skurrying snowflakes by,
Greying clouds o'er all is cast—
That's April!

Smiles and weeping, laughter, tears,
'Neath the snow are May-flowers
creeping;
Joy and sorrow, hopes and fears,
Frost and snow where buds are
sleeping—
Wild April!

Myriad leaflets, tender green,
Dainty flower-buds pushing thru;
Sparkling rain-drops in between—
Rifts of sun-light; violets blue—
Dear April!
"The Flower Lady."

WATCH TONER He's the Winner

Mrs. Andrew Kahler went to Dy-
er this morning.



Let us do your next washing
FREE
WITH A THOR
ELECTRIC

No Obligation Whatever
H. A. LEE
Phone 62.

CONGRESS STUDIES PAPER SHORTAGE

Congressional investigation of the
print paper shortage will be started
next Wednesday by a subcommittee
of the Senate committee on manu-
facturers, headed by Senator Reed,
Democrat, of Missouri. The com-
mittee's plans include inquiry into
supplies, distribution and prevailing
prices.

Pending congressional action, the
assistance of the State Department
in the paper situation was invoked
in connection with efforts to se-
cure removal of restrictions upon
export from Canada of raw materi-
als used in paper manufacture.

Appointment of a commission to
seek removal of Canadian embargoes
on pulpwood was urged by Sen-
ator Underwood, Democrat, Ala-
bama, before the House foreign
affairs committee earlier in the day.
Retailatory legislation should be
enacted, he said, if friendly efforts
toward this end were unsuccessful.
"Serious injury will be suffered
by our newspapers in a few years
if there is no legislation," Senator
Underwood said.

MARKETS BY WIRE.

(Furnished by The Farmers Grain
Market, H. H. Potter, Mgr.)

Live Stock Market.

Hogs, receipts, 23,000; top 15.50.
Cattle, receipt 9,000.
Sheep, receipts, 6,000.
Indianapolis hogs, receipts, 4,000;
top, \$16.00.

Grain Market.

May oats opened at 1.00 and .99
3-4; closed at 1.00 1/4.
July oats opened at .88 1-2 and
1-4; closed at .88 7-8 and .89.
Sept. oats opened at .75 1-4 and
.75; closed at .75 1-4.
May corn opened at 1.73 1-4 and
1.74 1-2; closed at 1.77 and 1.78.
July corn opened at 1.62 7-8 and
1.62 1-2; closed at 1.65 and 1.65
1-8.
Sept. corn opened at 1.56 5-8;
closed at 1.57 7-8 and 1.58.

C. E. Prior went to Chicago this
morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller return-
ed to their home at Monon today
after visiting his parents here.

Leon Lewis returned today from
St. Louis, Mo., where he has been
for several days.

SHE NOW SLEEPS LIKE WELL CHILD WHOLE OF NIGHT

INDIANAPOLIS WOMAN SUFF- ERING FROM INSOMNIA FINDS RELIEF.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 29.—"I
simply can not find words to ex-
press thankfulness for the relief
Trutona has given me, and I am
telling all of my friends about it,"
said Mrs. Mary Mahoney, a well-
known Indianapolis woman of 509
Kentucky Avenue, recently. Mrs.
Mahoney then continued thusly:
"For several years I have been
taking every kind of medicine in
an effort to get relief from consti-
pation, nervousness and insomnia.
For the past six months I could
hardly sleep at all. Although I'd go
to bed at nine o'clock it would of-
ten be early morning before I'd fall
asleep."

"I have always been bothered
with constipation more or less, un-
til I began using Trutona. I've
been taking Trutona for about two
weeks now, and the result is that I
sleep the whole night long like a
well child. I'm not a bit nervous
any more and my bowels are as
regular as clock-work."

"I've taken a barrel of different
medicines but Trutona is the only
one that ever helped me. I want
every one troubled as I was, to try
Trutona for I know it will help
them as it did me."

Trutona's healthful action reach-
es every portion of the body, and
performs its work faithfully and
efficiently. Trutona rebuilds dis-
eased nerves and tissues, creates a
healthful appetite, and assists in the
assimilation and digestion of the
food.

Trutona is now being introduced
and explained in Rensselaer at the
Larsh & Hopkins drug store.

Thread

Just Now We Have

a good supply of

O. N. T., COATS and WILLIMAN-
TIC Sewing Threads.

Better buy while the stock is
complete.

100 yd. spools 8c

150 yard spools 12c

250 yard spools 15c

Burchards

CROP ESTIMATES COVER WIDE AREA

Functions of Important Govern-
ment Bureau Explained.

GATHER FACTS ABOUT CROPS

Scope of Information Contained in
Reports of Bureau of Crop Estimates
Covers Cereals, Forage, Fruits, Vege-
tables, Live Stock and Miscellaneous
—Reports Made at Various Times in
Year on Condition of Crops.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture.)

While the public has some idea of
the functions of the bureau of crop es-
timates of the United States depart-
ment of agriculture, inquiries frequent-
ly received indicate that many persons
still have little conception of the great
field covered by the bureau. The
scope of information contained in sev-
eral crop reports of the bureau may
be indicated under the following
heads: Cereals, forage (grasses),
fruits, vegetables, live stock, and mis-
cellaneous.

In the case of many of the subjects
listed below, the bureau undertakes to
estimate crop condition several times
during the season. Thus from May un-
til October the condition of from 20 to
30 products is reported on monthly.
In December more than a score of final
estimates, including acreage, produc-
tion, and values, are issued, and on
the majority of the products the prices
are supplied each month throughout
the year.

Mass of Information Furnished.

Under cereals the bureau furnishes
a great mass of information at various
times in the year concerning the con-
dition of barley, buckwheat, corn, oats,
rye, and spring and winter wheat. The
estimates regarding forage crops in-
clude alfalfa hay and alfalfa seed,
clover hay, clover seed, field peas,
tame hay and wild hay, grain sorgh-
ums, etc., meadows, millet, pastures,
and timothy hay. The subheadings
under fruit are even more numerous,
there being 16 in all, including apples,
cantaloupes, grapes, lemons, oranges,
pears, prunes. Ten different vege-
table products are reported on at var-
ious times of the year, namely, dry
beans, lima beans (California), cab-
bages, cauliflower (California), celery
(California), field beans, onions, pota-
toes, sweet potatoes, and tomatoes.
The live stock estimates include in
most cases the condition of the stock,
losses from diseases, losses from ex-
posure, the number of animals, and
prices at certain seasons. Figures are
compiled regarding horses, mules,
milk cows, and other cattle, sheep,
lambs, swine, and colonies of honey
bees.

Other Commodities Covered.

Reports of farm prices are also ob-
tained monthly for butter, eggs, chick-
ens, milk, veal calves, timothy seed,
cottonseed, cottonseed meal, and bran;
for soy beans in January, February,
October, November, and December;
for black walnuts, hickory nuts, pec-
ans, and turkeys in January, Octo-
ber, November, and December; for
turnips and pop corn in January,
February, November, and December;
for maple sugar and sirup in March,
April, May, and June, and for chest-
nuts in October, November, and De-
cember.

DOCTOR KILLS HUGE BEAR

Finally Settles Long Feud Between
Two Medicos.

Cordova, Alaska, population 400 in
winter and 2,000 in summer, which
boasts of being the ore shipping center
of Alaska and of being the port where
the ships to the outside stay the long-
est when they put in every eighth day,
finally considers as settled a long feud
between the two medical men of the
community.

Since the days of the Klondike the
medicos of Cordova, Dr. W. W. Coun-
cil and Dr. W. H. Chase, have been
rivals, not so much in the practice of
their profession as in the gathering of
bear pelts.

By this time each has bagged enough
pelts, so Cordova people say, to pave
a block of Market street. And each
time one gets one bigger than usual
he throws out his chest and considers
himself the champion bear hunter of
the community.

But the championship seems to have
been settled when Doctor Chase re-
cently bagged a brown bear measuring
a trifle more than twelve feet from
tail to snout.

Coney Preparing for Cold.

The coney has confirmed the wild
duck's prediction of a long, cold win-
ter. The coney is a species of rabbit
that inhabits the higher rocky areas,
feeding on "timberline" vegetation,
according to Webster, but Ed Tungen,
Colorado mountain climber, says he's
only part rabbit. "He looks like a
rabbit," avers Ed, "but barks like a
prairie dog, hibernates like a bear and
is as bashful as a beaver. And is a
real weather prophet."

Aged Woman Gets Homestead.

Mrs. Anna M. Scott, ninety years of
age, who has just proved up on her
homestead near Saugas, Mont., is be-
lieved to be the oldest homesteader in
the country. She is active and strong,
does not use spectacles and has all her
teeth. She herself did much of the
work necessary to obtain title.

EYES FOCUSED ON INDIANA

INDIANA AND CALIFORNIA ARE
"MOOT STATES IN PRESI-
DENTIAL PRIMARIES."

Washington, April 30.—Two can-
didates, Herbert Hoover and Sena-
tor Warren G. Harding next Tues-
day will reach a decisive stage in
their respective campaigns for the
republican nomination at Chicago,
according to non-partisan opinion
here.

Hoover and Senator Hiram John-
son will fight it out in the primaries
of their native state of California,
while Senator Harding will come to
grips on the same day with both
Johnson and Maj. Gen. Leonard
Wood at the Indiana state conven-
tion.

Maryland On Monday.

As a sort of preliminary, Wood
and Johnson will match their
strength Monday in Maryland, on
which day the state wide primar-
ies will be held. Johnson has swept
across the state in a whirlwind
stumping tour and on Saturday
Senator Wm. E. Borah, of Idaho,
will wind up the Johnson cam-
paign in that bailiwick by a speech
at Baltimore.

The main centers of republican
interest, however, are further West.

Hot Fight In Indiana.

The three cornered fight in In-
diana has been and still is, of the
no-quarter kind, and when the
smoke of the state primary clears
next Tuesday there may be one or
two candidates missing. In repub-
lican circles, it is felt that Sena-
tor Harding's candidacy will re-
ceive its crucial test on that day
and he will enter the fray some-
what handicapped by the small
plurality obtained by him over the
field in his own state—Ohio—as
revealed by the count of yesterday.

Borah Goes To Maryland.

Senator Borah is now stumping
Indiana in behalf of Senator John-
son. His tour will be brief, how-
ever, only four speeches being in
his date book—at Gary, Indianapo-
lis, Terre Haute and Fort Wayne.
After addressing the voters of the
last named place, he leaves for Bal-
timore to be in at the finish in
Maryland.

Gen. Wood, according to his
Washington headquarters, will in all
likelihood return to Indiana before
the final round there.

Hoover Not In Indiana Fight.

Herbert Hoover is not officially
entered in the Indiana contest.
However, and notwithstanding the
former food administrator will not
go without his fighting next Tues-
day. He will have a man's sized
job on his hands in California,
where, in a state wide primary, he
and the other native son, Hiram
Johnson, have the entire landscape
to themselves.

Mrs. John Nowels went to Kouts
today to visit her daughter, Mrs.
Joe Luers. Mrs. Luers had the
misfortune to run a nail in her
foot which has been causing her
trouble.

Mayme Beaver went to Lafayette
today where she will be the guest
of a friend at the Junior prom to
be held by the students at Purdue
university.

NOTICE.

All the suits contesting the will of
the late Benjamin J. Gifford, are
now disposed of and I am in a po-
sition to sell land. I have yet un-
sold several hundred acres of good land
located in Jasper and Lake counties,
which I will sell as executor on rea-
sonable terms, but cannot take any
trade.

Call at my office or at the office
of T. M. Callahan, at Rensselaer, In-
diana, for particulars.
GEO. H. GIFFORD,
Executor.

PRIVATE SALE

On account of the fact that I
will move away I offer at private
sales the following:

White face cow, coming four
years old, with calf at side.
Brindle Jersey cow, coming five
years old, giving milk.
Heifer, one year old.
Two Hampshire brood sows, one
with four pigs by side.
Hampshire male hog, ten months
old, weight 200 lbs.
Seventy-five rods of heavy 32-in.
hog wire.

HERMAN KNEIZER,
Half mile north of Newland.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

W. T. Barbre, Pastor.
The services next Sunday are as
follows: Bible school 9:30 a. m.
We begin a campaign for increased
Bible School attendance soon. Get
ready for it by coming next Sun-
day. Morning worship 10:45 a. m.
The sermon topic will be, "Chris-
tianity, the Corner Stone of Ameri-
ca." Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.
m. Evening preaching service, 7:30
p. m. The public is cordially invit-
ed.

VIRGIE.

Rev. W. T. Barbre will preach at
Virgie Sunday afternoon following
the Sunday School.

FOR SALE.

Shingle roof of shed 16x8, prac-
tically good as new, cheap. Phone
464, LeRoy Kurtz, North Front St.

Large clean rags wanted at the
Republican office.

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In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears
the
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

ABE MARTIN.

(Indianapolis News.)

A woman's never too busy to
shop, but when she wants to buy
something she telephones her hus-
band to get it. Miss Fawn Lippin-
cut went up to Indianapolis yester-
day to see "Bubbles," a physical comedy.

LADIES' LITERARY CLUB.

All members wishing to attend
the luncheon May 7 please notify
the chairman of the social commit-
tee or the president not later than
Monday.

Trustee John P. Pettet of Walker
township was in Rensselaer today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Robbins of
DeMotte were here today.

H. D. Gwinn went to Monticello
today on business.

Victor Hoover and S. H. Corn
well went to Detroit, Mich., today
to drive home two new Dodge cars.

W. H. Wells returned to his home
at Hammond after spending a few
days with Chas. Blue and family.

Thomas J. Monohan returned to
his home in Gary Thursday evening
after a visit here with his sister,
Mrs. A. Quinn.

County Auditor Schuyler C. Robin-
son and family moved Thursday
from the Edward Duvall residence
on Home avenue to the Hale War-
ner residence on Warner avenue.

Editor Leslie Miller, of the Mo-
rocco Courier was in Rensselaer to-
day, having come to hear Can-
didate Fesler.

Saturday's local grain prices
were unchanged and dealers made
the following quotation: Oats
\$1.02; corn, \$1.65; rye \$1.85 and
wheat \$2.70.

G. J. Jessen, jeweler, arrived
home this morning from White
Mule, N. Mex., where he had
been visiting for the past several
weeks with his brother, Dr. Lloyd
Jessen and wife. During his ab-
sence he visited many points of in-
terest in both old and New Mexico.
He states that Mexico is all right
to back in the warming rays of a
Hoosier April Sun, and is perfectly
satisfied to plunge into an Indiana
May.

FRANK HILL PURCHASES "THE DEPARTURE," FAST PACER

The following is taken from the
Indianapolis Star of Thursday and
will be of interest to our readers:
The Rensselaer (Ind.) horseman,
Frank Hill, was a visitor in Indian-
apolis yesterday and gave out the
information that he had purchased
the fast pacer, The Departure,
2:07 1/4, by The Exponent, 2:11 1/4,
from L. E. Brown, Delavan, Ill.

The Departure was one of the
dozen or more which Mr. Brown put
up in his "You-Set-the-Price" sale,
and Mr. Hill got in the last bid, al-
though same was not given out.
The Departure was raced over both
the mile and half-mile tracks last
year by Joe Hildreth and made a
very creditable campaign. He raced
to his record over the Springfield,
(Ill.) track and was timed in 2:04 1/4
in a race at the Atlanta (Ga.)
Grand Circuit meeting. While the
price was not given out, it is known
that Mr. Hill paid a long price for
The Departure, for the son of The
Exponent showed last season that
he was a very swift pacer, and
those kind sell for the big prices
these days.

Mr. Hill has three promising 2-
year-old trotters in Lord Silk, Har-
vest Moon and Granite. The first
named is a bay colt by Bingen Silk
(3), 2:07 1/4, which Mr. Hill pur-
chased out of the Midway Stock
Farm consignment at the Old Glory
sale at New York last November
and for which he laid down \$625.
Lord Silk is out of The Beautiful
Rose, a daughter of Lord Roberts
2:07 1/4. Harvest Moon was bought
at the Chicago sale last December
and is by The Harvester 2:01, and
out of Lucile Bingen 2:08 1/4, a pro-
ducing daughter of Bingen 2:06 1/4,
second dam Lucile Marlow 2:08 1/4
(dam of four), by Prodigious 2:16
and third dam Miss Edgar 2:29
(dam of eight), by Bourbon Wilkes.
Granite is by Gramar 2:07 1/4, the
fast little trotting stallion, owned
by Mr. Hill.

W. R. Nowels went to Matthews
today to be present at a Baptist
meeting.

FOR RENT—6-room house in north-
east part of city; small barn and
good garden. Phone 931-I. Wm. Mar-
kin.

LOST—Chalmers automobile crank
somewhere in city. Return here.

LOST—Package of envelopes, writ-
ing tablet, bottle of Sloan's Liniment.
Mrs. Rebecca Stevenson.

Did you know that meat prices are
soaring? Wholesale dealers every-
where have advanced their prices from
five to fifteen cents per pound on all
cuts of meat. Roth Bros. still sell at
the same old prices.

SATURDAY SPECIALS:

Swift & Co., Smoked	Beef Loaf.....23c
Hams, whole or half	Pork Roasts.....25c
Hams.....35c	Fresh Side.....26c
Home Made Lard.....27c	Pork Shoulder Steak.....27c
Beef Steak.....25c	Veal Stew.....22c

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