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This book contains the events that have transpired in my career of service from April the 8th by which I arrived at the place of rendezvous at Davenport, Ill., and reported at 11th quarters of Camp McCollum and lay there until waiting for my Riff. The 15th of April they came and then we took the Carros for Chicago, Ill., and the 16th by 4 a.m. we arrived at Chicago, and at 7 a.m., we took the Carros for Indianapolis, Indiana, we arrived there 7 P.M. and lay there all night. The 17th by 10 a.m., we took the Carros for Louisville, Ky., we arrived there 4 P.M., we lay there the 17th and 18th and the 19th we took the Carros for Nashville, Tenn., and there we lay ten days waiting for orders, and on the 30th day of April we took the Carros for Florence, Ala. We lay there till the 8th day of May and took up the line of march for Chattavanna, Tenn., the 8th day to bridgeport, Ala., 20 miles we lay there one day waiting for the 14th Division 18 A.C. The 4th lay one day in Camp, the morning of the 6th we took up the line of march at daylight, Camp at Lockout, Ala.
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near Chattanooga Tenn., and on the 6th we passed out of the State of Tenn over Mission Ridge Battle Ground into the State of Georgia, and on the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th being passed of well, and on the 10th we found the Rebels and skirmishing in the 11th we met a skirmish on a bury ridge and fortifying fortified, on the 12th had one man wounded in the head by the bomb of a tree, we got orders to be ready to move at 7 o'clock the morning of 10th we moved out in front of our lines and skirmish around all day. Morning of the 18th we hear heavy cannon ailing to our left 10 A.M. we commenced skirmishing after from 10 to 11 A.M. we gained one point from the Rebels the 14th July had 3 men wounded C. A. had 2 men burnt Cpl. Thomas, badly wounded and Capt. F. Logan lost a leg 14th of May 9th A. M. C. A. had one man killed to day Eric Thumbert, hard fighting all day at night our right firing around and gained another point from the Rebels the 15th of May heavy firing all around the lines our troops advance all around till little, at night we was around up and got into line and chiming all around the lines, the 16th the Rebels
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Concluded last night. We took the town of Kesela. Genl. Dodge Conqu. the N. A. G. fought the Rebels on our right stream north and sent for reinforcement. Our Div. had to march quick time 5 miles but when we got the Rebels had gone. We formed a line of battle and waited for orders. 17th May we march 12 miles and camp for the night. We hear cannonading to our left. May 18th we march 15 miles to miles beyond. Meanwhile May 19th.

18th May 19th. I went to the town of Kingston on Camp May 20th. The battle was of no importance to say, May 21st and 22nd. We lay in Camp. May 23rd. We march 10 miles on Camp. May 24th. The town. I went to May 25th. We march 8 miles and formed a line of battle. It rained all night which made it rather disagreeable. May 26th. We lay in camp and the 27th. We lay in camp and the 28th. We lay in camp.
and Camp in a field one mile from Dallas, May 28th firing commenced they all around I R.B., the Rebels charged on our lines all around but was repulsed, the Rebels took 3 guns of the 1st Iowa and one man took them back our Brigade went to reinforce the right but when we got there the firing had ceased we formed a line of battle and built a line of works, Sunday, May 29th firing commenced very early, we worked all night building breast works. We was taken back to the rear of the 16th I.C. & 11th Rebel in the evening the Rebels charged and recharged on our lines and was repulsed. They fought all night, May 30th all firing ceased excepting of the skirmishers. We was taken back in to our works May 31st Rebels was firing all night and Skirmish firing this morn. the Rebel flank us on the right and we fell back in the field and built a line of works and stayed all night, June 1st we fell back to streten our lines after noon the moved around to the left 9 miles and rested the 2d I.C.
In April 3rd: Division in the works and our gun in reserve June 2nd: nothing but sharp shooting June 4th: our Brigade relieved 3 Brigade of the 4th A.C. and we in the works June 5th: The Rebels left their works last night we marched 5 miles to the left and camp for the night June 6th: We marched 5 miles and passed through the Town of Alworth and camp June 7th: Nothing of any importance we lay in camp June 8th: The 17th N.C. concentrated in front over in the 12 P.M. Left and found uncle Joseph.

Jebb: Primrose June 10th: We marched 7 miles and camp in rear of the Rebels June 11th: We moved a short distance to the front our Brigade on reserve June 12th: nothing of any importance June 13th: our Brigade relieved the 3rd Brigade and took the works June 14th: Cannon firing commenced all around the lines we advanced our skirmishers some to day June 15th: We made demonstration and took the first from the Rebels.
and drove them back, some Rebels came over and gave them telling. On June 16th, Storminners took up a heavy firing all of time, as quiet our Right was relieved by the 7th Iowa and we went to the rear. On had one than killed. Riggs, Coroner, Butl, June 17th, firing all along the line was made a demonstration in front but it was of little importance. June 18th, fired all day. June 19th, the Rebels left their works and fell back last night, and his advance. C. Cannon, marching all day. We advanced in the 1st line of Rebel works. From 20th, we advanced some further to day, and at night, sent up reports June 21st. Off by 6 in the night, all day. June 22nd, we had orders to move but didn't move. June 24th, we advanced our Storminners line. One to day. June 25th, heavy cannon firing all day, we got mail. June 26th, at night, our Dug moved to the right, and relieved the 14th W. C. June 27th, in the morning, the 2nd River made a charge in one front but didn't make anything.
and lost a great many men after dark. The 2nd Div. fell back 4 Wounded and one killed out of the 14th. This, June 28th, day
Diminishing all day. June 29th nothing of any importance to day.
June 30th we continued for 4 day. July 1st 8 years ago
I enlisted at the Town of Glenwood Hills County Iowa.
July 2nd we got orders to march at night. We fell back over
that. We took one place. July 3rd. The Rebels evacuated
their strong hold on Remains Pit and the Stores and Stripes
were floating over the R. We marched to the Town of
Borgia and Camp July 4th. Mr. Marched 12 miles and Camp
City Cannon firing in front 3 years ago I 1 time. A
Celebration in Cornelle Bury City Iowa. July 5th. Everything
quiet to day. We Marched 2 miles and Camp July 6th fighting
in front after noon. We Marched 2 miles and Camp 18 mi.
Atlanta from A to R. July 1st nothing of any importance.
July 8*4 nothing of any importance with the exception of the usual amount of skirmishing firing. Keep up during the day. July 9th we moved to the front one mile and took a position. Keep firing all day. July 10th the Rebels evacuated their works last night and crossed the Chatahoochee River. July 11th firing was heavy all day both to the night and to the left. July 12th we got orders to march. July 13th we marched to Pea River. July 14th marched 47 miles and camped. July 15th we marched 5 miles and got dinner. July 16th we marched 4 miles and crossed the Chattoochi River at Columbus and marched 16 miles and camped after dark. We had a heavy thunder storm and lost a good many men killed by lightning.

July 17th we marched Camp one mile. July 16th we left camp and got orders to march. July 17th we marched 2 miles and camped for night.
July 12th, reveille at 4 o'clock and march at 5. March 10 miles and stop and put out our skirmishers and Camp. July 13th. reveille at 4. March at 5. No Camp within one mile of the town of Decator. July 20th. March 3 miles and Camp. July 21st. firing very heavy all around the lines. We moved half a mile in front and built breastworks. July 22nd. Rebs left their first line. We advanced our line into the Rebs Works. The Rebs flanked the 17th. NC kept firing on our left. The Rebs charged on our 20th. NC and drove them back and took a Battery. Afternoon our Brigade charged and took the Battery back. 8th. NC lost one man. Pierre Matthies killed in the evening our Regt. moved to the right and the Rebs charged on us, but we stood our ground and repulsed them. July 23rd. our Brig. moved around to the left by the 14th. NC and stay there all day.

July 24th. We was relieved and moved around to the Decator and due west. Rail Road. We took up three miles of Road and Camp for the night. July 25th. We drew rations and lay by all day.
July 26th we got orders to March, March 2 miles and stop and got breakfast
and March 12 miles and Camp at 10 o'clock at night, July 27th March around to the right 12 miles and Camp, July 28th 3 o'clock March 2
miles and got breakfast, and then we advanced our line and drew the troops half of a mile at noon we built rail works and the Ribs charged on our left wing, I recharged but was refused every time,
July 29th I was over the battle field This morning the dead Ribs lay by
thick, we had a short speech from Governor Stone of Iowa we got orders to March but the orders was countermanded, July 30th
Very little firing to day We March one mile further to the right and took 1 persission, July 31st we had orders to March but didn't get
Aug 1st lay by all day, Aug 2nd nothing of very importance to day I found my Cousin William in the 14th Mich Staff, Aug 3rd
some firing from this morning I was over in the 28th Mich and saw
My Elmore from Mount Jude Aug 1st some firing from
Aug 5th Some firing in front this morn. I went over to the 23rd with this party and found old Friend John Alves. Aug 6th We landed one boat to the front & day. Aug 7th We advanced our lines some to day and the Ricks tried to drive us back. Aug 9th Still continue to fire all the time. Aug 9th Noth of any importance to day. Aug 10th & 11th Aug 12th & 13th Aug 13th We advance our skirmish line and took quite a number of prisoners and we lost on our side. Aug 17th Nothing of any great to day. Aug 13th & 14th Nothing of any great to day. Aug 15th & 16th Aug 17th & 18th Aug 19th & 20th Aug 21st & 22nd Aug 23rd & 24th & 25th & 26th All quiet to day. Aug 27th & 28th One man drowned to day. Sept 1st, Wm. Armstrong, Aug 25th all quiet to day. Aug 26th I am 23 years old to day at night got orders to March March, all quiet to day, Aug 27th. March 5 miles and slept and
built fort works, Aug 28th got order to move to 5 miles and take the Front Point, & Atlanta Rail Road. Aug 28th lay by all day, Aug 30th March 18 miles at Parnish. All day at Night we Campd within one miles of the Indian Rail Road, Aug 31st got up this morn, and built 4 line of works after noon the Rebels charged on us, we moved to the right and held our own. The 4th Ohio had one man killed and one Wounded and one taken prisoner. We night we moved to the right front and built a line of works. The Rebels fell back, Sept 1st O 74th had one man Wounded, 9th O 74th had one man dangerously Wounded in the hand. The 23rd N C took the rail road between here & Atlanta very heavy fighting on our left, Sept 2nd the Rebels left last night sent some up in the town of Jonesboro. We followed the Rebels 95 miles they made a stand at Logan Station.
Sept 9th Still fighting. We got the news that the Rebs had left Atlanta the first of the month and one man took possession the 2nd. The Rebs blew up 40urr loads of ammunition at Knight C's. I had one man Wounded. Sept 4th Still fighting. Sept 5th got orders to move after noon C's. I had one man Wounded. We fell back to Jonesboro and took our old possession. Sept 6th we reported to Dept 4th Quarters for guard. We was train guard. Sept 7th & 8th took us to get to East Point. Sept 9th nothing of any importance. Sept 10th we moved Camp and stand up to stay. Sept 11th & 12th & 13th & 14th & 15th & 16th & 17th nothing transpired but the regular routine of Camp duty from Sept the 18th up to the 28th there was nothing of any importance. Sept 29th we had review, & Sept the 30th we had Div review by Majajor Gulls & 11 Brig's. Oct 1st & 2nd nothing of any importance but to the 3rd we got orders to march but we did not go.
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Nov. 20th our Brigade in the advance we passed through the Town of Hillboro. By the place where Genl. Stonemson was captured we Marched 20 miles & Camp at the Town of Clinton. Nov. 21st Marched 12 miles & had a Skirmish & Whipt the Rebs. We crossed the Ga. Central Railroad. Nov. 22nd we learned this news. We Marched 5 miles & formed a line of Battle. We built a line of breast works we hear heavy fighting to our left. Our 2nd Brigade had a heavy fight & Whipt the Rebs. Brigade Genl. Wolfe was wounded. Nov. 23rd at daylight this morning we Marched 3 miles & built a line of works after noon Marched 3 miles & Camp. Nov. 24th we Marched 12 miles to the Town of Clinton & Camp. Nov. 25th we Marched 13 miles & Camp. Nov. 26th we Crossed the Oconee River & Marched 11 miles. Nov. 27th we tore up 2 miles of Railroad & Marched 29 miles. Nov. 28th Marched 18 miles. & Camp. Nov. 29th the...
recess at daylight Genl. Woods Ketch A man in A house & stealing I he take him up by the thumbs. We March 18 miles & Camp
Nov 30th the 4 Iowa in the rear of the Dug we March 12 miles & Camp. Dec 1st we March 12 miles & Camp. Dec 2nd we March 8 miles, Dec 3rd we lay by all day. Dec 4th we March 15 miles to day & Cam. Dec 5th March 20 miles. Dec 6th March 12 miles to the Ogeechee River & Stop the bridge being burned after noon some of our troops almost I had N skirmish with Regt. Cross over & fortify. Dec 7th after noon March 12 miles the 4 Div had a fight & Whiff the Rebs. the 2nd Iowa charged on the Rebs at drove the Rebs I took 18 prisoners. Dec 8th we went out 3 miles & slept & built a line of works & lay by all day. Dec 9th recess at 2 oclock we recross the Ogeechee River & went down stream 22 miles & Camp. Dec 10th recess at daylight we recross the Ogeechee River again & recross the Savannah Canal & March 18 miles & Camp we hear Cannon raging in front all day
Dec 11th and arrived off Sandy Cannon making progress at sunrise we marched back 1 mile and then turned back again 4 miles. The blockade after dark March 3 miles out on the Savannah Road & Camp. Dec 12th we heard cannon in direction of Savannah lay by all day. Dec 13th at night the report came that Fort McCalester was taken by our 20th Div. Dec 14th we moved at 9 o'clock to join a train out for foraging. We came to the Ogeechee & Camp. Dec 15th we marched 25 miles & filled up with forage. Dec 16th we got plenty of forage. We marched 8 miles & Camp. Dec 17th we marched 22 miles & got back to camp. Mail came & I got 5 letters. Dec 18th lay by. Dec 19th do. Dec 20th do. Dec 21th the Rebels executed last night. We marched at 9 o'clock. Marched 8 miles to Savannah. The Rebels left 1st of Cannon but all spiked. Dec 22nd lay by. Dec 23rd do. Dec 24th had rebiew to day & Marched all over town. We were reviewed by Genl Sherman. Dec 25th I got a pass & went over to the 14th sick Rgt & saw Cousin Williams. Dec 26th we drill to day. Dec 27th do. Dec 28th we got our pay to day.
I drew $234.15 cents. Dec 29th Drill. Dec 30th I received $260 t
Daper Field. Dec 31st we mustered for pay. Jan 1st 1865
Nothing of importance. Jan 2nd do. Jan 3rd we had Battalion Drill
Jan 4th do. Jan 5th we had Brigade reviews. Jan 6th nothing of any note.
Jan 7th to 15th NC had reviews. Dec. Jan 8th do. Jan 9th we had Monthly
inspection. Jan 10th we marched at 9 OClock. March 6 miles to Short
Thunderbolt Camp. Jan 11th Lay by. Jan 12th Lay by all day till night.
We embark on the US Steamer Guide. Jan 13th we landed at
Beaufort, S.C. 4 PM. 1 March 3 miles West of Town & Camp.
Jan 14th nothing of any note. Jan 15th We hear Cannon. Jan 16th do.
Jan 17th do. Jan 18th do. Jan 19th nothing of any importance. Transferred
up to the 25th on Jan 24th we got orders to march. Jan 27th we march at 8 OClock
and March 12 miles to Camp. Jan 28th Lay by all day. Jan 29th do. Jan 30th we March
12 miles to Camp at McPhersonville. Jan 31st Lay by to day. Feb 1st we
March 15/2 Miles to Camp. I built a line of color.
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N Pontoon Bridge. Feb 17th we cross our Brig over in 4 boats & went to fighting drove the Rebels off & Captured some of the crew of the City Camp out & surrendered to Col. Stone. Commanding our Brig, we took possession of the City at night. The City got N fire & burnt down a great portion of it. Feb 18th our Brig moved out of Town. Feb 19th lay by, the Town still burning. Feb. 20th March 15 miles. Feb 21st March 20 miles. Feb. 22d March 12 miles. Feb 23rd March 10 miles & camp at Delhi. Feb 24th lay by. Feb 25th March 15 miles &得到了 the 3rd Div. & camp with the 10th Iowa. Feb. 27th lay by. Feb 28th lay by. March 1st lay by. March 2nd. March at noon Crossed little Creek & left the 3rd Div. & March 15 miles & Cross the Big Black Creek got to Maj. Regt at 10 o'clock at night. March 3rd March 25 miles. 17th A.C. took Sheraw & 20 others.
of artillery & 3000 stand of small arms & a good many prisoners.
March 21st, March 8th, we passed through the Town of Sheriff.
March 5th, lay by, March 6th, we crossed the great Pecos River. 7th March 6th.
March 7th, March 8th, miles, March 8th, we passed into N. C. March 10th, miles.
March 9th, we went back & built road and made 3 miles of road.
March 12th, March 10th, we marched 12 miles. Crossed Lumber River.
March 11th, March 12th, miles, March 12th, we marched 12 miles.
March 13th, lay by.
March 14th, March 2nd, miles to the Town of Fayetteville. Lay by till after dark.
March 14th, Cross Cape Fear River. March 15th, March 2nd, miles. March 15th, lay by.
March 14th, March 20th, miles. March 17th, 14th, Engagement of the "Rebs".
March 16th, March 13th, miles. March 19th, 14th, & N.C. engaged the "Rebs"
on our left at 10 O'clock in morning. Fought all day. We marched 14 miles.
March 20th, March 6th, miles. We found the "Rebs" the 20th Brig.
March 21st, 4 miles, the "Rebs" made a charge & was repulsed.
Our Brig was brought up on double quick. Formed a line &
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Braced forward. Stiff formed another line & built a line of works, every being firing on front. March 21st. Was on the skirmish line, after noon the 22nd. Died came & built a line of works on our skirmish line. Our Brig. moved forward & put out a long line of skirmish line & built a line of works under a heavy fire from the Rebs main line. After the Works was completed we crossed the skirmish line & moved forward & drove the Rebs on their main works & took their enfilade. Loss of Capt. A. C. Brandt R.A. Corp. C. Noah Killed. Capt. Cool of Co. A. Shot through the leg.

March 25th - lay by all day side of the Wilmington & Goldsboro, R.R.
March 26th, march 24 miles passed through Young's Camp. March 27th we moved Camp to day March 28th 4th Town on Picket. March 29th Came off from Picket to day, March 30th nothing of any importance. March 31st, April 1st
April 2nd, April 3rd. April 4th got orders to report to Dix's Pickets to guard a train to Kinston. got there at 9 o'clock at night. Cross the River & Camp. April 5th we loaded the train & went back to Young's Camp & drew rations. March back 12 miles & Camp. April 6th to March 16th only back to Camp. 4 got there at 9 o'clock. April 7th & 8th Brig. on review to April 8th. I went to the 1st A.C. & got the news of Cousin Williams being killed on the 19th of March. April 9th had review to-day. April 10th we got orders to March. We Marched 10 miles & Skirmish all day. April 10th March 15 miles & Skirmish all day. Cross Little River. April 12th, to March 13th got the news of Lee's Army being Captured. April 13th we March 12 miles & got Cross the Neuse. Those got orders to go to us about
The army being captured so we know it is as of April 14th March only passed through the city of Raleigh on retreat received by Genl Sherman march 8 miles beyond the city & camp April 15th lay by all day April 16th went to town to church. April 17th lay by April 18th No. April 19th & went to town April 20th nothing of any note. We moved camp and on east of town. April 21st nothing of any note. April 22nd we went over in the 23rd U.S. infantry & found George Crouchman, Lt. Edmore & Luis Vavrus & Dick Kline April 28th lay by. April 29th we marched at 7 before March 12 miles & cross the Neuse River & camp. April 30th we lay by & mustered for pay. April 1st March 23 miles & cross Pamlico River & Camp. May 2nd March 28 miles & cross Swift Creek & the Branch of Pamlico River & camp. May 3rd March 25 miles & camp on the Banks of the Pamlico River May 4th crossed the River at noon & march in 6 hrs. 18 miles
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May 18th we passed through Dumfries & saw the House where Washington went to School. When a Boy & March 28 miles May 19th we passed through the Town of Occoquan, & Camp near Alexandria March 23 miles & also passed through Mt Vernon, & saw Washington's Home, Strat & tomb stone. May 20th lay by, May 21st we moved Camp in the edge of Obion, May 22nd lay by, May 23rd we moved down on the Banks of the Potomac, & Camp; but did not stay. We moved almost over long Bridge Washington & Camp in the Streets of Washington. May 24th we got our breakfast at 7 o'clock & moved but to our Barrack Place & at the sound of the Signal gun at 9 o'clock moved on through the City on Review after the Review we March 8 miles out North of the City & Camp.
from May 25th up to May 30th nothing transpired on the S. We got orders to March to the City. We got on the Car as at 9 A.M. on the Baltimore & Ohio R.R. We was on the Car s till June 20th. We got off at Parkersburg Va. on the Ohio River at 4 P.M. June 21st, we embarked on the Steamer Revenue bound for Louisbill, Ky. at 7 A.M. June 22nd. We landed at Cincinnati, Ohio at 9 P.M. & took off some fruit & started again at 10 o'clock in the morning & landed at Louisbill 3 P.M. on June 23rd. We Marched up to Barracks No. 1. & got dinner June 6th. Got Breakfast & after noon moved down on Lafayette St. & quartered. I was on Patrol all night from June 7th up to June 10th nothing transpired at which time we got our Pay I drew $127.00 & from that time up to June 21st all went well.
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April 18, 1891

First Verse

Away, the little dresses That our darling must no more wear
She's under the happy angels And long for her sweet kiss
for her little feet are waiting in the realms of perfect bliss
Chorus

Second Verse

Angelic whisper That our darling is in realms of love so fair
That if little feet are waiting up above the golden stair
Chorus

First Siesta

Away, the little play things That with mothers gently tears
How we'll miss little Kettie All these heavy coming years
fold the dainty little dresses That she never more will wear
for her little feet are waiting up above the golden stair
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To day I'm with old friends again. 
Kind friends of bygone years.
Oh, would such joy might long remain, But "freedom" needs much heart. 
Undimmed by parting tears.

Strong arm to strike her foe,
I must not linger idly here.
When duty bids me go.

Oh ask me not to stay with you,
My own heart feels to strong.
But duty bids me say, adieu.
And go to battle wrong.
And should it be my fate to fall
Beneath a traitor's hand
Gladly I'll go and wait you set
Up in that better land

Then bid me joy as I depart
A god speed as I go
I will give new hope to my lone heart
New strength to fight the foe

And I will wear a cheerful smile
And stifle every sigh
Even though my heart overflows the while
I'll calmly say good by
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Min and Mine only come to my heart
Nothing but death now our spirits can part
Death for awhile our spirits may sever
Till we meet in that country where death cometh no more

Min and Mine only oh swiestt of words
Sweter than song of the swiestt of birds
Min and Mine only oh "dearest and best"
Here on thy faithful heart now is my rest
A Pround! Soldiers farewell to his Comrads

Now Comrads will you listen
To what I have to say
Perhaps in toil and danger
I will cheer you on your way
Full well do I remember
On many a bloody field
How we have fought to gather
And made the traitors yield

I fear would still be with you
To hear the cannon roar
Or hear the din of battle
And fight the Rebels once more
Though fate has took me from you
To languish on my bed
Yet thoughts of distant comrades
Still linger in my head

Though doomed to be a cripple
Through all my future life
Unable any longer to
To join you in the strife
Yet I will fight the traitors
And Copperheads at home
And watch the golden circle
And see the draft go on
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**Verse:***

*Wayside Flowerettes, the Queen of the Plain*

How oft by your green mossy banks
Whenever the gay, feathered chairs
With lovely Daretta you strayed
Did she hear her melodic lays

While lambs in violets prance
Astonished thy'd list to admire

A thousand fond gambols have played
And silently sit on the springs

Where gay, feathered choristers throng
But soon as my loved one did pause

To wash their little hands of spray
Each Songster moaned to take up the strain

And chanted with tuneful applause

The power that inspired their lays
Daretta, the queen of the plain

Daretta too, oft would join
In truth she was blooming and fair

And in the grand concert rejoiced
As rose and lilies now blown

Such music, my gods, was divine
Few maidens with her could compare

Erect harmony lived in her voice
For, elegance claimed her in its own
But pain are the pleasures of earth
Like empty unstable and near
Like bubbles that burst in their birth
Or shadows more subtle than air

Dauvetta the pride of the grove
Cut down like a flower in full bloom
Our banishment from me is my lose
And locked in the clay boomed tomb

Bill Shayer
Who has not dreamed in slumber's home

That stole on him, stole

Who has not felt the whispered tone

Of fond devotion near

Who has not known in slumber's spell

The rapturous delight

Of saying words that on him fell

Like angels' hands at night

Midnight Voices By. O.L.W

But half retained at morn

The more than earth's allotted Bliss

So long in memory warm

Oh, in the calm and solemn night

Folds in slumber's fall

Whose home is now above

Whose soul is with us watching near

Who claims our love

Friends that on earth were all to dear

The visioned life apart from this
Could we retain each whispering tale
Breathed in our sleeping homes
Would sweetly smooth life's thorny sails
And strew our path with flowers

Then angel-like, breathing low
Their sweet and loosing strain
With perfect joy would fill us so
We should not mourn again
All that's bright must fade
And beautiful ringlets her dark amber hair The color had fled from a circular spot
Tell o'er a mischief than marks more fair
Ah, yes it was
The luminous bloom of her rosy mouth It is not on the battle field that I knew
Was finer than nectarines raised at the south It is not on the battle field
That I would wish to die
Bewitching the light that dwelt in her eyes It is not on a broken shield
And blacker than any old raven that flies I'd breathe my latest sigh
But if they were
A tale of my love and begged her to speak To read a Soldier's doom
And one glowing rite I press on his cheek To ask no laurel for my brow
She fainted
No trophy for my tomb
If in part to bear the direct bill, that this may not be less than the value of the goods. When the goods are delivered, if the agent who delivers them is not a man of good character, it may be best to decline the credit. If the agent is a man of good character, it may be best to accept the credit.

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By Laura Hutchinson

My fingers wander among the leaves
Of a school Bell worn and old
When floats a tiny snowy card
From out my Earless hold

A whispered word, or the lightest laugh
And we had broken a rule
But, silent, he placed in my hand this card
And returned to the duties of school

A "scrapt of the pretty past," said I
A remnant of the years now dead
And tracing out the characters small
"Forget me not," I read

"Forget me not!" how thought flies back
To the scene of that Summer noon
When Charlie and I, regretting stood
That the bell had called to dinner
On this, souvenir of fifteen

Nor for myself, alone
To row for myself alone
Where the waves that beat on the sunny shore
Sent me not one distant Moon

"Forget me not!" in past twenty now
To the scene of that Summer noon
And am happy yet, I steal's:
When Charlie and I, regretting stood
Oh, believe me when I tell thee
A man sad when from thy side
And a gloom pervades my spirit
Which the thoughtless may deride
But they never felt the glowing
Of a spirit such as thine
When with holy love our flowing
It devoiced itself in mine

Here it is in the spirit tone
Then with thee I'd do sweet fancy
Or be sad to be alone

Wilkie

Oh, sweet to be loved by hearts fond and true
Leaves pathway with flowers love kindly will strew
It will cheer mortals on make the heart light and gay
Drive clouds of dark sorrow from us far away

Oh, then let us love one another below
That we the sweet pleasure of friendship may know
Let us bear with each other grieve and forget
From thy presence and my home. And time passed together we will never grieve
For my hope is in thy presence
The Miniature, by William Etty, & lesson

In thoughtful mood, dear absent one, Here I can press the lips of tah

On gathering on thy face, O lips no sooner sweet

Where the brow of rose seems smiling, Did it the painter's art defy

A child, envy touching grace. Like rose upon the cheek

Here I can see the dark soft eye. The artist's hand to nature true

But where's the soul lit hue. Has stretched each feature fair

Whaterty Brow, in starry beams. But, oh, behold the sad defect

A liquid lustre thron. Thy soul is wanting there

Here I behold the beautiful cheek. This but a pictured mockery

All save the rosy to glow. Yet, oh, in it was trace

Which ever and anon doth fit. The Shadow of a blooming flower

Across its stainless snow. Replete with girlish grace.
About the original

My name is A. A. Chisholm.

My mother's name was Frances Mary.

My father's name was James Chisholm.

I was born on February 14, 1867, in Scotland.

I married Miss Elizabeth Brown on July 23, 1890.

We had three children: John, Mary, and James.

On the 7th of April, 1912, our oldest son, John, was lost at sea on the Titanic.

I lived to be 82 years old and passed away on September 10, 1949.

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"So that thy bright and joyous smile - shine through the Darkest Cloud!"

"Time may disclose to thee that sweet, mysterious power that softens into joy the dark and sorrowing hour."

*William T. Shayer*
To my Wife

Dearest Wife I still remember
With a husband's aching heart
How it filled my soul with sorrow
When we two were called to part

Oft I fell within
Oft I fell within my bosom
As the shades of night appear
Current loss and fond affection
For my own my absent dear

Though am but a private Soldier
Gone to fill my Country's Call
All my trust is in the Savior
Let me stand or let me fall

When I got your motion letters
As in little land I rove
And you speak of our dear children
How it makes me sigh for home

Oft I miss the sacred altar
Where we used to kneel in prayer
What a comfort what a blessing
O I wish that I was there

But I hope the day is dawning
Which will close this bloody strife
And we long to have the pleasure
Of embracing my dear Wife
To Linda, dear

For get me not as Time doth pass
Our golden pinions fear
Forget me not is all I ask
And I'll remember thee

William

When the time of sweetest silence
Brings the hour of sacred prayer
When you kneel at morn or evening
Ask for one who is not there
While time is swiftly passing
As a shadow on the sea
Ever shall my heart be asking
Dearest loved one think of me

Willie
To my Brother,

Does home seem lonely now, Brother
Without my presence there
And does thou often think of me
When thou seat my vacant chair
Does thou yet miss the merry laugh
That erst rang so true and wild
Or listen for the footsteps light
Of thy long absent child?

All counted one by one, Brother
The bright months that have passed
Like bubbles on times changeful stream
Since the moon I saw thee last

Clouds gathering over the waning moon,

Slow fading from the sky
And sighed to see the sands of time
So swiftly gliding by

The sweet spring died my giving birth
To summer floral range
Now summer lies asleep beneath
The autumn's golden train
The winds are wailing sad and wild
Upon her fading track

Thin's about starting back
Oh, I am not happy now, Mother
My heart has lost its gleam
And bitter my eyes have weeps
Since last they gazed on thee
One summer no more of the stripe
Upon life decent mild
Oh, Mother pray sweet peace may come
To keep thy youngest Child

William S. Shayer

6th A 4th Iowa, Oct. 1863