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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN H. SMITH

JUST MAY.

Come, little May,
Stick round and play
And help us while
The time away.
We like your style,
So free of guile,
For really you
Are well worth while.

A spell ago,
As you may know,
We had to be
Content with snow,
But you are quite
A different sight
And what the experts
Call "all right."

With you on hand,
So sweet and bland,
As blossoms on
The trees expand
And flowers thrive
Along the drive
We're glad once more
We're alive.

So kind of you
To loiter through
And gardens, groves
And fields renew
And give us cause
To idly pause.
Remarking on
Your lack of frowns.

Why can't you stay
And every day
Throughout the year
Be on display?
Why can't you come,
Sweet sugar plum,
And be our little
College chum?

Forcing Assistance.

"Never buy a round trip ticket," said the sage observer, "when going on a visit."

"But you can sometimes save money that way."

"Not if you work it right. Waiting for a remittance, you can hang around a few weeks longer, and finally they will buy you a ticket to get rid of you."

Desperate.



"How do you like your new neighbors?"

"We don't like them."

"Not congenial?"

"I should say not. Just to show how we feel pa is talking of lending them his automobile."

Got It.

Sort o' feel like loafin' round
Lazy-like and slow,
Johnny-jump-ups on the ground
Nod and laugh and blow.

Seem to see the river flow
On its rocky bed,
Fishin' tackle's callin' so
Jests into my head.

Know a place where fishes hide,
Sunfish, pike and bass,
Where the waters rush beside
Calamus and grass.

Sort o' feel like loafin' round
Lazy-like and slow,
Can't hear nothin' but the sound
Of the river's flow.

Handing Her One.

"My, but she is overdressed!"

"She is looking for a husband."

"The hussy! Why doesn't she look for a single man?"

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

It is easy to be popular if you know how and are willing.

The trouble with some people is that they take even their temperance too intemperately.

It may be that all things come around to him who waits, but the man who goes after them gets them while he yet lives.



It is hard to believe that a fat, baldheaded man was once a baby and still harder to realize that some one may be concealing the fact that he is one still.

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