

Lines in Season.

A man of words and not of deeds
Is like a garden full of weeds.

Good words without deeds are rushes and reeds.

He that would live in peace and rest,
Must hear and see and say the best.

In hope a king doth go to war;

In hope a lover lives full long;

In hope a merchant sails full far;

In hope just men do suffer wrong.

In hope the ploughman sows his seed;

Thus hope helps thousands at their need;

Then faint not, heart, among the rest;

Whatever chance, hope thou the best.

And now, when comes the calm, mild day, as still such
days *tell* come,

To call the squirrel and the bee from out their winter
home;

When the sound of dropping nuts is heard, though all the
trees are still,

And twinkle in the smoky light the waters of the mill,

The south wind searches for the flowers whose fragrance
late he bore,

And sighs to find them in the wood and by the stream no
more.

—W. C. BRYANT.

Oh, many a shaft, at random sent,
Finds mark, the archer little meant,
And many a word at random spoken,
May soothe, or wound, a heart that's broken!

—SIR WALTER SCOTT.

I love to wander through the woodlands hoary

In the soft light of an autumnal day,

When summer gathers up her robes of glory,

And like a dream of beauty glides away.

—SARAH HELEN WHITMAN.

O sweet September, thy first breezes bring
The dry leaf's rustle and the squirrel's laughter,
The cool fresh air whence health and vigor spring,
And promise of exceeding joy hereafter.

—GEORGE ARNOLD.

The morrow was a bright September morn;
The earth was beautiful as if new-born;
There was that nameless splendour everywhere,
That wild exhilaration in the air,
Which makes the passers in the city street
Congratulate each other as they meet.

—LONGFELLOW.

Let each man think himself an act of God,
His mind a thought, his life a breath of God.

—BAILEY.

When wealth is lost, nothing is lost;

When health is lost, something is lost;

When character is lost, all is lost!

—Motto over the Walls of a School in Germany

When honour comes to you, be ready to take it;
But reach not to seize it before it is near.

—JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY.

Our greatest glory is, not in never falling, but in rising
every time we fall.

Success in most things depends on knowing how long
it takes to succeed.

Perseverance is falling nineteen times and succeeding
the twentieth.

Do your best, your very best,
And do it every day.

I'll help you, you help me,
Then what a helping world 'twill be.

Polliteness is to do and say
The kindest thing in the kindest way.

'Tis the golden gleam of an autumn day
With the soft rain raining as if in play,
And the tender touch on everything
As if autumn remembered the days of spring.

The buds may blow and the fruit may grow,
And the autumn leaves drop crisp and sere;

But whether the sun, or the rain, or the snow,
There is ever a song somewhere, my dear.

—RILEY.

The Review's Question Box.

J. M. D.—Where can I get the best book treating on
Reading and How to teach Reading? What is the cost of
the books?

There are many excellent treatises on the subject.
If you write to Messrs. Ginn & Company, publish-
ers, Boston, they may put you into the way of get-
ting what you desire.

M. A. H.—Would you kindly explain why the westerly
winds blow from west to east. The geography gives no
explanation?

It is difficult to give an answer to your question
without entering into a discussion of the causes and
directions of winds, climatic conditions, etc. This
we have not space for in this number. A good
book on physical geography, or Ferrel's "Popular
Treatise on Winds," would supply the information.
If you have not a book at hand, we would be glad
to loan you one for a time.

Exercise in Spelling.

Fundamental, arrogance, conferred, combatant,
strategy, citadel, ventilation, extravagant, menace,
magazine, surgeon, aggressor, conspiracy, martyr,
acquittal, penitentiary, achievement, compelling,
crystallization, notable, parliamentary, flippant, em-
anate, alleged, paralyzing, adherence, management,
liquefy, appellation, Calendar, musician, concert,
fraudulent, acquiesce, wrapped, eccentric, laziness,
prejudice, twenty-six, ostensible, regrettable, main-
tenance, warrant, equivalent, contagious, service-
able, predecessor, lieutenant, nugget, typical.