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LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID

When over the fair fame of friend or foe

The shadow of disgrace shall fall, instead

Of words of blame, or proof of thus and so,

Let something good be said.

Forget not that no fellow-being yet

May fall so low but love may lift his head;

Even the cheek of shame with tears is wet

If something good be said.

To generous heart may vainly turn aside

In ways of sympathy; no soul so dead

But may awaken strong and glorified

If something good be said.

And so I charge ye, by the thorny crown,

And by the cross on which the Saviour bled,

And by your own soul's hope of fair renown,

Let something good be said.

—James Whitcomb Riley.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

By a York County Bee-Keeper

Is Canadian Foundation Adulterated.

From report of the Worcester Co., Mass., Bee-keepers' association I clip the following from a letter written by Dr. E. F. Phillips, of the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., which was read at their annual convention.

'You may be interested in some things which were found by the bureau of chemistry of this department. Samples of comb foundation were examined from all over the United States, and no adulterations were found. However, three samples were received from Canada which were not pure, and, it is claimed, that a considerable portion of the comb foundation used in Europe contains paraffin or cerasin.'

Canadian manufacturers, what do you have to say to such a statement as that? By all means, if possible, Dr. Phillips should be prevailed upon to give the names of the manufacturers of these adulterated goods. From what I know of the different firms and individuals manufacturing comb foundation in Canada, I feel sure that without ex-