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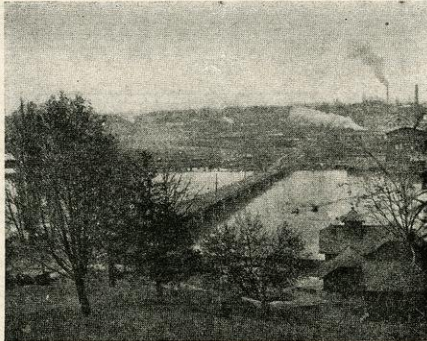
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WRITTEN ESPECIALLY FOR "THE TALE OF THE FOX"

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Who know- eth the dream Which is born in my stream When the sky in my wa- ters is blue? Something
the sun on my rapids is red? Something

sweet, Some- thing strong, As I rip- ple a- long. Mak- eth a sing- ing, a sing- ing of home;
swift, Some- thing strong, As I hur- ry a- long Soundeth a trum- pet, a trum- pet of power;

Maketh a sing- ing of children at play And the love of a man for his hearth, And beau- ty which call- eth the
Sound- eth a song of the fruits of a loom, And car- goes which labor hath

Chorus

sons of my val- leys. Back home from the ends of the earth.
wrought in my val- leys And sped to the ends of the earth. I will ga- ther my wa- ters and

go, I will sing to my- self as I flow, Of a swift fly- ing cloud. And a boat on my
Of a swift turn- ing wheel, And strong men in a

flood, And the home-loving hearts of a town. I will gather my

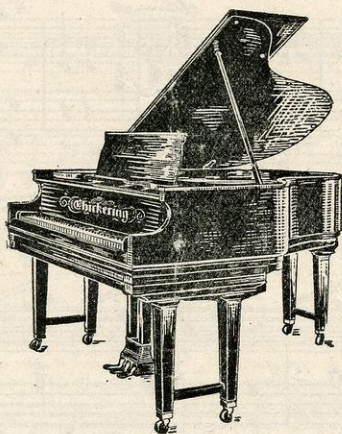
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8va sing to my-self as I

8va flow, Of a swift fly-ing cloud. And a
Of a swift turn-ing wheel. And strong

boat on my flood, And the home-loving hearts of a town. 8va

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