

## ~ THE MAN IN THE GLASS ~

When you get what you want in your struggle for self  
And the world makes you king for a day,  
Just go to the mirror and look at yourself  
And see what that man has to say.  
For it isn't your father, mother or wife  
Whose judgment upon you must pass;  
The fellow whose verdict counts most in your life,  
Is the one staring back from the glass.  
Some people may think you a straight-shootin' chum  
And call you a wonderful guy,  
But the man in the glass says you're only a bum -  
If you can't look him straight in the eye.  
He's the fellow to please - never mind all the rest,  
For he's with you clear up to the end.  
And you've passed your most dangerous, difficult test  
If the man in the glass is your friend.  
You may fool the whole world down the pathway of life  
And get pats on your back as you pass.  
BUT your final reward will be heartaches and tears -  
If you've cheated the man in the glass !