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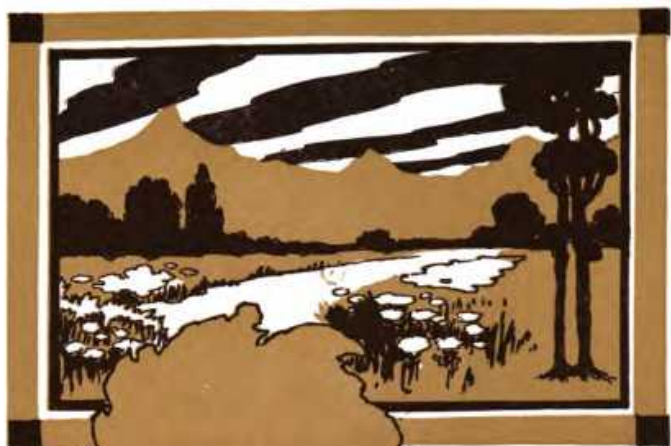
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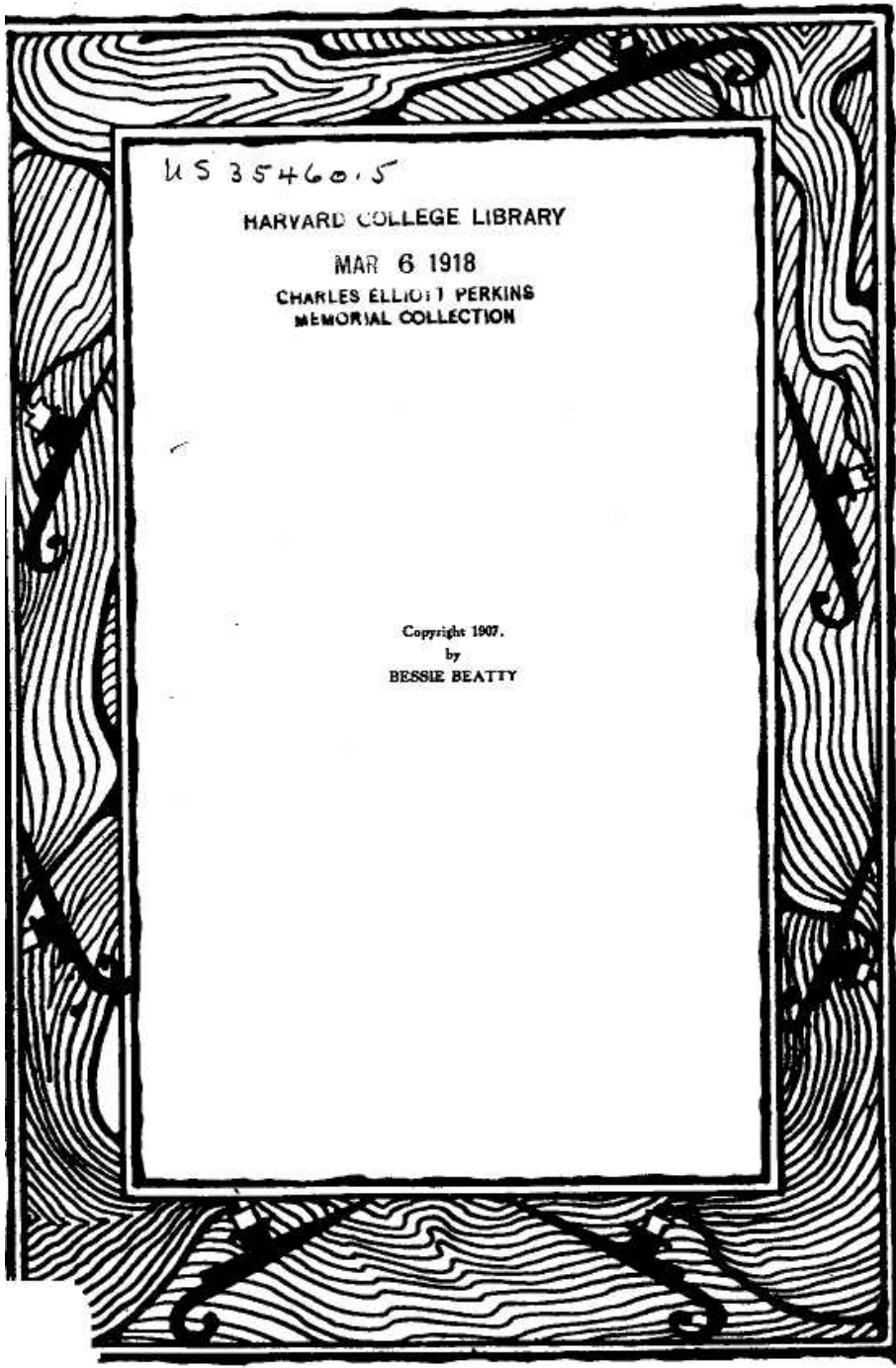
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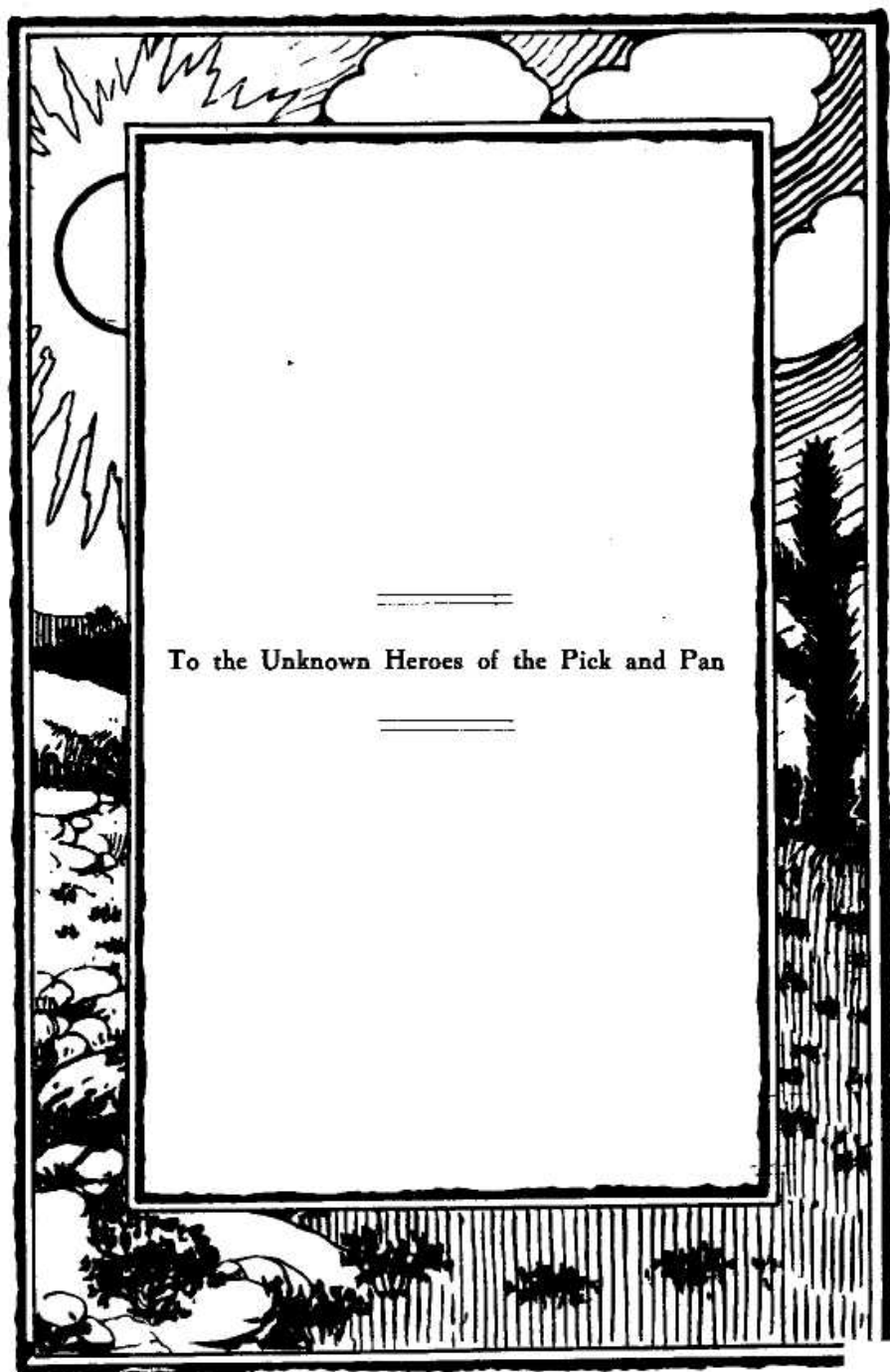
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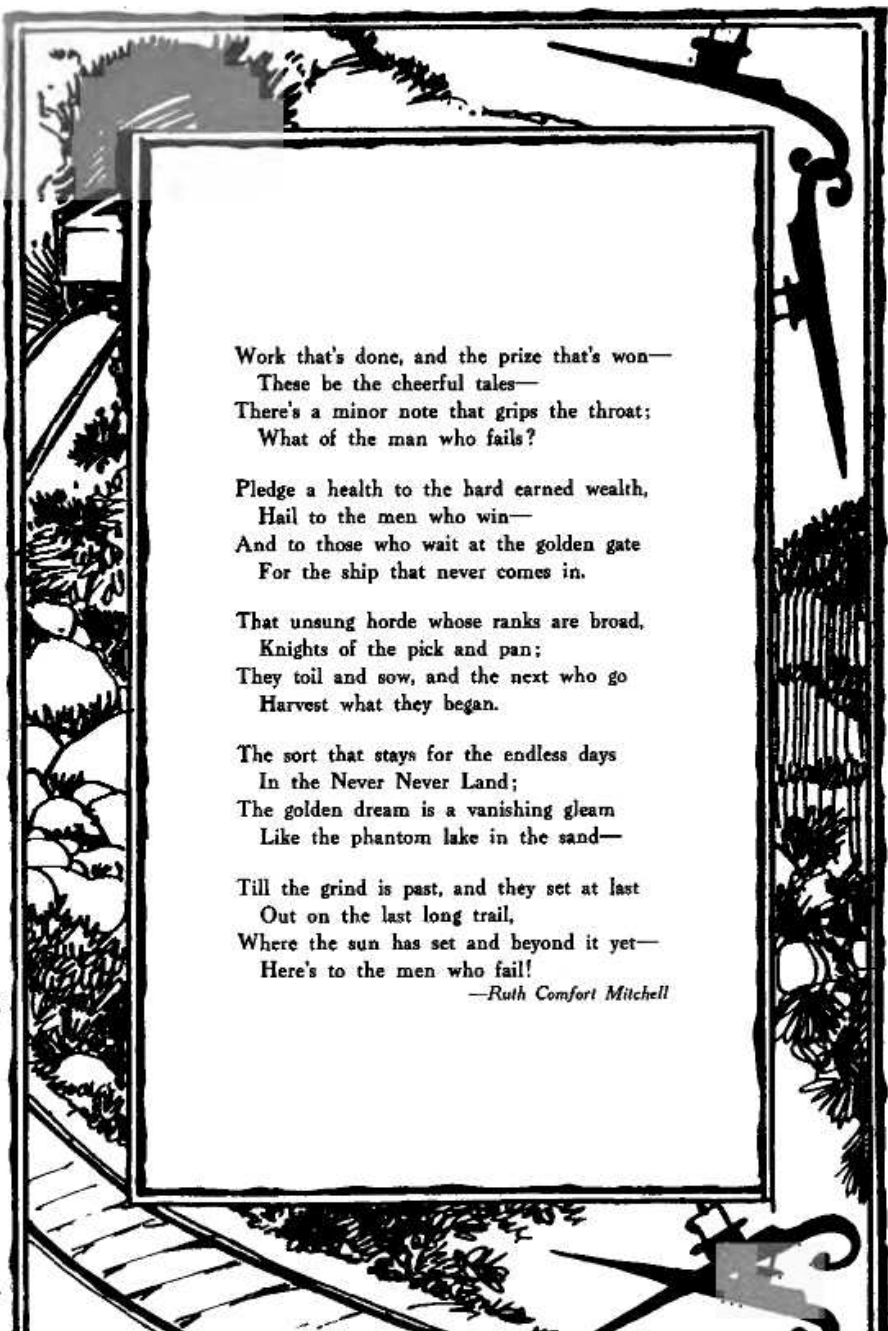
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To the Unknown Heroes of the Pick and Pan



Work that's done, and the prize that's won—
These be the cheerful tales—
There's a minor note that grips the throat;
What of the man who fails?

Pledge a health to the hard earned wealth,
Hail to the men who win—
And to those who wait at the golden gate
For the ship that never comes in.

That unsung horde whose ranks are broad,
Knights of the pick and pan;
They toil and sow, and the next who go
Harvest what they began.

The sort that stays for the endless days
In the Never Never Land;
The golden dream is a vanishing gleam
Like the phantom lake in the sand—

Till the grind is past, and they set at last
Out on the last long trail,
Where the sun has set and beyond it yet—
Here's to the men who fail!

—Ruth Comfort Mitchell

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