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IHR BERGE LEBT WOHL . . .

Ye mountains, farewell,
Farewell, farewell.
Those bushes and flowers,
The fresh cooling showers,
The murmuring well.

 Oft from afar with yearning
 To you my thoughts are turning
Ye mountains, farewell, farewell.

Ye mountains, farewell,
Farewell, farewell,
When shall I hear ringing
The songs you were singing
On those green-clad heights?
 Dear hearts, my tears are falling
 As sadly I am calling:
Ye pastures, farewell, farewell.

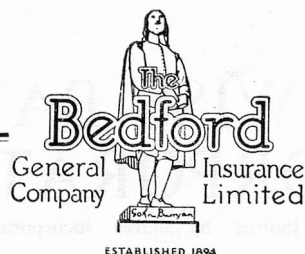
Ye alps, fare ye well
Farewell, farewell.
Those soft scented breezes
Whose fragrance so pleases
And gives such delight,
 Now that from you I'm banished
 Your spell will soon have vanished
Ye alps, fare ye well, farewell.

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