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Twinkle, twinkle little Arc.
Sickly, blue, uncertain spark;
Up above my head you swing,
Ugly, strange, expensive thing.

When across the foggy air
Streams the lightning, a purple glare;
Does the traveller in the dark
Bless your radience, little Arc?

When you fade with modest blush,
Scarce more bright than farthing rush,
Would you know which way to go
If you always twinkled so?

Cold, unloving, blinding star,
I've no notion what you are;
How your wondrous "system" works,
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Yours a lustre like the day!
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No; where'er they worship you
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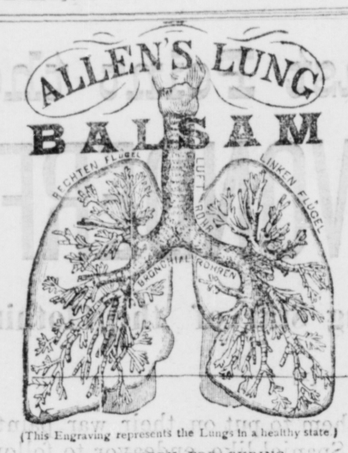

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