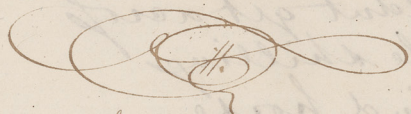


Sim Crow.



Sim was ^{born} in old Kentucky

Long time ago,
Where first him larn to wheel about
And jump Sim Crow.

Wheel about & turn about
And do jis so
Ebery time I wheel about
I jumps Sim Crow

In hoeing of de sugar
Picking cotton all de same
Sim used to beat de oder niggers
And gib 'em twenty in de game
Wheel about &c

At last him ³ him went to seek him fortune
Eot up by brake of day
Left him old shoes behind him
And off him rand away
Wheel &c

4

Den I comes to a Ribber
Which I couldnt get acroff
So gib a couple shilling
For an old blind horse.
Wheel &c

5
When I comes to de oder side
I drove him up a hill
& but de oder side
look rader daffakil
Wheel &c

6
Den I jumps aboard de big ship
And come acroff de seas
And landed on old England
Where de nigger am free
Wheel &c

7
It was de oder Sunday Morning
I put on my dandy coat
And went down to Greenwich
On board of de steamboat
Wheel &c

8
We hab folks of ebery nation
All layges dey speak
From de Turkey, Swiss & German
Down to Ancient Dutch Greek Wheel &c

9

A Gemman ax de Captain,
Fore de fastenings were clear,
How much farder is it Captain
Before we will be dere.
Wheel &c

10

A Frenchman told de Captain
Him want to get on de railroad
'Case him raily was afeard de Boat
Would tumble oberboard.
Wheel &c

11

But a bery clever chap on board
know'd ebery ting twould seem
Undertook to tell a Lady
How de Engive went by steam
Wheel &c

12

Him say. First, you see dis ere ting
A going up and down
Well den you see dem cartwheels
Turbing round & round Wheel &c

13

Well den, you see dat oder ting
look like a pair o' tong
It hit agen dat oder ting
And shoves de Boat along.

14
And, ven, dey wants to steer de boat
And bring her round in time
Der is a ting just like a cellar door
Swinging on behind. Wheel &c

15
A lady as what steam was
Aman of penetration
Said it was a bucket o' water
put into parasperation.
Wheel &c

16
O White Ho Folks, White Folks
We see you up to snuff
And is afeard indeed
Dat you neber get enough.
But tucbu mind de weder
Or how de wind do blow
For in spite of wind or wedder
Will I jump Sim Crow Wheel &c

17
Den go abed White Folks
Dont be slow
Hop ober double treble
Jump Sim Crow
Old Folks, Young Folks
Please betime go.
I'll come anoder time
And Jump Sim Crow.

