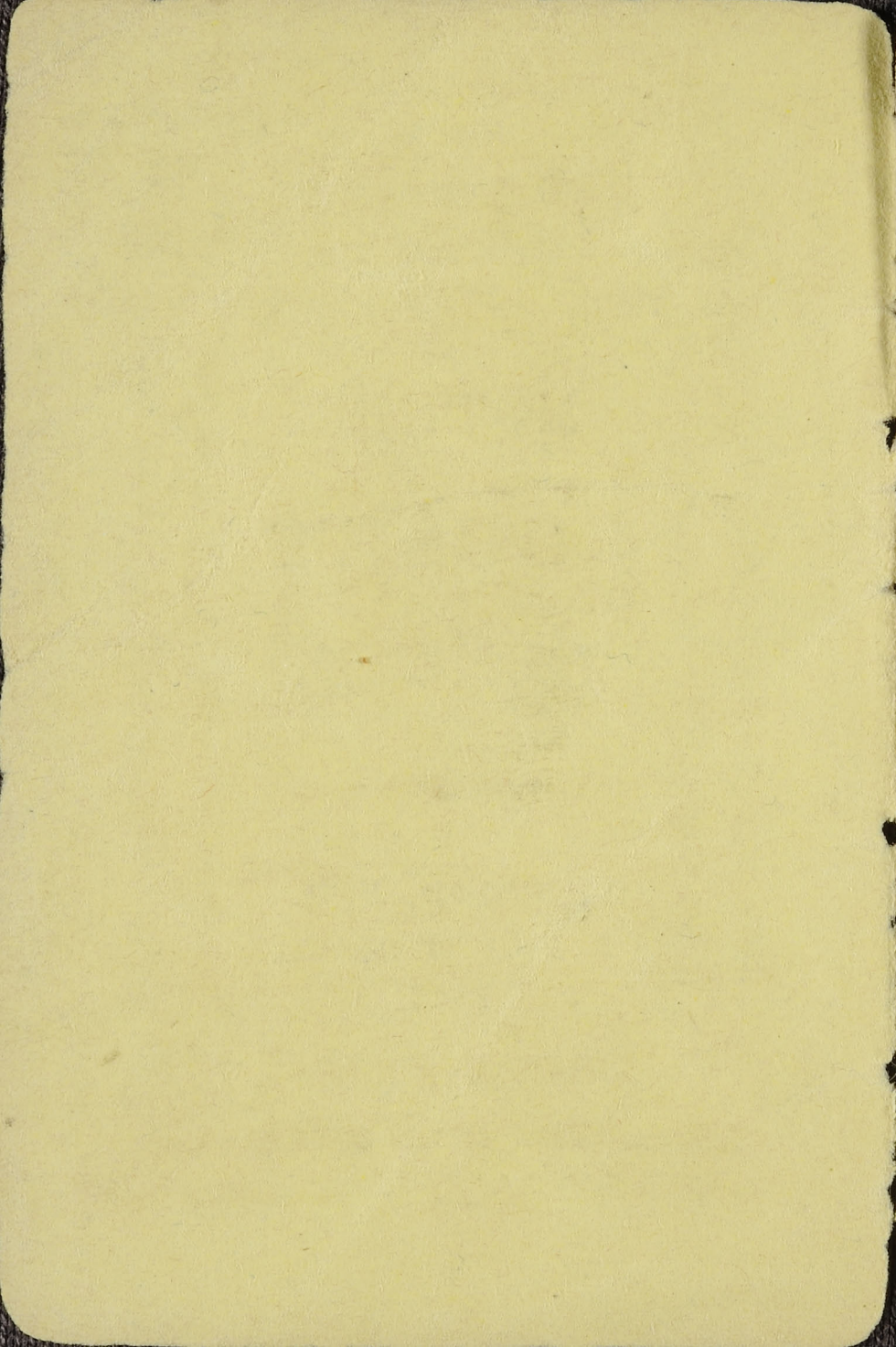


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O, what a pretty little book '  
So full of pictures too ;  
I should like through it to look.  
I'll buy it—wouldn't you ?

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# Mother Goose.



Bow, wow, wow,  
Whose dog art thou?  
Little Tom Tinker's dog—  
Whose dog art thou?

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Three wise men of Gotham  
Went to sea in a bowl ;  
And if the howl had been stronger  
My song had been longer.



Hark ! hark ! the dogs do bark,  
The beggars have come to town ;  
Some in rags, and some in tags,  
And some in velvet gowns.

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Tom, Tom, the piper's son,  
Stole a pig, and away he run ;  
The pig was eat,  
And Tom was beat,  
And Tom ran crying down the  
street.





I had a little hobby horse,  
And it was dapple gray ;  
His head was made of oat-straw,  
His tail was made of clay.  
He could amble, he could trot,  
He could carry a mustard-pot  
Through the town of Woodstock,  
Hey, boys, hey !

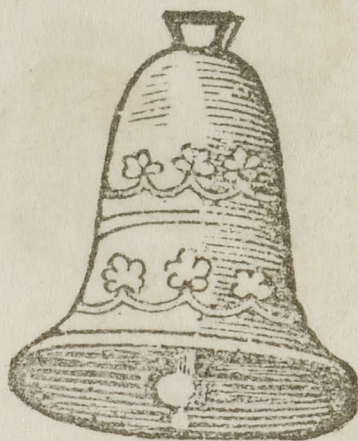
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Rain, rain, go away,  
Come again, April day ;  
Little Johnny wants to play  
In the meadow on the hay.



The little black dog ran round  
the house,  
And set the bull a roaring,  
And drove the monkey to the  
boat,  
Who set the oars a rowing,  
And scar'd the cock upon the rock,  
Who cracked his throat with  
crowing.





Ding dong bell, the cat's in the  
well.

Who put her in? Little Johnny  
Green.

Who pulled her out? Great  
Jack Stout.

What a naughty boy was that,  
To drown poor pussy cat,  
Who never did him any harm,  
And killed the mice in his fa-  
ther's barn



Little lad, little lad,  
Where were you born?  
Far off in Lancaster, under a thorn.  
I'm the stoutest boy you ever  
did see,  
I can carry a pocket-book bigger  
than me

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How many miles to Babylon?  
Threescore miles and ten.  
Can I get there by candle-light?  
Yes, and back again



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