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by Lukas Simonis & Pierre Bastien

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1 Cock Lock Alan Purvis

Cock, lock the dairy door, Lock the dairy door! Hen , chickle chackle chee I haven't got a key. | 38

Pussy cat, pussy cat,
Where have you been?
I've been to London
To look at the queen.
Pussy cat, pussy cat,
What did you there?
I frightened a little mouse
Under her chair. | 34

Coque: loque de déride or Loque de déride or. Haine: chic le chaque logis A avant-côtes de qui. 1 38

"Pousse y gâte, pousse y gâte, Et Arabe, yeux bine?"

"A ben, tout l'on donne
Toluca de couenne."

"Pousse y gâte, pousse y gâte,
Oh, a dit Dieu d'hère?"

"Y fraternelle Lydie, Moïse,
Honneur de chair." | 34

2 Ee Diedle Diedle (Jonathan Bohman)

Hey diddle, dites-le, dies-le, dele.

Hey diddle, diddle

The cat and the fiddle, ... uom eb servuo em suontsuo en suontsuo en



3 Tamtam Iris Yugo

zir aèrtnoz estê y ioup airiem asient saiM Mary, Mary, Mary, quite contrary sorg ne abrag rusc b !dA How does your garden grow? allehaè'l aup ohaè ne selled ard cockle shells 8rl. sorèn nialA, abémoid, xuarq nU And pretty maids all in a row. 18

Raseus arrête, valet de Tsar bat loups
Roses are red, violets are blue,

Qr | .uoyov tos nu , estius te eng seuol
Sugar is sweet and so are you. | 19

4 Coeur-lilas Karin De Jong

elliam tidah'b eliuh, kalil-rueo calil-rueo calil-rueo

5 Dissolu typique

Dissolu typique, Ouen ou Marquette.
Dissolu typique, c'tiède homme.
Dissolu typique a des roses vives.
Dissolu typique, aie de nom,
Dissolu typique, craille
Oui, oui, oui,
A louer: heaume. | 39

This little piggy went to market,
This little piggy stayed at home,
This little piggy had roast beef,
This little piggy had none,
And this little piggy cried,
Wee-wee-wee,
All the way home.

6 Tan Q Rosy Parlane

Tinker, tailor, soldier, sailor, rich man, poor man, beggarman, thief. 15

Tine, queue, T'est Laure. Salle de jeu, C'est l'or Riz chemin Pour mène Bec à romaine Dive. | 15

Rain, rain, go away, Come again another day; Little Johnny wants to play. 16

Pat-a-cake, pat-a-cake, baker's man Bake me a cake as fast as you can; Pat it and prick it, and mark it with T, Put it in the oven for Tommy and me

Reine, reine, gueux éveille.

Gomme à gaine, en horreur, taie. 116

Pas de caïque, pas de caïque, bécasse, mâne, Bec ami est coquille à ce vaste Assise ou Cannes Roulette et n'épate éden marcou y débit. Aîné petit inèdit, oh vaine! fort bébé ennemi. 17

7 Little Mess Mohfat Johannes Bergmark

Littelle messe, moffette,
Satan ne te fête,
Et digne somme coeurs et nouez.
Sat on a tuffet,
Sat on a tuffet,
Sat on a tuffet,
Ecting her curds and whey.
Along came a spider,
Who sat down beside her
And frightened Miss Muffet away, 100

8 Mondaa Chaal

Mander ce châle et ce fer aux fesses
Douze dix châle est-ce folie Grèce
Ouest ne céder ce châle est ce fol huhau!
Tiers dès ce châle a ce farde dégout
Ferraille dès ce châle est-ce l'eau vigne en gui vigne
Sept heures d'est ce châle lueur garde forêt les vignes
Andes châle date est-ce abornant deux sabotiers
Et ce bonnet, en balade, un goût en quais. | 28

Monday's child is fair of face,
Tuesday's child is full of grace,
Wednesday's child is full of woe,
Thursday's child has far to go,
Friday's child is loving and giving,
Saturday's child works hard for it's living.
And a child that is born on the Sabbath day,
is far, and wise, and good and gay. | 28





10 Amiance Nina Hitz, Ed Baxter

Mise treize mairie quoi y êtes contrée riz

Huit Silvère belles en écho que l'échelle Un preux, Diomède, Alain héros . 18

Mistress Mary, quite contrary. How does your garden grow? With silver bells and cockle shells And pretty maids all in a row. 1 18



D'Arras en halte, oh humaine, où Liévin échoue! Chiale semaine...y Gilles de Rennes chez Diderot ouate tout doux. Chiffrer de sombre eau...Ouïe d'Aoudh...Denys brette Si huppe bémol sans délit...Enceinte aime tout bête. 26

> There was an old woman who lived in a shoe, She had so many children she didn't know what to do; She gave them some broth without any bread; She whipped them all soundly and put them to bed. | 26





Ah! dearés te fallent Indolent qui ne sort cesse Indolent aui ne se mène Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall. Qu'importe un petit d'un petit Humpty Dumpty had a great fall, all the King's horses and all the King's men, 1 .zenneupen b ip DuoT Couldn't put Humpty together again. 11

o Un Petit D'un Petit **Eugene Buskens. Adam Bohman**

Et qui rit des curés d'Oc? De Meuse raines, houp! de cloques. De auelles loaues ce turaue coin. Et ne d'ânes ni rennes. Écuries des curés d'Oc. 16

Un petit d'un petit S'etonne aux Halles Un petit d'un petit

> Hickory, dickory, dock, The mouse ran up the clock. The clock struck one. The mouse ran down. Hickory, dickory, dock. 6

Jack Sprat could eat no fat, His wife could eat no lean And so between them both you see issue y ogmet eniuobed evues en t3 they licked the platter clean. | 7 Telle y que de plat terre, cligne. 7

Jacques s'apprête Coulis de nos fêtes. Et soif que dites nos lignes





11 Nanini (Mig Andrésen)

Oh. Anne. doux But. Cueilles ma chou. Trille fort. Chatte dort. Faveux Sikhs. Pie coupe Styx. Sève nette. Les dèmes se traitent. N'a ne d'haine. Écoute, fée daine, Éléphant tue elfes Dit au'en Delft Tartines, fortunes Miséricorde d'une Fit vetîmes Sixtine Médecine quitte Chine. C'est Fantine est d'Inn Mais Arouet dîne. Nanini, Toine est dit, Met plâtres, sème petit. | 25



12 O la Kile Kohl (Peter Fengler)

Eau la quille ne cole
Oise à mer est haulte de soles
Aîné marié au sol, vas-y!
École vorace paille
Pain école vorace boule
En école vorace fille de loterie.

Old King Cole
Was a merry old soul
And a merry old soul was he
He called for his pipe,
And he called for his bowl,
And he called for his fiddlers three

Each fiddler had a fiddle,
And a very fine fiddle had he;
Oh, there's none so rare
As can compare
With King Cole and his
fiddlers three | 2

Each fiddler, and less is a self in a self in

13 Myades Sounds Turkish

Myriades évitent lames

Et nuisent feux lisses. Où asseoit et sonne haut.

En abreuvoir dettes mairie ointe

Deux lames azures d'Iago. | 21

Its fleece was write as snow
And everywhere that Mary went
The lamb was sure to go | 21

Bécots. Si Carnot turc et n'y fasse taire. | 23

See-saw, Margery Daw, £s | . snibt seeby y'n to snut to Jacky shall have a new master;

Jacky shall have but a penny a day

Because he can't work any faster. | 23

Mary had a little lamb



15 Requia David Haines

Raïa qu'écorce turban béret crosse
Toussez afin laide y appeau nez ouate torse.
Rhinanthes heure fine guerre, sans bel sonneur tôt.
Chiches. Lave mouiik où est révère chicot. 114

Ride a cock-horse to Banbury Cross

To see a fine lady upon a white horse;

Rings on her fingers and bells on her toes

And she shall have music wherever she goes. 112



16 Peter Peter Lukas Simonis

Pis-terre, pis-terre
Pomme qui n'y terre
Ah! de ouilles fenil coup ne qu'y perd
Il peut terrine et pomme qu'y n'échelle
léna équipe soeur verrou elle. |8

Peter, Peter, pumpkin eater, el Had a wife and couldn't keep her; he put her in a pumpkin shell And there he kept her very well. |8



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Mother Goose Rhymes

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optigan, guitar, ukelele, mandolin, household tools, bass, organ, paper, prepared guitar, e-bow guitar, slide guitar, electronics and sound effects.

Pierre Bastien

meccano rhythm, sanza, singing saw, bowed bass, bass organ, prepared trumpet, casiola, violin, cornet, reed-trumpet, altered trumpet, drums, mecanium, talking drum, organ, paper, bowed guitar, violin, plastic, african harp, mechanized sanza.

VOICES

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