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FINDING THE ROAD TO SLEEP.

How many Mother Goose rhymes can you remember straight through? Having been called up in the middle of the night recently and having some difficulty in getting back to sleep because my mind was determined to busy itself with certain plans, I sought for some way to exercise this devil of untimely activity, and Mother Goose came to my aid.

By the Help of Mother Goose.

I could only remember four rhymes—just fancy, two rhymes completely and two partially. "Hey diddle, diddle, the cat and the fiddle" was the first one to come to my call. I always loved that because the picture in my Mother Goose book of the dish running away with the spoon, was so intriguing. They looked as if they were going to travel all over the world and have the most wonderful adventures. The second was "Little Jack Horner." Then came the Queen of Hearts and her tarbs, but I could only get part way through that, and then fragments of the "queen in the parlor eating bread and honey, the king is in the counting house counting out his money" began to drift through my brain in that delicious way that means one is very near to the gates of dreamland.

When I awoke in the morning there came to me in quick succession little Miss Muffet and her tuffet, Old Mother Hubbard and her poor dog, and the old lady who "lived on nothing, but vittles and drink" (I am surprised that I did not think of her first for she was a most dramatic character in my childhood. I thought then that "vittles" was a kind of pickles, and my sister used to assure me that the old lady lived behind the head of our big walnut bedstead, and tell me long tales about her doings.)

How Many Could You Remember?

These are all of that big army of wonderful folks—who were as real to most of us in our childhood as any but our immediate family and playmates—that I can summon back without consulting the book.

I wonder if others will find they have so surprisingly lost touch with the Mother Goose folk?

Try it sometime when you have a little gathering and want something

Steam Trawlers the Next Need.

The time is come when Newfoundland fishermen should take up steam trawling if we want to keep up with the progress made by other fishing countries. It must be an economic system of getting fish, otherwise it would not be adopted and followed up in yearly increasing ratio by Norway, France, England, Scotland, the United States and Canada.

We realize that it involves a large outlay, but the fishing results are so great that it is well worthy of investigation. All is needed is some enterprising man to break the ice and we have no doubt that others will soon follow, as in the case of the motor boat.

The French at St. Pierre are preparing to use steam trawlers on a large scale next summer. Lord Leverhulme has a fleet of 90 trawlers fishing out of British ports this season, and will have an increased fleet next year.

We understand that it is an opportune time to buy trawlers in the United States, Canada and England, second-hand craft, but only a few years old and well suited for the fishery on our coast.—Trade Review.

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The S.S. Sartartia having in tow the steamer Lake Furnas arrived in port yesterday evening. The Lake Furnas was bound to Manchester from Norfolk, Va., with part cargo of tobacco, and left the latter port 7 days ago. She experienced the same heavy weather that was reported by the Delco, and on Friday last when 340 miles from this coast, lost three blades of her propeller, thereby becoming unmanageable and forced to call for help. The S.S. Sartartia, which was on her way from New York to Hamburg, heard her call for help and immediately responded, picking up the disabled ship early Saturday morning 250 miles south of Cape Race. Lines were made fast and the ships made good progress to port, arriving here at 3.30 p.m. yesterday. The Sartartia is quite a large ship and has over 3000 tons of general cargo which is being taken to Germany. It comprises everything imaginable, copper, grain, oil and all sorts of foodstuffs. She took water last night at the Furness Withy Co's wharf. This is the ship's first visit here, but Capt. Geetes, her commander, has been here on several occasions. The Lake Furnas is a smaller ship than the Sartartia, having about 2500 tons capacity. Both ships are oil burners and are owned by the American Shipping Board.

THE GOSSIP.

I burn some joss-sticks every night, and as they burn I say, "Preserve me from the evil plight that Jinks is in this day!" For Jinks possessed the gossip's tongue, and every spiteful tale by him was far and farther flung, until the lie grew stale. With him a slander foul and grim was sure to make a hit, and baseless rumor seemed to him like proofs of holy writ. A man may thus traduce his friends in safety for a time, but soon or late his effort ends in a carnival of crime. And Jinks passed on some vicious yarns, as he was prone to do, concerning J. Adolphus Barnes, which tales were far from true. Alas, alas, my spirit shrinks from setting down this line; for J. Adolphus climbed on Jinks and skated down his spine. This J. Adolphus is a gent of mighty bones and thews, and when he for his victims went steel spikes were in his shoes. And Jinks, to spread his gossip vain, no longer blithely trots; he's lying on a bed of pain, all tied in sailors' knots. The doctor says he's but a wreck, who once wild rumors chased; his arms are around his neck, his legs around his waist. No neighbors seek his humble cot to say that Barnes was wrong; and people cry, "He merely got what he's invited long."

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By Edgar A. Guest

WHEN THE MINISTER CALLS.

My Paw says that it used to be whenever the minister came for tea 'At they sat up straight in their chairs at night

An' put all their common things out o' sight.

An' nobody cracked a joke or grinned, But they talked o' the way that people sinned

An' the burnin' fires that would cook you sure

When you come to die, if you wasn't pure—

'Twas a gloomy affair that used to be Whenever the minister came for tea.

But now when the minister comes to call I get him out for a game of ball, And you'd never know if you'd see him bat.

Without any coat or vest or hat, That he is a minister, no siree! He looks like a regular man to me. An' he knows how to go into the dirt For the grounders hot without gettin' hurt—

An' when supper's ready, both him an' me Have to get washed up again for tea.

He's played all the games that the fellers play When he was in college. An' one big day He came to bat with the score a tie, An' the pitcher slipped him one, An' he walloped it over the fence for fair

An' won that ball game right then An' here!

An' my Paw knows that it's true, coz he Wuz up in the grand-stand where he could see.

Once in a football game he played, An' the winnin' touchdown alone he made—

My Paw says whenever he got the ball, He could run so fast that he'd beat 'em all.

He says that the feller who'll just play fair Is fit for heaven or anywhere, An' fun's all right if your hands are clean

An' you never cheat an' you don't get mean.

He says that he never has understood Why a feller can't play an' still be good,

An' my Paw says that he's just the kind Of a minister that he likes to find—

So I'm always tickled as I can be Whenever our minister comes for tea.

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C. L. B. Cadets Attend Divine Service.

The Church Lads' Brigade Cadets under Lt.-Col. Goodridge together with a detachment of the Old Comrades attended service at the Cathedral yesterday afternoon the occasion being the opening of the C.M.B.C. His Lordship Bishop White was the preacher and gave an excellent address on discipline and character, which made a great impression upon the large congregation. He particularly appealed to the young men of the C.L.B. and C.M.B.C. to volunteer as priests of the Church. After the service the Brigade reformed and accompanied by His Lordship Bishop White marched back to the armoury via Gower and Cochrane Sts., Military and Harvey Roads. At the armoury His Lordship the Bishop gave the lads a short address, congratulating the Brigade upon its efficiency in all its branches and hoped that it would always keep up to the same high standard. Lt.-Col. Goodridge spoke

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