120 Miscellaneous Poems.

Least his fond Doxy shou'd expect more good, Than he in prudent fort can well afford.

My Friends be patient: just step in here. A Child is born; and ever there's good cheer, At fuch a jolly Time; we'll have our share. Plenty of Gossips Bowl with sugar'd Beer. I can our welcome claim, for this good Man, And I have at the Rose top'd many a Can; From thence to Mother Red-cap's, and there lay In the foul Arms of Strumpet Sally May, 'A Huzzy bold, but full of Wit and Gay. And that we her might well remember, She gave us both the same Distemper: Nay, pox'd us to our very Hearts content, So gave us cause our folly to repent. If this his Spoule in Straw should hear, Oh! how she'd comb his Noddle, and then swear, He ne'er on her shou'd get another Heir.

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