THE EXPLORER

Then in a horrid deep crevasse I'll hide me for a year,

And you can go to gay New York and tell them that you fear

You can't find me on land or sea, no matter where you look,

Fresh from the snows, you then can pose as good old Doctor Cook.

Go! break the news to Mrs. Cook and tell her she's a "wid."

And all my scientific notes are in an "Igloo" hid;

Then don't you see, Commander P., while you are Doctor Cook,

In my warm bag I'll get á jag, and finish up our book.

The Polar night is my delight, but when you've told my dearie,

Across the pack I'll hustle back and say I'm Robert Peary;

This joint stock game will bring us fame, and seems to me quite funny,

We'll swear we both have found the Pole and make a pile of money.