Gander

You're right, I fear. Since we have sunk so low, We cannot raise ourselves—come, let us go.

(They call to Turkey, who has been sitting dis-

mally in a corner). Exit.

CURTAIN

ACT THE FIFTH

Scene. Gamecock's force are resting. They are getting ready to go forward, when a cock rushes in.

Cock

Back! Back! there is a gruesome sight before. The traitors, Drake and Gander, lie in gore. Their headless bodies lie beside the block, And soon the sure and death-deciding knock Shall stretch the Tyrant Turkey on the ground. Back! Back! I say, or we shall all be found!

Rooster

No, no, our useless lives they do not seek, But soon there comes—some day this coming week,

A dinner, so I heard the Master speak,