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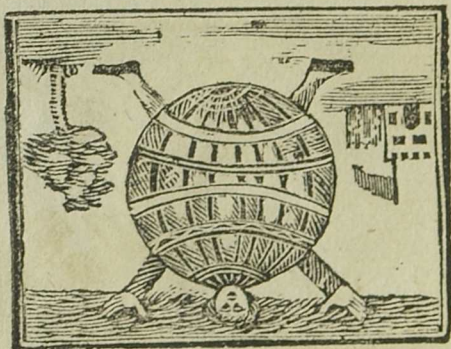
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There you may see what a great
I do wish to see it again;
A new and noble building;
It shall be a new one.

FRONTISPIECE.



Here you may see what's very rare,
The world turn'd upside down ;
A tree and castle in the air,
A man walk on his crown.

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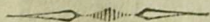
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TO see a butcher kill a hog,
 is no news ;
 But to see a hare run after a dog,
 is strange indeed !



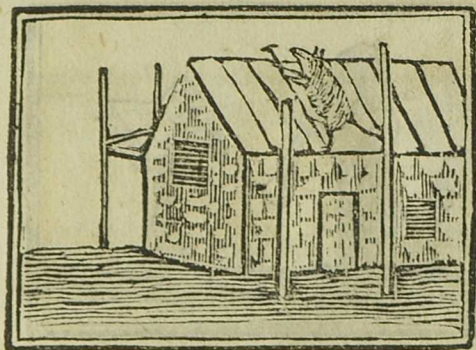
This hare hunts the dog,
 Tho' all of you know,
 Most dogs hunt the hare—
 But here it's not so,

To see a poor man and a rich,
 is no news ;
 But to see the devil hugging a witch,
 is strange indeed !



Is your name Nick, sir,
 Or Old Harry,
 I insist you tell before
 We marry.

To see a cat catching a mouse,
 is no news ;
 But to see a rat building a house,
 is strange indeed !



Some rats take delight to gnaw
 Houses down—
 I want to build a good
 House of my own.

To see a bird picking at fruit,
is no news ;
But to see a dog playing the flute,
is strange indeed !



You see I am playing here,
Too, too, too, too ;
When I've done with my flute,
I'll give it to you.

To see a greyhound catch a hare,
is no news ;
But to see a lamb hunting a bear,
is strange indeed !



The bear runs away, the
Lamb is pursuing ;
If he catches the bear,
There'll be terrible doing.

To see an eagle spread her wings,
is no news ;
But to see an old man in leading
strings, is strange indeed !



Take care, grandpapa, lest
You should fall,
And if you want your
Chair—pray call.

To see a weaver throw his shuttle,
 is no news ;
 But to see a man get in a quart bottle,
 is strange indeed !



You'll all be amazed to
 See me get in,
 And much more surprised
 If I get out again.

To hear of a Frenchman eating a frog,
 is no news;
 But to see a butcher stuck by a hog,
 is strange indeed!



Don't hollo !
 'Tis only a knife,
 You never stuck a pig
 So easy in your life.

To see a gardener gather a sallad,
 is no news ;
 But to see an ass singing a ballad,
 is strange indeed !



My voice is so fine,
 And so charming the tune,
 I expect for to sing at
 The opera soon.

To see a man get a boat,
 is no news ;
 But to see a man jump down his
 throat, is strange indeed !



If I once get my legs in
 As far as my knees,
 The rest will slip down
 With a great deal of ease.

To see a dog baiting a bull,
is no news ;
But to see a ram spinning of wool,
is strange indeed !



Good lack a daisy !
How you grin,
To see a poor ram
Try to spin.

To see a tailor making a coat,
is no news ;
But to see a hog rowing a boat,
is strange indeed !



Step into my boat,
I'll give you a row,
I'm an excellent waterman,
All of you know.

To see a man fish in a moat,
 is no news ;
 But to see a monkey shaving a goat,
 is strange indeed !



My lather is good, and
 My razor is keen,
 In two minutes time,
 I'll shave you quite clean.

To see a miller grinding corn,
is no news ;
But to see an ox blowing a horn,
is strange indeed !



I blow and I run,
And I run and I blow,
And which I do best,
I'm sure I don't know.

To see a shoemaker hammer his
 leather, is no news ;
 But to see a hound and a buck drink-
 ing together, is strange indeed !



Mr. Buck, I wish you luck.
 Mr. Hound, your most profound.

To see a good boy read his book,
is no news ;
But to see a goose roasting a cook,
is strange indeed !



I'll roast ye, and baste ye,
But who will may taste ye.

To see a beau at his toilet dress,
 is no news ;
 But to see two horses playing at
 chess, is strange indeed !



Mr. Horse, you don't play
 Fair, but cheat :
 Mr. Nag, you say so,
 Now you're beat.

To see a high-bred horse when
 prancing, is no news ;
 But to see a cat fiddling and mice all
 dancing, is strange indeed !



Come foot it, my dears,
 And when you've done,
 I'll eat you for supper,
 Aye, every one.

To see a lady drinking of tea,
 is no news ;
 But to see a bird shoot a man in a
 tree, is strange indeed !



First of all, I'll shoot this clown,
 And then I'll bring his bow wow
 down.

To see a boy swim in a brook,
 is no news ;
 But to see a fish catch a man with a
 hook, is strange indeed !



Spare me, good Mr. Fish,
 I didn't molest you.
 I'll spare you no longer
 Than till I dress you.

To see a cat steal milk from a pan,
 is no news ;
 But to see a buck hunting a man,
 is strange indeed !



Hark forward, huzza,
 He can't get away :
 And he's not buck enough
 To stand at a bay.

To see a cobbler mending a shoe,
 is no news;
 But to see a goat cry old clothes like
 a jew, is strange indeed!



'Tis always my vay,
 To cheat ven I can,
 Yet for all that I be
 A very goot man.

To see a haymaker using of rakes,
 is no news ;
 But to see a bear making plum cakes,
 is strange indeed !



What I have got in the pan,
 I shall eat if I can,
 And this cake on the shelf,
 I shall keep for myself.

To see a barrel made by a cooper,
 is no news,
 But to see a goat act the part of a
 trooper, is strange indeed!



Hur will fight hur foes
 For the honour of Wales,
 And if the French come,
 They shall turn their tails.

To see wrestlers kicking shins,
is no news ;
But to see cats playing at nine pins,
is strange indeed !



I'll lay a penny, you don't get many.
I'll knock down all, and swallow the
ball.

To hear a parrot say, pretty Poll,
is no news;
But to see a sow with a parasol,
is strange indeed!



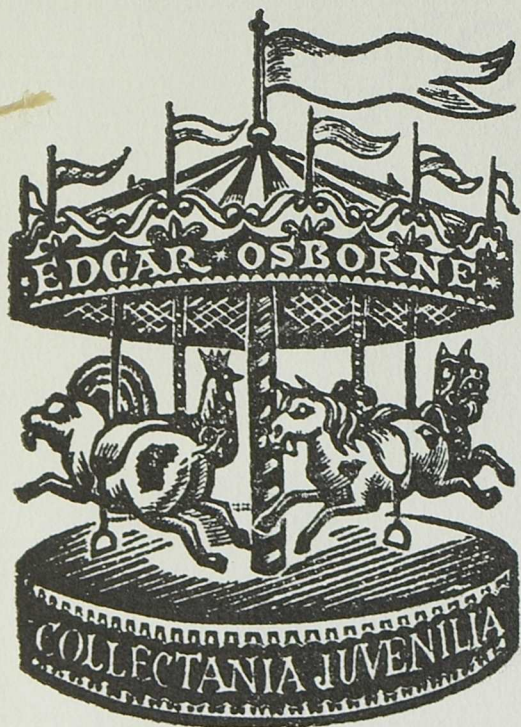
Like a lady I shine,
I'm so fat and so fine;
I've a right I suppose,
To a shade for my nose.

MONKEY RIDING A BEAR.



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