

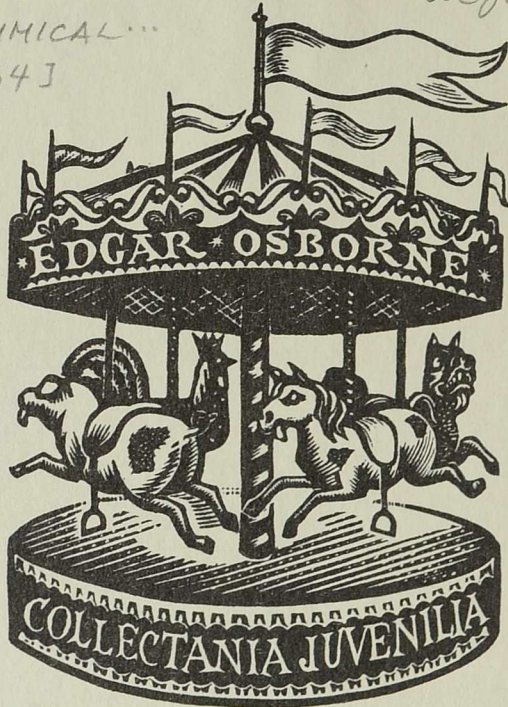
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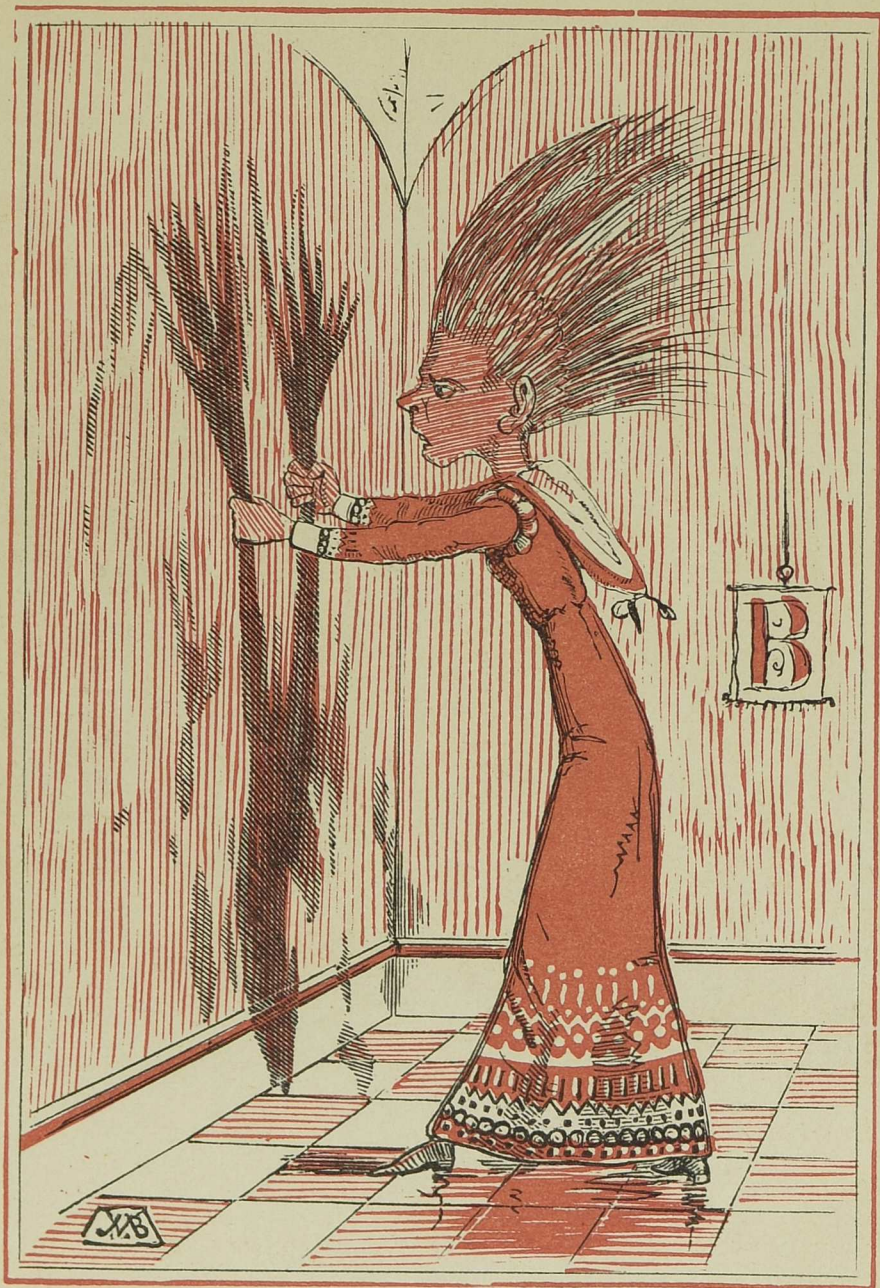
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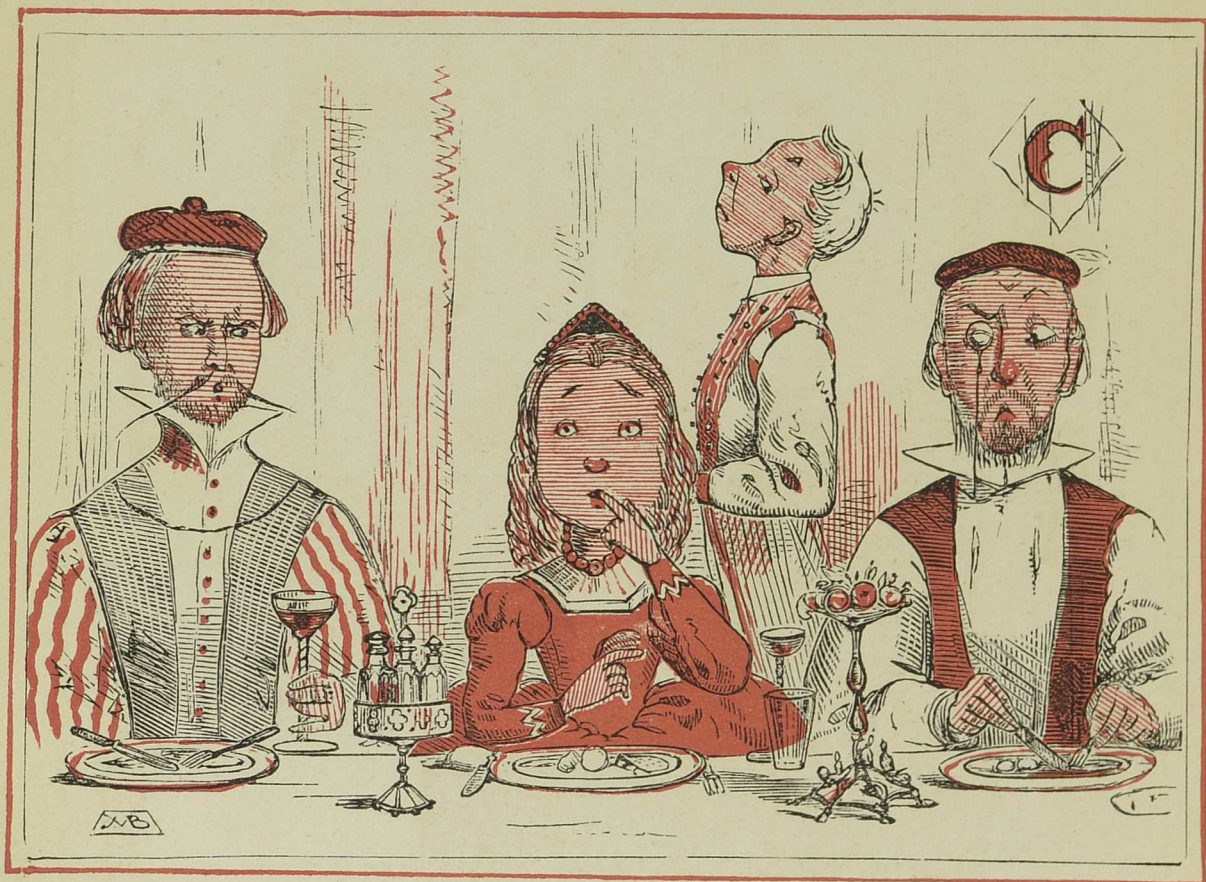
A REASONABLE REQUEST

A PRETTY Young Lady of Aden,
A fair little rare little Maiden,
Once asked her Mamma
To ask her Papa
To buy her a new Doll at Aden.



VINDICTIVE YOUNG LADY OF BADDOW.

THERE was a **Y**oung **L**ady of **B**addow,
Who was angry one day with her **S**hadow;
So in both hands she took it,
And to fragments she shook it,
Vindictive **Y**oung **L**ady of **B**addow.



CONTRARY TO ETIQUETTE.

THERE was a **Y**oung **L**ady of **C**ork,
Who declining to eat with a **F**ork,
Her **F**ingers would use,
And the feelings abuse,
Of the delicate people of **C**ork.



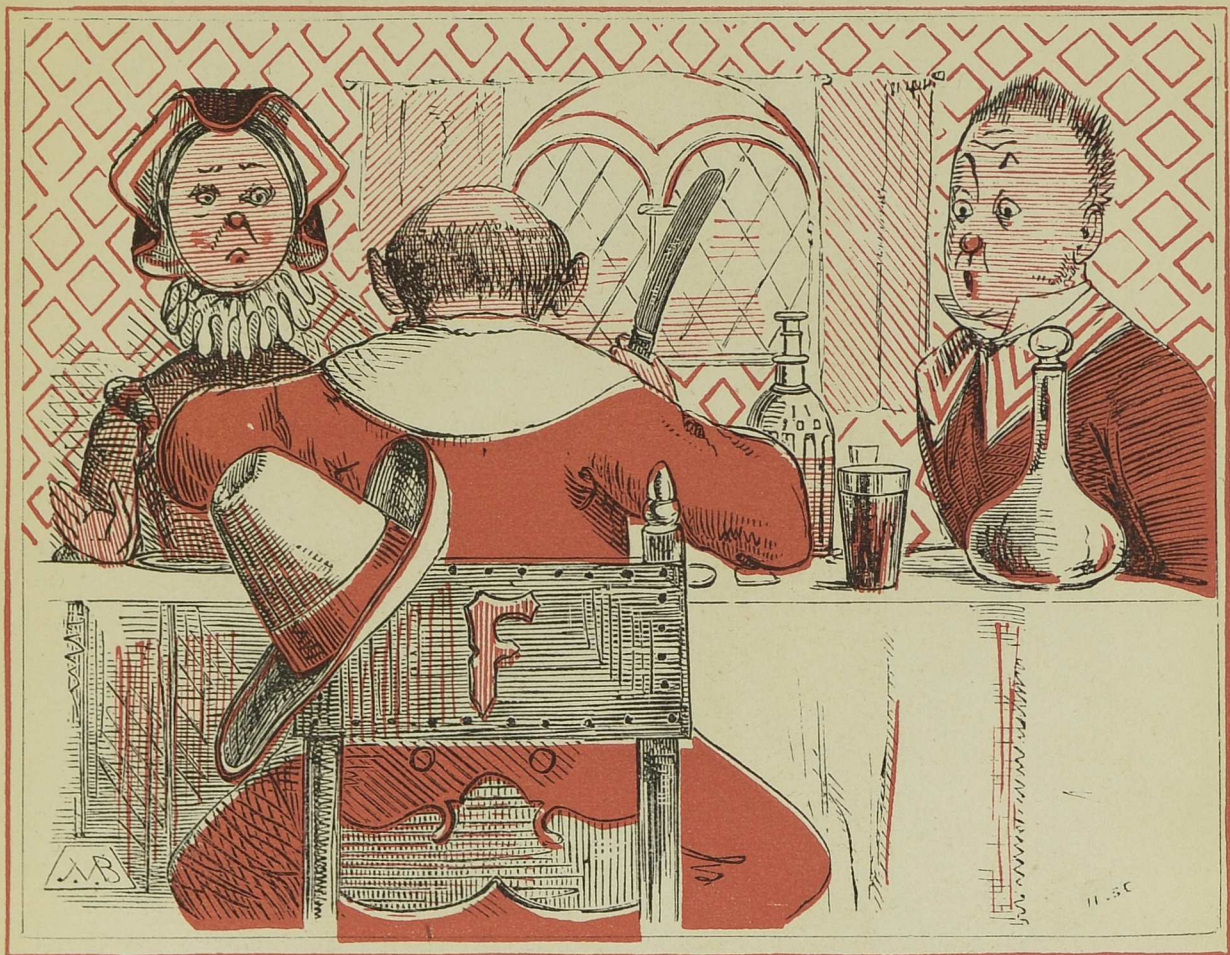
DAINTY OLD MAN OF DUMFRIES.

THERE was an **O**ld **M**an of **D**umfries,
Who was very peculiar in **C**heese,
And when offered fine **W**ilton,
Said **N**o! give me **S**ilton,
The dainty **O**ld **M**an of **D**umfries.



MORBID SENSIBILITY.

THERE was a **Y**oung **L**ady of **E**aling,
Whose heart was so full of kind feeling,
That she wept when a **M**ouse,
Was found dead in the **H**ouse,
Tender-hearted **Y**oung **L**ady of **E**aling.



THE UNWELCOME GUEST.

A MISERLY person of **F**rome,
Who seemed not to know his own home,
Thought it better to eat
Of his neighbours' good **M**eat,
Than find the way home to his own.



POLITE LITTLE BOY OF GRAVESEND.

A NICE Little Boy of Gravesend,
When he went to have Tea with a Friend,
Said, Shrimps I will take, Ma'am,
I prefer them to Cake, Ma'am,
Polite Little Boy of Gravesend.



A MERRY MISTAKE.

A NOTABLE Sportsman of Harling,
His Gun one day fired at a Starling,
But the Bird flew away,
With his Ramrod they say,
And whistled the joke over Harling.



HUMANITY REWARDED.

A GOOD Little Boy of **St. Ives**,
Who always protected the **Lives**
Of **Puppies** and **Kittens**,
Had a pair of **Red Mittens**,
From an elderly dame of **St. Ives**.

REMARKABLE CIRCUMSTANCE.

A SPRIGHTLY Young Lady from **Jersey**,
Was boating one day on the **Mersey**,
When her **Hat** and her **Veil**,
Were caught by a **Gale**,
And borne to her **Mother** at **Jersey**.



CHANGE OF CLIMATE.

A TENDER Young **L**ady of **K**nighton,
Was desirous of visiting **B**righton,
But when she got there,
So keen was the air,
That she shivered and went back to **K**nighton.



DISCOURAGEMENT.

A GENTLEMAN living at Leeds,
Whose Garden was troubled with weeds,
Did nothing but Hoe,
And yet they would Grow,
Till they madden'd the Good Man of Leeds.



A PITIFUL CASE.

A LADY who once lived at **M**ould,
For **T**rifles so often would **S**cold,
That when she was still
Folks thought she was ill,
And pitied the **L**ady of **M**ould.



ALWAYS WELCOME.

A GENEROUS Lady at Needham,
When she found hungry Children would
feed 'em,
And when she went out,
With joy they would shout,
“Here comes the Good Lady of Needham.”



WORTHY OF IMITATION.

TWO Good Little Brothers of Ongar,
Who wished to grow wiser and stronger,
Each morn left their Bed
Quite early, and read,
Then walked in the fresh air of Ongar.



WELL EMPLOYED.

A CLEVER Mechanic of **P**oole,
Was idle for want of a **T**ool,
So they gave him a **F**ork,
And set him to work,
Eating of **G**ooseberry **F**ool.



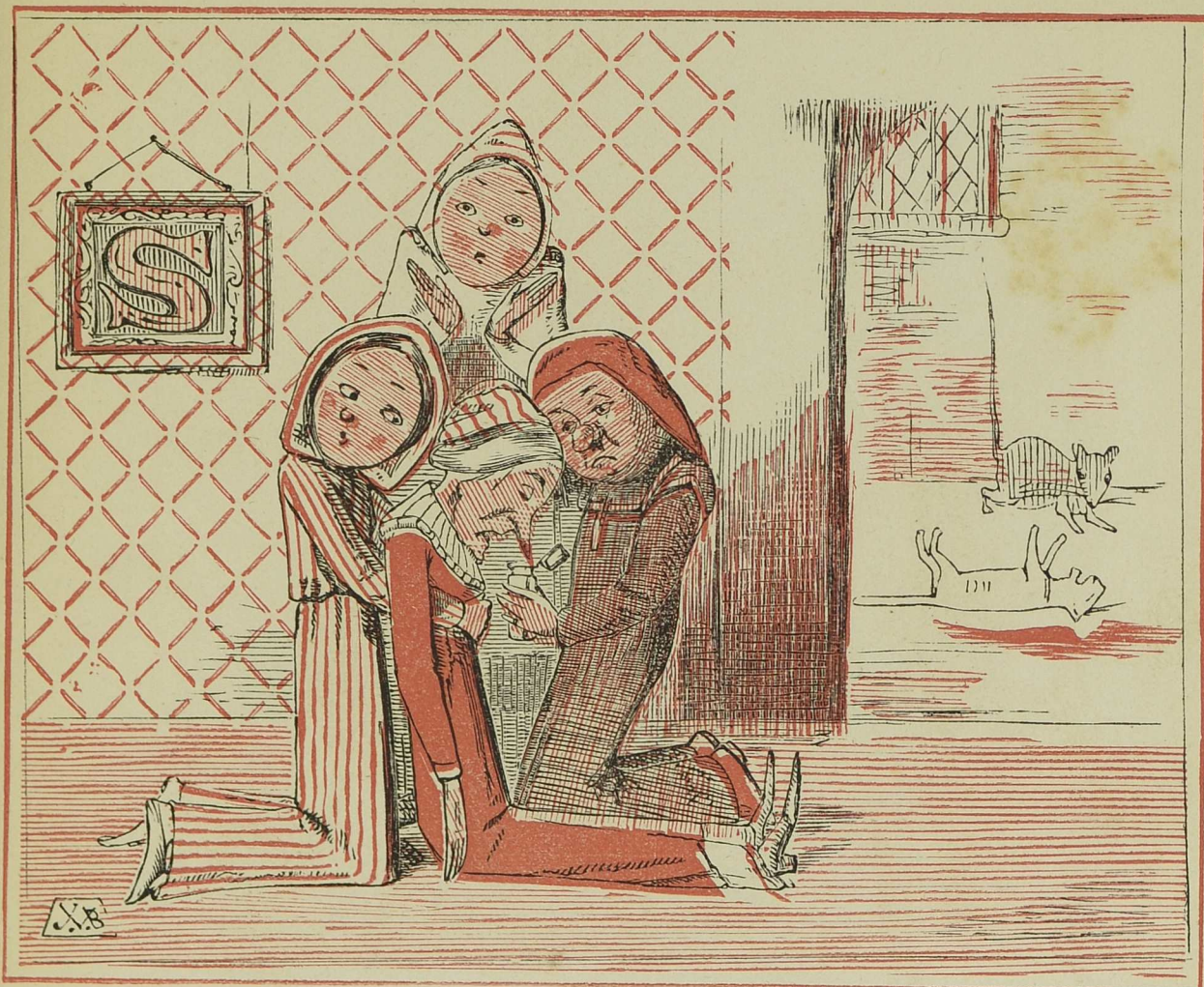
ALARMING COMPLIMENT.

A LADY who sailed from Quebec,
Was standing one day upon Deck,
When an Epicure Fish,
Said he longed for a Dish
Of the Lady who sailed from Quebec.



MELANCHOLY EVENT.

A MAIDEN was walking at Ryde,
With a little Pet Dog by her side,
When meeting a Cow,
It toss'd the bow wow,
Whose wail woke the echoes of Ryde.

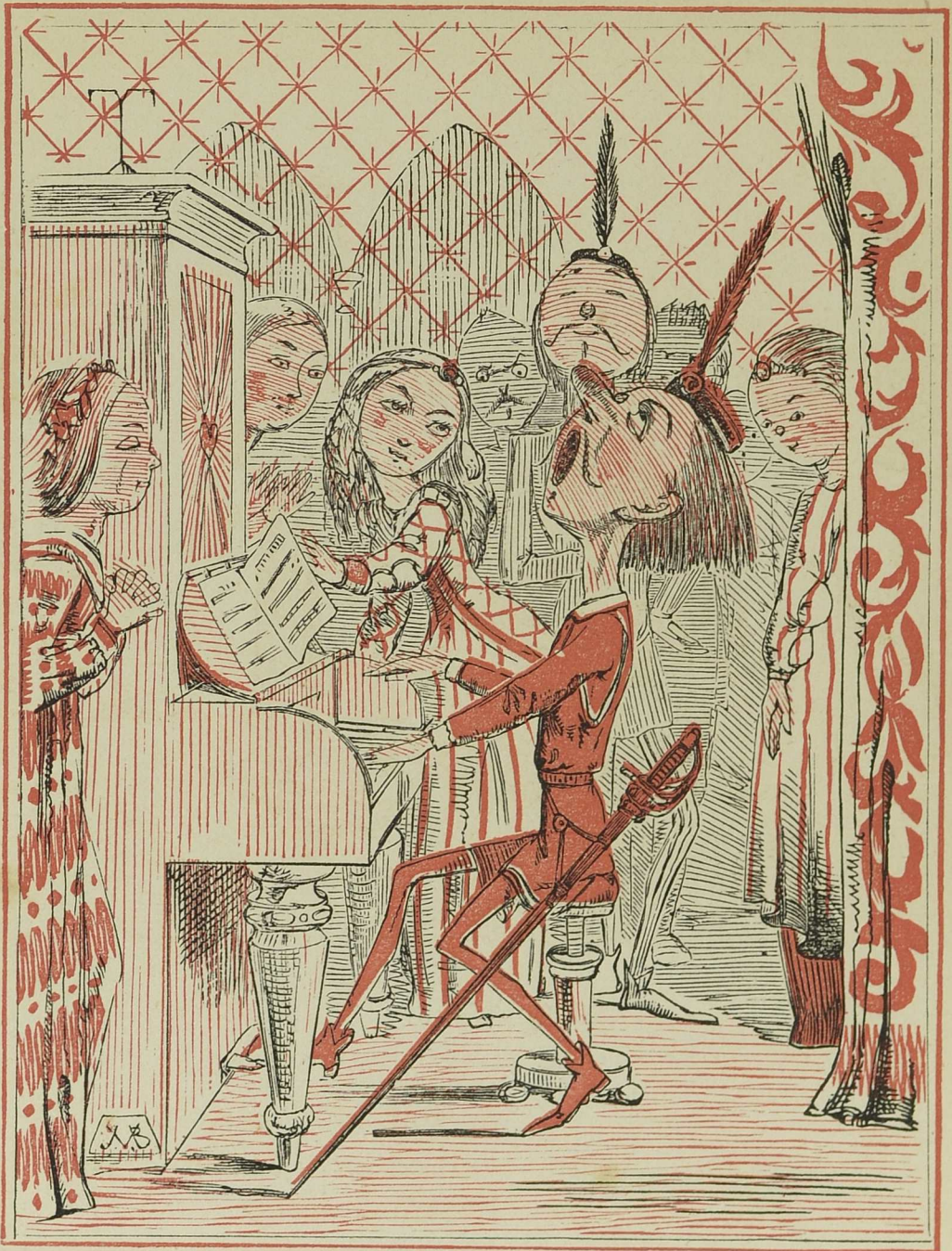


VERY AFFLICTIVE, VERY.

THERE was an **O**ld **L**ady of **S**tock,
Whose nerves had a terrible shock,
When they told her her **C**at
Had been killed by a **R**at,
Unhappy **O**ld **L**ady of **S**tock.

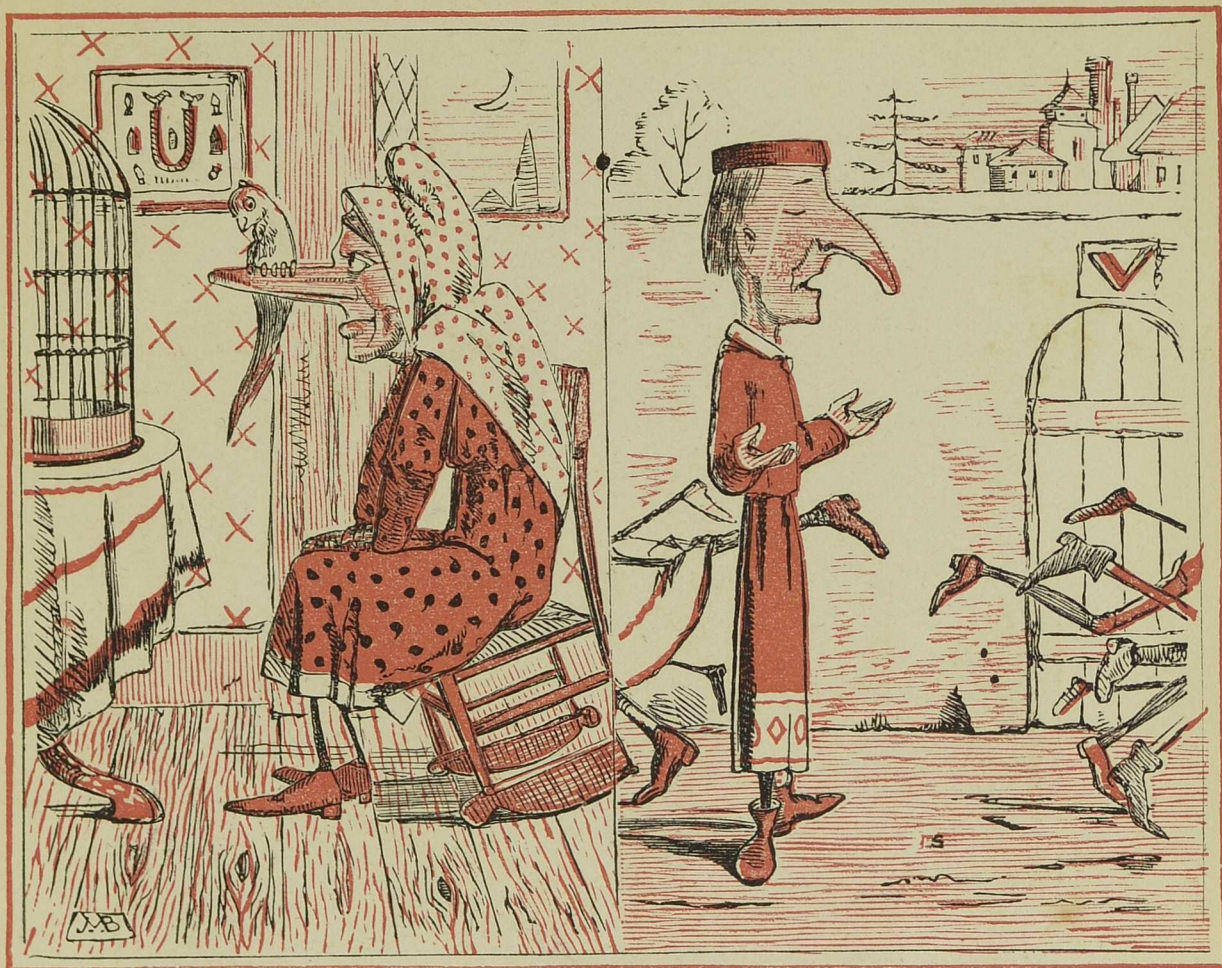


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HAPPILY GIFTED.

A GENTLEMAN living at **T**ring,
Was requested so often to **S**ing,
Till it seemed his employment,
And only enjoyment,
To sing to the people of **T**ring.

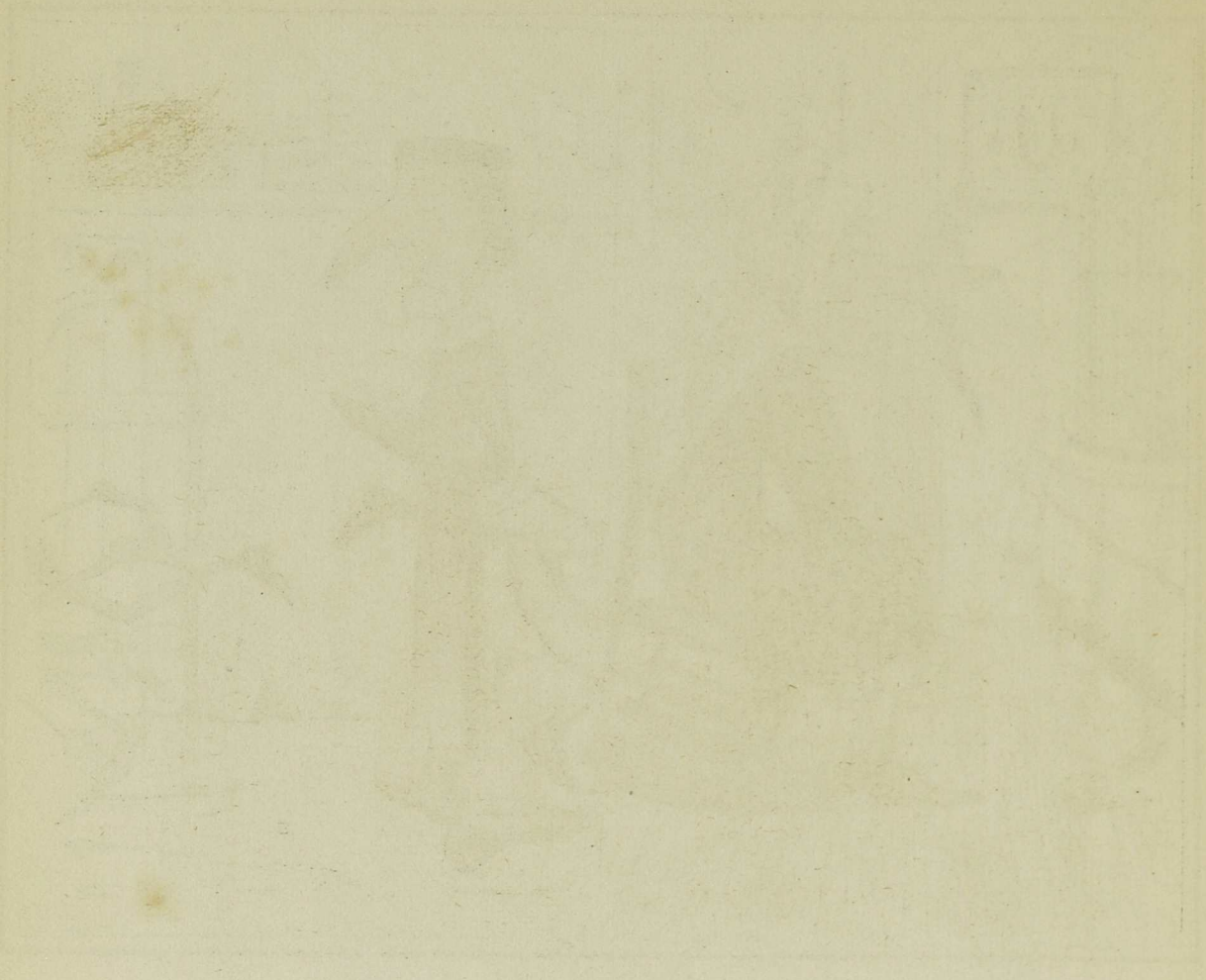


HOME DUTIES.

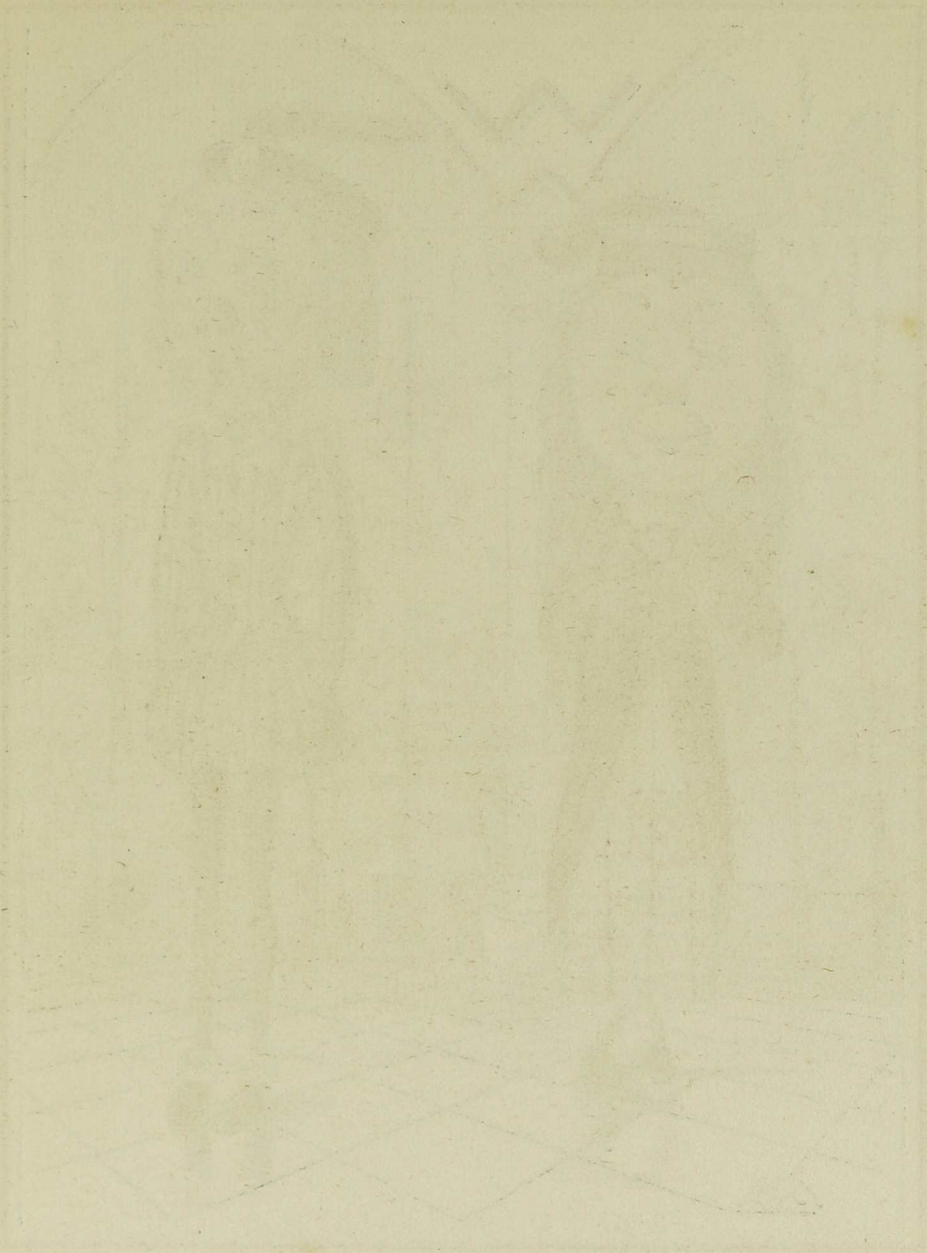
A SINGULAR person of **U**ske,
Who always walked out in the **D**usk,
Said, at **H**ome she must keep
Till her **B**ird went to sleep,
Which never occur'd until **D**usk.

UNAPPRECIATED.

A WEARISOME Man of **V**ersailles,
Was addicted to telling long **T**ales;
But ne'er found a **F**riend
Who would list to the end
Of the **S**tories he told at **V**ersailles.



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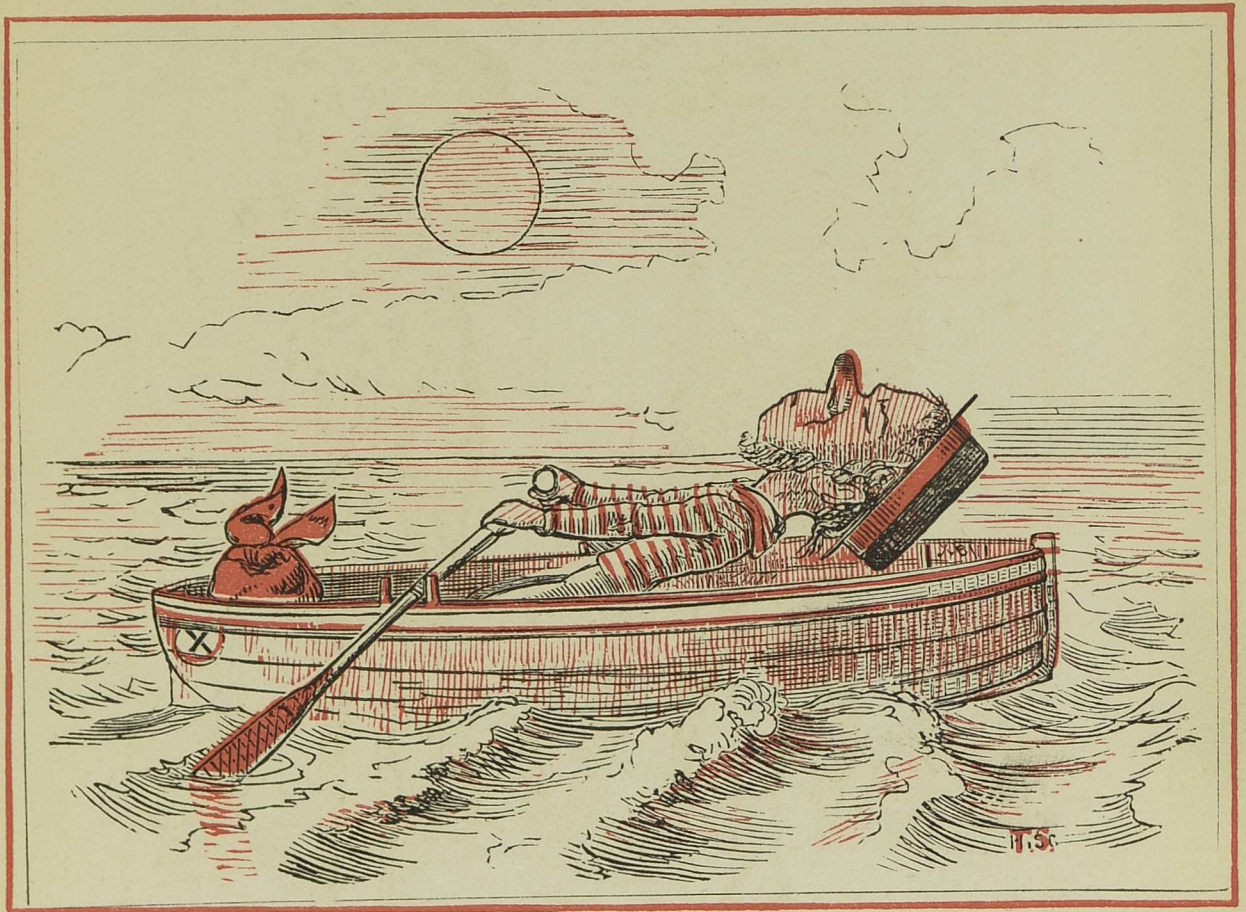
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UNWELCOME HINT.

A LADY residing at **W**ye,
One morning declared with a sigh,
She had had a strange **D**ream,
By which it would seem,
She'd be married and carried from **W**ye.



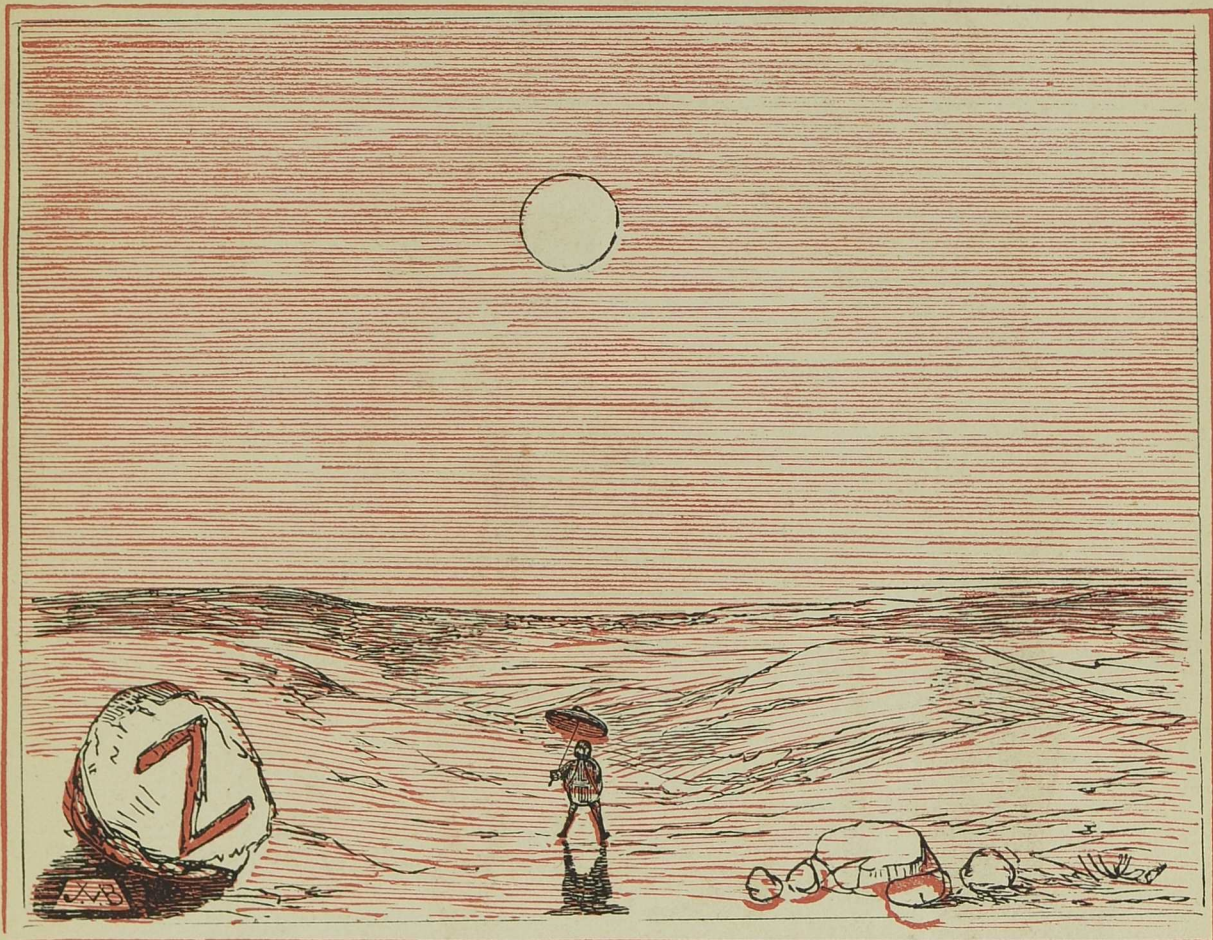
“ XIMO, FAREWELL.”

A SAILOR, while living at **X**imo,
Got dreadfully tired of the time **O**;
So he said, “**I**f **I** can,
I’ll escape from **J**apan,”
And one night after dark quitted **X**imo.



UNWELCOME TRUTH

A TALKATIVE person of **Y**ork,
Who ne'er had been famous for work,
Was told by a **F**riend,
He thought, in the end,
There was more gained by labour than talk.



TOO TRUE.

A TRAVELLER passing **Z**aara,
Thought nothing on earth could seem barer;
But he had not met
With this **A**lphabet,
Which of **W**it is more bare than **Z**aara.

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