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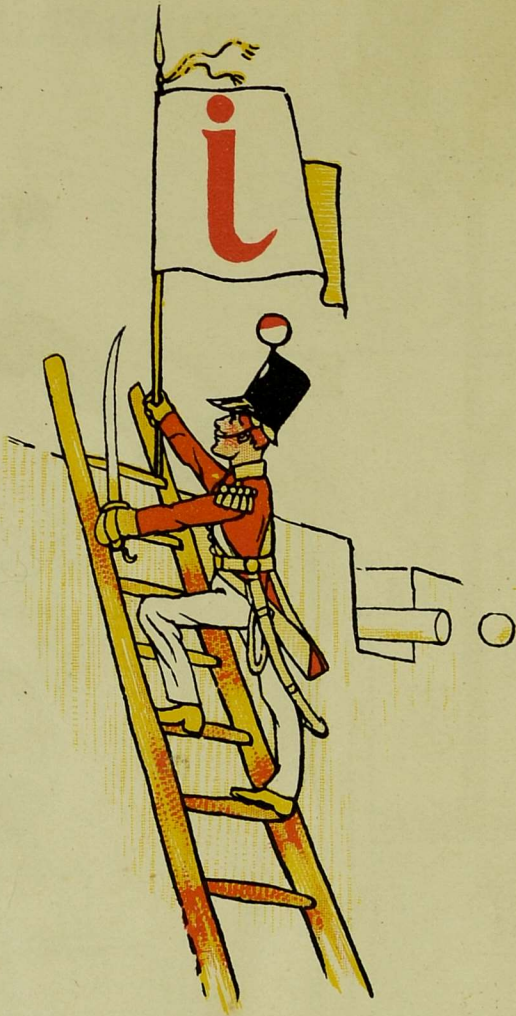
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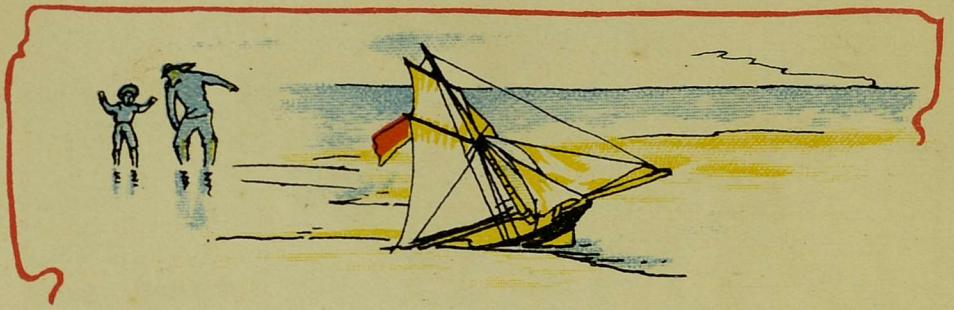


19. **p**ip **l**ip **h**ip **s**kip
tip **w**hip **ch**ip **t**rip
dip **s**ip **sn**ip **d**rip
nip **sh**ip **sl**ip **st**rip

Let us trip to the sands with Neddy and Snap. Neddy trots well. Lily is on his back. 3

Has Jack his best ship? Yes, and Pat has his top and his whip. Nan will skip on the 6 sands. Pat will spin his top.

It is very hot. Lily can get a cup of milk and sip it. 9



20. b i b r i b c r i b
 n i b j i b

Jack is very sad. His ship has sunk in the mud. Run 3 and beg that man to get it. The jib of the ship is not yet in the mud.

6 The man ran and got it. Jack must dip it in this bucket and then let it drip.

9 When Jack gets back, Pat will help him to thank that man. Lily will lend him a nib.

21.



knit

spit

lit

slit

fit

split

pit

sit

grit

bit

hit

tom-tit

Philip fell into a pit and cut his lip badly.

It will get well quickly, unless it has grit in it.

Nan will sit with him and knit his socks. Lily must mend his cap: it has a big slit in it.

His pet tom-tit is singing to them.

3

6





22.

bid rid
did hid
kid slid
lid

Pat is very glad that Dick is with him.

3 Dick has a pet kid. It is very fond of him.

Dick went to a shop to get
6 a jam pot with a lid, and the kid went with him. Nan hid the lid of the jam pot in a box
9 in the pantry.

Will Dick think of hunting in that box?

23.

pick

tick

Dick

kick

lick

rick

wick

thick

sick

chick

stick

prick

brick

trick

quick

Dick is sick and cannot get up. Nan will pick him that lily and put it in a jug. It 3 can stand on his shelf.

Send quickly and tell Fanny to get 6 him fish.

Pat has lent him his box of bricks. 9 When Dick has had a nap Pat will bring his rat.

12





p i g

b i g

d i g

g i g

r i g

w i g

f i g

j i g

Dick got well and had such fun.

Pat went with him in the 3
gig to fetch a wig from the
wig shop.

Pat put it on the pig. 6

The pig ran with it to the
big pond, grunting as it ran.

Dick had to stop piggy and 9
get his wig back.

Tim
dim
rim
him

Jim
prim
brim
trim

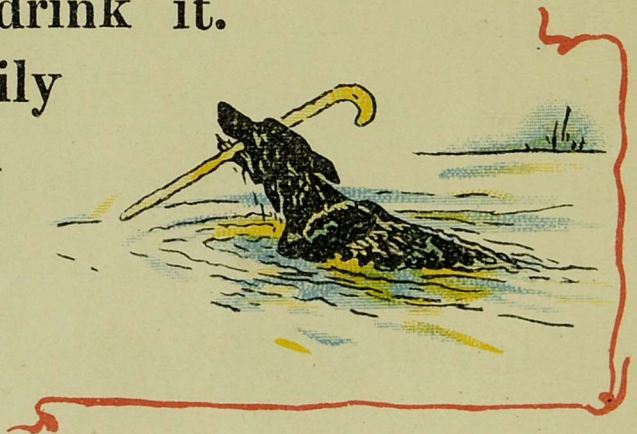
grim
skim
slim
swim

Tim is Jack's big dog. It can swim well.

3 Tell Jim to fling that thick
stick into the pond. Tim will
swim quickly to it and bring
6 it back to him.

Lily can skim that milk and
fill this pan to the brim and
9 let Tim drink it.

Then Lily
can trim
12 the doll's
hat.





26.

pin
bin
tin

din
kin
win

fin
thin
sin
shin
chin
spin
skin

Jack has a fish in that tin pan which is next to the bin. His fish has seven fins.

3

Jack fed it and ran in to get string with which to spin his top.

6

Pat hid in the bin!

Just as Jack ran back with Tom, Pat lifted the lid of the
3 bin.

“Tom, Pat is in the bin!”

“What fun! Let us run and
6 sit on it!”

Jack ran and held the lid till Tom got on to it. Then Jack
9 sprang on to it as well.

But Pat will bump the lid till Jack and Tom jump from it.

12 What will the fish think of the din?



king thing swing
27. ling sing sting
ring fling spring
wing sling string

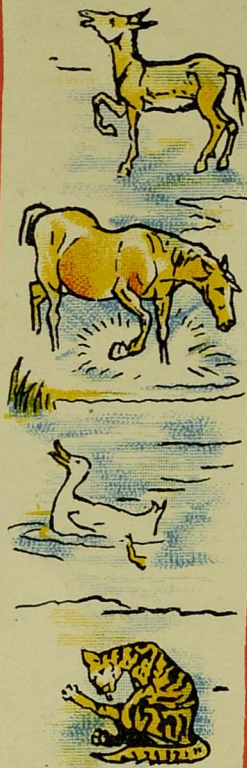
“Let us swing till the bell rings.”

Ding-dong, Ding-dong. The 3 bell is ringing.

Nan and Lily ran in to lunch. Jack has a sad thing to tell 6 them. Pat has his hand in a sling.

Fanny put the sling on as 9 Pat has had a bad sting from a wasp.

28. pack
packing
quack
quacking
bang
banging
splash
splashing
wash
washing



tax
taxing
thank
thanking
catch
catching
stamp
stamping
want
wanting

Neddy was stamping.
Dobbin was splashing.
The duck was quacking.
The cat was washing.

29.

i ll

g ill

s ill

p ill

m ill

h ill

b ill

r ill

ch ill

t ill

w ill

g ill

k ill

f ill

That rill runs to the mill
which is on the hill.

Lily fell into the rill and got 3
a chill.

Fanny will fill this cup with
hot milk and send it up to 6
Lily.

Jack's cat is sitting on
the bed. Nan
will fetch it a
gill of milk.



spill

trill

frill

still

drill

thrill

skill

grill

shrill

quill

Nan must not spill the gill of milk.

3 The cat will jump up and lap it.

6 Lily is mending Miss Dolly's best dress. It has a grand frill on it. Dolly has a hat with quills in it.



9 The bell is ringing. Nan must run to drill.

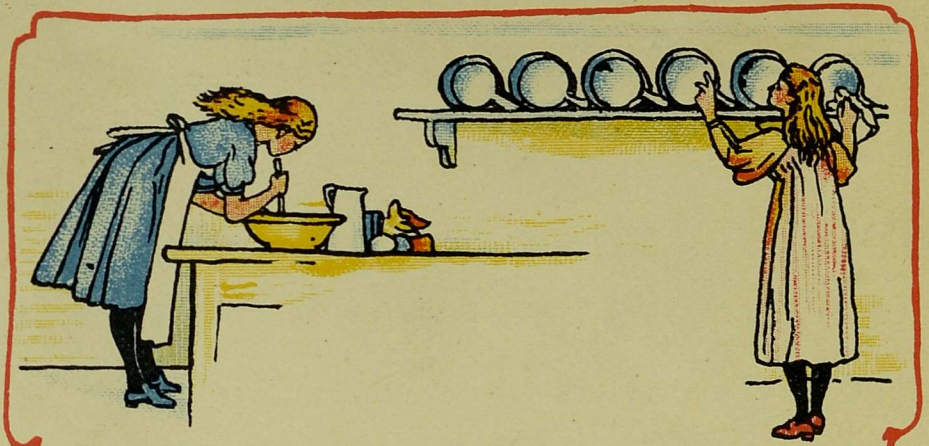


31. if this dish fish
pith is wish swish
with his

Nan and Dan sat on a bank watching the fish in the pond. Swish! What a jump that big 3 fish had!

Dan begs Nan to sit still, as a rat is running on the bank. 6 Dan wishes it to run to him. But the rat went splash into the pond and swam to the very 9 end.

Nan tells Dan to watch a robin sipping from the pond, 12 not ten steps from them. What a pity Lily is not with them!



32. mix fix six exact

As it is wet, Nan and Lily
beg Fanny to let them help in
3 the kitchen.

Lily will help to mix the
pudding and then put it into
6 a dish. It will exactly fill the
dish.

Nan will polish six tin pans
9 and then fix them up on the
shelf. Lily will chop this egg
and Fanny will send Frank with
12 it to the chicks.

ink think
pink sink
33. mink chink
link brink
rink drink
wink shrink



Nan has a mink muff and
Lily has a grand pink dress.

Nan spilt ink on Lily's 3
dress.

Lily must run and beg
Fanny to get the spots of ink 6
from it.

Fanny thinks that milk
will get them from the dress 9
and that the stuff will not
shrink.

34.

rich tinge fringe
 which singe twinge
 hinge

Dan will trot on his nag to Kingston and get a man to
 3 singe it. When the man is
 singeing it, Dan will visit the
 doll shop and get Lily a doll.

6 Which doll? That wax doll
 with the black fringe and the
 pink dress.

9 Dan did not get back
 till six o'clock.

When Dobbin
 12 was trotting
 back the hills
 had a red tinge,
 15 as the sun was
 setting.



l i m p c r i m p s h r i m p

Tim has a bad leg and limps along.

Jack will pat him and tell 3 him to rest in his kennel till his leg gets well.

Tim will lick Jack's hand. 6

Dick and Jack will get nets and run to the sands to catch 9 shrimps.



Jack wants to get his bucket 12 full of them.

tint

hint

flint

mint

stint

splint

lint

print

Dick was on Dobbin's back.
 As Dobbin was jumping a ditch,
 3 Dick fell and cut his hand with
 a flint.

Lily ran to tell Fanny and
 6 to get lint. When Dick
 got back Fanny
 put his hand
 9 in a splint.

Dick must
 print with his
 12 left hand.



pant
panted

print
printed

rest
rested



land
landed

gild
gilded

mend
mended

37.

Pat mended his whip.

Jack landed his ship.

Snap panted up to them and 3
rested on the bank.

Pat had a cup of milk in
his hand and Snap wanted to 6
drink from it.



tilt

kilt

gilt

wilt

hilt

stilt

spilt

Tom wants Jack to visit him
at Kingston.

Jack has put on his best kilt 3
and his velvet jacket with the
gilt buttons.

Fanny tells him not to let jam 6
get spilt on it.

Jack wants to pack his bag
himself. 9

Pat is putting Jack's stilts in
the gig, as Tom will think it
fun to get on them. 12

g*i*ftl*i*ftr*i*fts*i*ftd*r*iftth*r*iftsw*i*ft

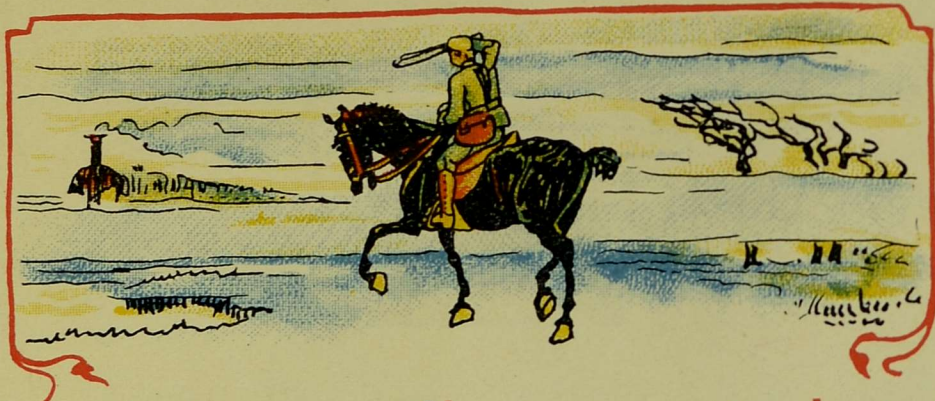
That big ship is a gift that Philip has just had.

3 Let us push it into the rill, and it will drift to the mill.

What will happen when the 6 ship gets to the mill?

The lock will stop it and the man at the mill will pull it to 9 the bank.





40. mist
list

fist

twist
wrist

Philip has got the ten things on his list and will trot back on his black cob "Vulcan." 3

The mist is thick and Philip cannot tell if the cob is trotting into the ditch. 6

Bang! Bang! That is a fog signal. Vulcan sprang to the left and Philip fell into 9 the mud. His wrist had a bad twist.



41.

pack
packed

kiss
kissed

smash
smashed

mix
mixed

thank
thanked

limp
limped

watch
watched

pinch
pinched

bang
banged

fill
filled

Jack packed his bag himself,
when Tom wanted him to visit
him at Kingston. 3

Tim limped when his leg
was bad.

When Lily and Nan helped 6
in the kitchen, Lily mixed the
pudding and Nan polished the
pans. 9

The duck quacked when it
got into the sack.

Dan jumped from the stack to 12
get his red cap.

Nan picked a lily and put it
in a jug on Dick's shelf. 15



42.

mince prince
since quince

Philip had a dog, "Prince," sent to him from Scotland not 3 long since.

Prince is such a very wicked puppy.

6 Fanny put a dish of mince on the pantry shelf and then went into the kitchen to get a pot of 9 quince jam.

Prince watched until Fanny got into the kitchen and then crept into the pantry. 3

Fanny had to get the steps, as the jam was on the top shelf. 6

Prince smelt the mince, licked his lips, jumped up and was just finishing it as Fanny ran in. 9

As the wicked puppy sprang from the shelf, the 12 dish fell and was smashed to atoms!



43. i n c h f i n c h
 p i n c h f l i n c h

Frank has a pet chaffinch.
It sings its very best in the
3 spring.

It has such a snug nest!
Frank tells us that it has six
6 eggs in it.

When Frank sings to it, the
chaffinch sings back.

9 It is singing in the midst
of that pink blossom.



44. w*i*tch
 p*i*tch h*i*tch s*t*itch
 d*i*tch s*w*itch f*l*itch

Lily, Nan and Betty went
on to the Common.

Lily was hemming a mat to 3
send to Granny.

It was a long hem, but
Lily put the stitches in very 6
quickly.

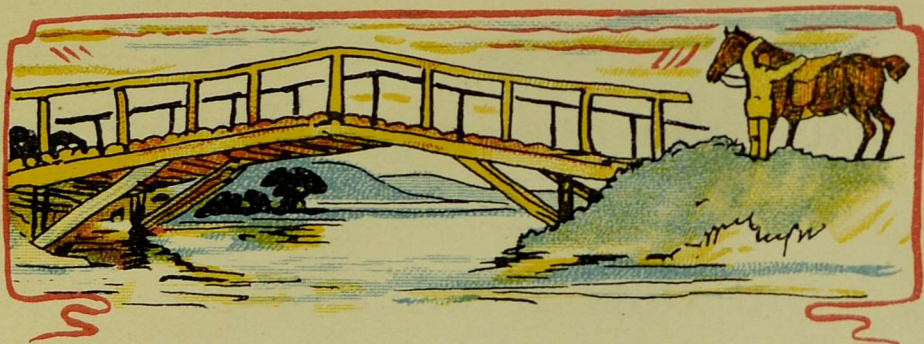
Will Granny think them very
big stitches? 9

As Lily was hemming, Betty
was telling them of the "Frog
3 Prince."

"And this prince was very
unhappy as a wicked witch
6 had given him a frog's body
and . . ."

Just then Snap ran up to
9 them as black as pitch.

The shocking dog had
jumped into a muddy ditch
12 and wanted to rub himself on
Nan's dress!



45. midge ridge bridge

The sun had just set at the back of that ridge of hills, when Philip was trotting back from 3 Box Hill on Dan's nag.

When Philip gets to the bridge Dobbin suddenly springs 6 back.

Philip thinks that a midge has bitten him. 9

What is it, Dobbin?

Philip jumps from his back,
pats him and begs him to trot
3 on.

But Dobbin still stops.

Philip cannot think what it is
6 that stops Dobbin.

Just then the bridge fell with
a crash !

9 It was lucky that Dobbin did
not step on to it.





46. pull bull full

Nan and Lily went into the paddock.

3 Lily had six boxes full of shells.

Nan was helping to put the 6 pink shells into a black box.

A bull ran into the paddock!
At the very end of the paddock
9 was a big ditch.

Nan held Lily's hand and ran quickly to it.

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Jim is fixing a plank from 3 bank to bank.

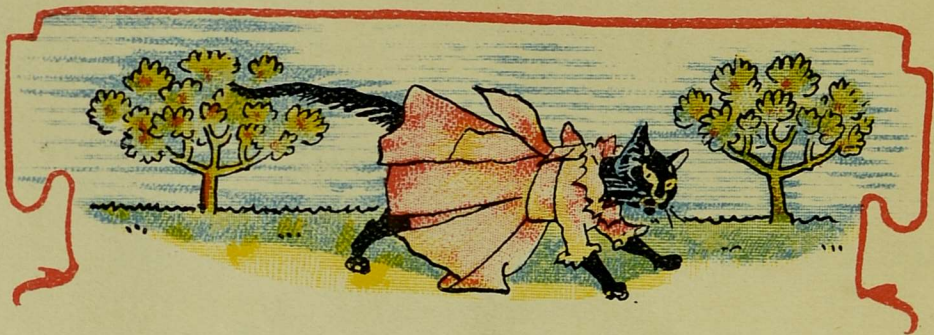
Nan and Lily will step on to this and run to him. 6

Then Nan will help Jim to pull the plank from the ditch.

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The bull has the paddock 9 to himself.

Will this content him?



47. put push
 puss bush
 pussy pudding

Phyllis wanted to dress Jack's
cat in Dolly's pink dress with
3 the long sash.

When the dress was on, Phyllis
went to get Dolly's bonnet from
6 the shelf.

But Puss fled.

It was difficult to run quickly
in that pink dress! 3

Puss hid in a bush.

Nan is bringing milk pudding.
Will this tempt Pussy? 6

Nan thinks not and begs
Phyllis to fetch Jack. Pussy
will run to him gladly. 9





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