



THE

DEATH AND BURIAL

OF

COCK ROBIN.



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COCK ROBIN'S DEATH.



WHO killed Cock Robin?
I, said the sparrow,
With my bow and arrow,
And I killed Cock Robin.



Who saw him die?
I, said the Fly,
With my little eye,
And I saw him die.



Who caught his blood?
I, said the Fish,
With my little dish,
And I caught his blood.



Who shall dig his grave?
I, said the Owl,
With my spade and shovel,
And I'll dig his grave.



Who'll say Amen?
I, said the Wren,
Who came in just then,
And I'll say Amen.



Who'll carry him to the grave?
I, said the Kite,
If 'tis not in the night,
And I'll carry him to the grave.



Who'll bear the pall?
We, said the Wren,
Both the cock and the hen,
And we'll bear the pall.



Who'll make the shroud?

I, said the Beetle,

With my little needle,

And I'll make the shroud.



Who'll be the chief mourner?
I, said the dove,
Who sighed for his love,
And I'll be chief mourner.



Who'll sing a psalm?
I, said the Thrush,
As he sat in a bush,
And I'll sing a psalm.



Who'll toll the bell?
I, said the Bull,
Because I can pull,
And so Cock Robin farewell



ADVICE TO CHILDREN.

· Children should never climb on. thairs; they were made to sit on, not to stand upon. See, here we have a print of a little girl who did. not mind what was said to her; for sometimes she would get upon the. window-seat, and be in danger of falling out of the window; at other · times she would stand upon the fender before the fire, and try to step the brass top, so as to be in er of setting her back on fire. he day she climbed on the back of

the nurse's chair, who, rising up to

follow a little boy that was at play with a dog, the chair fell down upon ther, and she hurt her head against the floor. It is not always necessary to climb high to do mischief to ourselves or others, for I once heard of a little girl who was much ruder than she should be, and did not always do as she was bid. For one day at breakfast-time she stood upon the leg of a table, and was trying to reach some toast in great haste, instead of asking for it in a pull manner, as she should have when the stool slipping from her feet, she caught hold of ti.



to save herself from falling, and down fell the urn with the bolling hot water! she was sadly scalded, her screams were very loud, her pains very great; and all this happened from not minding what was said to her.



