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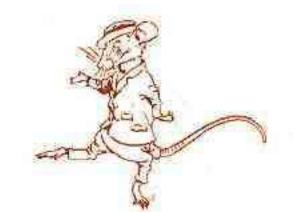
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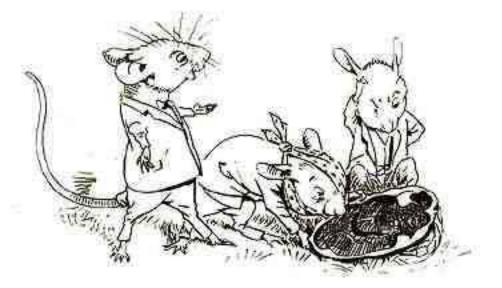




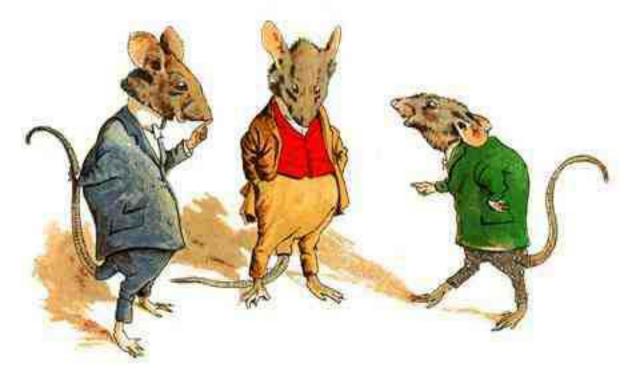












"They made up their minds to set out to roam"

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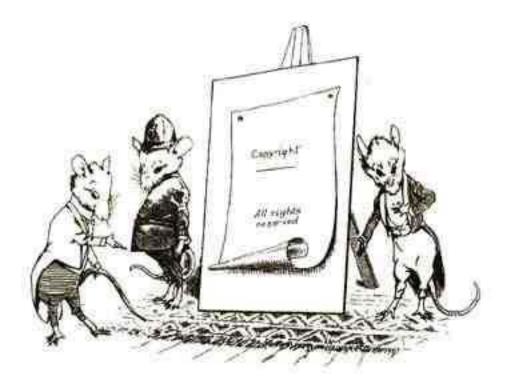
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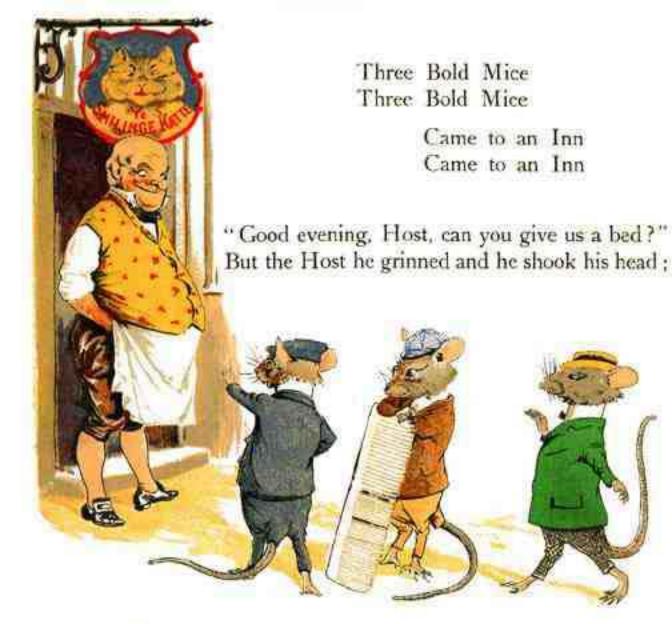
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#### THREE BLIND MICE.

Three Small Mice Three Small Mice

> Pined for some fun Pined for some fun

They made up their minds to set out to roam; Said they, "'Tis dull to remain at home," And all the luggage they took was a comb, These three Small Mice.



### So they all slept out in a field instead, These three Bold Mice.

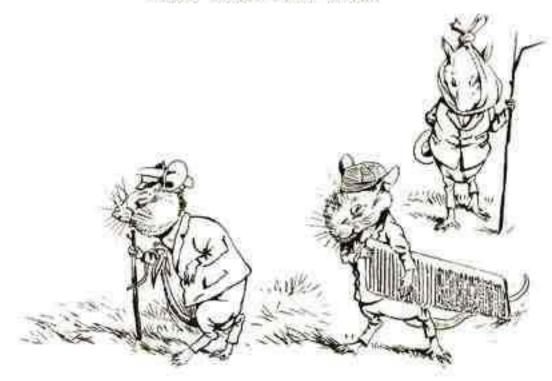




Three Cold Mice Three Cold Mice

> Woke up next morn Woke up next morn

They each had a cold and a swollen face, Through sleeping all night in an open space: So they rose quite early and left the place, These three Cold Mice.





Three Hungry Mice Three Hungry Mice

> Searched for some food Searched for some food

But all they found was a walnut shell
That lay by the side of a dried-up well;
Who had eaten the nut they could not tell,
These three Hungry Mice.

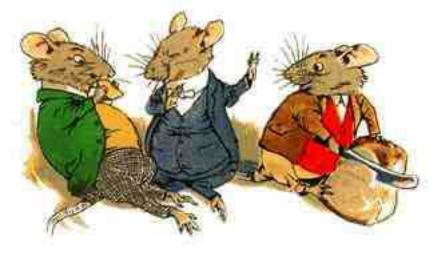


Three Starved Mice Three Starved Mice

Came to a Farm

The Farmer was eating some bread and cheese; So they all went down on their hands and knees, And squeaked, "Pray, give us a morsel, please," These three Starved Mice.





Three Glad Mice Three Glad Mice

> Ate all they could Ate all they could

#### They felt so happy they danced with glee: But the Farmer's Wife came in to see What might this merry-making be Of three Glad Mice.





Three Poor Mice Three Poor Mice

> Soon changed their tone Soon changed their tone

The Farmer's Wife said, "What are you at. And why were you capering round like that? Just wait a minute: I'll fetch the Cat."

## Oh dear! Poor Mice.







They jumped out on to the window ledge;
The mention of "Cat" set their teeth on edge;
So they hid themselves in the bramble hedge,
These three Scared Mice.

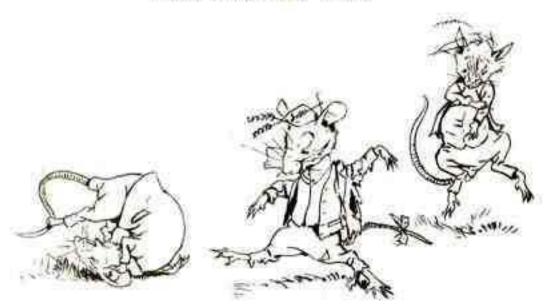


Three Sad Mice Three Sad Mice

> What could they do? What could they do?

The bramble hedge was most unkind: It scratched their eyes and made them blind,

### And soon each Mouse went out of his mind, These three Sad Mice.

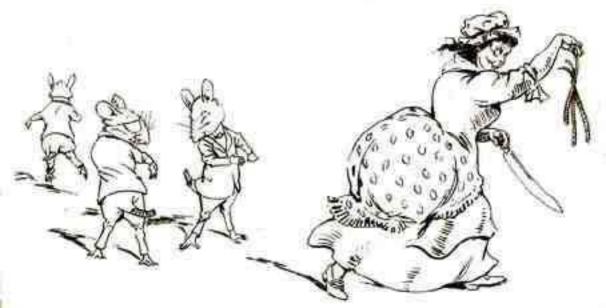




Three Blind Mice Three Blind Mice

> See how they run See how they run

They all ran after the Farmer's Wife,
Who cut off their tails with the carving knife.
Did you ever see such a sight in your life
As three Blind Mice?





Three Sick Mice Three Sick Mice

> Gave way to tears Gave way to tears

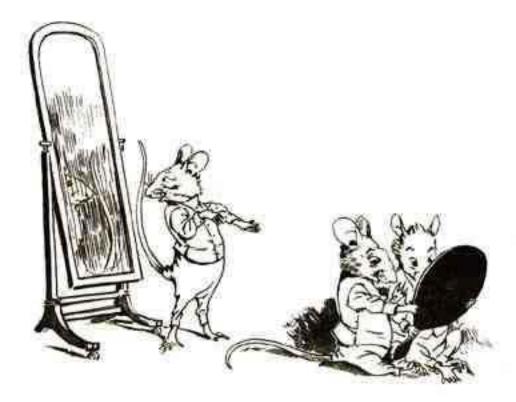
They could not see and they had no end; They sought a Chemist and found a Friend He gave them some "Never too late to mend," These three Sick Mice.



Three Wise Mice Three Wise Mice

> Rubbed rubbed away Rubbed rubbed away

And soon their tails began to grow, And their eyes recovered their sight, you know; They looked in the glass and it told them so, These three Wise Micc.

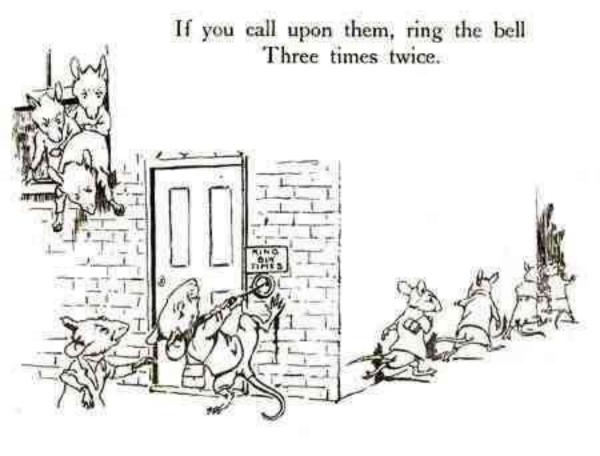




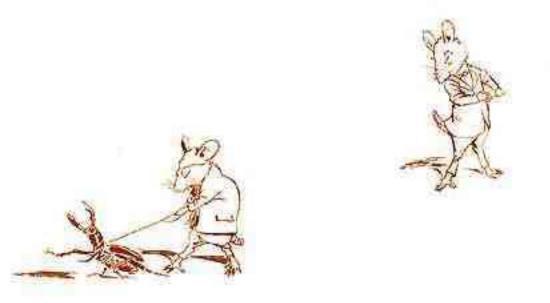
Three Proud Mice Three Proud Mice

Soon settled down

The name of their house I cannot tell, But they've learnt a trade and are doing well.











The End.

