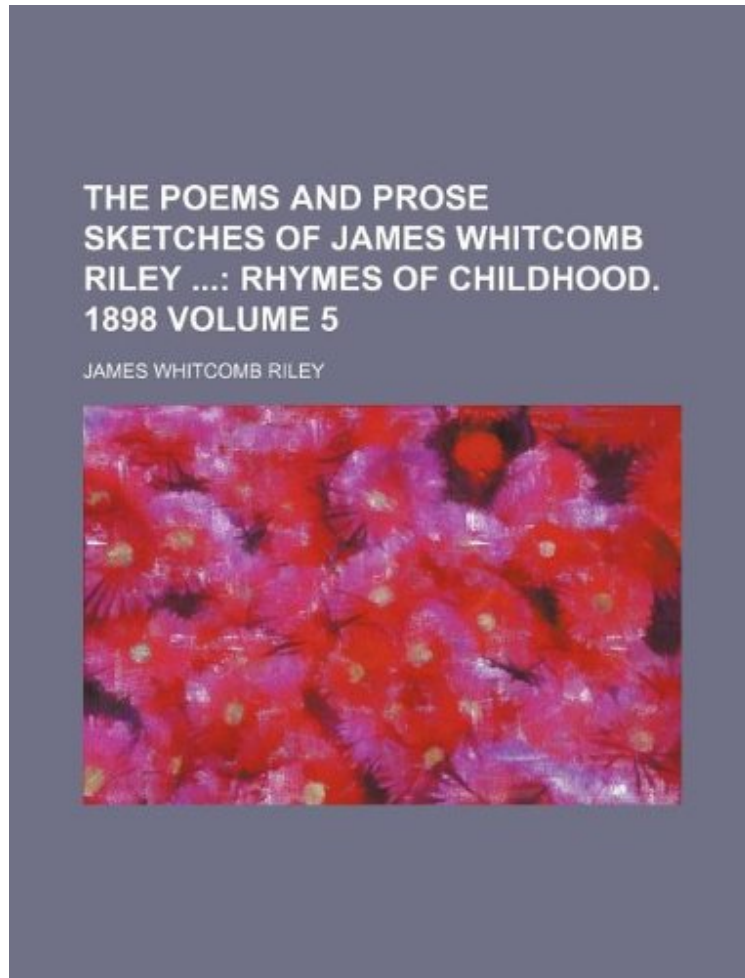


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tattoo on the dash-board with his heels, in the Parade. Oh! the Circus-Day Parade! How the bugles played and played!
And how the glossy horses tossed their flossy manes and neighed, As the rattle and the rhyme of the tenor-drummer's
time Filled all the hungry hearts of us with melody sublime! THE OLD HAY-MOW The Old Hay-mow's the place to
play Per boys, when it's a rainy day! I good 'eal ruther be up there Than down in town, er anywhere! When I play in
our stable-loft, The good old hay's so dry an' soft, An' feels so fine, an' smells so sweet, I 'most ferget to go an' eat. An'
one time onc't I did ferget To go tel dinner was all et,--An' they had short-cake--an'--Bud he Hogged up the piece Ma
saved fer me! Nen I won't let him play no more In our hay-mow where I keep store THE OLD HAY-MOW An' got
hen-eggs to sell,--an' shoo The cackle-un old hen out, too! An' nen, when Aunty she was here A-visitun from
Rensselaer, An' bringed my little cousin,--he Can come up there an' play with me. But, after while--when Bud he bets
'At I can't turn no summersetts, I let him come up, ef he can Ac' ha'f-way like a gentleman! JOHN TARKINGTON
JAMESON John Jameson, my jo John! Ye're bonnie wee an' sma'; Your ee's the morning violet, Wi' tremblin' dew an'
a'; Your smile's the gowden simmer-sheen, Wi' glintin' pearls aglow Atween the posies o' your lips, John Jameson, my
jo! Ye hae the faither's braidth o' brow, An' synes his look benign Whiles he hings musin' ower the burn, Wi' leestless
hook an' line; Ye hae the mither's mou' an' cheek An' denty chin--but O! It's maist ye're like your ain braw sel', John
Jameson, my jo! JOHN TARKINGTON JAMESON...