

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1872.

Playing Bean

Tommy, let's play. That you're my Bean,
Thou' come to visit me

'Good evening, what a great surprise!

You're just in time for tea.

Kaw Tommy you must squeeze my hand

With all your might and main

"Somebody" always does it so

To my big Sister Jane,

Gracious, you've hurt me horribly

How dreadful you can be

If other girls allow that style

Don't try it sir with me,

Then Tommy you must look forlorn

As though I'd caused you pain

"Somebody" always looks like that

With my big Sister Jane.

Forgive you, I don't think I shall - Pick up my Winkles please -

You've made me drop them on the floor - You're such a horrid tease -

I may forgive you if you stay, quite still and hold this skin,

"Somebody" never dares refuse, With my big Sister Jane -

"Kiss and make friends"? I've half a mind - To go and call Mamma,

"Kiss and make friends"? of course I'll not - Oh what a scamp you are -

Kiss you! indeed you awful man - You're crazy that is plain -

"Somebody" always does it though - To my big Sister Jane -

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