

LITTLE BO-PEEP.

88. 1. Little Bo-Peep has lost her sheep, And can't tell where to find them;

Leave them alone, and they'll come home And bring their tails behind them.

2. Little Bo-peep fell fast asleep
And dreamt she heard them bleating,
But when she awoke she found it a joke,
For they were still a-fleeting.

3. She took up her crook, intending to look,
Determined for to find them;
She found them indeed, but it made her heart bleed,
For they'd left their tails behind them.

4. She heaved a sigh, and wiped her eye,
And ran over hill and dale, O!
And tried what she could, as a shepherdess should
To tack to each sheep its tail, O!