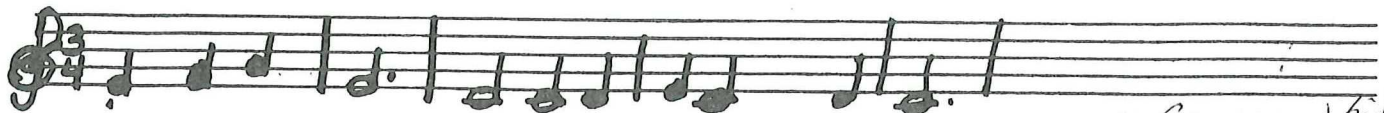


There was a lady lived in Cork, all alone and alonie. She fell in love with



her father's clerk, down by the greenwood Sidie

"Green wood Sidie"
"Cruel Mother"

For seven long years

They loved in sin

All alone and alonie

Until she proved with child by him

Down by the Greenwood Sidie

But when she told him

Of her plight

All alone and alonie

Her lover ran away that night

Down by the Greenwood Sidie

She leaned herself against an oak

All alone and alonie

And there with grief

Her poor heart broke

Down the Greenwood Sidie

She leaned herself against a thorn

All alone and alonie

And there she had her baby born

Down by the greenwood Sidie

She took the fillet from off her head

All alone and alonie

And tied the baby's hands and legs

Down theby the Greenwood Sidie

She took a knife

Both long and sharp

All alone and alonie

And pricked the innocent baby's heart

Down by the Greenwood Sidie

Greenwood Sidie
She dug a grave ne-er long ne-er deep
All alone and alonie
And laid the baby down to sleep
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

She washed her hands all in a spring
All alone and alonie
Hoping to become a maid again
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

As she was walking to her father's hall
All alone and alonie
She saw three babe's a - playing ball
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

One dressed in linen
One dressed in lawn
All alone and alonie
The other stark naked as ever was born
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

She said pretty baby if you were mine
All alone and alonie
I'd dress you in the silks so fine
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

Oh, Mother dear, I once was thine
All alone and alonie
You neither dressed me coarse or fine
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

The coldest earth it was my bed
All alone and alonie
The green grass was my coverlet
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

Now Mother dear, all for you sin
All alone and alonie
The gates of heaven, You'll not enter in
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

There is a fire beyond hell's gate
All alone and alonie
And there you'll burn both early and late
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

Yes, there is a fire beyond hell's door
All alone and alonie
And there you'll burn forever more
Down by the Greenwood Sidie

*Greenwood
Sidie
From
Mama*