

THE
GOLDEN EGG,
A MERRY ROUND GAME,

BY THE AUTHOR OF THE POPULAR GAMES OF "THE POOR OLD SOLDIER,"
"THE BUSY BEE," &C.

RULES FOR PLAYING.

ANY number of persons may play at this game. After distributing Counters to each party in the usual manner, one Red Counter being worth five White, let each Player put two counters into the Pool. If six persons, or any less number play, let four cards be dealt round with their faces downwards, to each player; if more than six persons play, only three Cards to each must be delivered. The Player to the left hand of the Dealer may then commence the game by turning up one of his Cards, which he is to keep fully exposed before him: the other Players follow in like manner, paying or receiving from the Pool or from each other, as described on the Cards. As the players turn up the EGG CARDS, they take the Golden Egg in succession, and the Player who fortunately holds th-

Egg when the "Game Card" turns up, wins the Game, and may take the Pool, but the player who turns up the "Game Card" has no right to the Pool, unless he happens to hold the Golden Egg at the same time. If the Game Card should not be turned up in one or more Deals, which will often occur, the Golden Egg must be kept by the player who turned up the last Egg Card, until the first Egg Card is turned up in the next Deal, when this player of course takes it. The players must keep a sharp look-out as the Cards are turned up, especially the holders of the "Farm Yard," "Simple Johnny," and "The Dog," as each of them are entitled to receive from all the Players who turn up "FOXES," &c. The Pool must be supplied by each Player with two Counters at each Pool.

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