

Jesse L. Roat,

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Staple and Fancy Groceries,

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last ere.  
 My last earnings came at a party  
 The hostess was then very tired.  
 I did all the dishes from glasses  
 to pan  
 And was glad of a chance to be  
 hired.  
 to regret,  
 For the Aid, there is one thing I have  
 In tendering my services to her,  
 That I didn't start and push into  
 the work  
 And be earning those pennies, much  
 sooner,  
 had tried.  
 But then, don't you know, I never  
 And didn't know I could be so thrifty  
 For here, upon counting, instead  
 of one dollar,  
 I find I have one dollar fifty.