

The fox went out on a chilly night  
 He prayed for the moon to give him light  
 For He'd many a mile to go that night  
 Before he reached the town-o, town-o, town-o  
 He'd many a mile to go that night,  
 before he reached the town-o----

He ran til he came to the farmers pen  
 The ducks and the geese were kept there-in  
 he said, a couple of you are gonna grease my chin  
 Before I leave this town-o, town-o, town-o  
 said a couple of you are gonna grease my chin  
 before I leave this town-o----

He grabbed the great goose - by the neck  
 And he threw-a-duck across his back  
 and he-- didn't mind the quack, quack  
 & the legs all dangling down-o down-o down-o  
 and he didn't mind the quack - quack  
 and the legs all dangling down-o----

well, old mother hubbar, she jumped out of bed  
 n'-Out of the window she popped her head,  
 crying John, John, the great goose is gone  
 and the fox is on the town-o, town-o, town-o  
 John, John, the great goose is gone  
 and the fox is on the town-o---

He ran Til he came to his Nice warm den-  
 & there- were the little ones, 8, 9, 10  
 Sayin' Daddy, Daddy better go-back again  
 for it must be a mighty fine town-o town-o town-o  
 Daddy, Daddy, go back again  
 for it must be mighty fine town-o----

The fox and his wife, without any strife -  
 cut-up the goose with a fork and a knife  
 and they-never had such-a-supper in their life  
 and the little ones chewed on the  
 bones-o, bones-o, bones-o  
 They never had such a supper in their life  
 & the little ones chewed on the bones- -