

# The Fox

1. The fox went out on a chase one night. He prayed to the moon to  
 give him light. — He had ma-ny a mile — to go that night, — Be -  
 fore he reached the town - O, — town - O, — town — O, — He had  
 ma-ny a mile — to go that night, — Be - fore he reached the town - O.

2. He ran 'till he came to a great big pen  
 Where the ducks and the geese were kept therein,  
 "A couple of you going to grease my chin  
 Before I leave this town - O."
3. He grabbed the grey goose by the neck  
 And throwed the duck across his back.  
 He didn't-a mind the quack, quack, quack  
 And the legs all dangling down - O.
4. Mamma took a flopper, jumped out of bed.  
 Out of the window she popped her head  
 Crying "John, John, the grey goose is gone  
 And the fox is on the town - O."
5. The fox he ran to his own den,  
 There were the little ones 8, 9, 10,  
 Saying "Daddy, you better go back again  
 For it must be a mighty fine town - O."
6. The fox and his wife without any strife  
 Cut up the goose with a carving knife.  
 They never had such a supper in their life,  
 And the little ones chewed on the bones - O.

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