

# Three Nights Drunk

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One, two, three  
The first night that I come home  
So drunk I could not see  
Found a horse in my stable  
Where my horse oughta be  
"Come here, my little wifey  
Explain this thing to me  
How come a horse in the stable  
Where my horse oughta be?"  
"You blind fool, you crazy fool  
Can't you never see?  
It's only a milk cow  
Your granny sent to me  
"I've traveled this world over  
Ten thousand miles or more  
But a saddle upon a milk cow's back  
I never did see before  
The second night that I come home  
So drunk I could not see  
Found a coat a-hanging on the rack  
Where my coat oughta be  
"Come here, my little wifey  
Explain this thing to me  
How come a coat a hanging a-hanging on the rack  
Where my coat oughta be?"  
"You blind fool, you crazy fool  
Can't you never see?  
It's only a bed quilt  
Your granny sent to me  
"I've traveled this world over  
Ten thousand miles or more  
Pockets upon a bed quilt  
I never did see before  
The third night that I come home  
So drunk, I could not see  
Found a head a-laying on the pillow  
Where my head oughta be  
"Come here, my little wifey  
Explain this thing to me  
How come a head a-laying on the pillow  
Where my head oughta be?"  
"You blind fool, you crazy fool  
Can't you never see?  
It's only a cabbage head  
Your granny sent to me  
"I've traveled this world over  
Ten thousand miles or more  
But a mustache on a cabbage head  
I never did see before

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