

1.

In Amsterdam there lived a maid.

Mark well what I do say.

In Amsterdam there lived a maid,

An' she was mistress of her trade.

Refrein:

We'll go no more a-rovin with you fair maid.

A-rovin, a-rovin, since rovin's bin me ruin'.

We'll go no more a-rovin with you fair maid.

2.

I met this fair maid after dark.

Mark well what I do say.

I met this fair maid after dark.

She took me to her favourite park. **Refrein:**

3.

I put me arm around her waist.

Mark well what I do say.

I put me arm around her waist.

Says she: 'Young men ye'r in great haste'. **Refrein:**

4.

I put me hand upon her knee.

Mark well what I do say.

I put me hand upon her knee.

Says' she: 'Young man ye'r rather free'. **Refrein:**

5.

I put me hand upon her thigh.

Mark well what I do say.

I put me hand upon her thigh.

Says she: 'young man ye'r rahter high'. **Refrein:**

6.

In three weeks time I was badly bent.

Mark well what I do say.

In three weeks time I was badly bent.

Then off to sea I sadly went. **Refrein: 2x**