

# The Fox

## Nickel Creek

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 till he came to the  
farmers pen  
the ducks and the geese were kept therein  
He said a couple of you are gonna grease my chin, before I  
leave this town-o, town-o, town-o  
a couple of you are going to grease my chin before I  
leave this town-o  
He grabbed the great goose by the neck  
threw a duck across his back  
and he didn't mind the quack, quack  
and the legs all danglin' down-o down-o down-o  
he didn't mind the quack quack and the legs all danglin' down-o  
Well the old grey women  
jumped out of bed  
Out of the window she popped her head  
cried 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 till he came to his nice  
warm den  
and there were the little ones eight, nine, ten  
sayin' daddy daddy better go back again  
it must be a mighty fine town-o town-o town-o  
daddy daddy go back again it must be a mighty fine town-o  
The fox and his wife, without any strife  
cut up the goose with a fork and a knife  
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  
and the little ones chewed on the bones.

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