

We'll hide the Cooper behint the door  
The Cooper O' Cuddy  
Melody - "Bab at the bowster"  
Robert Burns, 1795

Chorus:

We'll hide the Cooper behint the door,  
Behint the door, behint the door,  
We'll hide the Cooper behint the door,  
And cover him under a mawn, O.

The Cooper o' Cuddy came here awa,  
He ca'd the girrs out o'er us a';  
An' our gudewife has gotten a ca',  
That's anger'd the silly gudeman O.

Chorus:

2. He sought them out, he sought them in,  
Wi' deil hae her! an', deil hae him!  
But the body he was sae doited and blin',  
He wist na where he was gaun O.

Chorus:

3. They cooper'd at e'en, they cooper'd at morn,  
Till our gudeman has gotten the scorn;  
On ilka brow she's planted a horn,  
And swears that there they sall stan' O.

Chorus: