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As I was goin' to Ballynure, The day I well remember, For to view the lads and lasses On the fifth day of November, With a ma-ring-doo-a-day, With a ma-ring-a-doo-a-daddy oh.

As I was goin' along the road When homeward I was walking, I heard a wee lad behind a ditch-a To his wee lass talking, With a ma-ring----etc.

Said the wee lad to the wee lass "It's will ye let me kiss ye, For it's I have the cordial eye That far exceeds the whiskey," With a ma-ring----etc.

This cordial that ye talk about
There's very few o' them gets it,
For there's nothin' now but crooked combs
And muslin gowns can catch it.
With a ma-ring----etc.

Repeat second verse

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