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How happy could I be with either  
Were t'other dear charmer away  
But while you thus tease me together  
To neither a word will I say,  
But  
Tol de rol etc.

From The Beggar's Opera, Gay

Note: THat's all Gay wrote, but I think it rather neatly presents  
the philanderer's plight. RG