Up London city I made my way Up Cheapside I chanced to stray Where a fair pretty maid I there did meet And I greeted her with kisses sweet I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town She took me to some house of sin And boldly then she entered in Loudly for supper she did call Thinking that I would pay for it all I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town The supper o'er, the table cleared The waiter brought white wine and red The waiter brought white wine and red And the chambermaid prepared a bed I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town Between the hours of one and two She asked me if to bed I'd go Immediately I did consent And along with this pretty maid then I went I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town Her cheeks were white, her lips were red I kissed her as she lay in bed As soon as she was fast asleep Out of the bed I did creep I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs... I searched her pockets and there I found A silver snuff-box and ten pound A golden watch and a diamond ring So I took the lot and I locked her in I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town I was up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town Up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town Up to the rigs, down to the jigs, up to the rigs of London town

Come all young men and listen to me
If you meet a pretty girl then use her free
Use her free but don't get pied
Remember me when I was up Cheapside

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