Small Potatoes

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You can hire and fire, wheel and deal Run your streets with a fist of steel But you're small potatoes Strictly nickel and dime, nickel and dime Small potatoes, small time

You can raise an army on a town Be the rent collector, come around Yeah, but you're small potatoes Strictly nickel and dime, nickel and dime Small potatoes, small time

If you take your leave of reality You have to believe in your own publicity But you get yourself and agent Hire the Albert Hall Make like Humpty dumpty and look down on it all But you're small potatoes Strictly nickel and dime, nickel and dime Small potatoes, small time

Out on the town for your charities Hanging in around with the VIPS They say the duke of York took his men Marched them up a hill of beans and down again He was small potatoes Strictly nickel and dime, nickel and dime Small potatoes, small potatoes, small time