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As I gang doon the Etrick Highway at the hour o' 12 at night; What should I spy but a handsome lassie, combin' her hair by candlelight. First she combed it, then she brushed it; Tied it up wi' a velvet band; Ne'er hae I seen such a handsome lassie all up an' doon ov'r all Scotland! Chorus: Fallah-tallah rhu-dhumma, rhu-dhum, rhu-u-dhum; Fallah-tallah rhu-dhumma, rhu-dhum-day! (2X) Lassie, I hae come a-courting, your kind favors for to win; And if you'd but smile upon me, next Sunday night I'll call aga in. So to me you came a-courting, my kind favors for to win; But 'twould give me the greatest pleasure if you never would ca ll again! What would I do, when I go walking, walking out in the Ettrick view; What would I do when I go walking, walkin' oot wi' a laddie lik e you? - Cho. -Lassie, I hae gold and silver, lassie I hae houses and land Lassie, I hae ships on the ocean, they'll a' be at you'r comman d. What do I care for your gold and silver, what do I care for your houses and land? What do I care for your ships on the ocean?; When all I want is a handsome man! - Cho. -Did you ever see the grass in the morning, all bedecked with je wels rare? Did you ever see a handsome lassie, diamonds sparkling in her h air? Did you ever see a copper kettle, mended up wi' an old tin can? Did you ever see a handsome lassie married up tae an ugly man?

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