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THE

OYSTER GIRL.

Many a knight and lady gay,
Will stay me as I cry,
While roaming thro' the streets each day,
My native oysters, buy,
I'll please you well,
With what I sell,
Then mark my love-arched eye,
Pray buy of me, I all excel,
My Milton oysters buy.

CHORUS

Oysters, sir—oysters, sir, I cry,
The finest native oysters that ever you did buy

My father was a seaman brave,
No cares did him annoy,
Until he sunk beneath the waves,
Then farewell every joy,
Then I got bold,
And oysters sold,
And raised a cheerful cry,
Who'll buy of pretty Marian?
My native oysters buy.

Oysters, sir, &c.

They squeeze my hand as they pass by,
And call me the pretty maid,
To this I only do reply,
According to my trade ; 532
I'll please you well,
With what I sell,

And many an arch reply,
My oysters they are fresh and good,
Will you please to buy

Oysters, sir, &c.