

Three Men Went a-Travelling

(Three Jolly Huntsmen)

[Chorus]

For, 'twas twelve o' - - clock in the
mor - ning in the mi - ddle of the night - - , the ducks be - - gan to
whis - tle and the cocks be - gan to fight - , and all the neigh - bours, they came out to
see that all was right - , at twelve o' - clock in the mor - ning in the mi - ddle of the night.

(Same tune)

1. Now, three men went a-travellin' to see what they could find
At first, they got to a cow turd, and that they left behind
The Englishman said it was a cow turd, the Irishman said 'Nay'
Paddy said '[It's] a pancake with the crust all blown away'

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