

I've a little tale to tell to you

It is not very new

I wonder if you know?

Refrain [Yes yes, I know: people eat potato
Yes yes, I already know:
People eat potato everywhere you go

When you travel through the countryside

Do you know their greatest pride?

It is always put on show.

Refr. [Yes yes, I know: crop of prize potato
Yes yes I already know:
Crop of prize potatoes, everywhere you go.

Little children cry for Papa

Little babies cry for Ma.

Do you want the kids to grow?

Refr. [Yes yes, I know: Dish of mashed potatoes
Yes yes, I already know
Dish of mashed potatoes everywhere you go.

And the lovers when as they walk in pairs

do not talk of love affairs:

With hearts that are aglow.

Refr. [Yes yes, I know: they discuss potato
Yes yes, I already know:
They discuss potatoes everywhere you go.