

# A Frog Went A-Courtin'

Version Four

Arr: Gilbert DeBenedetti

1 **E** **A** **E** **A** **E**

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A frog went a-court-in' and he did ride, uh - huh, uh - huh A

2 5 4

6 **B7** **E**

2 4

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11 **E7** **A** **E** **A** **E**

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he did ride, A sword and pis-tol by his side uh - huh uh - huh.

1 3 1 4

1. A frog went a-courtin', and he did ride, Uh-huh, Uh-huh  
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 A frog went a-courtin', and he did ride,  
 A sword and a pistol by his side, Uh-huh, Uh-huh.

2. He rode up to Miss Mousey's door...  
 Gave three loud raps and a very big roar....

3. He said, "Miss Mouse, are you within?" Uh-huh...  
 "Yes, kind sir, I sit and spin."...

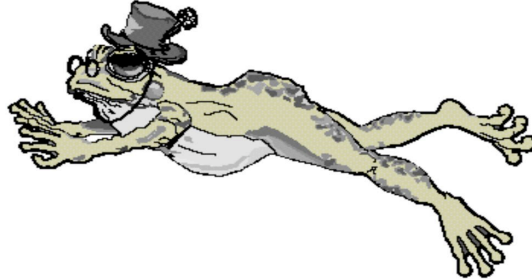
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4. He took Miss Mousey on his knee...  
Said, "Miss Mousey, will you marry me?" ...

5. "Without my uncle Rat's consent...  
I wouldn't marry the president..."

6. Uncle Rat laughed and he shook his fat sides...  
To think his niece would be a bride...

7. Uncle Rat went runnin' downtown...  
To buy his niece a wedding gown...

8. Where shall the wedding supper be? ...  
Way down yonder in a hollow tree...

9. What should the wedding supper be?...  
Fried mosquito in a black-eye pea...

10. Well, first to come in was a flyin' moth...  
She laid out the table cloth...

11. Next to come in was a juney bug...  
She brought the water jug...

12. Next to come in was a bumble bee...  
Sat mosquito on his knee...

13. Next to come in was a broken black flea...  
Danced a jig with the bumble bee...

14. Next to come in was Mrs. Cow...  
She tried to dance but she didn't know how...

15. Next to come in was a little black tick...  
She ate so much she made us sick...

16. Next to come in was a big black snake...  
Ate up all of the wedding cake...

17. Next to come was the old gray cat...  
Swallowed the mouse and ate up the rat,...

18. Mr. Frog went a-hoppin' up over the brook...  
A lily-white duck come and swallowed him up...

19. A piece of cornbread layin' on a shelf,...  
If you want anymore, you can sing it yourself...



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