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# LET'S GO IN AND TAKE A STEW

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# "LET'S GO IN AND TAKE A STEW."

*Henry Tucker.*

**Allegro moderato.**




gazed afraid up - on the maid I thought her brain was turned Yet could not still the
clamor of the heart that in me burned, I won - dered at her ex - cla - ma - tion
Would'nt one of you? I press'd her hand, A gain she said "Let's go in and take a stew."
CHORUS. (or Refrain.)
Air.
Alto.
Tenor.
Bass.
Piano.
Oh! do, oh! do, oh! do, oh! do, if its
Oh! do, oh! do, oh! do, oh! do, if its
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2.

Out then I spoke and pleading still recounted all my love
I called her sweet pet names, My joy, my darling and my dove;
But though she sighed, my squeeze returned, her accents still were few,
She only said, with tearful eyes "let's go in and take a stew."
Oh much I marvelled then at this strange reticence of hers,
And feared her monomania might turn to something worse;
Then visions of asylums and straight jackets burst in view,
And then she said in dulcet tones "lets go in and take a stew."

CHORUS.

3.

Oh then my fears upset me quite I shrieked and tore my hair,
When pausing in her walk, she said, "oh look just over there."
I looked I saw a mammoth sign which she was pointing to,
And there in words of fire I read, "lets go in and take a stew"
Relieved of all my wretched fears, we lingered on the spot,
The fleeting moments sped away, and still we left it not,
Till mustering all my courage while the tears fell wet as dew,
I clasped her in my arms and we, went in and had a "stew".

CHORUS.



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