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### "Chandlers Wife"

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#### The Chandler's Wife

A tailor boy went to the chandler's shop, some candles  
for to buy  
But when he got there and looked around, no chandler  
could he spy  
So then he shouted loudly out, fit to raise the dead,  
When he heard the sound of a \* \* \* , right above his  
head.(2X)

Well, the tailor boy being a smart young lad, e  
bounded up the stairs  
Determined to find out who it was, and catch them  
unawares  
And there he found the master, with the mistress,  
making free  
And they were having a \* \* \* as plain as he could see  
(2X)

Now when the master's job was done, the mistress  
turned her head  
And there she spied the tailor boy, a-standing by the  
bed  
She said to him, "If you'll agree to what I have in mind,  
Why you can come up for a \* \* \* , whenever you're so  
inclined." (2X)

So listen all ye married men, who travel from town to  
town  
You'd better keep your wife locked up, you'd better tie  
her down  
For If you do not heed me, just as sure as you have a  
wife,  
Why, she'll be having a \* \* \* most every day of her life.

Note: The immediate precursor of The Thing. See also  
RAPPTAP. Tune is  
Lincolnshire Poacher.

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