

THE GALLANT HUSSAR

This song was popular with broadsheet printers and can be found in most broadside ballad collections.

A maiden possessed of great beauty
She stood by her own father's gate
The Gallant Hussars were on duty
To view them this damsel did wait
Their horses were capering and prancing
Their accoutrements shone like a star
From the plains they were nearer advancing
She espied her gallant Hussar

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Handwritten musical notation for the song "The Gallant Hussar". The music is written on three staves in G major (one sharp) and 2/4 time. The lyrics are written below the notes.

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The gallant hussars were on duty to view them this damsel did wait
Their horses were capering and prancing Their ac-cout-re-ments shone like a
star from the plains they were nearer advancing she espied her young gallant Hussar

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