

*EN ROULANT MA BOULE.*

This is sung in the Departments of the West with a number of different refrains, some of which are quoted in Gagnon. As a popular song in Canada it ranks next to *La claire fontaine*.

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*GAI LE ROSIER*

Is sung in Saintonge and Bas-Pitou.

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*BRIGADIER.*

This, of course, is not a Canadian song at all, and has no claims to antiquity, but any collection would be sadly imperfect if our friend Pandore with his reassuring response were omitted.

It is extremely difficult to render the current of burlesque sentiment which runs through the original, so fine indeed, that it is almost invariably overlooked by those who know the song familiarly; the magnificent swing of the music is probably the cause of its being so frequently rendered *au sérieux*.