

## The Salamanca Corpus: Ye London Lads... (1681)

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Your Parliament Friends are gean
y<sup>t</sup> mead yee aw see merry
& Wade me lett us alean
but peach'd us eny yeane
beath Papists & Protestants too
But they are for Oxford geane
& the De'als gean w<sup>th</sup> them I trow.

Geud King Charles he'an blesse him Protector of Albany's Right Recd frã y<sup>m</sup> sike a lesson had like to ha put him in Fright But Charles he sware by his might he wade ha ne mare sike adoe & he pa[?]t them of by this light And y<sup>e</sup> Deale's gean w<sup>th</sup> 'em I trow.

Foole Jhin & halfe Witted Mordent



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With Lovelace & flavoring Kent Goggle Eye'd & fly catching Brandon Who ne're yet knew w<sup>t</sup> he meant.

But Stanford he followed y<sup>e</sup> Scent W<sup>th</sup> Politik Armstrong & How but a Rope will crown y<sup>e</sup> event And y<sup>e</sup> de'al's gean w<sup>th</sup> 'em I trow.

But Essex & Johnny y<sup>e</sup> Cully Were mickle to bleam I weatt & Shaftsbury y<sup>e</sup> States Bully y<sup>t</sup> owns y<sup>e</sup> factions bratt & Witt all Gra[?] a geud deeds Who Pimps till his Wife doth mow & hawds y<sup>e</sup> dear for a need(s) But y<sup>e</sup> de'al's gean w<sup>th</sup> em I trow.

He'ens Protect great Albany & save him from Pistoll and gun & fra the plotts of Anthony ye little malitious baboon Who had sheam'd ye Pope of Roum As Dugdale & Oates doo avow And in time they'l hang a but ye head And ye De'al's gean wth 'em I trow.