

Miss Otis Regrets

Rosemary Clooney

Miss Otis regrets she's unable to lunch today, madam
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She is sorry to be delayed, but last evening down in Lovers Lane,
she strayed, madam
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When she woke up and found that her dream of love was gone, madam
She ran to the man who had led her so far astray
And from under her velvet gown, she drew a gun and shot her lover
down, madam
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When the mob came and got her and dragged her from the jail, madam
They strung her up on that willow across the way
And the moment before she died, she lifted up her lovely head
and cried, madam
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and cried, madam
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