ONE MEATBALL

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He could afford but one meat-ball.

He told the waiter near at hand the simple dinner he had planned.

The guests were startled, one and all, to hear that waiter loudly call,

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The waiter hollered down the hall, "You get no bread with one meatball."

"One meat-ball, one meat-ball,
Well, you get no bread with one meat-ball."

The little man felt very bad, one meatball was all he had,

And in his dreams, he hears that call, "You get no bread with one meatball."

"One meat-ball (and no spa-ghetti!), one meat-ball,
Well, you get no bread with one meat-ball."
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