

There's no business like show business like no business I know
Everything about it is appealing, everything that traffic will allow
Nowhere could you get that happy feeling when you are stealing that extra bow

There's no people like show people, they smile when they are low
Even with a turkey that you know will fold, you may be stranded out in the cold
Still you wouldn't change it for a sack of gold, let's go on with the show

The butcher, the baker, the grocer, the clerk
Are secretly unhappy men because
The butcher, the baker, the grocer, the clerk
Get paid for what they do but no applause.
They'd gladly bid their dreary jobs goodbye for anything theatrical and why?

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Traveling through the country is so thrilling, standing out in front on opening
nights
Smiling as you watch the theater filling, and there's your billing out there in lights

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Yesterday they told you you would not go far, that night you open and there
you are
Next day on your dressing room they've hung a star, let's go on with the
show...let's go on with the show!!