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To go rolling down the river

**Rolling up, rolling down**  
**We all get drunk in Tilbury town**  
**Twenty-four hours to turn around**  
**And go rolling down the river**

When I first saw a TEU  
**Rolling up, rolling down**  
I wondered where they stowed the crew  
To go **rolling down the river**

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Cargo comes in TEU's  
**Rolling up, rolling down**  
A twenty-foot box, boys, filled with booze  
To go **rolling down the river**

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There's a Tilbury girl called Kettle Jane  
**Rolling up, rolling down**  
First on the boil then off again  
She goes **rolling down the river**

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She's got a mate called 'Teapot Anne'  
**Rolling up, rolling down**  
She gets well brewed, she likes a man  
She goes **rolling down the river**

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Those Tilbury girls go 'round in pairs  
**Rolling up, rolling down**  
You'll never catch them unawares  
To go **rolling down the river**

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Well we're the boys, can see her through (hah!)  
**Rolling up, rolling down**  
To hell with the cargo and the TEU's  
**Let's go down the river**

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