

Jim I Wore a Tie Today (The Highwaymen)

Jim Jim I wore a tie today the first one that I ever wore
You have said that I looked like a dummy out of a dry goods
store

Oh Jim the preacher said a lot of things but I didn't hear a
word he said
My mind kept wanderin down back down that trail back to the
good times we had

Riding herd through the sun and the rain
Pannin for gold on the cuff
We did everything in the books I guess
And a lot that they never thought up

Oh Jim Jim so you're ridin' on ahead well if that's how it's
going to be
When you reach those streets paved with gold Jim stake a
claim out for me

We did everything we could do for you Jim but your fever just
wouldn't go down
So we put you in the wagon Jim and this morning we got you
back to town
But when we got here Jim you were gone Jim and there
wasn't anything anybody could do
They dressed you up in a fancy suit and a neck tie so today we
wore one too

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