SLOOP "JOHN B."

Toonsoort: F Duur: 3:30
Voorspel: laatste 2 regels refrein
Shanty-man begint met 1e couplet, koor sluit ook af met refrein

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Refrein: **So hoist up the "John B." sails,**
and see how the main sail's set,
Sent for the captain ashore, let us go home
Let us go home, **(oh, let us go home)**
Oh let us go home **(oh yea !)**
Oh, we feel so break up, **(+ 2e stem)**
We want to go home **(+ 2e stem)**

Coupletten:

1. *We come on the sloop "John B."*
My granjfather and me
around of Nassau Town we-e did roam, **(K: we-e did roam)**
And drinking all night, **(K: drinking all night)**
got into a fight **(K: oh yea !)**
Well, I feel so break up,
I want to go home

2. *The first mate he got so drunk,*
and broke up the captain's trunk,
Consta-ba-ale had to take him away **(K: take him away)**
Oh, sheriff Johnstone, **(K: sheriff Johnstone)**
please let me alone, **(K: oh yea!)**
Well, I feel so break up,
I want to go home

3. *The poor cock, oh, he got fits,*
and ate up all of the grits,
And then he threw away all of the corn **(K: all of the corn)**
Oh, sheriff Johnstone **(K: sheriff Johnstone)**
please let me alone, **(K: oh yea!)**
Well, this is the worst trip,
I've ever been on.

In slotrefrein laatste 2 regels herhalen (laatste regel langzaam)