

WHISKY IN THE JAR

Toonsoort: D Duur:

Voorspel: laatste regel refrein;

Shanty-man begint

Refrein: (na ieder couplet, slotrefrein 2 x)

Must Shering Dummer Di Dummer Da

X X X X

(4x klappen)

Wack Folla Daddy O

X X

(2x klappen)

Wack Folla Daddy O

There's Whisky in the Jar

Coupletten:

- 1. As I was going over the far famed Kerry Mountains,
I met with Captain Farrell and his money he was countin'
I first produced my pistol and I then produced my rapier,
Saying " Stand and deliver for you are a bold deceiver"*
- 2. I counted out his money and it made a pretty penny,
I put it in my pocket and I gave it to my Jenny
She sighed and she swore that she never more would leave me,
The devil take the women, Oh they never can be easy*
- 3. I went into my chamber all for to take a slumber,
Dreamt of gold and jewels and for sure it was no wonder
Jenny drew my charges and she filled them all with water,
And sent for Captain Farrell to be ready for the slaughter*
- 4. There's early in the morning just before I rose to travel,
Up comes a man, a fat man just the likes of Captain Farrell
I first produced my pistol for she'd stolen away my rapier,
I couldn't shoot with water so a prisoner I was taken*
- 5. And if anyone can aid me 'tis my brother in the army,
If I can find his station in Cork or in Killarney
And if he'll go with me we'll go roaming in Kilkenny,
And I'm sure he'll treat me better than my own miscourtin' Jenny*
- 6. Now some take delight in the fishin' and the bowlin' (Dit couplet zingen wij niet meer!!)
Others take delight in the ramblin' and the rovin'
But I take delight in the juice of the barley,
And courtin' pretty women in the morning bright and early.*