

GB/7e/5 Hearts of Oak

1. You hearts of oak do you wish to try your fortunes on the sea,
 Don't you be afraid of your enemies, but enter now with me,
 With five pounds bounty and two months' pay and leave to go on shore
 And to be with the pretty girls to sport and play, what can a British Tar wish more.
 (repeat)
2. Now our ship she is oak, she sails with the wind to face our daring foe,
 And for to fight we're all inclined if it should happen so.
 Our captains generous bold and free and of grog we've got great store
 And to be with.....
3. So now we're in chase to the country fleet victorious we have spied
 With the prize in view we'll bid adieu and kiss pretty maids by side
 For with Spanish silver and fine gold we will our cannons roar
 With these wells prees* we'll sweep the sea.....what can see...
 (*world's praise)