

The Sailor's Alphabet

Forebitter Song



A is for the An - chor that lies at our bow,



B is for the Bow - sprit an' the jibs all lie low, Oh,



C is for the Cap - s'n we all run a - round



D is for the Dav - its to low'r the boat down, Sooo!

Chorus



mer - ri - ly, so

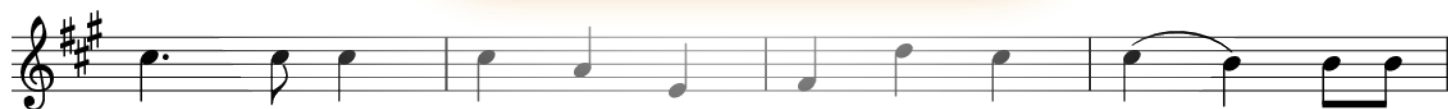
we, There's no



mor - tal on

caul like a sai - lor at

sea, Blow



high or blow low! as the ship rolls a - long, Give a



sai - lor his grog an' there's noth - in' goes wrong!

Type: Sheet music

Título: [The Sailor's Alphabet](#)

Compositor: [desconocido Anónimo](#)

Época: Shanty

Tema: .Misceláneas

Categoría: Traditional

Dificultad: Leicht

Instrumentación Grupo: Una voz sola

Arrangement: Solo>X

Instrumentación: Canto solo>X = Registro no especificado(1)

The Sailor's Alphabet was something that every sailor should know. That's why this Forebitter song was sung over and over again. Aafter all, it wasn't just for entertainment, it was an advanced training course, so to speak. Of course, only the higher ranks could "read" the accompanying flag or (in the dark) flashing signals.