We come on the sloop John B, my grandfather and me

Around nassau town we did roam, drinking all night, got into a fight

Well I feel so broke up, I want to go home

CHORUS: So hoist up the John B's sail, see how the mainsail sets

Call for the captain ashore, let me go home,

let me go home, I wanna go home

Well I feel so broke up, I wanna go home

The first mate he got drunk and broke in the cap'n's trunk

The constable had to come and take him away

Sheriff John Stone, why don't you leave me alone

Well I feel so broke up I wanna go home

## **CHORUS**

Then the cook he caught the fits, threw out all of my grits

Then he took and ate up all of my corn

Let me go home, why don't you let me go home

Well this is the worst trip since I have been born

## **CHORUS**