Sea Shanty

Andantino $\frac{\dot{\text{q}}}{\text{a}} = 80$

Flute

Oboe

Clarinet

Bassoon

Voice

text:
Lewis Carroll

David W. Maves

text:
Lewisa Carroll
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Sea Shanty

L'istesso tempo

\( \dot{\} = 80 \)

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

There are certain things as, a spider, a
ghost, The income tax, gout, an umbrella for

three That I hate, but the thing that I hate...
Sea Shanty

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

most

thing

call

the

Sea.

Is a
Pour some salt water over the floor
sure you’ll allow it to be:

Sup-pose it ex-tend-ed a
THAT'S very like the
Beat a dog till it howls outright Cruel, but all very well for a

spree: Suppose that he did so day and night,
That would be like the sea.

I had a vision of

tens of thousands passed by me,

nursery maids;
All leading children with wooden spades, And

this was by the Sea.
Who invented those spades of wood? Who was it cut them out of the tree?
Sea Shanty

A tempo

Ritard

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

None, I think, but an idiot could

A tempo

Ritard molto

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

Or one that
Sea Shanty

Largo \( \frac{j}{j} = 40 \)

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

loved the Sea. loved the Sea.

A tempo

\( \text{ff} \) expressivo

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loved the Sea.
It is pleasant and dreamy, no doubt, to float With thoughts as boundless, and souls as free: But, suppose
pose you are very unwell in the boat, How do you like
Sea Shanty

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

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_ the Sea?_ Heh ho___ the

---

_ sea._ Yo___ ho___ heh___ ho___
Sea Shanty

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

"Yo, ho, ha. the sea."
There is an insect that
Sea Shanty

people avoid
(Whence is derived the verb 'to flee').
Where have you been by it most annoyed?
Sea Shanty

In lodgings by the Sea.

Poco più mosso

If
you like your coffee with sand for dregs.

A decided hint of salt in your tea, And a fishy
taste in the very eggs
By all means choose the Sea.

And if, with these dain-ties

Sea Shanty
to drink and eat, You prefer not a vestige of grass or tree,

And a chronic state of wet in your feet,
(ad lib.)

A tempo

Then I recommend the Sea.

For
I have friends who dwell by the coast
Pleasant friends they are to
It is when I am with them I wonder most. That anyone likes the Sea.
They take me a walk: though tired and stiff, To climb the heights I madly a-
After a tumble or so from the cliff, they kindly suggest the Sea.
I try the rocks, and I think it cool. That they laugh with such an excess of glee, As I heavily slip into every pool.
Sea Shanty

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

skirts the cold cold Sea. That skirts the cold cold Sea.
That skirts the cold cold Sea.

Cadenza

(ad lib.)
Sea Shanty

cold cold Sea.
Sea Shanty

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

Cadenza
Sea Shanty

Fl. 

Ob. 

Cl. 

Bsn. 

Voice 

Ritard molto

Fl. 

Ob. 

Cl. 

Bsn. 

Voice
A tempo

Sea Shanty

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Bsn.

Voice

Sea.

the cold
cold