

There's Whiskey in the Jar! **(Gillgarry Mountain)**

Revised, with new words and a new verse, by
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As I was goin' over the great Gillgarry Mountain,
I met with Captain Farrell and his money he was countin'.
First I drew me pistol, and then I drew me rapier,
I said, "Stand and deliver, for you are a bold deceiver!"

Chorus:

Well shirigim duraham da
Wack fall the daddy oh, wack fall the daddy oh,
There's whiskey in the jar!

I counted out his money, and it was a pretty penny.
I put it in me pocket, and I took it home to Jenny.
She sighed and she swore, that she never would deceive me.
But the devil take the women, for they always lie so easy.

I went into me chamber, all for to take a slumber
To dream of gold and girls, and of course it was no wonder
She took me pistol barrels and she filled them up with water,
She sent for Captain Farrell, to get ready for the slaughter.

Next morning very early, before I rose to travel
There came a file of soldiers and likewise Captain Farrell.
I went to draw me pistol 'cause she'd stolen away me rapier,
But a prisoner I was taken 'cause I couldn't fire the water.

They put me into jail, with a judge all a-writin'
For robbin' Captain Farrell on great Gillgarry Mountain.
But they couldn't take me fists, so I knocked down the jailer
I fled this old town, and sailed on board a whaler.

I'd like to find me brother, the one that's in the Army.
I don't where he stationed, in Cork or in Killarney.
We'll sail out together, from the port of Killkenney
And I swear he'd treat me better than me darlin' sportin' Jenny.

There's some that takes delight, in the seas and the rollin'
And some takes delight in sailin' on a bowline
But I takes delights in the juice of the barley,
Courtin' pretty maids in the morning oh so early.

Now I've been around the world, and sailed on every ocean.
I've had some word of Jenny, and now I've got a notion
That she's gone to London, with that devil Captain Farrell
So I'm sailin' there tomorrow, to give them both a barrel!

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