Lancashire Peace Egging Song (2)



Come listen awhile unto my song, March along, bold Wellington, March right down to the cabin door, For that's the place where we adore Ri-fol-lay, ri-fol-lay, Ri-fol-lay, ri-fol-de-ray.

O the next that comes in, Soldier bold, In his hand he carries a sword, A shining star on his right breast, And a bonny bunch of roses around his wrist. Ri-fol-lay, etc. O the next that comes in, Sailor bold, He has sailed the ocean round, England, Ireland, France and Spain, And now returns to old England again. Ri-fol-lay, etc.

O the next that comes in's General Hill He can neither fight nor kill, He took a slash from whence he came And all the people cried a shame. Ri-fol-lay, etc.

O the next that comes in's Never Fear, He wants a peace-egg once a year, He wants a peace-egg for to go, To treat young lasses you may know. Ri-fol-lay, etc.

O the next that comes in our old lass, Sits in the alehouse jug and glass; Sits in the alehouse from morn till night, And in her glass she takes delight. Ri-fol-lay, etc.