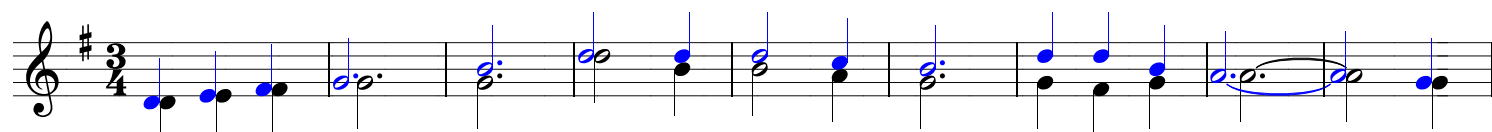


Mingulay Boat Song



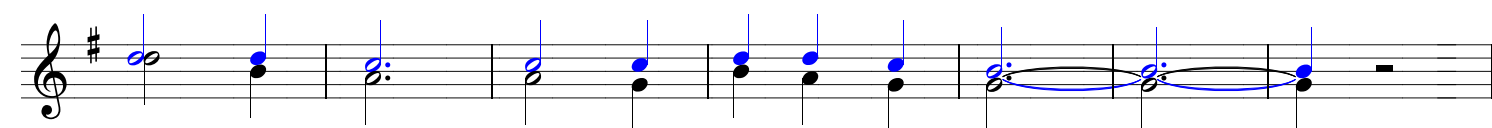
Based on a tune from the Outer Hebrides



Eel - ya ho! boys! let her go - boys! turn - her head in -



to - the wea - ther, eel - ya ho! boys! let her go - boys!



sai - ling home - ward to Min - gu - lay.



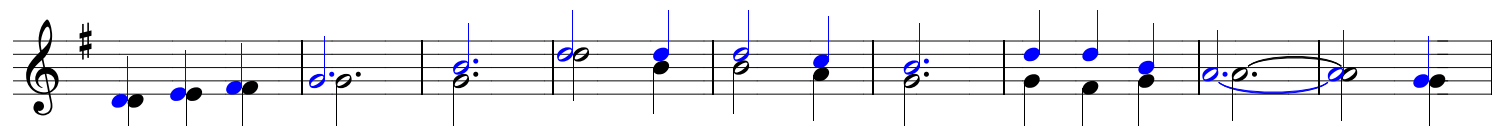
1.) What care we how whi - te the Minch is? What care we for



wi - nd and wea - ther? let her go, boys, e - ve - ry inch is



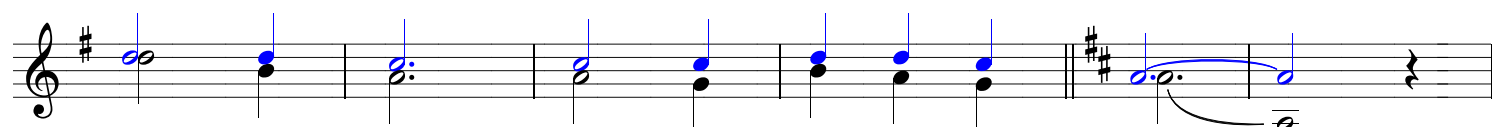
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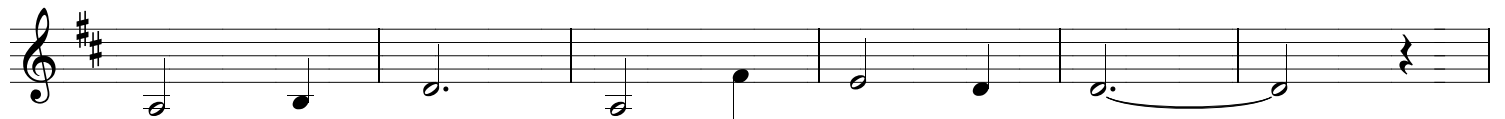
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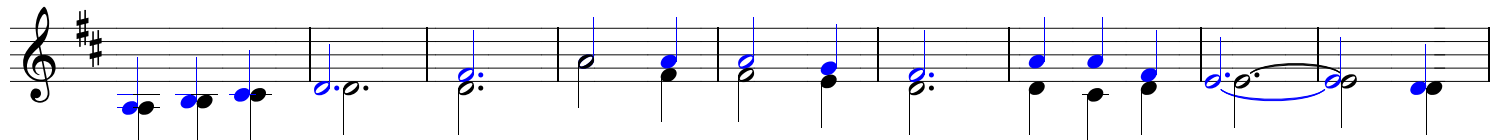
2.) When the wind is wi - ld with shou - ting and the waves mount
 8 Bells: 3.) Wives and sweet - hearts on - the hill - side loo - king sea - ward



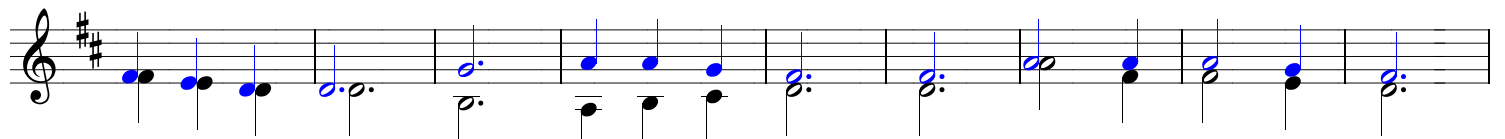
ev - er hig - her, an - xious eyes turn ev - er sea - ward
 thr - ough the hea - ther, let her go, boys a - nd you'll an - chor,



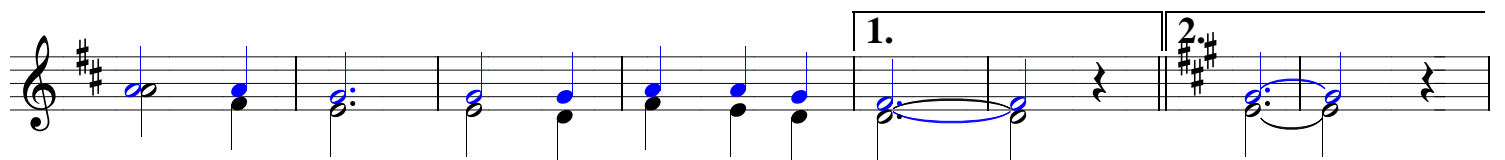
see us home boys to Min - gu - lay!
 'ere the sun sets on Min - gu - lay!



Eel - ya ho! boys! let her go - boys! turn - her head in -



to - the wea - ther, eel - ya ho! boys! let her go - boys!



sai - ling home - ward to Min - gu - lay. 1. lay.



4.) Ships re - turn now he - a - vy la - den, mo - thers hol - din',



bai - rns a - cry - in', they'll re - turn, though, wh - en the sun sets,



they'll re - tu - rn to Min - gu - lay!

Eel - ya ho! boys! let her go - boys! turn - her head in -

to - the wea - ther, eel - ya ho! boys! let her go - boys!

sai - ling home - ward to Min - gu - lay.

Cookery Book

The first and second verse will be done by Sigi, whereby other singers may accompany him, starting with the second or third line.

The third verse is to hear from all 8 Bells, as well as all blue notes.

The last verse will be sang by Elmue.

But remember: It's a shanty song, everyone can sing his own tune!

But it must sound excellent!

Elmue & Sigi in April 2012

they turn their heads into the wheather
and it was raining cats and dogs