Packet Ship

Bounty was a packet ship

Pump ship, packet ship

Sailing on a cruising trip

In the South Pacific

Billy Blight that silly man Was the master in command

He was growling day and night Whether he was wrong or right

On the Bounty there were rules But not for soft or silly fools

And the answer for complaints Handcuffs and the iron chains

Spitting on the quarterdeck Punishment a broken neck

There was trouble every day Many sailors ran away

Then one day that Billy Blight With the crew commenced a fight

Brawling, kicking everywhere Iron pins flew through the air

Mates and sailors in the night Overpowered Billy Blight

They set Billy Blight afloat With his madness in a boat

Bounty she sailed out of sight Left alone was Billy Blight

Billy Blight he reached the coast But the Bounty she was lost

Many gales have crossed the seas But the Bounty's never seen

Never was there heard a word From the crew that stayed on board