



John Come Tell Us

From Liverpool Town we sailed away
John come tell us as we haul away
Outward bound at the break of day
John come tell us as we haul away
Aye, aye, haul, aye
John come tell us as we haul away

Was you never in Mobile Bay?
A-screwing cotton all the day

Oh yes I've been down in Mobile Bay
A-screwing cotton all the day

What did you see down in Mobile Bay?
Were the girls all free and gay?

Oh this I saw in Mobile Bay
A spanking girl in a hammock lay

And this flash girl was Saucy May
She had her eye on my pay day

And what did you do in Mobile Bay?
Did you give that flash tart all your pay?

Oh this I did in Mobile Bay
I courted that girl whose name was May

I married her in Mobile Bay
And now we're happy night and day