

Wareham Whaler's Songbook

The Bulgine Run

Traditional

Oh! The smartest packet ye can find,
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
Is the Ol' "Wildcat" of the Swallowtail Line!
Clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!

Chorus:

***To me Hey, Rig-a-jig, in a jaunting car!
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
With Liza Lee all on my knee,
So clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!***

Well the Ol' "Wildcat" of the Swallowtail Line,
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
She's never a day behind her time!
So clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!

Well, we're outward bound for New York Town,
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
Where them bowery gals we'll waltz around.
So clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!

When we've stowed our freight at the West Street Pier,
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
It's home to Liverpool then we'll steer.
So clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!

When we gets home to Liverpool town,
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
I'll stand you whiskies all around.
So clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!

So heave on the pawl, come bear a hand
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
It's one more pull and then she'll stand
So clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!

When I gets home from across the sea,
Ah Hey! Ah Ho! Are you most done?
It's "Liza won't you marry me?"
So clear away the track an' let the bulgine run!