

Wellerman

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TENORS ONLY VV. 1&2

TENOR BASS

V. 1 There once was a ship that put to sea, and the name of that ship was the
had not been two weeks from shore when down on her a

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T.B.

Bill - y O' Tea The winds blew hard, her bow dipped down. Blow my bul-ly boys
right whale bore, The cap - tain called all hands and swore, He'dtake that whale in

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S.A.

Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to bring us sug-ar and tea and rum,

T.B.

blow!
tow. Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to bring us sug-ar and tea and rum,

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S.A.

One day when the tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and go! go!

T.B.

One day when the tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and go! They go! Be

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S.A.

Hum hum hum hum hum hum hum hum

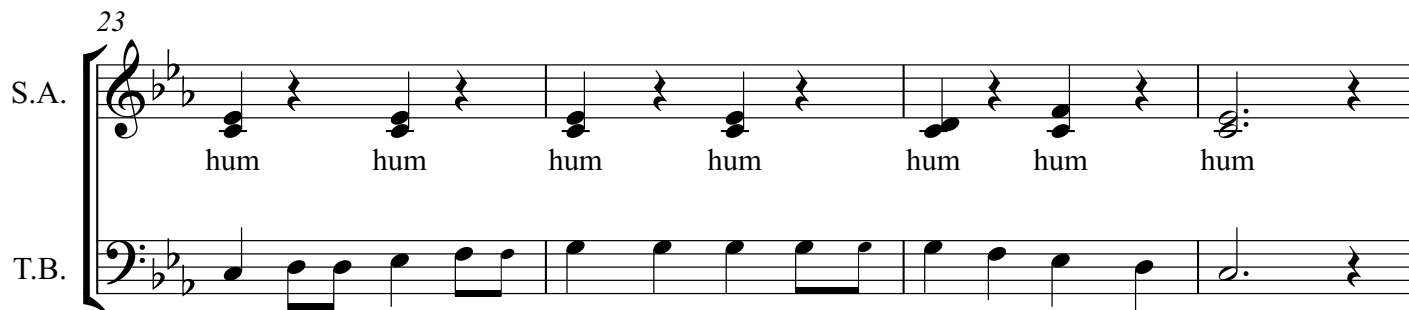
T.B.

fore the boat had hit the wa - ter the whale's tail came up and caught her, All
line was cut the whale was free, the Cap-tain's mind was not on greed, For

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S.A. hum hum hum hum hum hum hum

T.B.

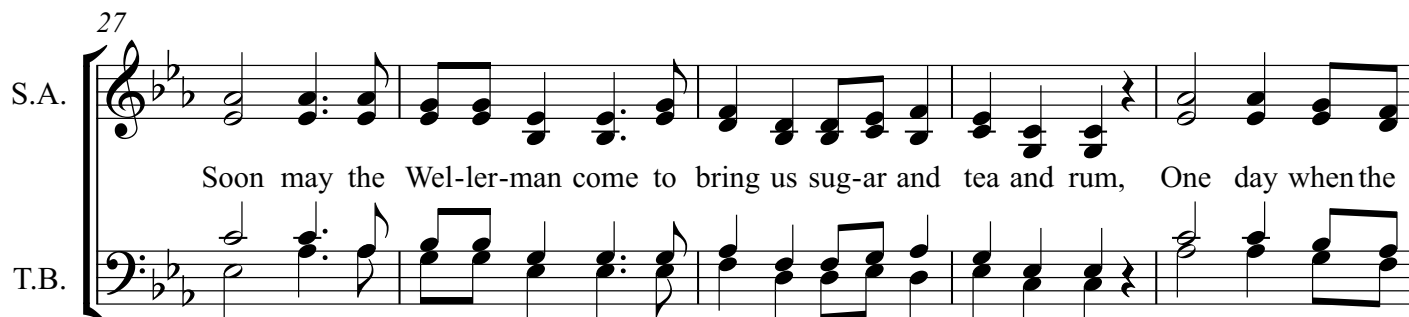


hands to the side, har - pooned and fought her when she dived down be - low.
he be - longed to the Whale-man's creed, She took that ship in tow.

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S.A. Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to bring us sug-ar and tea and rum, One day when the

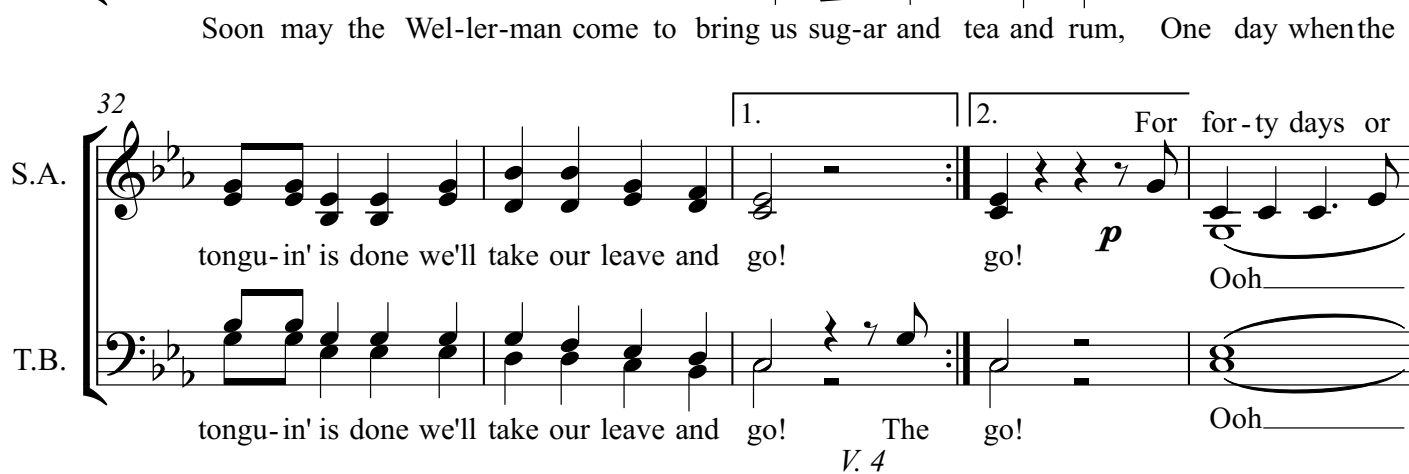
T.B. Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to bring us sug-ar and tea and rum, One day when the



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S.A. 1. tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and go! 2. go! *p* For for-ty days or Ooh

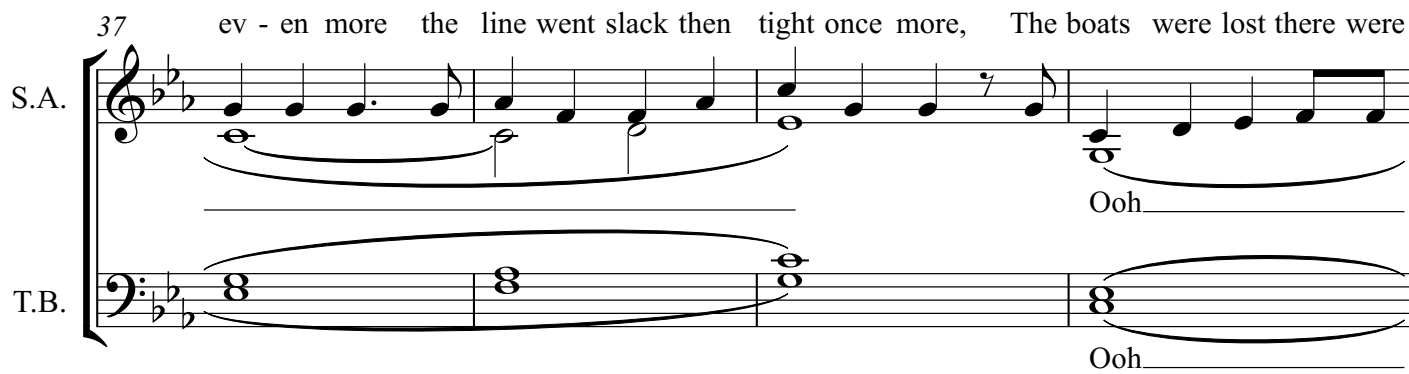
T.B. tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and go! The go! *V. 4* Ooh



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S.A. ev - en more the line went slack then tight once more, The boats were lost there were Ooh

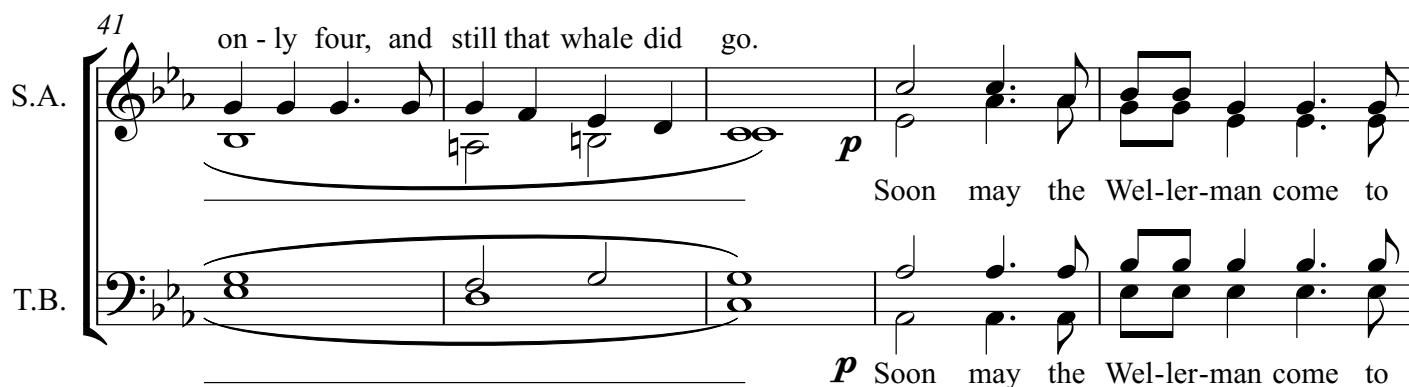
T.B. Ooh



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S.A. on - ly four, and still that whale did go. *p* Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to

T.B. *p* Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to



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S.A. bring us sug-ar and tea and rum, One day when the tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and

T.B. bring us sug-ar and tea and rum, One day when the tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and

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S.A. go! and the whale's not gone,

T.B. go! *mf Tutti* As far as I've heard the fight's still on, The line's not cut and the whale's not gone. The

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S.A. to en-cour-age the Cap-tain, crew and all

T.B. Wel-ler-man makes his re-gu-lar call to en-cour-age the Cap-tain, crew and all

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S.A. Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to bring us sug-ar and tea and rum,

T.B. Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to bring us sug-ar and tea and rum,

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S.A. One day when the tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and go! go!

T.B. One day when the tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and go! go!