

The Wellerman

TENOR

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

Bill - y O' Tea The winds blew hard, her bow dipped down.
right whale bore, The cap - tain called all hands and swore, He'd

T.2 Blow my bul - ly boys blow! Soon may the Wel - ler - man come to
take that whale in tow.

BAR Soon may the Wel - ler - man come to

T.2 bring us sug - ar and tea and rum, One day when the

BAR bring us sug - ar and tea and rum, One day when the

T.2 tongu - in' is done we'll take our leave and go! V. 2 They go!

BAR tongu - in' is done we'll take our leave and go! go! *Tutti f* V. 3 Be

mp/mf

T.2
8 Hum hum hum hum hum hum hum hum

B.

fore the boat had hit the wa - ter the whale's tail came up and caught her, All line was cut, No whale was freed, the Cap-tain's mind was not on greed, For

T.2
8 Hum hum hum hum hum hum hum.

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.

melody

T.2
8 Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to bring us sug-ar and tea and rum, One day when the

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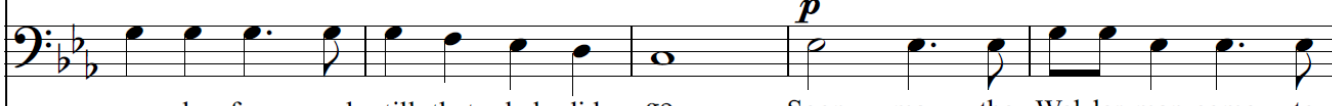
tongu-in' is done we'll take our leave and go! V. 4 No go! V. 5 For


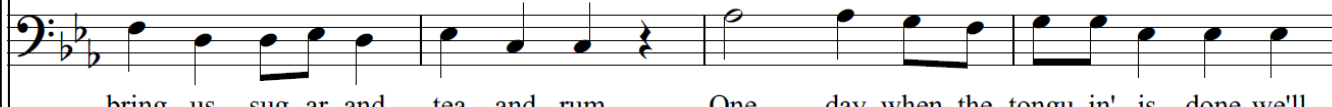
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T.2
8 Ooh Ooh


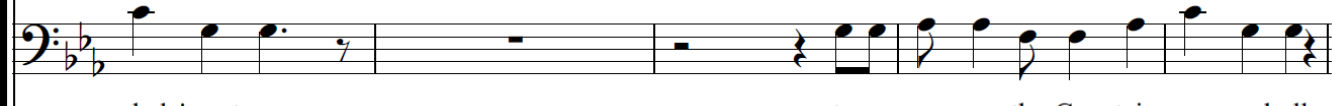
BAR

for-ty days or ev-en more the line went slack then tight once more, Theboats were lost there were

T.2  *p*
 BAR  *p*
 on - ly four, and still that whale did go. Soon may the Wel-ler-man come to

T.2 
 BAR 
 bring us sug-ar and tea and rum, One day when the tongu-in' is done we'll

T.2 
 BAR 
 take our leave and go! As far as I've heard the fight's still on, The line's not cut and the
V. 6

T.2 
 BAR 
 whale's not gone. The Wel-ler-man makes his re-gu-lar call to en-cour-age the Cap-tain,crew and all
 whale's not gone, to en-cour-age the Cap-tain,crew and all

T.2
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BAR
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