

Mingulay Boat Song

Chorus

Heel y'ho boys, let her go boys
Turn her head round into the weather
Heel y'ho boys, let her go boys
Sailing homeward to Mingulay!

What care we though white the Minch is?
What care we for windy weather
Let her go, boys, every inch is
Sailing homeward to Mingulay?

Chorus

Wives are waiting on the pier head,
All looking sea-ward from the heather.
Pull her round, boys, and we'll anchor
'Ere the sun sets on Mingulay!