

A WHALE OF A TALE – Kirk DOuglas

From the Walt Disney movie 20,000 Leagues Under The Sea

A D A
Got a whale of a tale to tell ya' lads

A E7
A whale of a tale or two

A D
'Bout flappin' fish and the girls I've loved

A E7 A E7
On nights like this with the moon above

A E7 A E7
A whale of a tale and it's all true

A E7 A
I swear by my tattoo

D A
There was Mermaid Minnie, ~~ met her down in Madagascar

D A
She would kiss me, ~~ any time that I would ask her

D A E7
Then one evening her flame of love blew out

A E7 A D
Blow me down and pick me up!

A E7 A
She swapped me for a trout.

CHORUS

D A
There was Typhoon Tessie, ~~ met her on the coast of Java

D A
When we kissed I ~~ bubbled up like molten lava

D A E7
Then she gave me the scare of my young life

A E7 A D
Blow me down and pick me up!

A E7 A
She was the Captains wife

CHORUS

D A
There was Harpoon Hannah ~~ had a face that made you shudder

D A
Lips like fish hooks, ~~ and a nose just like a rudder

D A E7 (SLOW)
If I kissed her and held her tenderly (Held her tenderly)

(FAST) D A7 D G
There's no sea monster big enough

A E7 A
To ever frighten me!

CHORUS (slow last line)