

## Haul Away for Rosie O

*Traditional. Ewan MacColl sang Haul Away for Rosie on his and A.L. Lloyd's Prestige album of 1962, A Sailor's Garland. A.L. Lloyd noted: A tack and sheet shanty, very similar to Haul Away, Joe. Roud 809.*

You can talk about your Bootle girls like up in the corner Sally

### Chorus

*Away haul away we'll haul away for Rosie O*

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But none can push a jug like the girls from Dog Leg Alley

Once I had an Irish girl her name was Kitty Flanagan

She stole me boots she stole me clothes she stole me blades and  
pannikin

Then I had a Le Havre girl and she was little and saucy

For once in my life I married a wife and damn her she was lazy

She wouldn't stay home at night, which damn near drove me crazy

Out of sight she snuck out at night where do you think I found her?

Back of the pub with skirts pulled up and all you men around her