South Australia - Rolling King

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Capstan anchor and pumps



1) South Australia is me home.

Kor: Heave away! Heave away!
South Australia is me home.

Kor: An' I'm bound for South Australia.

Alle: Heave away! Heave away!

Heave away you Rolling King.

An' we're bound for South Australia!

- 2) My wife is standin' on the quay.

 Kor: Heave ...

 The tears do start as she waves to me.

 Kor: An' I'm bound ...

 Alle: Heave away...
- An' when I'm on a foreign shore,
 I'll think o' me darlin' that I adore.
- There ain't but one ting grieves me mind, to leave my wife an' child behind.
- 5) There ain't but one thing grieves me, an' that's me wife an' dear ba-bee.
- An' as I stand on a foreign shore, I'll drink to the wife that I adore.
- Now I'm on a foreign strand, with a glass o' pisco vino in me hand.
- l'Il drink a glass to my own shore, l'Il drink to the gal that I adore.
- I'll tell ye now, it ain't no lie,
 I'll love that gal until I die.
- 10) This cross ye see at the bottom of the line, is only to keep ye in my mind.
- 11) Now we're homeward bound again, I'll soon be seeing Sarah Jane.
- 12) Oh, fare-ye-well, now fare-ye-well, oh, fare-ye-well, I wish ye well.

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