Jack Monroe (Jack the Sailor)

Jackie's gone a sailing, with trouble on his mind For the leaving of his country and his darlin' love behind

Chorus

Dora Lee, her Laddie Dora Lee, her Lilly, oh

She's gone to the tailor shop, and dressed in man's array Shipped on board a man o'war, convey herself away

Chorus

Before you step on board, sir, you're name I'd like to know With a smile upon her countenance, she answered: "Jack Monroe"

Chorus

Your waist it is to slender, your fingers are to small Your cheaks they are to rosy, to face the cannonball

Chorus

My waist it is quiet slender, my fingers they are small But I'll never change my countenance, to face the cannonball

Chorus

The drums did loudly rattle, sweet music they did play And on to the field of battle they soon did sail away

Chorus

When the war was over, in a cirkle she marchent round And among the dead and wounded her darling love she found