

Davy Crockett

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Davy Crockett's Keelboat Race (Continued)	<p>STORY IN SONG</p> <p>The country was big when it was new The best men was big and their yarns was, too And their tallest tales folks believed was true So the more they were told the more they grew Davy, Davy Crockett, king of the wild frontier History remembers the name of his gun And some of the deeds he really done But most of his chores for freedom and fun Got turned into legends and this here is one Davy, Davy Crockett, helpin' his fame spread wide Had a lot of furs that he aimed to ship And he set his mind on a river trip When a braggin' boatman give him some lip A-claimin' there was no man he couldn't whip Davy, Davy Crockett, tanglin' with big Mike Fink He don't take nothin' from no man at all – ho! The bigger they brag the harder they fall – ho! The tougher they are the louder they squall When they get what fer in a free-for-all – ho! Davy, Davy Crockett, king of the wild frontier Ain't no trick at all to polin' keelboats We can beat Mike Fink with anything that floats Now we got the hang, why, we feel our oats We'll stuff their plans down their ornery throats Davy, Davy Crockett, tanglin' with big Mike Fink He kept his word about his victory Saw it wasn't set down in history So Mike stayed king of the river, you see And a real good friend he turned out to be Davy, Davy Crockett, makin' up with big Mike Fink</p>