I’se the B’y
Traditional Newfoundland, Canada

INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 /
[C] I’se the b’y that [G] builds the boat and
[C] I’se the b’y that [F] sails [G] her and
[C] I’se the b’y that [G] catches the fish and
[F] Brings ’ em [G] home to [C] Liza

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CHORUS:
[F] All a-[G]round the [C] circle

[C] Sods and rinds to [G] cover your flake
[C] Cake and tea for [F] sup-[G]per
[C] Codfish in the [G] spring of the year

CHORUS:
[F] All a-[G]round the [C] circle

[C] I don’t want your [G] maggoty fish
[C] That’s no good for [F] win-[G]ter
[C] I can buy as [G] good as that

CHORUS:
[F] All a-[G]round the [C] circle
I took Liza [G] to a dance
And [C] faith but she could [F] tra-[G]vel
And [C] every step that [G] Liza took
She was [F] up to her [G] knees in [C] gravel

CHORUS:
[F] All a-[G]round the [C] circle

[C] Sarah White she’s [G] outta sight
Her [C] petticoat needs a [F] bor-[G]der
Well [C] old Sam Oliver [G] in the dark
He [G] kissed her in the corner!

CHORUS:
[F] All a-[G]round the [C] circle

Now [C] Liza she went [G] up the stairs
And [C] I went up be-[F]hind [G] her
[C] Liza she crawled [G] into bed
But [F] I know [G] where to [C] find her

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[F] All a-[G]round the [C] circle

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