The Beautiful South, The Lure Of The Sea

(Heaton/Rotheray)
If I walk like a fool, I've walked like that since school
But maybe it's the lure of the sea
Who knows the effect,
that whisky could've had on me
It could've been the lure of the sea

'Cause leather ain't as strong as the weather But leather can strangle any dream And leather ain't as strong as the weather But leather took Curtis from me

Maybe it's the lure of the sea, maybe it's the lure of the sea Suicide's just the anarchist that kicks down modesty But maybe it's the lure of the sea

Once I felt chained, and now, now I feel free Maybe it's the lure of the sea Polo and Da Gama, well those two had nothing on me Could be I'm a sucker for the sea

'Cause silver, ain't as quick as the tongue But silver, took the M.L.K so young And metal ain't as strong as the petal But metal left the verse unsung

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Freedom's taken a liking to me
Maybe it's the lure of the sea
Look in my eyes 'cause my belt's broke free
Maybe it's the lure of the sea
The Pirates Of Penzance,
they have nothing on me
Maybe it's the lure of the sea

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