

## East Scar Rocks

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of December about the hour of 10  
Not seen so much commotion since I don't know when  
A crowd lined the sea front some were puzzled some were shocked  
They'd come to see the ship on the East Scar Rocks

*The East Scar Rocks, oh the East Scar Rocks  
Come and see the ship on the East Scar Rocks*

The maroons went bang and shook us to the core  
You'd 'ave thought the world was ending, it made a mighty roar  
The lifeboat lads come out with their tractor and their boat  
With their boats and their oilskins and soon they were afloat

They say that none was drowned of that they're very sure  
The Captain, Crew and ships cook are landed safe ashore  
The good lads from the lifeboat why bless their cotton socks  
Through heavy wave these lads did brave the East Scar Rocks

The ship was bound up river with a load of iron ore  
Looking for the lights of the port of Middlesbrough  
Now her hatches should open unloading in the dock  
But she's lying high and stranded on the East Scar Rocks

When he steamed into the harbour it must have been a shock  
To find that Redcar promenade was not the loading dock  
But when the truth comes out it'll all be very clear  
The skipper simply had a thirst for a pint of Redcar beer