

# The Catalpa

Traditional

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Da Capo

The Catalpa was an American vessel that arrived off the coast of Western Australia in 1876 and rescued six Irish Fenians after their dramatic escape from prison. The 'Georgette' set sail to re-capture the men but the Catalpa raised the Stars and Stripes and the British ship had to give up the chase as it was by now in International waters. The tune is played in America, Ireland and England under different titles including, 'Rosin the Beau', 'Acres of Clams' and 'My Lodgings in the Cold Cold Ground.'