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gitaar 1

$\text{♩} = 120$

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The image shows a musical score for the piece 'Sloop John B'. It consists of ten systems of music, each with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a time signature of 8/8. The measures are numbered 45 through 94. The notation includes a melodic line on the treble staff and a bass line on the bass staff. The bass line is primarily composed of eighth notes, often beamed in pairs. The melodic line features a mix of eighth and quarter notes, with some rests. A 'rit.' (ritardando) marking is placed above the staff at measure 87. The score concludes with a double bar line and a final chord in the bass staff.

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(tekst & muziek: Bahamas traditional)

We come on the Sloop John B
My grandfather and me
Around Nassau town we did roam
Drinking all night
Got into a fight
Well I feel so broke up
I want to go home
So hoist up the John B's sail
See how the main sail sets
Call for the Captain ashore
Let me go home, let me go home
I want to go home, yeah yeah
Well I feel so broke up
I want to go home
The first mate he got drunk
And broke in the Cap'n's trunk
The constable had to come and take him away
Sheriff John Stone
Why don't you leave me alone, yeah yeah
Well I feel so broke up, I want to go home
So hoist up the John B's sail
See how the main sail sets
Call for the Captain ashore
Let me go home, let me go home
I want to go home, let me go home
Why don't you let me go home
(Hoist up the John B's sail)
Hoist up the John B
I feel so broke up I want to go home
Let me go home
The poor cook he caught the fits
And threw away all my grits
And then he took and he ate up all of my corn
Let me go home
Why don't they let me go home
This is the worst trip I've ever been on
So hoist up the John B's sail
See how the main sail sets
Call for the Captain ashore
Let me go home, let me go home
I want to go home, let me go home
Why don't you let me go home