

ANTON Ode aan Anton Geesink

tkst *Pieter, Irma mmv Annette + Frans* ANTON
mel. 'Reuben Ranzo' *deense zeeman

haallied - voor de lijn waarmee een zeil gehesen wordt, een zgn 'val' (a halyard)

voorzangers: Pieter, Simon, Peter back-ups: Frans, Jos, Gijs, Ernst

1 *tutti* Ge_ Boren bij de Rooie Brug *Rf* ANTON REUS, ANTON
We-erd Anton sterrek en vlie-gens vlug ANTON REUS, ANTON

2 *tutti* Van_ straatjochie tot sport-i dool
Al bovenop zijn judoschool

3 *Vrou* Hij_ kwam in elke dó-o_jo
Dee 'Killer in kimo-o no'

4 *VZ* Be_ Gin ik me te bui-uigen
Is jóuw carrière in duiuigen

5 *tutti* Ver_ sloeg in vier en zes - tig Kaminaga
Olympisch goud voor ons, ja ha!

6 *Vrou* Nu_ staat - ie stil in steen op wacht
Tussen Jakobsstraat en Ou de gracht

7 *Mannen* Wij_ Eren hem hier mét-een lied
Een grote naam, vergeet hem niet

8 *tutti* Hoe_ ra voor Anton Gee-esink Anton reus, Anton
met publiek Hoe ra voor Anton Gee_sink Anton reus, Anton

CODA (*breed*) ANTON REUS, ANTO__N !

RANZO een aantal engelse coupletten van de sea-shanty RANZO :

Hurrah! for Reuben Ranzo, *Ranzo boys, Ranzo*
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Reuben was no sailor
Reuben was a tailor

Ranzo joined The Beauty
And did not know his duty

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RANZO (ANTON)

His skipper was a dandy
And was too fond of brandy

He called Ranzo a lubber
And made him eat whale blubber

The Beauty was a whaler,
Ranzo was no sailor

They set him holy stoning
And cared not for his groaning

They gave him lashes twenty,
Nineteen mo-re than plenty

The captains daughter, Lucy.
She loudly begged for mercy

They gave him lashes twenty.
That's twenty more than plenty

She took him to her cabin.
And tried to ease his moanin'

Ranzo nearly fainted.
When his back with oil was

She gave him wine and whisky.
Which made him feel damn frisky

She gave him rum and water.
And a bit more than she oughter

She gave him education.
And taught him navigation

She made him the best sailor
On board that Yankee whaler

He married the captain's daughter.
And still sails on salt water

But now he is the skipper.

Of a smart New Bedford clipper

He's known wherever them whalefish blow.
As the toughest old bastard on the go