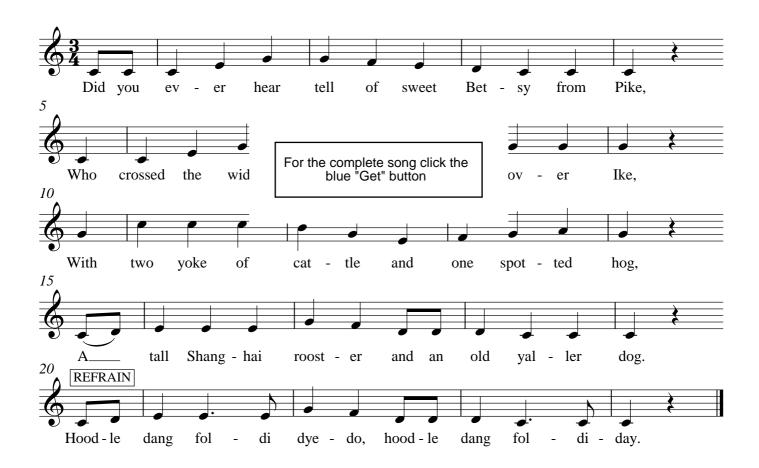
Sweet Betsy From Pike

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- One evening quite early they camped on the Platte, Made down their blankets on a green shady flat; Where Betsy, quite tired, lay down to repose, While with wonder Ike gazed on his Pike County road.
- 3. They swam the wide rivers and crossed the tall peaks, And camped on the prairie for weeks upon weeks. Starvation and cholera and hard work and slaughter, They reached California spite of hell and high water.



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