Kirkintilloch

The Rumjacks

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And I'm sure you'll wonder why
My brother and me, we went on a spree
We drank the pubs a' dry, a' dry
Drank the pubs a' dry

My Granpaw he worked down the pit
And so did my faither tae
You work like a mule when you leave the school
And you drink on a Saturday, my lads
You drink on a Saturday

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The gaffer doon the pit my lads Could scarce believe his een For my brother and me we howked mair coal Than his latest cuttin' machine, my lads His latest cuttin' machine

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My faither he was a Glesga man And my mother come fae Troon They baith did say the other day It's time you settled doon, my lads It's time you settled doon

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So I think I'll just get married lads
And hae a family tae
Then we'll use our mits and work in the pits
And drink on a Saturday, my lads
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