

Dolan's Ass

As sung by
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Transcription from the Helene Stratman-Thomas Collection, lyrics were not included.

Critical Commentary

Alternate titles/related songs: "Paddy Doyle and Biddy O'Toole," "Doran's Ass."

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