

STORIES OF THE LAND AND ITS PEOPLE – South School

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Oh O Oh O, E Eh E Eh, Oh O Oh O, E Eh...E Eh, Hey

The story of the land and its people,
the land, the sea and we are all equal.
Our heroes, industry and foghorn,
reminds us we're hardworking and strong.

Ocean, the rivers, the lakes and railroad
moved granite and goods for the nation.
The harbor, breakwater, downtown we all know,
make a great summer vacation.

Lighthouses keep boats, safe from our shore,
on cliffs, or marking the harbor.
Where fish packing was, the tourists explore,
the seagulls, sea spray and salt water.

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All generations, old and young,
know the hardworking men of the sea.
Boats leave the dock, before the sun,
hauling lobsters, for you and me.

Lobster traps, buoys, lines and fresh bait,
all part of the lobstermen's tools.
Lobsters taste sweet; the Fest fills our plate,
it pays for our life and her fuel.

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When we run out, they always run in,
the heroes that work for our town.
Uniforms on, protecting their skin,
they're brave and they never back down.

Honors and badges they share with great pride,
for helping us when we're in need.
Thanks for being there, right by our side,
in you, we trust and believe.

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