

Greasy Biggins: Station Cook

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I guess youâ€™ve heard of Greasy Biggins Station Cook

If you havenâ€™t well you better take a good look

On the great big stations where the cattle run

I think youâ€™ll find that nearly everyone

Out in the bush knows Greasy Biggins Station Cook

Oh he can make a puftaloon a dumpling or a macaroon

roly-poly pudding and a bun

A Carpet snake or a Johnny Cake

Old Greasy knows a dish for everyone

This is a real person Iâ€™m singing about

John Biggins Station Cook

Such a filthy brute he was nicknamed Greasy Biggins

And Iâ€™m not kidding ya he was so greasy dogs used to lick his shadow

It was Greasy who invented Biggins Buns

And I think the ANZACs fired â€™em through their guns

Oh they're the buns every bushy craves

Theyâ€™re used as doorstops or tombstones over graves

Oh Greasy Biggins' famous buns

Now Greasy once worked on the Birdsville Track

Where the ringers all gave cheek and they answered back

But he fixed them when they complained about his faults

He served them damper made with flour and Epsom Salts

O Greasy Biggins Station Cook

Oh he can make a puftaloon a dumpling or a macaroon

a roly-poly pudding and a bun

A Carpet snake or a Johnny Cake

Old Greasy knows a dish for everyone

I can still see Greasy Biggins with his pot

Poised above a stew called cop this lot

Oh the greasy drops of sweat were dripping in

â€œAdded flavourâ€• he told me with a grin

Oh Greasy Biggins Station Cook

But despite all his super culinary feats
The ringers once went crook because there were no sweets
So he made a giant strawberry blancmange in an old horse trough
He stood above â€™em with a bloody great axe till they knocked it all off

Oh Greasy Biggins Station Cook

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a roly-poly pudding and a bun
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