

[FOR THE CANADA TEMPERANCE ADVOCATE.]

The Maine Law is Coming.

We wish and pray that come it may,
Then we'll get claes and a' that,
And mitts, and hose, and dresses too,
And pay the cash for a' that.

For a' that, and a' that, and muckle mair than a' that;
We'll hail thee with a heart-felt joy.
Then haste and come!

No shoeless bairnies then we'll see,
With frozen toes and a' that;
Once mourning mothers then with joy
Will buy them shoes and a' that.

And a' that, and a' that, and muckle mair than a' that;
How mourning mothers long for thee,
Then haste and come!

No drunken fathers then we'll see
O'er head and ears and a' that,
With mud and dirt enough to scare
The very deil and a' that.

And a' that, and a' that, and muckle mair than a' that;
E'er drunken fathers wish for thee,
Then haste and come!

No staggering, stammering youths we'll see
With blood-shot eyes and a' that,
And haggard looks, and ragged coats,
And crownless hats and a' that.

And a' that, and a' that, and muckle mair than a' that;
In pity to our blighted youths,
Make haste and come!

Then they can gang to any store,
Buy coats, and hats, and a' that,
They'll then be free from slavery's thrall,
Vile haunts shut up and a' that.

And a' that, and a' that, and muckle mair than a' that.
No more they'll look like picked crows,
In pity come!

Maine Liquor Law, in pity come,
You'll empty jails and a' that,
No more the soul destroying draught
Will blight our youths and a' that.

And a' that, and a' that, and muckle mair than a' that;
Empty jails we long to see,
Then haste and come!

Maine Liquor Law, make haste and come,
With plenty, peace and a' that.
The very thought on't makes us glad,
We'll dance with joy and a' that.

And a' that, and a' that, and muckle mair than a' that,
The very hills will ring with joy,
When thou art come with a' that.

Olanabee, 26th Dec., 1853.

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