OLD DUN COW

Some friends and I in a public house Were playing of chance one night When into the pub a fireman came, His face all chalky white "What's up?" says Brown, "Have you seen a ghost?" "Or perhaps your Aunt Mariah?" "Me Aunt Mariah be buggered," says he, "The bleedin' pub's on fire"

"Oh, well!" says Brown, "What a bit of luck! Everybody follow me. It's down to the cellar if the fire's not there And we'll have a grand old spree" So we all went down after good old Brown And the booze we could not miss And we hadn't been there ten minutes or more 'Til we were all quite pissed.

Chorus

Oh, there was Brown, up side down Suckin' up the whiskey on the floor. "Booze, booze" the firemen cried As they come a knockin' at the door (clap, clap) "Well don't let em in till it's all drunk up Somebody shouted, "MacIntyre" MACINTYRE! And we all got blue-blind paralytic drunk When the Old Dun Cow caught fire.

Then Smith walked over to the port wine tub And gave it a couple hard knocks (clap, clap) He started taking off his pantaloons Likewise his shoes and socks "Hold on," says Brown, "That t'ain't allowed You can't do that thing in here Don't be washing your trotters in the port wine tub When we got some o' Guiness's beer"

Then there came through the old back door The Vicar of the local church. And when he saw our drunken ways, He began to scream and curse

"Ah, you drunken sods! You heathen clods! You've taken to a drunken spree! You drank up all the Benediction wine And you didn't save a drop for me!"

Chorus

Then there came a mighty crash Half the bloody roof gave way. And we were almost drowned by the fireman's hose But still we were gonna stay. So we got some tacks and some wet old sacks And we nailed ourselves inside And we sat there down drinking pints of Rum 'Til we were bleery-eyed.

Later that night, when the fire was out We came up from the cellar below. Our pub was burned. Our booze was drunk. Our heads was hangin' low. "Oh! Look!" says Brown with a look quite queer. Seems something has raised his ire. "Boys we gotta get down to Murphy's Pub It closes in an hour!"

Chorus