

No. 2.

COTTON IS KING!



Old England is mighty ; Old England is free ;
She boasts that she ruleth the waves of the sea ;
(But between you and I, that's all fiddle-de-dee ;)
She cannot, O Cotton ! she cannot rule thee.
Lo ! Manchester's lordling thy greatness shall own,
And yield more to thee than he would to the Throne :
For before thee shall bend his fat marrow-bone,
And deaf be his ear to the live chattel's groan.

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