

# WORKSHEET

## Jute Mill Song by Mary Brooksbank

Oh dear me, the mill's gannin' fast  
The puir wee shifters canna get a rest  
Shiftin' bobbins coorse and fine  
They fairly mak' ye work for your ten and nine

Oh dear me, I wish the day was done  
Rinnin' up and doon the Pass it is nae fun  
Shiftin', piecin', spinnin' warp weft and twine  
Tae feed and clad my bairnie affen ten and nine

Oh dear me, the warld is ill divided  
Them that works the hardest are the least provided  
I maun bide contented, dark days or fine  
For there's nae much pleasure livin' affen ten and nine

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