

Clancy Brothers

"The Real Old Mountain Dew"

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Beside a hill there is a still,

Where the smoke runs up to the sky;

You ean always tell by the whiff and the smell

That the liquor boys are nigh.

Refrain:

That the liquor boys are nigh,

That the liquor boys are nigh,

You ean always tell by the whiff and the smell,

That the liquor boys are nigh.

This mountain dew is made from grain,

And mixed with water pure,

And the alcohol that it eontains

Will all your troubles cure.

Refrain:

Will all your troubles cure,

Will all your troubles cure,

And the alcohol that it contains

Will all your troubles eure.

All learned men who use the pen

Have writ its praises high;

It fills the air with perfume rare

Distilled with wheat and rye.

Refrain:

Distilled with wheat and rye,

Distilled with wheat and rye,

It fills the air with perfume rare

Distilled with wheat and rye.

Away with pills, 'twill cure the ills

Of Pagan, Christian and Jew,

Off with your coat and wet your throat

With the real old mountain dew.

Refrain:

With the real old mountain dew,

With the real old mountain dew,

Off with your coat and wet your throat

With the real old mountain dew.

So before we roll won't you have another bowl

Of the good old mountain dew?

Of the good old mountain dew?

Of the good old mountain dew?

Refrain:

Of the good old mountain dew?

Of the good old mountain dew?

So before we roll won't you have another bowl

Of the good old mountain dew?

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From American Ballads and Folk Songs, Lomax

Recorded by Patrick Galvin, Clancys

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