

A catch in the Play of the Knight of Malta

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I
At the close of the Eve - ning the Wat - ches were set, the__

II
But now_ yon - der Stars ap - pear in the Sky, and

III
We shall soon be re - liev'd, then drink, drink a - way, then

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Guards went the Round, and the Ta - ta - ta - to, Ta - ta - ta - to,

Ta - ra - ra - ra, Ra - ra - ra - ra, Ra - ra - ra - ra, Ra - ra - ra - ra, Ra - ra - ra - ra, Ra - ra - ra - ra,

drink a - way, then drink,

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Ta - ta - ta - to, Ta - ta - ta - to, Ta - ta - ta - to,

Ra - ra - ra - ra - ra is soun - ded on High,

drink, drink a - way, here, here's to you, and to you, and to

Ta - ta - ta - ta - ta - ta - too_ was beat, the Ta - ta - ta - ta - ta - ta -

— and Ta - ra - ra - ra, Ra - ra - ra - ra, Ra - ra - ra - ra - ra, is —

you. - - Let us drink, let us drink, till 'tis day, let, let us drink

- too was beat.

soun-ded on High.

till 'tis day.