Robert Livingston Stanton's Toast

I. Here's a toast, We all can boast, She's mother, sister, "Aunty Lee." She's raised us all, In many a squall, With the help of dear H.B.

II. She raises Cake, And bread and [sick] From Jersey down to Maine, But her favorite raise, Is not from Maize, 'Tis whe she's raising cain!"

III. Germany has Bismarck England Gladstone forsooth; Poland, Kosioscks[sic], Hungary, Kossuth; America had her Washington; Columbia, Bolivar; But we have got the best of all, Our darling, dear old Mar!

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ΙV Then let us hope and always pray That full many a year may pass, Before we have a vacant chair, Long side the apple-soss: For search we may through tale and song, We'll never find another, With so many virtues all in one, As are found in our sweet mother.

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Bob's Poem