

Carol Of The Cobblers

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Bring the New Year in! Sing the New Year in!
Tap an' peg an' sew the leather, strong enough for winter weather:
Bring the New Year in.

Bring the New Year in! Sing the New Year in!
Ev'ry nail a thing of beauty; ev'ry stitch to do its duty:
Bring the New Year in

Bring the New Year in! Sing the New Year in!
See the work is neat an' natty; nothin' torn an' nothin' tatty:
Bring the New Year in

Bring the New Year in! Sing the New Year in!
Matters not what trade you follow; made for peasant or Apollo:
Bring the New Year in

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(S/A) Scythe or song or boots of leather; (T/B) make as if t' last forever:
Bring the New Year in

Bring the New Year in! Sing the New Year in!
(3/4) Close the door and light the candle; stop all work on shoe and sandal:
Bring the New Year in

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Tap an' peg an' sew the leather, strong enough for winter weather:
Bring the New Year in; Bring the New Year... in!!