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THE RECEEPROCATIN' MON

Oh! woesome one that saw the birth
O' turbine thochts in Parson's heid,
I weesh that I wis aff the earth
Or else the turbine men wer' deid.

I'm a receeprocatin' mon,
I luve tae hear the bearin' bump.
Or yet, the piston groan an' grunt
That's religated tae a pump.

This whurlligeelin' thing I hate,
For whatna guid is it tae dae?
Tae see the feersome thing gyrate
Gar's me puir stummick gang agley.

I widna care if it had ocht
Tae need a tender fitter's hand,
But it rins sae weil sin' it was bocht
I havna had tae slack a gland.

I hate the tribe of whurligeegs,
It's just a pinch o' steam, then seat:
I'm a receeprocatin' mon
I stan' or fa' wi' Jamie Watt.

(Chief Younger please note.)