

Roll Alabama Roll ^G(~~F~~)

When the Alabama's keel was laid

Roll Alabama Roll.

It was laid in the Yard of Jonathan Laird

Oh, Roll Alabama Roll.

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It was laid in the town of Birkenhead

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Down the Mersey way she roll'd then
She was Liverpool fitted with guns and men.

From the western isle she then sailed forth.
To destroy the commerce of the North.

To the Cherbourg Port she sailed one day
For to take her share of the price money.

And many a sailor lad saw his doom.
When the Yankee Kearsage hove in view.

Then a bullet from the forward pivot that day
Blew the Alabama's stern away.

Off the three mile limit in sixty-four
She sank to bottom of the ocean floor