





THE GRAND NATIONAL SONGSTER.



THOU ART GONE FROM MY GAZE.

IMOU art gone from my gaze, like a beautiful dream,

And I seek thee in vain by meadow and stream;

Oft I breath thy dear name to the winds floating by,

But thy sweet voice is mute to my bosom's love sigh.

In the stillness of night, when the stars mildly shine,

My heart fondly holds a communion with thine;

For I feel thou art near, and where'er I may be,

That thy spirit of love keeps a watch over me.

Of the birds in thy bow'r companions I

Ev'ry simple wild-flower do I | rize for thy sake;

The deep woods and dark wilds now a pleasure impart,

For their solitude suits my sad sorrowworn heart.

Thou art gone from my gaze, but I will not repine;

Ere long we shall meet in the home that's now thine

For I reel thou art near, and where'er I may be,

That thy s irit of love keeps a watch over me.

THE BOWER OF LOVE.

[Music-at Wybrow's.]

The bower of love, at moonlit hour, The bower of love for me; Where lutes are touch'd by ladies'

hands,

Under the gossamer tree; Where ladies' eyes out-glitter the

stars, And the gay dance chases the night

To the castanets' sound, And wine-cups round,

While the brook bubbles in beauty bright.

There joyful hearts with mine must throb,

No sorrow can linger near;

Where lips more sweet than perfum'd flow'rs

Solace the wanderer's tear; There, ladies' eyes more lovely shall seem

Than the glow-worm's golden light;

'Mid the castanets' sound, And wine-cups round,

While the brook bubbles in beauty bright.

OYSTERS, SIR.

[Music-at Wybrow's.]

Many a knight and lady gay Will stay me as I cry, While roaming through the streets each day,

My native oysters buy! I'll please you well with what I sell, Then mark my love-arch'd eye;

Pray buy of me, I all excel, My Milton oysters, buy.

Oysters, sir! oysters, sir! oysters, sir, I cry;
The finest native oysters that ever

you did buy.

My father was a seaman brave, No cares did him annoy, Until he sunk beneath the wave-Then farewell every joy!

Then I got bold, and oysters sold, And raised a cheerful cry,

Who'll buy of pretty Mary Anne? My native oysters, buy !

Oysters, sir! &c.

They squeeze my hand as they pass by, And call me pretty maid;

To this I only do reply,

According to my trade, I'll please you well with what I sell, And many an arch reply,

My oysters they are fresh and good, Will you be pleased to try?

Oysters, sir ! &c.

REST, WARRIOR, REST.

[Music-at Falkner's.]

He comes from the wars, from the red field of fight,

He comes through the storm and the darkness of night;

For rest and for refuge, now fain to implore,

The warrior bends low at the cot tager's door:

Pale, pale, is his cheek, there's a gash on his brow,

His locks o'er his shoulders distractedly flow;

And the fire of his heart shoots by fits from his eye,

Like a languishing lamp, that just flashes to die. Rest, warrior, rest.

Sunk in silence and sleep, in the cottager's bed,

Oblivion shall visit the war-weary head;

Perchance he may dream, but the vision shall tell

Of his lady-love's bow'r, and her latest farewell: Illusion and love chase the battle's

alarms, He shall dream that his mistress lies

lock'd in his arms; He shall feel on his lips the sweet

warmth of her kiss, Ah! warrior, wake not, such slumber is bliss !

Rest, warrior, rest.

HURRAH! FOR THE BONNETS OF BLUE.

[Music-at Wybrow's.]

Here's a health to them that's awa, Here's a health to them that's awa, And wha winna wish guid luck to our cause,

May never guid luck be their fa.

It's guid to be merry and wise, It's guid to be honest and true, It's guid to support Caledonia's cause, And bide by the Bonnets of Blue.

Hurrah! for the Bonnets of Blue, Hurrah! for the Bonnets of Blue, It's guid to support Caledonia's cause,

And bide by the Bonnets of Blue.

Here's a health to them that's awa, Here's a health to them that's awa, Here's a health to Donald, the chief of the clan.

Although that his band be sma. Here's freedom to him that wad read, Here's freedom to him that wad write, There's none ever fear'd that the truth should be heard,

But they whom the truth would in-

Hurrah! for the Bonnets of Blue, [&c.

THE LIGHT GUITAR.

[Music—at Leoni Lee's.]

Oh, leave the gay and festive scene,
The halls of dazzling light,
And rove with me through forests
green,

Beneath the silent night:
Then as we watch the ling'ring rays,
Which shine from every star;
I'll sing a song of happier days,
And strike the Light Guitar.
And strike, &c.

I'll tell thee how a maiden wept,
When her true knight was slain,
And how her broken spirit slept,
And never woke again;
I'll tell thee how the steed drew nigh,

I'll tell thee how the steed drew nigh, And left his lord afar; But if my tale should make thee sigh,

I'll strike the Light Suitar.
I'll strike, &c.

LOVE FROM THE HEART.

[Music-at Wybrow's.]

Yes, I will leave my father's halls, To roam along with thee; Adieu, adieu, my native walls! To other scenes we flee. There we will seek the silent glade

There we will seek the silent glade, When we have strayed afar, And you shall play, my dearest maid,

Songs on your light guitar.

Love, gentle love, shall be our guide, To a far distant land;

And, whether bliss or woe betide, This heart you shall command.

I'll tell you tales of older years, Of hapless love or war;

But should they cause you pearly tears,

Then sound our gay guitar.

RISE, GENTLE MOON.

[Music-at Leoni Lee's.]

Day has gone down on the Baltic's broad billow,

Evening has sigh'd her last to the lone willow;

The Baltic's broad billow, Evening has sighed her last to the lone willow;

Night hurries on, earth and ocean to cover,

Rise, gentle moon, and light me to my lover!

'Twas by thy beam he first stole forth to woo me,

Brighter since then hast thou ever seem'd to me;

First stole forth to woo me, Brighter since then hast thou ever seem'd to me,

Let the wild waves still the red sun roll over,

Thine is the light of all lights to a lover.

THE PILGRIM OF LOVE.

[Music—at D'Almaine and Co's.]

RECITATIVE.

Orynthia, my beloved, I call in vain! Orynthia! Orynthia! echo hears, and calls again.

A mimic voice repeats the name, around,

And with Orynthia all the rocks resound.

AIR.

A hermit who dwells in the solitudes cross'd me,

As wayworn and faint up the mountain I pressed;

The aged man paused on his staff to accost me,

And proffer'd his cell as my mansion of rest. Ah! nay, courteous father, onward I } rove,

No rest but the grave for the pilgrim of love.

For the pilgrim of love, for the pilgrim of love,

No rest but the grave for the pilgrim of love.

Yet tarry, my son, 'till the burning noon passes,

Let houghs of the lemon-tree shelter thy head;

The juice of ripe muscadel flows in my glasses,

And rushes fresh pulled for siesta are spread.

Ah! nay, courteous father, onward I rove,
No rest but the grave for the pilgrim

of love.

For the pilgrim of love, for the pilgrim of love,

No rest but the grave for the pilgrim of love.

THE SUN HIS BRIGHT RAYS,

[Music-at T. Williams's.]

The sun his bright rays may withhold, love,

Unreflected the moonbeam may be; But ne'er till this bosom be cold, love, Shall its pulse throb for any but thee.

For thou art the joy of my heart, love, All beauty thy beauties outvie;

And sooner than with thee I'd part, love,

Thy lover, thy husband, would die. And sooner than with thee I'd part, love,

Thy lover, thy husband would die. The spring's lovely verdure may

The spring's lovely verdure may turn, love,

To autumn's sad colourless hue:
The winter like summer may burn,
love,

Ere it cools my fond ardour for you. For thou art, &c.

L'YE BEEN ROAMING.

[Music-at Cramer and Co's.]

I've been roaming, I've been roaming,
Where the meadow dew is sweet,
And I'm coming, and I'm coming,
With its pearls upon my feet.
I've been roaming, &c.

I've been roaming, I've been roaming,
O'er the rose and lily fair,
And I'm coming, and I'm coming,
With their blossoms in my hair.
I've been roaming, &c.

I've been roaming, I've been roaming,
Where the honeysuckle creeps,
And I'm coming, and I'm coming,
With its kisses on my lips.
I've been roaming, &c.

I've been roaming, I've been roaming, Over hill and over plain, And I'm coming, and I'm coming, To my bower back again.

Over hill and over plain,
To my bower back again,
And I'm coming, and I'm coming,
To my bower back again.

O, MERRY ROW THE BONNY BARK.

[Music-at D'Almaine and Co's.]

O, merry row, O, merry row,
The bonnie, bonnie bark,
Bring back my love to calm my woe,
Before the night grows dark.
My Donald wears a bonnet blue,
A snow white rose upon it too,
A Highland lad is he;
Then merry row, O, merry row,

And bring him safe to me.

As on the pebbly beach I strayed,
Where rocks and shoals prevail,

I thus o'erheard a Lowland maid Her absent love bewail. A storm arose, the waves ran high, And dark and murky was the sky, The wind did loudly roar,

But merry rowed the bonnie bark, And brought her love ashore.

THE FAIREST FLOWER.

[Music-at Alexander Lee's.]

I have pluck'd the sweetest flower
I have dream'd in fancy's bower,
I have bask'd in beauty's eyes,
I have mingled melting sighs:
If all these sweets to hive,
I'm the guiltiest man alive.
But, gentle maids, believe
I never can deceive,
Nor cause your hearts to grieve,
With a sad heigho

But to raise in beauty's frame,
The burning blush of shame,
Or bid the tear to start,
Far be it from my heart;
Such base attempts I scorn,
To honour I was born;
Then, gentle maidens, spare
The heart you thus ensnare,
Or the willow I must wear,
With a sad heigho.

WHEN THY BOSOM HEAVES THE SIGH.

[Music-at D'Almaine and Co's.]

When thy bosom heaves the sigh, When the tear o'erflows thine eye, May sweet hope afford relief, Cheer thy heart and calm thy grief.

So the tender flow'r appears
Drooping wet with morning tears,
Till the sunbeams' genial ray
Chase the heavy dew away.

MEET ME BY MOONLIGHT.

[Music—at Chappell's.]

Meet me by moonlight alone,
And then I will tell you a tale
Must be told by the moonlight alone,
In the grove at the end of the vale.
You must promise to come, for I said
I would show the night flowers
their queen;

Nay, turn not away that sweet head, 'Tis the loveliest that ever was seen. Oh! meet me by moonlight alone.

Daylight may do for the gay,

The thoughtless, the heartless, the
free,

But there's something about the moon's ray

That is sweeter to you and to me.
Oh! remember, be sure to be there,
For, though dearly a moonlight I
prize,

I care not for all in the air,
If I want the sweet light of your
eyes.

So meet me by moonlight alone.

BLUE BONNETS OVER THE BORDER.

March, march, Ettrick and Tiviot-dale,

Why, my lads, dinna ye march forward in order? March, march, Eskdale and Liddes-dale,

All the blue bonnets are over the border.

Many a banner spread flutters above your head,

Many a crest that is famous in story; Mount and make ready then, sons of the mountain glen.

Fight for your King and the old Scottish glory.

Come from the hills where your hirzels are grazing,

Come from the glen of the buck and the roe;

Come to the crag where the beacon is blazing;

Come with the buckler, the lance, and the bow.

Trumpets are sounding, war steeds are bounding;

Stand to your arms and march in good order;

England shall many a day tell of the bloody fray,
When the blue bonnets came over

When the blue bonnets came the border.

KELVIN GROVE.

[Music—at Leoni Lee's.]

Let us haste to Kelvin Grove, honnie lassie, O,

Through its mazes let us rove, bonnic lassie, O,

Where the rose in all its pride, Decks the hollow dingle's side, Where the midnight fairies glide, bonnie lassie, O.

We will wander by the mill, bonnie lassie, O,

To the cave beside the rill, honnie lassie, O,

Where the glens rebound the call Of the lofty waterfall,

Through the mountain's rocky hall, bonnie lassie, O.

Then we'll up to yonder glade, bonnie lassie, O,

Where so oft beneath its shade, bonnie lassie, O,

With the songsters in the grove, We have told our tale of love, And have sportive garlands wove,

bonnie lassie, O.

Ah! I soon must bid adieu, bonnie lassie, O,

To this fairy scene and you, bonnie lassie, O,

To the streamlet winding clear, To the fragrant scented brier, E'en to thee, of all most dear, bonnie lassie, O.

For the frowns of fortune low'r, bonnie lassie, O,

On the lover at this hour, bonnie lassie, O,

Ere the golden orb of day Wake the warblers from the

From this land I must away, bonnie lassie, O.

And when on a distant shore, bonnie lassie, O,

Should I fall midst battle's roar, bonnie lassie, O, Wilt thou, Helen, when you hear

Of thy lover on his bier, To his memory shed a tear, bonnie lassie, O?

WITH MY VILLAGE FAIR.

[Music-at D'Almaine's.]

With my village fair No lass can compare,

For innocence and native grace; She boasts not of wealth, But the pure bloom of health Shines forth in her beautiful face.

Such a form ne'er was seen, As she trips o'er the green, And her heart's free from guile and

from shame; She lives near the mill, At the top of a hill,

But I don't mean to tell you her name. Her luxuriant hair,

So bewitchingly fair, As wantonly sports in the wind; Her mild beaming eye,

Like the blue of the sky, Is an emblem so pure of her mind. The sound of her voice

Makes my fond heart rejoice, My love! oh, what mortal can blame? She lives near the mill, &c.

The Lord and the Squire, Although they rank higher, Endeavour her favour to gain;

Let them try as they may, They still will have "Nay," And find all their labour in vain.

'Twas only last night, As we walked by moonlight, That she own'd she felt for me love's flame, She lives near the mill, &c.

THE PILOT.

[Music-at Leoni Lee's.]

Oh, Pilot! 'tis a fearful night, There's danger on the deep, I'll come and pace the deck with thea I do not dare to sleep. Go down! the sailor cried, go down. This is no place for thee; Fear not! but trust in Providence, Wherever thou may'st be.

Ah! Pilot, dangers often met, We all are apt to slight, And thou hast known these raging

But to subdue their might: It is not apathy, he cried, That gives this strength to me; Fear not! but trust in Providence Wherever thou may'st be.

On such a night the sea engulph'd My father's lifeless form; My only brother's boat went down In just so wild a storm; And such, perhaps, may be thy fate, But still I say to thee, Fear not! but trust in Providence, Wherever thou may'st be.

MACGREGOR'S GATHERING.

[Music—at Leoni Lee's.]

The moon 's on the lake, and the mist 's on the brae,

And the clan has a name that is nameless by day, Our signal for fight, which from

monarchs we drew,

Must be heard but by night in our vengeful halloo.

Then halloo, halloo, halloo, Gregalach!

If they rob us of name, and pursue us with beagles,

Give their roofs to the flames, and their flesh to the eagles, Then gather, gather, gather, Gregalach!

While there's leaves in the forest, { and foam on the river,

Macgregor, despite them, shall flourish for ever; Glenorchy's proud mountains, Col-

churn and her towers,

Glenstrae and Glenlyon no longer are ours,-

We're landless, landless, landless, Gregalach!

Through the depths of Loch Katrine the steed shall career, O'er the peak of Ben Lomond the

galley shall steer;

And the rocks of Craig Royston like icicles melt,

Ere our wrongs be forgot, or our vengeance unfelt.

COME WHERE THE ASPENS QUIVER.

[Music-at Alexander Lee's.]

Come where the aspens quiver, Jown by the flowing river, Bring your guitar, Bring your guitar, Sing me the songs I love,

Sing me of fame and glory, Sing of the poor maid's story,

When her true love must leave

Call'd to the holy war, Come where the aspens, &c.

Come to the wild rose bower, Some at the vesper hour, Bring your guitar, Bring your guitar, Sing me the songs I love. Sing of affection slighted, Sing me of fond hopes blighted,

Sing of the dewy flower, Sing of the evening star. Come where the aspens, &c.

MARCH TO THE BATTLE FIELD.

[Music-at T. Williams's.]

alarch to the battle field, The foe is now before us; Bach heart is freedom's shield, And heav'n is smiling o'er us. The woes and pains, the galling chains, Which kept our spirits under, In proud disdain we've broke again, And tore each limb asunder. March to the battle field, &c.

Who, for his country brave, Would fly from the invader? Who, his base life to save, Would, traitor-like, degrade her?

Our hallow'd cause, our home and laws,

'Gainst tyrant power sustaining, We'll gain a crown of bright renown, Or die our rights maintaining. March to the battle field, &c.

THE HUNTER'S HORN.

[Music-at Alexander Lee's.]

The hunter's horn the dogs are cheering,

To mountaineers a sound endearing; The silver lake is brightly gleaming; The mountain rill is gaily streaming; Haste then, my love, and come away, The signal is our native lay.

Fa, la, la!

But see the angry clouds propelling The snow-drift to our humble dwell-

The timid flock, with lowly bleating, Back to their sheltered fold retreating. Haste then, my love, and come away, The signal is our native lay.

La, la, la!

BAVARIAN GIRL'S SONG.

[Music—at Leoni Lee's.]

From Teutschland I came, with my light wares all laden,

To dear happy England, in summer's gay bloom;

Then listen, fair lady, and young pretty maiden,

Oh! buy, of the wand'ring Bavarian, a broom,

Buy a broom, buy a broom, Oh! buy, of the wand'ring Bavarian, a broom!

To brush away insects that sometimes annoy you,

You'll find it quite handy to use night and day,

And what better exercise, pray, can employ you,

Than to sweep all vexatious intruders away?

Buy a broom, buy a broom, &c.

Ere winter comes on, for sweet home soon departing,

My toils for your favour again I'll resume;

And while gratitude's tear in my { evelid is starting,

Bless the time that in England I cried, Buy a broom,

Buy a broom, buy a broom, Bless the time that in England I cried, Buy a broom.

MY NATIVE HIGHLAND HOME.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.]

My Highland home, where tempests blow,

And cold thy wintry looks, Thy mountains crown'd with driven snow,

And ice-bound are thy brooks! But colder far the Briton's heart, However far he roam,

To whom these words no joy impart, My native highland home!

Then gang wi' me to Scotland dear, We ne'er again shall roam; And with thy smiles, so bonny, cheer

My native highland home.

When summer comes, the heather bell

Shall tempt thy feet to rove, The cushet dove, within the dell, Invites to peace and love!

For blythesome is the breath of May, And sweet the bonny broom,

And blythe the dimpling rills that play

Around my highland home! Then gang wi' me, &c.

THERE IS A FLOWER. [Music—at Rotheram's.]

There is a flower which oft unheeded blows

Amidst the splendour of the summer ray,

And though this simple flower no sweets disclose,

Yet would it tell thee all I wish to say:

And when we're parted by the foaming sea,
And thou art heedless what may

be my lot,

I'll send that flower a messenger to thee,

And it shall whisper thus-Forget me not!

And when, retir'd from pleasure's giddy round, My wearied heart rests on itself

alone,

Thou'lt feel how vain the world's bright dreams are found,

How false the light by mirth's wild flashes thrown:

Then to thy mind if home in fancy rise,

And all the friends that circled that lov'd spot,

This flower may haply meet thy tearful eyes,

And whisper softly thus-Forget me not!

SWEET KITTY CLOVER.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.]

Sweet Kitty Clover, she bothers me

so, -Oh, oh, oh, Sweet Kitty Clover, she bothers me so, -Oh, oh, oh;

Her face is round, and red, and

Like a pulpit cushion, or redder than that;

Sweet Kitty Clover, she bothers me so,—Oh, oh, oh, Sweet Kitty Clover, she bothers me

so, -Oh, oh, oh!Sweet Kitty in person is rather low

-Oh, oh, oh, Sweet Kitty in person is rather low

-Oh, oh, oh, She's three feet high, and that

I prize, As just a fit wife for a man of

my size, Oh, sweet Kitty Clover, you bother

me so, -Oh, oh, oh, Yes, sweet Kitty Clover, you bother me so, -Oh, oh, oh.

Where Kitty resides, I'm sure to go, Oh, oh, oh,

Where Kitty resides, I'm sure to go,

--Oh, oh, oh; One moon-light night, ah me, what bliss,

Through a hole in the window she gave me a kiss;

Oh, sweet Kitty Clover, you bother me so, -Oh, oh, oh,

Oh, sweet Kitty Clover, you bother me so, -Oh, oh, oh;

If Kitty to kirk with me would go, -Oh, oh, oh,

If Kitty to kirk with me would go, -Oh, oh, oh;

I think I should never be wretched again,

If, after the parson, she'd say Amen;

Then Kitty would ne'er again bother
me so,—Oh, oh, oh,
No, Kitty would ne'er again bother
me so,—Oh, oh, oh.

OH! SAY NOT WOMAN'S HEARF IS BOUGHT.

[Music-at L. Lee's.]

Oh! say not woman's heart is bought With vain and empty treasure; Oh! say not woman's heart is caught By every idle pleasure. When first her gentle bosom knows

Love's flame, it wanders never; Deep in her heart the passion glows, She loves—and loves for ever.

Oh! say not woman 's false as fair, That like the bee she ranges; Still seeking flowers more sweet and

rare,
As fickle fancy changes.
Ah no! the love that first can warm,
Will leave her bosom never;
No second passion e'er can charm,
She loves—and loves for ever.

THE GALLANT TROUBADOUR. [Music—at Wybrow's.]

Glowing with love, on fire for fame, A Troubadour that hated sorrow, Beneath his lady's windows came, And thus he sung his last good morrow:

"My arm it is my country's right, My heart is in my true-love's bower; Gaily for love and fame to fight, Befits the gallant Troubadour."

And while he marched with helm on head,

And harp in hand, the descant rung, As faithful to his favourite maid,
The minstrel burthen still he sung:
"My arm it is my country's right,
My heart is in my lady's bower;
Resolved for love and fame to fight,

I come, a gallant Troubadour."

Even when the battle-roar was deep,
With dauntless heart he hew'd his
way,

'Mid splintering lance and falchion sweep,

And still was heard his warrior lay:
"My life it is my country's right,
My heart is in my lady's bower;
For love to die, for fame to fight,
Becomes the gallant Troubadour."

Alas! upon the bloody field,
He feil beneath the foeman's glaive;
But still, reclining on his shield,
Expiring, sung th' exulting stave:
"My life it is my country's right,
My heart is in my lady's bower;
For love and fame, to fall in fight,
Becomes the gallant Troubadour!"

O! SOFTLY SLEEP, MY BARY BOY.

[Music—at Chappell's.]
O! softly sleep, my baby boy,
Rock'd by the mountain wind;
Thou dream'st not of a lover false,
Nor of a world unkind.

O! sweetly sleep, my baby boy, Thy mother guards thy rest; Thy fairy clasp, my little joy, Shall soothe her aching breast.

Wake, wake, and smile, my baby boy, My heavy heart to cheer: The wint'ry blast howls on the hill, The leaf grows red and sear.

Oh! tell me, tell me, baby boy,
How shall I bear thy cry,
When hunger gnaws thy little heart,
And death lights on thine eye?

Oh! was it meet, my baby boy,
That thou such weird should dree?
Sweet Heav'n forgive thy father false,
His wrong to thee and me.

BE MINE, DEAR MAID.

[Music—at D'Almaine's.]
Be mine, dear maid, this faithful heart,
Can never prove untrue;
'Twere easier far from life to part,
Than cease to live for you.
Then turn thee not away, my love,
Oh! turn thee not away,

For, by the light of truth, I swear To love thee night and day. To love thee, &c.

The lark shall first forget to sing,
When morn unfolds the east,
Ere I by change, or coldness, wring
Thy fond confiding breast.
Then turn thee not away,
Oh! turn thee not away,
For, by the light of truth, I swear
To love thee night and day.
To love thee, &c.

THE GALE FRESHLY BLEW.

[Music-at Hawes's.]

The gale freshly blew o'er the wideswelling main,

And proudly the vessel danc'd through the white foam, And high beat my bosom 'twixt

pleasure and pain, When, ling'ring, I quitted my

dear native home.

Dear kindred and friends on the

shore were met,
And many a tear of love there

My glowing heart can ne'er for-

That first—that fond farewell!

Though distant the land, though ungenial each clime,

Which fate may compel me in turn to explore,

In fancy's blest dream I shall call back the time

When, sighing, I gaz'd on the fast fading shore.

And while for the scenes of my youth I burn, My memory with delight shall

dwell

(Till welcome smiles greet my return)
Upon that fond farewell!

THEY TELL ME SHE IS HAPPY NOW.

[Music-at Metzler's.]

They tell me she is happy now,
The fairest of the fair,
And o'er her bright and sunny brow
No sorrow lingers there.
Her light blue eyes have still the smile

Of joy and happiness, Such eyes as haunt us for awhile, In our rich dreams of bliss.

Her voice hath still the joyous tone Of gaiety and mirth,

So innocently sweet, that none Could think that voice of earth. From care and grief her bosom's free (At least they tell me so),

And tranquil as a moonlit sea, When no rude wind doth blow.

They tell me she is gay and light
As silver clouds above,
That glide along in sunshine bright,
Like fairy isles of love:

But oft beneath the sparkling eye, A fount of tears will sleep, And when no other gaze is nigh, In silence, then, will weep.

MY JAMIE, THOU WERT KIND TO ME.

[Music-at Ransford's.]

My Jamie! thou wert kind to me, When we were bairns together, And 'tis but right this hand should be

Thine ain, and that for ever!
But whilst 'tis press'd upon thy lips,
Oh, think ye frae this hour,
That where the bee the houey sips,
It leaves, unbroke, the flow'r.

Remember, that I leave my all,
And trust me to thy keeping;
And let whatever may befal,
I'm thine through joy or weeping.
Thro' weal or woe, whate'er betide,
The vow for aye I've taken,
That binds me ever to thy side,
Then leave me not forsaken.

My sisters gather round me now,
Their tears for me are falling;
I can but kiss each saddened brow,
For, Jamie, thou art calling.
I leave my happy home for thee,
The home we lov'd together:
For, Jamie, thou wert kind to me,
And I will love thee ever.

THERE'S BEAUTY IN THE DEEP.

[Music-at Lawson's.]

There's beauty in the deep—
There's beauty in the deep—
The wave is bluer than the sky;
And, though the light shine bright
on high,

More softly do the sea-gems glow,
That sparkle in the depth below.
The rainbow tints are only made,
When on the waters they are laid;
And sun and moon most sweetly
shine

Upon the ocean's level brine. There's beauty, &c.

There's music in the deep—
There's music in the deep—
It is not in the waves' wild roar,
Nor in the whisp'ring pebbly shore;
They are but earthy sounds, that tell
How little of the sea-nymph's shell,

That sounds its loud clear note abroad, Or winds its softness thro' the flood, Thro' echo'd groves of coral gay, And dies, on mossy banks, away. There's music, &c.

There's quiet in the deep—
There's quiet in the deep—
Above, let tides and tempests rave,
And earth-born whirlwinds wake the

Above, let care and fear contend With sin and sorrow to the end—Here, far beneath the tainted foam, That frets above our peaceful home, We dream in joy, and wake in love, Nor know the rage that yells above.

There's quiet, &c.

THE KING OF THE LYRE.
[Music—at Jefferys and Nelson's.]
Come, drink to the King of the Lyre,
Come, bow to his magical sway,
For his is the true attic fire,

That can only with nature decay; He has won all the gems from the

Earth and ocean have yielded their store,

Till his brow is as bright as the shrine That the worshipping pilgrims adore.

Come, drink, &c.

When he comes, in the pride of his

To wake all the echoes of earth, He sweeps, like, a meteor, along, From the cloud of its mystical birth.

Oh, he is the wizard to weave
The spell of the magical tone;
He speaks, and we hardly believe
That he breathes the same tongue
as our own.

Come, drink, &c.

In the web his bright fancy has spun, He has mingled the hues of the skies.

And his metaphors glow, like the sun,

In the depth of their beautiful dyes;

Like the strains of his own lovely isle

He mixes the sad with the gay, He can rainbow our hearts with a smile,

Or melt them, in softness, away! Then drink, &c. THE PILOT'S GRAVE.

[Music-at B. Williams's.]

Trust not the wave, my only boy,
Go where thou wilt beside,
Though winds be hush'd, and blue
the sky,

Yet danger will betide:
Thy father was a Pilot bold,
And skill'd, well skill'd to save,
Yet 'neath the wild blue waters cold
Was all the Pilot's Grave.

What tho' thy bark's career may be Swift as the eagles' flight, From lightning canst thou hope to flee,

Or tempest black as night?
No honour gain'd can aid thee then,
Nor valiant arm can save—

How many Britain's bravest men Have shar'd the Pilot's Grave!

I know thee daring as thy sire,
As thou his look dost wear,
Thine eye beams forth the same
keen fire,

And thine his raven hair:
Oh go not, lest his fate be thine.
Beneath the dark blue wave,
Think on the joys thou must resign,
Think on the Pilot's Grave!

LILIES OF THE VALLEY.

O'er barren hills and flow'ry dales.
O'er seas and distant shores,
With merry song and jocund tales,
I've pass'd some pleasant hours.
Tho' wand'ring thus I ne'er could
find

A girl like blithesome Sally, Who picks, and culls, and cries aloud, "Sweet lilies of the valley."

From whistling o'er the harrow'd turf,
From nestling in each tree,
I chose a soldier's life to wed,
So social, gay, and free:
Yet though the lasses love as well,

And often try to rally, None pleases me, like her that cries, "Sweet liles of the valley."

I'm now return'd (of late discharg'd)
To use my native toil,
From fighting in my country's cause,
To plough my country's soil:
I care not which (with either pleas'd)
So I possess my Sally,
The little merry nymph that cries,

"Sweet lilies of the valley."

YANKEE DOODLE.

America I've not left long,
Where I was called the darling
The pretty ladies all among,
For each knew Billy Barling.
As thro' the streets I chance to walk,
Some call out, There's a noodle!
Other folks would of me talk,
Saying, There goes Yankee Doodle.
Doodle doodle, &c.

The first I loved was Betty Wade, So tall and perpendicular, Her hair was black, in short, well made

In every particular.
She used to look at me and squint,
'Cause I was her loving noodle,
She gave to me a gentle hint,
She'd be Mrs. Yankee Doodle.
Doodle doodle, &c.

For Betty dear I used to pine,
She called me her dear Billy,
I've loved her too, a long, long time,
It's almost drove me silly;
I went to sup with her, oh, la,
Her tender loving noodle,
Behind the door 'twas there I saw,
A little Yankee Doodle.

Doodle doodle, &c.

To Lunnon town I made my way,
Where the lasses are so pretty,
I came by water all the way,
Unto fam'd Lunnon city;
A sailor jok'd me like a dog,
Saying there's a stupid noodle,
Says I, You knows you are a hog,
Then he wallop'd Yankee Doodle.
Doodle doodle, &c.

Quite strange I felt in Lunnon town, As you might well suppose, One gentleman he knocked me down, Another broke my nose. My pockets they turned inside out, Saying, There's a stupid noodle, Get up, they cried, you foolish lout, And robb'd poor Yankee Doodle. Doodle doodle, &c.

Three years in Lunnon town I've been,
I'm getting rather funny,
Unless some lady's heart I win,
With a pocket full of money;
One I found to suit my plan,
A widow called O'Roodle,
But she said she'd have a proper man,
And not a Yankee Doodle.

Doodle doodle, &c.

My money's gone all but ten pounds,
So back I must be going,
Of pleasure I've had many a round;
My wild oats I've been sowing.
Unless some pretty lady here,
Not like to Mrs. Roodle,
Will come and whisper in my ear,
I'll be Mrs. Yankee Doodle,
Doodle doodle, &c.

THE PILGRIM'S RETURN.

[Music—at D'Almaine and Co's.]

When the pilgrim returns from a far distant shrine,

To the home that he loves, as I

To the home that he loves, as I dearly love mine,

To the home that he loves,

As I dearly, I dearly love mine; Tho' way-worn, expiring, he sinks to the earth,

He sinks to the earth,
With rapture he'll cry, 'tis the land
of my birth!

To my own humble shed, like the pilgrim I turn, And if death be my lot, all its terrors I spurn:

I spurn:
And if death be my lot,
All its terrors I spurn;
And with ecstacy cry ere I sink to
the earth,
Ere I sink to the earth,
I at least find a grave in the land of

DINKS OF LIVE WAR

my birth!

BANKS OF ALLAN WATER.
[Music—at Chappell's.]

On the banks of Allan Water,
When the sweet spring time did fall,
Was the miller's lovely daughter
The fairest of them all.
For his bride a soldier sought her,
And a winning tongue had he,
On the banks of Allan Water,
None so gay as she.

On the banks of Allan Water,
When brown autumn spread its
store,
Then I saw the miller's daughter,

Then I saw the miller's daughter,
But she smil'd no more:
For the summer grief had brought
her,

And the soldier false was he; On the banks of Allan Water, None so sad as she. On the banks of Allan Water,
When the winter-snow fell fast,
Still was seen the miller's daughter,
Chilling blew the blast.
But the miller's lovely daughter,
Both from cold and care was free,
On the banks of Allan Water,
There a corpse lay she.

THE BOYS OF KILKENNY.

[Music-at Lonsdale's.]

The boys of Kilkenny are brave roaring blades,

And if ever they meet with the nice little maids,

They'll kiss 'em, and coax 'em, and spend their money free,

For of all the towns in Ireland, Kilkenny for me.

Fal de ral, &c.

In the town of Kilkenny there runs a clear stream,

In the town of Kilkenny there lives a fair dame;

Her lips are like roses, her mouth much the same,

Like a dish of sweet strawberries smother'd in cream. Fal de ral, &c.

Her eyes are as black as Kilkenny's large coal,

Which through my poor bosom have burnt a big hole.

Her mind, like its river, is mild, clear, and pure,

But her heart is more hard than is marble, I'm sure.
Fal de ral, &c.

Kilkenny's a pretty town, and shines where it stands,

And the more I think on it the more my heart warms, For if I was in Kilkenny I'd think

myself at home, For 'tis there I get sweethearts, but

For 'tis there I get sweethearts, but here I get none. Fal de ral, &c:

WHAT CAN A POOR MAIDEN DO?

[Music—at Cramer and Co's.] Were it not for these men, we should

ne'er do amiss, Nor papas nor mamas disobey; But, alas! when, with sighs, they demand but a kiss,

Why—what can a poor maiden say? She cries no—then cries hush, Then looks down with a blush,

While he swears to his vows he'll be true;

And with one by your side, Who will not be denied—

Why—what can a poor maiden do?

While they guess there's a heart pleading for them within,
'Tis in vain that our lips tell them nay:

For, alas! if they once are determined to win—

Why—what can a poor maiden say? She cries no—with a blush, He persists, she cries hush;— If she fly, still these lovers pursue;

Though the men we may fear, Yet, without them, oh, dear! Why—what can a poor maiden do?

I WANT MONEY.

I want money, I want money, thinking makes me very funny,
I want money, I want money, thinking makes me very funny
Once I lov'd a pretty maid,
But to court her was afraid,
She was a vixen I found out,
At me she'd leer, and jeer, and flout,
'Cause I want money, &c.

One night I went to meet my love, Says I, my sweet, my turtle dove; Then what d'ye think she said to me, Why hang yourself or go to sea, 'Cause you want money, &c.

I thought that ere was rather rum, So says I to her, good night, mum: Then home I went as I should seem, To bed I got and dream'd a dream, That I had money, &c.

When I waked, I found myself, I look'd about, but found no pelf, And then I did, without much stir, see I'd only been in the arms of Murphy, 'Cause I want money, &c.

Next week I heard my uncle was A stiff stone corpse, and that is poz, To see him, then, I set about, When I got there, why I found out I had money, &c.

Joung men who love the ladies dear, A good long purse be sure to wear, When they find that you've got cash. Then they'll cut a mighty flash, With your money, &c.

MY OWN BLUE BELL.

[Music—at Alexander Lee's.]

My own blue bell, my pretty blue bell,

I never will rove where roses dwell: My lips you view, of your own bright hue,

And oh, never doubt that my heart's true blue.

Though oft, I own, I've foolisbly flown

To peep at each bud that was newly blown,

I now have done with folly and fun, For there's nothing like constancy under the sun.

My own blue bell, &c.

Some belles are blues, invoking the

And talking of vast intellectual views; Their crow-quill's tip in the ink they

And they prate with the lore of a learned lip;

Blue belles like these may be wise as they please,

But I love my own blue bell that bends in the breeze;

Pride passes her by, but she charms my eye,

With a tint that resembles the cloudless sky.

My own blue bell, &c.

THE LADS OF THE VILLAGE.

[Music—at Jefferys & Nelson's.] While the lads of the village shall

merrily, ah, Sound their tabors, I'll hand thee along,

And I say unto thee, that merrily, ah, Thou and I will be first in the throng.

While the lads, &c.

Just then, when the youth who last year won the dower, And his mate shall the sports have begun,

When the gay voice of gladness resounds from each bower,

And thou long'st in thy heart to make one.

While the lads, &c.

Those joys that are harmless what mortal can blame?

'Tis my maxim that youth should be free;

And, to prove that my words and my deeds are the same, Believe thou shalt presently see.

While the lads, &c.

REAL HAVANNAH.

[Parody on "Love's Ritornella."]

Real Havannah! precious cigar! Gentle as manna, bright as a star; Pleasant at fireside, cheery on road, Best of all perfumes at home or abroad;

Real Havannah! Puff away care-Blow my misfortunes Into thin air.

Real Havannah! O, who would dare, Meerschaum or hookah with thee to compare?

When thy bright tip any mortal may

Thou art his choice, and a smoker is

Real Havannah, &c.

Real Havannah! primest of stuff, Sell me no humbug, vender of snuff; Think not on me you can cut any jokes,

'Tis Toper Thomas himself who now smokes;

Real Havannah, &c.

BOUND 'PRENTICE TO A COASTING SHIP.

Bound 'prentice to a coasting-ship I weather'd many a gale,

But, bless your heart, I never know'd no fear;

And to treat my pretty Sue on shore to foreign climes I'd sail,

Where I learnt to box the compass, tipple grog, hand reef,

[Spoken.] Box the compass !aye, that's one of the first accom

plishments a British sailor has to larn. Lord love you! it comes as ABC. — N. by E. N.N.E. N.E. by N.N.E. N.E. by E. E.N.E. E. by N.E.

And sing-Ri tol, &c.

When sailing to Spitzbergen, or crossing of the line,

The cold or heat was all as one to. Mike;

For lubberly enjoyments he was never known to pine, Nor in a close engagement to an

enemy he'd strike.

[Spoken.] But sing-no, d-n it, we could not sing! the lee-scuppers were drenched, and too many brave fellows have lost the number of their mess, and gone to Davy Jones's locker. Never mind - chance of war! we must all slip our cable some time or other, as our chaplain says; so to it we goes—we tip it her as hot as she can sup it! - Another broadside, my boys! - My eyes, what a crash !- her mainmast's gone by the board ! - the lubbers cry peccavi ! we grapple, and tow her into port !-I mount the main chain for soundings, heaves the lead under the lee bow, catches its dip upon the quarter, and sings out, "By the mark, seven."-And sing-

Ri tol, &c.

But when the war 's concluded, and lots of cash in store.

No one can say they ever knew him flinch;

But full of fun and frolic, among his friends on shore,

He'il prove himself, in peace or war, a sailor, every inch.

[Spoken.] Well, we goes ashore, and there we sees the beach lined with pretty girls, ready to receive us; I spies my Sue among them, with tears in her eyes, upon the look - out for her weather - beaten Will. What cheer, my lass? how does the land lay? We rushes into each other's arms. D-n me, there is a go! what signifies a parcel of palaver about happiness and that ere-can any thing equal a return to the girl we love after a long absence? so we steers into the first grog shop -the bowl goes round-Old Scrape tunes his fiddle in the corner-Sue axes me for that ere old hornpipe

what I've danced a thousand times -I consents; and off I goes, for the honour of Old England and the dear girl I love. And sing-

Ri tol, &c.

RETURN, O! MY LOVE.

[Music - at D'Almaine & Co's.]

Return, O! my love, and we'll never, never, part,

While the moon her soft light shall shed,

I'll hold thee fast to my virgin heart, And my bosom shall pillow thy head.

The breath of the woodbine is on my lip,

Empearl'd in the dews of May, And none but thou of its sweetness shall sip,

Or steal its honey away, No, no, no, never no, Or steal its honey away.

Return, O! my love, and we'll never, never, part,

While the moon her soft light shall shed,

I'll hold thee fast to my virgin heart, And my bosom shall pillow thy head,

Yes, yes, And my bosom shall pillow thy head.

THE DASHING WHITE SER-JEANT.

If I had a beau, for a soldier who'd

Do you think I'd say no? - Oh, no, not I!

When his red coat I saw, not a sigh would it draw,

But I'd give him 'éclat' for his bravery! .

If an army of Amazons e'er came in play,

As a dashing white serjeant I'd march away!

When my soldier was gone, d'ye think I'd take on,

Sit moping forlorn? No, no, not I! His fame my concern, how my bosom would burn,

When I saw him return crown'd with victory!

If an army of Amazons e'er came in }

As a dashing white serjeant I'd march away.

OH! WHY DID I GATHER. [Music-at D'Almaine and Co's.]

Ah! why did I gather this delicate flower,

Why pluck the young bud from the tree?

'Twould there have bloom'd lovely for many an hour,

And how soon will it perish with me!

Already its beautiful texture decays, Already it fades on my sight;

Tis thus that chill rancour too often o'erpowers

The moments of transient delight. When eagerly pressing enjoyments

too near, Its blossoms we gather in haste; How oft thus we mourn with a penitent tear,

O'er the joys which we lavish'd in waste;

This elegant flower, had I left it at

Might still have delighted my eyes; But pluck'd prematurely, and plac'd in my breast,

It languishes, withers, and dies.

THE MERRY MOUNTAIN HORN.

[Music-at D'Almaine and Co's.]

Come, my gallant soldier, come!
Leave the proud embattled field,
Shrilly fife and rolling drum,
All the pleasures war can yield.
Quickly come—again behold
The happy land where thou wert

born,
And hear its music, sweet and bold,
The merry mountain horn.

The merry mountain horn.
Yhueio—eio—yhu!

In thy native valley fine,
Far away from pomp or pow'r,
Constant love and peace of mind,
Here in bright affection's bow'r.
Quickly come—again behold
The happy land where thou wert
born.

And hear its music sweet and bold, The merry mountain horn.

Yhueio-eio-yhu!

HOME, SWEET HOME.

[Music-at D'Almaine and Co's.]

'Mid pleasures and palaces though we may roam,

we may roam,
Be it ever so humble, there's no
place like home;

A charm from the skies seems to hallow it there,

Which, go through the world, you will not meet elsewhere.

Home, home, sweet home!

There is no place like home.

There is no place like home.

An exile from home, pleasure dazzles in vain,

Ah! give me my lowly thatched cottage again;

The birds singing sweetly, that came to my call,—

Give me them, and that peace of mind, dearer than all. Home, home, &c.

HAD I A HEART FOR FALSE-HOOD FRAMED.

[Music—at Walker and Son's.]
Had I a heart for falsehood framed,
I ne'er could injure you;
For though your tongue no promise

claimed,
Your charms would make me true;
To you no soul shall bear deceit,
No stranger offer wrong,

But friends in all the aged you'll meet,
And lovers in the young.

But when they learn that you have blest

Another with your heart, They'll bid aspiring passion rest, And act a brother's part; Then, lady, dread not here deceit,

Nor fear to suffer wrong, For friends in all the aged you'll meet,

And lovers in the young.

THE BAY OF BISCAY O! [Music-at Z. T. Purday's.]

Loud roar'd the dreadful thunder!
The rain a deluge showers!
The clouds were rent asunder
By lightning's vivid powers!
The night, both drear and dark,
Our poor devoted bark,
Till next day, there she lay,

In the Bay of Biscay, O!

Now, dashed upon the billow,
Her op'ning timbers creak;
Each fears a wat'ry pillow,
None stop the dreadful leak!
To cling to slipp'ry shrouds,
Each breathless seaman crowds,
As she lay, till the day,
In the Bay of Biscay. O!

At length the wished-for morrow
Broke through the hazy sky;
Absorbed in silent sorrow,
Each heaved the bitter sigh;
The dismal wreck to view,
Struck horror to the crew,
As she lay, on that day,
In the Bay of Biscay, O!

Her yielding timbers sever,
Her pitchy seams are reut;
When Heaven, all-bounteous ever,
Its boundless mercy sent!
A sail in sight appears,
We hail her with three cheers!
Now we sail, with the gale,
From the Bay of Biscay, O!

TIPITYWICHET.

This morning very handy,
My malady was such
I in my tea took brandy,
But took a cup too much.
(Hiccups) tol de rol.

But stop, I mus'nt mag hard,
My head aches, if you pleas
One pinch of Irish blackguard
I'll take to give me ease.
(Sneezes) tol de rol.

Now I'm quite drowsy growing,
For this very morning,
I rose when cock was crowing,
Excuse me if I yawn.
(Yawns) tol de rol.

I'm not in cue for frolic,
Can't up my spirits keep,
For love's a windy cholic,
'Tis that which makes me weep,
(Cries) tol de rol.

I'm not in mood for crying, Care's a silly calf, If to get fat you're trying, The only way's to laugh. (Laughs) tol de rol.

HOPE TOLD A FLATTERING TALE.

[Music-at Leoni Lee's.]

Hope told a flatt'ring tale,
That joy would soon return,
Ah! nought my sighs avail,
For Love is doom'd to mourn.

Oh! where's the flatt'rer gone? From me for ever flown, The happy dream of love is o'er, And life, alas! can charm no more.

LOVE AMONG THE ROSES.

Young love flew to the Paphian bow'r, And gather'd sweets from many a flow'r,

From roses and sweet jessamine, The lily and the eglantine. Young love, &c.

The Graces they were culling posies,
The Graces, &c.

And found young Love among the roses.

O happy day! O joyous hour! Compose a wreath of ev'ry flow'r; Let's bind him to us ne'er to sever, Young Love shall dwell with us for ever.

Eternal Spring the wreath composes, Content is Love among the roses. Young Love, &c.

TELL ME MY HEART.

[Music—at D'Almaine and Co's.]

Tell me, my heart, why morning prime

Looks like the fading eve?

Why the gay lark's celestial chime
Shall tell the soul to grieve.
The heaving bosom seems to say,
Ah! hapless maid, your love's away.
Your love's, &c.

Tell me, my heart, why summer's

A wint'ry day beguiles;
Why Flora's beauties seem to blow.
And fading nature smiles,
Some zephyr whispers in my ear,
Ah! happy maid, your love is near.
Some zephyr, &c.

I HAVE FRUIT, I HAVE FLOWERS.

[Music-at Chappell's.]

I have fruit, I have flow'rs,
That were gather'd in the bow'rs,
Amid the blooming hills so high, so
high:

I have fruit, I have flow'rs,
The daughters of the show'rs,
Of the dews and the rills, will you
buy?

I've a young nightingale,
That by moonlight in the vale,
So fondly to a rose his love did sigh;
I stole within their bow'r,
Caught the silly bird and flow'r;

Will you buy the pretty lovers, will you buy?

I have fruit, &c.

CHERRY RIPE.

[Music-at Willis's.]

Cherry ripe, cherry ripe, ripe I cry; Full and fair ones come and buy. Cherry ripe, &c.

> If so be you ask me where They do grow, I answer, there, Where my Julia's lips do smile, There's the land or cherry isle. Cherry ripe, &c.

Where the sunbeams sweetly smile,
There's the land or cherry isle.
There plantations fully show,
All the year where cherries grow.
Cherry ripe, &c.

MERRY I'VE BEEN, AND MERRY I'LL BE.

[Music-at Alexander Lee's.]

I can never be sad while the world is so bright,

With its sunbeams by day, and its stars in the night.

There's pleasure for me in the tranquil blue sky,

And a sport in the stream that runs merrily by.

I can never be sad, while the world is so bright, With its sunbeams by day, and its

stars in the night.

Then ladies, ladies, imitate me,

Merry I have been, and merry
I'll be.

I can never be sad when I see the green trees,

As they wave to and fro when at play with the breeze;

There's a pleasure for me in the tranquil blue sky,

And a sport in the stream that runs merrily by.

I can never be sad, while the world is so bright,

With its sunbeams by day, and its stars in the night.

Then ladies, ladies, imitate me, Merry I have been, and merry I'll be.

MEET ME TO NIGHT.

[Music-at Cramer & Co's.]

Meet me to-night in the path which lies

By the side of the woodland hollow,

The moon will have open'd her silvel eyes,

And tell thee which way to follow.

And tell thee, &c.

Then tripping along to thy footsteps' sound,

Thy lip to thy heart will be humming,

If thy glance for a moment turn around,

'Twill assure thee, love, I'm coming.

Meet me to-night, &c.

O, do not fear, do not fear, not a

tone will break
On earth or in air, on earth or in
air that can chide thee,

If a lonely rose perchance to awake, 'Twill droop its bloom beside thee.

Meet me to-night, &c.

THE ROSE WILL CEASE TO BLOW.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.]

The rose will cease to blow,
The eagle turn a dove,
The stream will cease to flow,
Ere I will cease to love.

The sun will cease to shine,
The world will cease to move,
The stars their light resign,
Ere I will cease to love.

THE PLAIN GOLD RING.

[Music—at T. Williams's.]

He was a knight of low degree, A lady high and fair was she; She dropp'd a ring-he rais'd the

'Twas rich as eastern diadem ;-"Nay, as your mistress' trophy take The toy, when next a lance you break."

He to the tournay rode away. And bore off glory's wreath that day. And bore, &c.

How did his ardent bosom beat, When hastening to that lady's feet, The ring and wreath he proudly laid, "Oh! keep the ring," she softly said. "A ring so rich I may not wear, Howe'er return a gift so rare." "Dear youth, a plain gold ring," she sigh'd, "From you, were worth the world

beside."

From you, &c.

THE CHIMES OF ZURICH.

[Music-at Leoni Lee's.]

The sun his parting ray had cast, O'er verdant hills and dells, And o'er the lake sweet music pass'd From Zurich's evening bells. Wild birds were singing, Flow'rets were springing,

Sweet chimes were ringing, I hear them yet; Sweet ev'ning chimes,

Sweet evening chimes, I can ne'er forget.

The shades of eve were on the wave, And twilight's fairy dells, Whilst echo answer'd from her cave Those distant evening bells: Wild birds were singing,

Flow'rets were springing, Sweet chimes were singing, I hear them yet,

Sweet ev'ning chimes, Sweet ev'ning chimes, I can ne'er forget.

LOVE WAS ONCE A LITTLE BOY.

[Music-at Chappell's.] Love was once a little boy, Heigho! heigho!

Then with him 'twas sweet to toy, Heigho! heigho! He was then so innocent, And not, as now, on mischief bent,

Free he came, and harmless went, Heigho! heigho!

Love is now a little man, Heigho! heigho! And a very saucy one, Heigho! heigho!

He walks so stiff, and looks so smart, As if he own'd each maiden's heart; I wish he felt his own keen dart, Heigho! heigho!

Love will soon be growing old, Heigho! heigho! Half his life's already told, Heigho! heigho! When he's dead, and buried too,

What shall we poor maidens 29? I'm sure I cannot tell-Com jou? Heigho! heigho!

THE LITTLE BLIND BOY.

I saw (what seem'd) an artless child, With wings and bow, and aspect mild, Who sobb'd, and sigh'd, and pin'd;

And begg'd I would some boon bestow

On a poor little boy, stone blind. And begg'd, &c.

Not aware of the danger too soon I complied;

For exulting then the urchin cried, And drew from his quiver a dart; " My pow'r you soon, you soon shall

know," And wounded me right in the heart.

"My power," &c.

YOUNG SUSAN HAD LOVERS.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.]

Young Susan had lovers so many that she

Hardly knew upon which to decide;

They all spoke sincerely, and promised to be

So worthy of such a sweet bride. In the morning she'd gossip with William, and then

The noon would be spent with young Harry;

The evening with Tom, so amongst all the men,

She never could tell which to marry.

Heigho! I'm afraid

Too many lovers will puzzle a maid.

Now William grew jealous, and so went away-

Harry got tired of wooing;

And John, having teas'd her to fix on the day,

Received but a frown for so doing. So amongst all her lovers, quite left in the lurch,

She pin'd ev'ry night on her pillow;

And meeting a pair one day going to church,

Turn'd away, and died under a willow.

Heigho! I'm afraid,

Too many lovers will puzzle a maid.

BID ME DISCOURSE.

[Music-at D'Almaine and Co's.]

Bid me discourse, I will enchant thine ear,

Or like a fairy trip upon the green ; Or, like a nymph with bright and flowing hair,

Dance on the sands, and yet no footing seen.

BLACK EYED SUSAN. [Music-at Leoni Lee's.]

All in the Downs the fleet was moored,

The streamers waving in the wind, When black-eyed Susan came on board,

"Oh! where shall I my true-love find?

Tell me, ye jovial sailors, tell me true,

If my sweet William sails among your crew?

William, who high upon the yard, Rock'd by the billows to and fro,

Soon as her well-known voice he heard,

He sigh'd, and cast his eyes below,

The cord glides swiftly through his glowing hands,

And, quick as lightning, on the deck he stands.

So the sweet lark, high poised in air, Shuts close his pinions to his breast,

If, chance, his mate's shrill call he hears,

And drops at once into her nest. The noblest captain in the British fleet

Might envy William's lips those kisses sweet.

"Oh, Susan! Susan! lovely dear, My vows shall ever true remain, Let me kiss off that falling tear,

We only part to meet again. Change as ye list, ye winds! my heart shall be

The faithful compass that still points to thee.

"Believe not what the landsmen say, Who tempt, with doubts, thy constant mind:

They tell thee, sailors, when at sea, In every port a mistress find!

Yes, yes, believe them when they tell thee so,

For thou art present wheresoe'er I go.

"If to far India's coast we sail, Thine eyes are seen in diamonds bright; Thy breath is Afric's spicy gale,

Thy skin is ivory so white: Thus every beauteous object that I view

Wakes in my soul some charm of lovely Sue.

"Though battle calls me from thy

Let not my pretty Susan mourn, Though cannons roar, yet, safe from harm,

William shall to his dear return; Love turns aside the balls that round me fly,

Lest precious tears should drop from Susan's eye."

The boatswain gave the dreadful word,

The sails their swelling bosoms spread;

No longer must she stay on board,-They kiss'd-she sigh'd-he hung his head;

Her less'ning boat unwilling rows to land, "Adieu!" she cried, and wav'd her

lily hand.

O! NEVER FALL IN LOVE.

[Music-at Alexander Lee's.]

Fall not in love, dear girls, beware, O, never fall in love, Better lead apes—you know where,

Than ever fall in love;

For men, their ends to gain, Are cruel when most kind, Their tears are false as rain,

Their tears are laise as rain,
Their vows are only wind.
And if you say them no,

They swear their hearts are broke,

Yet, when half dead with woe, How nice and plump they look!

Fall not in love, &c.

Fall not in love, dear girls, beware,

O, never fall in love, Better lead apes—you know where,

Than ever fall in love;
For if a rake you wed,
For better or for worse,
When honey-moons are fled,
O, how he'll squeeze your

purse.

And if you scold all night,
Quite easy, by the bye,
Your husband, grown polite,
Snores most melodiously!
Fall not in love, &c.

TELL ME WHERE IS FANCY BRED.

[Music-at Cramer & Co's.]

Tell me where is fancy bred,
Or in the heart, or in the head;
How begot, how nourished?
Reply, reply.

It is engendered in the eyes; With gazing fed; and fancy dies In the cradle, where it lies.

Let us all ring fancy's knell: I'll begin it—ding dong dell.

MYNHEER VON DUNCK.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.]

Mynheer Van Dunck, Tho' he never got drunk,

Sipp'd brandy and water gaily; And he quench'd his thirst With two quarts of the first,

To a pint of the latter, daily.
Singing, Oh that a Dutchman's
draught could be
As deep as the rolling Zuyder Zee.

Water well mingled with spirits, good store,

No Hollander dreams of scorning; But of water alone he'll drink no more

> Than the rose supplies, When the dew-drop flies,

As it blooms on a summer's morning.

A Dutchman's draught should potent be,

As deep as the rolling Zuyder Zee.

THE BIRD IN YONDER CAGE CONFINED.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.

The bird in yonder cage confined Sings but to lovers young and true, Then pray approach, if you can find The picture suits—ah, no, not you.

Good nature only wakes the lay, A father kind the feat may do; Then, pray approach, if you can say The picture suits—ah, no, not you.

MY LOVE'S LIKE THE DEER.

[Music—at D'Almaine & Co's.]

My love 's like the deer in the forest that skip,

Like the bright coral's hue are his cheek and his lip;

His spirit sits by me at night when I sleep,

But when I awake, it is gone! and I weep.

I love him, oh! how I love him!

But his bride, his own bride, I never shall be,

He loves, but I'm wretched — he loves not me;

When he 's near me, I'm sad, and I wish him away,

And when he is gone, I could bless him to stay.

I love him, oh! how I love him!

NOW HOPE, NOW FEAR.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.]

Now hope, now fear, my hosom rending,

Alternate bid each other cease; Soon shall death—my terrors ending, Calm each transient thought to peace. Hark! a murmuring sound repeating, Every stifled sigh I hear! What can set this bosom beating? Alas! 'tis mingled hope and fear!

Now they cease, this way retiring,
And all is awful silence round!
Ah! sure those notes, dear maid,
were thine,

The echoing sounds alone were mine;
'Tis her voice that meets my ear;
Say, where art thou — whose
voice I hear?

Oh, quickly speak, no longer roam, To give thee liberty I come.

Soft, love, 'tis I: relief is near; Where art thou now? — I am here:

This way, advance, and you are free,

This way, to life and liberty!

IS THERE A HEART.

[Music-at D'Almaine & Co's.]

Is there a heart that never loved,
Or felt soft woman's sigh?
Is there a man can mark, unmov'd,
Dear woman's tearful eye?

Oh! bear him to some distant shore, Or solitary cell,

Where none but savage monsters roar,
Where love ne'er deigned to dwell.

For there's a charm in woman's eye, A language in her tear, A spell in ev'ry sacred sigh,

To man—to virtue dear; ind he who can resist her smiles, With brutes alone shall live, For taste that joy which care be-

guiles, That joy her virtues give.

I SHOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO KNOW.

[Music-at Walker & Sons.]

As I walk'd last night
In the dim twilight,
Some one whisper'd soft and low,
Whisper'd soft and low,
What a pretty girl is she,
Now whoever this can be,
I should very much like to know,

I should very much like to know;
Whoever it was said so,
I should very much like to know,
I should very much like to know.

Last Valentine's day
Came a letter so gay,
With hearts above, around, and below,

With hearts above and below,—
"O, I love you, dearest maid,
But to tell you I'm afraid:"
Now, whoever so has said,
I should very much like to know, &c.

A gipsy in the wood
Said she 'd tell me something

Said she'd tell me something good,
For his name began with O,
His name began with O;

His name began with O;
And he'd surely marry me,
For it was his destiny;
Now, whoever this can be,
I should very much like to know,

Whose name began with O, I should very much like to know, &c.

WHERE SHALL THE LOVER REST.

[Music-at Wybrow's.]

Where shall the lover rest,
Whom the fates sever.
From his true maiden's breast
Parted for ever?

Where, through groves deep and high,

Sounds the far billow, Where early violets die, Under the willow, There shall be his pillow.

Where shall the traitor rest?
He, the deceiver,
Who could win the maiden's breast,
Ruin and leave her?
In the lost battle,

Borne down by the flying, Where mingles war's rattle With groans of the dying, There shall he be lying.

Her wing shall the eagle flap
O'er the false-hearted,
His warm blood the wolf shall lap
Ere life be parted;
Shame and dishonour sit,
By his grave ever,
Blessings shall hallow it
Never, O never.

BILLY LACKADAY.

Sure mortal man is born to sorrow, Grief to-day and grief to-morrow, Here I'm snubb'd, and there I'm rated,

Ne'er was youth so sitti-vated; There 's Mrs. Bell swears none shall nick her,

And if I steeps my nose in liquor, For ev'ry drop I take she charges, And our small ale's as sour as

Lackaday! oh, lackaday! Pity Billy Lackaday!

Oh! Susan scolds; and when I've heard her,

I dreams all night of love and murder:

I sighs and groans like any paviour, Forgetting all genteel behaviour. Miss Fanny, she has quite undone

Like any queen looks down upon

me,
And when I kneels to sue for marcy,
It does no good, but wicy warcy.
Lackaday! oh, lackaday!

Pity Billy Lackaday!

NO JOY WITHOUT MY LOVE.

Fly swift, ye Zephyrs,
Who waft the sighs of love,
Oh. say how I languish,
What pain for her I prove.

Fly swift, ye Zephyrs,
As fleet as fancy move,
Oh, tell all my anguish,
No joy without my love.

Oh, tell her, o'er my mind
She bears the softest sway,
Oh, tell her all my ardour,
My fondness all display.

And, if an ear she deign,
And if a smile reply,
Oh, haste to ease my pain,
And soothe my anxious sigh.

SCOTS, WHA HAE WI' WALLACE BLED.

[Music—at Wybrow's.]

Scots, wha hae wi' Wallace bled— Scots, wham Bruce has aften led— Welcome to your gory bed, Or to glorious victorie! Now's the day, and now's the hour, See the front of battle lower! See approach proud Edward's power! Edward! chains and slaverie!

Wha will be a traitor knave? Wha will fill a coward's grave? Wha sae base as be a slave?

Traitor! coward! turn and flee.

By oppression's woes and pains.
By your sons in servile chains!
We will drain our dearest veins,
But they shall, they shall be free:

Lay the proud usurpers low!
Tyrants fall in every foe!
Liberty's in every blow!
Forward!—let us do—or die!

THE KNIGHT OF THE GOLDEN CREST.

[Music-at T. Williams's.]

The banner wav'd on the castle walls 'Mid the shouts of a trusty band, When a knight return'd to his princely halls,

From the wars of the holy land. His lady left her harp, and stood To gaze on the smiling west,

Whence came a dark steed from the distant wood,

With her knight of the golden crest.

The silken scarf her true knight display'd,

Which in earlier days she wove, When he breath'd his vows in the twilight shade,

And was blest with her maiden love:

She welcom'd her lord with accents bland,

And the scarf to her lips she press'd,

And thought of the time when she gave her hand

To the knight of the golden crest.

I CANNOT MARRY KROUT.

[Music—at Alexander Lee's.] Excuse, sir, this intrusion, But I've thought it well about.

But I've thought it well about,
And I've come to this conclusion,
That I cannot marry Krout.

He does nothing, sir, but scold one, But scold one; He's old and ugly too, Old and ugly too, And as jealous as the old one, That is no offence to you. Excuse my agitation, But, indeed, sir, I've found out, After due consideration, That I cannot marry Krout,

I cannot marry Krout, &c.

Besides, sir, I discover, What alone should me deter, That there's another lover I should very much prefer. So handsome, sir, the rogue is, The rogue is, So merry, young, and true, Merry, young, and true, He laughs at all old fogies, That is no offence to you. Excuse my agitation, But indeed, sir, I've found out, After due consideration, That I cannot marry Krout,

've come to this conclusion,

That I cannot marry Krout.

THE MYRTLE AND ROSE,

The blue-bell, the myrtle, the rose, And lily, together I'll twine, And, with them, a garland compose, To offer at Beauty's bright shrine. Truth's emblem shall be the blue-

For Love have I gathered the rose; And-Oh! may the first ever dwell Where the leaves of the second unclose. And Oh! may the first, &c.

The lily is fairest of all, And therefore most valued must

So Virtue, this flower I'll call, And Beauty be it ever thee. The myrtle, wherever 'tis seen, In summer and winter the same, Can boast of its bright-tinted green, So call it by constancy's name, So call it by Constancy's, &c.

Love's rose, and Truth's ever blue bell,

The lilv, too, pure as the snow, With Constancy's myrtle should dwell, For ever, round Beauty's fair

brow.

Together then let them be twined In gladness about thy bright hair. For Flowers like these, tell, combin'd,

That Beauty's own emblems are there.

AULD LANGSYNE.

[Music-at Wybrow's.]

Should auld acquaintance be forgot, And never brought to mind; Should auld acquaintance be forgot, And days o' langsyne? For auld langsyne, my friend, For auld langsyne; We'll tak a cup o' kindness yet,

We twa hae run about the braes, And pu'd the gowans fine; But we've wander'd mony a weary fut Sin' auld langsyne. For auld langsyne, &c.

For auld langsyne.

We twa hae paidelt in the burn, When simmer days were prime, But seas between us braid hae roar'd Sin' auld langsyne.

For auld langsyne, &c. And there's a hand, my trusty friend, And gie's a hand o' thine,

And we'll toom the cup to friendship's growth,

And auld langsyne. For auld langsyne, &c.

And surely ye'll be your pint-stoup, As sure as I'll be mine, And we'll tak a right good willie

waught For auld langsyne.

For auld langsyne, &c.

THE GLASSES SPARKLE ON THE BOARD.

[Music-at Walker & Son's.] The glasses sparkle on the board, The wine is ruby bright, The reign of pleasure is restor'd, Of ease and fond delight. The day is gone, the night 's our own, Then let us feast the soul: If any pain or care remain, Why, drown it in the bowl.

This world, they say, 's a world of woe. But that I do deny; Can sorrow from the goblet flow,

Or pain from beauty's eye?

The wise are fools, with all their 5 His method of wooing, he hopes, none rules,

When they would joy control; If life 's a pain, I say again, Let's drown it in the bowl.

That time flies fast, the poet sings-Then surely it is wise

In rosy wine to dip his wings, And seize him as he flies.

This night is ours, then strew with flowers

The moments as they roll; If any pain or care remain, Why drown it in the bowl.

THE DEEP, DEEP SEA.

[Music-at Cramer and Co's.].

Oh! come with me, my love, And our fairy home shall be, Where the water-spirits rove In the deep, deep sea, In the deep, deep sea.

There are jewels rich and rare, In the caverns of the deep, And, to braid thy raven hair,

There the pearly treasures sleep, In a tiny man of war,

Thou shalt stem the ocean's tide, Or, in a crystal car, Sit a queen in all her pride.

Oh! come, &c.

Ah, believe that love may dwell Where the coral branches twine, And that a wreathed shell

Breathes a tone as soft as thine. Hopes as fond as thou would'st prove, Truth as bright as e'er was told,

Hearts as warm as those above. Dwell under the waters cold. Under the waters cold. Oh! come, &c.

WANTED, A SWEETHEART! [Music-at Tolkein's.]

Wanted, a sweetheart. - a genteel voung man,

In the first circles moving, would meet (if he can)

With a girl that is pretty, and playful, and fond.

And whose mood with his own will just correspond.

will slight,

As his whole time is otherwise taken up

His intentions are raised upon rectitude right,

And he's known "paper matches" to burn very bright.

Wanted a sweetheart! wanted a sweetheart!

Wanted, a sweetheart!—the applicant

Give positive proof that strict honour's his plan:

He hates selfish views, fix'd on interest alone,

Though the lady must property have of her own.

Because that his own expectations are great,

He would have a title, and perhaps an estate;

And only life's scene-(no fault but his

He happen'd to enter a little too late. Wanted, &c.

Wanted a sweetheart !-- ingenuous and plain,

The gentleman is, without idea of gain: And should fortune aid him to meet with a fair.

He bopes she'll have talent 'recherche' and rare;

His figure is slim (not so stout), rather fair-

In height rather tall-his walk 'militaire;'

Eyes blue and piercing-bright auburn his hair-

'A la Byron' he dresses-his neck and throat bare. Wanted, &c.

Wanted a sweetheart!-her hand must

be small;

Not petit her stature-nor thin-nor too small; Complexion will do, whether blonde or

brunette-

Though her hair he would rather be raven or jet;

Her eyes he insists must be darker than sloes-

A tint, as of heaven, their fires must disclose:

But though by her eyes he'll be led, (such as those)-

'Tis useless to think he'll be led by the nose! Wanted, &c. [J. BRUTON.

THE SAILOR'S TEAR.

[Music-at Wybrow's.]

He leap'd into his boat,
As it lay upon the strand;
But oh! his heart was far away,
With friends upon the land

With friends upon the land, He thought of those he lov'd the best,

A wife and infant dear,— And feeling fill'd the sailor's breast, The sailor's eye—a tear.

They stood upon the far-off cliff, And wav'd a kerchief white, And gaz'd upon his gallant bark, Till she was out of sight: The sailor cast a look behind, No longer saw them near,— Then rais'd the canvass to his eye, And wip'd away a tear.

Ere long o'er ocean's blue expanse
His sturdy bark had sped,
The gallant sailor from her prow
Descried a sail a-head.
And then he rais'd his mighty arm,
For Britain's foes were near;
Ay, then he rais'd his arm—but not
To wipe away a tear.

HOMAGE TO CHARLIE.

[Music-at Leoni Lee's.]

Sound the horn,
Hailing the morn,
Bonnie lad, march over muir and
furrow,

Through the glen, Earlie we'll ken

Who shall pay homage to Charlie to-morrow.

The colours are flying,
The foeman defying,
In triumph replying,
That freedom is near;
The war-pipes are sounding,
Brave hearts are all bounding,
With valour surrounding
The young chevalier.
Sound the horn, &c.

Though now we may sever, It may be for ever, From those we love, never Be ours the sad tear. Boldly we'll sally From hill and from valley, Round Charlie to rally, The young chevalier. Sound the horn, &c.

THE LADIES, GOD BLESS 'EM.

Oh, woman, dear woman, the charm of our life,

So beauteous they fill every scene, That whether as lover, companion, or wife,

They're lovely, and ever have been! And should the world's wrongs e'er perplex us in mind,

'Tis then that soft feelings possess 'em,

They're all that is lovely, so blooming and kind,

Here's a health to the ladies, God bless 'em,

God bless 'em, &c.

Come, fill me a bumper of Burgundy clear,

And this, aye, let this be the toast, Here's a health to the man who shall make it appear,

Next to life he loves woman the most!

May beauty and joy sweetly smile on each face,

And ev'ry soft feeling possess 'em, And while on this earth I have being or place,

I'll drink to the ladies—God bless 'em.

God bless 'em, &c.

THE LASS O' GOWRIE.
[Music—at Jefferys & Co's.]

Twa' on one simmer's afternoon, A wee before the sun gan down, My lassie in a bran nu gown

Cam o'er the hills to Gowrie;
The rose-bud tinged wi' morning shower

Bloom'd fresh within the sinny bower,

But my Kitty was the fairest flower That ever bloom'd in Gowrie.

I had na thought to do her wrong, When round her waist my arm I

And said, my lassie, will ye gang—
To view the crags o' Gowrie?
I'll tak ye to my father's hall,
In yon green fields beside the stream,
And mak ye lady o' them all,

The bonniest wife in Gowrie.
Soft kisses on her lips I laid,
The blush upon her cheeks soon spread,

She whisper'd modestly, and said, I'll gang wi' thee to Gowrie! NEWFOUNDLAND DOG.

YET deeper and deeper, & wilder the night,

I would morn were with us, and brought its glad light!

For my spirits they sink, so unearthly the shade,

I could lancy almost that my heart were a raid.

Good heavens, that cry! more keen than the sword,

How it thrills in my ear, 'A child overboard!'

Ho, Neptune! what Neptune-

There, you see him, I know, tho' I cannot see.

Hark! hark to that, boy! good fellow away!

You need not to track him the eye of the day.

He's gone at the word-how the squall comes down,

And the water's blacker grown at Heaven's angry frown;

Hush! hark! something seems in the gleams of the sky floating nigh.

Mark! all is dark.

Ha, good dog, do I see thee again? Heaven's will be done, still for ever—amen.

Quick, a light! ah, he breathes not—come hither.

So cold,—such sweetness to wither, Ah! Le maraurs, dear child— His blue eyes are opening—their

gaze it is wild.

Brave Neptune, good fellow! thou art gallant and true,

Was ever companion so faithful as you.

I AM THINE, ONLY THINE.

IN the heart's early dream,
In those fond days of youth,
When we are what we seem,
And love is all truth;
Oh, how oft hast thou sighed,
'Thou art mine, only mine,'
To a soul that replied,
'I am thine, only thine.'

When those days passed away
Still they left the delight
Of beholding their ray,
As intense and as bright,
As when first thy lips sighed
'Thou art mine, only mine,'
To a soul that replied:
'I am thine, only thine.'

REUBEN RAYNE.

WHEN I was stolen from my home,

And made a captive slave, They bound me with an iron chain I did for mercy crave;

All day I wept, at night I cried:
"Oh, send me back again

Unto my own dear happy home— To my poor Reuben Rayne. Oh, pity my poor Reuben Rayne, No friendly voice to cheer menow,

Oh, pity my poor Reuben Rayne, He'll never smile again."

They sold me to a Christian man, Who, weeping, pitied me. He loosed the cruel bondage yoke,

And kindly set me free.

But no, I could not Reuben find—
My own dear Reuben Rayne.

They told me he was dead and gone
And sleeping on the plain.

Then pity my poor Reuben Rayne, Deep sorrow broke his aching heart.

Then pity my poor Reuben Rayne, He'll never wake again.

All night I sat upon his grave, With anguish I did cry: 'Awake, awake, my love awake,

O let me with you die.

For in this wretched world of woe,

I ne'er shall rest again,

Until I'm sleeping by tny side, My own dear Reuben Rayne.

HER FORM WAS FAIR. HER form was fair as those we view When Night hath lit her shrine

of dreams;

Her eyes were violets bathed in dew, Her voice the music of the streams. That form hath perished like the bloom

Whose beauty's of unearthly root?
Those eyes are shrouded in the tombout The voice bath fled where all is mute.

And thus must beauty's self decay, And leave no trace of aught so fair:

Fleet as passing summer's ray,
Like fragrance on the morning air,
And shall the light no more illume
Those pale, and dim, and death
seal'd eyes?

Oh, yes, immortal from the tomb, The beautiful we love shall rise.

I'D BE A GIPSY.

I'D be a Gipsy, merry and free, Roving abroad like the bird or the

Nought to control me, sportive and wild,

All thro' the summer day free as a child.

What are the bright halls of splend. our and pleasure,

What are the saloons of the brilliant and gay?

They cannot render the life-given treasure,

That freedom and health to the rovers convey. I'd be a Gipsy, &c.

I'd be a Gipay, when the blue sky, Ting'd with the stars that shine brightly on high,

The turf for my pillow, and all the

night long, Lull'd to repose by the nightingale's song.

Roving all day where the merry band wander'd,

Telling the fate of the brave and the fair,

Shunning the world and the wealth that is squander'd;

With coin just enough to be free as the air. I'd be a Gipsy, &c.

A DAMSEL STOOD TO WATCH.

A DAMSEL stood to watch the fight On the banks of Kingslea Mere, And they brought to her feet her own true knight,

Sore wounded on a bier.

"O, let not," he said, "while yet I

The cruel foe me take,

But with thy lips one sweet kiss give And cast me in the lake."

About his neck she wound her arms And she kissed his lips so pale,

And ever more the war's alarms Came loudly up the vale;

She drew him to the lake's deep side.

Wherethe red heath fringed the shore,

She plunged with him beneath the tide,

And they were seen no more.

THE STOLEN CHILD.

ALONE on the heather a fair child was straying, Whose innocent features were

brightened with joy;

And as 'mid the flowershe careless was playing,

My heart yearned with love, and I spoke to the boy:

"Young stranger, whence art thou?" His blue eves upturning,

He answered, "My home is you tent on the plain;

And ere the eve closes I must be returning.
Or they will not let me roam.

hither again."

"Do thy parents await thee?" He paused, and the gladness

That mantled his brow was o'ershaded in gloom,

"I saw them but once;" and he added with sadness, "They tell me that both are

asleep in the tomb.

The gipsy is kind, but my mother was fonder,

She sang me so sweetly to rest in her arms;

But now she is gone, and her darling must wander

Though the soft words she whispered my bosom still warms.

"And soon will I seek them where both are reposing,

And take my best flowers to plant by their side,

That summer, when all their bright tints are unclosing, May bless the green turf with

their beauty and pride.' He bounded away, as my tears

were fast falling, To think how the gipsy such love

had beguiled;

I saw him no more, but the sad tale recalling,

I often remember the poor stolen child.

FAREWELL, THOU COAST OF GLORY.

FAREWELL thou coast of glory, Where dwelt my sires of yore; Their names, their martial story,

Your triumphed temple store.

Farewell! thou clime of beauty! Where blooms the maid I love; Fond thoughts in pleasing duty,

Around her ever rove.

FAREWELL TC THEE, LAND OF MY BIRTH.

FAREWELL to thee, land of my birth,

Farewell to thee, childhood's dear home;

All thy sweet charms 'mid sadness and mirth,

Will haunt me wherever I roam. Ties of affection now must be broken,

Links that have bound me many a year.

Oft as I gaze on ev'rv lov'd token, Fancy will ever waft me here

Farewell to thee, land of my birth, Farewell to thee, childhood's dear home;

All thy sweet charms, 'mid sadness and mirth,

Will haunt me wherever I roam. Night gathers round, deeper the

shade,
Valleys and hills fade with the

light, Sleep, gentle sleep, lend me thy

aid,
In dreams bring them back to
my sight;

What tho' I go where wealth is displaying

All its enchantment over the mind,
'Mid the gay halls my thoughts
will be straying

Lleave behind

Back to the scenes I leave behind. Farewell to thee, &c.

DEAR HALLS OF MY FATHERS.

DEAR halls of my fathers! while on ye I gaze,

Ye call up the spirits of happier days;

Those days, ere the stranger had called thee his own,

When the frowns of the world were to me quite unknown.

But ye are the halls of that proud race no more,

That vision of splendour for ever is o'er.

Yet still 'tis a pleasure to gaze on the scene,

Where my childhood was pass'd, and my fathers have been.

The moonlight that streams on the ivy-clad walls,

Now many a fond recollection re-

The sighs of the zephyrs which float o'er the stream,

Like the voices of friends to my memory seem:

Though sorrow and age have for many a year

Ruled over my wand'rings since first

I was here,

Yet still 'tis a pleasure to gaze on the scene,

Where my childhood was pass'd, and my fathers have been.

Dear halls of my fathers! this night is the last,

Which fate will allow me with thee to be pass'd;

Far over the ocean to-morrow I roam,

To seek from the stranger a land and a home;

Farewell, then, for ever, my favourite tree,

In dreams I shall often look back upon thee-

And visit in fancy each fondly loved scene,

Where my childhood was pass'd, and my fathers have been.

I AM THINE.

"I'M thine, I'm thine," she off would say,

" For ever thine!

Others' love may fade away But never mine."

Yet she now leaves my heart to grieve.

And break with woe,

I scarce l scarce her falsehood can believe

I lov'd her so, I lov'd her so.
I scarce, I scarce, &c.

But love, farewell! I now for e'er The false one fly,

Her image from my heart I'll tear
Then silent die

I'll no more ber falsehood regret
Yet where'er I go,

I fear, I fear, I never can forget I lov'd her so, I lov'd her so. I fear, I fear, &c.

MY MOTHER'S CUSTOMS.

COME hither, bring the scrubbing brush, and throw away the slops, And you, Selina, comb your hair, and wash them dirty chops.

Then go up stairs and make the bed, & double down the clothes, Go, mend your father's breeches,

and don't you pick your nose.

And I'll go out and take a walk,
because it is so fine—

These were my mother's customs, and so they shall be mine.

Now go and pawn your father's boots, let's have a drop of gin, And if the tally-man should come, say I'm not within;

Tell him—' Father's very ill, and likely for to die,'

But mind to hold the door ajar, and pretend to pipe your eye;

You can tell him I shall be alone any night at nine—

These were my mother's customs, and so they shall be mine.

Now clear away the dinner-things, and throw away those sprats, Be sure, don't put them in the yard —it encourages the cats.

And, Johnny, you go out to play, but don't get in the dirt.

And, Sarah, you can go down stairs and rub out your father's shirt, Don't rub too hard, but wring it

dry, and hang it on the line— These were my mother's customs, and so they shall be mine.

Now Saturday night comes once a week, gct out your father's chair, My chandler's-shop score reckon up

make no mistakes, beware.

Don't tease poor father, let him be,
don't ye u see he's got the blues,

He's very tired, but still he knows we all must have new shoes.

I think, my dear, youlook quite ill have you made much overtime? These were my mother's customs, and so they shall be mine.

HER MOUTH WITH A SMILE.

HER mouth with a smile,
Devoid of all guile,
Half open to view,
Is the bud of the rose,
In the morning that blows,
Impearl'd with the dew;

More fragrant her breath,
Than the flower-scented heath,
At the dawning of day,
The hawthorn in bloom,
The lily's perfume,
Or the blossom of May.

THE FAIRY WELL.

A MINSTREL who loved the em-

And knotted oak with friendly shade, In mid-day heat would go, they tell, To the grassy side of a fairy's well; And there, to the sound of the waters gay.

Carolled a rollicking roundelay.

And there, &c.

A maiden who loved, as maidens do, The earth's bright green and heaven's fair blue,

And the merry birds on fluttering wing,

Went forth in the woods to hear them sing;

And came by chance, as a maide may,

Where the minstrel carolled he roundelay.

And came, &c.

Their bright eyes met as bright eyes meet,

In lonely wood or crowded street; She blashed as if she were doing wrong;

The minstrel somehow forgot his song;

But he asked her love and they named the day,

In a very old-fa-hioned roundelay.

But be asked, &c.

It seems that a caution remains to tell,

'Gainst singing oft at a fairy's well; For fays in our music still bear part And play on the strings of a tender heart;

And hence the provero to elders known

It's better to leave the well alone.

And hence, &c.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHT SONGS.

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A damsel stood to watch I am thine Auld Langsyne Ah! why did I gather Billy Lackaday Bid me Discourse Black-eyed Susan Bird in yonder Cage Rower of Love Bonnets of Blue Bonnets over the Border Bavarian Girl's Song Be mine, dear Maid Beauty in the Deep Banks of Allan Water Boys of Kilkenny Bay of Biscay Chimes of Zurich Come where the Aspens C.erry Ripe Dear halls of my fathers Dashing White Sergeant Deep, deep Sea [glory Farewell, thou coast of Fairest Flower Gallant Troubadour Her mouth with a smile Home, sweet home Hope told a flattering Tale Had I a Heart Her form was fair Hunter's Horn Homage to Charlie I am thine, only thine I've Fruit, I've Flowers I want Money I've been Roaming I'd be a Gipsy

I cannot marry Krout Is there a Heart Jamie, thou wert kind King of the Lyre Knight of the Golden Crest Kelvin Grove Land of my birth Love among the Roses Lads of the Village Lilies of the Valley Love from the Heart Light Guitar Ladies, God bless e'em! Little Blind Boy Lass o' Gowrie Boy Love was once a little My Mother's customs Myrtle and rose Merry Mountain Horn My own Blue Bell March to the Battle Field M'Gregor's Gathering Meet me by Moonlight My Love's like the Deer Mynheer Van Dunck Merry I have been Meet me to-night Native Highland Home Now Hope, now Fear Newfoundland Dog No joy without my love Never fall in Love Oysters, Sir? 'Prentice to a Coasting Ship Pilot's Grave

Pilgrim's return Pilgrim of Love Plain Gold Ring Reuben Rayne Real Havannah Return, O, my Love Rest, Warrior, rest! Rise, gentle Moon! Rose will cease to blow Row the bonny bark Stolen Child She is happy now Sweet Kitty Clover Say not Woman's Heart Sleep, my Baby Boy Sun his bright Rays Sailor's Tear Scots! wha hae wi' Wallace bled Thou art gone from my gaze The Fairy well Tippity witchet Tell me, my Heart There is a Flower The Gale freshly blew The Pilot The Glasses sparkle Very much like to know Wanted a Sweetheart! What can a poor Maiden When thy Bosom With my Village Fair Where shall the Lover Where is Fancy bred? rest? Yankee Doodle Young Susan had Lovers