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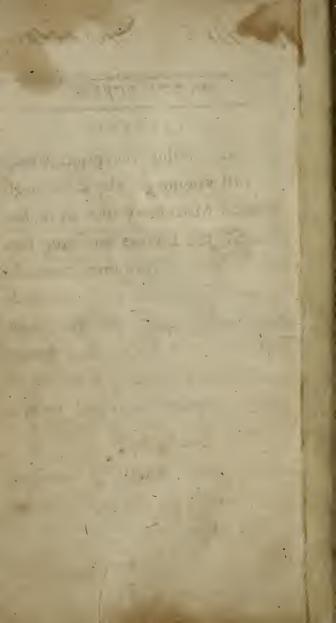
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THE favourable reception which the first volume of the Edinburgh Mufical Mifcellany met with, has induced the Editors to bring forward a fecond Volume, conducted upon a fimilar plan, felected, they hope, with equal judgment and taste, and which they flatter themfelves will merit a degree of public approbation equal to the former.

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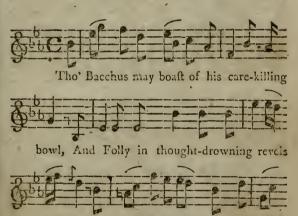
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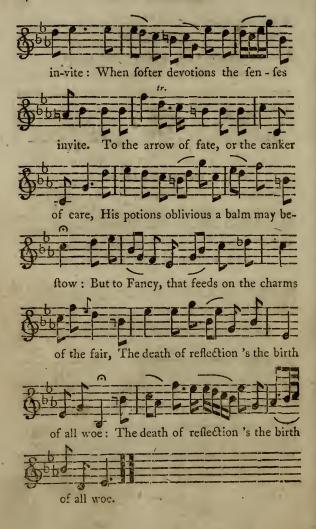
THO' BACCHUS MAY BOAST OF HIS CARE-KILLING BOWL.

SUNG BY MR BOWDEN.



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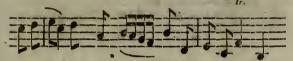


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What foul that's poffest of a dream fo divine,

With riot would bid the fweet vision begone ? For the tear that bedews Senfibility's fhrine

Is a drop of more worth than all Bacchus's tun.



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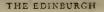
The tender excefs which enamours the heart, To few is imparted, to millions deny'd; 'Tis the brain of the victim that tempers the dart, And fools jeft at that for which fages have died. And fools, &c.

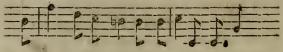
Each change and excefs hath through life been my doom,

And well can I fpeak of its joy and its firife; The bottle affords us a glimpfe thro' the gloom, But love's the true funfhine that gladdens our life. But love's, &c.

Come then, rofy Venus, and fpread o'er my fight The magic illufions that ravifh the foul : Awake in my breaft the foft dream of delight, And drop from thy myrtle one leaf in my bowl. And drop, &c.

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Then deep will I drink of the nectar divine, Nor e'er, jolly God, from thy banquet remove, But each tube of my heart ever thirft for the wine, That's mellow'd by friendthip, and fweeten'd by

love.



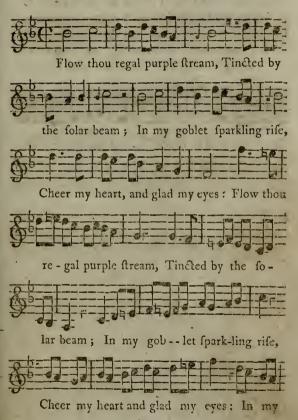
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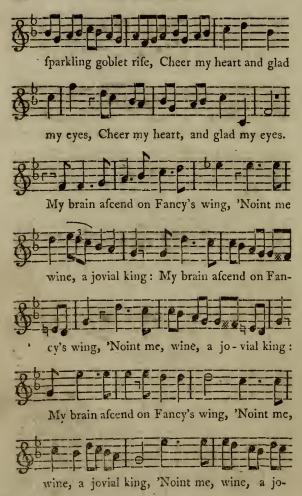
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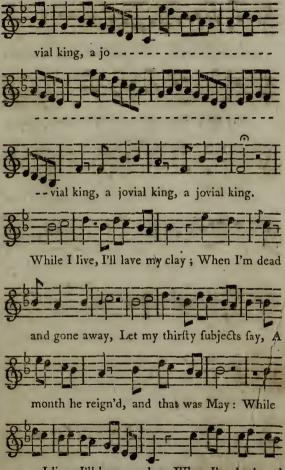


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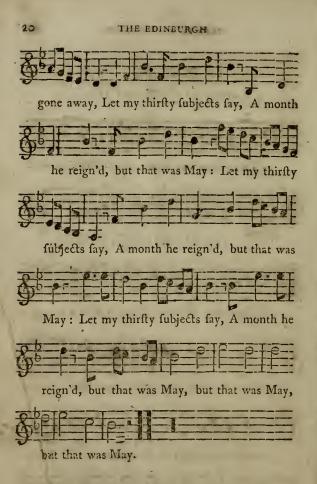
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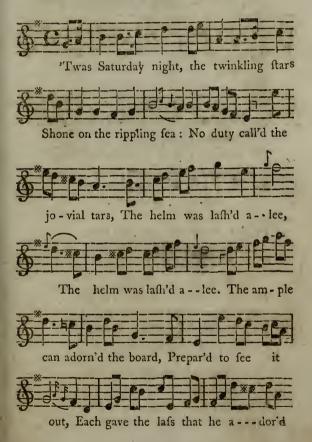
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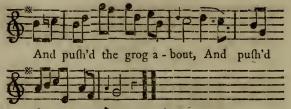
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SONG III.

SATURDAY NIGHT AT SEA.



THE EDINBURGH



the grog a -- bout.

Cried honeft Tom, my Peg I'll toaft, A frigate neat and trim, All jolly Portfmouth's favourite boaft : I'd venture life and limb, Sail feven long years, and ne'er fee land, With dauntlefs heart and ftout, So tight a veffel to command : Then pufh the grog about.

I'll give, cried little Jack, my Poll, Sailing in comely ftate,
Top ga'nt-fails fet fhe is fo tall, She looks like a firft-rate.
Ah ! would fhe take her Jack in tow, A voyage for life throughout,
No better birth I'd wift to know : Then puft the grog about.

I'll give, cried I, my charming Nan, Trim, handfome, neat, and tight. What joy, fo neat a fhip to man ! Oh ! fhe's my heart's delight.

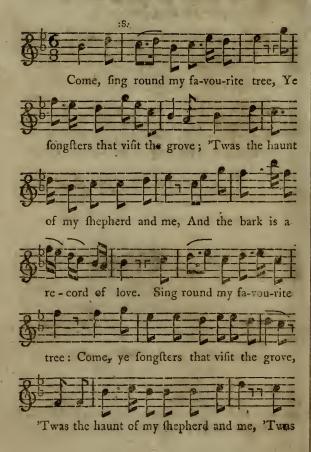
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So well the bears the ftorms of life, I'd fail the world throughout, Brave every toil for fuch a wife; Then puth the grog about.

Thus to defcribe Poll, Peg, or Nan, Each his beft manner tried,
Till fummon'd by the empty can, They to their hammocks hied :
Yet ftill did they their vigils keep, Though the huge can was out ;
For in foft vifions gentle fleep Still pufh'd the grog about.

SONG IV.

COME SING ROUND MY FAVOURITE TREE.



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SONG V.

FOR TENDERNESS FORM'D.



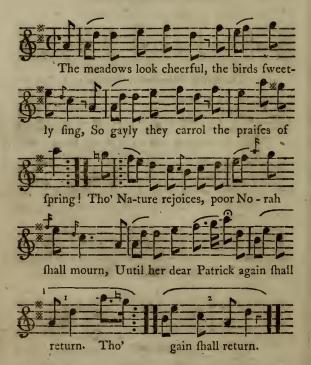
The nightingale plunder'd, the mate widow'd dove, The warbled complaint of the fuffering grove, To youth as it ripen'd gave fentiment new, The object ftill changing, the fympathy true.

Soft embers of paffion, yet reft in the glow, A warmth of more pain may this breaft never know! Or, if too indulgent the bleffing I claim, Let the fpark drop from reafon that wakens the flame.

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SONG VI.

THE LASSES OF DUBLIN.



Ye Lafses of Dublin, ah, hide your gay charms, Nor lure her dear Patrick from Norah's fond arms : Tho' fattins, and ribbons, and laces are fine, They hide not a heart with fuch feeling as mine.

SONG VII. THE HARDY SAILOR.

:S: The hardy failor braves the ocean, Fearlefs of the roaring wind; Yet his heart, with foft e-mo-tion, Throbs to leave his love behind : Throbs, throbs, throbs, throbs : Yet his heart, with foft e -- mo--tion, throbs To leave his love be - hind - -- To leave his

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Pre --- cious gob -- let, cup divine, Let me

let me quaff thy ro-fy wine.

Let my hoary honours grow, Wrinkles trefpafs on my brow; Let them come, prepar'd I ftand, And grafp my goblet in my hand. Precious goblet, &c.

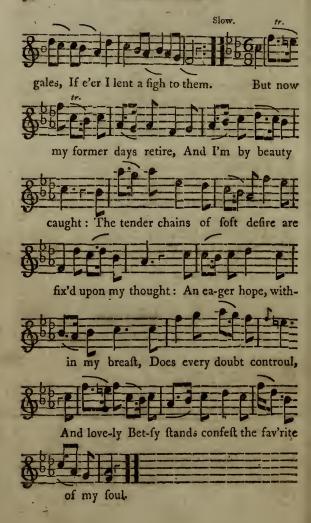
Cupid, in my youthful hour, Led me captive of his pow'r, Now, with branches from the vine, I guard me from his dart divine. Precious goblet, &c.

Bacchus ! jolly God, appear ! None but choiceft fouls are here, Pierce thy oldeft, deepeft cafk, And let us drain the frequent flafk. Precious goblet, &c.

· SONG IX.

MY DAYS HAVE BEEN SO WOND'ROUS FREE.





Ye nightingales, ye twifting pines, Ye fwains' that haunt the grove, Ye gentle echoes, breezy winds, Ye clofe retreats of love. With all of nature, all of art, Affift the dear defign. O teach a young unpractis'd heart To make her ever mine.

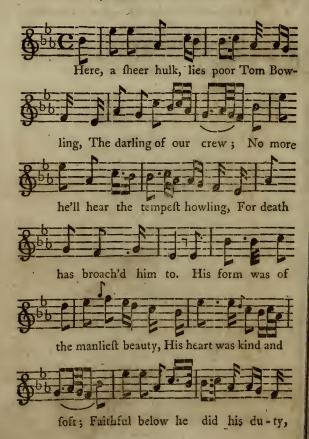
The very thought of change I hate, As much as of defpair ! And hardly covet to be great, Unlefs it be for her. 'Tis true, the paffion of my mind Is mixt with foft diftrefs;. Yet while the fair I love is kind, I cannot wifh it lefs.

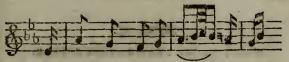
But if fhe treats me with difdain, And flights my well-meant love,
Or looks with pleafure on my pain, A pain fhe wont remove;
Farewell, ye birds, and lonely pines, Adieu to groans and fighs.
I'll leave my paffion to the winds, Love unreturn'd foon dies.

N. B. The Second and Third Stanzas must be fung to the last Air, and the Fourth Stanza to the Former.

SONG X.

POOR TOM, OR THE SAILOR'S EPITAPH.





And now he's gone a --- loft, And now

he's gone a - - loft.

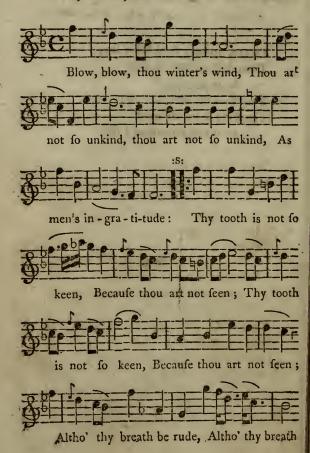
Tom never from his word departed, His virtues were fo rare, His friends were many, and true-hearted, His Poll was kind and fair : And then he'd fing fo blithe and jolly, Ah many's the time and off ! But mirth is turn'd to melancholy, For Tom is gone aloft.

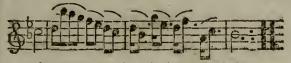
Yet fhall Poor Tom find pleafant weather, When he who all commands,
Shall give, to call life's crew together, The word to pipe all hands.
Thus death, who kings and tars difpatches, In vain Tom's life has doff'd;
For, tho' his body's under hatches, His foul is gone aloft.

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SONG XI.

BLOW, BLOW, THOU WINTER'S WIND.

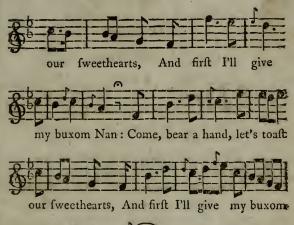


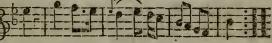


be rude, Al - tho' thy breath be rude.

Freeze, freeze, thou bitter fky, Thou doft not bite fo nigh As benefit forgot : Tho' thou the waters warp, 'Thy fling is not fo fharp As friend remember'd not.

THE EDINBURGH SONG XII. BUXOM NAN. The wind was hush'd, the ftorm was over, Unfurl'd was c - - very flowing fail, From toil releas'd, when Dick of Dover Went with his - messmates to re - gale. All danger's o'er, cried he, my neathearts, Drown care, then, in the fmiling can : Come, bear a hand, let's toaft





Nan, First I'll give my buxom Nan.

She's none of they that's always gigging, And ftem and ftern made up of art; One knows a veflel by her rigging, Such ever flight a conftant heart.

With ftraw-hat, and pink-ftreamers flowing, How oft to meet me has fhe ran; While for dear life would I be rowing, To meet with fmiles my buxom Nan.

Jack Jollyboat went to the Indies, To fee him ftare when he came back,

The girls were fo all off the hinges, His Poll was quite unknown to Jack-

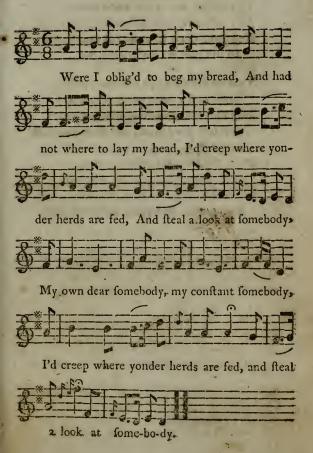
Tant mafted all, to fee who's talleft, Breaft works, top-ga'nt fails, and a fan; Meffinate, cried I, more fail than ballaft, Ah ftill give me my buxom Nan.

None on life's fea can fail more quicker, To fhew her love, or ferve a friend : But hold, I'm preaching o'er my liquor, This one word more, and there's an endi-

Of all the wenches whatfomever, I fay, then, find me out who can, One half fo true, fo kind, fo clever, Sweet, trim, and neat, as buxom Nan.

SONG XII.

SOMEBODY.

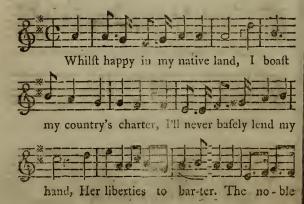


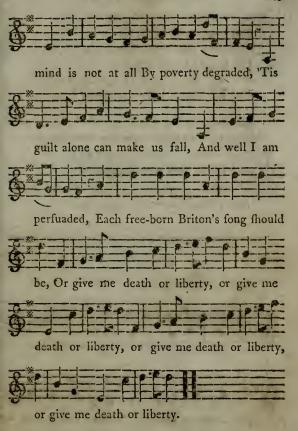
When I'm laid low, and am at reft, And maybe number'd with the bleft, Oh! may thy artlefs feeling breaft Throb with regard for—Somebody : Ah! will you drop the pitying tear, And figh for the loft—Somebody ?

But fhould I ever live to fee That form fo much ador'd by me, Then thou'lt reward my conftancy, And I'll be bleft with—Somebody : Then fhall my tears be dried by thee, And I'll be bleft with—Somebody.

SONG XIII.

WHILST HAPPY IN MY NATIVE LAND.

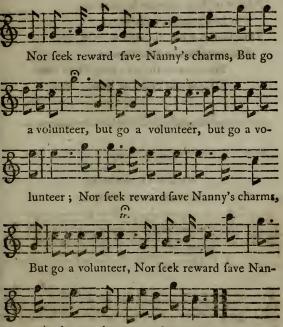




The' fmall the pow'r which fortune grants, And few the gifts fhe fends us, The lordly hireling often wants • That freedom which defends us.

By law fecur'd from lawlefs ftrife, Our houfe is our caftellum; Thus blefs'd with all that's dear in life, For lucre fhall we fell them? No:--ev'ry Briton's fong fhould be, Or give me death or liberty, &c.



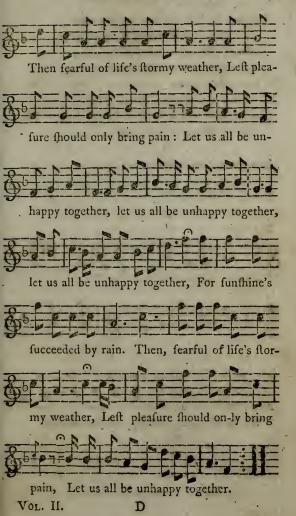


ny's charms, but go a volunteer.

Should fortune finile, and grant me fame, The laurel will be thine,
The flowers of love I only claim,
Ah ! let their fweets entwine.
Then fince my country calls to arms,
Love's liv'ry will I wear,
Nor feek reward fave Nanny's charms,
But go a volunteer.

All hardfhips feem as light as air, While Britifh maids we guard, Each foldier has one darling care, Her fmiles his beft reward. Then fince my country calls to arms, Love's liv'ry will I wear, Nor feek reward fave Nanny's charms, But go a volunteer.





I grant, the beft bleffing we know Is a friend---for true friend(hip's a treafure; And yet, left your friend prove a foe, Oh tafte not the dangerous pleafure. Thus friend(hip's a flimfy affair; Thus riches and health are a bubble; Thus there's nothing delightful but care, Nor any thing pleafing but trouble.

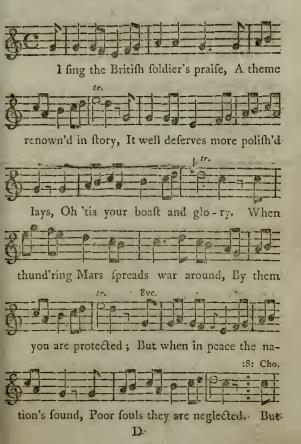
If a mortal would point out that life, That on earth could be neareft to heaven,
Let him, thanking his ftars, choofe a wife, To whom truth and honour are given :
But honour and truth are fo rare, And horns, when they're cutting, fo tingle,
That with all my refpect for the fair, I'd advife him to figh and live fingle.

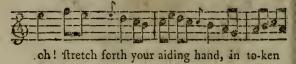
It appears from thefe premifes plain, That wifdom is nothing but folly, That pleafure's a term that means pain, And that joy is your true melancholy. That all thofe who laugh ought to cry, That 'tis fine frifk and fun to be grieving; And that, fince we must all of us die, We fhould all be unhappy while living.

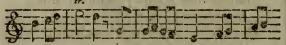
SQNG XVII.

THE NEGLECTED SOLDIER.

IN ANSWER TO THE NEGLECTED TAR.







of their merit, Then boldly they'll march o'er



the land, And fnew a grateful fpirit.

For you the muffect firft he takes.
I hat you may reft in quiet,
His wife and children he forfakes,
To fhift for cloaths and diet.
He's fudden call'd, he knows not where;
Nor knows he fhall return
To thofe he left in deep defpair,
Whofe hearts for him yet burn.
But oh! ftretch forth your bounteous hand,
In juffice to their merit,
Then cheerful they'll march through the land,
And fhew a grateful fpirit.

For you through many a tedious road He goes without complaining, From fcorching heat he feeks abode, Sometimes without obtaining :

By thirft and hunger oft he's preft, Yet fcorns to droop his head; Ambition from within his breaft He fubftitutes as bread. Then oh ! ftretch forth your friendly hand, In juftice to his merit, How cheerful he'll march through the land, And blefs your gen'rous fpirit !

For you through fields of blood they'll feels Your foes of ev'ry nation;
'Tis there bold actions loudly fpeak Their worth in ev'ry flation.
Firm as a flinty wall they'll fland, Obferving flrict decorum, Until their leader gives command To beat down all before 'em.
Then oh ! flretch forth th' affifting hand, In juftice to their merit,
When they return unto their land, They'll blefs your noble fpirit.

Well, now they've threfh'd the foe, we'll fay, Did all within their power,
But little more than blows have they, And one faithing an hour.
Little within the Frenchman's fob To recompense their labours;
Why then it proves a forry job,
Little better than their neighbours.

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When oh ! ftretch forth the lib'ral hand, It justice to their merit, So flah they blefs their happy land, The land of godlike fpirit.

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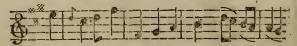
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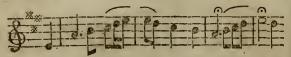
Why tarries my love ? Ah ! where does



he rove? My love is long absent from me - -

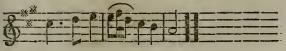


Come hither, my dove, I'll write to my love,



And fend him a let -- ter by thee --- And

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fend him a let - ter by thee.

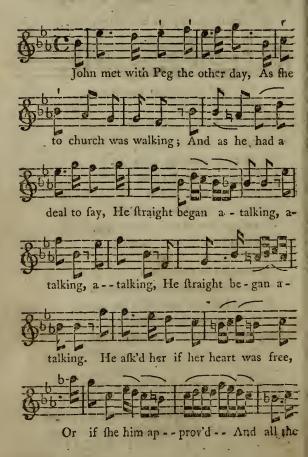
To find him fwift fly, The letter I'll tye Secure to thy leg with a ftring : Ah! not to my leg, Fair lady I beg, But faften it under my wing.

Her dove fhe did deck, She drew o'er his neck
A bell and a collar fo gay; She ty'd to his wing The fcroll with a ftring,
Then kifs'd him and fent him aways

It blew and it rain'd, The pidgeon difdain'd To feek fhelter, undaunted he flew ;; "I'ill wet was his wing, And painful the ftring, So heavy the letter it grew.

He flew all around, 'Till Colin he found, Then perch'd on his hand with the prize ;: Whofe heart while he reads, With tendernefs bleeds For the pigeon,---that flutters---and dies 4

SONG XIX. LOVE AND TIME.





while could plainly fee Her fnowy bofom mov'd,

--- Her fnowy bo - fom mov'd.

His heart was yet 'tween hope and fear, And ftrove his thoughts to fmother ;.
Unlefs thofe heavings of his dear Perchance were for fome other.
A while fhe blufh'd, and now fhe fmil'd, Cry'd, pr'ythee be not fimple ;
When love the more his heart beguil'd, And fported in each dimple.

She thought he talk'd too foon of love---'Twas time enough for wooing: He told her time would fwiftly move, And time was love's undoing. Peg then replied: If that's the cafe, 'Tis time that we were moving; And faid, with fadnefs in her face, He fure won't kill for loving.

Why then, cried John, let's hafte to church, And all our fears deliver ;

Old time fhall linger in the lurch, And love fhall live for ever.
Away they went, made most of time, In fpite of all his flurry;
Love faw they both were in their prime, And join'd them in a hurry.

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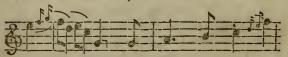
THY FATAL SHAFTS UNERRING MOVE.



Thy fatal fhafts un - err - ing move', I bow



before thine al - tar, Love : I feel the foft



re - fiftlefs flame Glide fwift through all my



vi-tal fraine.

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For while 1 gaze my bofom glows, My blood in tides impetuous flows; Hope, fear, and joy, alternate roll, And floods of transport whelm my foul.

My fault'ring tongue attempts in vain, In foothing numbers to complain; My tongue fome fecret magic ties, My murmurs fink in broken fighs.

Condemn'd to nurfe eternal care, And ever drop this filent tear; Unheard I mourn, unknown I figh, Unfriended live, unpitied die.

SONG XX.

DEAR IS MY LITTLE NATIVE VALE.



In orange groves, and myrtle bow'rs, That breathe a gale of fragrance round, I charm the fairy footed hours, With my lov'd lute's romantic found.

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Or crowns of living laurel weave For those that win the race at eve.

The fhepherds horn, at break of day, The ballet danc'd at twilight glade, The canzonet, and roundelay, Sung in the filent greenwood fhade: Thefe fimple joys, that never fail, Shall bind me to my native vale.

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When the lads and their laffes are on the green met, They dance and they fing, they laugh and they chat; Contented and happy, their hearts full of glée, I can't without envy their merriment fee: Thofe paffimes offend me, my Shepherd's not there, No pleafure I relifh that Jockey don't fhare; It makes me to figh, I from tears fearce refrain, I with my dear Jockey return'd back again.

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But hope fhall fullain me, nor will I defpair; He promis'd he would in a fortnight be here; On fond expectation my wifhes I'll feaft, For Love my dear Jockey to Jenny will hafte. Then farewell, each care, and adieu each vain figh, Who'll then be fo bleft or fo happy as I: I'll fing on the meadows, and alter my ftrain, When Jockey returns to my arms back again.



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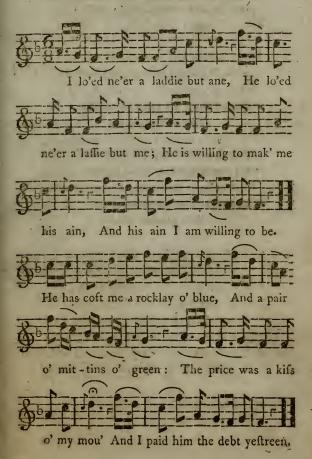
I ufed to look two ways at once, A bullet hit me on the fconce, And doufh'd my eye--d'ye think I'd wince § Why, Lord ! I've never fquinted fince. Beat drums, &c.

Some diftant keep from war's alarms, For fear of wooden legs and arms; While others die fafe in their beds, Who all their lives had wooden heads. Beat drums, &c.

Thus gout or fever, fword or fhot, Or fomething fends us all to pot : 'That we're to die, then, do not grieve, But let's be merry while we live. Beat drums, &ce.

SONG XXIJI.

I LO'ED NE'ER A LADDIE BUT ANE.



Let ithers brag weel o' their gear, Their land, and their lordly degree I carena for ought but my dear, For he's ilka thing lordly to me : His words mair than fugar are fweet, His fehfe drives ilk fear far awa'; I liften, poor fool ! and I greet, Yet, oh ! how fweet are the tears as they fa'!

Dear laffie," he cries wi' a jeer,
Ne'er heed what the auld anes will fay;
Tho' we've little to brag o', ne'er fear,
What's gowd to a heart that is wae ?
Our laird has baith honours and wealth,
Yet fee ! how he's dwining wi' care;
Now we, tho' we've naithing but health,
Are cantie and leil evermair.

O Menie! the heart that is true,
Has fomething mair coftly than gear,
Ilk e'en it has has naithing to rue,
Ilk morn it has naithing to fear.
Ye wardlings! gae hoard up your flore,
And tremble for fear ought ye tyne;

" Guard your treafures wi'lock, bar, and door, "While thus in my arms I lock mine."

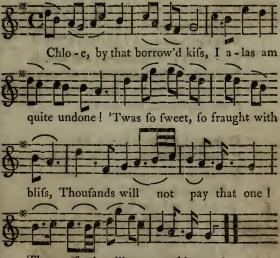
He ends wi' a kifs and a fmile, Waes me! can I take it amifs,

When a lad, fae unpractis'd in guile, Smiles faftly, and ends wi' a kifs! Ye laffes, wha lo'e to torment Your lemans wi' faufe foorn and ftrife,

Play your pranks,--- for I've gi'en my confent, And this night I'll take Jamie for life.

SONG XXIV.

CHLOE, BY THAT BORROWED KISS.



Thou -- Tands will not pay that one !

Left the debt fhould break your heart, (Roguifh Chloe, fmiling, cries) Come, a thoufand, then, in part, For the prefent fhall fuffice.



The name of my goddels I grave on each tree, Ah well-a-day my poor heart ! "Tis I wound the bark, but Love's arrows wound me; / Ah well-a-day my poor heart !

The heavens I view, and their azure-bright fkies; Ah well-a-day my poor heart ! My heaven exifts in her ftill brighter eyes; Ah well-a-day my poor heart !

To the Sun's morning fplendor the poor Indian bows; Ah well a-day my poor heart ! But I dare not worfhip where I pay my vows; Ah well-a-day my poor heart !

His God each morn rifes, and he can adore; Ah well-a-day my poor heart ! But my goddefs to me must foon never rife more; Ah well a-day my poor heart !

SONG XXVI.

THE SOV'REIGN OF THE SEAS.





A fail a head, our decks we clear, Our canvas crowd, the chace we near, In vain the Frenchman flies : Vol. II. F

A broadfide pour'd through clouds of fmoke, Our Captain roars, ts of Oak, Now draw and the ard your Prize. For Neptune, &c.



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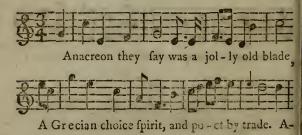


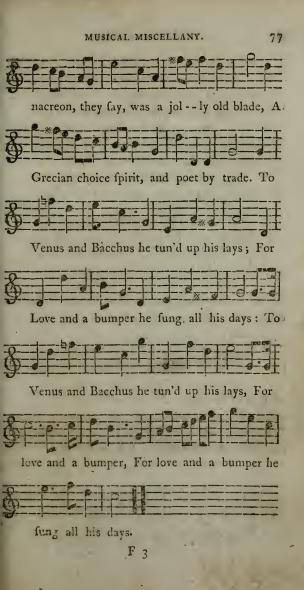
His fkin is white as fnow, His e'en are bonny blue, Like rofe-bud fweet his mou' When wet wi' morning dew. F 2

Young Will is rich and great, And fain wou'd ca' me his; But what is pride or ftate, Without love's fmiling Blifs? Give me the lad, &c.

When firft he talk'd of love, He look'd fae blithe and gay,
His flame I did approve, And cou'd na fay him nay.
Then to the kirk I'll hafte; There prove my love and truth;
Reward a love fae chafte, And wed the conftant Youth. Give me the lad, &c

SONG XXVIII. NEW ANACREONTIC SONG.





He laugh'd as he quaff'd ftill the juice of the vine, And tho' he was human was look'd on divine, At the feaft of good humour he always was there, And his fancy and fonnets ftill banifh'd dull care,

Good wine, boys, fays he, is the liquor of Jove, 'Tis our comfort below and their nectar above; Then while round the table the bumper we pafs, Let the toaft be to Venus and each fmiling lafs.

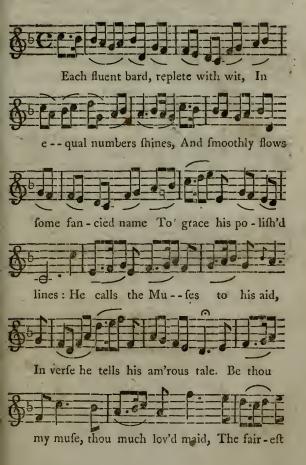
Apollo may torment his catgut or wire, Yet Bacchus and Beauty the theme must infpire, Or elfe all his humming and strumming is vain, The true joys of heaven he'd never obtain.

To love and be lov'd how transporting the blifs, While the heart-cheering glafs gives a zeft to each kifs;

With Bacchus and Venus I'll ever combine, For drinking and kiffing are pleafures divine,

As fons of Anacreon then let us be gay, With drinking and love pafs the moments away; With wine and with beauty let's fill up the fpan, For that's the beft method, deny it who can.

SONG XXIX. HEDSOR DALE.





I feel the warm, the pleafing fire Within my bofom roll, And pureft love and chafte defire Steal foftly on my foul: In vain I wou'd the flame conceal, And hide thofe cares my heart affail ;. My talk and looks and fighs prevail, I love the flow'r of Hedfor Dale!

What pity—that a nymph fo fair, With winning (hape and face, Should be devoted to fome clown, Or ruftic's rude embrace ! That form demands a better fate; Sweet hope, perhaps I can prevail; I'll try before it is too late, To cull the flow'r of Hedfor Dale.

SONG XXX.

HOW BLEST HAS MY TIME BEEN.



Thro' walks grown with woodbines as often we ftray, Around us out boys and girls frolie and play : How pleafing their fport is ! the wanton ones fee, And borrow their looks from my Jeffy and me.

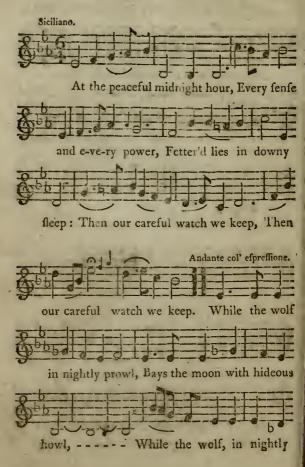
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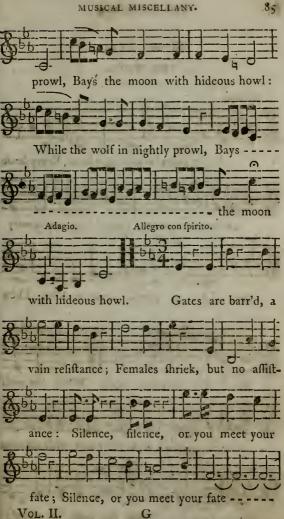
To try her fweet temper, oft times am I feen, In revels all day with the nymphs on the green : Tho' painful my abfence, my doubts fhe beguiles, And meets me at night with complacence and fmiles.

What tho' on her cheeks the rofe lofes its hue, Her wit and good humour blooms all the year thro': Time ftill, as he flies, adds increase to her truth, And gives to her mind what he fteals from her youth-

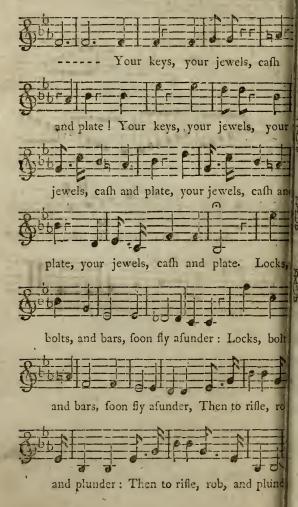
Ye fhepherds fo gay, who make love to enfnare, And cheat with falfe vows the too credulous fair, In fearch of true pleafure how vainly you roam, To hold it for life you must find it at home.

SONG XXXI. THE WOLF.





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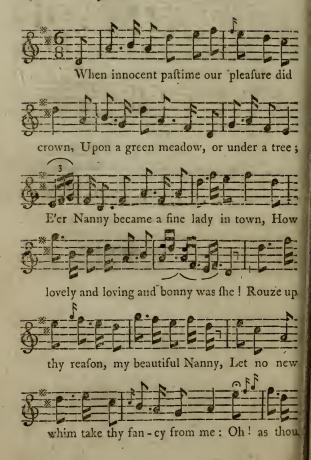


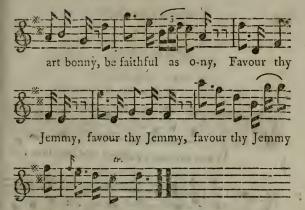


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SONG XXXII.

JEMMY AND NANNY.





who doats upon thee.

Does the death of a lintwhite give Annie the fpleen ? Can tyning of trifles be uneafy to thee ? Can lap-dogs, or monkies, draw tears from thefe een ? That look with indiff'rence on poor dying me ! Roufe up thy reafon, my beautiful Annie, And dinna prefer a paroquet to me : O I as thou art bonny, be prudent and canny, And think upon Jamie wha doats upon thee.

Ah! fhould a new mantua, or Flanders-lace head, Or yet a wee cotty, tho' never fae fine,
Gar thee grow forgetful, or let his heart bleed, That anes had fome hope of purchafing thine ?
Roufe up thy reafon, my beautiful Annie,. And dinna prefer your fleegaries to me ;

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O ! as thou art bonny, be folid and canny, And tent a true lover that doats upon thee.

Shall a Paris-edition of new-fangled Sawny,

Tho' gilt o'er wi' laces and fringes he be, By adorning himfelf be admir'd by fair Annie, And aim at thofe bennifons promif'd to me ::

Roufe up thy reafon, my beautiful Annie,

And never prefer a light dancer to me :

O ! as thou art bonny, be conftant and canny, Love only thy Jamie wha doats upon thee:

O think, my dear charmer, on ilka fweet hour,. That flade awa' faftly between thee and me, 'Ere fquirrels, or beaux, or fopp'ry had pow'r,

To rival my love, or impofe upon thee. Roufe up thy reafon, my beautiful Annie, And let thy defires be a' center'd in n.e: O! as thou art bonny, be faithfu' and canny, And love him wha's langing to center in thee-

SONG XXXIV.

THE TAR FOR ALL WEATHERS.





When we enter'd the gut of Gibralter, I verily thought fhe'd have funk,
For the wind fo began for to alter;
She yaul'd juft as tho' fhe was drunk.
The fquall tore the mainfail to fhivers,
Helm-a-weather the hoarfe botfwain cries;
Set the forefail a-thwart fea fhe quivers,
As through the rough tempeft fhe flies.
But failors, &c

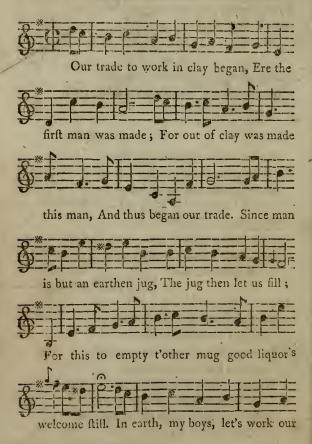
The ftorm came on thicker and fafter, As black then as pitch was the fky; But then what a dreadful difafter, Befel three poor feamen and I. Ben Buntlen, Sam Shroud and Dick Handfail, By a gale that came furious and hard; And as we were furling the mainfail, We were every foul fwept from the yard. But failors, &c.

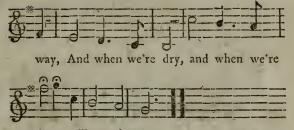
Poor Ben, Sam and Dick cried piecavi, When I at the rifk of my neck,
While in peace they funk down to old Davy, Caught a rope and fo landed on deck.
Well, what would you have, we were ftranded, And out of a fine jolly crew, .
Of three hundred, that fail'd, never landed, But I, and I think, twenty two. But failors, &c.

At laft then at fea having mifcarried, Another guefs way fet the wind; To England I came and got married, To a lafs that was comely and kind. But whether for joy or vexation, We know not for what we were born; Perhaps we may find a kind flation, Perhaps we may touch at Cape Horn. But failors, &c.

SONG XXXV.

OUR TRADE TO WORK IN CLAY BEGAN.





dry, we'll wet the clay.

See here a noble chrift'ning bowl, But fill it to the brim; So large, the baby (pretty foul) May like young Indians fwim: The Covent Garden fwell at jupps, In this may take his go, For Afhley's punch houfe here are cups, Pro bono publico.

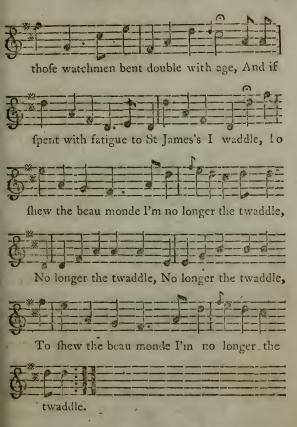
And when we're dry, &c.

And why abroad our money fling, To pleafe our fickle fair,
No more from China, China bring, Here's English China ware.
Then, friends, put round the foaming mug, And take it with good will,
Since man is but an earthen jug, This jug then left is fill.

And when we're dry, &c..

SONG XXXVI. THE TWADDLE. On fturdy ftout Dobbin I mounted my fad-dle, And canter'd to town, where they call'd P . P me the Twaddle; 'Till I met with a friend by mere dint of good luck, Who taught me the Tippee, And now I'm a buck ! To fwallow fix bottles I now dare engage, Then to knock down

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Having now learnt to read why I take in the papers,
And draining a bumper to banish the vapours,
I fean the fresh quarrels 'twixt new-married spouses,
To match the debates in both Parliament houses.
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Where patriots and placemen keep wrangling for fame,

The outs are all faultlefs, the ins are to blame; Tho' the outs are the Tippee, their brains are all addle,

Yet when they get in you foon find'em the Twaddle.

When Briton's bafe foes dare prefume to unite, Old Elliot's the Tippee, becaufe he dare fight. And to poets, who live on the floor next the fky, Roaft beef is a Tippee they feldom come nigh. The lawyer and doctor both ftrictly agree That all is the Twaddle—except 'tis their fee. And when you from Dover to Calais would ftraddle, A balloon is the Tippee, a packet's the Twaddle.

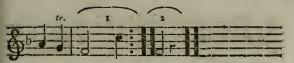
Dick Twifting is now quite the Twaddle for tea, Tho' he once was the Tippee for Green and Bohea; Bat then we'd no tax to turn day into night, No dire Commutation to block up our light. "Leaft faid's fooneft mended," I hope I'm not wrong, If I am, pray excufe, and I'll hence hold my tongue: Perhaps you may think me a mere fiddle faddle, Yet if not quite the Tippee, don't fay I'm the Twaddle.

SONG XXXVII.

THE MANSION OF PEACE.

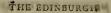


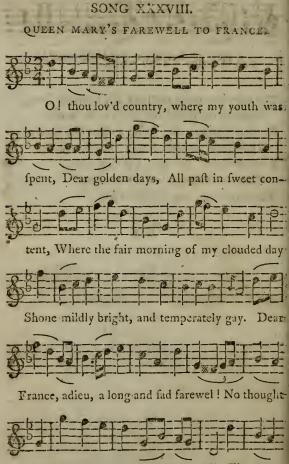




fion of peace. Thou peace.

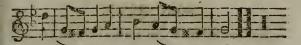
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can image, and no tongue can tell, The pangs

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I feel - at that drear word---farewell!

The ship that wasts me from thy friendly shore,

Conveys my body, but conveys no more. My foul is thine, that fpark of heav'nly fiame, That better portion of my mingled frame; Is wholy thine, that part I give to thee, That in the temple of thy memory, The other over may enfluined be.

THE EDINBURGH SONG XXXIX. ONCE MORE I'LL TUNE. Once more I'll tune the vo - cal fhell, To hills and dales my paf - fion tell, A flame which ne ---- ver quell, That burns for time can lovely Peggy. Ye greater bards the lyre fhould hit, For fay what fubject is more fit, Than

to re-cord the fpark - ling wit, and bloom of



love - ly Peg - gy ?

The fun first rising in the morn, That paints the dew-bespangled thorn, Does not so much the day adorn,

As does my lovely Peggy, And when in Thetis lap to reft, He ftreaks with gold the ruddy weft, He's not fo beauteous, as undrefs'd Appears my lovely Peggy.

Were the array'd in ruftic weed, With her the bleating flocks I'd feed, And pipe upon mine oaten reed,

To pleafe my lovely Peggy. With her a cottage would delight, All's happy when fhe's in my fight, But when fhe's gone it's endlefs night,

All's dark without my Peggy.

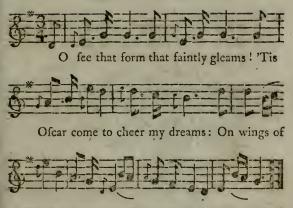
The zephyr's air the violet blows, Or breathe upon the damafk rofe, He does not half the fweets difclose, That does my lovely Peggy. I flole a kifs the other day,

And truft me, nought but truth I fay, The fragrant breath of blooming May, Was not fo fweet as Peggy.

While bees from flow'r to flow'r thall rove,
And linnets warble thro' the grove,
Or ftately fwans the waters love,
So long will I love Peggy.
And when Death with his pointed dart,
Shall ftrike the blow that rives my heart,
My word fhall be when I depart,
Adieu ! my lovely Peggy.

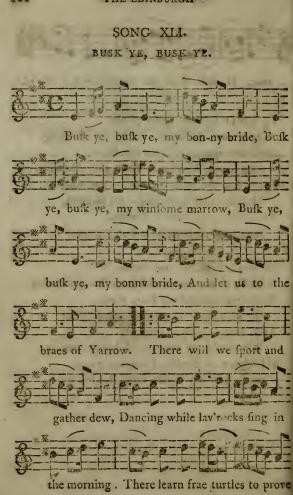
SONG XL.

OSCAR'S GHOST.



wind he flies away, O flay, my lovely Ofcar, flay !

Wake Offian, laft of Fingal's line, And mix thy tears and fighs with mine. Awake the Harp to doleful lays, And foothe my foul with Ofcar's praife. The Shell is ceas'd in Ofcar's Hall, Since gloomy Kerbar wrought the fall: The Roe on Morven lightly bounds, Nor hears the cry of Ofcar's hounds.



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true, O Bell ne'er vex me with thy fcorning!

To westlin breezes Flora yields,

And when the beams are kindly warming, Blythnefs appears o'er all the fields,

And nature looks mair fresh and charming. Learn frae the burns that trace the mead,

Tho' on their banks the rofes bloffom, Yet haftily they flow to Tweed, And now their forectural in his hafter

And pour their fweetnefs in his bofom-

Hafte ye, hafte ye, my bonny Bell, Hafte to my arms, and there I'll guard thee. With free confent my fears repel, I'll with my love and care reward thee. Thus fang I faftly to my fair, Wha rais'd my hopes with kind relenting,

O! Queen of Smiles, I afk nae mair; Since now my bonny Bell's conferring.

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SONG XLII. • THE FAIRY. A MIDNIGHT MADRIGAL.



dance and fing with me, under yonder aged tree.

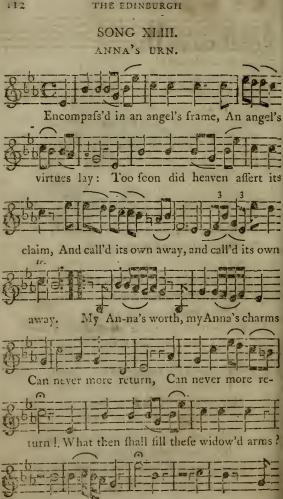
There I'll tell you many a tale, Of mountain, rock, of hill and dale, Which will make you laugh with me, Under yonder aged tree.

See the moon all filver bright, Shining with a tenfold light, To try to fee my Queen with me, Thro' the boughs of yonder tree.

Who is that which I efpy, Juft defeended from thy fky? E'en faith 'tis Cupid, come to fee My fair beneath yon aged tree.

A little rogue.! but he fhall fmart-I'll take away his bow and dart, And give them, 'fore his face, to thee, Under yonder aged tree.

Then we'll play, and dance, and fing, Celebrating Pan our king, And I'll always live with thee, Under yonder aged tree



Ah ----- me! Ah me! Ah me! my

An - na's urn !

Can I forget that blifs refin'd, Which, bleft with her, I knew? Our hearts, in facred bonds entwin'd, Were bound by love too true. That rural train, which once were ul'd In festive dance to turn, So pleaf'd, when Anna they amufed, Now weeping deck her Urn. The foul efcaping from its chain. She clafp'd me to her breaft, " To part with thee is all my pain !" She cried ! then funk to reft ! While mem'ry shall her feat retain, From beauteous Anna torn, My heart shall breathe its ceaseless ftrain

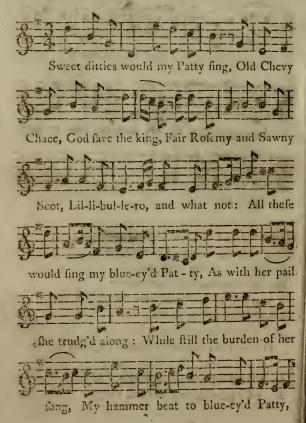
Of forrow oe'r her Urn.

There with the earlieft dawn; a dove Laments her murdet'd mate : There Philomela, loft to love, Tells the pale moon her fate. With yew, and ivy round me fpread, My Anna there I'll mourn ; For all my foul, now fhe is dead,. Concentres in her Urn.

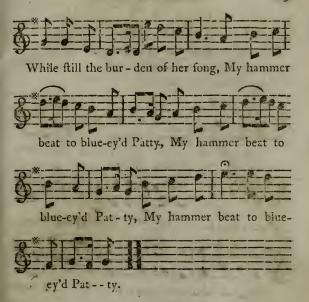
SONG XLIV.

BLUE-EYED PATTY :

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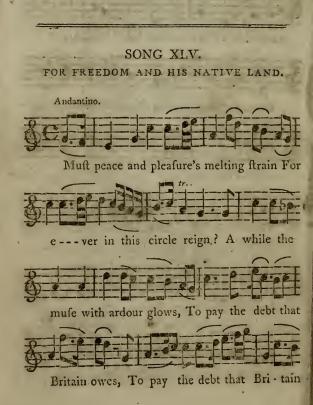
But nipping frofts and chilling rain, " Too foon alas ! choak'd every ftrain, Too foon alas ! the miry way Her wet fhod feet did fore difmay ; And hoarfe was heard my blue ey'd Patty: While I for very mad did cry, Ah ! cou'd I but again, faid I, Hear the fweet voice of blue-ey'd Patty.

Love taught me how : I work'd I fung, My anvil glow'd, my hammer rung, I'T'T

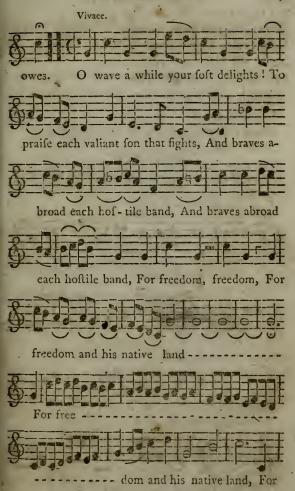
Till I had form'd, from out the fire, To bear her feet above the mire,

An engine for my blue-ey'd Patty. Again was heard each tuneful clofe, My fair one on the *Patten* rofe,

Which takes its name from blue-ey'd Patty ...



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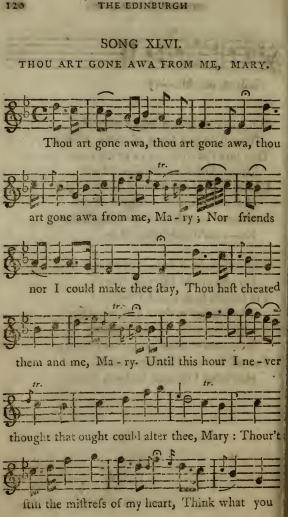
The foldier feeks a diftant plain, The failor ploughs the boift'rous main: Their toil domeftic eafe fecures, The labour theirs, the pleafure yours: Then change a while your foft delights, To praife each valiant fon that fights, And braves abroad each hoffile band, For freedom and his native land.

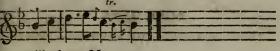
Ye wealthy, who domeftic fweets, Enjoy within your gay retreats, Think, think, on thofe who guard the fhore, While unmolefted fprings your flore : And change a while your foft delights, To praife each valiant fon that fights, And braves abroad each hoftile band, For freedom and his native land.

Ye fwains who haunt the fhady grove, And tranquil breathe your vows of love, Who hear not war's tremendous voice, But in the arms of peace rejoice : Change, change a while your foft delights, To praife each valiant fon that fights,

And braves abroad each hoftile band, For freedom and his native land.

And ye, who in this frolic train, Infpir'd with mufic's fprightly ftrain, And wild with pleafure's airy round, Bid flowing bowls with love be crown'd : Amid your focial dear delights, Remember him who boldly fights, And braves abroad each hoftile band, For freedom and his native land.





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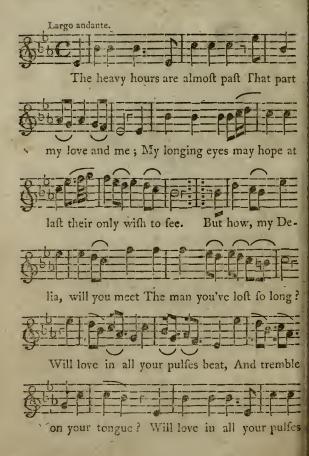
What e'er he faid or might pretend, That ftole that heart of thine, Mary;
True love I'm fure was ne'er his end, Or nae fuch love as mine, Mary.
I fpoke fincere nor flatter'd much, Had no unworthy thoughts, Mary;
Ambition, wealth, nor naething fuch, No—I lov'd only thee, Mary.

Tho' you've been falle, yet while I live, No other maid I'll woo, Mary;
Till friends forget, and I forgive Thy wrongs to them and me, Mary.
So then farewell: of this be fure, Since you've been falle to me, Mary;
For all the world I'd not endure, Half what I've done for thee, Mary.

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SONG XLVII. THE HEAVY HOURS.





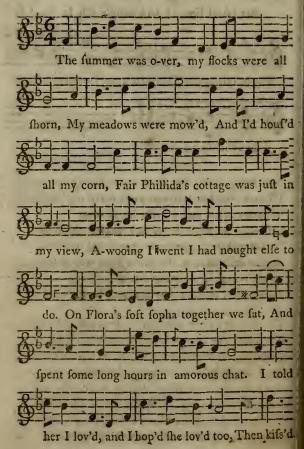
beat, And tremble on your tongue ?

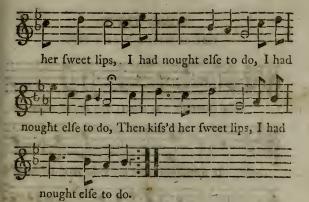
Will you in ev'ry look declare Your heart is ftill the fame ?
And heal each idly anxious care, Our fears in abfence frame ?
Thus, Delia, thus I paint the fcene, When we fhall fhortly meet;
And try what yet remains between, Of loit'ring time to cheat !

But if the dream that foothes my mind, Shall falfe and groundlefs prove;
If I am doom'd at leugth to find You have forgot to love :
All I of Venus afk is this, No more to let us join;
But grant me here the flatt'ring blifs, To die and think you mine.

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SONG XLVIII._ THE SUMMER WAS OVER.





She hung down her head and with blufhes reply'd, I'll love you, but first you must make me your bride. Without hefitation, I make her a vow, To make her my wife—I had nought elfe to do. To the village in quest of a priest did we roam, By fortune's decree, the grave Don was at home, I gave him a fee to make one of us two, He married us then—he had nought elfe to do.

E'er fince we've been happy with peace and content₂. Nor tafted the forrows of thole who repent, Our neighbours all round us we love, and 'tis trne, Each other befide !---when we've nought elfe to do₂. With Phœbus the toil of the day we begin, I fhep! and my flock, while fhe fits down to fpin, Our cares thus domeftic we'll arduous purfue, And ever will love---when we've nought elfe to de,

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SONG XLIX. LEADER HAUGHS AND YARROW.

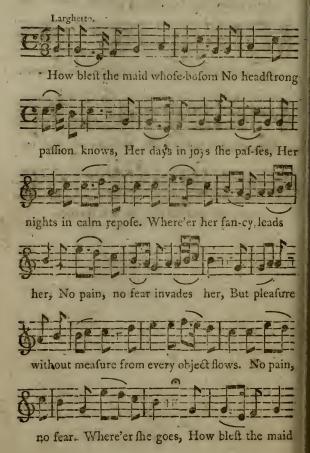


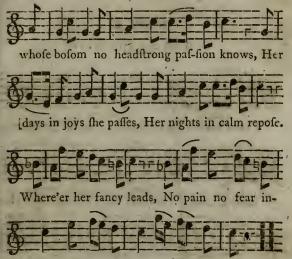
How fweet her face, where every grace In heavenly beauty's planted!

Her fmiling e'en and comely mein, That use perfection wanted. I'll never fret, nor ban my fate, But blefs my bonny marrow : If her dear. fmile my doubts beguile, My mind fhall ken nae forrow. Yet tho' fhe's fair, and has full fhare Of ev'ry charm inchanting, Each good turns ill, and foon will kill Poor me, if love be wanting. O bonny lafs ! have but the grace To think ere ye gae further, Your joys maun flit, if you commit The crying fin of murder. My wand'ring ghailt will ne'er get reft, And day and night affright ye; But if ye're kind, and joyful mind, I'll ftudy to delight ye. Our years around with love thus crown'd, From all things joy fhall borrow : Thus none shall be more bleft than we, On leader-haughs and Yarrow. O fweetest Sue ! 'tis only you Can make life worth my wifhes, If equal love your mind can move To grant this best of bliffes. Thou art.my fun, and thy leaft frown Would blaft me in the bloffom : But if thou fhine, and make me thine, I'll flourish in thy bosom.

SONG L.

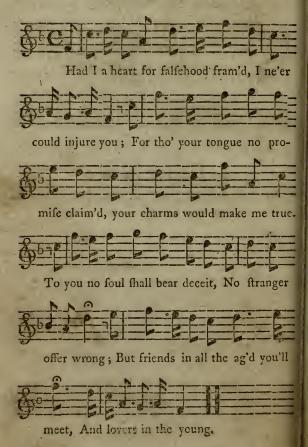
HOW BLEST THE MAID.





vades, No fear invades, no fear invades.

SONG LI. HAD I A HEART.



But when they learn that you have bleft Another with your heart, They'll bid afpiring paffion reft, And act a brother's part. Then, lady, dread not here deceit, Nor fear to fuffer wrong, For friends in all the ag'd you'll meet, And brothers in the young.

SONG LII.

GRAMACHREE MOLLY.

TO THE FOREGOING TUNE.

As down on Banna's banks I ftray'd, One eyening in May, The little birds, in blytheft notes, Made vocal ev'ry fpray : They fung their little tales of love They fung them o'er and o'er; Ah Gramachree, ma Colleenouge, Ma Molly Afhtore !

The daify pied, and all the fweets The dawn of nature yields; The primrofe pale, the vi'let blue, Lay fcatter'd o'er the fields:

Such fragrance in the bofom lies Of her whom I adore. Ah Gramachree, &c.

I laid me down upon a bank, Bewailing my fad fate, That doom'd me thus the flave of love, And cruel Molly's hate : How can fhe break the honeft heart That wears her in its core ? Ah Gramachree, &c.

You faid you lov'd me, Molly dear ! Ah ! why did I believe ?
Yet, who could think fuch tender words Were meant but to deceive??
That love was all I afk'd on earth, Nay, heav'n could give no more. Ah Gramachree, &cc.

Oh had I all the flocks that graze On youder yellow hill, Or low'd for me the num'rous herds. That yon green pafture fill; With her I love I'd gladly fhare My kine and fleecy flore. Ah Gramachree, Sc.

Two.turtle doves above my head Sat courting on a bough;

l envied not their happinefs,
'To fee them bill and coo :
Such fondnefs once for me fhe fnew'd ;
But now, alas ! 'tis o'er.
Ah Gramachree, &c.

Then fare thee well, my Molly dear, Thy lofs I e'er fhall mourn; Whilft life remains in Strephon's heart, 'Twill beat for thee alone: Tho' thou art falfe, may heaven on thee Its choiceft bleffings pour.

Ah Gramachree, &c.

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SONG LIII. FOR EVER FORTUNE.

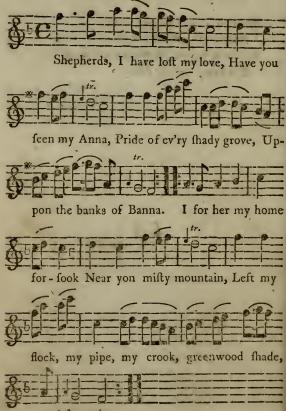


But bufy, bufy ftill art thou To bind the lovelefs, joylefs vow; The heart from pleafure to delude, To bind the gentle with the rude.

For once, O Fortune, hear my pray'r, And I abfolve thy future care; All other bleffings I refign,

Make but the dear Amanda mine.

SONG LIV. THE BANKS OF BANNA.



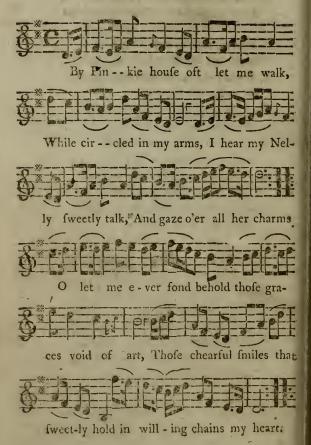
and fountain.

Never fhall I fee them more, Until her returning ; All the joys of life are o'er, From gladnefs chang'd to mourning ;

Whither is my charmer flown. Shepherds tell me whither, Ah ! woe for me, perhaps fhe's gone For ever, and for ever. THE EDINBURGIE

SONG LV.

PINKY HOUSE.



O come, my love, and bring anew That gentle turn of mind; That gracefulnefs of air, in you, By nature's hand defign'd : That beauty like the blufhing rofe, Firft lighted up this flame ! Which, like the fun, for ever glows Within my breaft the fame.

Ye light coquets ! ye airy things ! How vain is all your art ! How feldom it a lover brings ! How rarely keeps a heart ! O gather from my Nelly's charms, That fweet, that gradeful eafe; That blufhing modefly that warms; That native art to pleafe !

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Come then, my love, O! come along, And feed me with thy charms; Come, fair infpirer of my fong, O fill my longing arms! A flame like mine can never die, While charms, fo bright as thine, So heav'nly fair, both pleafe the eye, And fill the foul divine.



Dear laffie, tell, why by thyfell Thou lonely wander'ft here ? My ewes, fhe cry'd, are ftraying wide ; Canft tell me, laddie, where ? To town I hie, he made reply, Some pleafing fport to fee : But thou'rt fo neat, fo trim, fo fweet, I'll feek thy ewes with thee.

She gave her hand, nor made a ftand;
But lik'd the youth's intent:
O'er hill and dale, o'er plain and vale,
Right merrily they went.
The birds fang fweet, the pair to greet,
And flow'rets bloom'd around;
And as they walk'd, of love they talk'd,
And lovers joys when crown'd.

And now the fun had rofe to noon, 'The zenith of hispow'r,
When to the fhade their fteps they made To pafs the mid-day hour.
The bonny lad row'd in his plaid The lafs, who fcorn'd to frown :
She foon forgot the ewes fhe fought, And he to gang to town.

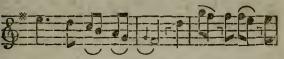
SONG LVII.

THE BROOM ON COWDENKNOWS.





Oh the broom, the bonny bonny broom, the



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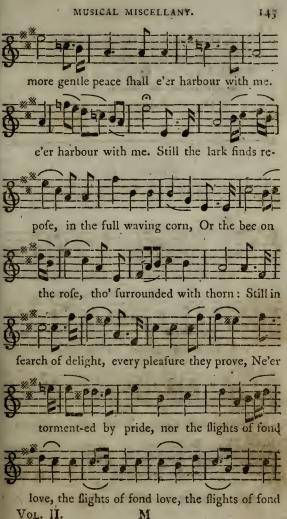
fweet a bloom Elfewhere there ne - ver grows.

There Colin tun'd his oaten reed, And won my yielding heart;
No fhepherd e'er that dwelt on Tweed Could play with half fuch art.
He fung of Tay, of Forth, and Clyde The hills and dales all round;
Of Leader haughs and Leader fide, Oh ! how I bleff'd the found. Oh ! the broom, &c.

Not Tiviot bracs, fo green and gay, May with its broom compare; Not Yarrow banks, in flow'ry May, Nor the Bufh aboon Traquair.

More pleafing far are Cowdenknows, My peaceful happy home, Where I was wont to milk my ewes At eve among the broom. Oh ! the broom, &c.





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SONG LIX.

MY LODGING IS ON THE COLD GROUND.



ve-ry hard is my fare; But that which grieves



love, that is ado-red by me.

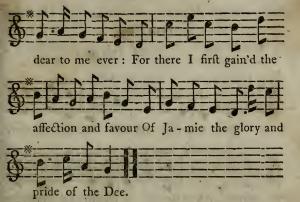
With a garland of ftraw I'll crown thee, love, I'll marry thee with a rufh ring; Thy frozen heart fhall melt with love, So merrily I fhall fing.

Yet still, &c.

But if you will harden your heart, love, And be deaf to my pitiful moan : Oh! I must endure the fmart, love, And tumble in straw all alone. Yet still, &c.

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SONG LX. THE BANKS OF THE DEE. 'Twas fummer, and foftly the breezes were blowing, And fweetly the nightingale fung from the tree; At the foot of a rock where the river was flowing, I fat myfelf down' on the banks of the Dee. Flow on, lovely Dee, flow on thou fweet river, Thy banks, pureft ftream, shall be



But now he's gone from me, and left me thus mourning,

To quell the proud rebels---for valiant is he; And ah! there's no hopes of his fpeedy returning, To wander again on the Banks of the Dee. He's gone, haplefs youth, o'er the loud-roaring bil-

lows,

The kindeft and fweeteft of all the gay fellows, And left me to ftray 'mongft the once loved willows, The lonlieft maid on the Banks of the Dee,

But time and my prayers may perhaps yet reftore him,

Bleft peace may reftore my dear fhepherd to me; And when he returns, with fuch care I'll warch o'er him,

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He never fhall leave the fweet Banks of the Dec. The Dee then fhall flow, all its beauties difplaying; The lambs on its banks fhall again be feen playing; While I, with my Jamie, am carelefsly fraying, And tafting again all the fweets of the Dec.

ADDITIONS BY A LADY.

THUS fung the fair maid on the banks of the river, And fweetly re-cho'd each neighbouring tree; But now all these hopes must evanish for ever, Since Jamie shall ne'er fee the Banks of the Dee. On a foreign shore the fweet youth lay dying, In a foreign grave his body's now lying; While friends and acquaintaince in Scotland are

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For Jamie the glory and pride of the Dee.

Mis-hap on the hand by whom he was wounded; Mis-hap on the wars that call'd him away (ed, From a circle of friends by which he was furround-Who mourn for dear Jamie the tedious day. Oh! poor haplefs maid, who mourns difcontented, The lofs of a lover fo juftly lamented; By time, only time, can her grief be contented, And all her dull hours become chearful and gay.

"Twas honour and brav'ry made him leave her mourning,

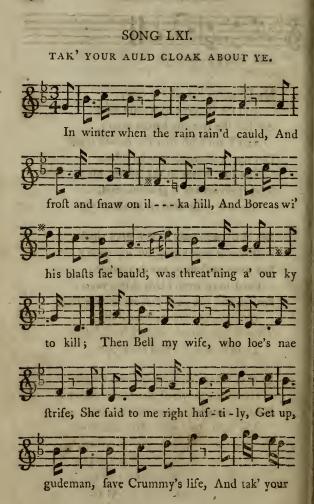
From unjust rebellion his country to free ; He left her in hopes of a speedy returning, To wander again on the Banks of the Dee. For this he despised all dangers and perils; "Twas thus he espoused Britannia's quarrels, That when he came home he might crown her with

laurels,

The happiest maid on the Banks of the Dee.

But fate had determin'd his fall to be glorious, 'Tho' dreadful the thought must be unto me; He fell, like brave Wolfe, when the troops were victorious;

Sure each tender heart must bewail the decree : Yet, tho' he is gone, the once faithful lover, And all our fine fchemes of true happiness over, No doubt he implored his pity and favour For me he had left on the Banks of the Dee.



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auld cloak a - bout ye.

My Crummy is a uleful cow, And the is come of a guid kine; Aft has the wet the bairns mou', And I am laith that the thould tyne; Get up, gudeman, it is fu' time, The fun thines in the lift fae hie; Sloth never made a gracious end, Gae tak' your auld cloak about ye.

My cloak was anes a guid gray cloak, When it was fitting for my wear; But now its fcantly worth a groat, For I have worn't this thirty year. Let's fpend the gear that we have won, We little ken the day we'll die; Then I'll be proud, fince I have fworn To have a new cloak about me.

In days when our king Robert rang, His trews they coft but half a crown; He faid they were a groat o'er dear, And ca'd the taylor thief and lown. He was the king that wore a crown, And thou the man of laigh degree, 'Tis pride puts a' the country down, Sae tak' thy auld cloak about ye.

Every land has its ain laugh, Ilk kind of corn it has its hool ; I think the warld is a' run wrang, When ilka wife her man wad rule. Do ye 'not fee Rob, Jock, and Hab, As they are girded gallantly ? While I fit hurklen in the afe---I'll have a new cloak about me.

Gudeman, I wat 'tis thirty years Since we did ane anither ken ; And we have had between us twa Of lads and bonny laffes ten : Now they are women grown and men. I wifh and pray well may they be And if you prove a good hufband, E'en tak' your auld cloak about ye.

Bell my wife fhe lo'es nat ftrife ; But fhe wad guide me if fhe can : And, to maintain an eafy life,

I aft maun yield, though I'm gudeman. Nought's to be won at woman's hand, Unlefs ye give her a' the plea : Then I'll leave aff where I began, And tak' my auld cloak about me.

SONG LXII.

O'er moorlands and mountains, rude, barren, and bare, As wearied and wilder'd I roam, A gentle young shepherdess fees my despair, And leads me o'er lawns to her home. Yellow fheaves from rich Ce - res her cottage had crown'd, Green rushes were strew'd on the floor ; Her

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cafement fweet woodbines crept wanton -- ly round,



And deckt the fod-feats at the door.

We fat ourfelves down to a cooling repaft, Frefh fruits, and fhe cull'd me the beft; Whilft thrown from my guard by fome glances fhe caft,

Love flily ftole into my breaft. I told my foft wifnes, fhe fweetly reply'd, (Ye virgins, her voice was divine !) " I've rich ones rejected, and great ones deny'd, " Yet take me, fond fhepherd, I'm thine."

Her air was fo modeft, her afpect fo meek, So fimple--tho' fweet--were her charms;
I kifs'd the ripe rofes that glow'd on her cheek, And lock'd the dear maid in my arms.
Now jocund together we tend a few fheep, And if on the banks by the ftream,
Reclin'd on her bofom, I fink into fleep, Her image ftill foftens my dream.

Together we range o'er the flow rifing hills, Delighted with paftoral views; Or reft on the rock whence the ftreamlet diftils, And mark out new themes for my mufe.

To pomp or proud titles fhe ne'er did afpire, The damfel's of humble defcent; The cottager *Peace* is well known for her fire, The fhepherds have nam'd her CONTENT.

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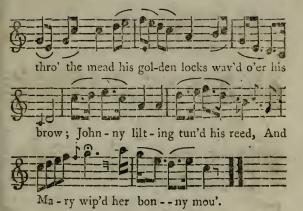
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SONG LXV. JOHNNY AND MARY.

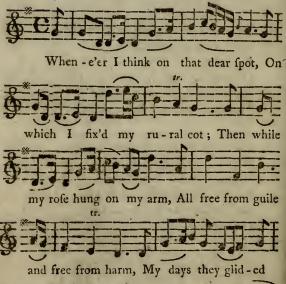


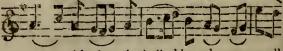


Coftly claiths fhe had but few; Of rings and jewels nae great flore; Her face was fair, her love was true, And Johnny wifely wifh'd nae more: Love's the pearl the fhepherds prize; O'er the mountain---near the fountain, Love delights the fhepherd's eyes, Down the burn, &c.

Gold and titles give not health, And Johnny cou'd nae thefe impart; Youthfu' Mary's greateft wealth Was ftill her faithfu' Johnny's heart: Sweet the joy's the lovers find, Great the treafure, - fweet the pleafurc, Where the heart is always kind. Down the burn, &c.

SONG LXVI. THE ROYAL COTTAGER.





on with glee, And all things then were well



with me: My days they glided on with glee,



And all things then were well with me.

But when once drawn away by fate Unto a more exalted flate, By finiling Fortune promif'd fair Until fhe brought her train of care : "Twas then I firft began to fee That happinefs had fled from me.

The noife of cities, glare of courts, Where gay diffimulation fports, Where envy fain wou'd blight my Rofe, Becaufe her cheek fo purely glows; Let fortune take her ftores again, Give me my cot, and rural plain.

And while I tread the ocean's fide, The greateft pleafure, greateft pride, Shall be each day with Rofe to walk, In focial inoffenfive talk; And when each blifsful day fhall clofe, The waves thall lull us to repofe.

SONG LXVII. PEGGY PERKINS.





Some men compare the fav'rite fair Fo every thing in nature ; Her eyes divine are funs that fhine, And fo on with each feature. Leave, leave ye fools, thefe hackneyed rules, And all fuch fubtile quirkings ; Sun, moon, and ftars, are all a faree, Compar'd to Peggy Perkins.

Each twanging dart that through my heart From Cupid's bow has morric'd, Were it a tree---why I fhould be For all the world a foreft!

Five hundred fops, with fhrugs and hops, And leers, and fmiles, and fmirkings, Moft willing fhe would leave for me-Oh what a Peggy Perkins !



Jockie was the laddie that held the pleugh, But now he's got gowd and gear encugh; He thinks nae mair of me that wears the plaiden

coat;

May the fhame, &c.

Jenny was the laffie that mucked the byre, But now fhe is clad in her filken attire, And Jockie fays he loes her, and fwears he's me forgot;

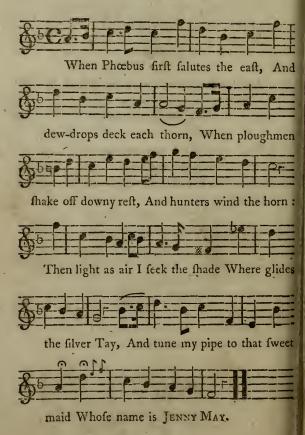
May the fhame, &c.

But all this fhall never danton me, Sae lang as I keep my fancy free : For the lad that's fae inconftant, he is not, worth a groat;

May the fhame, &c.

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SONG LXIX. JENNY MAY.



At noon, when fultry fol is found To forch the verdant plain; When nimbling flocks are panting round, And feem to live in pain; Then, fhelter'd in the ftraw thatch'd cot, I pafs the time away; The higheft folks I envy not, Give me but Jenny May.

When, riding down the diftant weft, The god of light declines,
By many varied ftreaks confeft,
Delightfully he fhines:
With nymphs and fhepherds on the plain,
I ftill am blithe and gay;
But yet my fofteft, fweeteft ftrain Muft flow to Jenny May.

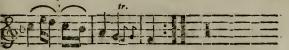
In fpring, in fummer, autumn too, In winter's furieft rage, Days, hours, and months I'll ftill purfue My fancy to engage : For ev'ry moment, ev'ry hour, And ev'ry paffing day Shall, while kind nature gives me pow'r, Be true to Jenny May.

SONG LXX. IN AIRY DREAMS.



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The moments now move flowly on, Until thy with'd return; I count them oft, as all alone The penfive fhades I mourn. Return, return my love, and charm Each anxious care to reft; Thy fmiles fhall every care difarm, And foothe my foul to reft.

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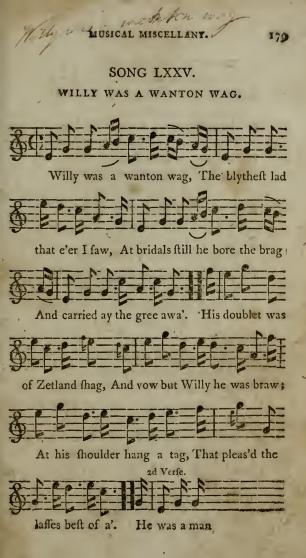
SONG LXXI.

THE EGYPTIAN LOVE-SONG.

FROM POTIPHAR'S WIFE TO YOUNG JOSEPH. Translated from an Oriental Fflay on Chaflity.



flow -- ing, Why delights the hon -- ied bee,



He was a man without a clag,
His heart was frank without a flaw a
And ay whatever Willy faid,
It was ftill hadden as a law.
His boots they were made of the jag,
When he went to the weapon-fhaw
Upon the green nane durft him brag,
The fiend a ane amang them a'.
And was not Willy well worth gowd,
He wan the love of great and fma';
For after he the bride had kiff'd.

He kiff'd the laffes hale-fale a'? Sae merrily round the ring they row'd, When by the hand he led them a', And fmack on fmack on them beftow'd, By virtue of a ftanding law.

And was na Willy a great lown, As thyre a lick as e'er was feen ? When he danc'd with the laffes round, The bridegroom fpeer'd where he had been: Quoth Willy, I've been at the ring, With bobbing, faith, my thanks are fair. Gae ca' your bride and maidens in, For Willy he dow do na mair

Then reft ye, Willy, I'll gae out, And for a wee fill up the ring;

But fhame light on his fouple fnout, He wanted Willy's wanton fling : Then ftraight he to the bride did fare, Says, well's me on your bonny face ; With bobbing, Willy's fhanks are fair, And I'm come out to fill his place.

Bridgroom, fhe fays, you'll fpoil the dance, And at the ring you'll ay be lag,
Unlefs, like Willy, ye advance;
(O! Willy has a wanton wag:)
For wi't he learns us a to fleer, And foremost ay bears up the ring;
We will find nae fick dancing here, If we want Willy's wanton fling.

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SONG LXXVI. WHEN MORN HER SWEETS.





here below, The beft of bleffings here below.

To fome clear river's verdant fide, Do thou my happy footfteps guide ; In concert with the purling ftream We'll fing, and love fhall be the theme : E'er night affumes her gloomy reign, When fhadows lengthen o'er the plain ; We'll to the myrtle grove repair, For peace and pleafure wait us there.

The laughing god there keeps his court, And little loves inceffant fport; Around the winning graces wait, And calm contentment guards the feat. There loft in extafies of joy, While tendereft fcenes our thoughts employ, We'll blefs the hour our loves begun, The happy moment made us one.

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SONG LXXVII.

FAIR ELIZA.



Inconstant I of course became, No care kept up the lambent flamo,

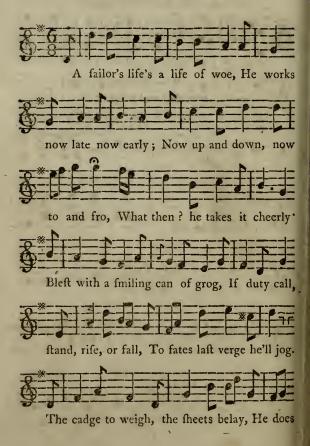
Which thus unheeded died : To whim was facrificed each grace, To vanity each pleafing face, And love too oft to pride.

At length I fair Eliza faw, Whofe beauties fire---whofe virtues awe ; I gaz'd, admir'd, and lov'd. Her fweet attention foothes each care,

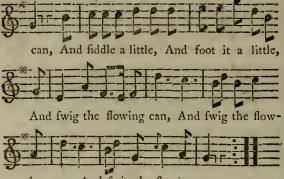
Nought can our mutual blifs impair,

Time has our flame improv'd.

SONG LXXVIII. THE FLOWING CAN.







ing can, And fwig the flowing can.

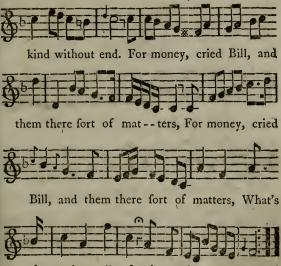
If howling winds and roaring feas Give proof of coming danger, We view the ftorm, our hearts at eafe, For Lack's to fear a ftranger. Bleft with the finiling grog, we fly Where now below We headlong go, Now rife on mountains high: Spight of the gale, We hand the fail, Or take the needful reef; Or man the deck, To clear fome wreck, To give the fhip relief. Though perils threat around, All fense of danger's drown'd,

We defpife it to a man. We fing a little, &c.

But yet think not our cafe is hard, Though ftorms at fea thus treat us, For coming home -- a fweet reward, With fmiles our fweathearts greet us. Now too the friendly grog we quaff, Our am'rous toaft, Her we love most, And gayly fing and laugh, The fails we furl, Then for each girl, The petticoat difplay. The deck we clear, Then three times cheer, As we their charms furvey. And then the grog goes round, All fenfe of danger's drown'd, We despise it to a man. We fing a little, &c.

SONG LXXIX. BILL BOBSTAY.





the good on't d'ye fee, but to fuccour a friend?

There's Nipcheefe, the purfer, by grinding and ' fqueezing,

First plund'ring, then leaving the ship like a rat; The eddy of fortune stands on a stiff breeze in, And mounts, fierce as fire, a dog-vane in his hat.

My bark, though hard ftorms on life's ocean fhould rock her,

Tho' fhe roll in misfortune, and pitch end for end, No, never fhall Bill keep a fhot in the locker, When by handing it out he can fuccour a friend. Let them throw out their wipes, and cry, fpight of the croffes,

And forgetful of toil that fo hard'ly they bore, That " Sailors at fea earn their money like horfes, " To fquander it idly like affes afhore."

Such lubbers their aw would coil up, could they meafur?

By their feeling, the gen'rous delight without end, That gives birth in us tars to that trueft of pleafure, The handing our rhino to fuccour a friend.

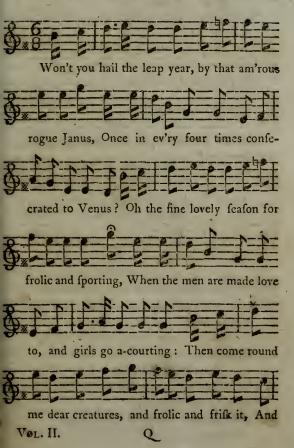
Why, what's all this nonfenfe they talks of and pother All about *rights of men*, what a plague are they at ? If they means that each man to his meffimate's a brother,

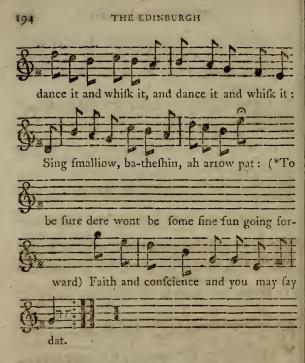
Why, the lubberly fwabs! ev'ry fool can tell that.

The rights of us Britons we knows to be loyal, In our country's defence our laft moments to fpend : To fight up to the ears to protect the blood royal, To be true to our wives—and to fuccour a friend.

SONG LXXX.

LEAP YEAR.





Mifter Vanus come put on a mafculine air, Throw yourfelf on your knees, curfe your ftars, lie and fwear;

Perfection, fays you, to your beauty's a quiz, Cries Mifs Mars, do you love me, I do, dam'me, whiz! Then come round me, &c.

(To be fure dere won't be fine fighing and dying and wooing and cooing !)

Fait and confcience and you may fay dat.

* To be fung ad libitum.

Rich young ladies of fixty new born to love's joys, Shall hobble and mumble their courtfhip to boys;

Girls shall court from the shiners of old men assistance,

With their eye on a handfome tight lad in the diftance,

Then come round me, &c.

(To be fure they won't make the best use of their time!)

Fait and confcience and you may fay dat.

Mifs Maypole shall shoop to the arms of an imp, And the tall lady Gauky shall court my Lord Shrimp, Mifs Pigmy shall climb round the neck of a tall man, And the rich widow Mite court a big Irish Jollman !

Then come round me, &c.

(To be fure dere won't be fine fimpering and ogling and leering !)

Fait and confcience and you may fay dat.

Mifs Champanfy, whole monky has fo many charms, Of a fine powder'd coxcomb shall rush to the arms; To court Mister Sciatic Miss Spasin shall hop,

And Mifs Cheveux de frize fhall addrefs Mr Crop ! Then come round me, &c.

(To be fure de bold little devils won't put the men in a fine flufteration!)

Fait and confcience and you may fay.dat;

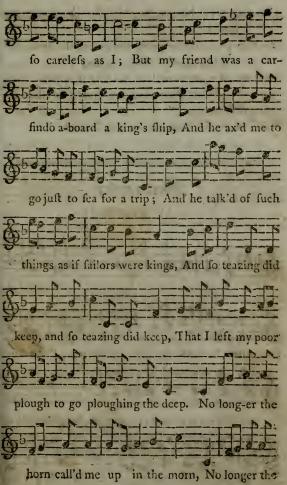
Thus you've nothing to do Jollmen all but fit flill, And fait ev'ry Jack will foon find cut a Jill ;

- Come on, ye bold devils, fwear, lie, and make fpeeches,
- Tis leap-year, and the petticoats govern the breeches ! Then come round me, &c.
- {Ah the dear creatures ! to be fure they wont cut a comical figure when they are drefs'd in their inexprefibles !)

SONG LXXXI.

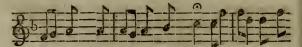
Fait and confeience and you may fay dat.

THE LUCKY ESCAPE. I that once was a ploughman, a failor and now. No lark that aloft in the fky, E-ver flutbe ter'd his wings to give fpeed to the plough Was fo gay and fo carelefs as I, Was fo gay and



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horn call'd me up in the morn, I trufted the



carfindo and the inconftant wind, That made me



for to go and leave my dear be - hind.

I did not much like for to be aboard a flip, When in danger there is no door to creep out; Liked the jolly tars, I liked bumbo and flip, But I did not like rocking about;

By and by came a hurricane, I did not like that, Next a battle that many a failor laid flat;

Ah ! cried I, who would roam,

That like me had a home;

When I'd fow and I'd reap,

Ere I'left my poor plough, to go ploughing the deep; Where fweetly the horn Call'd me up in the morn,

Ere I trufted the Carfindo and the inconflant wind, That made me for to go and leave my dear behind.

At laft fafe I landed, and in a whole ikin, Nor did I make any long ftay,

Ere I found by a friend who I ax'd for my kin,

Father dead, and my wife ran away ! Ah who but thyfelf, faid I, haft thou to blame? Wives loofing their hufbands oft lofe their good name:

Ah why did I roam

When fo happy at home :

I could fow and could reap,

Ere I left my poor plough to go ploughing the deep : When fo fweetly the horn

Call'd me up in the morn,

Curfe light upon the Carfindo and inconftant wind, That made me for to go and leave my dear behind.

Why if that be the cafe, faid this very fame friend, And you ben't no more minded to roam,

Gi'e's a fhake by the fift, all your care's at an end,.

Dad's alive and your wife's fafe at home. Stark flaring with joy, I leapt out of my fkin, Buff'd my wife, mother, fafter, and all of my kin:

Now, cried I, let them roam,

Who want a good home,.

I am well, fo I'll keep,

Nor again leave my plough to go ploughing the deep;

Once more shall the horn

Call me up in the morn,

Nor fhall any damn'd Carfindo, nor the inconftant wind

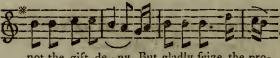
E'er tempt me for to go and leave my dear behinds.

SONG LXXXII.

WHEN CUPID HOLDS THE MYRTLE CROWN.



When Cupid holds the myr - tle crown, I'll

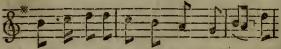


not the gift de - ny, But gladly feize the pro-

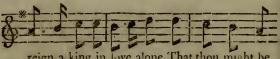


fer'd boon Which now compleats my joy, which





prompts me on l'o rule the wide Defmene, l'd



reign a king in love alone That thou might be



thou might be my queen.

-Or fhould the goddefs, bright and fair, Stoop from the Paphian ifle, And ftrewing rofy chaplets here, On thee prefer to fmile :

I'll ne'er repine at this decree, Nor other bleffing crave; Sole monarch thou in love fhalt be, And I thy captive flave.

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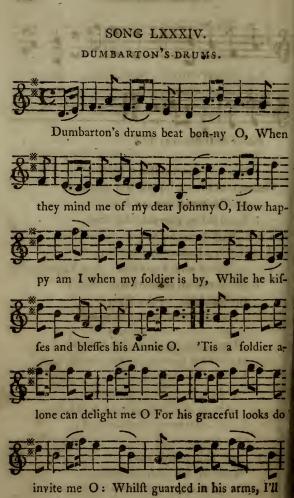
SONG LXXXIII.

HOW STANDS THE GLASS AROUND.



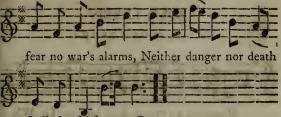
Why, foldiers, why, Should we be melancholy, boys? Why, foldiers, why? Whofe bufinefs 'tis to die! What, fighing? fie! Don't fear, drink on, be jolly, boys! 'Tis he, you, or I! Cold, hot, wet, or dry, We're always bound to follow, boys, And feorn to fiy!

'Tis but in vain,— I mean not to upbraid you, boys,— 'Tis but in vain, For foldiers to complain : Should next campaign Send us to him who made us, boys, We're free from pain ! But if we remain, A bottle and a kind landlady Cure all again.



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THE EDINBURGH



shall e'er fright me, O.

My love is a handfome laddie, O, Genteel, but ne'er foppifh nor gaudy, O: Tho' commiffions are dear, Yet I'll buy him one this year, For he thall ferve no longer a cadie, O. A foldier has honour and bravery, O, Unacquainted with rogues and their knavery, O: He minds no other thing, But the ladies or the King; For every other care is but flavery O.

Then I'll be the Captain's lady, O, Farewell all my friends and my daddy, O;

I'll wait no more at home, But I'll follow with the drum, And whene'er that beats, I'll be ready, O. Dumbarton's Drum: found bonny, O; They are fprightly, like my dear Johnny, O, How happy fhall I be, When on my foldier's knee, And he kifles and bleffes his Annie, Q. Vol. II.

SONG LXXXV. THE OLD MAN'S SONG. To the foregoing Tune.

WHY fhould old age fo much wound us, O?
 There is nothing in't at all to confound us, O;
 For how happy now am I,
 With my old wife fitting by,
 And our bairns and our oyes all around us, O.
 For how happy now am I, &c.

We began in this world with naething, O,
And we've jogg'd on and toild for the aething, O;
We made ufe of what we had,
And our thankful hearts were glad,
When we got the bit meat and the claithing, O.
We made ufe of what we had, &c.

When we had any thing we never vaunted, O,
Nor did we hing our heads when we wanted, O;
We always gave a fhare
Of the little we could fpare,
When it pleas'd the ALMIGHTY to grant it, O.
We always gave a fhare, &c.

We have liv'd all our lifetime contented, O, Since the day we became first acquainted, O:

It's true we have been poor, And we are fo to this hour, Yet we never repin'd nor lamented, O. It's true we have been poor, &c.

We never laid a plot to be wealthy, O,
By ways that were cunning or flealthy, O,
But we always had the blifs,
(And what further could we wis '?)
To be pleas'd with ourfelves and be healthy, O.
But we always had the blifs, &c.)

But the' we cannot boaft of our guineas, O, We have plenty of Jockies and Jeannies, O; And thefe I'm certain are More defireable by far Than a bag full of poor yellow flanies, O. And thefe I'm certain are, &c.

We have feen many wonder and fairly, O, At changes that have almost been yearly, O, Of rich folks up and down, Both in country and in town, That now live but for imply and sparely, O. Of rich folks up and down, &c.

Then why fhould people brag of profperity, O, Since a ftraiten'd life we fee is no rarity, O? Indeed we've been in want, And our living's been but fcant,

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Yet we never were reduc'd to feek charity, O. Indeed we've been in want, &c.

In this houfe we first came together, O, Where we've long been a father and mother, O And tho' not of flone and lime, It will ferve us all our time, And I hope we fhall never need another, O. And tho' not of flone and lime, &c.

And when we leave this habitation, O We'll depart with a good commendation, O, well go hand in hand I wis' To a better place than this, And make room for the next generation, O, We'll go hand in hand I wis', &c.

Then why fhould old age fo much wound us, O?
There is nothing in't at all to confound us, O, For how happy now am I, With my old wife fitting by,
And our bairns and our oyes all around us, O. For how happy now am I, &.

MUSICAL MISCELLANY. 209 a There has t 1) SONG LXXXVI. THERE WAS A JOLLY MILLER There was a jol-ly miller once Liv'd on the ri-ver Dee, He danc'd and he fung from morn ---till night, No lark fo blithe as he. And this the burden of his fong for e - ver us'd to be : I care for nobody, no, not I, If no-bo-dy cares for me.

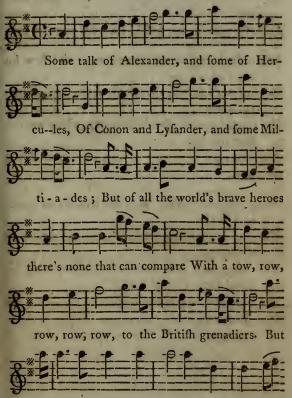
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- I live by my mill, God blefs her! fhe's kindred, child and wife;
- I would not change my station for any other in life. No lawyer, furgeon, or doctor, e'er had a groat from me.

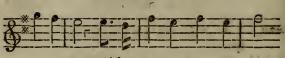
I care for nobody, no, not I, if nobody cares for me.

- When fpring begins its merry career, oh ! how his heart grows gay !
- No fummer's drouth alarms his fears, nor winter's fad decay;
- No forefight mars the miller's joy, who's wont to fing and fay,
- Let others toil from year to year, I live from day to day.
- Thus, like the miller, bold and free, let us rejoice and fing :
- The days of youth are made for glee, and time is on the wing.
- This fong fhall pass from me to thee, along this jovial ring :
- Let heart and voice and all agree, to fay,—long live the King !

SONG LXXXVII. BRITISH GRENADIERS.



of all the world's brave heroes there's none that



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can compare with a tow, row, row, row, row,



to the British gre-na-diers.

None of those ancient heroes e'er faw a cannon ball,

- Or knew the force of powder to flay their foes withal;
- But our brave boys do know it, and banish all their fears,

With a tow, row, row, row, row, the British Grenadiers.

But our brave boys, &c

Whene'er we are commanded to ftorm the Palifades, Our leaders march with fufees, and we with hand Granades,

- We throw them from the glacis about our enemies cars,
- With a tow, row, row, row, row, the British Grenadiers,

We throw them, &c.

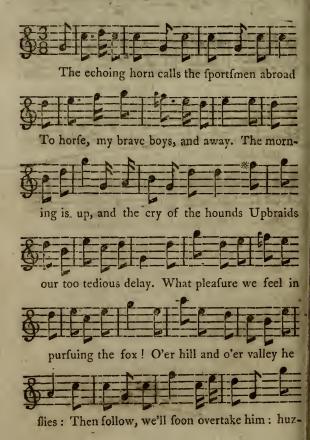
The god of war was pleafed, and great Bellona fmiles, To fee thefe noble heroes of our British Iss; And all the gods celeftial, defcended from their fpheres,

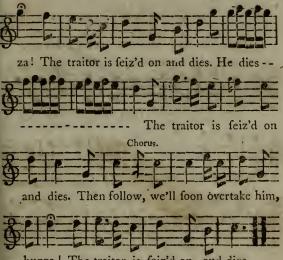
Beheld with admiration the British Grenadiers. And all the gods celestial, &c.

- Then let us crown a bumper, and drink a health to those
- Who carry caps and pouches that wear the looped clothes.
- May they and their commanders live happy all their years,
- With a tow, row, row, row, row, the British Grenadiers.

May they and their commanders, &c.

SONG LXXXVIII. THE ECHOING HORN.





huzza! The traitor is feiz'd on, and dies.

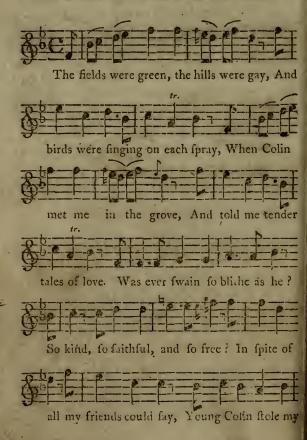
Triumphant returning at night with the fpoil, Like Baechanals, fhouting and gay; How fweet with a bottle and lafs to refrefh, And drown the fatigues of the day !

With fport, love, and wine, fickle fortune defy; Dull wifdom all happine's fours. Since life is no more than a paffage at beft, Let's ftrew the way over with flow'rs.

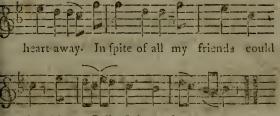
With flow'rs; lets ftrew, &c.

SONG LXXXIX.

HE STOLE MY TENDER HEART AWAY.



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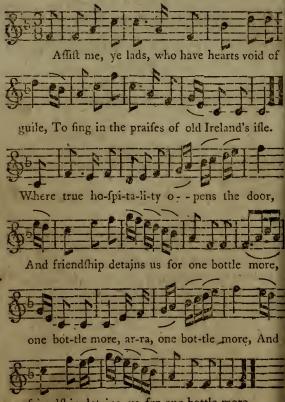
fay, Young Colin ftole my heart away.

Whene'er he trips the meads along, He fweetly joins the woodlark's fong; And when he dances on the green, There's none fo blithe as Colin feen. If he's bur by I nothing fear; For I alone am all his care : Then, fpite of all my friends can fay, He's ftole my tender heart away.

My mother chides whene'er I roam, And feems furpris'd I quit my home : But fhe'd not wonder that I rove, Did fhe but feel how much I love. Full well I know the gen'rous fwain Will never give my bolom pain : Then, fpite of all my friends can fay, IIc's ftole my tender heart away.

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SONG XC. ONE BOTTLE MORE.



friendship detains us for one bottle more.

Old England, your taunts on our country forbear; With our bulls, and our brogues, we are true and fincere.

For if but one bottle remain'd in our flore, We have generous hearts to give that bottle more.

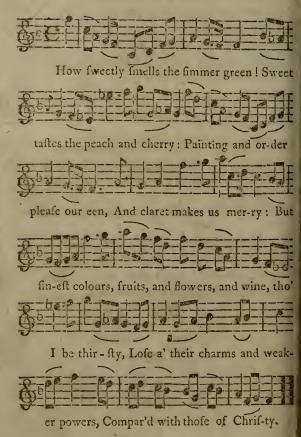
In Candy's, in Church-ftreet, I'll fing of a fet Of fix Irish blades who together had met; Four bottles a-piece made us call for our fcore, And nothing remained but one bottle more.

Our bill being paid, we were loath to depart, For friendship had grappled each man by the heart; Where the least touch you know makes an Irishman roar,

And the whack from shilella brought fix bottles more.

Slow Phœbus had fhone thro' our window fo bright, Quite happy to view his bleft children of light. So we parted with hearts neither forry nor fore, Refolving next night to drink twelve bottles more.

SONG XCI. BONNY CHRISTY.



When wand'ring o'er the flow'ry park, No natural beauty wanting,
How lightfome is't to hear the lark, And birds in concert chanting !
But if my Chrifty tunes her voice, I'm rapt in admiration ;
My thoughts with ecftafies rejoice, And drap the haill creation.

Whene'er fhe fmiles a kindly glance, I take the happy omen,
And aften mint to make advance,
Hoping fhe'll prove a woman :
But dubious of my ain defert,
My fentiments I fmother ;
With fecret fighs I yex my heart,
For fear fhe loves another.

Thus fang blate Edie by a burn, His Chrifty did o'er-hear him; She doughtna let her lover mourn, But e'er he wift drew near him. She fpake her favour with a look, Which left nae room to doubt her; He wifely this white minute took, And flang his arms about her.

My Chrifty !----witnefs, bonny ftream, Sic joy frae tears ariling,

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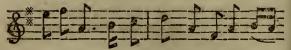
I wifh this mayna be a dream; O love the maift furprifing ! Time was too precious now for talk; This point of a' his wifhes He wadna with fet fpeeches bauk, But war'd it a' on kiffes.

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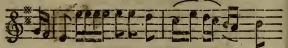
FROM THE EAST BREAKS THE MORN.



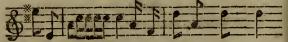
From the east breaks the morn, See the fun-



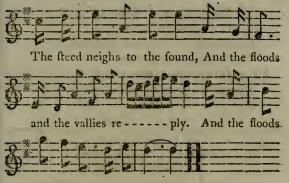
beams a-dorn The wild heath and the mountains



fo high --, The wild heath and the moun-



tains fo high ---. Shrilly opes the flaunch hound,



and the val-lies re - - ply.

Our forefathers, fo good, Prov'd their greatnels of blood By encount'ring the pard and the boar; Ruddy health bloom'd the face, Age and youth urg'd the chace, And taught woodlands and forefts to roar.

Hence of noble defcent, Hills and wilds we frequent, Where the bofom of nature's reveal'd; Tho' in life's bufy day Man of man make a prey, Still let ours be the prey of the field:

With the chace in full fight, Gods ! how great the delight !' How our mutual fenfations refine !

Where is care? Where is fear? Like the winds in the rear, And the man's loft in fomething divine:

Now to horfe, my brave boys: Lo! each pants for the joys That anon fhall enliven the whole: Then at eve we'll difmount, Toils and pleafures recount, And renew the chace over the bowl.

SONG XCIII.

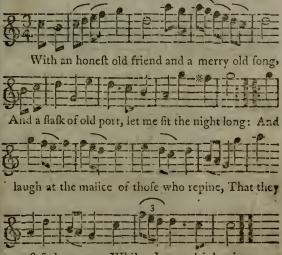
LET GAY ONES AND GREAT. To the foregoing tune.

LET gay ones and great Make the most of their fate; From pleafure to pleafure they run: Well, who cares a jot? I envy them not While I have my dog and my gum.

For exercife, air, To the field I repair, With fpirits unclouded and light : The bliffes I find, No ftings leave behind, But health and diverfion unite.

SONG XCIV.

WITH AN HONEST OLD FRIEND.

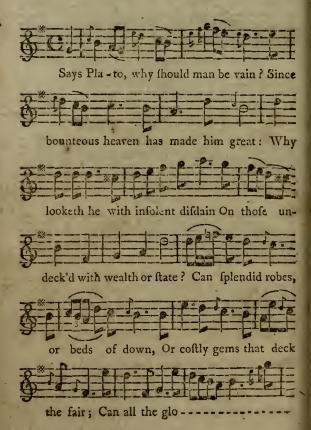


. must fwig porter, While I can drink wine.

I envy no mortal, though ever fo great, Nor fcorn I a wretch for his lowly eftate; But what I abhor, and efteem as a curfe, Is poornefs of fpirit not poornefs in purfe.

Then dare to be generous, dauntlefs, and gay; Let's merrily pafs life's remainder away: Upheld by our friends, we our foes may defpife; For the more we are envied the higher we rife.

SONG XCV. PLATO'S ADVICE.

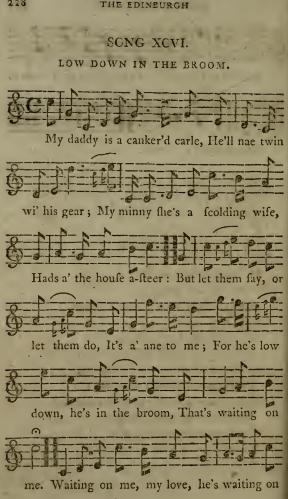


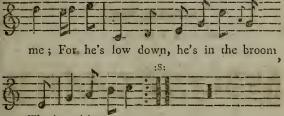
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Give health, or eafe the brow of care?

The fcepter'd king, the burthen'd flave,
The humble, and the haughty, die;
The rich, the poor, the bafe, the brave,
In duft, without diftinction, lie.
Go fearch the tombs where monarchs reft,
Who once the greateft titles bore:
The wealth and glory they poffeff'd,
And all their honours, are no more.





That's waiting on me.

My aunty Kate fits at her wheel, And fair fhe lightlies me; But weel ken I it's a' envy; For ne'er a jo has fhe. But let them fay, &c.

My coufin Kate was fair beguil'd Wi' Johnny i' the glen ; And ay fince-fyne fhe cries, beware Of falfe deluding men. But let her fay, &e.

Glee'd Sandy he came weft ae night, And fpeer'd when I faw Pate; And ay fince fyne the neighbours round They jeer me air and late. But let them fay, &c.

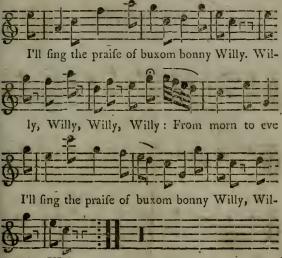
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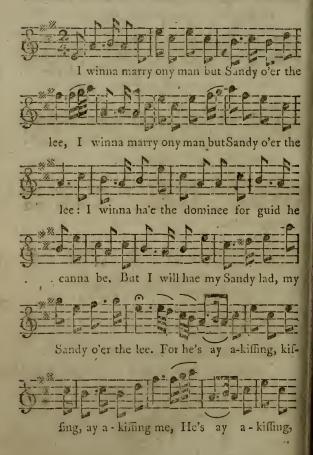
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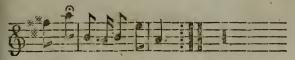
Reclin'd by Tay at noon-tide day, We'll pu' the daify pretty; The live long day we'll kifs and play, Or fing fome loving ditty. Wi' Willy then, &c.

Now blithe and gay at fetting day, My mither dinna hinder, I'll fing and play wi' Willy gay, For we twa ne'er fhall finder. Wi' Willy then, &c.

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SONG XCVIII. HE'S AY A KISSING ME.





kiffing, ay a-kiffing me.

I will not have the minifter for all his godly looks,
Nor yet will I the lawyer have, for all his wily crooks :
I will not have the plowman lad, nor yet will I the miller,

But I will have my Sandy lad without one penny filler.

For he's aye a-kiffing, kiffing, &c.

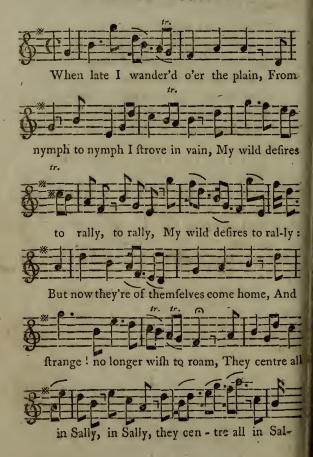
I will not have the foldier lad for he gangs to the war,
 I will not have the failor lad becaufe he fmells of tar.
 I will not have the lord nor laird for all their mickle gear,

But I will have my Sandy lad, my Sandy o'er the muir.

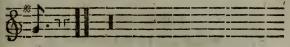
For he's ay a-kiffing, kiffing, &c.

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SONG XCIX, WHEN LATE I WANDER'D.



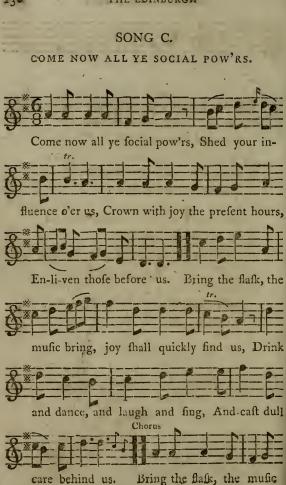
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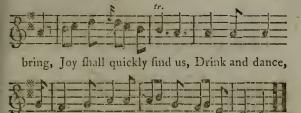
Yet fhe, unkind one, damps my joy, And cries, I court but to deftroy, Can love with ruin tally? By thofe dear lips, thofe eyes, I fwear, I wou'd all deaths, all torments bear, Rather than injure Sally.

Come then, Oh come, thou fweeter far Than violets and rofes are, Or lillies of the valley;
O follow love, and quit your fear, He'll guide you to thefe arms my dear, And make me bleft in Sally.



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and laugh and fing, and caft dull care behind us.

Friendship, with thy pow'r divine, Brighten all our features; What but friendship, love, and wine, Can make us happy creatures? Bring the flask, &c.

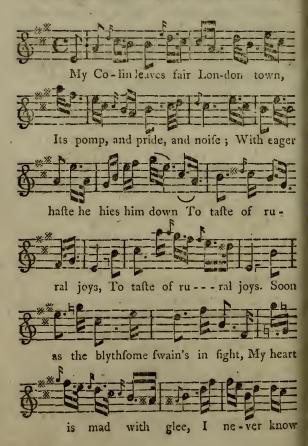
Love, thy Godhead we adore, Source of generous paffion; . Nor will we ever bow before) Thofe idols, wealth and fafhion. Bring the flafk, &c.

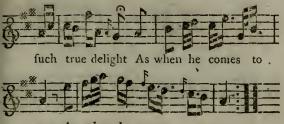
Why fhould we be dull or fad, Since on earth we moulder ? The grave, the gay, the good, the bad, They every day grow older. Bring the flafk, &c.

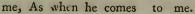
Then fince time will fteal away, 'Spite of all our forrow; Heighten every joy to day, And never mind to morrow. Bring the flafk, &c.

SONG CI.

MY COLIN LEAVES FAIR LONDON TOWN.







How fweet with him all day to rove, And range the meadows wide;
Nor yet lefs fweet the moon-light grove, All by the river's fide: The gaudy feafons pafs away, How fwift when Colin's by !
How quickly glides the flow'ry May !
How faft the Summers fly !

When Colin comes to grace the plains, An humble crook he bears,
He tends the flock like other fwains, A fhepherd quite appears.
All in the verdant month of May, A ruftic rake his pride,
He helps to make the new mown hay With Moggy by his fide.

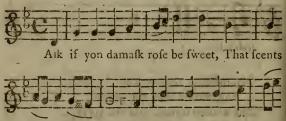
'Gainst yellow Autumn's milder reign, His fickle he prepares,

He reaps the harveft on the plain, All pleaf'd with rural cares : With jocund dance the night is crown'd, When all the toil is o'er, With him I trip it on the ground, With bonny fwains a fcore.

When winter's gloomy months prevail, If Colin is but here,
His jovial laugh and merry tale For me are meikle cheer.
The folks who choofe in towns to dwell, Are from my envy free,
For Moggy loves the plains too well, And Colin's all to me.

SONG CII.

ASK IF YON DAMASK ROSE BE SWEET.



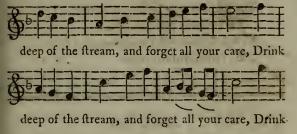
the ambient air; Then alk each shepherd that

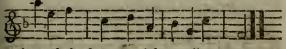


Say, will the vulture leave his prey, And warble thro' the grove ? Bid wanton linnets duit the fpray, Then doubt thy fhepherd's love. Vol., II. U

The fpoils of war let heroes fhare, Let pride in fplendour fhine; Ye bards unenvy'd laurels wear, Be fair Sufannah mine.







deep of the ftream, and forget all your care.

Old maids fhall forget what they with for in vain, And young ones the rover they cannot regain; The rake fhall forget how laft night he was cloy'd, And Chloe again be with paffion enjoy'd : Obey then the fummons, to Lethe repair, And drink an Oblivion to trouble and care.

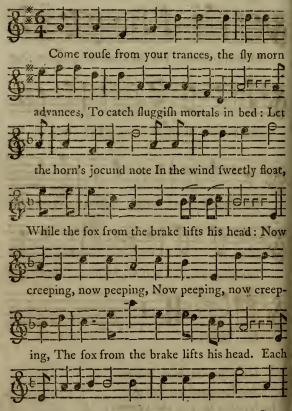
The wife at one draught may forget all her wants, Or drench her fond fool, to forget her gallants; The troubled in mind fhall go chearful away, And yefterday's wretch be quite happy to day. Obey then the fummons to Lethe repair, Drink deep of the ftream and forget all your cate.

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SONG CIV.

COME ROUSE FROM YOUR TRANCES.



away to his fteed, Your goddels shall lead, Come

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Hark Jowler, hark Rover, See Reynard breaks cover; The hunters fly over the ground :

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Now they fkim o'er the plain, Now they dart down the lane, And the hills, woods, and vallies refound. With fplafhing and dafhing, With fplafhing and dafhing, The hills, woods, and vallies refound. Then away with full fpeed, Your goddefs fhall lead, Come follow, my worfhippers, follow, follow, follow, follow, follow, For the chace all prepare, See the Hounds fnuff the air, Hark, hark, to the huntfman's fweet hollow, hollow, hol-

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SONG CV.

OLD CARE BEGONE.





No turbid thoughts perplex the brain, We cynic rules decline; Give me your joyous drinking blades, And cellars ftor'd with wine. With grapes my temples wreathe around, A hogfhead ftriding o'er, A rummer fill'd with generous wine, Ye gods, I afk no more.

In triumph then, O! how I'll quaff, Amidft each toping fon ; I wou'd like Bacchus' felf appear, Aftride the jolly tun.

Let learned pedants rave and rail, Their maxims we defpife; If fhunning wine is wifdom call'd, Oh! let me ne'er be wife.

The diff'rence view 'twixt fons of care, And lads of rofy hue, Their fober joys are ftill the fame, Our drinking's ever new. Let them go on, dream life away, Great Bacchus we'll adore, And free as air we'll drink and fing, Till time fhall be no more.

SONG CVI.

Never till now I knew love's fmart, Guefs who



you, if you'll believe me, 'Twas only you, if

Since that I've felt love's fatal pow'r, Heavy has paff'd each anxious hour, If not with you, if you'll believe me,

If not with you, &c. Honour and wealth no joys can bring, Nor I be happy tho' a king, If not with you, if you'll believe me,' If not with you, &c.

When from this world I'm call'd away, For you alone I'd wifh to ftay, For you alone, if you'll believe me,

For you alone, &c. Grave on my tomb, where'er I'm laid, Here lies one who lov'd but one maid, That's only you, if you'll believe me.

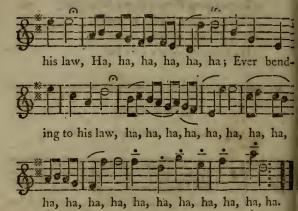
That's only you, &c.

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his godfhip's fame and glory : Ever bending to



O'er the grave, and o'er the gay, Cupid takes his fhare of play, He makes heroes quite their glory, He's the god moft fam'd in ftory; Bending then unto his law, Ha, ha ------ ha

Sly the urchin deals in darts, Without pity piercing hearts, Cupid triumphs over paffions, Not regarding modes nor fafhions, Firmly fix'd is Cupids law. Ha, ha----- ha

You may doubt thefe things are true ; But they're facts 'twist-me and you,

Then young men and maids be wary, How ye meet before ye marry, Cupid's will is folely law. Ha ha----- ha.

SONG CVIII. COME ROUSE BROTHER SPORTSMAN. Come roufe, brother fportfman, The hunters all cry, We've got a ftrong fcent, and a fa-vor-ing fky, We've got a ftrong fcent, we've got a ftrong fcent, we've got a ftrong fcent and a favouring sky. The horns sprightly notes VOL. II. X

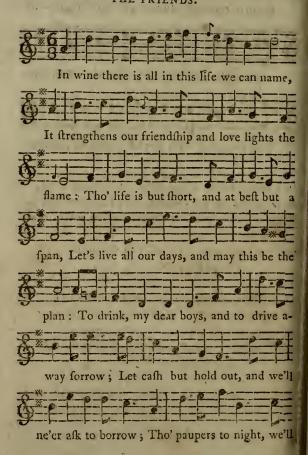


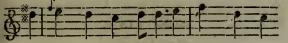
Bright Phœbus has fhewn us the glimpfe of his face. Peep'd in at our windows and call'd to the chace, He foon will be up, for his dawn wears away, And makes the fields blufh with the beams of his ray-Sweet Molly may teize you perhaps to lie down, And if you refufe her, perhaps fhe may frown; But tell her fweet love muft to hunting give place, For as well as her charms, there are charms in the chace.

Look yonder, look yonder, old Reynard I fpy, At his brufh nimbly follows brifk Chanter and Fly: They feize on their prey, fee his eye balls they roll, We're in at the death, now go home to the bowl. There we'll fill up our glaffes and toaft to the king, From a bumper frefh loyalty ever will fpring, To George, peace and glory may heavens difpenfe, And fox-hunters flourifh a thoufand years hence.

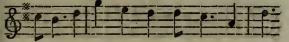
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SONG CIX. THE FRIENDS.





be rich rogues to-morrow, be rich rogues to-



morrow, be rich rogues to morrow; Tho' pau-



pers to-night, we'll be rich rogues to-morrow.

In a neat country village; yet not far from town, A clean bed for a friend whene'er he comes down, With a choice pack of hounds us to wake in the morn,

A hunter for each to fet off with the horn. Then drink, &c.

Our diffies well chofen, and nice in their fort, Our cellars well ftor'd with good claret and port, A bumper to hail, to hail the all glorious, Our grandfires did fo, and our fathers before us. Then drink, &c.

A jolly brifk chaplain that can well grace the table Who will drink like a man as long as he's able, X_3

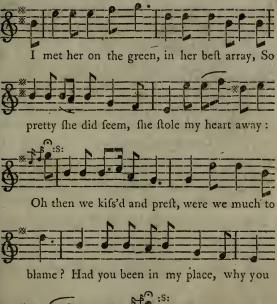
Who'll drink till his face port and claret makes red, Then ftagger enlighten'd quite happy to bed. Then drink, &c.

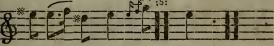
May each man have a lafs, that he wiftes would prove To his honour most true, and fincere to his love, With beauty, with wit, to change never prone, And the bandage good-nature to bind us their own. Then drink, &c.

And just as we've liv'd may we close the last fcene, Quite free from all trouble, quite free from all pain, The young they may wonder, the old they may stare, Andlift up their hands, fay what friendship was there? Then drink, &c.



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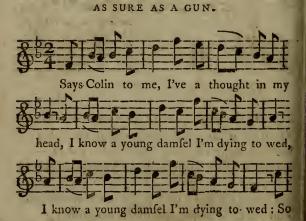
had done the fame. Oh ! fame.

As I fonder grew, the began to prate, Quoth the, I'll marry you, and you will marry Kate. But then I laugh'd and fwore, I lov'd her more than fo, Ty'd each to a rope's end, Is tugging to and fro.

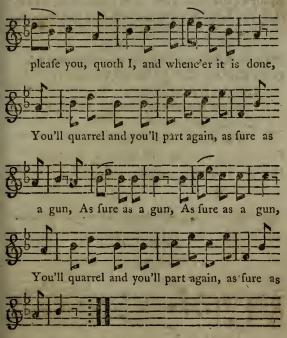
Again we kifs'd and preft, were we much to blame ? Had you been in my place, why you had done the fame.

Then fhe figh'd, and faid, fhe was wond'rous fick; Dicky Katy led, Katy fhe led Dick; Long we toy'd and play'd Under yonder oak, Katy loft the game, Tho' fhe play'd in Joke, For there we did, alas! what I dare not name, Had you been in my place, why you had done the fame.

SONG CXI.



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a gun.

And fo when you're married (poor amorous wight!) You'll bill it and coo it from morning till night; But truft me, good Colin, you'll find it bad fun-Inftead of which you'll fight and fcratch—as fure as

a gun ! But fhou'd fhe prove fond of her nown deareft love, And you be as fouple, and foft as her glove ;

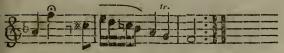
Yet be fhe a faint, and as chafte as a nun-You're faften'd to her apron-ftrings-as fure as a gun ! Suppofe it was you, then, faid he with a leer ; You wou'd not ferve me fo, I'm certain, my dear :

In troth I replied, I will answer for none-But do as other women do-as fure as a gun !:



deed; But let me that plunder forbear, She'll

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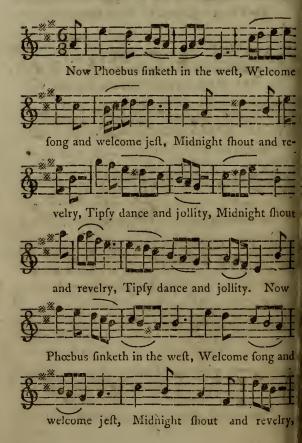
For he ne'er can be true, fhe averr'd, Who can rob a poor bird of its young; And I lov'd her the more, when I heard Such tendernefs fall from her tongue.

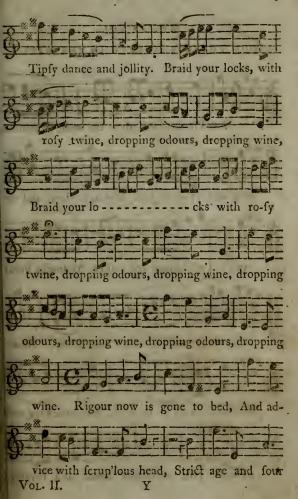
I've heard her with fweetnefs unfold, How that pity was due to a Dove : That it ever attended the bold, And fhe call'd it the fifter of Love.

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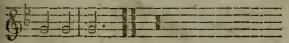
NOW PHOEBUS SINKETH IN THE WEST.







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Then reply'd the little maid, little fir, you've little faid
To induce a little maid, to wed, wed, wed,
You must fay a little more, and produce a little dow'r,
Ere I make a little print in your bed, bed, bed,

Then the little man replied, if you'll be my little bride I ll raife my love a little higher;

Tho' I little love to prate, my little heart is great, With the little god of love all on fire.

Then the little maid replied, fhould I be your little bride,

Pray what shall we do for to eat, eat, eat?

Will the flame that you're fo rich in ferve for fire in the kitchen ?

Or the little god of love turn the fpit, fpit?

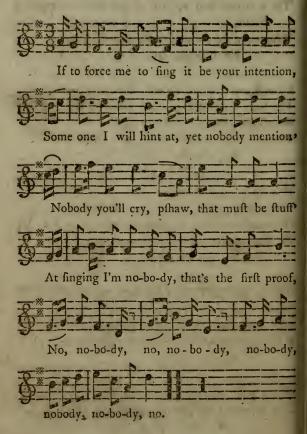
Then the little man he fightd, fome fay a little cried, For his little breaft was big with forrow; I am your little flave, if the little that I have Is too little, little dear, I will borrow.

So the little man fo gent, made the little maid relent, And fet her little heart a thinking, Tho' his offers were but fmall, fhe took his little all, And could have of a cat but her fkin.

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SONG CXV.

NOBODY.



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Nobody's a name every body will own, -

- When fomething they ought to be afham'd of have done;
- Tis a name well applied to old maids and young beaus,

What they were intended for nobody knows. No, nobody, &c.

If-negligent fervants fhould china-plate crack, The fault is ftill laid on poor nobody's back; If accidents happen at home or abroad, When nobody's blam'd for it, is not that odd? No, nobody, &c.

Nobody can tell you the tricks that are play'd, When nobody's by, betwixt mafter and maid : She gently crys out, fir, there'll fome body hear us, He foftly replies, my dear, nobody's near us. No, nobody, &c.

But big with child proving, fhe's quickly difcarded, When favours are granted, nobody's rewarded; And when fhe's examined, crys, mortals, forbid it, If I'm got with child, it was nobody did it. No, nobody, &c.

When by ftealth, the gallant, the wanton wife leaves, The hufband's affrighten'd, and thinks it is thieves?

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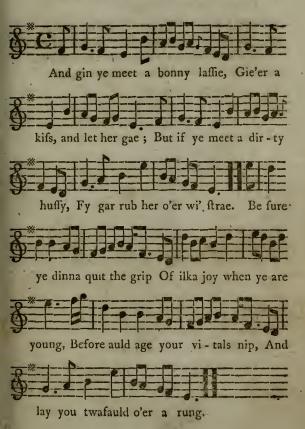
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He roufes himfelf, and crys loudly who's there? The wife pats his cheek, and fays, nobody, dear. No, nobody, &c.

Enough now of nobody fure has been fung, Since nobody's mention'd, nor nobody's wrong'd; I hope for free fpeaking I may not be blam'd, Since nobody's injur'd, nor nobody's nam'd, No, nobody, &c..

SONG CXVI.

FY GAR RUB HER OE'R WI' STRAE.



Sweet youth's a blithe and heartfome time; Then lads and laffes, while 'tis May,
Gae pu' the gowan in it's prime Before it wither and decay.
Watch the faft minutes of delyte, When Jenny fpeaks beneath her breath,
And kiffes, laying a' the wyte On you if fhe kepp ony fkaith.

Haith ye're ill-bred, fhe'll fmiling fay, Ye'll worry me, ye greedy rook:
Syne frae your arms fhe'll rin away, And hide herfelf in fome dark nook.
Her laugh will lead you to the place Where lies the happinefs ye want,
And plainly tell you to your face Nineteen na-fays are ha'f a grant.

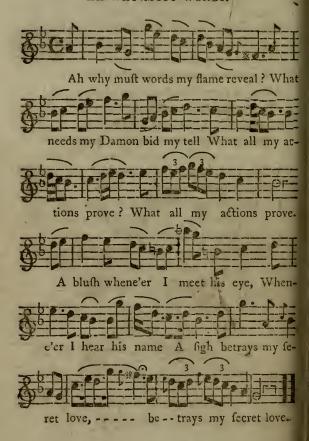
Now to her heaving bofom cling And fweetly toolie for a kifs :. Upon her finger whoop a ring, As taiken of a future blifs.. Thefe bennifons, I'm very fure, Are of the gods indulgent grant : Then, furly carls, whith, fordear To plague us with your whining cent.

SONG CXVII. To the foregoing Tune.

DEAR Roger, if your Jenny geck And anfwer kindnefs wi' a flight, Seem unconcern'd at her neglect; For women in a man delight; But them defpife who're foon defeat, And wi' a fimple face give way: To a repulfe then be not blate; Pufh bauldly on and win the day.

When maidens, innocently young, Say aften what they never mean,
Ne'er mind their pretty lying tongue, But tent the language of their ech:
If thefe agree, and fhe perfift
To anfwer a' your love with hate,
Seek elfewhere to be better bleft,
And let her figh when its too late.

SONG CXVIII. AH WHY, MUST WORDS.



In all their fports upon the plain My eyes ftill fix'd on him remain,

And him alone approve ; The reft unheeded, dance or play, He fteals from all my praife away,

And can he doubt my love ?

Whene'er we meet, my looks confefs The pleafures which my foul poffefs,

And all it's cares remove. Still, flill too fhort appears his flay, I frame excufes for delay,

Can this be ought but love ?

Does any fpeak in Damon's praife, How pleas'd am I with all he fays,

And every word approve; Is he defam'd, tho' but in jeft, I feel refertment fire my breaft,

Alas ! because I love.

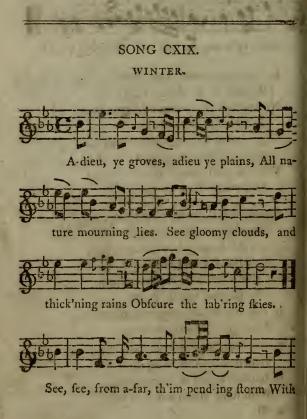
But O ! what tortures tear my heart, When I fufpect his looks impart

The leaft defire to rove. I hate the maid who gives me pain, Yet him I ftrive to hate in vain,

For ah ! that hate is love.

Then afk not words, but read my eyes, Believe my blufhes, truft my fighs,

All thefe my paffion prove : Words may deceive, may fpring from art, But the true language of my heart To Damon muft be love.



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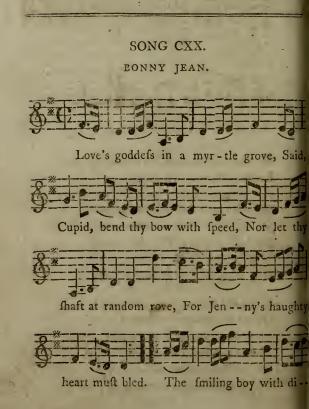


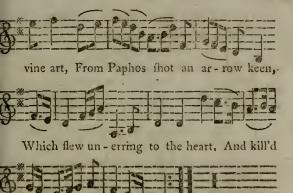
drea - ry form, to rule - - - the falling year.

No more the lambs with gamefome bound, Rejoice the gladden'd fight : No more the gay enamell'd ground, Or fylvan fcenes delight. Thus, lovely Nancy, much lov'd maid, Thy early charms muft fail ; Thy rofe muft droop, the lilly fade, And winter foon prevail.

Again the lark, fweet bird of day,
May rife on active wings,
Again the fportive herds may play,
And hail reviving fpring.But youth, my fair, fees no return,
The pleafing bubble's o'er,
In vain it's fleeting joys you mourn,
They fall to bloom no more.Hafte, then, dear girl, the time improve,
Which art can ne'er regain,
In blifsfull fcenes of mutual love,
With fome diffinguifh'd fwain ;
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So thall life's fpring, like jocund May, Pafs fmiling and ferene; Thus fummer, autumn, glide away, And winter foon prevail.





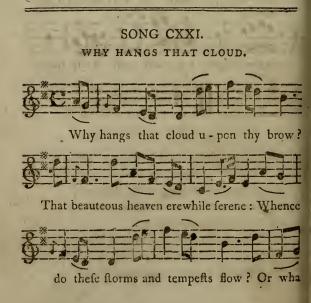
the pride of bon - ny Jean.

No more the nymph, with haughty air, Refufes Willy's kind addrefs; Her yielding blufhes flow no care, But too much fondnefs to fupprefs. No more the youth is fullen now, But looks the gayeft on the green, Whilft every day he fpies fome new Surprizing charms in bonny Jean.

A thoufand transports crowd his breaft. He moves as light as fleeting wind; His former forrows feem a jeft, Now when his Jenny is turn'd kind. Riches he looks on with difdain, The glorious fields of war look mean; Zr.27

The chearful hound and horn gives pain ; If abfent from his bonny Jean.

The day he fpends in am'rous gaze, Which ev'n in fummer fhort'ned feems; When funk in downs, with glad amaze, He wonders at her in his dreams. All charms difclos'd, fhe looks more bright Than Troy's prize, the Spartan Queen. With breaking day, he lifts his fight, And pants to be with bonny Jean.



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Dear child, how can I wrong thy name, Since 'tis acknowledged at all hands, That could ill tongues abufe thy fame, Thy beauty can make large amends; Or if I durft profanely try Thy beauty's pow'rful charms t' upbraid,', Thy virtue well might give the lie,

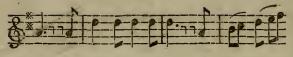
Nor call thy beauty to it's aid.

For Venus every heart t' enfnare, With all her charms has deck'd thy face, And Pallas with unufual care, Bids wifdom heighten every grace. Who can the double pain endure ! Or who muft not refign the field To thee, celeftial maid, fecure With Capid's bow, and Pallas fhield ?

If then to thee fuch pow'r is given, Let not a wretch in torment live,
But fmile, and learn to copy heaven, Since we muft fin ere it forgive.
Yet pitying heaven not only does Forgive th' offender and th' offence, But even itfelf appeas'd beftows, As the reward of penitence.

SONG CXXII, THE DUSKY NIGHT.





go, A húnting we will go, And hunting we

will go --- A hunting we will go.

The wife around her hufband throws. Her arms to make him ftay : My dear, it rains, it hails, it blows, You cannot hunt to-day. Yet a hunting, &c..

Sly Reynard now like light'ning flies, . And fweeps acrofs the vale; But when the hounds too near he fpics, . He drops his bufhy tail. Then a hunting, &s.

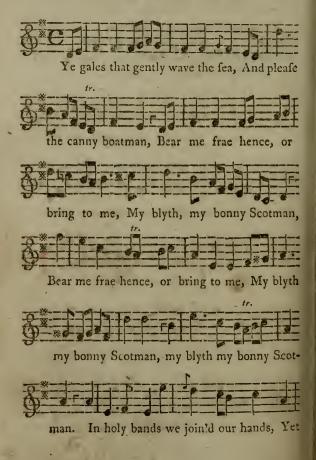
Fond echo feems to like the fport, And join the jovial cry; The woods and hills the found retort, And mufic fills the fky, When a hunting, &c.

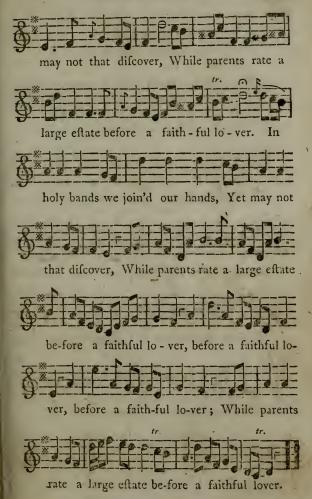
At laft his firength to faintness worn; Poor Reynard ceases flight;

Then hungry homeward we return To feast away the night. And a drinking, &c.

Ye jovial hunters in the morn Prepare then for the chace; Rife at the founding of the horn, And health with fport embrace, When a hunting, &c.

SONG CXXIII. THE BONNY SCOTMAN.



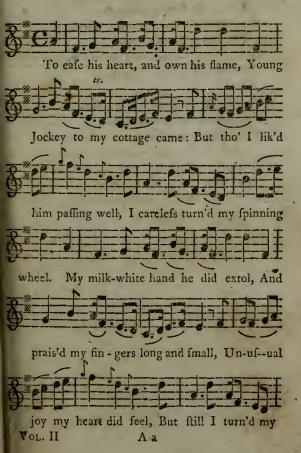


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But I wou'd chufe in Highland glens, To herd the kid and goat man; E'er I cou'd for fuch little ends, Refufe my bonny Scotman. Wae worth the man who first began, The bafe ungen'rous fashion; From greedy views, love's art to ufe, Whilst stranger to it's passion.

Frae foreign fields my lovely youth, Hafte to thy longing laffie;
Who pants to kifs thy balmy mouth, And in her bofom prefs thee:
Love gives the word, then hafte on board, Fair wind and gentle boatman,
Waft o'er, waft o'er, from yonder fhore. My blyth my bonny Scotman.

. SONG CXXIV. THE SPINNING WHEEL.



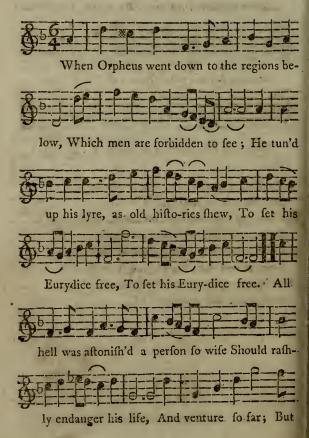


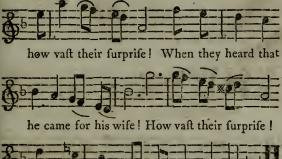


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SONG CXXV. THE POWER OF MUSIC.







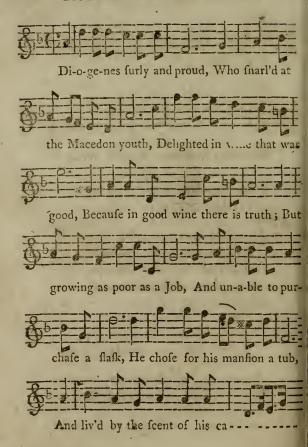
When they heard that he came for his wife !!

To find out a punifhment due to his fault, Old Pluto long puzzled his brain ; But hell had not torments fufficient, he thought ; So he gave him his wife back again. But pity fucceeding found place in his heart ; And, pleas'd with his playing fo well, He took her again in reward of his art ; Such merit had mufic in hell !

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SONG CXXVI. DIOCENES SURLY AND PROUD.



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f. And liv'd by the fcent

Heraclitus would never deny A bumper to cherifh his heart; And, when he was maudlin, would cry; $\square_{a,i}$, ufe he had empty'd his quart: Though fome were fo foolifh to think He wept at men's folly and vice, When 'twas only his cuftom to drink 'Till the liquor ran out at his eyes.

Democritus always was glad To tipple and cherifh his foul; Would laugh like a man that was mad, When over a jolly full bowl : While his cellar with wine was well ftor'd, His liquor he'd merrily quaff; And, when he was drunk as a lord, At those that were fober he'd laugh,

Copernicus, too, like the reft, Believ'd there was wifdom in wine : And knew that a cup of the beft Made reafon the brighter to fhine :

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With wine he replenish'd his veins, And made his philosophy reel : Then fancy'd the world, as his brains, Turn'd round like a chariot wheel.

Aristotle, that master of arts, Had been but a dunce without wine is

For what we afcribe to his parts,

Is due to the juice of the vine; His belly, fome authors agree,

Was as big as a watering-trough :: He therefore leap'd into the fea, Becaufe he'd have liquor enough..

When Pyrrho had taken a glafs, He faw that no object appear'd Exactly the fame as it was

Before he had liquor'd his beard; For things running round in his drink,

Which fober he motionlefs found, Occasion'd the fceptic to think

There was nothing of truth to be found.

Old Plato was reckon'd divine,

Who wifely to virtue was prone; But, had it not been for good wine,

His merit had never been known : By wine we are generous made ;

It furnishes fancy with wings; Without it we ne'er should have had Philosophers, poets, or kings.

SONG CXXVII. M'GREGOR ARUARO.



Gregor A:- ruaro.

Like a flafh of red light'ning o'er the heath came Macara.

More fleet than the roe-buck on the lofty Beinn-lara.

Oh where is M'Gregor? fay, where does he hover? You fon of bold Calmar, why tarries my lover?

Then the voice of foft forrow, from his bofom thus founded,

Low lies your M'Gregor, pale, mangl'd and wounded, Overcome with deep flumber, to the rock I convey'd him, (tray'd him.

Where the fons of black malice to his foes have be-

As the blaft from the mountain foon nips the fresh bloffom,

So died the fair bud of fond hope in her bofom ; M'Gregor ! M'Gregor ! loud echoes refounded ; And the hills rung in pity, M'Gregor is wounded !

Near the brook in the valley the green turf did hide her; (her ;

And they laid down M'Gregor found fleeping befide Secure is their dwelling from foes and black flander i-Near the loud roaring waters their fpirits oft wander

SONG CXXVIII. THE SAILOR'S ALLEGORY. Life's like a fhip, in conftant motion, fome-2 0 0 0 0 0 times high and fometimes low ; where ev'ry one must brave the ocean, What-fo-e-ver wind may ----blow : If, unafiail'd by fquall or fhow - er. Waft-ed by the gentle gales; Let's not lofe the fav'-

ring hour, While fuccefs attends our fails.

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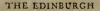
Or, if the wayward winds fhould blufter, Let us not give way to fear; But let us all our Patience mufter, And learn, by Realon, how to fteer: Let Judgment keep you ever fteady, 'Tis a ballaft never fails; Should dangers rife, be ever ready, To manage well the fwelling fails.

Truft not too much your own opinion, While your veffel's under way;
Let good example bear dominion, That's a compafs will not ftray;
When thund'ring tempefts make you fhuddeş, Or Boreas on the furface rails;
Let good Difcretion guide the rudder, And Providence attend the fails.

Then, when you're fafe from danger, riding In fome welcome port or bay;
Hepe be the anchor you confide in, And Care, awhile, enflumber'd lay:
Or, when each cann, with liquor flowing, And good fellowfhip prevails;
Let each true heart, with rapture glowing, Drink "fuccefs unto our fails."

SONG CXXIX. THE LIQUOR OF LIFE.

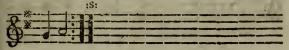








quor of life, 'tis the liquor of life,' No care can



controul.

This jovial philofopher taught that the fun Was thirfty, and oft took a fwig from the main; The planets would tipple as faft as they run; The earth, too, was dry, and would fuck up the rain, While here then we're found,

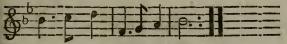
Push the bottle around,-

'Tis the liquor of life, pray who can refrain ? .

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THE EDINEURGH SONG CXXX. ROBIN ADAIR. You're welcome to Pax-ton, Robin Adair : How does Johnny Mackrill do ? Aye, and Luke Gard'ner too ? Why did they no come with you' Robin Adair? Come, and fit down by me, ab dete Robin Adair; And welcome you shall be To every thing that you fee: Why did they not

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come with you, Robin Adair ?

I will drink wine with you, Robin Adair, I will drink wine with you, Robin Adair; Rum-punch, aye, or brandy to, By my foul I'll get drunk with you; Why did they not come with you, Robin Adair?

Then'let us drink about, Robin Adair, Then let us drink about, Robin Adair, Till we've drank a Hog(head out, Then we'll be fow nae doubt; Why did they not come with you, Robin Adair?

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THE BDINBURGH SONG CXXXI. WITHIN A MILE OF EDINBURGH. Celerer . 'Twas with - in a mile of Edinburgh town, In the ro-fy time of the year, fweet flow - ers bloom'd, and the grafs was down, And each fliepherd, we his dear : Bonny Jock ey, blyth and gay, Kifs'd fweet Jenny making

hay : The laffie blufh'd, and frowning cry'd, No,



not, wonnot, mannot buckle too.

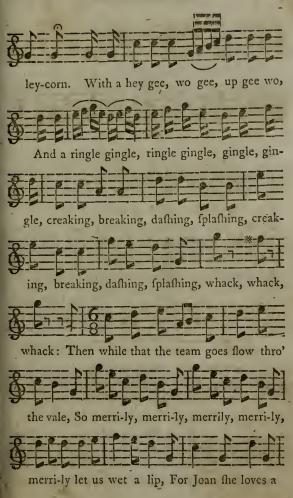
Tockey was a wag that never would wed, Tho' long he had follow'd the lafs, Contented fhe earn'd and eat her brown bread, And merrily turn'd up the grafs : Bonny Jockey, blyth and free, Won her heart right merily, Yet still she blush'd, and frowning cry'd, no, no, it will not do. I cannot cannot, wonnot wonnot, mannot buckle too ... But when he vow'd he wou'd make her his bride. Tho' his flocks and herds were not few, She gave him her hand, and a kifs befide,. And yow'd fhe'd for ever be true : Bonny Jockey, blyth and frees. Won her heart right merrily, At church she no more frowning cry'd, no; no, it will not do. I cannot cannot, wonnot wonnot, mannot buckle foo.

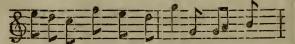
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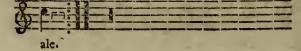
IN FORMER TIMES WE FRANCE DID ROUT.







fmack of the whip, and the fmack of nut-brown



I ne'er want bolus, draught, or pill, For 'tis outlandifh liquors kill ; I keep to ale, and ale keeps me From ev'ry ail, but hiccups, free ; Nay, on my beaft, the fame I try, So Dobbin is as ftout as I, For fure no Doctor e'er was born, Compar'd to Sir John Barley-corn. With a hey gee wo, & c

SONG XXXIII.

DEAR IMAGE OF THE MAID I LOVE.





ftill on thee, by gazing ftill on thee.

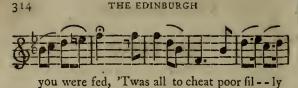
Oh ! cou'd I call this fair one mine, What rapture fhou'd I feel;Oh ! cou'd I prefs that form divine, Each hour my blefs wou'd feal :

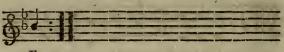
But ah ! deprived of all her charms, My foul can find no reft : And fhou'd fhe blefs another's arms, Defpair wou'd fill my breaft.

SONG CXXXIV.

POOR SILLY FAN.





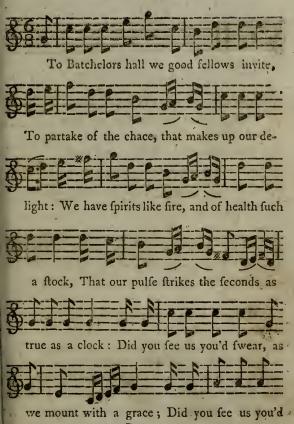


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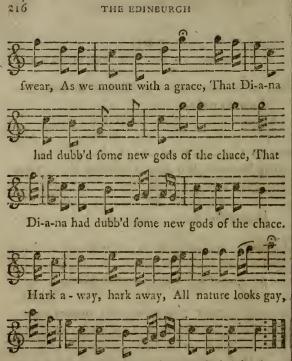
Whene'er we meet, with kiffes fweet; With fpeeches foft you won my heart; The hawthorn bush shou'd make you blush, 'Twas there you did betray my heart.

SONG CXXXV.

BATCHELORS HALL.



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And Aurora with finiles ufh-ers in the bright day.

Dick Thickfet came mounted upon a fine black, A better fleet gelding ne'er hunter did back: Tom Trig rode a bay, full of mettle and bone, And gayly Bob Buxon rode proud on a roan; But the horfe of all horfes that rivall'd the day, Was the Squire's Neck-or-nothing, and that was a grey. Hark away, hark away, While our fpirits are gay, Let us drink to the joys of the next coming day.

Then for hounds there was Nimble, fo well that climbs rocks,

And Cocknofe, a good one at fcenting a Fox, Little Plunge, like a mole, who with ferret and feareh, And beetle-browed Hawks-eye, fo dead at a lurch: Young Sly-looks, that fcents the ftrong breeze from the South,

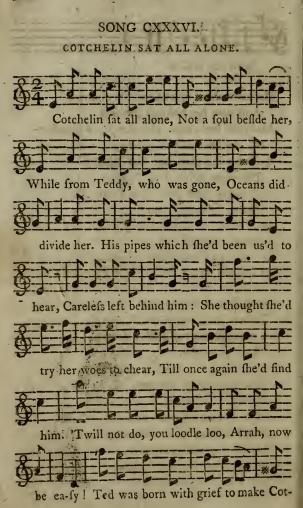
And mufical Echo-well, with his deep mouth-Hark away, &c.

Our horfes, thus all of the very befl blood, 'Tis not likely you'll eafily find fuch a flud; And for hounds our opinions with thoufands we'll back, (pack : That all England throughout can't produce fuch a Thus having deferibed you dogs, horfes, and crew, Away we fet off, for the Fox is in view.

Hark away, &c.

Sly Reynard's brought home, while the horns found a call,

And now you're all welcome to Bachelor's hall. The favory Sir-loin grateful fmoaks on the board, And Bacchus pours wine from his favourite hoard; Come on then, do honour to this jovial place. (chace. And enjoy the fweet pleafures that fpring from the Hark away, &c. THE EDINBURGH



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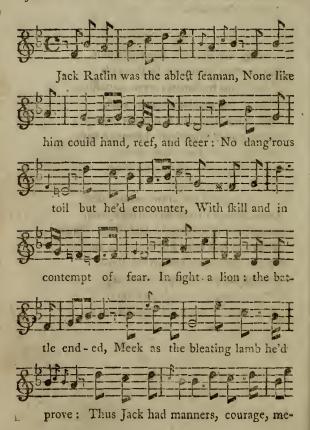
chelin run cra-zy.

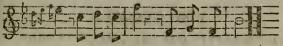
She takes them up and lays them down,' And now her bofom's panting; And now fhe'd figh, and now fhe'd frown, For Teddy ftill was wanting; And now fhe plays her pipes again, The pipes of her dear Teddy, And makes them tune his fav'rite ftrain, Arrah, be eafy Paddy ! Ah! 'twill not do you loodle loo, Arrah ! now be eafy, Ted was born with grief to make, Cotchelin run crazy.

Teddy from behind a bufh, Where he'd long been lift'ning; Now like light'ning forth did rufh, His eyes with pleafure gliftning, Snatching up the pipes he play'd, Pouring out his pleafure, Whilft half delighted, half afraid, Kate the time did meafure, Ah that will do, my loodle loo, Arrah ! now I'm eafy, Ted was born with joy to make Cotchelin run crazy. THE EDINBURGH

SONG CXXXVII.*

JAACK RATLIN WAS THE ABLEST SEAMAN.





rit, Yet did he figh, and all for love.

The fong, the jeft, the flowing liquor, For none of thefe had Jack regard : He, while his mefsmates were caroufing, High fitting on the pendant yard, Would think upon his fair one's beauties, Swore never from fuch charms to rove; That truly he'd adore them living, And dying figh—to end his love.

The fame express the crew commanded Once more to view their native land, Amongft the reft, brought Jack fome tidings, Wou'd it had been his love's fair hand ! Oh fate ! her death defac'd the letter ; Inftant his pulfe forgot to move; With quiv'ring lips, and eyes uplifted, He heav'd a figh—and dy'd for love

SONG CXXXVIII.

TUNE—" Jack Ratlin was the ablest Seaman."

BEHOLD the man that is unlucky,

Not thro' neglect, by fate worn poor ; Tho' gen'rous, kind when he was wealthy,

His friends to him are friende no more l He finds in each the fame like fellow,

By trying those he had relieved; Tho' men shake hands, drink health's, get mellow, Yet men by men are thus deceiv'd.

Where can he find a fellow creature To comfort him in his diftrefs ?
His old acquaintance proves a ftranger, . That us'd his friendfhip to profefs.
Altho' a tear drop from his feeling, . His felfifh heart cannot be mov'd;
Then what avails his goodly preaching, Since gen'rous deeds cannot be prov'd.

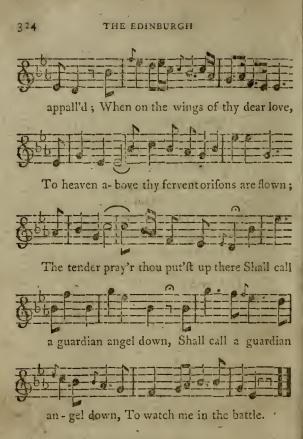
But fo it is in life among us,

And give mankind their juftly due, 'Tis hard to find one truly gen'rous, We all, at times, find this too true; But if your friend he feels your forrow, His tender heart's glad to relieve; And when he thinks on you to-morrow, He's happy he had that to give.

SONG CXXXIX.

ADIEU, ADIEU, MY ONLY LIFE.





My fafety thy fair truth fhall be, As fword and buckler ferving, My life fhall be more dear to me, Becaufe of thy preferving.

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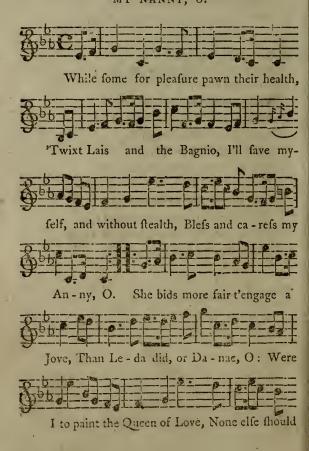
Let peril come, let horror threat, Let thundr'ring cannons rattle, I fearlefs feek the conflict's heat, Affur'd when on the wings of love, To heaven above, &c.

Enough,—with that benignant fmile Some kindred god infpir'd thee;
Who faw thy bofom void of guile, Who wonder'd and admir'd thee :
I go, affur'd,—my life ! adieu, Tho' thund'ring cannons rattle,
Tho' murd'ring carnage ftalk in view, When on the wings of thy true love, To heaven above, &c.

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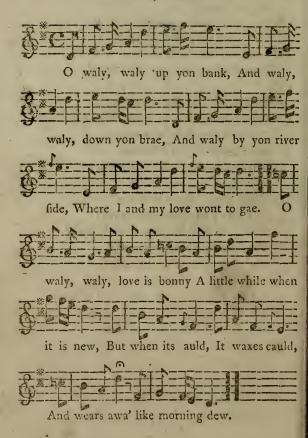
fit but Nan -- ny, Q.

How joyfully my fpirits rife,
When dancing the moves finely—O,
I guefs what heav'n is by her eyes,
Which fparkle fo divinely—O.
Attend.my vow, ye gods, while I
Breathe in the bleft Britannia,
None's happinefs I thall envy,
As long's ye grant me Nanny—O.

My bonny, bonny Nanny—O, My lovely charming Nanny—O; I care not tho' the whole world know How dearly I love Nanny—O.

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SONG CXLI. WALY, WALY.



I lent my back unto an aik, I thought it was a trufty tree : But firft it bow'd and then it brake; And fae did my faufe love to me. When cockle-fhells turn filver bells, And muffels grow on ev'ry tree ; When Froft and Snaw fhall warm us a', Then fhall my love prove true to me.

Now Arthur's feat fhall be my bed, The fheets fhall ne'er be fyl'd by me; St. Anton's well fhall be my drink, Since my true love's forfaken me. O Mart'mas wind, when wilt thou blow, And fhake the green leaves off the tree ? O gentle death, when wilt thou come, And take a life that wearies me ?

'Tis not the froft that freezes fell, Nor blawing fnaw's inclemency;
'Tis not fic cauld that makes me cry, But my love's heart grown cauld to me.' When we came in by Glafgow town, We were a comely fight to fee, My love was cled in velvet black, And I myfell in cramafie.

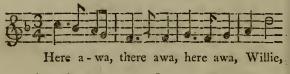
But had I wift before I kift, That love had been fae ill to win 3 D d 3

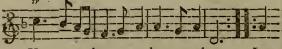
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I'd lock'd my heart in cafe of gold, And pin'd it with a filver pin.
Oh ! Oh ! if my young babe were born, And fet upon the nurfe's knee,
And I myfel' were dead and gane, For maid again I'll never be !

SONG CXLII.

HERE AWA, THERE AWA.

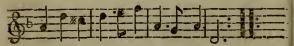




Here awa, there awa, here awa hame. Lang.



have I fought thee, dear have I bought thee,



Now I ha'e gotten my Willie again ..

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Through the lang muir I have followed my Willie, Through the lang muir I have followed him hame : Whatever betide us, nought fhall divide us; Love now rewards all my forrow and pain.

Here awa, there awa, here awa Willie, Here awa, there awa, here awa hame; Come Love, believe me, nothing can grieve me, Ilka thing pleafes while Willy's at hame.j

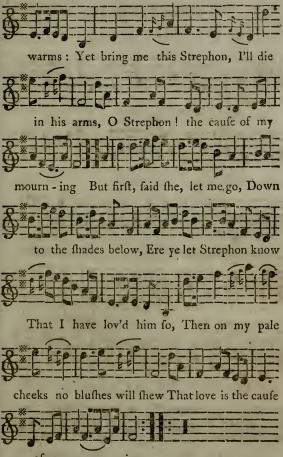
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SONG CXLIII.

LOVE IS THE CAUSE OF MY MOURNING.



Deceive me, for Strephon's cold. heart ne-ver



of my mourn -- ing.

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Her eyes were fcarce clos'd when Strephon came by, He thought fhe'd been fleeping, and foftly drew nigh : But finding her breathlefs, Oh heavens ! did he cry,

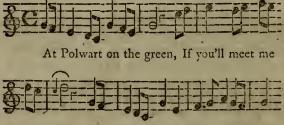
Ah Chloris! the caufe of my mourning! Reftore me my Chloris, ye nymphs ufe your art. They fighing reply'd, 'I was yourfelf that the dart, That wounded the tender young thepherdefs' heart, And kill'd the poor Chloris with mourning.

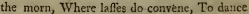
> Ah! then is Chloris dead'! Wounded by me! he faid, Pil follow thee, chafte maid, Down to the filent fhade!

Then on her cold fnowy breaft leaning his head, Expir'd the poor Strephon with mourning!

SONG CXLIV.

AT POLWART ON THE GREEN.





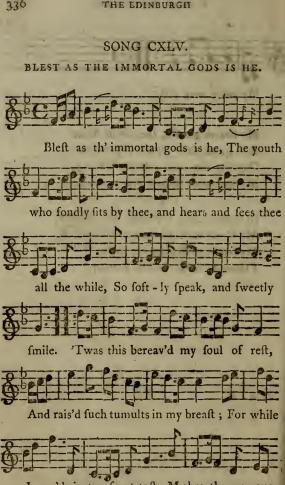
MUSICAL MISCFLLANT.



lad compleat, The lad and lo - ver you.

Let dorty dames fay na, As lang as e'er they pleafe, Seem caulder than the fnaw, While inwardly they bleeze : But I will frankly fhaw my mind, And yield my heart to thee ; Be ever to the captive kind, That langs nae to be free.

At Polwart on the green, Amang the new mawn hay, " With fangs and dancing keen, We'll pafs the heartfome day : At night, if beds be o'er thrang laid, And thou be twin'd of thine, Thou fhalt be welcome, my deat lad, To take a part of mine.



I gaz'd, in transport toft, My breath was gone



My voice was loft.

My bofom glow'd, the fubtîle flame Ran quick thro' all my vital frame : O'er my dim eyes a darknefs hung, My ears with hollow murmurs rung.

In dewy damps my limbs were chill'd, My blood with gentle horrors thrill'd, My feeble pulfe forgot to play, I fainted, funk, and dy'd away !

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tent her.

She's fresh as the spring, and sweet as Aurora, When birds mount and sing, bidding day a good morrow:

The fward on the mead, epnamell'd with daisies, Look wither'd and dead, when twin'd of her graces.

But if the appear where verdure invite her, The fountains run clear, and the flowers finell the fweeter.

'Tis heaven to be by, when her wit is a flowing, Her finiles and bright eye fet my fpirits a-glowing,

The mair that I gaze, the deeper I'm wounded; Struck dumb with amaze, my mind is confounded; I'm all in a fire, dear maid, to carefs ye, For a' my defire is Hay's bonny Laffie.

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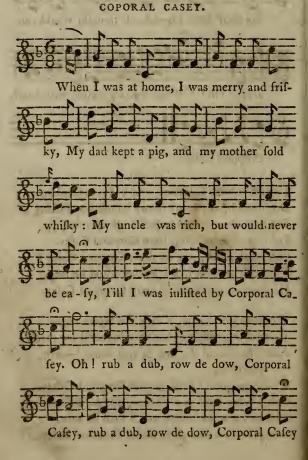
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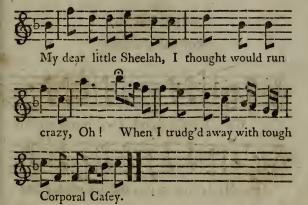


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O faireft maid, I own thy power, I gaze, I figh, I languifh, Yet ever, ever will adore, And triumph in my anguifh. But eafe, O charmer, eafe my care, And let my torments move thee; As thou art faireft of the fair, So I the deareft love thee. THE EDINBURGH

SONG CXLVIII.





I march'd from Kilkenny, and as I was thinking On Sheelah, my heart in my bofom was finking ;-But foon I was forc'd to look frefh as a daifey. For fear of a drubbing from Corporal Cafey. Och! rub a dub, row de dow, Corporal Cafey ! The devil go with him ! I ne'er could be lazy, He fluck in my fkirts fo, ould Corporal Cafey.

We went into battle, I took the blows fairly. That fell on my pate, but they bother'd me rarely; And who fhould the first be that dropt?—why, an't pleafe ye,

It was my good friend, honeft Corporal Cafey-Och ! rub a dub, row de dow, Corporal Cafey. Thinks I you are quiet, and I fhall be eafy, So eight years I fought without Corporal Cafey. THE EDINBURGH

SONG CXLIX. MY DEARY IF THOU DIE.



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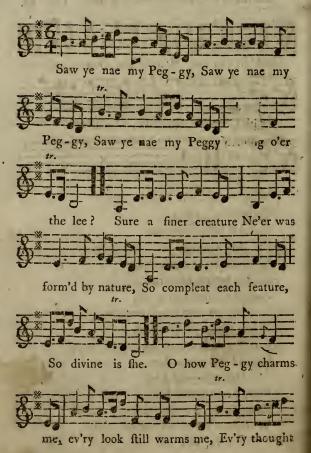
If fate fhall tear thee from my breaft, How fhall I lonely ftray? In dreary dreams the night I'll wafte, In fighs the filent day. I ne'er can fo much virtue find, Nor fuch perfection fee : Then I'll renounce all woman-kind, My Peggy, after thee.

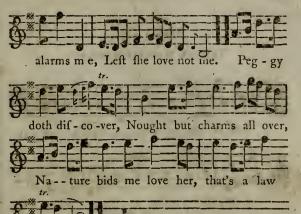
No new-blown beauty fires my heart With Cupid's raving rage, But thine which can fuch fweets impart, Muft all the world engage. 'Twas this, that like the morning fun, Gave joy and life to me; And when it's deftin'd day is done, With Peggy let me die.

Ye powers that fmile on virtuous love, And in fuch pleafure fhare; You who it's faithful flames approve, With pity view the fair. Reftore my Peggy's wonted charms, Thofe charms fo dear to me; Oh ! never rob them from thefe arms : I'm loft, if Peggy die.

SONG CL.

SAW YE NAE MY PEGGY.





Who would leave a cover, To become a rover? No, I'll ne'er give over, Till I happy be. For fince love infpires me, As her beauty fires me, And her abfence tires me,

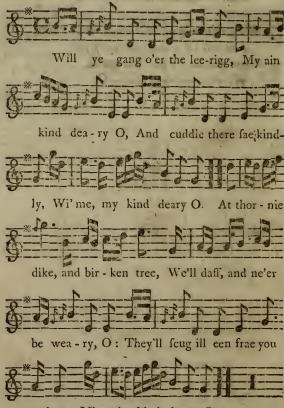
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Nought can pleafe but fhe. When I hope to gain her, Fate feems to detain her, Could I but obtain her,

Happy would I be ! I'll ly down before her, Blefs, figh, and adore her, With faint looks implore her, Till fhe pity me,

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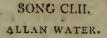
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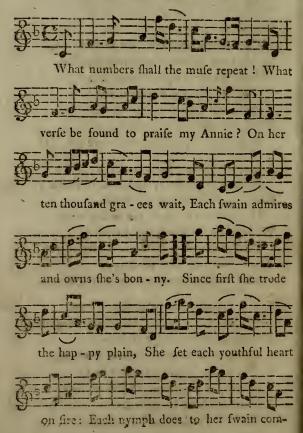
Nae herds wi'kent, or colly there, Shall ever come to fear ye, O; But lav'rocks, whiftling in the air, Shall woo, like me, their deary, O!

While others herd their lambs and ewes, And toil for warld's gear, my jo,Upon the lee my pleafure grows, Wi' you, my kind deary, O.

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The warl'y race may riches chace, And riches still may flee them O; An' tho' at last they catch them fast, Their hearts can ne'er enjoy them, O. Green grow, &c.

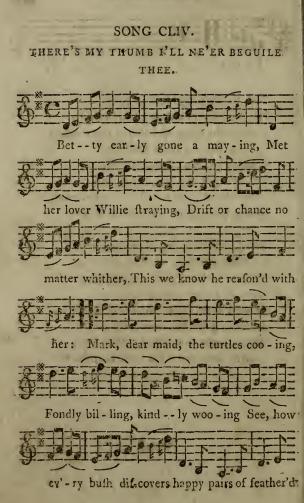
But gi'e me a canny hour at e'en, My arms about my dearie, O: An' warl'y cares, an' warl'y men May a' gae tapfailteerie, O! Green grow, &c.

For you fae doufe ye fneer at this, Ye're nought but fenfelefs affes, Q: The wifeft man the warl' faw, He dearly lov'd the laffes, O. Green grow, &c.

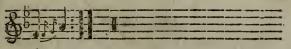
Auld Nature fwears the lovely dears Her nobleft work fhe claffes, O.: Her prentice han' fhe try'd on man, And then fhe made the laffes, O. Green grow, &c.

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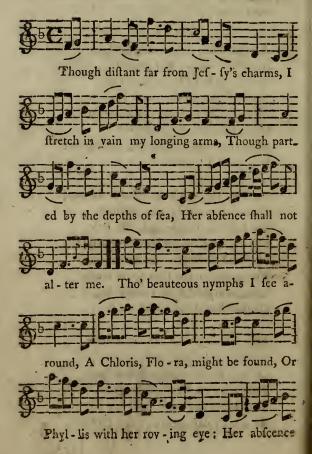
See, the op'ning blufh of rofes All their fecret charms difclofes; Sweet's the time, ah! fhort's the measure;, Q their fleeting hafty pleasure! Quickly we mult fnatch the favour, Of their foft and fragrant flavour; They bloom to-day, and fade to-morrow; Droop their heads, and die in forrow.

Time, my Befs, will leave no traces Of thofe beauties, of thofe graces; Youth and love forbid our ftaying; Love and youth abhor delaying; Deareft maid, nay, do not fly me; Let your pride no more deny me; Never doubt your faithful Willie : There's my thumb I'll ne'er beguile thec:

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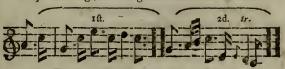
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HER ABSENCE WILL NOT ALTER ME.



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How kind her looks, how bleft was I, When in my arms I prefs'd her ! And the her withes fcarce conceal'd, As fondly I carefs'd her. She faid, if that your heart be true, If conftantly you'll love me, I heed not cares, nor fortune's frowns, Nor ought but death fhall move me. But faithful, loving, true, and kind, Forever you shall find me, And of our meeting here fo fweet, Loch Eroch fide will mind me. Enraptur'd then, " My lovely lafs ! I cry'd, no more we'll tarry, We'll leave the fair Loch Eroch fide, For lovers foon fhould marry."

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YOUNG PEGGY. TUNE-Loch Eroch Side. Antitate the Eachity Francisch

S TOWN

Young Peggy blooms our bonnieft lafs, Her bluth is like the morning, The rofy dawn, the fpringing grafs, With early gems adorning : Her eyes outfhine the radiant beams That gild the paffing fhower, And glitter o'er the chrystal streams, And chear each fresh'ning flower.

Her lips more than the cherries bright, A richer dye has grac'd them, They charm th' admiring gazer's fight

And fweetly tempt to tafte them : Her fmile is as the ev'ning mild,

When feath'red pairs are courting, And little lambkins wanton wild, In playful bands difporting.

Were fortune lovely Peggy's foe, Such fweetnefs would relent her, As blooming fpring unbends the brow Of furly, favage winter. Detraction's eye no aim can gain Her winning pow'rs to leffen :

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And fretful envy grins in vain, The poifon'd tooth to fasten.

Ye pow'rs of Honour, Love, and Truth, From ev'ry ill defend her; Infpire the highly favour'd youth The diffinies intend her; Still fan the fweet connubial flame Refponfive in each bofom; And blefs the dear parental name With many a filial bloffem.

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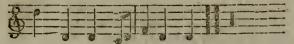
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MUSICAL MISCELLANY.

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thus fhe fung, and thus fhe fung.

Blefs'd days when our ingenuous fex,

More frank and kind-more frank and kind, Did not their lov'd adorers vex,

But fpoke their mind—but fpoke their mind : Repenting now, fhe promis'd fair,

Wou'd he return-wou'd he return, She ne'er again wou'd give him care,

Or cause him mourn-or cause him mourn.

Why lov'd I the deferving fwain,

Yet fill thought fhame-yet fill thought fhame, When he my yielding heart did gain,

To own my flame-to own my flame? Why took I pleafure to torment,

And feem too coy—and feem too coy. Which makes me now, alas! lament

My flighted joy-my flighted joy ?

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Thus the fair mourner wail'd her crime With flowing eyes, —with flowing eyes, Glad Jamie heard her all the time, With fweet furprize, —with fweet furprife. Some god had led him to the grove, His mind unchang'd, —his mind unchang'd, Flew to her arms, and cry'd, my love, I am reveng'd, —I am reveng'd.



MUSICAL MISCELLANY.



Sandy has oufen, has gear, and has kye; A house, and a hadden, and filler forby : But I'd tak' mine ain lad, wi' his staff in his hand, Before I'd ha'e him, wi' his houles and land.

He faid, think na lang laffie, &c.

My daddy looks fulky, my minny looks four; They frown upon Jamie, becaufe he is poor :-Hh 3

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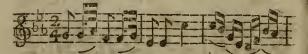
Tho' I lo'e them as well as a daughter fhould do, They are nae half fae dear to me, Jamie, as you. 'He faid, think na lang laffie, &c.

I fit on my creepie, and fpin at my wheel, And think on the laddie that lo'ed me fo weel; He had but ae faxpence, he brak it in twa, And he gied me the ha'f o't when he gaed awa.

Then hafte ye back, Jamie, and bide na awa. Then hafte ye back, Jamie, and bide na awa. Simmer is coming, cauld winter's awa, And ye'll come and fee me, in fpite o' them a?

SONG CLX.

THE NUN'S COMPLAINT.



In this fad and filent gloom loft Lou - i - fa.



pines unknown, Shrouded in a living tomb,

MUSICAL MISCELBANY.



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Still the tears must flow.

Ye dark clouds, who fail along, Hide me in your fhade profound; Whifp'ring breezes bear my fong,

To the woods around. Should fome penfive lover's feet, Wander near this fad retreat, Tell, foft lute, &c.

Tell her, love's celeftial tale Yields no blifs, no joy infpires,, Cold religion's icy veil-Darkens all his fires. No foft ray adorns the gloom; Round the haplefs veftal's tomba Tell, foft lute, &c.

Fancy's flame within my breaft,
Faintly glows with vital heat;
'Tender paffions fink to reft— Soft my pulfes beat!
Soon thefe languid eyes fhall clofé,
Death's cold dart fhall feal my woes
'Tell, foft lute, &c. MUSICAL MISCELLANY.

SONG CLXI.

THE KNITTING GIRL.



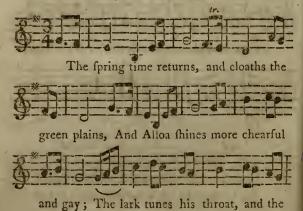
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Enthron'd, he's feated in thine eye, Where he, tho' blind, can fee Himfelf reflected in each figh, He bids me breathe for thee. Phillis heard, &c.

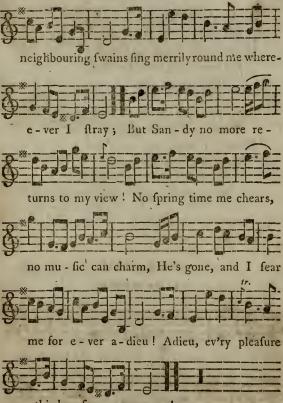
Lo! tow'rds the bow'r he beckons now, O rife, and come awny! From ill to ward thee is his vow, To guard, and not betray. Phillis heard, but Phillis fat No longer knitting at her cottage gate.

SONG CLXII.

ALLOA HOUSE.



MUSICAL MISCELLANY ..



this bo - fom can warm !

O Alloa houfe! how much art thou chang'd! How filent, how dull to me is each grove! Alone I here wander where once we both rang'd, Alas! where to pleafe me my Sandy once ftrove!

Here Sandy I heard the tales that you told; Here liftened too fond, whenever you fing; Am I grown lefs fair, then, that you are turn'd cold? Or foolith, believ'd a falfe, flattering tongue;

So fpoke the fair moid; when forrow's keen pain, And fhame, her laft fault'ring accents fuppreft : For fate at that moment brought back her dear fwain, S

Who heard, and, with rapture, his Nelly addreft : My Nelly! my fair, I come; O my Love, No power thall thee tear again from my arm, And, Nelly! no more thy fond thepherd reprove, Who knows thy fair worth, and adores all thy charms.

She heard; and new joy fhot thro' her foft frame; And will you, my love ! be true ? file reply'd. And live I to meet my fond fhepherd the fame ? Or dream I that Sandy will make me his bride ? O Nelly ! I live to find thee 'ftill kind; Still true to thy fwain, and lovely as true; Then adicu! to all forrow : what foul is fo blind As not to live happy for ever with you?

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