THE TITHER MORN.

THE tither morn,
When I, forlorn,
Aneath an aik fat moaning;
I did na trow;
I'd fee my jo,
Befide me 'gain the glo'ming.
But he fae trig,
Lap o'er the rig,
And dawtingly did chear me;
When I, what reck,
Did leaft expect,
To fee my lad fae near me.

His bonnet he,
A thought ajee,
Cock'd sprush when first he clasp'd me;
And I, I wat,
Wi' fainness grat,
While in his grips he press'd me;
De'il tak the war,
I late and air
Ha'e wish'd since Jock departed;
But now as glad
I'm wi' my lad,
As shortsyne broken-hearted.

Fu' aft at e'en,
Wi' dancing keen,
When a' were blyth and merry,
I car'd na by,
Sae fad was I,
In abfence o' my deary;
But praife be bleft!
My mind's at reft,
I'm happy wi' my Johnny:
At kirk and fair,
I'fe ay be there;
And be as canty's ony.

