

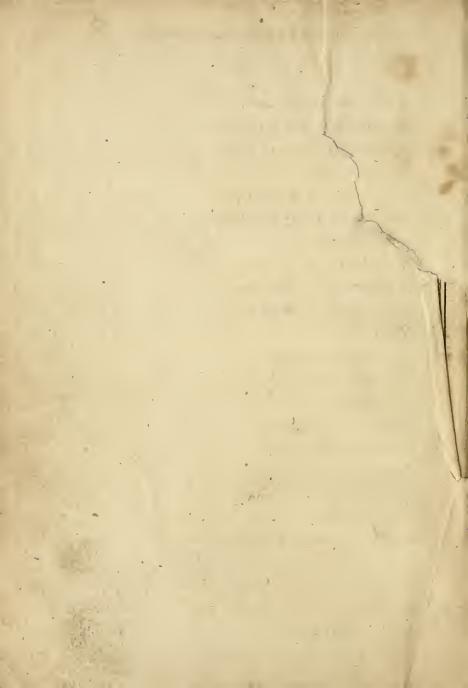
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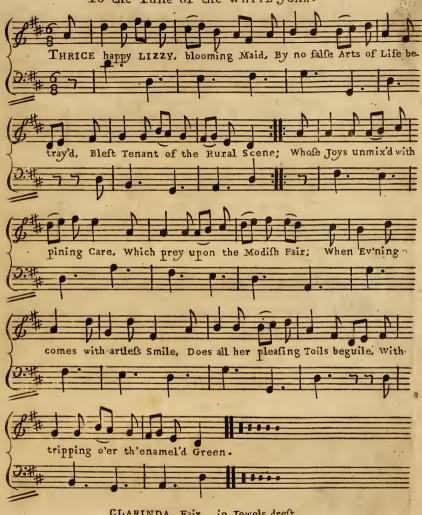
Soft reclin'd. O let me reft!

There, in Dreams, tho' now fo coy,
All her Beauties I'll enjoy.
In fweet Pleafure
Know no meafure.
My bright Treafure,
Poffelling whole:
The dear Thought transports my Soul.
On MONIMIA's snowy Breaft yc.
Da Capo

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The City Ladies, and Country Lass. The Words by Mr. LOCKMAN.

To the Tune of the WHITE JOAK.



CLARINDA, Fair, in Jewels dreft, The Pride of Theatres confest, Still shines with irresistless mein: Tho' Musick, Action, Words conspire, To wake her Soul to soft desire; Delight like this, will quickly cloy. And LIZZY tastes more perfect Joy. In tripping o'er th'enamel'd Green. When LINDAMIRA, in the Dance,

To sprightly Airs does swift advance,
And graceful moves like Beauty's Queen:
Tho' crouds of Beaux admiring gaze,
Nor sick'ning Prudes refuse her Praise,
The flatter'd Belle's not half so blest,
And LIZZY's of more Joys possest,
In tripping o'er th'enamel'd Green.

When COQUETILLA Cards invite.
To while away the Social Night.
And banish far corroding Spleen;
Tho' Chance, indulgent to her will,
Conveys each circling Deal, Spadille:
The sweets of gain are less refin'd.
And softer Transports sooth the Mind,
Of LIZZY when she trips the Green.

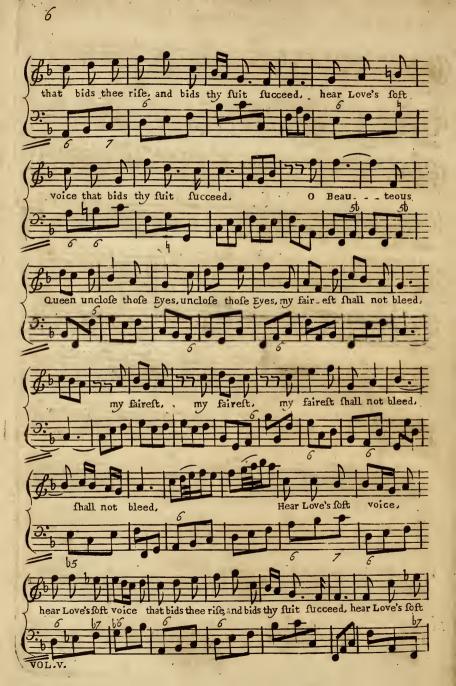
Hail blifsful Life which LIZZY leads!
Midft bub'ling Springs, and painted Meads,
Juft Emblem of the golden mean;
A Life, with faireft Virtue grac'd,
Whose ebbing Moments sweetly waste;
Made doubly joyous, chearful; gay,
When LIZZY crowns th'indulgent Day,
With tripping o'er th'enamel'd Green.

#### FLUTE.



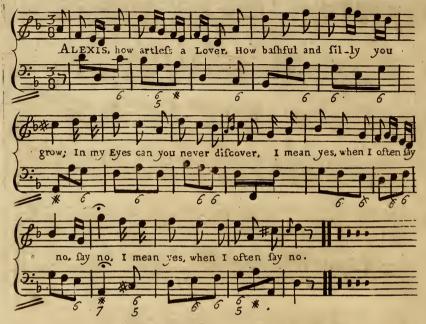
A Song in the Oratorio of Esther Set by Mr. Handel.







#### Sylvia to Alexis. Set by Mr Lampe.



When you pine and you whine out your Passion,
And only entreat for a Kis;
To be coy and deny is the fashion,
ALEXIS should ravish the Blis.

In Love, as in War, its but reason,
To make some defence for the Town;
To surrender without it were Treason,
Before that the outworks were won.

If I frown, its my bluftes to cover, Its for Honour, and Modefty's fake; He is but a pitifull Lover, Who is feil'd by a fingle attack.

But when we by force are o'er power'd.

The best, and the bravest must yeild;

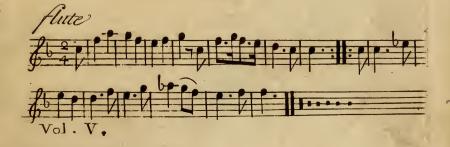
I am not to be won by a Coward.

Who hardly dares enter the Field.



Transported thus thou lovely Maid. With Pleasure I gaze on
Till by my Heedless looks betray'd
I'm unawares undone

Thus the poor wretch whose luckless fight
The fatal Serpent spies
Looks on and gazes with Delight
But as he Gazes Dies





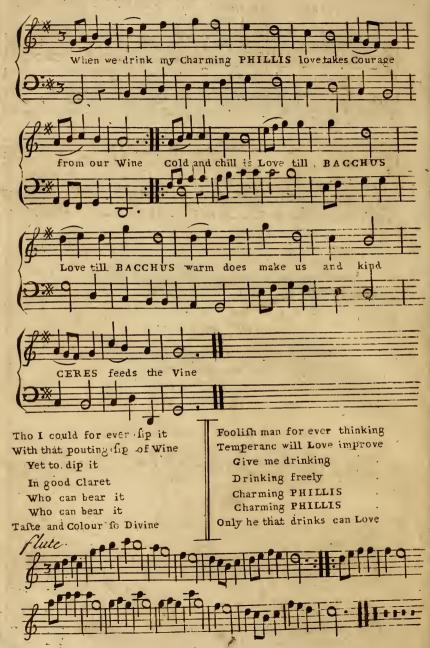
When wand'ring o'er the flow'ry Park
No nat'ral beauty wanting
How pleafant 'tis to hear the Lark
And Birds in Confort Chanting
But if my CHRISTY tunes her Voice
I'm wrapt in Admiration
My Thoughts with extafies rejoyce
And drap the whole Creation

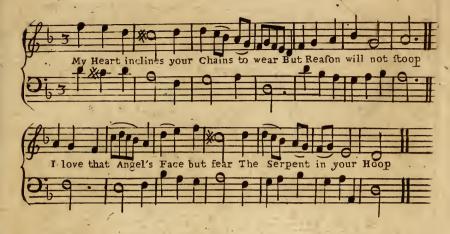
When e'er She gives a kindly glance I blefs the happy Omen
And often think for to advance
Hoping shel prove a woman
But dubious of my own defert
My Sentiments I smother
With secret sighs I vex my Heart
For fear she loves another

Thus fung poor Edie by a burn And CHRISTY did o'erhear him She wou'd not let her lover mourn But e'er he wift drew near him She fpoke her Favours with alook Which left no room to doubt her He wifely the nice Minute took And flung his arms about her

My CHRISTY witness gentle Stream
Such Ioys from tears arising
I wish this may not be a Dream
O love thou most surprising
Time was too precious now for talk
This point of all his wishes
He wou'd not with Set speeches balk
But spent it all on kisses







Your Eyes difcharge the Darts of Love But oh what Pains fucceed When Darts Shall Pins and Needles prove And Love a Fire indeed

The Fly about the Candle gay Dances with thoughtless Hum But short alas his giddy Play His Pleasure proves his Doom

The Child in fuch Simplicity
About the Bee hive clings
And with one Drop of Honey he
Receives a Hundred Stings



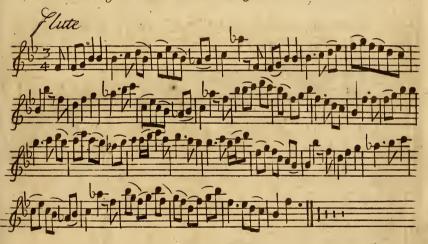
# John Hay's bonny Laffee



Shes fresh as the Spring and Sweet as AURORA When Birds mount and Sing bidding Day agood Morrow The Sward of the Mead enamell'd with Daisies Looks witherd and Dead when twind of her Graces

But if fhe appear where Verdures invite her. The Fountains run clear and Flow'rs fmell the fweeter. Tis Heav'n to be by when her. Wit is a flowing. Her Smiles. And bright Eyes fet my Spirits 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.



Pet by Mr. Lampe
LOVE is not to be Conceal'd

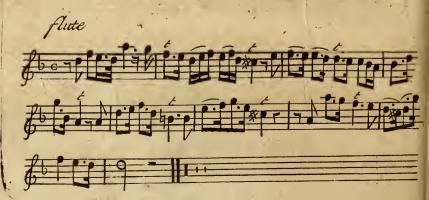




In vain I ftrive in Coverts to conceal
And hide from Man the Anguish that I Feel
Because my Lifeless Form and careless Mein
Betray the Flames which smother'd burn within

Ye Rocks ye Hills ye ftreams that weeping flow Ye Groves and Valleys Ah too well ye know What with my Life I would a fecret hold In Vain for fuch a Passion must be told

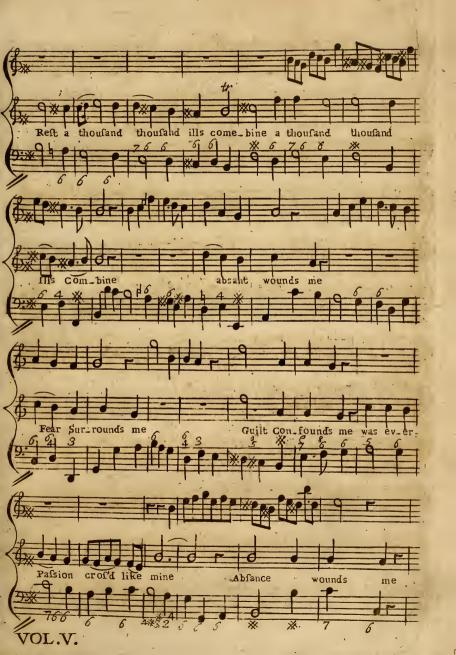
Long have I try'd but should I always stray
In Worlds remote through evry pathless way
From all Mankind o'er Hill, or Dale or Grove
I cannot fly from the Persuit of Love



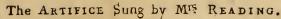
A Song in the OPERA of ROSAMOND Set by Mr ALLCOCK













And vow if you're rude they will Call!

But wheper so low that they let us know, it is all.

Artisice all. it is all Artisice, Artisice all.

My Dear the Wives cry when ever you die.

Oh marry again we ne'er fhall.

But in less then a year they make it appear, it is all.

Artifice all it is all Artifice Artifice all.

In matters of State and Party Debate, For CHURCH and for Iustice we Bawll; But if you, attend you'll find in the end, it is all, Artifice all it is all Artifice Artifice all.

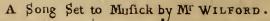


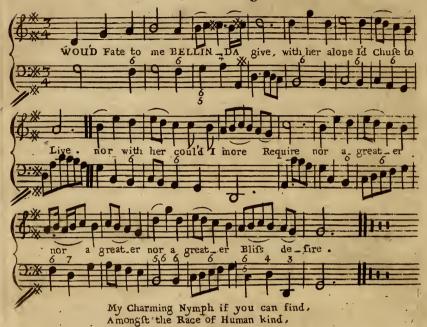
A Song to a Favourte Air by Mr HANDEL.





Pierce the Cask of generous Claret.
Rouse your Hearts e're 'tis too late;
Fill the Goblet never Spare it.
That's your Armour, that's your Armous &c.
Gainst all fate.
This verse must be repeated 3 times with the first part



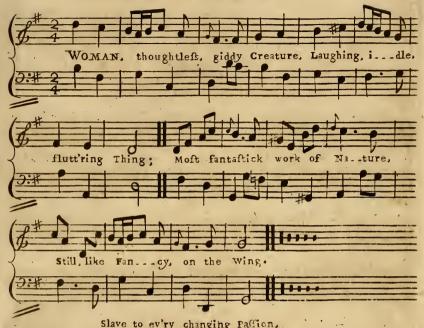


A Man that Loves you more than I.

I'le Refigne you I'le Refigne you the I die.

With all her Beautys all her Charms.
With form and pitty I'd look down.
On the Glorys on the Glorys of a Crown.





Slave to ev'ry changing Fassion, Loving, hating, in extream: Fond of ev'ry foolish Fashion, And, at best, a pleasing Dream.

Lovely Trifle: dear Illusion: Conq'ring Weakness: wish'd for Pain! Man's chief Glory, and Confusion, Of all Vanitys, most vain!

Thus, deriding Beauty's Pow'r,
BEVILL call'd it all a cheat;
But in lefs than half an "Hour,
Kneel'd, and whin'd at CELIA'S Feet.









Sung by Mrs. Clive in the Double Dealer.







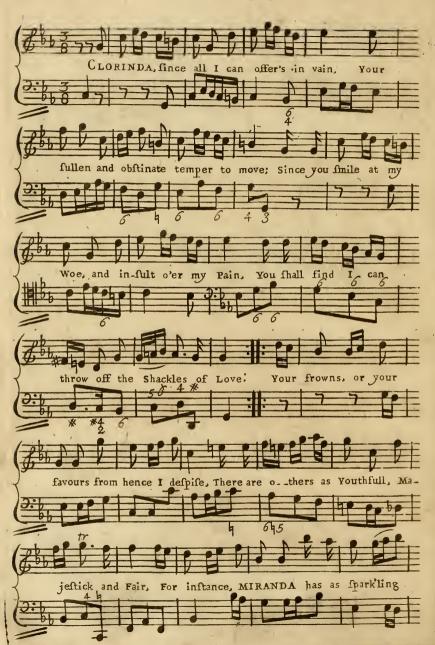




Breath fweet Odours ev'ry Flow'r.
All your various Paintings fhow: All &c.
Pleasing Verdure grace each Bow'r.
Around let ev'ry Blessing flow. Around &c.

Glide ye lympid Brooks along:
PHŒBUS, glance thy mildeft Ray; PHŒBUS ¾c.
Murm'ring Floods, repeat my Song,
And tell what COLIN dare not fav. And tell ¾c.

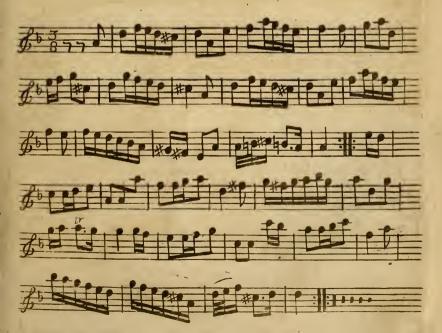
CELIA comes! whose charming Air,
Fires with Love the rural Swains; Fires &c.
Tell, ah! tell the blooming Fair,
That COLIN dies, if she distains. That &c.





Wou'd you answer my Love, without all this to do.
My Heart, you of all the fair kind shou'd possess.
But when there's such labour, and trouble to Woo.
It makes the enjoyment, then relish the less.
Once more, e'er I leave you, and seek love essewhere,
Can you conquer this rage and aversness to Man.
The Nymph she perceiv'd she had gone then too far,
Cry'd, stay awhile, STREPHON — I'll do what I can.

## FLUTE.





Yestreen I made my Bed fu' brade,
The Night I'll make it narrow;
For a' the live-long Winter's Night,
I lie twin'd of my Marrow.

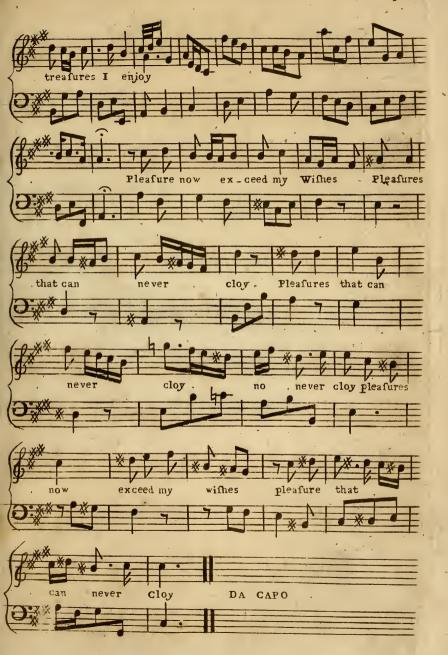
O came you by yon Water-fide, Pu'd you the Rofe or Lilly; Or came you by yon Meadow green, Or faw you my fweet WILLY?

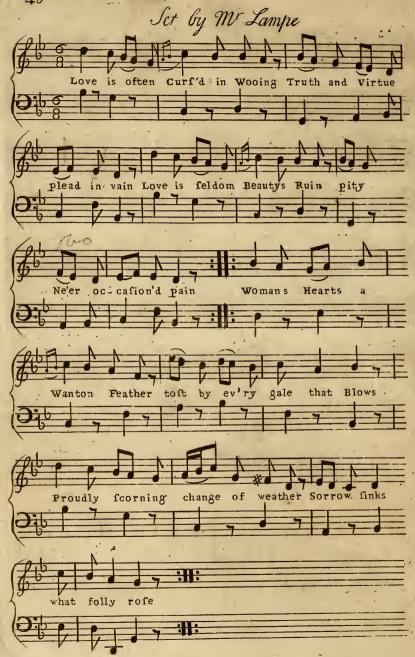
She fought him East, she fought him West, She fought him brade and narrow; Sine in the clifting of a Craig, She found him drown'd in Yarrow.





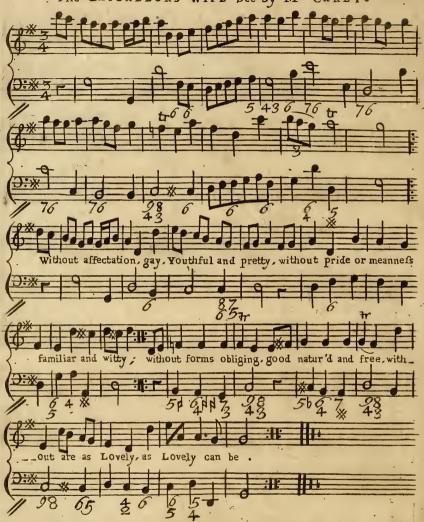








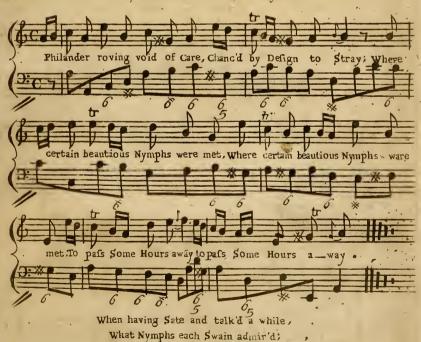
. The BATCHELORS WIFE Set by Mr CAREY.



She acts what the thinks and the thinks what the says, Regardless alike both of censure and praise:
But her thoughts and her words and her actions are such;
That none can admire'em or praise her'too much.



## APOLLOS Advice Set by Mr LAMPE



Told how fond STREPHON lov'd in vain

And CLOES Beauties fird,

A general Silence then Succeeds, Nor was the Silence long; When all the Fair agree'd to ank The Favour of a Song,

The Youth who knew himfelf unfit, Was fearfull to comply, And yet when Beauty ark'd the Boon, Unwilling to deny,

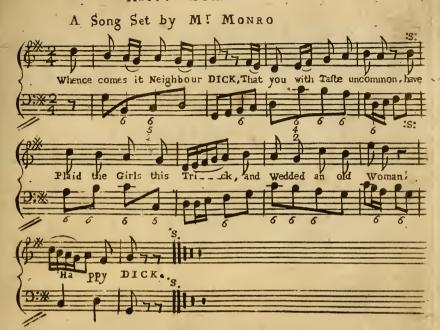
The confcious Shepherd then in haft
The God of Musick pray'd,'
Hear me he cried, harmonious God,'
And Send thy timely Aid,

Amaz'd the God his Rafhness Saw.
And Said; mad Youth forbear!
When heav'nly Judges hear the Song.
APOLLO'S Self must dare.

Be wife nor with Such Rafhners court
The Danger you would run;
Soar not with bold Icarian Wings,
If you his Fate would fhun,

- FLUTE.





Each Bell Condemns the Choice.

Of a Youth fo Gay and Sprightly;
But we your friends rejoyce.

That you have Judg'd fo rightly.

HAPPY DICK.

Tho odd to fome it Sounds.

That on Threefcore you'ye ventur'd;

Yet in Ten Thoufand Pou\_nds.

Ten Thoufand charms are centr'd. &.

Beauty you know will fade, As does the fhort liv'd Flower, Nor can the faireft Ma\_id, Insure her Bloom an Hour, & c

But wifely you refign.

For Sixty Charms fo transi-nt.

As the curious yalue Co\_in.

The more for being antient %c.

With Ioy your Spouse shall see,
The fading Beauties round her,
And she her self Still be...
The Same that first you found her. &c.

Oft is the Marriage State
With Iealousie attended;
And hence thro foul debate.
Are Nuptial ious Sufpended. &c.

But you with fuch a Wife,
No Jealous fears are under;
She's yours alone for Life,
Or much we all Shou'd wonder &c.

Her death wou'd grieve you sore,
But let it not torment you;
My life fhe'll fee fourscore,
If that will but content you &c.

On this you may rely

For the Pains you took to win her

Shell ne'er in Childbed dv-e

Unless the Devil's in her co

Some have the name of Hell
To Matrimony Given;
How falfely you can te\_Il
Who have found it such a Heaven &c.

With Spouse long Share the Bliss.

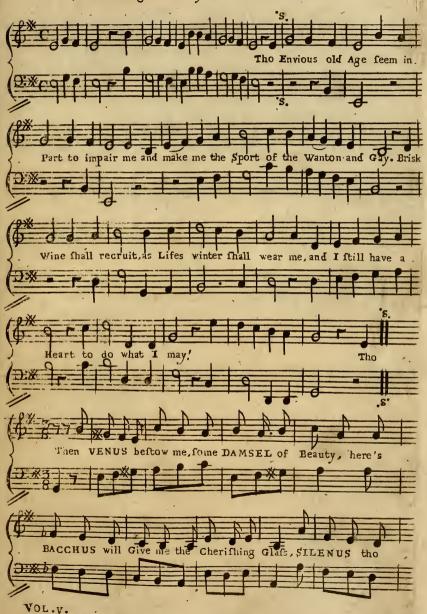
You had Mist in any other:
And when you we bury'd th\_is.

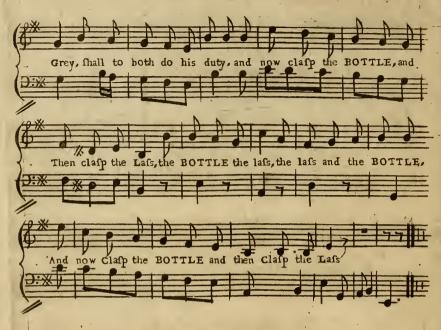
May you have fuch another, & c.

Observing hence from you,
In Marriage such decorum;
Our wiser youths shall do
As you have done before em,



## A Song ' Set by Mr. GALLIARD .

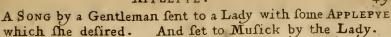


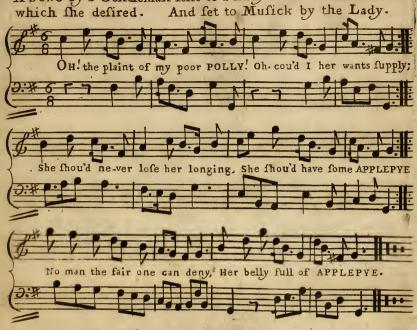


For the FLUTE









Who wou'd not think this a favour, And to oblidge my POLLY try; Who wou'd not—out of his own belly Spare her a bit of APPLEPYE. No man. &c.

When she asks —it must be granted.

On Beauty's power she may rely:

She might have — 0' were she willing.

A better thing — than APPLEPYE.

CHORUS.

No man the fair one cou'd deny.

A better thing \_\_ than APPLEPYE.

FLUTE.



To a young Lady of Eighteen Courted by a Man of Threescore Set by Mr. MARKWELL. Dear CHLOE at tend to th'advice of a Friend, And for , once be ad-mo nish'd by me: Before you en-gage Think how Summer and Winter a\_gree, Think how Summer and Win-ter a-gree.

So ancient a Fruit,

For want of a Root,

Is doom'd to a fpeedy decay:

Youth might ripen your Charms,

But Old Age in young Arms,

Is like Frosty Weather in May. • \*\*

Let Men of Threefcore
Think of Wedlock no more,
They need not be fond of that Noofe;
The Cripple that begs,
Without any Legs,
Can have no great occasion for Shoes.

Believe me, dear Maid.
When the best Cards are play'd.
You seldom can meet with a Trump:
And to help the Jest on.
When the Sucker is gone.
What a Plague would you do with a Pump.

A Clock out of repair,
Doth but badly declare,
The Hour of the Day or the Night;
For, unless my dear Love,
The Pendulum move,
'Twou'd be strange if the Clock shou'd go right.

FLUTE.



To MIRTILLA.
Set by Mr. Sams. The Words by Mr. Manly.





I thought, and bleft my fond belief,
You were too good to urge my Grief,
To rack my faithfull heart;
But Oh! what Agonies I prove,
Since you neglect my tender Love.
And play the Tyrant's part.

If coldness and unkind distain,
Malicious Prudence bids you feign,
Your stal Pow'r to try;
Beware, rash Nymph, betimes beware,
The needless cruel art forbear,
Or instant see me die!

To vulgar Hearts, impure, and vain,
Wife were thy Scorn, and just the Pain,
For fuch deserve their Woe;
But gen'rous Charmer, let not mine,
Where Love and Truth for ever join,
The worst of Torments know.

The Gods, who made you heavinly fair.
That you their Pow'r divine might fhare.
Their Votries five from ill:
Ah then, let neither Pride nor Art.
Say that fair form b lies thy Heart.
And you delight to 'ill.

The Morning Song of a Spinster of Sixty who marry'd a 5.3

Beardless Boy. The Words by Mr. Manly.



My felf a Virgin long I kept.
Love firugling in my Breaft.

Nor cou'd I form the reason why.
It rob'd me of my rest.

But now convinc'd, the case is plain.
I feel the Joy, despise the Pain.

With &c.

Tis true when Priest was joining hands.

I trembled and look'd pale.

Nor cou'd I judge the real cause.

My Voice began to fail:

But now reliev'd from trisling pain.

I wou'd not be a Maid again.

With &c.

Then after Meal and chearfull Glafs,
And by all friends careft,
My Spirits rais'd, I felt a flame,
Too ftrong to be expreft.
Believe me, Ladies, I fpeak true,
I'd fain have you fee what you can do.
With &c.

But now the time was drawing near,
We're both to be undreft;
The Stocking thrown, the Poffet drank,
And each had crackt their Jeft.
A fudden Paffion feiz'd my heart,
I felt a Pulse in e'ry part.
With &c.

Then guess what Transports I enjoy'd,
When in my STREPHON's Arms,
And he in mine, with Passion strong,
Possess of all my Charms.
I faintly spoke, I trembling lay,
I softly languish'd, dy'd away.
With &c.

But when the time shall come, that I
I'th' straw must be laid down,
And brought to bed of Son and Heir,
Admir'd by half the Town.
O! pleasing thoughts, when Babe shall cry,
For dear Mamma to Lullaby.
With &c.

Then to conclude, I here invite,
You Ladies foon to Wed,
And tafte those pleasing Douceurs which
Abound in Marriage Bed.
Ah! Ladies, you'd resign Chit chat,
To be like me, and know what's what
With &c.

## The Spinster's Evening Song.

GOD profper long from being Wed, Each Spinfter, Young and Old, And liften to the ruefull Tale, Which to you I'll unfold. Tho' very late I chang'd my Name, By being Wed to One, Tho' artles feem'd his fimple looks, Yet artful was his Tongue.

Disparity in years, I own,
By Friends was disapproved;
Yet had you seen the pretty Youth,
Like me you must have love.

And now the Subject being Love, I could purfue the Tale; Recount to you those Pleasures which Does with our Sex prevail.

But tears prevents the fweet detail, Which to you I wou'd give, For now a more unhappy Nymph, Can fcarce be faid to live.

For know, two Moons are hardly paft, E'er Spouse tegan to vary, And all the pleasures I possest, To younger Nymphs did carry.

Then guess what pains must be endur'd, By one who thinks like me, And try if I am to be cur'd, By friendly Sympathy.

What the the envious part of life, Has calld my Age threefcore, Yet I possessing Passions strong, Am Twenty and no more.

But Oh! the Pledge of our dear Love, For which I long did tarry, By utage rough, and words unkind, Will cause me to Miscarry.

Then pity one in fuch diftrefs, And let my Grief have vent; For the I marry'd was in hafte, I've leafure to repent. Set by Mr. SAMS. The Words by Mr. MANLY.



Let no vain Cynick be fo rude,
To trouble us with Thinking;
When the ways are bad, and the weather's cold,
There's nought to be done but Drinking:
Your Table fill with wholefome Viands,
And ftore of generous liquor;
My life for yours, 'twill keep you warm,
And make your blood move quicker.

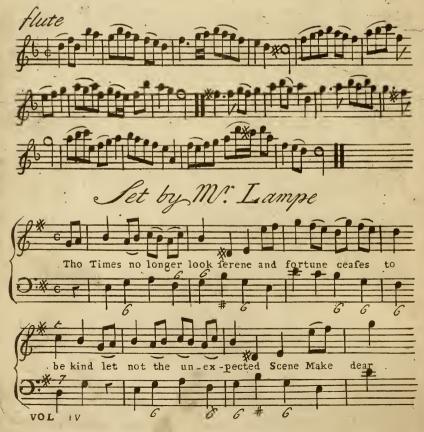


Cease Tormenting vain Deceiver
CLOEall your Arts defies
Cares not if you will believe her
Whether DAMON lives or Dies:

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Trifling Swain your fuit give over And implore CORINNA'S Charms Know young CLOE'S doom'd a Lover But to blefs her STREPHON'S Arms

Since nor Faith nor Truth can move you
In behalf of DAMON'S Suit
CLOE know altho I lovd you
Scorn produces other Fruit
Take your faithless canting Rover
Clasp him in deluded Arms
DAMON Ioys who was your Lover
That his Rival loaths your Charms.





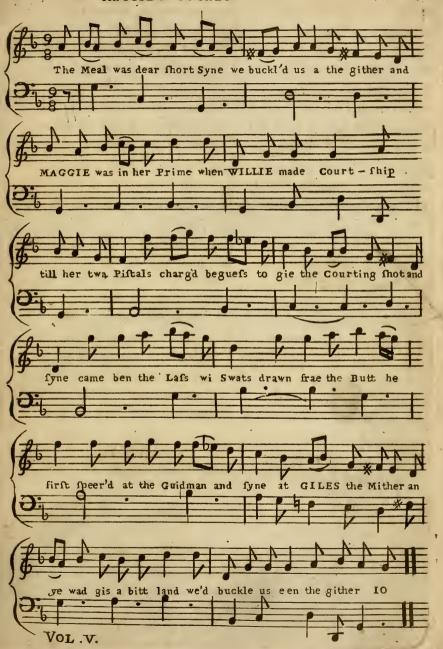
O think (nor of the Thought repent)
Of prior meetings in yon Grove
Where we the fleeting Minutes fpent
In foft alternate Vows of Love
If this can Pity now create
And fill engage you to be true
I Slight the most Oppressive Fate
That wretched Mortals ever knew.

Let not fuch dubious Thoughts my Dear Increase the Measure of your Grief You still shall own my Heart sincere And ready to dispense Relief:
The Flame of long contracted Love Is unextinguish'd in my Breast And Mountains may as well remove As I desert the fair distrest.

Love undifsembled does not turn
With ev'ry various change of Fate
But Itill does for the Object Burn
In Happy or unhappy ftate
Firm as a Sturdy Oak it lafts
Which deeply rooted in the Ground
Withstands the fierce Æolian Blasts
That Blow indignant all around

So shall my constant Heart cement
To thee its Principal Delight
Nor shall the sudden ill event
Our mutual Passion disunite
Let this convince my Charmer now
PHILANDER only sighs for you
And that I Don't recant my Vow
But still more Strongly it renew.





My Daughter ye shall hae,
I'll gi'you her by the Hand;
But I'll part wi'my wife by my fae,
Or I part wi'my Land.
Your Tocher it fall be good,
There's nane fall hae its maik,
The Lass bound in her snood,
And CRUMMIE who kens her stake:
With an auld bedden o' claiths,
Was left me by my Mither,
They're jet black o'er wi'slaes,
Ye may cudle in them the gither.

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Your Tocher's be good enough,
For that ye need na fear,
Twa good stilts to the Pleugh,
And ye your sell maun steer.
Ye shall hae twa good Pocks
That anes were o'the Tweel.
The t'ane to had the Meal
The ither to had the Meal:
With ane auld kist made of Wands,
And that sall be your Coffer,
Wi'aiken Woody - bands,
And that may had your Tocher.

Ye fpeak right well, Guidman,
But ye maun mend your Hand,
And think o'modefty,
Gin ye'll not quat your Land:
We are but young ye ken,
And now we're gawn the gither.
A House is Butt and Benn,
And CRUMMIE will want her Fother.
The Bairns are coming on,
And they'il cry O their Mither!
We have nouther Pot nor Pan,
But four bare Legs the gither.

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Confider well, Guidman,
We hae but borrowed Gear,
The Horfe that I ride on
Is SANDY WILSON'S Mare.
The Saddle's nane of my Ain,
And thae's but borrowed Boots,
And when that I gae hame,
I maun take to my Coots;
The Cloak is GEORDY WATT'S,
That gars me look fae croufe
Come fill us a Cogue of Swats:
We'll make nae mair toom rufe,

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I like you well young Lad,
For telling me fae plain,
I Married When little I had
O' Gear that was my ain.
But fin that things are fae,
The Bride she maun come furth,
Tho' a' the Gear she'll ha'e,

It'll be but little worth,
A Bargain it maun be,
Fy cry on GILES the Mither:
Content am I, quo' fhe,
E'en gar the Hiffie come hither,
The Bride fhe gade till her Bed,
The Bridegroom he came till her,
The Fidler crap in at the Fit,
An they cudl'd it a' the gither

Sung by Mrs. CLIVE in TIMON in Love

Set by Mr, LAMPE

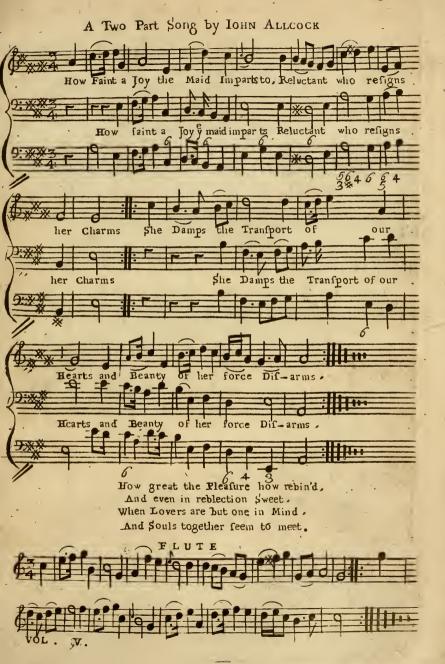


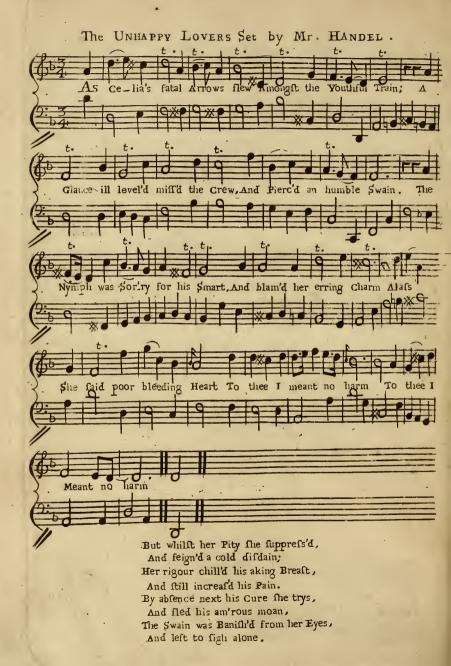
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But now the longs again to hear.

His foft complaining tale;
What harm, the thought, to please her Ear, with what cou'd ne'er prevail.

The swain, Bles'd with a second view,
Was with a frown difinis'd;
He humbly beg'd a fost adieu,
He wept ador'd and kiss'd.

How fweet was ev'n the parting kifs,
To the poor haples Swain,
No hopes had he of further Blifs,
But thus to part again,
She faw him twice, fhe faw him thrice,
And try'd her utmost Skill;
He mended not by her advice
But she her self grew ill.

Yet Cœlia's Heart was chill'd with Pride.
The melting with Defire:
On Heclas Summit thus abide.
At once, the Snow and Fire.
Her Love and Honour Rules by turns
By Minutes, not by Days;
And now the Freezes, now the Burns,
And both alike obeys.

But Flame, too fierce to be confin'd
Within her tender Breaft;
Burft forth, and thus to footh his Mind,
Her Paffion fhe confes'd.

A venge thy Love on my Proud Heart,
For fo the Fates decree;
Act in thy turn the Scornful Part,
And kindly fly from me.

Yet gentle, ftill, forgive a wrong,
Attended with its Curfe,

If ill I treated thee fo long,

My felf I treated worfe.

Veil'd with feign'd fcorn, I ftrove to hide,

The Love I durft not own,

Whilft Cupid ev'ry look bely'd

And Peep'd thro ev'ry frown.

See this fair flow'r that long has strove.

Against the Winters Frost.

It Peeps, is cropt, so fares our Love.

Still sated to be lost.

E'er you full Moon that shines so bright,

Shall end its Monthly wain.

Celia shall vanish from thy sight,

Ne'er to return again.

Hymen, no longer time allows,
Then, then my Nuptial Day;
Another claims my Plighted Yows
I cannot Dare not ftay.
This Cryftal Stream fhall backwards glide,
And leave this Craggy Shore;
But I the fatal knot once ty'd,
Shall never fee thee more.

Too true, next circling Month, the fame
That faw her first a wife;
A quicker and less cruel Flame
Cut short her thread of Life.
Him too, the Feaver did invade
Ah Feaver too unkind;
Twas meant to wast him to her shade
But lest him lost behind.





Great Mars Commands, and Hero like
I must Disdain to Fear:
Young Cupids Bow and Dart must now
Give Place to Ball and Spear.
The Conquest he within has made,
I must A While forget:
The wounds of Hearts, and Am'rous Smarts
Must now be out of Date.

I mean not to be false:
I lease to Woo, but not in View
Of Loveing any Else.
I Talk of War, and hast to Arms
But am at Peace with you:
Wish all success, and hope no Less
My Charming Girl Adieu.

Yet neer fuspect your Constant Man,

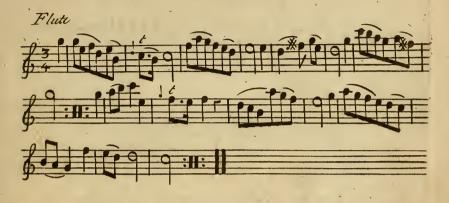


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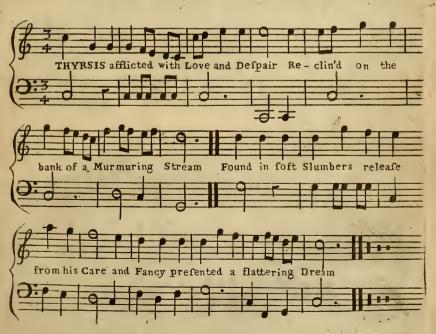


Give me Ambrofia in a kifs
That I may rival JOVE in Blifs
That I may mix my foul with thine
And make the pleafure all Divine

Why drawift thou from the purple flood
Of my kind heart the vital blood
Thou art all over endless Charms
Oh take me dying to thy Arms



A SONG to Mr HENDEL'S Trumpet Minuet



Blooming and blushing confenting and gay CHLORIS in Vision appear'd to his Sight Down by the fide of her Shepherd she lay And Languishing Looks his Embrace did invite

Raptur'd with Ioy he extends his vain Arms Eager to class the kind pitying Fair But waking finds 'em devoid of her Charms' And all his fond Hopes but Delusion and Air

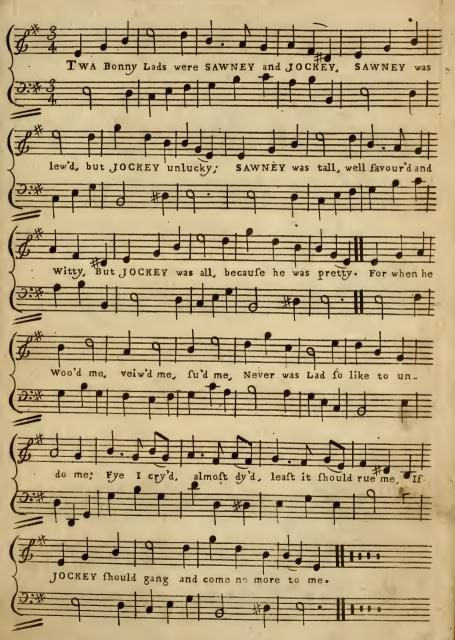
O why do I wake to new Torment he cry'd Sleep only brings Eafe to my Amorous Mind Stil in its Bands let my Senfes be ty'd Since only in Dreams my Fair CHLORIS is kind

Among the thick Rushes and Willows conceal'd CHLORIS who heard the Complaint of her S wain At once both her self and her Passion reveal'd And vow'd he no longer shou'd languish in, vain

Then down by the Side of her Shepherd the lay
All on the gay bank of the murmuring Stream
Swift Flew the Moments in Transport away
And something was done that was more than a Dream

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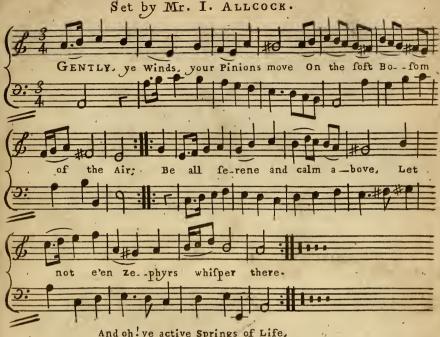
JOCKEY could love, but he would not marry, And I was afraid leaft I fhould mifcarry; His cunning tongue with Wit was fo gilded, That I was afraid, leaft I might have i'l did: For when he Blefs'd me, prefs'd me, kifs'd me, Loft was the Hour I thought when he mifs'd me, Crying, denying, and fighing, I woo'd him, And mickle adoo I had to get from him.

But cruel fate rob'd me of my Jewel,
For SAWNEY would make him to fight in a Duell,
Down in a Dale with Cypress furrounded,
Oh! there to his Death poor JOCKEY was wounded:
For when he fell'd him, thrilld him, killd him,
Who can express my Greif, that beheld him,
Sighing, I tore my hair all for to bind him,
And vow'd and fwore I would not stay behind him.

Thus JENNY for JOCKEY lays fighing and weeping. For the lofs of her Dear, whilft others are fleeping; And SAWNEY to fee her thus forely diftreffed. For the lofs of her Dear; in his heart was oppreffed: But when this Deluder, woo'd her, fu'd her, She bid him be gone, and call'd him Intruder; And faid fhould you die for my love, I would mock ye You have been the Cause of the Death of my JOCKEY.

Oh! JOCKEY, there's none that is left to inherit The Tythe of thy Virtue, thy wondrous Merit; Thy Goodness, by me, shall ne'er be forgotten, I'll fing out thy Praise when thy Carcass lays rotten, For thou wert the fairest, rarest and dearest, And now thou art gone, like a Saint thou appearest: I'll have on thy Grave-Stone, this Motto inserted, Here lies lifeless JOCKEY, who Dy'd broken hearted.





And oh ye active Springs of Life,
Whose chearful Course the Blood conveys,
Compose awhile your wonted Strife,
Attend — 'tis matchless HANDEL plays.

Hush'd by fuch Strains, the fost Delight Recalls each absent Wish and Thought; Our Senses, from their airy Flight, Are all to this sweet Period brought:

And here they fix, and here they reft, As if twas now confistent grown, To facrifice the pleasing Taste Of ev'ry Blessing to this one.

And who wou'd not with Transport feek
All other Objects to remove;
And when an Angel deigns to speak,
By Silence Admiration prove.

When lo the mighty Man affay'd
The Organ's heav'nly breathing Sound,
Things that inanimate were made,
Strait mov'd, and as inform'd were found.

Thus ORFMEUS when the Numbers flow'd Sweetly 1 for nting from his Lyre, Mountains and Hills confess'd the God, Nature look'd up and did admire-

HANDEL, to wax the Charm as firong, Temper'd ALCINA's with his own; And now afferted by their Song, They rule the tuneful World alone.

Or fhe improves his wondrous Lay, Or he, by a fuperior Spell, Does greater Melody convey, That fhe may her bright Self excel.

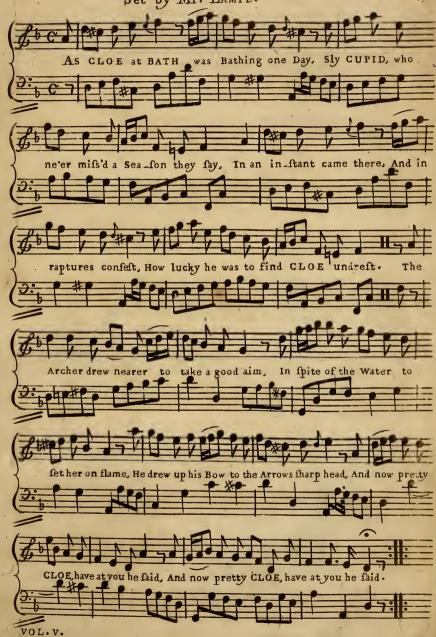
Then cease your fruitless Flights, forbear, Ye Infants in great HANDEL's Art.
To imitate you must not dare,
Much less such Excellence impart.

When HANDEL deigns to strike the Sense, 'Tis as when Heav'n with Hands divine, Struck out the Globe, (a Work immense!) Where Harmony meets with Design.

When you attempt the mighty Strain, Confiftency is quite destroy'd, Great Order is diffolv'd again, Chaos returns, and all is void.

#### FLUTE.





His Arrow lights full on her lilly white Breaft,
But blunted, recoil'd, which its hardness confess'd;
Surpriz'd, and in anger he took out another,
The very same dart that had wounded his Mother:
Now CLOE, says CUPID, I'm sure of the stroak,
Then straining his Bow, the string snapt and broke,
Twice foil'd, the God whimpers with tears in his Eyes,
Said, here all my Power and Majesty lies.

To be brav'd by a Mortal, who conquer'd a JOVE.
And taught Gods to own the great Power of Love;
I foon shall be slighted, for what can I do,
Since now I have broken the string of my Bow:
My Quiver is useless, and men will despise.
Any darts that are thrown, but from CLOE's bright Eyes,
To my mother I'll haste and see what's to be done,
For she loses her Power as well as her Son.

Then upwards he flew to the Goddess of Beauty,
Crying Mamma for ever farewel, and adieu t'ye,
To CLOE on Earth I obedience must shew,
She only can give me a string to my Bow;
All your Charms in Perfection fair CLOE enjoys,
But that which for ever my Empire destroys,
Is,her Breast is so cold that I can't enter there,
For ah! she's as terribly Vertuous as fair.

VENUS heard his complaint, and confest'd that she knew, Most part that he said of fair CLOE was true; But that he had barely met with his desert.

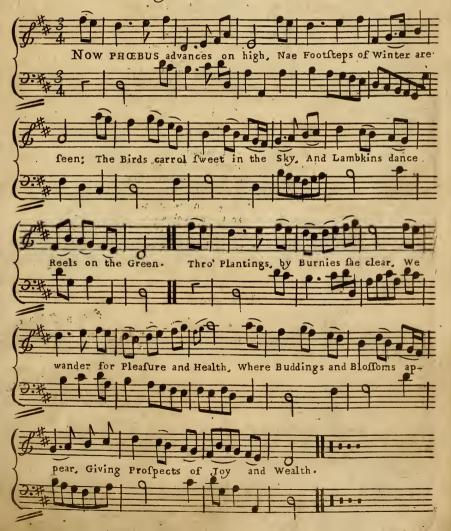
To dare make attempt on her likeness's heart:
But for to ease the young urchin of Pain,
And in order to give him some comfort again,
She told him that Time wou'd diminish each Grace,
And at length quite destroy CLOE's beautifull Face.

That her heaving fair Bosom, and taper fine waste, Would decay in the touching and perish at last: In short she was mortal, and that Time wou'd show, And Death soon wou'd give him revenge for his Bow. But Mother, says CUPID, how satal the blow is, Shou'd she ever consent to make some more CLOES. To which, with a frown, said the CYPRIAN Queen, That not such another shou'd ever be seen.

This news chear'd the Chitt, and his lofs to repair, Flew to CLOE again and ftole fome of her Hair, He mended his Bow, which was then good as ever, New fharpen'd his Arrows, replenish'd his Quiver;

Then up in an instant to Heaven he flew,
Saying. CLOE without my affistance can do,
All Places, like BATH, due submission shall shew ye,
And the World be subjected to beautiful CLOE.

Sae metry as we have been. A Scotch Song.



View ilka gay Scene all around.

That are, and that promife to be;
Yet in them a nathing is found.

Sae perfect ELIZA as thee:
Thy Een the clear Fountains excel.

Thy Locks they out-rival the Grove;
When Zephyrs those pleasingly swell.

Ilk Wave makes a Captive to Love.

The Rofes and Lillies combin'd,
And Flowers of maift delicate Hue,
By thy Cheek and dear Breafts are out fhin'd,
Their Tinctures are naithing fae true.
What can we compare with thy Voice?
And what with thy Humour fae fweet?
Nae Mufic can blefs with fic Joys;
Sure Angels are just fae complete.

Fair Bloffom of ilka Delight,
Whose Beauties ten thousand out-shine;
Thy Sweets shall be lasting and bright,
Being mixt with sae many divine.
Ye Powers, who have given sic Charms
To ELIZA, your Image below,
O save her frae all human Harms!
And make her Hours happily flow.



## The HAPPY PAIR by Mr LEVERIDGE



None of that Senfless wretched Pride.
Which in her Sex is too often Decry'd:
Gaming the hates and outward Show
Which often Familys throughly undoe.

No int'rest now but his she knows.

She is the Comfort and balm of his woes.

The Joys and greiss of each, both own

And they in all things are ever but one.

And thus they Live in calm and peace.

And know no other strife but that to please;

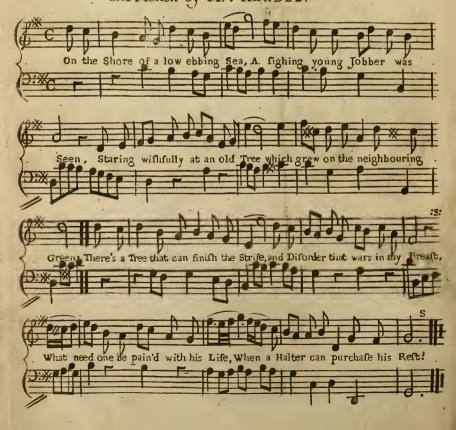
Of such apair this may by told

Love can't be Sated or ever be cold.



The Satyr's Advice to a Stock-jobber.

The Musick by Mr. HANDEL.



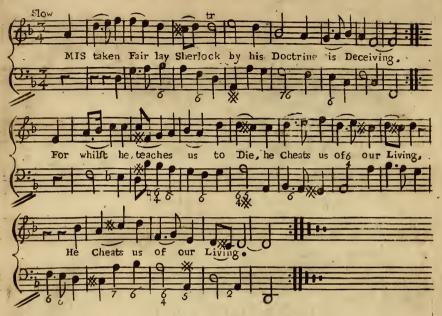
Sometimes he would stamp, and look wild,
Then roar out a terrible Curse
On Bubbles that had him beguil'd,
And left ne'er a Doit in his Purse.
A Satyr that wander'd along,
With a Laugh to his Raving reply'd:
The Savage maliciously sung,
And iok'd while the Stock-Jobber cry'd

To Mountains and Rocks hecomplain'd,
His Cravat was bath'd with his Tears;
The Satyr drew near like a Friend,
And bid him abandon his Fears.
Said he. Have you been at the Sea,
And met with a contrary Wind,
That you rail at fair Fortune fo free:
Don't blame the poor Goddes shes blind.

Come hold up thy Head, foolifh Wight,
Ill teach thee thy Lofs to retrieve;
Observe me this Projectoright,
And think not of Hanging but live,
HECATISSA conceted and old,
Affects in her Airs to seem young,
Her Jointure, yields plenty of Gold,
And plenty of Nonsense her Tongue:

Lay Siege to her for a fhort Space,
Ne'er mind that file's wrinkled or gray;
Extol her for Beauty and Grace,
And doubt not of gaining the Day.
In Wedlock ye fairly may join,
And when of her Wealth you are fure,
Make free of the old Woman's Coin,
And purchase a sprighty young Whore.





To Die's a Lefton we fhall Know,
Too Soon Without a Mafter,
Then let us only ftudy now
How we fhall Live the Fafter.

To Live's to Love to Blefs be Bleft.
With Mutual Inclination.
Share then my ardour in thy Breaft.
And Kindly meet my Passion'.

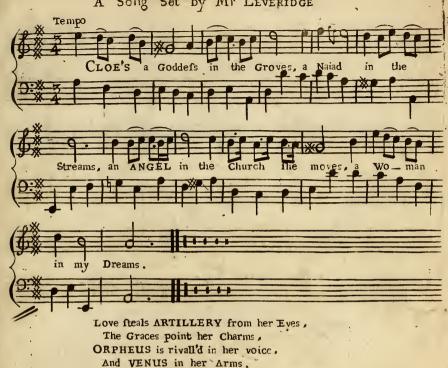
But if thus Bleft I may not live.

And Pity you Deny.

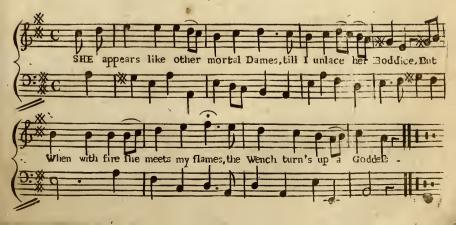
To me at least your SHERLOCK give.

Tis I must learn to Die.

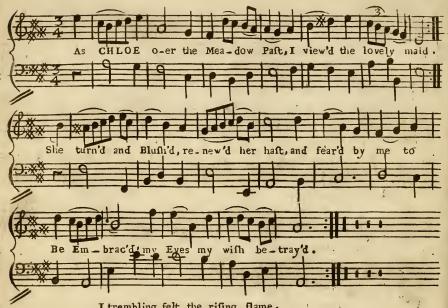




Never fo Perfectly in one,
Did Heav'n and Earth combine,
And yett tis flefth, and blood alone,
Make her this thing Divine.



# A Song Set by Mr. Ioun Allcock



The Charming Nympth Purfu'd.

DAPHNE was not fo Bright a Game.

Tho Great A POLLO'S Darling Dame.

Nor with fuch Charms endu'd.

I follow'd Clofe, the Fair ftill flew,
Along the Grafsy Plain,
The Grafs at Length my Rival grew,
And Catch'd my CHLOE by the fhoe,
Her speed was then in vain.

But oh! as tott'ring Down fhe fell,
What Did the Fall reveal,
Such Limbs Description Cannot tell,
Such Charms were never in the mall,
Nor smock did e'er Conceal.

The !fhreik'd I turnd my ravishd eyes,
And Burning with Desire

I help'd the Queen of love to rife,
She Cheek'd her anger and surprize,
And said rash Youth retire.

Be Gone and Boaft what you have feen, It fhan't avail you much.

I Know you like my Form and mien, Yet fince fo Infolent they have been, Those Parts you ne'er fhall touch.



Ann thou were my Ain thing.



Of Race divine thou needs must be, Since nothing earthly equals thee; So I must still presumptuous be, To show how much I lo'e thee.

Ann thou were, & c.

The Gods one Thing peculiar have,
To ruin none whom they can fave;
O' for their fake support a Slave,
Who only lives to lo'e thee.
Ann thou were, & c.

To Merit I no Claim can make, But that I lo'e, and for your fake, What Man can name, I'll undertake, So Dearly do I lo'e thee.

Ann thou were, & c.

My Passion, constant as the sun, Flames stronger still, will ne'er have done, Till Fates my Thread of Life have spun, Which breathing out, I'll lo'e thee.

Ann thou were, & c.

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Sung in KING ARTHUR Set by Mr.H.PURCELL



Grateful ev'ry Nymph shall prove;

And as these excell in Beauty,

Those shall be renown'd for Love.

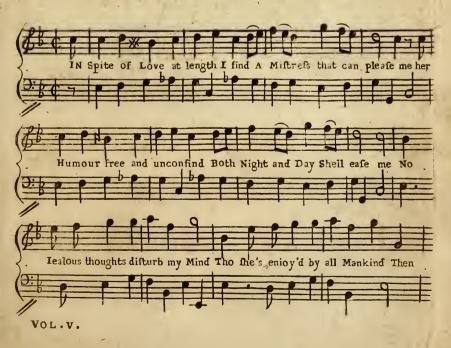
The RETIREMENT. Set by Mr. Monroe.



Lo'you fair Stream with wanton arms, The Meadow folds fond of her Charms; And glides in mazy circles round, As loth to leave th'enchanted Ground. FLORA by ZEPHIR is carefs'd. The Balmy Breeze inflames my Breaft; A thousand spicy Odours rise. And all around perfume the Skies.

Here conquering Love in Triumph reigns, Ador'd by happy Nymphs and Swains:
This Carpet ground is trode by none,
That do not his Dominion own.
In this retreat where all conspire,
To fan the genial amorous fire,
Will you alone my SILVIA prove,
A Rebell to the Powr of Love.

#### The Free MISTRESS .





If you thro all her naked Charms
'Her little Mouth Difcover
Then take her blufhing to your Arms
And use her lik a Lover
Such Liquor She'll distill from thence
As will transport your ravish'd Sence:
Then kiss and never Spare it
Tis a Bottle of good Claret.

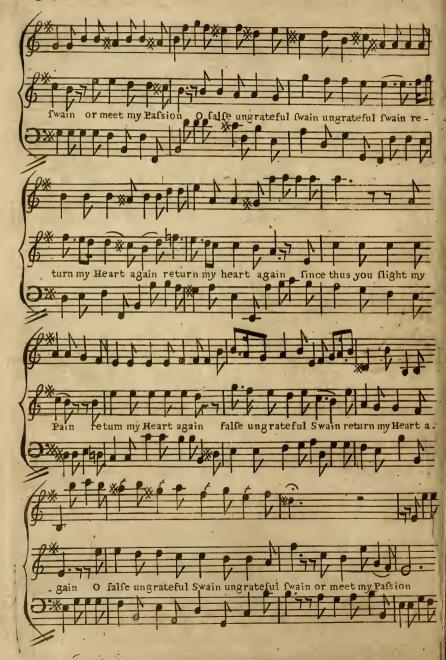
But best of all she has no Tongue
Submissive she obeys me
She's full better Old than young
And Still to Smiling Sways me
Her Skin is snooth Complexion black
And has a most delicious Smack
Then kiss never Spare it
Tis a Bottle of Good Claret.

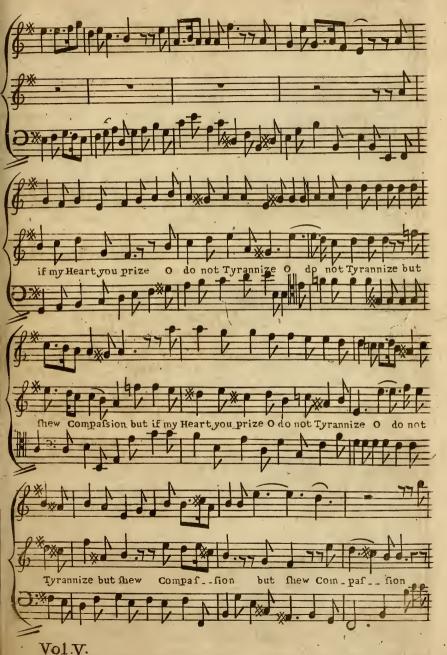
If you her Excellence would tast
Be fure you use her kind Sir
Clap your Hand about her Waste
And raise her up behind Sir
And for her Bottom never doubt
Push but home and you'll find it out
Then drink and never Spare it
Tis a Bottle of Good Claret



# a Favourite air by M. Handel 93









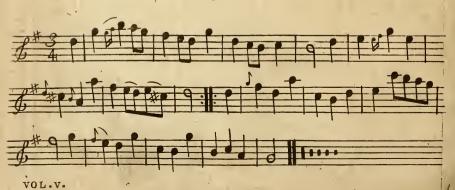


Oh when shall I fold you, and kiss all your Charms, Till fainting with Pleasure, I die in your Arms; Thro'all the wild raptures of extacy tost. Till sinking together, together we're lost: Oh where is the Maid that like thee ne'er can cloy. Whose Wit can enliven the dull pause of Joy; And when the short Transports are all at an end. From Beautiful Mistress, turn sensible Friend.

In vain cou'd I praise you, or strive to reveal. Too nice for expression what only we feel; In all that you do, in each look, and each mien. The Graces in waiting adorn you unseen: When I see you, I love you, but hearing adore. I wonder, and think you a woman no more, Till mad with admiring. I cannot contain. And kissing those Lips, you grow woman again.

With thee in my Bosom, how can I despair,
I'll gaze on thy Beauty, and look away Care:
I'll ask thy advice, when with trouble opprest,
Which never displeases, yet always is best:
In all that I write. I'll thy Judgment require,
Thy Taste shall correct what thy Love did inspire:
I'll kiss thee, and press thee, till youth is all o'er.
And then live on Friendship, when Passion's no more.

### FLUTE.



Dame JANE. or the PENITENT NUN.

Imitated from LA FONTAINE by Mr. I. LOCKMAN.



These youthfull Pranks are quite giv'n o'er, Sighing, she cries, I'll Sin no more, No more become Man's sensual Prey, But spend in Prayer each fleeting Day.

Lo! in her Cell fhe weeping lies,
Nor from the Crofs once moves her Eyes;
Whilft Sifters, tittering at the Grate,
Pafs all their Hours in wanton Prate.

The Abbes overjoy'd to find.

This blissful Change in JENNY's Mind,

With Face demure, the Girls addressing.

Ah Daughters! if you hope — a Blessing,

From righteous JANE Example take;

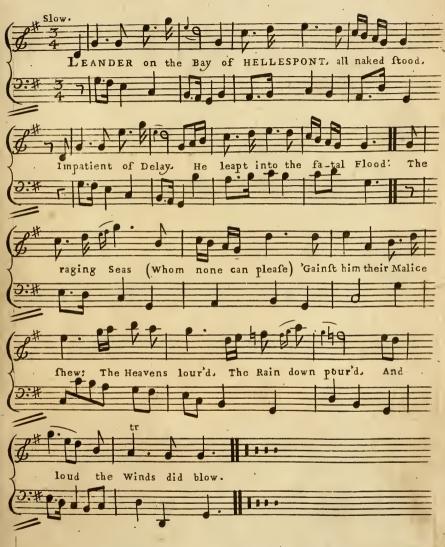
The World, its Pomps, and Joys forfake!

Ay — fo we will — cries ev'ry Nun.

When we, — as righteous JANE have done.

# FLUTE.





Then casting round his Eyes.
Thus of his Fate he did complain:
Ye cruel Rocks and Skies!
Ye stormy Winds and angry Main!

What 'tis to mifs,
The Lover's Blifs;
Alas! — ye do not know;
Make me your Wreck,
As I come back,
But fpare me — as I go.

Lo. —yonder stands the Tow'r.

Where my beloved HERO lies;

And this th'appointed Hour,

Which sets to watch her longing Eyes:

To his fond Suit.

The Gods were mute.

The Billows answer'd — No.

Up to the Skies

The Surges rife;
But funk the Youth as low.

Mean while the wifhing Maid.
Divided 'twixt her Care and Love:
Now does his Stay upbraid.
Now dreads he shou'd the Passage prove.

O Fate! — faid fhe,
Nor Heav'n, nor thee,
Our Vows fhall e'er divide:
I'd leap this Wall,
Cou'd I but fall,
By my LEANDER's Side.

At length the rifing Sun
Did to her Sight reveal too late.
That HERO was undone.
Not by LEANDER's Fault, but Fate:
Said fhe, I'll fhew.
Tho' we are two.
Our Loves were ever one;
This Proof I'll give.
I will not live.

Nor fhall he die \_\_\_ alone.

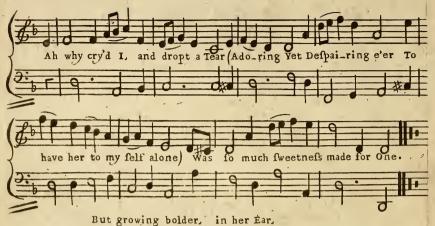
Down from the Wall fhe leapt
Into the raging Seas to him.
Courting each Wave fhe met.
To teach her wearied Arms to fwim:
The Sea Gods wept.
Nor longer kept
Her from her Lovers Side:
When join'd at laft.
She grafp'd him faft.

Then figh'd, embrac'd, and dy'd.

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The INCONSTANT.





I in foft Numbers told my Care.

She heard, and rais'd me from her Feet.

And feem'd to glow with equal heat.

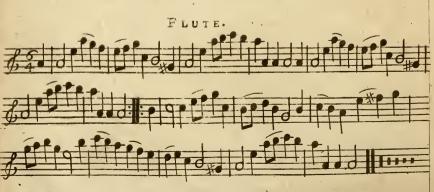
Like Heav'ns. too mighty to express.

My Joys could be but known by guess:

Ah fool, faid I. what have I done.

To wish her made for more than One.

But long I had not been in view, Before her Eyes their Beams withdrew; E'er I had reckon'd half her Charms, She funk into another's arms. But fhe that once cou'd faithless be, Will favour him no more than me, He too will find himself undone. And that she was not made for One.



The CARLE Came O'er the Croft.



He ga'e to me a Pair of Shoon

And his Beard new Shav'n

He bad me dance till they ware done

The Carle trows that I'll ha e him. Howt awa

He gae to me a Pair of Gloves

And his Beard new fhav'n

He bad me ftretch them on my Loofs.

The Carle trows that I'll ha'e him. Howt awa

And his Beard new fhav'n

He bad me wear the Highland Drefs

The Carle trows that I'll ha'e him. Howtawa

He gaie to me a Harn Spark and his Beard new Thav'n He faid he'd kifs me in the dark For that he trows that I'll hae him Howt awa I maun ha'e him I forfooth I'll e'en hae him New Hofe and his new Shoon And his Reard new Shavn



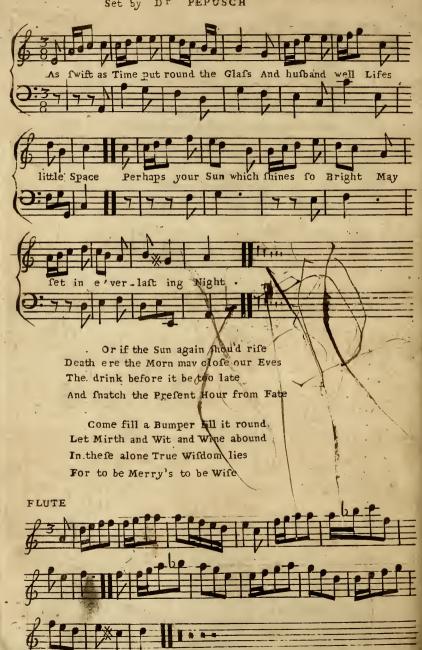
Confider Heav'n did not befow
Such Blefsings to be hoarded fo
But gave them that you might impart
Their Charms to e'ery bleeding Heart
Then why hould you reject the Address
Of him that loves to fuch Excess
Since what I ask the Gods approve
And should your kind Compliance move

Can you fo strenuously slight
That Ioy that rayishing Delight
Which from extatick Love does flow
And ev'ry one is glad to know
Oh be not so relentless still
Nor me with strong Denyals kill
For on you only must depend
My future Life or instant End

You are the happy Port my Dear
To which I only hope to steer
And if I fail of coming there
I'm lost for ever in despair
Do not o'er whelm me then with Grief
When you so soon may give Relief
But condescend to my Request
And I shall be for ever Blest

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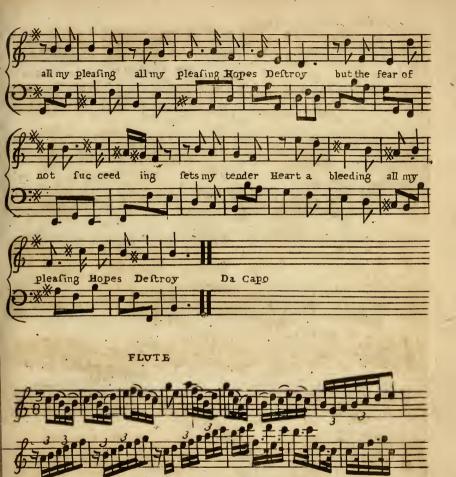




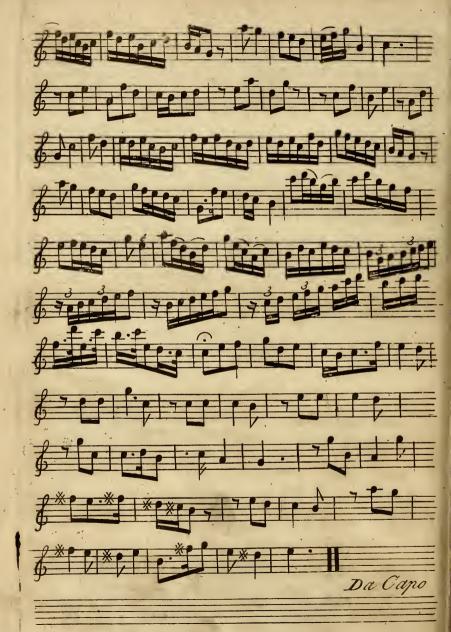


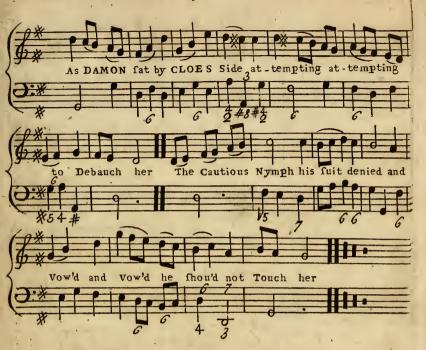






BEEN HELLEN - THE HELLEN





Marry me first was all her Cry

If you if you intend to Bed me

For I protest I'll Sooner Dye

Than Yeild than Yeild Unless you Wed me

My Dear fays he I m one of those

That Love that Love to Rake and Ramble

And scorn to turn so sweet a Rose

Into into a Married Bramble

Say's CLOE follow me no more.

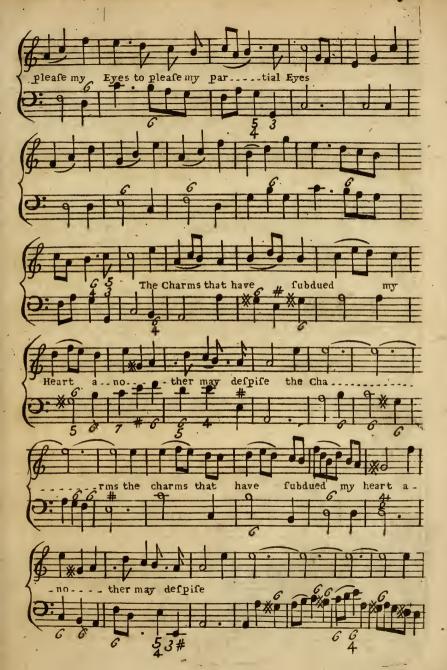
But give but give your Courtship Over
You hate a Wife and I Abhor
So loofe fo @oofe a Wandring Love.

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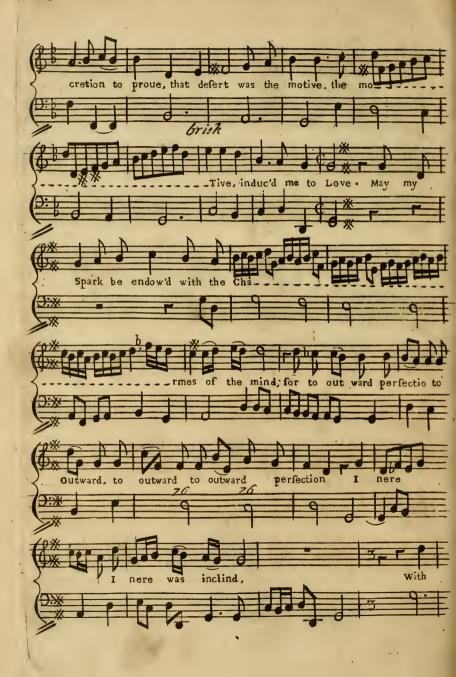
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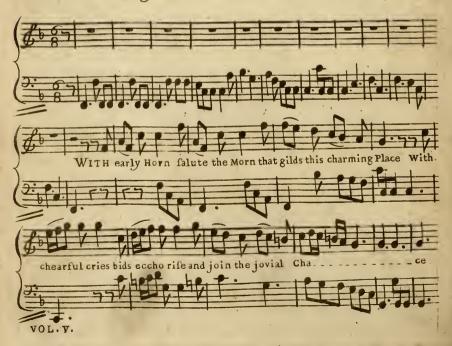




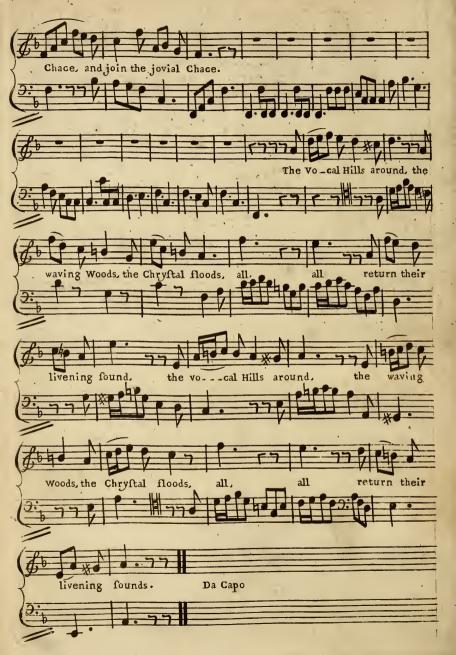




Sung by Mr. BEARD in the ROYAL CHACE.









Hadf't thou adorn'd the Age when Men
Ador'd imaginary Powers
They would have call d thee Goddess then
And in thy service spent their Hours

How bleft how infinitely bleft Must be in all respects appear Who of a Treasure is posses'd That's' so superlatively Dear

They wou'd have thought thee beautious Maid
Deficended only from above
And unto thee more Honours pay'd
Than to the Cyprian Queen of Love

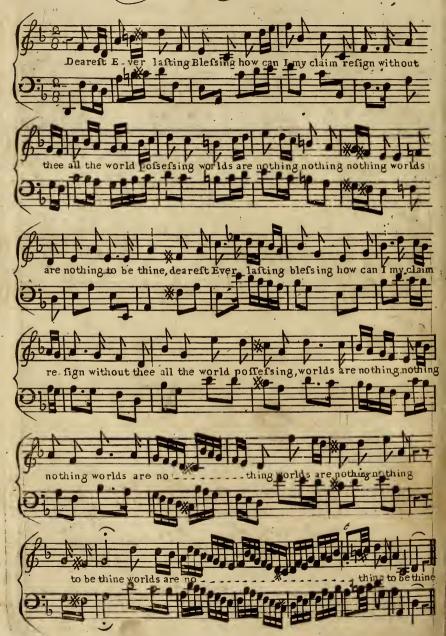
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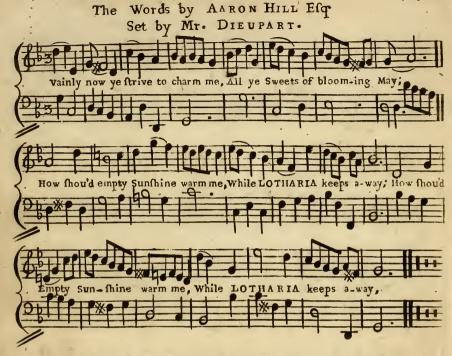
Hard is my Fate I must confess
All thy Perfections to Admire
And ne'er to hope the Happiness
Which humble souls must not desire





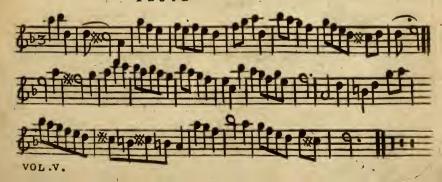
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Govwarbling Birds, go leave me; Shade, ye Clouds, the finiling Sky: Sweeter Notes her Voice can give me; Softer Sunshine fills her Eye. Sweeter Notes, Sc.

TLUTE .





From hence to the Country escaping away,
Leave the Crowd and the Buftle behind;
And then you'll see liberal Nature display
A thousand Delights to Mankind.

The Change of the Seafons, the Sports of the Fields,
The fweetly diversify'd Scene;
The Groves, and the Gardens and every thing yields
A Chearfullness ever serene.

My Days may I quietly fpend!
Whilft the Cits and the Courtiers, unenvy'd for me,
May gather up Wealth without end.

No I thank'em, I would not, to add to my Store,
My Peace and my Freedom refign:
For who, for the Take of possessing the Ore
Would be sentenc'd to dig in the Mine;



The CONSTANT SWAIN And VIRTUOUS MAID.

Set by Mr. I Sheeles.



N. B.The Second Part of this tune is Bass to the first,
And the First Part is Bass to the Second.

Ent'ring, I fee in MOLLY'S Eyes
A fudden finiling Joy arife,
As quickly check'd by Virgin Shame:
She drops a Curt'fey, fteals a Glance,
Receives a Kifs, one ftep advance;
If fuch I Love, am I to blame?

I fit and talk of twenty Things,
Of South-Sea Stock, or Deaths of Kings,
While only YES, or No crys MOLLY:
As cautious the conceals her Thoughts,
As others do their private Faults,
Is this her Prudence or her Folly?

Parting, I Kifs her Lip and Cheek,
I hang about her fnowy Neck,
And fay, Farewel, my dearest MOLLY:
Yet still I hang and still I Kifs;
Ye learned Sages, say, Is this
In me th'Effect of Love, or Folly?

No: Both by fober Reason move,
She Prudence shews, and I true Love.
No Charge of Folly can be laid:
Then, 'till the Marriage-Rites proclaim'd
Shall joyn our Hands, let us be nam'd,
The Constant Swain, and Virtuous Maid.

















Clad in a Wintry Cloud And clay cold was her lilly Hand That held her fable Shroud.

So shall the fairest Face appear When Youth and Years are flown: Such is the Robe & Kings must wear When Death has reft their Crown . That fips the filver Dew . The Rofe was Budded in her Cheek Just opening to the View.

Butlove had like the Canker Worm Confum'd her early Prime The Rose grew pale and left her Cheek She dy'd before her Time .

Awake. The cry'd thy true Love calls Come from her midnight Grave Now let thy Pity hear the Maid Thy Love refuf'd to fave .

This is the dumb and dreary Hour, When injur'd Ghosts complain, When yawning Graves give up their Dead, To Haunt the faithless Man.

Bethink thee, WILLIAM, of thy Fault, Thy Pledge, and broken Oath: And give me back my Maiden Vow, And give me back my Troth.

Why did you promife Love to me,
And not that Promife keep.
Why did you fwear my Eyes were Bright,
Yet leave those Eyes to weep.

How could you fay my Face was fair, And yet that Face for fake, How could you win my Virgin Heart, Yet leave that Heart to Break

Why did you fay my Lip was fweet, And made the Scarlet pale And why did I, young witlefs Maid, Belive the flattering Tale.

That Face, alass! no more is fair,
Those Lips no longer red:
Dark are my Eyes, now clos'd in Death
And every Charm is fled.

The hungry Worm my Sifter is
This Winding-Sheet I wear:
And cold and weary lasts our Night,
Till that last Morn appear.

But hark! - the Cock has warn'd me hence: A long and last Adieu! Come, see, false Man, how low she lies, Who dy'd for love of you. The Lark fung loud, the Morning fmild,
And raif'd her Gliftering Head;
Pale WILLIAM quak'd in every Limb,
And raving left his Bed.

He hyd him to the fatal Place

Where MARGARET'S Body lay

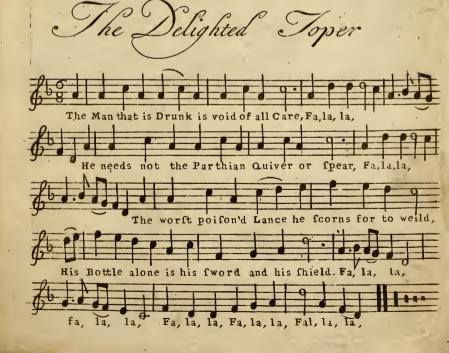
And ftretch'd him on the grafs-green Turf,

That wrapt her Breathless Clay.

And thrice he wept full fore,

Then laid his Cheek to her cold Grave,

And Word fpoke never more.



Undaunted he goes among thullys and Whores Demolifhes Windows and breaks open Doors He stroles all the Night and in Fear of no Evil He boldly defies either Procter or Devil

Come place me you DEITIES under the Line Ware there never a Tree nor ought but a Vine Yet there would I choose to swelter and sweat Without eer a Rag on to sence off the Heat

Or place me where funfhine is never to be found. Where the Earth is with Winter eternally bound. Yet there would I nought but my Bottle require. My Bottle alone will fill me with Fire.

My TUTOR he jobs me and lays me down Rules
Who minds them but dull Philosophical Fools
For when we are grown old and can no more drink
Tis Time enough for us to set down and think.

Twas thus ALEXANDER was tutor'd in Vain And call'd ARISTOTLE a fool for his Pains By drinking alone he got his Renown And when he was drunk the World was his own.

This World is a Tavern with Liquor well ftor'd And in it I came to be drunk as a Lord My Life is the Reckoning which I'll freely pay Then dead Drunk at last I ll be carry'd away.







MB. the lines that have this Mark '8' are Sung twice over Nor bolts nor bars fhall me controul I Death and danger dare :8: Restraint but fires the Active Soul '8. And urges fierce despair &

> The window now shall be my gate I'll either fall 'or fly 'S'. Before I'll live with him I hate '8.

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In midft of it a Fountain place

And with Iunquills the Margin grace

Whose Golden hue denote the Spring

And let aWood this Bank surround

Winding in Mazy Circles round

Where Choristers do sweetly sing

Without the Wood let there be feen
Gay Tulips ftreak'd with Verdant Green
Iris and filver Daffodils
And let the fine Hungarian Rofe
And Williams fweet a Bed compose
Which oft the Lawn with Odour fills

And let all these for Beauty fam'd

And many more as yet unnam'd

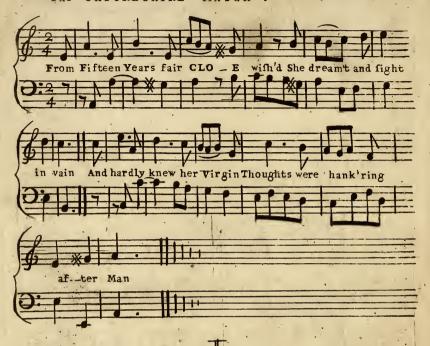
For me delicious Walks desclose

With Pleasure there my Mind I'll fill

And sweetly then my self I will

Upon the Fountain Bank repose.





Twas long before the harmless Maid Guefs'd whence her Passion grew But when she had her self survey'd The Secret Cause she knew.

To Iove the thus her felf addres'd And humbly Begg'd his Aid He Kindly lent a lift'ning Ear. While thus the Proftrate faid:

Grant me great IOVE a Husband Rich Gay Vigours Kind and Young A Churchman hot-a Tory true And to his Party strong.

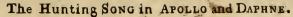
No Grudge the God Bore to the Maid

He therefore thus did grant

Be match'd for Life to an old Whigg

Of Merit and of Want.

Enrag'd the Nymph to VENUS fled Who eaf'd the Devotee And yoak'd her to a jolly Swain From Want and Party free.





The loud tongu'd cry the Concert fill, Our Steeds with neighing falute y Dawn, We mount, and now we climb the Hill, Then swift descending we sweep y Lawn.

The diftant Stagg our accents hears, Our accents fatal to him alone, He rouzing starts, and wing'd with fears, Alltho' DIANA claims the Field, The Woods and Forests tho all her own, The Groves to VENUS let her yield, Where we may follow her sportive Son.

What Joy to trace the blooming Lass, Thro'darksome Grotto's with Moss o'ergrown, What Harmony can ours furpals, Forfakes the Thicket to feek the Down. When joining Chorus with Dove like moan.

> In various sports the Day thus spent, Fatigu'd with Pleasures, when Night comes on, Our Limbs the' tir'd, our hearts content, with Wine regaling all Cares we drown.