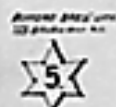


To Miss Blanche Carroll

As a souvenir of her songs, these words are respectfully dedicated by the Author

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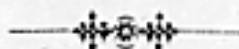
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SONG.

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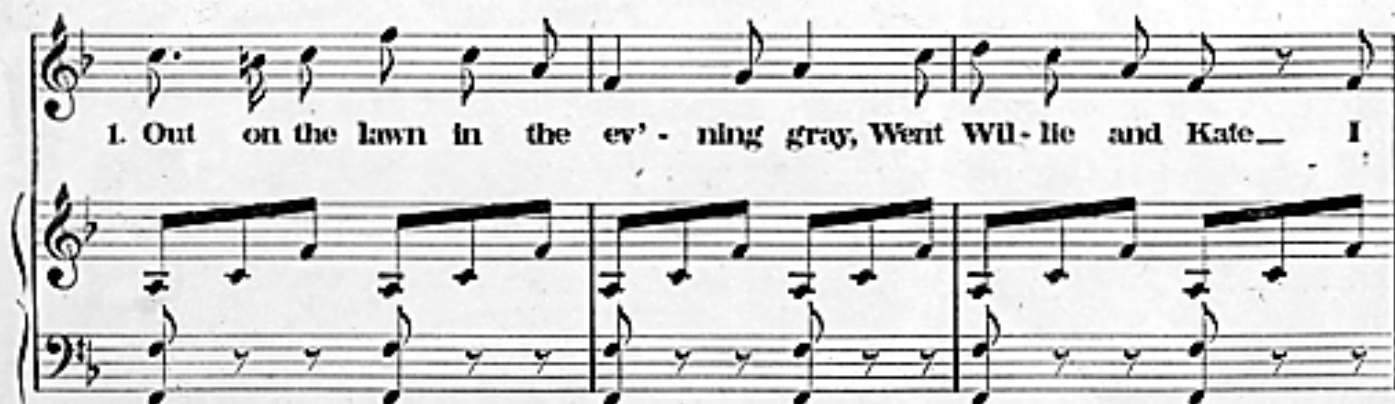
Playfully.




Piano introduction in 6/8 time, consisting of five measures. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment of eighth notes.



Continuation of the piano introduction, measures 6-10. The right hand has a more active melodic line with some sixteenth-note passages, and the left hand continues with eighth-note accompaniment.



1. Out on the lawn in the ev' - ning gray, Went Wil - lie and Kate. I



Piano accompaniment for the first vocal line, measures 11-15. The right hand has a simple melodic accompaniment, and the left hand continues with eighth-note accompaniment.



said "which way," And they both re - plied "Cro - quet, cro - quet."



Piano accompaniment for the second vocal line, measures 16-20. The right hand has a simple melodic accompaniment, and the left hand continues with eighth-note accompaniment.

Of Mal-let and Balls the usual dis-play, The

Hoops all stood in arch ar-ray, And I said to my-self "Soon we'll

see Cro-quet; we'll see Cro-quet."

2. But the Mal - let and Balls un - heed - ed lay, And the
 3. While the red roy - er roll'd all for - got - - ten a - ways He

maid and the youth side by side, sat they, And I thought to my - self— Is
 why - - peev'd all that a lov - er should say, And kiss'd her lips— What a

that Cro - quet? I
 queer Cro - quet! St

saw the scamp, it was bright as day, Put his arm round her waist in a
 .lent they sat 'neath the moon of May, But I knew by her blush - es she

lov - ing way, And he squeezed her hand, — Was that Cro - quet?
 said not nays, And I thought in my heart, Now *that's* Cro - quet! Now

Was that Cro - quet?
 that's Cro - quet.