

MY FIRST SONGS

A COLLECTION OF

PLEASING MELODIES

*Arranged in the*

Simplest Manner

FOR THE

PIANO FORTE.

*N<sup>o</sup> 1. MERRILY O'ER THE WAVES.*

*N<sup>o</sup> 2. TELL US, O TELL US.*

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# MERRILY MERRILY O'ER THE WAVE.

ALLEGRO.

*rit.* ----- *loco.*

Merrily, merrily, o'er the wave, Merrily light and free, Glides our fair and graceful bark, Up-

-on the summer sea. We dream not of the stor-my hours, As gay we speed a-

-long . . . While murm'ring waves there mu-sic lend, To swell our cheerful song, Oh! . . .

Merrily, merri-ly o'er the wave, Merrily, light and free, Glides our fair and

graceful bark, Upon the summer sea. Merrily oh, merrily oh, Merrily o'er the

wave, Come to our ocean home, Join the free and brave. *gva*

*loca.*

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Cheerily, cheerily glide the hours,  
 On the deep blue sea.  
 When summer breathes its gentle airs  
 So calm and peacefully —  
 For when the billows are at rest,  
 And sparkle in the light,  
 They whisper of the holy land  
 Where sin comes not, or night;  
 Oh, merrily, merrily o'er the wave &c.