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BY

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When daffodils begin to peer,
 With heigh! the doxy over the dale,
Why, then comes in the sweet o' the year;
 For the red blood reigns in the winter's pale.

The white sheet bleaching on the hedge,
 With heigh! the sweet birds, O, how they sing!
Doth set my pugging tooth on edge:
 For a quart of ale is a dish for a king.

The lark, that tirra-lyra chants,
 With heigh! with heigh! the thrush and the jay,
Are summer songs for me and my aunts,
 While we lie tumbling in the hay.

SHAKESPEARE

The words of this song may be printed on concert programmes.

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Poem by Shakespeare

E. J. Moeran

Allegro

VOICE

When da - fo-dils be - gin to peer, With

PIANO

heigh! — the dox - y o-ver the dale, Why, then comes in the

sweet o' the year; For the red blood reigns in the win - ter's pale. —

The white sheet bleach-ing on the hedge, With heigh! — the

mp

sweet birds, O, how they sing! — Doth set my pug-ging

mf

tooth on edge; For a quart of ale — is a dish for a

f

king. — The lark that tir - ra - ly - ra chants, With

heigh! with heigh! the thrush and the jay, Are

mf

sum - mer songs for me and my aunts, While we lie tumb - ling

tumb - ling tumb - ling While we lie

f

tumbling in the hay.

ff

L.H.

Red.

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