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OSSIAN'S SERENADE.

OSSIAN E. DODGE.

ALLEGRO.

p *f*

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tempo is marked 'ALLEGRO' and the dynamics range from piano (*p*) to forte (*f*).

Oh come with me in my little canoe, Where the sea is calm and the sky is blue, Oh!

The first system of the song features a vocal line on a single staff and a piano accompaniment on two staves. The lyrics are: "Oh come with me in my little canoe, Where the sea is calm and the sky is blue, Oh!". The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

come with me for I long to go To those Isles where the mango apples grow, Oh! come with me and

The second system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "come with me for I long to go To those Isles where the mango apples grow, Oh! come with me and".

be my love, For thee the jungle depth I'll rove, I'll gather the honey comb bright as gold, And

The third system concludes the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "be my love, For thee the jungle depth I'll rove, I'll gather the honey comb bright as gold, And".

chase the Elk to its secret hole. I'll chase the Antelope o-ver the plain The Tiger's cub I'll

bind with a chain, And the wild Gazelle with its silvery feet I'll give thee for a playmate sweet.

3^d Verse. Oh come if the love thou hast for me, Is

I'll climb the palm for the Bias nest, Red

pure and fresh as mine for thee, Fresh as the fountain un - der ground, When first 'tis by the
peas I'll gather to deck thy breast I'll pierce the co-coa's cup for its wine, And hast to thee if

Lapwing found Our sands are bare and down their slope The sil-very foot-ed An-te-lope, As
 thou't be mine, Then come with me in my light ca-noe, While the sea is calm and the sky is blue, For

grace-fully and gai-ly springs As o'er the marbled courts of kings. I'll chase &c,
 should we linger an-oth-er day Storms may arise and love decay. I'll chase the Antelope

o-ver the plain The Tiger's cub I'll bind with a chain, And the wild Gazelle with its sil-very feet I'll

give thee for a playmate sweet.