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THE BIRDEEN

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THE CANARY BIRD.

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FORTE.

ANDANTE.

Thou

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dear lit-tle minstrel with bright gol-den wings, Now si-lent-ly

mu-sing by me..... Dost thou dream of a home of per-

pet-u-al spring, A-way in the hil-low-y sea?

Where blossoms for ever the Orange and Pine— Nor

1286

The Canary Bird. (4)

Ritard - - - - - *A tempo.*

Autumn, or Win-ter is seen; But all the year

long it is sweet summer time, And woodbine and i - vy are green.

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All day hast thou gladdened my heart with thy strain,
 But now thy sweet harp-strings are mute;
 O! say? wilt thou wake me to gladness again,
 At morn with thy silvery lute?
 Full oft hast thou tuned thy sweet viol to me,
 The kindness I fain would requite
 By tuning my harp-strings low tremblings to thee
 Now dear little minstrel good night.