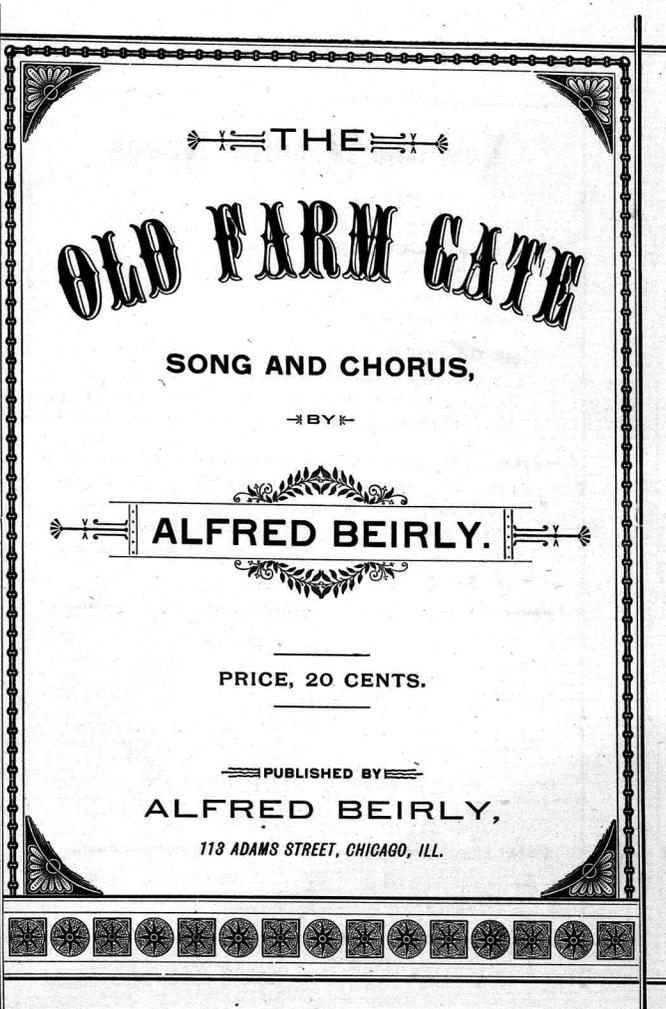


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Andantino.

1. The old farm -
 2. The chil - dren
 3. The old farm -

gate..... hangs sag - ging down..... On rust - y
 have..... up - on it clung..... And in and
 gate..... has o - pen'd wide..... To wel - come

The Old Farm-Gate.—Continued.

m

hin - - ges bent and brown; Its latch is
 out..... with rap - ture swung, When their young
 home..... the new made bride, When li - lacs

f

gone..... and, here and there..... It shows rude
 hearts..... were good and pure..... When hope was
 bloom'd..... and lo - custs fair..... With their sweet

f

tra - ces of re - pair; That old farm - gate has
 fair..... and faith was sure; Be - side that gate have
 fra - grance fill'd the air; Oh! dear to me a -

m

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The Old Farm-Gate.—Continued.

seen each year, The blos - soms bloom and
 lov - ers true The sto - ry told that's
 bove all things, By rea - son of the

Rit *Tempo.*

dis - ap - pear; The bright green leaves of spring un -
 ev - er new; Have made their vows have dream'd of
 tho'ts it brings, Is that old gate now sag - ging

Rit. *m*

Rall.

fold And turn to Au - tumn's red and gold
 bliss And seal'd each prom - ise with a kiss
 down On rust - y hin - ges, bent and brown

The Old Farm-Gate.—Concluded.

CHORUS.

The old farm-gate hangs sag-ging down,
m The old farm-gate..... hangs sag-ging down,..... On rust-y
 The old farm-gate hangs sag-ging down,

On rust-y hinges, bent and brown, All bent and brown; Its latch is gone,
 hin - ges, bent and brown;..... Its latch is gone,..... and here and
 On rust-y hinges, bent and brown, All bent and brown; Its latch is gone,

Rit. . . . *Repeat pp.*
 and here and there It shows rude tra-ces of re-pair, of re-pair.
 there..... It shows rude tra - - ces of re-pair, (of re-pair.)
 and here and there It shows rude tra-ces of re-pair.....

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