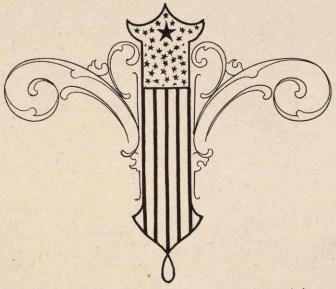
©QE405454
MAY 25 1917

AMERICA FIRST



Words by
MARGARETTA AYRES KARR

Music by
LUELLA STRYKER MOSES

Price 50 cents

Published by
M. AYRES KARR & L. S. MOSES
BUFFALO, N.Y.

M1646
.M

America First

Words by
MARGARETTA AYRES KARR

Music by
LUELLA STRYKER MOSES

Allegro

A - mer - i - ca first! We ___ lift the glad cry, In
A - mer - i - ca first! Her tra - di - tions and laws, Her

her do we live, and for her will we die; Her
i - de - als high to ___ cher - ish our cause; The

lib - er - ty dear as the air which we breathe, For ___
soil on which on - - ly her free - men hath trod, We will

her take we arms our ___ swords we un - sheathe: Un -
sa - cred - ly keep to ___ her and her God: All,

sul - lied her hon - - or, and stain less her flag, A
all to the col - - ors, we ral - ly once more, A

Copyright MCMXVII by Margaretta Ayres Karr & Luella Stryker Moses

mer - i - ca first! our ___ boast and our brag.
mer - i - ca first! from ___ shore un - to shore.

CHORUS

A - mer - i - ca first! Our ___ watch-word and cry, Her ___

rit.

stand - ard we raise her ___ col - ors we fly; No

foe may in - vade ___ no ___ con - quer - or land, When A -

mer - i - ca's first with her cit - i - zen band.

406422