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LET US BE GAY!



Celebrated Temperance Song,
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Let's be Gay.

Music by HENRY RUSSELL.

Allegro. *Con anima.* *loco.* *8va.*

Let's be gay let's be gay let's be gay boys, Ha, ha ha ha ha ha ha

ha ha ha, Let's be gay let's be gay let's be gay boys, We'll

loco. *8va.* *loco.*

quaff, we'll quaff from this cup, Ha, ha, Let's be gay, let's be gay, let's be

gay boys, Ha, ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha Let's be gay, let's be gay, let's be

8va. loco

gay boys, We'll quaff, we'll quaff from this cup, Ha, ha, 'Tis night all around us the

8va. loco

Poco andante.

chill blast is howling, 'Tis night all around us the chill blast is howling, is

Vivace a poco.

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howling a-way Let's be gay, let's be gay, let's be gay boys, Ha ha

Sva.

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha Let's be gay, let's be gay, let's be gay boys, We'll

loco *Sva.* *loco.*

a poco a poco.

quaff, we'll quaff from this cup, Ha ha, 'Tis night all a-round us, 'tis

p *a poco.*

night all a-round us, 'Tis night all a-round us,

pp *pp* *ppp*

Allegro.

Drink boys drink, drink boys drink, drink a way boys, drink, drink,

The first system of the musical score for the first system. It consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in treble clef with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a common time signature. The lyrics are "Drink boys drink, drink boys drink, drink a way boys, drink, drink,". The piano accompaniment is in bass clef and features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, drink a way boys drink, drink,

The second system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, drink a way boys drink, drink,". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, Ha, ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

The third system of the musical score. The vocal line includes the lyrics "drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, Ha, ha ha ha ha ha ha ha". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

The fourth system of the musical score. The vocal line includes the lyrics "ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

ha ha ha ha ha. Drink a way boys drink, drink,

drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, Drink a way boys drink, drink,

drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

ha ha ha ha Drink boys drink, Drink a way boys

drink, drink, drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, Drink a way boys

drink, drink, drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, But let the draught,

But let the draught, but let the draught, let the draught be wa..

ter, be wa - - ter, Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha

ha ha ha ha ha Drink a way boys drink, drink,

Drink, the sun's ap - pear - ing now, Drink a-way boys drink, drink, But

let the draught be wa - - - ter, wa - - - ter, but let the

draught be wa - - - ter, wa - - - ter, Ha ha ha

ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha