And he waved it aloft, exulting
In the promise of coming years,
And feats of arms and glory
Got from the shock of spears;
Ah! the glint of that jewell'd claymore
That his father's father had—
'Twill be handled with honor surely
By that gay lad!

v.

But O, my Bonnie, my Bonnie!

What sound is this in thine ears,
That no man nor maid in the castle

Nor drousing warder hears?

What music around thee is rising?

What orient notes unknown?

O out on the sea what is singing

By the lone—by the lone?

VI.

In a maze he listen'd unmoving
Thro' the long sweet summer-night
To the song of the water-kelpie,
Till the moon sank out of sight;
And the kitchen maids of the castle
Found him, at break of day,
As they thought, on the ramparts, drunken:
He was fey—he was fey!