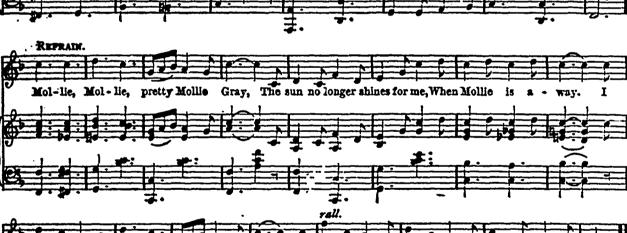
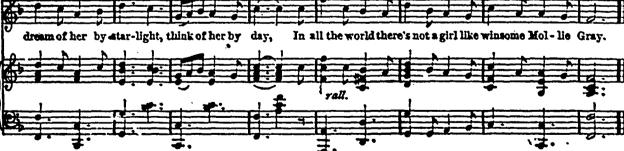
WINSOME MOLLIE

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Written and Composed Expressly for FARM and HOME. a tempo. a winsome lit - tie maid she reigns with-in my 1. There is 2. And when by chane : I peep with-in her bon-ny eyes of Moderato. lit - tle maid a beat-ing fond and of my life I fain would make this know the heart that throbs be-low is I love her with my Her voice will still the blue, rall. ve-ry soul, she is the light o' - day; There's no one in the whole wide world Like winsome Mol - lie Gray.
ve-ry birds; the thrushes cease their lay For ve - ry shame when Mol - ly sings, My winsome Mol - lie Gray. ve-ry soul, she is rall





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The lecturer of Dog River valley grange wrote the program for Washington is wiewed from the program for washington's Birthday exercises and 'elicited the promise of everyone to fill his where part. Over the organiat's head was draped the stars and bars; above, the motto "First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen." The evening opened with Washington's march, when the chaplain gave thanks for the improved conditions of the country state is father's day. The

grand master delivered a short ora-

courtship, describing his home dife;
"Washington as a letter writer," by
many voted the best essay of the avening, as it was composed wholly of extracts from his letters; "Washington
as a soldier, in the ranks and at the
front;" "Washington as president." A
school girl read a composition limited
to the same space on "Contemporary
loaders, statesmen, general rulers,"
"Contemporary men of letters," was
well written and read by a boy, and
other young people were allowed five
minutes apiece for the developments
and improvements of the centuries between the great leader and ourselves.

One took "The inventions of America," another "American statesmen." "The politics and politicians of these United States," "Our 'presidents," "Our heroes," "Our campaign issues," "Our laws," "Our writers,—historians, novelists, poets, journalists," "Our churches, our phlianthropies," "Our standing with other nations," "Our treaties, our wars," "Our possessions, our territory," "Our future," received able attention from the younger members. "United States generals" was read by a well-informed woman, and a man spoke verbatim on "Our reformers," placing among the highest on the list Harriet leecher Stowe and Frances E, Willard.

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For the debate on, "Resolved, that Washington was a creation of environment' that he would not have held that pre-eminent position had he lived in the nineteenth century," speakers for the negative and for the affirmative had been chosen previously, and were well prepared. Those in the affirmative held that in that half barbarous age Washington's intrepidity, ambition and directness ensily placed him at the head of Indian fighters and simple politicians of a newly organized society; that in the complicated affairs of our advanced day such men as Grant and Dewey would have outgenerated him and in a land where Lincolns, Garfields, McKinleys are common his name would not have been famed outside his own village, much less mentioned for the republic's leader. The negative insisted, and well argued their claim, that had he been born a few centuries later he would have been the product of that time, for the advanced education would have trained that wonderful brain to fuller capacity; that his mind was capable of great growth, and would in any age have kept pace with the nation's needs; that in no age and under no condition could Washington have been an ordinary citizen. The question was then voted upon, and the audience decided that the negatives' arguments had been most forcibly sustained.

The grange was dressed in character, everyone arrayed in costumes of Washington's time,—powdered wig, three-cornered hat, knee breeches, buckled shoes and corresponding gowns for the women. When the program was finished a social hour ensued, everyone speaking in Washingtonian style on pain of writing a letter "after Washington's style. spelling and matter. If any lapses were made, no one was sure enough of his own diction to complain of the offender, so no letter was written. Washington ple and tea, the favorite beverage of that day, completed the evening.—[The Maine.

Sam Sparks: Brudder, doan' yo' advise ebery membah to walk in der nar-

rer pat?
Brudder Sassafras: Coase Ah do.

by: what ob it?
Sam Sparks: Nuffin', brudder; only
Ah wonders what is gwine to happen
when some ob our stout membahs
meet on der narrer paf comin' from
opposite directions.

