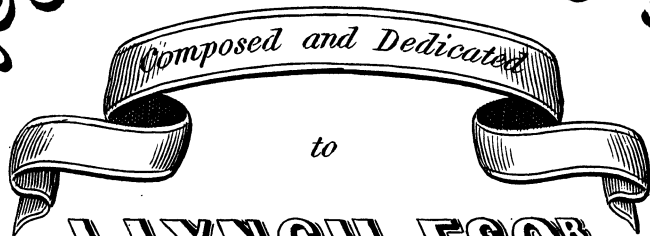




Ethiopian Ballad.

The Spot whar I was Born

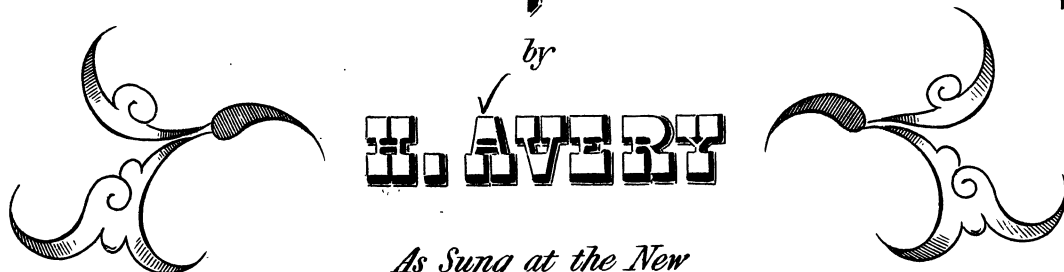


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DE SPOT WHAR I WAS BORN.

Andante.

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PIANO.



Dar's a spot on dis earth dat is sweet to me. Tho' ma.ny years am gone. Since I



set in de shale ob de ole gum tree, On de spot whar I was horn Den dis

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poor ole heart was light and gay. I'd sing from ear...ly morn; Till

night come on and chased de day, From de spot whar I was born.

CHORUS.

AIR. Tho' I'm liv. in now whar de darky's free I'd soon.er hoe de corn. And

ALTO.

TENOR. Tho' I'm liv. in now whar de darky's free I'd soon.er hoe de corn. And

BASS.

PIANO.

plant de cotton by de ole gum tree On de spot whar I was born.

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PIANO.

'Twas dar I court.ed Rho.da Clay, She tret.ed me wid scorn, I
And eb..her since hofe night an day, I neb..her cease to mourn; De.
felt so sad I could not stay, Near de spot whar I was born. So
lot dat cast me far a.. way, From de spot whar I was born. I
one dark night I stole a.. way, And long be.froe de dawn, Id
hope once more dat spot to see, A..fore I'm dead and gone, And
bid good bye for many a day, To de spot whar I was born.
rest in de shade of de ole gum tree, On de spot whar I was born.