

24. Hark! The Ecch'ing Air

Henry Purcell

The musical score consists of six staves of music, each with a treble clef and common time signature. The top staff is for the soprano voice, and the bottom staff is for the basso continuo. The lyrics are integrated into the music, appearing below the notes. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines, with measure numbers 1 through 14 indicated in the left margin.

1

Hark! Hark! The ech'- ing air a tri-

3

- - - umph sings, Hark! The ech'- ing air a

5

tri- - - - - umph sings, a tri-, - - - - - a

8

tri-, - - - - - a tri- - - - - umph, a tri- - - - -

11

- - - umph, tri- umph sings, - - - - - a tri- - - -

14

- - - - - umph sings. 1 2 sings. And all - - a-

18

round, and all - - a- round pleas'd - - - Cu- pids clap their wings, clap, clap,

21

clap, clap their wings, pleas'd - - - Cu- pids clap their

23

wings; And all - - a- round, and all - - a- round, pleas'd - - -

26

- - - Cu- pids clap, clap, clap, clap, clap their wings, clap, clap,

28

clap, clap, clap, clap, clap their wings, pleas'd - - -

30

Cu- pids clap their wings. And all - - a- wings.