

# The Basket of Eggs

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Collected from Mr Edward Spooner,  
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The musical score is written on two staves in G major (one sharp) and 5/4 time. The first staff contains the first four measures of the piece. The second staff begins with a measure number '5' and contains the remaining six measures. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some notes marked with fermatas. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Note: the crotchets with fermatas are written as minims without fermatas in the original ms.  
This editorial change is to make the overall rhythm clearer without distorting the original significantly.