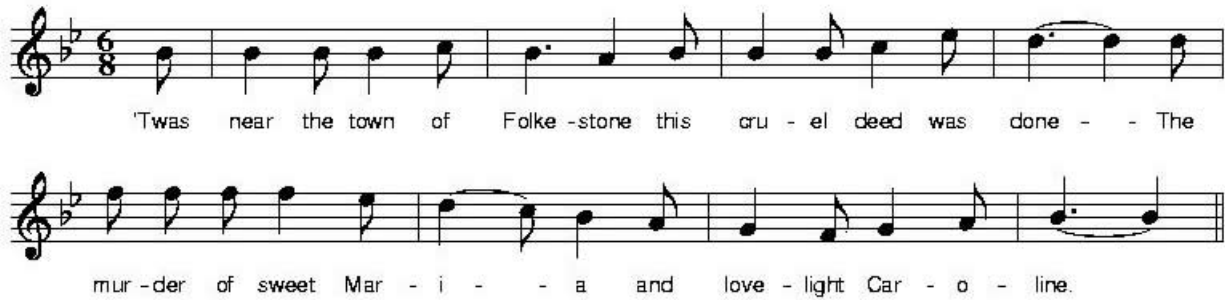


COL/1/2 The Folkestone Murderer

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'Twas near the town of Folkestone
This cru-el deed was done
The murder of sweet Maria
And love-light Caroline.

The news it reached the parents' ears,
They cried What shall we do
Maria has been murdered
And love-light Caroline too

The dreadful bell is tolling
The scaffold is on high
And I, the Folkestone murderer
Am now condemned to die

Then all young men take warning
From this sad fate of mine
For the murder of sweet Maria
And love-light Caroline.

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