

William Cox Bennett
(1820-95)

Spring song

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(1813-1879)

allegretto ♩=132

Soprano *p* Long has been the Win-ter, Long, long in vain, We've sought the bud u - *cresc.* 5

Alto *p* Long has been the Win-ter, Long, long in vain, We've sought the bud u - *cresc.*

Tenor *p* Long has been the Win-ter, Long, long in vain, We've sought the bud u - *cresc.*

Bass *p* Long has been the Win-ter, Long, long in vain, We've sought the bud u - *cresc.*

Accomp. *allegretto* ♩=132 *p* *cresc.*

S *dim.* 10 *cresc.*
pon the bough, The prim-rose in the lane, *p* Long have skies been dull and grey, Nipp-ing's been the

A *dim.* *cresc.*
pon the bough, The prim-rose in the lane, *p* Long have skies been dull and grey, Nipp-ing's been the

T *dim.* *cresc.*
pon the bough, The prim-rose in the lane, *p* Long have skies been dull and grey, Nipp-ing's been the

B *dim.* *cresc.*
pon the bough, The prim-rose in the lane, *p* Long have skies been dull and Nipp-ing's been the

dim. *p* *cresc.*

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S
blast, *f* But, sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's_ out at last, The bee, the bee's out at

A
blast, *f* But, sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's out at last, The bee, the bee's out at

T
blast, *f* But, sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's_ out at last, The bee, the bee's out at

B
blast, *f* But, sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's_ out at last, The bee, the bee's_ out at

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S
last. Sing, win-ter's fly-ing, sum-mer's com-_____ ing fast,

A
last. Sing, win-ter's fly-ing, sum-mer's com-_____ ing, com-ing fast, Hum-ming,

T
last. Sing! win-ter's fly-ing, sum-mer's com-ing fast, Hum-ming

B
last. _____ Sing! sum-mer's com-ing fast, Hum-

25 *dim.*

S Hum-ming joy and Spring - time, The bee's_ out at last, The bee's_ out at last.

A hum-ming joy and Spring- time, The bee's out at last, The bee's_ out at last.

T joy _____ and Spring - time, The bee's out at last, The bee's_ out at last.

B ming joy and Spring- time, The bee's_ out at last, The bee's out at last.

dim.

30 *cresc.*

S *p* Loud_ shouts the cu-ckoo, The nest-ed elm a - round, Wheels the rook, _ caw-ing, There are

A *p* Loud shouts the cu-ckoo, The nest-ed elm a - round, Wheels_____ the rook, caw-ing, There are

T *p* Loud_ shouts the cu-ckoo, The nest-ed elm a - round, _____ Wheels the rook, _ caw-ing, There are

B *p* Loud shouts the cu-ckoo, The nest-ed elm a - round, Wheels the rook, caw-ing, There are

p *cresc.*

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S *dim.* sha-dows on the ground, *p* Warm comes the breeze, and soft *cresc.* Freez-ing days are

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B *dim.* sha-dows on the ground, *p* Warm comes the breeze, and soft *cresc.* Freez-ing days are

dim. *p* *cresc.*

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S past, *f* Then sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's_ out at last, The bee, the bee's out at

A past, *f* Then sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's out at last, The bee, the bee's out at

T past, *f* Then sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's_ out at last, The bee, the bee's out at

B past, *f* Then sing! sum-mer's com-ing! The bee's_ out at last, The bee, the bee's_ out at

f

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S last. Sing, win-ter's fly-ing, sum-mer's com- ing fast,

A last. Sing, win-ter's fly-ing, sum-mer's com- ing, com-ing fast, Hum-ming,

T last. Sing! win-ter's fly-ing, sum-mer's com-ing fast, Hum-ming

B last. Sing! sum-mer's com-ing fast, Hum-

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S Hum-ming joy and Spring - time, The bee's_ out at last, The bee's_ out at last.

A hum-ming joy and Spring- time, The bee's out at last, The bee's_ out at last.

T joy and Spring - time, The bee's out at last, The bee's_ out at last.

B ming joy and Spring- time, The bee's_ out at last, The bee's out at last.