

FAN SIDES

FAN

(On finishing song) Ebenezer!

YOUNG SCROOGE

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SCROOGE

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FAN

I have come to bring you home, dear brother! To bring you home, home, home!

YOUNG SCROOGE

Home, dear Fan?

FAN

Yes! Home for good and all. Home forever and ever. Father is so much kinder than he used to be.

YOUNG SCROOGE

Is it possible?

FAN

He spoke so gently to me one dear night that I was not afraid to ask him once more if you might come home. And he said Yes, you should, and sent me in a coach to bring you. And you are never to come back here, again.

YOUNG SCROOGE

Thank you, Fan. Home...for ever and ever!

FAN

We're to be together all the Christmas long and have the merriest time in all the world!

Barb'ry Ellen

(Niles No. 36 A)

Peacefully

In Scar - let Town where I was born, There
was a fair maid dwell - ing, Made ev - 'ry youth cry —
"Well - a - day," Her name was Bar - b'ry El - len.

(Pentatonic scale on E)

"Barb'ry Ellen" was a complete tragedy in 16 verses.

We shook hands. I put my dulcimer back into its oilcloth bag, and he tied his guitar onto his back.

"Hit's a long way to Lexington, Kentucky," said Carter.

"It's a long walk," I agreed.

"But I've got ridin' money, and I'm going to ride all the way up to Lexington. That's where I'm a-goin' to enlist, and that's where my dough is workin', in some hospital or other . . . I'll take care of yourself. I always says, bend a bit, but break later."