Once there was an elephant, who tried to use the tel-e-phone —

I mean an elephant who tried to use the tel-e-phone —

(Dear me! Dear me! Dear me!)
I am not certain quite that even now I've got it right.)

How e'er it was, he got his trunk entangled in the tele-funk; the more he tried to set it free, the louder buzzed the tele-phee--
loud-er buzzed the te-le-phee--

the te-le-phee--

(I)

fear I'd bet-ter drop the song of e-le-phop and te-le-

non ritardando

circa 1' 25"