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ADAPTATION LYRICS
AN MUSICAL COMPOSITION

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LADY BESS.

Characters of the Opera.

Lady Bess Greenwood	Mezzo Soprano, or High Contralto.
Geraldine. A Niece and Ward of Robert Barclay	Soprano.
Allis	1 st Soprano.
Mabel	2 ^d Soprano.
Bridesmaids { Dolly	1 st Alto.
Daisy	2 ^d Alto.
Sir Lovelace Gay, a Baronet, of fashionable celebrity	Tenor.
Alfred, his Son	Tenor.
Tipper, Sir Lovelace Gay's Valet	Tenor.
Sir William Greenwood, a Wealthy Country Gentleman	Tenor.
Homer Bright, Related to Everybody and Traveling on his Cheek . .	Baritone.
Robert Barclay, an English Country Gentleman	Baritone.
Mark Meddle, a Lawyer	Basso.
Harry, Best Man	Basso.
Charles.	
Officer of the Law.	
Money Lender.	
Landlord of Inn, Traveler's Rest.	

Plot Of The Opera.

According to the conditions of her father's will, Geraldine, a lovely young girl, is about to give her hand in marriage to a Baronet of fashionable celebrity who is old enough to be her grandfather.

She never having felt the pain of Cupid's dart, philosophically accepts the inevitable. On the day before the wedding she by chance meets Alfred, the Son of the Baronet, and it is a case of "love at first sight."

Sir Lovelace, the Baronet, is superlatively susceptible to the charms of a lovely woman, and when for the first time he sees "Lady Bess Greenwood," a very fascinating beauty, a sort of "Sporting Duchess," and a very dear friend of Geraldine, he falls desperately in love with her, notwithstanding the fact that arrangements for his marriage with Geraldine are all completed and the day close at hand.

At the suggestion of Bright, the boon companion of Alfred, who has informed her of the meeting of Alfred and Geraldine, and of the new aspect of affairs, she lends herself to a flirtation with the Baronet, hoping that he will somehow implicate himself and will be forced to release Geraldine from the contract of marriage with himself.

The scheme thus planned is a success so far as the main object is concerned, but in the working out involves the participants in many laughable predicaments, one of which is the writing of a challenge by Greenwood, the husband of Lady Bess, who dictates it for the purpose of proving to her husband that she was only acting, and that she is in reality above reproach.

The sequel to the sending of the challenge is not what she anticipates, for she thinks the Baronet is a coward. He however promptly accepts the challenge, much to the annoyance of Lady Bess, who is very much afraid her husband "Willie" will be shot. But all ends satisfactorily, The Baronet is compelled by force of circumstances to relinquish his claim to the hand of Geraldine, and the grand finale gives evidence that he regrets the indiscretion which, although it has wrought disappointment to himself, has brought happiness to all, especially to Geraldine and his Son.

Scene, First Act. Court of Inn. *Dress.* Riding Habits principally.

Scene, Second Act. Drawing Room. *Dress.* Afternoon Dress, Half Modern.

Scene, Third Act. The Hunt Ball. *Dress.* Ladies Full Dress, Gents same. Chorus of Men in Full dress Hunting Costume, Black Satin Knickerbockers, White Vest, Red Cutaway Coats.

OVERTURE.

TO
LADY BESS.

JULIAN JORDAN.

Moderato.

London 1855
F. 75.
6/2/32

The musical score is a multi-stave composition. It includes:

- Piano (Piano)**: The piano part is located at the bottom of the page, featuring bassoon-like parts in the lower octaves.
- Soprano (Soprano)**: The soprano part is in treble clef and is positioned above the piano.
- Bass (Bass)**: The bass part is in bass clef and is positioned below the soprano.
- Sectional Markings**: The score is divided into sections by vertical bar lines. The first section starts with a treble clef and 3/4 time. The second section starts with a bass clef and 3/4 time. The third section starts with a treble clef and 2/4 time. The fourth section starts with a bass clef and 2/4 time. The fifth section starts with a treble clef and 2/4 time. The sixth section starts with a bass clef and 2/4 time. The seventh section starts with a treble clef and 2/4 time. The eighth section starts with a bass clef and 2/4 time.
- Key Changes**: The score includes key changes between treble and bass clefs, and between 3/4 and 2/4 time signatures.
- Performance Instructions**: The score includes performance instructions such as "Moderato." at the beginning and various dynamic markings throughout the piece.

Allegro non troppo.

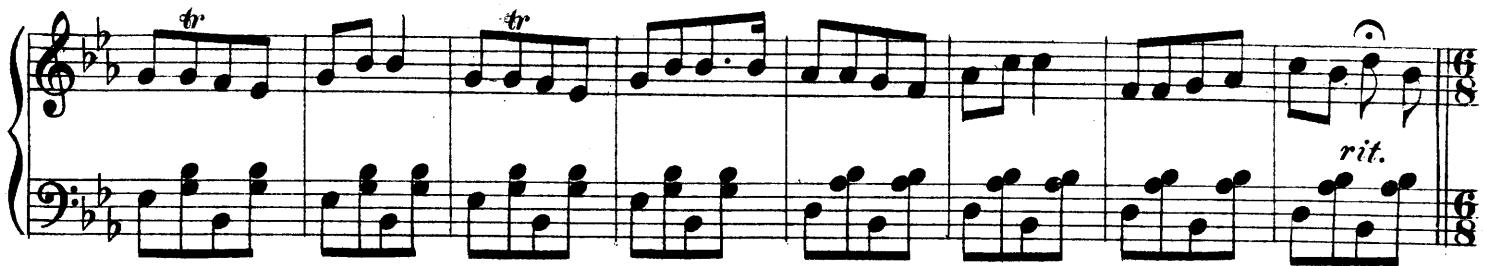
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Moderato.

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sua. ad lib.

5



Tempo di Valse.



Moderato. ♩ = 104



6

Allegro moderato.
ff 2d time.
Andante espress.
rit.
legato.
Bring out melody strongly.

A musical score page featuring six staves of music. The top two staves are for bassoon and double bass. The third staff is for strings. The fourth staff is for bassoon and double bass. The fifth staff is for strings. The bottom staff is for bassoon and double bass. The score includes dynamic markings such as *L.H.* and *f*, and performance instructions like "Cadenza for Cornet." and "Horns.".

Moderato. $\text{♩} = 132$.

Cadenza for Cornet.

Horns.

Musical score for piano, page 8, featuring ten staves of music. The score consists of two systems of five staves each. The key signature is three flats (B-flat, D-flat, G-flat). The time signature varies between common time (indicated by 'C') and 2/4 time.

- Staff 1 (Treble Clef):** Playing eighth-note patterns.
- Staff 2 (Bass Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 3 (Treble Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 4 (Bass Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 5 (Treble Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 6 (Bass Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 7 (Treble Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 8 (Bass Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 9 (Treble Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.
- Staff 10 (Bass Clef):** Playing eighth-note chords.

The score concludes with a page number '9' at the bottom left.

Allegretto.

Musical score for the Allegretto section, consisting of ten staves of music. The score is divided into four systems by brace lines. Each system contains two staves: treble (top) and bass (bottom). The key signature is $\text{B}^{\flat}\text{B}^{\flat}$ (two flats), and the time signature is $\frac{4}{8}$ (common time).

- Measure 1:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 2:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 3:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 4:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 5:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 6:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.
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- Measure 9:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 10:** Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.

The score concludes with a final section of ten staves, also divided into four systems by brace lines, with a key signature of $\text{B}^{\flat}\text{B}^{\flat}$ and a time signature of $\frac{4}{4}$.

Allegro.

Musical score for two staves (Treble and Bass) in 3/4 time and B-flat major. The score consists of eight measures of eighth-note patterns, followed by a dynamic instruction "accell." and a final measure with a fermata over the bass note.

The first seven measures feature eighth-note patterns in the Treble staff and sixteenth-note patterns in the Bass staff. Measure 8 begins with a dynamic instruction "accell." followed by eighth-note patterns in both staves. The final measure concludes with a fermata over the bass note.

INTRODUCTION.

OPENING CHORUS.
to

LADY BESS.

Moderato.

TENORS.

BASSES.

Here's a health, a
health to all the fair where - ev - er, they may be, Here's a health, a
health to all the fair, and here's a health to thee. Naught care we for

him whose heart proof may be 'gainst Cu - pid's dart, once a - gain be -

This section consists of two staves of music. The top staff uses a treble clef and the bottom staff uses a bass clef. The music is in common time. The vocal line includes lyrics: "him whose heart proof may be 'gainst Cu - pid's dart, once a - gain be -". The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords.

CHORUS. SOPRANO and ALTOS.

fore we part, Here's a health to thee. All men were flatterers ev - er,

This section features a soprano and alto duet. The soprano and alto parts are combined under the heading "CHORUS. SOPRANO and ALTOS.". The lyrics are: "fore we part, Here's a health to thee. All men were flatterers ev - er,". The piano accompaniment includes dynamic markings like "p" (piano) and "f" (forte).

*Soprano
1st and 2^d*

To one love con - stant nev - er

*Tenor
1st and 2^d*

Here's a healt to thee,

Bass

f

p

This section concludes the piece. It features three voices: Soprano (1st and 2^d), Tenor (1st and 2^d), and Bass. The lyrics are: "To one love con - stant nev - er" and "Here's a healt to thee,". The piano accompaniment ends with a forte dynamic (f) followed by a piano dynamic (p).

All men were flatterers ev - er, All men were

Here's a health to thee.

f

p

cres

CHORUS. Soprano 1st and 2^d.

flatterers ev - er To one love con-stant nev-er, con-stant ne'er can be.

Tenors 1st and 2^d.

Bass

cen *do.* *ff* *sfz*

Flatter-ers and de - ciev - - - - - ers, care - less bold and

Here's a health, a health to all the fair where - ev - er they may

tempo.

free, Flatterers and de - ciev - - - ers, con-stant ne'er can
 be. Here's a health, a health to all the fair, and here's a health to

energetico.

be. Ah yes man's bat - ter - y is al - - ways flat - ter - y,
 thee. Naught care we for him whose heart, Proof may be 'gainst Cu - pid's dart,

On land or on the sea, Flat - ter - er is he.
 Once a - gain be - fore we part, Here's a health to thee.

Tempo.

Chorus. Is this the Inn called "Travel - lers Rest," that's

SOPR:

1st and 2^d

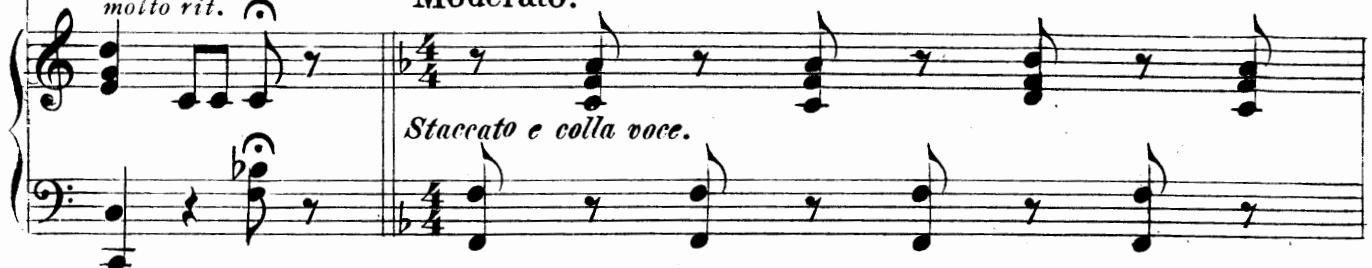
Chorus.

TENORS.

1st and 2^d

Chorus.

BASS.

Moderato.

not-ed far and wide, And can you say where lives a maid that's soon to be a bride For

It is

We can

It is

We can



know ye now that tis my mas-ter Who the groom will be And make ye read-y to re - ceive for
 O-ho
 O-ho

CHORUS.
tempo. 1st & 2d Sop.
 soon his face y'll see We know her well our Ger-al-dine Fair - er bride was
Tenor and Bass.
rall.

tempo.

nev-er seen But what of his Lordship, we're curious to know Is he young and handsome?
 never seen,

CHORUS

Chorus section with two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The bottom staff uses a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. The music consists of eighth-note patterns. The lyrics "A ha! Ho ho!" are written below the notes.

TIPPER.

Solo section for Tipper. The top staff shows a bass line with eighth-note patterns. The lyrics "No he's not young but don't say I told you so." are written below the notes. The bottom staff shows a treble line with eighth-note patterns. The lyrics "Hed" are written at the end of the line.

Continuation of Tipper's solo section. The top staff shows a treble line with eighth-note patterns. The bottom staff shows a bass line with eighth-note patterns.

Continuation of Tipper's solo section. The top staff shows a treble line with eighth-note patterns. The bottom staff shows a bass line with eighth-note patterns. The lyrics "Ha, He's" are written below the notes.

have all the la-dies to think he is el-li-gi - ble, he's a la-dies man sure,

Continuation of Tipper's solo section. The top staff shows a treble line with eighth-note patterns. The bottom staff shows a bass line with eighth-note patterns.

Continuation of Tipper's solo section. The top staff shows a treble line with eighth-note patterns. The bottom staff shows a bass line with eighth-note patterns. The lyrics "not young but don't say I told you so," are written below the notes. The lyrics "A - ha! Ho, ho!" are written below the notes.

Tipper and Busses.

Section for Tipper and Busses. The top staff shows a bass line with eighth-note patterns. The bottom staff shows a treble line with eighth-note patterns. The lyrics "Ah, O pray don't tell him what I say" are written below the notes.

Continuation of Tipper and Busses' section. The top staff shows a treble line with eighth-note patterns. The bottom staff shows a bass line with eighth-note patterns.

And he's to wed our Ger-al-dine! A - - lack a - day A - -

Ah, pray don't tell him, don't tell him I told you so, don't

lack a - - day a - - lack a day.

tell him, dont tell him, dont tell him I told you so,

For Chorus Exit repeat last 12 Measures.

(Tipper.) ("Oh, What a fix I'm in")

Allegro con brio.

Moderato.

What shall I do which

colla voce.

Moderato.

way shall I turn. — Oh what a fix I'm

stacc.

in, — Soon will the fun be - gin, — What shall I do which

way shall I turn I'd swear but 'twould be a sin, — O what a fix I'm

in, — if his Lord - ship learns the truth, — Then I am done,

my race is run, O what a fix I'm in. Some one's com-ing at -

ten-tive I must be, Answer-ing all ques-tions as I should -

truth-ful - ly, yes, that is if I can, But a Va - let in my

place can't be too good. O what a fix I'm in,

Soon will the fun be - gin, What shall I do, which way shall I turn,

O what a fix I'm in,

DUO - Tipper and Sir Lovelace.

Allegretto.

Bar.

James I say, are you com-ing to - day

Valet.

Bar.

That is my Mas-ter, O dear, Where is my son have you seen him to day?

Valet.

Bar.

Tipper.(aside.)

He's all right have no fear, —

Ah there is a son, a du-ti-full son a

Bar

Tipper.

model, a model is he, — Ah if he but knew The half that I do, Oh

Orchestra Con sordini. during commencement of lines.

my what a rum-pus there'd be. —

pp

* 1st Time C.
2^d Time A.

Repeat last eight measures ad lib

BARONETS SONG.

Moderato assai.

A Bar-o - net of high de -
Have mar-ried been, was sev - en -
And I've a son, I dote up -

gree, A Bar-o - net am I of high de - gree, My an - ces -
teenn, But for - tune did - n't smile up on the match And so one
on, A mod-el of mor-al - i - ty is he, Not like his

tors, Fought England's wars my An - ces - tors from dear old Nor - man -
day She went a - way, yes, left me one fine morn-ing with des -
Pa, His worldly Pa ex - cept in looks He's hand-some as can

rit.

die. I'm six - ty, it is true, Yet pass for for - ty two, My
patch, Yet still I was not sad, My ri - val was no cad, The
be. Whence came this good-ness? well, I real - ly can not tell, There

task to please the la - dies on - - ly. Yes: in their smiles to bask. Is
man she lov'd more hand-some was than me, To me 'twas no dis-grace, That
may have been a saint; but O .. dear me, This good-ness I cant trace, To

colla voce.

rit.

all the fame I ask. I'm a Bar - o - net of high de - gree.
he should take the place Of the Bar - o - net of high de - gree.
an-y of the race Of the

rit.

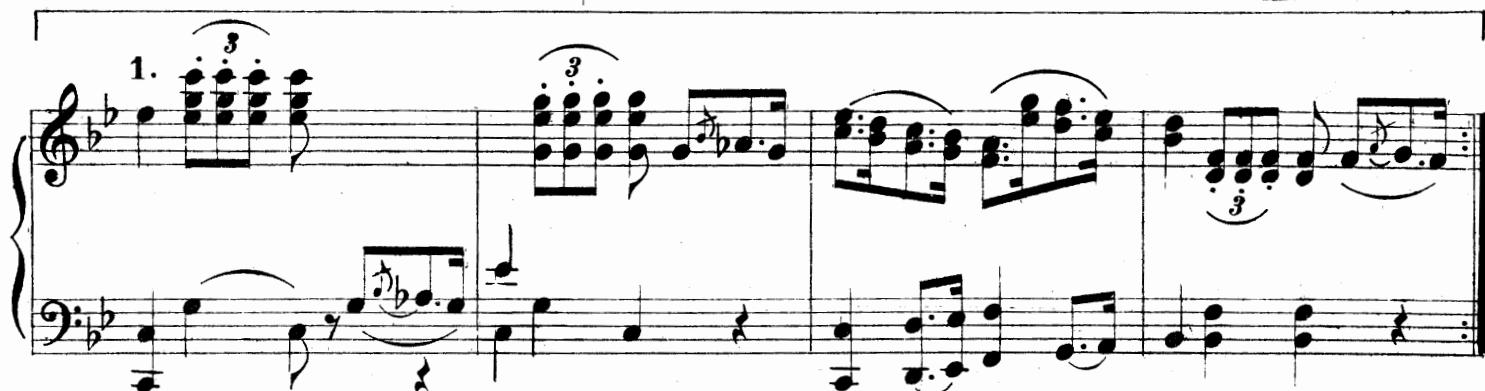
Last time.



Bar - o - net, The Bar - o - net of high de - gree.



Dance.



To my Pupil Mr. JAMES MORRISON.

SHE NEVER KNEW A MOTHER'S LOVE.

FOR BARITONE.

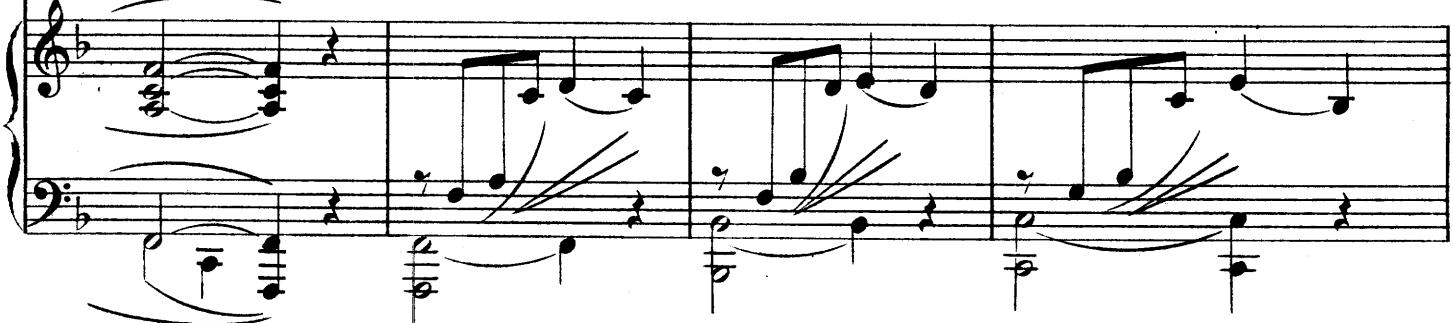
BARCLAY.

Andante.

Words and Music by JULIAN JORDAN.



She nev - er knew a mother's love, A moth - er's ten - der
She nev - er knew a mother's love, What thoughts these words con-



care Left when a ti - ny little babe, Life's ma - ny ills to
vey, No mother's coun-sel loving, wise, To guide her life's young



bear — Left to the care of oth - ers Whose hearts were warm and
 day — She nev - er knew a mother's love, And yet with an - gel

true — Yet 'twas not like a mother's love
 grace, — She wins all hearts that know her

The love she nev - er knew — That love she nev - er knew —
 That look on her sweet face, — That look on her sweet face —

colla voce

D.C.

FINALE.*rit.*

She nev - er knew a mother's love A moth - er's ten - der care.

pp

Bright. "I guess I'll shake hands with myself."

Allegro.

ff

Tempo ad lib.

I guess I'll shake hands with my self, — Such
Re - la - tion - ship is a great thing, — An

p

colla voce sempre.

for tune don't come ev - 'ry day, — To ride his hors - es and
ex - cel - ent card 'tis for me, — And so I'm re - la - ted to

shoot his game, In sist too up on a long. stay — I
all the style, To all the No - bil - i - ty. — But

Q

guess I'll shake hands with my - self, — A win - ner, a win - ner am
 yes - ter - day I did - n't know, — Where I could a din - ner se -

I, — There's noth - ing like hav - ing as - sur - ance you see,
 cure, — My fu - ture, at least for some time to come, Is

That's my Phi - los - - o - - phy. } There's noth - ing like hav - ing as -
 set - tled of that I'm quite sure. }
molto rit. *rall.* *a tempo.*

sur - - ance, as - sur - - ance, as - sur - - ance, You may

call it cheek or as - sur - - ance, Al - ways a win - ner am

rit.

With business of shaking hands.

I. Al - low me, al -

f

low me, Quite ir - re - sist - a - ble, Quite ir - re - sist - a - ble! A

1. 2.

win - ner a win - ner am I. . .

THE BARRISTER.

31

Officer. Are you the Landlord?

(Song. Meddle.)

The musical score consists of six staves of music. The top two staves are for the piano, showing bass and treble clef parts. The bottom four staves are for the voice, with lyrics printed below them. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one flat. The vocal part begins with a melodic line, followed by a rest, and then continues with a series of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are as follows:

My name is Mark Med-dle Es-
In Pol - i - tics I take a

quire, — And if you have a - ny de - sire — To make a com - plaint 'gainst
hand, — And when on the ros-trum I stand With el - o - quence rare my

sin - ner or saint, Just call on Mark Med-dle Es - - quire. For
views to de - clare, I'm quot - ed through-out all the land. There's

The score concludes with a final piano ending.

I am a bar - ris - ter bland, — Where there's trou - ble I'm al - ways on
 meth - od in all this 'tis true, — But what's a poor law - yer to

hand, — Ad - - vis - er, or sel - ler, or buy - er, Your
 do? To a Judge - ship is what I as - pire, Your

Moderato.

ser - vant Mark Med - dle Es - quire. — Mort - ga - ges and
 ser - vant Mark Med - dle Es - quire. — Pol - i - tics and

bills of sale, Set - tle - ments that wills en - tail, Dam - a - ges from
 Law you see, Thus ex - emp - li - fied in me, Pol - i - tics or

a - ny cause, If it comes with - in the laws, Breach of prom - ise
 law, in each, I take not what's be - yond my reach, Naught es capes my

or Di - vorce, These are in my line of course,
 ea - gle eye, Coun - sel - lor su - - preme am I,

Be it Slan - der, or As - sault, Ne'er a case goes by de - fault.
 With - out er - ror, with - out flaw I can teach you all the Law.

If you wish the law to know, Call at sev - en rot - ten row, You'll
 For ad - vice then come to me, Don't for - get to bring the fee, And

see the sign a bove the door, Of fice on the up per floor, Yes
when my name in print you see, Give your suf - fra - ges to me: For

I am a Bar - ris - ter bland, — Where there's trou - ble I'm al - ways on
I am a Bar - ris - ter bland, — None shrewder in all this broad

hand, — Ad - vis - er or. Sell - er or Buy - er, — Your
land, — An Of - fice is what I de - sire, — Your

ser - vant Mark Med - dle Es - - quire. — quire. —
ser - vant Mark Med - dle Es - - quire. — quire. —

1. D. S. 2.

"WHO'SE THIS I WONDER."

(Meddle, Bright, Alfred and Tipper.)
Bright.

35



Who's this I won-der, One of the fam-i-ly, Sure we must

ff



Meddle.

know him, speak up, How are you, Quite well I thank you,

f



But I've one re - quest, — For I al-ways like to know, who'tis I ad -



Bright.

Ho-mer Bright a gen-tle-man of leis - ure_ and you? —

dim.



Q

Med.

Mark Med-dle law - yer. Yes 'tis him you view, — Mark Med - dle,

cresc.

Mark Med-dle attor - ney át law. Pa - pers drawn, pa - pers served

ff

cresc.

Allegretto.
Enter Tipper. Tipper.

with - out breach or flaw, — You two re - - turned, —

rit.

p

Why how is this? and what will be - come of me? —

cresc.

Bright.

We met a charm - ing com - pa - ny, And were forced to re-

marcato il Basso.

turn don't you see. Au - gus - tus, dear, just come o - ver here, And

ALF.

I'll in - tro - duce these men. Ah, how d'u - do,

cresc. *slower.* *brilliant.*

MED.

ALF.

how d'u - do, Ah there's my charm-er a - gain.

rit. e cresc.

Andante.

(Med.)

(ALF.)

'Tis Ger-al-dine, what Ger-al-dine? I'll her a-quaintance

f

mf

BRIGHT

make _____ You'd bet - ter pause, con - sid - er well, Ere such a step you

molto accell.

take. You'd not in - sult a new found freind, tho' on - ly of to -

colla voce.

cresc

rit.

day, _____ You'd not in - sult a new found freind by run - ning, thus a -

rit.

cresc

rit.

rit.

way. ————— Med - dle just show him the Li - ons ————— To my

Moderato.

La - dy I'll say "how d'u - do," ————— Cul - ti - vate well his a -

quaintance, ————— You'll find him quite nice tho' quite new. ————— *Exit Bright, laughing.*

Long pause.

Moderato.

MED.

ALF.

MED.

Might I take the lib - er - ty. Oh con - found the fel - low. Ex -

f Moderato.

accel. e cresc.

Q *Sing either upper or lower notes according to voice.

ALF.

cuse me Sir, that last re-mark "I said the moon was yellow.

poco rit. e f

accel. rit.

ALF. Allegro non troppo. MED.

And now Mis-ter Pud-dle, My name Sir is Med-dle, The fact I have

f staccatto.

ALF.

told you be - fore, Well, Med-dle or Ped - dle, who -

f

ev - er you are, You're a nui-sance I say and a bore.

rit.

MED.

That he's not glad to see me, is ev - i - dent quite, I won der - now

ALF

what he'll do next, Now Med-dle to you ad - vice I will

MED.

ALF.

Med.

give. Feel hon-ored, Get out I am vexed. I don't un - der-

morendo.

ALF.

stand, You mean to, "I do. you ass, You I mean to e - ject

MED.

I wish he would call me something li - bell - ous but that is too much to ex -

Brillante.

ALF

pect. You mis - erable scoundrel, You scum of the earth, What mean you by

MED.

ALF.

laugh-ing at me. Ha! ha! that is ex - cel-lent, ha, ha, go on, You

MED.

want a good kick-ing, I see,

Kick-ing, that's good, go on now, kick!

Andante. (*Business for Meddle.*) *Slow.* *Alf.*

kick! Ah there's my charmer at last.

Andante. *Largo.*

A tempo. Med. *Alf. Con forza.* *(Exit Alf.)* *Med.*

But Sir, you for - get, Oh go to the Dev - - - il. The

Tempo di Valse.

op - por-tune mo - ment is past. For I am a Bar - ris - ter

Tempo di Valse.

bland, Where there's trouble I'm al - ways on hand, A

law-suit is what I de - sire, _____ A law-suit is what I de - sire. _____

DUO. ALFRED AND GERALDINE.

Andante. (Enter Chorus, laughing and chatting.) *Leave center open for entrance of Alf. and Gerald:*

rit.

Alf.

La - dy, I beg your par - don, but I could not re - sist. Your

p

pres - ence o - ver - pow - ers me,O pray do not in - sist On

p

a - ny phase of fash - ions form. — 'Tis fate that thus we

meet, One look, one word O give to me, A

GER. *poco accel.*

sup - - pliant at your feet. A stray bee this, from, fash - ions

hive, Sur - feit - - ed with its sweets. With

f

com - pli - ments and ful - some praise- My pres ence thus he

greets, In turn I beg your par - don Sir, Your

flow - - ery speeches spare, For know you now that

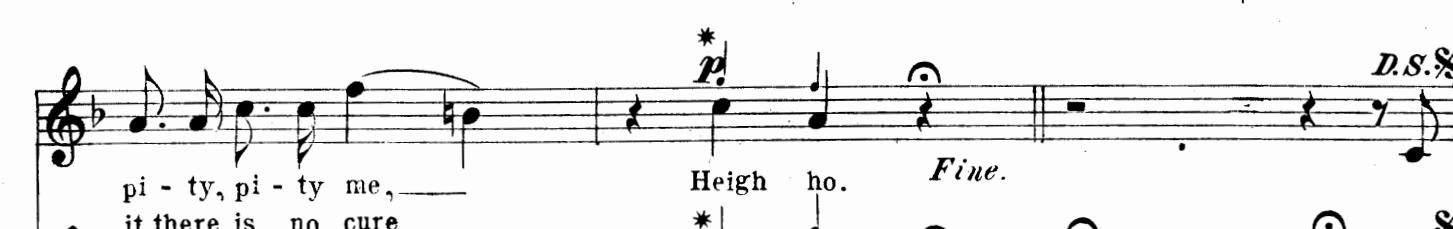
you but waste them on the des - ert air.

Geraldine

 bride I'm soon to be
 fates the match have made,
 Heigh ho, O pi - ty pi - ty me,
 Heigh ho, Now I'm al-most a - fraid,

Alfred.

 Soon to be,
 match have made?
a tempo.
rit. p
 pi - ty
 most a -


 Heigh ho, His face I can-not see, It was-n't thus to be, O
 Heigh ho, But 'twas a bar-gain sure, My lot I must en - dure, For
 her, afraid?


 pi - ty, pi - ty me, — Heigh ho. *Fine.*
 it there is no cure *
 A bride, and can it be.
D.S.

rit. a tempo.

Q * Small Notes Last time only.

Finale. Chorus.

O YES SHE'S SOON TO MARRY.

O yes she's soon to mar-ry, mar-ry, mar-ry, Not

long with us she'll tar-ry, Our Geral-dine so fair, The wedding is to - mor-row, to-
(Alto and Tenor.) so fair.

mor-row, to - mor-row, The wed-ding is to mor - row And we will all be there.

TO HORSE AWAY.
Chorus. Finale Continued.

Allegro vivace.

Moderato

Horn.

To horse, a -

way, no lon - ger stay, But e'er we go a part - ing toast we'll

Allegro vivace.

give To Ger - al - dine, our Ger - al - dine. And love for

her with us shall ev - er live. To horse, a - way, no lon - ger

stay! We'll meet when come her wed - ding day. To horse, a -

way, No lon - ger stay, To horse, a - way, a - way, a -

Soprano.

way, To horse a - way! No long - er stay! But e'er we

Tenors.

Come let's a - way, a - way! Come let's a - way, But e'er we

Altos.

Come let's a - way, a - way! Come let's a - way, But e'er we

Bass.

Come let's a - way, a - way! Come let's a - way, But e'er we

go a part - ing toast we'll give, To Ger - al - dine, our Ger - al -

go a part - ing toast we'll give, a toast we'll give; Yes a toast we'll give,

go a part - ing toast we'll give, a toast we'll give; Yes a toast we'll give,

dine, And love for her with us shall ev - er live. To horse, a -

Yes a toast we'll give, And love for her shall ev - er live, shall ev - er live.

Yes a toast we'll give, And love for her shall ev - er live, shall ev - er live.

way, No long- er stay, We'll meet a - gain, ah! yes, when comes her

Come let's a - way, a - way, Come let's a - way, We'll meet a - gain when comes, when comes her

Come let's a - way, a - way, Come let's a - way, We'll meet a - gain when comes, when comes her

wed-ding day. To horse, a - way! No lon - ger stay. To

wed-ding day, a - way! Come let's a - way, a - way, no lon - ger stay. To

wed-ding day, a - way! Come let's a - way, a - way, no lon - ger stay. To

horse, to horse, a - way, a - way, To horse, a - way, To horse, a -

horse, to horse, a - way, a - way, To horse, a - way, To horse, a -

horse, to horse, a - way, a - way, To horse, a - way, To horse, a -

horse, to horse, a - way, a - way, To horse, a - way, To horse, a -

way, a - - way, a - - way! 1. 2.

way, a - - way, a - - way! 2. -

way, a - - way, a - - way! 2. -

The musical score consists of six staves of music. The top four staves are in treble clef, G major, and common time. The bottom two staves are in bass clef, C major, and common time. The vocal parts sing in unison, while the bass part provides harmonic support. The lyrics are repeated three times. The score concludes with a final section where the vocal parts sing 'way, a - - way, a - - way!' followed by a repeat sign and endings 1 and 2. Ending 1 leads to a final section with a bassline featuring eighth-note patterns. The bass staff ends with a bass clef, C major, and common time.

A musical score for piano, consisting of six staves of music. The score is in common time and uses a key signature of two flats. The top staff shows a treble clef and consists of eighth-note patterns. The second staff shows a bass clef and consists of eighth-note chords. The third staff shows a treble clef and consists of eighth-note patterns. The fourth staff shows a bass clef and consists of eighth-note chords. The fifth staff shows a treble clef and consists of eighth-note patterns. The sixth staff shows a bass clef and consists of eighth-note chords. The music includes various dynamics such as forte, piano, and trills.

II ACT.

"I DID NOT DREAM!
(GERALDINE.)

Nº 11.

Andante.

1. I did not
2. My reb - el

dream that I should pause, should hes-i - tate or fal -
heart, come tell to me the cause of this up - ris -

-ter, When hand in hand with him I'd stand at
- ing! Some work of Cu - - pid can it be, some

Hy - men's nup - tial al - tar. But doubts and fears are crowd-ing
 scheme of his de - vis - ing. And strange it is that I should

'round,..... My heart is in a flut - ter; It
 speak Of Cu - pid, I, the scoff - fer! Yet

seems so like some weird,un - pleasant sound, When - e'er his name I
 grate - ful would I be could he An ex-pla-na - tion

rit.

a tempo

ut - ter. I did not dream that I should pause, should hes - i -
of - fer.

p a tempo

- tate, or fal - ter, When, hand in hand, with him I'd

ad lib.

stand At Hy - men's nup - tial al - tar. al - tar.

1. *D.C.* 2.

ad lib.

TRIO.

Nº 12.

A COMBINATION RICH AND RARE.

Moderato.

Baronet. 1. Such beauty grace and presence rare,
Barclay. 2. Deep lurking in my heart I feel,
Geraldine. 3. Were it but left for us to say Draw now your infer-

nev - er, So queen - ly and so won - drous fair, My heart is thine for - ev - er.
smooth - er, My du - ty plain, a - las there is Al - ter - na - tive no oth - er.
en - - ces. Re - lent - less fate we must o - bey And take the con - se - quen - ces.

Dance.

p leggiero.



After third verse only.

A com - bi - na - tion rich and rare, A com - bi - na - tion rich and rare, A
A com - - bi - - na - - tion rich and rare, A

com - bi - na - tion rich and rare, A com - bi - na - tion rich and rare, De-

com - - bi - - na - - tion rich and rare, De-

fy the fates we will not dare, De - fy the fates we will not dare, De -
 fy the fates we will not dare, we
{
}

fy the fates we will not dare, But take the con - se - quenc - es.
 will not, will not dare, But take the con - se - quenc - es.
{
}

rit.

CONCERTED NUMBER.

Barclay, Baronet, Lady Bess and Chorus.

Barclay.

My freind the Bar-o - net, To you I'll in - tro - duce, And

f

P

Baronet.

Mis - ters Ham - il - ton and Bright with com - pli - ments pro - fuse. What

fire and what fin - ness, . A spec - i - men most rare, Yes

Lady Bess.

for a wo - man such as this a man would all things dare. Ex -

Baronet.

cuse the lib-er-ty I take, But, bless his hon-est face, I

The music consists of three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, C major, common time. The middle staff is also in treble clef, C major, common time. The bottom staff is in bass clef, F major, common time. The vocal line includes several grace notes and slurs. The dynamic ff (fortissimo) is indicated at the end of the section.

Lady Bess.

on - ly thought I'd like to be a mo - ment in his place, I'm

The music consists of three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, C major, common time. The middle staff is also in treble clef, C major, common time. The bottom staff is in bass clef, F major, common time. The vocal line features eighth-note patterns and slurs.

glad you've come Sir Bar - o - net, one thing you'll sure - ly do, Join

The music consists of three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, C major, common time. The middle staff is also in treble clef, C major, common time. The bottom staff is in bass clef, F major, common time. The vocal line continues with eighth-note patterns and slurs. The dynamic f (forte) is indicated on the bass staff.

Baronet.

Lady Bess.

with us in our glo - rious hunt, Me hunt; Oh no, do you? Ha,

The music consists of three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, C major, common time. The middle staff is also in treble clef, C major, common time. The bottom staff is in bass clef, F major, common time. The vocal line continues with eighth-note patterns and slurs. The dynamic cres. (crescendo) is indicated on the bass staff.

accell.

ha, that's good, say Gov - ern-or O tell him, do I pray, — O

accell.

do I hunt, well that's a joke, the best for ma - ny a day. Now

a tempo.

par - don me Sir Bar - o - net, Your ques-tion is a - mus - ing, Ah,

molto accell.

ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, O yes tis most a - mus - ing, Does my

molto accell.

a tempo.

molto rall.

Lad-y-ship hunt, My mirth you'll ex-cuse, But I flat-ter my-self that I

do _____ What live with-out hunt-ing, as well with-out laugh-ing I

Marcato.

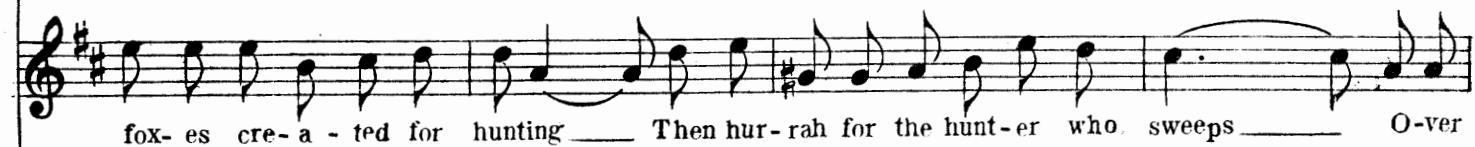
hunt, why of course, and don't you? _____ For a horse, man ex-press-ly was

fash-ioned, _____ Are not hed-ges and ditch-es for leaps, _____ And

fox - es cre - a - ted for hunt - ing? Then hur - rah for the hun - ter who
 sweeps, O - ver bri - ar and brake in the first flush of morn, To the
 mu - sic of horse horn and hound, Such mu - sic when blent with a
 peal of free mirth, Makes moun-tain and val - ley re - sound.

Soprano.*Alto.**Tenor.*

For a horse, man expressly was fashioned, — Are not hed-ges and ditch-es for leaps, — And

Bass.


bri - ar and brake in the first blush of morn, To the mus - ic of horse, horn and hound, — Such

bri - ar and brake in the first blush of morn, To the mus - ic of horse, horn and hound, — Such

mu - sic when blent with a peal of free mirth, Makes mountain and val - ley.. re - sound. —

mu - sic when blent with a peal of free mirth, Makes mountain and val - ley.. re - sound. —

"TO HORN AND HOUND."

Lady Bass.

Lady Bass.

To horn and hound a toast we'll give, Fill

I. TENOR.

II. TENOR.

BASS.

PIANO.

up then to the brim. For - get - ting not the hun - ter bold, So

I TENOR.

Fill up, fill up.

II TENOR.

Fill up, fill up.

I & II BASS.

clean of hoof and limb; With eyes of fire, who can de - sire, What!

Fill up, fill up.

Fill up, fill up.

wish for more than this. Then here's to hun - ter

Fill up, fill up.

Fill up, fill up.

rit. *tempo.*

horn and hound, The ac - me of all bliss. _____ Tal - ly -

rit. *tempo.*

ho! Tal - ly - ho! Tal - ly -

Ta - ra - ta - ra, Ta - ra - ta - ra.

Ta - ra - ta - ra, Ta - ra - ta - ra.

The musical score consists of five systems of music. The first system shows a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The second system is mostly blank. The third system features a piano accompaniment with eighth-note chords. The fourth system shows a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The fifth system shows a piano accompaniment. The score is in common time, with key signatures of one sharp throughout. Various dynamics like forte, piano, and sforzando are indicated by symbols above the notes. Articulation marks like dots and dashes are also present. The vocal part uses a soprano clef, while the piano part uses a bass clef.

ho! Tally - ho!

Ta-ra - ta - ra, Ta-ra - ta - ra,
Ta-ra - ta - ra, Ta-ra - ta - "ra,

ho! Tally - ho! Tally - ho! tally - ho! Tally - ho!

Tally -
Tally -
Tally -
Tally -

The musical score consists of six staves of music. The top two staves are soprano voices, the third is a bassoon or double bass, and the bottom three are bass voices. The music is in common time with a key signature of one sharp. The lyrics are: 'ho! Tally - ho!', 'Ta-ra - ta - ra, Ta-ra - ta - ra,' 'Ta-ra - ta - ra, Ta-ra - ta - "ra,' 'ho! Tally - ho! Tally - ho! tally - ho! Tally - ho!', 'Tally -', 'Tally -', 'Tally -', and 'Tally -'. Dynamic markings include 'pp' (pianissimo) at the end of the first section and 'Tally -'.

Moderato. 2nd Time Sopranos in unison.

The mu - sic of th horn and hound, What
ho! tally - ho! tal - ly - ho!
ho! tally - ho! tal - ly - ho!

Moderato.

can with this com pare. The mu - sic of th horn and hound, Most

Tally - ho!

Tally - ho!

glo - rious and most rare, And when the pack is on the track, And
 Tally - ho!

Tally - ho!

comes the loud full cry, In such an hour our ev - 'ry care un -
 Tally - ho!

Tally - ho!

1. 2.

heed-ed pass-es by. The by.

Tal-ly - ho! tal - ly - ho! tal - ly-

Tal-ly - ho! tal - ly - ho! tal - ly-

Tal-ly - ho! tal - ly - ho! tal - ly-

Tal-ly - ho! tal - ly - ho! tal - ly - ho!

ho! Tal-ly - ho! tal - ly - ho! tal - ly - ho!

ho! Tal-ly - ho! tal - ly - ho! tal - ly - ho!

poco rit.

DUO.

Appearances Oft Are Deceiving.

Sir L.

Bright.

Ap - pear - an - ces oft are de - ceiv - - - ing In - deed,

Sir L.

Quite so. My es - teem you have now past be -

Bright.

Sir L.

leiv - ing. In - deed, Quite so.

At first in your manner no charm could I see, But now you're as

wel - come as wel - come can be, For its clear that your coun - sel is

Bright. Baronet.

friend - ly to me. In - deed, Quite so.

Sir L.

Ap - pear - an - ces oft are de - ceiv - - ing, Keep this fact in
Bright.

Ap - pear - an - ces oft are de - ceiv - - ing, Keep this fact in

mind when re - ceiv - - ing, Or mis - takes you will make, past re -

mind when re - ceiv - - ing, Or mis - takes you will make, past re -

treiv - - ing. In - deed, Quite so.

treiv - - ing. In - deed, Quite so.

Q²

Bright.

Sir L.

Your phi - los - o - phy's good and your reas' - ning sound, In - deed,

Q²

Bright.

Sir L.

Quite so. A man of your stamp is not ev'-ry day found, In-

Bright.

deed, Quite so. But to talk it all o-ver sup - pose we re-

Sir L.

Both.

tire To please you my friend is my on - ly de - sire, Then to- geth-er we'll

go and to - geth - er con - spire, In - deed, Just so.

D.S.

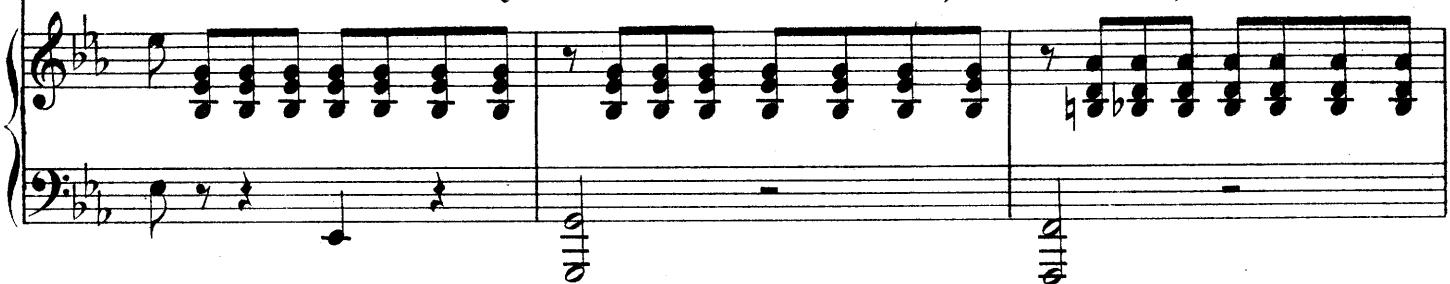
"LOVES AWAKENING."

N^o 16.

From the Opera "LADY BESS."

Words and Music by
JULIAN JORDAN.**Moderato.**

1. A se-cret spell up - on my heart is steal - ing, Since first I
2. New beau-ty see I in each flow'r, each blos - som, A sweet-er



met a face that e'er I see, What is the mean - ing of this strange re -
fragrance now doth seem to hold, The birds all sing in loud-er sweet-er



veal - ing, Can it be love, my heart, say can it be. Tell me) my
cho - rus, To me it seems all things new charms un - fold. And is it



heart, is't love or am I dream-ing, If I am dream - ing wake me not I
love that this new life is giv - ing, A stranger, Love that not 'till now I

pray, But let me dream, O let me dream for - ev - er Such hap-py
know, If thou art love, for-ev - er with me lin - ger If thou art

dreams who would not dream for aye? Yes let me dream, O let me dream for-
love I can - not let thee go. If thou art love, for-ev - er with me

ev - er, Such hap-py dreams, who would not dream for aye? _____
lin - ger, If thou art love, I can - not let thee go. _____

Tell me my heart is it love am I dream-ing,

What is the spell that so won-drous doth seem _____

Tell me my heart is it love am I dream-ing?

Then let me dream for 'tis heav'n thus to dream. 1st D.S. § 2nd

Agitato.



Alfred

Moderato con espress.

When in thy pres - ence, thy dear presence, What joy and what bliss do I feel, —

(aside) Geraldine. *poco agitato.**poco rit.*

When in his pres - ence, his dear presence, A spell o'er my sen - ses doth

steal. — I fain would hold thee to my heart, On thy

Alfred. *ritardando e cresc.*

steal. — I fain would hold thee to my heart, On thy

cresc.

lips a sweet kiss would I press. — I long, how I long, to

dim.

call thee mine, I long, yes I long, for one sweet, one sweet ca -

Alf:

ress.

Ger: *agitato.*

When in his pres - ence, his dear presence, What joy and what bliss do I feel.

agitato.

Alf: *With breadth and force.*

Thou art the star, one look, my soul did know thee, Thine is the love for

ff

which my soul doth pine. Thine im-age dear, (Al-though I may not woo thee)

shall live for-ev - er in this heart of mine, Shall live for-ev - er in this heart of

(Alf.) mine,

In this heart of mine.

(Ger:) When in thy pres - ence, thy dear pres - ence, O then what joy do I feel.

poco rit.

Andante.

Ger:

When far from thee I lan - - - guish,

rall. e dim. dim.

Say wilt thou know my an - - - guish, Ah yes, my bit - - ter

an - - - guish, O wert thou ev - - er near.

Alf:

The fate our paths may sev - - - er,
Can I for -
get ___ thee nev - - - er,
I'll love thee, yes ___ for -
ev - - - er,
O wert thou ev - er near.

*Together. ad lib.**acell.*

Till this heart per - - ish, Thee will it cher - - ish, Thine love for -
Till this heart per - - ish, Thee will it cher - - ish, Thine love for -

f
p rit.
acell.

rit.

accell.

ev - - er Tho' fate us sev - - er, Time will speed fast love
 ev - - er Tho' fate us sev - - er, Time will speed fast love

rit.

accell.

Win - ter soon past, love, True love will last, love, Heart have no
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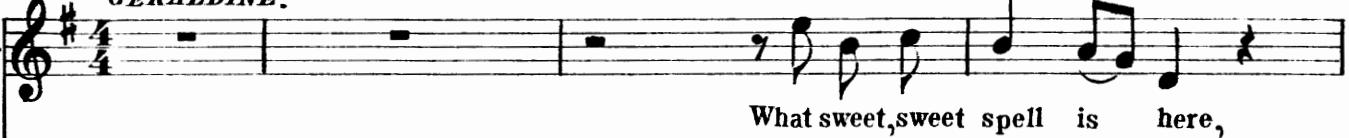
fear, True love will last love, Heart have no fear.
 fear, True love will last love, Heart have no fear.

rall. e dim.

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QUARTETTE.

GERALDINE.

Soprano. 

LADY BESS.

Alto. 

ALFRED.

Tenor. 

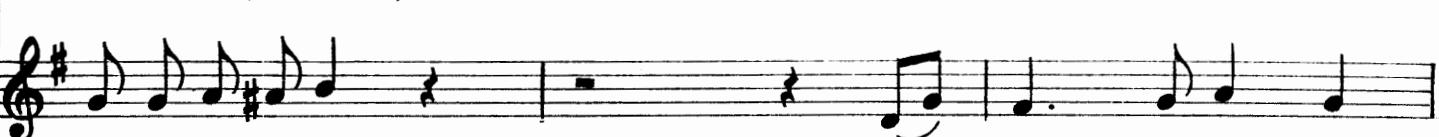
BARCLAY.

Bass. 





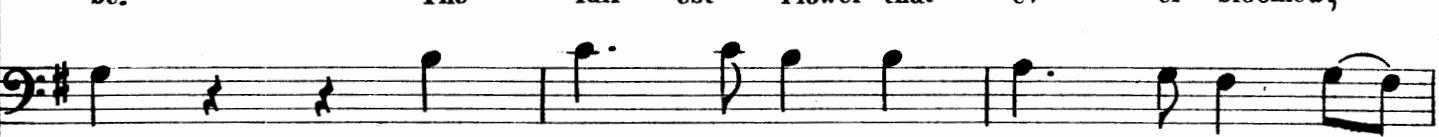
What sweet, sweet spell, What sweet spell doth o'er me steal, What



part, To play my part. Twill be ex - cite - ment



be. The fair - est flower that ev - - er bloomed,



cy, Yes to our own sweet Ger - al - dine, The



sweet, sweet spell is, here — Say, can this be love my heart, —

that I crave, So I will play, Wel - come, glad - ly wel - come to my heart, Yes,

Dear heart I love but thee, — Could I but win her love, How

bride that's soon to be, — She nev - er knew a moth - ers love, And

tell me my heart, — What the spell that o'er me steals, Can it be

wel - come to my heart, — Pleased am I to play my part,

blest how hap - py would I be, Fair - est flow'r that ev - er bloomed,

yet with an - gel grace, — She wins, she wins all hearts,

rit.

love, _____ Tell me my heart, Tell me my heart, my heart,
 rit.
 To play my part, my part, Gai- ly I will play my part, Yes,
 rit.
 I love but thee, Could I but win her love, Con-

rit.
 That look on her sweet face. To

Tell me my heart, what se - cret spell doth
 I will play my wel - - come part, 'Twill be ex - cite - ment
 tent - ed would I be, The fair - est flow'r that
 one the fair - est, best, Yes, to our own sweet

o'er me steal, What spell doth o'er me steal, Can
 that I crave, So I will play my part. And
 ev - - er bloomed, Dear heart I love but thee, I
 Ger - al - dine, The fair - est, swee - est, best, To
 it be love my heart, Can this be love, my hear, my heart.
 now to play my part, My wel - come, wel - come part, my part.
 ne'er can love but thee, I ne'er can love but thee, but thee.
 our own Ger - al - dine, To our own Ger - al - dine.

pp

ACT III.

GERALDINE.

Nº 19.

Moderato. con espress.*quasi recit.*

Ger - al-dine, star or my soul, could'st thou hear thy lov - er's

poco accell.

sigh Ger - al - dine Ger - al - dine

& cantabile.

could'st thou hear my heart's fond

cry —————

Thou art more than all, thou
Since I met thee since I

art my love-ly Queen, Ger - al - dine,

held thy hand in mine, Ger - al - dine,

Ger - al - dine,

Ger - al - dine,

Fair - - er vis - ion mor - tal eye hath nev - er seen, Ger - al - dine

For thee on - ly for thee doth my lone hert pine, Ger - al - dine

Ger - al -

Ger - al -

dine —————

Dost thou know the love I give thee

dine —————

And can I for - get thee, nev - er

cresc. to end of verse each time.

Ah I know thou wilt be - lieve me, I could ne'er of -
 Nought on earth our loves can sev - er, But Ill love thee,

fend or grieve thee, Ger - al - dine, Ger - al - dine _____
 yes, for - ev - er Ger - al - dine, Ger - al - dine _____

1st time only.

Last time. *cresc.* *poco* *rit.* *ff*

Ger - al - dine, _____ Star of my soul, Star of my soul, _____

colla voce. *ff.*

Geraldine 3

No. 20.

MADRIGAL.

Moderato.

Quartette or Semi Chorus, ad lib.
(Unaccompanied.)

I.SOPRANO.

When a maid-en gives her heart a-way Fa la, fa la la, fa la. Shall she
Marriage is a lot - te - ry Fa la, fa la la, fa la. One may

II.SOPRANO.

I.ALTO.

Fa la, fa la la, fa la.
Fa la, fa la la, fa la.

II.ALTO.

sing a mer - ry roun-de - lay! Fa, la, fa la, fa la la, Will the
draw a blank then, O dear me! Fa, la, fa la, fa la la, As it's

Fa la, fa la la,
Fa la, fa la la,

Fa la, fa la la, Will the
Fa la, fa la la, As it's

Fu - ture prove or sad or gay, 'Tis a vex - ing ques-tion who shall say? Shall she
al - ways been, so 'twill al - ways be, Yet we take our chances cheer-ful - ly, Yes we

Fu - ture prove or sad or gay, 'Tis a vex - ing ques-tion who shall say? Shall she
al - ways been, so 'twill al - ways be, Yet we take our chances cheer-ful - ly, Yes we

sing a mer - ry roun - de - lay. Fa la la la, Fa la.
 take our chanc - es cheer - ful - ly. Fa la la la, Fa la.

 sing a mer - ry roun - de - lay. Fa la la la, Fa la.
 take our chanc - es cheer - ful - ly. Fa la la la, Fa la.

 Fa la, fa la, fa la la la la, fa la, Shall she
 Fa la, fa la, fa la la la la, fa la, Yes we
 fa la la,

 Fa la, fa la, fa la, fa la la, Shall she
 Fa la, fa la, fa la, fa la la, Yes we

 sing a mer - ry roun de lay. Fa la la la la, fa la.
 take our chanc - es cheer - ful - ly. Fa la la la la, fa la.

 sing a mer - ry roun de lay. Fa la la la la, fa la.
 take our chanc - es cheer - ful - ly. Fa la la la la, fa la.
 la, fa la la.

*upper note last time only.

SO CUPID HIS TRADE HAS BEEN PLYING.

Nº 21.

Tempo di Gavotte.

Lady Bess.

So



Cu - pid his trade has been ply - ing, Ah! ah! I see. Con-



fess, there's no use in de - ny - ing, Con - fess to me. Ad -



vice I will cheer-ful-ly give you, Tho' you think he will nev - er de - ceive you. Don't de-



ny it! I'll nev-er be - lieve you, A fact nev-er plain-er could be!

Maestoso.

(Geraldine.) Well since my secret thus you guess.

Maestoso.

My secret thus your guess - - ing. Give ear while

I con - fess, While I'm con - fess - - ing.

Molto rit.

I con - fess, While I'm con - fess - - ing.

ff Molto rit.

Ger. Ah! tell me what am I to do, Ah! tell me what am I to do?



Lady B. Coun - sel I'll give to you, Coun - sel I'll give, I'll give to you.



Lady B.

Wait! There's many a slip, There's many a slip, twixt cup and lip. Cheer



up, there's no use in re - pin - ing, A - way, I see; Cheer



(Ger) New

up, there's no use in re - pin - ing, But trust in me. (Lady B) For



hope your kind words now are giv-ing, And cour-age I feel past be - liev - ing, No

you now a bright day is dawn-ing, Per - haps it may come ere the morn-ing, For

more I'll be sigh - ing, and griev-ing, But wait, and see.

you now a bright day is dawn-ing, So trust in me.

you now a bright day is dawn-ing, So trust in me.

Nº 22.

AH! PRAY EXCUSE.

Tempo ad lib.

Lady Bess.

Baronet.

Ah! pray ex-cuse, but I feel so faint, Com - mand me, with-

rit.

Lady Bess. (*sighing.*) Baronet.

out re - straint, Such at - ten - tion, I have nev - er known, You sigh, ah! why? were all a -

Q³

Lady B.

Baronet.

Lady B.

lone.

Oft I grieve as you see,

Oft you grieve, O dear me,

Yes, I

Baronet.

pass half my time in sad sighing,

That she's struck is quite plain, O with

Lady B.

joy I'm in - sane, That she's struck there's no use in de - ny-ing. Can

colla voce.

Bar:

I ex - press dare I con-fess, Ah! but I'm lone - ly, so lone - ly; A -

*accel.**rit. e con espress.*

ha! I see come fly with me, This heart is thine, and thine on - - - ly.

*accel.**rit.*

Lis-ten my sweet, here at your feet Kneel I, the in-dex of fash-ion,

Begging, im - plor - ing, mad - ly a - dor ing, Turn not deaf ear to my pas - - sion.

Lady Bess.

Ah! shall I dare, O! sir, pray spare, A-las! to me you're too dear, Spare one so

Baronet.

molto rit. Can

Lady Bess.

Tempo Primo.

me; come fly with me, I'll love thee on - ly, love thee on - - - ly.

INTRODUCTION TO CHALLENGE SCENE.

No 23.

Marcato.

Come lis - ten to me, At -

f *p*

te - tion all, a les - son now to put you at your ease. As

mas-ter of these cer - e-mo-nies much on me de-pends. So give me close at - ten - tion if you

please Yes how to pose with grace, and how to know your place, No

f

er - ror if you close - ly fol - low me, And first we will re - hearse of the

Bri-dal March a verse, For to - mor-row night the wed-ding is to be.

With gar - lands now we deck her brow, And

Tempo Grand March.

Trumpets. *f* *3*

strew her path with flow - - ers, For her our pride the love - ly bride, Now
 blos - som all ye bow - ers. Your per - fumes rare pour on the air, None
 fair er e'er was seen, Your trib - utes bring, and gai - ly, gai - ly sing to

greet the Bri - - dal Queen. —
 All hail, All hail, hail,
 Hail our Ger - al - dine. — Your trib-utes glad - ly bring, And
 gai - ly, gai - ly sing, to greet the Bri - - dal Queen.
 V.S.

CHALLENGE SCENE.

Enter Meddle and Greenwood.

Meddle.

Love-lace ver-sus Green-wood? at last the deed is done, As

Allegro.

wit-ness-es pro tem I sub-poe-na ev'-ry one, Where is the de-lin-quent, his

rit. colla voce.

a tempo.

face I now would scan I'll swear I o-ver-heard the whole e-lope-ment plan.

rit.

Green: slower. Lady B. Med.

Do you hear? you prof li gate? Why what's the matter pray. A-

Q3

Barclay.

ha, that will not serve you, We'll not be fooled that way, The

Bar-o-net I'll see and de - mand an ex-pla-na-tion, Yes, for an ex-pla-na-tion I will

colla voce.

sue, It must be cleared up no pause or hes-i-ta-tion, A

Allegretto.
Meddle.

Exit Barclay

scan-dal in my house 'twill nev-er do. Now take my ad-vice, Re-

rit.

Green.

mem - ber your gen - der, Speak up, mind your notes, have no fear. On this

slowly and in a labored manner.

Meddle.

sub - ject far reach-ing, so del - i - cate, ten - der, Best ad - vice I have tak - en, Hear,

colla voce.

ff

Green. *as before.*

hear! My de - sires, com-mands, My or - ders im - per- a - tive,

a tempo.

Lady B. *accel.*

say will you all these o - bey? He's act - u - al - ly going to as -

accel.

sume the rib-bands, I must plan must check-mate him some way, — A
 slower.
 chal-lenge my dear, A chal-lenge you'll send, Naught else will my wound-ed pride
colla voce.
 Meddle. Lady B.
 heal, — Now take my ad - vice you'll, Sir hold your tongue or my
 horse-whip you sure - ly will feel. — Now I shall re - tire and re -
Tempo Imo.

cov - er my costs, A she ti - ger this to be sure, — O

Allegretto.

poor Mis - ter Green - wood, for all the wide world, Your lot I would nev - er en -

(Exit Med.) Green.

dure. He's gone now I'm de - fence - less, Is this the fate of

Lady Bess.

hus - bands? A du - ell? Write, I'll dic - tate_ No de - lay,

colla voce.

a tempo.

Long pause.

Now then, Sir, no ex - pla - na - tion,

can ex - cuse the sit - u - a - tion,

colla voce.

f tempo.

In which you were dis - cov - ered just to day,

Green. Lady Bess. Green.

But my dear, Your tongue pray bri - dle. O this is su - i -

poco rit.

f tempo.

ci - dal. The pre - lim - i - na - ries will be un - der - stood,

For a life must pay most dear - ly! Yours, or that of yours sin -

cere - ly, For this in - sult. Signed, Your ser - vant, Wil - liam Green - wood.

a tempo.

No 25.

AS BEST MAN OF THIS GREAT EVENT.

Tempo ad lib.

Best Man and Chorus.

As

Tempo ad lib.

Best Man of this great e - vent, Per - mit me to re - mark, The

pros - pect that was once so bright is now ex - treme - ly dark. A

dis - ap - point - ment 'tis in - deed, a dis - ap - point - ment cru - el, The

wed - ding were to cel - e - brate, Turns out to be a du - el, One

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for the voice, starting with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a common time signature. The bottom staff is for the piano, starting with a bass clef and a common time signature. The vocal line begins with eighth-note pairs followed by quarter notes. The piano accompaniment features simple harmonic chords.

thing is left for us to do Till time some plan in - vents, Re -

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tire to some safe re - treat and wait de - vel - op - ments. A

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Allegro. CHORUS unison.

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Allegro.

fete that we're to cel - e - brate, Turns out to be a du - el. One
 thing is left for us to do, 'Till time some plan in - vents. Re -

Exit Chorus, Waltzing.

tire to some safe re-treat and wait de - vel - op - ments. _____

SO TENDER AND SO TRUE.

(Geraldine.) Duo.

Your words have touched my heart a - new, Your
 love so ten-der, true, Has touched my heart a - new my un - cle dear, You're the
 ap-ple of my eye, My Pet, why do you cry, Cheer up, am I not nigh then have no
 Geraldine.
 My heart is touched a - new, My heart is touched a - new, So
 Barclay.
 fear My Pet, why do you cry, Look up, am I not nigh,

ten-der and so true.

My heart is touched a - new My

I'll al-ways be to you, My Pet why do you cry, Cheer

heart is touched a - new, You've ev - er been so ten-der and so true,

up am I not nigh, I'll ev - er be the same, the same to you. I'll

So ten - der and so

ev - - - er, I'll ev - er be to

true.

you.

Q

Nº 27.

FINALE.

Bright.

A - gain I'll shake hands with my - self, — A -
 gain I'm a win - ner you see, — My plans have all car - ried and
 soon they'll be mar - ried But what's to be - come then of me? — With the
 Gov - en - or I'll dou - ble up, — His friend and ad - vis - er re -

main. — Yes with him I'll dou - ble, to shield him from trou - ble, To the

Bar - o - net true I'll re - main, — There's noth ing like hav - ing as -

molto rit.

a tempo.

- sur - ance, As - sur - ance, As - sur - ance, You may call it Cheek or As -

- sur - ance, Al - ways a win - ner am I, — Al -

rit.

rit.

- low me, al - low me, Quite ir - re - sist - a - ble,
Yes, ir - re - sist - a - ble, A win - ner, a win - ner am I.

No. 28.

Alfred.

ENSEMBLE.

See, see, each face now beams with joy,
now beams with joy, O hap - pi -

ness with - out al - loy,
With - - out al - - loy.

rit.

Alfred and Geraldine.

'Tis fit - ting I your bride shall be,
'Tis fit - ting you my bride will be,
'Tis fit - ting

I your bride shall be, One word, one word I pray, then fate's de -
you my bride will be,

- cree, I will o - bey.

rit.

do - ing, 'Twas fate, 'Twas fate. You're re - spect I'd a - gain be re-

new - ing, e'er 'tis too late, Ah Ma - dam I pray you for -

Lady Bess.

give me, I con - sent - ed for her to de - ceive you, In -

Baronet.

Both.

tend - ing no harm, I be - lieve you, 'Twas fate, 'Twas fate.

Moderato.

Musical score for 'BRIDAL MARCH.' in G major, 4/4 time. The score consists of six staves, likely for a full orchestra. The vocal part (Soprano) is in the top staff, and the piano accompaniment is in the bottom staff. The vocal part includes lyrics such as 'With gar-lands now we deck her brow, And', 'strew her path with flow - - ers, For her our pride the love - ly bride, Now', and 'blos-som all ye bow - - ers, Your per-fumes rare, pour on the air, None'. The piano part features a section labeled 'Trumpets.' with dynamic markings like 'f' and '3'. The score is divided into two systems by a vertical bar line.

With gar-lands now we deck her brow, And

Trumpets.

strew her path with flow - - ers, For her our pride the love - ly bride, Now

blos-som all ye bow - - ers, Your per-fumes rare, pour on the air, None

A musical score for two voices (Soprano and Bass) and piano, page 126. The score consists of eight staves of music. The top two staves are for the Soprano voice, with lyrics: "fair - er e'er was seen, Your trib - utes bring, and". The next two staves are for the Bass voice, with lyrics: "gai - ly, gai - ly sing, to greet the Bri - dal Queen.". The bottom two staves are for the piano. The music includes various note values (eighth and sixteenth notes), rests, and dynamic markings. Measure numbers 126 and 127 are indicated at the top of the page.

fair - er e'er was seen, Your trib - utes bring, and

gai - ly, gai - ly sing, to greet the Bri - dal Queen.

All hail, All hail, All Hail our Ger - al - dine. Your

tributes gladly

Soprano part (treble clef) and basso continuo part (bass clef). The soprano part consists of two staves of music with lyrics: "trib - utes bring and gai - ly gai - ly sing to greet the Bri - dal Queen." The basso continuo part consists of two staves of music.

Yes, joy, All joy, Yes, joy, At - tend thee,

TENORS with BASSES.

Tenor and Bass parts (bass clef). The tenor part consists of two staves of music with lyrics: "Hap - pi - ness And joy be thy blest lot for - ev - - er, May". The bass part consists of two staves of music.

nought a - larm thee, Nought a - larm thee, Noth-ing harm thee ev - - er.

Yes joy, joy and peace at - tend thee,

nought a - larm thee, Nought a - larm thee, Noth-ing harm thee ev - - er.

Tenor and Bass parts (bass clef). The tenor part consists of two staves of music with lyrics: "nought a - larm thee, Nought a - larm thee, Noth-ing harm thee ev - - er.". The bass part consists of two staves of music.

Hap - pi - ness and joy be thy blest lot for - ev - er.

Thine for-ev - er, Thine for-ev - er, Hap-pi-ness and joy for - aye.
Hap - pi - ness

Thine for-ev - er, Thine for-ev - er, Thine for aye.

O YES SHE SOON WILL MARRY.

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O yes she's soon to mar-ry, mar-ry, mar-ry, Not long with us she'll tar-ry, Our

Ger-al-dine so fair, The wed-ding is to - mor-row, to - mor-row, to -
Yes

-mor-row, The wed-ding is to - mor - row, And we will all be there.

Q

Tempo di Valse.

The musical score consists of six measures of a waltz in 3/4 time. The key signature is one flat. The music is divided into two staves: treble and bass. The treble staff features a continuous melody line with eighth-note patterns and grace notes. The bass staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords. Measure 1: Treble staff starts with a half note followed by an eighth-note pattern. Bass staff has a sustained half note. Measure 2: Treble staff continues with eighth-note patterns. Bass staff has a sustained half note. Measure 3: Treble staff starts with a half note followed by an eighth-note pattern. Bass staff has a sustained half note. Measure 4: Treble staff continues with eighth-note patterns. Bass staff has a sustained half note. Measure 5: Treble staff starts with a half note followed by an eighth-note pattern. Bass staff has a sustained half note. Measure 6: Treble staff continues with eighth-note patterns. Bass staff has a sustained half note.

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