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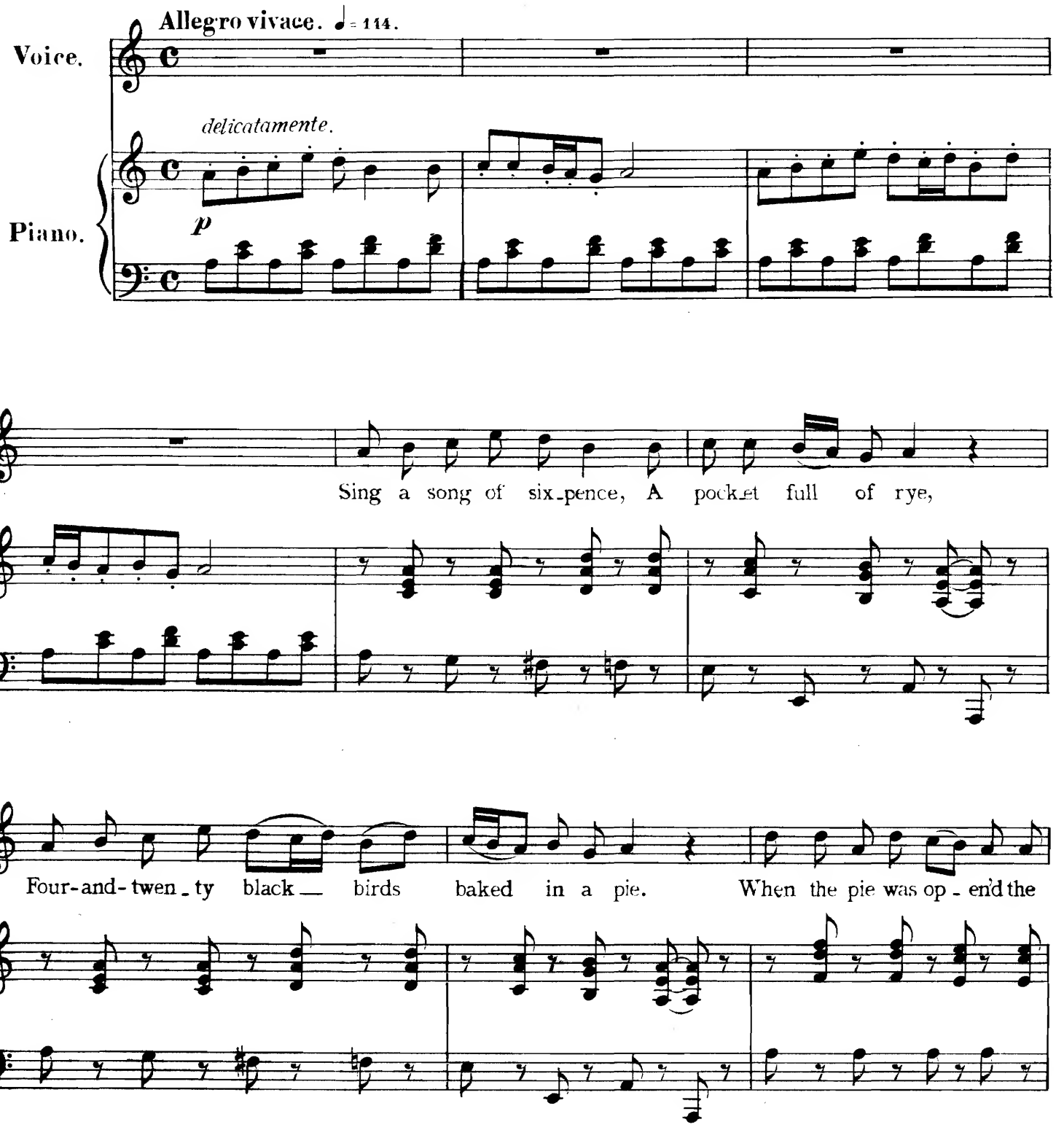

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birds be - gan to sing. Was - nt that a dain - ty dish to

set be - fore a King! When the pie was op - end the birds be - gan to sing.

Was - nt that a dain - ty dish to

When the pie was op - end the

birds be - gan to

Was - nt that a dain - ty dish to set be - fore a King!

Andante con moto. ♩ = 96.

The King was in his coun - ting house

legato

cresc.

coun - ting out his mon - ey, The Queen was in the par - lour

cresc.

eat - ing bread and hon - ey,

mf

The maid was in the gar - den hang - ing out the clothes—

mf

Up came a black - bird and snapped off, and snapped off, and

snapped off her nose.

Tempo I.

pp

Sing a song of six - pence, A

dim. *ritard.*

pp

pock.et full of rye. Four-and-twenty black - birds baked in a pie.

When the pie was op - end the birds be - gan to sing ——

Was - nt that a dain - ty— dish to When the pie was op - end the

birds be - gan to Was - nt that a dain - ty— dish to set be - fore a King.

(*Spoken.*)

Was - nt that a dain - ty dish?

II.

Baa, Baa, Black Sheep.

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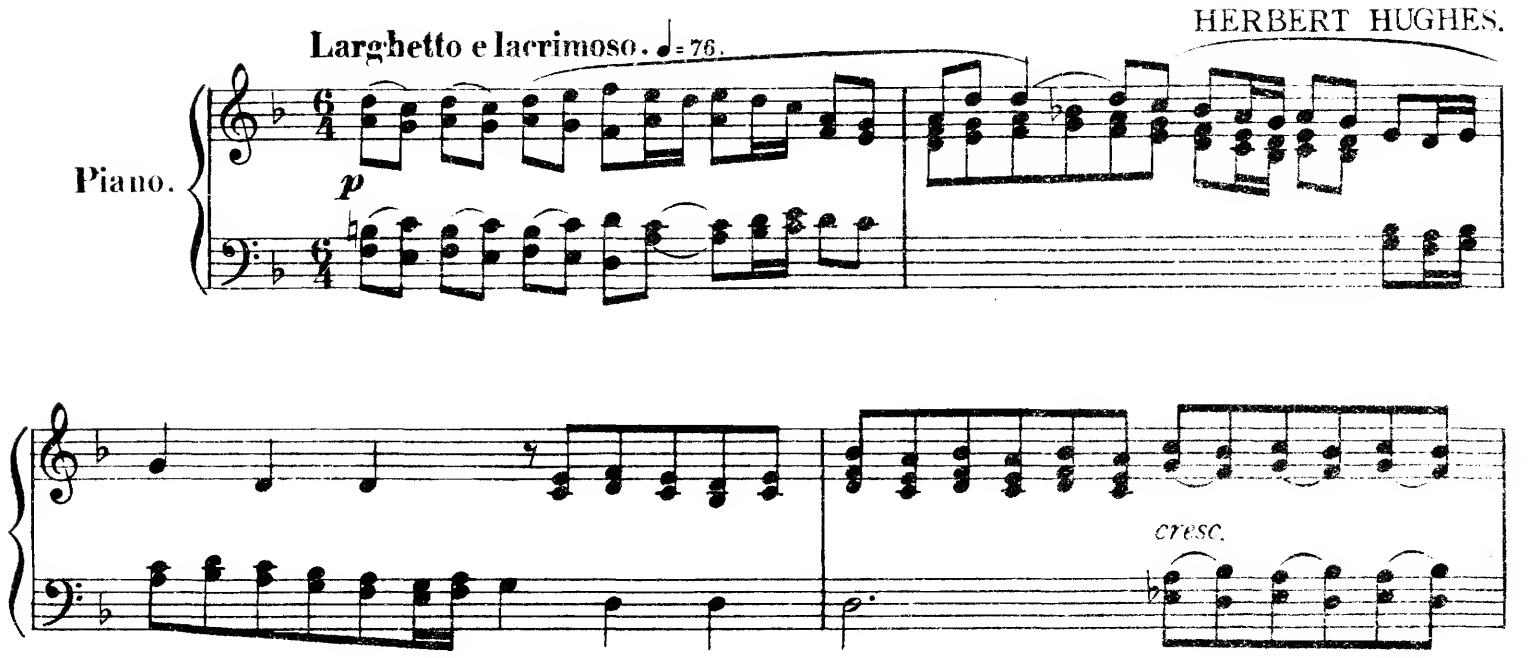

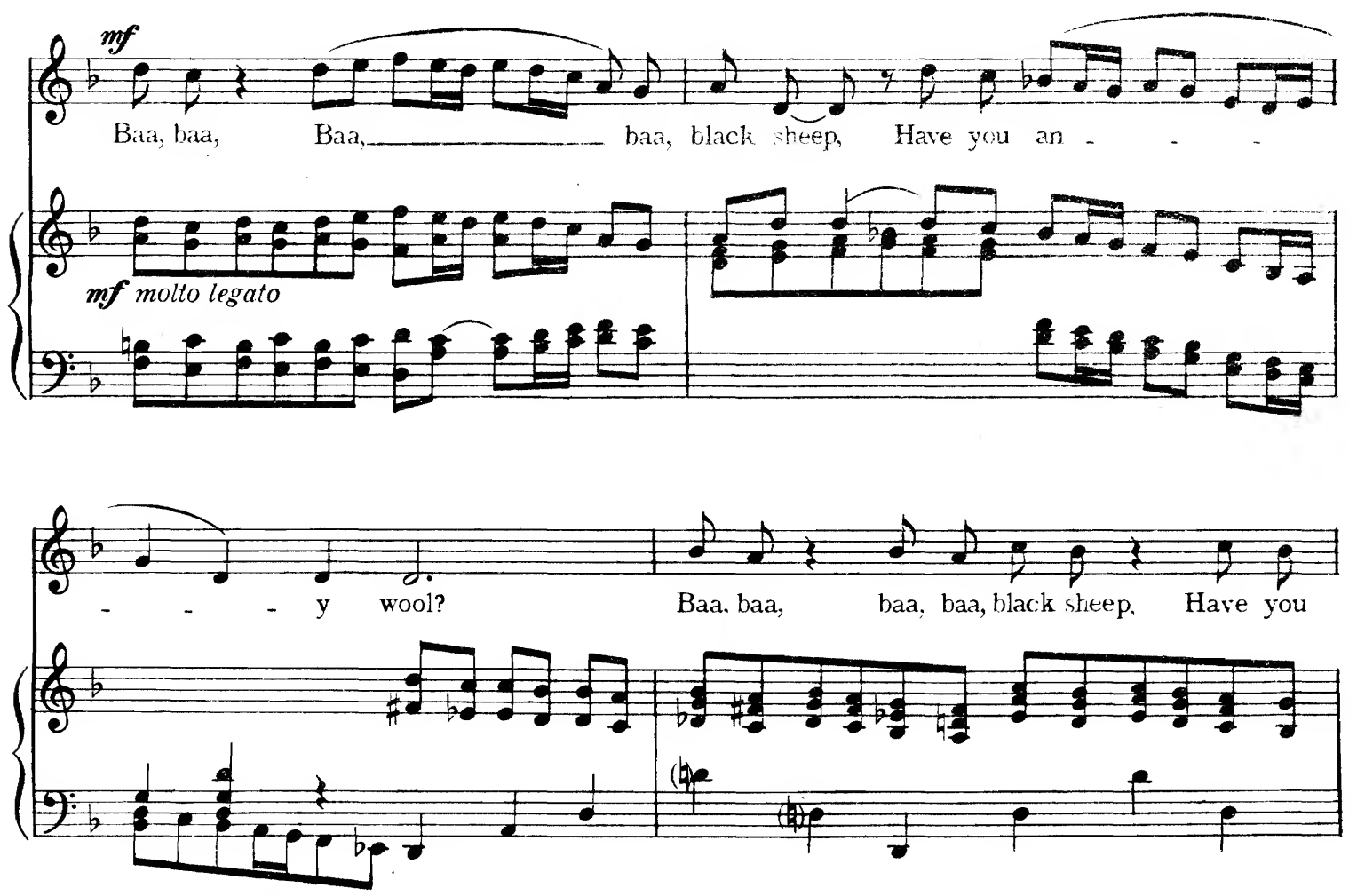

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an - y wool? an - y wool? Baa, baa, baa, baa, black sheep, Have you -

cresc.

an - y wool? an - y wool? Baa. baa, Baa. baa, black sheep, Have you

cresc.

f *cresc.* *ff* *dim.*

an - y wool? an - y wool? Have you an - y wool? Have you

ff

an - y wool?

dim. *mf* *p*

f

Yes. sir.

f

(*Spoken.*)

Yes, sir, three bags full!

dim.

pp

cresc.

mf

Animando. (♩ = 100)

One for the mas - ter, one for the dame, and one for the lit-tle boy who

cresc. cresc. ff dim. e rit.

cries in the lane, who cries in the

cresc. cresc. ff dim.

Tempo I.

lane.

mf dim. p

mf

cries Baa, baa, black sheep,

mf dim.

Allargando. Tempo I.

Baa, baa, black sheep.

pp colla voce ppp cresc. dim. ppp

III.

A Frog he would a-wooing go.

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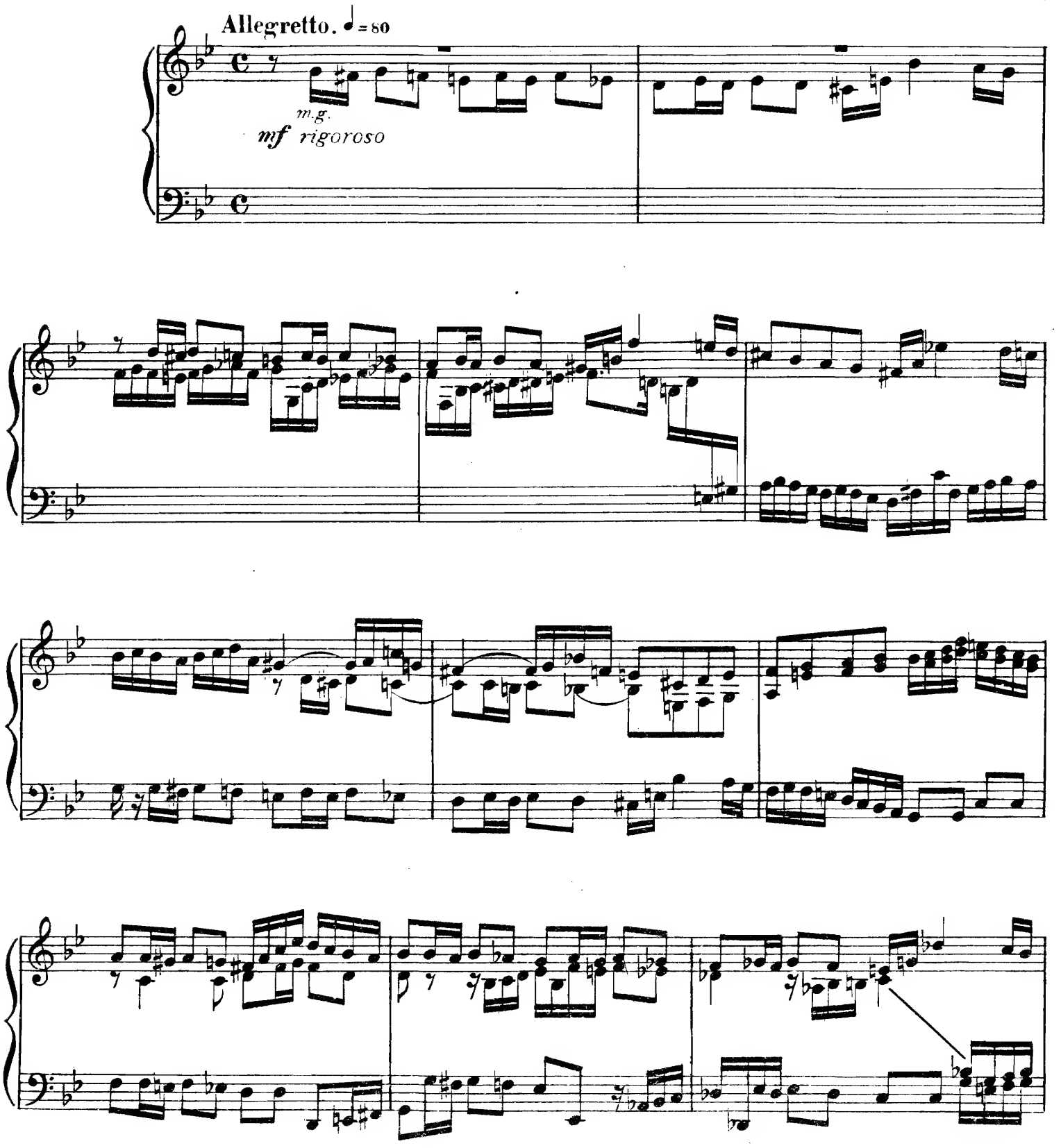

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f

A frog he would a - woo - ing

cresc.

f

go, A frog he would — a - woo-oo-oo-ing go - o - o, he would a-woo - ing

ff

go, Wheth - er his moth - - er would let him or

ff

Animato. ♩ = 104.

no. Heigh - o! said Rowley, Heigh - o! said Rowley,

ff

Heigh - o said Row - - ley,

ff

dim.

mf

marcato

mf

Heigh - o! said Row - ley,

cresc.

Heigh - o said Row - ley,

cresc.

Heigh - o! said Row - ley, Heigh - o! said Row - ley.

Tempo I.

f

cresc.

Ro - ly po - ly, Ro - ly po - ly,

ff *cresc.*

Gammon and spin - ach gammon and spin - ach, and spin - ach and spin - ach

ff

ff *ff*

Heigh - o! Heigh - o!

ff R. H.

ff R. H. *ff*

ff Tempo I.

Heigh - o

R. H. *ff* *pp*

pp *Largo*

said An - to - ny Row - ley.

p *morendo*

IV.
Little Bo-Peep.

Allegretto. ♩= 80. HERBERT HUGHES.

p molto legato

p

Lit-tle Bo-Peep has lost her sheep And can-not tell where to

find them, Leave them a-lone and they'll come home

Bringing their tails, bring-ing their tails, Bring-ing their tails be-

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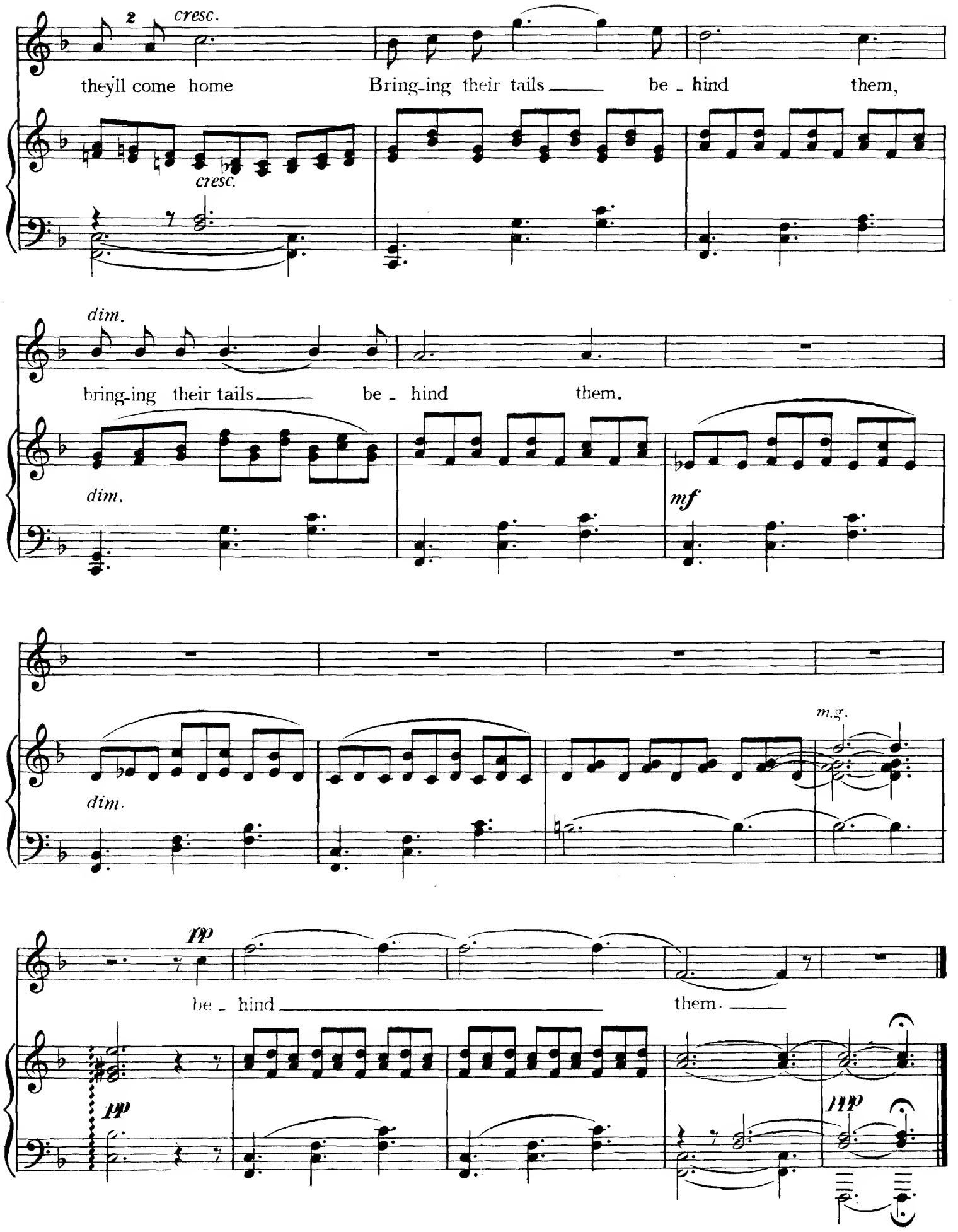
- hind them. Leave them a - lone and they'll come home

bringing their tails be - hind them.

espress.

mf

Leave them a - lone and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cresc.
they'll come home
Bring-ing their tails
be - hind
them,
cresc.
dim.
bring-ing their tails
be - hind
them.
dim.
mf
dim.
m.g.
pp
be - hind
them.
pp
ppp

V.
Curly Locks.

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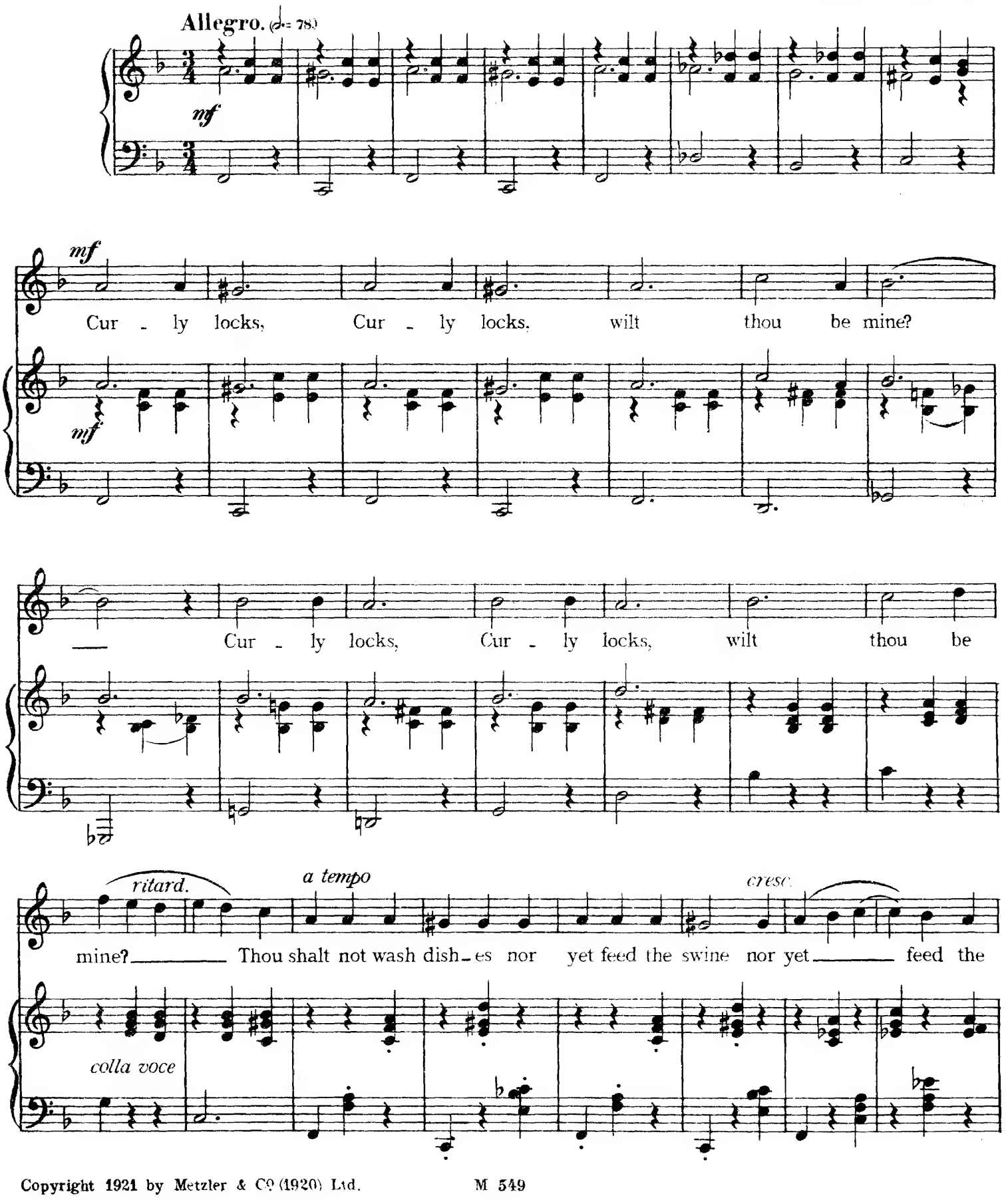

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swine ___ Ah ___ Ah ___

f *f*

___ Cur - ly locks, Cur - ly locks, wilt thou be

pp *pp*

mine? ___ Cur - ly locks, Cur - ly locks, wilt thou be

cresc.

mine? ___ Thou shalt not wash dish - es nor yet feed the swine, nor yet ___

ritard. *a tempo*

colla voce *a tempo scherzando*

20

feed the swine Ah Ah

poco rit.

But

tr

poco rit.

p a tempo

sit on a cush - ion and sew a fine seam, and sew a fine

a tempo

seam, And feed up - on straw - ber - ries, su - gar and cream!

su - gar and cream But sit on a cush - ion and sew a fine

cresc. f

seam, and sew a fine seam, And feed up-on straw-ber-ries,

cresc. f

dim. e rit.

su-gar and cream. su - gar and cream

dim e rit.

espress.

a tempo

Cur - ly locks, Cur - ly locks, wilt thou be mine?

a tempo

poco rit.

cresc.

Cur - ly locks. Cur - ly locks. wilt thou be mine?

cresc.

colla voce

f a tempo

Thou shalt not wash dish-es nor yet feed the swine, nor yet feed the

f a tempo

cresc. ff

swine Ah! Ah

cresc. ff

THIS LITTLE PIG WENT TO MARKET.

♩ = ♩. of preceding.

This lit-tle pig went to market, This lit-tle pig stayed at

f

home, This lit-tle pig had roast meat, And this lit-tle pig had

none, none, none This lit-tle pig went to market, This lit-tle pig stayed at

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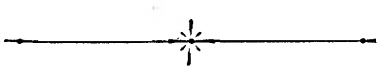
No. 6. Hey Diddle Diddle.



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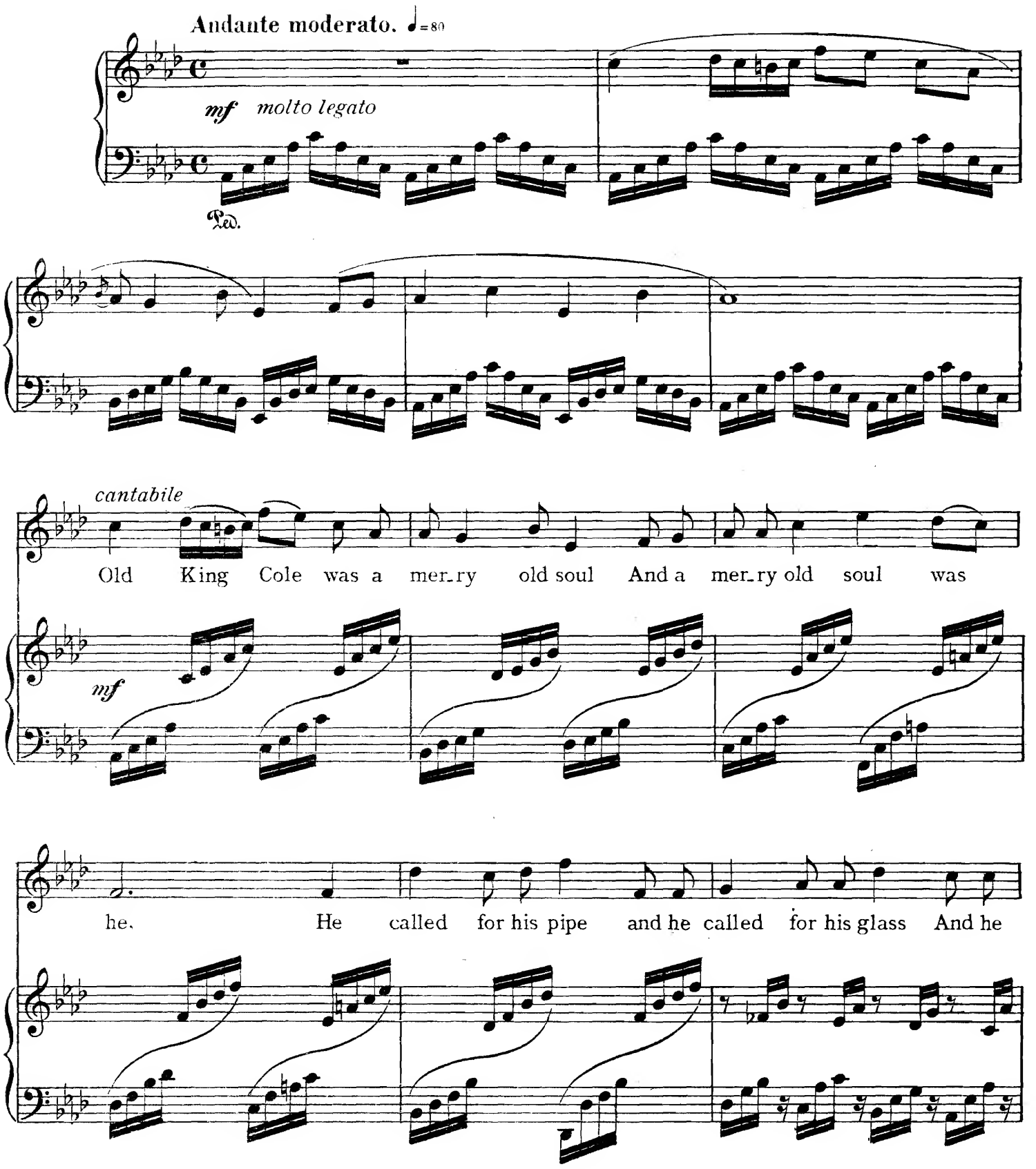

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called for his fidd - lers three, He called for his fidd - lers

three.

Ev - 'ry fiddler he had a fine fid-dle And a ve-ry fine fid-dle had

he, But none so rare as could compare With King

Cole and his fidd - lers three.

rit.

colla voce

dim.

f a tempo

Old King Cole was a mer - ry old soul And a mer - ry old soul was

f a tempo

he. He called for his pipe and he called for his glass And he

called for his fidd - lers three, He called for his fidd - lers

dim.

dim.

three. He called for his pipe and he

called for his glass And he called for his fidd - lers three. King

Cole, King Cole

was a mer - - - - ry old soul. Ah!

Ah! Ah! Ah!

Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah!

tr *ad lib.*

Tempo I.

ff *ffz*

✳ ALTERNATIVE ENDING.

ad lib.

soul, a merry old soul, a merry old soul was he

Tempo I.

p colla voce *p* *pp*

II.

Jack and Jill.

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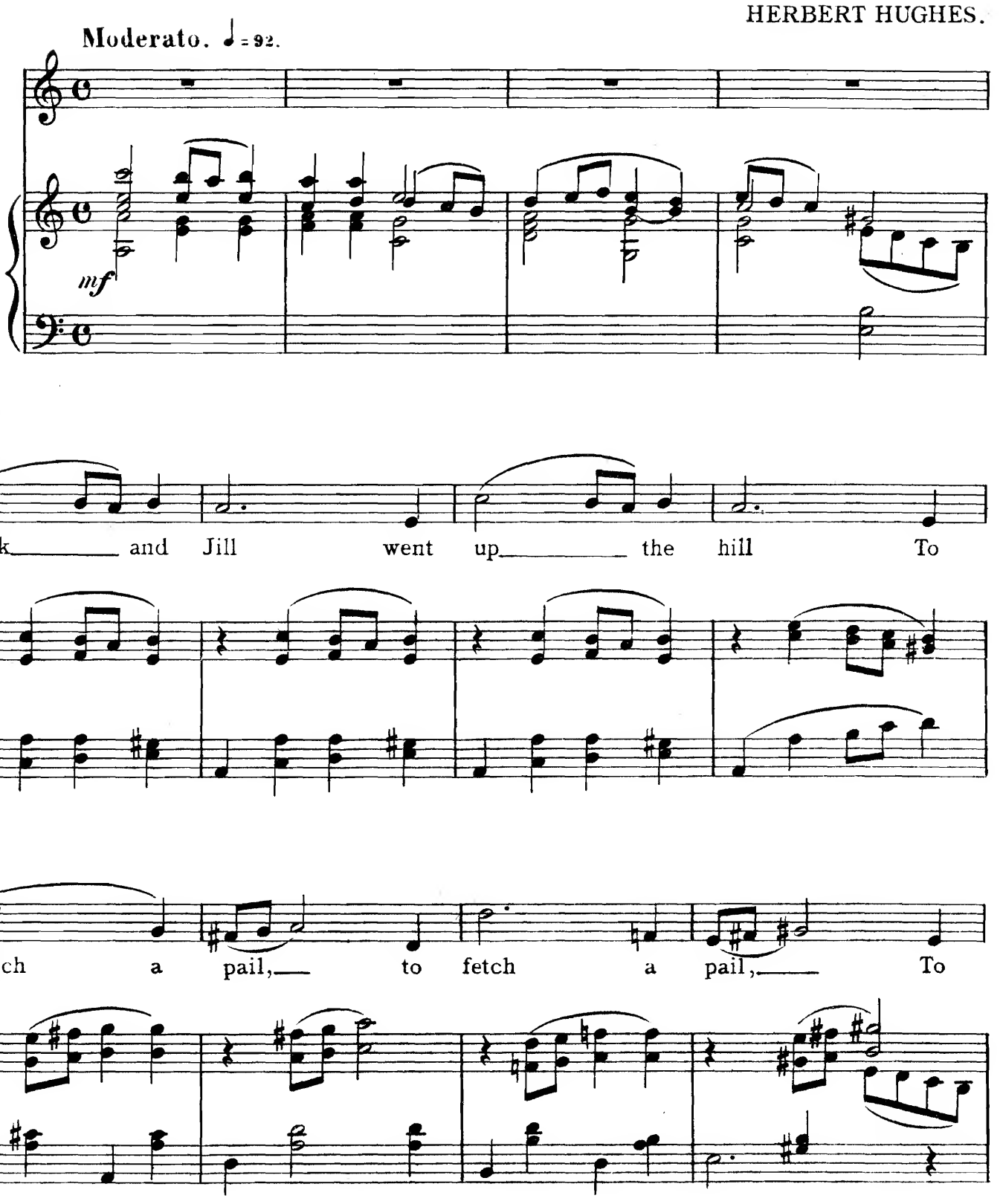

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fetch a pail of wa - ter, To fetch a

pail to fetch a pail of wa - ter.

Jack fell down and broke his crown, and

broke his crown, And Jill came tum - bling

aft - er, tum - - bling, tum - bling,

- bling, tumbling, tumbling,

Jill came tumbling aft - er.

poco animando

Then up Jack got and

poco animando

home_____ did trot, As fast as he could, as

fast as he_ could, As fast as_ he could

crescendo

ca - per, As fast_ as_ he could, as fast_ as he could

ca - per. And went_____ to bed to

poco rall.

Tempo primo.

mend his head, to mend his head With

vin-e-gar and brown pa-per. Ah, Ah,

vin-e-gar and brown pa-per, Ah, Ah,

vin-e-gar and brown pa - per.

pp pp ppp

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Hush-a-bye, Baby, on the Tree Top.

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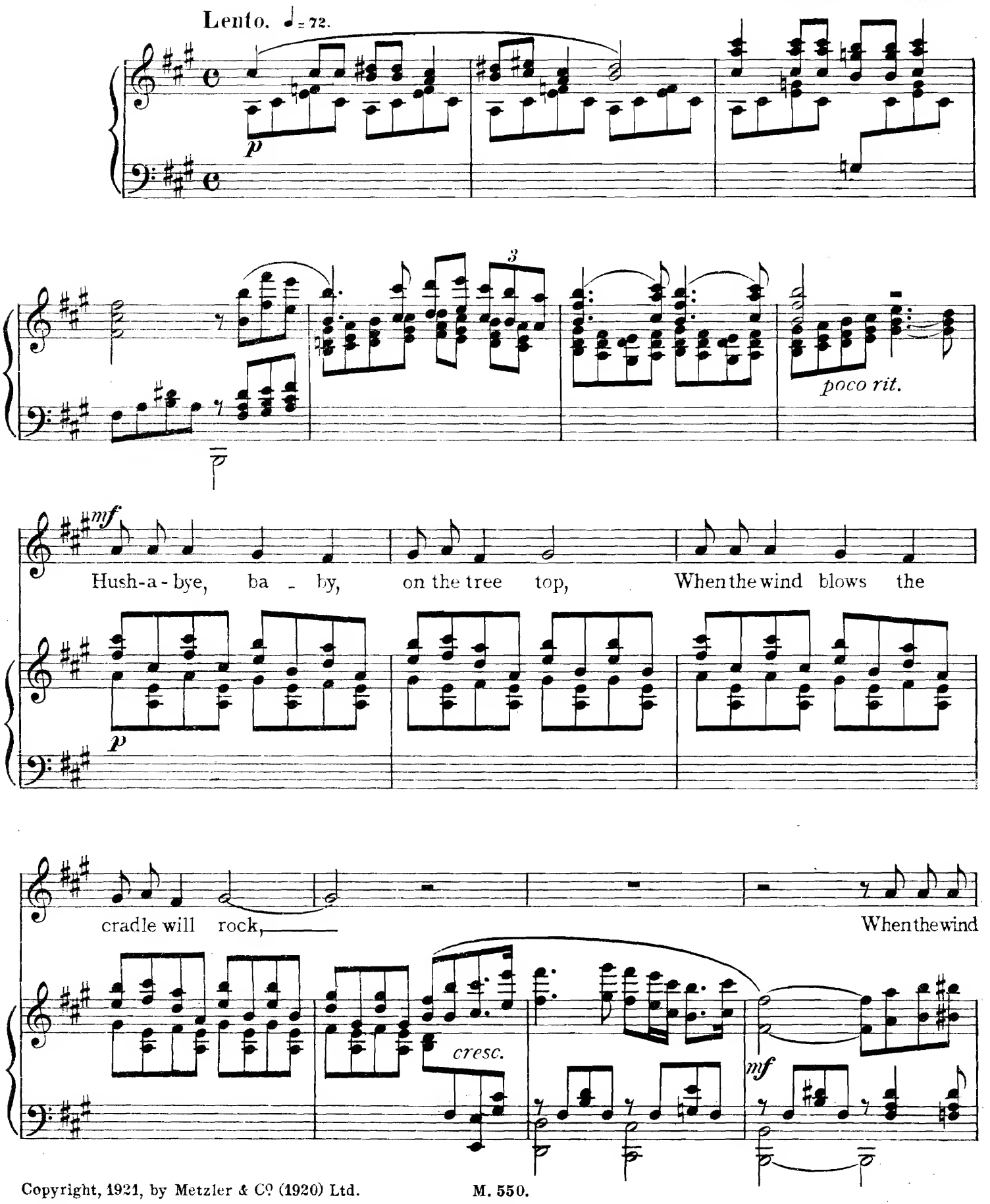

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ceas - es the cra - dle will fall, Down will come

ba - by and cra - dle and all.

m.g.

m.d.

Hush-a-bye, ba - by, ba - by, ba - by, ba - by.

senza rall.

Tempo I.

dim.

allargando

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Old Mother Hubbard.

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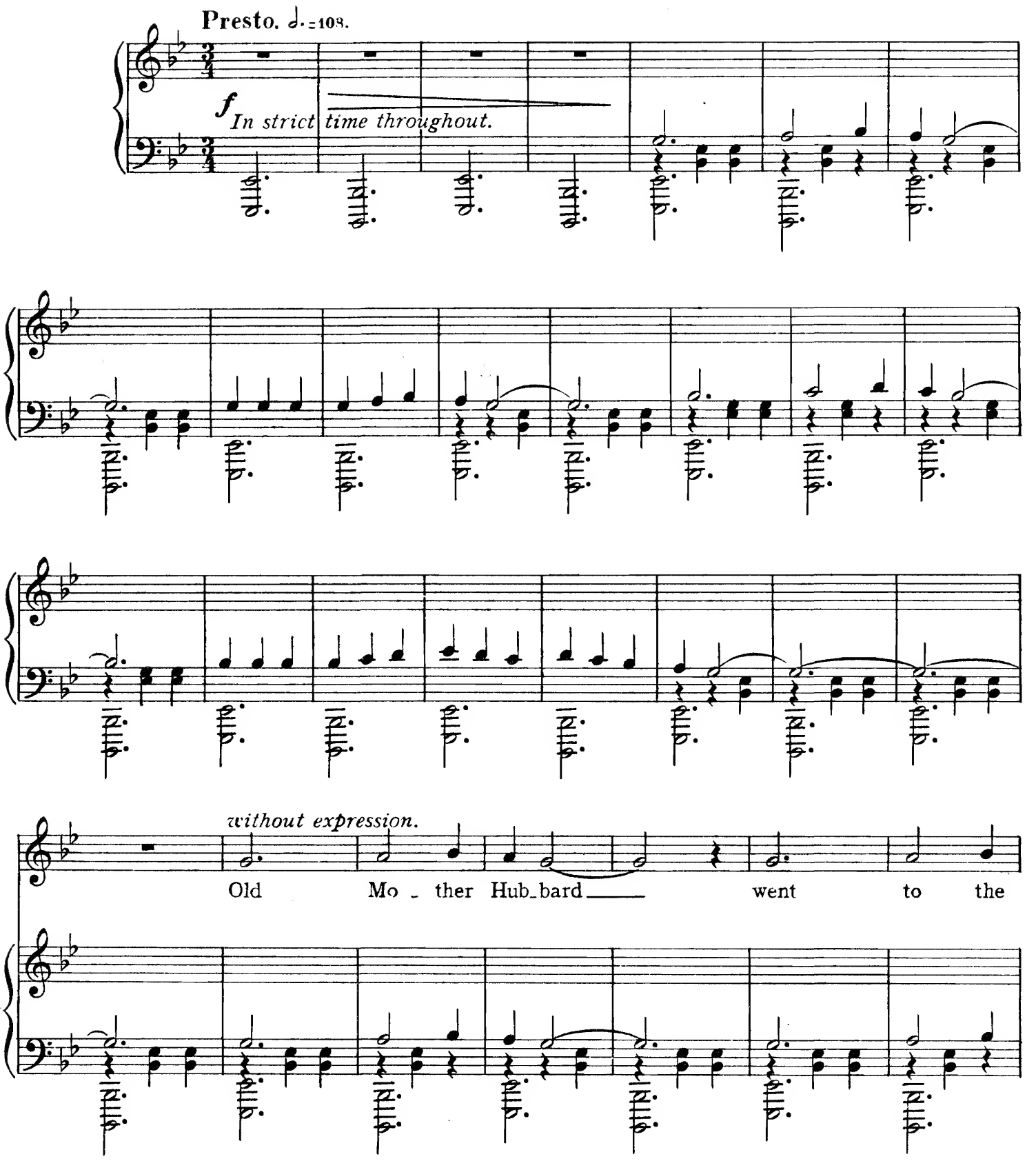

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cup - board Old Mo - ther Hub - bard,

went to the cup - board, Old Mo - ther

Hub - bard went to the cup - board To

get her poor dog a bone, To get her poor dog a

bone, To get her poor dog a bone,

But when she got

there the cupboard was bare, But when she got there the cupboard was

bare, But when she got there the cup - - - - - - - -

boardwas bare,

And so the poor dog got none,

And so the poor dog got none, And so the poor dog got

none,

none.

none.

none.

3 3

3 3

V.

Goosey, Goosey, Gander.

(SERENADE.)

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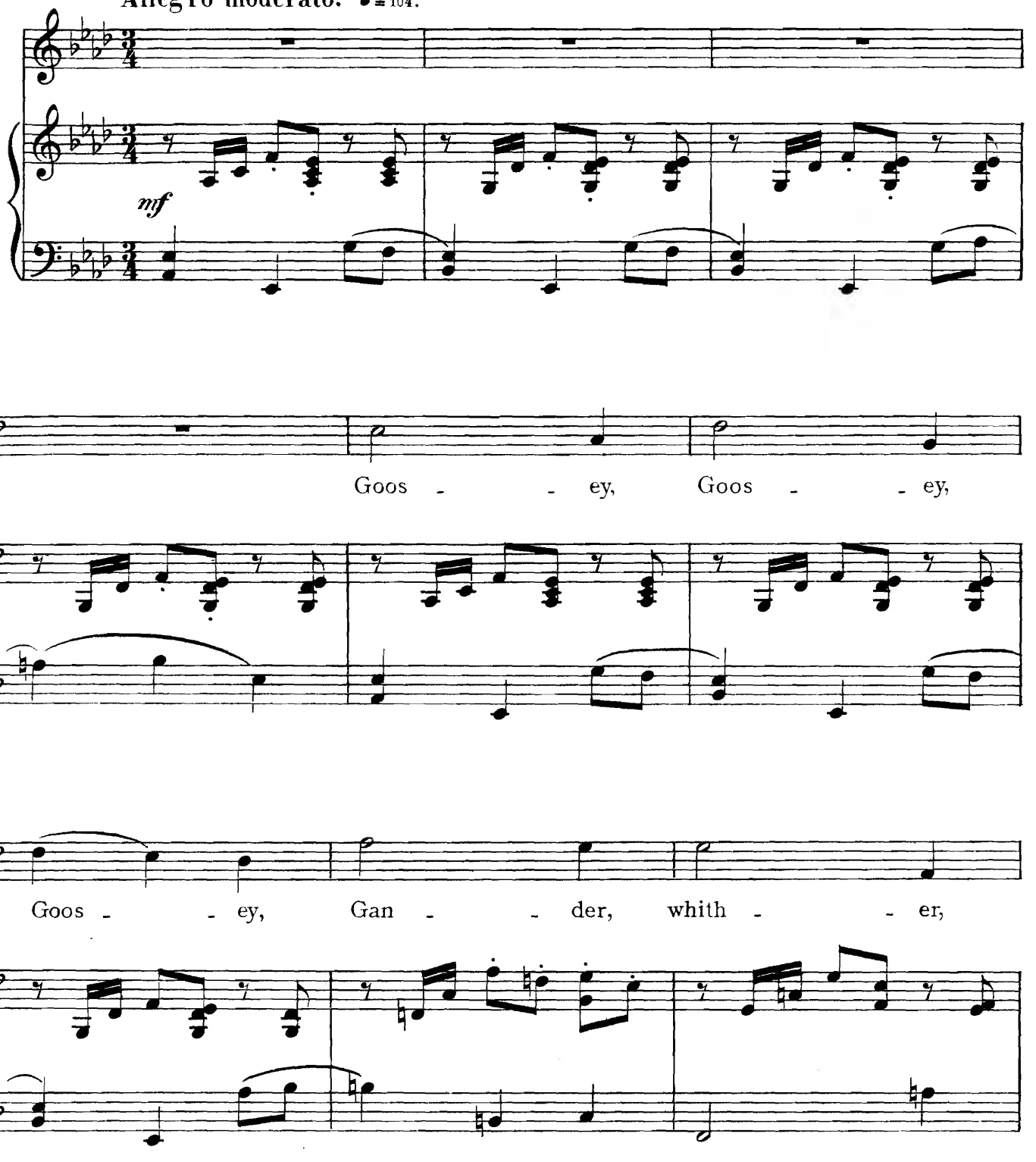

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whith - - er, whith - er shall we wan - - der?

rit.

colla voce

a tempo

Up - - stairs, down - - stairs, in my la - dy's

a tempo

chamb - - er. Up - - stairs, down - - stairs,

in my la - dy's chamb - er. There I met an

espressivo

marcato

old man who would n't say his

ad lib

prayers.

Tempo I.

Take him,

colla voce

take him, take him by the left leg

And throw him down the stairs.

mf *p* *ff*

VI.

Hey Diddle Diddle.

(IN MOTO PERPETUO.)

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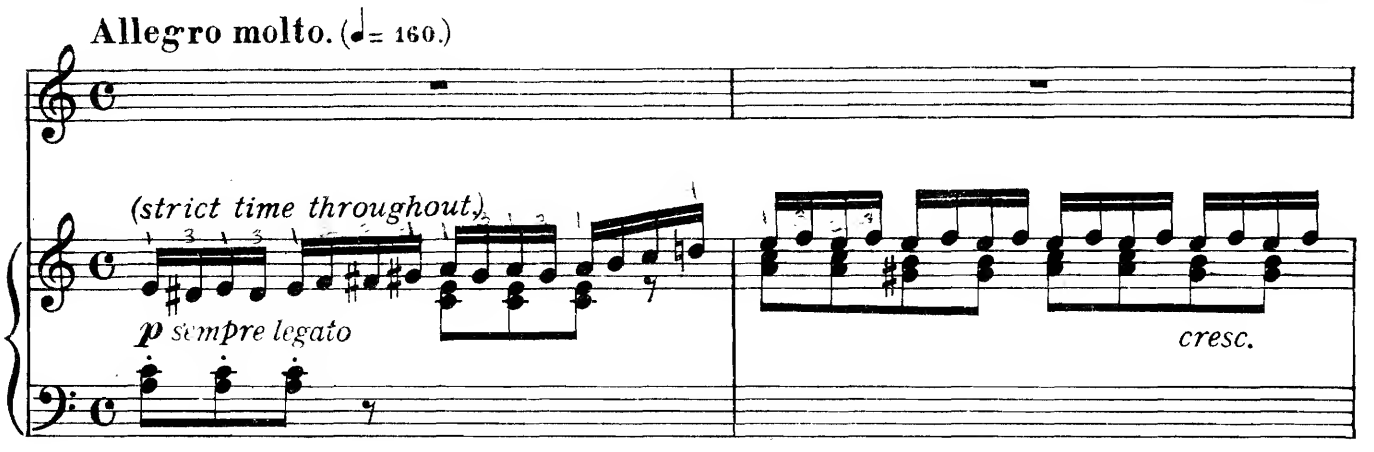

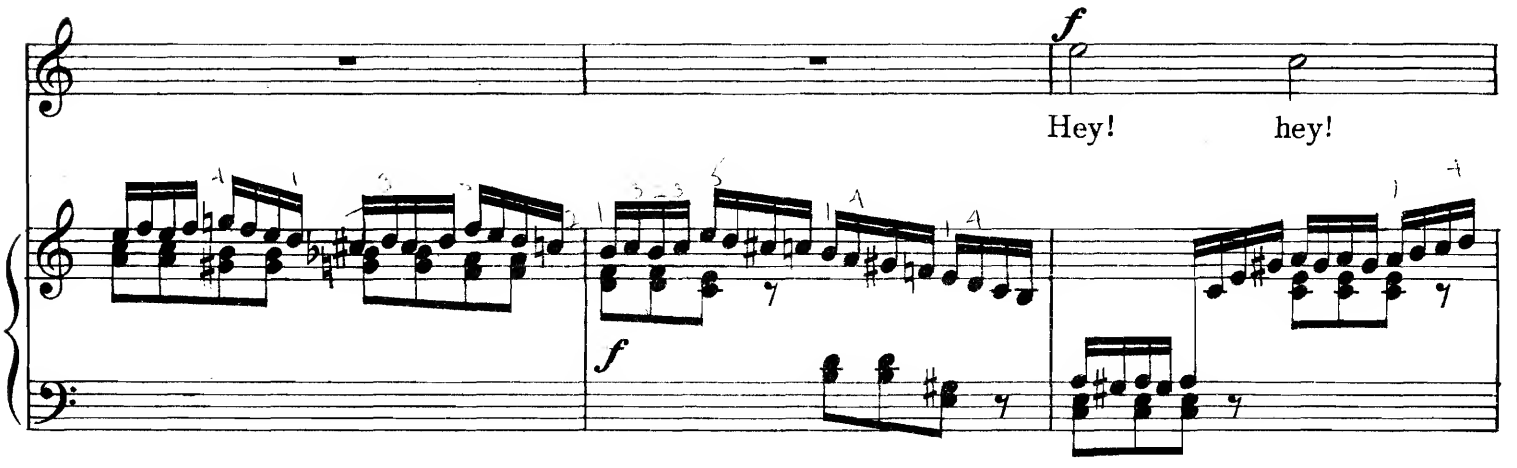

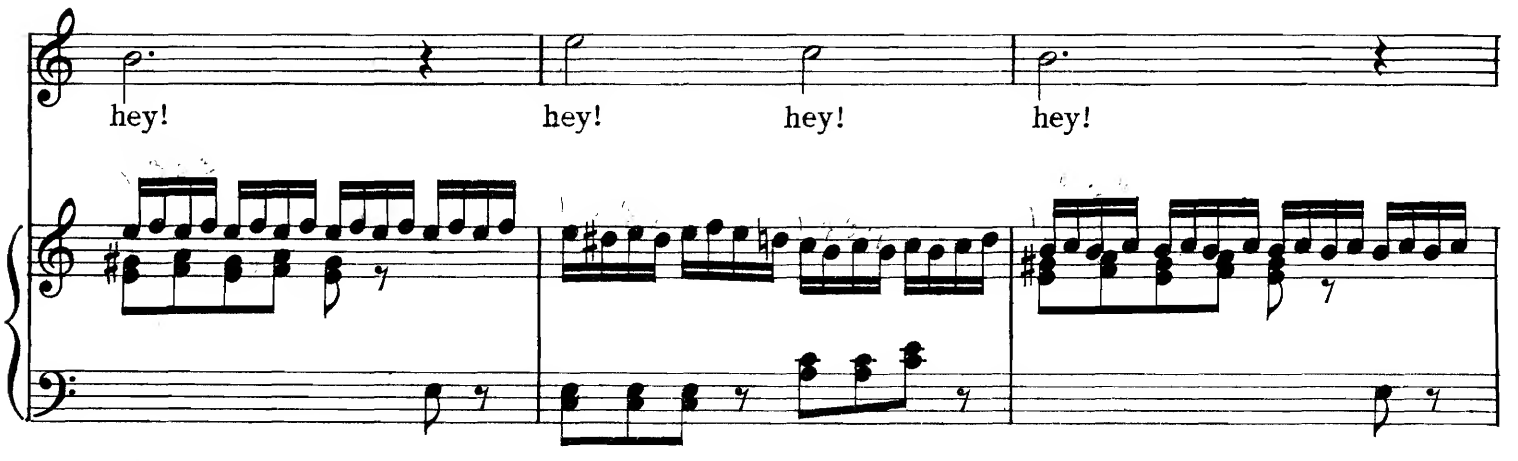

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Hey did - dle did - dle, the cat and the fid - dle, the

cow jumped o - ver the moon. Hey! hey!

hey! Hey! hey! hey!

Hey did-dle did-dle, the cat and the fid - dle, the cow jumped o-ver the

moon, And the lit_tle dog laughed to see such sport, And the

marcato

dish ran a_way with the spoon, And the lit_tle dog laughed to

see such sport, And the dish ran a_way with the spoon.

And the lit_tle dog laughed to see such sport, And the

dish ran a_way with the spoon. And the lit_tle dog laughed to

cresc.

see such sport, And the dish ran a_way with the

cresc.

spoon. Hey! hey! hey!

dim.

cresc.

Hey! hey! hey! Hey did-dle did-dle, the

cresc.

cat and the fid - dle, the cow jumped o - ver the moon. over the

dim.

mf

dim.

mf

p

moon, over the moon, o - ver the

p

pp

pp

moon.

pp

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