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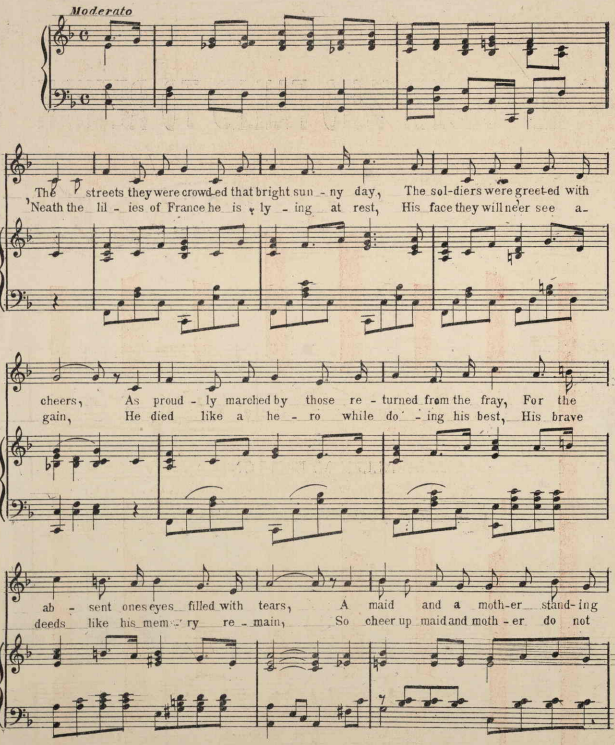

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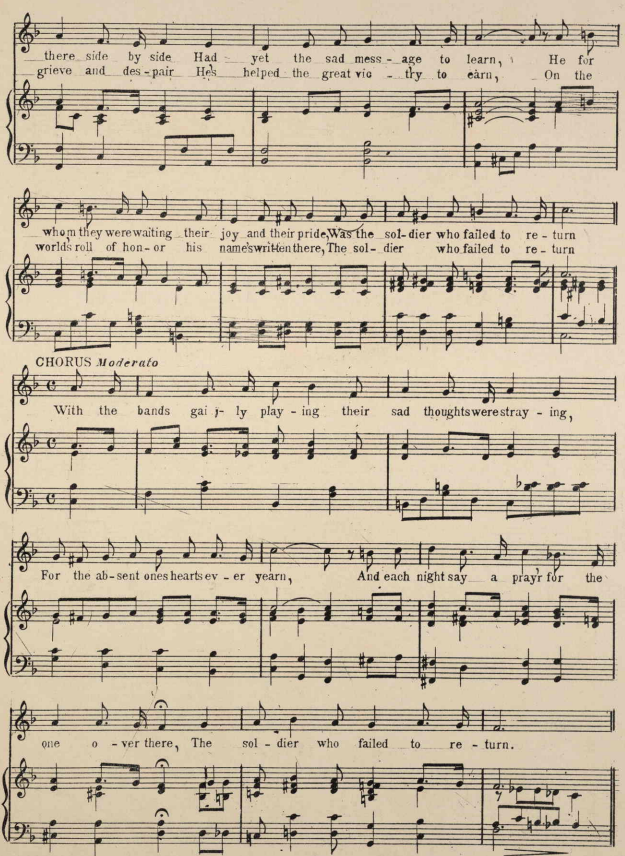
there side by side Had yet the sad mess - age to learn, He for
grieve and des - pair He's helped the great vic - try to earn, On the
whom they were waiting their joy and their pride, Was the sol - dier who failed to re - turn
worlds roll of hon - or his name's written there, The sol - dier who failed to re - turn
CHORUS Moderato
With the bands gai - ly play - ing their sad thoughts were stray - ing,
For the ab - sent ones hearts ev - er yearn, And each night say a prayr for the
one o - ver there, The sol - dier who failed to re - turn.

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