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THE BELLE OF THE BALL.

Sung with immense applause.

Words by GUS WILLIAMS

Piano introduction in 3/8 time, featuring a melody in the right hand and a rhythmic accompaniment in the left hand.

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1. To a ball I vone night was in - vi - ded,..... And be - ing so
 2. De en - vy of all de fair danc - ers,..... She had such a
 3. She re - tired, und ven she re - cov - ered,..... In a quadrille I

sf

Vocal line with three verses and piano accompaniment.

fond of de dance,..... At de bro - bect I feld gwide de
 fai - ry - like grace,..... But yust in de midst of de
 next dook her hand,..... Ven a look in her eyes I dis -

Vocal line and piano accompaniment.

-light - ed,..... Und ea - ger - ly jumbed at de chance,..... Dere vos
 Lan - ciers,.... De la - dy turned plack in de face,..... She
 -cov - ered,.... Vich some-how I could not un - der - stand,..... Her

Vocal line and piano accompaniment.

la - dies dressed ub so styl - ish,..... Und as I had
gur - gled, she gasped, und she hol - lered,..... Den took hold de
eyes vere as straight as a nee - dle,..... Ven I gazed at dem

on a vite vest,..... I vas in - tro - duced to a
tails of my coat,..... De top teeth of dis ele - grant
fond - ly be - fore,..... But now vone eye looked ub at de

la - dy,..... Whom I dought out - ri - valed de rest,.....
la - dy,..... Had slibbed down her beau - ti - ful droat,.....
ceil - ing,..... Und de o - der looked down on de floor,.....

SPOKEN AFTER FIRST VERSE.—Yes, und my friend introduced me in dis edyle: “Mr. Sharlie Unkelstein, allow me to introduce you to Miss Annie Conder.” I said: “Habby to meet me, madam,” und just as my friend vas leaving us togedder, he said to me:—

SPOKEN AFTER SECOND VERSE.—Vell, I vosn't mad because she had a false dooth or two. Ho! not indeed. Besides, yust den anoder vone of my friends came ub, und said:—

SPOKEN AFTER THIRD VERSE.—Yes, dot's a fact, but I didn't vant to say anything, so I kept on dancing, ven all of a sudden her vig fell off, und she vos bald-headed, den her wax ear commenced to melt, und fell off, too. She looked as if she vos going to faint, so I dook hold of her arm to lead her to a seat, ven off came de left arm. Dot vos too much for me, so I run down stairs, got my hat und coat, und vent home, und venever I meet any of my friends now, dey always holler after me, und say:—

The bello of the ball.

CHORUS.

1 & 2 You've got de belle of de ball, Shar - lie, You've got de
Chorus after last verse.
 3 How is your belle of de ball, Shar - lie, How is your

belle of de ball, Shar - lie, You've got de belle of de
 belle of de ball, Shar - lie? Oh! wasn't she bald at de

ball, Shar - lie, You've got de belle of de ball!.....
 ball, Shar - lie? How is de belle of de ball?.....

De belle of the ball.

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