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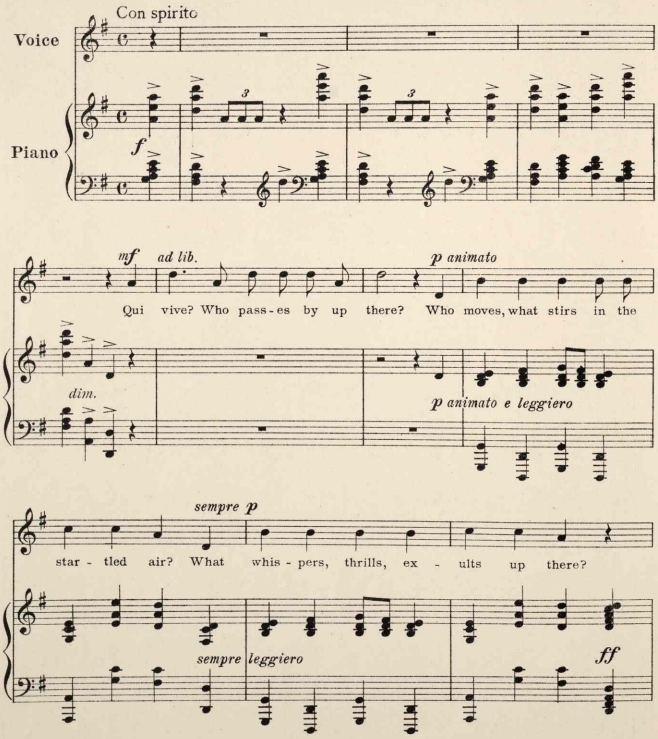

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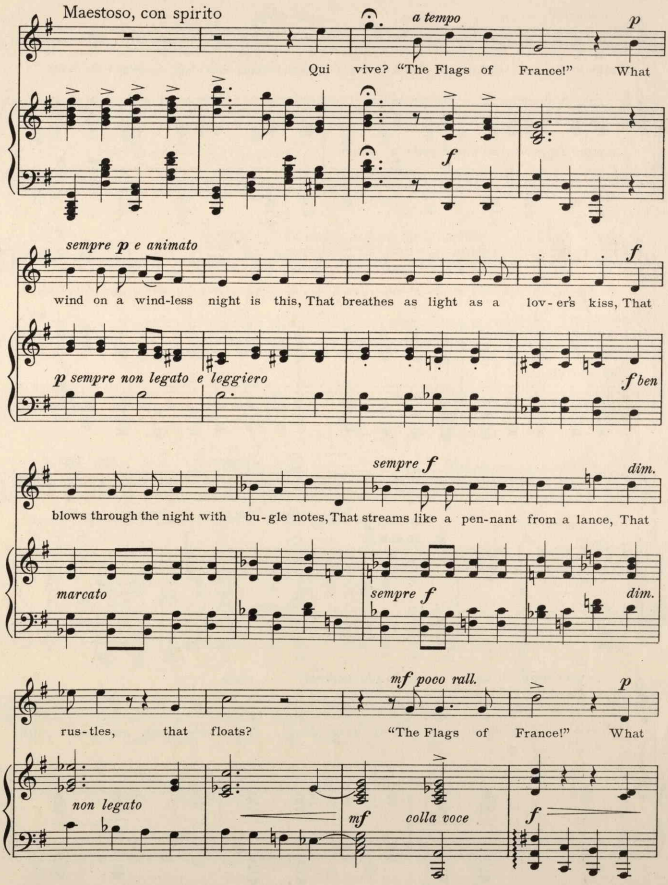
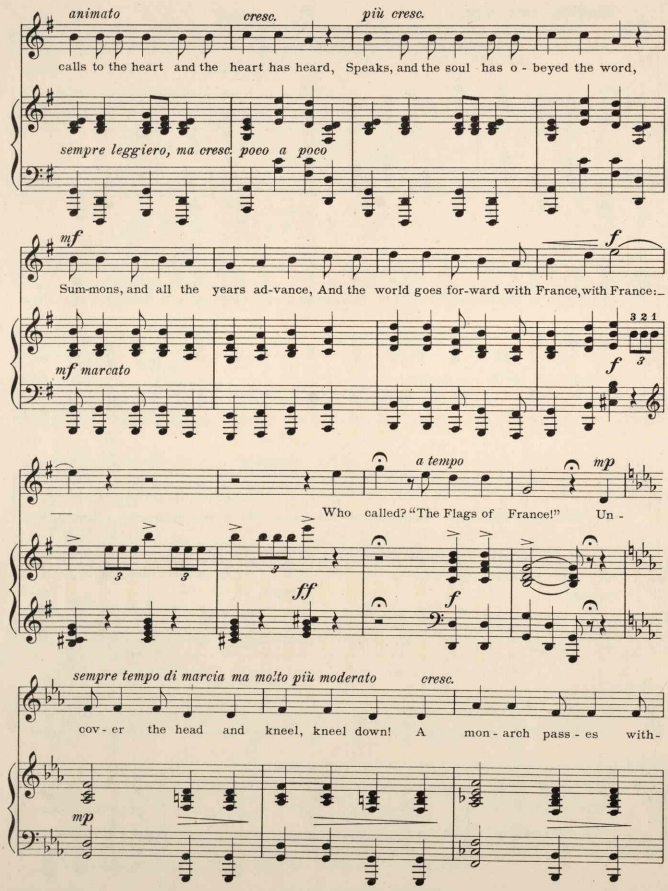
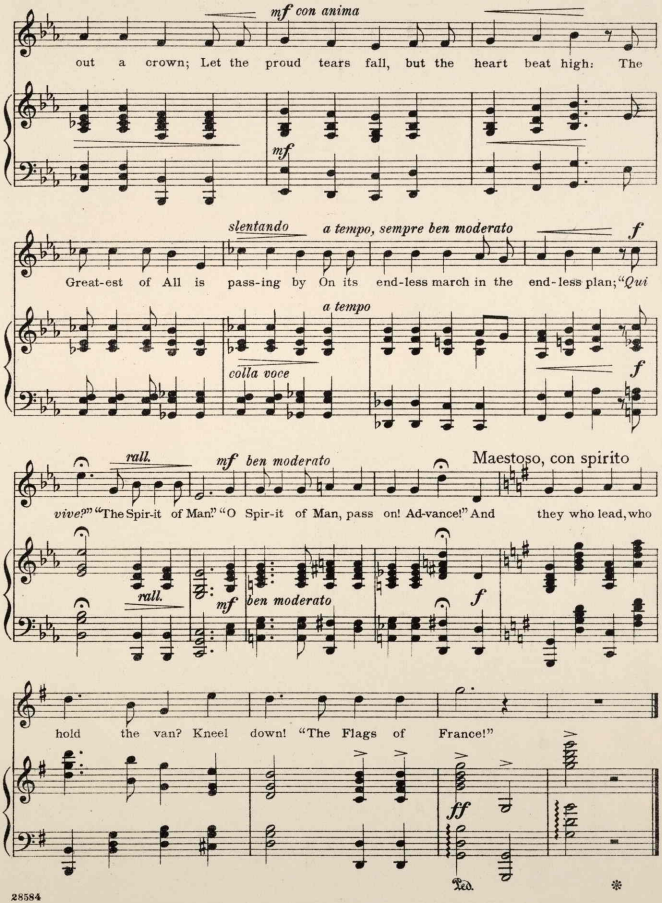

Maestoso, con spirito
a tempo
p
Qui vive? "The Flags of France!" What
f
sempre p e animato
f
wind on a wind-less night is this, That breathes as light as a lov-er's kiss, That
p sempre non legato e leggiero
f ben
sempre f
dim.
blows through the night with bu-gle notes, That streams like a pen-nant from a lance, That
marcato
sempre f
dim.
mf poco rall.
p
rus-tles, that floats? "The Flags of France!" What
non legato
mf
colla voce
f


animato
cresc.
più cresc.
calls to the heart and the heart has heard, Speaks, and the soul has o - beyed the word,
sempre leggiero, ma cresc. poco a poco
mf
f
Sum-mons, and all the years ad-vance, And the world goes for-ward with France, with France:—
3 2 1
3
mf marcato
f
a tempo
mp
Who called? "The Flags of France!" Un -
3
3
3
ff
f
sempre tempo di marcia ma molto più moderato
cresc.
cov - er the head and kneel, kneel down! A mon - arch pass - es with -
mp


mf con anima
out a crown; Let the proud tears fall, but the heart beat high: The
mf
slentando
a tempo, sempre ben moderato
f
Great-est of All is pass-ing by On its end-less march in the end-less plan; "Qui
a tempo
colla voce
f
rall.
mf ben moderato
Maestoso, con spirito
vive?" "The Spir-it of Man!" "O Spir-it of Man, pass on! Ad-vance!" And they who lead, who
rall.
mf ben moderato
f
hold the van? Kneel down! "The Flags of France!"
ff
Ped.
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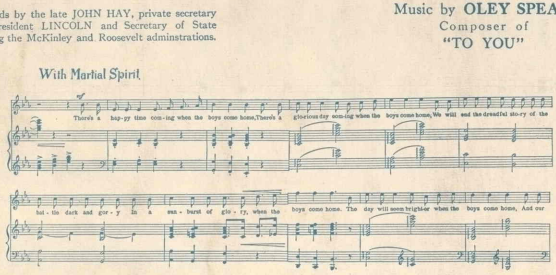

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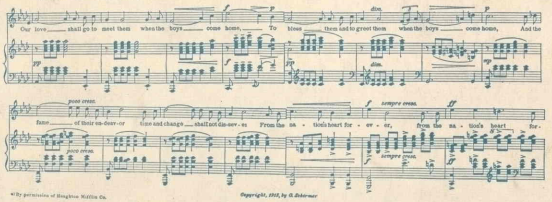

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HIGH IN B♭

There's a happy time coming when the boys come home;
There's a glorious day coming when the boys come home:
We will end the dreadful story
Of the battle dark and gory
In a sunburst of glory,
When the boys come home.

The day will seem brighter when the boys come home,
And our hearts will be lighter when the boys come home;
Wives and sweethearts will press them
In their arms and caress them,
And pray God to bless them,
When the boys come home.

MEDIUM IN G

The thin ranks will be proudest when the boys come home,
And our cheer will ring the loudest when the boys come home,
The full ranks will be shattered,
And the bright arms will be battered,
And the battle-standards tattered,
When the boys come home.

Their bayonets may be rusty when the boys come home,
And their uniforms be dusty when the boys come home;
But all shall see the traces
Of the battle's royal graces
In the brown and bearded faces,
When the boys come home:

Our love shall go to meet them when the boys come home.
To bless them and to greet them when the boys come home:
And the fame of their endeavor
Time and change shall not dissever
From the nation's heart for ever,
When the boys come home.

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