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DIRGE FOR A SOLDIER

SONG

Low C Minor High E Minor

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To Elmer Burklin

Dirge For A Soldier.

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Tempo di Marcia Funebre

p lamentoso

Tempo accel. *agitato*

Close his eyes; his work is done! What to him is friend or foe - man,

Tempo accel. *agitato.*

appassionato

cresc. *dim.* *rit.* *dim.*

Rise of moon or set of sun, Hand of man or kiss of wo-man?

cresc. *dim.* *rit.* *dim.*

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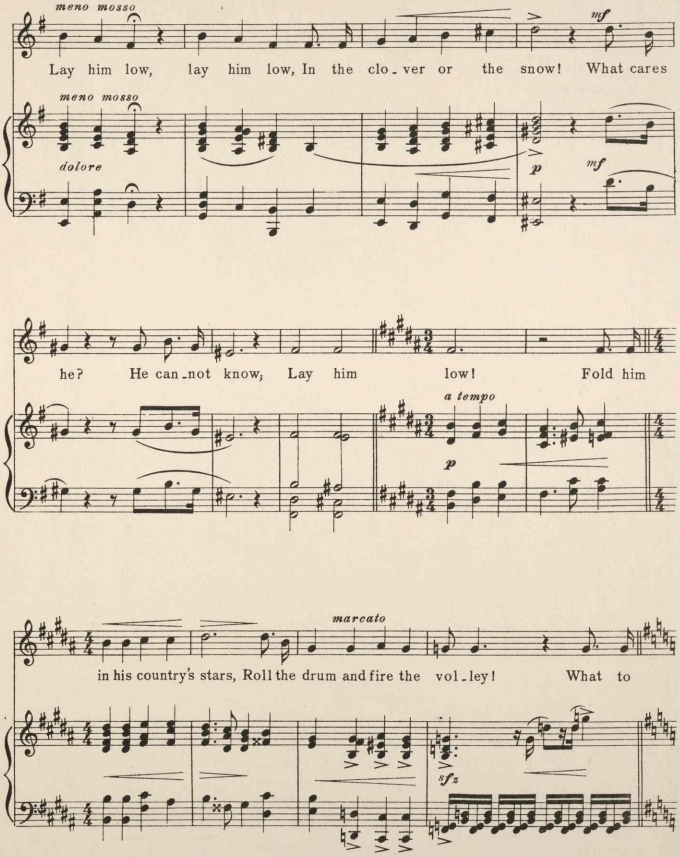
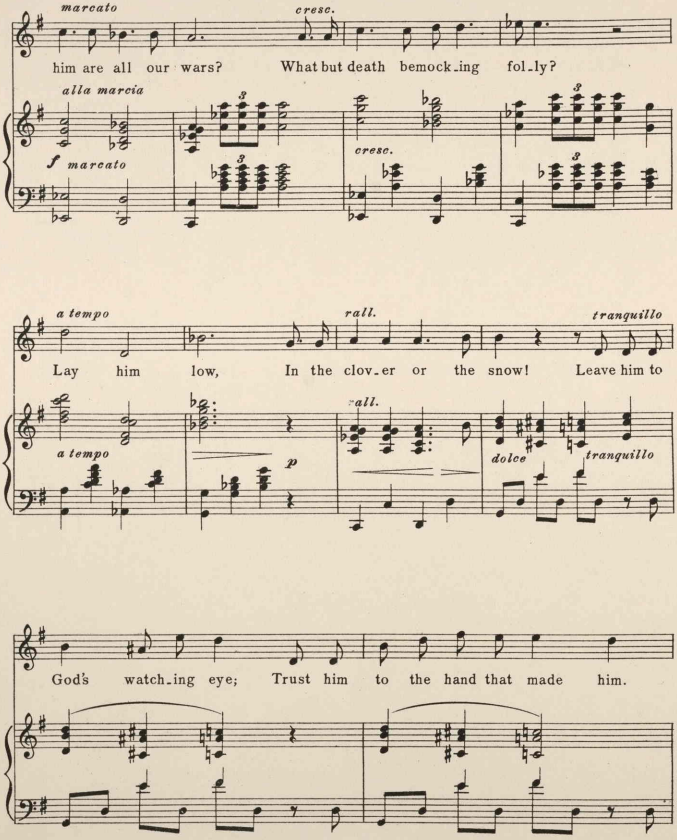
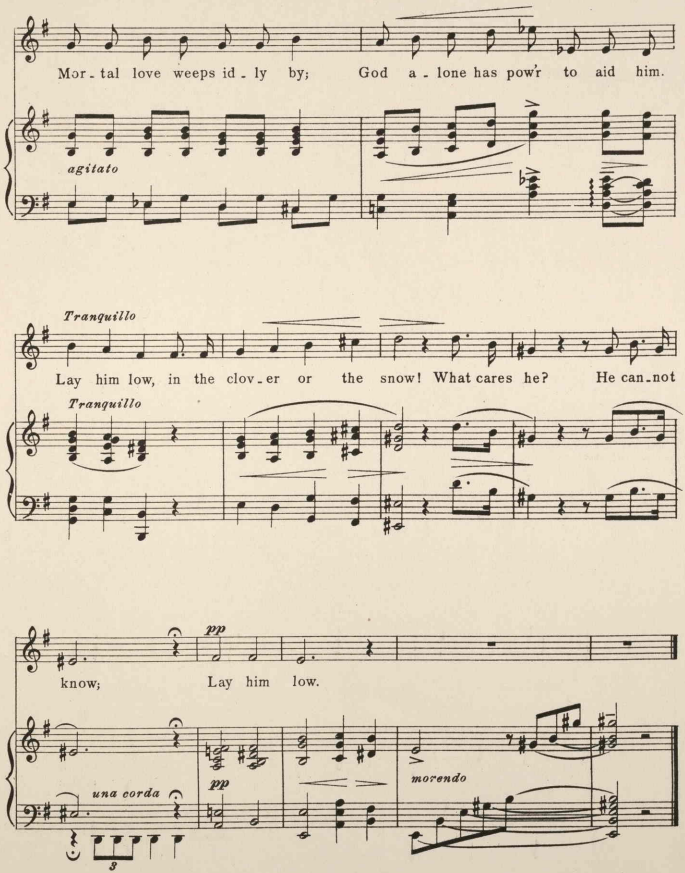

meno mosso
mf
Lay him low, lay him low, In the clo_ver or the snow! What cares
meno mosso
dolore
p
mf
he? He can_not know, Lay him low! Fold him
a tempo
p
marcato
in his country's stars, Roll the drum and fire the vol_ley! What to
sfz


marcato
cresc.
him are all our wars? What but death bemock_ing fol_ly?
alla marcia
f marcato
cresc.
a tempo
rall.
tranquillo
Lay him low, In the clov_er or the snow! Leave him to
a tempo
rall.
p
dolce
tranquillo
God's watch_ing eye; Trust him to the hand that made him.


Mor - tal love weeps id - ly by; God a - lone has pow'r to aid him.
agitato
Tranquillo
Lay him low, in the clov - er or the snow! What cares he? He can - not
Tranquillo
know; Lay him low.
pp
una corda
pp
morendo
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To R.C.T.

AFTERGLOW

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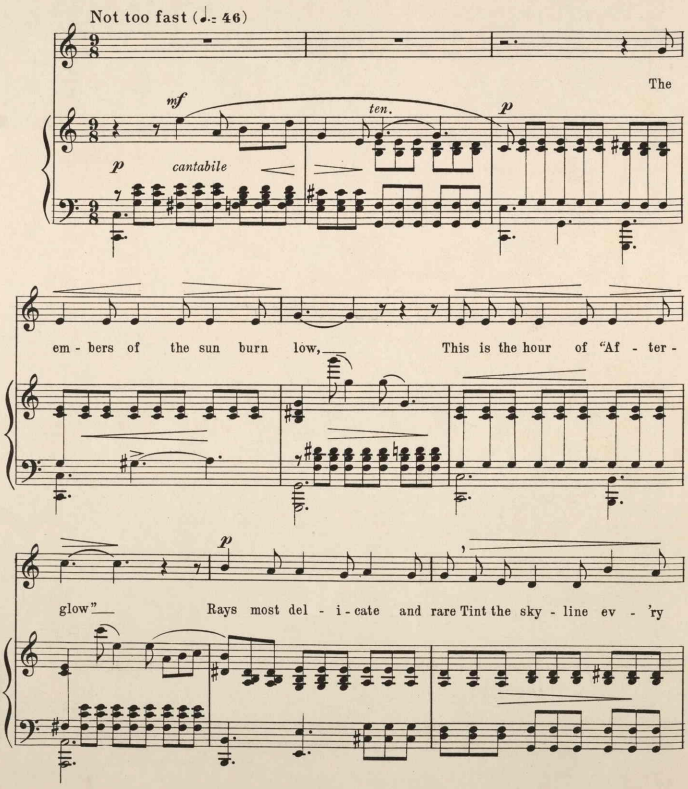

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