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"POOR KAISER BILL"

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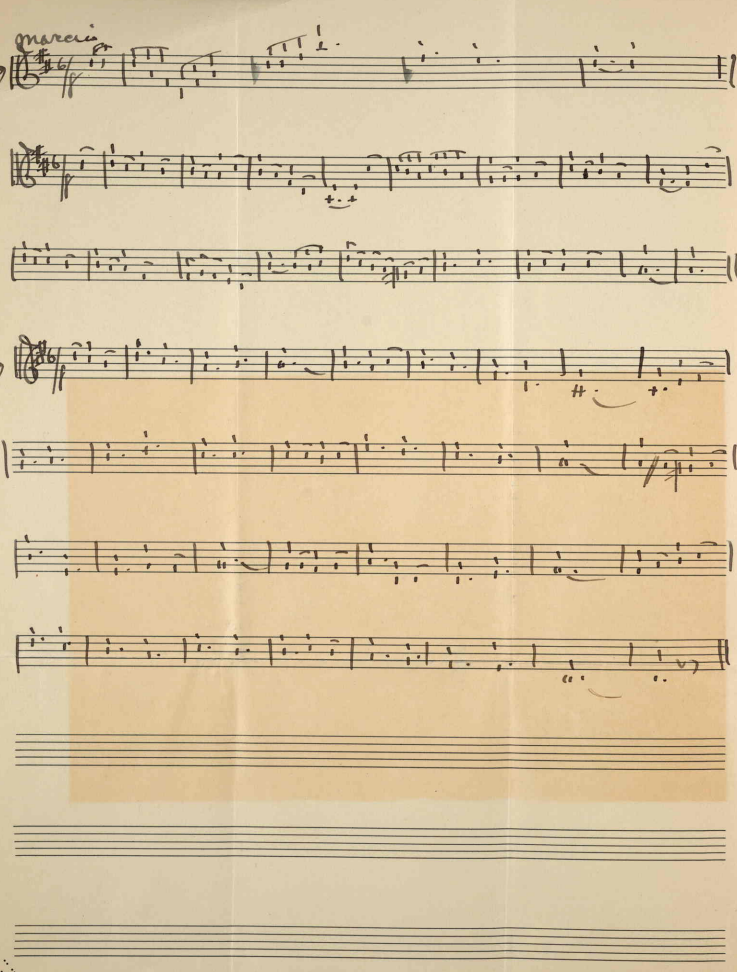
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"Poor Kaiser Bill"

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A hobby struck poor Kaiser Bill, three years ago, or more;
He tried collecting Nation's Flags, by starting up a war;
The Flags of France and Italy, and England's Banner, too;
He wanted, there, but most of all, old Glory's colors, true.

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He hasn't got just what he wants, altho he's trying, still;
The Flags are safe and luck is yet, against poor Kaiser Bill;
And now that Uncle Sammy's boys, have gone to fight the foe;
They're surely slowly teaching him, the things he did now know.

CHORUS. Poor Kaiser Bill! Poor Kaiser Bill!
For he really did not know;
That before he touches Old Glory's folds
He has a long long way to go;
For a Yankee heart is in every Star,
And a Yankee soul in every Bar;
Oh we are sorry for poor Kaiser Bill
Just because he did not know.

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