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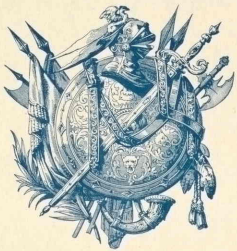

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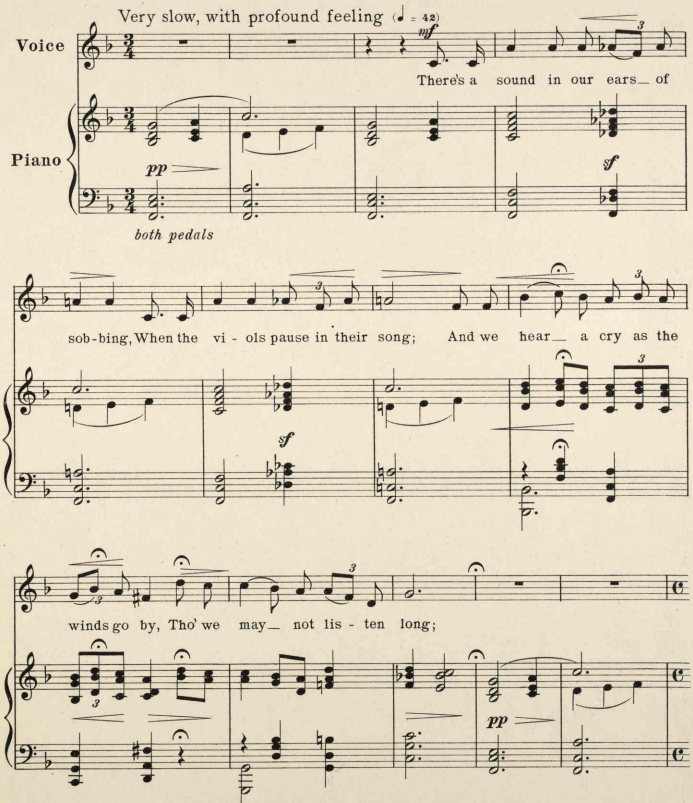

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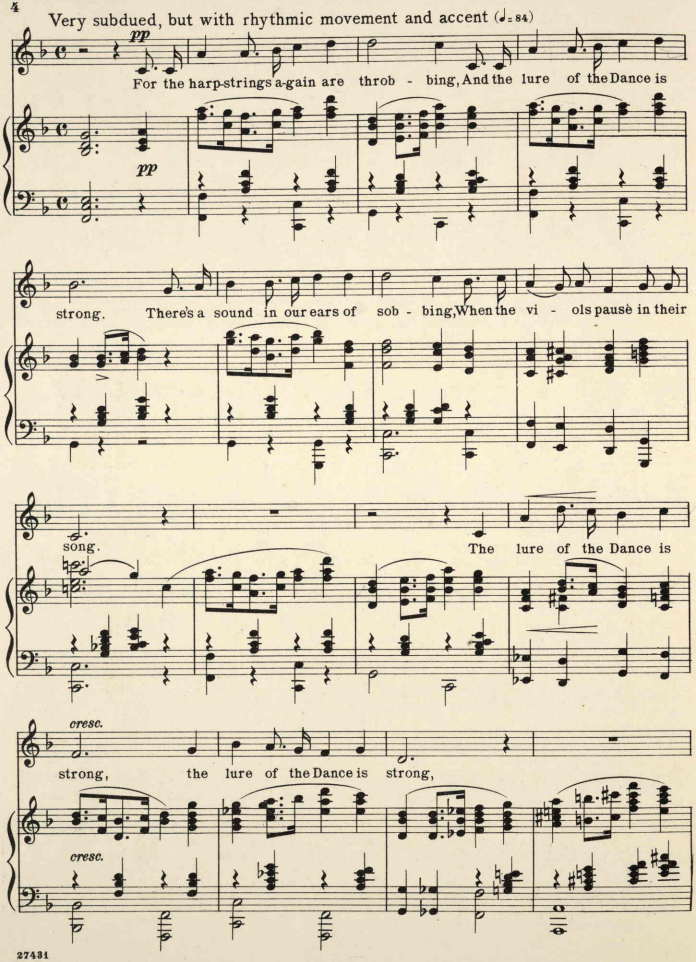
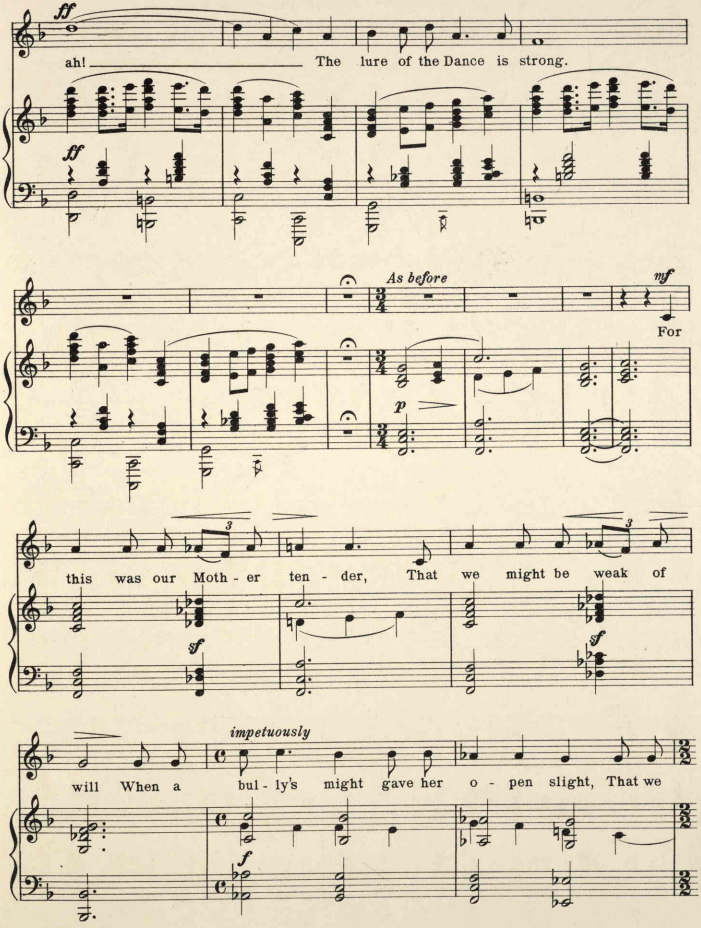
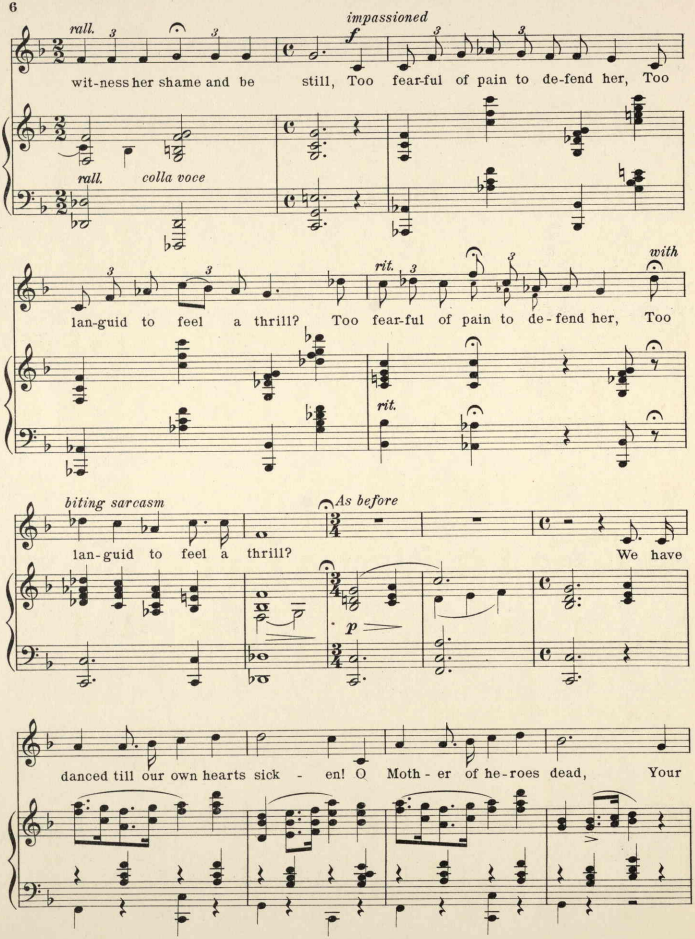
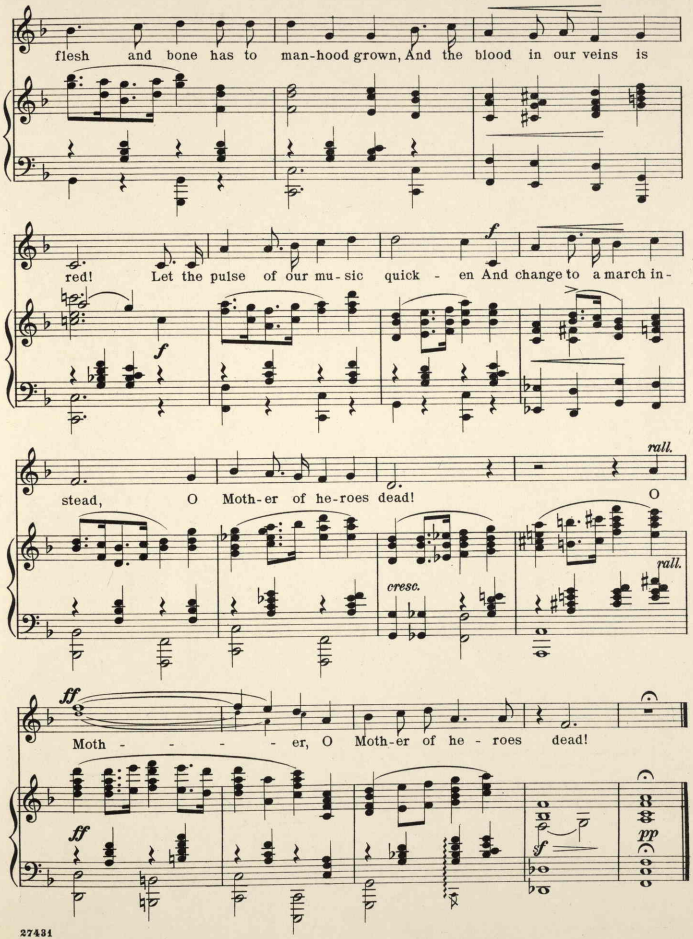

Very subdued, but with rhythmic movement and accent (♩= 84)
pp
For the harp-strings a-gain are throb - bing, And the lure of the Dance is
pp
strong. There's a sound in our ears of sob - bing, When the vi - ols pause in their
song.
The lure of the Dance is
cresc.
strong, the lure of the Dance is strong,
cresc.


ff
ah! The lure of the Dance is strong.
ff
As before
mf
For
p
this was our Moth - er ten - der, That we might be weak of
sf
sf
impetuously
will When a bul - ly's might gave her o - pen slight, That we
f


rall.
impassioned
f
wit-ness her shame and be still, Too fear-ful of pain to de-fend her, Too
rall.
colla voce
rit.
with
lan-guid to feel a thrill? Too fear-ful of pain to de-fend her, Too
rit.
biting sarcasm
As before
lan-guid to feel a thrill? We have
p
danced till our own hearts sick - en! O Moth - er of he-roes dead, Your


flesh and bone has to man-hood grown, And the blood in our veins is
red! Let the pulse of our mu-sic quick - en And change to a march in-
stead, O Moth-er of he-roes dead!
O
rall.
rall.
cresc.
Moth - - - - er, O Moth-er of he - roes dead!

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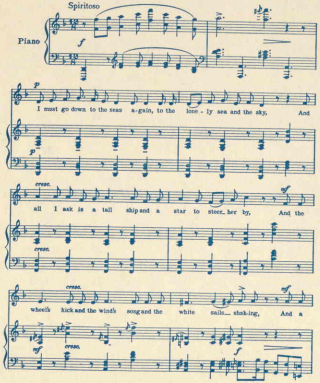

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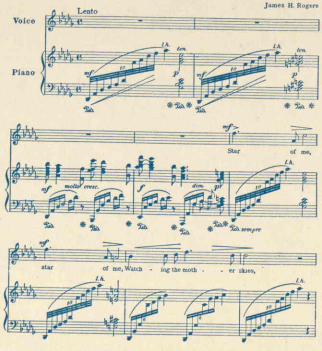

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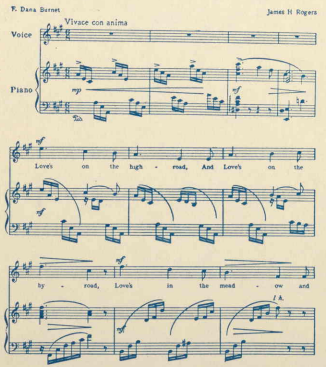

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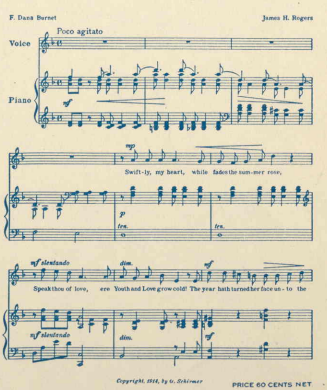

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