

Respectfully Dedicated to
THE MOTHERS OF OUR VOLUNTEERS.

THE
Soldier to his Mother.

"Kiss my little brother and my sisters, and tell them I died for my country."

On the field of battle, mother,
All the night alone I lay,
Angels watching o'er me, mother,
Till the breaking of the day.
I lay thinking of you, mother,
And the loving ones at home,
Till to our dear cottage, mother,
Boy again I seem'd to come.

POETRY BY.

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MUSIC BY

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Arranged for the Piano or Melodeon.

Guitar, 2½

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THE SOLDIER TO HIS MOTHER.

PATHETIC SONG.

Words by Thomas Mackellar.

The Music by W.U. Butcher.

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MARTIAL.

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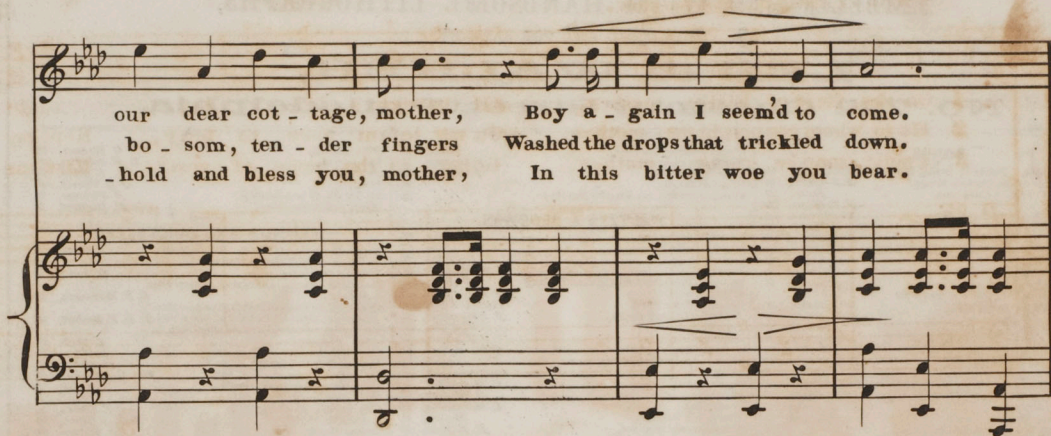
The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of three systems of staves. The first system shows the voice part with a whole rest and the piano accompaniment. The second and third systems show both parts with more complex notation, including eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests. The key signature is three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The piano part features a steady accompaniment with chords and moving lines in both hands.

With expression— Not too slow.

1 On the field of battle, mother, All the night a-lone I lay, Angels
 2 He to whom you taught me, mother, On my infant knee to pray, Kept my
 3 I must soon be going, mother, Going to the home of rest: Kiss me

watch-ing o'er me, mother, Till the break-ing of the day. I lay
 heart from fainting, mother, When the vision passed a-way. In the
 as of old, my mother, Press me near-er to your breast. Would I

think-ing of you, mother, And the lov-ing ones at home, Till to
 gray of morn-ing, mother, Comrades bore me to the town: From my
 could re-pay you, mother, For your faithful love and care: God up-



our dear cot - tage, mother, Boy a - gain I seem'd to come.
 bo - som, ten - der fingers Washed the drops that trickled down.
 - hold and bless you, mother, In this bitter woe you bear.



Kiss for me my little brother,
 Kiss my sisters, loved so well:
 When you sit together, mother,
 Tell them how their brother fell.
 Tell to them the story, mother,
 When I sleep beneath the sod,
 That I died to save my country,
 All from love to her and God.

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Leaning on the merit, mother,
 Of the ONE who died for all,
 Peace is in my bosom, mother—
 Hark! I hear the angels call!
 Don't you hear them singing, mother?
 Listen to the music's swell!
 Now I leave you, loving mother—
 God be with you—fare you well!

A LIST OF SONGS, WALTZES, POLKAS, MARCHES, &c.

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SONGS.

*American Flag. Words by Drake, Music by Bollini. 40
A Little more Grace, Captain Briggs. 25
Age (The) of Gold, r California. 25
Alma Mater. 25
America. Words by Lewis Dela. 25
*Banner of the Sea. 25
Beautiful is the Sea. 25
Bonny Jenny Dean. Words by Lewis Dela. 25
Beautiful Venice. 25
Bonny Flora May. 25
Child of the Regiment. 25
Come when you will, I've a welcome for you. Likeness of A. Patti. 25
Cavalier. 25
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*Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean. 25
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Dearest, I am ever Thine. 25
*Dog and Cat, (Comic). 25
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Dear Mary, Smile. 25
Dear Summer Morn. 25
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Flowerdell (The), (La Fianza). Art. by C. Everett. 25
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For you I Live. 25
First of April, (Comic). 25
Golden Noon. 25
Gentle Maiden. 25
Gentle Warning, (plain). 25
*Gideon's Band. 25
*Guardian Angel. 25
*Hail, Columbia. 25
*Hail, Columbia, (as sung by Parodi). 25
He sleeps, but not amid the Arctic Snows. 25
Happy as a Queen. 25
*Hopity Kickety—High and Low. A Regular Cure. (As sung by Frank Drew). 25
Hope on, and yet Rejoice. 25
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*How Sweet are the Roses. 25
I've left my Snow-Clad Hills, (Jenny Lind). 25
I am not the Wild Creature I seem, (Lida May). 25
Isolina, (English, German, and Italian words). 25
I would I were a Bird, Dearest. 25
*Juana Cuba's fair Isle. 25
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Kissing thro' the Bars. 25
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*Love's Perfect Cure, (sung by Frank Drew). 25
*Lover's Opportunity (The). 25
*Lord's Prayer, (Sacred). 25
*Lord's Prayer, (Sacred). 25
Laurie's Cottage. 25
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My New England Home. 25
My Southern Home. 25
My Cottage Home. 25
My Home, my Happy Home, (Jenny Lind). 25
My Good Old Ducky Home. 25
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Mother (The) and her Child, (sung by Gazzaniga). 25
*Marsellaise (La) Hymn. 25
*Marsellaise Hymn, (sung by Parodi). 25
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*Maiden of the Sunny Clime. 25
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Nothing to Wear, (Comic). 25
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Oh, Was no more from my Cottage Home. 25
*Only a Child. 25
*Old Ironsides. 25
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Only Waiting, (sung by Miss C. Richings). 25
*Old Money. 25
*Pet of the Castle. 25
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*Red, White, and Blue of '61. 25
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*Sweet Women. 25
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*Stars and Stripes Forever. 25
*Star-Spangled Banner. 25
*Star-Spangled Banner, (as sung by Parodi). 25
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Sea-King's Bride, (Jenny Lind). 25
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Search thro' the Wide World, (Jenny Lind). 25
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Silver Spring. 25
Sleep, my child! (La Jeune Mère). 25
*Tribute to the memory of Col. Ellsworth. 25
Twinkle, twinkle, Little Star. 25
Uncle Sam. 25
We do think of thee at Home. 25
*We praise thee, O God, (Sacred). 25
Welcome to Florence. 25
*Washington's Tomb. 25
Who'll come and play with me? 25
Wife's Dream. 25

Would I were with thee,
Won't you come along?
*Waves of Ocean,
*Yankee Doodle,
*Yankee Doodle, (as sung by Parodi).

WALTZES & REDOWAS.

Beautiful is the Sea. 25
Ballet, (Parlor Music). 25
Corinne. 25
*Clorinda. 25
*Emma, (likeness of Miss Emma Taylor). 25
*Florentine (La). 25
*Flower of the Field. 25
Fontaine (La) aux Perles. 25
Grandmother. 25
Grasmother. 25
Galante (La). 25
Hero and Leander Waltzes. 25
*Moscile. 25
Modeste (La). 25
Malvina. 25
*C. de Lillo. 25
Princess of Belgium. 25
Remembrance Waltzes. 25
Gomarin (La), or Rosemary. 25
*Shells of Ocean Redowa Waltz. 25
Three Sisters, (three waltzes). 25
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No. 2. Aurelie. 25
No. 3. Clara. 25
Thalberg Waltzes. 25
United States Grand. 25
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*Vert Vert Redowa. 25
Wedding. 25

GALOPS.

Chao Kang, (Galop Chinois). 25
*Empress's. 25
*Fast Line. 25
Japanese. 25
*Sunny South, (La Habana). 25
*Snow-Drift. 25
*Tamberlik, (good likeness of Tamberlik). 25

POLKAS AND MAZURKAS.

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Bath Springs. 25
Bloncher. 25
*Camille, (good likeness of Mrs. Bowers). 25
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*Dance des Roses. 25
Diana. 25
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Gazzaniga Polka Redowa. 25
Gracielia. 25
*Homage. 25
*Identical. 25
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*Minleter. 25
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Our American Cousin Polka. 25
Pierre (La) Polka. 25
Prairie Flower. 25
*Plough Boy. 25
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*Patricio. 25
Pierre de Medica Polka Mazurka. 25
Prince Royal. 25
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No. 1. Eglantine. 25
No. 2. Brunette. 25
No. 3. Benetella. 25
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Rustic. 25
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*St. Lawrence Tubular Bridge Polka Mazurka. 25
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Tommy. 25
Vallance. 25
Wissahickon, (2 or 4 hands). 25
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SCHOTTISCHES.

*Aston Ridge. 25
Amazon, (Parlor Music). 25
Boreas, (Parlor Music). 25
Christina. 25
*Continental. 25
Contra-band. 25
Douglas. 25
*Fernstown. 25
*Illinois. 25
Kiss me, dear. 25
*Kiss me, dear. 25
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Millersville Normal School. 25
Our American Cousin Schottisch. 25
Point Breze Park Schottisch. 25

Boetti. 25
F. Drayton. 25
F. Strival. 25

De Palma. 25
C. Grobe. 25
L. Wallis. 25
Gaston de Lille. 25
Candlish. 25
F. Burghmuller. 25
Chas. D. Albert. 25
F. Burghmuller. 25
W. Fisher. 25
C. Marcellino. 25
C. P. Albert. 25
Gaston de Lille. 25
Moscile. 25
C. Marcellino. 25
G. Blesner. 25
C. Marcellino. 25
Muward. 25
R. F. Hunt. 25
F. Tron. 25
C. Grobe. 25
A. Le Carpentier. 25
C. Grobe. 25
C. D. Albert. 25
E. M. Porter. 25
Wm. S. Ewing, Jr. 25
Gaston de Lille. 25
Muward. 25

G. Blesner. 25
Departure, (Parlor Music). 25
C. D. Albert. 25
E. M. Porter. 25
Wm. S. Ewing, Jr. 25
Gaston de Lille. 25
Muward. 25

E. Mack. 50
C. Grobe. 25
L. O. Tomblin. 35
M. Keller. 25
C. Grobe. 50
A. Scherzer. 25
C. Grobe. 25
J. N. Beck. 25
C. Marcellino. 25
H. D. Hewitt. 25
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C. Schim. 30
A. Ragnin. 25
J. A. Darling. 25
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J. Goodman. 25
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O. P. Perry. 25
S. Winer. 25
G. W. Hewitt. 25
F. Blangiere. 25
J. N. Beck. 25
F. Drayton. 30
W. H. Koffer. 30
J. C. Beck. 30
G. J. Currie. 25

Pine Cottage. 25
Piccolomini. 25
Anderson (Major) Grand March. 25
*Repos. 25
Tit-Tat-To, (2 or 4 hands). 25
Won't you come along?

MARCHES AND QUICKSTEPS.

Alpine Horn Grand March, (Parlor Music). 25
*Ashland Quickstep. 25
Brownlow (Parson) Quickstep, (a very true picture). 25
*Baker (Col.) Funeral March, (the best likeness of the lamented and heroic Col.). 25
Buell (Major-General) Grand Quickstep, (a true likeness). 25
Columbia March. 25
Cottage Hill Quickstep. 25
Columbia Quickstep. 25
Commodore March, (Parlor Music). 25
Cadet Quickstep, (Parlor Music). 25
City Guard's Quickstep. 25
Capitol March. 25
Drama March. 25
Douglas Funeral March. 25
*Ellsworth (Colonel) Funeral March, (the only correct likeness published on music). 25
Evelyn Forest Quickstep. 25
Garibaldi's Quickstep. 25
Gen. George Cadwallader's Parade March. 25
*Gymnast Zouave Quickstep. 25
Hallock's (Gen.) Grand March, introducing Glory, Hallelujah! 25
Hall's (Colonel James E.) Grand March. 25
Surrender of Fort Pulaski. 25
Hall, of Serrell's Volunteer Engineers, announcing the surrender, and carrying the order to the national batteries to cease firing. 25
Hartraut's (Col. J. F.) Quickstep. 25
Kane's (Dr.) Funeral March. 25
Lincoln Quickstep, (a very fine picture of Honest Old Abe). 25
Lyon's (General) Funeral March, (superb likeness of the great patriot and soldier, who sacrificed both life and fortune in the cause of his country). 25
Merrick Lodge, I.O.O.F., Quickstep. 25
*McClellan's (General) Grand March, (the name enough to continue its present popularity). 25
*March des Zouaves. 25
*Monitor March, (embellished with a view of the celebrated contest between the Monitor and Merrimack, which took place March, 1862). 25
Pope's (Gen.) Grand March. 25
Richmond Scarlet Guard Quickstep. 25
*Riflemen Grand March. 25
Shells of Ocean Quickstep. 25
Smith's Funeral March. 25
Sprague's (Gov.) Grand March. 25
State Fencible's Flag Presentation March. 25
Sigs's (Gen.) Grand March, (a true picture). 25
Washington National Bands Quickstep. 25
Young Guard Quickstep. 25

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Potpourri en forme de Rondeau sur La Favorite, (Parlor Music). 25
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*Caledonia Quadrille. 25
*Constantinople Quadrille. 25
*Edinburgh Quadrille. 25
*Empire Quadrille. 25
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*Lake Lucid Quadrille. 25
*Latus Miller Quadrille. 25
National Polka Quadrille. 25
Quadrille des Dames. 25
*Quadrille de Lillo. 25
*Petersburg Quadrille. 25
Tom Pouce Quadrille. 25
*Zouave Parade March, (4 hands). 25