

THE
BANNER
OF THE STARS:

(PATRIOTIC SONG.)

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Tempo di marcia.

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Solo. (or what is better, Chorus in unison,) with great enthusiasm.

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1 Hur - rah! boys, hurrah! fling our ban - ner to the breeze! Let the

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trai - tor and the reb - el see its folds a - gain umfurled: And down with the pi - rates that

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scorn up - on the seas Our vic - to - rious Yan - kee ban - ner—sign of Free - dom to the World!

2 And what though its white shall be crimsoned with our blood?
 And what though its stripes shall be shredded in the storms?
 To the torn flag, the worn flag, we'll keep our promise good,
 And we'll bear the starry blue field, with gallant hearts and arms.
 We'll never have, &c.

3 Then, cursed be he who would strike our Starry Flag!
 May the God of Hosts be with us, as we smite the traitor down!
 And cursed be he who would hesitate or lag,
 Till the dear flag, the fair flag, with Victory we crown.
 We'll never have, &c.

CHORUS (to each verse.)

We'll never have a new flag, for ours is the true flag, The true flag, the true flag, the Red, White and Blue flag; Hur-

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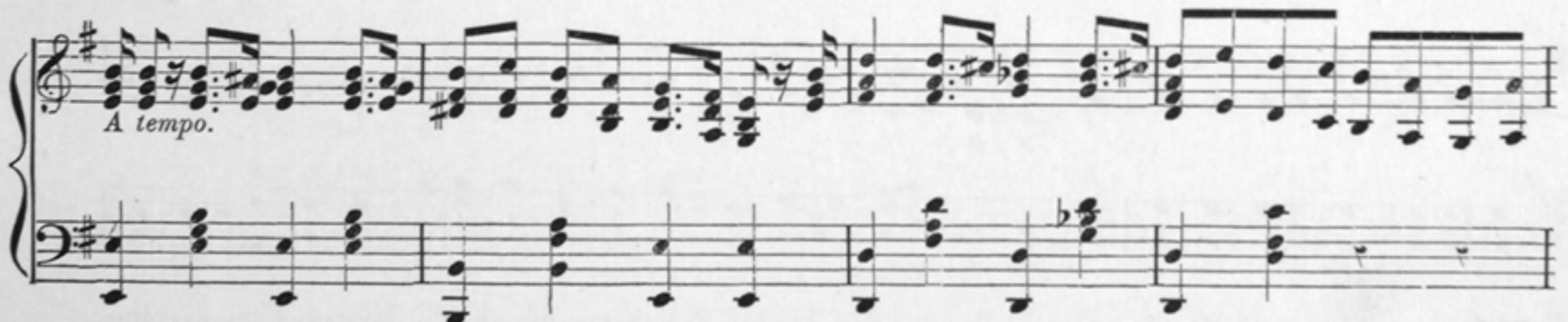
rah, boys, hurrah! we will carry to the wars The old flag, the free flag, the Ban-ner of the Stars!



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rall.



A tempo.

