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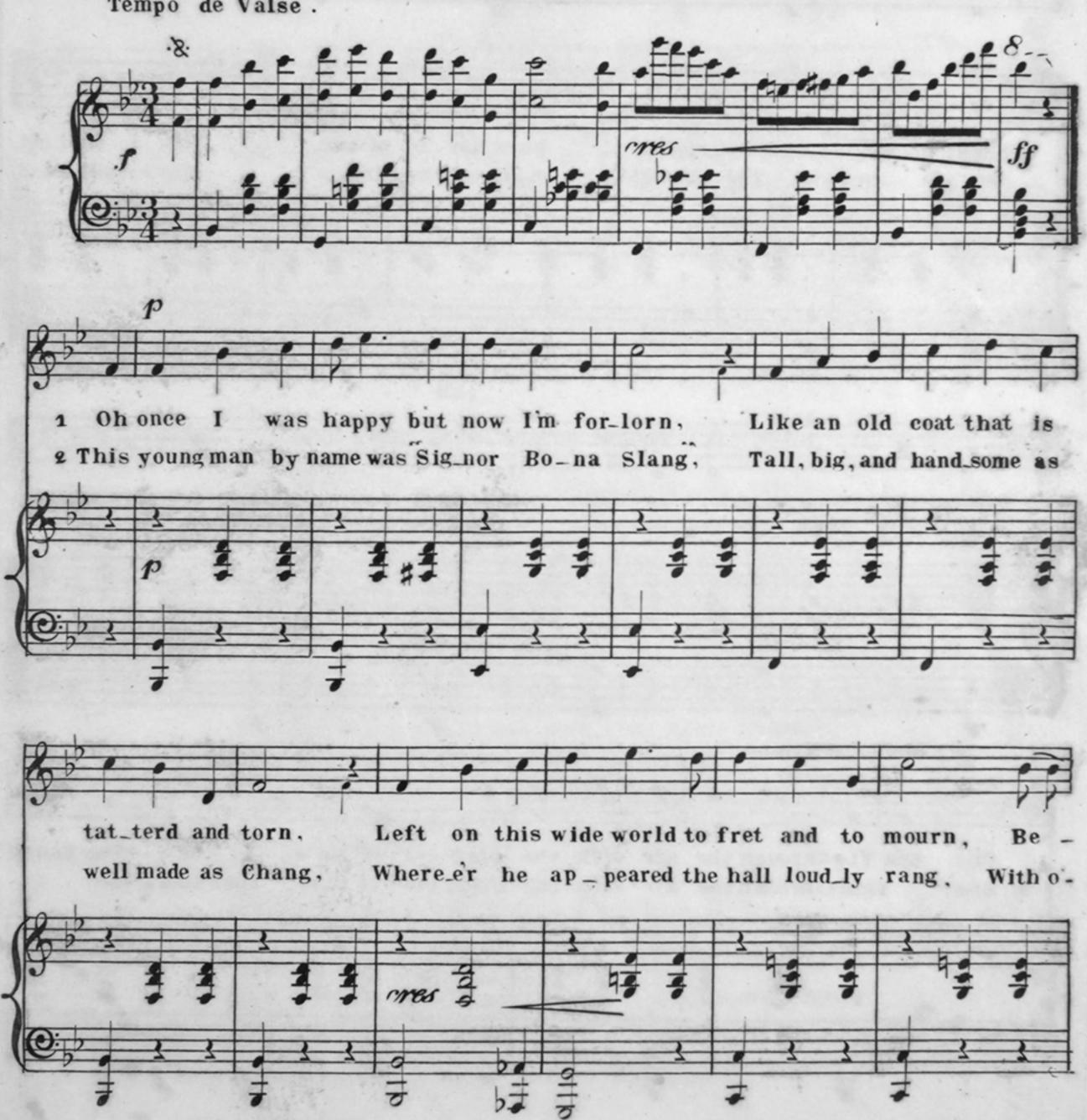
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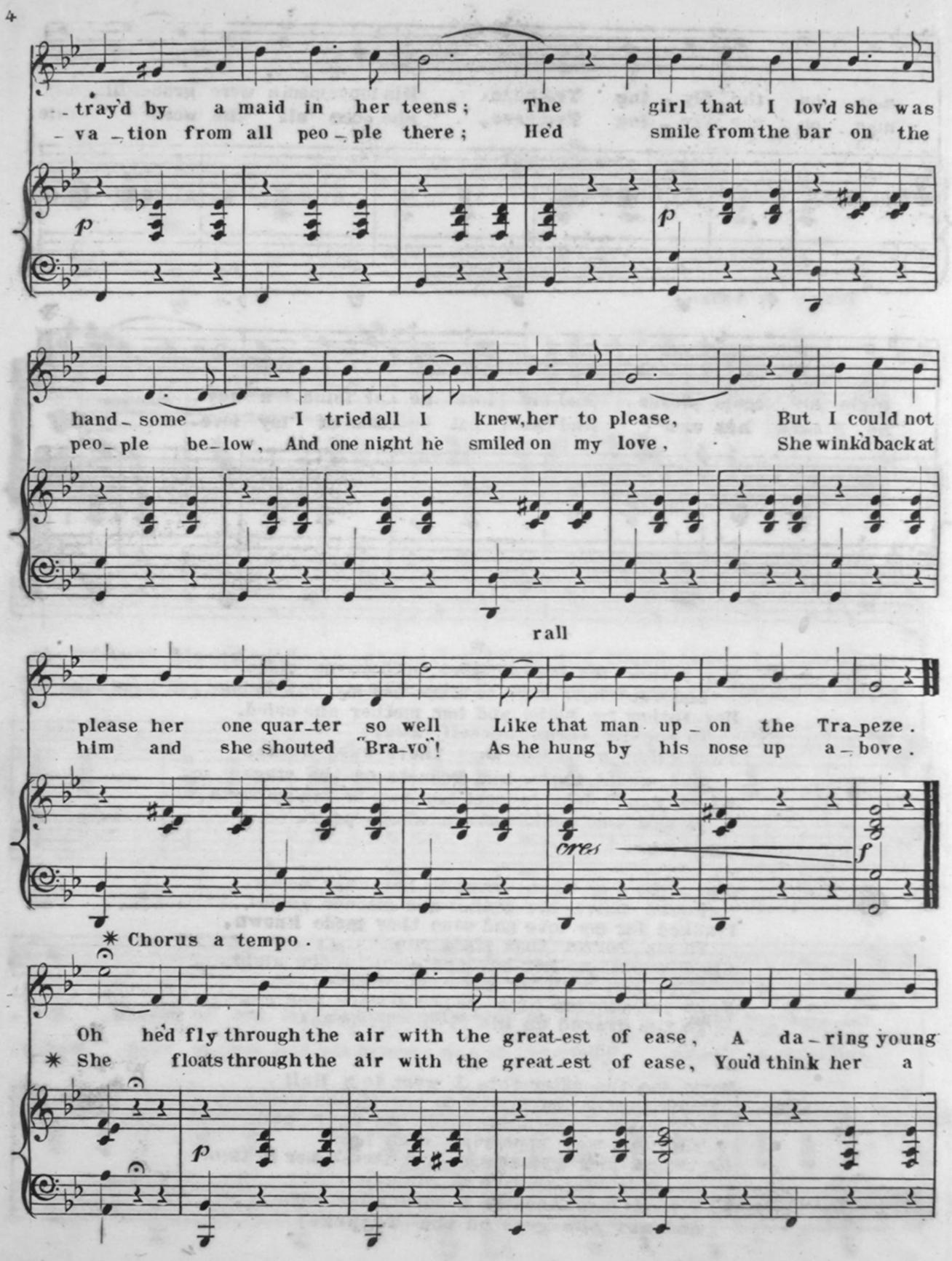
THE FLYING TRAPEZE.

Written by GEO. LEYBOURNE.

Arranged by ALFRED LEE.

Tempo de Valse.





* Chorus for last verse.

Flying Trapeze.





Her father and mother were both on my side,
And very hard tried to make her my own bride;
Her father he sigh'd and her mother she cried,
To see her throw herself away;
Twas all no avail she went there ev'ry night,
And would throw him Boquets on the stage;
Which caus'd him to meet her, how he ran me down,

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To tell you would take a whole page.

One night I as usual went to her dear home,
Found there her father and mother alone;
I asked for my love and soon they made known,
To my horror that she'd run away;
She'd pack'd up her box and elop'd in the night,
With him with the greatest of ease;
From two stories high he had lower'd her down,
To the ground on his flying Trapeze!

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Some months after this I went to a Hall,
Was greatly surprised to see on the wall;
A bill in red letters which did my heart gall,
That she was appearing with him;
He taught her gymnastics and dress'd her in tights,
To help him to live at his ease;
And made her assume a masculine name,
And now she goes on the Trapeze!