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To Miss Brooke Eltrym.

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Please Come and Play in My Yard. (Nobody Cares For Me.)

Words by EDWARD MADDEN.

Music by THEODORE MORSE.

*Writers of the famous songs "Blue Bell"
"I've Got a Feeling For You," etc.*

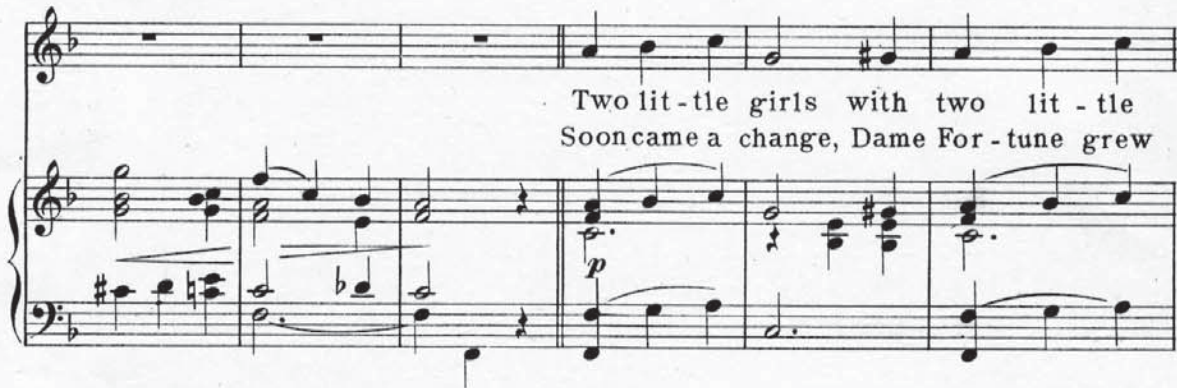
Andante Mod^{to}.



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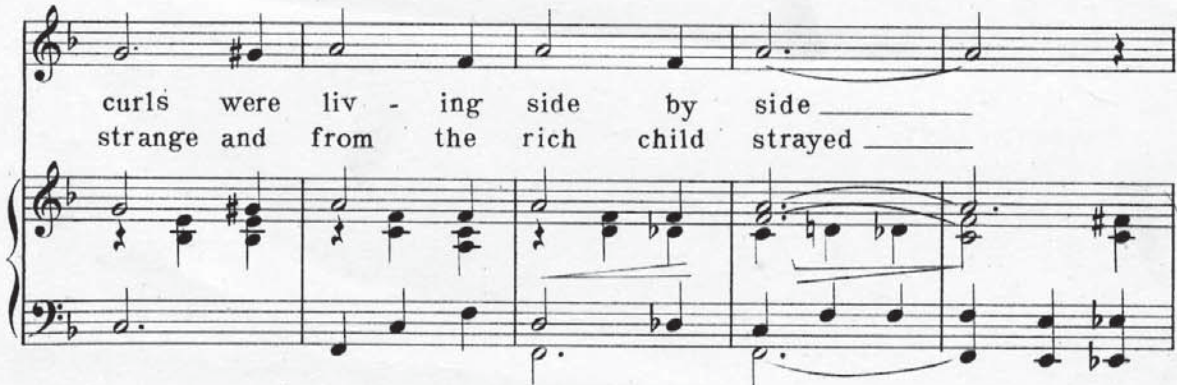
Piano introduction in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. The music consists of a series of chords in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.



Two lit - tle girls with two lit - tle
Soon came a change, Dame For - tune grew

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First vocal line in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. The melody is simple and follows the lyrics. The piano accompaniment is in the left hand.



curls were liv - ing side by side
strange and from the rich child strayed

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Second vocal line in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. The melody continues from the first line. The piano accompaniment is in the left hand.

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One lit-tle maid each morning played, in a yard so grand and
 One year had passed, wealth came at last to cheer the poor young

wide _____ But in the next house, as poor as a mouse a
 maid _____ The poor lit-tle mouse, now lives in the house the

child gazed long - ing - ly _____ 'Till one summer's day, she
 rich child used to own _____ And whispers each day, to her

heard a voice say "Please come and play with me"
 friend o'er the way "Don't leave me all a-lone, _____"

CHORUS. Slow.

"Please come and play in my yard, I'm all a-lone you see, —

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Once I was poor like you are, then Ma-ma loved but me, —

Now she is al-ways bus - - y out in so-ci - et - y —

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Please come and play in my yard, no-bo-dy cares for me!" —

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Please come and play. 3