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Swing Me Higher, Obadiah!

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Moderato

The musical score is written in G major and 4/4 time. It begins with a piano introduction marked 'Moderato' and 'f' (forte). The piano part consists of a steady bass line and a more active treble line. The vocal line enters in the second system with the instruction 'Till ready' and 'p' (piano). The lyrics are as follows:

1. When young O - ba - diah was twen - ty - one,..... He
2. O - ba - diah had lit - tle time to spoon,..... For
3. But young O - ba - diah got his re - ward,..... In

The piano accompaniment continues throughout the vocal lines, providing harmonic support.

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fell in love as most young fel - lows do;.....
 should he dare to stop the swing, shed sigh;.....
 church one morn - ing they stood side by side;.....

Reg' - lar ev' - ry Thurs - day af - ter - noon,..... Hed
 "Keep the pot a - boil - ing, there's a dear!"..... And
 At the wed - ding break - fast la - ter on,..... Some -

call up - on his sweet - heart, Lu - cy Loo.....
 once more Lu - cy's toot - sies flew on high.....
 bod - y missed the bride - groom and the bride.....

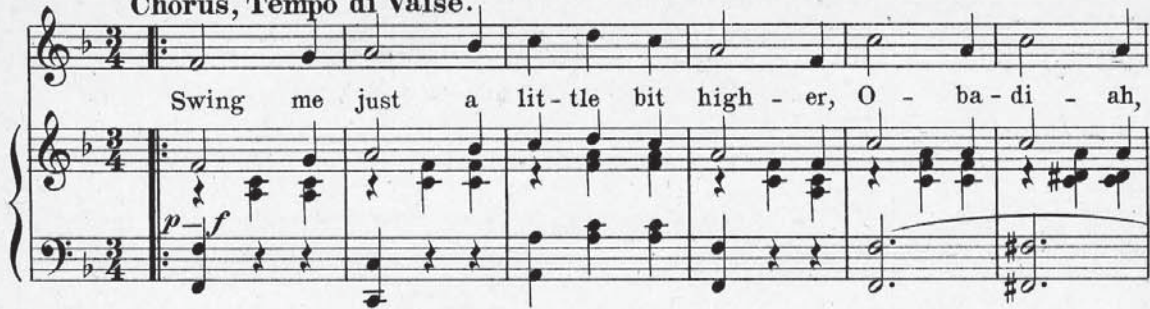
In the gar-den he would find her, Seat-ed on a quaint old
 All the young men 'round a - bout there, On the gar-den walls would
 All the par - ty went to find them, In the gar-den by and

swing;..... With true love's de - vo - tion, He'd set the swing in mo - tion,
 climb;..... And with eag - er fac - es, They'd glance at frills an la - ces,
 by..... But soon they stopp'd seek - ing, The dear old swing was creak - ing,

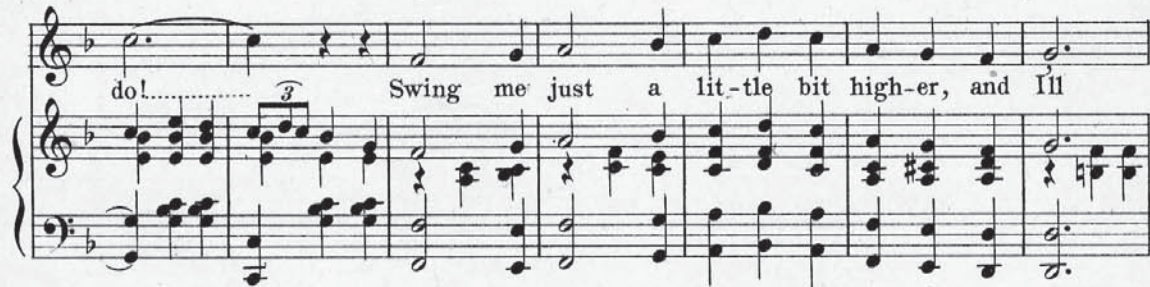
And his Lu - cy dear, would sing:.....
 As she war - bled all the time:.....
 And they heard the sweet bride sigh:.....

Chorus, Tempo di Valse.

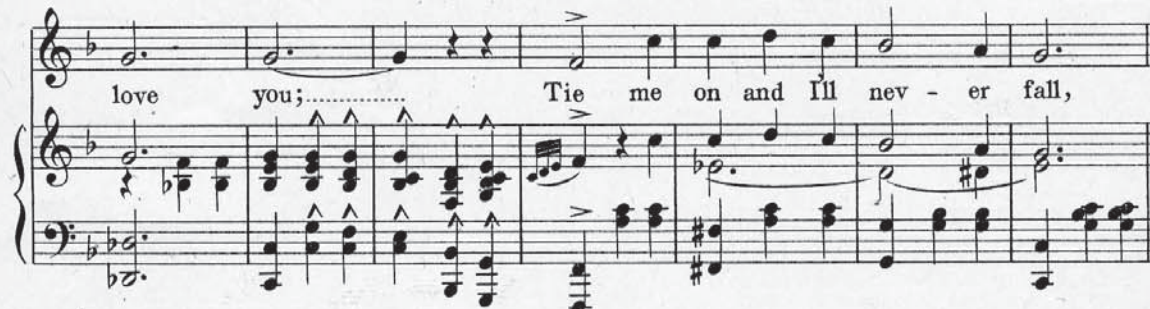
Swing me just a lit-tle bit high - er, O - ba - di - ah,



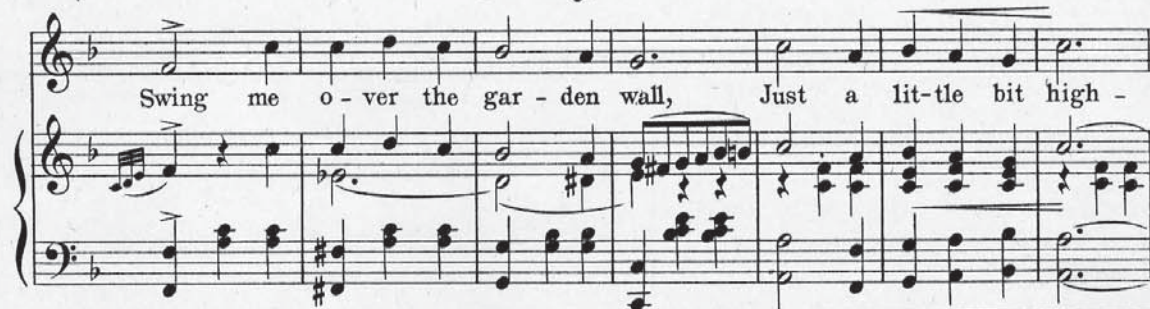
do!..... *3* Swing me just a lit-tle bit high-er, and I'll



love you;..... Tie me on and I'll nev - er fall,



Swing me o - ver the gar - den wall, Just a lit-tle bit high -



er, O - ba - di - ah, do!..... do!.....

