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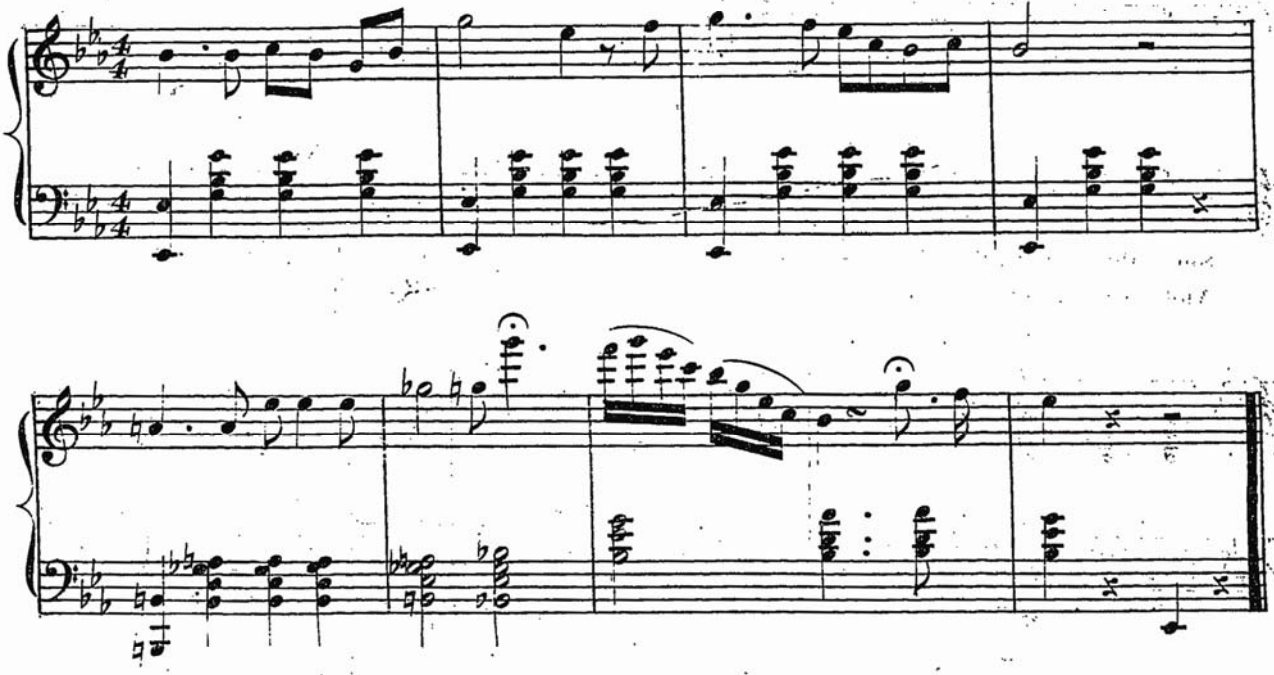

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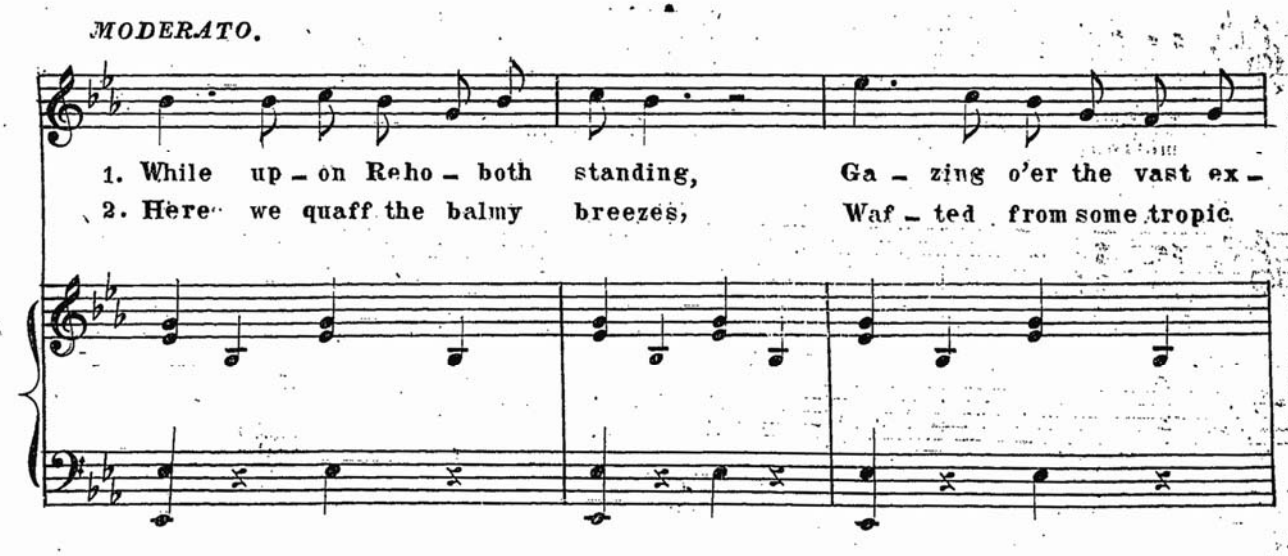


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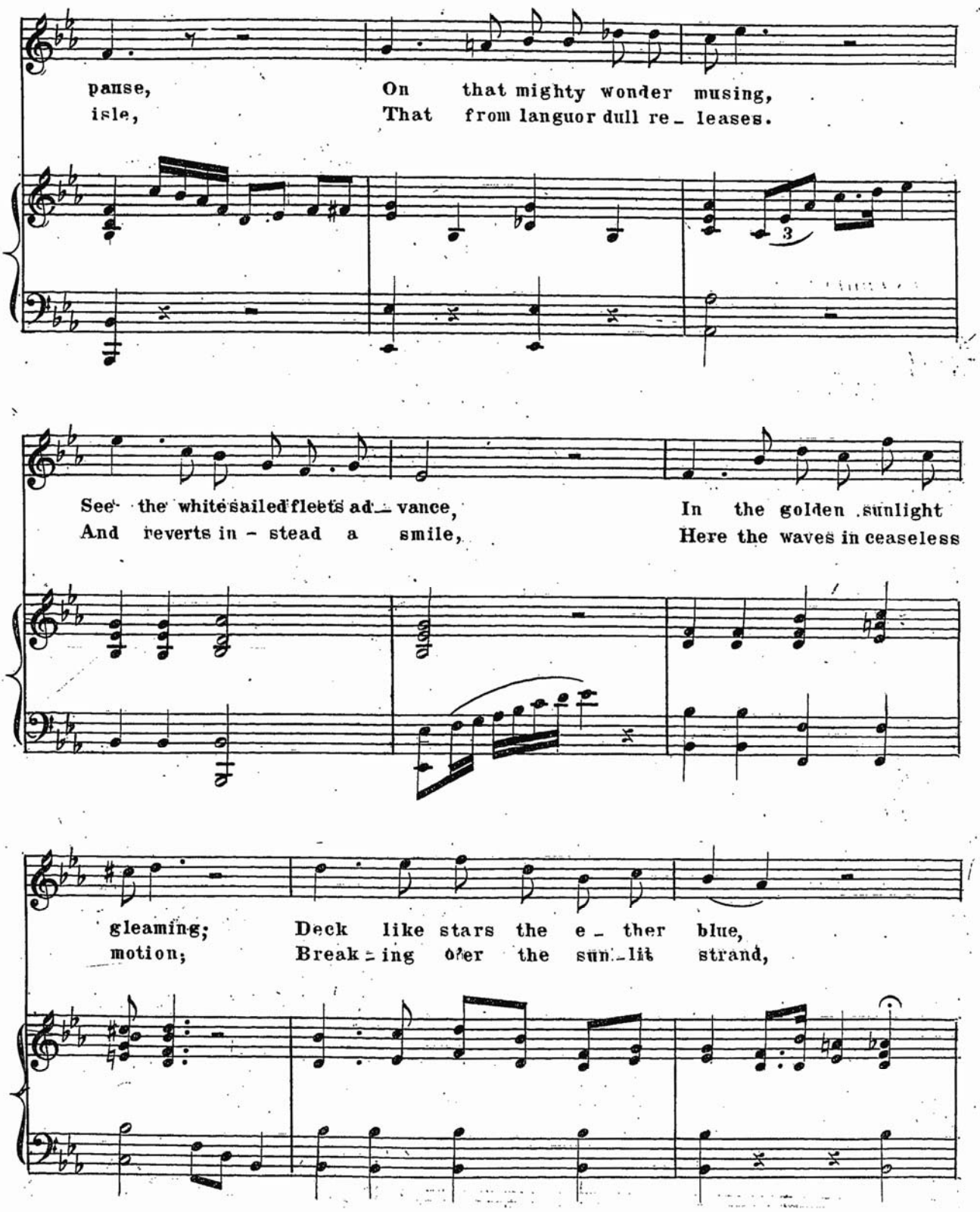


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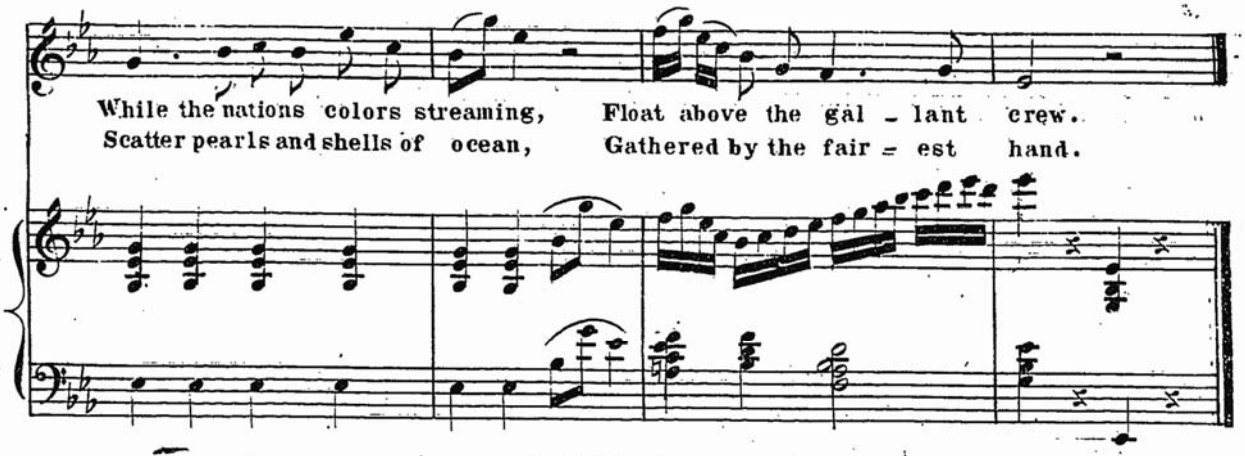


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Natures voice the roaring billows,
Rich in melody and deep;
Whispers to the restless pillow:
Lullaby's that rock to sleep.
Meanewhile stars their night watch keeping,
All is calm, serene around:
Save old ocean's steps retreating,
After each successive bound.

*CHORUS.*

Some e'en upon the ocean sleep,
Rock'd by the cradle rool of the deep;
While God protects them all and each:
Safely as on the Rehoboth Beach.

4

When perchance the north wind blowing,
And the white waves dancing by;
Clouds are o'er the green sea throwing:
Shades that deepen as they fly.
Yet the while is heard the music,
Of the deep toned billow's roar:
As in forms they rise majestic,
Leaping, bounding to the shore.

*CHORUS.*

Greeting with shouts the merry throng,
Chase the bright waves as they roll along.
Laving as far as eye can reach:
All the bright shore of Rehoboth Beach.

5

Yet at morn the scene is grandest,
When the rising king of day,
Dons his royal robe the brightest:
Bids the paler orbs away.
Who in modesty retiring,
Seem to seek their wonted rest;
E'en until the day declining:
Lights the golden sunset west.

*CHORUS.*

Then with the twilight hours along,
Float the sweet strains of music and song;
While with a greeting all and each:
Welcome you here to Rehoboth Beach.

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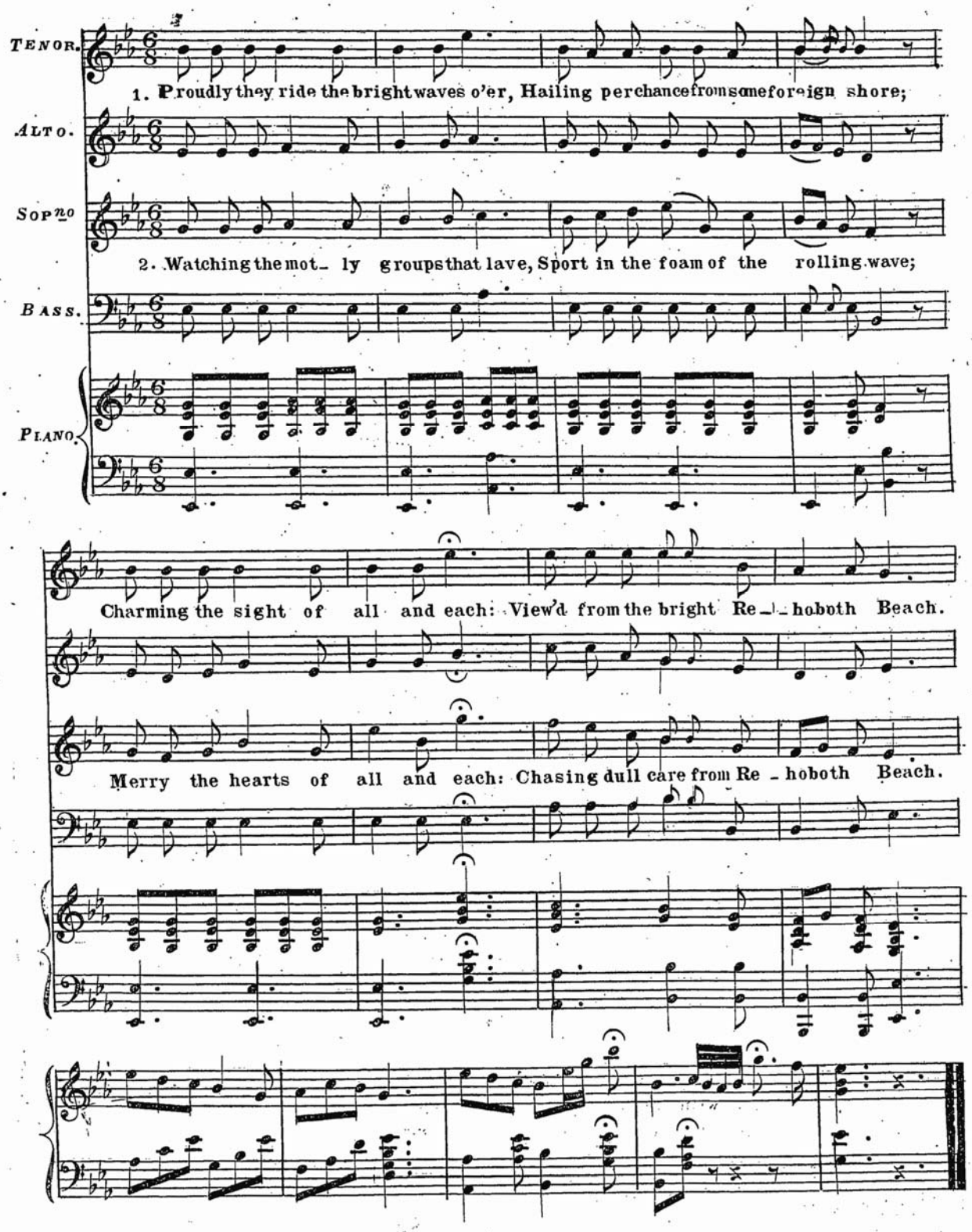


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