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A Ballad,

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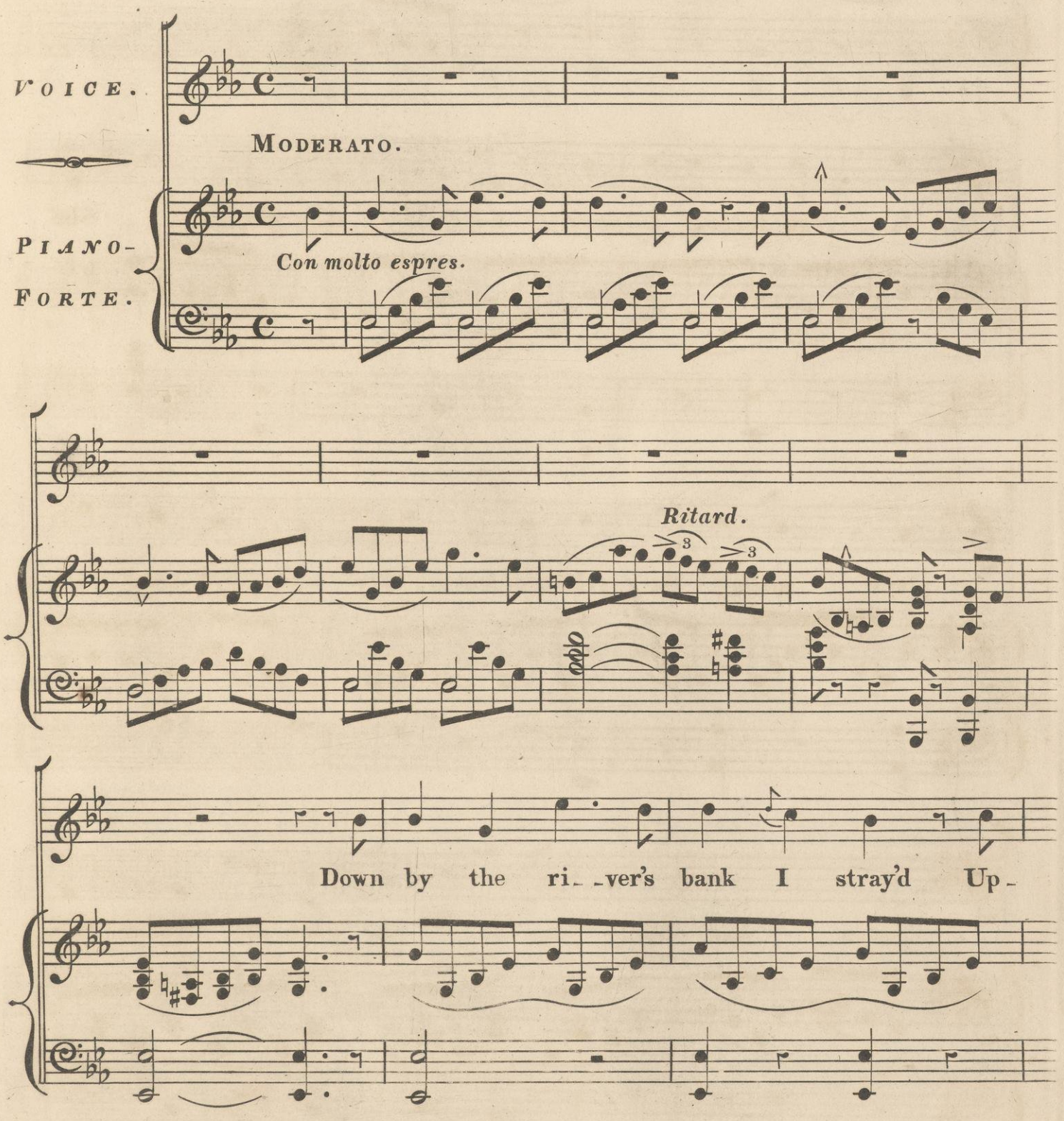

on an Au - tumn day, Be - - side the fa - - ding

p

fo - - - rest there, I saw a child at play; She

p

play'd among the yel - low leaves, The leaves that once were

green, And flung up - on the pass - ing stream What

once had blooming been, Oh! deep - - ly did it

touch my heart To see that child at play, It

p

was the sweet un - con - scious sport Of child - hood with de -

pp

cay.

f *mf* *Dim.*

p *f* *mf* *Dim.*

p

Fair child, if by this stream you stray, When af_ter years go

by, The scene that makes thy child_hood's sport, May

wake thy age's sigh; When fast you see a_round you fall The

summer's leafy pride, And mark the ri_ver hur_rying on Its

più lento. *Con tenerezza.*

ne'er re - turn - ing tide, Then may you feel in

pen - sive mood, That life's a sum - mer dream, And

p

ad lib.

man, at last, for - - got - - ten falls - A leaf up - on the

pp

stream.

f *mf* *Dim.*

p *f* *mf* *Dim.*