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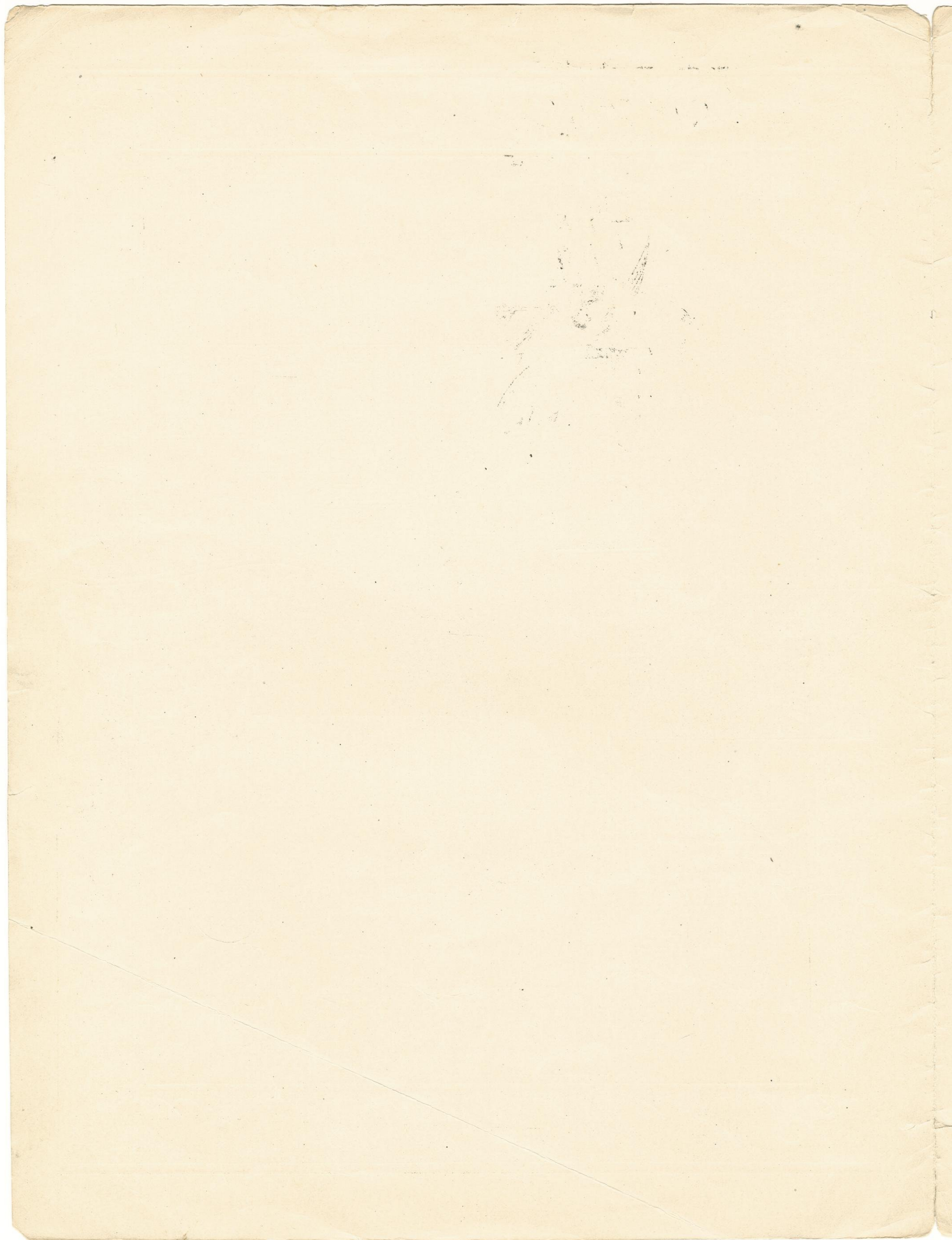
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# "Twas But a Dream."

Words by CHAS. FLOYD McCLURE.

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*Moderato.*

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tempo is marked as Moderato.

Last night I dream'd a dream of thee, That thou wert false to ev-'ry vow; So

The vocal line is written on a single staff with lyrics underneath. The piano accompaniment is on two staves below, with the right hand playing a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes and the left hand playing chords.

sad, so strange it seemed to be, It's vis-ions haunt me ev-en now, So

The vocal line continues with lyrics underneath. The piano accompaniment continues on two staves. The tempo for this section is marked as Rall. (Ritardando).

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*Tempo agitato.* cres - cen - do.

close you held her to your breast, I could but know that we must part; So

*Tempo agitato.* cres - cen - do.

*f.* *Rall.*

warm the kiss-es that you press'd, I whispered low, "Good-bye sweet-heart."

*Rall.*

*Allegretto Grazioso.*

'Twas but a dream; It was not true! 'Twas but a dream; I

*Allegretto Grazioso.*

*Molto cres - - - cen - - - do.*

do love you! No oth - er one shall reign as queen;

*ad lib. > ff* *Rall.*

Thine, thine a-lone! Thine, thine a - lone! 'Twas but a dream.....!

*ad lib.* *Rall.*

*mf*

I heard your whispered words of love, The same sweet words you told to me, I

*mf*

heard you vow by all a - bove, To her you'd ev - er faith - ful be; With

*Rall.*

*Espressivo.*

break - ing heart I turn a - way, To weep a - lone, a fall - en queen;

*p* *Rall.*

Weep - ing I woke to weep till day; Tell me, my love, 'twas but a dream.

*Rall.*

*Allegretto Grazioso.*

'Twas but a dream; It was not true! 'Twas but a dream: I

*Allegretto Grazioso.*

do love you! No oth - er one shall reign as queen;

*Molto cres - - - - - cen - - - - - do.*

*Molto cres - - - - - cen - - - - - do.*

*ad lib.* Thine, thine a-lone! Thine, thine a-lone! 'Twas but a dream!

*Rit. e cres-cen - do.*

*ad lib.* *Rit. e cres-cen - do.*



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# “THE CHOIR BOY’S DREAM.”

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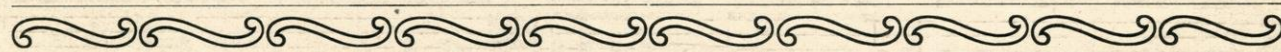
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