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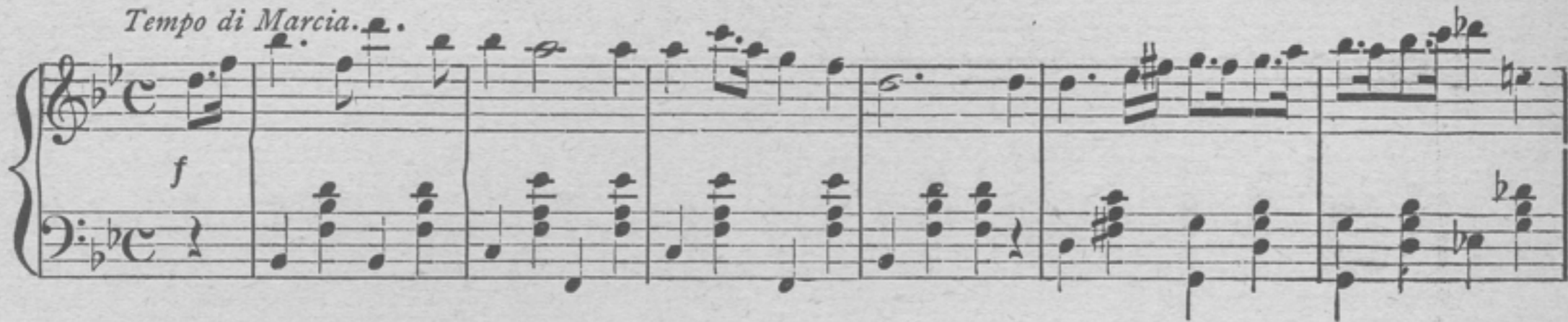
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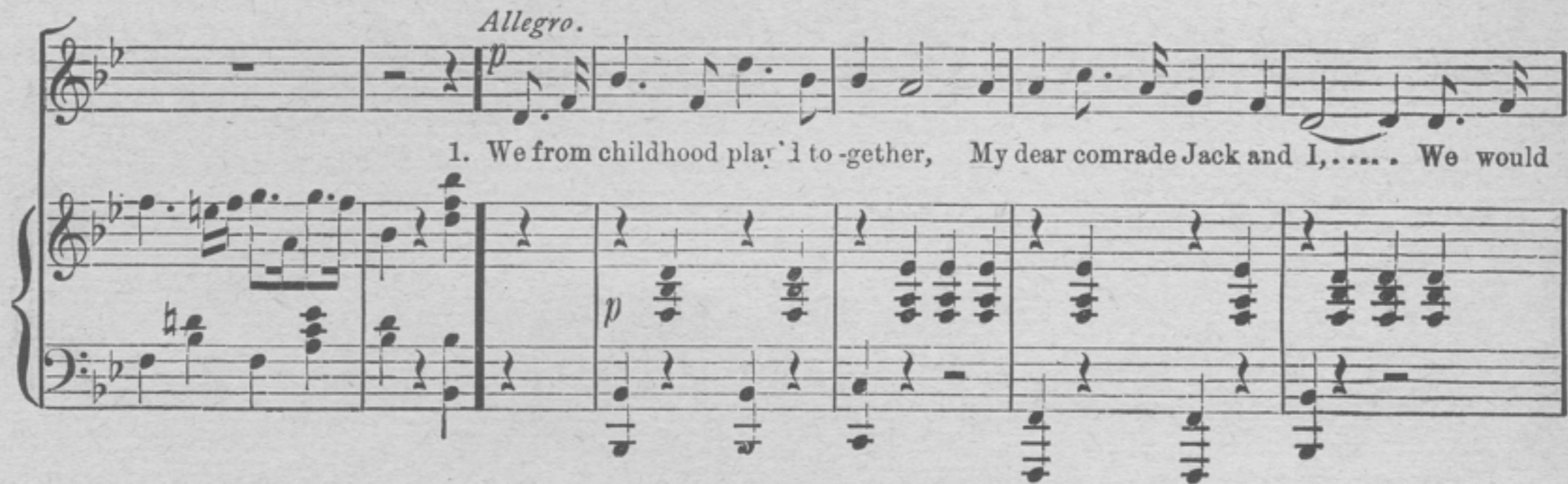
Tempo di Marcia.



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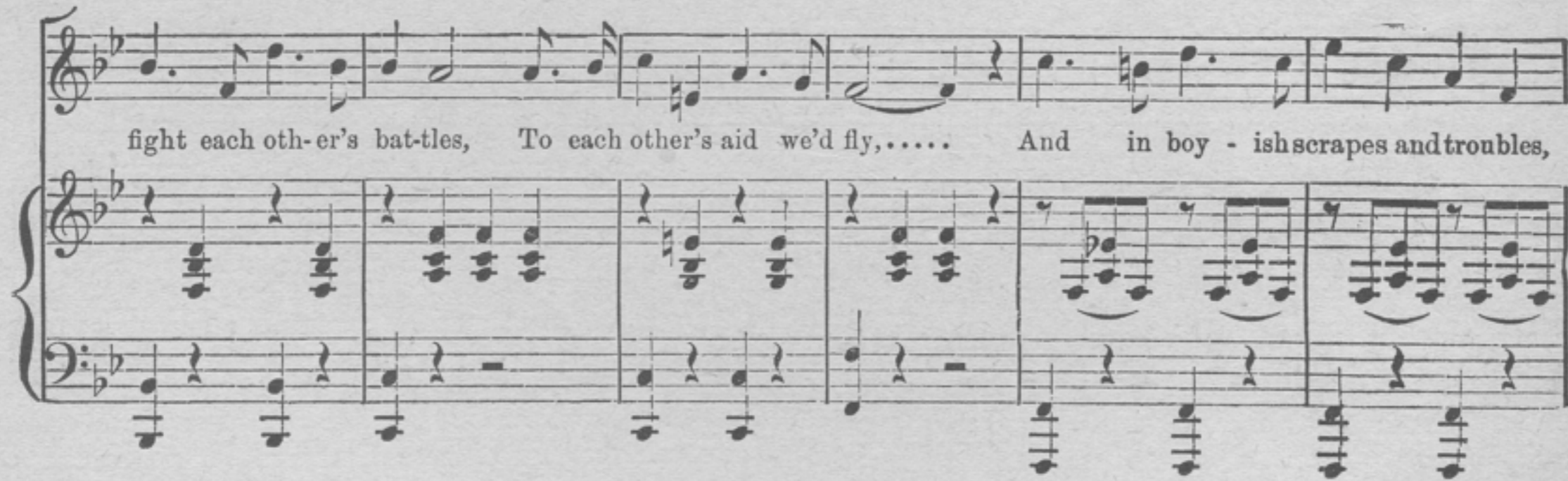
Allegro.

1. We from childhood play'd to-gether, My dear comrade Jack and I,..... We would




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fight each oth-er's bat-tles, To each other's aid we'd fly,..... And in boy - ish scrapes and troubles,



You would find us ev'-ry where, Where one went the oth-er follow'd, Naught could part us for we were—



CHORUS. Tempo di Valse.

Com - - rades, com - rades ev - er since we were boys,..... Sharing each other's sor -

rows, sharing each oth - er's joys..... Comrades, when manhood was dawn - - ing,

Faithful what-e'er might be-tide, When danger threatened, my darling old comrade was there by my

1st. 2nd.
side..... We were side.....

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2. When just bud - ding in - to man - hood, I yearn'd for a Sol - dier's life,..... Night and
 3. I en - list - ed, Jack came with me, And ups and downs we shared,... For a

day I dream'd of glo - ry, Long - ing for the bat - tle's strife;.....
 time our lives were peace - ful, But at length war was de - clared;.....

I said, "Jack I'll be a Sol - dier, 'Neath the Red the White and Blue,
 Eng - lands Flag had been in - sult - ed, We were or - dered to the front,

Good - bye Jack!" said he, "no nev - er! If you go, then I'll go too."
 And the Reg - 'ment we be - long'd to, Had to bear the bat - tle's brunt.

CHORUS. *Tempo di Valse.*

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*Last verse.
Agitato.*

In the night the sav - age foe - men Crept a - round us as we lay, To our

arms we leap'd and faced them, Back to back we stood at bay; As I

fought, a sav - age at me Aimed his spear like light - ning's dart, But my

com - rade sprang to save me, And re - ceived it in his heart.....

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