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THE
GATE
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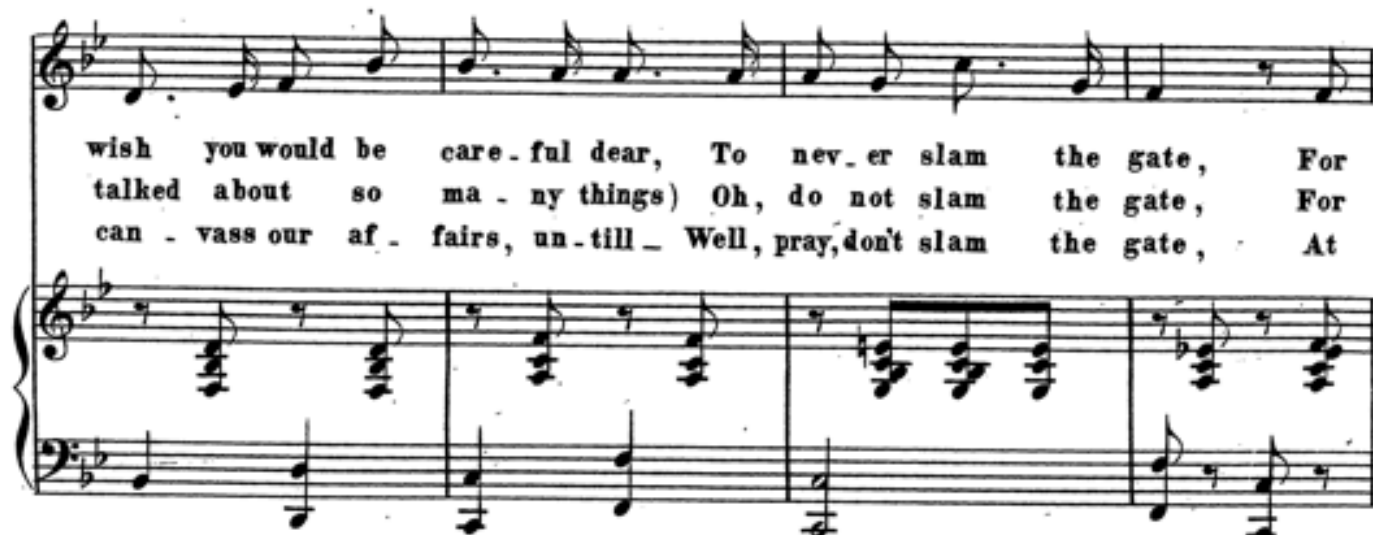
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Moderato.

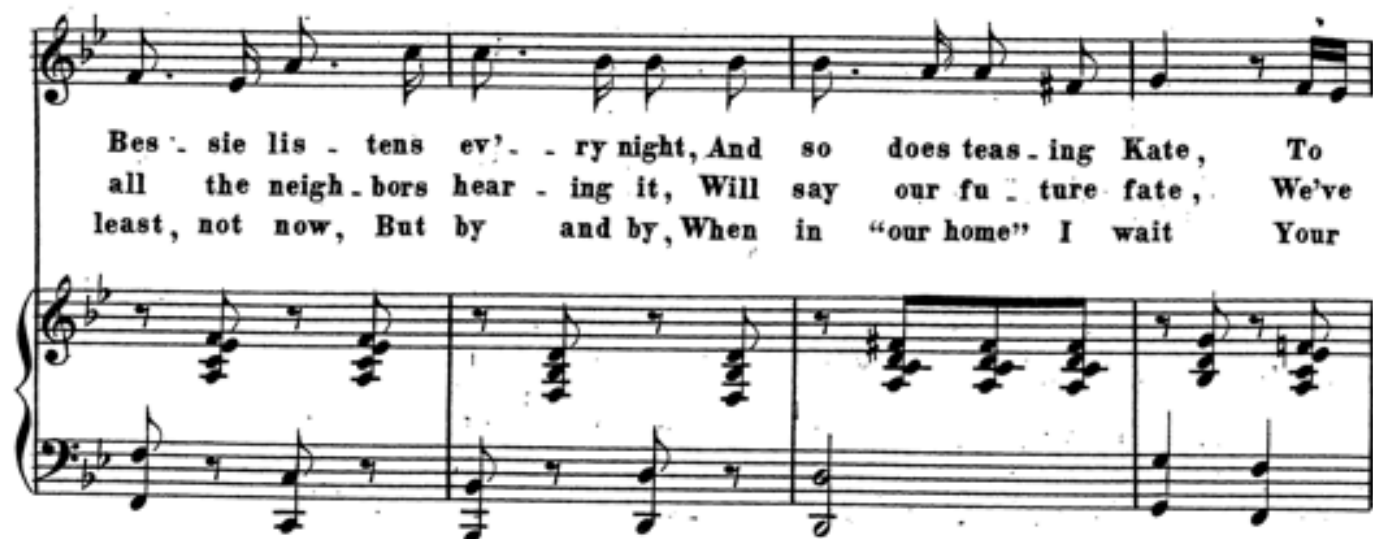


1. Now, Har - ry pray don't laugh at me; But when you go so late, I
2. 'Twas near - ly ten last night you know, But now 'tis ve - ry late - (We've
3. For though it is all ve - ry true, I wish that they would wait To

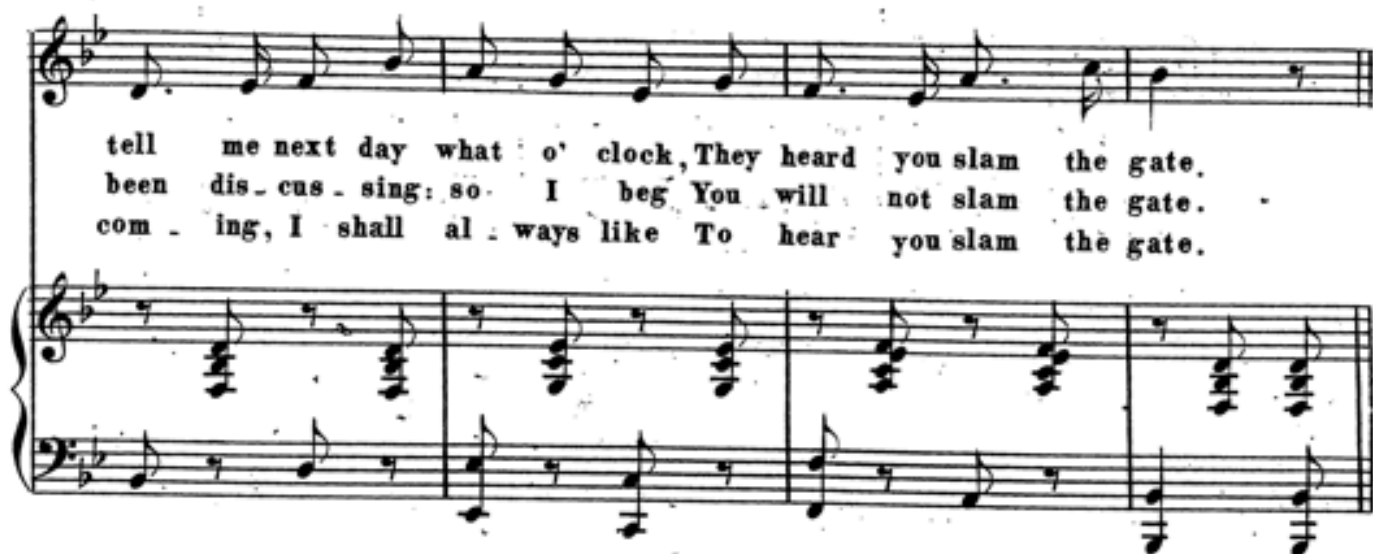




wish you would be care-ful dear, To nev-er slam the gate, For
talked about so ma-ny things) Oh, do not slam the gate, For
can-vass our af-fairs, un-till - Well, pray, don't slam the gate, At



Bes-sie lis-tens ev'-ry night, And so does teas-ing Kate, To
all the neigh-bors hear-ing it, Will say our fu-ture fate, We've
least, not now, But by and by, When in "our home" I wait Your



tell me next day what o' clock, They heard you slam the gate.
been dis-cus-sing: so I beg You will not slam the gate.
com-ing, I shall al-ways like To hear you slam the gate.

Moderato.

Sopr.  For whether you go out or in, At ear - ly hours or late, The

Alto. 

Tenor.  whether you go out or in, At ear - ly hours or late, The

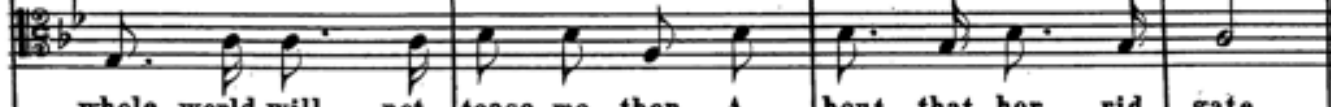
Bass. 

Moderato.

Piano. 

 whole world will not tease me then, A - bout that hor - rid gate.



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