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## Tis Only The Scent Of The Rose

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# 'Tis Only The Scent of the Robe.

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# 'TIS ONLY THE SCENT OF THE ROSE.

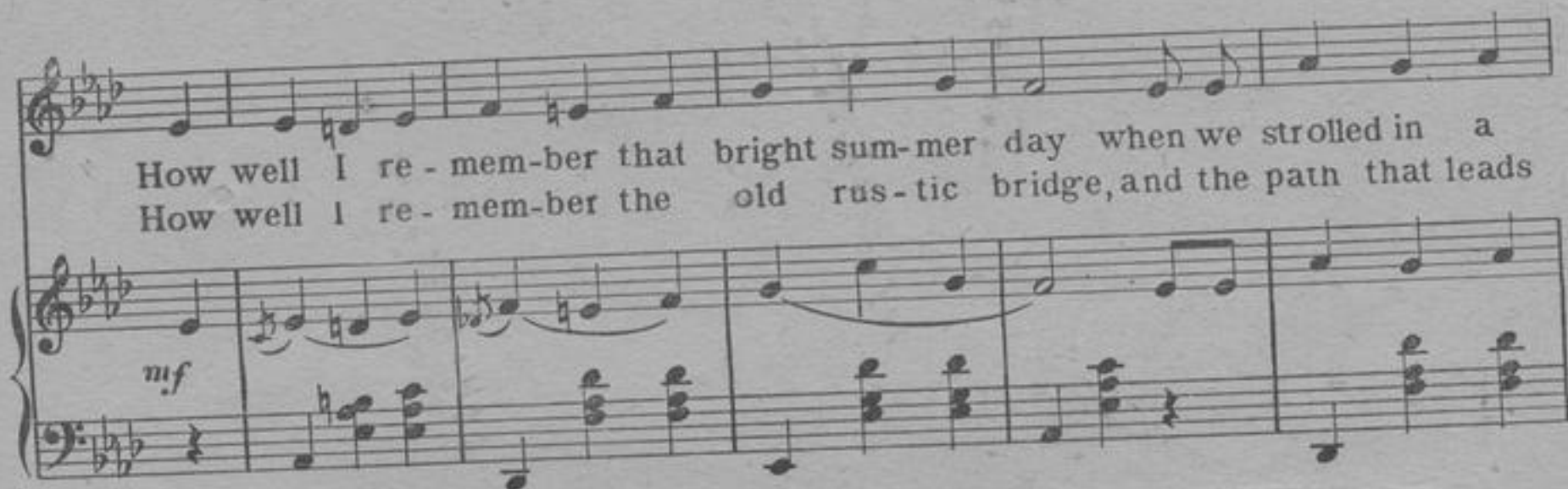
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*f*

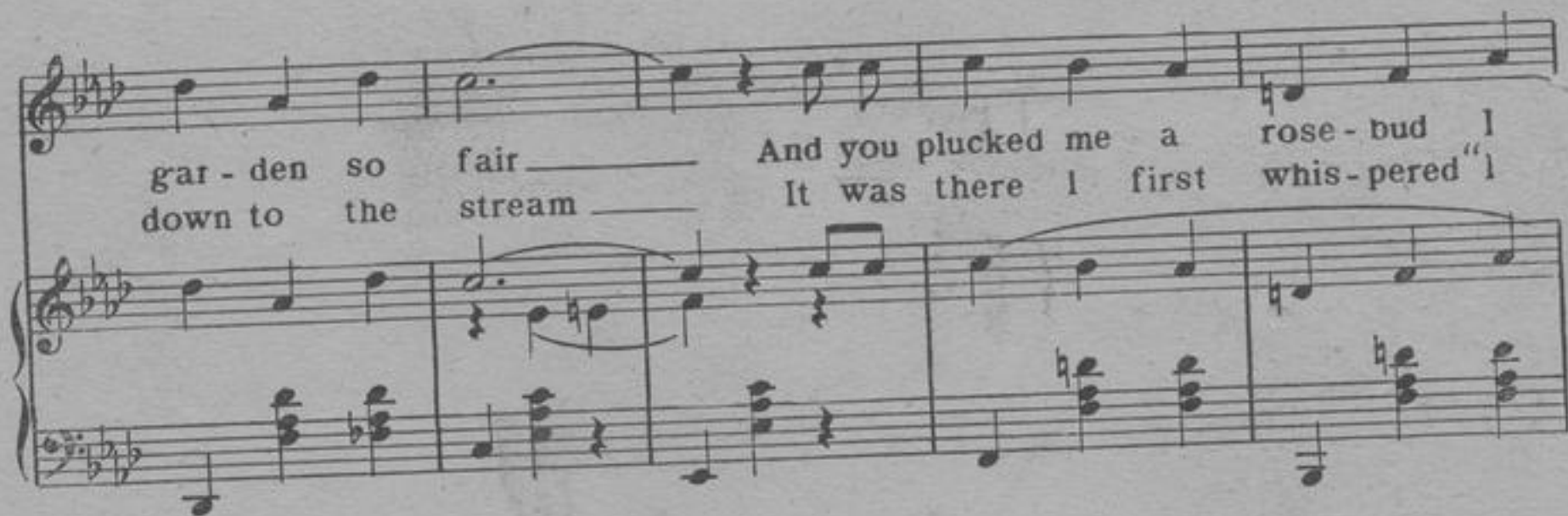
Musical notation for the piano introduction, consisting of two staves (treble and bass clef) in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. The music begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and features a series of chords and moving lines in both hands.



How well I re-mem-ber that bright sum-mer day when we strolled in a  
How well I re-mem-ber the old rus-tic bridge, and the path that leads

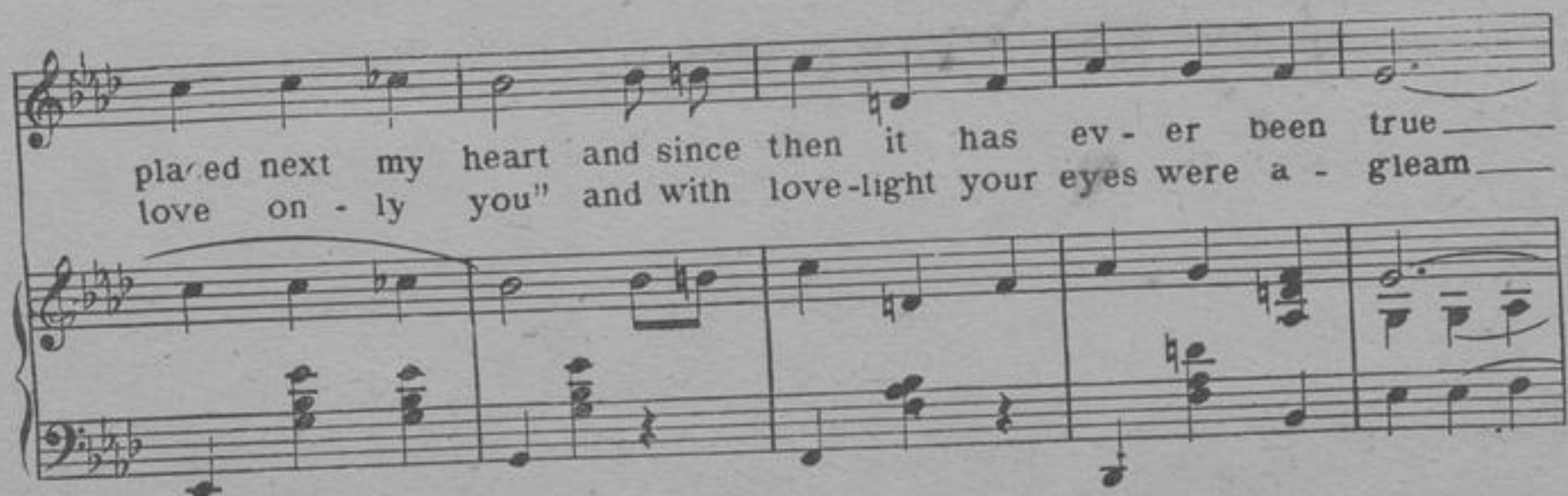
*mf*

Musical notation for the first verse, including a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part is marked *mf*. The lyrics are: "How well I re-mem-ber that bright sum-mer day when we strolled in a How well I re-mem-ber the old rus-tic bridge, and the path that leads".



gar - den so fair \_\_\_\_\_ And you plucked me a rose - bud I  
down to the stream \_\_\_\_\_ It was there I first whis - pered "I

Musical notation for the second verse, including a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "gar - den so fair \_\_\_\_\_ And you plucked me a rose - bud I down to the stream \_\_\_\_\_ It was there I first whis - pered "I".



plac-ed next my heart and since then it has ev - er been true \_\_\_\_\_  
love on - ly you" and with love-light your eyes were a - gleam \_\_\_\_\_

Musical notation for the third verse, including a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "plac-ed next my heart and since then it has ev - er been true \_\_\_\_\_ love on - ly you" and with love-light your eyes were a - gleam \_\_\_\_\_".

— We par ted in an-ger to meet nev - er more I've  
 — How oft - en I've press'd the dead rose to my lips, and

nev - er for - got - ten you, dear, \_\_\_\_\_ When I gaze on that rose - bud so  
 ten - der - ly whisper'd your name, \_\_\_\_\_ For it brings back the past with it's

with-er'd and dead In fan - cy it seems you are near. \_\_\_\_\_  
 joys and its tears Something tells me your love is the same. \_\_\_\_\_

*rall.*

**CHORUS. Slow.**

'Tis only the scent of the rose - bud. The fragrance that comes from the flow'r

*mf*

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But it brings back a-gain Tho' my heart filled with pain happy days spent in

loves gold-en bower Tho' now we are part-ed for-ev - -

er The love in my heart ev-er grows. For some-thing you

know brings back days long a-go 'Tis on-ly the scent of the rose

*rall.*