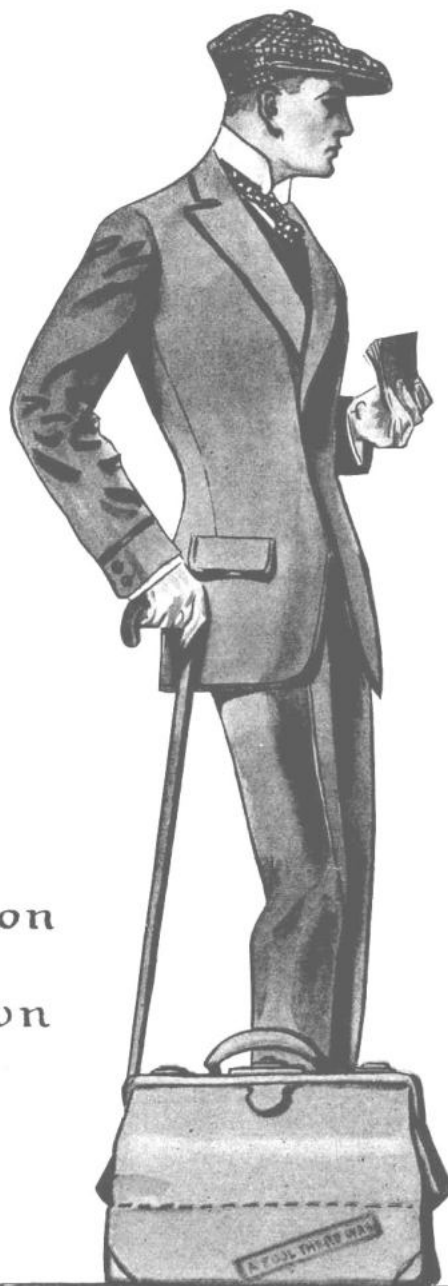


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Moderato

The piano introduction is in 2/4 time, marked Moderato. It features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody starts with a quarter note G4, followed by eighth notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass line consists of chords: G2-B2, F2-A2, G2-B2, and F2-A2. A dynamic marking of *mf* is present. A triplet of eighth notes (G4, A4, B4) is marked with a '3' above it.

With feeling

The first system shows the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a whole rest, followed by the lyrics: "So you're real - ly going to" and "All the hours are long and". The piano accompaniment is marked *Vamp* and *mf*. It features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and chords in the left hand. A dynamic marking of *p* is used for the final chord.

The second system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line has the lyrics: "leave me, dreary, _____ You real - ly have to go a - way. _____ And" and "While you are a - way from me. _____". The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note pattern and chords. A dynamic marking of *p* is present.

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I be-lieved that you were on - ly fool - ing, When you told me this to -
So I will re-turn a-gain to you dear, Just your smil - ing face to

day. _____ You've checked your trunk and bought your tick - et, I
see. _____ I'll be down there at the sta - tion,

must con-fess you've made me blue. But be-fore you leave me
On the ver - y next train due. And if I don't see you

dear - ie, There is some - thing I must say to you. _____
wait - ing, Then I'll know for sure that this is true. _____

CHORUS

Af - ter while you're going to miss me, Af - ter while you'll long to kiss me,

p-f

You'll drive the parson a - round, In a car-riage Plead - ing for my hand in mar-riage.

M.D. chimes

Af - ter while you'll know you love me, Sure as the moon and the stars a - bove me,

You'll be too late when you knock at my gate, Af - ter while After while. while.