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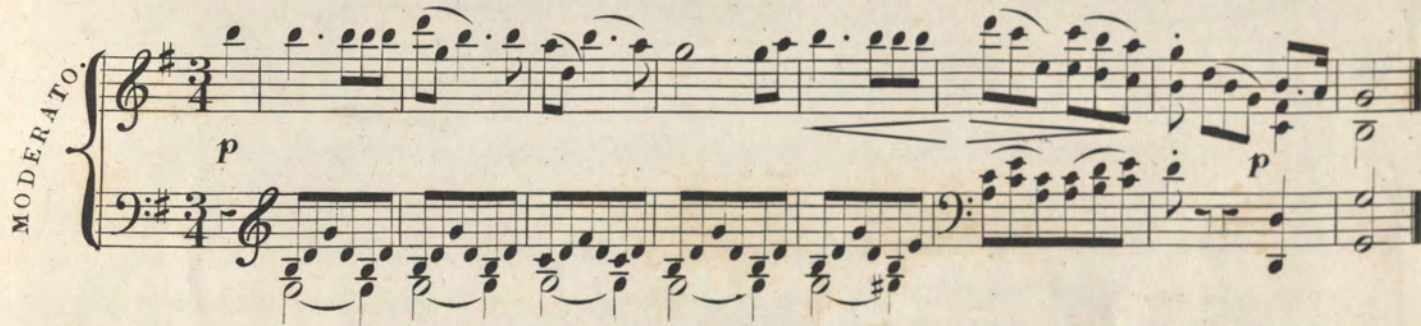
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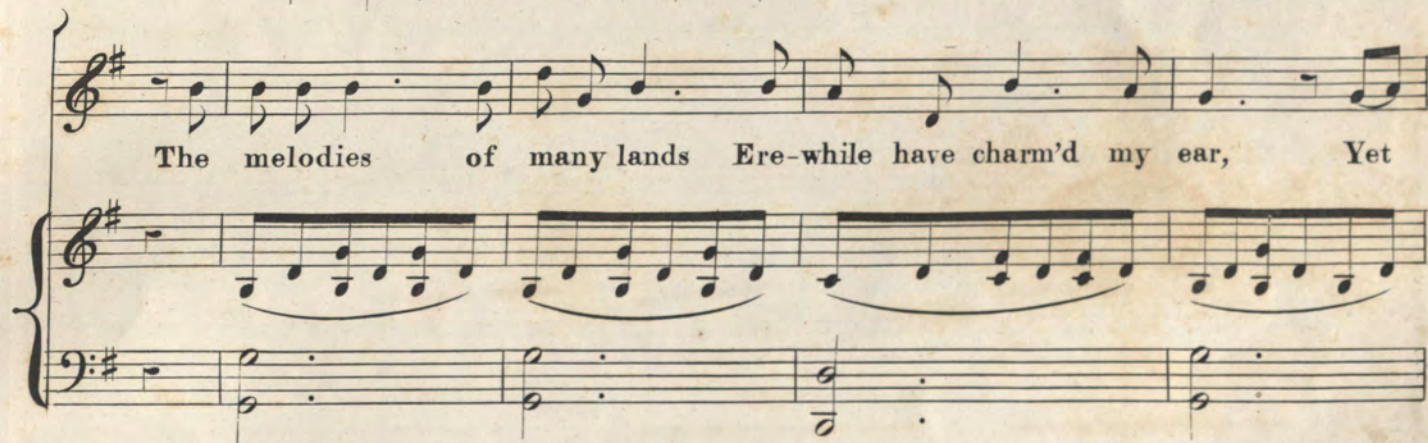
THE MELODIES OF MANY LANDS.
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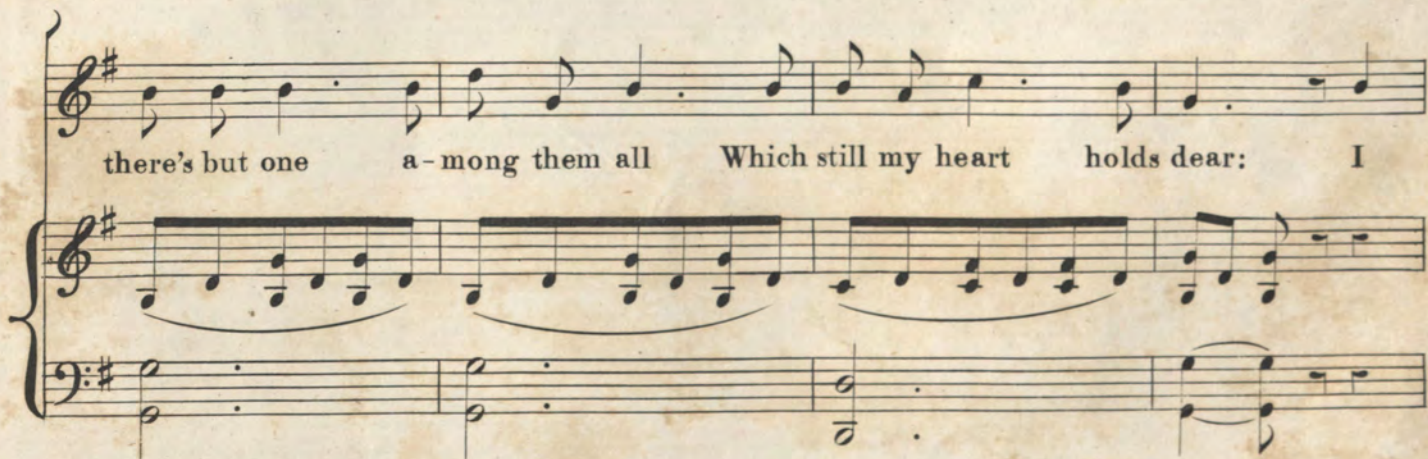
MODERATO.



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The melodies of many lands Ere-while have charm'd my ear, Yet



there's but one a-mong them all Which still my heart holds dear: I

heard it first from lips I lov'd, My tears it then be guil'd It

was the song my mother sang, When I was but a child. It

was the song my mother sang, When I was but a child.

mf *dim:* *p*

Its words, I well re - member now, Were fraught with pre - cepts old; And

ev'ry line a maxim held Of far more worth than gold: A

lesson 'twas, tho' simply taught, That can-not pass a-way. It

is my guiding star by night, My com-fort in the day. It

is my guiding star by night, My comfort in the day.

mf *dim:* *p*

It told me in the hour of need, To seek a solace there Where on-ly stricken

hearts could find, Meet answer to their prayer. Ah! much I owe that gentle voice, Whose

words my tears be-guil'd; That song of songs my mother sang, When I was but a

child. That song of songs my mother sang When I was but a child.

mf *dim:* *p*