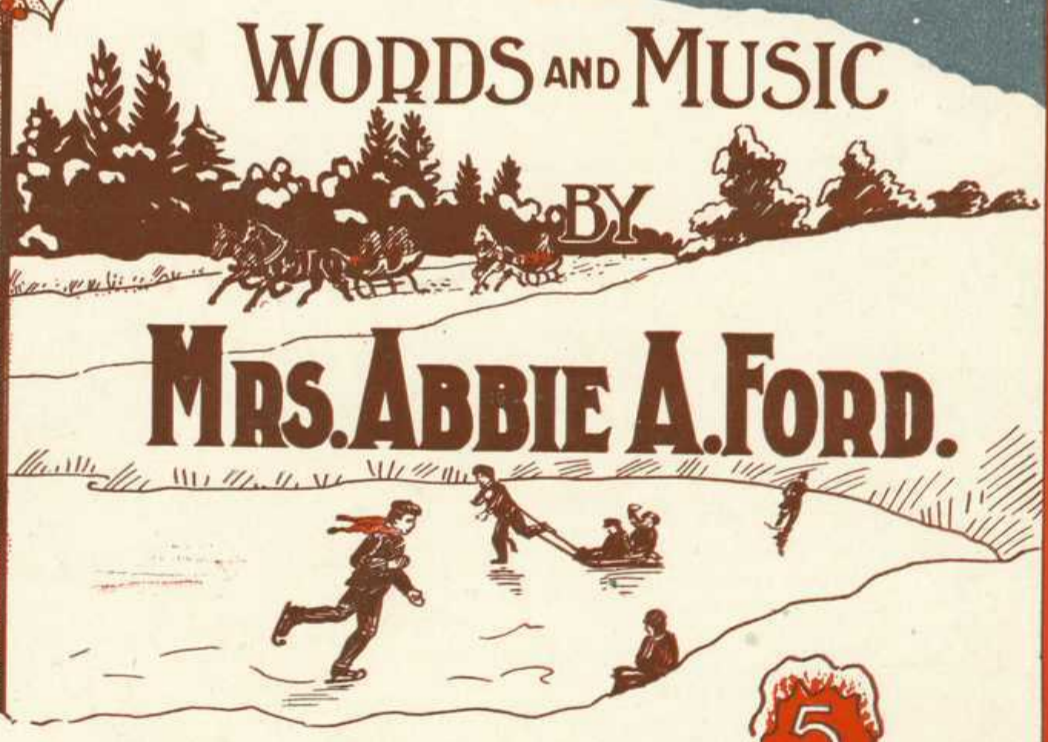
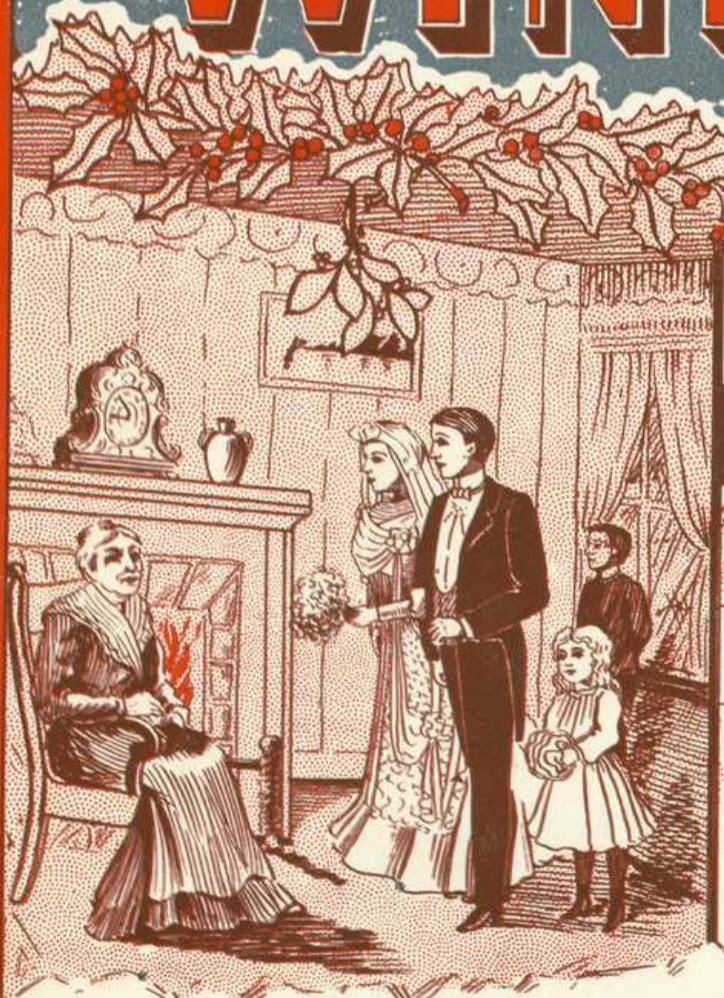


IN THE GOOD OLD WINTER TIME



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Intro.
Moderato.

The piano introduction is in 4/4 time, marked 'Moderato' and 'p' (piano). It features a melody in the right hand and a harmonic accompaniment in the left hand, primarily using chords and eighth-note patterns.

Twas on Christ-mas long a - go just be - neath the mis - tle - toe Snow was
As the sea - sons come and go Spring's soft winds and Fall's bright glow Sum-mer

The first system of the song includes the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part is marked 'p' and features a steady accompaniment of chords and eighth notes.

fall - ing bells were calling with their chimes There I met my own sweet-heart and we
show - ers fra - grant flow - ers are sub - lime Fond - est mem - ries fill my heart and from

The second system continues the vocal and piano accompaniment. It includes dynamic markings 'rit.' (ritardando) and 'p a tempo' (piano a tempo).

nev - er more did part we were wed - ded in the dear old win - ter time Moth - er's
them I can - not part, they are sweet - est of the good old win - ter time Moth - er's

The third system concludes the vocal and piano accompaniment. The piano part is marked 'mf' (mezzo-forte) and features a more active accompaniment in the right hand.

face was bright to see child - ren's voi - ces call - ing me As we
 face we see no more as we did in days of yore For she

gath - er round the blaz - ing logs of pine Oh it
 has reached the hap - pi - er sum - mer clime I have

was a home sweet home and where - ev - er I may roam I
 wife and child - ren sweet and our home seems most com - plete Yet I

can't for get that good old win - ter time
 can't for get that good old win - ter time

CHORUS.

Tempo di Valse.

The good old win - ter time _____ The dear old win - ter time _____ The

sleigh bells ring - ing we were sing - ing All the la - test rhymes _____ With

cresc. *f* *f*

hearts as light as air _____ Our dear ones were all there _____ I'll

dream al - ways of hap - py days In the good old win - ter time. _____

rit. *ff* *rit.* *ff*