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The
IUDGMENT of PARIS
or
the Prize Music
as it was perform'd
Before
the Nobility and Gentry
in Dorsett Garden
as also att the Theatre
Compos'd
by

Mr. I. Eccles
Master of Her MAJESTI's Music

The Words by Mr Congreve

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To the Right Hon.ble Charles L.d Hallifax &c.

My Lord

The favourable reception which my poor Endeavours have ever met from your Lo.ps goodness, has given me the boldness humbly to offer this piece of Musick to your Protection: And since it Entirely derives it's being from that generous design of Improving and Encouraging the English professours in this Art, which your Lo.p. so Effectually propos'd and promoted. I hope you will receive this Dedication as an Instance of my Duty & humble Acknowledgments.

I am very far from thinking this so perfect as to merit your Lo.ps Approbation. And if it can Entitle me to the Continuance of your patronage That is all which I ought to expect from it: The influence of which will I hope Animate me to produce something more worthy of your Leisure houres.

Next after the Service of your Country, It has Appear'd that your Lo.p. has made it both your buiſsiness and pleasure to Encourage and Improve Arts and Sciences, That to your Immortal honour You have had so long and Irre-sistable Succeſs in the former, is owing to your Lo.p. having been a Principal Agent in the Executive part of your own Great and good Designs. If in your Second care You should not Equally Succeed, it is because it Do's not equally depend upon your Lo.p. Your part in this being but halfe of what you have Sustaind in the other.

For my own part however I may hitherto have fallen short of what I ought to have done, in proportion to the Encouragement received from your Lordship. Yet I will not Despair some time or other thro my Industry to make Amends for it.

As to the following Composition, my Labour in it was more then requited, by your Lo.ps Allowance of it at the Practice; if at the publick performance, besides the kind Approbation which it received from the Greater part of the Audience, it had also had the fortune to have pleas'd them who Came prepar'd to Dislike it, I might have been too vain of my Succeſs, and may be not have thought my Selfe Obliged (as now I think I am) by my future care to Endevour to Obtain their good Opinions Whome it is my Ambition to please and from whome I am Sorry not to have already Deserv'd more Encouragement.

Under the Sanctuary of your Lo.ps name I Venture this into the publick, humbly Asking your Lo.ps pardon for all its faults, and particularly for this which it has made me now Comitt in Giving you this trouble from

Yr Ldsps

Most Humble and

Most Obedient Serv.t

John Eccles

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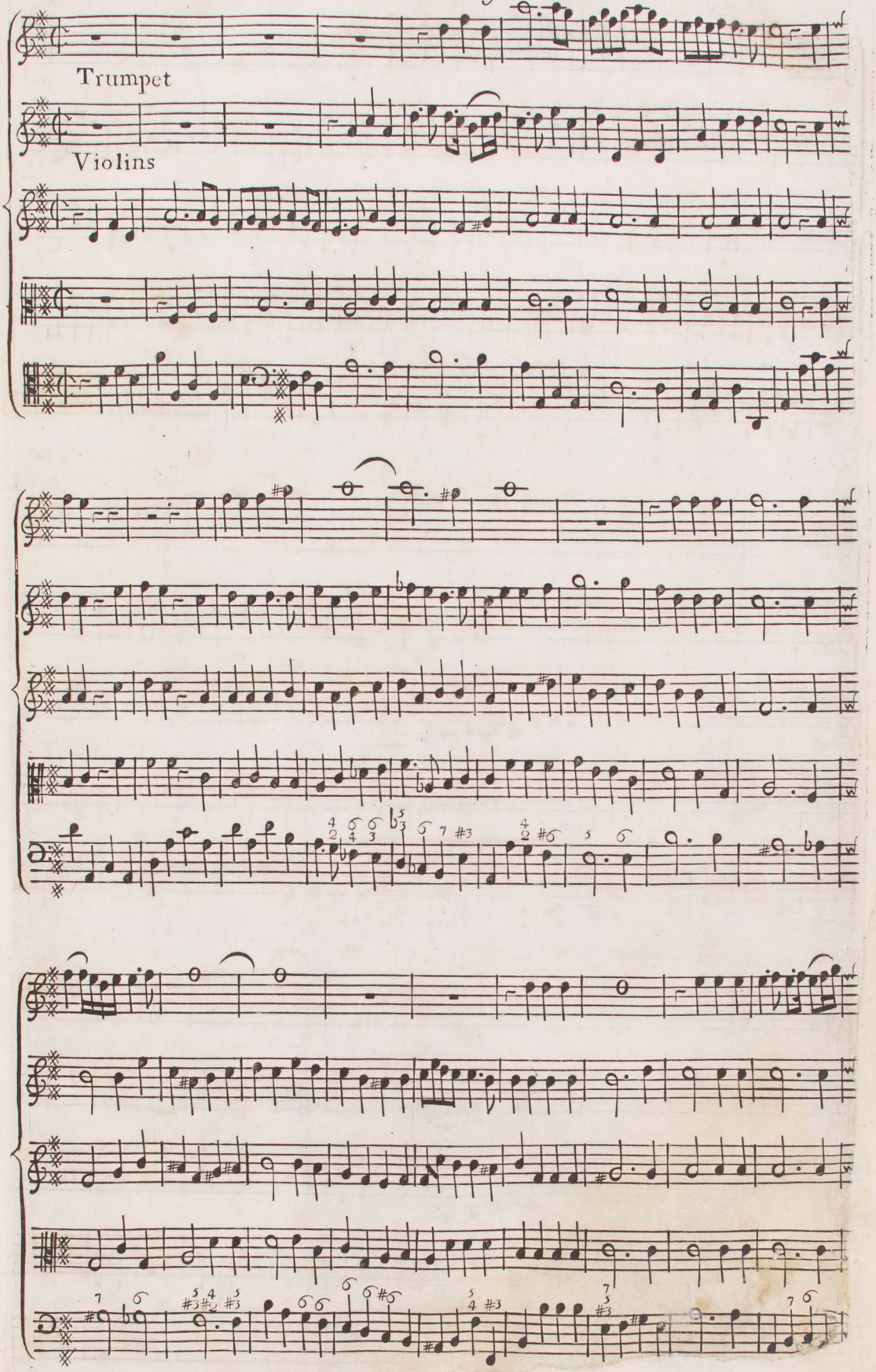
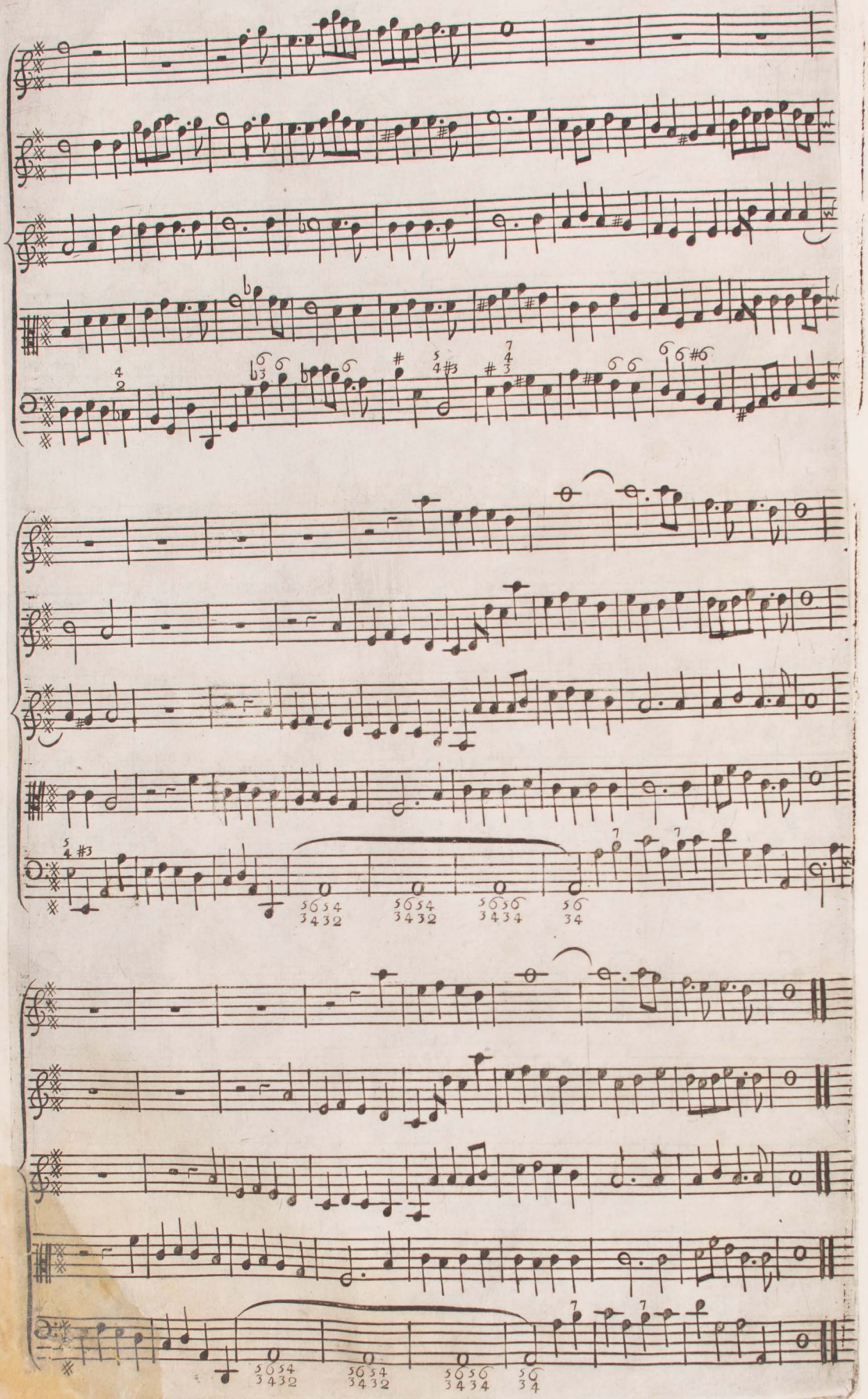
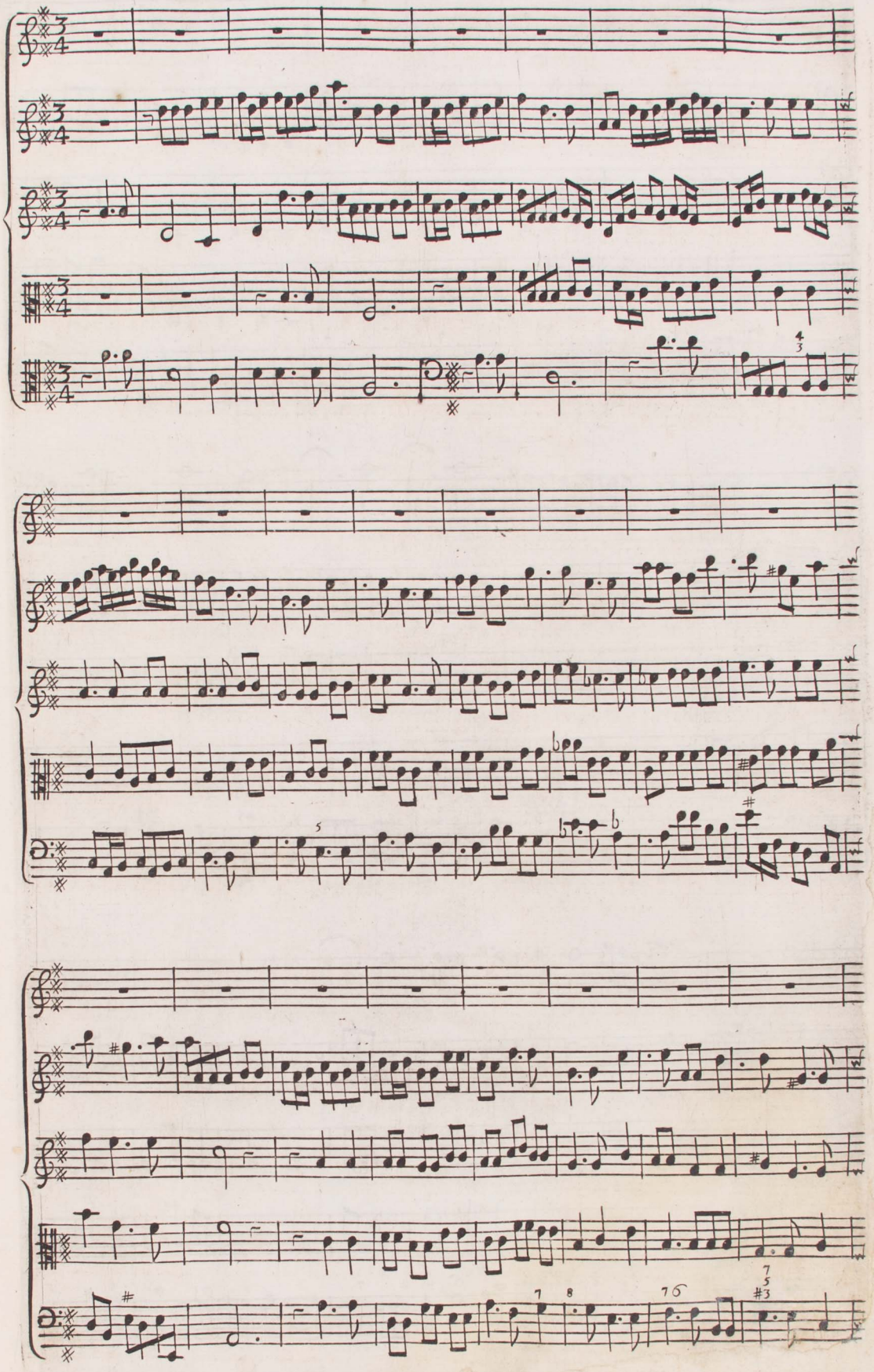
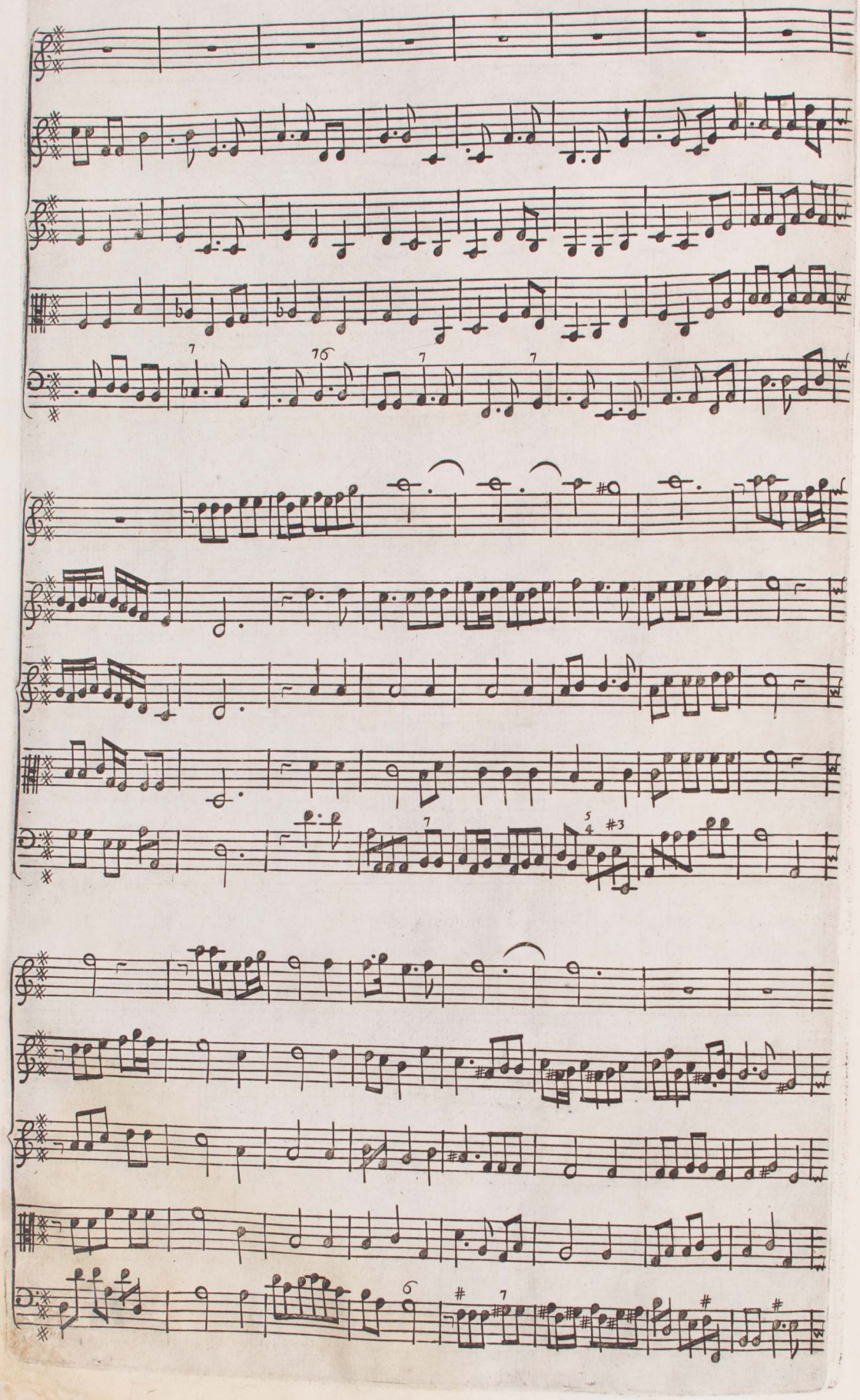
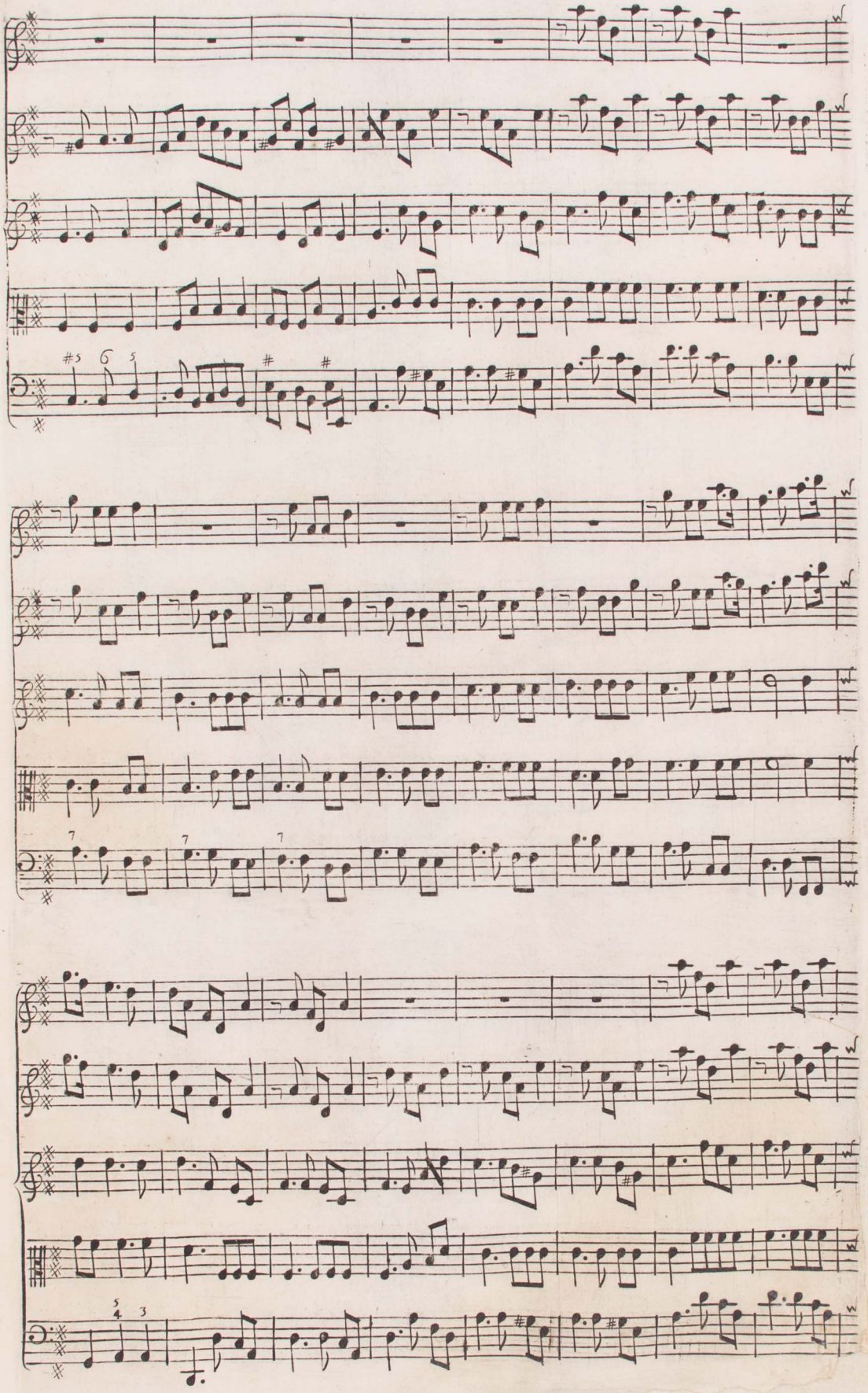
SYMPHONY *for* Mercury

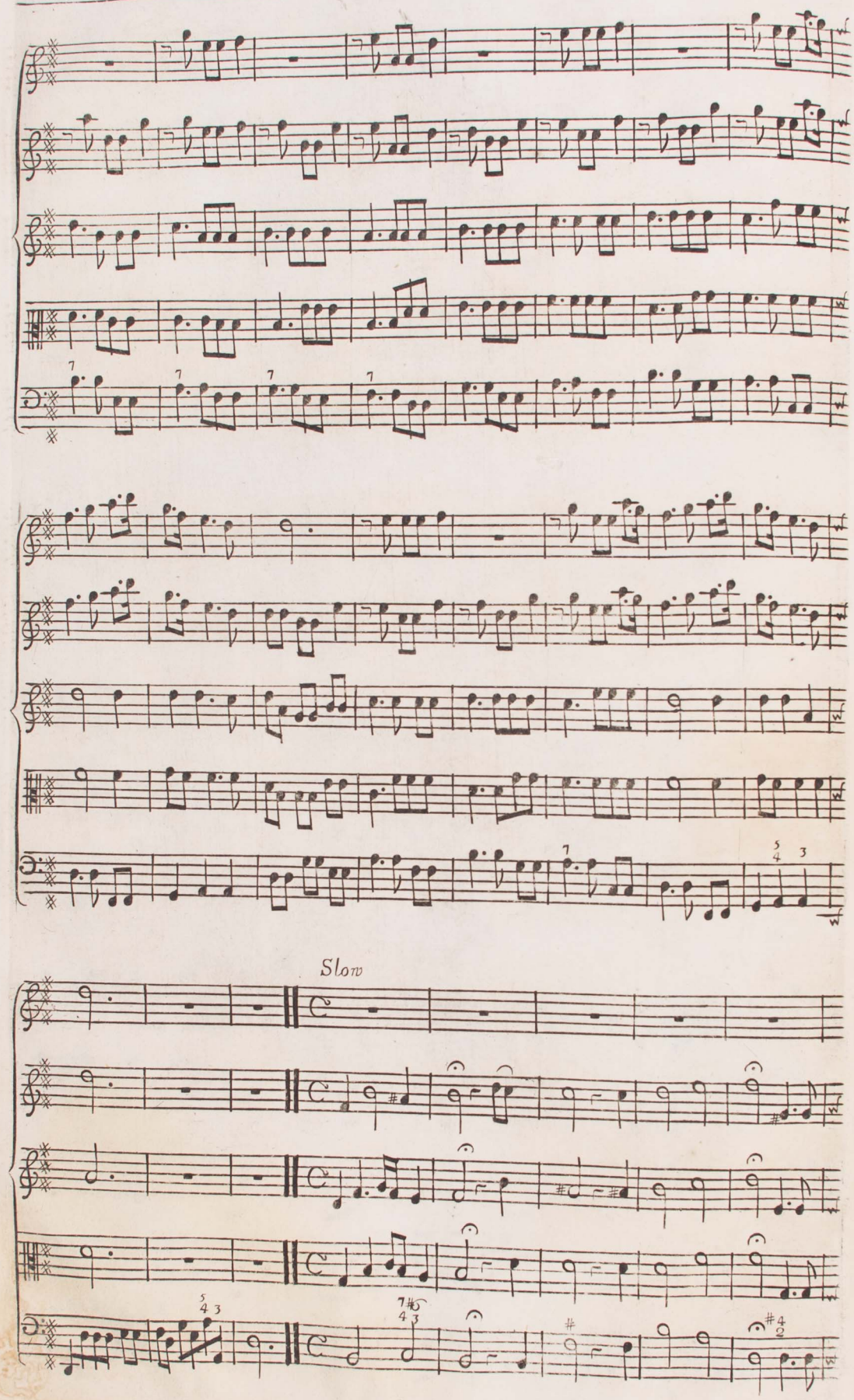








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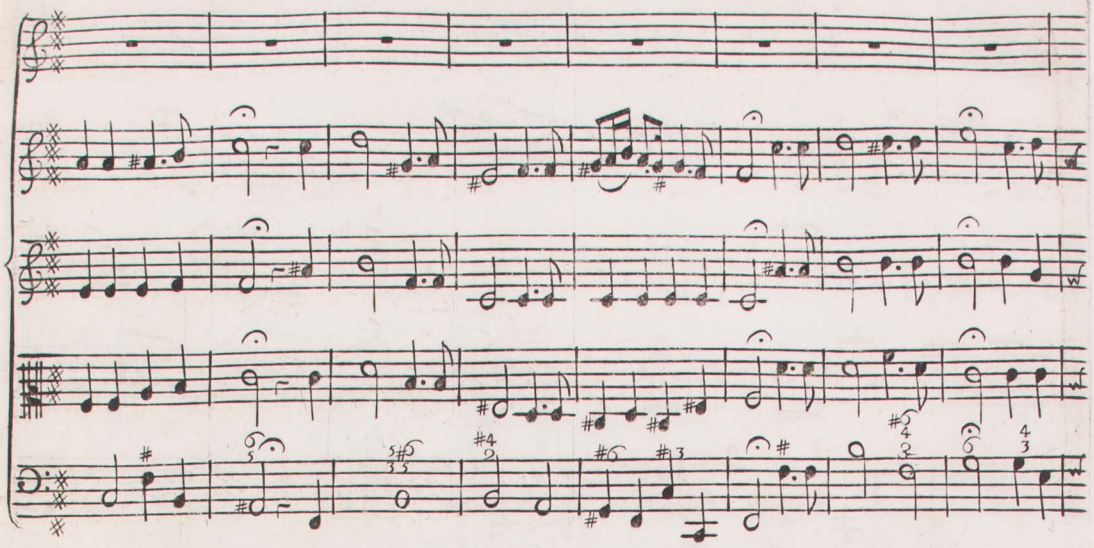

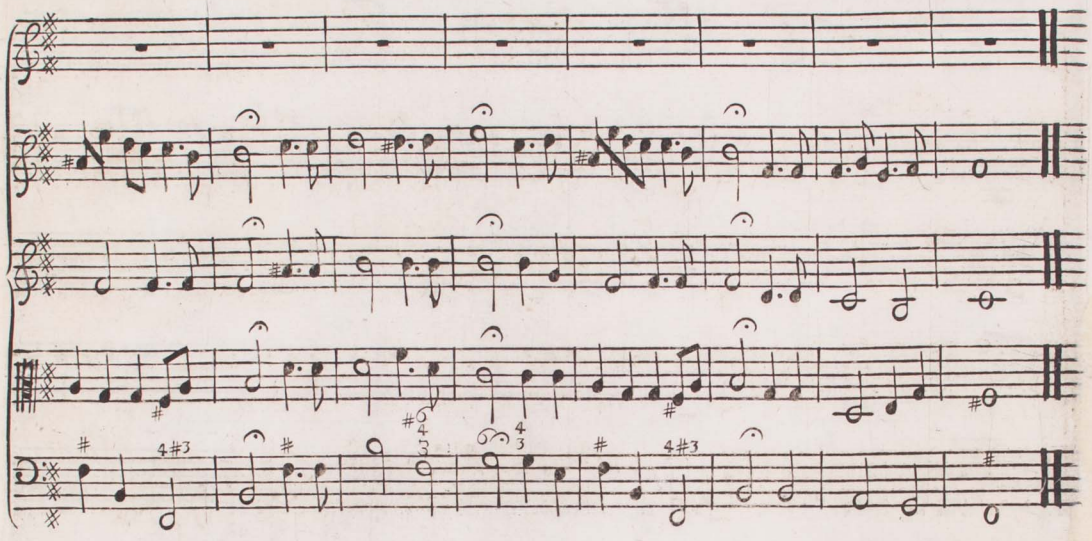

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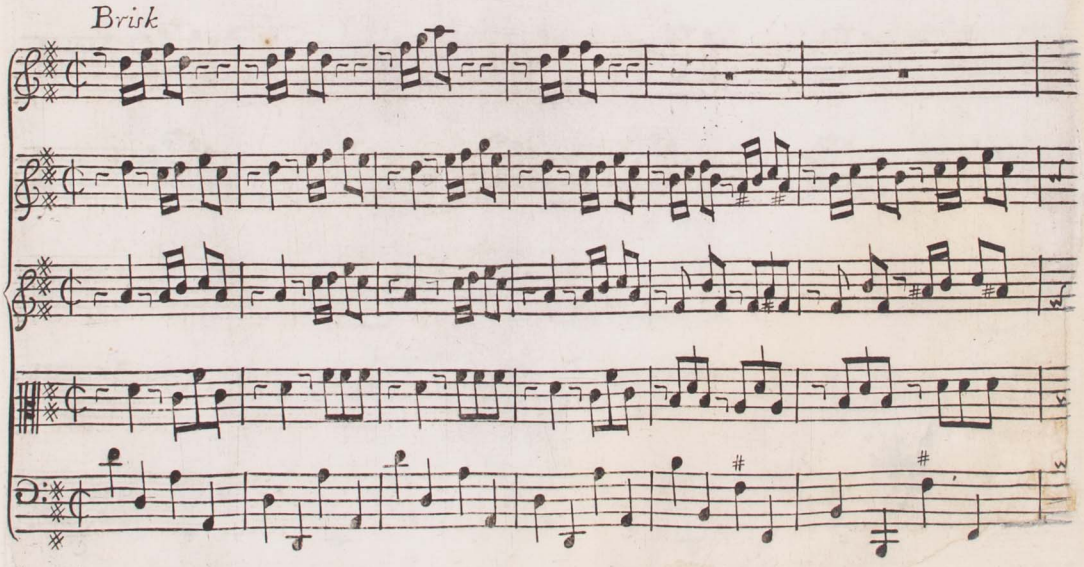
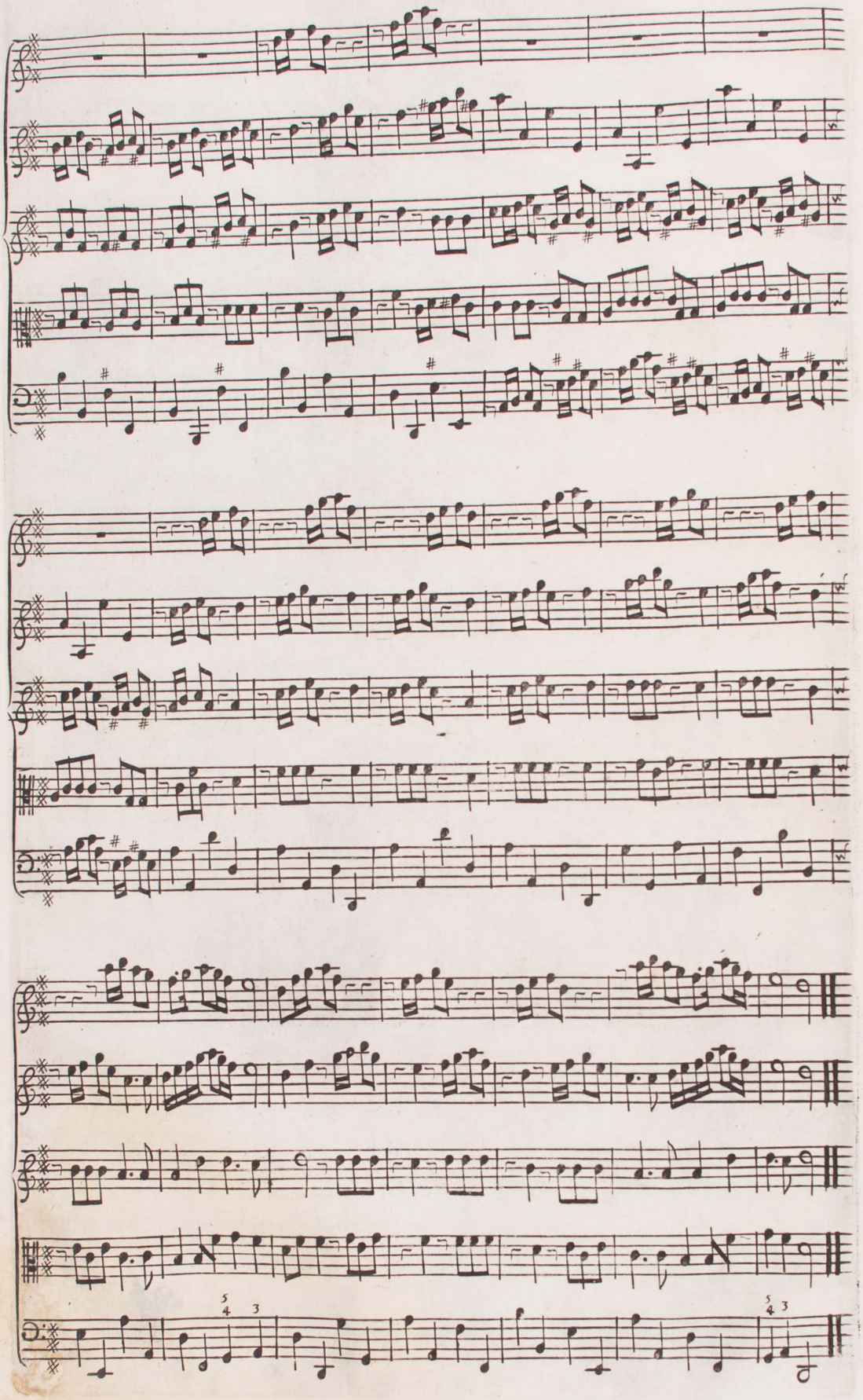
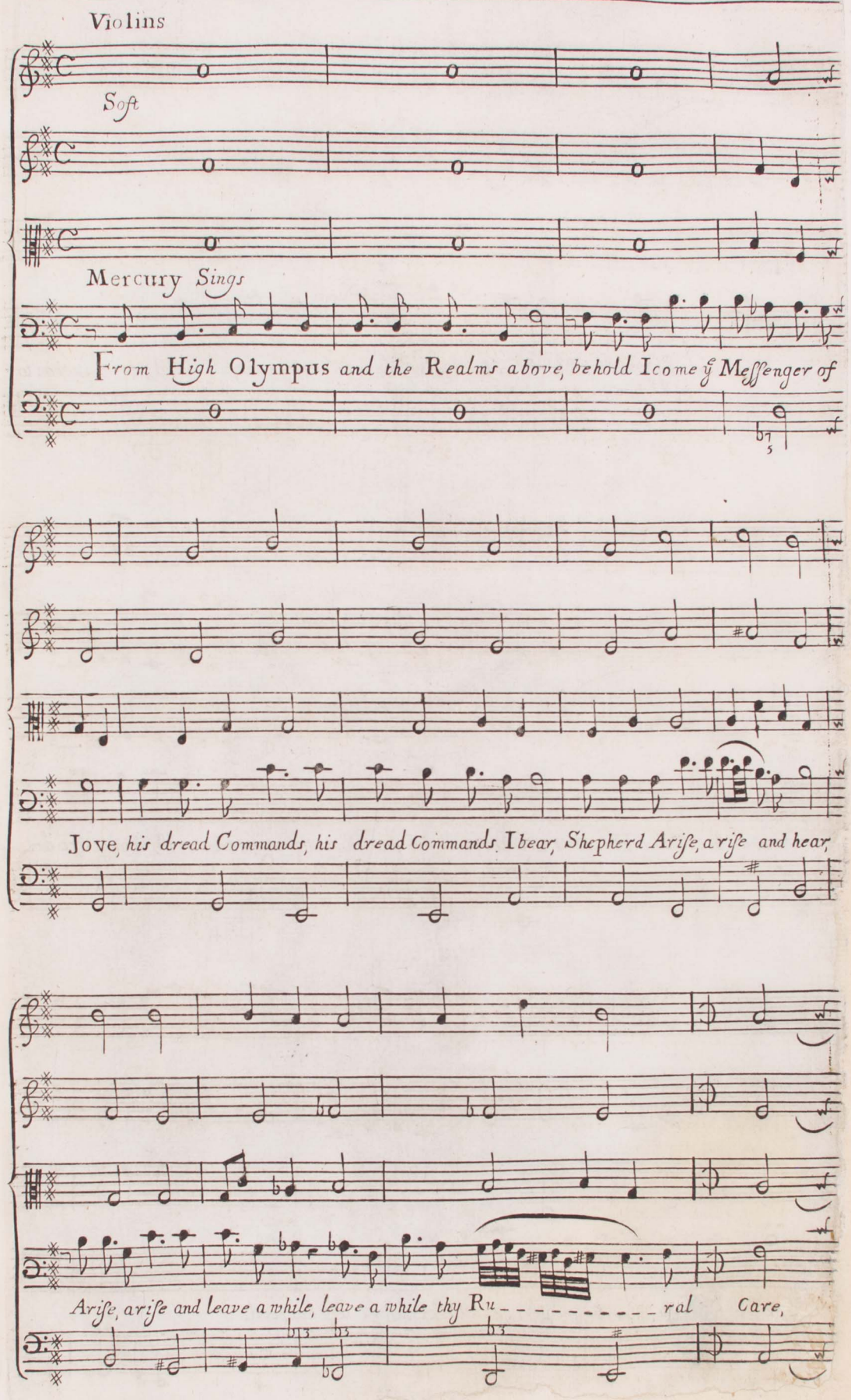
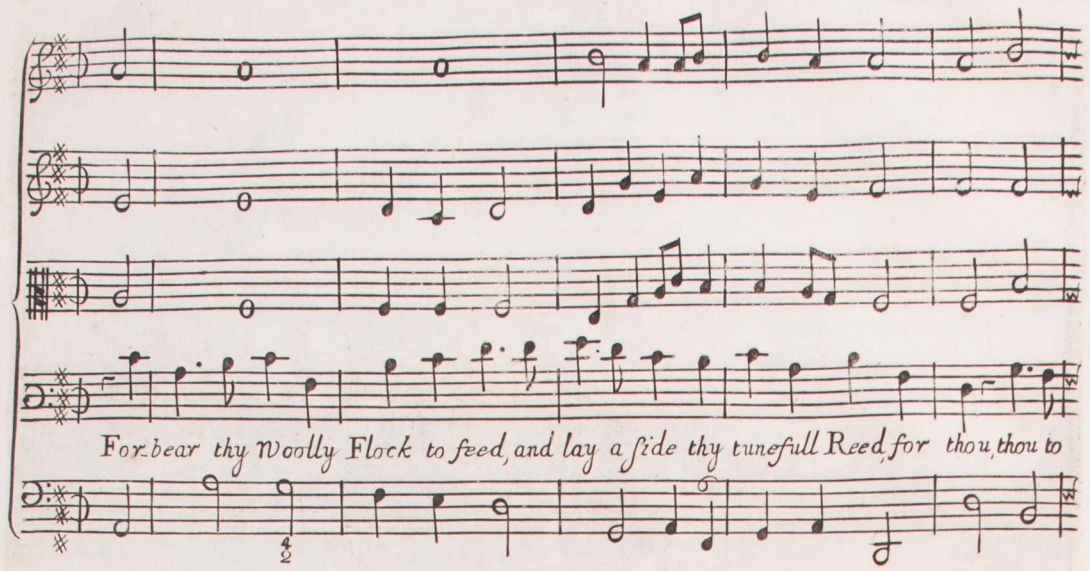
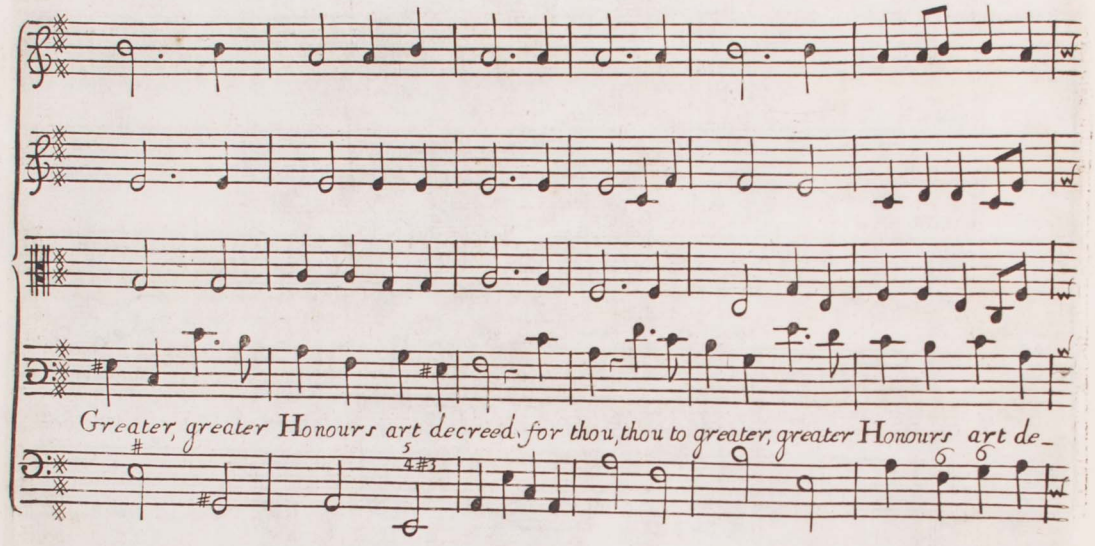
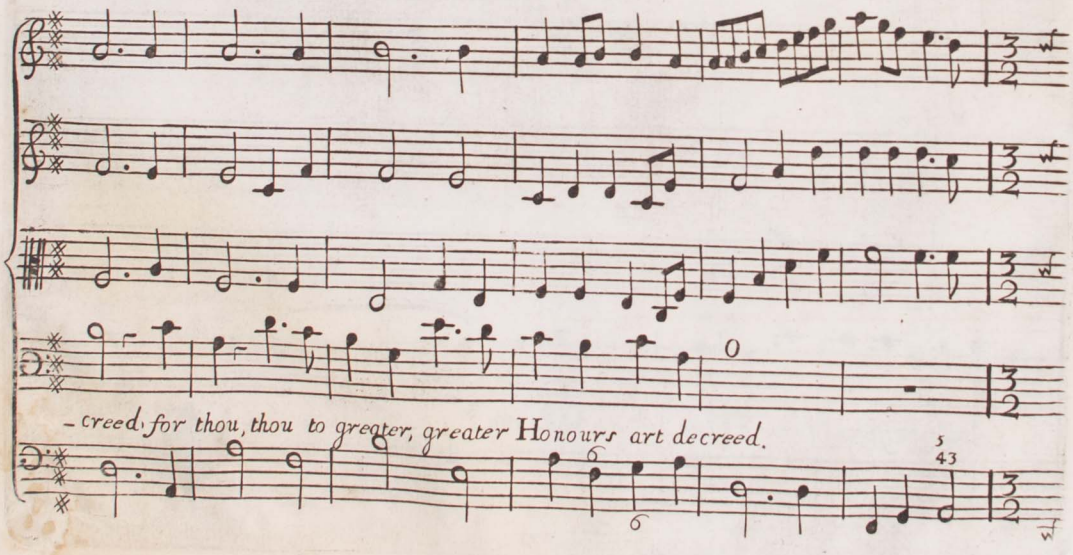





Violins
Soft
Mercury Sings
From High Olympus and the Realms above, behold I come ye Messenger of
Jove, his dread Commands, his dread Commands I bear, Shepherd Arise, arise and hear,
Arise, arise and leave awhile, leave awhile thy Ru - - - - - - - - - - ral Care,


Forbear thy Woolly Flock to feed, and lay aside thy tunefull Reed, for thou, thou to


Greater, greater Honours art decreed, for thou, thou to greater, greater Honours art de-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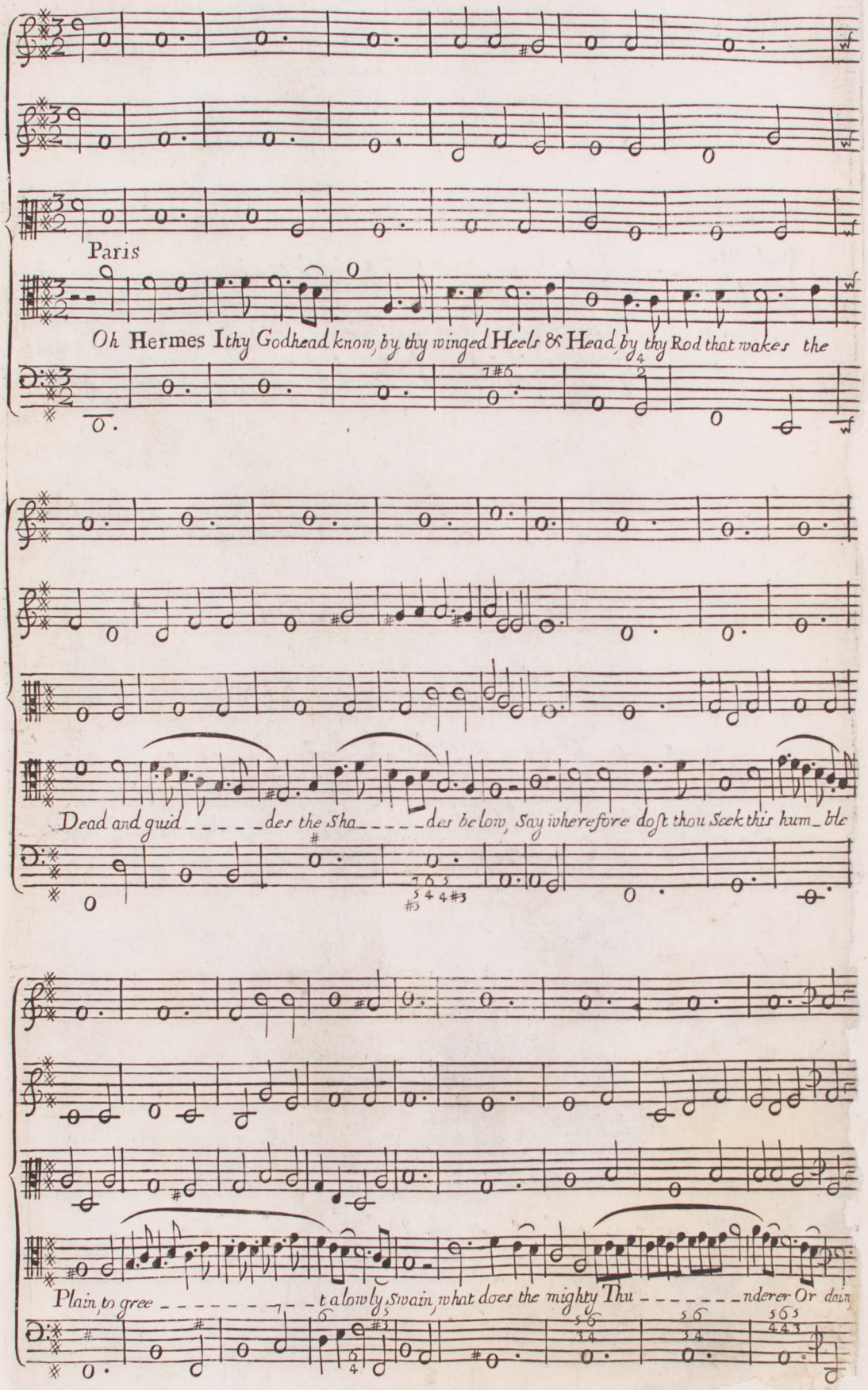
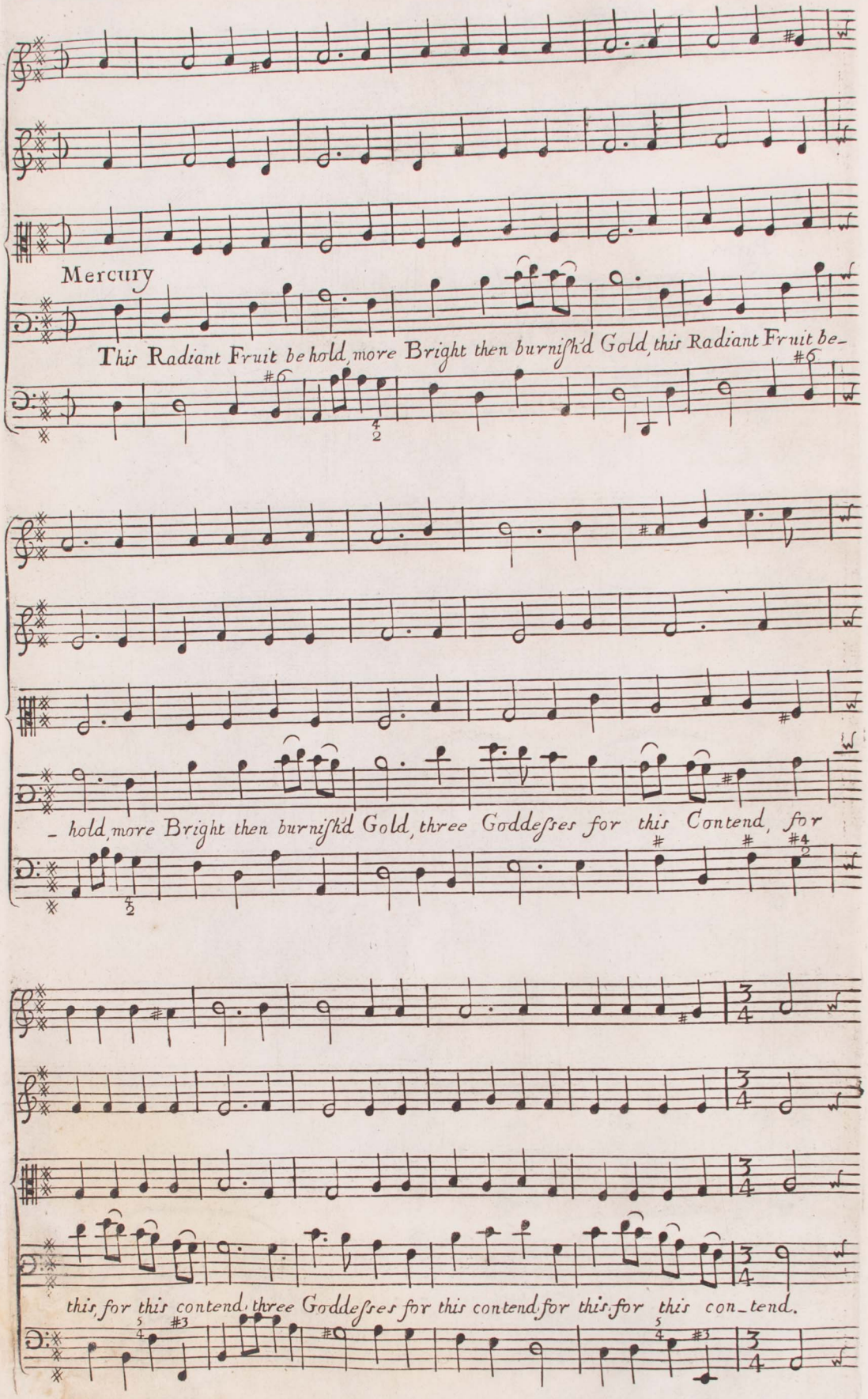
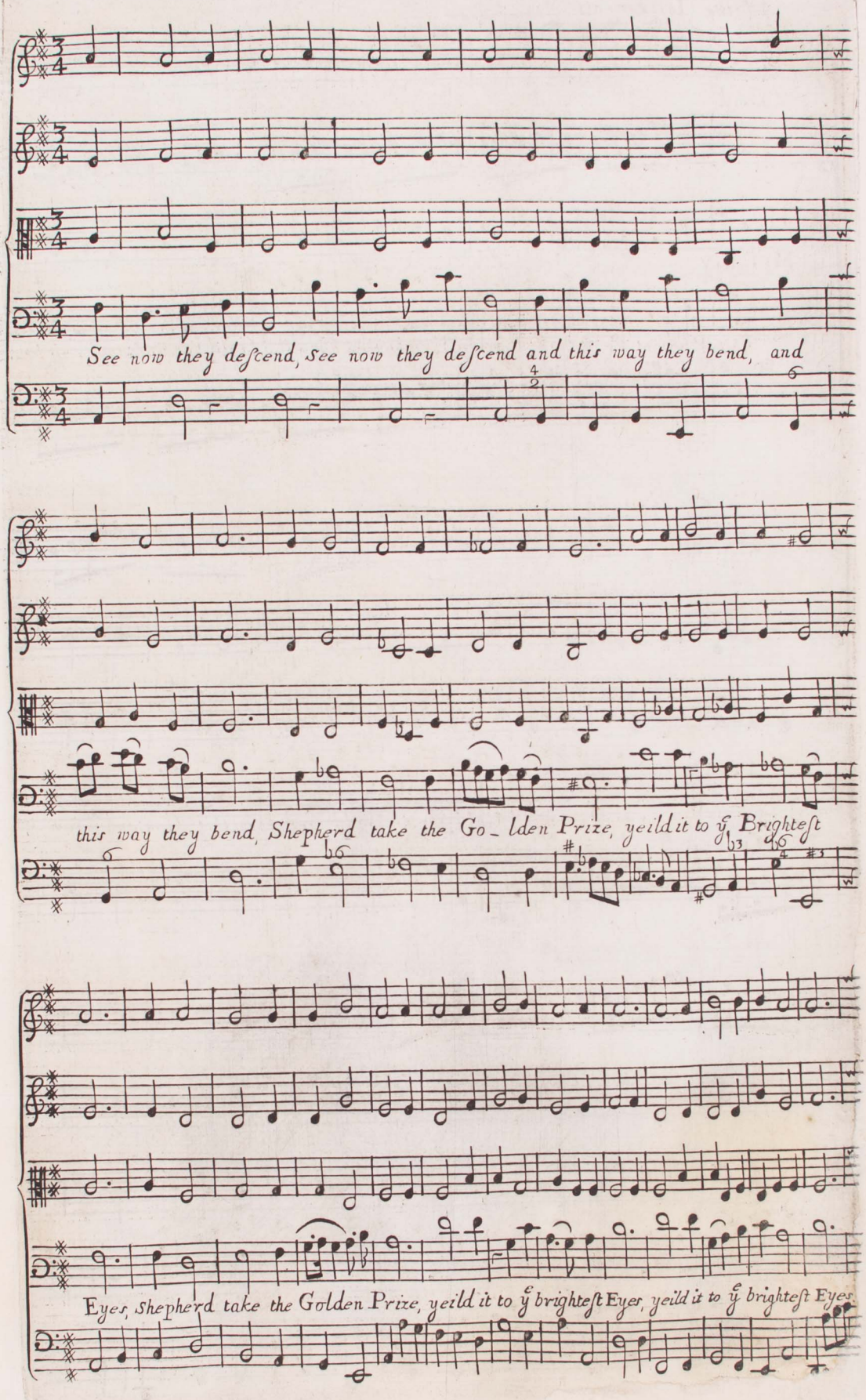
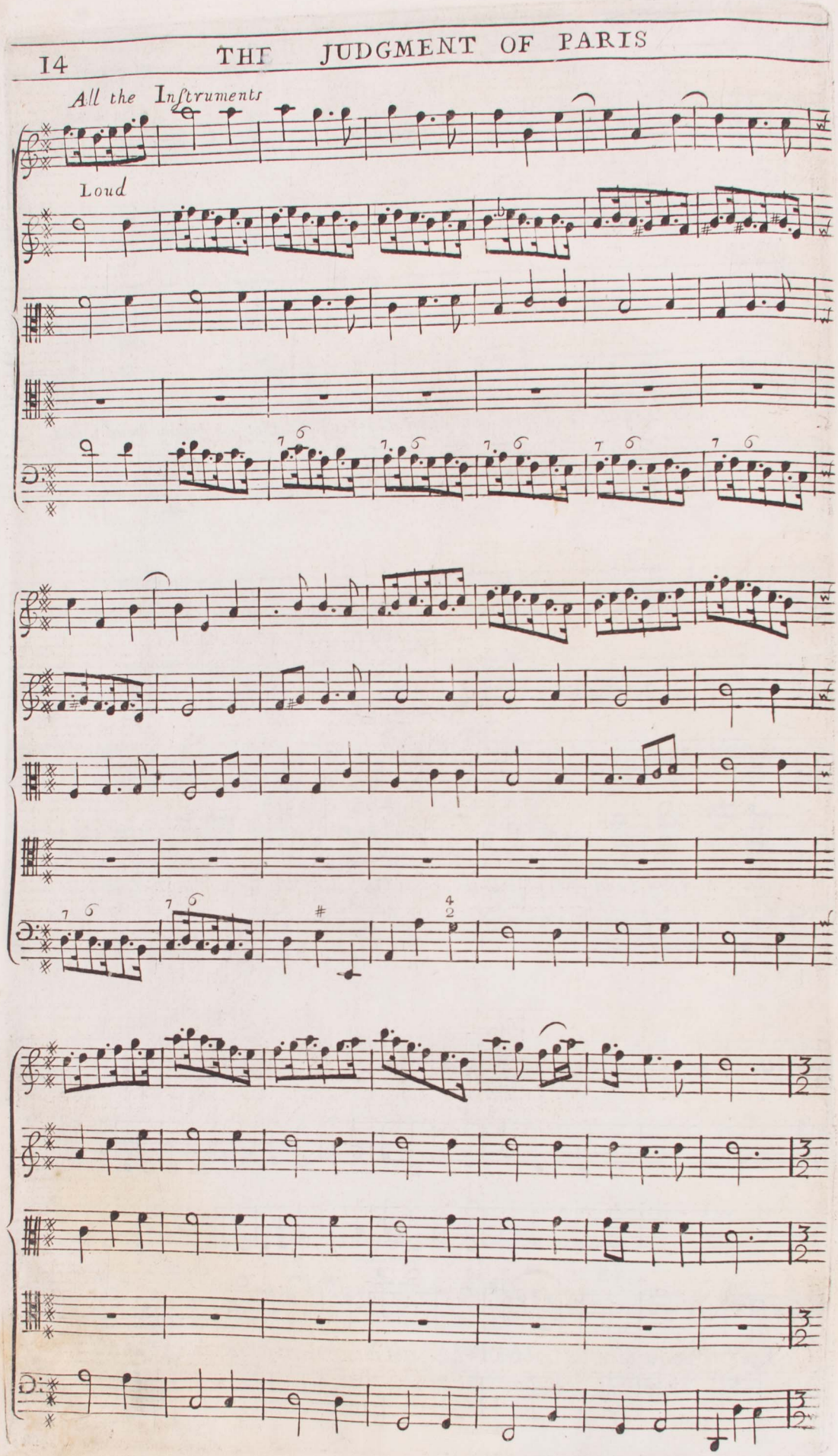
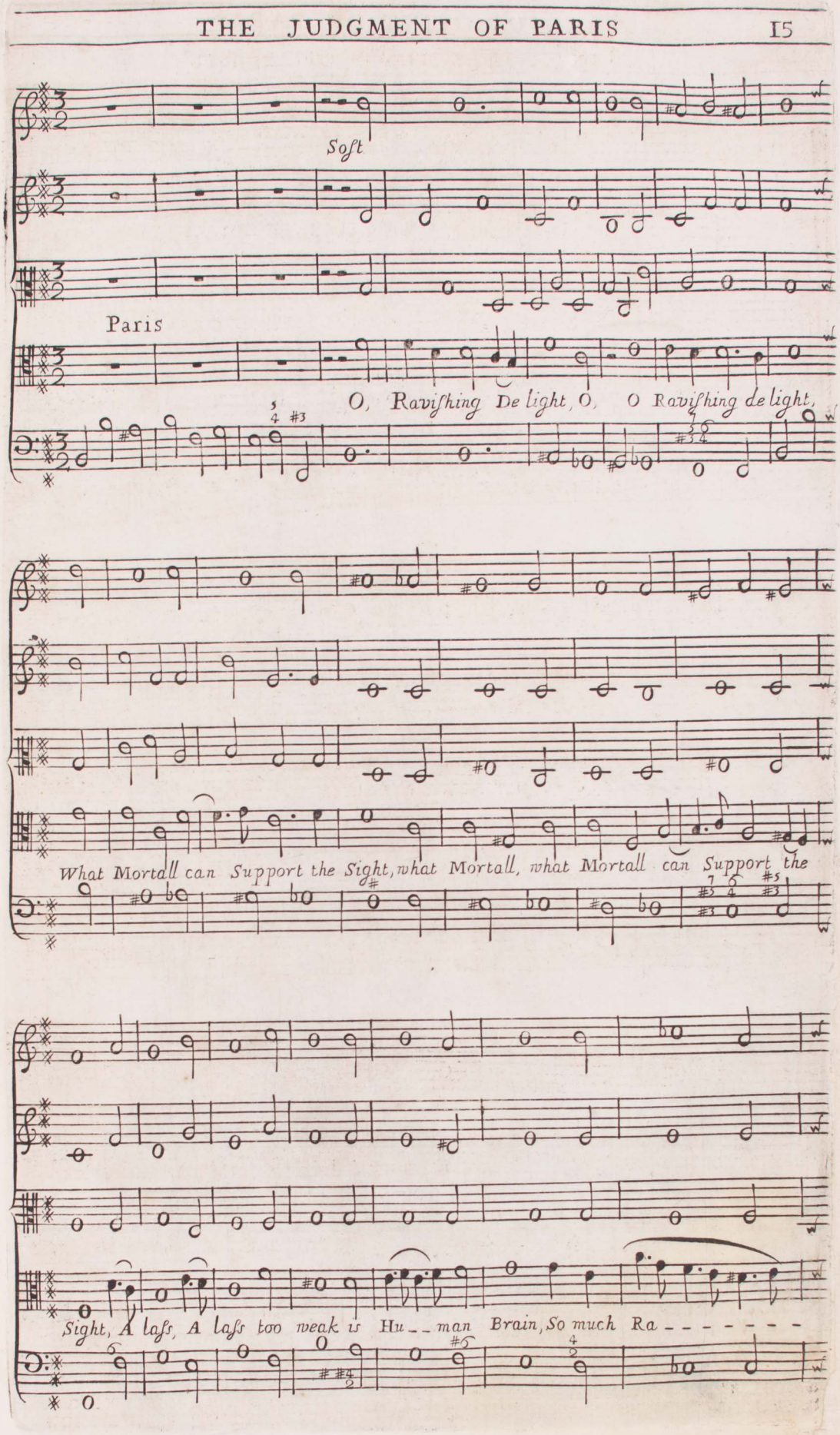
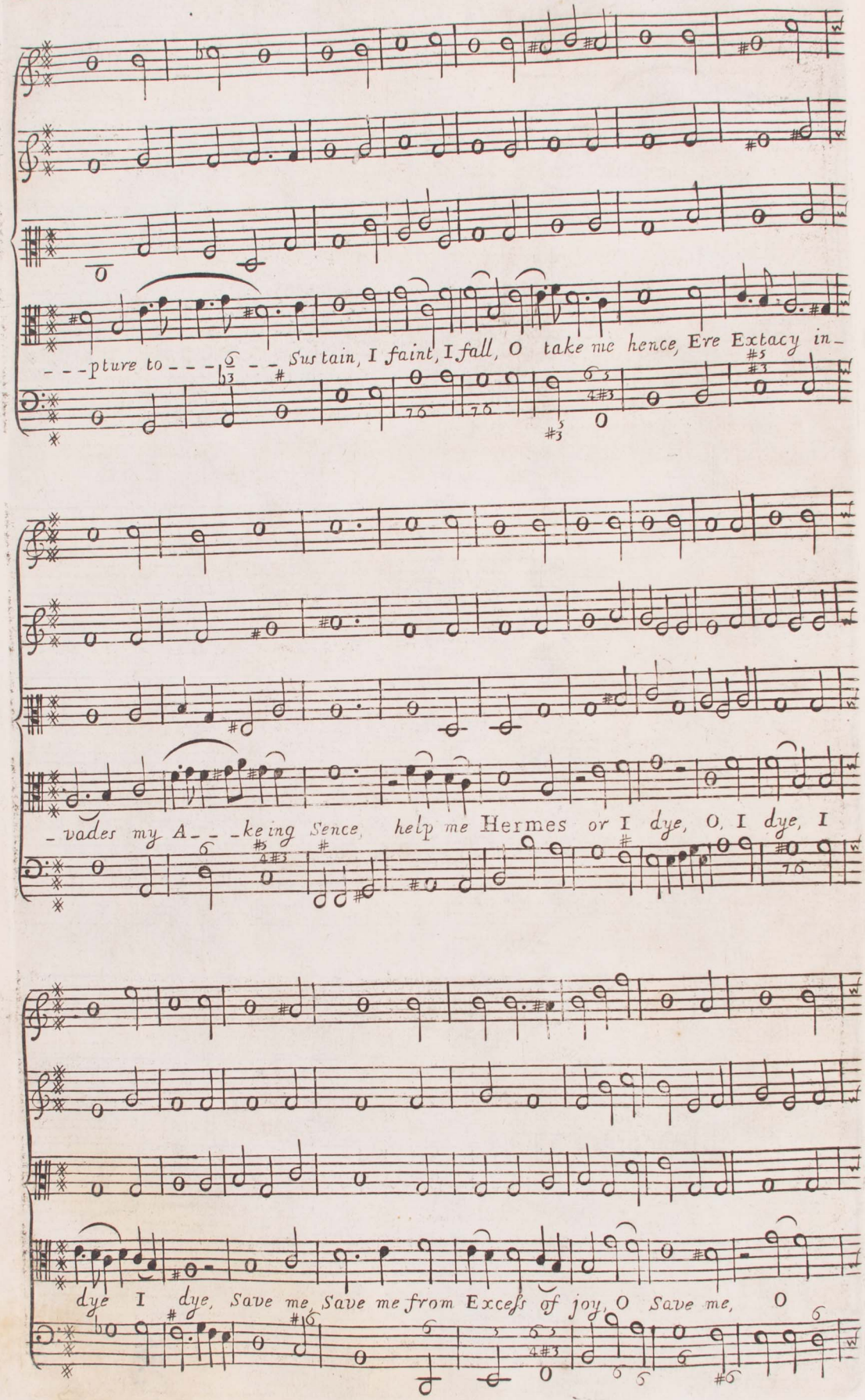

Paris
Oh Hermes I thy Godhead know, by thy winged Heels & Head, by thy Rod that wakes the
Dead and guid - - - - - des the Sha - - - - - des be low, Say wherefore dost thou Seek this hum - ble
Plain, to gree - - - - - - - - talowly Swain, what does the mighty Thu - - - - - - - nderer Or dain

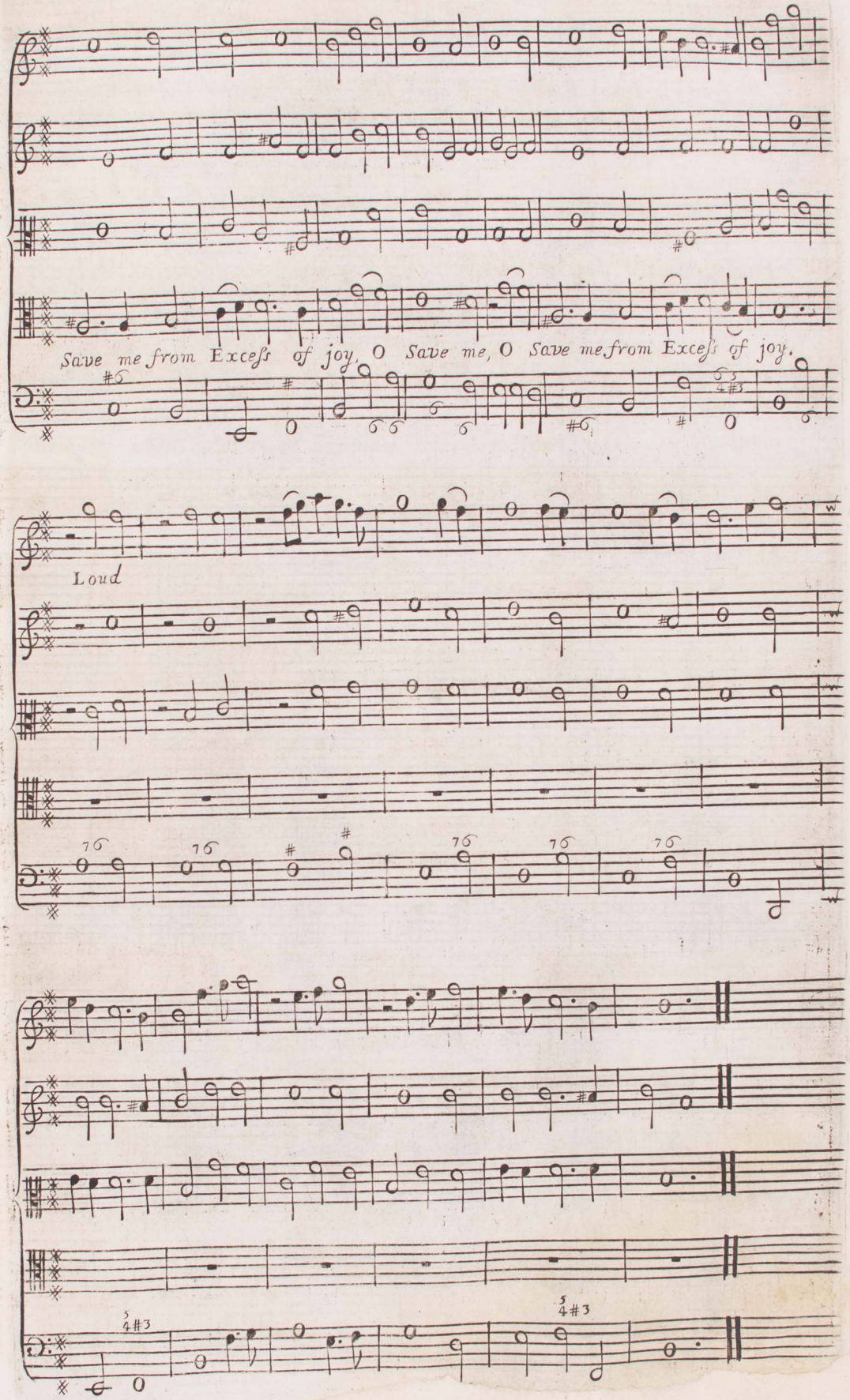

Mercury
This Radiant Fruit be hold, more Bright then burnish'd Gold, this Radiant Fruit be-
- hold, more Bright then burnish'd Gold, three Goddesses for this Contend, for
this, for this contend, three Goddesses for this contend, for this, for this con-tend.

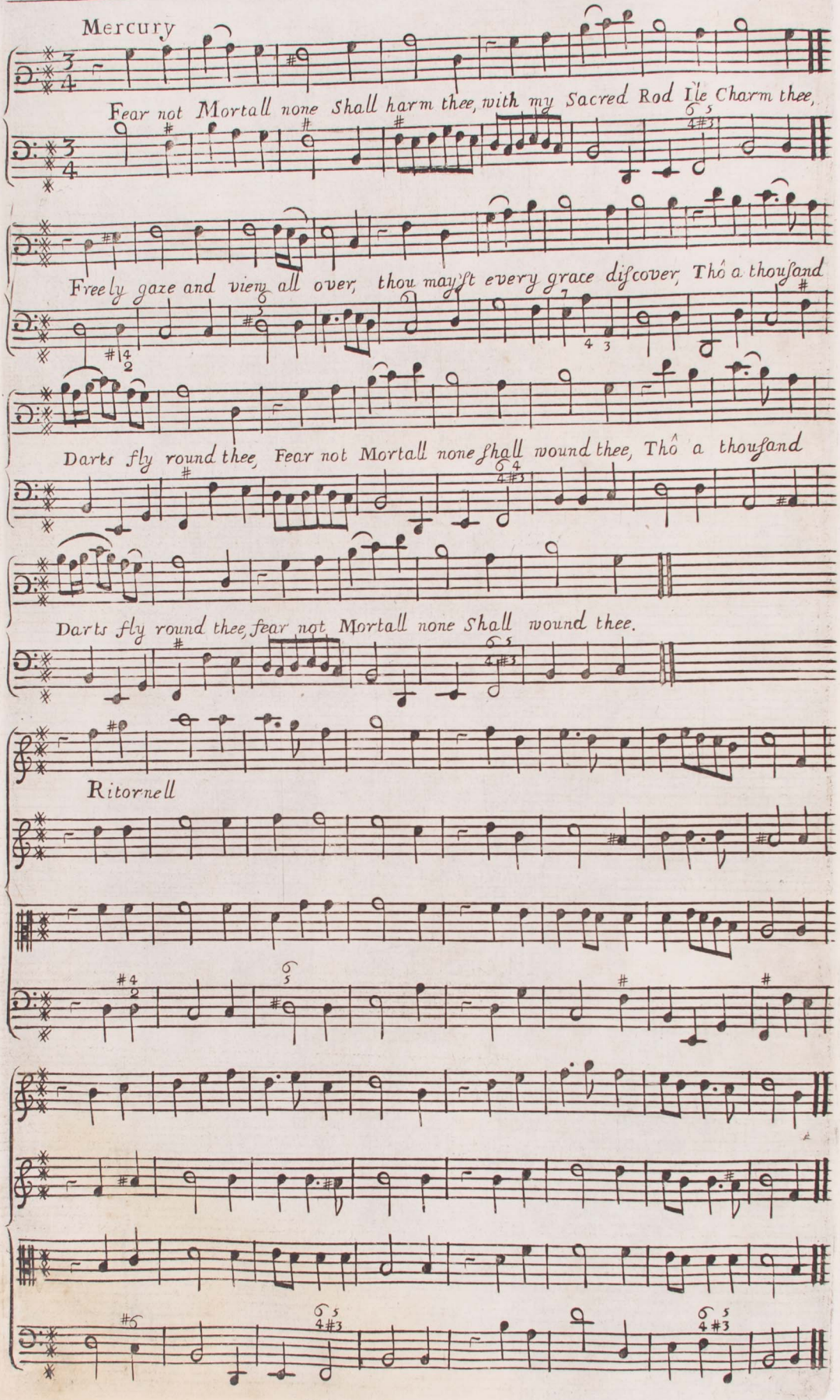

See now they descend, See now they descend and this way they bend, and
this way they bend, Shepherd take the Go_lden Prize, yeild it to ỹ Brighteſt
Eyes, Shepherd take the Golden Prize, yeild it to ỹ brighteſt Eyes, yeild it to ỹ brighteſt Eyes

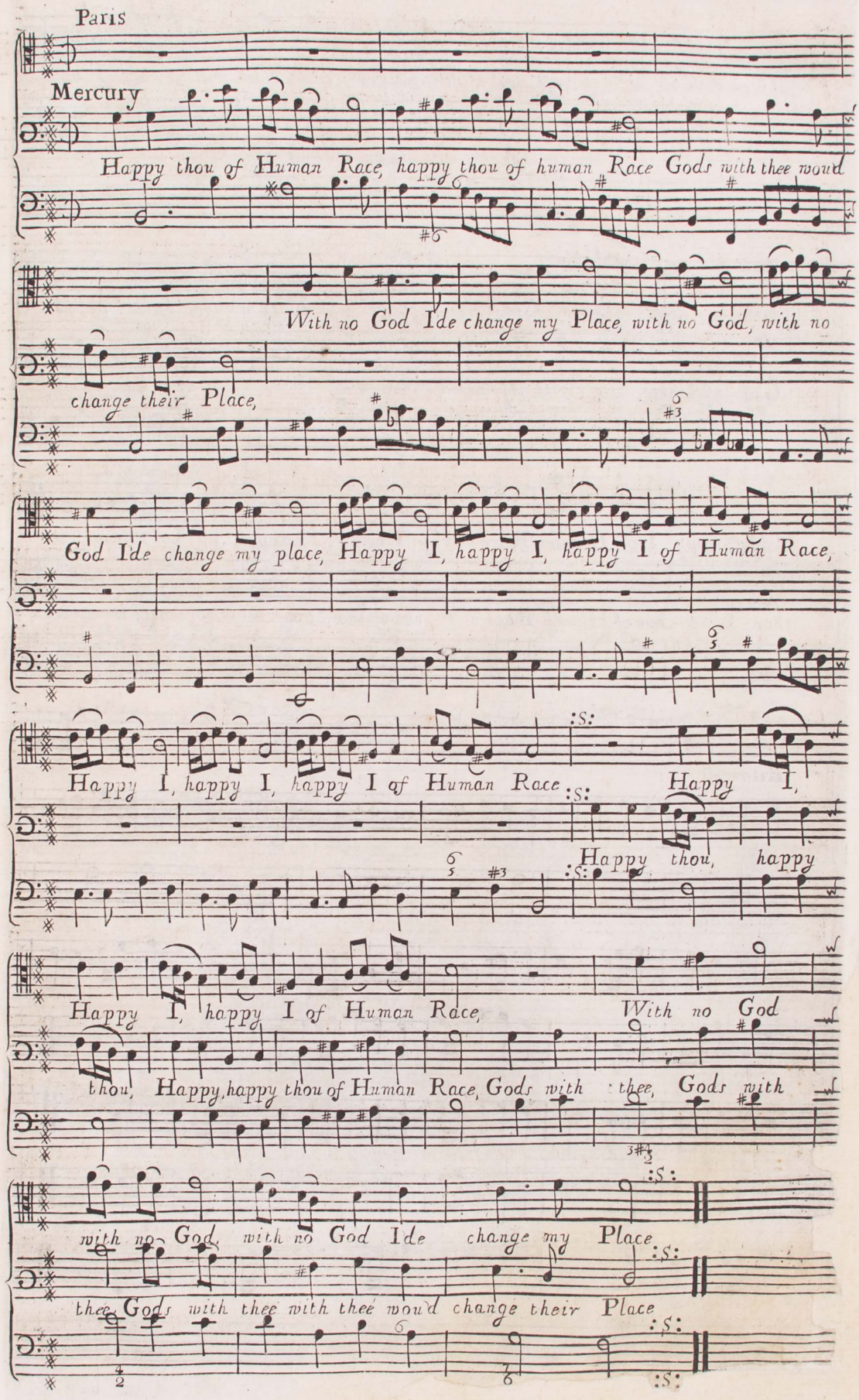

All the Instruments
Loud

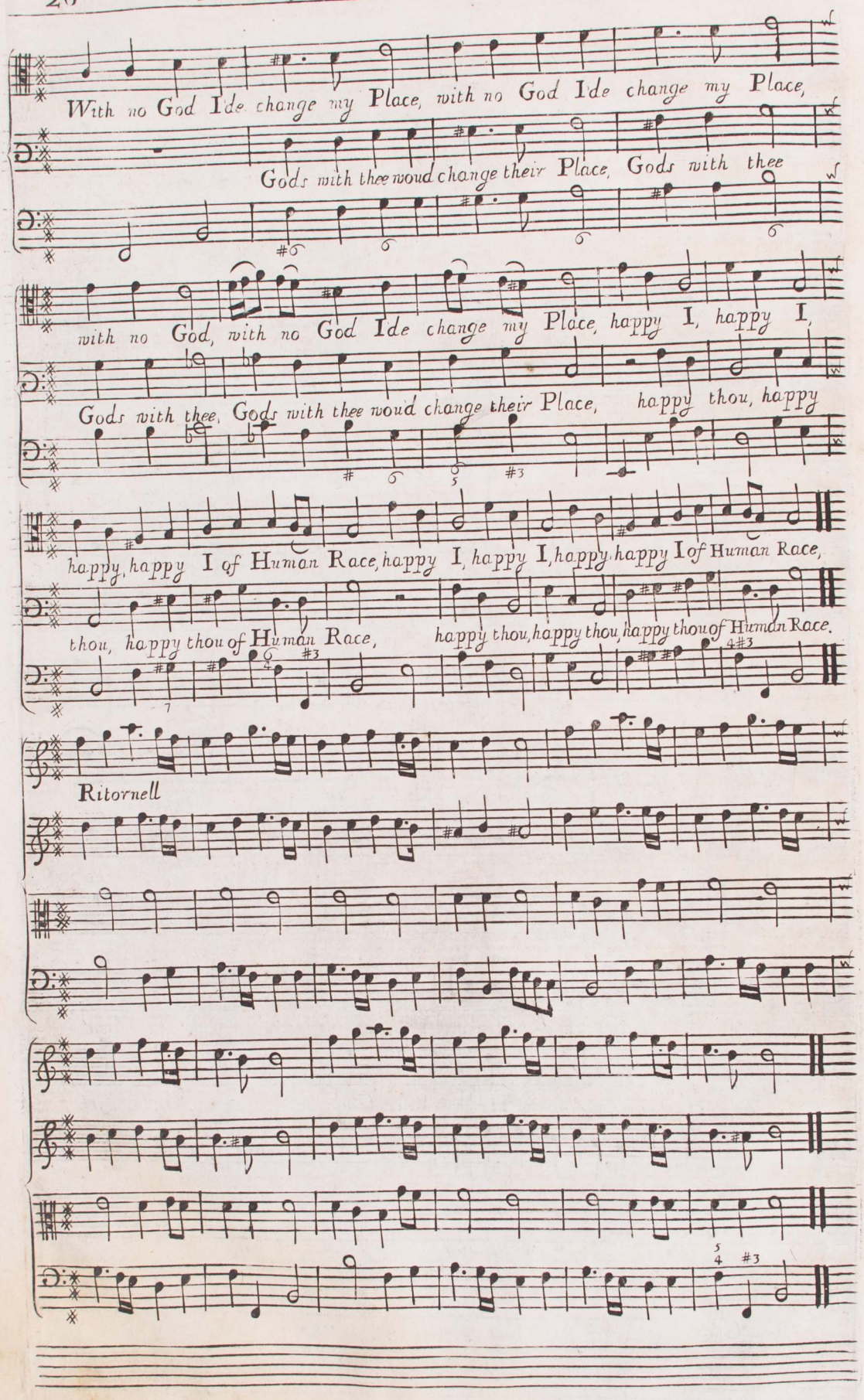

Soft
Paris
O, Ravishing De light, O, O Ravishing de light,
What Mortall can Support the Sight, what Mortall, what Mortall can Support the
Sight, A lass, A lass too weak is Hu - - man Brain, So much Ra - - - - - - -

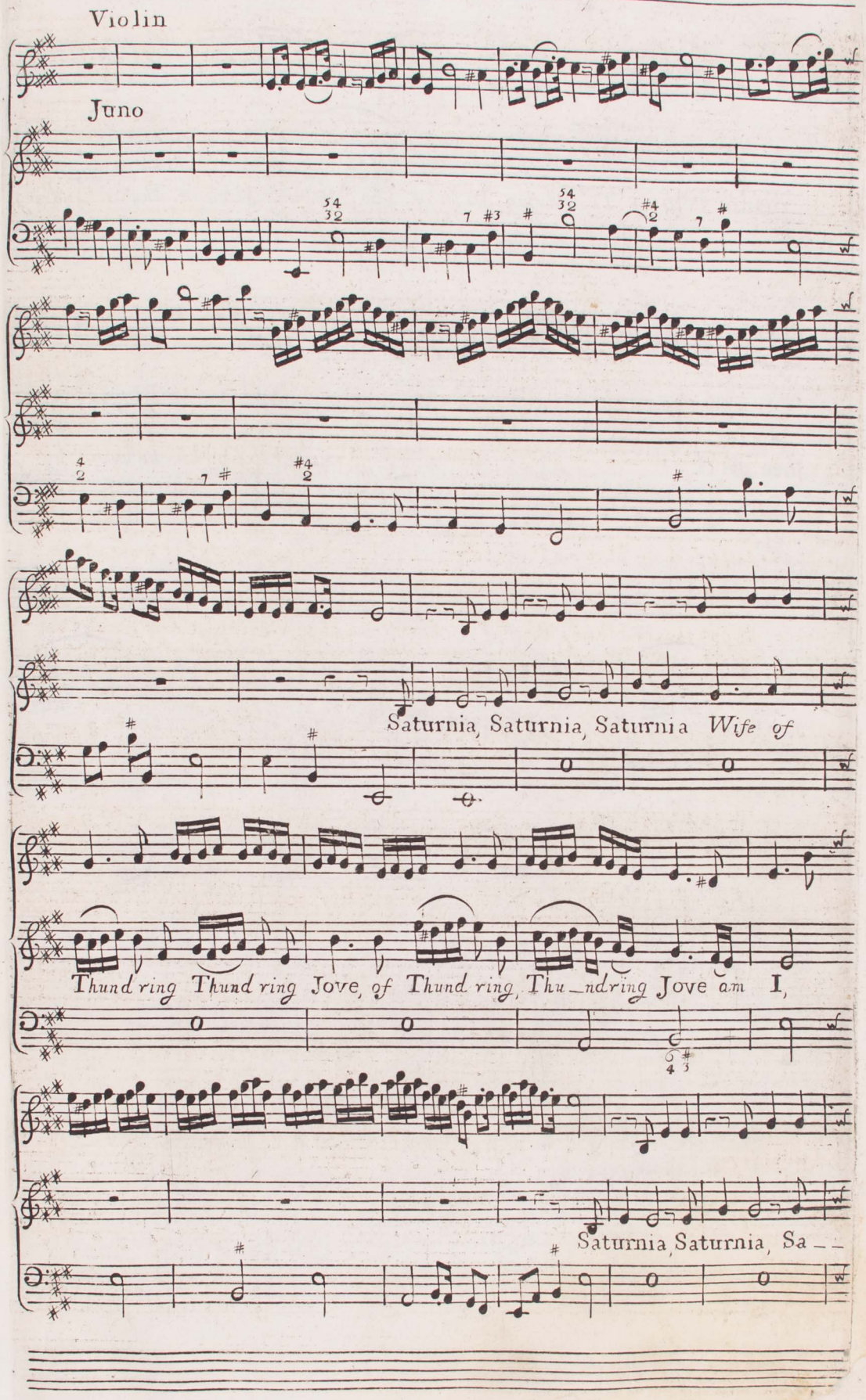

---pture to---Sustain, I faint, I fall, O take me hence, Ere Extacy in-
-vades my A---keing Sence, help me Hermes or I dye, O, I dye, I
dye I dye, Save me, Save me from Exceſs of joy, O Save me, O

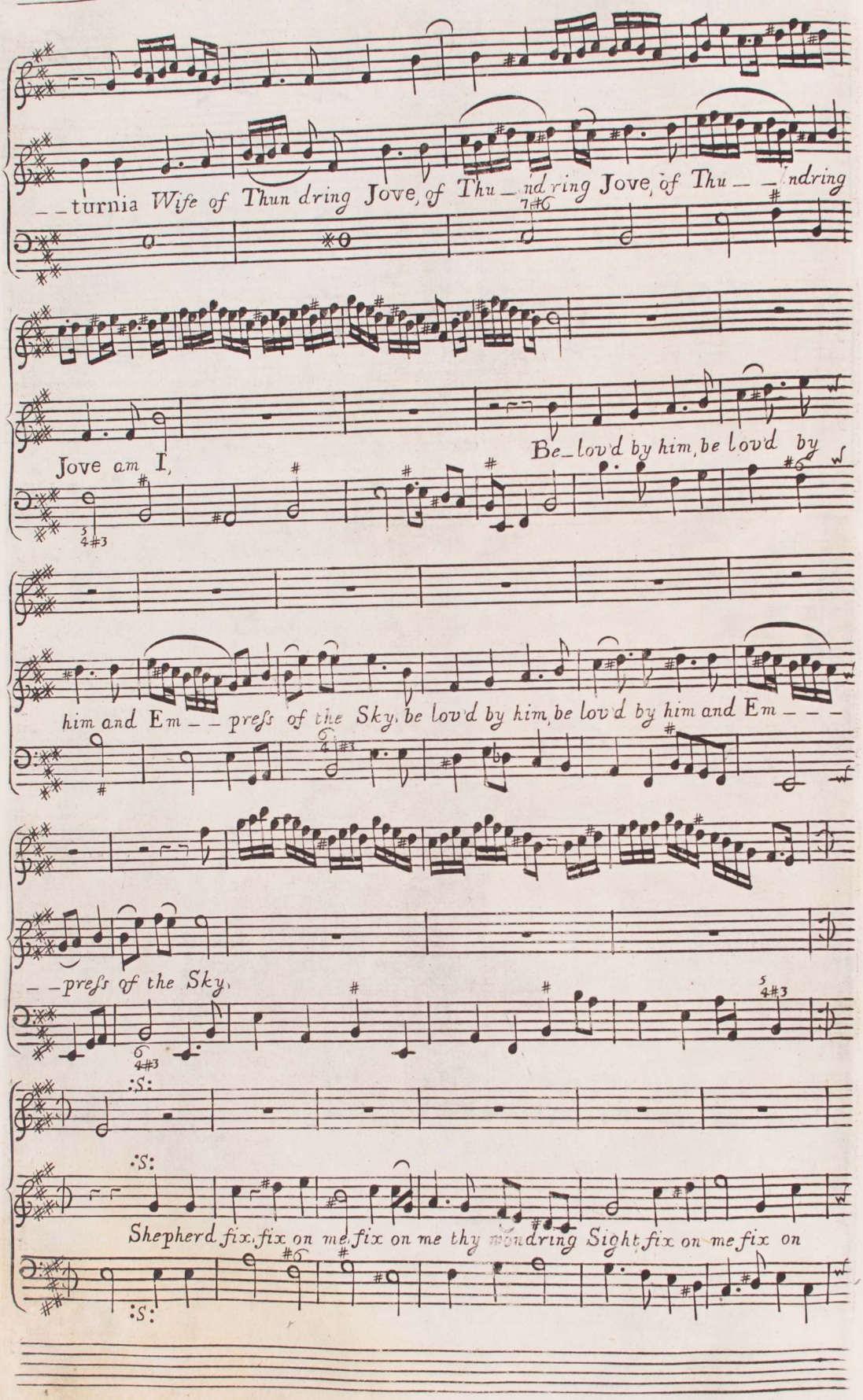

Save me from Exceſs of joy, O Save me, O Save me from Exceſs of joy.
Loud

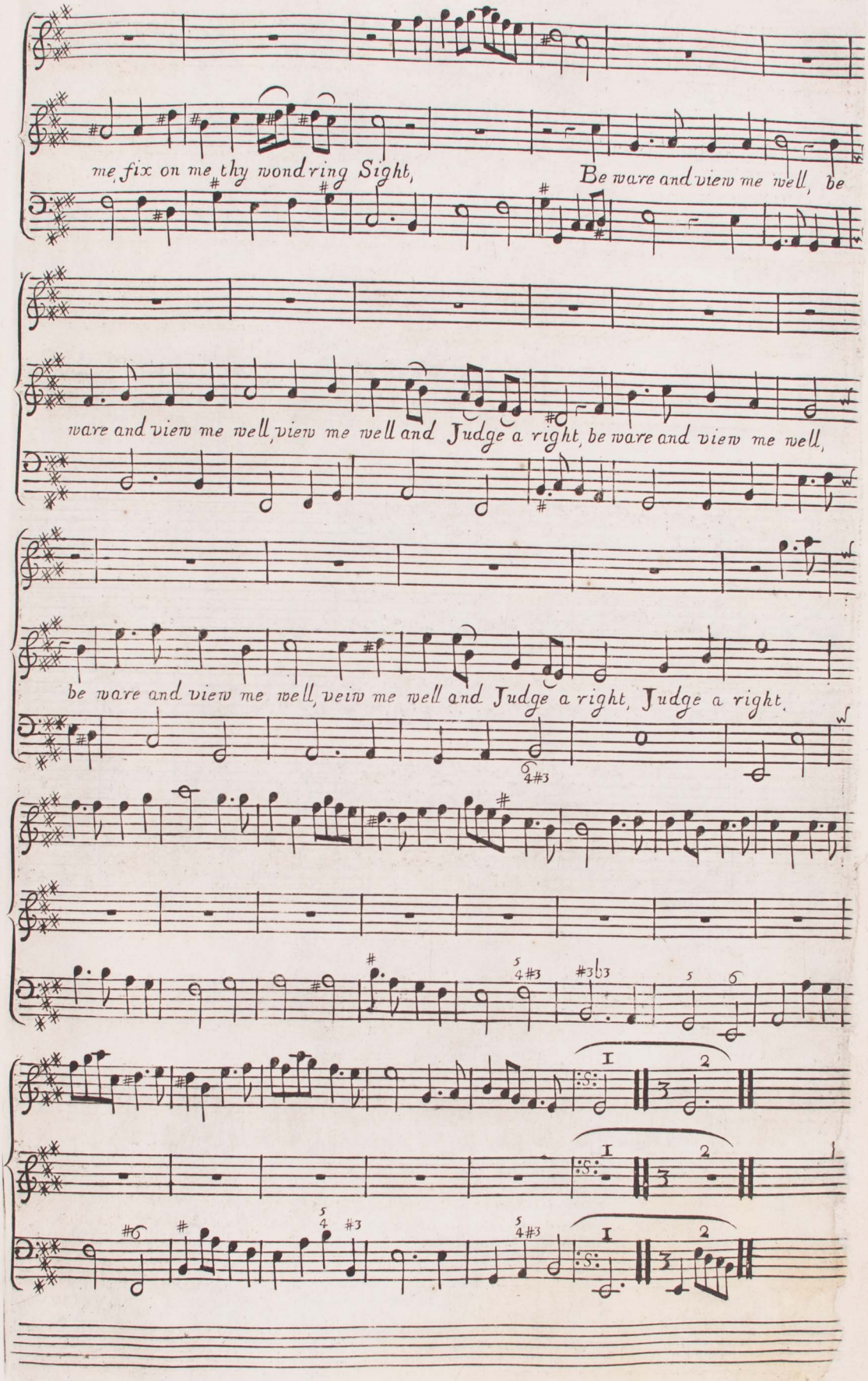

Mercury
Fear not Mortall none Shall harm thee, with my Sacred Rod Ile Charm thee,
Freely gaze and view all over, thou mayst every grace discover, Thô a thousand
Darts fly round thee, Fear not Mortall none shall wound thee, Thô a thousand
Darts fly round thee, fear not Mortall none Shall wound thee.
Ritornell

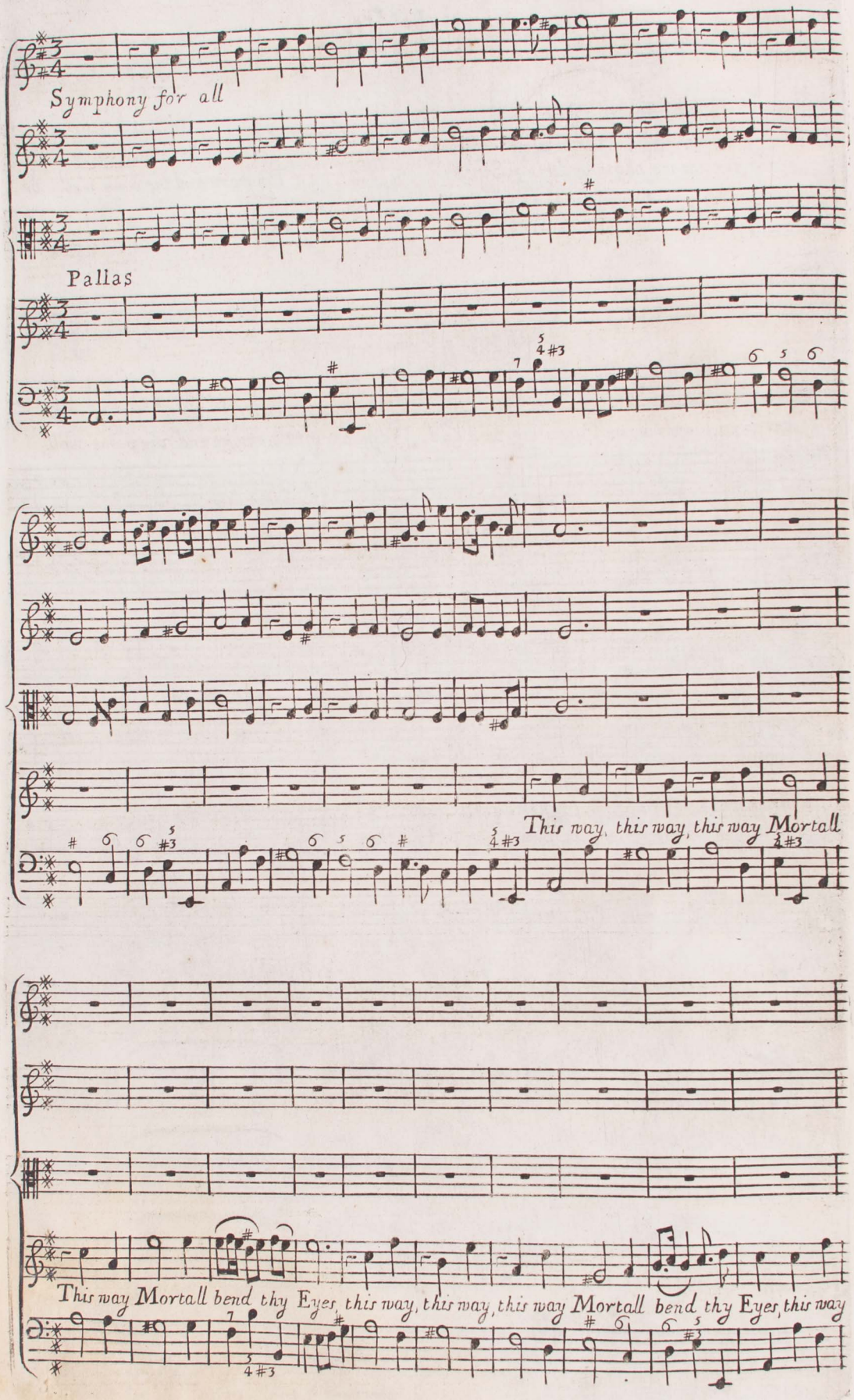

Paris
Mercury
Happy thou of Human Race, happy thou of human Race Gods with thee would
With no God Ide change my Place, with no God, with no
change their Place,
God Ide change my place, Happy I, happy I, happy I of Human Race,
Happy I, happy I, happy I of Human Race
Happy I,
Happy thou, happy
Happy I, happy I of Human Race,
With no God
thou, Happy, happy thou of Human Race, Gods with thee, Gods with
with no God, with no God Ide change my Place
thee, Gods with thee with thee would change their Place

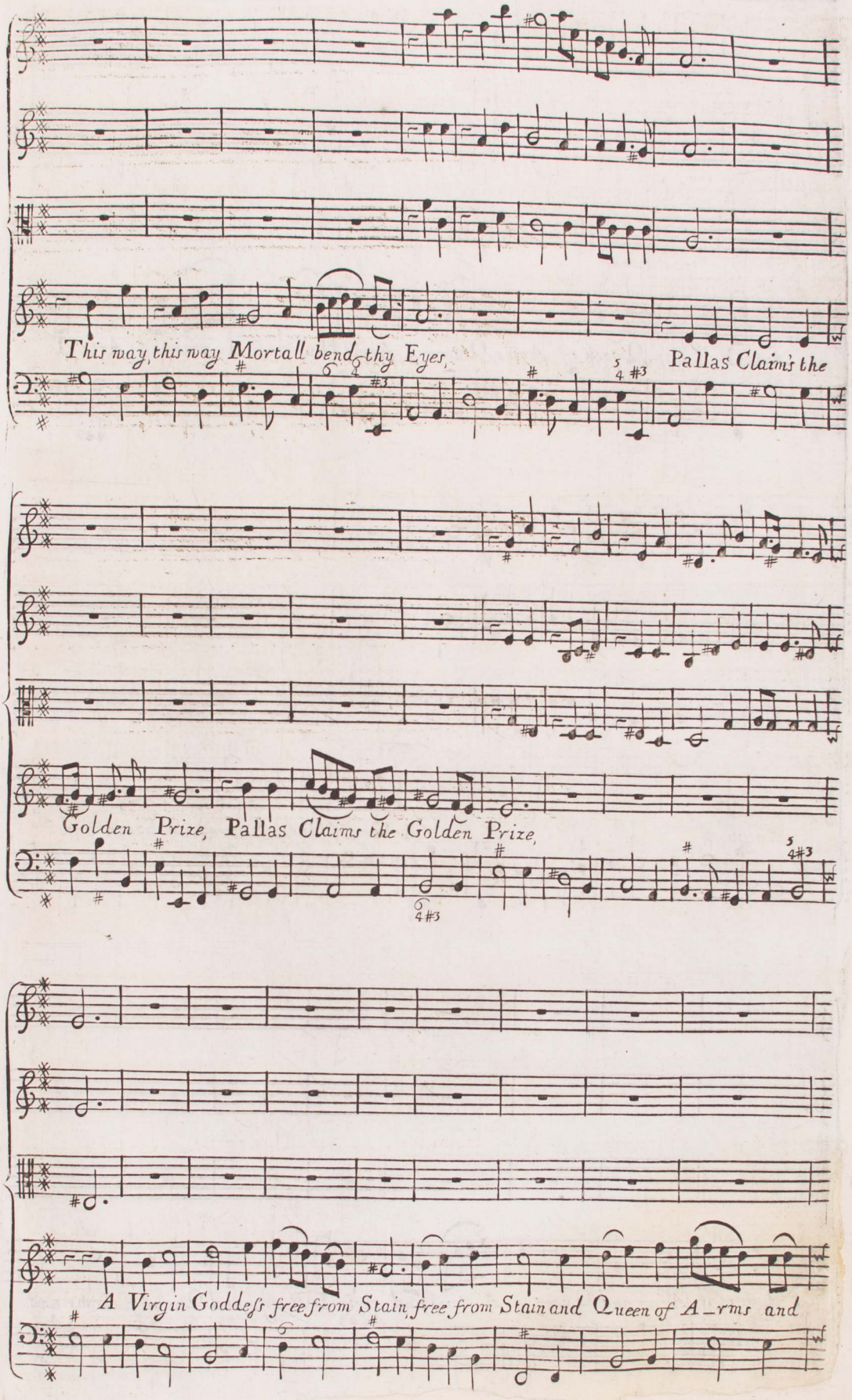

With no God I'de change my Place, with no God I'de change my Place,
Gods with thee woud change their Place, Gods with thee
with no God, with no God I'de change my Place, happy I, happy I,
Gods with thee, Gods with thee woud change their Place, happy thou, happy
happy, happy I of Human Race, happy I, happy I, happy, happy I of Human Race,
thou, happy thou of Human Race, happy thou, happy thou, happy thou of Human Race.
Ritornell

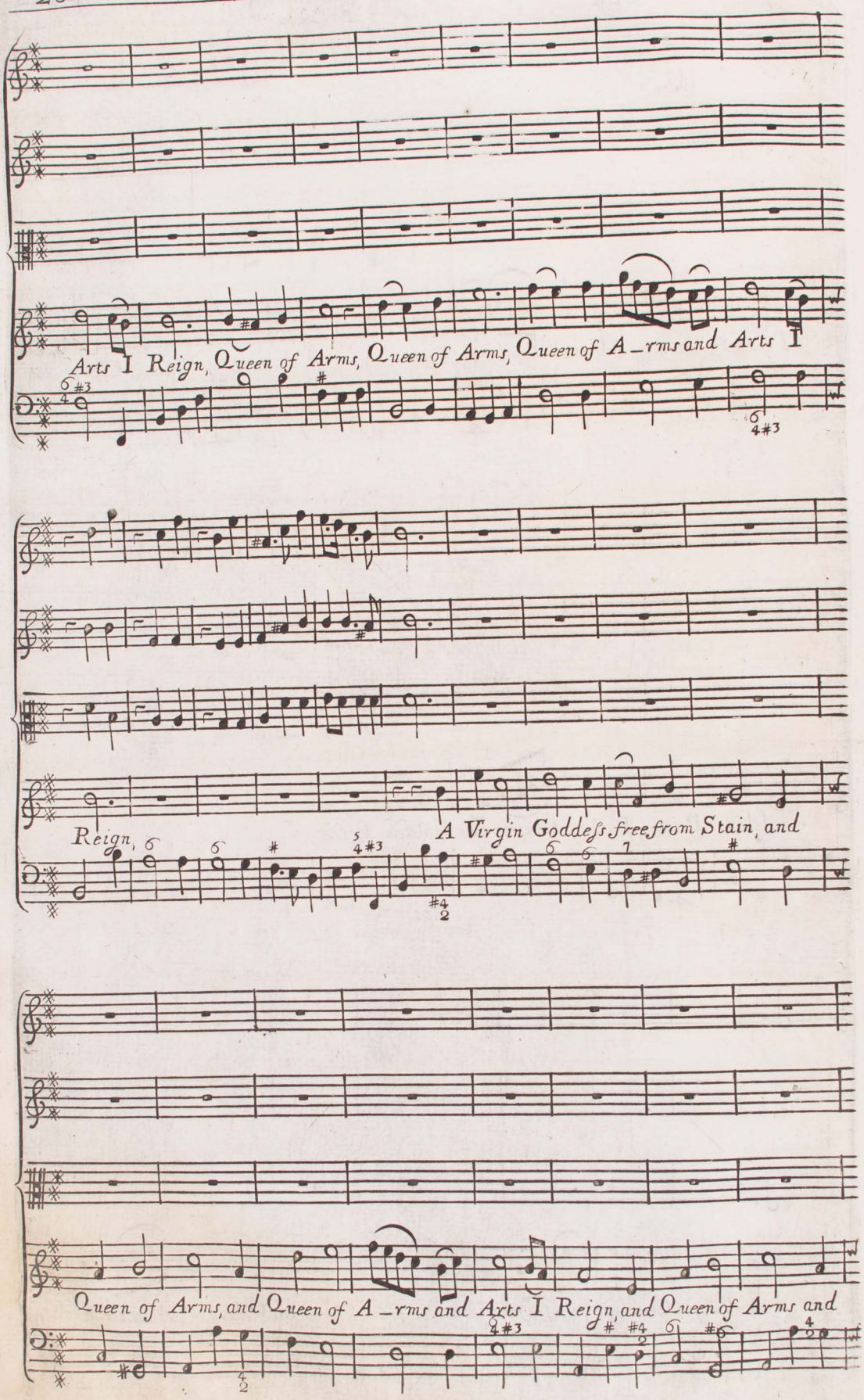

Violin
Juno
Saturnia, Saturnia, Saturnia Wife of
Thund ring Thund ring Jove, of Thund ring, Thu_nd ring Jove am I,
Saturnia, Saturnia, Sa__

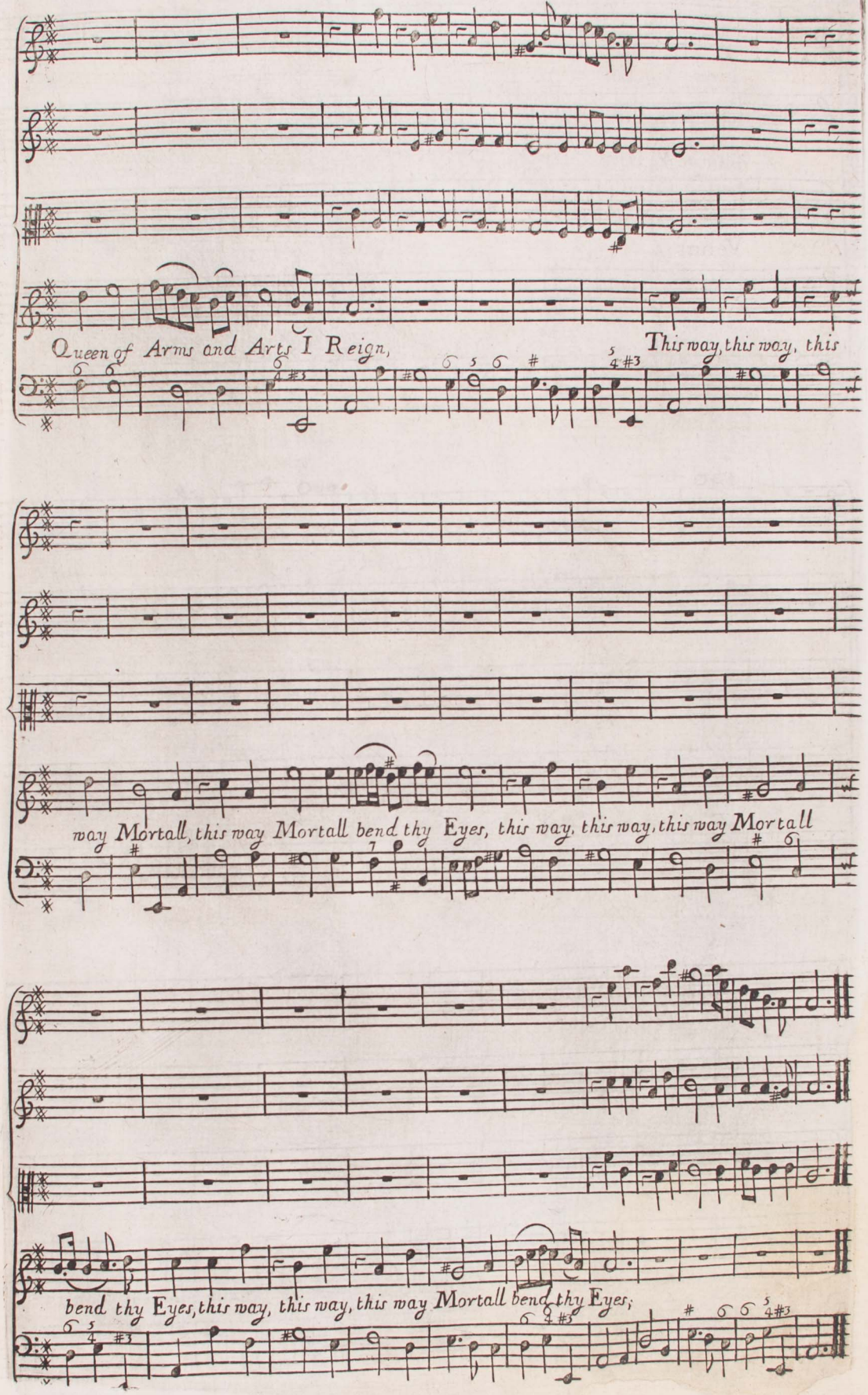

--turnia Wife of Thun dring Jove, of Thu--nd ring Jove, of Thu--ndring
Jove am I,
Be-lov'd by him, be lov'd by
him and Em--preſs of the Sky, be lov'd by him, be lov'd by him and Em---
--preſs of the Sky,
Shepherd fix, fix on me, fix on me thy wondring Sight, fix on me, fix on

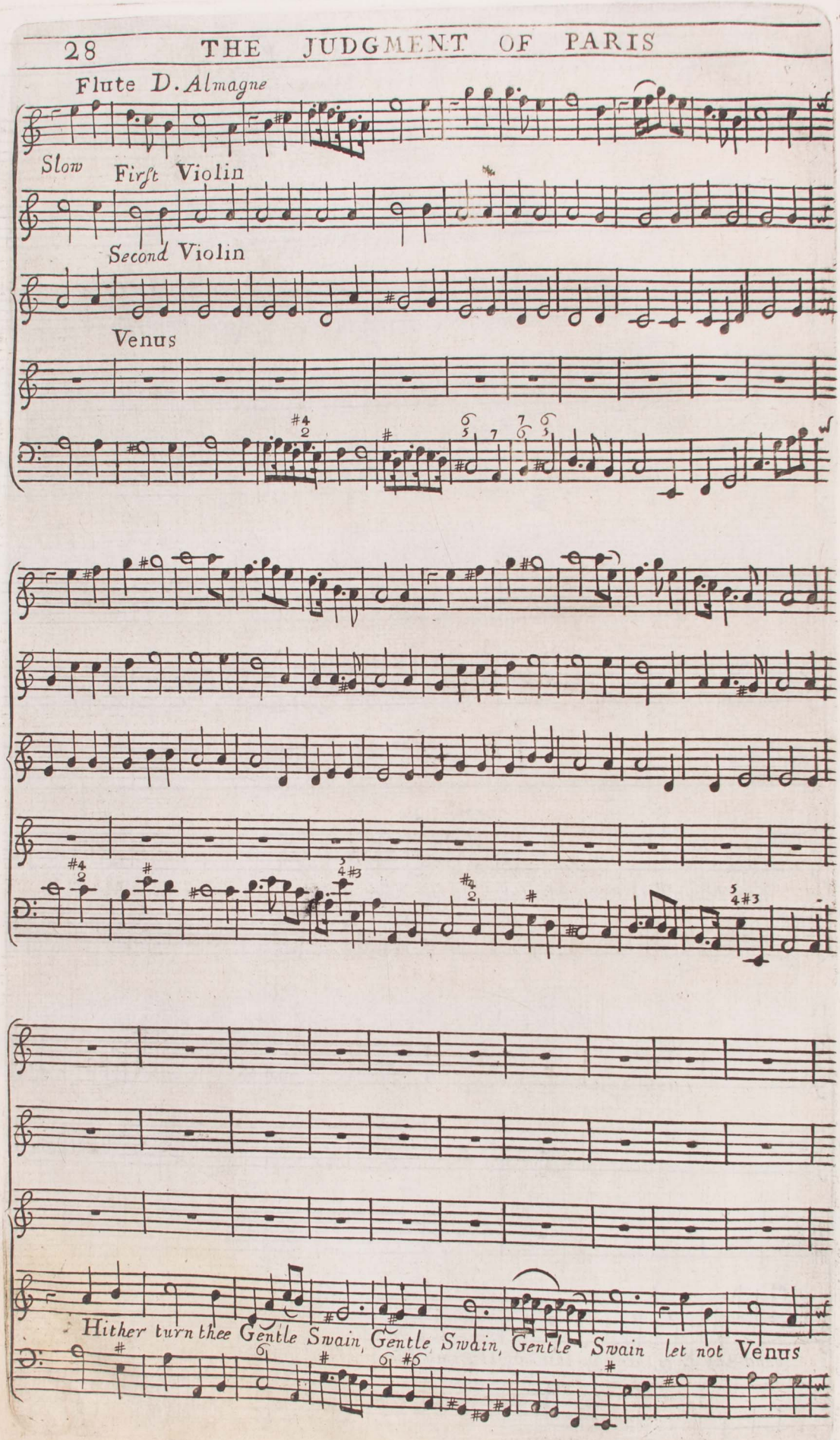

me, fix on me thy wond'ring Sight,
Be ware and view me well, be
ware and view me well, view me well and Judge a right, be ware and view me well,
be ware and view me well, view me well and Judge a right, Judge a right.

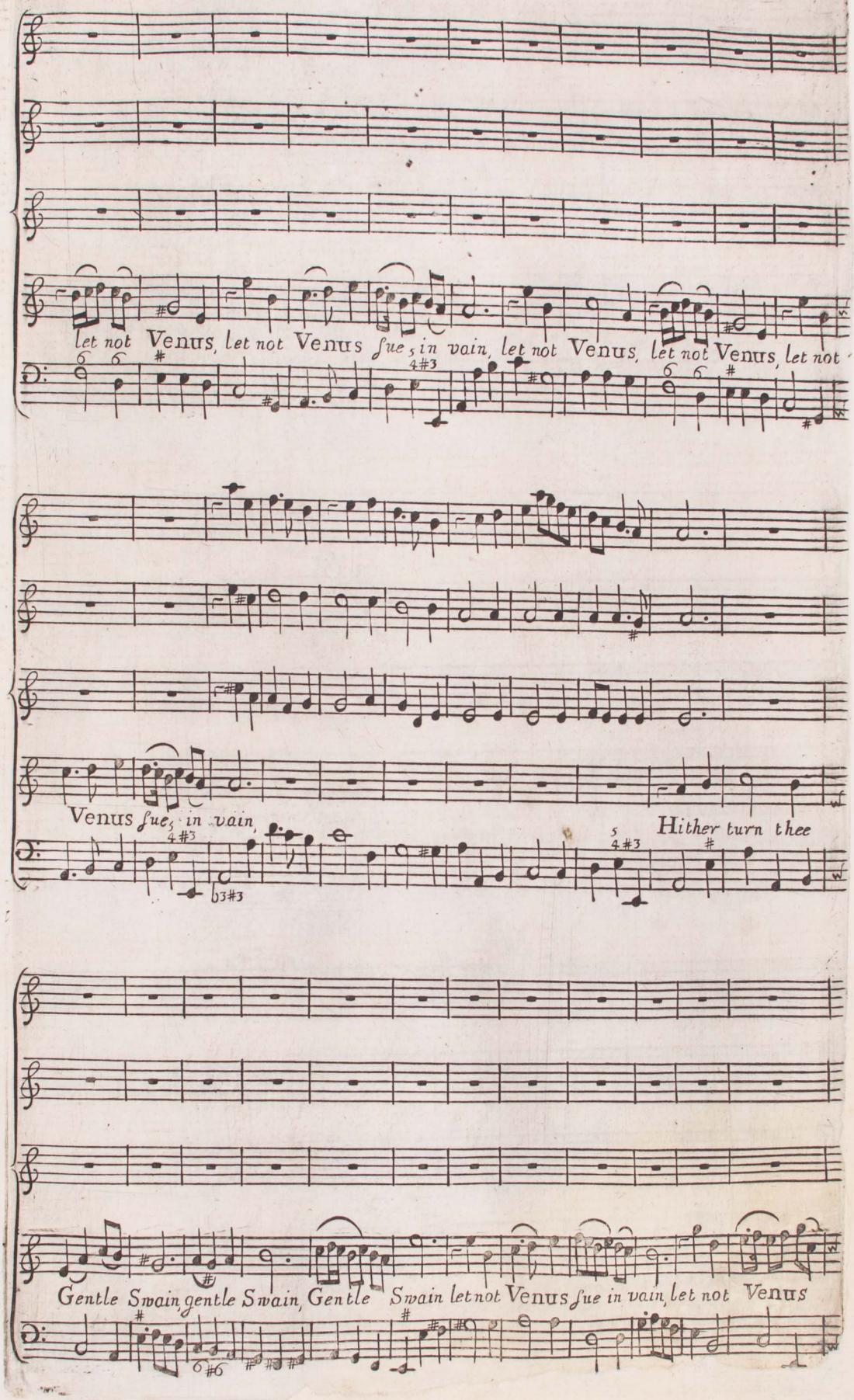

Symphony for all
Pallas
This way, this way, this way Mortall
This way Mortall bend thy Eyes, this way, this way, this way Mortall bend thy Eyes, this way

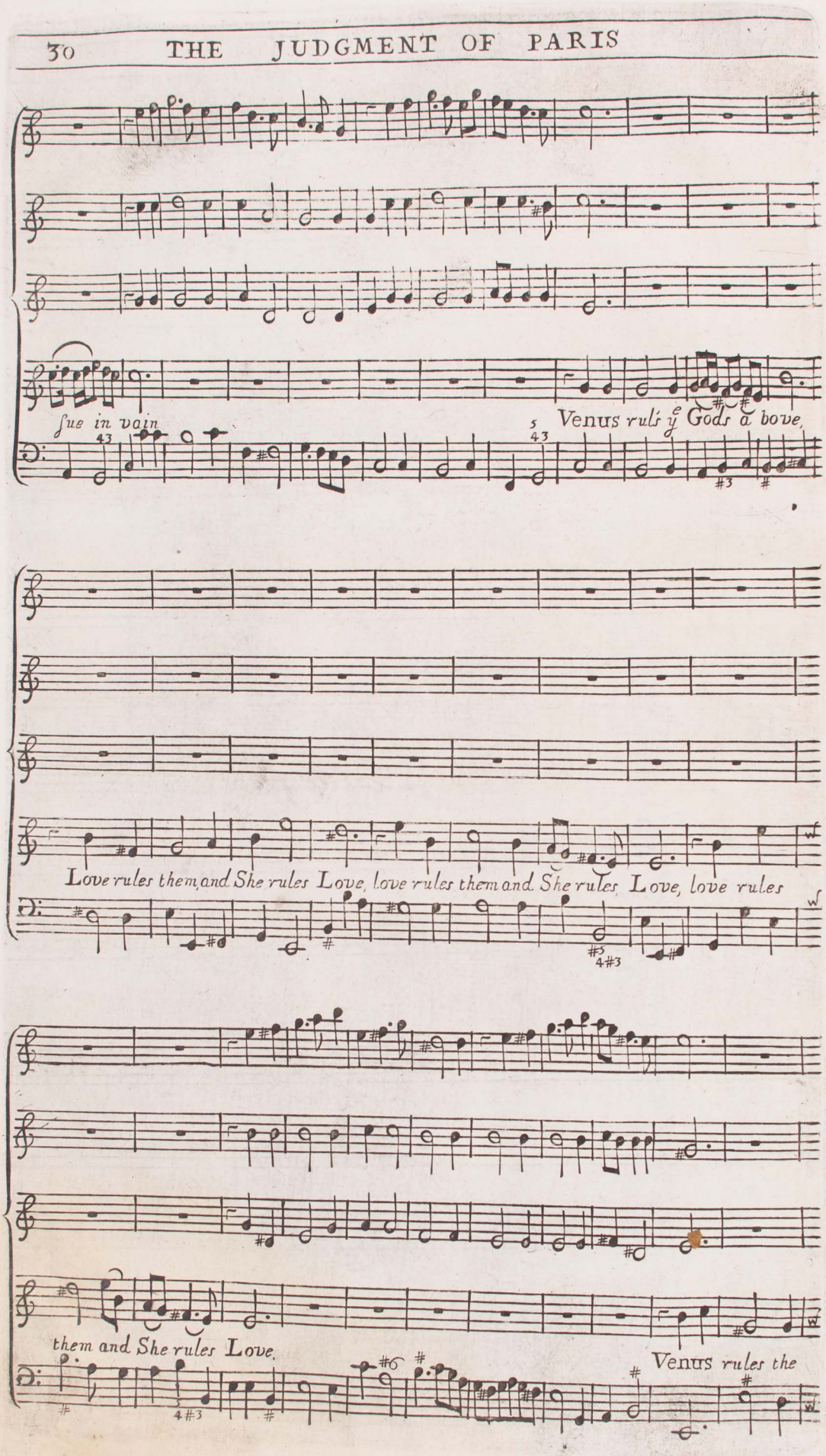

This way, this way Mortall bend thy Eyes,
Pallas Claims the
Golden Prize, Pallas Claims the Golden Prize,
A Virgin Goddess free from Stain, free from Stain and Queen of Arms and

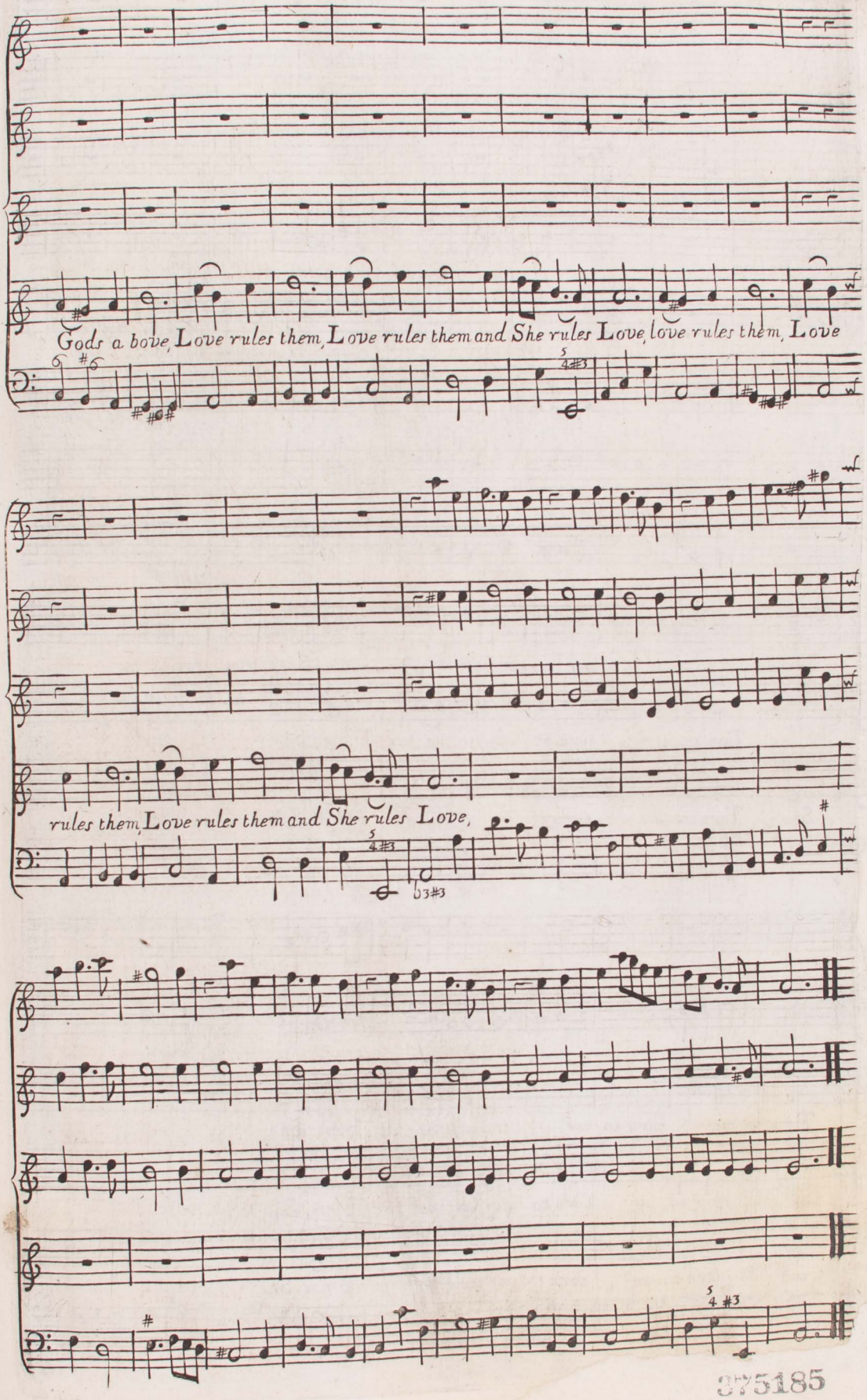

Arts I Reign, Queen of Arms, Queen of Arms, Queen of A_rms and Arts I
Reign,
A Virgin Goddess free from Stain, and
Queen of Arms, and Queen of A_rms and Arts I Reign, and Queen of Arms and


Queen of Arms and Arts I Reign,
This way, this way, this
way Mortall, this way Mortall bend thy Eyes, this way, this way, this way Mortall
bend thy Eyes, this way, this way, this way Mortall bend thy Eyes;


Flute D. Almagne
Slow First Violin
Second Violin
Venus
Hither turn thee Gentle Swain, Gentle Swain, Gentle Swain let not Venus


let not Venus, let not Venus sue in vain, let not Venus, let not Venus, let not
Venus sue in vain,
Hither turn thee
Gentle Swain, gentle Swain, Gentle Swain let not Venus sue in vain, let not Venus


sue in vain
Venus rules ye Gods above,
Love rules them and She rules Love, love rules them and She rules Love, love rules
them and She rules Love,
Venus rules the


Gods a bove, Love rules them, Love rules them and She rules Love, love rules them, Love
rules them, Love rules them and She rules Love,

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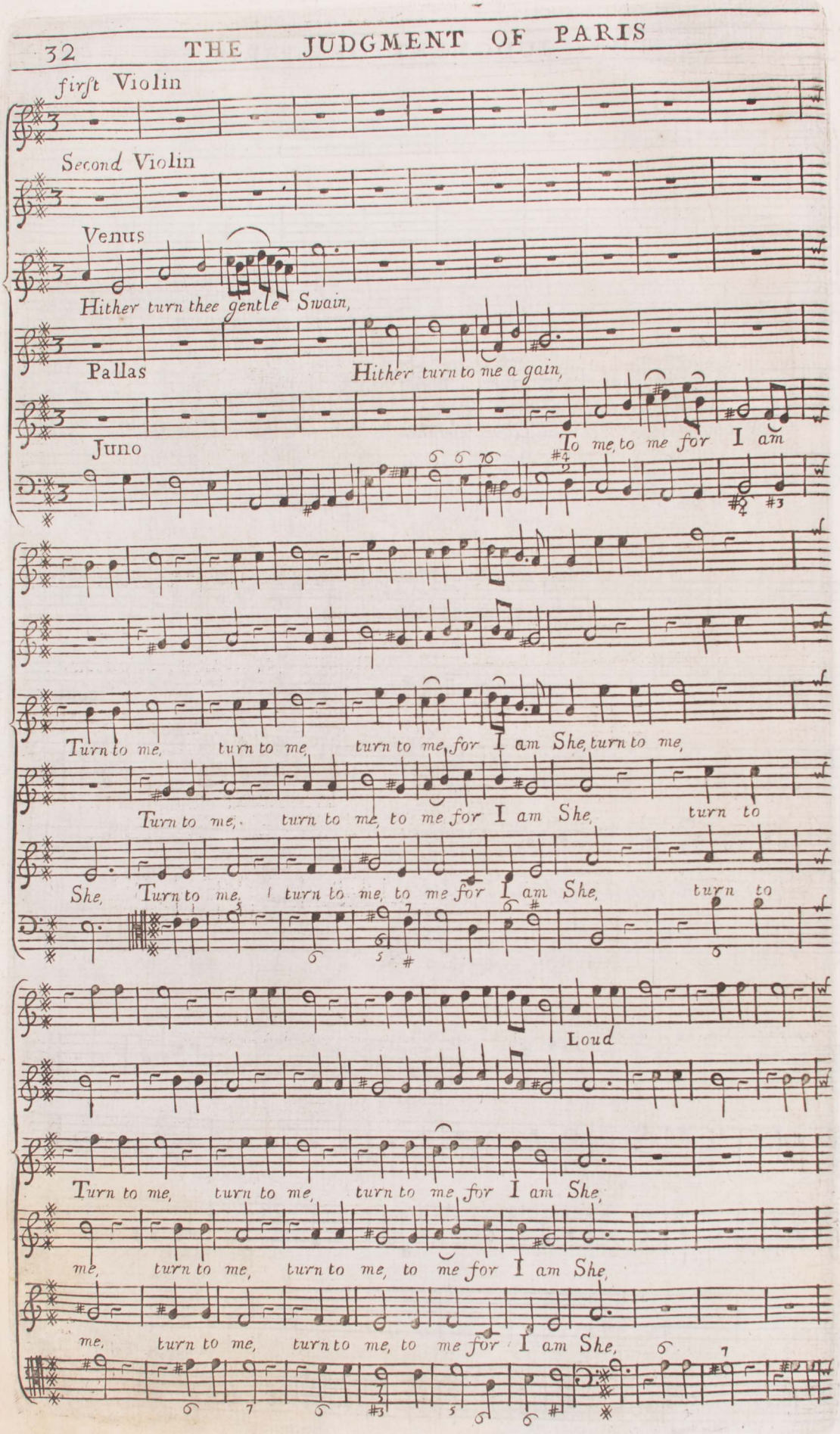
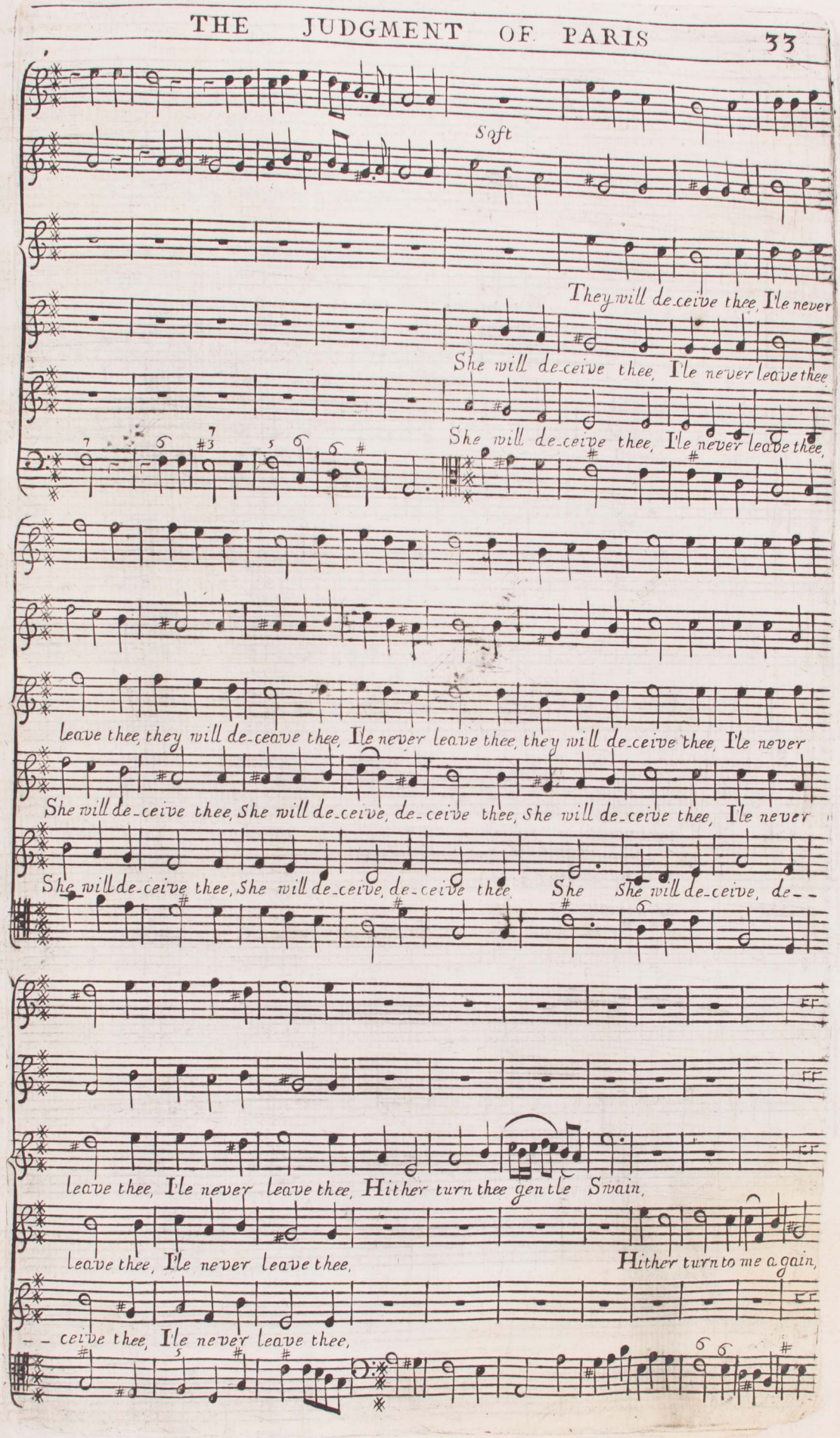
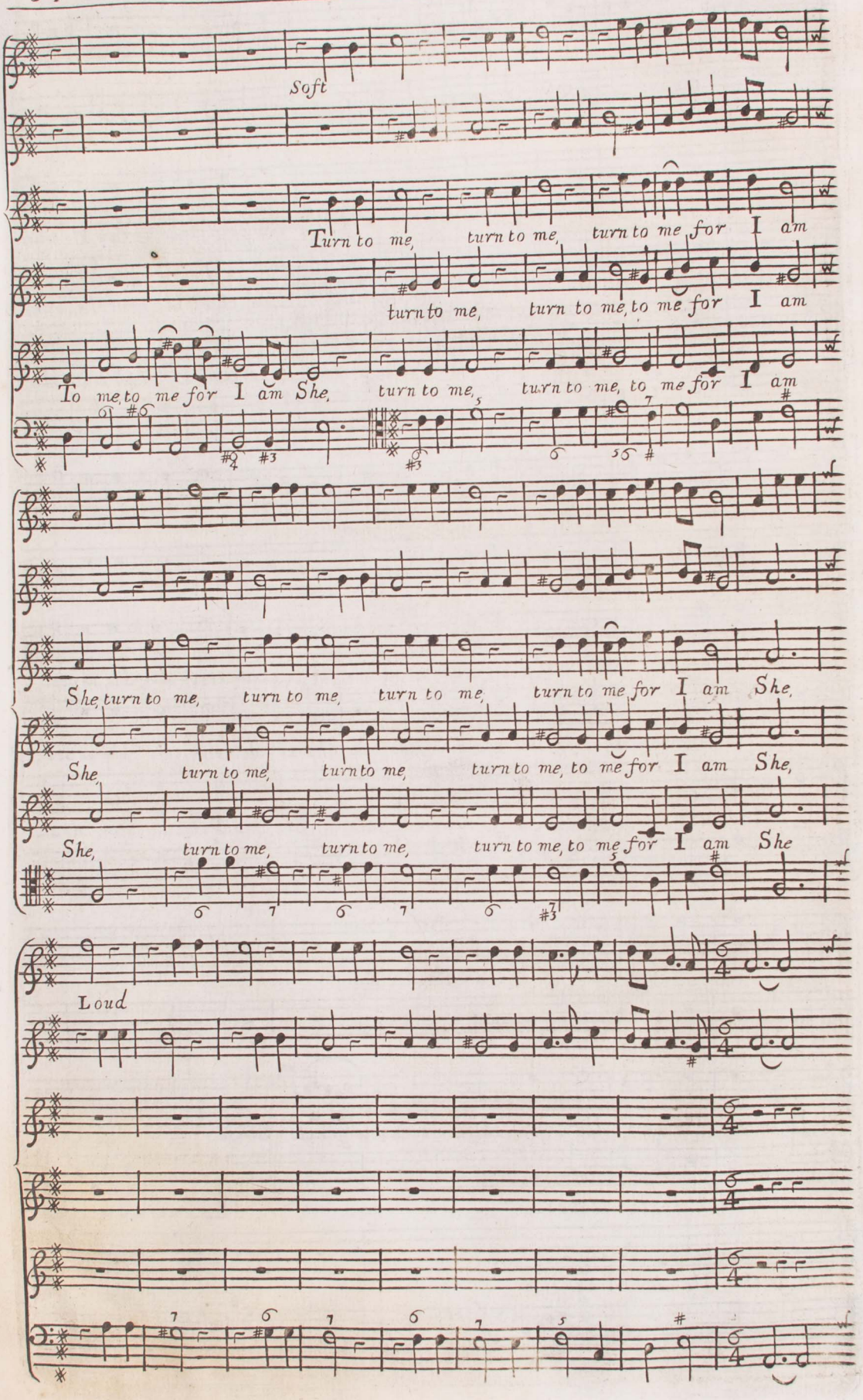
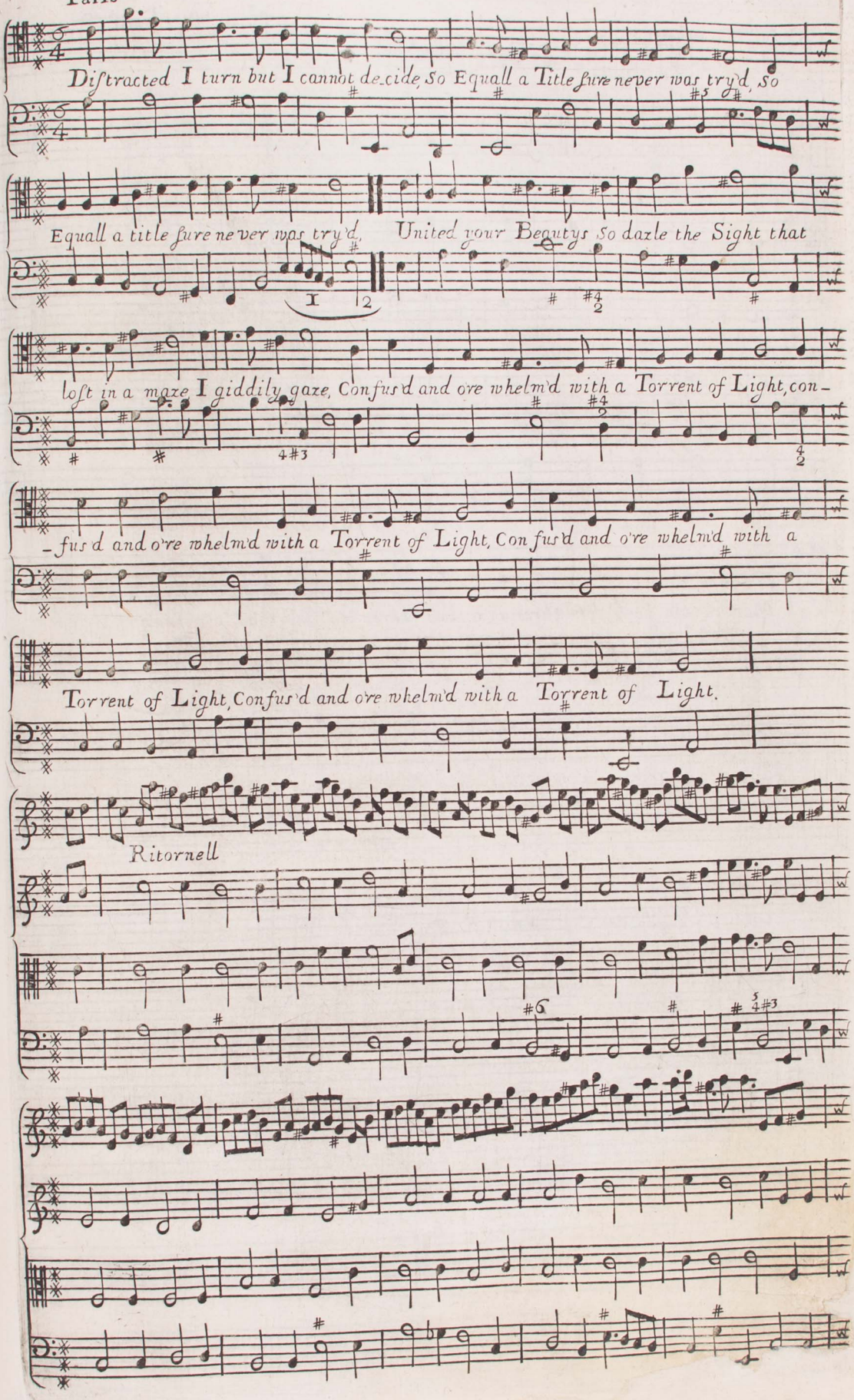
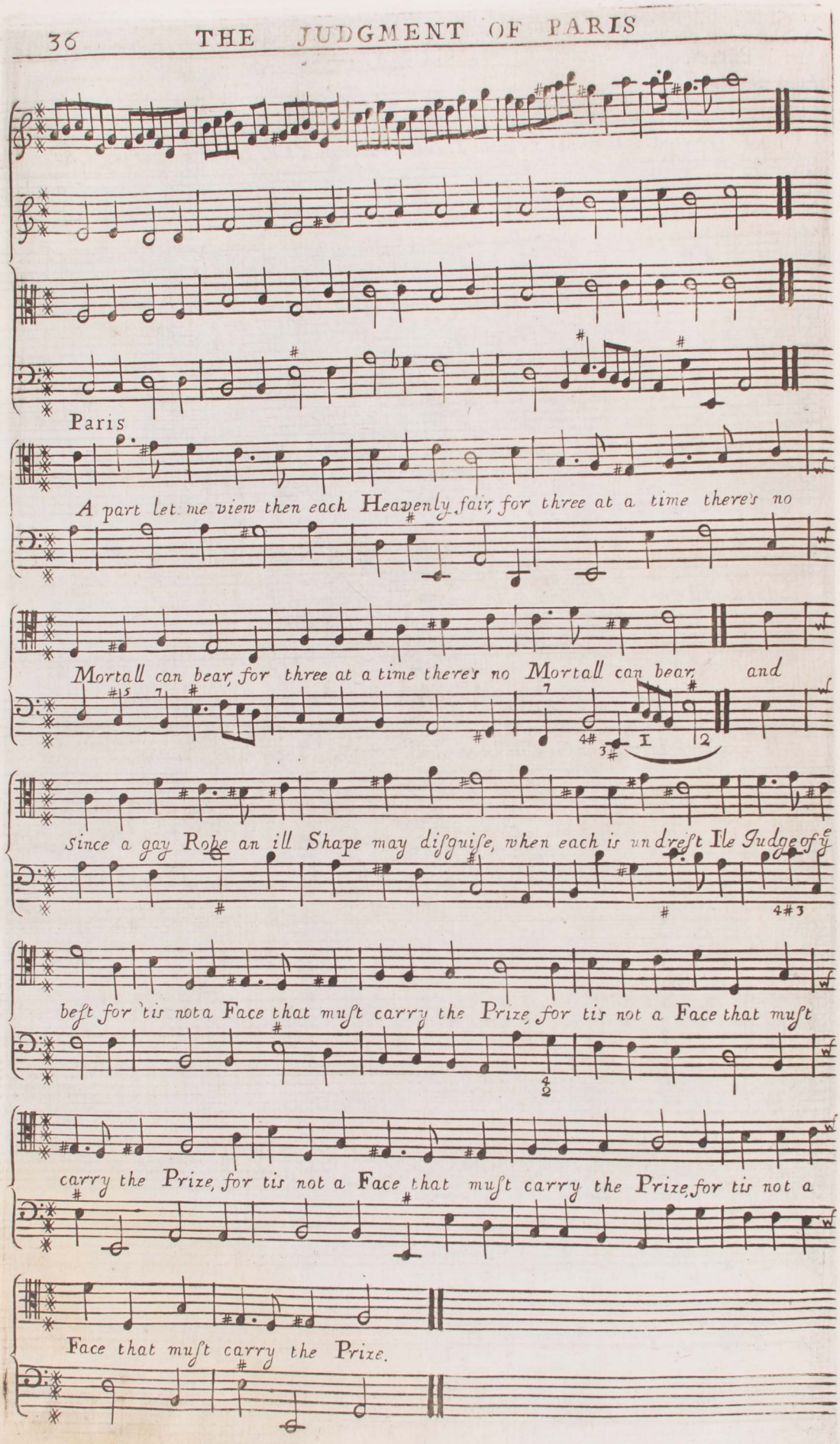

first Violin
Second Violin
Venus
Hither turn thee gentle Swain,
Pallas
Hither turn to me a gain,
Juno
To me, to me for I am
Turn to me, turn to me, turn to me, for I am She, turn to me,
Turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am She, turn to
She, Turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am She, turn to
Loud
Turn to me, turn to me, turn to me for I am She,
me, turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am She,
me, turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am She,


Soft
They will de-ceive thee, I'le never
She will de-ceive thee, I'le never leave thee
She will de-ceive thee, I'le never leave thee,
leave thee, they will de-ceave thee, I'le never leave thee, they will de-ceive thee, I'le never
She will de-ceive thee, She will de-ceive, de-ceive thee, She will de-ceive thee, I'le never
She will de-ceive thee, She will de-ceive, de-ceive thee, She She will de-ceive, de--
leave thee, I'le never leave thee, Hither turn thee gentle Swain,
leave thee, I'le never leave thee, Hither turn to me again,
-- ceive thee, I'le never leave thee,


Soft
Turn to me, turn to me, turn to me for I am
turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am
To me, to me for I am She, turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am
She, turn to me, turn to me, turn to me, turn to me for I am She,
She, turn to me, turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am She,
She, turn to me, turn to me, turn to me, to me for I am She
Loud

Paris


Distracted I turn but I cannot de-cide, So Equall a Title sure never was try'd, so
Equall a title sure never was try'd, United your Beautys so dazle the Sight that
1 2
lost in a maze I giddily gaze, Confus'd and ore whelm'd with a Torrent of Light, con-
-fus'd and ore whelm'd with a Torrent of Light, Confus'd and ore whelm'd with a
Torrent of Light, Confus'd and ore whelm'd with a Torrent of Light.
Ritornell


Paris
A part let me view then each Heavenly fair, for three at a time there's no
Mortall can bear, for three at a time there's no Mortall can bear, and
Since a gay Robe an ill Shape may disguise, when each is undrest Ile Judge of y
best for 'tis not a Face that must carry the Prize, for tis not a Face that must
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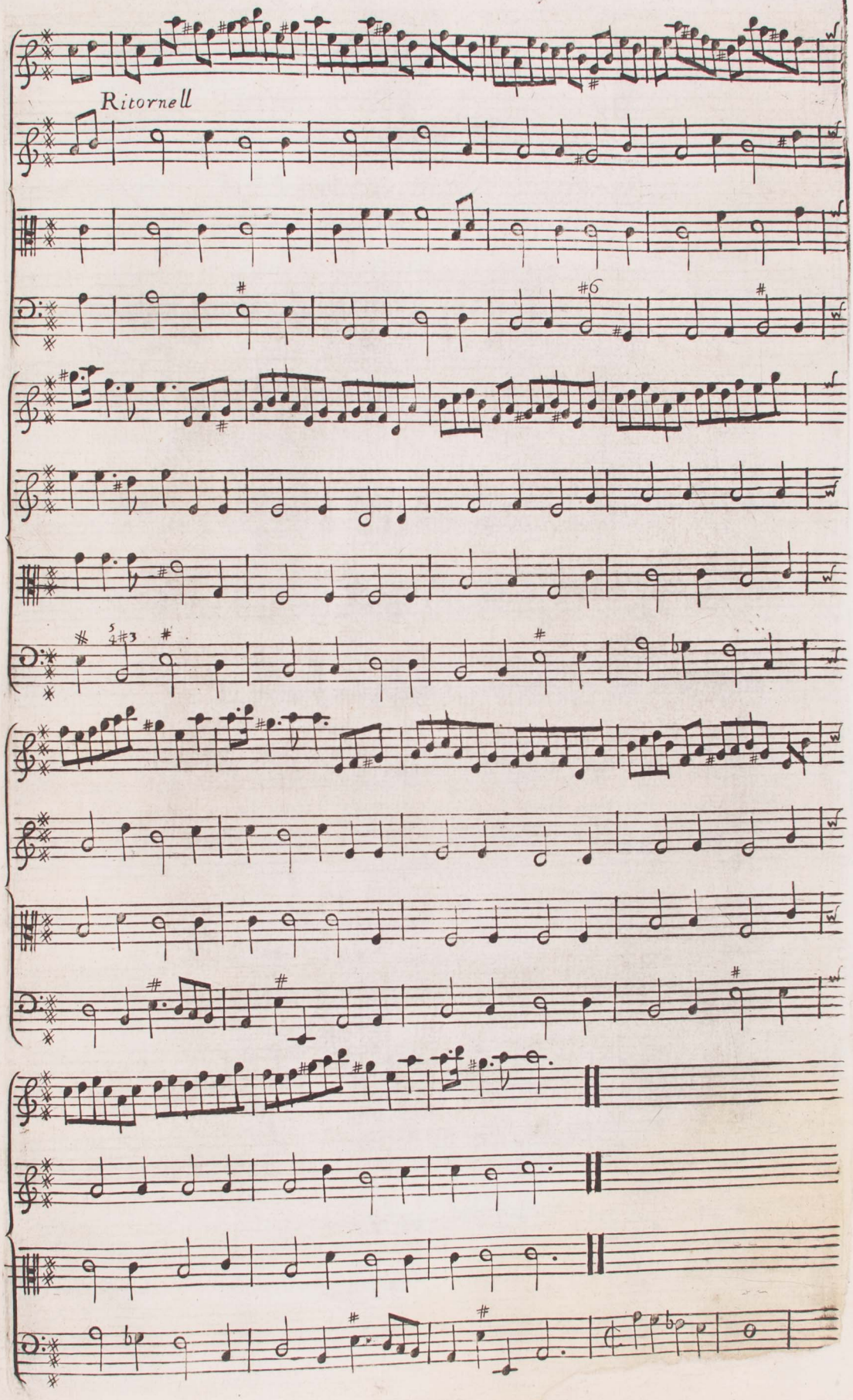
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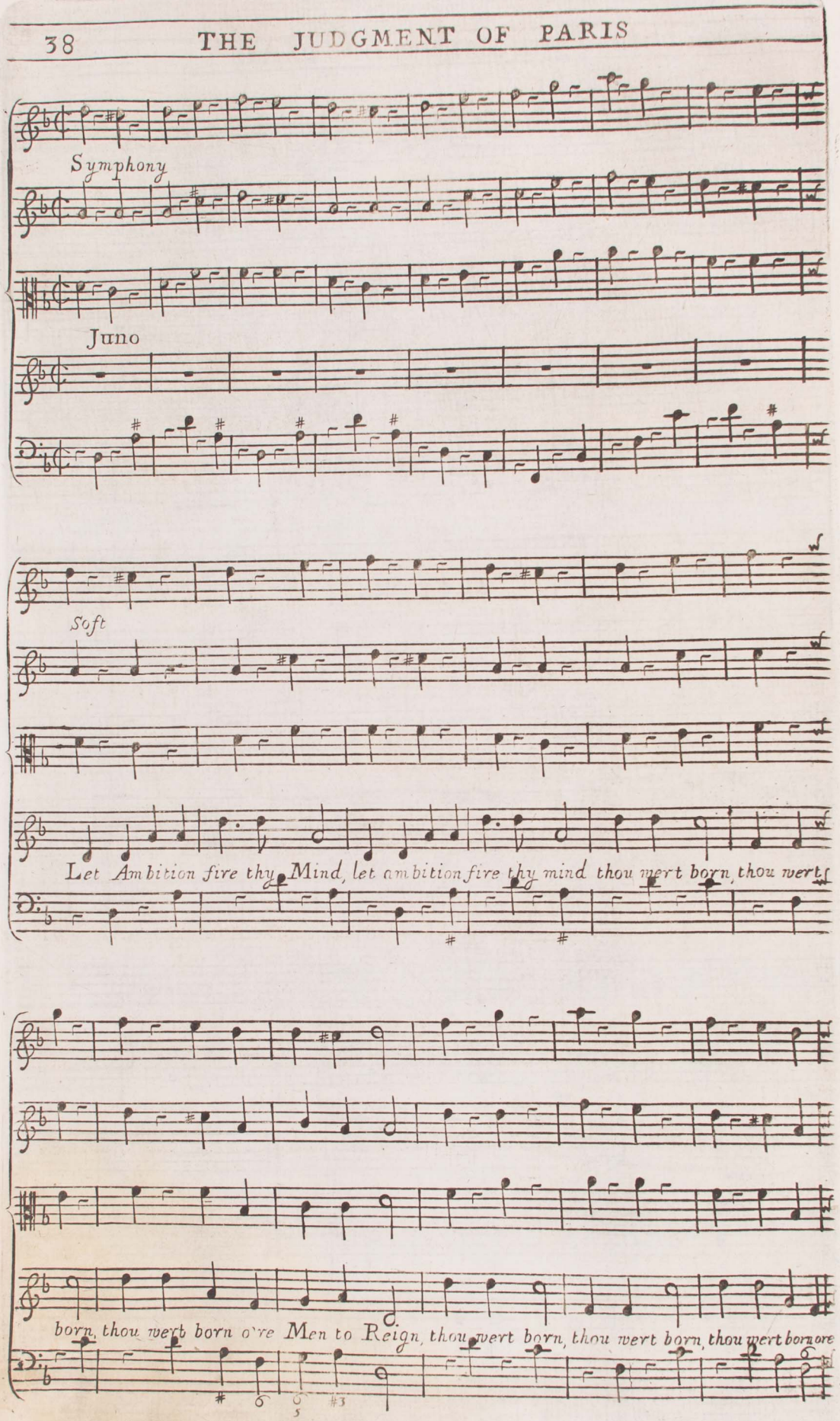
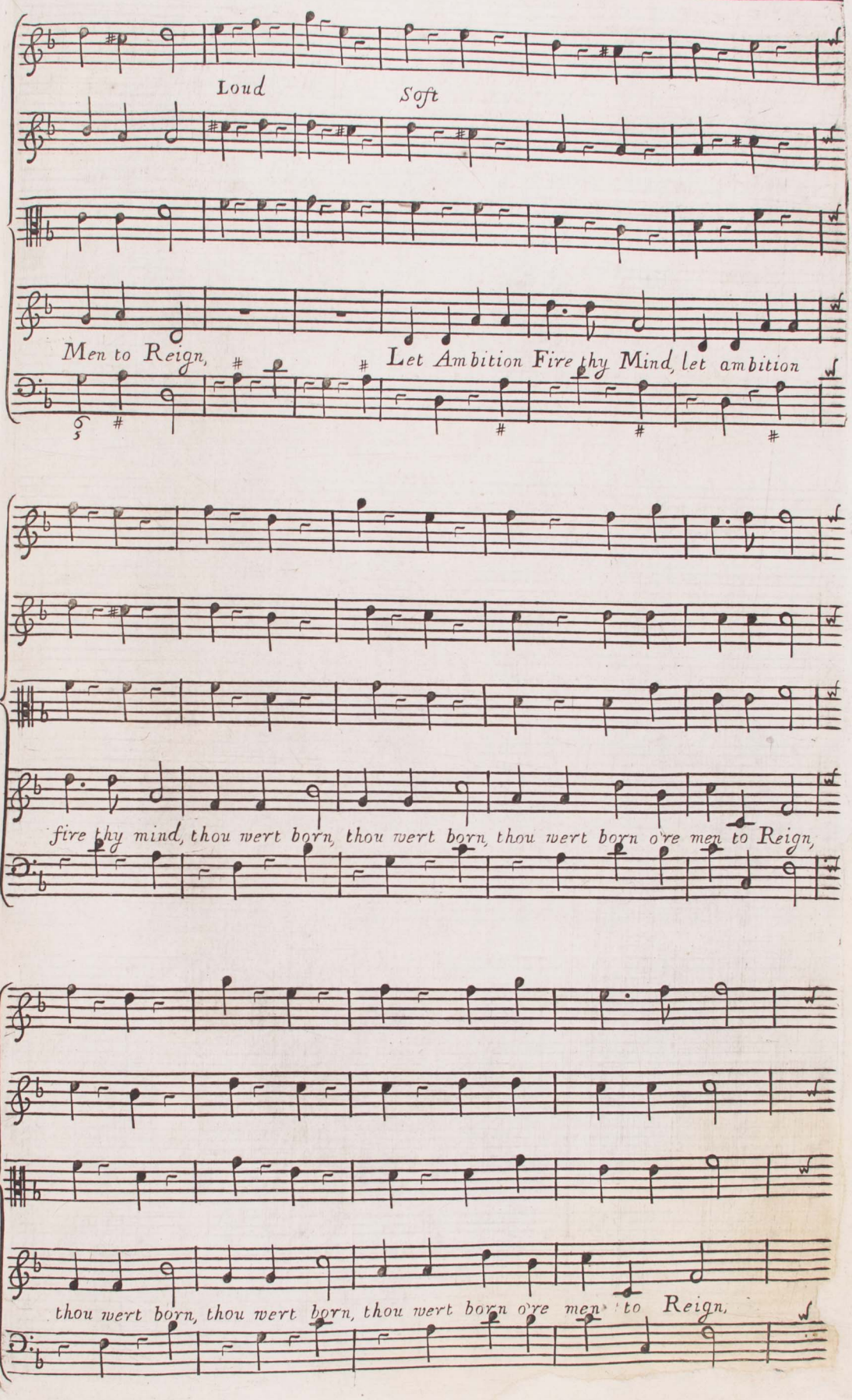

Symphony
Juno
Soft
Let Ambition fire thy Mind, let ambition fire thy mind thou wert born, thou wert
born, thou wert born o're Men to Reign, thou wert born, thou wert born, thou wert born o're


Loud
Soft
Men to Reign,
Let Ambition Fire thy Mind, let ambition
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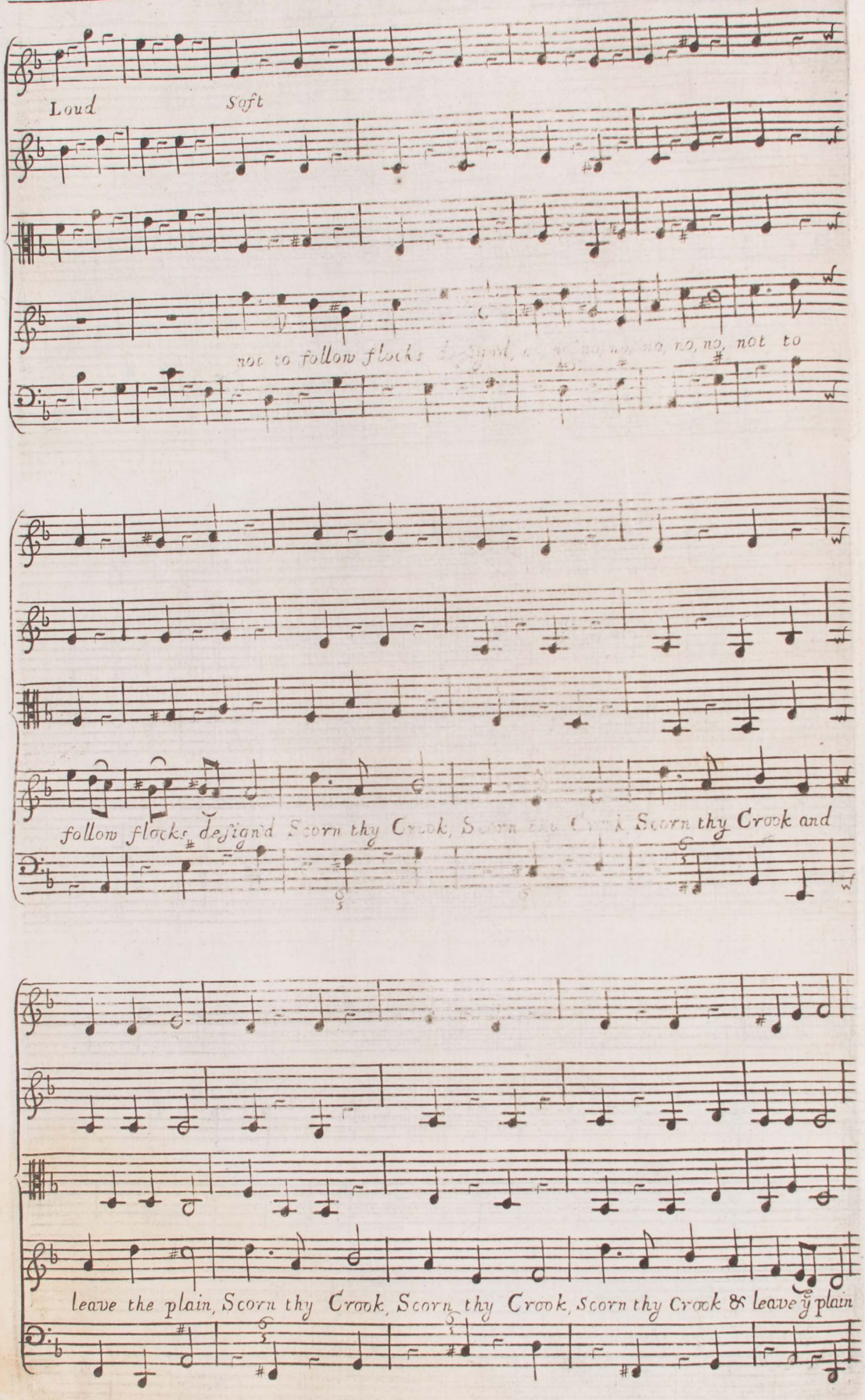
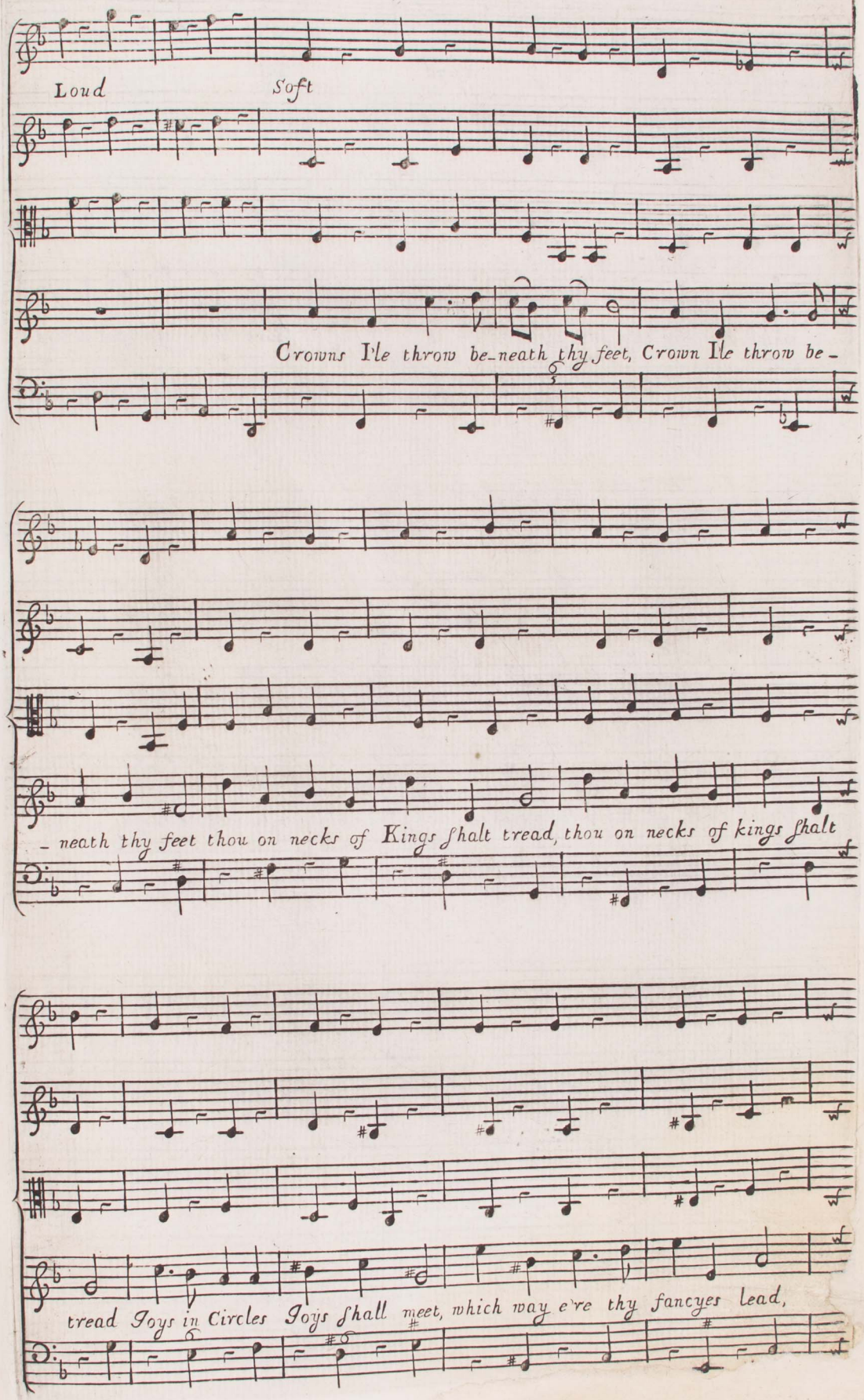
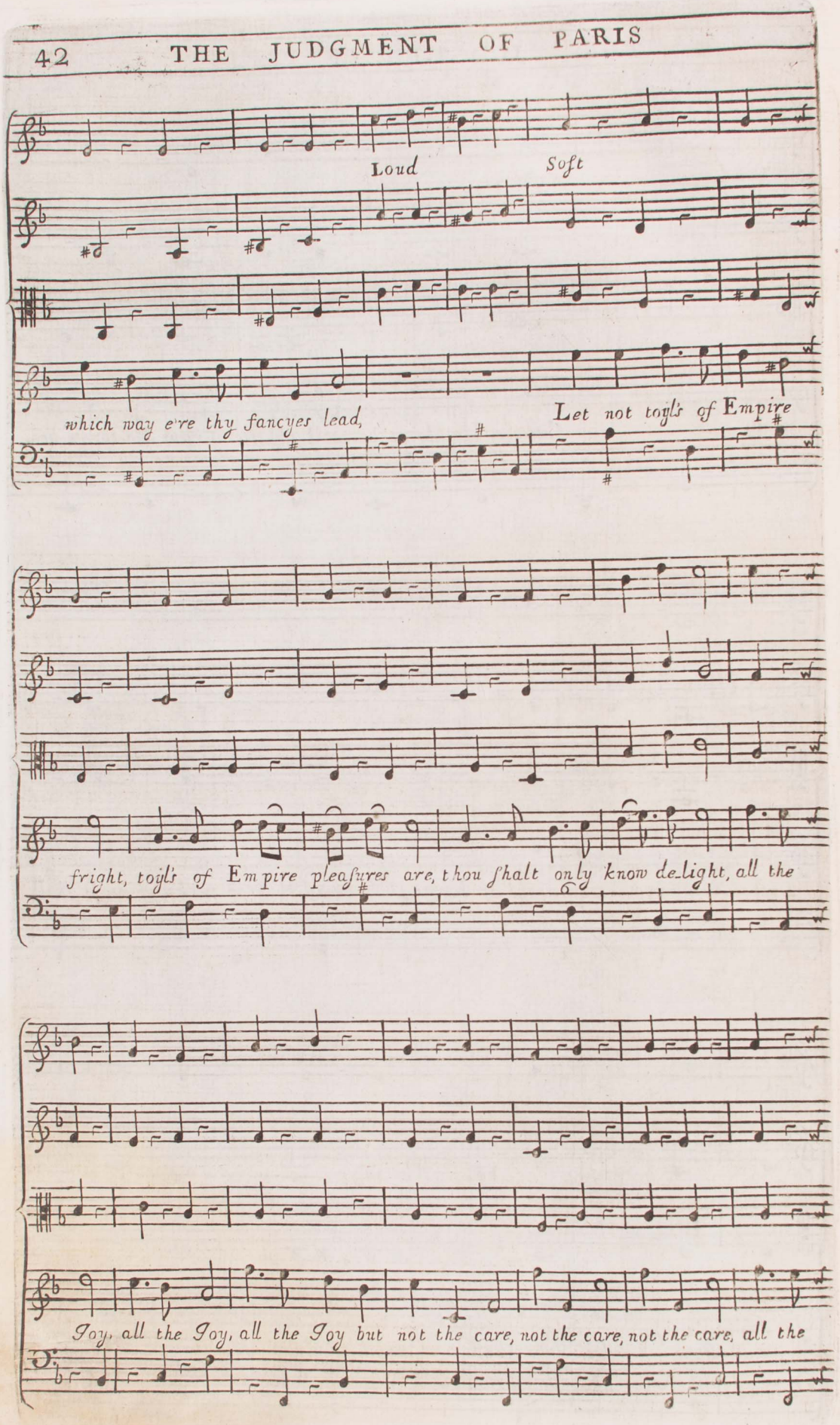
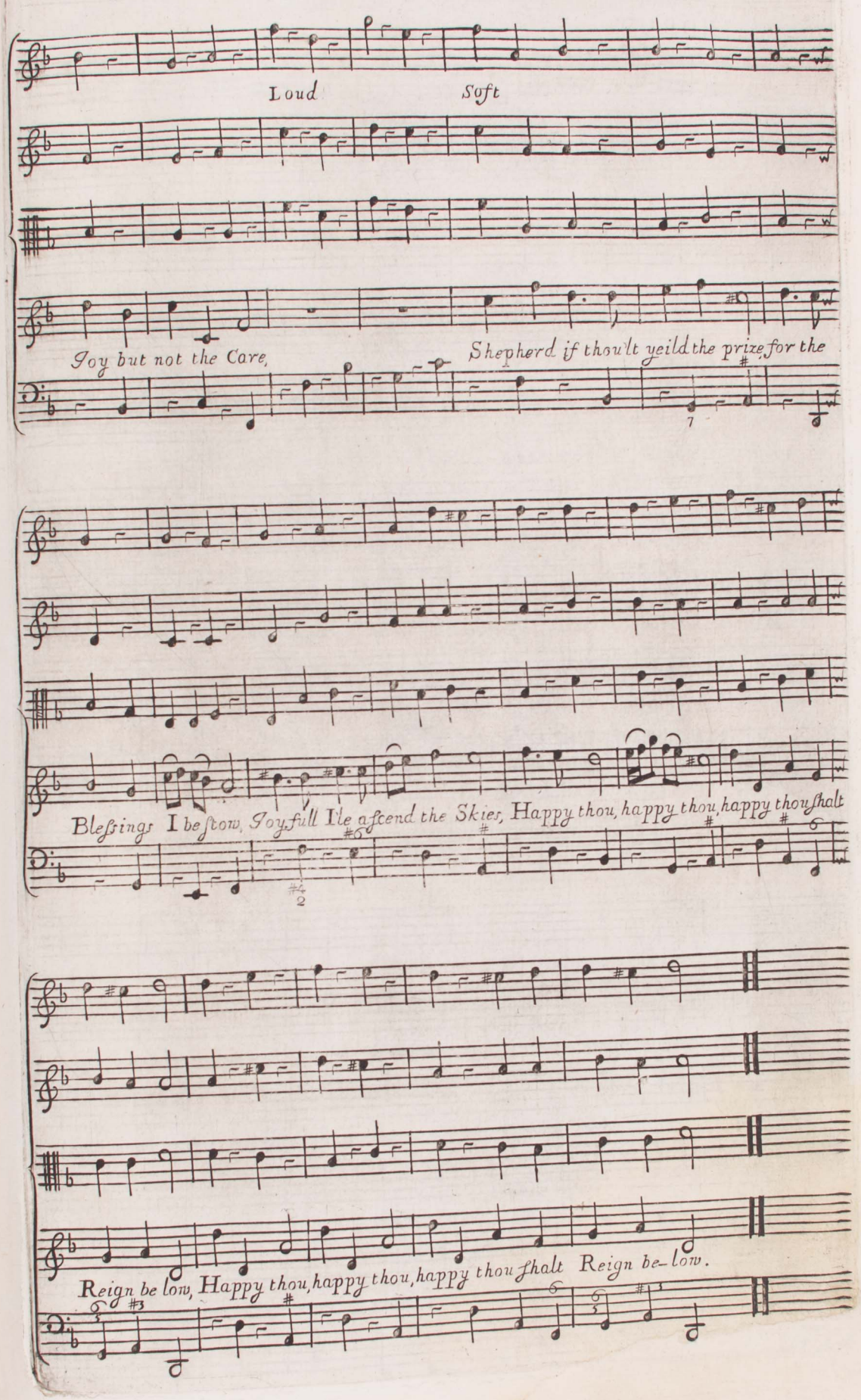
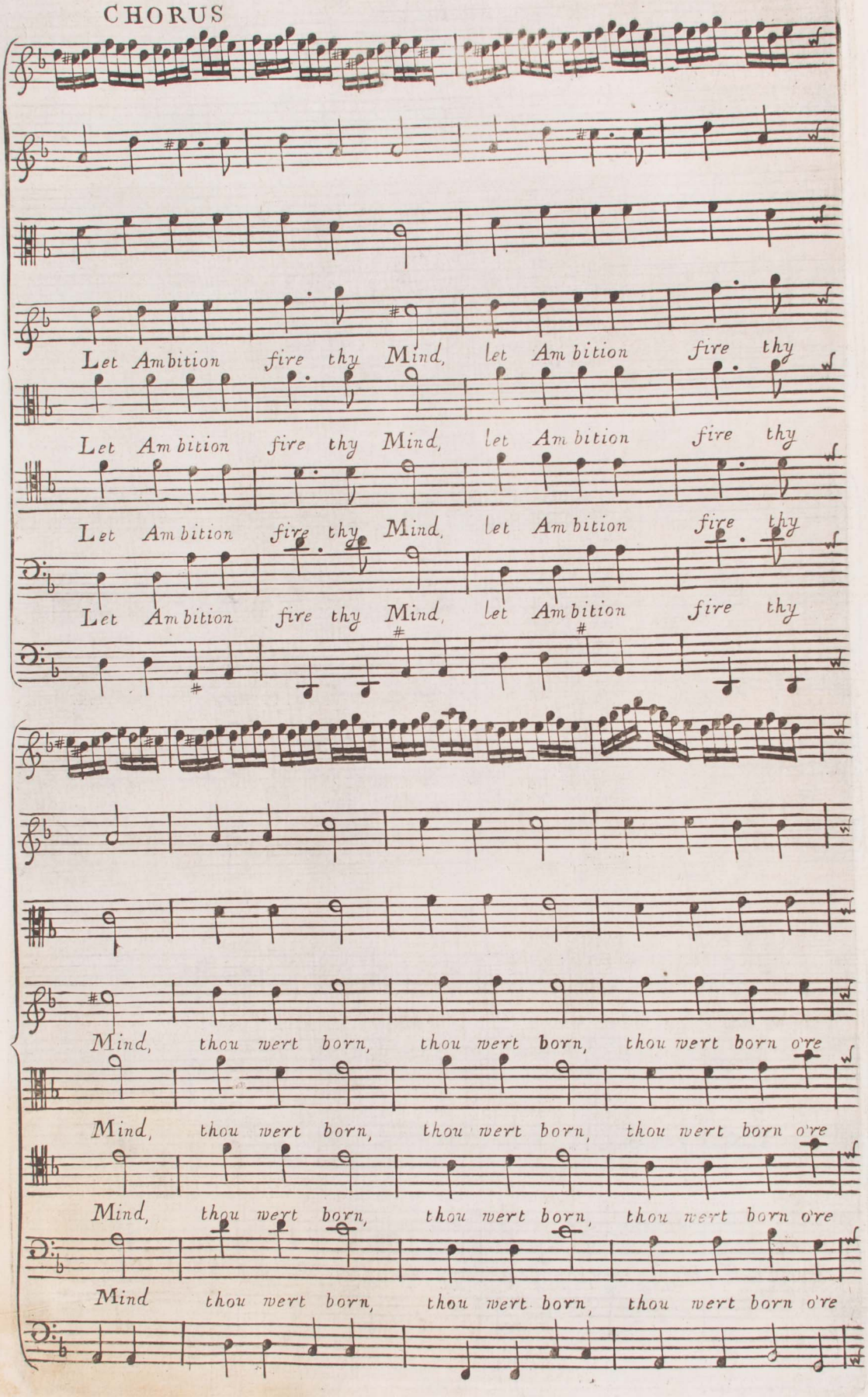

Loud
Soft
not to follow flocks
follow flocks defiand Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook and
leave the plain, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook & leave ÿ plain


Loud
Soft
Crowns I'le throw be-neath thy feet, Crown I'le throw be-
-neath thy feet thou on necks of Kings shalt tread, thou on necks of kings shalt
tread Joys in Circles Joys shall meet, which way e're thy fancyes lead,


Loud
Soft
which way e're thy fancyes lead,
Let not toyl's of Empire
fright, toyl's of Empire pleasures are, thou shalt only know delight, all the
Joy, all the Joy, all the Joy but not the care, not the care, not the care, all the


Loud
Soft
Joy but not the Care,
Shepherd if thou'lt yeild the prize for the
Blessings I bestow, Joyfull I'le ascend the Skies, Happy thou, happy thou, happy thou shalt
Reign below, Happy thou, happy thou, happy thou shalt Reign below.

CHORUS


Let Ambition fire thy Mind, let Ambition fire thy
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Let Ambition fire thy Mind, let Ambition fire thy
Mind, thou wert born, thou wert born, thou wert born o're
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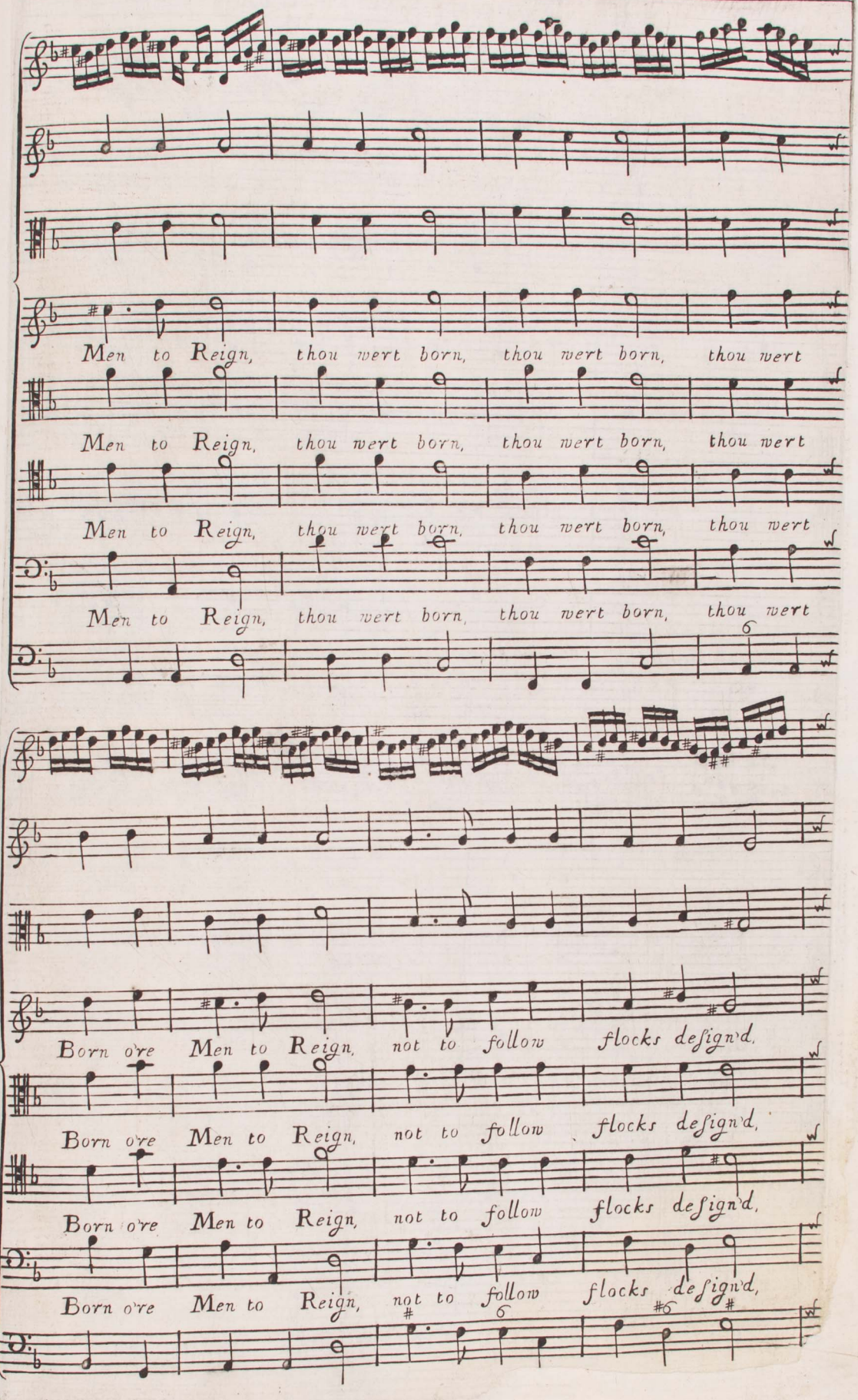
Men to Reign, thou wert born, thou wert born, thou wert
Men to Reign, thou wert born, thou wert born, thou wert
Men to Reign, thou wert born, thou wert born, thou wert
Men to Reign, thou wert born, thou wert born, thou wert
Born o're Men to Reign, not to follow flocks design'd,
Born o're Men to Reign, not to follow flocks design'd,
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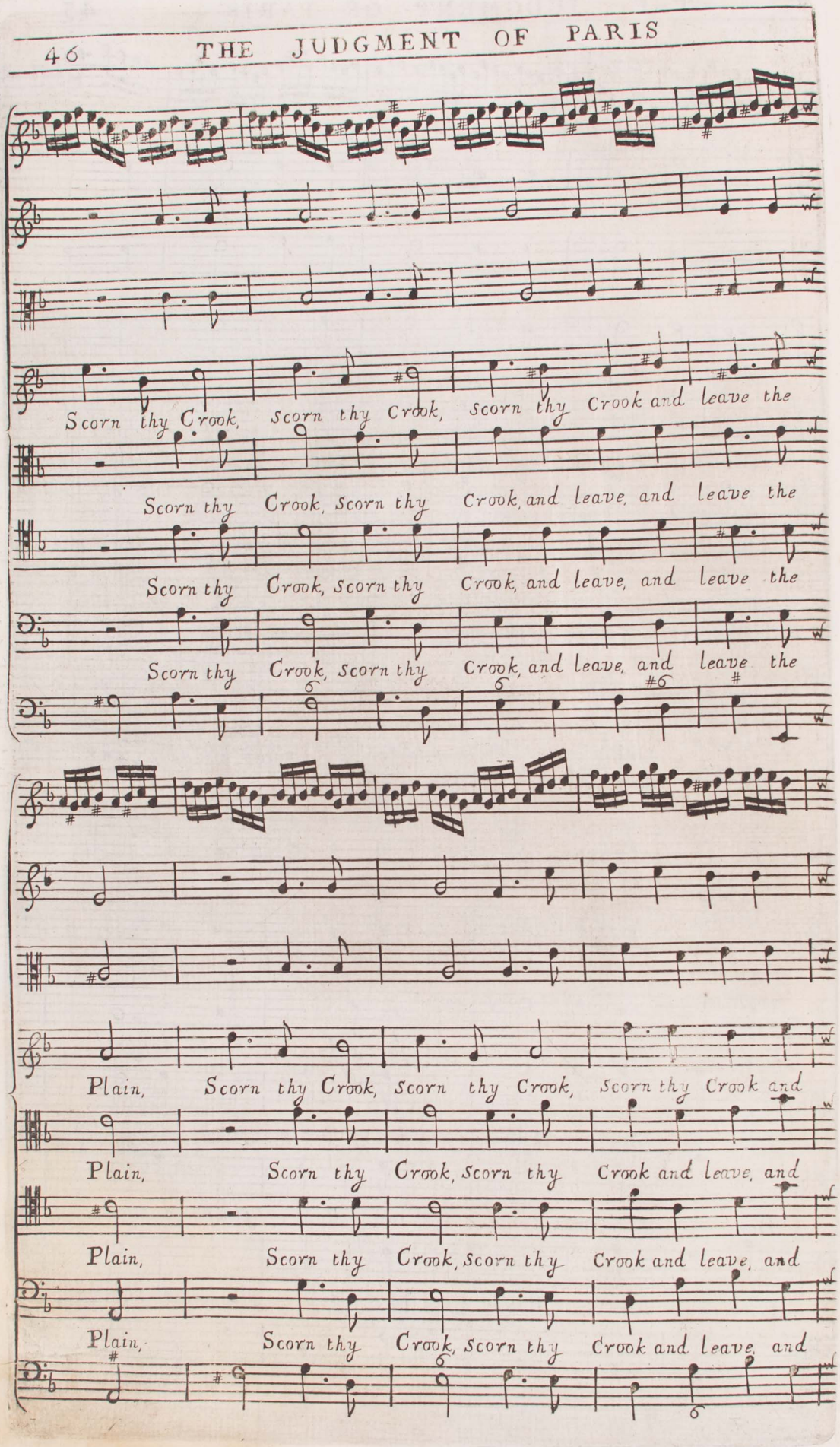
Born o're Men to Reign, not to follow flocks design'd,


Scorn thy Crook, scorn thy Crook, scorn thy Crook and leave the
Scorn thy Crook, scorn thy Crook, and leave, and leave the
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Scorn thy Crook, scorn thy Crook, and leave, and leave the
Plain, Scorn thy Crook, scorn thy Crook, scorn thy Crook and
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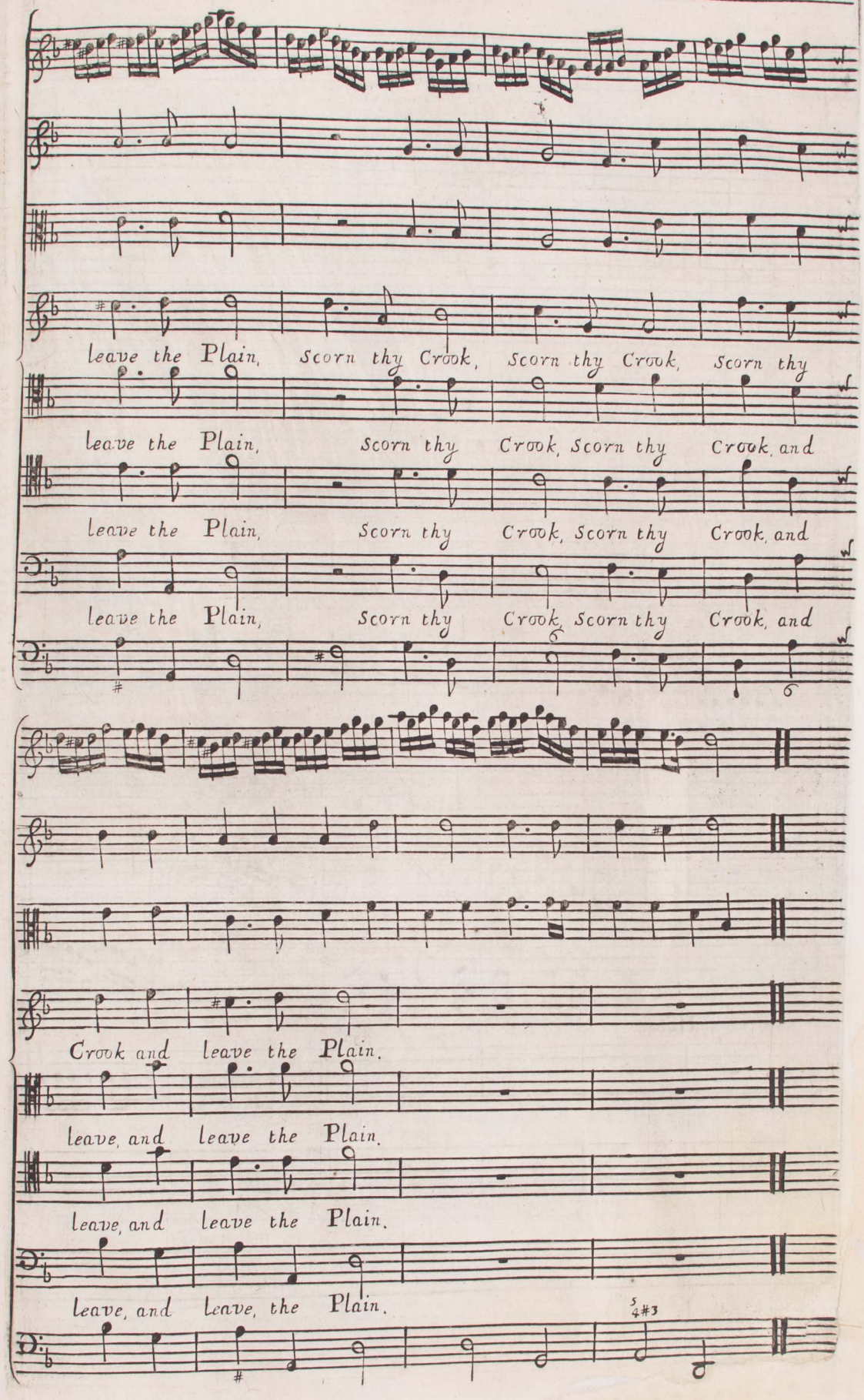
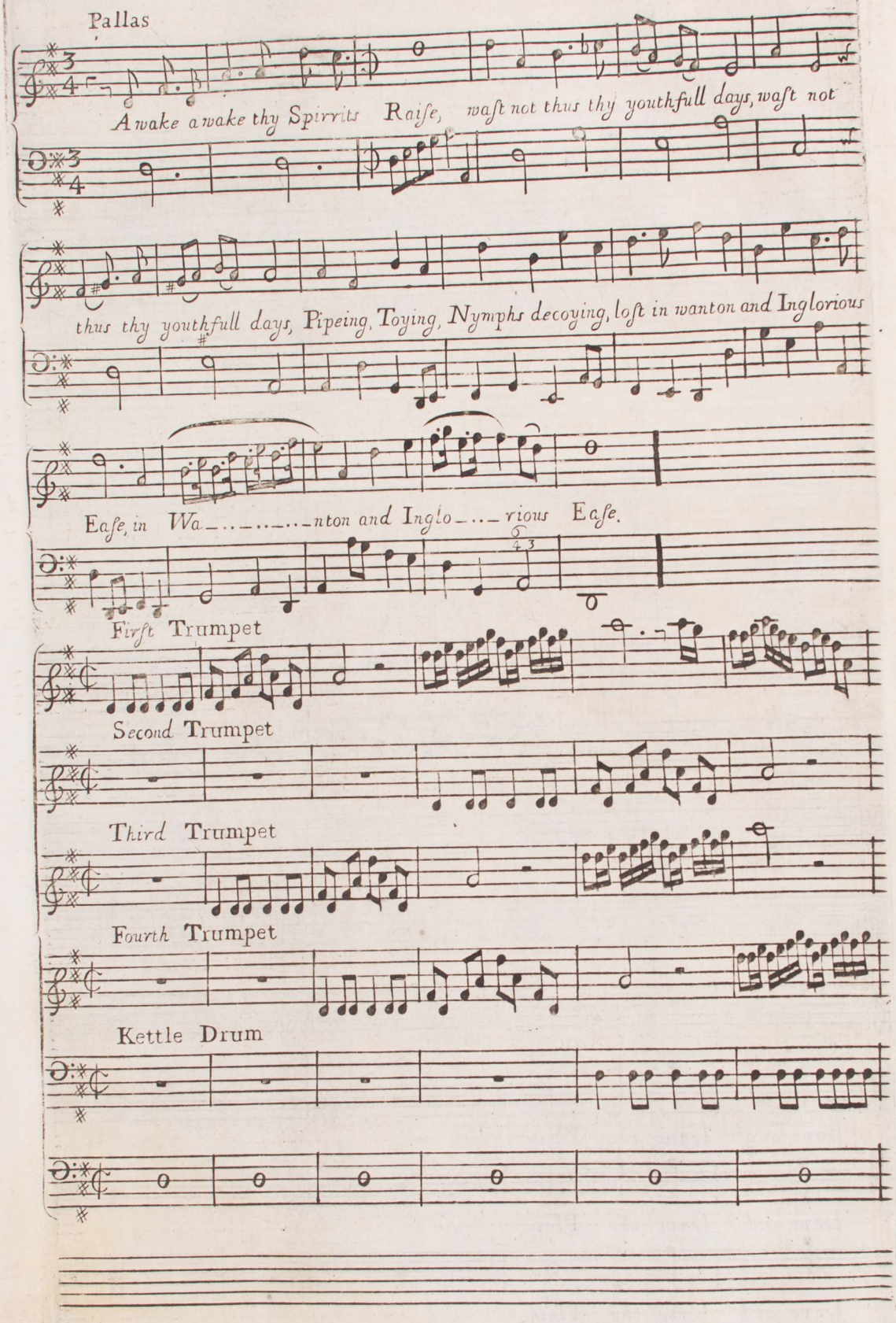
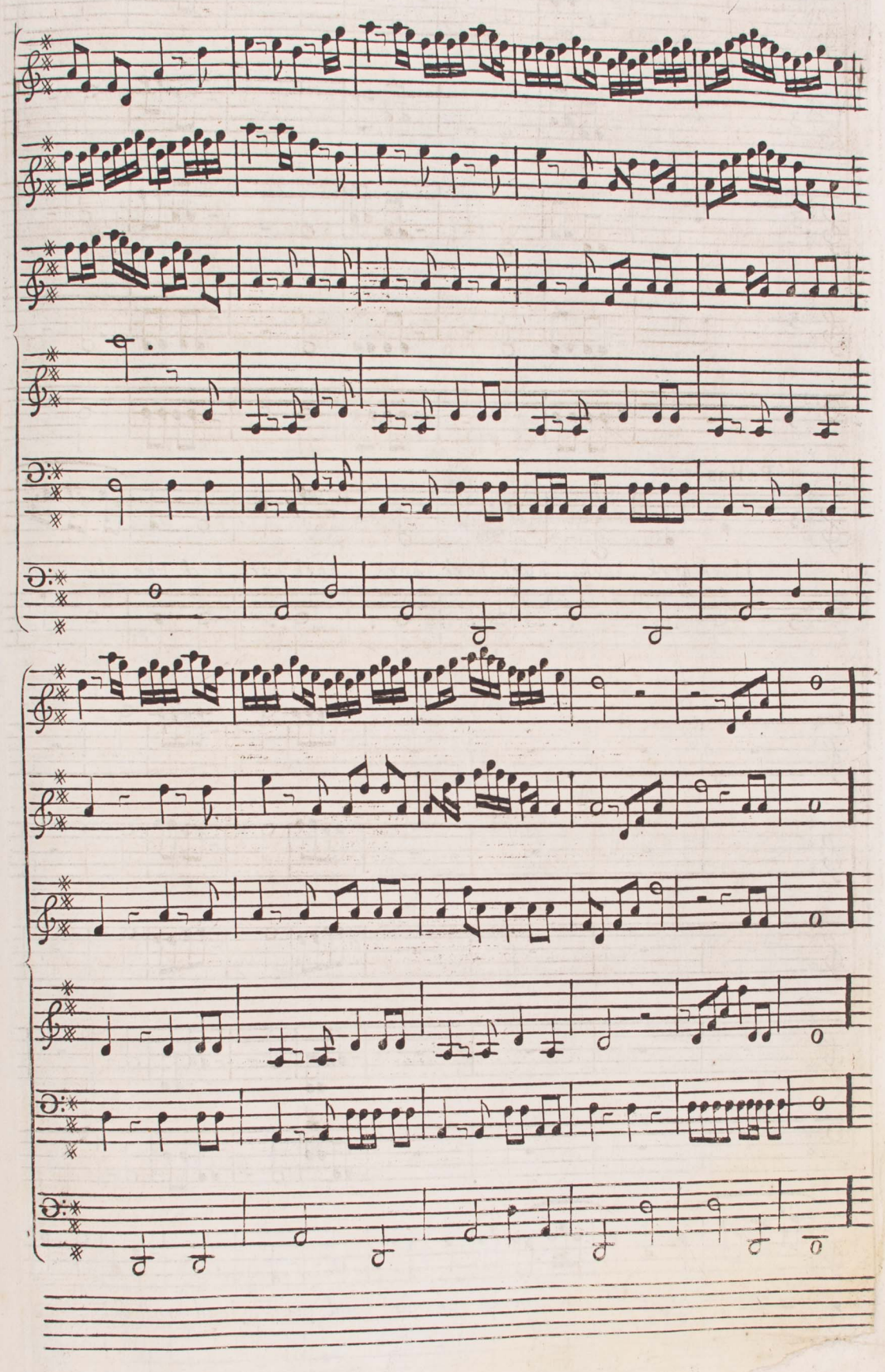
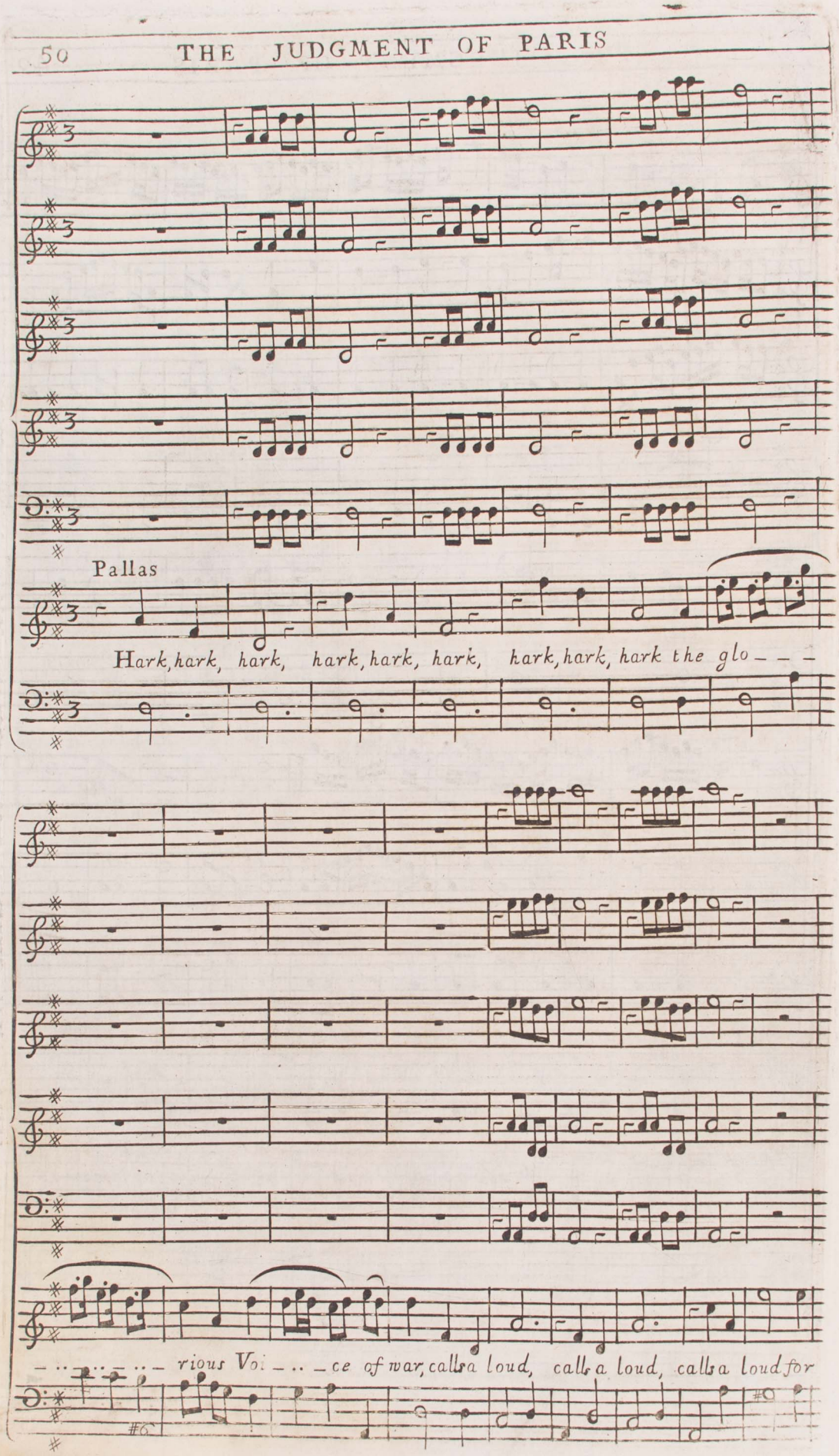
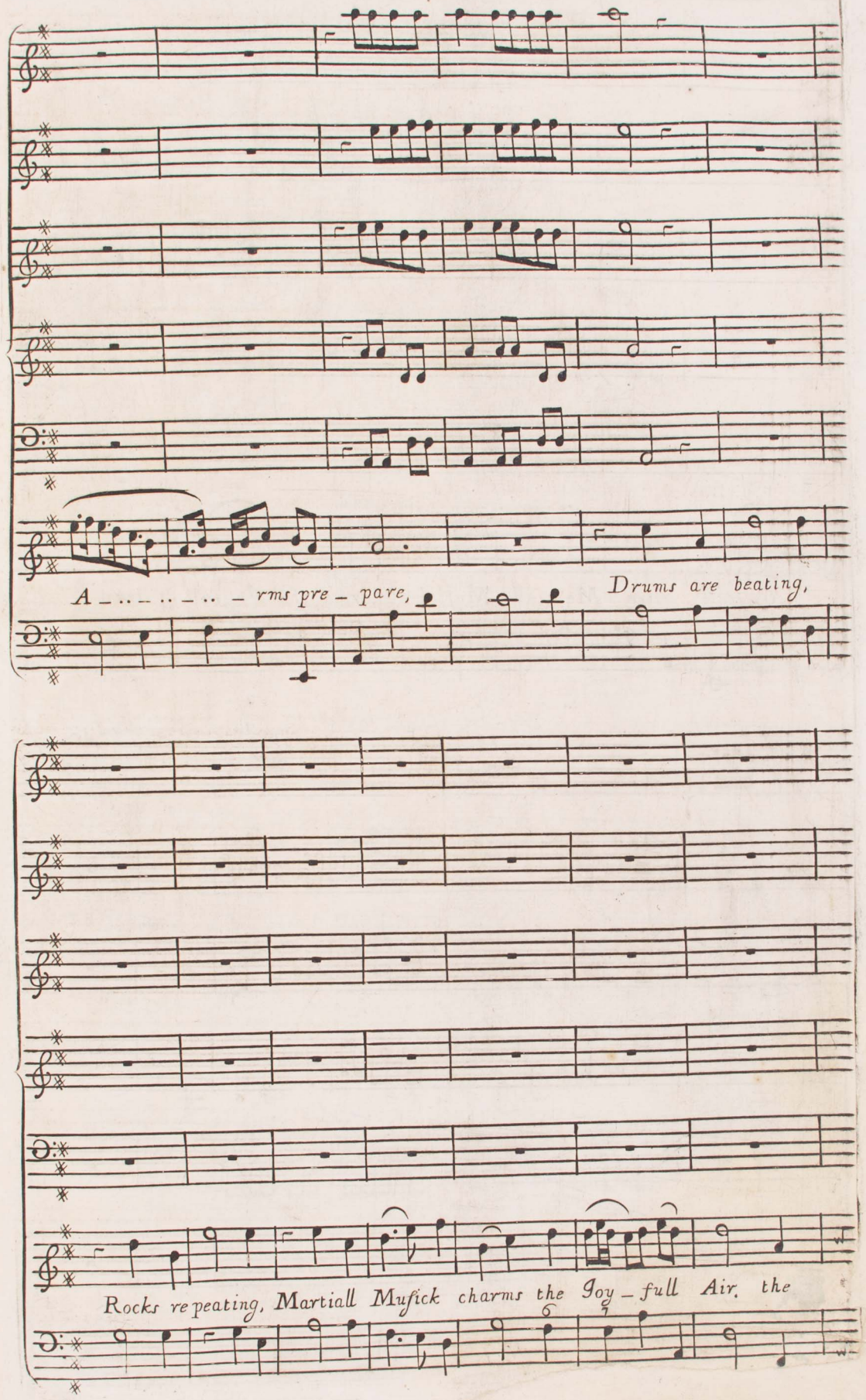
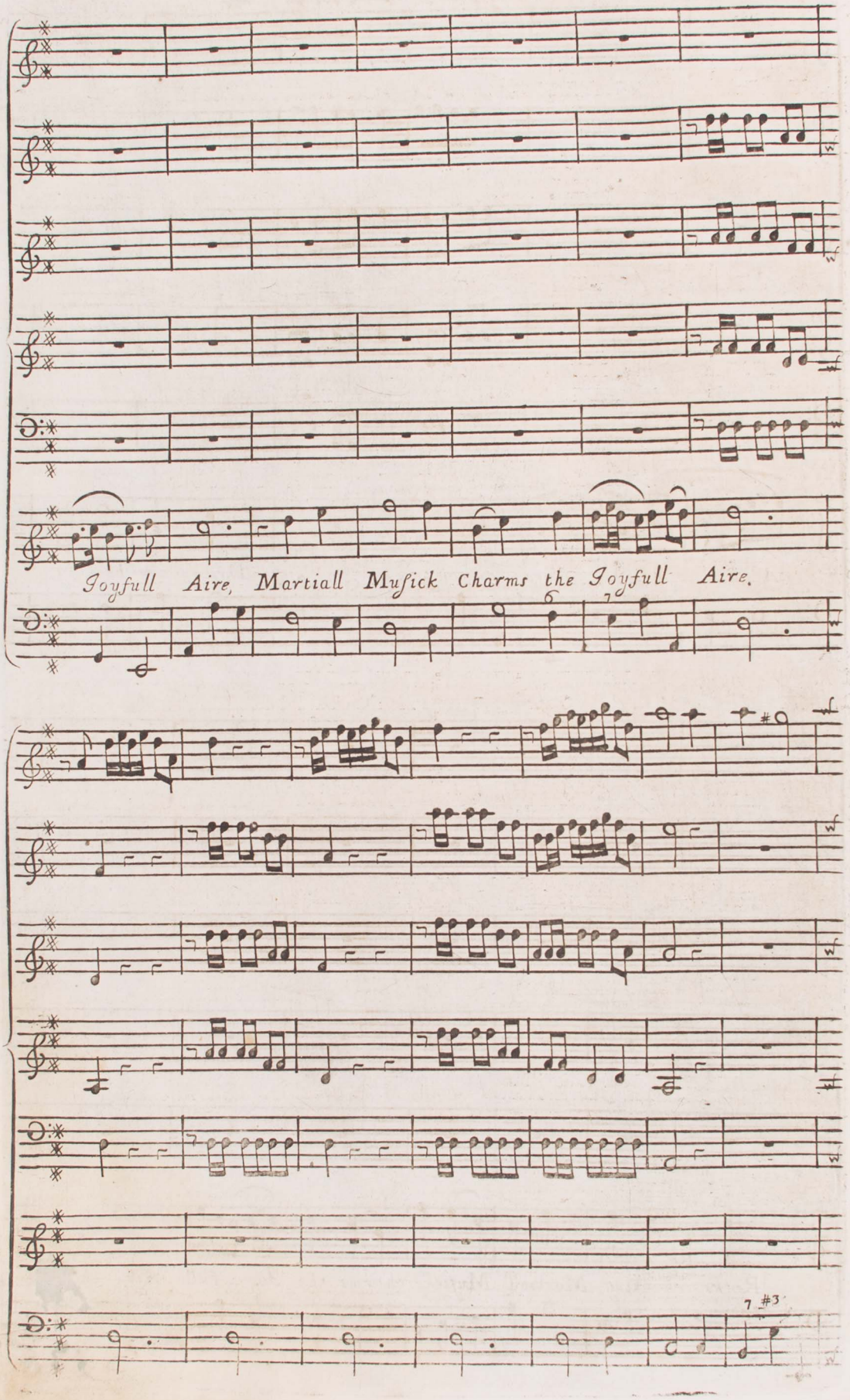

leave the Plain, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy
leave the Plain, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook, and
leave the Plain, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook, and
leave the Plain, Scorn thy Crook, Scorn thy Crook, and
Crook and leave the Plain.
leave, and leave the Plain.
leave, and leave the Plain.
leave, and leave, the Plain.

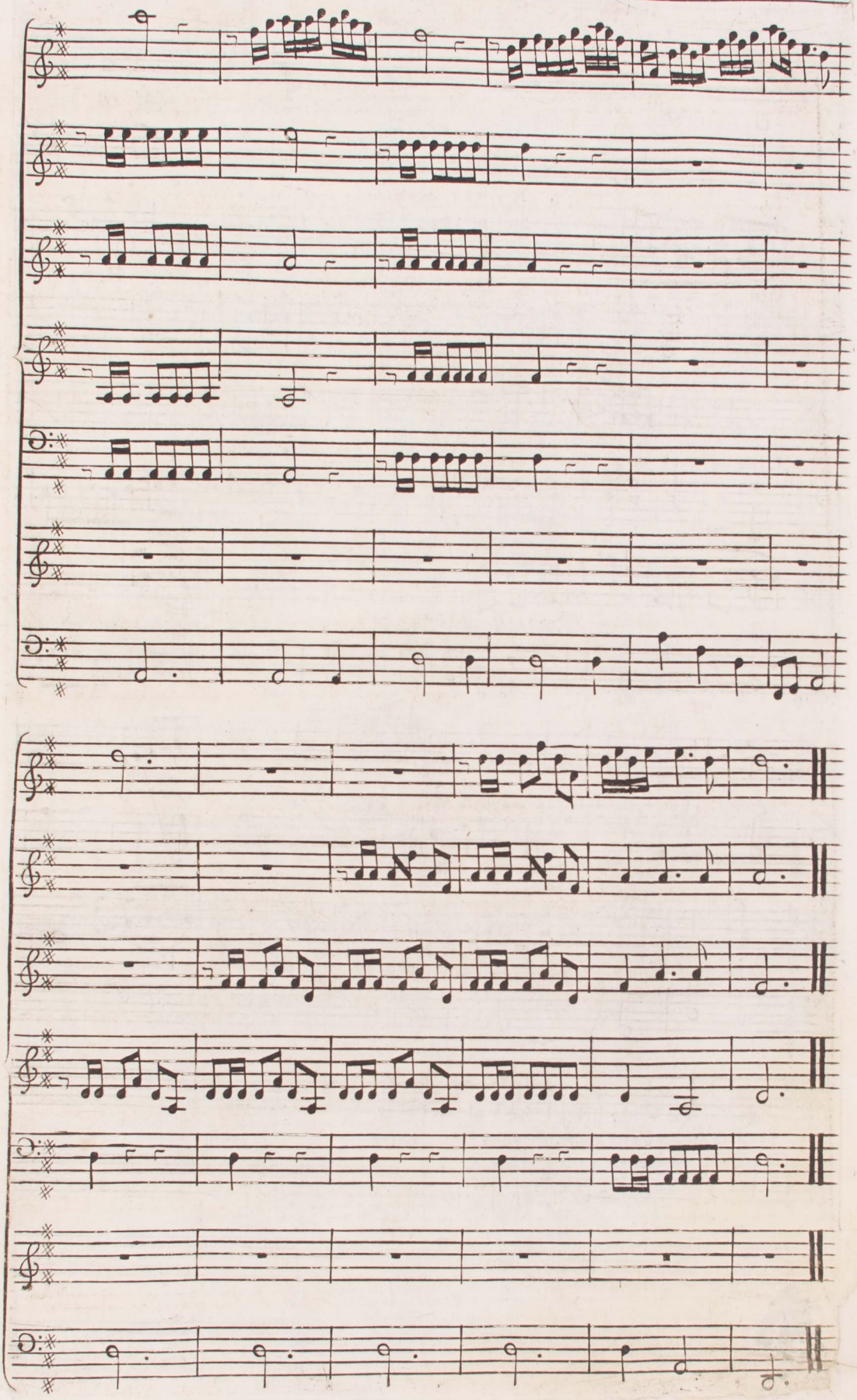

Pallas
Awake awake thy Spirrits Raise, waſt not thus thy youthfull days, waſt not
thus thy youthfull days, Pipeing, Toying, Nymphs decoying, loſt in wanton and Inglorious
Eaſe, in Wa——nton and Inglo——rious Eaſe.
First Trumpet
Second Trumpet
Third Trumpet
Fourth Trumpet
Kettle Drum

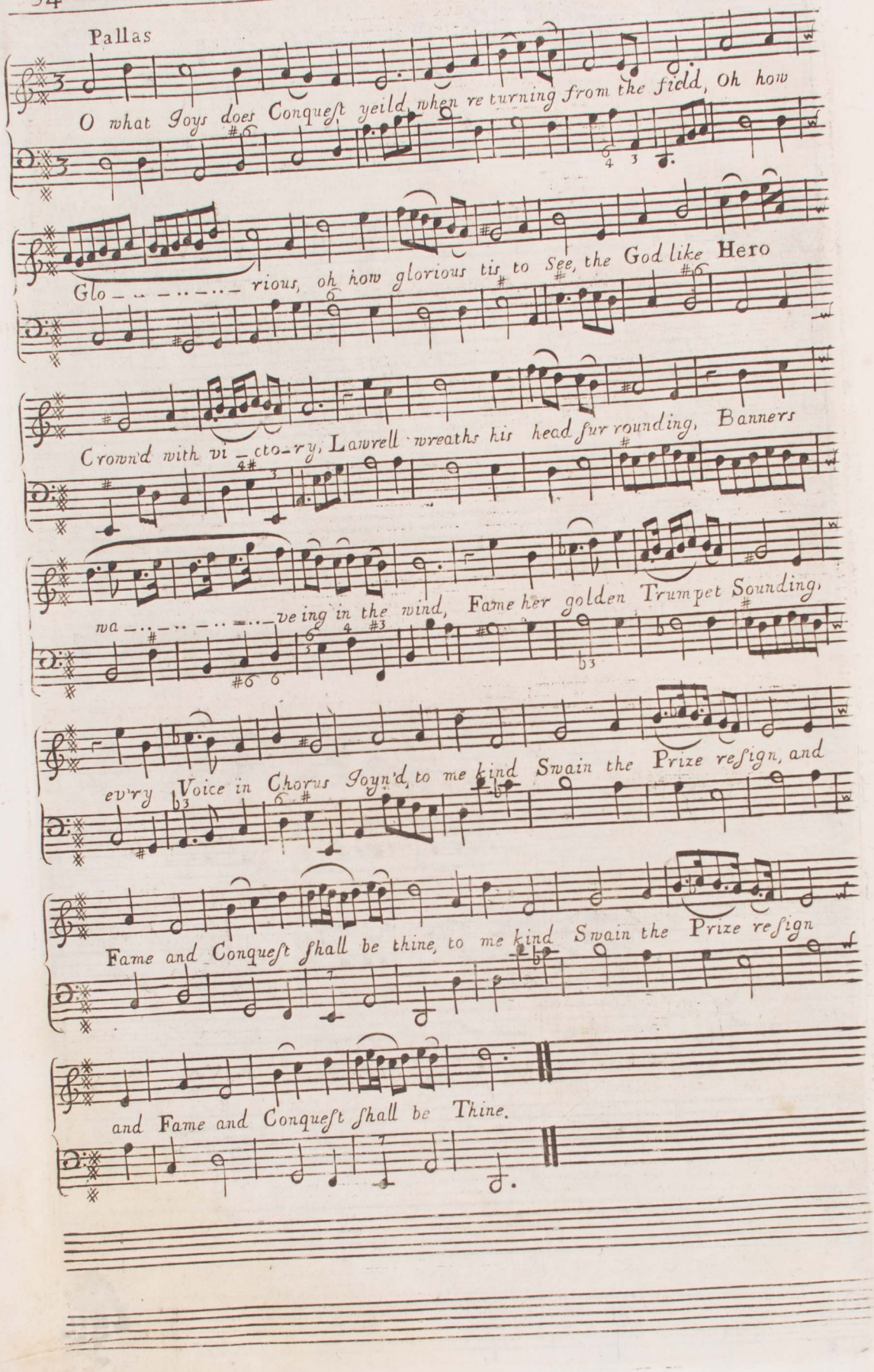



Pallas
Hark, hark, hark, hark, hark, hark, hark, hark, hark the glo – – –
– .. – .. – .. – rious Voi – .. – ce of war, calls a loud, calls a loud, calls a loud for

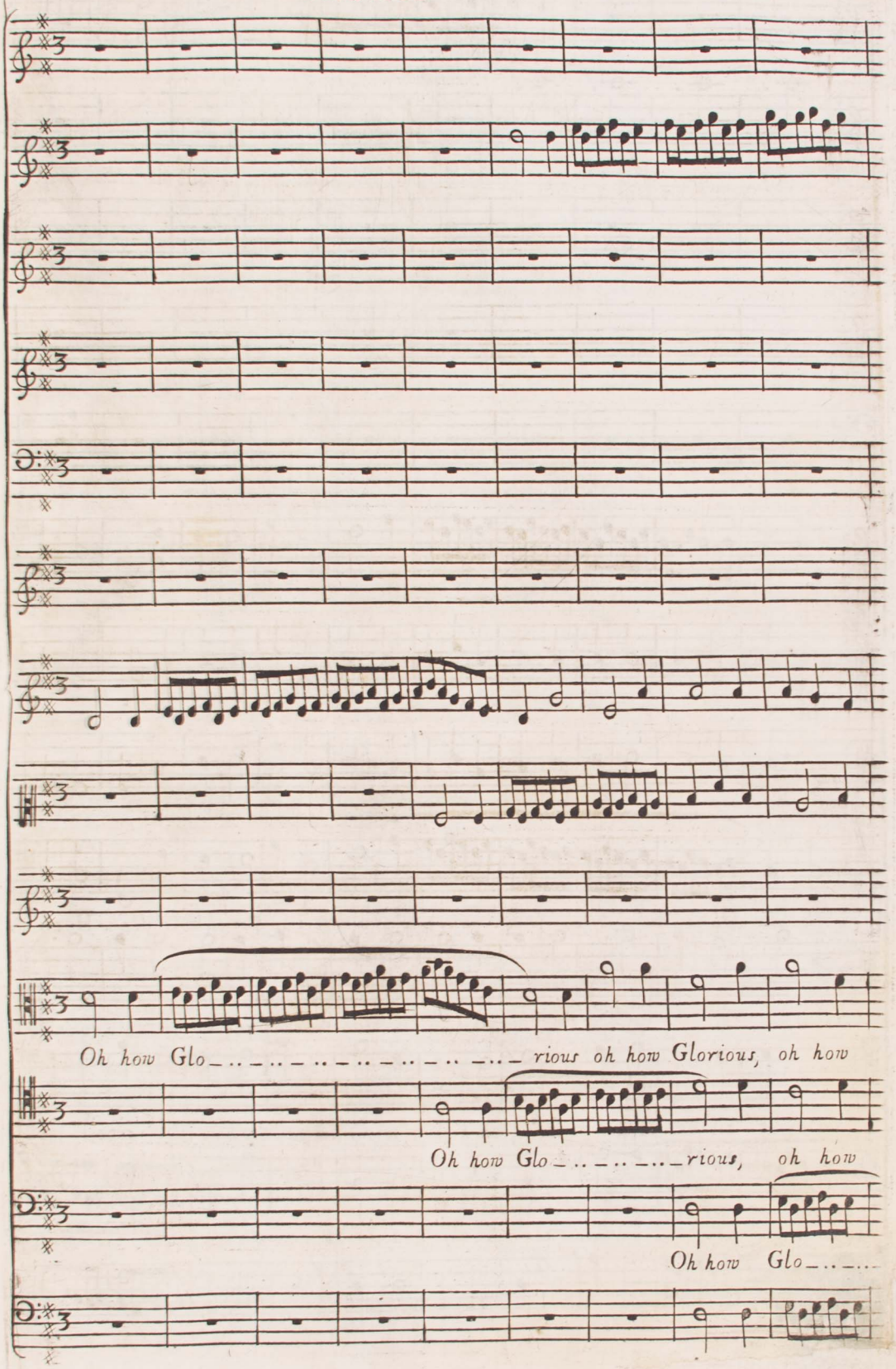

A - - - - - - - - rms pre - pare,
Drums are beating,
Rocks repeating, Martiall Muſick charms the Joy - full Air, the

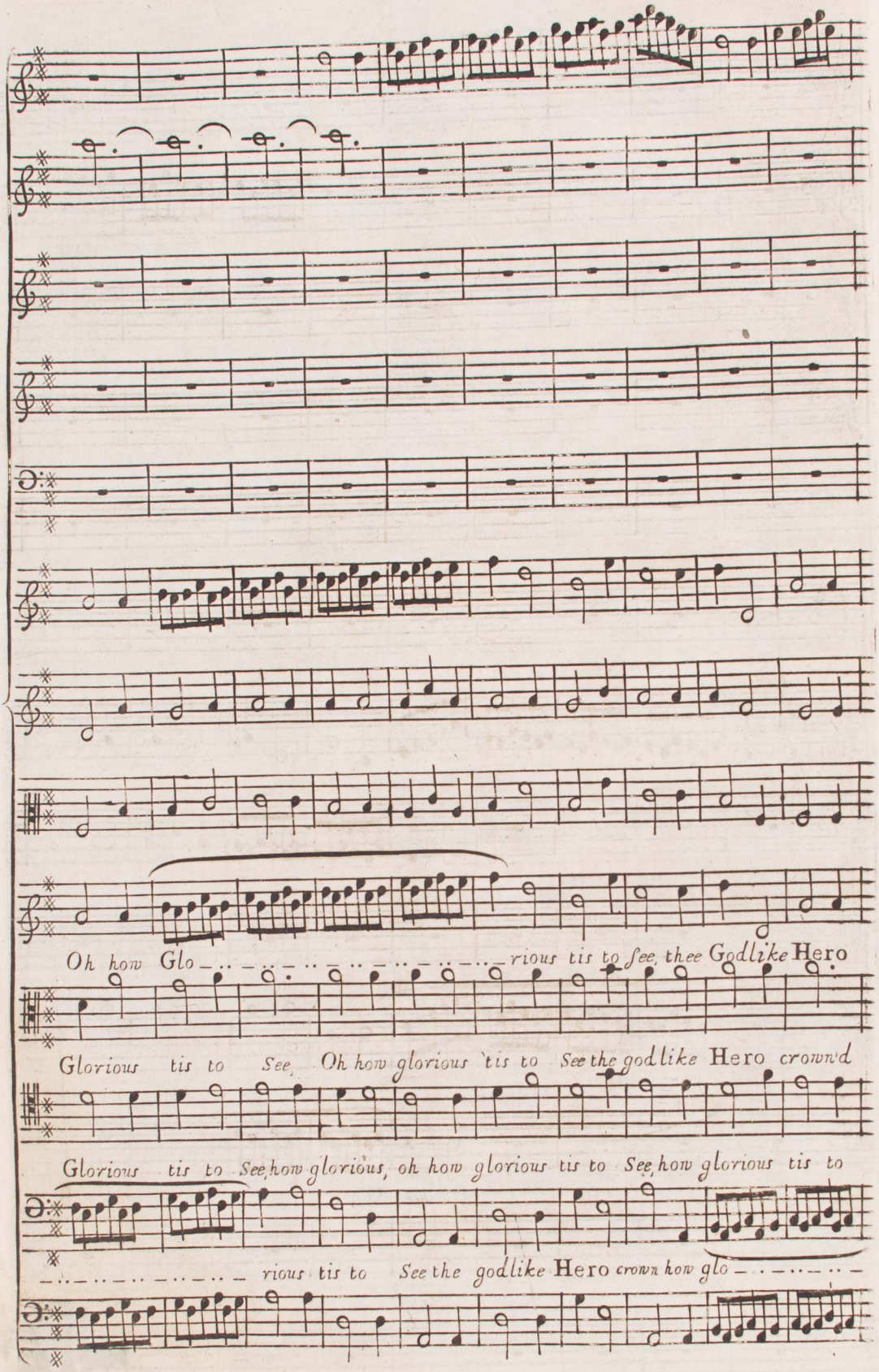

Joyfull Aire, Martiall Musick Charms the Joyfull Aire.

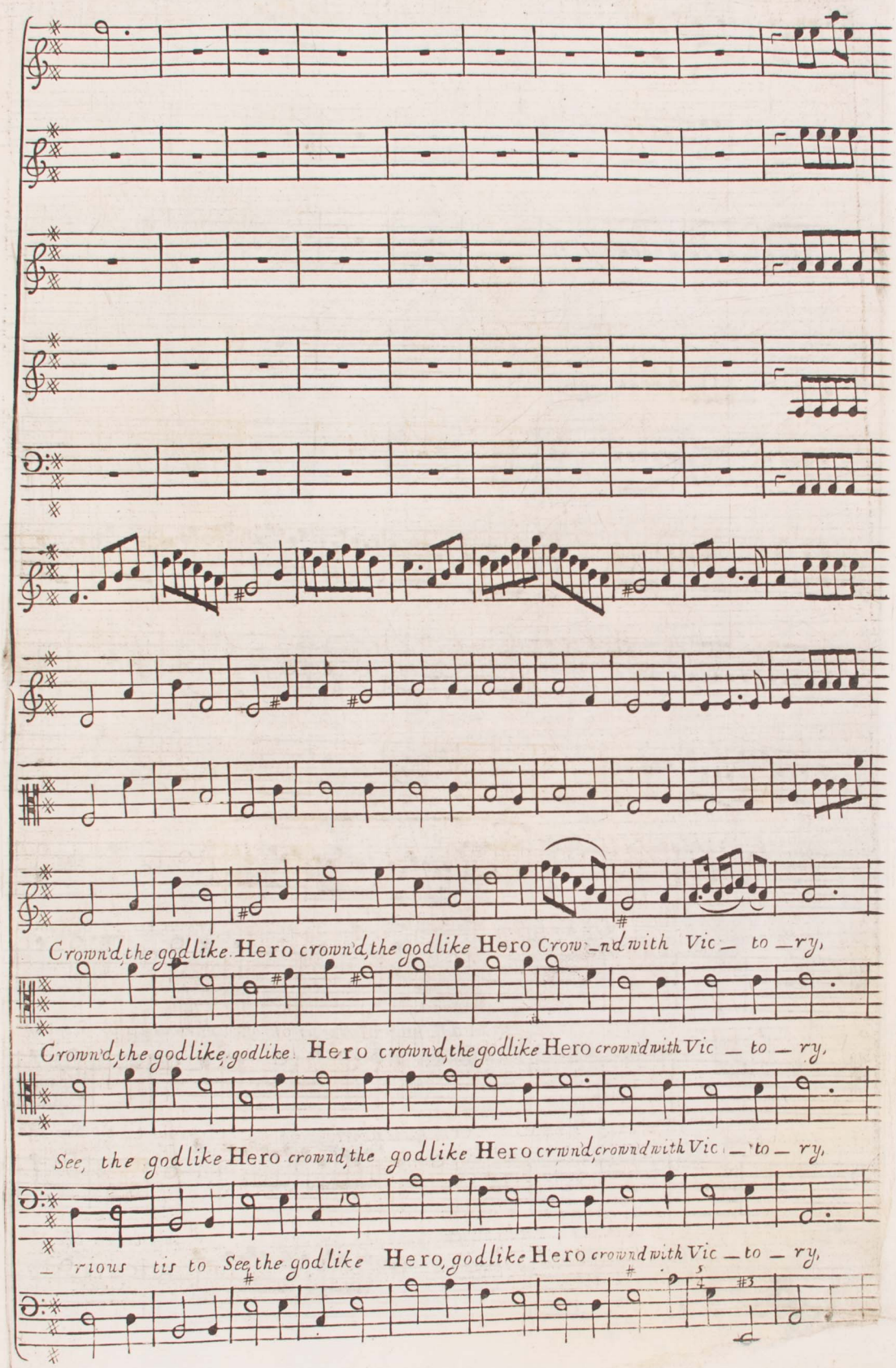


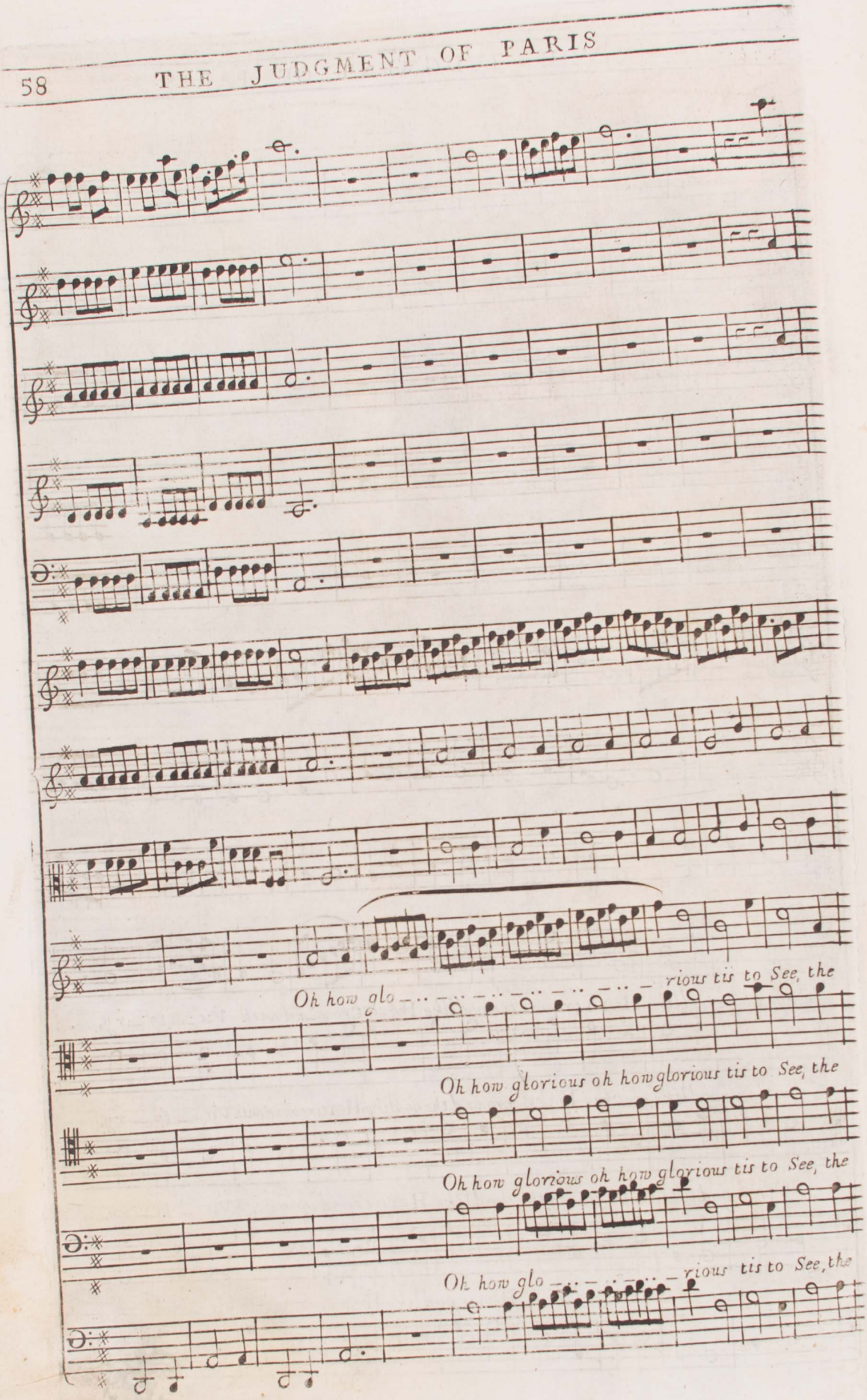

Pallas
O what Joys does Conquest yeild, when re turning from the field, Oh how
Glo - - - - - - - rious, oh how glorious tis to See, the God like Hero
Crown'd with vi - cto - ry, Laurell wreaths his head sur rounding, Banners
wa - - - - - - - ving in the wind, Fame her golden Trumpet Sounding,
ev'ry Voice in Chorus Joyn'd, to me kind Swain the Prize resign, and
Fame and Conquest shall be thine, to me kind Swain the Prize resign
and Fame and Conquest shall be Thine.

CHORUS


Oh how Glo_ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ rious oh how Glorious, oh how
Oh how Glo_ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ rious, oh how
Oh how Glo_ _ _ _ _


Oh how Glo _ rious tis to see, thee Godlike Hero
Glorious tis to See, Oh how glorious 'tis to See the godlike Hero crown'd
Glorious tis to See, how glorious, oh how glorious tis to See, how glorious tis to
_ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ rious tis to See the godlike Hero crown how glo _ _ _ _ _ _ _


Crown'd, the godlike Hero crown'd, the godlike Hero Crow_nd with Vic_ to _ry,
Crown'd, the godlike, godlike Hero crown'd, the godlike Hero crown'd with Vic _ to _ ry,
See, the godlike Hero crown'd, the godlike Hero crown'd, crown'd with Vic _ to _ ry,
_ rious tis to See, the godlike Hero, godlike Hero crown'd with Vic _ to _ ry,


Oh how glo ... rious tis to See, the
Oh how glorious oh how glorious tis to See, the
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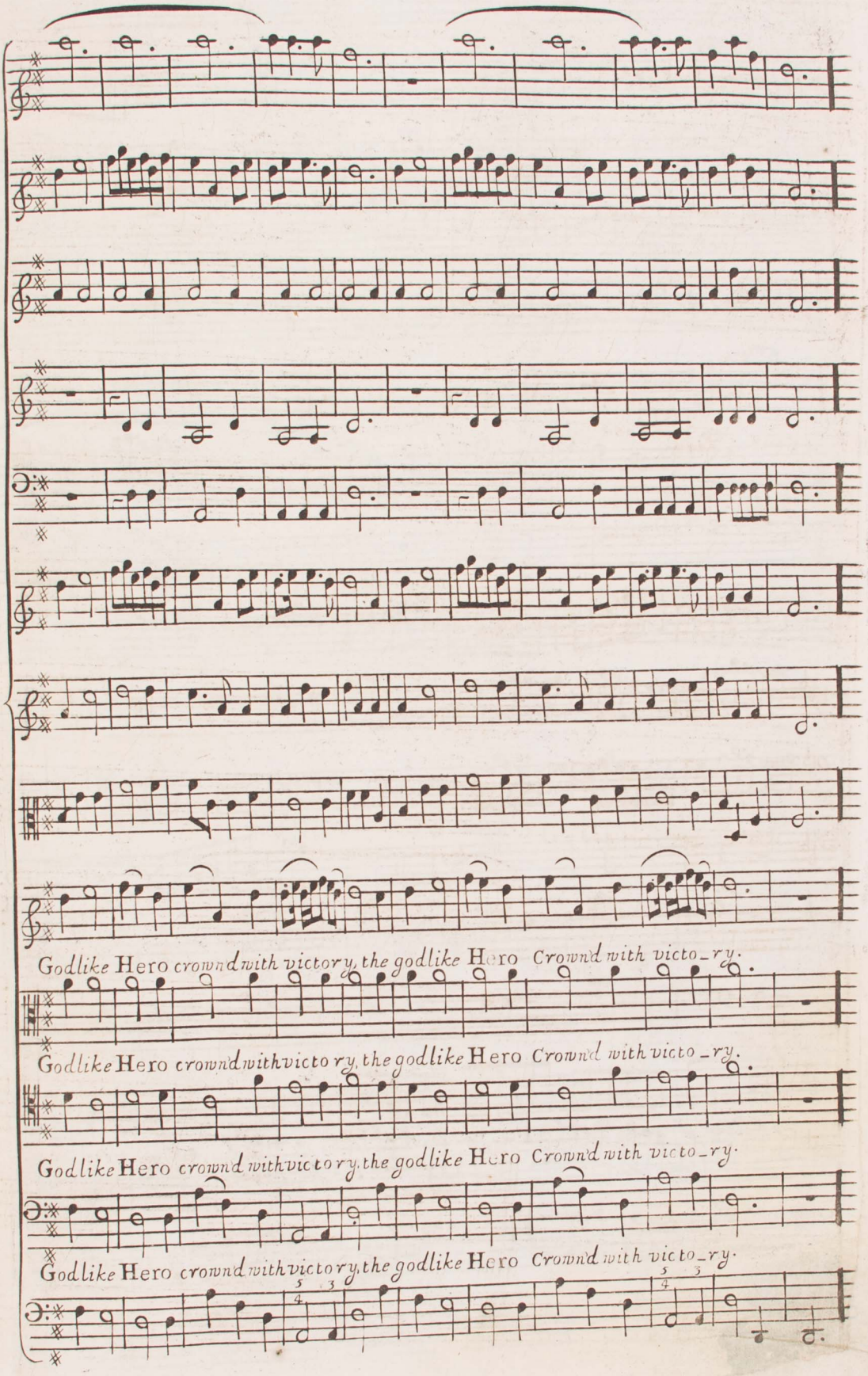
Oh how glo ... rious tis to See, the


Godlike Hero crownd with victory, the godlike Hero Crownd with victo_ry.
Godlike Hero crownd with victory, the godlike Hero Crownd with victo_ry.
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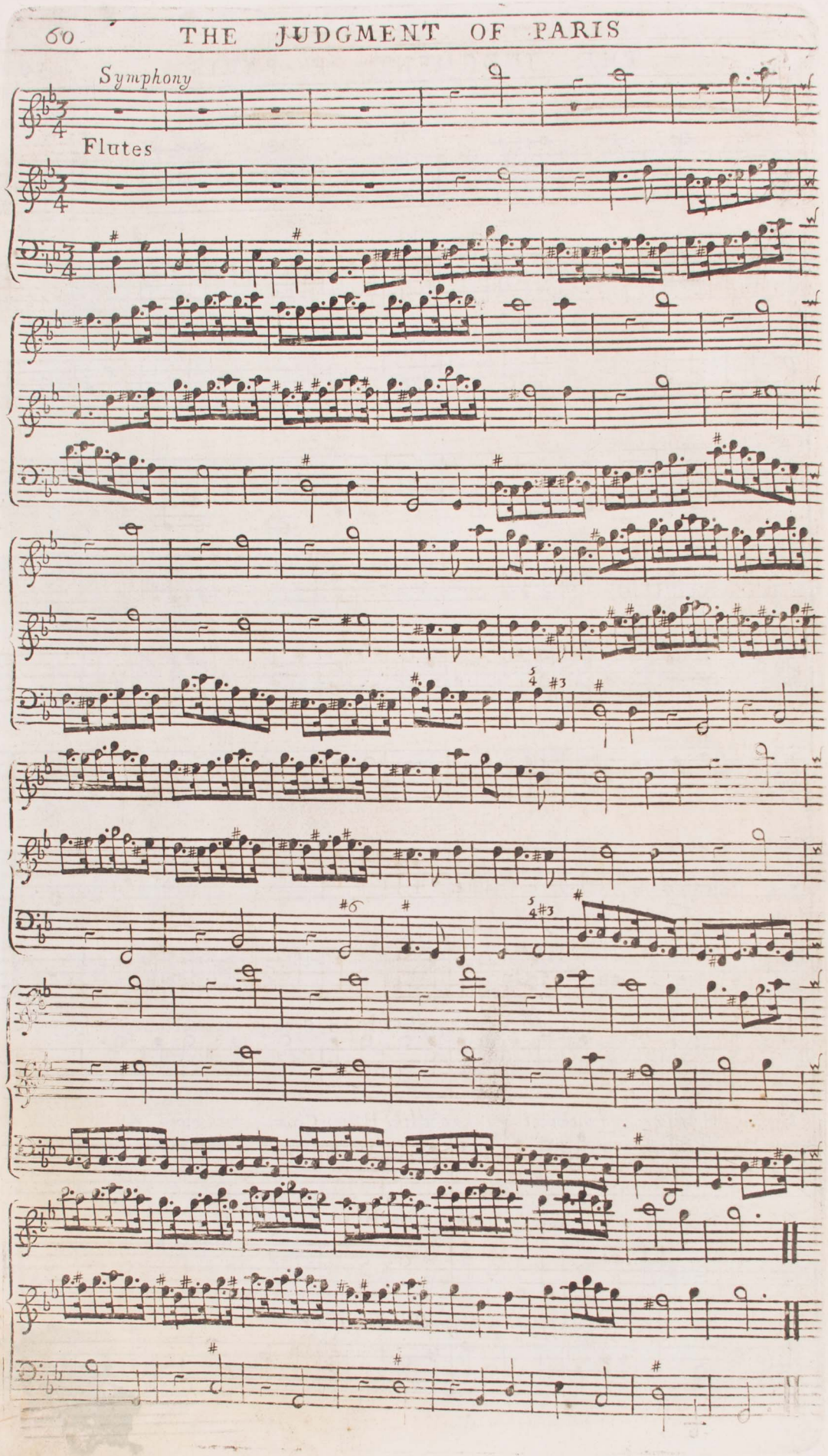
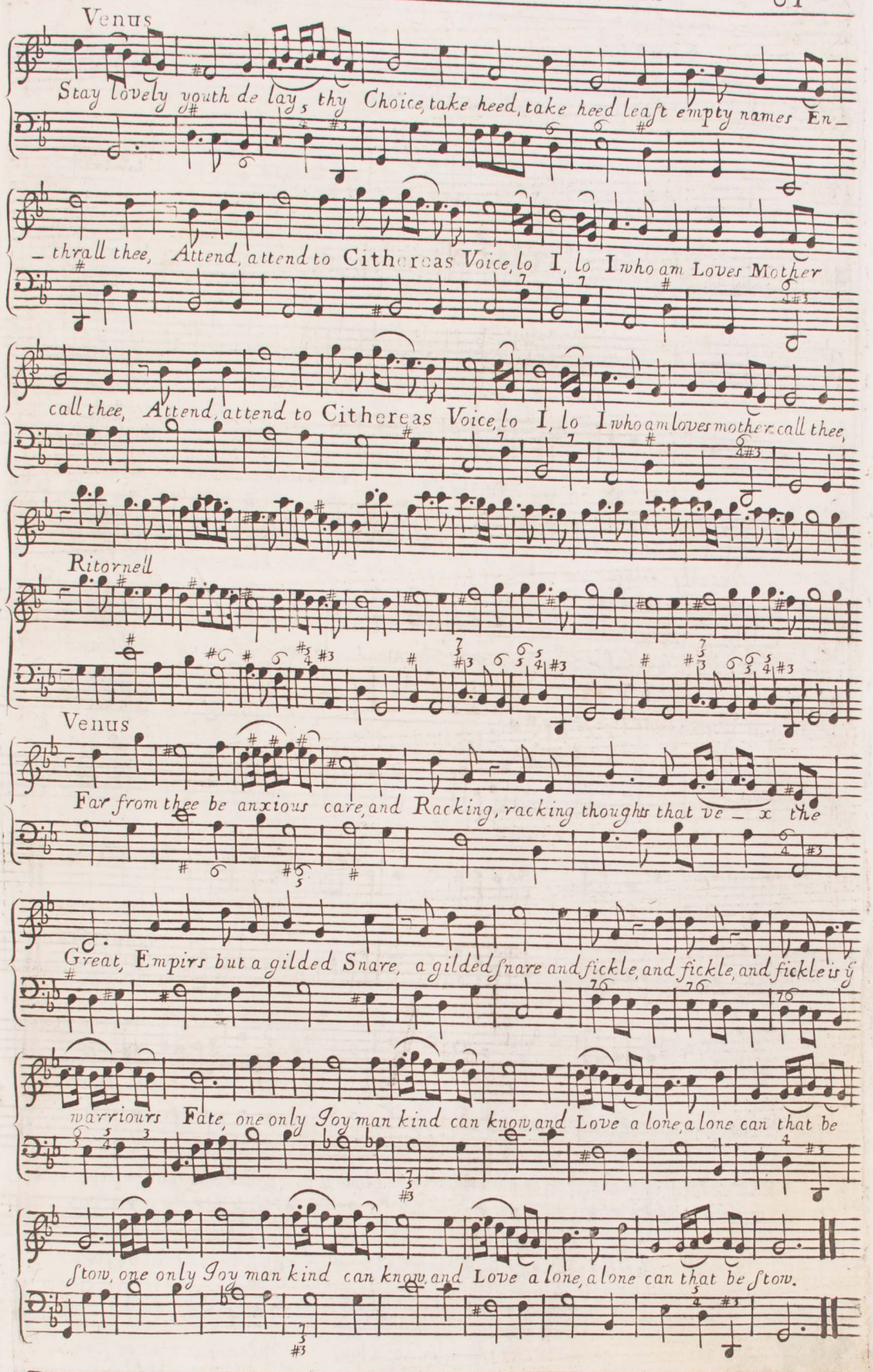
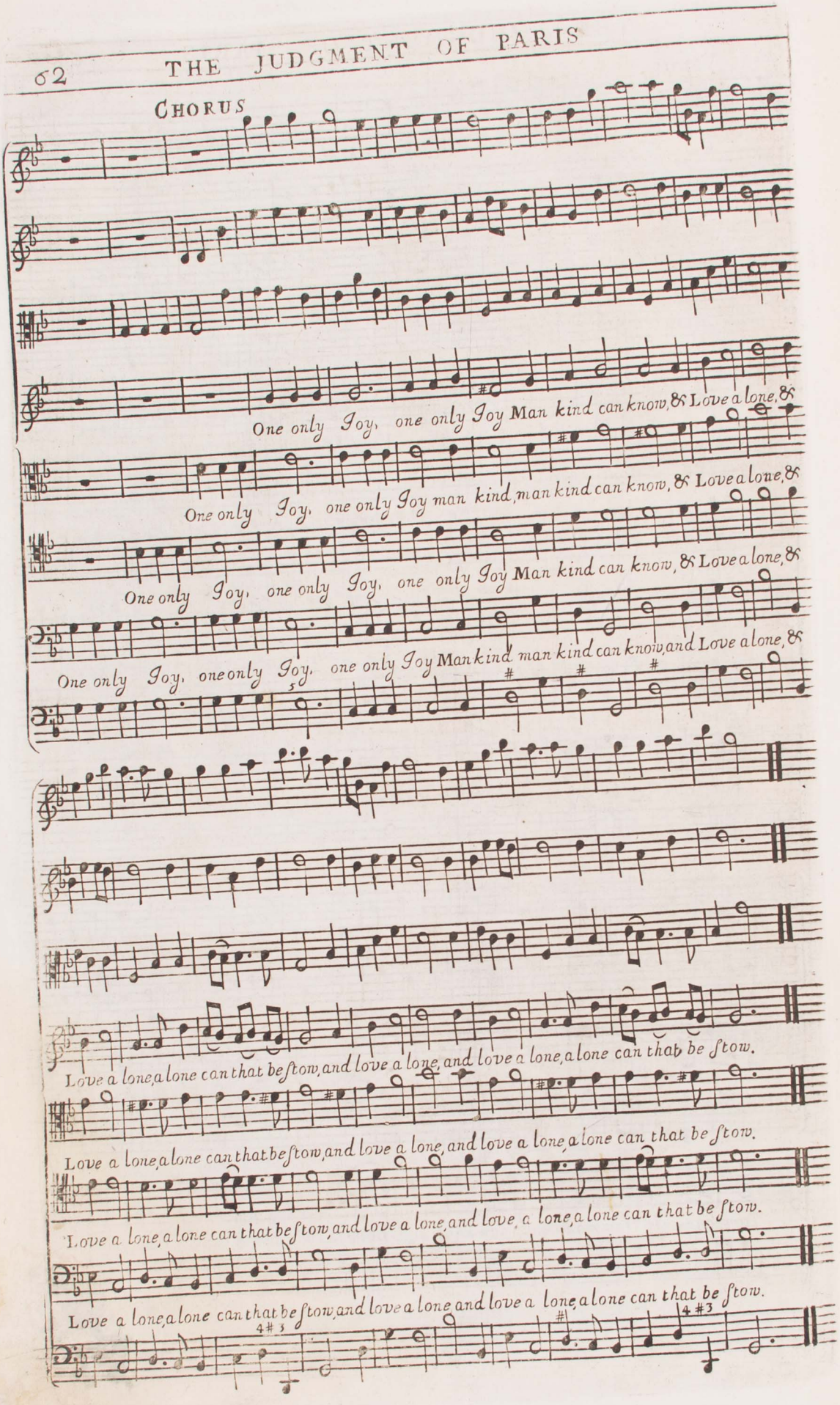
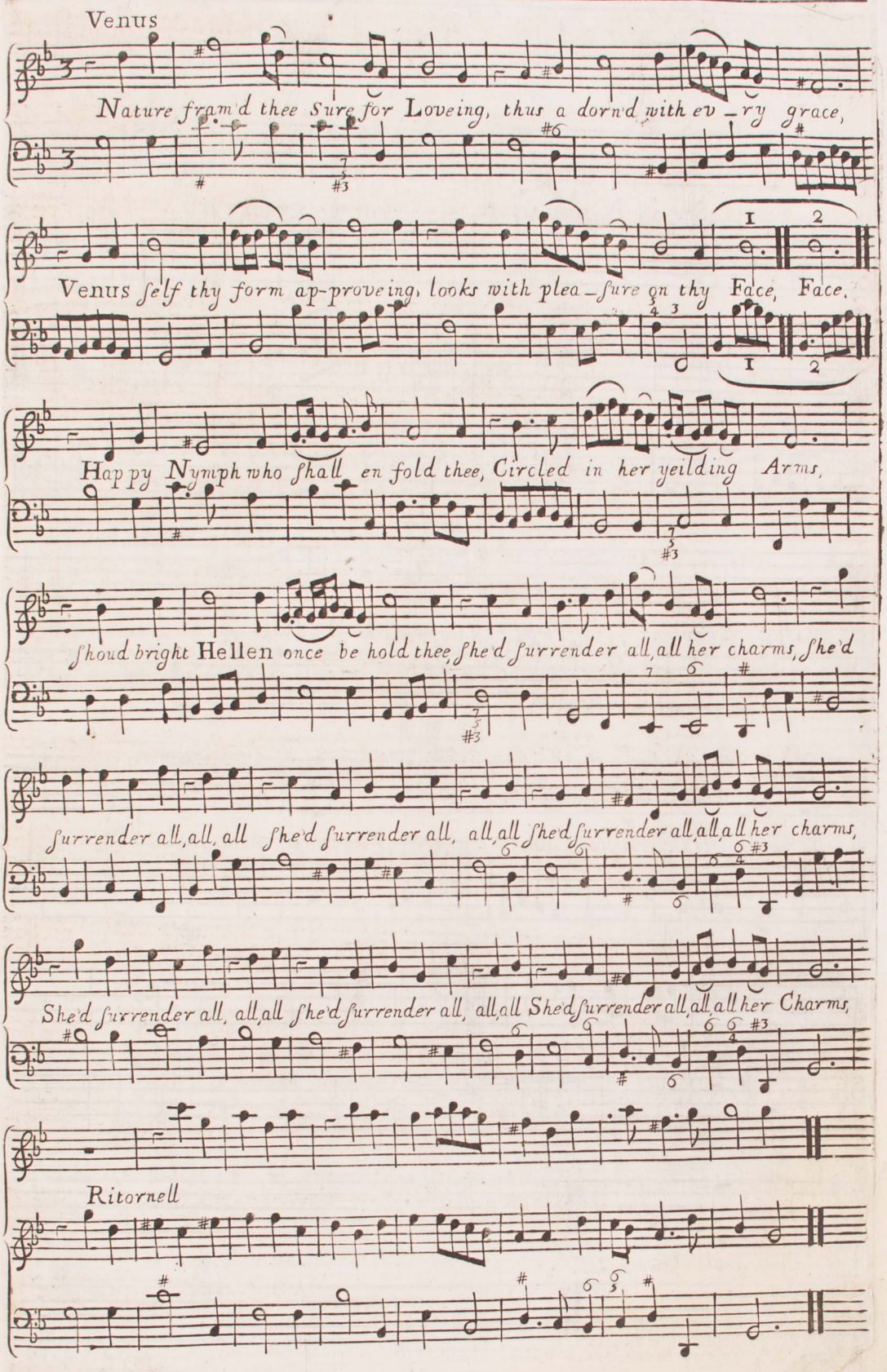

Symphony
Flutes


Venus
Stay lovely youth de lay, thy Choice, take heed, take heed leaſt empty names En-
-thrall thee, Attend, attend to Cithereas Voice, lo I, lo I who am Loves Mother
call thee, Attend, attend to Cithereas Voice, lo I, lo I who am loves mother call thee,
Ritornell
Venus
Far from thee be anxious care, and Racking, racking thoughts that ve-x the
Great, Empirs but a gilded Snare, a gilded ſnare and fickle, and fickle, and fickle is ſ
warriours Fate, one only Joy man kind can know, and Love a lone, a lone can that be
ſtow, one only Joy man kind can know, and Love a lone, a lone can that be ſtow.

CHORUS


One only Joy, one only Joy Man kind can know, & Love a lone, &
One only Joy, one only Joy man kind, man kind can know, & Love a lone, &
One only Joy, one only Joy, one only Joy Man kind can know, & Love a lone, &
One only Joy, one only Joy, one only Joy Man kind man kind can know, and Love a lone, &
Love a lone, a lone can that be stow, and love a lone, and love a lone, a lone can that be stow.
Love a lone, a lone can that be stow, and love a lone, and love a lone, a lone can that be stow.
Love a lone, a lone can that be stow, and love a lone, and love, a lone, a lone can that be stow.
Love a lone, a lone can that be stow, and love a lone and love a lone, a lone can that be stow.


Venus
Nature fram'd thee Sure for Loveing, thus a dorn'd with ev – ry grace,
Venus self thy form ap-proveing, looks with plea – sure on thy Face, Face.
Happy Nymph who shall en fold thee, Circled in her yeilding Arms,
Shoud bright Hellen once be hold thee, She'd surrender all, all her charms, She'd
Surrender all, all, all She'd surrender all, all, all She'd surrender all, all, all her charms,
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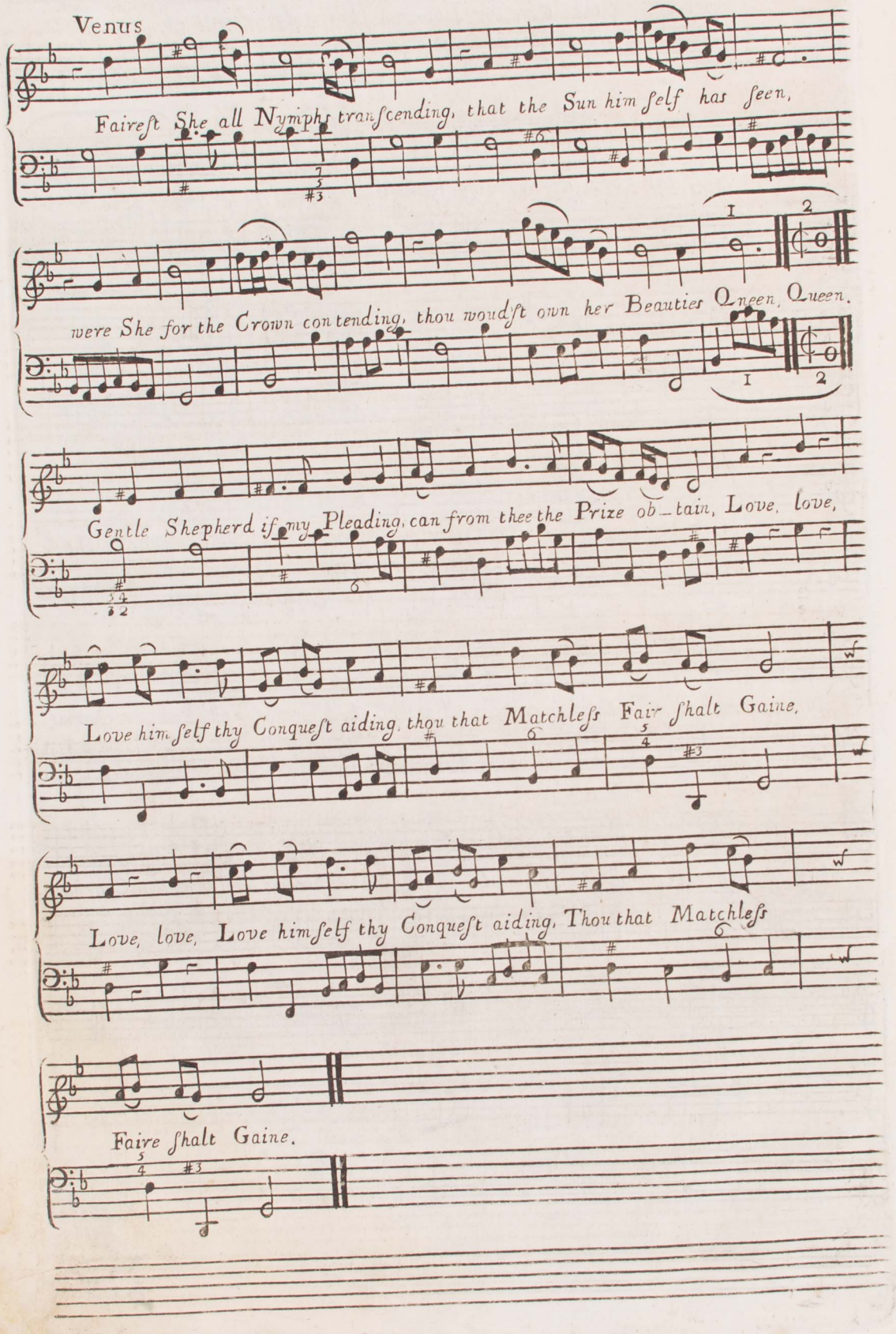
Ritornell


Venus
Faireſt She all Nymphs tranſcending, that the Sun himſelf has ſeen,
were She for the Crown contending, thou wouldſt own her Beauties Queen, Queen.
Gentle Shepherd if my Pleading, can from thee the Prize ob-tain, Love, love,
Love himſelf thy Conqueſt aiding, thou that Matchleſs Fair ſhalt Gaine,
Love, love, Love himſelf thy Conqueſt aiding, Thou that Matchleſs
Faire ſhalt Gaine.

Paris

I yeild, I yeild Oh take the Prize, and ceaſe oh ceaſe, thin chanting Song,

All Loves darts are in thy Eyes, and Harmony falls from thy Tongue,

all Loves Darts are in thy Eyes, and Harmony falls from thy Tongne, for

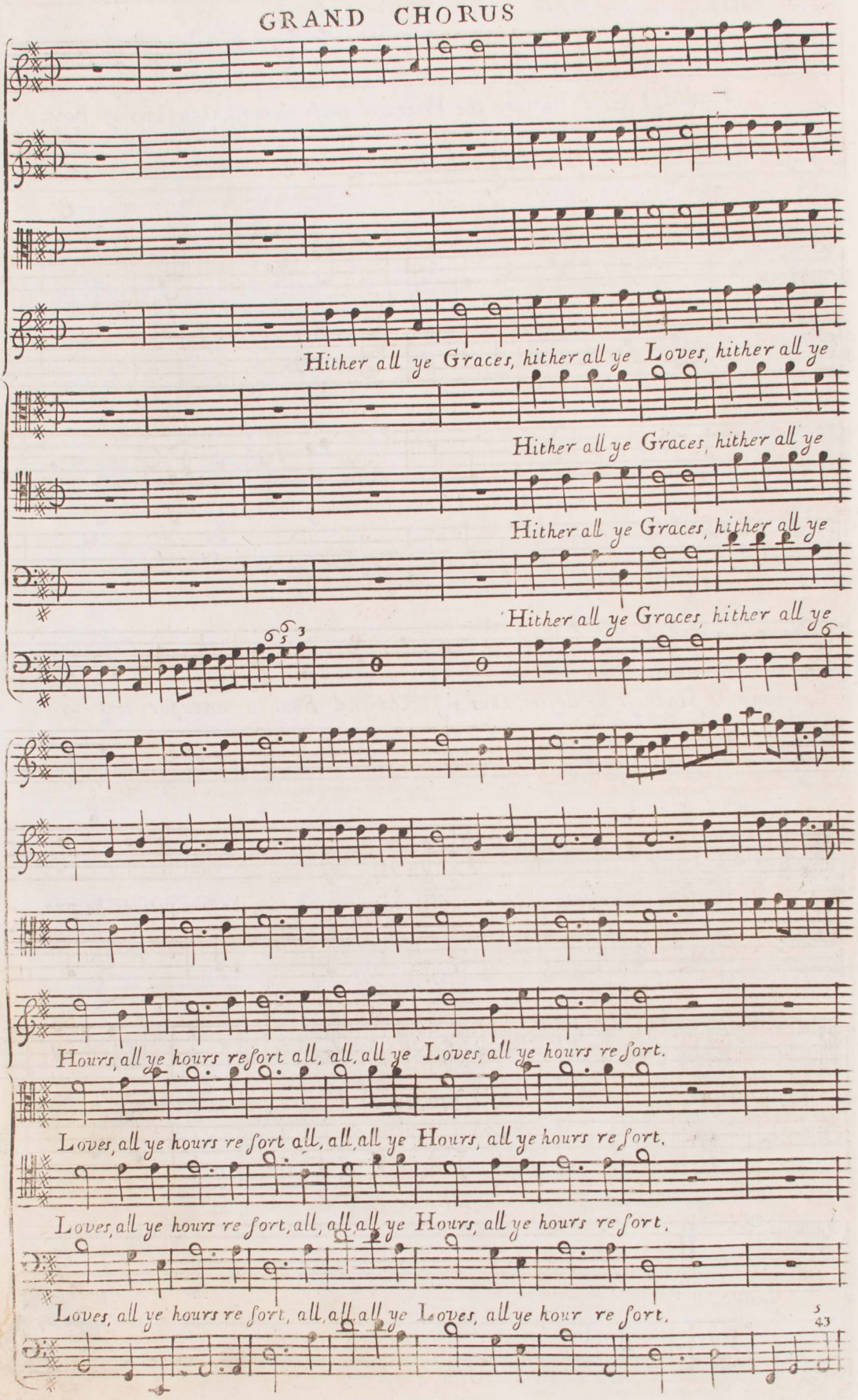
bear O Goddeſs of deſire, thus my Raviſh'd Soul to move, for bear to

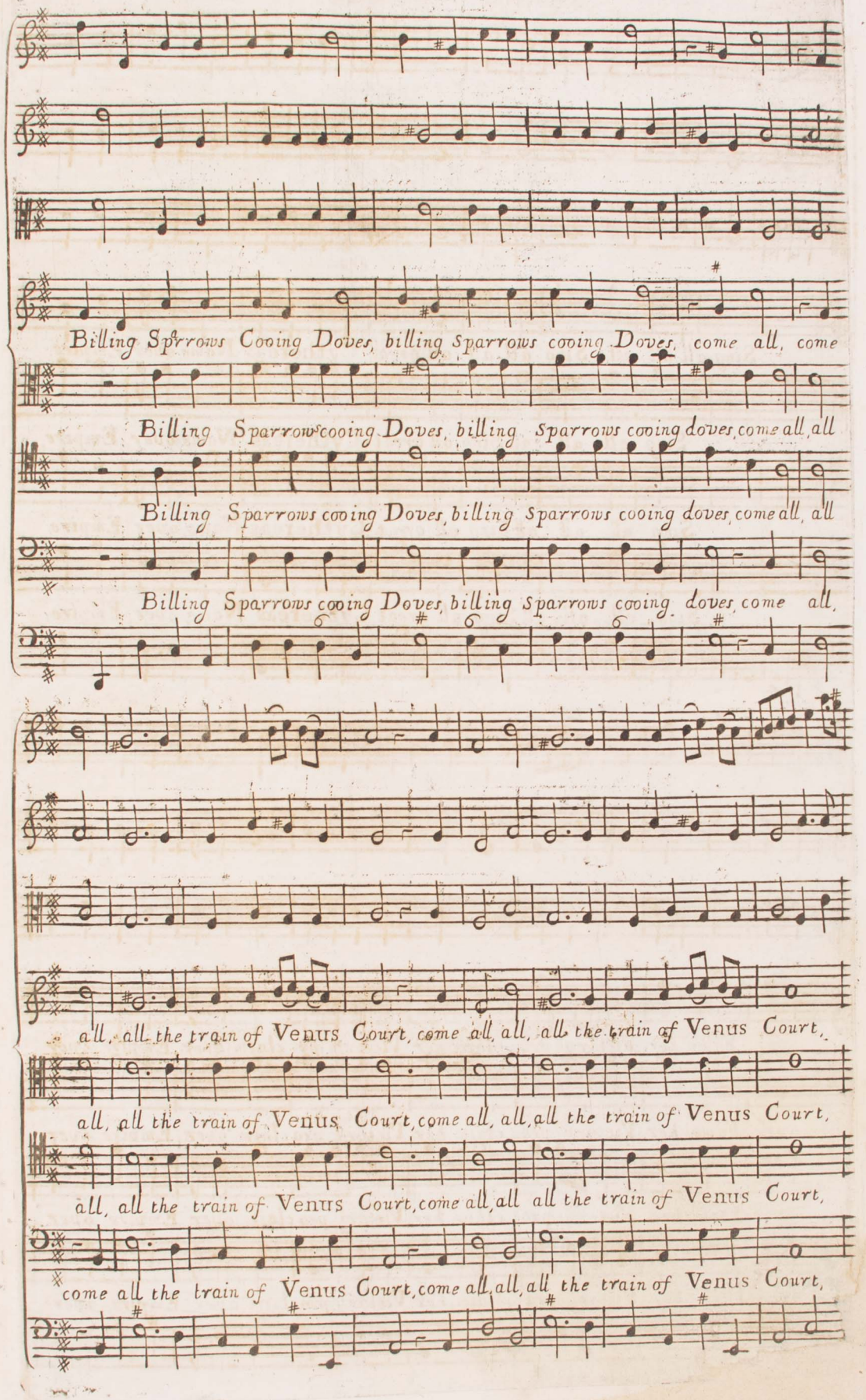
Fan the rageing fire, and be propitious to my Love, be pro pitious, be pro –

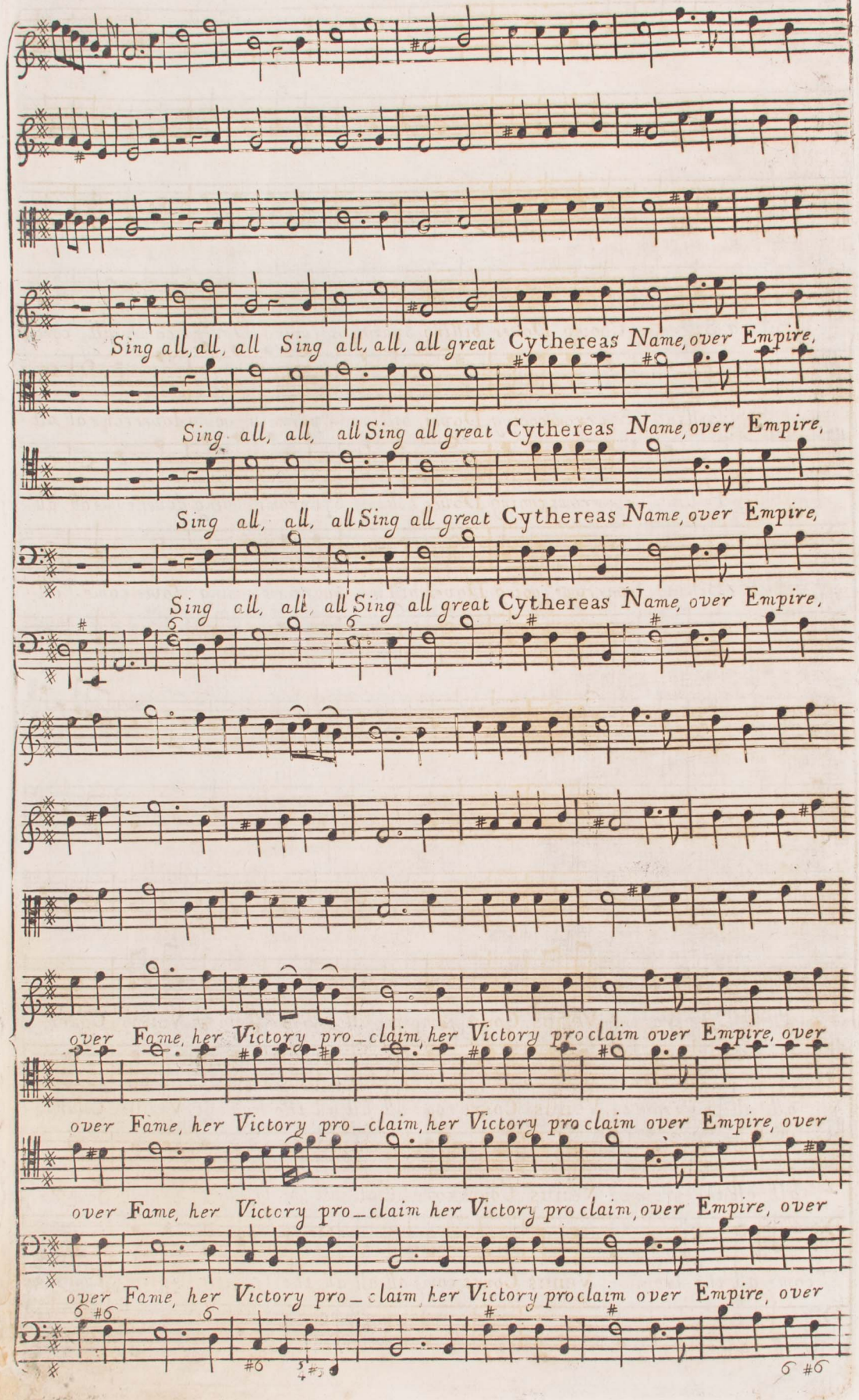
– pitious to – – – my Love, be propitious be propitious to – – – – my

Love.

GRAND CHORUS




Billing Sparrows Cooing Doves, billing Sparrows cooing Doves, come all, come
Billing Sparrows cooing Doves, billing Sparrows cooing doves, come all, all
Billing Sparrows cooing Doves, billing Sparrows cooing doves, come all, all
Billing Sparrows cooing Doves, billing Sparrows cooing doves, come all,
all, all the train of Venus Court, come all, all, all the train of Venus Court,
all, all the train of Venus Court, come all, all, all the train of Venus Court,
all, all the train of Venus Court, come all, all all the train of Venus Court,
come all the train of Venus Court, come all, all, all the train of Venus Court,


Sing all, all, all Sing all, all, all great Cythereas Name, over Empire,
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Sing all, all, all Sing all great Cythereas Name, over Empire,
over Fame, her Victory pro-claim, her Victory pro claim over Empire, over
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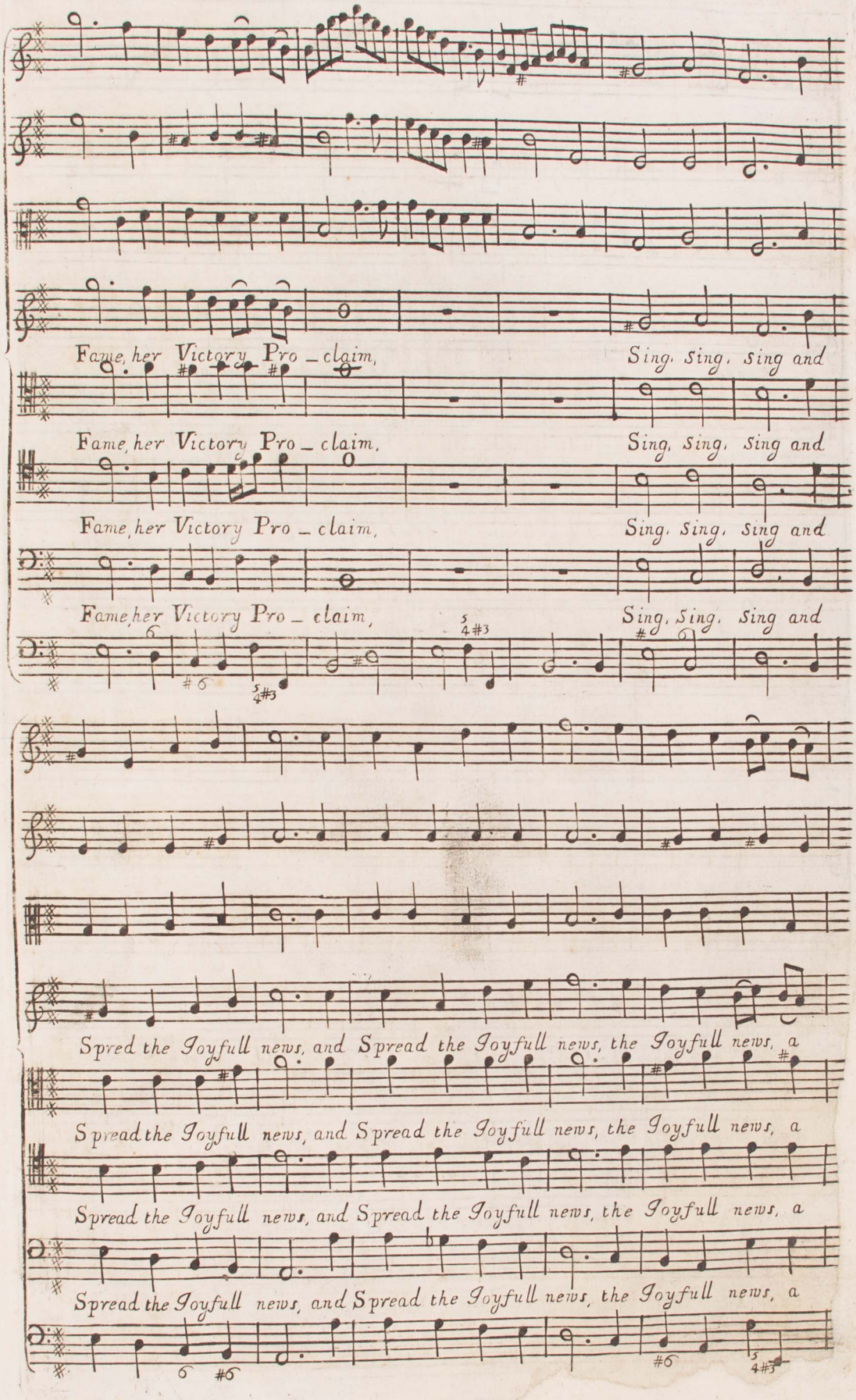
Fame, her Victory Pro _ claim,
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Sing, sing, sing and
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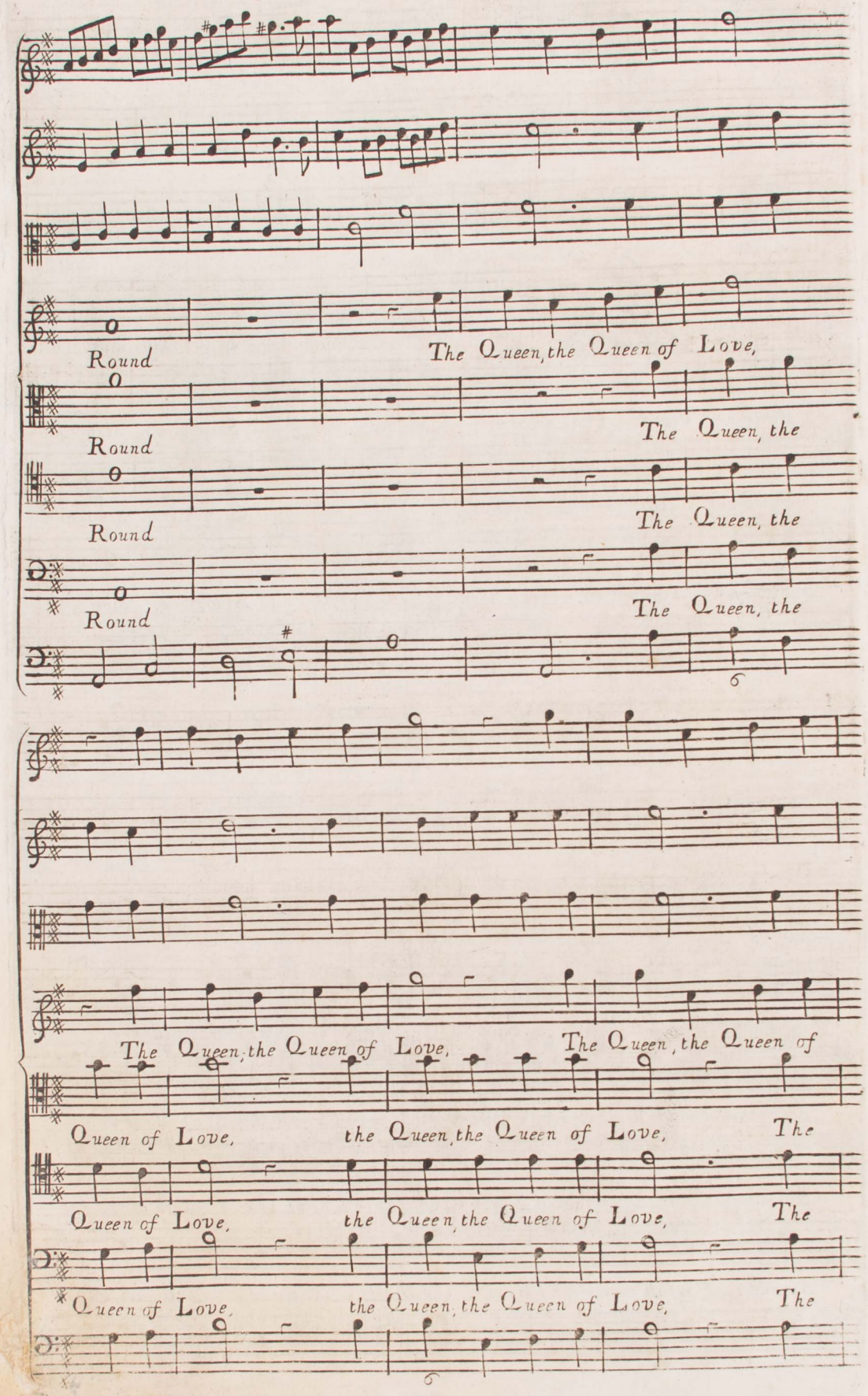
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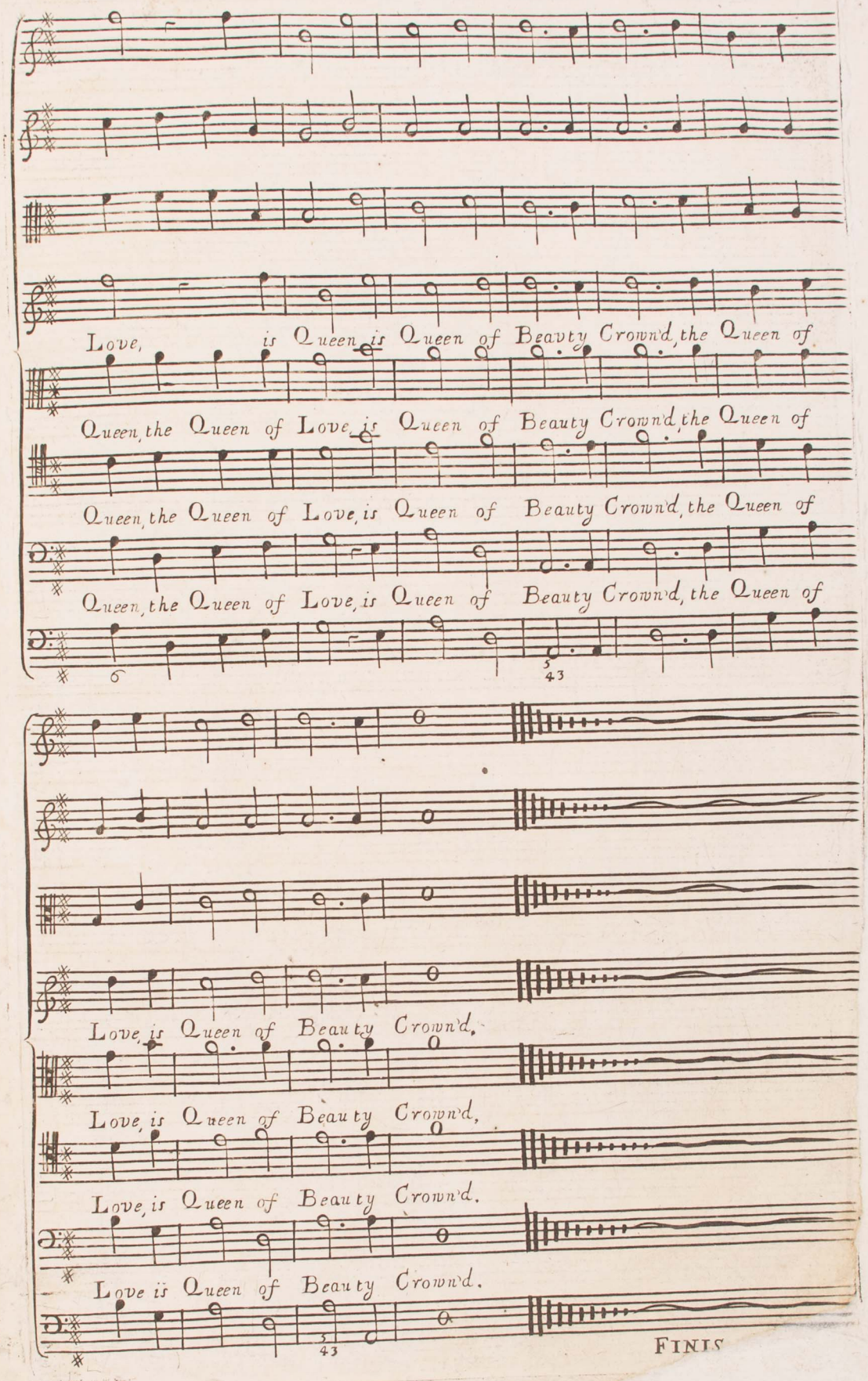
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