

I STOPPED, AND I LOOKED, AND I LISTENED.

(Sung by *GEORGE ROBEY*.)

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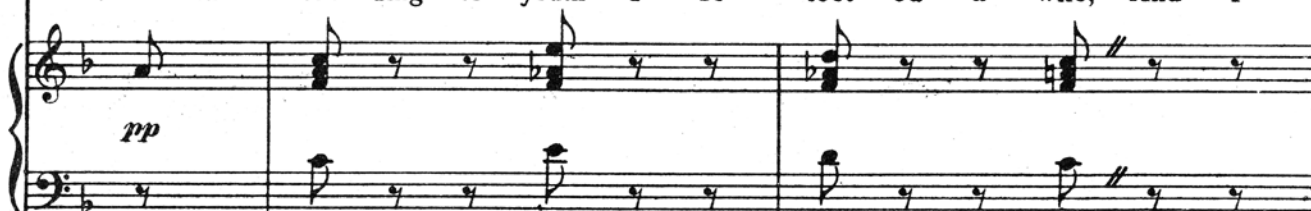
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Moderato.

VOICE. 

PIANO. 

1. Some - times I go walk - ing all by my - self, Just
2. Once to the ra - ces I hap - pen'd to go, And a
3. At the bid - ding of youth I se - lect - ed a wife, And I

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mere - ly for ex - er - cise, _____ I wan - der a - long like a
horse they call'd La - dy Flirt _____ Was giv - en to me by a
thought now my trou - bles are past. _____ I'll wed right a - way and be



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mis - chiev - ous elf For I rath - er ex - pect a sur -
 pal in the know, I thought it an ab - so - lute
 set - tled for life For I've found my true soul - mate at

-prise. Toth - er day I was walk - ing a - long - side a hedge, A
 cert. The cry came 'They're off' and my frame fair - ly shook For my
 last. The first year of bliss was a dream of de - light, Ye

hedge by the side of some trees; I got my sur - prise as I
 horse was lead - ing the way, When op - o - site me it gave
 God's, but my joy was su - preme. Till af - ter cu - cum - ber for

walk'd by the edge; 'Twas a sound waft - ed right o'er the breeze. So I
 me such a look, And it paused in a cu - ri - ous way. It
 sup - per one night, She start - ed to talk in a dream. So I

I stopped and I looked and I listened.

REFRAIN.

stopp'd and I look'd and I lis-ten'd, And I
 stopp'd and it look'd and it lis-ten'd, I could
 stopp'd and I look'd and I lis-ten'd, For the

tried to lo-cate the sound. First I thought it was here Then I
 see it was think-ing of me, 'Twas pen-sive and sad, And it
 case was un-ique you'll al low. I was fill'd with a-maze, I was

thought it was there. A most pe-cu-li-ar sound, And I real-ly de-clare That I'd
 thought "Now for-sooth, It's ap-par-ent to me, If I win it's the truth, It
 knock'd of a heap For I had no i-dea That she talk'd in her sleep, But I

heard it be-fore, But I can-not tell where, So I thought that this noise must be
 may be the ru-in of this fool-ish youth, It may teach him to risk L. S.
 knew it was best, Per-fect si-lence to keep, For I tought I must hear this some-

I stopped and I looked and I listened.

found. _____ So I stopp'd _____ and I look'd _____ and I lis-ten'd;
 D." _____ So it stopp'd _____ and it look'd _____ and it lis-ten'd;
 -how. _____ So I stopp'd _____ and I look'd _____ and I lis-ten'd;

The sound seem'd to come from the ground, Someone said 'You'-
 A light in its eyes I could see, — Then it thought
 And the sweat seem'd to stand on my brow— "My own dar-ling Joe"— "I

some-one said, 'Won't' Some-one said 'Do'- some-one said 'Don't' So I
 "It's a sin, Per-haps I ought - not to win" And it
 love you," she said "I wor-ship you so" Well, as my name is Fred I

stopp'd _____ and I look'd _____ and I lis-ten'd. _____
 stopp'd _____ and it look'd _____ and I lost. _____
 stopp'd, _____ and I look'd _____ and I- (To Audience) Think it over!

I stopped and I looked and I listened.

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