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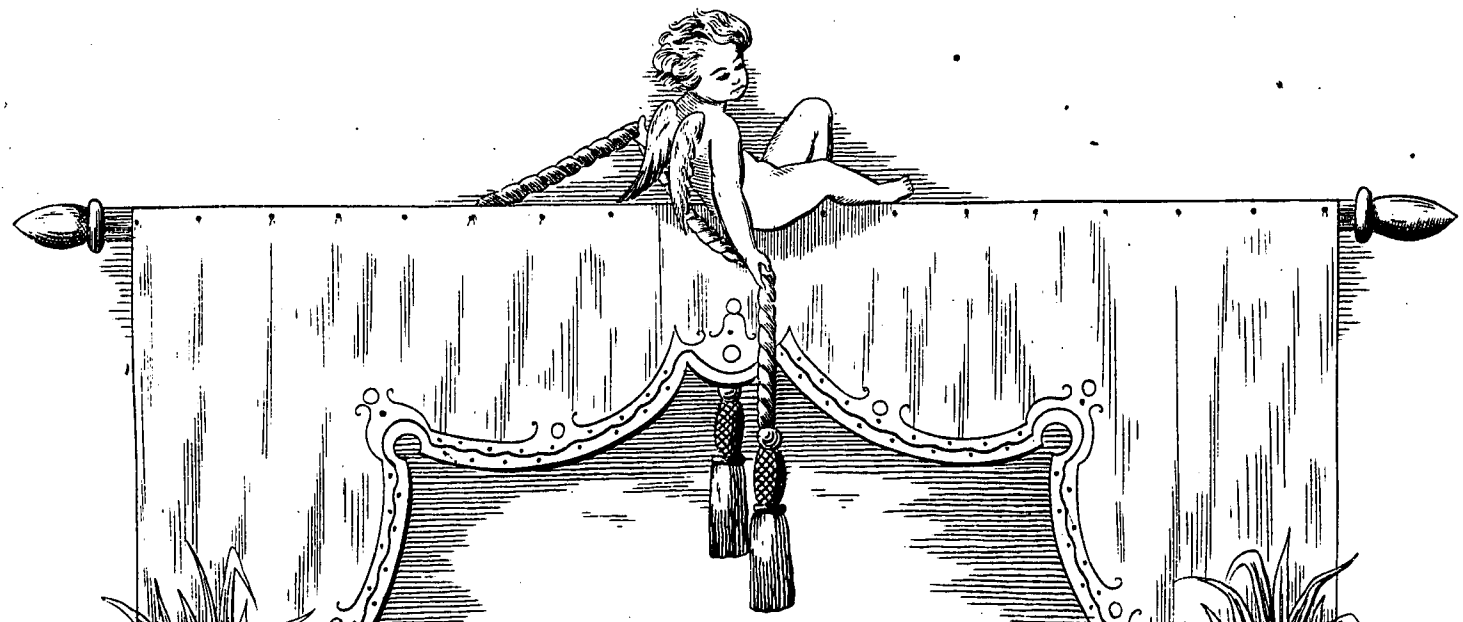

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SONG

FOR

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Andante espressivo.

PIANO.

Fold thy lit - tle hands in prayer,

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Bow down at thy mother's knee Now thy sunny face is

fair Shi - ning through thy au-burn hair

p *cresc.*

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Thine eyes are passion free, And pleasant thoughts like garlands

bind thee! bind thee! Un - to thy home yet grief may

find thee Pray child, then

rall.

pray, Pray child, then pray!

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Now thy mother's arm is spread Be-

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neath thy pil-low in the night; And lov- - ing feet creep round thy

bed And o'er thy qui-et face is shed

p *cresc.*

The taper's darkened light But that fond arm will pass a-

way —— pass away By thee no more those feet will

stay Pray child then

ff *dec.* *rall.*

pray, Pray child then pray.

pp