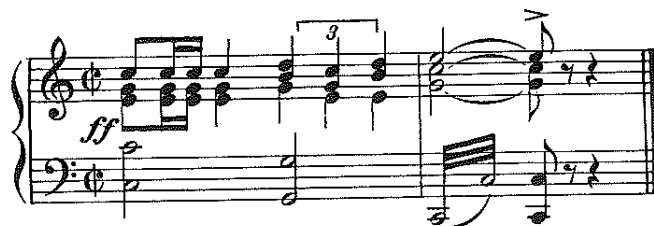


Act II

No 21

HOT BOX FANFARE

No 21a

SONG, CHORUS and DANCE— (Adelaide and Dolls)

"TAKE BACK YOUR MINK"

Cue: (MASTER OF CEREMONIES) Miss Adelaide and her Debutantes!

Very Slowly

Musical score for 'TAKE BACK YOUR MINK' in 3/4 time, marked *Very Slowly*. The score is divided into three systems. The first system shows the piano introduction with a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand and a single eighth note in the left hand. The second system continues the piano introduction with a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand and a single eighth note in the left hand. The third system shows the vocal entry for Adelaide, with the piano accompaniment marked *mp* and *Col voce*. The lyrics are: "He bought me the fur thing, five win-ters a-go And the".

ADE

gown the fol - low - ing fall ——— Then the neck-lace, the bag, the

ADE

gloves and the hat, That was late for - ty eight, I re - call ——— Then last

suddenly indignant

ADE

night in his a - part - ment ——— He tried to re - move them

ADE

all! And I said as I ran down the hall. ———

resentfully *rit.*

fp *rit.*

Tempo di Valse
with hurt feeling

ADE

Take back your mink Take back your pearls what made you think That

ADE

I was one of those girls? Take back the gown the shoes and the

ADE

hat I may be down but I'm not flat as all that I thought that

ADE

freely

each ex-pen-sive gift you'd ar-range Was a to-ken of your es-teem Now when I

ADE

think of what you want in ex-change, it all seems a hor-ri-ble dream So

(wait)

ADE
take back your mink To from whence it came And tell them to

ADE
Hollanderize it for some o-ther Dame.

rit. (angrily) *a tempo*

rit. *f a tempo*

Fox-trot Tempo
Adelaide & Dolls.

(Throw Cig-holder down)
(take off mink)

(Take off pearls)

Take back your mink Take back your pearls what made you

mf

ADE & Dolls
think that I was one of those girls I'm screaming Take back the gown.

f raucously *mf* Take off gown

ADE & Dolls
Take back the hat I may be down But I'm not flat as all that. I thought that

Take off hats-throw them upstage