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WALKER WALKED AWAY.

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KEY G.
s, .l, :d .r m :r .d m .r :r : .s, s, .l, :d .r }
Walk _ er's my old friend He's my bo _ som friend When trou _ ble comes his
m :r .d m .d :d : .m m .l :l .l s .m :m .,m s .m :s .m }
way, Walk_er walks a way. Up _ on the day that he got wed, The par_son un _ to
s.m :s.,m m.l :l .l s.m :m .,m s.s :s.s s.s :s.
Walk_er said, "This girl you'll che_rish till you die." He look'd at her, and for re_ply_
CHORUS. s, l, :d .r, m :r .d m .r :r : s, .l, :d .r m :r .d }
Walk_er walk'd a _ way, For he could_n't stay. Walk_er walk'd a _ way, And he $m_r : m_r = m_r + m_r $
m.r.m.r s : .s, s, .l, :d .r m :r .d m .r :r : .m ,f
did_n't say 'Good day!' He left them in the lurch, Stand_ing in the church. With the
s.s.m.r.,d s.s.m. l.s.m.:s.m s:D.S. 2.s.m.:s.r. d:
fee un_paid, and the best bridesmaid, Walk_er walk'd a _ way. Walk_er walk'd a _ way.

2.

Walker joined the Line With a reg'ment fine. (Sym.) He marched behind the band, And he did look grand! (Sym.) One day afar they had to go To battle with a savage foe. Like hero bold he went to war, But when the enemy he saw—

CHORUS.

Walker walked away, For he couldn't stay. (Sym.) Walker walked away, Though he'd sworn that he'd obey. When bullets flew around, He was homeward bound. (Sym.) With a warlike thrill, and the canteen till, Walker walked away.

3.

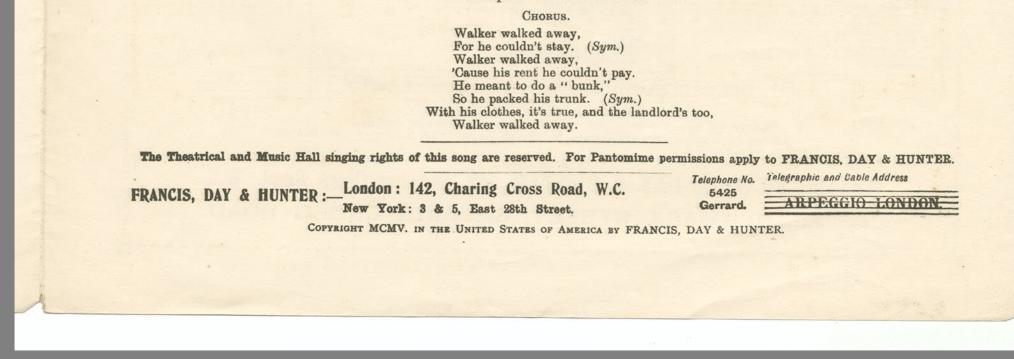
Walker made a book— Yes, a betting-book— (Sym.) And on that Derby day Walker looked all gay. (Sym.) He stood upon a stool, you know, And shouted "Ten to one!" and so Lots of men gave him their "tin," But when he saw the race begin—

CHORUS.

Walker walked away, For he couldn't stay. (Sym.) Walker walked away, 'Cause he didn't want to pay. He got some silly fool To stand on his stool. (Sym.) At a frightful pace, with the crowd in chase, Walker walked away.

4

Walker took a room— Yes, a front back-room. (Sym.) No matter where he stays, Walker never pays. ((Sym.) He has his board and lodgings too, And never offers them a sou; But yesterday the landlord sent A bill upstairs for Walker's rent.



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