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Cloe's Conquest

The musical score is written for piano in 2/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of four systems of staves. The first system includes the tempo marking 'Andante'. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, and fingerings (e.g., 2, 4, 6, 7, 8).

Inconstant Gay from Fair to Fair the youthfull Strephon rovd no Virgin
 could his Heart ensnare va-ri-e-ty he lov'd Triumphantly he each enjoy'd and
 the poor hapless maid when with her Charms he once was cloy'd did
 unre-garded fade

(2)

Intent on Conquest, thro' the Grove,
 One morn he took his way,
 When fairer than the Queen of Love
 And like her in Array;
 Young Cloe met the lovely youth,
 Who with his usual Art,
 And with a specious Show of Truth,
 Vov'd, She had won his Heart.

(3)

The Nymph who knew the charming Boy,
 Was false as he was fair,
 Receiv'd him with a Look so coy,
 Yet so genteel an air,
 That the once roving youth alarm'd
 By Love within his Breast:
 Grew faithfull, own'd himself quite Charm'd.
 And all her pow'r confest.