

(Soldiers' tramp heard, and the chorus, "Glory and Victory.")

N. (Starting back.) I do not understand!

(Chorus louder and louder, and enter the Soldiers, the COMMANDANT LEO, with broken arm and Victoria Cross, and BLOODSWIGGER, also with star.)

N. (With a shriek.) Leo! (Rushes towards him.)

W. That's the way I brought him home to you.

L. Nellie! (Embracing her.)

(CAROLINE and BLOODSWIGGER embrace.)

W. Aw, bai Jove! No one—aw—hugs me, don't you know!

(N. and C. throw their arms about him and half choke him.)

W. Aw, help! (As they release him,) Bai Jove! I'll just wait that down befoah I fohget it.

ENSEMBLE.—CAROLINE, NELLIE AND MAIDENS.

True love can never alter,
True love can never die;
False love alone can falter,
False love alone can fly.

(All repeat) True love, &c.

ALL. Glory and Victory!—These are the themes I sing,
And these I follow around the world as the swallow follows the spring
Glory and Victory! This is the soldier's aim—
With sword and shield
In open field
To win a wreath of Fame!

THE END.