No. 6. "I stole the Prince"
Solo and Quartet
Don Alhambra, Casilda, Duchess, Luiz, and Duke

Allegretto non troppo vivo

Don Alhambra

1. I stole the Prince, and I brought him here, And left him gaily
prat-ting, With a highly respect-a-bly gondoli
tip-pling, er, Who

2. But owing, I'm much disposed to fear, To his terri-ble taste for
trained the Royal babe to rear, And teach him the trade of a
promised the Royal baby to rear, And teach him the trade of a
never declare with a mind sincere Which of the two was his
ti-mo-ner With his own be-loved brat-ling, Both of the babes were off-spring dear, And which the Roy-al strip-ling! Which was which he could

strong and stout, And con-sid-er-ing all things, clev-er. Of that there is no nev-er make out De-spite his best en-deav-our. Of that there is no

man-ner of doubt— No prob-a-ble, pos-si-ble shad-ow of doubt— No man-ner of doubt— No prob-a-ble, pos-si-ble shad-ow of doubt— No


No pos-si-ble doubt what-ev-er! Luis & Duke

No pos-si-ble doubt what-ev-er!
3. Time sped, and when at the end of a year I sought that infant child-<s>ren</s> followed his old ca-<s>reer</s> (This state-ment can't be
cherished, That high-ly re-spect-a-ble gon-do-lier Was
parried) Of a high-ly re-spect-a-ble gon-do-lier. Well,
lying a corpse on his hum-ble bier— I dropped a Grand In-
one of the two (who will soon be here) But which of the two it is
quis-i-tor's tear— That gon-do-lier had per-ished. A
not quite clear—Is the Roy-al Prince you mar-ried! Search
taste for drink, combined with gout, Had doubled him up for-
in and out and round about And you'll discover

ever. Of that there is no manner of doubt— No
never A tale so free from every doubt— All

possible, possible shadow of doubt— No possible doubt what-
possible, possible shadow of doubt— All possible doubt what-

3.

Casilda & Duchess

No possible doubt what ever!

Luiz & Duke

No possible doubt what ever!

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ever!

A tale so free from every doubt—All probable, possible

A tale so free from every doubt—All probable, possible

shadow of doubt—All possible doubt whatever!

shadow of doubt—All possible doubt whatever!