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ALCANTARA

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DRAMATIS PERSONÆ.

DOCTOR PARACELSIUS.

SEÑOR BALTHAZAR.

CARLOS HIS SON.

PEREZ } PORTERS.

SANCHO }

DON POMPOSO ALGUAZIL.

SERENADERS, CITIZENS, &c.

DONNA LUCREZIA WIFE TO DR. PARACELSIUS.

ISABELLA HER DAUGHTER.

INEZ HER MAID

SCENE: ALCANTARA IN THE HOUSE OF DR. PARACELSIUS.

ARGUMENT.

CARLOS, the son of Señor BALTHAZAR, has fallen in love with Senoretta ISABELLA, daughter of DOCTOR PARACELSIUS. In the meanwhile, ISABELLA has been betrothed to a young man, with whose name she has not been made acquainted. Surprised by her mother in listening to a serenade given by CARLOS, she confesses her love for him, and refuses to marry the unknown intended. CARLOS contrives to have himself conveyed into the house in a basket, under cover of a present to INEZ, the confidante of ISABELLA. CARLOS takes advantage of the absence of everybody to get out of the basket and conceal himself. The DOCTOR and INEZ, in trying to hide the basket from the quarrelsome LUCREZIA, drop it into the river, and afterwards learn that there was a man in it. Attracted by the despairing screams of INEZ, the night watch appear, led by the Alguazil, POMPOSO, who informs them that they are under the surveillance of his men as suspicious persons. After the departure of the night watch, the DOCTOR and INEZ are left brooding in fear and dismay over their crime, when CARLOS enters, to the great terror of the DOCTOR and INEZ, who immediately suspect him to be a police spy. He discovers himself to them as the son of Señor BALTHAZAR, being at the same time unaware that his lady love and his intended are one and the same. Transported with joy, the DOCTOR asks him to take a glass of wine with him, which wine, brought by INEZ, proving to be one of the DOCTOR's poisonous decoctions, plunges CARLOS at once into a deathlike swoon. The DOCTOR, believing him dead, and afraid of being detected in this his second imaginary murder, conceals CARLOS in a sofa, in which act he is disagreeably surprised by the sudden arrival of SENOR BALTHAZAR, who comes to conclude the arrangements for the marriage of his son and ISABELLA. His presence being objectionable to them, they put every obstacle in his way, so that at length he is forced to pass the night on the sofa, beneath which his son's body is concealed. When he is asleep, the DOCTOR and INEZ, fearful of discovery, enter to remove the body from under BALTHAZAR, who awakes and starts up in fear. CARLOS, by this time recovering from the effect of the opiate, contrives to get out of the sofa, and his father meeting him in the dark, utters a cry of alarm which terrifies the DOCTOR and INEZ, and also attracts the neighbors. Mutual explanations take place, and ISABELLA and CARLOS prove to have been loving at cross-purposes, as they were, from the first, intended for each other by their respective parents.

OVERTURE.

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Andantino.

The musical score consists of five systems of piano music, each with two staves: treble and bass. The first system begins with a dynamic of *p* and a tempo marking of *Andantino*. The second system starts with a dynamic of *ten.* The third system begins with a dynamic of *piu f*. The fourth system features a melodic line primarily in the treble staff. The fifth system concludes with a dynamic of *f* and a instruction *con 8a. ad lib.*

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p dim.

sempre dim.

pp

ppp

Moderato. *leggiero.*

p

sf *p* *sf*

f

Musical score for piano, page 5, featuring two staves (treble and bass) across six systems. The music includes various dynamics like *dim.*, *p*, *sf*, *f*, *cres.*, and *ff*. Pedal markings *Ped.* and *** are present in several measures.

Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *dim.*, *p*, *dim.*

Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords.

Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *sf*, *p*.

Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords.

Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *f*, *p*.

Measure 6: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords.

Measure 7: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *cres.*, *ff*.

Measure 8: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords.

Measure 9: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *Ped.*, ***.

Measure 10: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *sf*.

Measure 11: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *Ped.*, ***.

A page of musical notation for piano, featuring five systems of music. The notation includes treble and bass staves, dynamic markings like *p* (piano), *f* (forte), and *Dol.* (dolcissimo), and performance instructions like "8a. *ad lib.*". The music consists of various note patterns, rests, and harmonic changes.

A musical score for piano, page 7. The score is divided into six staves by brace lines. The top two staves are in treble clef, and the bottom four are in bass clef. The key signature alternates between G major (one sharp) and A major (no sharps or flats). The music features a variety of chords and rhythmic patterns. Dynamics include forte (f), piano (p), and crescendo (cres.). Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 6: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 7: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 8: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 9: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 10: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 11: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 12: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 13: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 14: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 15: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 16: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 17: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 18: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 19: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 20: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth-note chords.

A page of musical notation for piano, featuring six systems of music. The notation includes treble and bass staves, dynamic markings like *sf*, *f*, *p*, *cres.*, and *Dol.*, and various note heads and stems. The music consists of six systems of four measures each, starting with a treble staff in common time, followed by a bass staff in common time, then a treble staff in common time, a bass staff in common time, a treble staff in common time, and finally a bass staff in common time.

8va.

cen

do. *fp*

p

Vivace. *fp*

f

v

A musical score for piano, page 10. The score consists of six staves of music.

- Staff 1:** Treble clef, common time. Eighth-note patterns.
- Staff 2:** Treble clef, common time. Forte dynamic (indicated by a large 'F'). *p cres.* (pianissimo crescendo).
- Staff 3:** Treble clef, common time. *p cres.* (pianissimo crescendo). *Ped.* (pedal down).
- Staff 4:** Treble clef, common time. *ff* (fortissimo). *Ped.* (pedal down). *
- Staff 5:** Treble clef, common time. *dim.* (diminuendo).
- Staff 6:** Treble clef, common time. *f* (forte).

Piu mosso.
Sra ad lib.

Musical score for two voices (Treble and Bass) and piano. The score consists of six systems of music. The top system begins with a forte dynamic (ff). The second system includes a bassoon part. The third system features sustained notes and dynamic markings like Ped. and *. The fourth system shows a melodic line with grace notes and dynamic markings like Ped. and *. The fifth system contains a piano part with eighth-note chords and dynamic markings like Ped. and *. The sixth system concludes the page with sustained notes.

WAKE! LADY, WAKE.

SERENADE.

SCENE.—*The cabinet of DOCTOR PARCELSUS.*

Andantino.



CARLOS. *behind the Scene.*

1. Wake! la - dy, wake,... the hour of love is near!
 2. Wake, la - dy, wake!... the night is wa - ning fast!

tempo. *sempr staccato.*

Wake! la - dy, wake!... thy lov - er waits thee here. The Why
 Wake, la - dy, wake! the hour will soon be past!

moon beams bright - ly in the skies, To show thee to thy lov - er's eyes, Our
 do you scorn me, la - dy fair! How can you doom me to des - pair! 'Tis

The vocal part continues with eighth-note chords, corresponding to the lyrics provided. The piano part features sustained notes and chords throughout the vocal parts.

en - e - my the pry - ing sun, His tire - some course long since hath run, Ah ! wake, la - dy
love in - spires my plain - tive strain, 'Tis love a - lone can ease my pain, Ah ! wake, la - dy

wake, and rob my heart of care; Wake, la - dy wake, and ease my soul's despair.
wake ! I ask one smile from thee ! Wake, la - dy wake ! and speak of love to me !

The birds of eve now float a - round, And make the air with love resound.

CHORUS.

Tenors.

Wake, la - dy wake, thy lov - er waits thee here, Wake, wake, the hour of love is near.

Bass.

Wake, la - dy, wake, Wake, la - dy, wake,.....

f

Wake, la - dy, wake! the hour of love is near. Wake, la - dy,

Wake, la - dy wake, the hour, the hour of love is near, Wake, la - dy wake, Wake, la - dy,

wake, thy lov - er waits for thee!

wake, thy lov - er waits for thee.

p

* When sung in the Opera go from this sign to the next page, omitting the Symphony.

Vivace. LUCREZIA. (appearing at her chamber door.)

A Seren-ade? Who can it be? Some tender swain in love with me?
thee!
Wake, la - dy,

Vivace. Sempre Staccato.

ISABELLA. (appearing at her door.)

Wake!.....
Wake, la - dy, wake!
A serenade! Who can it be?
The cav-a-
lier, the cav - a - lier who followed me?

CAR.

Wake, la - dy, wake,

INEZ. (appearing at her door.)

Is.

Wake, la - dy, wake! A ser-enade! Ah, it is he! Carlino sings and waits for me!
Hark!

LUO. IN. CAR. IS. LUO. IN.
 Hark! Hark! Wake, la - dy, la - dy, wake! Hark! Hark! Hark!

 CAR. IS. LUC.
 Wake, la - dy, la - dy, wake! I'm sure it's he! Who can it be?

 IN. IS. LUC.
 Car - li - no fond - ly waits for me! I'm sure it's he! Who can it be?

 IN. IS. LUC. IN.
 Car - li - no fond - ly waits for me! Hark! Hark! Hark!

Moderato assai.

Is.
The heav'n is spangled with stars ; The night spreads her veil o'er the skies ; Concealed by the

LUC.
The heav'n is spangled with stars ; The night spreads her veil o'er the skies ; Concealed by the

IN.
Moderato assai.

darkness from all, My lov - er de - sparingly sighs ! Hark ! Hark ! Hark ! Hark !

darkness from all, My lov - er de - sparingly sighs ! Hark ! Hark ! Hark ! Hark !

diminuendo.

*presto.*LUC. (*looking from her door.*)

LUCREZIA, INEZ, and ISABELLA, enter on tiptoe and approach the window cautiously. As they reach it, they come in contact with each other, and with a cry of alarm rush back to their respective rooms.

'Twas Is - abella and I - nez!

presto.

Is. (looking from her door.)

IN. (with emphasis.)

ALL.

'Twas mama and I - nez! 'Twas Isa - bella and Lu - cre - zia!

I will be, be

Andantino.(They close their doors and disappear.)
CAR. (outside.)

certain.

Wake, la - dy, wake! The night is wan - ing fast! Wake, la - dy, wake! The

sempre staccato.

hour will soon be past!

Why do you scorn me, la - dy fair? How can you doom me

to despair? 'Tis love inspires my plaint - ive strain, 'Tis love a - lone can ease my pain! Ah!

wake, la - dy wake! I ask one smile from thee! Wake, la - dy, wake! And speak of love to me!

CAR.

wake! The birds of eve now sing around, And make the air with love resound; Wake, la - dy,

CHORUS.

Wake, la - dy, wake! thy lov - er waits thee here! Wake, wake, the hour of love is near.

wake!

Wake, la - dy, wake!

Wake, la - dy, wake!... The

Wake, la - dy, wake, the hour, the

hour of love is near,— Wake, la - dy, wake! Thy.... lov - er waits thee
 hour of love is near, Wake, la - dy, wake! Wake, la - dy, wake! Thy lov - er waits for thee.

Vivace. LUC. (*looking forth.*)

here. Again that strain! Ah! it must be Some tender swain in love with

Vivace.

me!

Wake,..... la - - dy, wake!..... Wake, la - - dy, wake!

Is. (*looking forth.*)

Again that voice, Oh! can it be The cav - a - lier, the cav-a-lier who followed me?

Musical score for Is. (looking forth.). The vocal line consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. The piano accompaniment features sustained notes and eighth-note chords.

CAR.

IN. (*looking forth.*)

Wake, la - - dy, wake! Wake, la - - dy, wake! Again those notes! Ah! it is

Musical score for CAR. and IN. (looking forth.). The vocal parts sing eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords.

IS.

LUC.

IN.

CAR.

he; Car - li - no sings and waits for me ! Hark! Hark! Hark! Waka,

Musical score for IS., LUC., IN., and CAR. The vocal parts sing eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords.

IS.

LU.

IN.

CAR.

la - - dy, la - - dy, wake! Hark! Hark! Hark! Wake,

Musical score for IS., LU., IN., and CAR. The vocal parts sing eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords.

la - - dy, la - - dy, wake! (LUCREZIA, ISABELLA, and INEZ, enter cautiously with dark lanterns, and approach the window. They again come in contact, and as they do so, they open the lanterns, and throw a glare of light on each other.)

Allegro.

LUC. (angrily.)

What means this late in - trusion hero?

Is. (embarrassed.)

LUC. to INEZ. (with anger.)

I on - ly came to take the air! And you speak out, why this sur - prise?

IN. (embarrassed.)

LUC.

I wanted some light ex - er - cise! At such an hour! I'm not so blind, Some secret

f ls.

yet remains be - hind; I tell you that I don't be - lieve you. And do you
IN. (*saucily.*)

And do you

think that we'd de - ceive you?

think that we'd de - ceive you!

Is. (*innocently.*)Lu. (*embarrassed.*)Is. (*ironically.*) IN. (*saucily.*)

And pray, mama, Why are you here? I heard your voice. Indeed! Oh dear!

YOU SAUCY JADE!

QUARREL TRIO.

LUCREZIA (*to INEZ, angrily.*)

You saucy jade, Go, get to bed, And let me have no im-pu-dence; Or, sure as fate, If you dare
Vivace.

p

wait, I'll send you quickly packing hence! You saucy jade! Go, get to

INEZ. (*pertly.*)

Why do you, pray, Send me a-way, Have you a rendezvous to-

bed, If you dare wait, I'll send you quickly packing hence; You sau-cy quean,

(with arms akimbo.)

night? Are you afraid This ser-en-ade Is meant for you, you hor-rid fright? What do you

(with arms akimbo.)

(shaking her fist in INEZ's face.)

You saucy quean, How dare you chatter thus to me? You jade take care, Oh! can such saucy hussies

(putting her face in LUCREZIA'S.)

mean?

What do you mean?

You will not dare! ha! ha! I mean to stay and

cres

be? Oh! can such saucy hussies be? Oh! can such saucy hussies be? Oh! can such saucy hussies

see; ha! ha! I mean to stay and see; ha! ha! I mean to stay and see; ha! ha! I mean to stay and

do.

ISABELLA. (sobbing.)

Pray, I-nez, pray, your wrath al-lay, I vow your conduct is a shame, Mama; your ire, but adds more

be?

You sau-cy jade!

You sau-cy jade!

see! You horrid fright!

You hor-rid fright!

Ha! ha! I mean to stay and

fire, To what is now an angry flame. Pray, I-nez, pray, Your wrath al - lay; I vow your conduct is a

Oh! can such sau - cy hussies be? You saucy jade! You saucy jade!

see; ha! ha! I mean to stay and see! You hor - rid fright! You horrid

shame; Ma-ma, your ire But adds more fire To what is now an au - gry flame; Pray I - nez, pray, your wrath al-

You jade, take care! You jade, take care! Oh, can such sau - cy hus - sies

fright, ha ! ha ! I mean to stay and see; ha ! ha ! I mean to stay and

cres.

lay, I vow your con-duct is a shame; Mama, your ire But adds more fire, To what is now an angry
 be? Oh! can such sau - cy bussies be? Oh! can such sau - cy hus - sies be? Oh! can such sau - cy hussies
 see; ha! ha! I mean to stay and see: ha! ha! I mean to stay and see; ha! ha! I mean to stay and

Presto.
LUC. (*scolding.*)

Is.
flame!
be?

IN. (*laughing.*)

You sau - cy jade, Go, get to bed, And let me have no

see!

Oh ! see her storm ! She's growing warm ! Ha ! ha ! ha ! It's

Presto.

im - pu - dence; Or, sure as fate, If you dare wait, I'll send you quick - ly pack - ing

ve - ry droll! Poor tender maid; This ser-en - ade Has touch'd her dry and frost - y

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Is. (sobbing.)

What shall I do? Oh, if I knew To whom be - longs this ser - e-nade. A - las! Heigho ! One
Luc.

hence! You sau - cy jade, Go get to bed, And let me have no im - pudence, Or sure as fate, If
IN.

soul! Ha, see her storm, she's growing warm. Ha, ha, ha, ha! It's ve - ry droll, Poor tender maid,

CAR. (impatiently.)

Wake, la - dy, wake ! Wake, la - dy wake, Wake, la -

Cno. (outside.)

Wake, la - dy, wake ! Wake, la - dy wake, Wake, la -

piu f

thing I know, I am a poor un - hap - py maid, Oh, oh, oh, oh, Un -

you dare wait, I'll send you quick - ly pack - ing hence. I vow, most shameful - ly, I'm used! Was ev - er

This ser-e-nade, Has touch'd her dry and fros - ty soul. Ha, ha, ha, ha! It's ve - ry droll Ha, ha, ha,

- dy, wake, Wake, la - dy, wake !

- dy, wake, Wake, la - dy, wake !

- hap - py maid! My heart is bro - keo, I'm a - fraid.
 wo - man so a-bused? I

ha! It's ve - ry droll! Ha,ha, ha, ba, ha, ba! Ha,

Wake, la - dy, la - - - dy, wake,
 Wake, la - dy, la - - - dy, wake,

Wake, la - dy, la - - - dy, wake,

Wake, la - dy, la - - - dy, wake,

Wake, la - dy, la - - - dy, wake,

Oh, oh, oh, oh, Un - hap - py maid, My heart is
 vow, most shameful - ly, I'm used! Was ev - er wo - man so a - bused!

ha, ha, ha! It's ve - ry droll! Ha, ha, ha, ha! Poor ten - der soul. Ha,ha,ha,ha,ha,ha,ha,ba,ba,ba,

Wake, la - dy,
 Wake, la - dy,

Wake, la - dy,

Wake, la - dy,

bro - - - - -
 - - - - - I'm a - - - - afraid. I am be - - - - - trayed, I am be - - - - -
 - - - - - Was ev - - - - - er wo - - - - man so a - - - - -
 - - - - - ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, ba, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha! It's ve - - - - ry droll, poor ten - - - - der
 - - - - - la - - - - - dy wake, la - - - - - dy, wake! la - - - - - dy,
 - - - - - la - - - - - dy, wake, la - - - - - dy, wake! la - - - - - dy,
 - - - - - la - - - - - dy, wake, la - - - - - dy, wake! la - - - - - dy,

- - - - - trayed..... I am..... be - - - - - trayed.
 - - - - - bused..... so..... a - - - - bused!
 - - - - - soul..... Poor ten - - - - - der soul.
 - - - - - wake! La - - - - dy, La - - - - dy, La - - - - dy, wake.
 - - - - - wake! La - - - - dy, La - - - - dy, La - - - - dy, wake.
 - - - - - la - - - - - dy, wake, la - - - - - dy, wake, la - - - - - dy, wake,

LUCREZIA. Was ever woman so abused in her own house? Holy Saint Iago, protect me from such another onslaught! But you shan't stay another day in my house.

INEZ (*lighting candle on table*). It's too bad if a virtuous girl is to be abused without the privilege of defending herself—all about a paltry serenade too.

ISABELLA. Inez, pray be quiet. Mamma, control yourself.

LUC. It appears that is all I am allowed to control in this house! (*Goes up to window*)

INEZ. There isn't another maid in all Spain would put up with it; and I'm determined I won't any longer, if I have to live on onions and dry bread for the rest of my existence—carnival days included.

LUC. (*looking out of window*). What do I see? There is a boat almost under our very window. Oh! And that is the cause of all this trouble, is it? Dear me—a serenade must be a very new thing in Spain, to set two silly girls running a race to see which shall be first on the balcony to hear it.

INEZ (*aside*). I wonder if she calls herself a girl too!

ISA. You know, mamma, that you were as eager as either of us to listen to it.

LUC. I listen! Houghty toighty! It's my belief that Miss Inez has a lover in the city, and that she allows him to come here at this hour, in order to bring our house into discredit—nay,—to bring *me* into discredit.

INEZ. No Senora! I know my place better. If I am not Donna Lucrezia, wife of Doctor Paracelsus, I am not a brazen hussy either. This house, indeed, where there is a young girl engaged to be married.

ISA. (*sighing*). Heigo!

LUC. Why how you sigh at the thought of your wedding!

ISA. Indeed I do!

LUC. Why this is heresy! People have been burned for less. Here you have a husband provided for you without the slightest trouble on your part, and yet you are dissatisfied. While it is the

business of every girl's life to allure a husband, you object to one when he is already found to your hand.

INEZ. Perhaps, madam, if I may be allowed to suggest it, she would prefer the usual trouble, and be better satisfied by choosing for herself.

LUC. Be silent, saucebox! I believe you have corrupted her. (*To Isa.*) Why do you object to your intended? He is one of the richest young men in Madrid, and a thorough gentleman.

ISA. A pretty sort of gentlemen he must be to have his wife selected for him!

LUC. That is an especial proof of his trust in you.

ISA. Nonsense! It is an especial proof that he is a fool. Obedience in such a case is no merit.

INEZ. So I say. If he had only been disobedient and refused her, she would by this time have been dying to have him.

LUC. Silence, minion! Isabella, a wealthy lover is not to be despised!

ISA. Heigo!

INEZ. Heigo!

LUC. (*impatiently*). Always sighing! Go to bed. I'll see when the doctor returns, if he can't work some change in you.

ISA. Change! I won't change! I will be unhappy!

INEZ. Yes, miss, do. Believe me, there is no such happiness for a young girl as misery and despair.

LUC. I see through it all; but let me tell you that you either marry him or go into a convent. What do you mean by objecting to a man whom you have never seen—a man whose name even you don't know? Was there ever such caprice! You have a love for some one else. That is the secret.

ISA. Oh, yes! Such a handsome young man. Of such good family

LUC. How do you know that?

ISA. Because he is so pretty—so sweet—so amiable!

LUC. A pretty code of morals, indeed! You have had much time to learn him, I dare say.

ISA. It was certainly against my intentions, and while I was at the convent. Oh, so sweet, so pretty!

HE STILL WAS THERE. ROMANZA.

Andantino.

ISABELLA.

Beneath the gloomy Convent wall, Each a-zure night, each ro-sy morn, I saw a

faith - ful shadow fall
That filled the air with sighs for - lorn:
The night dews

fell o'er him in vain,
He feared nor sun - ny sky, nor rain;
I seemed to

be.... his on - ly care!
Turn where I might, he still was there!
He still was there!

His eyes were

like..... the brilliant stars, That night - ly deck... . . . the sombre sky; His form might

p

like..... the brilliant stars, That night - ly deck... . . . the sombre sky; His form might

pass..... for god - like Mars, And like the zeph - yr was his sigh. So sad his

pass..... for god - like Mars, And like the zeph - yr was his sigh. So sad his

mien, it moved my soul;— His fer - vor seemed be - yond con - trol; His voice pur-

sued..... me every - where: Turn where I might, he still was there! He still was there!

LUCREZIA (mimicking). He still was there! Oh, yes! This comes of your reading Gil Blas and Don Quixote, instead of attending to your studies or telling your beads. Holy Saint Martin! what are we coming to? We shall have the Moors again, since daughters are grown so undutiful.

INEZ. If they come in the form of lovers we shan't want the Cid to shiver a lance in our cause.

ISABELLA (lackadaisically). Alas! where are those happy times, when after the *Angelus* each day, I found a perfumed billet in the keyhole of the convent gate?

INEZ (sighing). Ah!

LUC. What do I hear? (*Indignantly.*)

ISA. A little billet, which breathed the burning and soul-consuming sentiments of passionate and undying love!

INEZ (sighing). Ah!

LUC. I'm petrified!—In a convent too! I almost blush!

ISA. What joy to read them! So tender, so respectful, so diffident,

so—so—everything charming! His respect and consideration for me knew no bounds.

LUC. And how did he show it, profligate?

ISA. In his last letter he proposed elopement.

LUC. Very respectful, indeed!

ISA. Yes, and I ought to have accepted it.

INEZ. Now, I call that the height of sincerity.

LUC. What do I hear? I am blushing now—I feel it

ISA. That is love far better than that of a young man I don't know nobody else knows, and whom I don't want to know, and shan't die if I never do know; and who, moreover, is perhaps very ugly. I vow I won't have him if he be ugly.

LUC. What, miss! Do you dare put conditions to your consent?

ISA. Yes; this one, at least.

LUC. It is downright rebellion.

INEZ. No! It's only a declaration of rights!

(Enter DOCTOR PARACELSIUS, with mortar and pestle in his hand)

DOCTOR'S SONG.

Introduced in the

"DOCTOR OF ALCANTARA."

Words by GEORGE COOPER.

Allegretto.

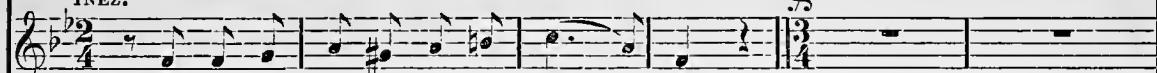
ISABELLA.

Tempo di Valse.



Here comes the Doc-tor, comes the Doc - - tor.

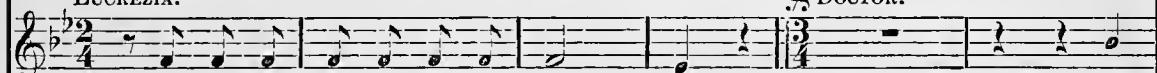
INEZ.



Here comes the Doc-tor, comes the Doc - - tor.

LUCREZIA.

Doctor.



Here comes the Doc-tor, comes the Doc - - tor.

1. Good
2. When
3. I

p

(DOCTOR enters.)

f

p

pp

peo - ple all, be - hold iu me A ve - ry pop - u - lar M.
 I was young I swept the shop, Of phys - ic, lore, I reaped a
 try to please the old and young; By la - dies all my praise is

D.I. 'Tis mine to rid you of your ills, With pow - der, po - tion,
 crop; I car - ried rouge to la - dies fair, And stuff to dye their
 sung. My zeal is hot, my head is cool, "Se - cun - dum ar - tem"

plas - ter, pills, My name is fa - mous, too, in sto - ry, And bleed - ing
 love - ly hair. To pick up knowl - edge I was wa - ry, And soon was
 tbat's my rule. Com - pound - ing pills, e - lix - ir, bo - lus, I do as-

rit.

is my spe - cial glo - ry! In fact, my pa - tients all a - gree, I
 dubbed A - poth - e - ca - ry. And that's the rea - son why, you see, I
 -sure you I stand "so-lus." To kill or cure, all's one to me, I

am the pop - u - lar M. D.! In fact, my pa - tients all a - gree, I
 am the pop - u - lar M. D.! And that's the rea - son why, you see, I
 am the pop - u - lar M. D.! To kill, or cure—all's one to me, I

cres.

At the places marked —, he strikes the mortar he holds in his hand

am the great, the great M. D.! Stir up the mor - tar, round and round, And

with the pes - tile pound, pound, pound, Qui - nine, gamboge— a rousing fee,— I'm the pop - u - lar M. D.!

ISABELLA. (*ironically.*)

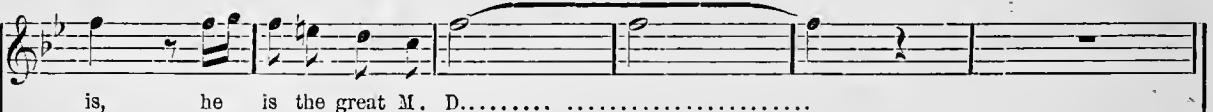
INEZ.



LUCREZIA.



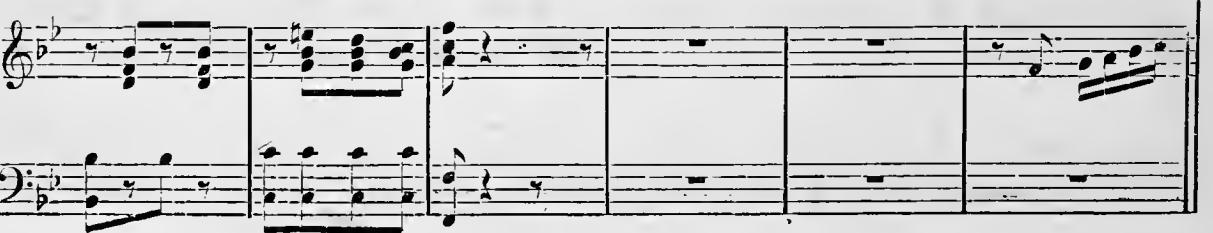
DOCTOR.



I am,

the great M. D!

The great M. D.



(All imitate the DOCTOR.)

Stir up the mor-tar, round and round, And with the pes-tle pound, pound, pound, Qui-nino, gamboge,—a

Stir up the mor-tar, round and round, And with the pes-tle pound, pound, pound, Qui-nino, gamboge,—a

Stir up the mor-tar, round and round, And with the pes-tle pound, pound, pound, Qui-nino, gamboge,—a

rous-ing fee, He's the pop-u-lar M. D.!

rous-ing fee, He's the pop-u-lar M. D.!

rous-ing fee, I'm the pop-u-lar M. D.!

LUC. Ah! At last you are returned. Come here, let me tell you what I have just heard.

ISA. My dear sir, I will explain. There has been a serenade here—

LUC. Never mind the serenade. Repeat what you have said to me. You shall hear, Doctor.

DOCT. Yes, I hear. (*Becoming deeply absorbed in his bottle.*) Two ounces of white laudanum, and an ounce of distilled lettuce. Yes!

LUC. (*to ISABELLA.*) Well, my lady! Are you ready? Have you done with this indecision?

ISA. Yes, I am decided! I say whatever I am forced to do, my feelings will remain the same. I will be faithful to this hateful intended as—as long as I can.

INEZ. And a very short time at that!

LUC. There! Did you hear that, Doctor?

DOCT. (*absently.*) Yes! That was not very bad. As long as she can. He can't expect more than that. (*Becomes absorbed again in his bottle.*) One scruple of inspissated juice of cabbage, and three grains of clarified tallow fat.

LUC. But do you know what all this trouble is about?

DOCT. About a young man she is to marry.

LUC. Oh, no! Not at all.

INEZ. Nothing like it.

LUC. Silence, minx! It is of a young man she has seen at Seville, and whom she loves.

DOCT. Ha! (*Angrily.*) Then she will—(*becomes absorbed.*) Aconite, arsenic, nux vomica, prussic acid! I am afraid I have put a little too much sleep into it for a comfortable sleeping draught. Oh, if I should have made it a poison instead! (*Puts bottle on table.*)

LUC. (*angrily.*) What! Is this all you have to say? A pretty fellow you are to have command of a house. What would become of you if I were dead and gone?

DOCT. (*absently.*) I don't know, my dear. You never tried the experiment.

LUC. Bah! Those filthy drugs are all you are fit for.

DOCT. We live by them, my dear.

LUC. Yes, and others die by them. I wish I was rid of them!

DOCT. (*innocently.*) Wouldn't you like to try my sleeping draught, my dear?

LUC. Bah! You're a brute. (*To ISA.*) As for you, miss, keep your feelings to yourself. Your romance and obstinacy won't do with me so future. I will knock them out of you without any assistance. And you, you minx! (*To INEZ.*)

INEZ. Ah! now it's my turn.

LUC. I only want exemplary people about me; so I give you fair warning. At the first sign of an intrigue on your part, you go!

INEZ. Intrigue! Holy Saint Martin, and the ghosts of the Moors coes in the Alhambra! There is not a more discreet girl in all Spain than I am!

LUC. I don't want discretion.

DOCT. No she doesn't. (*Looking angrily at INEZ.*)

LUC. I want honesty.

DOCT. (*innocently.*) Very much!

LUC. (*going.*) Now, mind! (*To DOCTOR.*) Ugh! You senseless, drug-compounding, villainously stupid, mentally imbecile quack! (*Exit LUCREZIA, angrily.*)

DOCT. (*vacantly.*) Quack!

INEZ (*astonished.*) Quack!

ISA. (*sobbing.*) Quack!

OMNES. Quack!

DOCT. She is not in good temper to-night. (*Goes to cabinet.*)

INEZ. Oh, miss! If that should be your lover, who has discovered where you live!

ISA. Do you think he has, Inez?

INEZ. Indeed I do.

DOCT. (*standing on chair and arranging objects in cabinet.*) Inez, will you hand me the flacon on yonder table?

INEZ. (*paying no attention.*) Is he really so fine and gallant a young sonor as you say?

ISA. Oh, yes, Inez! Words cannot describe his many perfections! Oh, if I am forced into this marriage it will kill me!

INEZ. Then don't be forced into it. Kill yourself before hand!

DOCT. (*as before.*) Inez, will you hand me that flacon?

INEZ. I wouldn't marry a man I didn't love for all the parents in the world. As for taxing me with intrigue, I vow, I wouldn't look in the face of a young man,—especially if there wasn't one near me. (*Knock heard at door.*)

DOCT. (*still in chair.*) I believe there is some one knocking at the door, Inez.

INEZ. We all have our troubles, miss.

ISA. I hope you and Carline agree.

INEZ. Oh, yes, miss. We agree very well, but we are not good friends. There is a miff between Carline and myself, which forbids an approach on either side. (*Knock heard again.*)

DOCT. (*aside.*) I believe she hasn't opened the door yet. I had better do it myself. (*Exit DOCTOR.*)

ISA. What! Have you and Carline quarrelled?

INEZ. Yes, miss! He came into money, and from a water-carrier has aspired to be a candy merchant with two mules. The monster is going to eat up his inheritance without me! Oh, miss, the men are all alike!

WHEN A LOVER IS POOR.*

ARIETTE.

INEZ.

When a lov - er is
On their knees they im -

Vivace.

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for the piano, showing a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 3/8 time signature. The bottom staff is for the voice, showing a bass clef and a 3/8 time signature. The piano part features a steady eighth-note pattern. The vocal part begins with a melodic line consisting of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics "When a lov - er is On their knees they im -" are written below the vocal staff. The score is labeled "Vivace." at the beginning.

* Instead of this piece, the "Favorite Mazurka," may be sung. See appendix, page 138.



poor, He can tru - ly a - dore; Then, his sighs and his vows are all hon - est and true; Ho calls
- plore, On their knees they a - dore; And our poor lit - tle hearts are soon moved to be - lieve; So we



heav - en and earth, To give proof of his worth, And a - gainst this, pray tell what a poor maid can
hear their ap - peal, For their an - guish we feel, But, they win our com - pas - sion, a - las! to de -



do? But let for - tune once smile, And his love proves all guile; No more dare you
-ceive.—I have guard - ed my heart Against love's poi - son'd dart, No more to that

trust to a word he can say; For as sure as you're born, You will find his fire gone. Love, spot can his barb find a way; And I warn you take heed, Of my words at your need. Love,

burthen'd with mon-ey, Will die in a day! Love, burthen'd with money, Will die in a day!

2o. Allegro.

day.

AWAY, DESPAIR!

DUETTINO.

Andantino.

ISABELLA.

A-way, des-pair! for ev-er van-ish; Bright-er

dol.

INEZ.

dreams shall fill... my heart: Sor - - row from your bo - - som

ISABELLA.

ban - ish, Bid pale care ... at once.... de - part! Ah,... how

p

INEZ.

few.... are hap - - py mo - - ments! Let us seize them while we

ISABELLA.

cres.

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Ah ! how ma - - ny heart - deep tor - - ments, One.... bright
 INEZ.

may. Ah ! how ma - - ny heart - deep tor - - ments, One.... bright

cres.

mo - - ment drives a - way ! Ah ! how ma - - ny heart - deep

mo - - ment drives a - way ! Ah ! how ma - - ny heart - deep

p cres.

tor - - ments, One.... bright mo - - ment drives a - way,

A -

tor - - ments, One.... bright mo - - ment drives a - way, A - way, a - way, de -

rit.

- way, a - way, de - spair! A - way, a - way, de - spair! for - ev - er van -
 - spair! A - way, a - way, de - spair! de - spair! for - ev - er van -
cres.

- ish, for e'er, for e'er; A - way, a - way, a - way, de - spair! A -
 - ish, for e'er, for e'er; A - way, a - way, de - spair! A - way, a - way, de -
p

- way, a - way, de - spair! for - ev - - er van - ish, for e'er, for e'er a - way!
 - spair! de - spair! for - ev - - er van - - ish, for e'er, for e'er a - way!

ISABELLA.

A - way, des - pair! for - ev - er van - ish; Bright - er

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mo - - ment drives a - way! Ah! how ma - - ny heart - deep
 mo - - ment drives a - way! Ah! how ma - - ny heart - deep

p cres.

rit.
 tor - - ments, One.... bright mo - - ment drives a - way.
 tor - - ments, One.... bright mo - - ment drives a - way.

rit.

dol.

rit.

INEZ. Alas, yes, miss! Would you believe it, that hateful Carlino has not as much as sent me a paper of candies, the heretic Saracen that he is.

(Enter DOCTOR with PEREZ and SANCHO, who carry a large basket.)

DOCTOR. Inez!

INEZ. Doctor!

DOCT. There is something for you, my child.

INEZ. For me?

PEREZ. Yes, for you. (Winks at INEZ, and stands preternaturally solemn.)

DOCT. Yes, these men have brought it.

PEREZ. Ay!

SANCHO. Yes. (They grimace at INEZ without moving.)

ISA. Gracious! What do they mean!

PEREZ (poking his tongue mysteriously in his cheek). Inez!

SANCHO (chuckling, and winking his eye). Inez! Yes.

INEZ. Well?

PEREZ. For you, Inez. This. All right. Hush!

INEZ. What is it?

SANCHO. Nothing. A bijou. The second house on the right hand side.

PEREZ. Yes; overlooking the river.

INEZ. From whom does it come?

PEREZ. From him. For you. (Winking his eye.)

SANCHO. Confections. It is a little bouquet of candies.

INEZ. Candies? Oh, it is from Carlino.

ISA. (sighing). Heigho! You see he has not forgotten you!

DOCT. Who is this Carlino, Inez?

INEZ. Why—Carlino.—It—comes from Carlino.

DOCT. Oh, yes. I don't know who Carlino is, but I'm glad it's from him. (To Porters.) Is there anything more?

PEREZ. This billet. (Shows letter.)

DOCT. (taking letter). A billet.

INEZ (seizing letter from DOCTOR). Yes, for me. Isabella, read it for me. (Gives it to ISABELLA.)

DOCT. Yes, my child. Do.

INEZ. Anything else?

PEREZ. No.

INEZ (taking DOCTOR's purse from his pocket and throwing to Porters). Take this, and go.

DOCT. Haven't you mistaken the pocket, Inez? That is my purse.

INEZ. So it is! Never mind.

BUENOS NOCHES.

PEREZ & SANCHO. (mysteriously.)

Hush, all right! Hush, all right! It is for you! Here we have, Here we have no more to do. Candies, candies, candies; O - pen it and see! Buenos, buenos noches; He! he!

(laughing.)

have no more to do. Candies, candies, candies; O - pen it and see! Buenos, buenos noches; He! he!

he! He! he! he! He! he! ho! He! he! ho! He! he! he!

dim.

pp

Let us go! Let us go! Our er - rand's done! He! he! he! He! he!

(laughing.)

he! Don't mind our fun! Candies, candies, candies; O - pen it and see! Buenos, buenos noches; He! he!

he! He! he! he! He! he! he! He! he! he! He! he! he!

(they laugh solemnly.)
(Exeunt PEREZ and SANCHO.)

DOC. Those are very strange men. There is some mystery here,
INEZ. I think so too. Let us open the basket. [Incz.

ISA. (aside to Inez.) This billet is for me.

INEZ. Indeed! Retire to your room and read it.

DOC. (trying to open lid of basket.) What can it be?

ISA. (to Inez.) Come with me, Inez, while I read it. I may
need your advice. (going.)

DOC. Where are you going?

INEZ. I heard Donna Lucrezia call us: we will return instantly
DOC. Do, Inez. I am quite curious to know what Carolino has
sent you. (Exeunt INEZ and ISABELLA.) What the deuce can be
in the basket? What a remarkably unfeminine female Incz is!
She has no curiosity. Well, I am not so philosophical. (tries to
open basket.) It won't come open. Never mind. When she returns
she will certainly wish to see the contents; so I'll go and get a
knife to cut the fastenings. What can it be? I hope it's sausages
flavored with garlic. Inez is generous, and I am very fond
of them. (Exit.) (CARLOS lifts the lid of basket and looks around.
He suddenly closes it again.)

LOVE'S CRUEL DART. *

CAVATINA.

Carlos lifts the lid. (looks around and shuts the lid.)

Andante.

Carlos gets out of the basket.



CARLOS.

Love's cru-el dart hath to my heart Its passage found; It spurns con-trol, and robes my



soul in grief profound, Oh ! can there be no hope for me Hersmiles to gain? Her smiles to



* Instead of this, the Song "Day Dreams of Love," is often sung. See appendix, page 135.

- gain ! Oh ! must she still my bosom fill And cold re - maiu ? The

feath - cred throng whose joyous song Floats thro' the grove, Have each their mate, but 'tis my fate Iu

vain to love ! Heigh ho !

Oh ! wilt thou not un - to my lot Give some re - lief ? Oh ! must I sigh uu - til I

die Of love lorn grief? Should love like mine, in vain repine, And rend me still? And rend me

still? While anx - - ious care and blank despair My bo - som chill? The

feath - ered throng whose joyous song Floats thro' the grove, Have each their mate, but 'tis my fate In

vain to love!..... Heigh ho!

CARL. Ah, some one comes! Perhaps it is she. I will conceal myself again, and wait the auspicious chance. (*Lies down in the basket and closes the lid. Enter LUCREZIA.*)

Luc. Inez! Inez! Where has the minx gone? For whom could that serenade have deco? Heigho! I fear some giddy swain,

careless of his life and honor, has become charmed with me, and thus risks both the one and the other. Well, well; though I condemn, I am bound to pity him. Thank the saints that age has not robbed my heart of its purity or its principles.

THE KNIGHT OF ALCANTARA.

BALLAD.

Allegretto.



LUCREZIA.

There was a Knight, as I've been told, Dwelt in a cas - tle strong and old, Its
 strength all force a - bove;....

The vocal line consists of three measures of eighth notes, followed by a measure of rests. The piano accompaniment features a bass line and chords.

He laughed in scorn at
 mor - tal power; But once, in his se - cur - est hour, His fort was stormed by Love....

The vocal line continues with eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment includes dynamic markings: 'f' (fortissimo) and 'p' (pianissimo). Measures 11 and 12 show a transition in the piano's harmonic progression.

The vocal line concludes with a final phrase. The piano accompaniment ends with a soft dynamic, indicated by 'pp' (pianississimo).

Tra.... la.... la.... la.... His fort was storm'd by Love! Tra.... la....

rf dim. *p* *rf dim.*

Piu Lento.

la.... la ... His fort was storm'd by Love! Oh! Knight of Al - can - ta - - ra, No

p *marcat.* *p*

long - er waves your crest, Your sword and spurs lie rust - - ing, Your lance, too, is at

mf

rest. Tra.... la.... la.... la.... Your lance, too, is at rest.....

rf dim. *p*

Tra.... la.... la.... la.... Your lance, too, is at rest! Gone is the day of
mf *dim.*

chi - val - ry From out this hap - less, hap - less land, Gone is the day when "La - dye fayre," With

p

fan and glove in hand, Could win her gal - lant chev - a - lic, To dance the Sar - a -
piu f

Tempo di Sarabanda.

band. (*Dances.*)

My heart leaps

f *pp*

backward with the strain, And oh! I feel I'm young a-gain.

My heart leaps backward

with the strain, And oh! I feel I'm young a-gain, I'm young a-gain, young a gain.

O gay and gal-lant chev-a lier, Who nev-er knew what 'twas to fear, Bold

Al-can-ta-ra's Knight.

A-las for you chi-

- val - rous youth ; Too late you learned the sor - ry truth, 'Tis vain 'gainst Love to fight....

Tra.... la.... la.... la.... 'Tis vain 'gainst Love to fight! Tra.... la....

rf *dim.* *p* *rf* *dim.*

la.... la.... 'Tis vain 'gainst Love to fight, 'gainst Love to fight, 'gainst

p *cres.*

Love to fight.

f *ff*

LUCREZIA. Where can that young man have gone? Perhaps he has drowned himself in despair at my coldness. (sees basket.) What is this? (raises lid.) A man! What do you want, sir? Don't come near me, or I'll scream. Who are you?

CAR. Señora! Hear me speak. (coming from basket.)

LUC. I won't. Go away. Who are you? What do you want? What is your business here?

I LOVE, I LOVE!

DUETTINO.

CARLOS.
Allegro con moto.

I love, I love! This is my song by night and day! I love, I love! No pow'r is greater
than love's sway; I love! I love! I love! I love! 'Tis de-li-ri-um ex-treme; 'Tis a phanta-sy su-

(With fervor.)
- preme; 'Tis an ag-o-ny ca-pricious, And a sky-born joy de-licious! I love! I love! The clouds a-

- hove... do not the sun more faith- ful - ly o - bey,... Than I love's sway, than I love's

sway, By night and day, by day and night, Here in my heart he rules by

might. I love, I love! This is my song by day and night. I love, I love! Naught is greater than love's

rall.

LUCREZIA.

CARLOS.

sway. Why in this basket?

Can you

p leggiero.

(With Affection.)

ask it! While love has his full con . trol, While he thus doth sway my

LUC. CARL.

soul! But—Oh, pray don't in - ter - fere; I have told you why I'm here. No in - deed, sir! Is that

Luc.

CARL.

LUC.

CARL. (*drawing her nearer.*)

so? Yes, and I at once must know. List - en then; pay all at-tention; Why I'm here I now will

fp

*(Very passionately.)**rall.*

mention! I love, I love! This is my song, by night and day, I love, I love! Naught is greater than love's

*fp**f**rall.**LUCREZIA. (aside.)*

Poor youth! he's doom'd to love in vain, I dare not ease his bosom's pain. He loves, he

CARLOS. (With fervor.)

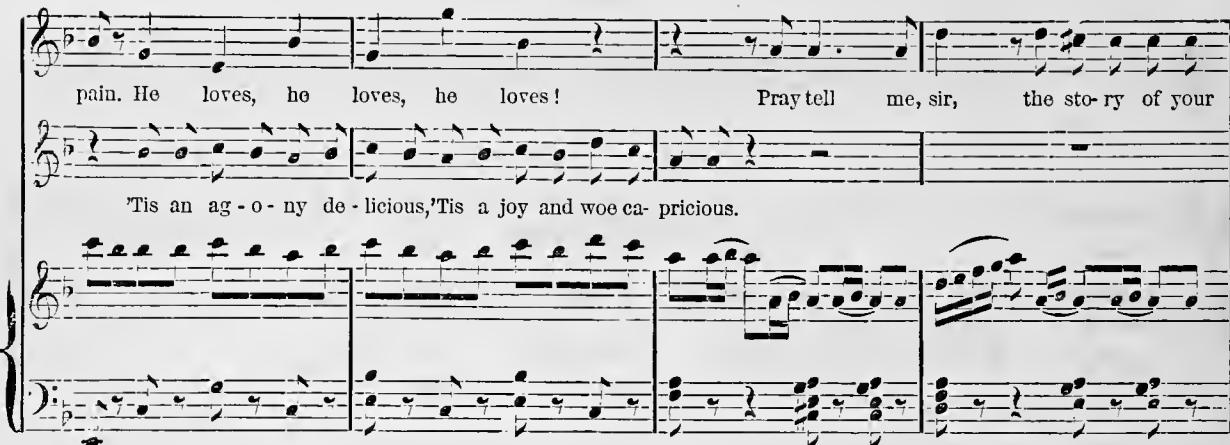
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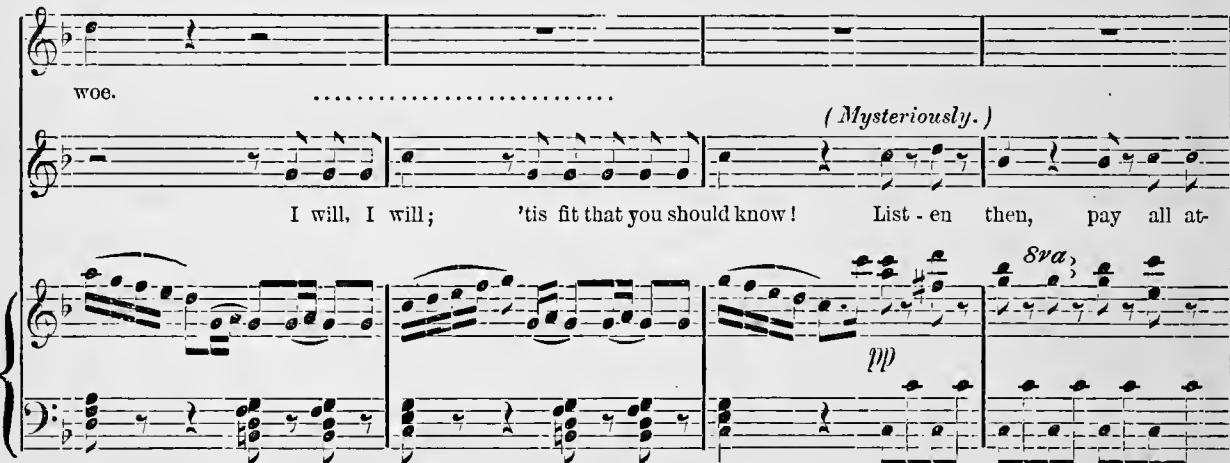
p Leggiero.

loves, he loves!

Poor youth, he's doom'd to love in vain, I dare not ease his bosom's

- li-cious; 'Tis a joy and woe ca-pricious. I love, I love, I love!

pain. He loves, he loves, he loves! Pray tell me, sir, the stor-y of your
 'Tis an ag - o - ny de - licious,'Tis a joy and woe ca- pricious.


woe. *(Mysteriously.)*
 I will, I will; 'tis fit that you should know! List - en then, pay all at-


He loves! he loves!
(Very passionately.)
 - tention; Why I'm here I now will mention. I love, I love! This is my song by
Sva


he loves! he loves! he loves! he loves! he loves!
 night and day I love, I love! Naught is greater than love's sway. I love! I
 loves, He..... loves!
 love, I..... love!

LUC. What a fine young cavalier! Sir, do you know that you have done very wrong to enter here?

CAR. Yes, Senora. I know it, but I am a tender and sweet young flower of nature, whose heart is a bed of summer roses, wherein the honey yet remains ungathered.

LUC. Oh, Senor, how beautiful and soft!

CAR. The summer clouds sit not across the bosom of the sky with greater lightness, than love o'er my heart. Oh, Senora, I adore, I love, I venerate. I worship a person in this house! You will, I am sure, excuse my delicacy, when I forbear to mention her name. You may easily guess who it is, when I tell you she is beautiful.

LUC. (crossing). Oh, he must mean me.

CAR. (affectedly). The honeysuckle on its pendulous stem, the little humming-bird sipping sweets from the tender flowers under the golden sky of an Italian autumn, are not more chaste and tender than my love.

LUC. Oh, Senor, I must not listen to this—at least, not just now. You know not the danger you run.

CAR. Danger? Who would harm the tender butterfly that spreads his tinted wings to the balmy air of autumn? No, Senora.

LUC. I beseech you, not now. Some other time—some other place. Some one approaches. Oh, sir, retire!

CAR. What! Into that basket again? Oh, Senora,—Senorita—Senoritissima! Ask not that. All the saints in the calendar, and the aching bones in my body, cry out against it. Those porters were very kind fellows, but they bumped me unmercifully. I love, Senora, send me not away in despair. Oh, first cut my throat with a pearl-handled penknife, and send my bleeding corpse away, a sacrifice to my overpowering and unhappy love.

LUC. Oh, Senor! Should my husband return? Consider—get in CAR. (with one foot in basket). Why do you give me so cruel an alternative? I who love so purely, so warmly, so divinely! (Getting out of the basket.) Senora, have you ever read the story of Prince Camaralzaman in the Arabian Nights?

LUC. If you delay longer I'll scream!

CAR. Oh, don't scream! The delicate organization of my cloud-soaring soul will not allow me to survive it. (Gets in basket.)

LUC. (shutting lid on him). Oh, the imprudent young man!

CAR. (risin' in basket). But—

LUC. (shutting lid on him) Senor!

CAR. (rising again). Senora, be divinely kind enough to tell the porters to carry me right side up.

LUC. Yes, Senor.

CAR. And pray tell them not to shake the basket too much. The points of the willow are sharp, and puncture me in a very uncomfortable manner.

LUC. (shutting lid violently). Yes, Senor. Oh, what a flutter I am in! I must seek the porters, and get him out of the house as soon as possible. (Exit LUCREZIA.)

CAR. (getting out of basket). What! leave the house without having seen her, without having breathed out my burning soul to her? Never! What shall I do? That is a very nice lady, but I tremble to think that she is neither young nor handsome. How shall I remain in the house? Ah, I have it! (Takes up book.) What is this? Plutarch in quarto (throws it in basket). Seneca in folio (throws in another book). Plato's Philosophy (throws book in) Galen (throws book in). Hippocrates (throws book in). Lopez de Vega, in twenty volumes (throws them in). In they go. (Lifts basket.) It's hardly heavy enough. (Takes up books.) Tragedies! Ah! they're heavy enough. (Throws in a number of books.) That will do. (Closes lid.) Now they may take that away. I'll remain. Where shall I go? (Going) Where does this lead to? I will explore. (Exit CARLOS.) [Enter INEZ.]

INEZ. The Senora is not here. (Advances cautiously and looks about.) Very good. Now I'll take a peep at my present. Oh, Carlino! What a dear little fellow you are! (Approaches basket.)

DOCT. (enters with knife). Inez!

INEZ. Santa Maria! Who is it?

DOCT. Only me, my child. What are you about to do?

INEZ. Examine my present. I was afraid the Senora would be angry, and so I am going to look at it on the sly.

DOCT. Well, I am quite curious to know what you have there.

INEZ. Perhaps biscuits. Oh, mercy! Footsteps again.

DOCT. It is Lucrezia. It will never do for her to see this, if you wish to keep your place, my child. Take it to your own room.

INEZ. (trying to lift basket) I can't. Lend me a hand.

DOCT. Where shall we take it? Inez, eat up your biscuits at once, and then we can get the basket away easily enough.

INEZ. No! Let us take it out on the balcony, until the Senora is out of the way.

DOCT. Good! This is as exciting as an intrigue. (Lifts one end of basket.) Your biscuits are heavy, Inez.

INEZ. (lifting the other end). Yes. (Drops basket on DOCTOR's toes.)

DOCT. Ah, Inez!—Once more. All right. (They take the basket to the balcony and rest it there.) That will do. Stay! Let me steady it. (The DOCTOR, in trying to steady it, lets it fall into the water.) Oh, it's gone, Inez! I'm very sorry!

INEZ. Oh, my poor biscuits! How could you be so careless? I declare it has sunk! (Enter LUCREZIA.)

LUC. I can't find the porters anywhere. (Sees DOCT.) Ah, my husband!

INEZ. (sobbing). My poor biscuit!

LUC. My dear, I thought you were out walking.

DOCT. No; I shall not go just yet.

LUC. (aside). Where can the basket be? He has gone, then. Since he is safe, I will make a true woman's merit of telling her husband all when he can't revenge himself. (Aloud.) Husband!

DOCT. Well, wife.

LUC. Have you seen anything here?

DOCT. No. (Aside) She has seen the basket and misses it!

LUC. Nothing at all?

DOCT. Oh! Yes! No! Certainly not! (Confused.)

LUC. A basket, for instance.

INEZ (aside). Now for another storm.

DOCT. Yes, my dear, I remember a basket. Quite a trifle.

LUC. Did you see what was in it?

DOCT. No. (Aside to INEZ.) You had better tell her all, Inez.

INEZ. It was a little present of candies for me.

LUC. Husband, there was a man in it?

DOCT. (staggering back overwhelmed). What!

INEZ. (fainting against DOCTOR). A man!

LUC. Yes, a man, who took this means of entering the house, and of making audacious proposals of love to me; but I scorned his offers, and left the room in search of you, that you might avenge the insult. Is he gone?

DOCT. (stupefied). I should say he was!

INEZ. (aside). Perhaps it was Carlino himself!

DOCT. You must be mistaken, wife.

LUC. I tell you, I spoke to him on this spot, not ten minutes ago, and left him here in the basket. He must have been conveyed out again.

DOCT. Yes, decidedly.

INEZ. He'll not be conveyed out again in a hurry. (Enter ISABELLA.)

ISA. Inez! (Aside to INEZ.) That note. Ha, ha! I have read it. It was for me, and from him.

INEZ. Whom?

ISA. My cavalier. He is here!

INEZ. What! In the house?

ISA. Yes. He was conveyed hither in that basket!

INEZ. (with horror). What!

ISA. (to INEZ). It was he who was on the water.

INEZ (aside). He's in the water now.

DOCT. Well, do you free me from all suspicion? I don't think he will have the impudence to make another visit.

DOCT. I don't think he will!

INEZ (shuddering). I hope not.

LUC. Come, Isabella. (Crosses.) How could he have got out?

ISA. But, ma, I don't want to go.

LUC. Come along, miss. I have something to say to you. (Exit LUC, pulling ISABELLA.)

DOCT. (to INEZ) Lock out of the window. I dare not. Perhaps he is swimming in the basket. It was very large.

INEZ (looking out). No. There is nothing. He is gone.

DOCT. (nervously). He? Who? Pooh! Do you believe it was a man?

INEZ. I know it was. Oh, Doctor, we are murderers!

DOCT. What do you mean? You threw him out. It was your present.

INEZ. No, Senor Doctor. You threw him out.

DOCT. Don't be so positive. I won't inform against you.

INEZ. Oh, if we should be found out!

DOCT. My blood runs cold at the very suggestion. (The rattling of castanets heard outside.)

INEZ. What is that? (Starting with fear.)

DOCT. It sounds like the rattling of a dead man's bones.

INEZ. Oh, don't talk so Doctor! It's only some street dancers.

DOCT. Why do people dance? He can't dance! His dancing days are over!

INEZ. I am afraid yours are not Doctor.

DOCT. What do you mean?

INEZ. Doctor, I'm afraid your last act in life will be something akin to a dance, without any floor to step on.

DOCT. Wretched girl!

INEZ (going to balcony and looking out). Ah! (Screams) Mercy! Murder! I can swear I saw the basket bobbing up and down in the water, as though there were a human being kicking inside to get out, and couldn't! Ah!

DOCT. (putting his hand over her mouth.) Be quiet, Inez. You make me feel strangely uncomfortable. Don't scream. You'll alarm the night watch!

INEZ. But, Doctor— I feel I am going to scream again. Ah! (Screams.) Stop my mouth.

DOCT. (stopping her mouth). I tell you that you'll alarm the night watch, if you haven't done so already. Hark!

FINALE TO FIRST ACT,

Moderato.

Piano accompaniment (piano 1) in G minor, 2/4 time. Dynamics: pp.

DOCTOR.

INEZ.

DOC. IN.

Doc.

1 - nez! Doctor! Hush! I'm dumb! The aw-ful night-watch this way come; They heard your

Piano accompaniment (piano 2) in G minor, 2/4 time.

IN. (nervously.)

Doc. (seizing her arm solemnly.)

IN.

Doc. (uneasily.)

scream, I think I'll go!

You're doomed! And you too! Don't say so!

Piano accompaniment (piano 3) in G minor, 2/4 time.

INEZ.

Doc.

Our doom is seal'd as sure as fate!

We cannot fly; it is too late.

Our doom is seal'd as sure as

Piano accompaniment (piano 4) in G minor, 2/4 time.

In.

Sheet music for the 'In.' section. The vocal line consists of eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords in the right hand and eighth-note bass patterns in the left hand. The vocal part includes lyrics: 'fate!', 'We can not fly; it is too late.', and 'What meant those screams I heard but'.

Doc. to In.

In. to Doc.

Sheet music for the 'Doc. to In.' and 'In. to Doc.' sections. The vocal line continues with eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment includes dynamic markings like 'f' and 'pp'. The vocal part includes lyrics: 'now!', 'You're always kicking, kicking, kicking up a row!', and 'I couldn't'.

Is. (listening.)

Sheet music for the 'Is. (listening.)' section. The vocal line consists of eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords. The vocal part includes lyrics: 'help it.', 'Ah! that sound!', and 'The night-watch marches on its round.'

Luc. (entering.)

Sheet music for the 'Luc. (entering.)' section. The vocal line consists of eighth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords. The vocal part includes lyrics: 'They come this way!', 'They come this way!', and 'What meant that'.

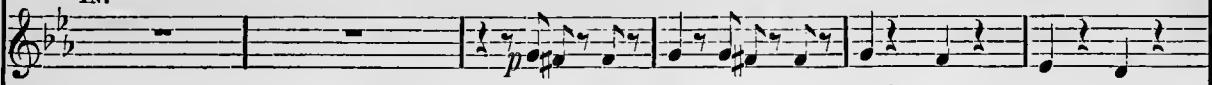
Luc.



-cry! But now, but now, upon the balcony? They seem a - fraid At what I said; They seem a - fraid At what I Is.

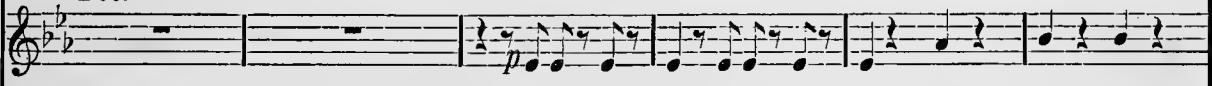
They seem a - fraid At what she said; At what she

In.



Oh luckless jade! We are be - trayed; We are be -

Doc.



(The march grows louder, and the tramp is heard outside. LUCREZIA and ISABELLA look out of window.)



said, They seem a - fraid At what she said, At what she said.



Doc. (*Angrily.*) Is. (*Pertly.*) Doc. In.

bye! What shall we say? You fool! Hey dey! They heard you cry. It's all good bye! What shall we

[By this time the tramp has become very loud, and three heavy knocks are heard at door. The DOCTOR and INEZ are paralyzed. A short silence.]

LUC.

They're at the door! They're at the door!

Is.

They're at the door! They're at the door!

In.

They're at the door! They're at the door!

say! Hey dey! They're at the door! They're at the door!

Doc.

You fool! They're at the door! They're at the door!

f(Knocking outside.) f(Knocking.) f(Knocking.)

[Three more loud knocks heard. At the sound DOCTOR and INEZ rush across, leaving ISABELLA and LUCREZIA.]

TENORI. (*Outside.*)

Open! in the name of the king! Open! in the name of the king!

BASSI.

Doc. (*trembling.*)

IN.

LUC.

Go, I-nez go!

I thank you, no!

I'm sure there's something

IS.

wrong. I'll find it out ere long! I'll find, I'll find it out ere long! I'm sure there's something

DOC. } I tremble!
INEZ. }

wrong; I'll find it out ere long! I'll find, I'll find, it out ere long. [Exeunt IS. and LUC.]

[Enter LUCREZIA, followed by POMPOSO, the night watch and neighbors.]

The musical score consists of five staves. The top three staves represent the vocal parts: Doc. (trembling), IN., and LUC. Doc. sings a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes. IN. and LUC. also sing similar patterns. The bottom two staves represent the piano accompaniment, showing harmonic support with sustained chords and bassline patterns. The vocal parts sing the lyrics: "Go, I-nez go!", "I thank you, no!", "I'm sure there's something", "wrong. I'll find it out ere long! I'll find, I'll find it out ere long! I'm sure there's something", "wrong; I'll find it out ere long! I'll find, I'll find, it out ere long. [Exeunt IS. and LUC.]". The piano part ends with a forte dynamic (ff).

POMPOSO.

The Doc - tor Par - a - cel - sus!

Doc.

The Doc - tor Par - a - cel - sus! I am he! Why are you here?

Pom.

What do you want with me? I'm Don Hipo - li-to Lopez Pom-

po - - so, An - to - ni-o Ricar - do Do - lo - ro - - so; A true and faithful servant of the

law ! Why did you keep me knocking, knocking at the door ? I'm Don Hipo - li-to Lopez Pom-

- po - so, An - to - ni-o, Ricard - o Do - lo - ro - so, A true and faithful servant of the

Doc. (to IN.) IN.

law, Why did you keep me knocking, knocking at the door ? Why did you keep him, Inez ? I don't

(to POM.) POM.

know ! But now you're here, I think you'd bet - ter go. Si - lence all, attend to

me! But now, but now, upon your balco - ny, I heard a loud, a loud and dead - ly

tr

f

Doc.

scream! I heard a loud, a loud, a loud and dead - ly scream! That bal - co - ny, you

p

LUC. Is. Doc. (*aside.*)

sure-ly dream! No, he does not, I heard it, too! And I! The deuce! what shall I do?

Doc. (*aloud.*) LUC.

The fact is that there was a cat. No, no! come, Doctor, none of that! I heard a

f

p

CHORUS.

scream! And I! and I! and I! The devil! do you think I'd lie? A

Moderato.

Doc.

IN.

Cho.

I tell you, no! It was not so!

cry of pain was ve - ry plain, And what it meant we all must know: At

IN.

Doc.

I tell you, no, it was not so! It was not so!

once speak out, re - solve our doubt, Be - fore, be - fore from hence we go l A

In.

Doc.

I tell you, no!

It was not so!

cry of pain was ve - ry plain, And what it meant we all must know: At

In.

Doc.

I tell you, no! It was not so!

once speak out, re - solve our doubt, Be - fore from hence we go! A cry of pain was ve - ry

Doc. and In.

It wasn't! it wasn't! it wasn't! it wasn't!

It wasn't! it wasn't! it wasn't! it

plain,

A cry of pain was ve - ry plain.

Is. & LUC.

A cry of pain was ve - ry plain, A cry of pain was ve - ry plain!

IN.

wasn't! it wasn't, it wasn't, it wasn't, it wasn't, it wasn't, it wasn't, it wasn't!

Doc.

Cho.

A cry of pain was ve - ry plain, A cry of pain was ve - ry plain!

POM.

Si - lence! Si - lence;

Si - - - - - lence! I'm Don Hipo - li-to Lopez Pompo - - so An-

tr

f

-to-ni-o Ricardo Do-lo - ro - so, Explain to me the meaning of that cry I heard but now, but now upon yon balco-

fp

Pom.

-ny. No hes - i - ta - tion, al - ter - ca - tion, spec - u - la - tion, dis - pu - ta - tion, Both - er - a - tion, dis - ser -
LUC. & Is.

No hes - i - ta - tion, al - ter - ca - tion, spec - u -

Cho.

No hes - i - ta - tion, al - ter - ca - tion, spec - u -

*p**cres.**f*

-ta - tion, ly - ing or pre - var - i - ca - tion. Hes - i - ta - tion, al - ter - ca - tion, spec - u - la - tion, dis - pu -

-la - tion, dis - pu - ta - tion, hes - i - ta - tion, al - ter -

-la - tion, dis - pu - ta - tion, hes - i - ta - tion, al - ter -

*dim.**p**cres.*

"Silence."

-ta-tion, Bother - a-tion, dis - ser - ta-tion, ly - ing, or pre-va - ri - ea-tion. Ex - plain! Ex - plain!

-ca - tion, spec - u - la - tion, dis - pu - ta-tion. Ex - plain! Ex - plain!

-ca - tion, spec - u - lu - tion, dis - pu - ta-tion. Ex - plain! Ex - plain!

INEZ. (to Pomposo.)

(imitates Pomposo).

tr

To you!

To you!

To you! To you, Hipó - li-to Lopez Pom-pu - so, An - to-ni-o Ricardo Do-lo-

tr

dim.

f

p

- ro - so; I will explain the meaning of that cry You heard but now, but now upon yon balco - ny!

Cho.

Ix.

Know then, know then, know then, 'twas I! 'Twas you, but why? 'Twas you, but why? I

p marcato. *cres.* *f* *f*

dim.

(mysteriously.)

wandered there to take the air, And in the moonbeam's waking dream; While thus entranced, my

pp

eye I glanc'd up - on the wa - ter's quivering gleam; And there be - held a stran - ger felled And

plung'd by ruffians in the stream! I saw no more, But trem - bling o'er, I gave that wild and

Doc. (to Inez.)

In. (to Doc.)

piercing scream.

The deuce! what is it that you say? Sus-

Oh! horror! Oh! horror! (They run to the window and look out.)

ff marcato.

dim.

pp

Doc.

In.

-pi - cions thus I turn away. The deuce, what is it that you say? Sus - pi - cion thus I

(They come forward again.)

Pom. (to Doc.)

turn a - way!

I thought of something of the sort When

8va

sempre p



first, when first I heard you scream, And bade a couple of my men To drag within the stream.

(*Two men bringing in the basket.*)

Doc. (aside.) In. (aside) Luc. (aside.)

We could find nothing else than this! That basket! That basket! That basket!

Luc.

Is. (aside.)

Something, something, something is a - miss.

That basket!

Something, something, something is a - miss.

In.

Doc.

Something, something, something is a - miss.

Allegro molto.

Luc. & Is. *f*

A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

IN. *f*

Doc. *f*

POM. *f*

Cho. *f*

A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, You'll find it out in - deed ere

A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's no - thing wrong, You'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A-way, A-way, there's some-thing wrong, We'll find it out in-deed ere

long, A-way, A-way, there's no-thing wrong, You'll find it out in-deed ere

long, A-way, A-way, there's some-thing wrong, We'll find it out in-deed ere

long, A-way, A-way, there's some-thing wrong, We'll find it out in-deed ere

long, A-way, A-way, there's no-thing wrong, You'll find it out in-deed ere

long, A-way, A-way, there's some-thing wrong, We'll find it out in-deed ere

long, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's some-thing wrong,

long, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's no-thing, no-thing

long, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's no-thing, no-thing

long, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's some-thing, some-thing

p

.... A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's some-thing wrong,

wrong, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's no-thing, no-thing

wrong, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's no-thing, no-thing

wrong, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's some-thing, some-thing

p

Come... a - way,..... Come... a - way,..... Come..... a -
 wrong,
 wrong, Come... a - way,..... Come... a - way,..... Come..... a -
 wrong, Come... a - way,..... Come... a - way,..... Come..... a -
cres *cen* *do.* *f*

- way!..... Come... away, come away, come away, There's something wroog, Come away, come away, There's something wrong.
 There's nothing wrong, Come away, come away, There's nothing wrong.
 - way!..... Come.... a - way, come a - way, There's nothing wrong, Come away, There's nothing wrong.
 - way!..... Come ... away, come away, come away, There's something wrong, Come away, come away, There's something wrong.

POM.

Threateningly.

I'm Don Hip-o - li-to Lo - pez Pom-po - so, An - to - ni - o Ri - car - do Do - lo - ro - so, I

think, I think I smell a good sized rat, And I will hold you all acoun - ta - ble for that.

LUC. & Is. *f*

A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere
IN. *f*

Doc. *f*
A - way, A - way, there's no - thing wrong, You'll find it out iu - deed ere

POM. *f*

Chro. *f*
A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere
f

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in. deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's no - thing wrong, You'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere
 long, A - way, A - way, there's no - thing wrong, You'll find it out iu - deed ere
 long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere
 long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere

long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere
 long, A - way, A - way, there's no - thing wrong, You'll find it out in - deed ere
 long, A - way, A - way, there's some - thing wrong, We'll find it out in - deed ere
 long, A - way, there's some - thing wrong,
 no - thing, no - thing
 long, A - way, there's no - thing, no - thing
 some - thing, some - thing
 long, A - way, there's some - thing, some - thing

p

.... A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's some-thing wrong,

wrong, no-thing, no-thing

wrong, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's no-thing, no-thing

some-thing, some-thing

wrong, A-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, a-way, there's some-thing, some-thing

.... Come.... a-way,..... Come.... a-way,..... Come..... a-

wrong, Come.... a-way,..... Come.... a-way,..... Come..... a-

wrong, Come.... a-way,..... Come.... a-way,..... Come..... a-

cres

cen

do

f

- way!..... Come.... away, come away, come away, There's something wrong, Come away, come away, There's something wrong.

There's nothing wrong, Come away, come away, There's nothing wrong.

- way!..... Come.... a - way, come a - way, There's nothing wrong, Come away, There's nothing wrong.

- way!..... Come ... away, come away, come away, There's something wrong, Come away, come away, There's something wrong.

Come a - way, come a - way, come a - way, come a - way,

Come a - way, come a - way, come a - way, come a - way,

Come a - way, come a - way, come a - way, come a - way,

cres.

Come, come a - way.

Come, come a - way.

Come, come a - way.

ff

ff

ff

ff

(As the curtain falls, POMPOSO prepares to depart. The DOCTOR and INEZ look nervously at each other, and then point to the basket. ISABELLA and LUCREZIA watch them.)

ACT II.

ALL' ESPAGNOLE.

*Allegro Spiritoso.**Same Scene as before. Scena and Bolero. ISABELLA alone.*

The musical score consists of five systems of piano music, each with two staves (treble and bass). The key signature changes from G major (two sharps) to F# major (one sharp) and back to G major. The time signature is mostly common time (indicated by '4').

- System 1:** Key signature: G major. Dynamics: *f*, *cres.* Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords.
- System 2:** Key signature: F# major. Dynamics: *marcato.*, *Ped.*, ***, *Ped.*, ***. Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords.
- System 3:** Key signature: G major. Dynamics: *Ped.*, ***, *Ped.*, ***, *Ped.*. Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords.
- System 4:** Key signature: G major. Dynamics: *Ped.*, ***. Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords.
- System 5:** Key signature: F# major. Dynamics: *p*, *cres.*, *sf*, *f*. Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords. Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note chords; Bass staff has eighth-note chords.

Detailed description of the musical score:

- Staff 1 (Treble):** Starts with a dynamic of *dol.* (dolcissimo). The right hand plays eighth-note chords, while the left hand provides harmonic support. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) appear at the beginning of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 2 (Treble):** Continues the harmonic pattern with eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 3 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 4 (Treble):** Features eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 5 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 6 (Treble):** Starts with a dynamic of *f* (fortissimo). The right hand plays eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 7 (Treble):** Dynamics change to *p dol.* (pianississimo dolcissimo). The right hand plays eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 8 (Treble):** Dynamics change to *rit.* (ritardando). The right hand plays eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 9 (Treble):** Dynamics change to *f* (fortissimo). The right hand plays eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 10 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 11 (Treble):** Starts with a dynamic of *f marcato.* (fortississimo marcato). The right hand plays eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 12 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 13 (Treble):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 14 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 15 (Treble):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 16 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 17 (Treble):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 18 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 19 (Treble):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.
- Staff 20 (Bass):** Shows sustained notes and eighth-note chords. Pedal markings (*Ped.*) are present at the start of each measure, with an asterisk (*) in the second measure.

At the rise of curtain, ISABELLA discovered. Scena e Bolero.

A H, W O E I S M E!

(SCENA AND BOLERO.)

Introduced in the
“DOCTOR OF ALCANTARA.”

Composed by J. EICHBERG.

Allo molto.

RECITITAVO.

Ah, woe is me! my heart's best hope is

vanished, The loved one's fled, and ne'er to me re - turns, And I a -

- lone in deepest grief am left, To dream of him whom I shall ne'er be - hold.

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Andantino.

Oh! would that fate had cast my lot with him. How happy

were my fate, E'en if a small and lone - ly cot our

cres.

love from all con - cealed, Each thought of mine to

him be - longs, to him, to him be - longs.

cres. f

Ah, woe is me. 8.

Oh! would that fate had cast my lot with him, How

hap - - py were my fate, E'en if a small and
cres.

low - - ly eot our love from all con - cealed, from all con-

f f

- cealed, from all con -

Ah. woe is me. 8.

- cealed.

Allegro.

ff

dim. *rall.* *Tempo di Bolero.*

But to the
dance, Pleas - ures en - trance, When to the mu - sic all
Ah, woe is me. 2.

sen - ses are yield - - ing, Care dis - ap - pear - ing, Love's vows en -
 - dear - ing, And all my soul is full with joy, my soul is full with
 joy. To the Bo - le - ro im - pa - tient I'm hast - 'ning,
 Mu - sic and joy, Pleas - ure and mirth, all my seu - ses pen - e - trate.
 Ah, woe is me. 8.

Mu - sic and joy, Pleas - ure and mirth, All my sen - ses with
cres.

bliss pen - e - trate,..... Mu - sic and joy, Pleas - ure and mirth,
cres.

All my sen - ses pen - e - trate. All

p 2d time turn to the Coda on last page.

gay Mad - ri - len - as, All proud Cab - al - le - ros, Are anx - ious - ly
K

Ah, woe is me. 6.

wait - ing to join in the dance. All gay Mad - ri - len - as, All
 proud Cab - al - le - ros, Are aux - ious - ly wait - ing to join in the
 dance, to join in the dance, To
 join in the dance.....

tr

Ah, woe is me. 8.

*CODA.**Piu animato.*

- trate, with bliss pen - - e - trate,

with bliss pen - - e - trate,

with bliss..... pen - - -

- - - e - trate.

Enter CARLOS.

ISA. But here comes some one, the Doctor and Inez, I must away ! Oh ! where can my handsome Cavalier have gone ?
 DOC. Oh, Inez, why did you throw him out ?
 INEZ. Oh, Doctor, why did *you* throw him out ?
 DOC. We are all thrown out through it. Poor young man, he must be very wet. (*they go up to window and look out.*)

CAR. I cannot stand solitude any longer. It is impossible to conceal myself forever. There is a gentleman yonder. I will speak to him, and declare my love.

*Terzetto.—DOCTOR, CARLOS and INEZ.**(During the ritornello CARLOS approaches the DOCTOR, and at the end taps him on the shoulder.)***SEÑOR! SEÑOR!****TRIO.**CARLOS. DOC. INEZ.
(bowing politely.) (frightened.) (fright-

Allegro.

-ened.) CAR. (bowing.) Doc. (aside.)

CAR. (aside.)

-nor! Se-nor! How the devil came he here? How he stares at me, oh dear! Can this my charmer's

fa - ther be? He looks quite sour; it must be he, it must be he! Se-nor! Se - nor! Se - nor! Se -

8va

Doc. (impatiently.)

CAR. (aside to Doctor.)

-nor! Se - nor! Se - nor! I dare not now, not now ex-plain; I'd bet - ter, bet-ter call a - gain!

Good con 8va...

INEZ. (*yawning.*) CARLOS. (*aside.*)

night, Señor! some oth-er day, Good night, Señor! Shall I away? Twere best at once to speak my mind, Such

INEZ. (*threatening.*)

What means your presence here? speak out! Your hon - es - ty admits of doubt; What do you
chance I ne'er a-gain may find.
Doc. Se - nor! Se - nor!

What means your presence here? speak out! Your hon - es - ty admits of doubt; What do you

here this time of day? What do you here this time of day? Are your in-tentions honest: say?

marcato.

f

CAR. DOC.
(very silly.) (imitating Car.) IN. (the same.)

Allo. risoluto. CAR. (with affectation.)

yes! ... yes! yes!

All noble hearts as - pire.... To one sole

Allo. risoluto.



rf.

aim; one bright de - sire. My heart is torn by beauty's eye; — Love in my breast, love in my breast can never

colla voce.

Doc. (with fear.) INEZ. (aside, with terror.)

die.

This ve - ry night I've seen— Ah! Inez!

Oh! what can he

Doc. (aside to Inez.)

INEZ. (to Doc.)

mean!

Inez, if he should prove a spy!

Should it be so, should it be so! Oh life, good-



INEZ.

- bye ! Oh ! life, good - bye ! Oh ! life, good - bye !

Doc.

INEZ & Doc. (aside.)

I wonder who this man can be ? His presence sore - ly troub - les me,

CAR. (aside.)

How strangely do they glance at me !

They full of trouble seem to

Allegretto con gusto.

pp

I wonder who this man can be ?

His presence sorely troubles me !

be, How strangely do

they glance at me ?

They full of trouble seem to be !

Allegro.

INEZ.

CAR.

piu mosso.

Se - nor, still you do not say Why you're here. One mo - ment, pray!

The eve - ning

rit.

pp

air was soft: The sky was calm a - bove; I cast my eyes a - loft, And gave my

thoughts to love; I gazed up - on the moon And id - ly dream'd of bliss; While grateful-

rit.

Allegretto.

- ly the air Spread o'er my brow its kiss. 'Twas at this time the evening chime Stole on my list'u - ing

Allegretto.

ear. The ten- der sheep Had gone to sleep, And not a soul was near. It seems, Se - nor, you are a

INEZ.

CARLOS. (*affectedly.*)

fool ! What means this sil- ly rid - i - cule, What means this si - ly rid - i - cule ? Be-neath your window, in my boat I

Doc. INEZ.
(confused.) (frightened.)CAR. DOC.
(childishly.) (terrified.)

sat with pensive mein : When such a sight burst on my eye ! - His eye, What have you seen ? What ? What ?

INEZ. DOC. INEZ. CAR.
(trembling.) (in agony.) (same.) (foolishly.)

Doc. INEZ. (to Doc.)

What ? Where ? Where ? Where ? There !

Upon that baleo-ny, Ah heav'n ! Oh, did he see ?

Doc.

CAR. (with aplomb.)

We're lost, our tale of life is told.
Be quiet, you make my blood run cold.
I think, I

have, I think I have, impress'd them well, The rest I now will quickly tell; The rest I now will quickly

p INEZ.
I wonder who this man can be? His presence sore - ly troub - les

tell. How strangely do they glance at me! They full of

p Doc.
I wonder who this man can be? His presence sore - ly troub - les
Allegretto con gusto.

pp

me, I wonder who this man can be? His presence sorely troubles me.
 trouble seem to be, How strangely do they glance at me? They full of trouble seem to be.
 me, I wonder who this man can be? His presence sorely troubles me.

Allegro.

RECIT. INEZ. (*aside to Doctor, with terror.*)

Senor! it it all a plan, I see the ar - ti -

RECIT.

CAR. (*with fear.*)

fice! This honey worded man is an a - gent of po - lice! They eye me

presto.

They eye me

fpp

(goes towards the door.)

Doc. (preventing Car.)

so, I think I'll go!

Se - nor, here you must re -

p Allo.

INEZ.

DOC.

CAR.

IN.

pose! Se - nor, here you must re - pose! Who you are we now sus - pect! eh! What your purpose we de -

CAR. (frightened.)

DOC.

CARLOS.

Let me change my pretty
- tect! Pray kind peo - ple let me go! I didnt mean to hurt you! no! Doc. No, no, no, you can - not

clothes. INEZ.

CAR. (pleading.)

pass. Se - nor, here you must reposo! Se - nor, Se - nor, a - las! Senor, Se - nor, a - - las! For a

p

moment cease your rigor ! Can you harm this pretty figure ? You can-not revenge in - voke, On my pret - ty tinsel'd
Ped. * *Ped.* * *Ped.* *

(sobbing.)
cloak! I am not a thief, be - lieve me ! Real-ly sir, I don't de - ceive you ! A no - ble Se - nor is my
fp

(with an
pa ! A no - ble la - dy is my ma ! Myself am not unknown to fame, And Se - nor Ca - rlos is my name ! Carlos !

infantine voice.) DOC. CAR. INEZ. CAR. DOC. (*surprised.*)

CAR.

Carlos! Carlos! Carlos! Carlos! Car - los ! Then you real - ly Car - los are ? The son of Se - nor Bal - tha -
fp

INEZ.

Doc. Baltha - zar!

CAR. - zar!

Bal - tha - zar ! Baltha - zar !

Bal - tha - zar ! Bal - tha - zar ! Baltha - zar ! Baltha - zar ! Baltha - zar ! Baltha - zar !

f

ENSEMBLE. (*concerted à l'espagnol.*)

- zar! To give of - fence we did not mean, Had we known you, it ne'er had

- zar! Bal - tha - So odd a house I ne'er have seen, This sud - den change, what can it

non troppo. p

been, To give of - fence we did not mean, Had we known you, it ne'er had been; Oh,

mean, So odd a house I ne'er have seen. This sud - den change, what can it mean?

Se - nor Car - los! Se - nor

Be - cause I'm Car - - - los!

Car - los! Se - nor Car - los! Se - nor Car - los! Se - nor Car - los! His

Be - cause I'm Car - - - los! This

presence a - larming, sus - picions, dis - arming, We still must con - tin - ue to act out our part. His

conduct is charming, but somewhat a - larming, I can - not di - vine what it means, for my part; This

p

presence a - larming, sus - picious, dis - arming, We still must con - tin - ue to act out our part. Ah

conduct is charming, but somewhat a - larming, I can - not di - vine what it means, for my part;

Se - nor Car - los! Se - nor

Be - cause I'm Car - - - los!

Car - los! Se - nor Car - los! Se - nor Car - los! Se - nor Car - los! His

Be - cause I'm Car - - - los! This

presence a - larming, sus - pi - cions, dis - arming, We still must con - tiu - ue to act out our part. His
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p

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f

presence a - larm - ing, sus - pi - cions, dis - armiug, We still must cou - tiu - ue to act out our part, His
 con - duct is charming, but somewhat a - larming, I can - not di - viue what is meant, for my part, This

presence a - larm - ing, sus - pi - cions, dis - arming, We still must cou - tin - ue to act out our part, To
 con - duct is charming, but somewhat a - larming, I can - not di - vine what is meant, for my part, What

act..... our part, To act..... our part, To
 for..... my part, What for..... my part, What

act..... our..... part.
 for..... my..... part.

f

INEZ. Oh, Señor, we pray that you will remain with us.
 DOCT. Yes, and accept our excuses.
 CAR. What does this sudden change mean?
 INEZ. Why that severe look?
 CAR. (*Ssimpering.*) Excuse me, it was only a smile.
 DOCT. (*forcing him into a chair.*) Sit down, sir, I beg.
 CAR. (*rising.*) But, Señor—
 INEZ. Oh, don't rise. We really can't allow you to stand. (*Pushes him into a chair.*)
 DOCT. (*eagerly.*) What refreshments will you take? Some cake?
 INEZ. Wine? DOCT. Ice? INEZ. Bananas? Plums?
 DOCT. Peaches? INEZ. Cordial? DOCT. Maraschino?
 INEZ. Lachryma Christi? DOCT. Money? INEZ. His bed?
 DOCT. My daughter? INEZ. His wife? DOCT. My horses?
 INEZ. His carriage? DOCT. My life blood?
 CAR. (*terrified.*) What does this all mean? (*Looks with a silly air about the room.*)
 DOCT. (*aside to INEZ.*) It is Carlos!
 INEZ. (*to DOCT.*) I was afraid it was a police spy! Oh, I am so happy.
 DOCT. (*to INEZ.*) So am I. But he spoke of the balcony I am not yet certain of him. Look how he stares! I will pump him. (*ALOUD.*) Well, my young friend. You have appeared in quite an unexpected manner.
 CAR. Yes, sir, the beautiful stars of eve—
 DOCT. Yes. I believe you said so before. Ha, ha! (*laughs uneasily.*) I believe you said—ha, ha!—that you were on the water under the balcony—
 CAR. Oh, yes, sir! The flowing stream meandered on its peaceful way. The tender flowers had sunk to rest, and—
 DOCT. Grace, for the love of the saints! Tell us what you saw.
 CAR. (*silly.*) Saw?
 INEZ. When the Doctor says saw, he means, in fact—saw!
 CAR. (*smiling politely.*) Ah, now I understand! The vision of brightness stepped on the balcony— INEZ. That was I!
 CAR. I have seen nothing else, on my honor. If anything transpired there that I ought not to have seen—
 DOCT. But there didn't. (*Aside.*) I still suspect him! (*ALOUD.*) What refreshment will you take, Señor? Take some wine.
 CAR. Oh, sir! (*Simpering.*) Anything. No, sir! Nothing! I— (*Effeminately.*) never drink. INEZ. What Not water?
 CAR. No. That is, sometimes. I live upon the tender dew that Love distils from the rose leaves. Love is my food, love is my drink.
 DOCT. Of course. Inez, get him a carafe of love.
 CAR. (*aside.*) How strangely he acts! Who can he be? He seemed to know my father's name.
 DOCT. You really must take some wine with me.
 CAR. Well, if I must—let it be water. Oh, I love water! Water! Sparkling water! Oh, divine liquor! One looks at water—sails on water—swims in water—
 INEZ. Yes, and washes in water!
 CAR. Yes. Of course—that is—sometimes. (*confused.*)
 DOCT. Inez, get me that flagon of wine in the closet. Be careful, and bring the right one. And, Inez, glasses. (*INEZ gets glasses from closet, fills one from flagon, and offers it to CARLOS on tray.*)
 CAR. Thank you. (*tastes it.*) Bah! (*distastefully.*)
 DOCT. What is the matter? [this?
 CAR. Nothing. (*with politeness and stupidity.*) What do you call DOCT. Lachryma Christi.
 CAR. Yes. It is fine—splendid. Thank you. (*drinks and is disgusted, but tries to smile to DOCTOR with politeness.*)
 DOCT. Inez, bring me a glassful also.
 INEZ. Yes, Señor. (*gives him wine.*)
 DOCT. (*about to drink.*) Carambo! What is this? INEZ. Wine, sir.
 DOCT. Show me the bottle. (*CARLOS yawns and is in pain.*)
 INEZ. There, Señor! (*shows bottle.*)
 DOCT. The devil! Have you given him this? It is my medicine. I made it too strong, and it's poison.
 CAR. I wonder how you can like such bitter wine. It isn't—very—nice. I feel very sleepy. What—funny—wine! (*falls in armchair.*)
 DOCT. Wretched girl, you have done another murder!
 INEZ. After all, sir, it is only medicine.
 DOCT. Yes, but I intended it for my patients, not for my friends.
 CAR. Yes. (*yawns.*) My father!—kind man!—funny wine.
 DOCT. (*with sublime composure*) He is dying. We are again accomplices.
 CAR. Oh, dear! (*sleeps.*)
 INEZ. Gone? DOCT. Dead! INEZ. Very dead?
 DOCT. Fortissimo dead. It would have killed an elephant or an alderman.
 INEZ. Oh, heavens! Two murders in a night! What is to be done?
 DOCT. We must cut the body up, and take it away piecemeal.
 INEZ. Let's fling it into the water.
 DOCT. No, wretched girl. It would poison all the fish. We have crimes enough on our heads. Inez!

INEZ. Yes! Señor Doctor. DOCT. You are a murderer! INEZ. Yes, Doctor. So are you. DOCT. Inez!
 INEZ. Yes, Doctor. (*DOCTOR locks doors.*) DOCT. We are both murderers! INEZ. Yes, Señor Doctor.
 DOCT. Inez! INEZ. Yes, Doctor.
 DOCT. We shall be hung if we are discovered. I have always been a kind master to you. Since you have the crimes on your mind, you might as well take the blame of both. Be hung without me, and merit my eternal gratitude!
 INEZ. Doctor, I was about to ask you to do the same thing for me.
 DOCT. Oh, dear! I feel very cold.
 INEZ. How must he feel! Oh, St. Peter, have mercy on us! Let us hide the body for the present. Where shall we conceal it?
 DOCT. I don't know. The deuce! What do dead bodies mean by trespassing on my house in this way? Here, put it in this sofa-bed. (*opens sofa.*) INEZ. Yes. Be quick. Help me.
 DOCT. I don't like to touch him—I mean it!—Do you put it in alone?
 INEZ. I can't. I won't. Oh, dear! I'm getting faint.
 LUC. (*knocks at door.*) Doctor!
 DOCT. Oh, mercy! INEZ. We are lost!
 LUC. (*outside.*) My dear, some one wants to see you. He has been knocking at the door for some time. (*loud knock.*)
 INEZ. It is your wife. Should she see the body!—
 DOCT. (*gloomily.*) She must perish too. LUC. (*outside.*) I think it is Señor Balthazar. INEZ. His—I mean its Father.
 DOCT. Father! Oh, he must die also. What brings him here?
 LUC. (*outside.*) Open the door! DOCT. Yes! Quick, Inez. (*they place Carlos' body in the sofa, and close the lid.*)
 INEZ. Oh, mercy on us! We are lost. (*opens door, and admits LUCREZIA, with candle.*)
 DOCT. I'm coming. (*unlocks door, and admits SEÑOR BALTHAZAR.*)
 [ISABELLA enters.]
 BALTHAZAR (*to DOCT.*) Ah, my old friend! Delighted to see you. Give us your hand. (*shakes DOCTOR's hand.*) Why, how cold your hand is! DOCT. Yes! I've got a cold.
 BAL. Ah! I thought I'd take you by surprise.
 DOCT. I'm cursed it you haven't. Welcome, my friend! How—how are all your family? BAL. Happily they are all well. (*sits on sofa.*) DOCT. Oh, murder! (*aside.*) He little knows what the padding of that sofa is made of. BAL. My son hasn't been home for some two or three days. But that is nothing.
 DOCT. Of course not. I—I—wouldn't feel troubled if he didn't come home for two or three more, if I were you. He is all right.
 BAL. Of course. It doesn't trouble me at all. I have just arrived in Alcantara from home. I came down to see you in order to settle about the marriage of which we have spoken so often.
 DOCT. Yes, of course. ISA. (*aside.*) I won't wed his son, I'm determined.
 BAL. I expect my son here in the morning. I left word to that effect for him, at the hotel, where I knew he has been staying.
 DOCT. (*aside.*) Inez! INEZ. (*aside.*) Doctor!
 BAL. I suppose I can have a bed here for the night. Eh, old friend? DOCT. Oh, yes. Of course. LUC. Inez, have a bed aired for Señor Balthazar.
 INEZ. There is not a bed ready in the house.
 LUC. True! I had forgot. Well, he can manage to sleep in this room for the night. We will make it all right to-morrow.
 DOCT. (*aside.*) In this room! BAL. Oh, yes! Anywhere will do for me. Don't let me give you any trouble.
 LUC. The Señor must be fatigued. Inez, some wine!
 DOCT. No. No wine, Inez. BAL. Why not?
 DOCT. The—fact—is—I have drunk it all. Ha, ha!
 BAL. Ha, ha! Well a little morsel of supper.
 LUC. How provoking, to think that of all nights in the year, we should have an empty larder to-night!
 BAL. Well, well! Never mind. I know it is late. It doesn't matter. I'll take up my bed on this sofa, and wait till the morning.
 INEZ. (*with horror.*) Eh? DOCT. (*aside.*) On the top of his own son!
 BAL. What the deuce ills them all? They look as if they were going to an auto-da-fe.
 LUC. (*aside.*) I wonder where that young man can be?
 DOCT. No, no, Señor! Not on that sofa! Really!
 BAL. Nonsense! No ceremony! How strangely you all act!
 INEZ. (*to DOCT.*) Oh, think of his making an unhappy sandwich of his own son!
 DOCT. (*aside, tragically.*) It is Providence—Fatality!
 LUC. Well, then, Señor, apologizing for our apparent neglect, we bid you good night. In the morning, I hope we shall be able to alone for it.
 DOCT. (*to INEZ.*) When he sleeps, we must come here with a pair of shears and cut the body from under him.
 INEZ. (*aside.*) Should he wake— DOCT. (*aside.*) He dies!
 ISA. (*aside.*) Oh, why did he come at such an unhappy time? I hate him, as I hate his son whom I have never seen!
 BAL. Well, friend, I'll not detain you any longer. Good-night.

GOOD NIGHT, SENOR BALTHAZAR.

Moderato.



LUC. (With candle in hand.)

Ah! Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Ah! Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Pleasant dreams and slumbers

bright Be your hap - py lot to - night; Of gloomy nightmares have no fear, Ghosts nor

de - mons lurk not here, They will not your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha

- zar! They will not your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Ah!

piu f

Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Ah! Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! May no blood-stain'd corpse af-

p

pp

fright you, But may an - gel songs de-light you; May no cold and glass - y eye, Moans or

rit. *a tempo.* >

screams of ag - o - ny, Ghosts or fiends, your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha -

rit. *a tempo.* >

IN. & LUC.

Is.

- zar! May no fiends your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Ah!

pianissimo

Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Ah! Senor Bal - tha - zar! Mur - d'ilers dark and rob - bers

pianissimo

bold, Spare your life and take your gold; As you here all help-less lie.... May each

pianissimo

bad thing pass you by! May no dreams your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha-

pianissimo

Is., IN., & LUC.

Doc.

- zar! May no dreams your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Ah!

pianissimo

Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Ah! Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Pay no heed to ghostly

pianissimo

dreams; Of gibbets in the pale moonbeams; If owlets scream, or jack- als bark, Or bats flit

pianissimo

o'er you in the dark; Let them not your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha-

LUC. IS. IN. Doc.

dim |

- zar! Let them not your slum - bers mar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha-zar!

Ah!

f *rf* *p dim.*

Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Vir - tue be your guid - ing star! Good night, Se - nor

8va *8va*

Piccolo. *pp*

Bal - tha-zar! Good night, Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! Good

ppp *ppp*

night, Se - nor, good night, Se - nor Bal - tha - zar! tha - zar!

ppp

(After Quartetto all exeunt, except BALTHAZAR.)

Bal. How strangely every body seems to act in this house ! What can be the matter ? How gloomy every thing is ! I don't much fancy this sofa. It's very small ! Two would find it rather limited. (*A sigh from sofa heard.*) What is that ?—Pshaw !—Nothing. Their miserable good night has given me the horrors, I believe. (*Blows out light, and lies down.*) This house has a very fatal and ghouly air. “Good night !” It sounded very much like “Go to devil !” I must observe them in the morning. (*Takes off his periuke and puts it on wig block on table.*) “May no ghosts

ye...—*slumbers mar.*” (*Singing.*) Ghosts, gibbets, bats, murders, moonbeams, moans, screams of agony, and demons ! A pretty supper to go to bed on ! (*Sings to wig block.*) “Ah ! Señor Balthazar !” (*Walking to and fro.*) Can they have any designs on me ? They certainly behaved very mysteriously. (*Yawns.*) Pshaw ! What a fool I am ! I'm very sleepy. (*Sits on sofa.*) I will sleep with one eye open, to be on my guard. (*The wind moans outside.*) Dear me, I feel very gloomy. (*Sings to wig block.*)

FINALE.

Lento.

The musical score consists of three staves of music in *Lento* tempo. The top staff shows two voices: a soprano in treble clef and a basso in bass clef. The middle staff shows a single soprano voice. The bottom staff shows a single basso voice. The music is in common time, with various key changes (C major, G major, D major, A major, E major, B-flat major, F-sharp major). The lyrics are in Spanish and are as follows:

Sings. May no dreams your slumbers mar ! Good night, Señor Balthazar !

Ah ! what was that ? How gloomy they were ! What a strange reception ! so sad ! so confused !

Yawns. Allegretto con moto.

Very long.

The score includes dynamic markings such as *pp*, *sf*, and *pp*. The basso part ends with a long, sustained note.

In.

DOCTOR and INEZ. (Enter DOCTOR, with lantern in hand.) (speaking.) Hush, speak low!
(Enter INEZ, with a large pair of shears.)

Doc.

IN.

tremble o'er with fear! The moment is su - preme; With courage arm your- self! 'Tis

like some hor - rid dream :— The moment is supreme! But I with fear am cold! But

In.

I with fear am cold! With horror, wild you seem! And I am so! How

Doc.

Be bold!

Approach!

calmly does he sleep ! My heart with grief is torn. Our crime is dark and deep ! We ne'er shall cease to mourn ! I
 tremble ! He sleeps ! But should he wake !
 Doc. (gloomily.)
 Have no fear ! 'Twill be an oth-er crime, But
 fp
 Oh ! spare him, for my sake ! I freeze with fear ! A-las ! should they overhear !
 he must die this time. Come quickly.
 Doc. (speaks.) "Be cautious." IN. (speaks.) "It is not easy, truly."
 Vivace. Doc. (agitated.)
 (She begins to cut back of sofa with shears.) Take him, take him, take him.
 pp
 p Vivace.

INEZ. (*behind the sofa.*)

Yes, it is done ! By the feet !

Doc.

Take him, take him, take him ! Pull him, pull him, pull him, pull him, pull him ! Take him, take him, take him,

Yes, it is done ! By the feet !

take him, take him, take him ! Pull him, pull him, pull him, pull him, pull him,

(horror-struck.) BALTH. "Who goes there ?" CAR. draws a long sigh. (Sigh)

By the feet ! What is that ? That ghostly sound !

By the feet ! What is that ? That ghostly sound !

pp *f* *pp* *p* *pp*

Lento.

Largo. (CARLOS) (little by little gets out of the sofa, and at length sits upon it. The others all group about at the back.)

CAR. (dreamily.)

Oh ! where am I ? I dream ! What bliss steals o'er my heart ! How came I here ? Oh,

dol.

yes ! They begg'd I'd not de-part, I'd not depart.—Oh, words de - li - cious ! Oh, hope auspi -

INEZ.

Yes, try a - gain ! Yes, try a - gain !

CARL.

cious ! Oh, words de - li - cious ! Oh, hope auspicious !

Doc.

Come, try a - gain ! Come, try a - gain !

BALTH. In vain I listen ; 'twas but a dream.

(He goes to sofa and sits down on CARLOS. They both start up
with a cry.)

OMENES. A light! A light!

Murder! Police! Assassins!
(ISABELLA, LUCREZIA, PEREZ, SANCHO, POMPOSO and SERVANTS
enter with lights.)

LUC. & Is. *Allegro molto.*

What does it mean? What does it mean? What does it mean? What does it mean? Speak quickly! Answer now! What
NEIGHBORS.

What does it mean? What does it mean? What does it mean? What does it mean?

means this fear - ful

row? Answer! Answer!

BALTH. (seeing CAR.) What! my son!
CAR. (to BALTH.) Ah! my Pa! (embraces BALTH.)

Answer!

Is.

Is. non troppo.

Car.

ALL. LUC. (aside.) CAR. (to Is.)

pa! His name is Se - nor Bal - thazar! Bal-tha - zar! He came..... for her — I still un - to my vows am

LUC. (aside.) CAR. IN. (to CARLOS.)

true. He came..... for her — I still un - to my vows am true. Were you not in the

ALL. IN. CAR. IN.

riv - er toss'd? I vow, we both tho't you were lost! What lost! Were you not in the basket? When? When?

CAR.

IN.

Doc. (*to INEZ.*)

it was thrown. I'd left..... it then. What, left it? We may breathe a-gain! You fool! I said

Vivace.

to you, you know, when you were frighten'd, it was not so.

Is.

Holy peace, Joy and hope Sorrow banish'd, dull care vanish'd, radiant glories o'er us

CAR.

Our bosoms filling, Al-ternate thrilling, Sorrow banish'd, dull care vanish'd, radiant glories o'er us

crowd. Holy peace, Joy and hope Sorrow banished, radiant glories o'er us
 crowd. Our bosoms filling, Al-ter-nate thrilling ! 'Vill care vanished,
fp

crowd. And our sunshine knows no cloud ! And our sunshine knows no
 Hearts beat lightly, Hope smiles brightly ; Hearts beat lightly, Hope smiles brightly.
fp

Lento. CAR.
 cloud ! Hope ev-er smiling When clouds darkest low - er, Sorrow be-
f *pp Lento.*

-guiling, With sunshine's gay dow - er, Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un - to Joy's ro - sy

Is.

IN. Hope ev - er smil - ing When clouds darkest low - er, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sunshine's gay
bow'r. Hope ev - - er smil - ing! Sor - - row be-

dow - er, Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un - to Joy's ro - sy bow'r.
guil - ing, Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un - to Joy's ro - sy bow'r.

Luc.

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shine's gay

Is.

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shine's gay

IN.

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shine's gay

CAR.

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shine's gay

Doc.

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shine's gay

CHORUS.

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shiue's gay

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shine's gay

Hope ever smil - ing When clouds darkest lower, Sor - row be - guil - ing With sun - shine's gay

8va

f

8va

f

dow'r Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un- to Joy's ro - sy bow'r.

dow'r Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un- to Joy's ro - sy bow'r.

dow'r Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un- to Joy's ro - sy bow'r.

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dow'r Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un- to Joy's ro - sy bow'r.

dow'r Now hovers o'er us, Flying be - fore us, Leading the way un- to Joy's ro - sy bow'r.

rit.

f Vivace.

Fine.

DAY DREAMS OF LOVE.

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JULIUS EICHBERG,

ANDANTE.



Day dreams of love, for e'er my heart en - tranc - - ing;

p

Bright wings of hope, a - las, you've sped a - way! Vis - ion of bliss, To

me life's joy en - hanc - ing; Far, far from her, sad long - ing dark - ens my day;

To me re - turn and heal this fond heart's yearn - ing, Pi - ty for me, for
piu agitato.

hopeless is my fate; Come dear - est maid, For thee my soul is burn - ing,

Must I ueds de - spair? Ah! day dreams of love, for - e'er my heart entranc - ing,
rf f rit. p

Day Dreams of Love—3.

Brightnings of hope, how soon you've sped a - way! Vis - ions of bliss, to

trem. cres.

me life' joys en-hanc - ing, A - rise a - new, con - sol - ing an - gels of day!

rit. f p pp

Vis - ions of bliss, to me life's joys en - hanc - ing,..... A - rise a - new, *cres.*

cres.

consol-ing An - gels of day!

f ff cres. dim.

FAVORITE MAZURKA SONG.

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ALLEGRETTO.

The musical score consists of eight staves of music. The top two staves are for the piano, showing bass and treble clef staves with various dynamics like *f* and *p*. The bottom six staves are for the voice, with lyrics provided for each section. The lyrics are:

1. If a lov - er is poor, You may feel quite se - - cure; Then his
 2. On their knees they im - plore, At our feet they a - - dore, And our

sighs and his vows are all hon - est and true. For naught else on
 poor lit - tle hearts are soon moved to be - lieve. So we hear their ap -

earth, Can give proof of their worth, Save af - fec - tion sin - cere, and de -
 - peal, For their an - guish we feel, But they win our com - pas - sion, a -

- vo - tion to you, But let for - tune once smile, And his love is all
 - las! to do - ceive. I have guard - ed my heart Against love's cru - el

dolce.

guile; No more dare you that trust to a word he can say, Though the
 dart; No more to that spot shall his barb find a way, And I

suit may sur - vive, It will sure - ly not thrive— Love nur - tured in
 waru you take heed, Of my words at your need: Love nur - tured in

rich - es will die in a day, If a lov - er is poor, You may

feel quite se - cure; Then his sighs and his vows are all hon - est and

true; For naught else on earth, Can give proof of his worth, Save af -

- fec - tion sin - cere, and de - vo - - tion to you.

Favorite Mazurka Song. 3.