

DENSITY 21.5*

Flute Solo

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$\text{♩} = 72^{**}$

mf *f* *mf* *p* *f* *mf*

f *p* *mf* *p subito*

f *ff* *mf subito* *fff* *f*

ff *p* *f* *p*

ff *p subito* *p*

f *ff* *p subito* *p* *f* *p subito*

(sharply articulated)***

mp *p* *p* *mp* *mp*

* Written in January, 1936, at the request of Georges Barrère for the inauguration of his platinum flute. Revised April, 1946. 21.5 is the density of platinum.

** Always strictly in time—follow metronomic indications.

*** Notes marked + to be played softly, hitting the keys at the same time to produce a percussive effect.

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♩ = 60

mp *p* *mp* *ff* *ff*

♩ = 72

ff *ff*

loco ♩ = 60

ff *p subito* *f* *p*

♩ = 72

f *p* *f* *p* *p* *p*

ff

loco ♩ = 60

ten. *ff*

p *f* *p* *sfp* *sfp* *p* *ff*

p *pp* *cresc. molto* *ff*

ff