

## THE ROBBERS.

*Joanna Baillie.**Allegro con spirito.**Horatio Parker.*

The musical score consists of two staves of music. The top staff is in common time, treble clef, and G major. The bottom staff is in common time, bass clef, and C major. The music is divided into sections by large vertical braces. The first section starts with a dynamic *p* and includes lyrics: "The \*chough and crow to roost are gone, The chough and crow to roost are gone, The". The second section begins with a dynamic *f* followed by a dynamic *p*. It includes lyrics: "The hushed wind walls with fee - ble moan, Like owl sits in the tree, The hushed wind wails, . . . Like owl sits in the tree, The hushed wind wails, Like". The third section begins with a dynamic *pf*. It includes lyrics: "in - fant char - i - ty. The wild fire dan - ces on the in - fant char - i - ty. The wild fire dan - ces on the". The fourth section concludes with a dynamic *f* followed by a dynamic *pp*.

## THE ROBBERS.

87

fen, The red star sheds its ray; Up - rouse ye then, my  
 fen, The red star sheds its ray; Up - rouse ye then, my  
 mer - ry mer - ry men, It is, it is our op'n - ing day, It is our op'n - ing  
 mer - ry mer - ry men, It is, it is our op'n - ing day, It is our op'n - ing  
 day. Both child and nurse are fast a - sleep, And closed is ev - ry  
 day. Both child and nurse are fast a - sleep, And closed is ev - ry

## THE ROBBERS.

The wink-ing ta - pers faint-ly peep high . . .

flow'r.

The wink-ing ta - pers faint-ly peep from my la - dy's

flow'r.

The wink-ing ta - pers peep from my la - dy's

bow'r;

Be - wil - dered hinds with shortened ken

bow'r;

Be - wil - dered hinds with shortened ken

*Sva.....*

shrink in the murk - y way.

Up - rouse ye then, my merry,merry men, It

shrink in the murk - y way.

Up - rouse ye then, my merry,merry men, It

is, it is our op'n-ing day, it is our op'n-ing day. Nor  
 is, it is our op'n-ing day, it is our op'n-ing day. Nor  
  
 board nor gar - ner own we now, Nor roof nor latch - ed door,  
 board nor gar - ner own we now, Nor roof nor latch - ed door,  
  
 kind mate bound by ho - ly  
 Nor kind mate bound by vow to bless a good man's store. Noon  
 Nor kind mate bound to bless a good man's store. Noon

## THE ROBBERS.

lulls us in a gloom - y den, And night is grown our  
 lulls us in a gloom - y den, And night is grown our

*ff*  
 day; Up - - rouse ye then, my mer - ry, mer - ry men, It  
 day; Up - - rouse ye then, my mer - ry, mer - ry men, It  
*8va.*

*ff*  
 is, it is our op'n-ing day, . . . it is our op'n-ing day! . . .

is, it is our op'n-ing day, . . . it is our op'n-ing day!