

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

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*The
Splendor
of
Christmas*

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Instrumentation:

1 - Conductor
7 - Flute (*Piccolo*)
2 - Oboe
4 - B $\flat$ Clarinet 1
4 - B $\flat$ Clarinet 2
4 - B $\flat$ Clarinet 3
1 - E $\flat$ Alto Clarinet
2 - B $\flat$ Bass Clarinet
2 - Bassoon
2 - E $\flat$ Alto Saxophone 1
2 - E $\flat$ Alto Saxophone 2
2 - B $\flat$ Tenor Saxophone
1 - E $\flat$ Baritone Saxophone
2 - B $\flat$ Trumpet 1
2 - B $\flat$ Trumpet 2
2 - B $\flat$ Trumpet 3
2 - F Horn 1
2 - F Horn 2
2 - Trombone 1
2 - Trombone 2
2 - Trombone 3
2 - Euphonium B.C.
2 - B $\flat$ Euphonium T.C.
4 - Tuba
1 - Double Bass
2 - Mallet Percussion
1 - Timpani
1 - Percussion 1
2 - Percussion 2



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ABOUT THE COMPOSER

James Hosay is a native of Nashville, Tennessee, but has spent most of his life in his adopted state of Virginia. Growing up in Norfolk, he began arranging for his school band at age 13. He eventually wrote his first original composition two years later.

After graduating from high school, Hosay joined the military as a trumpet player, and attended the US Armed Forces School of Music. After graduation, he served as a music copyist for the US Army Band. During this time he developed his composition and orchestration skills by studying the techniques used by top quality arrangers.

In 1991, after competing against a large field of civilian and military writers, Hosay obtained his current position of Arranger/Composer for the US Army Band (Pershing's Own), in Washington, DC. Since that time he has become successful as a published composer. He currently resides in Reston, Virginia, where in the Spring of 1995 he began writing music for concert band and brass band exclusively for CURNOW MUSIC PRESS.

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PROGRAM NOTE:

Throughout the ages, the Celts have provided the world with a beautiful and unique musical tradition. Whether it is a traditional song of Celtic origin, or a song from another land adapted to the Celtic style, it is a sound that warms the heart and ignites the senses. This is especially true of Christmas music. A CELTIC CHRISTMAS is a festive holiday Rhapsody of popular European Christmas carols in traditional Celtic settings.

NOTE TO THE CONDUCTOR:

In the introduction, the percussion should begin as soft as possible and gradually crescendo, as if they are off in the distance, getting closer and closer. Beginning at measure 9, make sure to pay attention to articulation markings. At measure 57, the melody line in clarinet and bassoon solos should be played with a slight separation between the notes, similar to a violin bouncing the bow off of the strings. The other parts that play the melody at measure 60 should copy this style. The section between measure 68 and 84 is heavily cross-cued to give the option of a lightly scored Chamber Music sound, or a heavier scored ensemble sound. There should be no change in tempo when the meter changes from 6/8 to 2/4. In measures 85-91, dynamic markings are very important, particularly the *sfp* markings. At measure 119, where the meter changes to 3/4, the tempo remains the same. Proper phrasing and breath control are important here. Measures 154-161 should be just like the introduction. Beginning at measure 162, a very precise, pulse-like tempo must be maintained. Notice the sudden changes in style that occur between measures 170 and 184. The section beginning at measure 184 attempts to simulate the sound of a Bagpipe Band. Encouraging the band to play slightly out of tune can enhance this effect. From measure 204 to the end of the piece, balance is very important, as several different melodies are interwoven throughout the ensemble. In measures 244 and 245, make sure the dotted half notes with grace notes in front of them (clarinet 2&3, alto saxophones, and trombones 1&2) are prominently heard.

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CONDUCTOR

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Bright and festive (♩ = 96)

Flute (Picc.)

Oboe

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2, 3

E♭ Alto Clarinet

B♭ Bass Clarinet

Bassoon

E♭ Alto Saxophone 1, 2

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

E♭ Baritone Saxophone

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Bright and festive (♩ = 96)

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2

B♭ Trumpet 3

F Horn 1

F Horn 2

Trombone 1, 2

Trombone 3

Euphonium B.C.

Tuba

Double Bass

Chimes

Mallet Percussion

Bells

Chimes

pp

Bells - Brass mallets

Medium mallets

poco a poco cresc.

Timpani (4)

F, A♭, B♭, E♭

pp

poco a poco cresc.

Snare Drum Rim

Percussion 1

Snare Drum

pp

poco a poco cresc.

Triangle

Percussion 2

Triangle

Crash Cymbals

Sleigh Bells

pp

poco a poco cresc.

8 9 10 11 12 13 14

+ Picc.

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barit. Sax.

8 9 10 11 12 13 14

St. mute

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

On Drumhead

15 16 17 18 19 20 21

Fl. (Picc.)
Oboe
Clar. 1
Clar. 2, 3
Alto Clar.
Bass Clar.
Bsn.
Alto Sax. 1, 2
Tenor Sax.
Bar. Sax.
Tpt. 1
Tpt. 2
Tpt. 3
F. Hrn. 1
F. Hrn. 2
Tbn. 1, 2
Tbn. 3
Euph. B.C.
Tuba
Double Bs.
Mallet Perc.
Timp.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2

This musical score page contains measures 15 through 21. The instruments listed on the left are: Fl. (Picc.), Oboe, Clar. 1, Clar. 2, 3, Alto Clar., Bass Clar., Bsn., Alto Sax. 1, 2, Tenor Sax., Bar. Sax., Tpt. 1, Tpt. 2, Tpt. 3, F. Hrn. 1, F. Hrn. 2, Tbn. 1, 2, Tbn. 3, Euph. B.C., Tuba, Double Bs., Mallet Perc., Timp., Perc. 1, and Perc. 2. The score is written in a grand staff format with multiple staves for each instrument. Measures 15-18 show a complex texture with many instruments playing. Measures 19-21 show a reduction in the number of active instruments, with some instruments like the Tuba and Double Basses having long rests. The percussion section (Perc. 1, Perc. 2, Timp.) continues to play throughout the measures.

22 23 24 25 26 27 28

Fl. (Pica.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

22 23 24 25 26 27 28

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Temp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

29

30

31

32

33

34

35

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barit. Sax.

29

30

31

32

33

34

35

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

36

37

38

39

40

41

42

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

This page of a musical score is for a large orchestra. It contains staves for the following instruments: Fl. (Picc.), Oboe, Clar. 1, Clar. 2, 3, Alto Clar., Bass Clar., Bsn., Alto Sax. 1, 2, Tenor Sax., Baril. Sax., Tpt. 1, Tpt. 2, Tpt. 3, F Hrn. 1, F Hrn. 2, Tbn. 1, 2, Tbn. 3, Euph. B.C., Tuba, Double Bs., Mallet Perc., Timp., Perc. 1, and Perc. 2. The score is written in 4/4 time and includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and dynamic markings like *ff*, *sf*, and *cresc.*. The page is numbered 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, and 49 at the top. There are also some performance instructions like "Change A1 to B1, B1 to C, E1 to D" and "Bass Clar. One" written in the score.

50

51

52 "I Saw Three Ships" 53

54

55

56

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barl. Sax.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Solo

mf

Solo

mf

Bsn. Solo

mf

50

51

52

53

54

55

56

57

58

59

60

61

62

63

- Picc.

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

All

div.

mf

All

mf

Play

mf

Oboe

St. mute

mf

Play

All

mf

All

71

72

73

74

75

76

77

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barl. Sax.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

[illegible]

85 Moderato (♩ = 84) 86

87

88

89

90 - Picc.
Solo

91

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

85 Moderato (♩ = 84) 86

87

88

89

90

91

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Oboe Solo (St. Mute)

92

93

94

95

96

97

98

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barl. Sax.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

*dim.**pp**mp**Play**dim.**p**mp**Play**dim.**p**mp**Play**dim.**p**mp**Play**dim.**p*

92

93

94

95

96

97

98

*div.**mp**dim.**p**div.**mp**dim.**p**mp**dim.**p**mp**dim.**p*

Snare Drum - Snare off

Triangle

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

"God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen"

99 100 101 102 103 104 105

Fl. (Picc.) *Picc. Solo (or Flute)* *mp*

Oboe *Solo* *mp*

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

99 100 101 102 103 104 105

Tpt. 1 *Oboe Solo (St. Mute)* *mp*

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Trmp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

This musical score is for the hymn "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen". It is arranged for a large ensemble, including woodwinds, brass, and percussion. The score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The woodwind section includes Flute (Piccolo), Oboe, Clarinets 1, 2, and 3, Alto Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, Bassoon, Alto Saxophones 1 and 2, Tenor Saxophone, and Baritone Saxophone. The brass section includes Trumpets 1, 2, and 3, French Horns 1 and 2, Trombones 1, 2, and 3, Euphonium/Bass Clarinet, Tuba, and Double Bass. The percussion section includes Mallet Percussion, Tom-tom, and two other Percussion parts. The score features a Piccolo Solo for the Flute and an Oboe Solo for the Oboe, both marked *mp* (mezzo-piano). The Oboe Solo is specifically marked "St. Mute". The score is divided into measures 99 through 105, with a box highlighting measure 100. The music is characterized by a steady, rhythmic melody in the woodwinds and brass, with a simple, rhythmic accompaniment in the percussion.

106 107 108 109 110 111 112

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

F Hn. 1 Solo

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

106 107 108 109 110 111 112

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hn. 1

F Hn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Solo

mp

Play One stand only

mp

Solo

mp

113 114 115 116 117 118 119

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

113 114 115 116 117 118 119

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

All div

Change Bb to Ab, C to Bb, D to Eb

126

22

	127	128	129	130	131	132	133
Fl. (Picc.)							
Oboe							
Clar. 1							
Clar. 2, 3							
Alto Clar.							
Bass Clar.							
Bsn.							
Alto Sax. 1, 2							
Tenor Sax.							
Bari. Sax.							
	127	128	129	130	131	132	133
Tpt. 1							
Tpt. 2							
Tpt. 3							
F Hrn. 1							
F Hrn. 2							
Tbn. 1, 2							
Tbn. 3							
Euph. B.C.							
Tuba							
Double Bs.							
Mallet Perc.							
Timp.							
Perc. 1							
Perc. 2							

137

24

141 142 143 144 145 146 147

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

141 142 143 144 145 146 147

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

148 149 150 151 152 Tempo I (♩ = 96) 153 154

Fl. (Picc.) *dim.* *p*

Oboe *dim.* *p*

Clar. 1 *dim.* *p*

Clar. 2, 3 *dim.* *p dim.*

Alto Clar. *dim.* *p dim.*

Bass Clar. *dim.* *p dim.*

Bsn. *dim.* *p dim.*

Alto Sax. 1, 2 *dim.* *p dim.*

Tenor Sax. *dim.* *p*

Bari. Sax. *dim.* *p*

148 149 150 151 152 Tempo I (♩ = 96) 153 154

Tpt. 1 *dim.* *p*

Tpt. 2 *dim.* *p*

Tpt. 3 *dim.* *mp*

F Hrn. 1 *dim.* *p*

F Hrn. 2 *dim.* *p*

Tbn. 1, 2 *dim.* *p dim.*

Tbn. 3 *dim.* *p dim.*

Euph. B.C. *dim.* *p*

Tuba *dim.* *p*

Double Bs. *dim.* *p*

Mallet Perc. Chimes *pp*

Timp. Bells-Brass mallets *pp*

Perc. 1 Snare on Rim *pp*

Perc. 2 Triangle *pp*

Sleigh Bells *pp*

155

156

157

158

159

160

161

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

155

156

157

158

159

160

161

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

*pp**pp**pp**pp**pp**pp**pp**poco a poco cresc.**poco a poco cresc.**poco a poco cresc.**poco a poco cresc.*

162

163

164

165

166

167

168

162

169

170

171

172

173

174

175

(♩ = ♩)

Fl. (Picc.) *mf*

Oboe *mf*

Clar. 1 *mf*

Clar. 2, 3 *mf*

Alto Clar. *mf*

Bass Clar. *mf*

Bsn. *f* *mf*

Alto Sax. 1, 2 *f* *mf*

Tenor Sax. *f* *mf*

Bari. Sax. *f* *mf*

Tpt. 1 *mf*

Tpt. 2 *mf*

Tpt. 3 *mf*

F Hrn. 1 *f* *mf*

F Hrn. 2 *f* *mf*

Tbn. 1, 2 *f* *mf* *Play*

Tbn. 3 *f* *mf*

Euph. B.C. *f* *mf*

Tuba *f* *mf*

Double Bs. *f* *mf*

Mallet Perc. *f* *mf*

Timp. *f* *mf*

Perc. 1 *f* *mf*

Perc. 2 *f* *mf*

176 177 178 179 180 181 182

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

176 177 178 179 180 181 182

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Solo

- Picc.

mf

mf

Change C to Bb

183 185 186 187 188 "He Is Born" 189

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barl. Sax.

183 184 185 186 187 188 189

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

190 191 192 193 194 195 196

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

190 191 192 193 194 195 196

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Temp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

197

198

199

200

201

202

203

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari. Sax.

197

198

199

200

201

202

203

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Open

Open

Open

Open

+Bent

204 205 206 207 208 209 210

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barl. Sax.

204 *All* 205 206 207 208 209 210

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Head Rim Head Rim *slm.*

211 212 213 214 215 216 217

Fl. (Picc.) *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Oboe *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Clar. 1 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Clar. 2, 3 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Alto Clar. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Bass Clar. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Bsn. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Alto Sax. 1, 2 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Tenor Sax. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Bari Sax. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Tpt. 1 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Tpt. 2 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Tpt. 3 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

F Hrn. 1 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

F Hrn. 2 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Tbn. 1, 2 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Tbn. 3 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Euph. B.C. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Tuba *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Double Bs. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Mallet Perc. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Change Eb to C

Timp. *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Perc. 1 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Perc. 2 *sfz* *cresc.* *ff*

Crash Cym.

218 219 220 221 222 223 224

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barl. Sax.

218 219 220 221 222 223 224

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

div.

225 226 227 228 229 230 231 232

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barl. Sax.

225 226 227 228 229 230 231 232

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Both

233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Barit. Sax.

233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

241

242

243

244

245

246

247

Fl. (Picc.) *f* *cresc.* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

Oboe *f* *cresc.* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

Clar. 1 *f* *cresc.* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

Clar. 2, 3 *f* *cresc.* *sf* *div.* *ff* *a2*

Alto Clar. *f* *ff*

Bass Clar. *f* *ff*

Bsn. *f* *ff*

Alto Sax. 1, 2 *f* *ff*

Tenor Sax. *f* *ff*

Bari. Sax. *f* *ff*

Tpt. 1 *f* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

Tpt. 2 *f* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

Tpt. 3 *f* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

F Hrn. 1 *f* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

F Hrn. 2 *f* *sf* *cresc.* *ff*

Tbn. 1, 2 *f* *sf* *cresc.* *ff* *a2*

Tbn. 3 *f* *ff*

Euph. B.C. *f* *ff*

Tuba *f* *ff*

Double Bs. *f* *ff*

Mallet Perc. *f* *ff* *Boh* *Dampen*

Timp. *f* *ff* *Dampen*

Perc. 1 *f* *mf* *cresc.* *ff* *Dampen*

Perc. 2 *f* *Triangle* *sf* *pp* *cresc.* *ff* *Dampen*

Crash Cym. *ff* *cresc.* *ff*

233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240

Fl. (Picc.)

Oboe

Clar. 1

Clar. 2, 3

Alto Clar.

Bass Clar.

Bsn.

Alto Sax. 1, 2

Tenor Sax.

Bari Sax.

233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

F Hrn. 1

F Hrn. 2

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Double Bs.

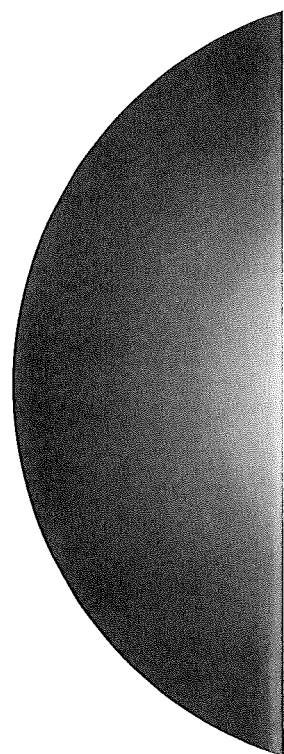
Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

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FLUTE, (PICC.)

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive 9 + Picc.

f

ff

mf

dim.

pp

cresc.

Poco rit.

Moderato

Solo

- Picc.

8 9 25 33 41 52 60 68 85 92

4 2 2 2 3 7 15 2 5 4

(♩ = ♩)

Picc. Solo
(or Flute)

100

mp

108

121

Flute Solo

mf

All
+ Picc.

137

152

Tempo I

dim.

8

162

7

- Picc.

p

mf

174

(♩ = ♩)

2

3

FLUTE, (PICC.)

184

(♩ = ♩.)

- Picc.

2

+ Picc.

mf

f

204

sfp

cresc.

215

ff

div.

223

237

tr.

f

cresc.

sfp

cresc.

ff

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive 9

8 *f*

25 4

33 2 *cresc.* 2

41 *ff*

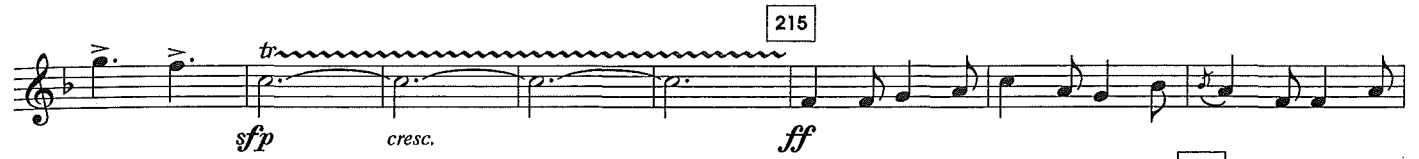
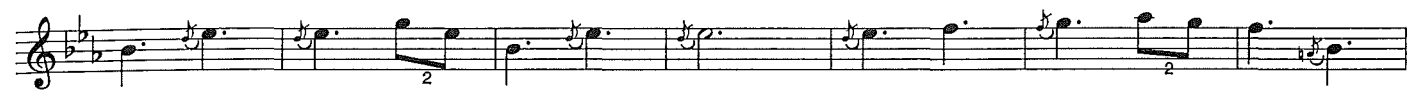
52 3 7 60 *mf*

68 (♩ = ♩) 15

Poco rit. 85 *Moderato* 3 *Solo* 92 7 *Solo* 100 *mp*

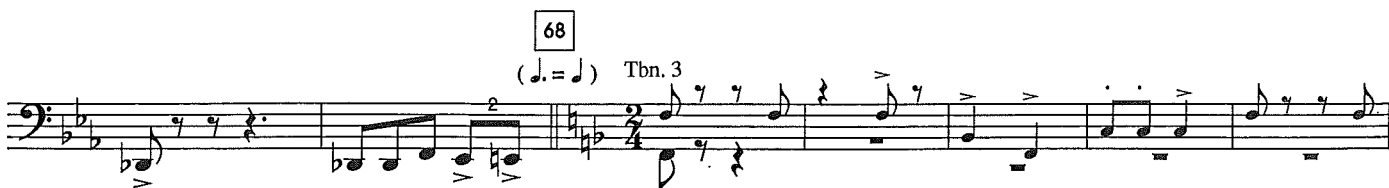
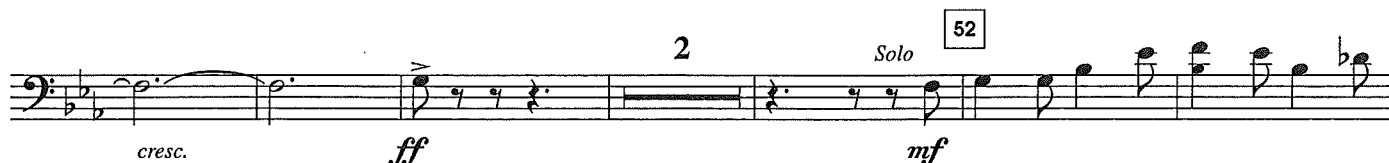
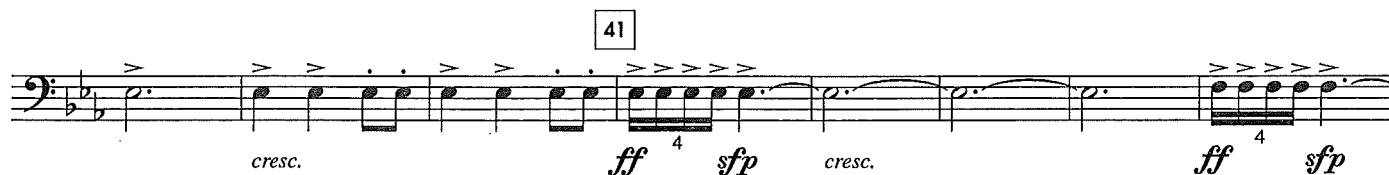
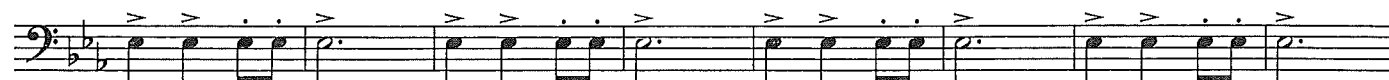
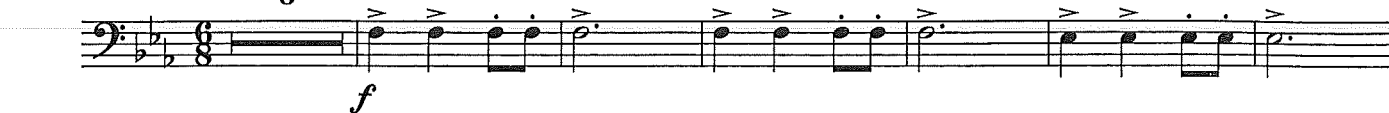
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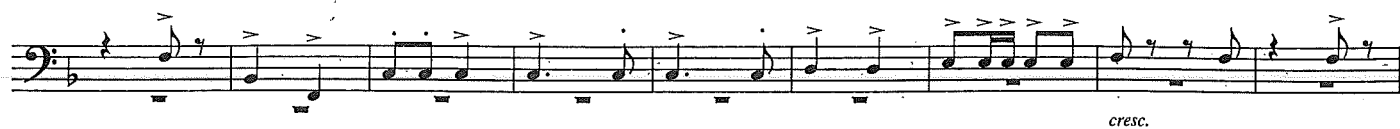
121 15 *All* 137 *mf*



A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive
8 9



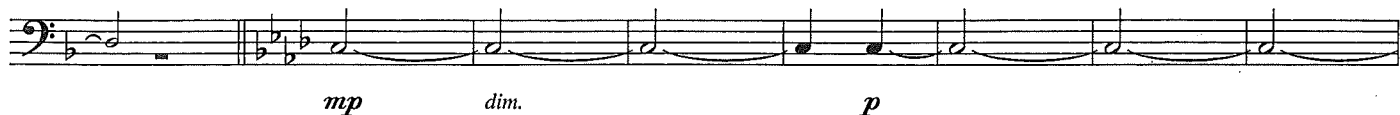
Poco rit.

85 Moderato

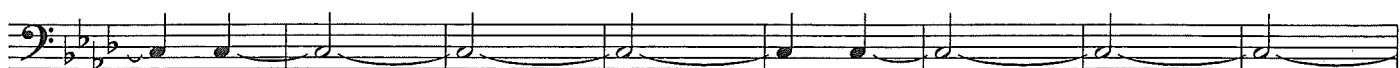


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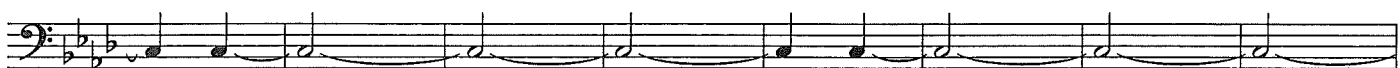
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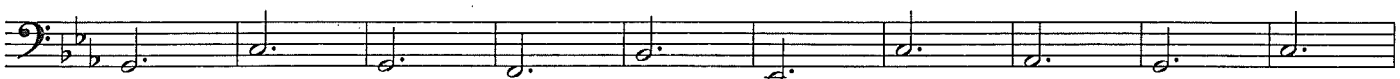
100



108



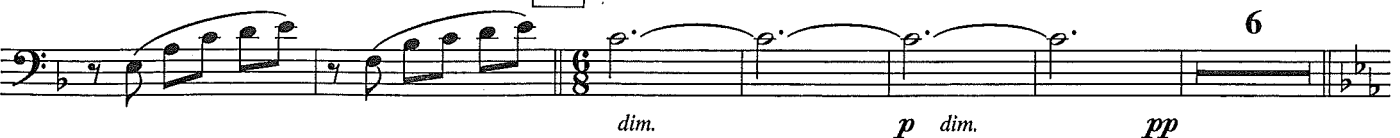
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137



152 Tempo I



BASSOON

162



174



(♩ = ♩)



184



204



215



223



237



B $\flat$ CLARINET 1

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8

9

f

25

33

4

2

2

cresc.

41

2

2

ff

52

2

Solo

mf

60

All

68

(*J. = J.*)

15

2

Poco rit.

85 Moderato Solo *mf* *p* 2 92 8 100 7

Solo 108 *mp*

121 All div. *mf* *mp*

137 a2 *mf*

152 Tempo I *dim.* *p*

8 162 7 *mf* (♩. = ♩.)

174

B $\flat$ CLARINET 1

184

(♩ = ♩.)

2

f

204

215

sfp

cresc.

ff

223

237

tr

f

cresc.

sfp

cresc.

ff

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive 9

8 *f*

25

33 4 2

41 *cresc.* *ff*

52 3 8

60 *mf*

68 (♩ = ♩) *mf* Tbn. 1

Poco rit. 85 Moderato

cresc. *f* *sfz*

92 8 *sfz*

100 7 Play One stand only 108

mp

All

121

mf *mp*

137

mf

152 Tempo I

dim.

4 162

p dim. pp

f

dim. mf

f mf

174

B $\flat$ CLARINET 2

184
(♩ = ♩.)

cresc.

f

204

tr.

sf *cresc.* *ff*

215

223

237

f *cresc.*

ff

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8

9

f

25

33

4

2

41

*cresc.**ff*

52

8

60

mf

68

(J. = J.)

Tbn. 1, 2

*mf**Poco rit.*

85 Moderato

*cresc.**f*92 *sf*

8

*sf**sf*

100 7 Play One stand only 108 *mp*

All

121 *mf* *mp*

137 *mf*

152 *Tempo I* *dim.*

4 162 *p* *dim.* *pp* *f*

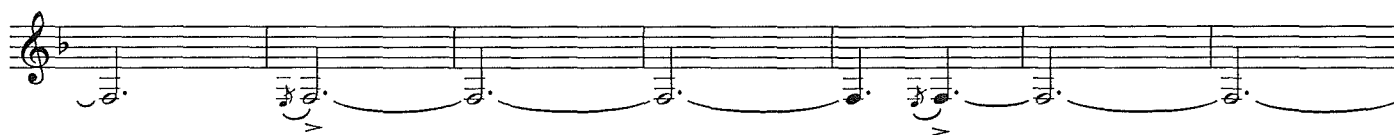
dim. *mf*

f *mf* 2 (♩. = ♩.)

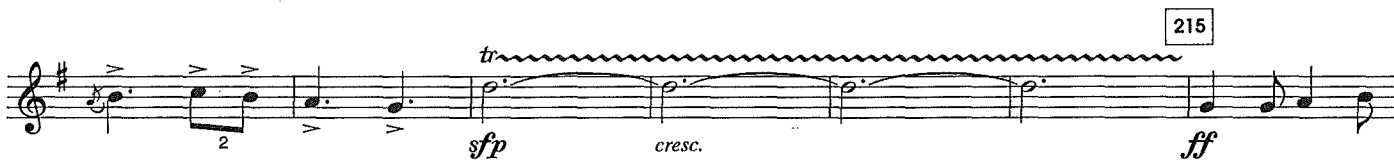
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B♭ CLARINET 3

184
(♩ = ♩.)



204



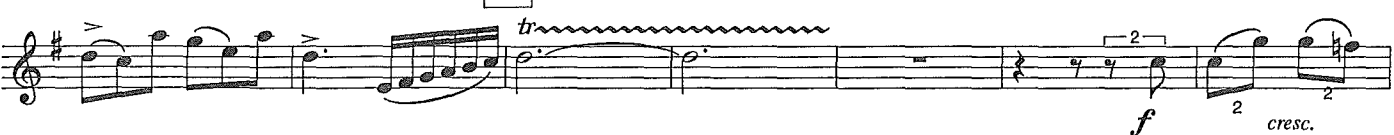
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223



237



A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8

9



25



33



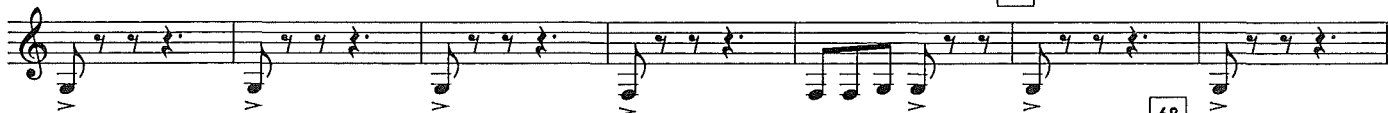
41



52



60



68

(♩ = ♩)



14

Poco rit.

2

85

Moderato

7

92



100



108



121 15 137
cresc. *mf*

152 Tempo I

6 162
f

3 174
dim. *mf* *f*

3 184
mf *f* *cresc.*

f

204 7 215 223
sf *f* *ff*

ff

237

sf *cresc.*

f *ff*

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8

9

9

25

33

41

4

cresc.

ff

sfp

cresc.

4

ff

sfp

cresc.

ff

mf

52

60

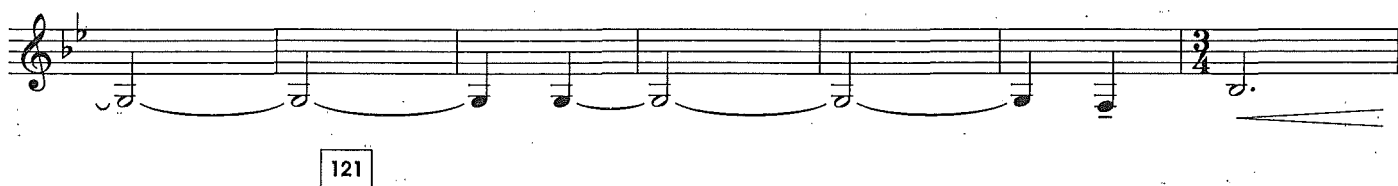
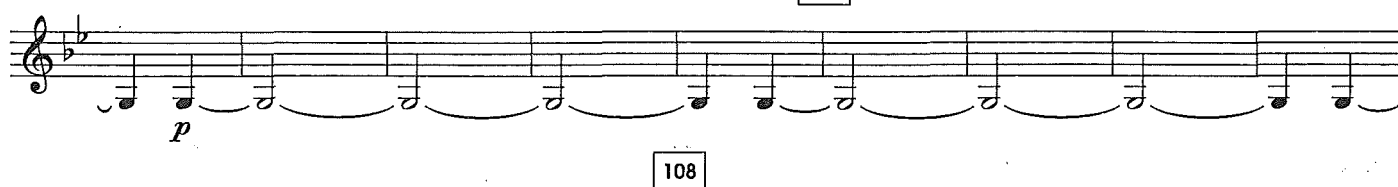
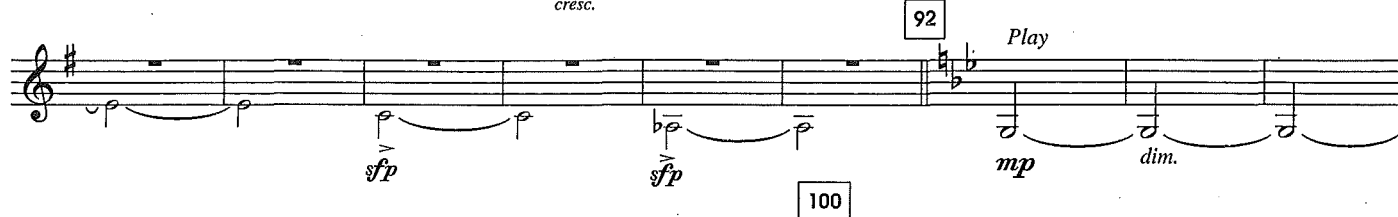
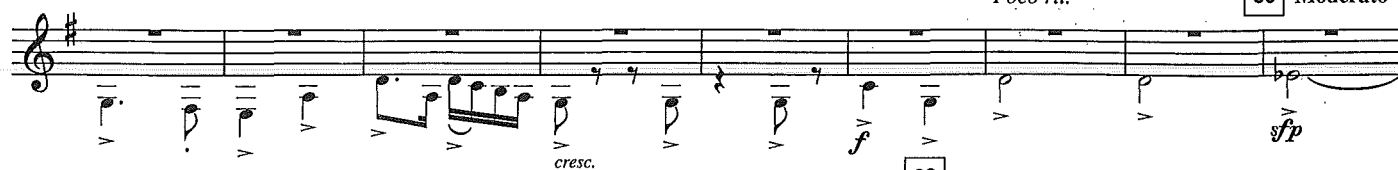
($\text{♩} = \text{♩}$)

68

Tuba

Poco rit.

85 Moderato



152 Tempo I



B $\flat$ BASS CLARINET

162



(♩ = ♩)

174



184

(♩ = ♩)



204



215



sfz *f* *ff*



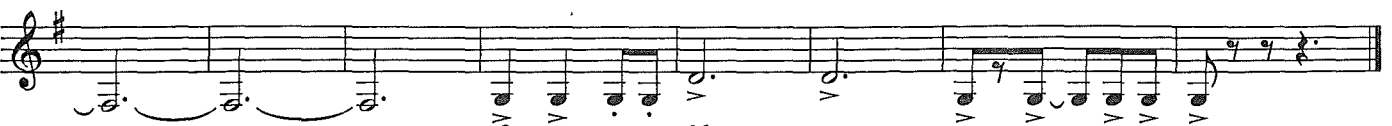
223



237



sfz



cresc.

f *ff*

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

9

8

f

25

2

33

4

41

2

*cresc.**ff*

3

52

7

*fp**ff*

60

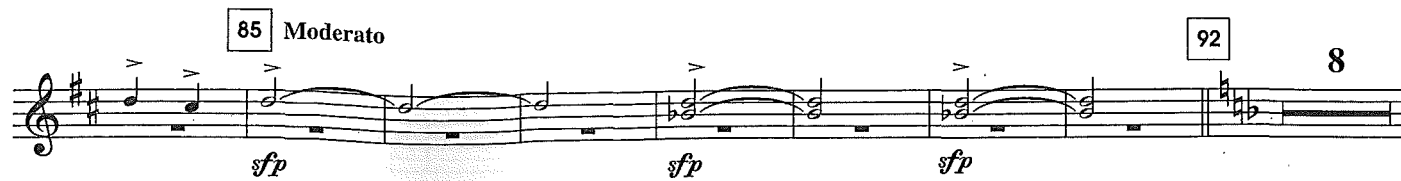
mf

68

(♩. = ♩.)

F Hn. 1

mf



Poco rit.
cresc. *f*

85 Moderato *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* 92 8

100 7 108 F Hn. 1 Solo *mp*

mf *mp*

121 15 Play 137 *mf*

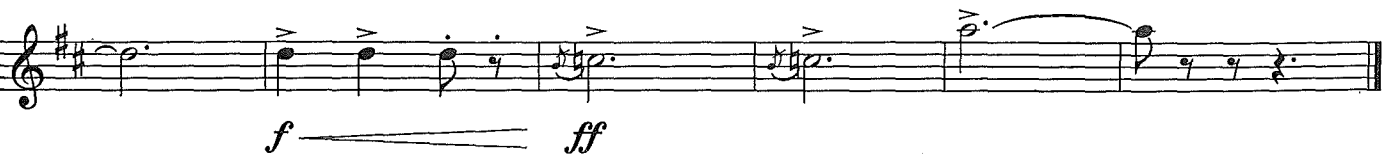
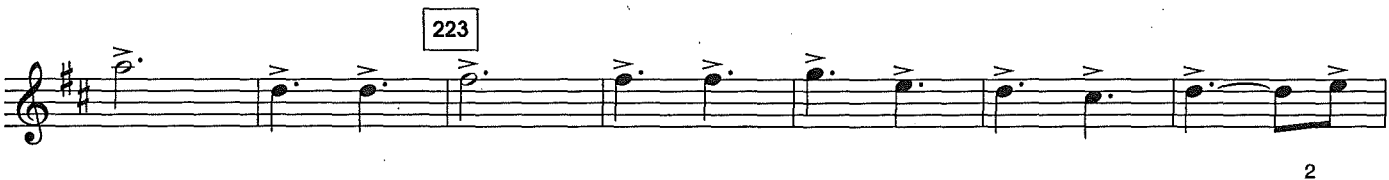
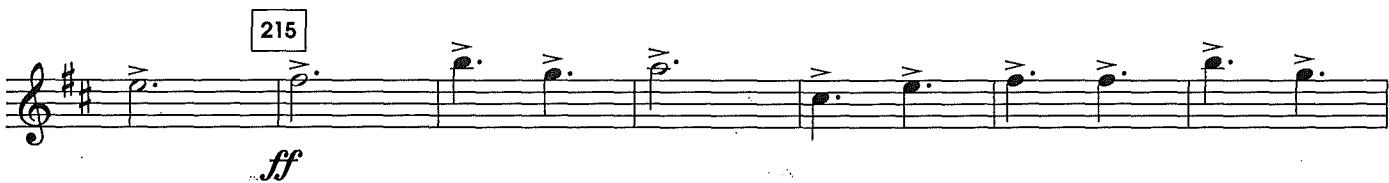
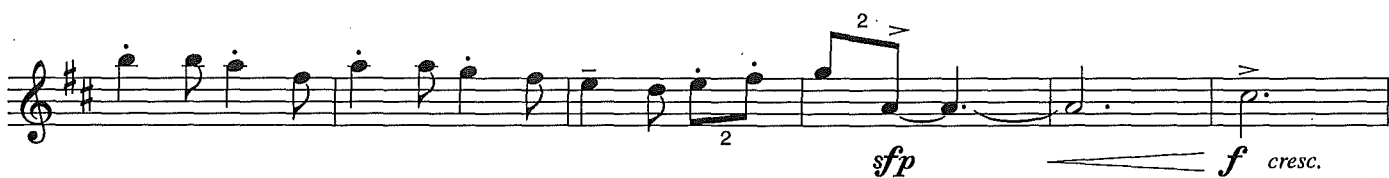
152 Tempo I *dim.* *p* *dim.*

6 162 4 *pp* *mf*

(♩. = ♩) 2

174 6 184 4

E♭ ALTO SAXOPHONE 1



A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

9

8

f

25

2

33

4

2

2

2

41

2

cresc.

ff

52

3

7

sfz

ff

60

mf

68

(♩ = ♩)

F Hn. 1

mf

Poco rit.
cresc. *f*

85 Moderato *fp* *fp* *fp* 92 8

100 7 108 F Hn. I Solo *mp*

mf *mp*

121 15 *Play* 137 *mf*

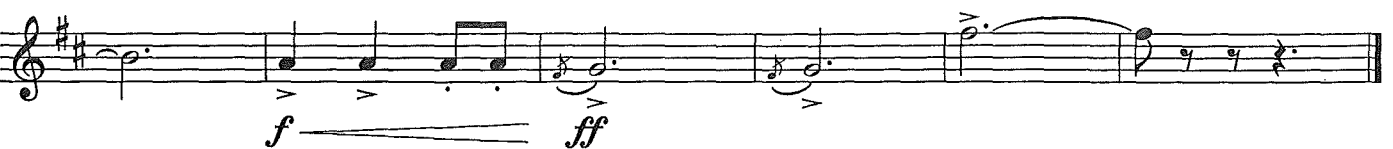
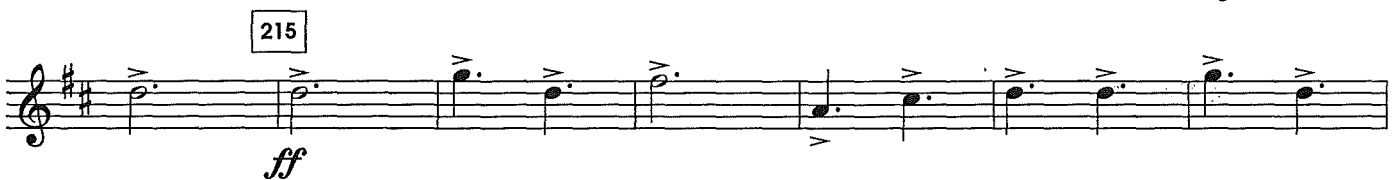
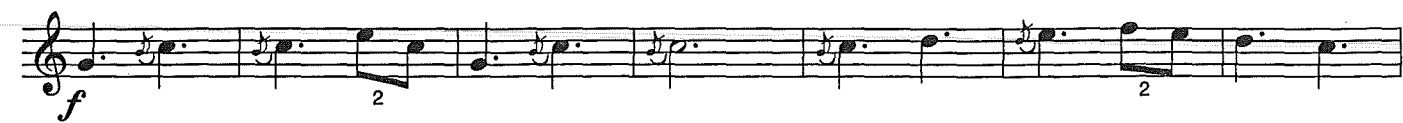
152 Tempo I 10

162 4 *mf*

(♩. = ♩) 2

174 6 184 4

E♭ ALTO SAXOPHONE 2



A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8

9

f

25

33

41

*cresc.**ff*

4

*sfp**cresc.**ff**sfp**ff*

Bsn.

Solo

52

mf

2

60

Play

mf

68

(♩ = ♩)

Euph.

*mf**Poco rit.*

85

Moderato

cresc.

92

8

100

8

108

11

*sfp**sfp**sfp*

Musical score for "The Rose Tree" in 3/4 time, key of B-flat major. The score is written for a single melodic line on a treble clef staff. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 3/4 time signature. The tempo is marked "Allegretto". The score is divided into three measures, each with a measure number in a box: 121, 137, and 16. The first measure (121) contains a whole note chord of B-flat and D. The second measure (137) contains a whole note chord of B-flat and D. The third measure (16) contains a whole note chord of B-flat and D. The score ends with a double bar line.

The first system of the musical score for 'The Bird Song' is written on a single five-line staff. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody consists of a series of eighth and sixteenth notes, with several measures containing beamed pairs of notes. A large, sweeping slur covers the first five measures, indicating a continuous melodic line. The notation is clean and typical of early 20th-century educational music books.

The first system of the musical score is written on a single staff. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The tempo/mood is indicated as 'cresc.' (crescendo). The music consists of a series of eighth notes, mostly beamed in pairs. There are three measures of rests, each marked with a 'V' above the staff. The first measure of rest is followed by a measure with a 'V' and a 'f' (forte) dynamic marking. The second measure of rest is followed by a measure with a 'V' and a 'f' dynamic marking. The third measure of rest is followed by a measure with a 'V' and a 'f' dynamic marking. The system ends with a double bar line.

The first system of the musical score for 'The Rose Tree' is written on a single staff. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of a series of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some notes beamed together. There are two measures where the melody is marked with a 'v' and a fermata, indicating a vocal entry or a specific performance instruction. The system ends with a double bar line.

204

204

215

223

237

sf

The first system of the musical score for 'The Song of the Lark' is written on a single staff. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The tempo is marked 'Cresc.' (Crescendo). The music starts with a half note G4, followed by a half note A4, and then a half note B4. A slur covers the next four notes: a half note C5, a half note D5, a half note E5, and a half note F#5. This is followed by a half note G5, a half note A5, and a half note B5. A dynamic marking of *f* (forte) is placed above the staff. The music continues with a half note C6, a half note D6, a half note E6, and a half note F#6. A dynamic marking of *ff* (fortissimo) is placed above the staff. The system ends with a half note G6, a half note A6, and a half note B6.

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8

9

8 9

25

33

41

4

cresc. *ff* *sfp* *cresc.*

4

ff *sfp* *cresc.* *ff* *mf*

52

60

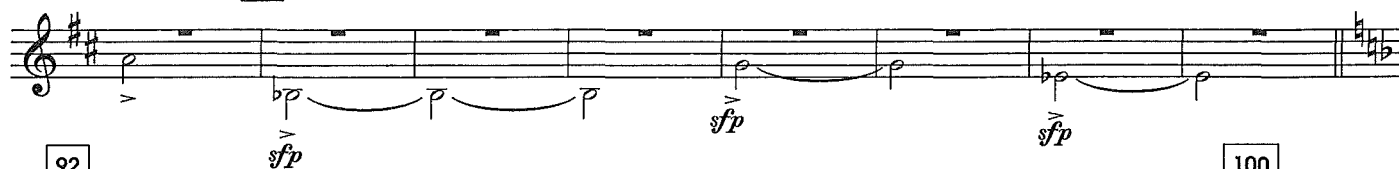
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68

Tuba

*Poco rit.*

85 Moderato

cresc.

92

Play



100

108



121

14

137



152 Tempo I

8

162



E♭ BARITONE SAXOPHONE

174 (♩. = ♩.) 6

mf

184

mf *cresc.* *f*

204

215

sf *f* *ff*

223

237

sf *cresc.*

f *ff*

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8 9 St. mute

f

25 33

4

Open 4 41

ff 4 *sfp* *cresc.* *ff* 4 *sfp* *cresc.*

3 52 7

Oboe 60 St. mute

ff *mf*

68 68 Open (♩ = ♩) Play

mf

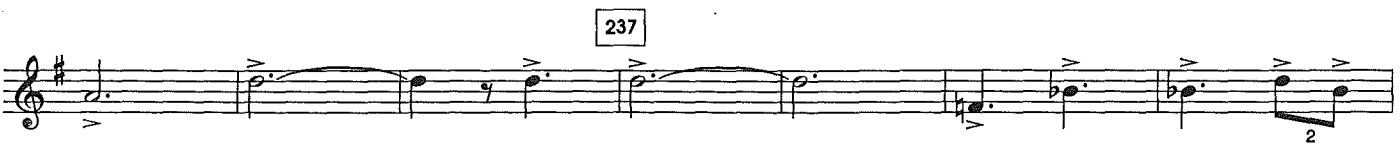
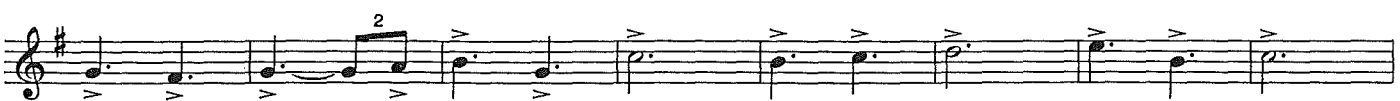
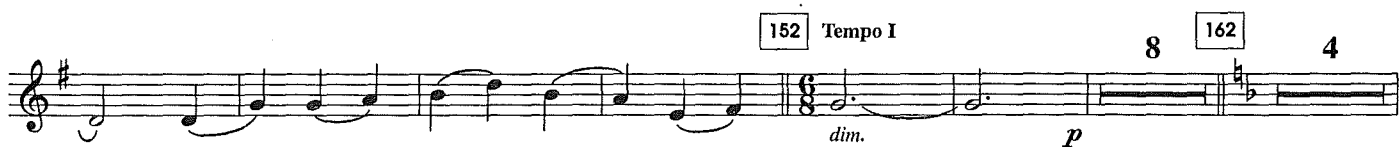
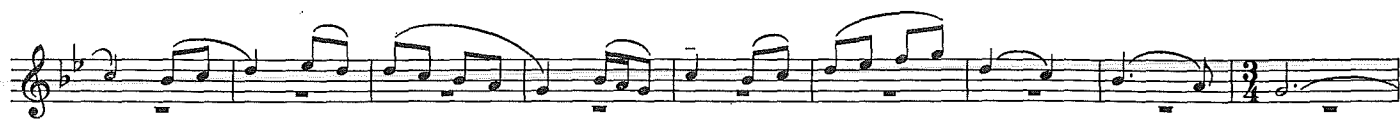
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cresc. *f*

Oboe Solo (St. Mute) 92 7 100 Oboe Solo (St. Mute)

mf *p* *mp*

108



A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

9

8

4 25 3

33 4 2 2 2 cresc. 41 ff 4 sfz cresc. 3 52 8 60 8

68 14 ff 4 sfz cresc. 85 Moderato 6 92 8 100 8

108 11 2 121 15 137 mf

152 Tempo I dim.

8 162 p f dim.

174

4

mf *mf*

184

6 4 St. mute

f

2

2

Open

204

3

sfp cresc.

215

f cresc. *ff*

223

2

237

2

sfp cresc. *ff*

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8 9

4 25 3

33 4 2 2 2 41 4

cresc. ff sfp

cresc. ff 4 sfp cresc. ff 3

52 8 60 8 68 14 Poco rit. 85 Moderato 6

92 8 100 8 108 11 2 121 16 137 Tbn. 1

mf

152 Tempo I 8 162 Play

dim. mp f

dim. mf

4 174

f *mf*

6 184 4 St. mute 2

f

2

204 Open 3

sf *f*

215

sf *f*

223

ff

2

237

sf *cresc.* *ff*

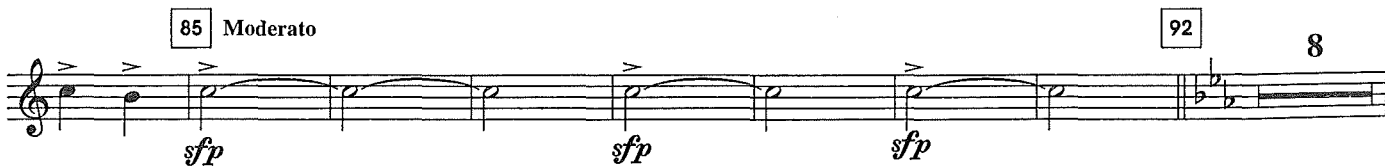
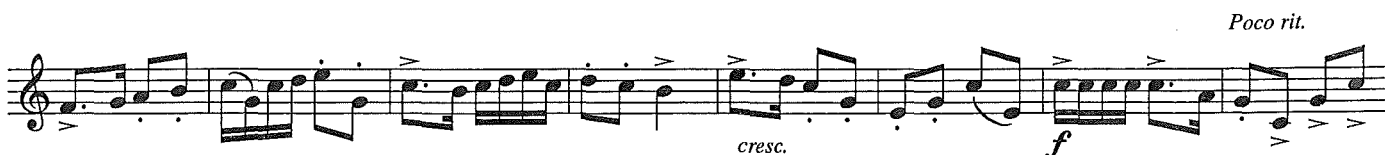
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8

9

f

121 16 137 *Non-solo*
mf

152 *Tempo I*
dim. *p*

8 162 4
mf

174
(♩ = ♩)
2

184
(♩ = ♩)

18 204
f

215
2 *sfp cresc.* *f cresc.* *ff*

223

2

237
sfp

cresc. *sfp* *cresc.* *ff*

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8

9

4 25 3

33 4 2 2 2 41 2

52 8

60 8 68 14 85 Moderato 2

92 8 100 8 108 11 2 121 16

137

f

cresc.

ff

sfz *ff*

Poco rit.

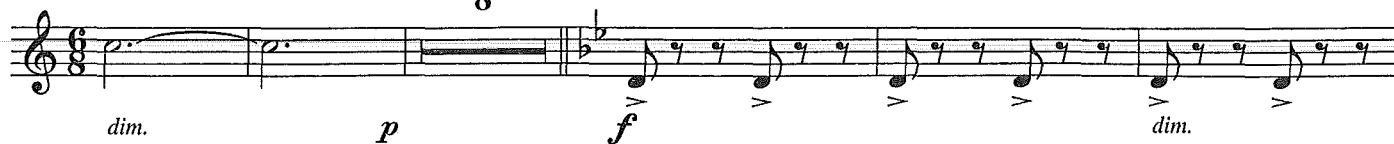
Moderato

mf

152 Tempo I

8

162



174

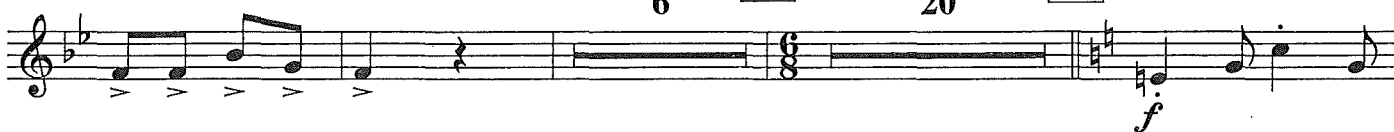


6

184

20

204



215



223



237



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Bright and festive

8

9

f

cresc.

ff *sfz* *ff*

mf

cresc. *f*

Poco rit.

85 Moderato *8*

sfz *sfz* *sfz*

100 7 *Solo* *108* *mp*

mf *>* *mp*

121

16

137

Non-solo

mf

152

Tempo I

*dim.**p*

8

162

4

mf

174

2 (♩ = ♩)

184

(♩ = ♩)

18

204

f

215

*sfp cresc.**f cresc.**ff*

223

237

*sfp**cresc.**sfp**cresc.**ff*

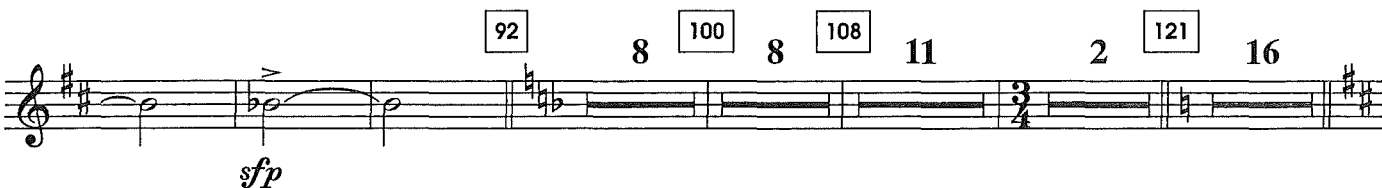
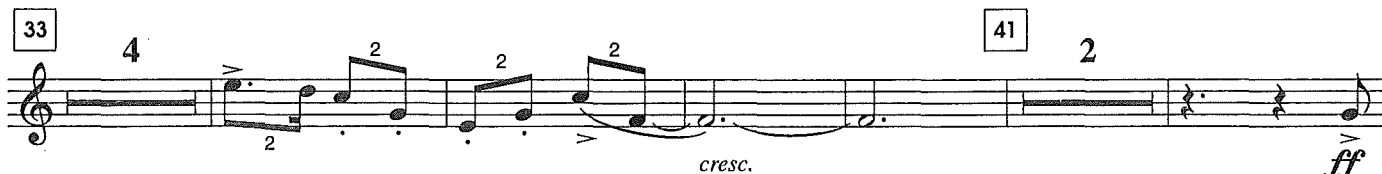
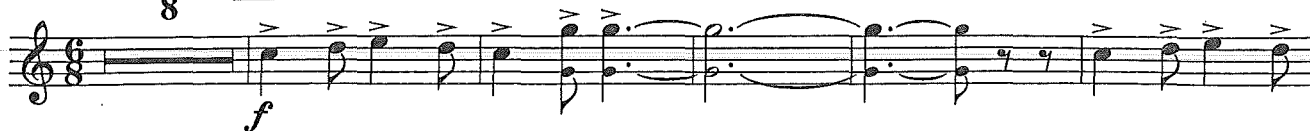
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Bright and festive

8

9



152 Tempo I

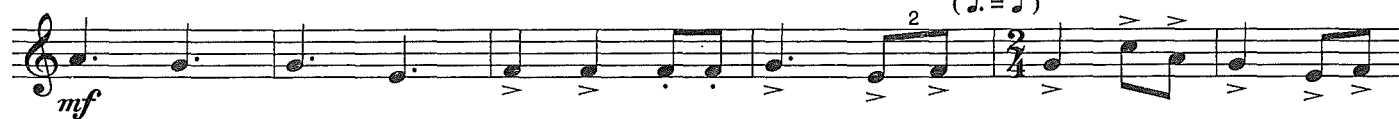
8

162



174

(♩. = ♩.)



6

184

20

204



215



223



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A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

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Bright and festive 9

8 *f*

25

33

41 *cresc.* *ff* *sfp* *cresc.*

3 52 8 60 8

ff *sfp* *cresc.* *ff*

68 *mf*

cresc. *f* *Poco rit.* 85 Moderato *sfp*

92 8 100 8 108 11

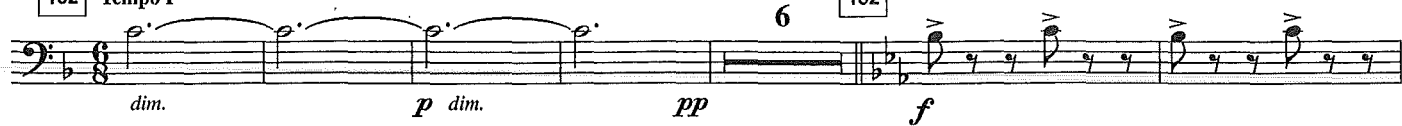
sfp *sfp*

2 121 16 137 *mf*

152 Tempo I

6

162



F Hn. 2, Euph.

174

Play (♩. = ♩.)



6

184

St. mute



204

Open



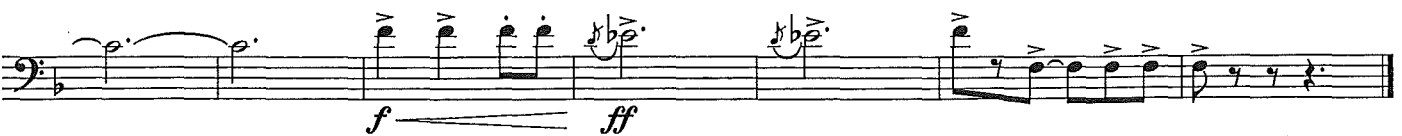
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TROMBONE 2

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive 9

8

f

25

33

41

*cresc.**ff*

4

*sf**cresc.**ff*

4

sf

3

52

8

60

8

68

*cresc.**ff**mf**Poco rit.*

85 Moderato

*cresc.**f**sf**sf*

92

8

100

8

108

11

2

121

16

137

*sf**mf*

152 Tempo I

6

*dim.**p dim.**pp*

162



F Hn. 2, Euph.

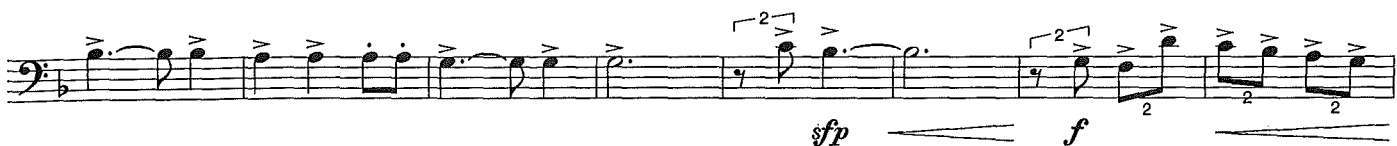
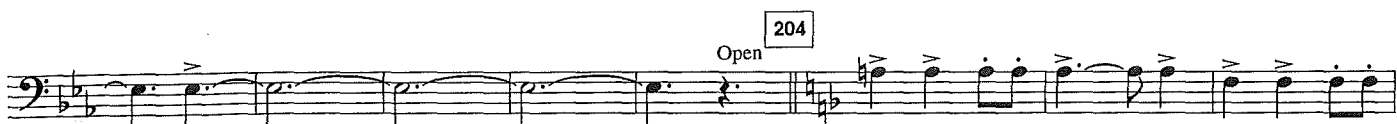
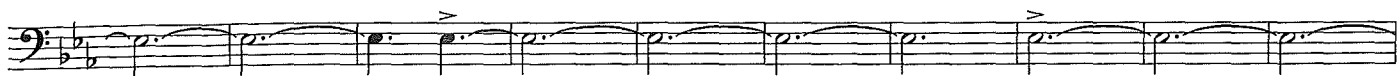
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6

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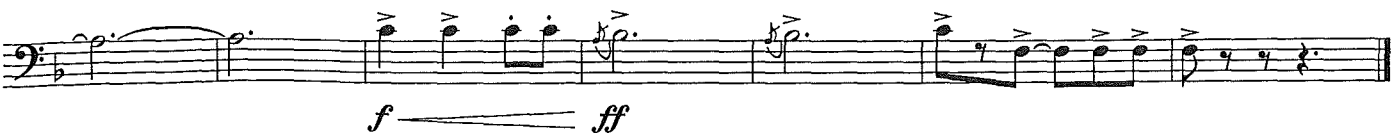
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A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

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Bright and festive
8 9

f

25

33

41

cresc. *ff* *sfp* *cresc.* *ff* *sfp*

cresc. *ff* *mf*

52 60 68

cresc. *f* *sfp* *sfp*

Poco rit. 85 *Moderato*

cresc. *f* *sfp* *sfp*

92 100 108 11 121 16 137

sfp *mf*

152 *Tempo I*

dim. *p dim.* *pp*

162



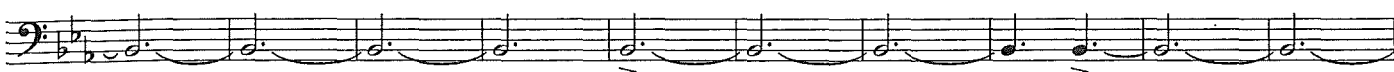
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6

184

St. mute



204

Open



215



223



237



B $\flat$ TROMBONE 1 T.C.

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

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Bright and festive

9

8

f

25

33

41

cresc.

ff

4

sfp

cresc.

3

52

8

60

8

ff

4

sfp

cresc.

ff

68

mf

Poco rit.

85 Moderato

cresc.

f

sfp

92

8

100

8

108

11

sfp

sfp

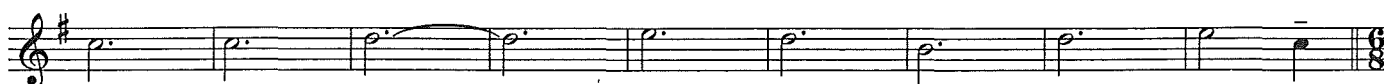
2

121

16

137

mf



152

Tempo I

6

162



F Hn. 2, Euph.

Play (♩ = ♩)

174



6

184

St. mute

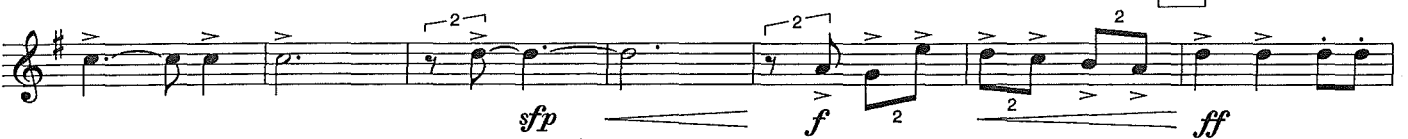


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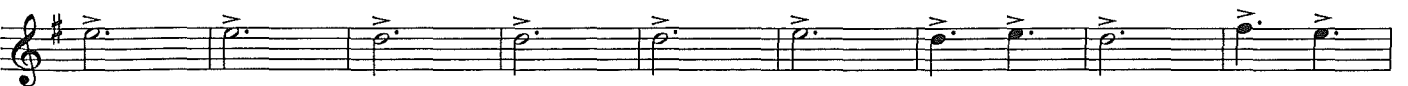
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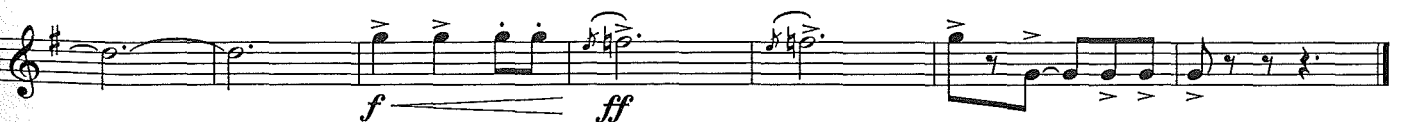
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223



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152 Tempo I

dim. p dim. pp f

6 162

dim. mf f

F Hn. 2, Euph.

174 Play (♩ = ♩)

mf mf²

184 St. mute

mf cresc. f

6

mf cresc. f

204 Open

mf cresc. f

215

sfp f ff

223

sfp cresc.

sfp cresc.

237

sfp cresc.

f ff

B $\flat$ TROMBONE 2 T.C.

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

Bright and festive

9

8

The musical score is written for B $\flat$ Trombone 2 T.C. and consists of 152 measures. It begins in 6/8 time with a key signature of one flat (B $\flat$). The tempo and mood are 'Bright and festive'. The score includes various dynamics such as *f*, *cresc.*, *ff*, *sfp*, *mf*, and *pp*. There are several repeat signs and first/second endings. Measure numbers are indicated in boxes: 9, 25, 33, 41, 52, 60, 68, 85, 92, 100, 108, 121, 137, 152. The tempo changes to 'Moderato' at measure 85 and back to 'Tempo I' at measure 152. The key signature changes to one sharp (F#) at measure 68. The score ends with a final cadence in 6/8 time.

First staff of music, treble clef, key signature of one flat. The melody consists of eighth notes. Dynamic markings are *f*, *dim.*, and *mf*.

The first system of the musical score for "The Swan" from The Nutcracker Suite. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody starts with eighth notes, followed by a quarter rest, and then continues with dotted half notes. Dynamic markings include *mf*, *cresc.*, and *f*. There are also hairpins indicating volume changes.

The first staff of music is in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes, with some notes beamed together. There are several slurs and accents (v) over the notes. The staff ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

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The first staff of music is written on a five-line treble clef. It begins with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). The melody consists of quarter notes on G4, A4, B4, C5, D5, E5, F#5, G5, and A5. Above each note is a vertical bar line with a small 'v' underneath it, indicating an accent.

 $\mathbb{F}$

cresc.

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Bright and festive

8

9



25



33



41



3

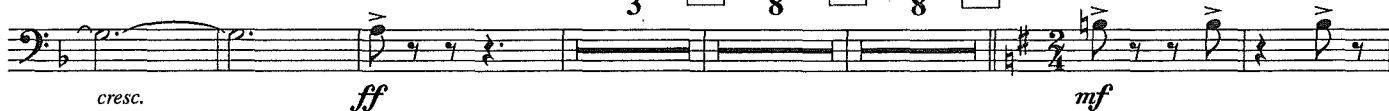
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8

60

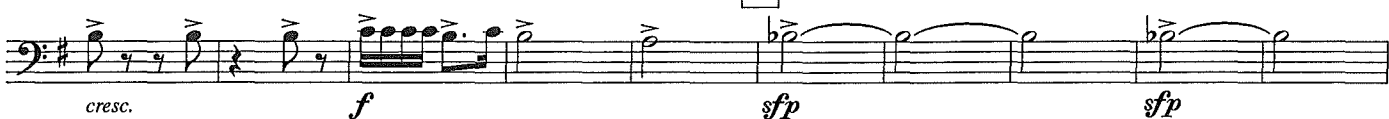
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68



Poco rit.

85 Moderato



92

8

100

8

108

11

121

2

16

137

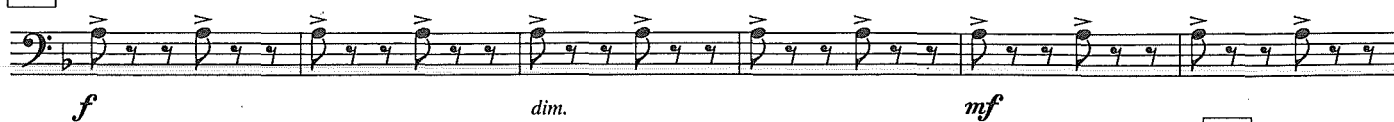


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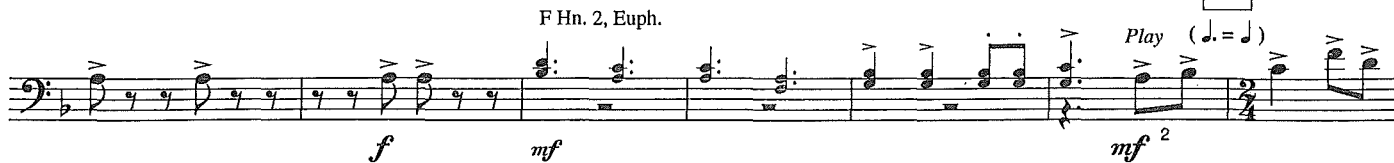
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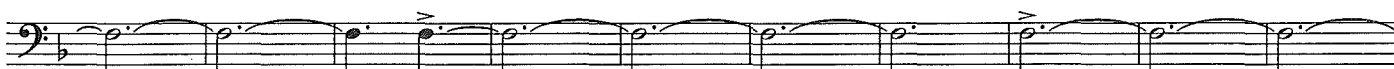
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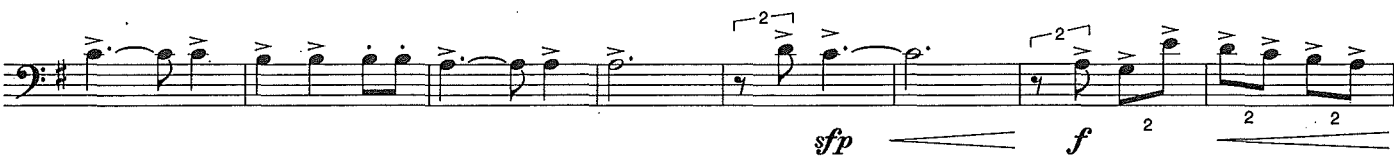
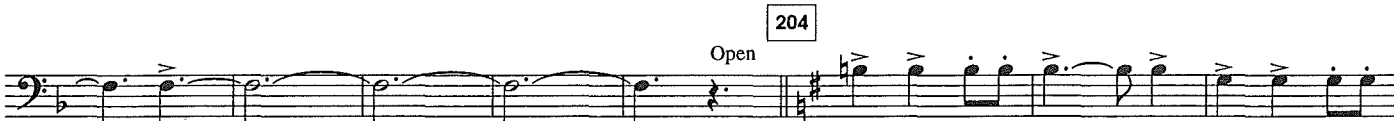
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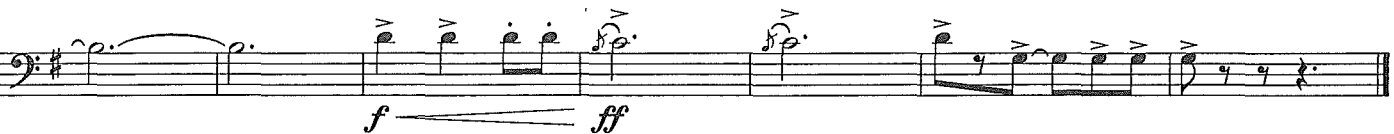
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223



237



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Bright and festive

8

9

f

25

33

cresc.

41

4

4

*ff**sfp**cresc.**ff**sfp**cresc.*Bass Clar.
One

52

*ff**mf*

60

Play
All*mf*

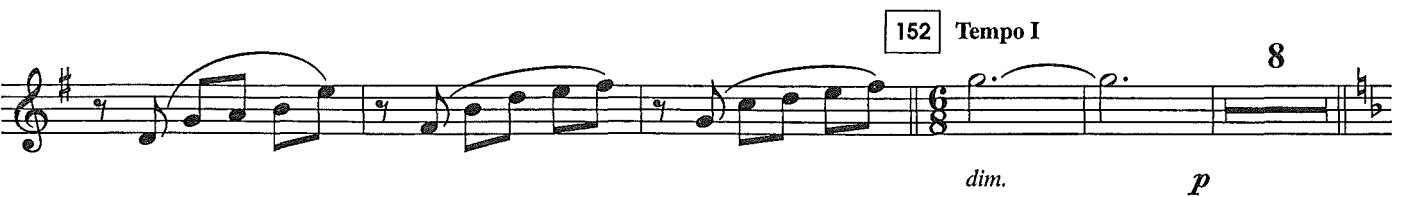
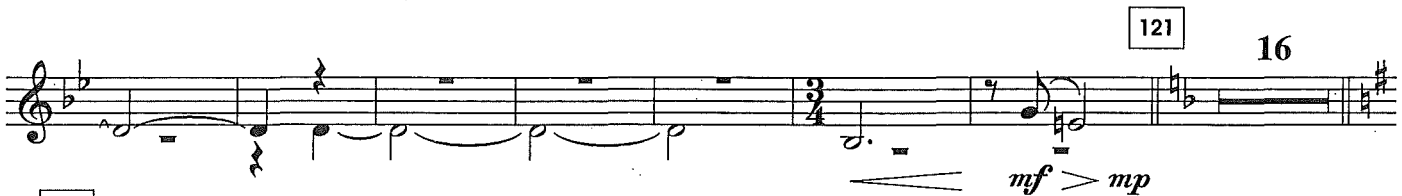
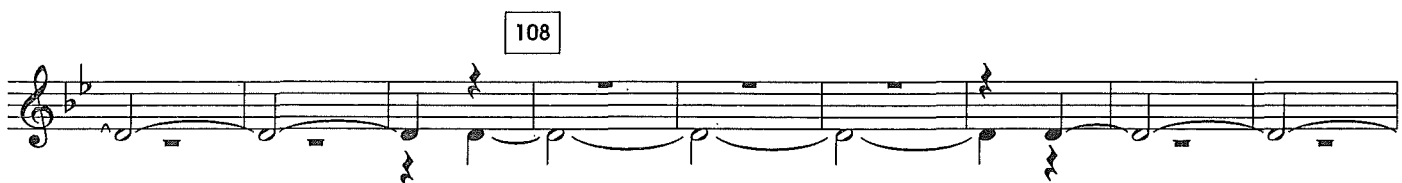
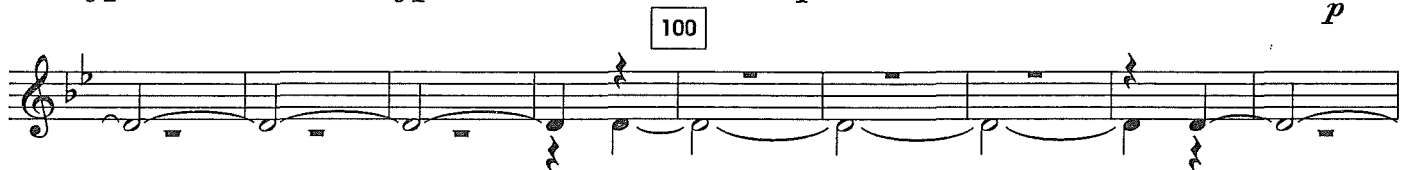
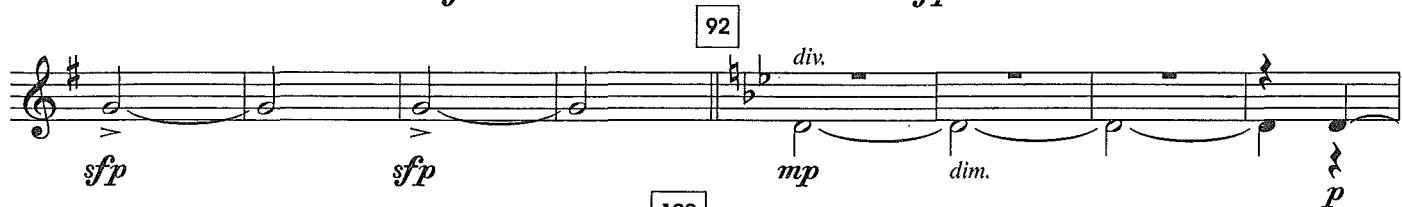
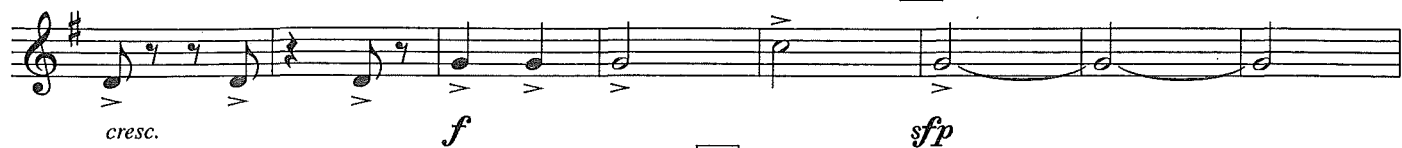
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(♩ = ♩)



Poco rit.

85 Moderato



B♭ EUPHONIUM T.C.

162



(♩ = ♩)



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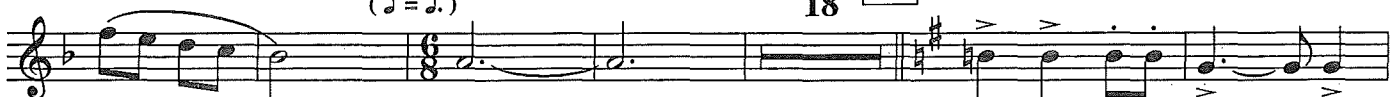


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(♩ = ♩)

18

204



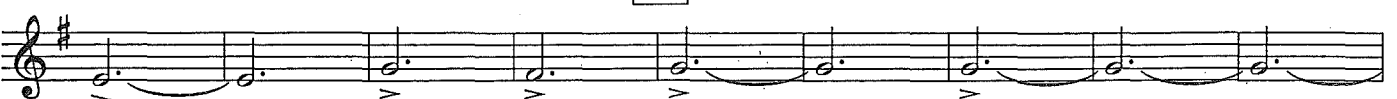
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223



237



sfp

cresc.



B $\flat$ EUPHONIUM B.C.

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Bright and festive.

8

9

f

25

33

cresc.

41

ff

sf

cresc.

ff

sf

cresc.

Bass Clar.
One

52

ff

mf

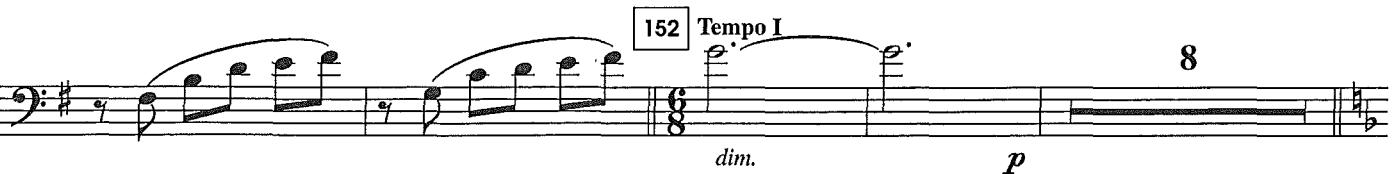
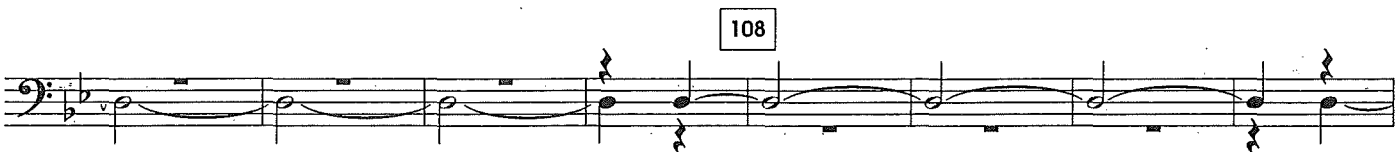
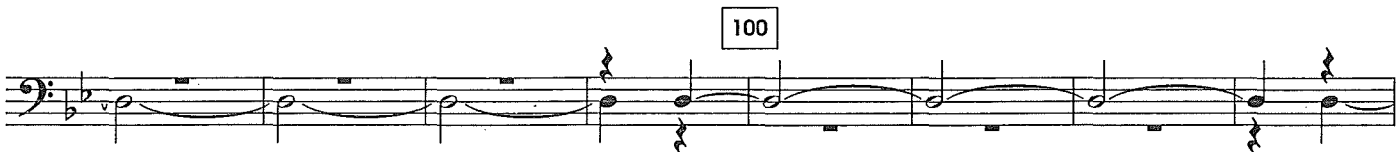
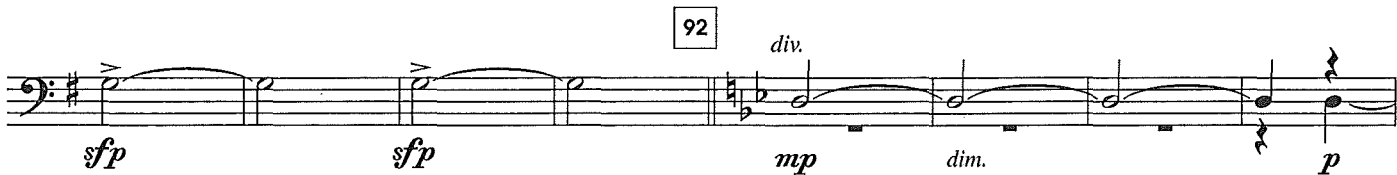
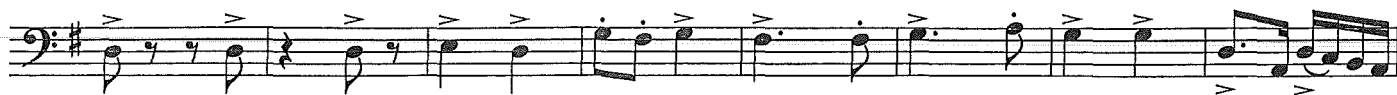
60

Play
All

mf

68

($\text{♩} = \text{♩}$)



B $\flat$ EUPHONIUM B.C.

162

162 *f* *dim.* *mf* (♩. = ♩.)

173 *f* *mf* 2

Detailed description: This block contains two staves of music. The first staff (measures 162-173) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. Dynamics include *f*, *dim.*, and *mf*. A tempo marking (♩. = ♩.) is present. The second staff (measures 174-173) continues the pattern, ending with a double bar line and a '2' indicating a repeat or a specific fingering.

174

174 2/4

Detailed description: This staff (measures 174-183) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. A '2' is written below the staff, likely indicating a fingering or a repeat.

184

184 (♩. = ♩.) 18 204

Detailed description: This block contains two staves of music. The first staff (measures 184-193) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. Dynamics include *f* and *ff*. A tempo marking (♩. = ♩.) is present. The second staff (measures 194-193) continues the pattern, ending with a double bar line and a '2' indicating a repeat or a specific fingering.

194 2

Detailed description: This staff (measures 194-203) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. A '2' is written below the staff, likely indicating a fingering or a repeat.

204 215 *sfp* *f* 2 *ff*

Detailed description: This block contains two staves of music. The first staff (measures 204-213) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. Dynamics include *sfp*, *f*, and *ff*. A '2' is written below the staff, likely indicating a fingering or a repeat.

214 223

Detailed description: This staff (measures 214-223) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. A '2' is written below the staff, likely indicating a fingering or a repeat.

224 233

Detailed description: This staff (measures 224-233) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. A '2' is written below the staff, likely indicating a fingering or a repeat.

237

234 243 *sfp* *cresc.*

Detailed description: This block contains two staves of music. The first staff (measures 234-243) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. Dynamics include *sfp* and *cresc.*. A '2' is written below the staff, likely indicating a fingering or a repeat.

244 253 *f* *ff*

Detailed description: This staff (measures 244-253) is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with accents. Dynamics include *f* and *ff*. A '2' is written below the staff, likely indicating a fingering or a repeat.

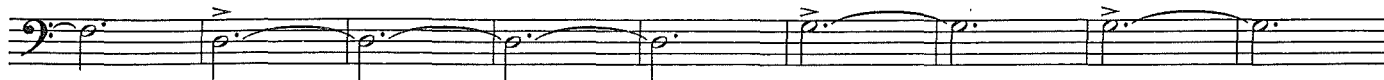
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Bright and festive

8

9



25

33



Poco rit.

85 **Moderato**



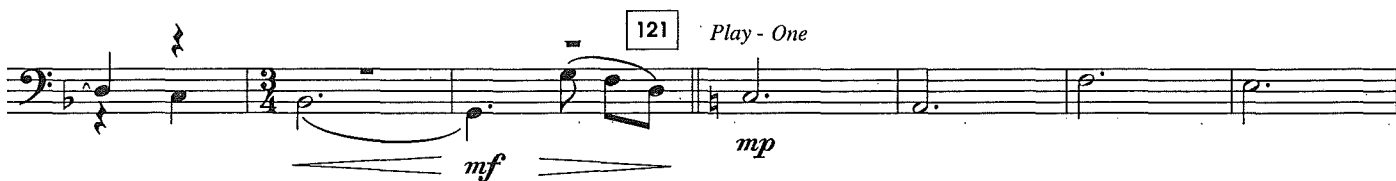
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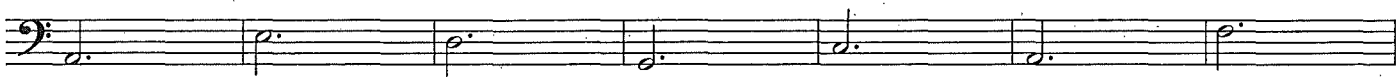
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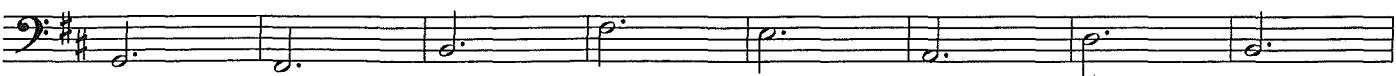


121 *Play - One*



137

All



152 **Tempo I**

8



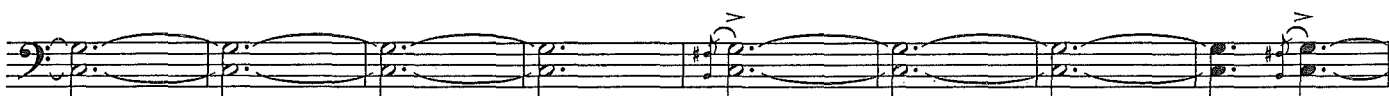
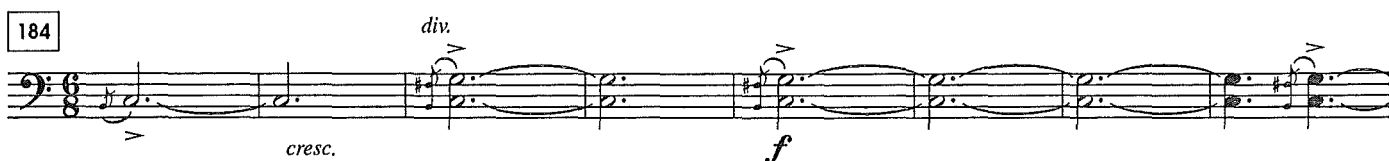
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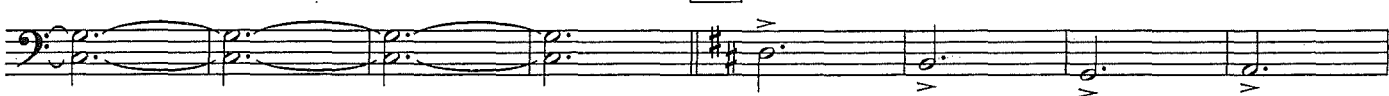
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237



A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

8

9



25

33



52



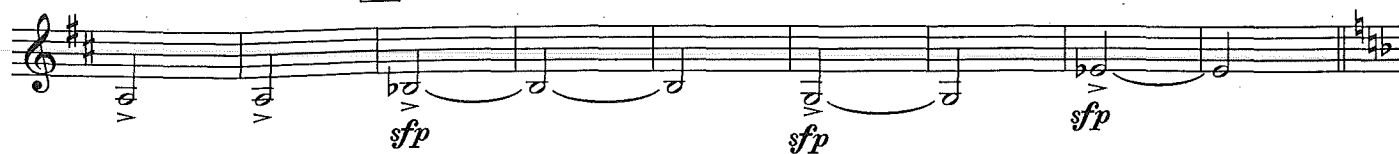
68

(♩ = ♩)



Poco rit.

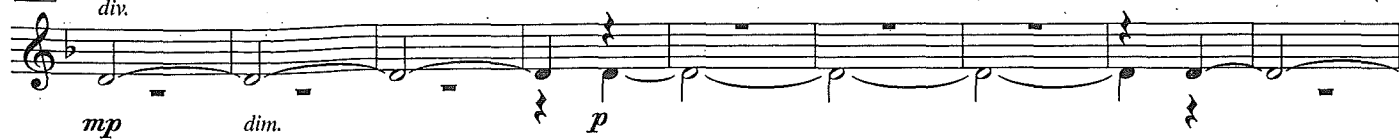
85 Moderato



92

div.

100



108



121

Play - One



137

All



152

Tempo I

8



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B $\flat$ BASS T.C.

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9

8

f

25

33

41

cresc.

ff 4 *sf*

cresc.

ff

52

mf

60

All

68

(♩ = ♩)

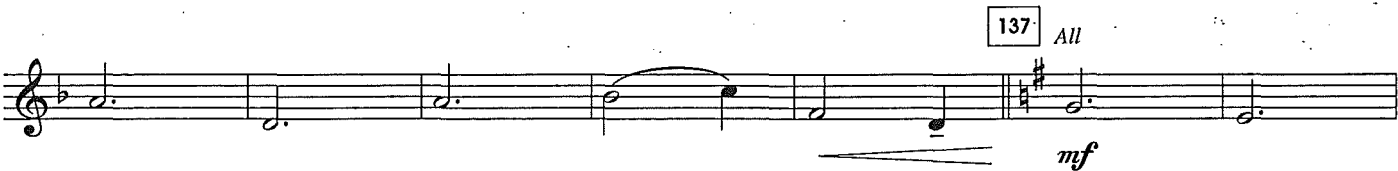
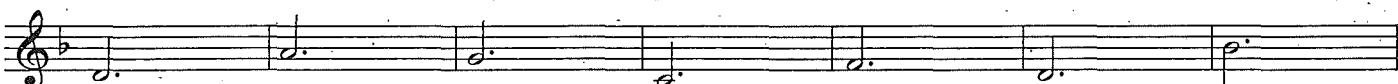
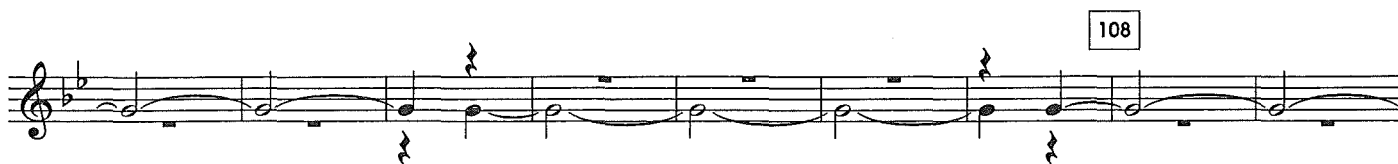
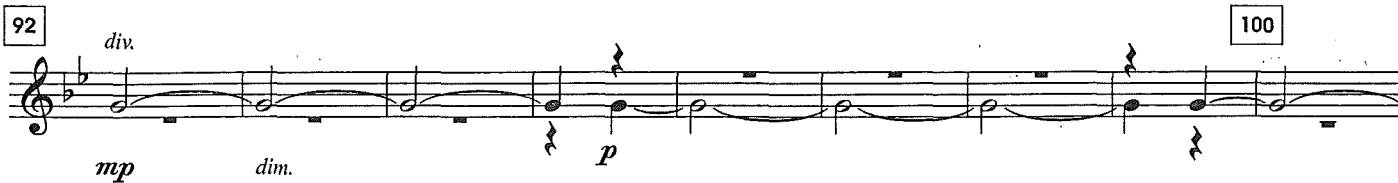
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cresc.

f

Poco rit.

85 Moderato



152 Tempo I

8



B $\flat$ BASS T.C.

162



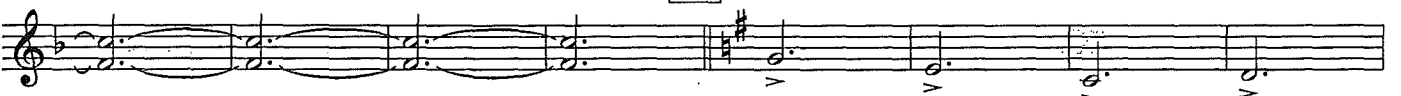
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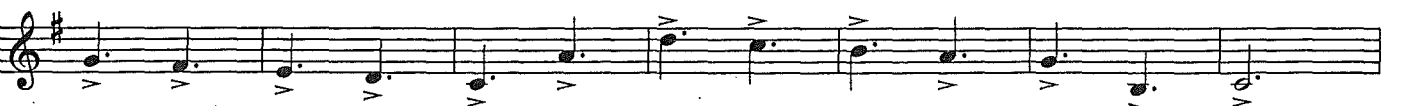
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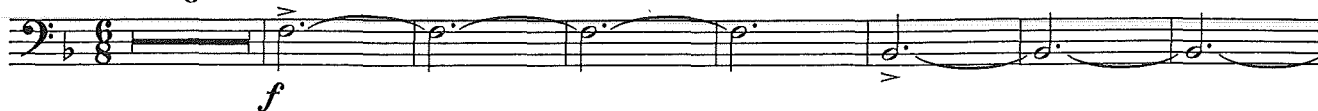
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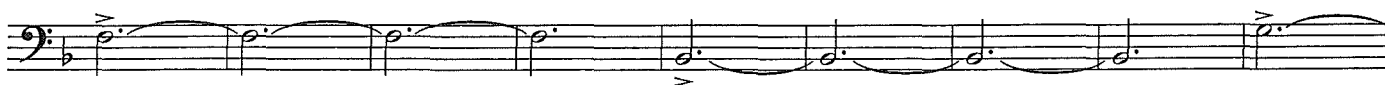
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25

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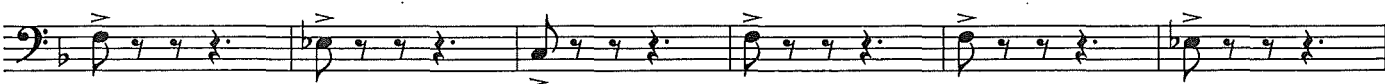
One

52



60

All



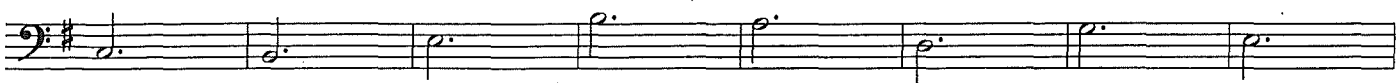
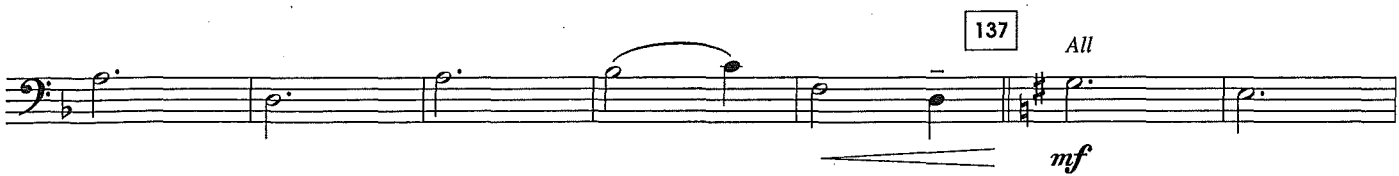
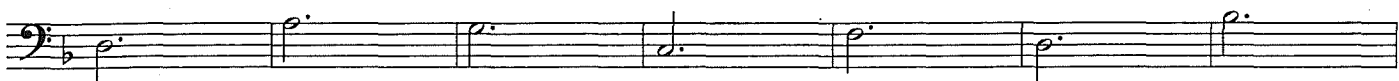
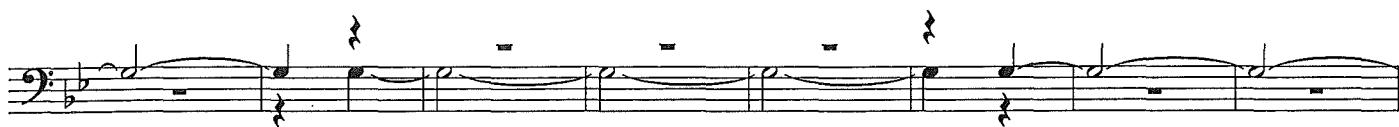
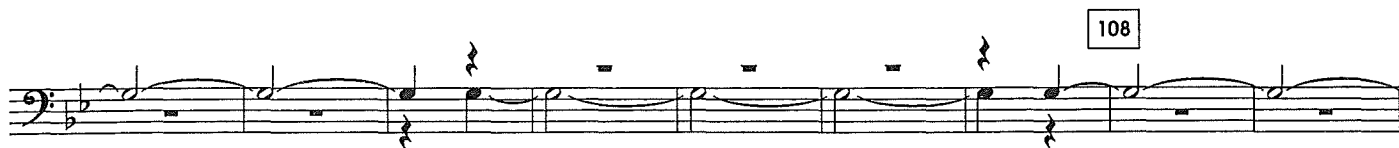
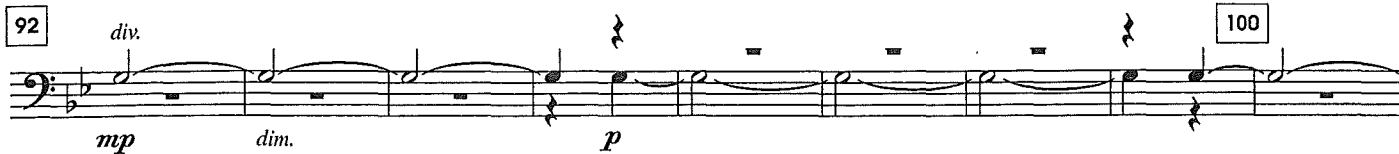
68

(♩. = ♩)



Poco rit.

85 Moderato



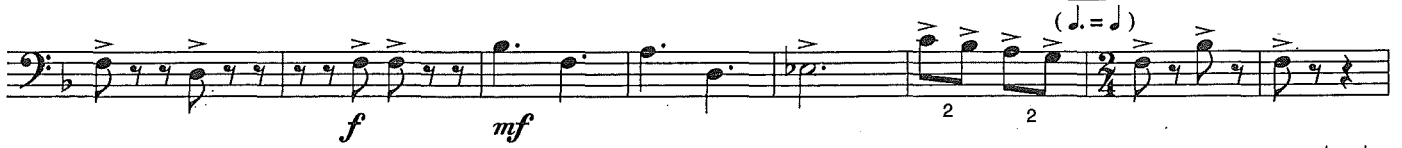
Tempo I

8

162



174



(♩ = ♩.)



184



204



215



223



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A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

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Bright and festive

8

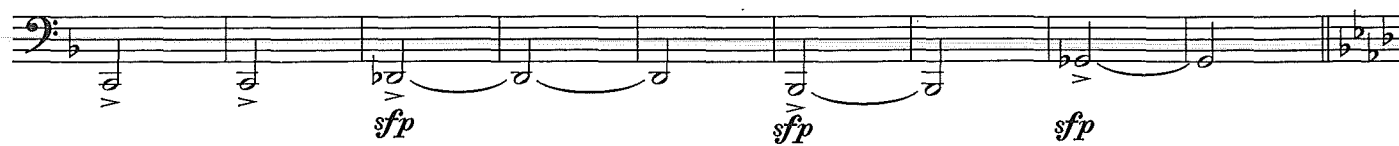
9

25 33 41 41 52 60 68 68 68 68

f *cresc.* *ff* *sfp* *cresc.* *ff* *mf* *All* *cresc.* *f*

Poco rit.

85 Moderato



92

div.

100



108



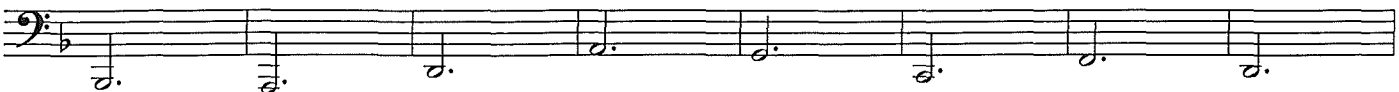
121

Play - One



137

All

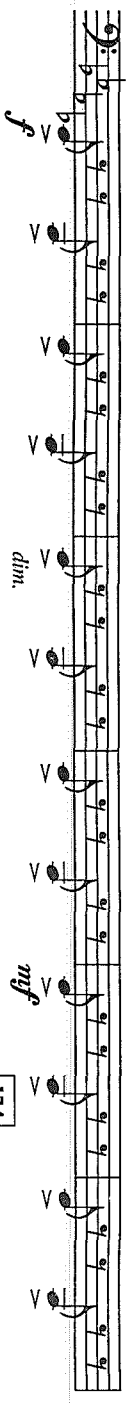


152 Tempo I

8

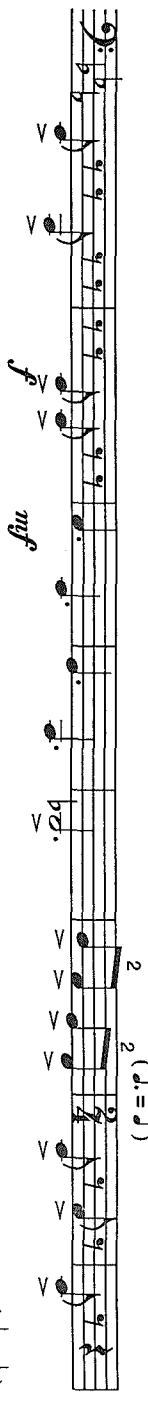


162



Measures 162-173. Dynamics: *f*, *mf*, *dim.*

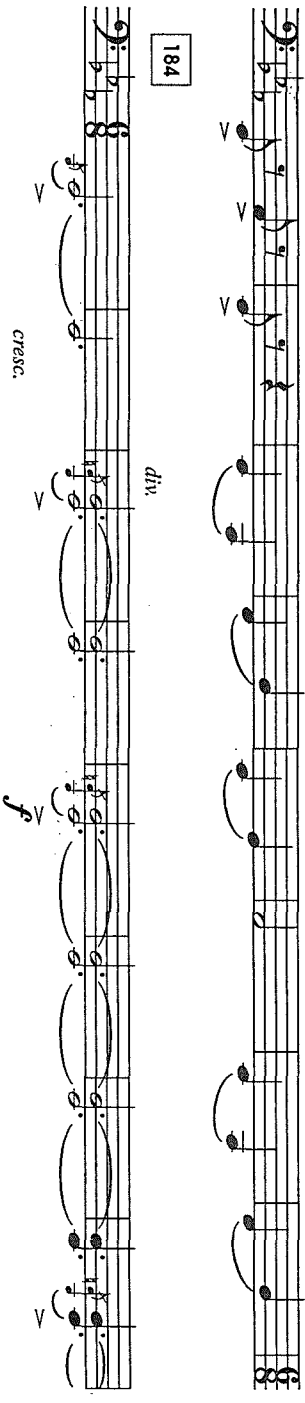
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Measures 174-183. Dynamics: *mf*

(♩ = ♩.)

184



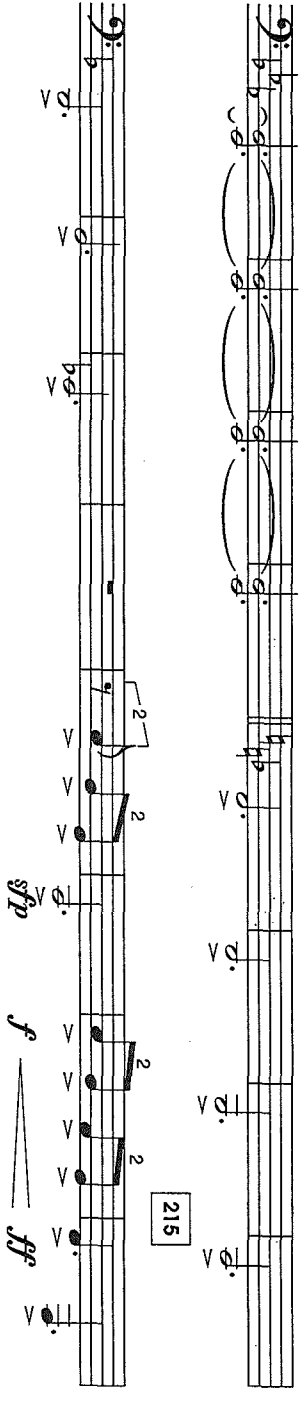
Measures 184-193. Dynamics: *cresc.*, *mf*, *f*

204



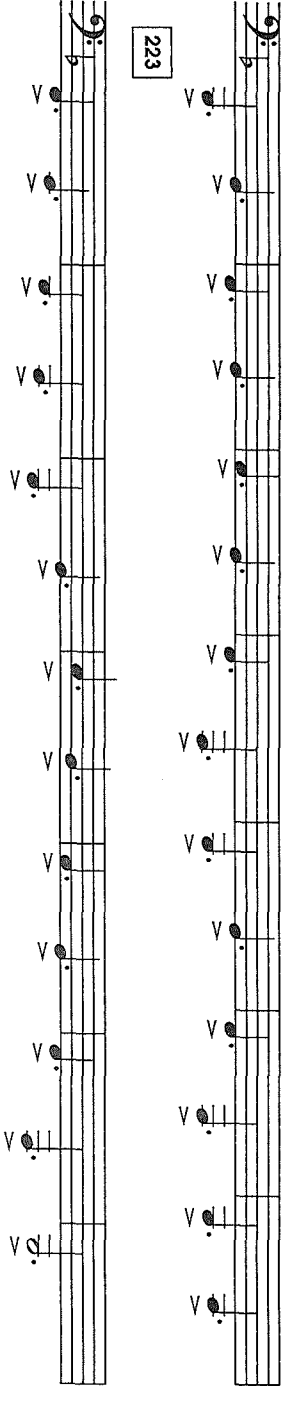
Measures 204-213. Dynamics: *mf*, *f*

215



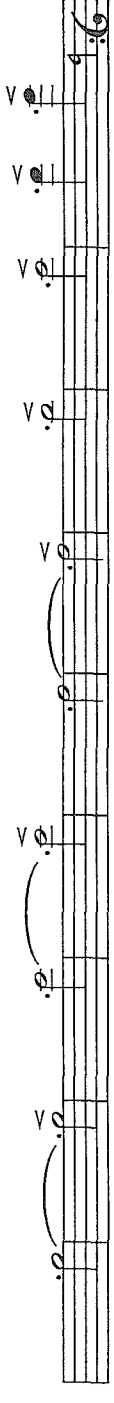
Measures 215-222. Dynamics: *mf*, *f*, *ff*

223

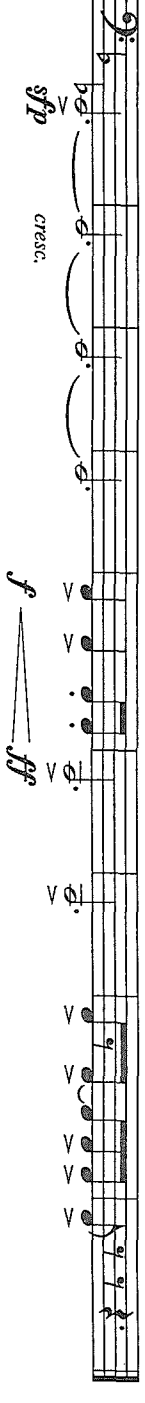


Measures 223-236. Dynamics: *mf*, *f*

237



Measures 237-246. Dynamics: *mf*, *f*



Measures 247-256. Dynamics: *ff*, *cresc.*, *ff*

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

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Bright and festive
8 9

f

25 33

41 *cresc.* *ff* *sfp* *cresc.*

ff *sfp* *cresc.* *ff* *mf*

52 60

(♩ = ♩)

68

Poco rit. 85 *Moderato*

cresc. *f* *sfz*

92

sfz *sfz* *mp* *dim.*

100

p

108

mf

121

mp

137

mf

152 *Tempo I* 8

dim. *p*

DOUBLE BASS

162



174



184



204



215



223



237



A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

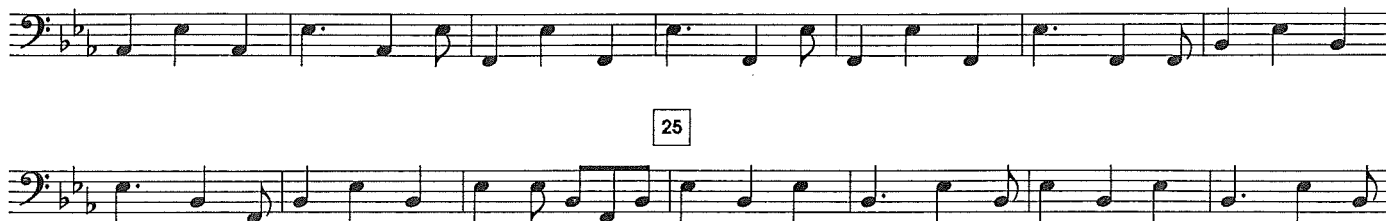
James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive
Medium mallets

9



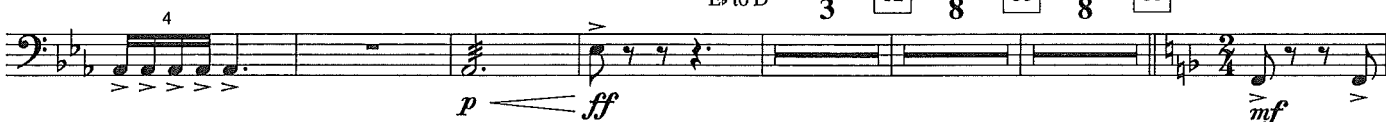
25



33



41

Change A $\flat$ to B $\flat$, B $\flat$ to C,
E $\flat$ to D*Poco rit.*

85 Moderato



92

100



108



Change B $\flat$ to A $\flat$, C to B $\flat$,
D to E $\flat$ 2 121 16

137 15 152 Tempo I 2

pp *poco a poco cresc.*

162 Change B $\flat$ to C

f *dim.*

4

mf *f*

174 Change C to B $\flat$ 6 184 4 Hard mallets

mf *f*

204

Change E $\flat$ to C 2 4 215

ff

223 11 237

f cresc. *ff*

6 Dampen

mf *cresc.* *ff*

MALLET PERCUSSION

Bells
Chimes

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive
Chimes

pp
Bells - Brass mallets

poco a poco cresc.

9

f

25

33

41

cresc.

ff

52 **60** **68** **14** Chimes *Poco rit.*

85 *Moderato* **92** **100** **108** **11** **2**

121 16 137 15 152 Tempo I 2 Chimes

pp *poco a poco cresc.*

Bells - Brass mallets 162 *f*

dim. *mf* 174 (♩ = ♩)

6 184 20 204 7 *f* *cresc.*

215 *ff*

223

Both

237

3 *ff* Both Dampen

PERCUSSION 1
Snare Drum

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive
Snare Drum Rim



9

On Drumhead



25



33



41

3



cresc.

ff

6

52

8

60

8

68

15

Poco rit.

2

85

Moderato

7

92

3

Snare Drum - Snare off



mp

2

100

2

2

108



p

2

2

2

2

121

16

137

15



152

Tempo I

2

Snare on
Rim



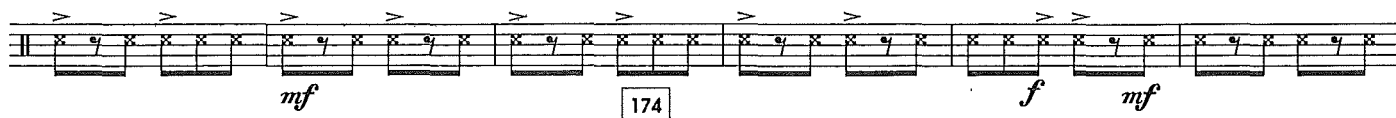
pp

poco a poco cresc.

162



174



(♩ = ♩)

6

184

On Drumhead



204

Head Rim

Head Rim *sim.*

215



223



237



2



PERCUSSION 2
Triangle
Crash Cymbals
Sleigh Bells

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS

James L. Hosay (ASCAP)

Bright and festive

Triangle

pp Sleigh Bells **9** *poco a poco cresc.*

f

25

33

41 **4** *cresc.* **ff** *sfp* *cresc.*

52 **8** **60** **8** **68** Sleigh Bells

ff *sfp* *cresc.* **ff** *mf*

85 **Moderato** **7** **92** Triangle

poco rit. *cresc.* **f** *mp*

100 **3** **3** **3** **3** **3**

p

121 **2** **2** **16** **137** **15** **152** **Tempo I** **2** Triangle

pp Sleigh Bells

162

poco a poco cresc.

dim. *mf* *f*

174

(♩ = ♩)

2/4

184

(♩ = ♩)

6/8

cresc.

f

f

204

f

215

3

Crash Cym.

ff 2 2 2 2

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

223

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

237

5 Triangle *sfp*

Crash Cym. *ff* *cresc.* *ff* Dampen

ff *cresc.* *ff*