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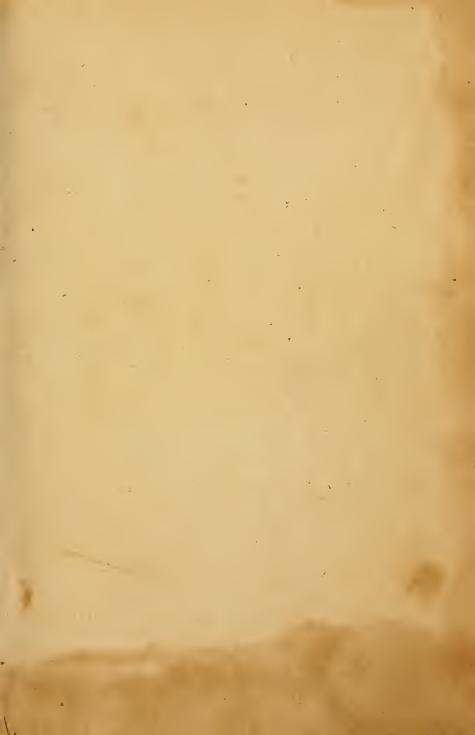
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HISTORICAL AGGOUNT

O F

M U S I C K,

And of its DIVINE and CIVIL USES;

Collected from feveral AUTHORS.

THE late Ingenious Mr. Thomas Brown, in his Preface to the Compleat Musick Master, hath these Words; What Eloquence has Power sufficient to describe the Charms of that heavenly Art, which persuades and captivates us more than the most prevailing Oratory? Or what Need is there to enlarge on the Merits of Harmony, which carries its own Commendation along with it? It gently breathes and vents the Mourner's Grief, and heightens the Joy of them that are Chearful; It abateth Spleen and Hatred: It inspires the Soldier with Valour and Contempt of Death, for which Reason it was always encouraged by those Nation's that were most celebrated for military Discipline: It sooths the pleasing Disquietudes and Pains of Lovers: It relieves the haughty Monarch under his most pensive Intervals, and communicates its enlivening Influence to the Miserable of all Sorts: It is the Darling of Palaces, and the comforting Genius of the meanest Cottages: It not only softens, but triumphs over the Passions: It disarms Envy: It alleviates and extinguishes Grief: It bestows a new Vigour upon Jov, and makes our most exquisite Pleasures the more palatable: Neither is it excluded from the most aweful and sacred Assemblies, but even in the Infancy of Christianity was admitted into the Church; and indeed, what Places are so proper for Harmony, as those Places which are consecrated to the infinite Author of Harmony? It gives a new Force and Edge to Devotion; it carries our Thoughts up to Heaven, makes us taste the Joys of it here upon Earth, and raiseth us to the Felicity of Angels.

You that the King of Kings would jointly praise above. Learn first in Concert here t'express your ardent Love.

Of what the Blessed do Above,
Is, that they Sing, and that they Love.
And that Above we may be sure to know
Our Parts, these Psalms we practise here below;
And while we Sing, we consecrate our Art.
And offer up with every Tongue a Heart.

Having ascribed such noble Qualities to Musick, it may, perhaps seem beneath its Commendation to observe, that nothing is so great an Ornament to a young Gentleman as it is: It gives a happy Bent and Elevation to his Thoughts: It refines and polishes his Manners, and is so far from hin tering

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bim in his Application to Business, that it secures him from those Temptations to which Plenty and Idleness exposes those Persons who don't know how to employ their wacant Hours, otherwise than in unlawful Pleasures, &zz.

Mr. John Playford, in the Preface of his Introduction to the Skill of Musick, tells us, That antient Philosophers accounted it an Invention of the Gods, hestowing it on Men to make them better-conditioned than have Nature afforded, and concludes a special Necessity thereof in the Education of Children; partly from its natural Delight, and partly from the Efficacy it has in moving the Affections to Virtue, comprehending chiefly these three Arts in the Education of Youth, viz Grammar, Musick, and Gymnastick; the last of which being for the Exercise of their Limbs, &c.

Musick is an Art unstarchable, divine and excellent, by which a true Concordance of Sounds or Harmonv is produced, that rejoiceth and cheareth the Hearts of Men; and hath in all Agrs, and in all Countries, been highly reverenced and esteemed: By the Jews, for Religion and divine Worship in the Service of God, as appears by Scripture By the Grecians and Romans,

to induce Virtue and Gravity, and to incite to Courage and Valour.

Great Disputes were among Ethnick Authors about the first Inventor; some for Orpheus; some Linus; both famous Poets and Musicians.

Others for Amphion whose Musick drew Stones to the Building of the Walls of Thebes, as Orpheus hat by the harmonious Touch of his Harp, moved the wild Beasts and Trees to Dance; But the true Meaning thereof is, That by Virtue of their Musick, and their wise and pleasing musical Poems, the one brought the Savinge and Beast-like Thracians to Humanity and Gentleness; the other persuaded the rule and careless Thebans to the Fortifying of their City, and to a civil Convertation.

The Egyptians, to Apollo, attributing the first Invention of the Harp to him; and certainly they had an high Esleem of the Excellency of Musick, to make Apollo (who was the God of Wisdom) to be the God of Musick: But the People of God do truly acknowledge a far more antient Inventor of this divine Art, Jubal, the Sixth from Adam, who, as it is recorded, Gen. 4. 27.

was the Father of all that handled the Harp or Organ.

St. Augustine goeth yet farther, shewing that it is the Gift of God himself, and a Representation or Admonition of the sweet Consent and Harmony which his Wisdom hath made, in the Creation and Administration of the
World; and well may it be term'd a Divine and Mysterious Art; for,
among all those rare Arts and Sciences, with which God hath endowed
Men, Musick is the most Sublime and Excellent for its wonderful Effects
and Inventions. It hath been the Study of Millions of Men for a great
many Ages; yet none ever attained the full Scope and Persection thereof,
but still there appeared new Matter for their Inventions; and, which is still
more wonderful, the whole Mystery of this Art is comprised in the Compass
of three Notes or Sounds, which is most ingeniously observed by Mr. Christopher Sympson, in his Division Violist, Pag. 18. in these Words: Alle
Sounds that can possibly be joined at once together, in Musical Concordance, are still but the reiterated Harmony in Three: A significant
Emblem.

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Emblem of that supream and incomprehensible Trinity, Three in One; governing and disposing the whole Machine of the World in a persect Harmony of Sounds there is some great and hidden Mystery, above what hath been yet discovered; and Mrs. Catherine Phillips, in her Encomium on Mr. Henry Laws's Second Book of Airs, hath finely descanted on this Subject as follows:

Nature, which in the vast Creation's Soul,
That steddy curious Agent in the whole,
The Art of Heaven, the Order of this Frame,
Is only Musick in another Name.
And as tome King, conquering what was his own,
Hath Choice of several Titles to his Crown;
So Harmony on this Score now, that then,
Yet still, is all that takes and governs Men.
Beauty is but Composure, and we find
Content is but the Concord of the Mind;
Priendship the Union of well-tun'd Hearts;
Honour's the Chorus of the noblest Parts
And all the World, on which we can resect,
Musick to th' Ear, or to th' Intellect.

The first and chief Use of Musick is for the Service and Praise of God, whose Gift it is. The second Use is for the Sclace of Men, which, as it is agreeable unto Nature, so it is allowed by God as a temperal Blessing, to recreate and chear Men after long Study and weary Labour in their Vocations. Eccl. 40 22. Wine and Musick rejoice the Heart. Elianus, in his Hist. Animal, l. 10 c. 29. writeth, that Of all the Beasts, there is none

that is not delighted with Harmony, but only the Ass.

Mr. William Turner, (a living Author) in his Treatise entituled Sound Anatomiz'd, Pag. 13. Where, after a very agreeable Comparison between Musick and the Zodiacal Constellations, he proceeds thus: Here is a very great Mystery, which confounds all our Philosophy, and which Time will hardly, I believe, ever account for. Behides, it expresset all the different Passions of Mankind, and not only so; but, by the Force of its prevailing Charms, it wonderfully affects them too; and to fuch a Degree, that Musick may be justly called an enchanting Art; by sometimes giving a loose to, and at others by bridling our unruly Inclinations, according to the Subject which is composed, and the Interweaving of the different Parts moving together in Harmony; one while inclining the Minds of People to deliver themselves up to sensual Pleasures, by indulging the insatiable carnal Appetite, which knows no Limits; and at other Times, when rightly applied, it affords such internal Comfort to them, as disengages their Thoughts from all earthly Enjoyments, and disposes the Soul to look with earnest Attention, on the only Object of its true Felicity, the Beatifick Vision. This and a great deal more may be said to display its Excellencies; altho' there are some of so unhappy a Taste; that

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that instead of being delighted with it, they utterly contemn it; notwithstand-

ing its eternal Duration in the Realms of Blis.

Mr. Thomas Ravenscroft, in his Preface tells us, That in the Pfalms are described the Rewards of Good, and the Punishment of Evil Men: the Rudiments of Beginners, the Progress of Proficients, and Consummation of Perfect Men. The Singing of Plalms (as fay the Doctors) comforteth the Sorrowful; pacifieth the Angry; strengtheneth the Weak; humbleth the Proud ; gladdeth the Humble ; firs up the Slow ; reconcileth Enemies; lifteth up, the Heart to Heavenly Things, and uniteth the Creature to his Creator; for whatever is in the Pfalms conduceth to the Edification, Benefit and Consolation of Mankind. He concludes very pathetically, advising all that defire to exercise themselves in the Divine Praises and Precepts of the Lord, to fing the 119th Pfalm, wherein (faith he) altho even to the End of thy Life thou shalt have sought, and search'd all-thou canst. yet halt thou never perfectly understand the Virtues and Excellencies, or reach unto the Heights and Depths which are comprehended in it; for there is bardly a Verse throughout that whole Psalm, wherein Mention is not made of God's Laws, Commandments, Testimonies and Precepts: In a Word, He that would give these Heavenly Hymns their Due, had need to compose a Pfalm in Praise of the Pfalms; that so, the devout and joyful Soul might with looking up to God, reflect upon its own Work, and transport itself unto the Choir of Angels and Saints, whose perpetual Task it is to Sing their Concording Parts without Pause, redoubling and descanting, Holy, Holy, Holy, Loid God of Hosts. And if Vocal Musick be not full enough, let the Instrumental be added, Rev. 15. 2. They have in their Hands the Harp of God, and fing the Song of Moses, and the Song of the Lamb. Saying, Great and Marvellous are thy Works, Lord God Almighty.

We may conclude with faying, That Musick is as antient as Publick Worship, and has ever had the good Fortune to be approved of by all Parties, of
what Denomination source; therefore the Psalmist directs his Precepts not
to any peculiar Church of God, but to all Lands, to serve the Lord with
Gladness, and come before his Presence with a Song: Worshiping of
God in the Beauty of Holiness; where young Men and Maids, old Men

and Children, may praise the Name of the Lord. Amen.

Angels and we, affisted by this Art, May fing together, tho' we dwell apart.

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- 2 When to thy Works on high I raise my wond'ring Eyes, And fee the Moon complete in Light Adorn the darksome Skies:
- Lord, what is worthless Man That thou should'st love him so? Next to thine Angels is he plac'd, And Lord of all below.
- 6 How rich thy Bounties are! And wond'rous are thy Ways:
- A Monument of Praise.

- When I furvey the Stars And all their shining Forms, Lord, what is Man, that worthless Thing A-kin to Dust and Worms?
- Thine Honours crown his Head, While Beasts, like Slaves obey, And Birds that cut the Air with Wings. And Fish that cleave the Sea.
- 7 (Out of the Mouths of Babes And Sucklings thou canst draw Of Dust and Worms thy Pow'r can frame Surprizing Honours to thy Name, And strike the World with Awe.

O Lord, our heav'nly King, Thy Name is all Divine: Thy Glories round the Earth is spread, And o'er the Heav'ns they shine .) .





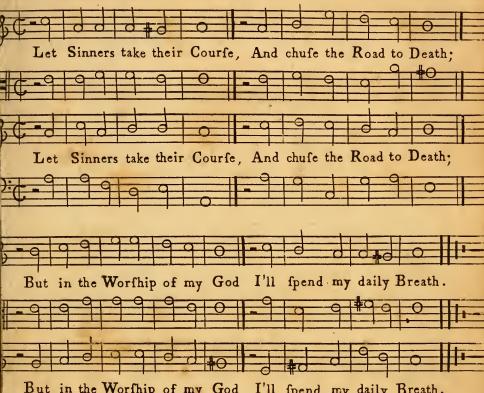
Divinely teach his Name.

- 4 Ye British Lands rejoice, Here he reveals his Word, We are not left to Nature's Voice To bid us know the Lord.
- 6 His Laws are just and pure, His Truth without Deceit, His promises for ever sure, And his Rewards are great.

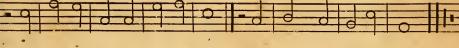
- And Orders of his Throne.
- 5: His Statutes and Commands Are fet before our Eyes, He puts his Gospel in our Hands, Where our Salvation lies.
- 7 (Not Honey to the Tafte Affords fo much Delight, Nor Gold that has the Furnace pass'd So much allures the Sight.

8 While of thy Works I fing, Thy Glory to proclaim, Accept the Praise, my God, my King, In my Redeemer's Name.)



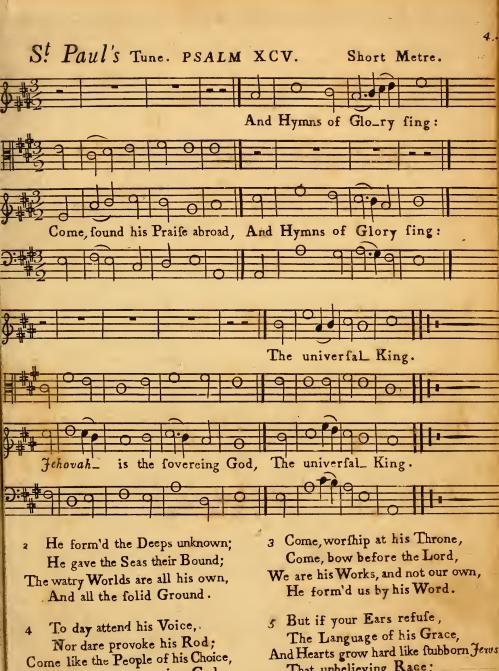


But in the Worship of my God I'll spend my daily Breath.



- My Thoughts address his Throne When Morning brings the Light; I feek his Bleffing every Noon, And pay my Vows at Night.
- Because they dwell at Ease, And no fad Changes feel, They neither fear nor trust thy Name, Nor learn to do thy Will.
- 3 Thou wilt regard my Cries, O my eternal God, While Sinners perish in Surprize Beneath thine angry Rod.
- 5 But I with all my Cares, Will lean upon the Lord, I'll cast my Burdens on his Arm, And rest upon his Word.
- His Arm shall well sustain The Children of his Love; The Ground on which their Safety stands, No earthly Power can move.





The Lord in Vengeance dreft Will lift his Hand and fwear, ,, You that dispise my promis'd Rest, .. Shall have no Portion there.

And own your gracious God.

That unbelieving Race;





- And without Praises die.
- He crowns thy Life with Love When ranfom'd from the Grave: He that redeem'd my Soul from Hell, Hath fovereing Power to fave.
- And makes thee young again.
- He fills the Poor with Good: He gives the Sufferers Rest; The Lord hath Judgments for the Proud, And Justice for th' Opprest.
- His wondrous Works and Ways He made by Moses known; But fent the World his Truth and Grace, By his beloved Son.





- 2 The Scribe and angry Priest Reject thine only Son; Yet on this Rock shall Zion rest, As the chief Corner stone.
- This is the glorious Day
 That our Redeemer made;
 Let us rejoice, and fing, and pray,
 Let all the Church be glad.
- 3 The Work, O Lord, is Thine, And wondrous in our Eyes; This Day declares it all Divine, This Day did Jesus rise.
- Of David's royal Blood;
 Bless Him, ye Saints: He comes to bring
 Salvation from your God.

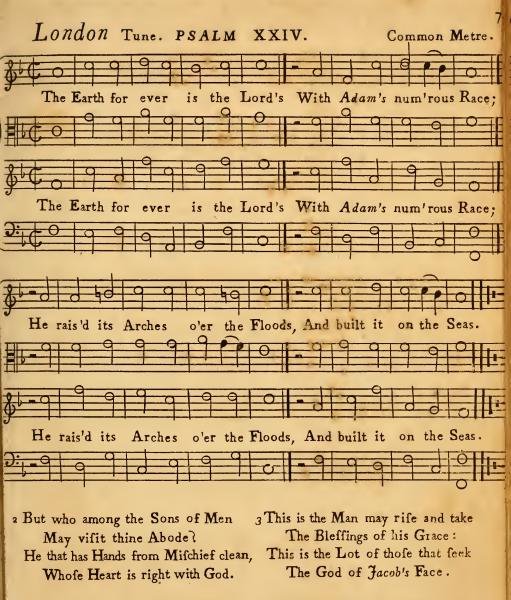
We blefs thine holy Word

Which all this Grace displays;

And offer on thine Altar, Lord,

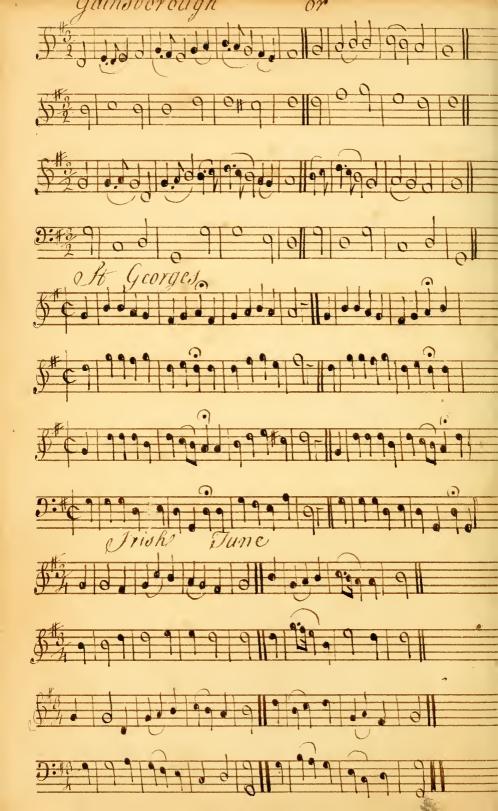
Our Sacrifice of Praise.



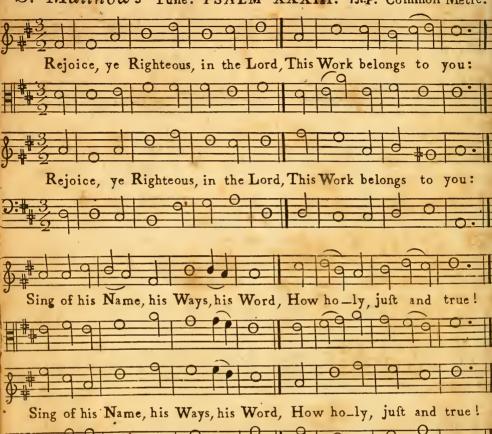


4 Now let our Soul's immortal Powers, 5 The King of Glory! Who can tell To meet the Lord prepare, Lift up their everlasting Doors, The King of Glory's near.

The Wonders of his Might? He rules the Nations; but to dwell With Saints is his Delight.







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His Wisdom and Almighty Word
The Heav'nly Arches spread;
And by the Spirit of the Lord
Their shining Hosts were made.

5.

Ye Tenants of the spacious Earth, With Fear before him stand; He spake and Nature took its Birth, And rests on his Command.



He bid the liquid Waters flow
To their appointed Deep;
The flowing Seas their Limits know,
And their own Station keep.

He fcorns the angry Nation's Rage,
And breaks their vain Designs;
His Counsels stands throev'ry Age,
And in full Glory shines.



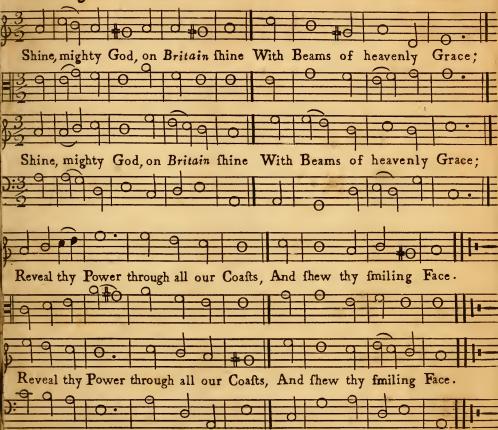


- 2 So Pilgrims on the fcorching Sand Beneath a burning Sky, Long for a cooling Stream at hand, And they must drink or die,
- 4 Not all the Bleffings of a Feaft
 Can please my Soul so well,
 As when thy richer Grace I taste,
 And in thy Presence dwell.
- 3 I've feen thy Glory and thy Pow'r
 Thro' all thy Temple shine;
 My God, repeat that heav'nly Hour,
 That Vision so divine.
- 5 Not Life itself, with all her Joys, Can my best Passions move, Or raise so high my chearful Voice, As thy forgiving Love.

6 Thus till my last expiring Day
I'll bless my God and King;
Thus will I list my Hands to pray,
And tune my Lips to sing.



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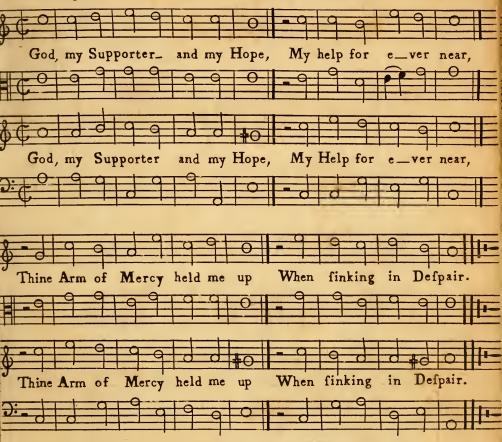


- a (Amidst our Isle exalted high
 Do thou our Glory stand,
 And like a Wall of Guardian Fire
 Surround the Favourite Land)
- 4 Sing to the Lord, ye distant Lands, Sing loud with solemn Voice; While British Tongues exalt his Praise, And British Hearts rejoice.
- 6 Earth shall obey her Maker's Will, And yield a full Increase; Our God will crown his chosen Isle With Fruitfulness and Peace.

- 3 When shall thy Name from Shore to Shore
 Sound all the Earth abroad,
 And distant Nations know and love
 Their Saviour and their God?
- That fits enthron'd above,
 Wisely commands the Worlds he made,
 In Justice and in Love.
- 7 God the Redeemer featters round
 His choicest Favours here,
 While the Creation's utmost Bound
 Shall see, adore, and fear.



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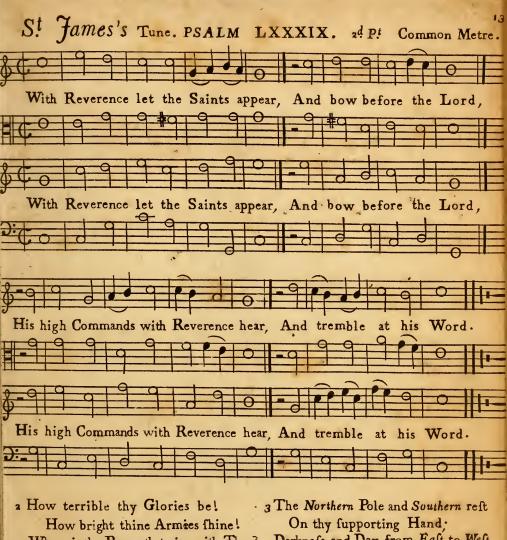


- Thy Connsels, Lord, shall guide my Feet
 Through this dark Wilderness;
 Thine Hand conduct me near thy Seat,
 To dwell before thy Face.
- 4 What if the Springs of Life were broke,
 And Flesh and Heart should faint,
 God is my Soul's eternal Rock,
 The Strength of ev'ry Saint.
- Were I in Heaven without my God,

 Twould be no Joy to me;
 And whilft this Earth is my Abode,
 I long for none but Thee.
- 5 Behold the Sinners that remove
 Far from thy Presence die;
 Not all the Idol gods they love
 Can fave them when they cry.

6 But to draw near to Thee, my God,
Shall be my fweet Employ;
My Tongue shall found thy Works abroad,
And tell the World my Joy.





Where is the Power that vies with Thee? Or Truth compar'd with thine?

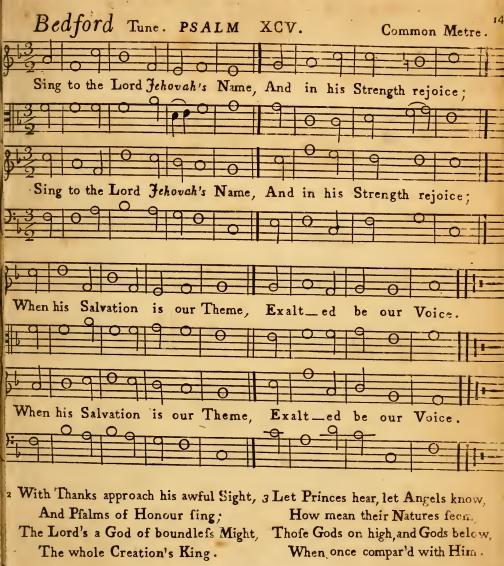
4 Thy Words the raging Wind controul, And rule the boifterous Deep; Thou mak'ft the fleeping Billows roll, The rolling Billows fleep.

Darkness and Day from East to West Move round at thy Command.

5 Heaven, Earth, and Air, and Sea are thine, And the dark World of Hell; How did thine Arm in Vengeance shine When Egypt durst rebel!

6 Justice and Judgment are thy Throne, Yet wondrous is thy Grace: While Truth and Mercy join'd in one Invite us near thy Face.



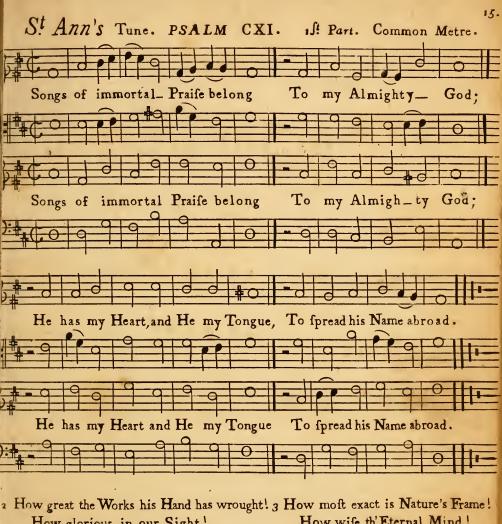


4 Earth with its Caverns dark and deep,
Lies in his spacious Hand;
He fix'd the Seas what Bounds to keep,
And where the Hills must stand.

Come, and with humble Souls adore
Come, kneel before his Face;
O may the Creatuers of his Power
Be Children of his Grace!

6 Now is the Time, he bends his Ear,
And waits for your Request;
Come, left he rouze his Wrath, and swear,
"Ye shall not see my Rest.





How great the Works his Hand has wrought! 3 How most exact is Nature's Frame!

How glorious in our Sight!

And Men in every Age have sought
His Counsels never change the Scheme
That his first Thoughts design'd.

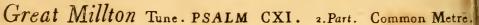
4 When he redeem'd his chosen Sons,
He fix'd his Cow'nant fure:
The Orders that his Lips pronounce
To endless Years endure.

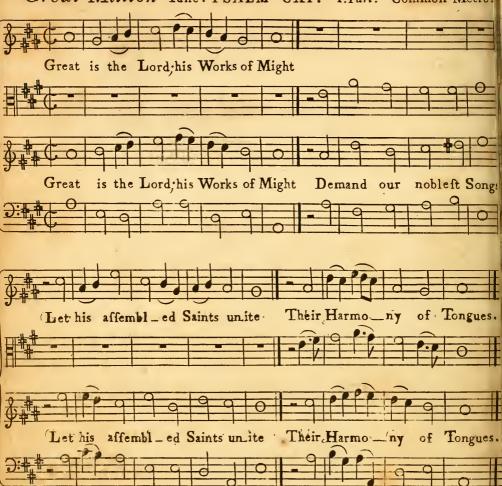
5 Nature and Time, and Earth and Skies
Thy heavenly Skill proclaim:
What shall we do to make us wise,
But learn to read thy Name?

G To fear thy Power to trust thy Grace
Is our divinest Skill;
And he's the wisest of our Race
That best obeys thy Will.



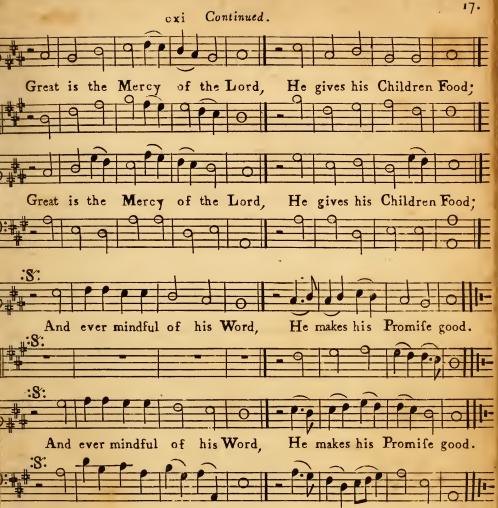




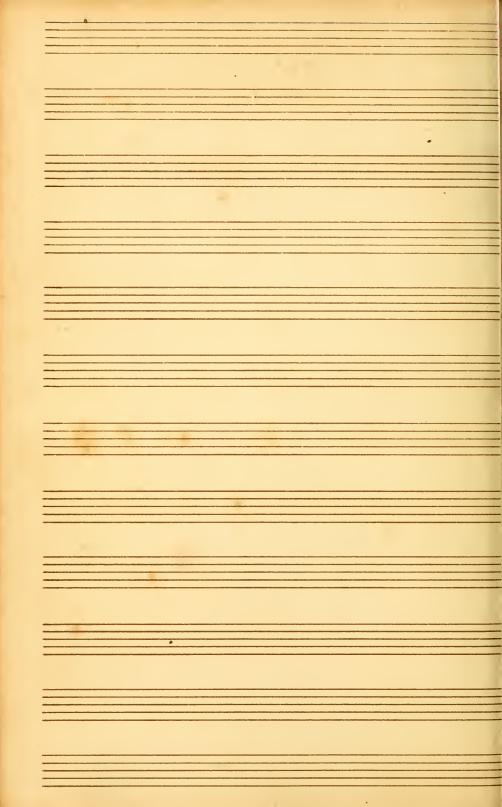


His Son, the great Redeemer, came To feal his Covenant fure: Holy and Reverend is his Name, His Ways are just and pure.





4. They that would grow divinely wife Must with his Fear begin; Our fairest Proof of Knowledge lies In hating every Sin.





O fend thy Spirit down to write Thy Law upon my Heart! Nor let my Tongue indulge Deceit, Nor act the Liar's Part.

From Vanity turn off my Eyes;
Let no corrupt Design
Nor covetous Desires arise
Within this Soul of mine.

Order my Footsteps by thy Word,
And make my Heart sincere;
Let Sin have no Dominion, Lord,
But keep my Conscience clear.

5My Soul hath gone too far aftray, My Feet too often flip; Yet fince I've not forgot thy Way, Restore thy wand ring Sheep.

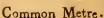
6 Make me to walk in thy Commands;

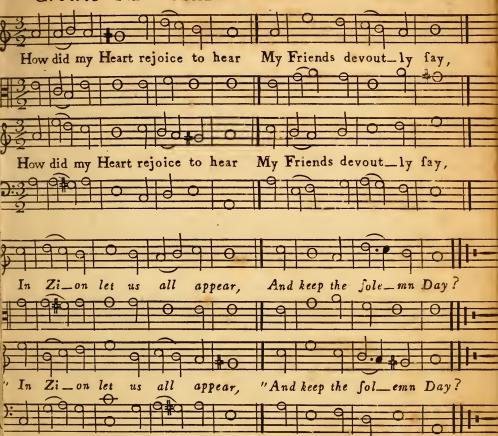
'Tis a delightful Road;

Nor let my Head, or Heart, or Hands,

Offend against my God.

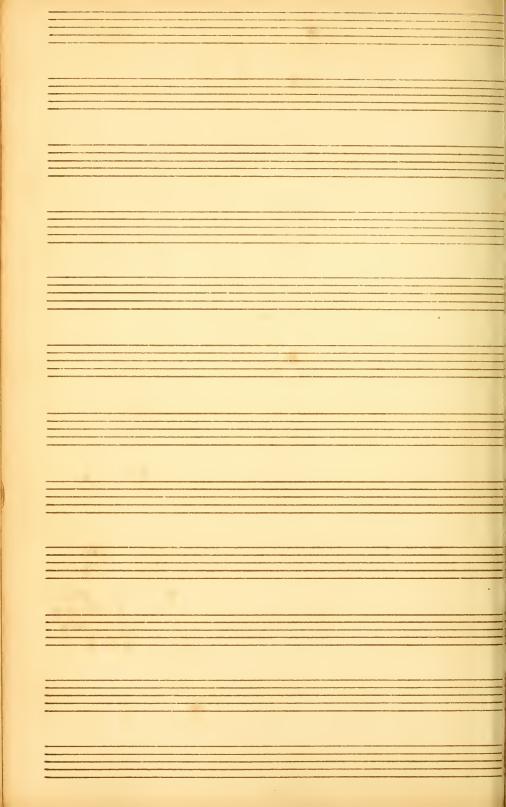






- I love her Gates, I love the Road; The Church adorn'd with Grace Stands like a Palace built for God To fhew his milder Face.
- 4 He hears our Praises and Complaints!
 And while his awful Voice
 Divides the Sinners from the Saints,
 We tremble and rejoice.
- 3 Up to her Courts with Joys unknown
 The holy Tribes repair;
 The Son of David holds his Throne,
 And fits in Judgment there.
- And Joy a conftant Guest!
 With holy Gifts and heav nly Grace
 Be her Attendants blest!

6 My Soul shall pray for Zion still, While Life or Breath remains; There my best Friends, my Kindred dwell, There God my Saviour reigns.





S! David's Tune. PSALM CXXXV. Common Metre.

Your fweet-est Passion is raise,

A-wake, ye Saints: To praise your King Your sweetest Passions raise,

In_creasing with the Praise.

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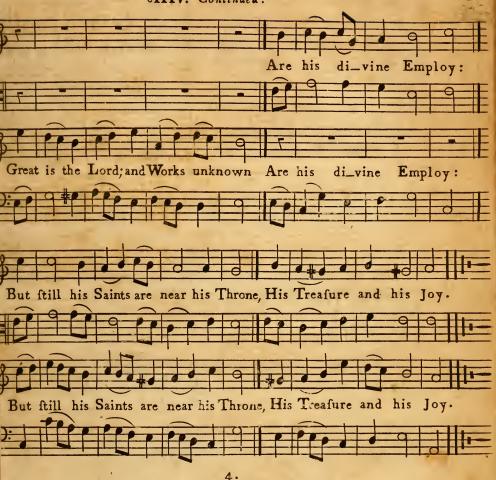
Heaven, Earth, and Sea confess his Hand;
He bids the Vapours rise;
Lightning and Storm at his Command
Sweep thro' the founding Skies.

Which of the Stocks and Stones they trust
Can give them Show'rs of Rain?
In vain they worship glitt'ring Dust,
And pray to Gold in vain.

Blind are their Eyes, their Ears are deaf,
Nor hear when Mortals pray;
Mortals that wait for their Relief,
Are blind and deaf as they.)







All Power that Gods or Kings have claim'd

Is found with him alone:

But Heathen Gods should ne'er be nam'd

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(Their Gods have Tongues that cannot talk,
Such as their Makers gave:
Their Feet were ne'er defign'd to walk,

Nor Hands have Pow'r to fave.

O Britain, know thy living God,
Serve him with Faith and Fear;
He makes thy Churches his Abode,
And claims thine Honours there.

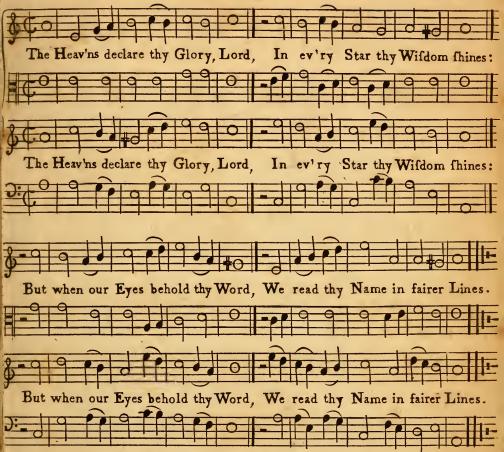




- Tis He that girds me with his Might, Gives me his holy Sword to weild; And while with Sin and Hell I fight, Spreads his Salvation for my Shield.
- Before the Scoffers of the Age
 I will exalt my Father's Name,
 Nor tremble at their mighty Rage,
 But meet Reproach, and bear my Shame.
- 3He lives, (and bleffed be my Rock)
 The God of my Solvation lives,
 The dark Defigns of Hell are broke;
 Sweet is the Peace the Father gives.
- 5To David and his Royal Seed
 Thy Grace for ever fhall extend;
 Thy Love to Saints in Christ their Head
 Knows not a Limit, nor an End.



Long Metre.



- The rolling Sun, the changing Light,
 And Nights and Days thy Power confess,
 But the blest Volume thou hast writ
 Reveals thy Justice and thy Grace.
- 4 Nor shall thy spreading Gospel rest
 Till thro' the World thy Truth has run;
 Till Christ has all the Nations blest
 That see the Light, or feel the Sun.
- 3 Sun, Moon and Stars conveythy Praife Round the whole Earth, and never stand: So when thy Truth begun its Race, It touch'd, and glanc'd on ev'ry Land.
- Great Sun of Righteousness, arise,
 Bless the dark World with heav hly Light;
 Thy Gospel makes the Simple wise,
 Thy Laws are pure, thy Judgments right.

Thy noblest Wonders here we view
In Souls renew'd, and Sins forgiv'n:
Lord, cleanse my Sins, my Soul renew,
And make thy Word my Guide to Heav'n.



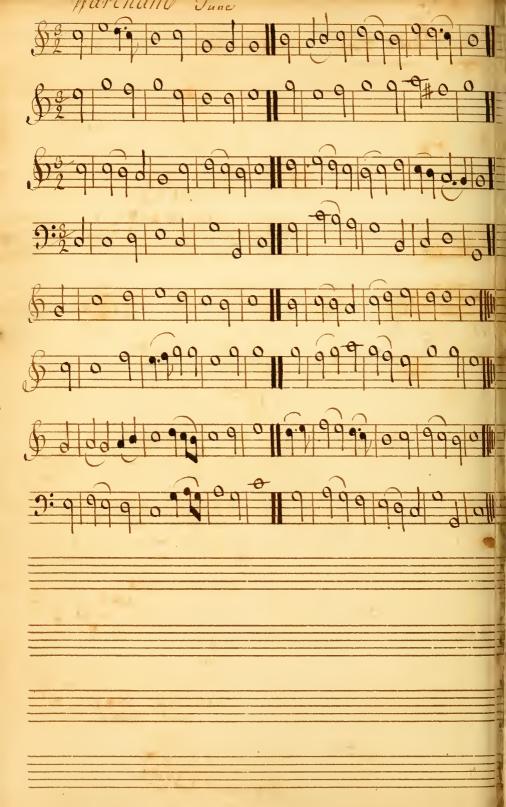


For ever firm thy Justice stands, As Mountains their Foundations keep; Wise are the Wonders of thy Hands; Thy Judgments are a mighty Deep.

My God; how excellent thy Grace!
Whence all our Hope and Comfort fprings;
The Sons of Adam in Diftress
Fly to the Shadow of thy Wings.

- 3 Thy Providence is kind and large, Both Man and Beaft thy Bounty share; The whole Creation is thy Charge, But Saints are thy peculiar Care.
- From the Provisions of thy House We shall be fed with sweet Repast; There Mercy like a River flows, And brings Salvation to our Taste.

6 Life like a Fountain rich and free Spring from the Prefence of my Lord; And in thy Light our Souls shall see The Glories promis'd in thy Word.



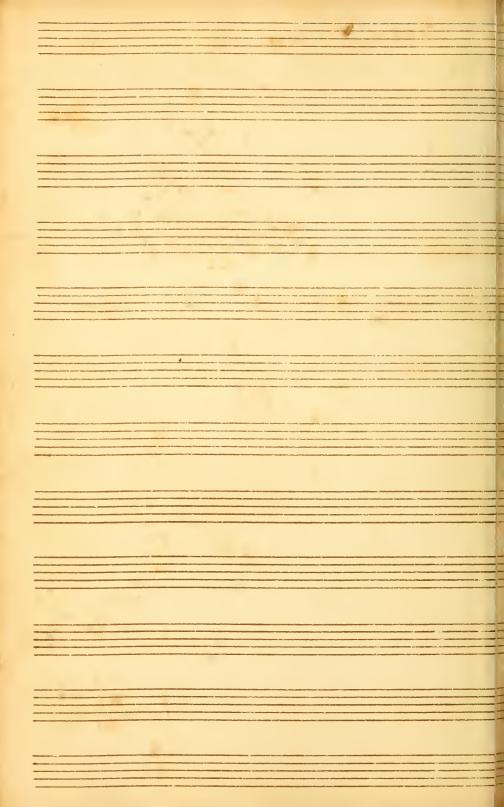
Long Metre.



- 2 Thou Great and Good, thou Just and Wise, Thou art my Father and my God; And I am thine by facred Ties; Thy Son, thy Servant bought with Blood. Pant for the cooling Water-brook.
- 4 With early Feet I love t'appear Among thy Saints, and feek thy Face, Oft have I feen thy Glory there, And felt the Power of Sovereign Grace.
- 6 My Life itself without thy Love No Taste of Pleasure could afford; 'Twould but a tirefome Burden prove, If I were banish'd from the Lord.

- 3 With Heart and Eyes and lifted Hands For Thee I long to Thee I look, As Travelors in thirsty Lands
- 5 Not Fruits nor Wines that tempt our Tafte Nor all the Joys our Senses know, Could make me fo divinely bleft, Or raise my chearful Passion so.
- 7 Amidst the wakeful Hours of Night, When bufy Cares afflict my Head, One Thought of Thee gives new Delight, And adds Refreshment to my Bed.

8 I'll lift my Hands I'll raise my Voice, While I have Breath to pray or praise; This Work shall make my Heart rejoice, And spend the Remnant of my Days.

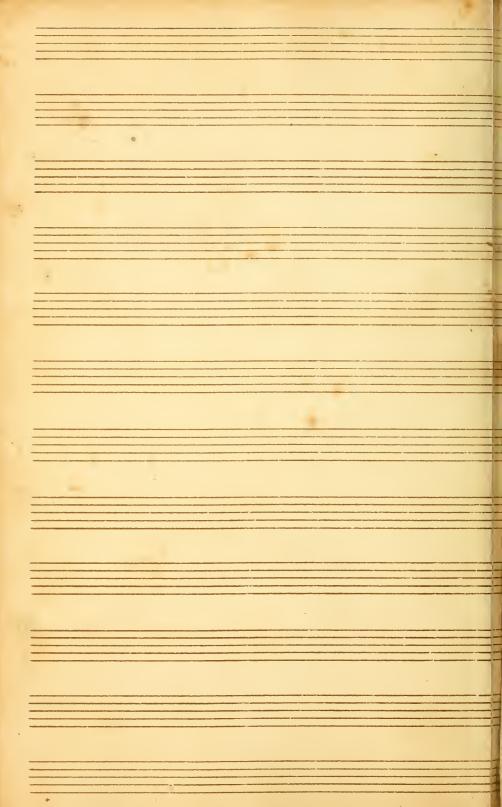


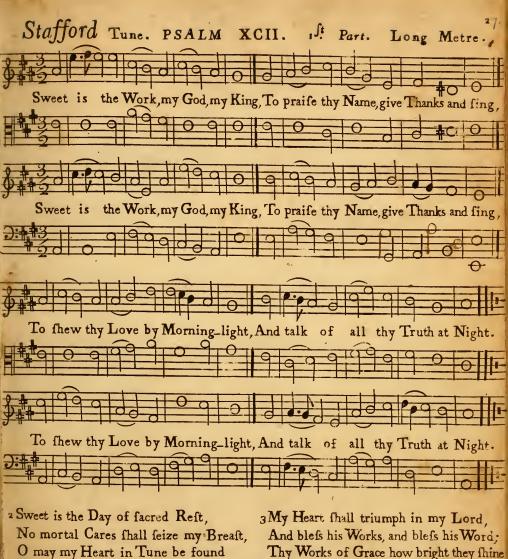


- My Flesh would rest in thine Abode, My panting Heart cries out for God; My God! my King! why should I be So far from all my Joys and Thee?
- 4 Blest are the Saints who sit on high Around thy Throne of Majesty; Thy brightest Glories shine above, And all their Work is Praise and Love.
- 6 Bleft are the Men whose Hearts are set To find the Way to Zion's Gate; God is their Strength: and through Road They lean upon their Helper God.

- The Sparrow chuses where to rest, And for her Young provides her Nest; But will my God to Sparrows grant That Pleasure which his Children want?
- Bleft are the Souls that find a Place Within the Temple of thy Grace;
 There they behold thy gentler Rays,
 And feek thy Face, and learn thy Praife.

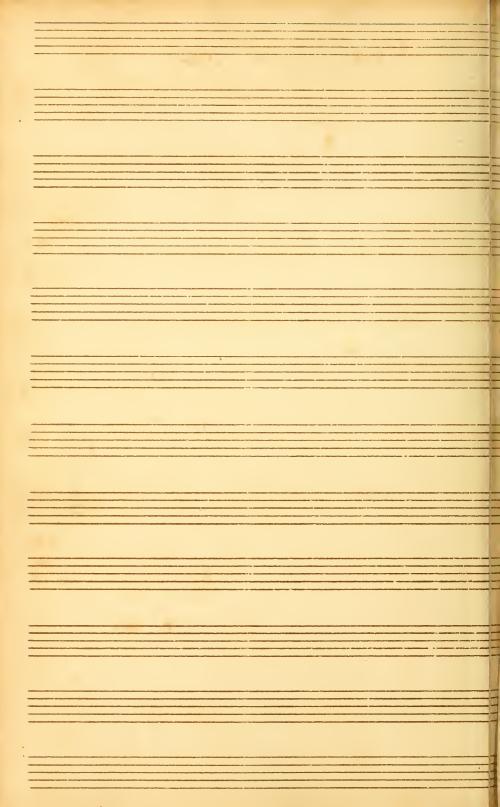
7 Chearful they walk with growing Strength,
'Till all shall meet in Heaven at length,
Till all before thy Face appear,
And join in nobler Worship there.





- Like David's Harp of folemn Sound!
- 4 Fools never raise their Thoughts so high; Like Brutes they live, like Brutes they die; Like Grass they flourish, till thy Breath Blast them in everlasting Death.
- 6Sin (my worst Enemy before) Shall vex my Eyes and Ears no more: My inward Foes shall all be slain, Nor Satan break my Peace again.

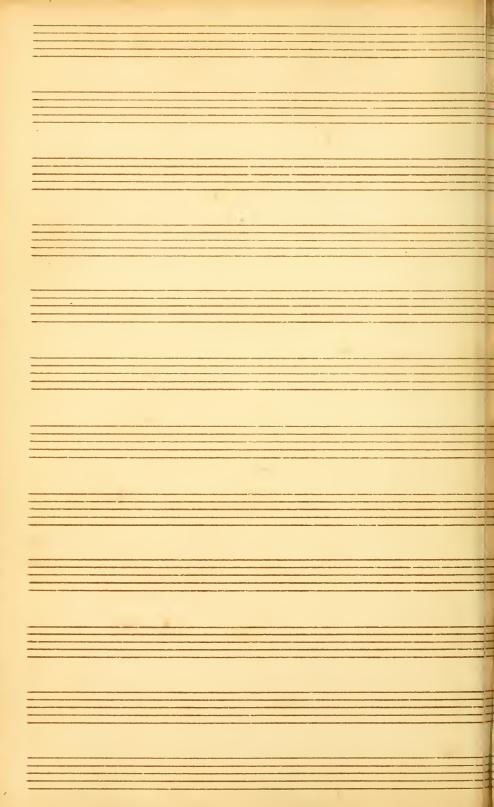
- How deep thy Counfels! how divine!
- 5 But I shall share a glorious Part When Grace hath well refin'd my Heart, And fresh Supplies of Joy are shed Like hely Oil to chear my Head .
- 7 Then shall I fee, and hear, and know, All I defir'd or wish'd below; And every Power find fweet Employ In that eternal World of Joy.

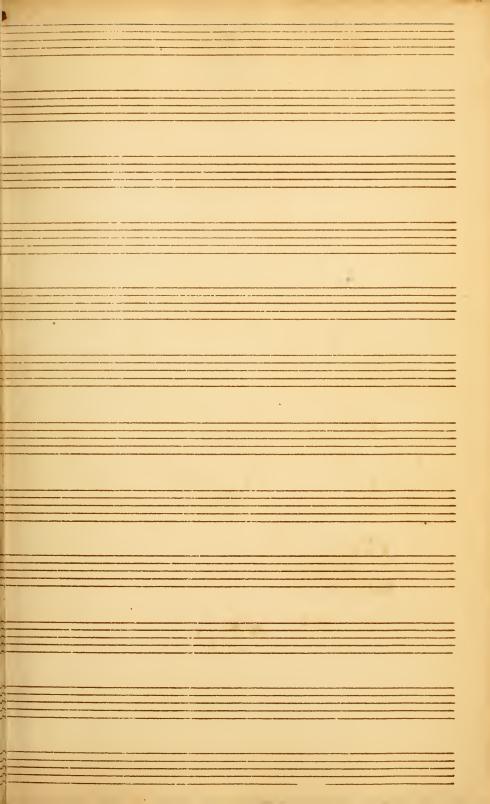


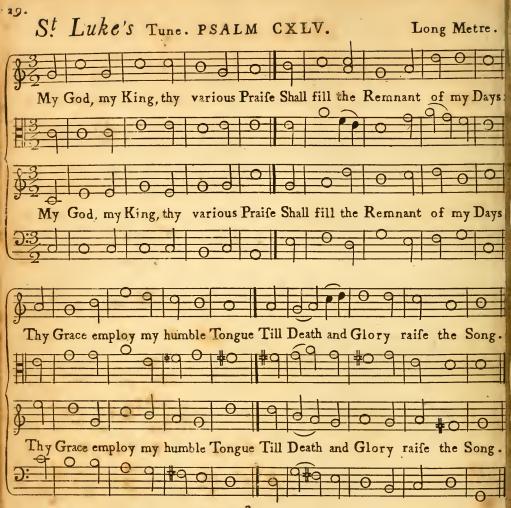


- 2 Nations attend before his Throne
 With folemn Fear, with facred Joy:
 Know that the Lord is God alone;
 He can create, and He destroy.
- 4 We are his people, we his Care, Our Souls, and all our mortal Frame: What lasting Honours shall we rear, Almighy Maker, to thy Name?
- 3 His fov'reign Power without our Aid Made us of Clay, and form'd us Men: And when like wandring Sheep we stray'd, He brought us to his Fold again.
- We'll croud thy Gates with thankful Songs, High as the Heaven, our Voices raife: And Earth with her ten thousand Tongues: Shall fill thy Courts with founding Praise.

6Wide as the World is thy Command, Vaft as Eternity thy Love; Firm as a Rock thy Truth must stand, When rolling Years shall cease to move.

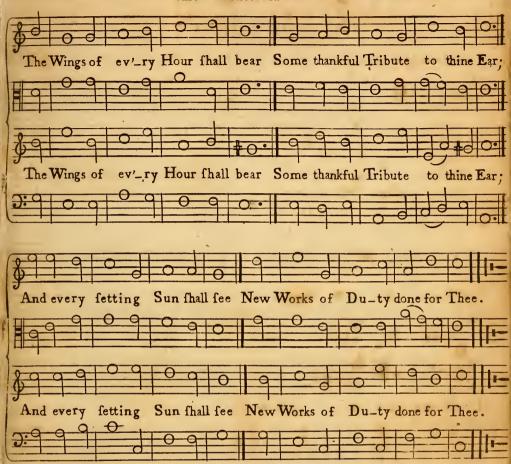






Thy Truth and Justice I'll proclaim;
Thy Bounty flows, an endless Stream;
Thy Mercy swift; thine Anger slow,
But dreadful to the stubborn Foe.

Let distant Times and Nations raise
The long Succession of thy Praise:
And unborn Ages make my Song
The Joy and Labour of their Tongue.

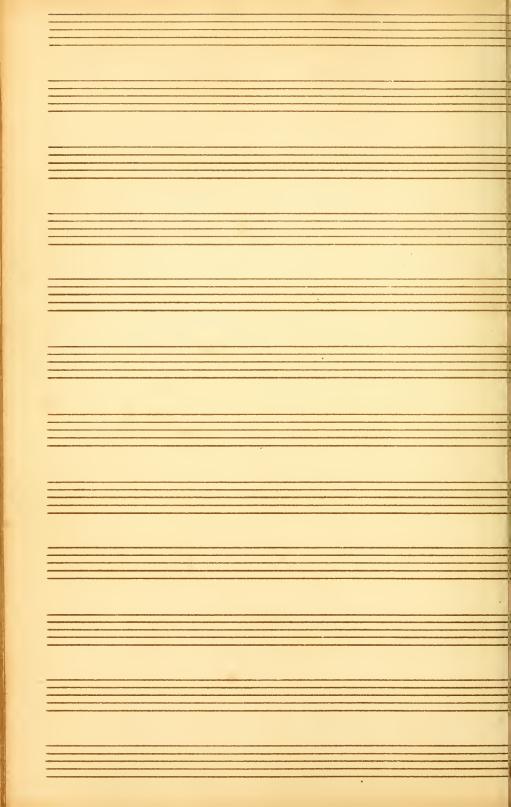


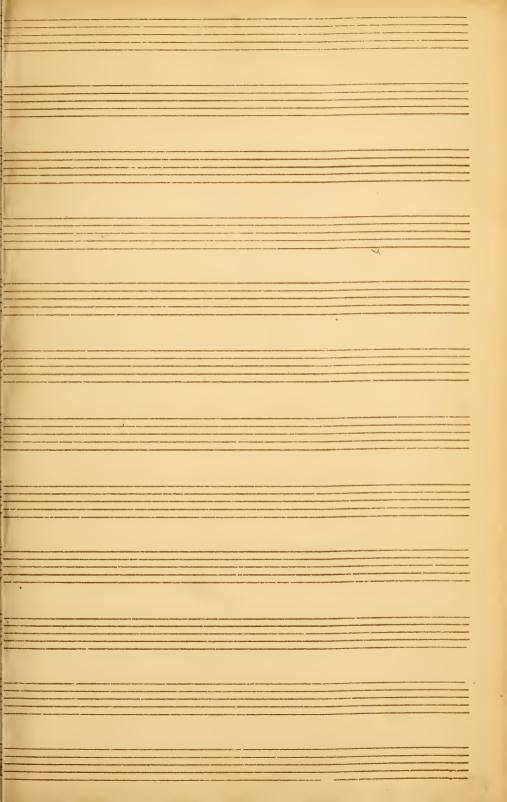
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Thy Works with fov'reign Glory shine; And speak thy Majesty divine; Let Britain round her Shores proclaim The Sound and Honour of thy Name.

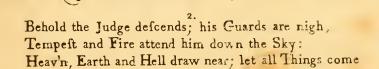
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But who can speak thy wondrous Deeds? Thy Greatness all our Thoughts exceeds; Vast and unsearchable thy Ways, Vast and immortal be thy Praise.



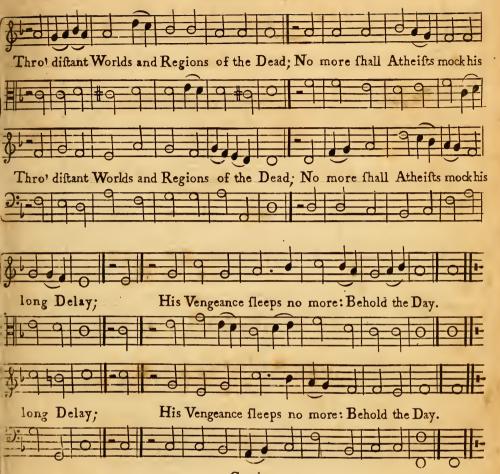






Behold my Covenant stands for ever good,
Seal'd by th' Eternal Sacrifice in Blood,
And sign'd with all their Names; the Greek, the Jew,

I their Almighty Saviour and their God, I am their Judge: Ye Heav'ns proclaim abroad My just eternal Sentence, and declare



To hear his Justice and the Sinners Doom;
But gather first my Saints (the Judge commands)
Bring them, ye Angels, from their distant Lands.

That paid the antient Worship or the new,

There's no Distinction here; Come spread their Thrones,

And near me seat my Fav'rites and my Sons.

Those awful Truths that Sinners dread to hear; Sinners in Zion, tremble and retire; I doom the painted Hypocrite to Fire.





- Lord of the Worlds above,
 How pleafant and how fair
 The Dwellings of thy Love,
 Thy earthly Temples are!
 To thine Abode
 My Heart aspires,
 With warm Defires
 To see my God.
- Where God appoints to hear!
 O happy Men that pay
 Their constant Service there!
 They praise Thee still;
 And happy they
 That love the Way

To Zion's Hill.

- 2 The Sparrow for her Young
 With Pleafure feeks a Neft,
 And wand'ring Swallows long
 To find their wonted Reft:
 My Spirit faints
 With equal Zeal
 To rife and dwell
 Among thy Saints.
- 4 They go from Strength to Strength,
 Thro' this dark Vale of Terror
 'Till each arrives at length,
 'Till each in Heav'n appears:
 O glorious Seat,
 When God our King
 Shall thither bring
 Our willing Feet!





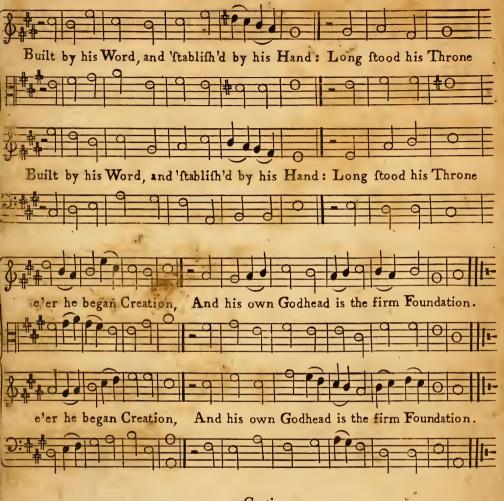


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God is the ternal King. Thy Foes in vain Raife their Rebellions to confound thy Reign: In vain the Storms; in vain the Floods arife,

3. Conti.

Ye Tempests rage no more; Ye Floods be still, And the mad World submissive to his Will; Built on his Truth his Church must ever stand;



2. Conti.

And roar, and toss their Waves against the Skies; Foaming at Heaven they rage with wild Commotion, But Heaven's high Arches scorn the swelling Ocean.

3. Conti.

Firm are his Promises, and strong his Hand: See his own Sons, when they appear before him, Bow at his Foot_stool, and with Fear adore him.





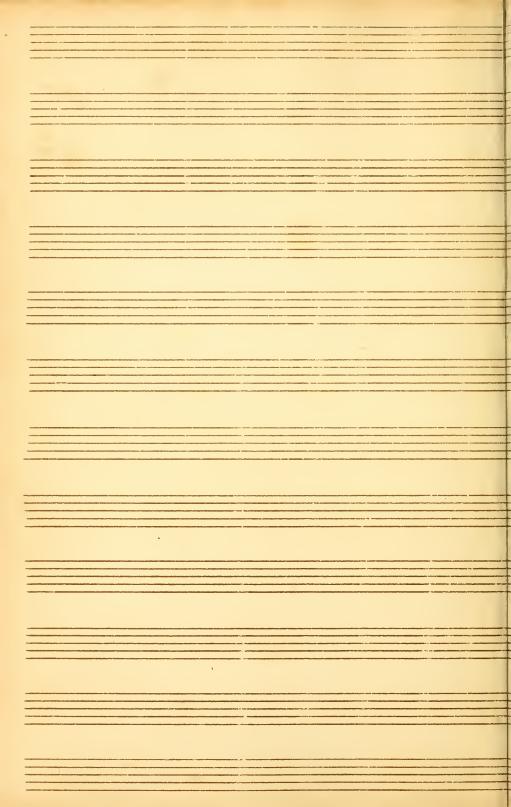
The Lord Jehovah reigns,
And royal State maintains,
His Head with awful Glories crown'd;
Array'd in Robes of Light,
Begirt with fovereign Might,
And Rays of Majesty around.

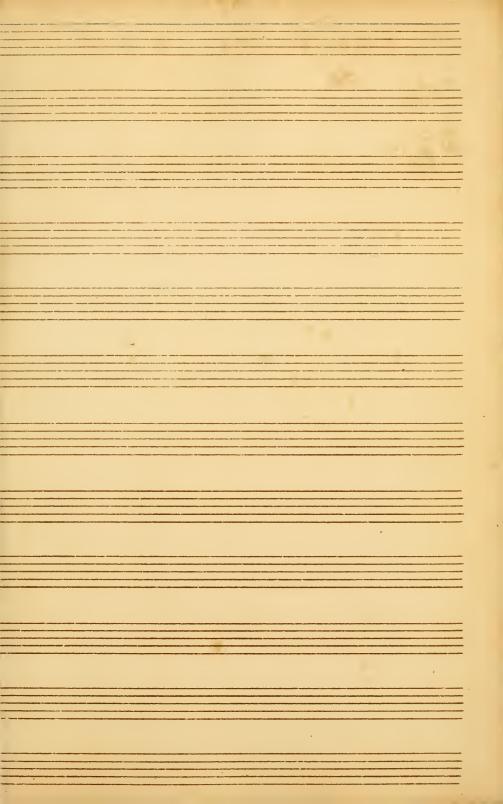
In vain the noify Croud,
Like Billows fierce and loud,
Against thine Empire rage and roar;
In vain with angry Spight
The surly Nations fight,
And dash like Waves against the Shore.

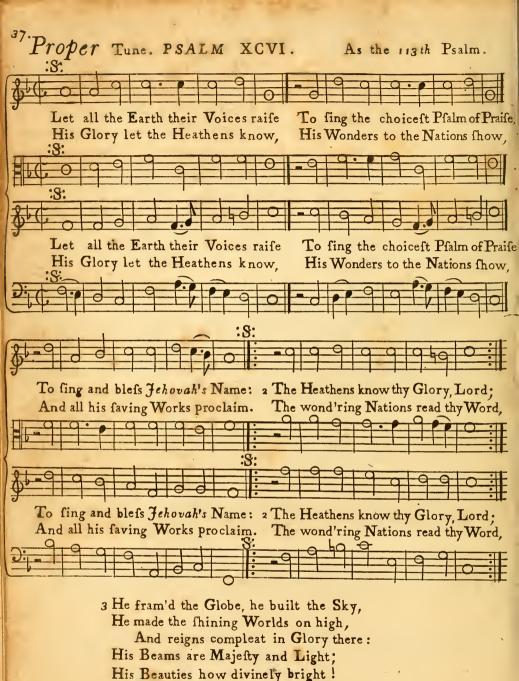
Upheld by thy Commands
The World fecurely stands;
And Skies and Stars obey thy Word:
Thy Throne was fix'd on high
Before the starry Sky;
Eternal is thy Kingdom, Lord.

4 Let Floods and Nations rage,
And all their Powers engage,
Let fwelling Tides affault the Sky,
The Terrors of thy Frown
Shall beat their Madness down;
Thy Throne for ever stands on high.

Thy Promifes are true
Thy Grace is ever new:
There fix'd thy Church shall ne'er remove;
Thy Saints with holy Fear
Shall in thy Courts appear,
And sing thine everlasting Love.

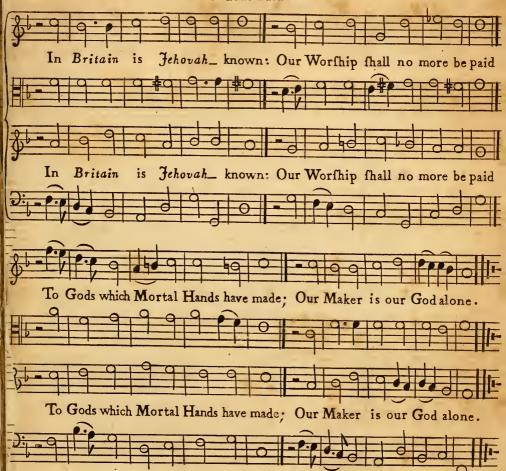




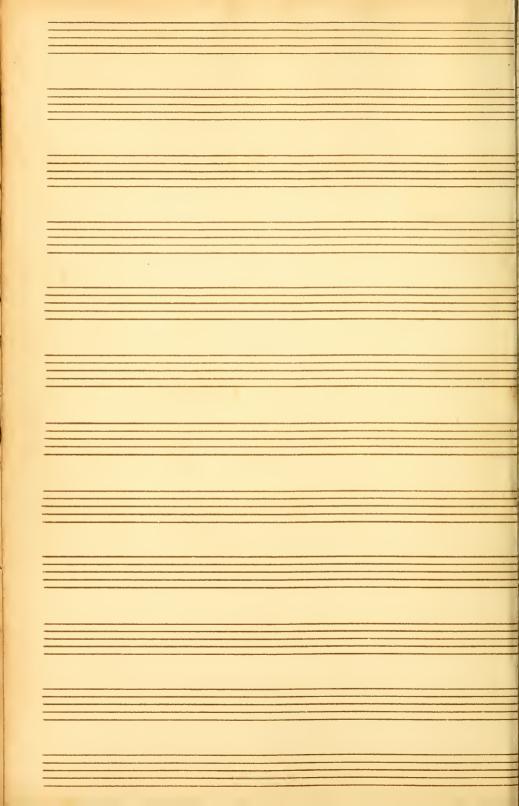


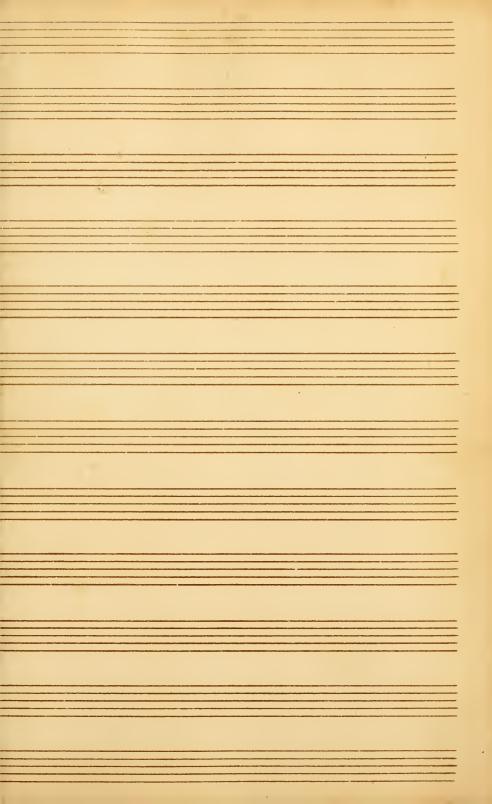
4 Come the great Day, the glorious Hour, When Earth shall feel his faving Power,

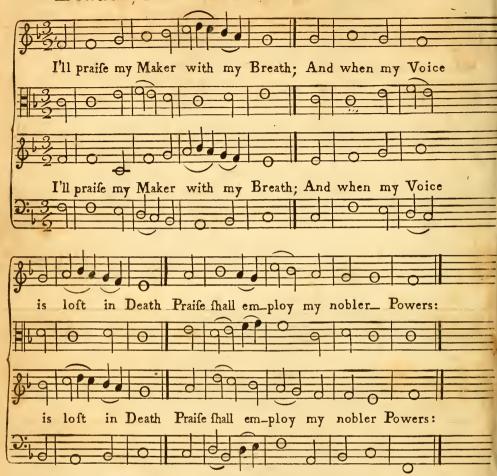
His Temple how divinely fair!



And barbarous Nations fear his Name!
Then shall the Race of Men confess
The Beauty of his Holiness,
And in his Courts his Grace proclaim.





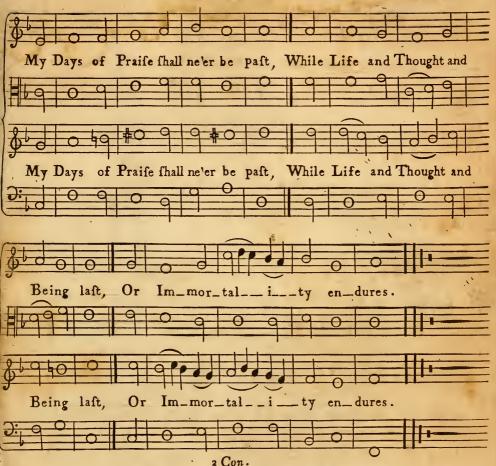


Why should I make a Man my Trust?
Princes must die and turn to Dust;
Vain is the Help of Flesh and Blood;

Happy the Man whose Hopes rely
On Israel's God: He made the Sky,
And Earth and Seas with all their Train;

The Lord hath Eyes to give the Blind:
The Lord supports the finking Mind;
He sends the lab'ring Conscience Peace,

He loves his Saints, he knows them well, But turns the wicked down to Hell; Thy God, O Zion, ever reigns;



Their Breath departs, their Pomp and Power And Thoughts all vanish in an Hour,
Nor can they make their Promise good.

3 Con.

His Truth for ever stands secure:

He saves th' Opprest, he feeds the Poor,

And none shall find his Promise vain.

He helps the Stranger in Distress,

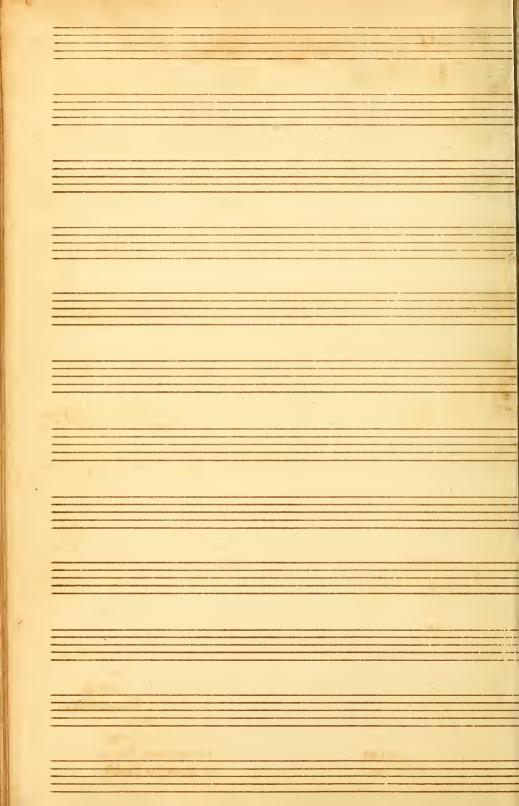
The Widow and the Fatherless

And grants the Pris'ner sweet Release.

5 Con.

Let order Toward let every Age.

Let ev'ry Tongue, let ev'ry Age, In this exalted Work engage; Praise him in everlasting Strains.





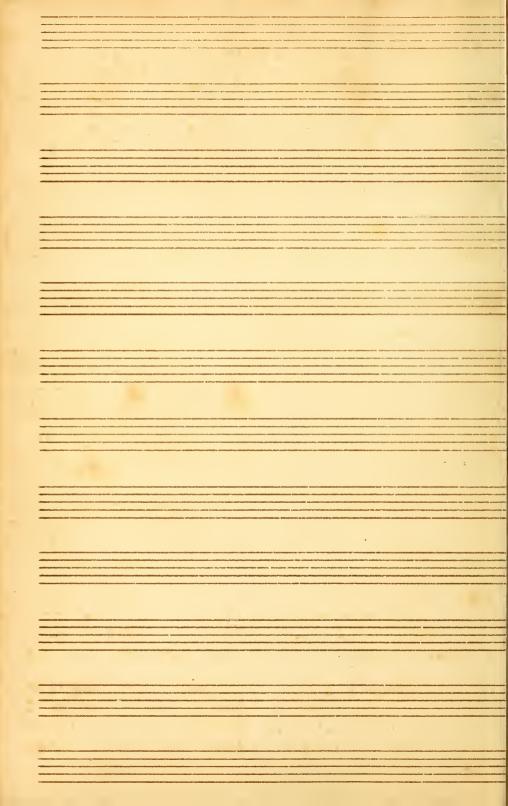
Ye Tribes of Adam, join With Heaven and Earth and Seas, And offer Notes divine To your Creator's Praise.

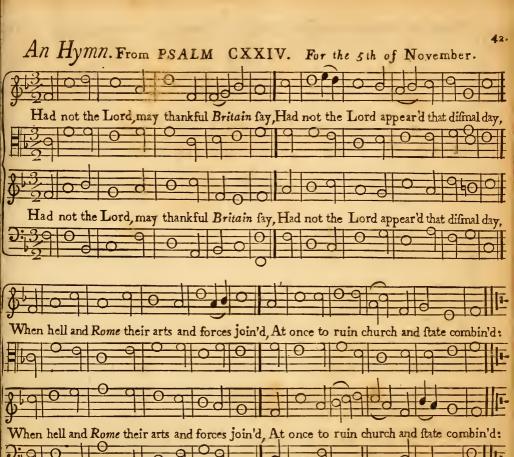
Ye holy Throng Of Angels bright, In Worlds of Light Begin the Song.

3 The shining Worlds above In glorious Order stand, Or in fwift Courfes move By his supreme Command. He spake the Word, And all their Frame From Nothing came To Praise the Lord .

2 Thou Sun with dazling Rays, And Moon that rules the Night, Shine to your Maker's Praife, With Stars of twinkling Light. His Power declare. Ye Floods on high, And Clouds that fly In empty Air.

4 He mov'd their mighty Wheels In unknown Ages past, And each his Word fulfils . While Time and Nature last. In different Ways His Works proclaim . His wond'rous Name, And speak his Praise.





Had not the Lord engag'd in our defence, Repel'd their rage and check'd their infolence, Or from their plots remov'd the thick difguife, And laid their schemes all open to our eyes:

Bleft be the Lord who then maintain'd our cause And snatch'd the prey from their devouring jaws: He quell'd their fury and rebuk'd their pride, And made the swelling waves at once subside.

For ever blest be God, the Almighty Lord,
'Twas he alone our gasping hopes restor'd:
Our laws and our religion were his care,
He shew'd the danger, and he broke the snare.

Sure they had glutted their revenge and spite,
Destroy'd our nation, and devour'd us quite:
Their swelling rage had overwhelm'd our soul,
For none but he could those proud waves controul.

Just as th'entangled bird escapes the snare,
Breaks thro'the net and chearful mounts the air:
So we escap'd the murd'ring blast and stroke,
Their hosts were scatter'd, and their snares were
broke

With humble truth let's still on him depend, He's prompt to help, and able to defend: He built the world, and still supports the frame, Mighty to save: Jehovah is his Name.

An Hymn. From PSALM CXLIX. S! Gorges Tune.



O Praise ye the Lord, prepare a new Song, And let all his Saints in full Confort join: Ye Tribes all affemble the Feast to prolong, In solemn Procession with Musick divine.

O Israel, in Him that made thee rejoice; Let all Zion's Sons exult in their King; While to martial Dances you join a glad Voice, Your lutes harps and timbrels in harmony bring.

The Lord in his Saints still finds his Delight;
Salvation from Him the Meek shall adorn;
They well may be joyful, sustain'd by his Might,
And crown'd by his favour may lift up their horn.

Let Carpets be spread, and Banquets prepar'd Those Altars around, whence Incense ascends; Whilst Anthems of Glory thro' Salem are heard, And God, whom we worship, indulgent attends.



The GAMUT, or Scale of MUSICK.

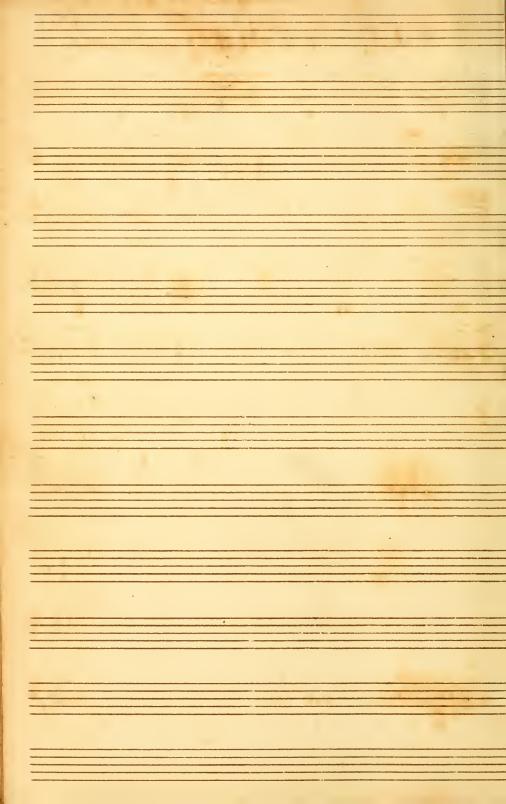


The Bass or Ffaut Clef is mark'd thus \ni ; The Tenor or Csolfaut Clef mark'd thus \ddagger , The Treble or Gsolreut Clef thus \Rightarrow , A Flat thus \lor , A Sharp thus \ddagger , A Natural thus \lnot , A Repeat thus \vcentcolon 8:, A Slur thus \frown , A Hold thus \frown , A Direct thus n.

NOTES, and Characters of TIME, Explained.

Common TIME.	Triple TIME.
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is 2. Minums,	_ d 9 d is 3. Minums,
or 4. Crotchets,	7 Illi or 6. Crotchets.
or 8. Quavers, []]] []]]	7 One Pointed Quaver,
or 16. Semiquavers. III EEEE III EEEE	7 Is 3. Semiquavers.

The Point of Addition, is allways plac'd on the right side of any Note; If you see a Semibreve Pointed, 'tis as long as 3 Minums; a Pointed Minum as long as 3 Crotcets; a Pointed Crotchet as long as 3 Quavers. (viz) You must observe that a Point Adds to any Note half as long again.

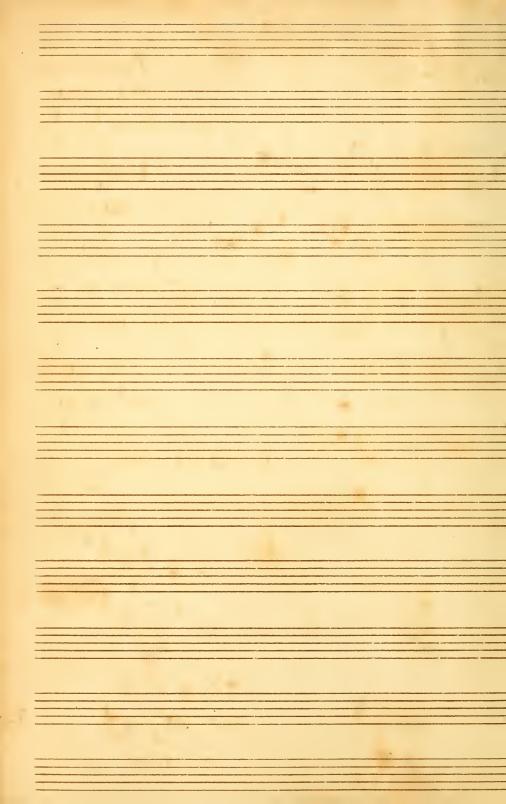


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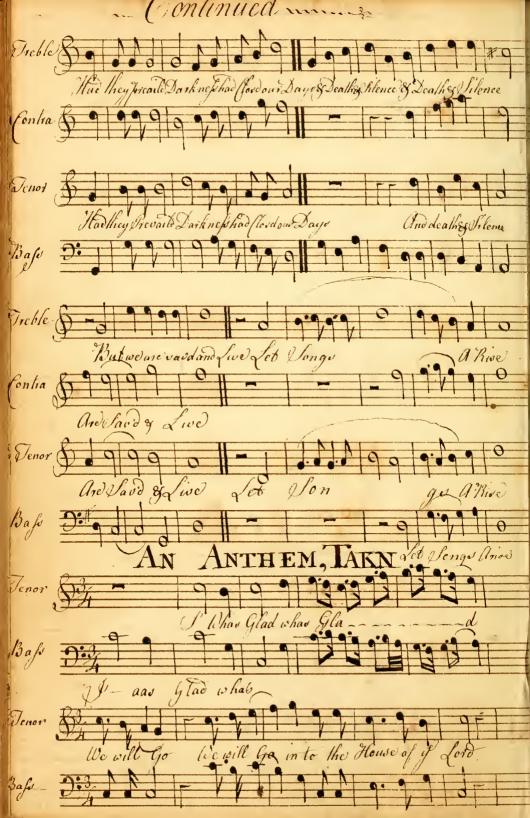
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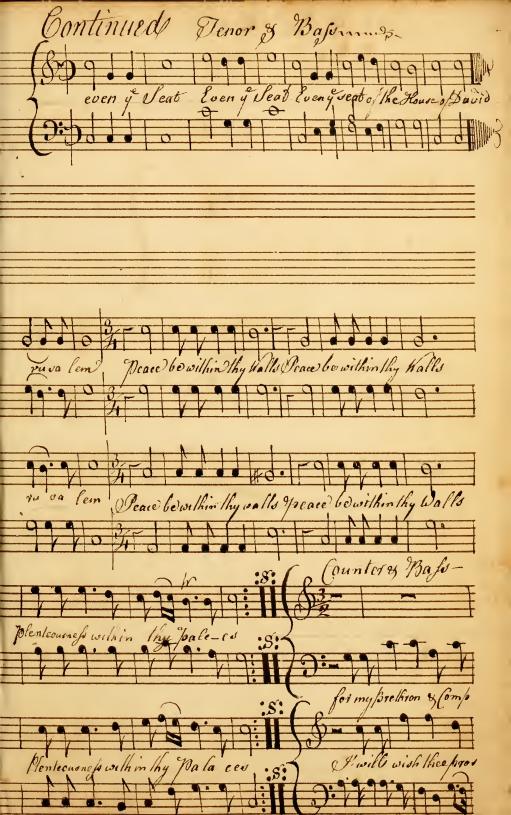










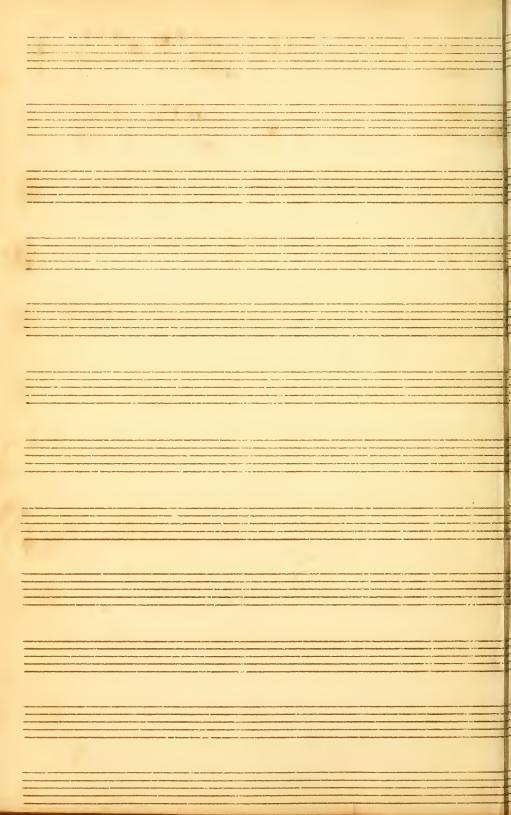


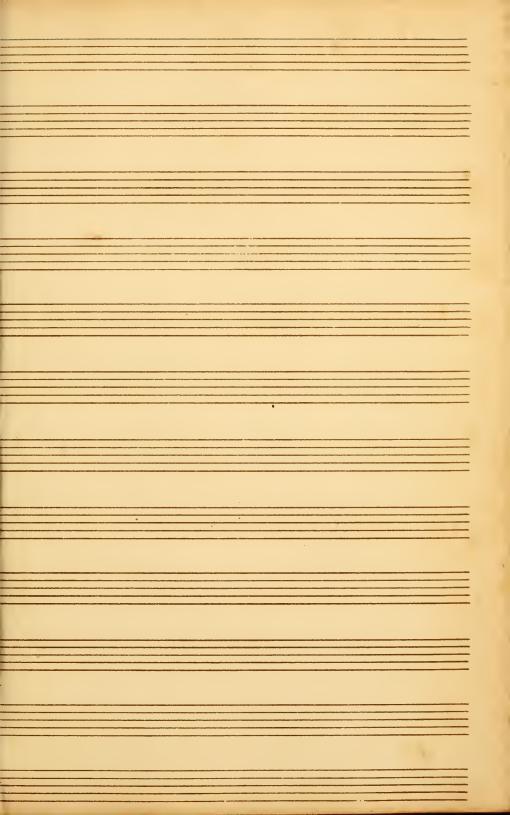
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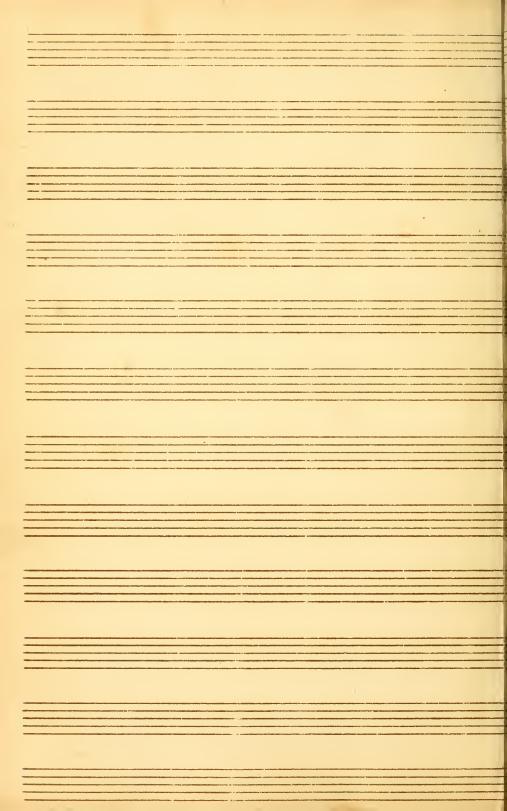


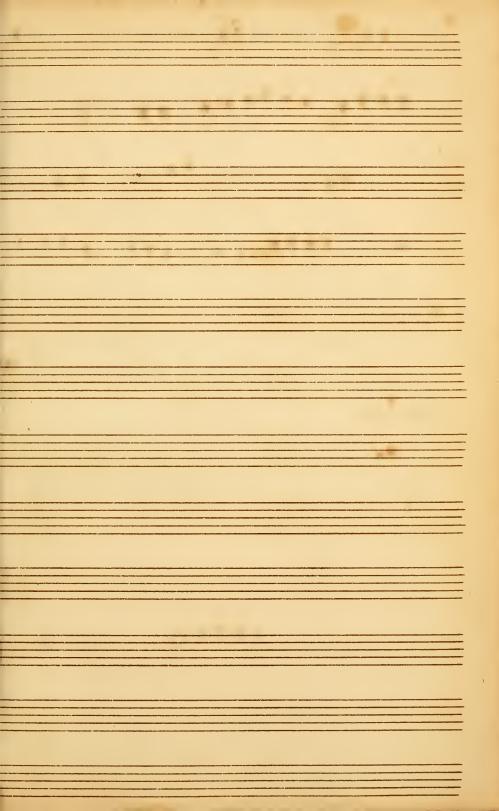












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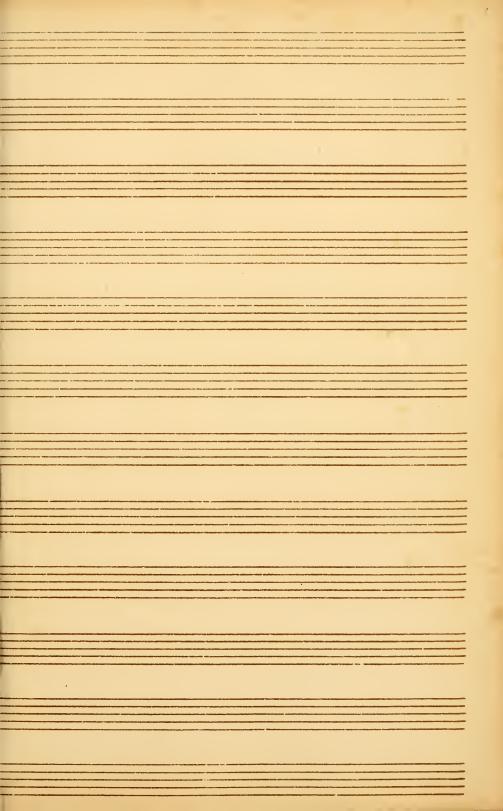
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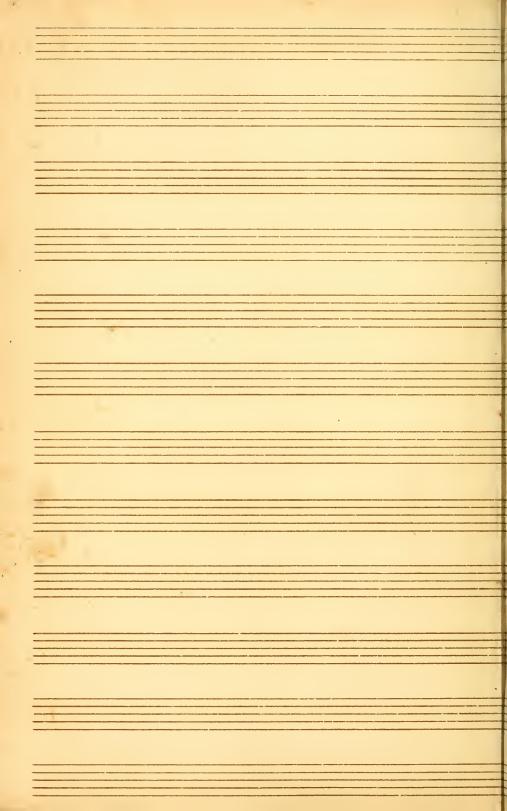
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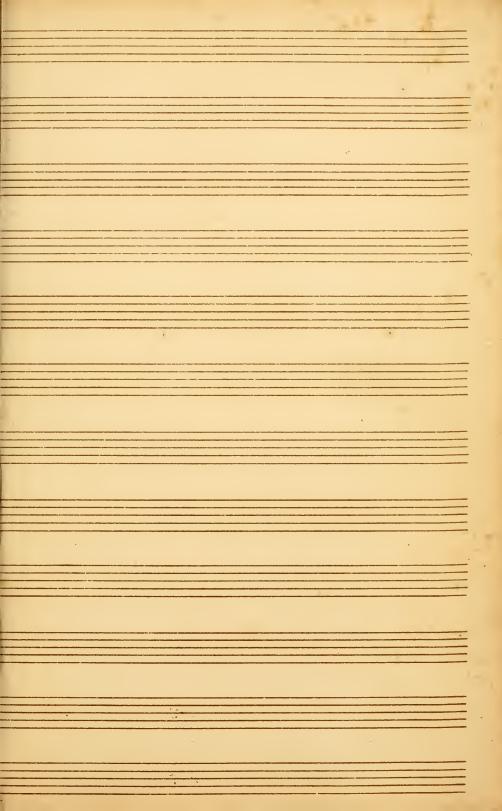
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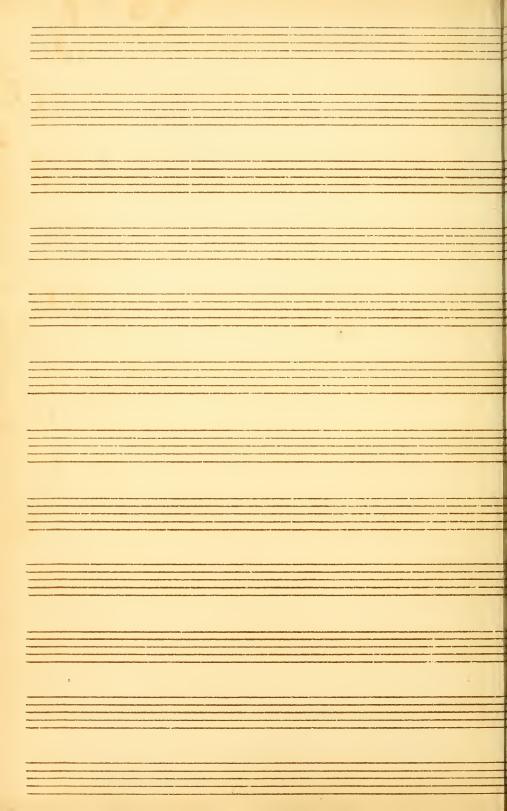


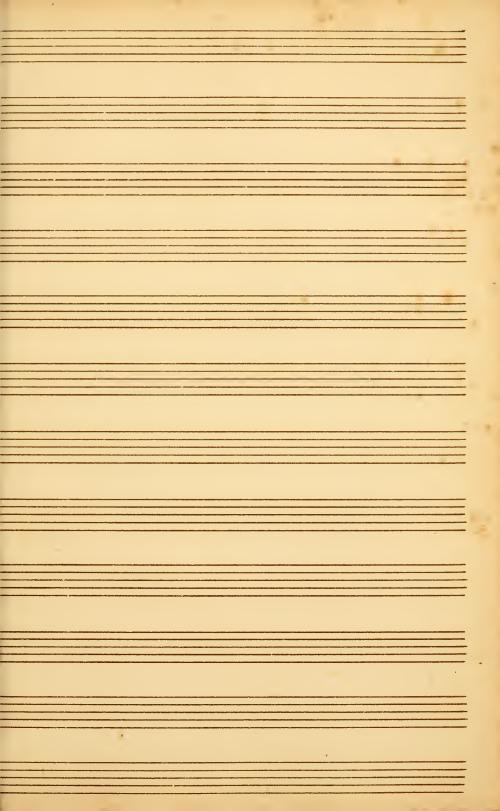


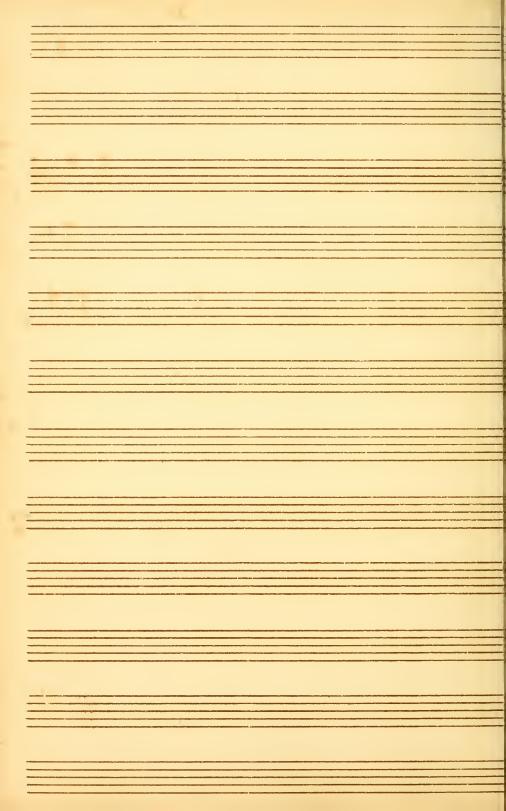


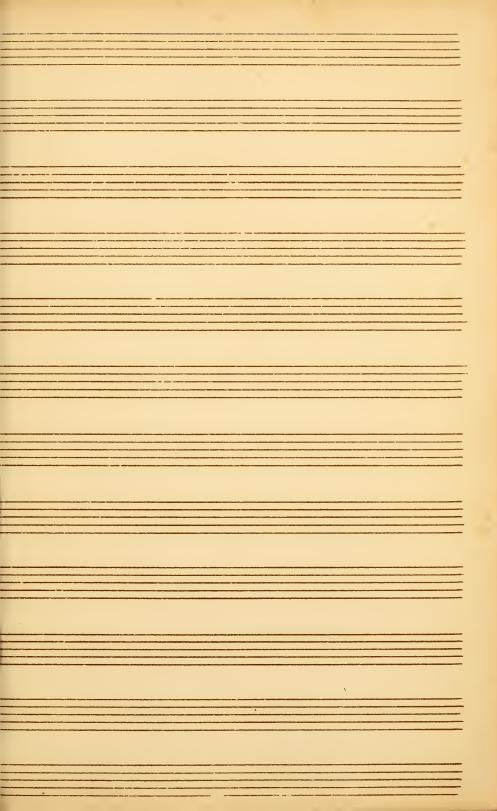


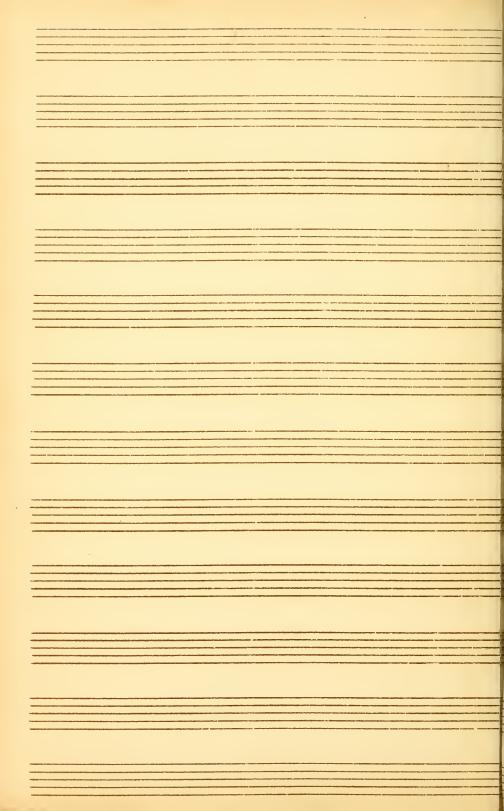


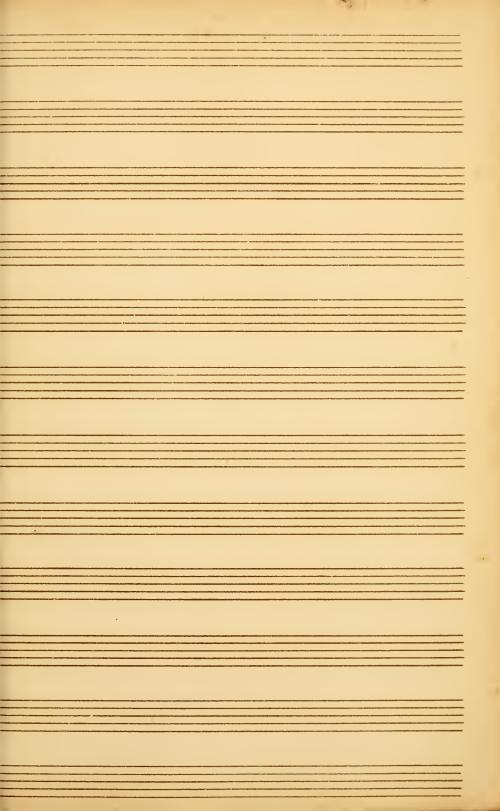


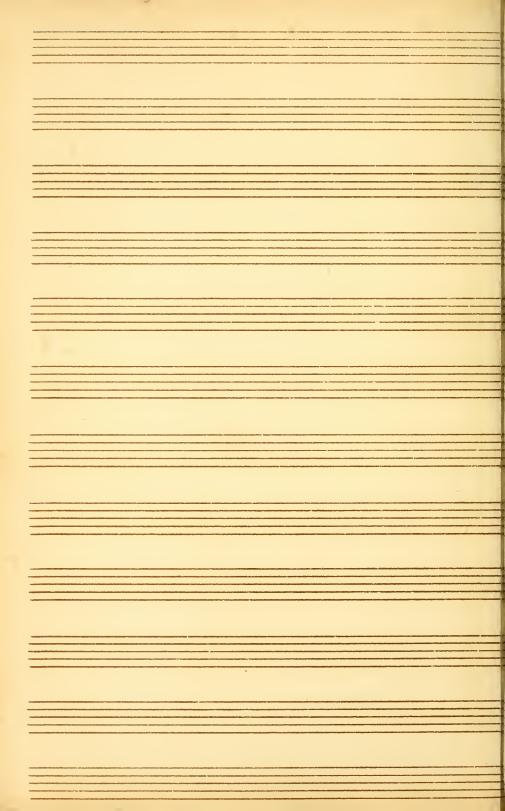


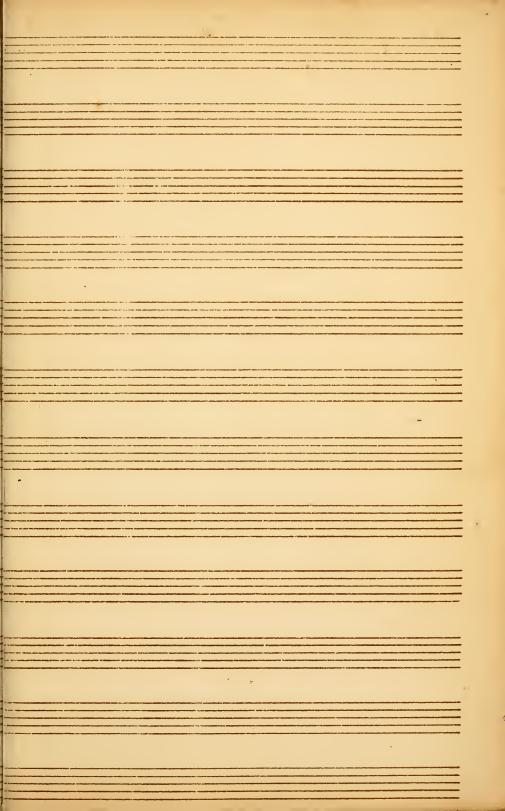


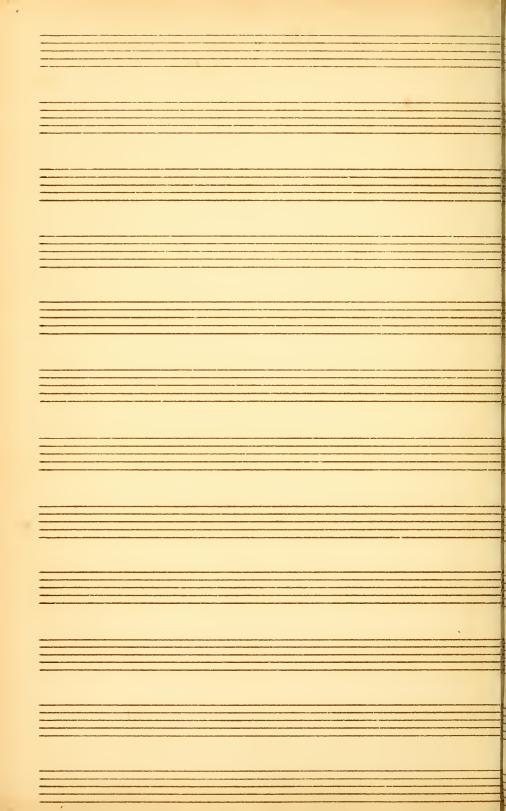


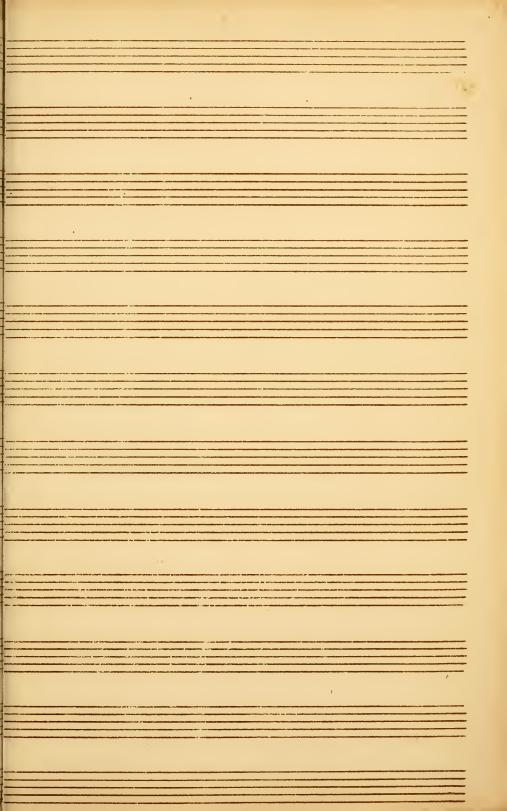


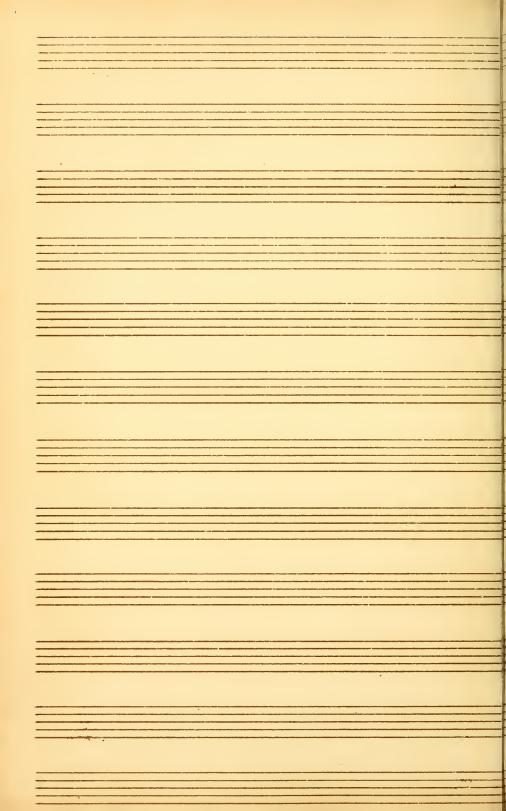


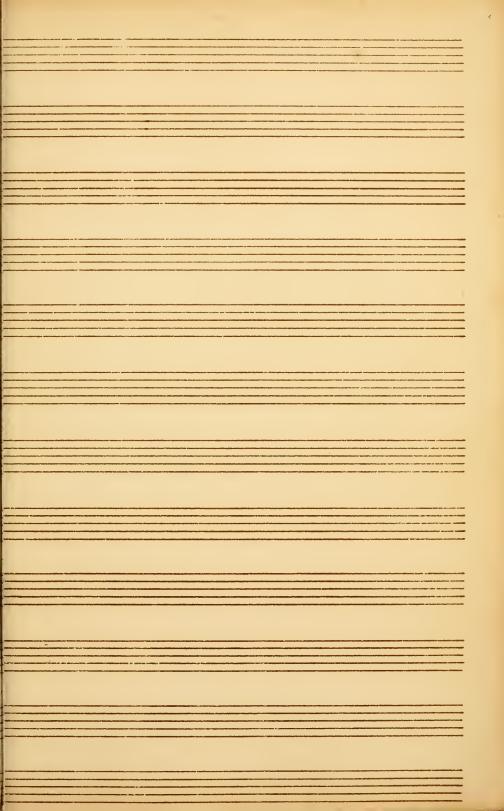












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