F. S. CONVERSE, OPUS 21

1503

THE PIPE OF DESIRF ROMANTIC GRAND OPERA IN ONE ACT



NEW YORK: THE H. W. GRAY COMPANY sole agents for NOVELLO & CO. LIMITED LONDON

THE LIBRARY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA



ENDOWED BY THE DIALECTIC AND PHILANTHROPIC

> M1503 .C779 P5

Love



\$1.35

4/18/44

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH AROLINA Music Library, Hill Hall Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27515

m1503 ·2779 P5

This book is due at the MUSICLIBRARY on the last date stamped under "Date Due." If not on hold, it may be renewed by bringing it to the fibrary.

DATE DUE	RETURNED	DATE DUE	RETURNED
SEP 1 0	2000		

ł

×

THE PIPE OF DESIRE

ROMANTIC GRAND OPERA

IN ONE ACT

COMPOSED BY F. S. CONVERSE OPUS 21

> TEXT BY GEORGE EDWARD BARTON



PRICE PAFER COVER, \$1.50 BOARDS, \$2.00 CLOTH, \$3.00

NEW YORK : THE H. W. GRAY COMPANY SOLE AGENTS FOR NOVELLO & CO. LIMITED

 $L \mathbin{O} N \mathbin{D} \mathbin{O} N$

Copy light, 1907, bi the H. W. Gray Co.

2.90

The right of performance is reserved.

All communication respecting performance, the Orchestral Score and Parts should be addressed to the Publishers at 21 East 17th Street, New York,

Copyright, 1907, by the H. W. Gray Co.

CHARACTERS:

IOLAN	, a peasa	ınt								. Tenor
NAOLA	, his bet	roth	ed	. '			• •	_]	lezz	o-Soprano
The	OLD-ONE	, kee	epe	r of	the	e Pi	ре			Baritone
First	SVLPH									Soprano
First	Undine									. Alto
First	SALAMAN	NDEF	2							Tenor
FIRST	GNOME			÷.,						Baritone

CHORUS OF ELVES

Sylphs		•		4			•		•	S	opranos
Undines											Altos
SALAMAN	DERS	5									Tenors
GNOMES	•										Basses

Digitized by the Internet Archive in 2010 with funding from Univeristy of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

http://www.archive.org/details/pipeofdesireroma00conv

THE PIPE OF DESIRE.

George Edward Barton.

Frederick S. Converse. Op. 21.

SCENE. A glade in the mountains. Spring.

FOREGROUND, open and brilliant with sun and suggestion of early flowers; forest dark and mysterious. REAR, a mass of great rocks and trees with C entrance, as from valley. LEFT REAR, a large flat rock (runway and entrance leading up L and thence to C with a view into valley.) RIGHT REAR, great trees with glimpse of distant valley. LEFT CENTRE, FRONT, a mossy bank used as a seat and couch.

PRELUDE.



Copyright, 1907, by the H. W. Gray C?



il canto mf ed espressivo.













As the curtain rises, the Elves are discovered at work and assembling from all sides.





 p
 mf
 mf
 mf

 Now gives witheach breath,
 now gives witheach breath
 new

 p
 mf
 mf
 p

 Now gives witheach breath,
 now gives witheach breath
 new

 p
 mf
 mf
 p

 Now gives witheach breath,
 now gives witheach breath
 new

 mf
 mf
 mf
 p

 Now gives witheach breath,
 now gives witheach breath
 new

 mf
 mf
 mf
 p

 with ach breath,
 now gives witheach breath
 new

 mf
 mf
 mf
 p

 with ach breath,
 now gives witheach breath
 new

 mf
 p
 p
 p

 with ach breath,
 now gives with ach breath
 new

 mf
 p
 p
 p
 p

 with ach breath,
 new
 life, now gives new
 p

 mf
 p
 p
 p
 p

 mf
 p
 p
 p
 p

 mf
 p
 p
 p
 p

 mf
 p















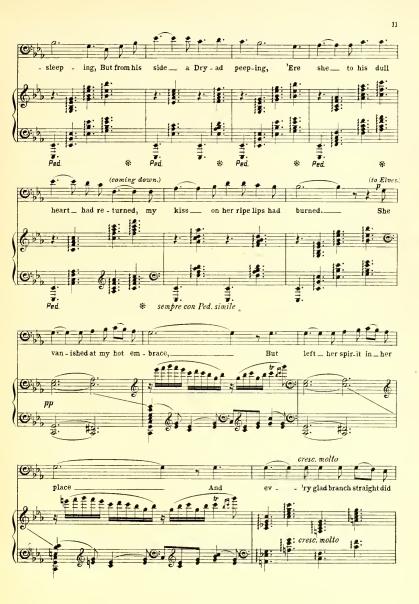














Iolan is heard singing in the distance.











. 3

15

ø

100

抠

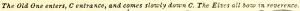


























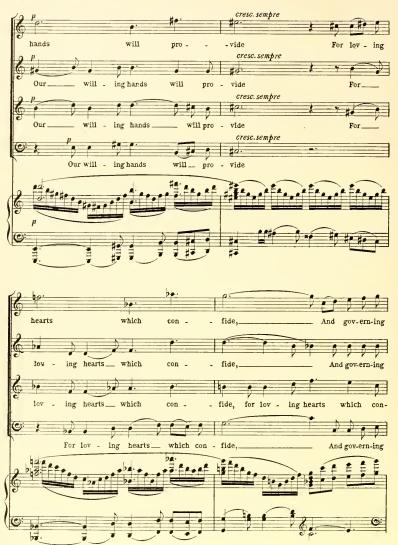














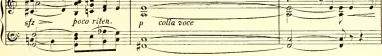
 $\mathbf{25}$





 $\mathbf{26}$

















The four Solo Elves come forward.





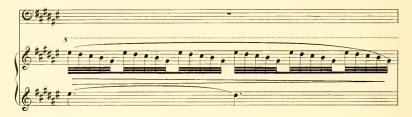






































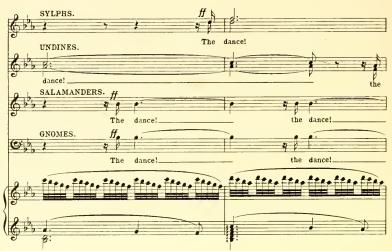










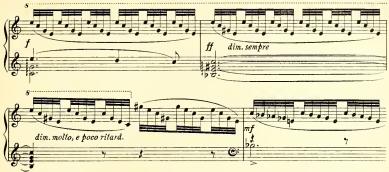












Undines dance and sing in a dark green light.

















The light gradually changes to red, as the Salamanders begin to sing and dance.

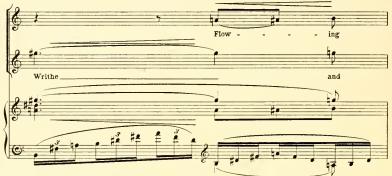








The light brightens gradually, and as the Sylphs sing and dance, it becomes silvery white.





44

2-







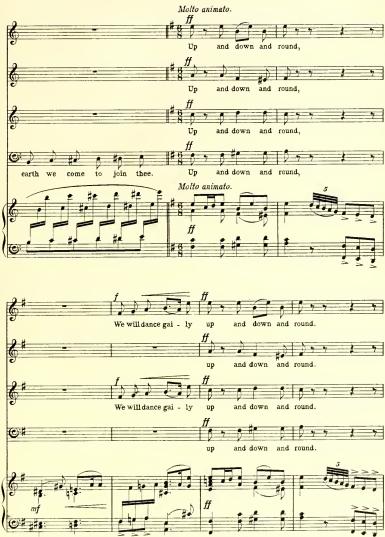
-17



























 $\mathbf{58}$

















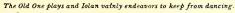
































































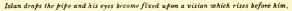






Iolan plays the pipe. The Old One stands motionless at R, with bowed head.













































































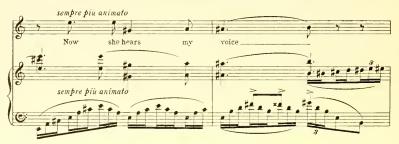










































(Naoia stands looking about in dazed way.) (She sees Iolan.) Adagio.







































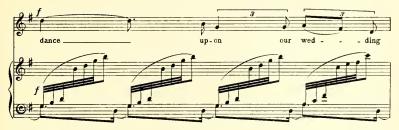




















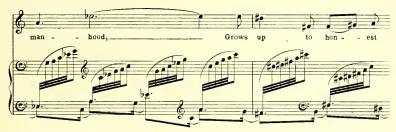










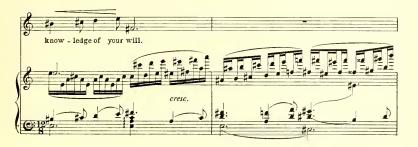




































Iolan supports her, leading her to mound, where he places her in reclining position, and, kneeling behind mound,





































































118 (Jolan Jomers staff, then cas



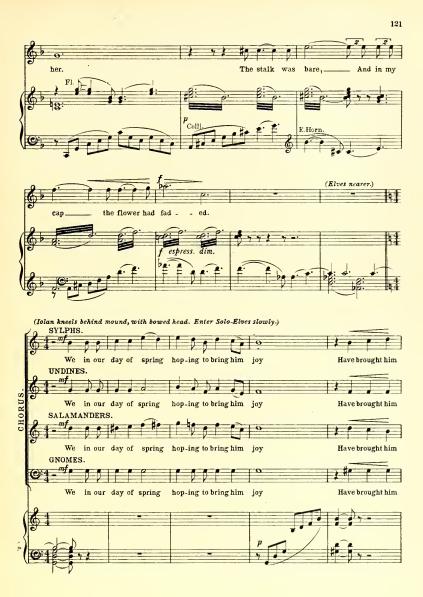
















































130 (During this scene all lights fade except one upon Naoia and Iolan.)









(He stands behind Naoia looking heavenward as if seeing her there. Intense light.)





He dies; falling upon Naoia's body.

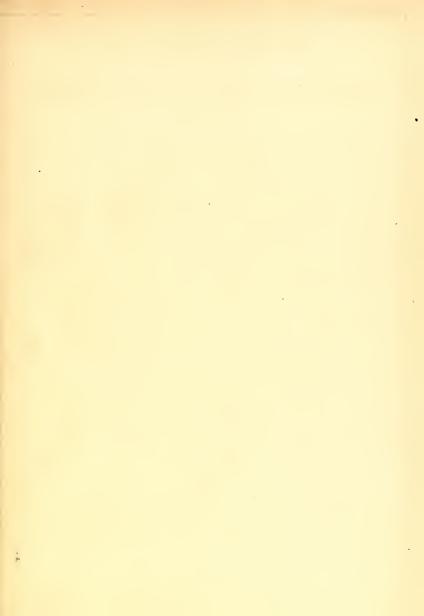
The light gradually fades until at the last chord there is absolute darkness, during which the curtain falls.



London: Novello & Company, Ltd. Engravers.

Compositions by FREDERICK S. CONVERSE

Op. 1 Sonata in A. Violin and Piano. \$2.50
Op. 2 Suite for Piano, Complete. 2.00 No. 1 Prelude. .50 No. 2 Scherzando. .75 No. 3 Quasi-Fantasia. 1.00 No. 4 Finale. .75
Op. 9 Festival of Pan. (Romance for Orchestra) Score \$6.00 Parts 12.00
Op. 10 Endymion's Narrative. (Romance for Orchestra. M. S.)
Op. 11 Night and Day. (Two Poems for Piano & Orchestra) Score n 6.00 Parts n 12.00
Op. 11 Night and Day. Two Pianos, four hands (in score) n 3.00
Op. 12 La Belle Dame Sans Merci. (After the poem by Keats) Ballade for Baritone Solo and Orchestra (Score and Parts M. S.) Para- phrase for Voice and Piano.
Op. 14 Three Love Songs. For a Baritone voice. No. 1 Love Within the Lover's Breast. (George Meridith) No. 2 Indian Serenade. (Shelley) No. 3 Bright Star. (Keats)
Op. 17 Two Songs for Soprano Voice. No. 1 Echo. (Rossetti) No. 2 Ask Me No More. (Tennyson) .60
Op. 18 Quartet in A min. 2 Violins, Viola and 'Cello. Score \$2.50 Parts 5.00
Op. 19 The Mystic Trumpeter. (A Fantasy for Orchestra) Score 5.00
Op 20 Two Songs for Low Voice. No. 1 Adieu. (Rossetti) .60 No. 2 Silent Noon. (Rossetti) .60
Op. 20 No. 2 Silent Noon. Arranged for Violoncello and Piano .75 Op. 21 The Pipe of Desire. Romantic Grand Opera in One Act. The Text by George Edward Barton. Paper \$1.50, Bound \$2.00, Cloth 3.00
Op. 22 Laudate Dominum Motett for Male Chorus, Organ, 2 Trumpets and 4 Trombones
Op 23 Jeanne d' Arc. (Dramatic Scenes for Orchestra M. S.)
Op. 24 Job. Dramatic Poem for Solo Voices, Chorus and Orchestra Paper \$1.50, Bound \$2.00, Cloth 3.00



a

