

**MUTOR**

for the

# Side Drum

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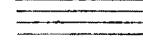


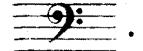
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## RUDIMENTS OF MUSIC.

Before the student can commence to play on any instrument, it is necessary that he should be acquainted with the rudiments of musical notation.

The signs, which indicate the pitch and duration of musical sound are called Notes, and are figured thus  etc.

They are named after seven letters of the alphabet: C, D, E, F, G, A, B, and are written on, between, above or below five parallel lines  called the Stave.

The names of the notes are determined by Clefs, placed on different lines, the two most commonly used being the Treble Clef placed on the 2<sup>nd</sup> line  and the Bass Clef placed on the 4<sup>th</sup> line .

The position of the notes on the Stave however is quite immaterial so far as the Side Drum is concerned, it is therefore unnecessary to trouble the Student further on this point, as superfluous matter may tend to hinder rather than assist his studies.

## DURATION OF NOTES.

Notes may be of long or short duration, which is indicated by the form of each note.

### FORMS OF DIFFERENT NOTES.

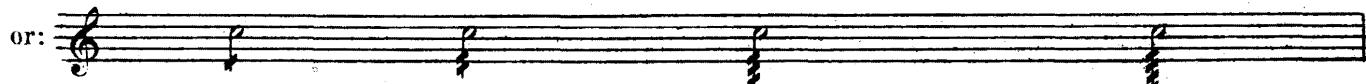


*Semibreve, Minim, Crotchet, Quaver, Semiquaver, Demi-Semiquaver, Hemi-Demi-Semiquaver.*

Groups of the latter four kinds may also be written in combination thus:



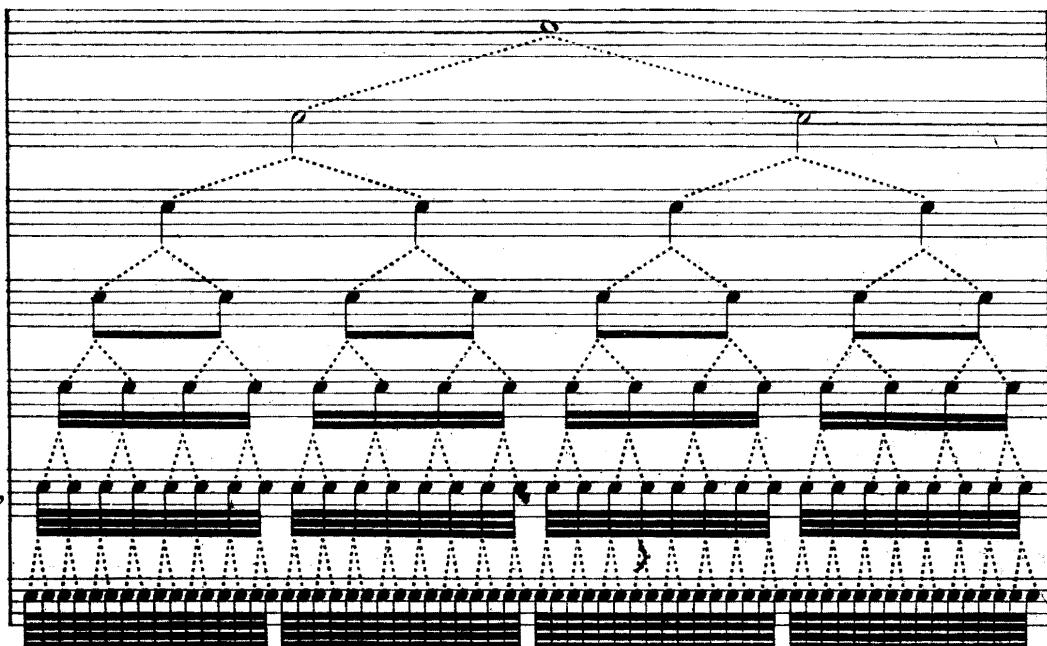
*Quavers, Semiquavers, Demi-Semiquavers, Hemi-Demi-Semiquavers.*



*4 Quavers, 8 Semiquavers, 16 Demi-Semiquavers, 32 Hemi-Demi-Semiquavers.*

## COMPARATIVE TABLE OF THE RELATIVE VALUE OF NOTES.

*One Semibreve  
is equal to  
2 Minims,  
or  
4 Crotchets,  
or  
8 Quavers,  
or  
16 Semiquavers,  
or  
32 Demi-Semiquavers,  
or  
64 Hemi-Demi-Semiquavers.*



### DOTS.

A *Dot* placed after any note or rest increases its value one half. Thus:—



*Two Dots* placed after a note or rest increase its value one half and a quarter or

### BARS.

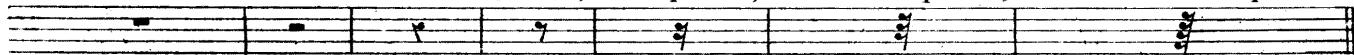
Notes are divided into *Bars* by single or double lines drawn across the stave.

One line is placed after each bar. Each bar contains the same number or value of notes, and must occupy precisely the same length of time. At the end of a composition or section of a composition, two lines are placed, forming a double Bar.

### RESTS.

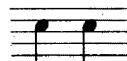
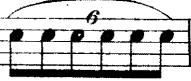
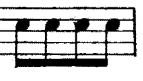
A rest denotes temporary silence. Each note has its equivalent rest equal in duration of time to itself. The rests are as follows.

*Semibreve rest, Minim, Crotchet, Quaver, Semiquaver; Demi-Semiquaver; Hemi-Demi-Semiquaver.*



A dot placed after a rest increases it one half, as in the case of a dotted note.

## TRIPLETS, DOUBLE TRIPLETS AND GROUPS.

Triplets are marked by a figure **3** placed over a group of three notes; double Triplets are marked by a **6** placed over a group of six notes. Three crotchets marked thus  are to be played in the same time as two crotchets  not so marked. Or six quavers  like four quavers five, seven and nine or more notes.    etc. 

## TIME.

The time in which any piece ought to be played is denoted by marks placed at the commencement indicating the number of minims, crotchets, quavers etc. each bar contains.

### *Common Time.*



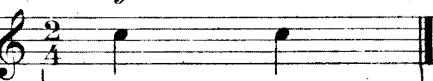
Contains four crotchets or the same value of longer or shorter notes or rests and four 1, 2, 3, 4, have to be counted in a bar.

### *Three-four time.*



Contains three crotchets or the same value of longer or shorter notes or rests and three 1, 2, 3, have to be counted in a bar.

### *Two-four time.*



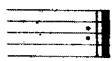
Contains two crotchets or the same value of longer or shorter notes or rests and two 1, 2, have to be counted in a bar.

## TABLE OF TIMES.

*Single or common Times. Compound common Times. Single Triple Times. Compound Triple Times.*

When a line is drawn through the **C** thus  it is called Alla Breve and two 1, 2, are counted in a bar.

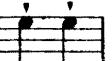
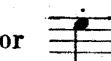
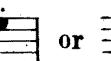
## SIGNS. etc.

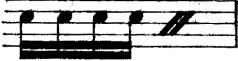
*Repeat* When two dots are found by the side of a double bar thus,  the whole section from the preceding double bar, or if there be no earlier double bar, then from the beginning of the piece is to be played again. This is called a repeat.

The mark  is an abbreviation of the word *Segno*. It is placed over a double bar to indicate the beginning or termination of a repeat, thus, *Al Segno*  means repeat to the sign; and *Dal Segno*  from the sign.

*Pause.* The sign  is called a Pause. When it occurs; the note is to be sustained to an indefinite length, at the performer's pleasure, the counting being interrupted.

*Slur.* A slur , drawn under or over any number of notes, means that the sound is to be continued from one note to another in a smooth and connected style. A Bind, or Tie,  placed over two notes of the same name, means that the first note only is to be played, but that the sound is to continue during the time of the two notes.

*Staccato.* The following marks placed over notes— thus  or  or  mean that the notes over which they occur should be played with taste and spirit. The first form indicates that the sound must occupy about one fourth of the time of the notes, the remainder of the time being silent. The second form denotes that the time should be equally divided between sound and silence. The third example shows that the notes should be held three fourths of their time, leaving only one fourth silent.

*Segue.* This word, placed over a passage, means that it is to be repeated, thus 

The strokes alone, without the word *Segue* are often used, and have the same significance, one stroke, thus  meaning quavers and two strokes  semiquavers etc.

## SYNCOPATED NOTES.

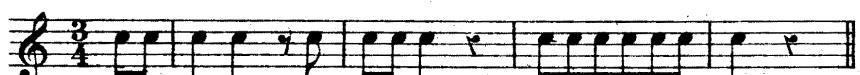
By Syncopation is meant the placing of the accent on the weak pulses of the bar,



## RHYTHM.

By Rhythm is meant the division of music into Bars; its accentuation, the Value of the notes employed, and the rate of movement. The drum is essentially a rhythmical instrument, beating only one tone and would soon become monotonous, if not elevated and relieved by variety of rhythm.

It frequently happens that the first bar of a movement is not complete; when this occurs it is called an "up Bar." The 'up Bar' and the finishing Bar must be so written as to make a full Bar.



**VARIOUS RHYTHMICAL FIGURES.**

**1.** March-time.



**2.** Bolero-time.



**3.** Polka-time.



**4.** Valse-time.



**5.** Gavotte-time.



**6.** Schottish-time.



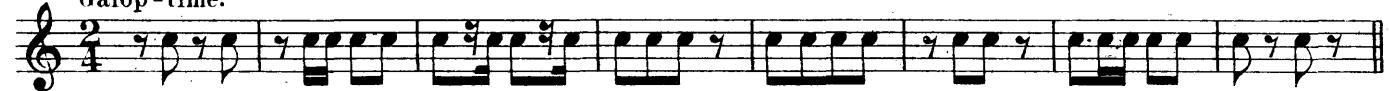
**7.** Quadrille-time..



**8.** Mazurka-time.



**9.** Galop-time.



**10.** Valse-time.



**11.** March-time.



**12.** Slow march-time.



## BEATING TIME.

The time in which a piece or movement should be played is invariably marked at the beginning in Italian words. There are names for every degree of Time, as: *Largo*, *Adagio*, *Lento*, etc. for slow Time. *Andante*, *Moderato*, *Allegretto*, etc. for moderate Time. *Allegro*, *Vivace*, *Presto*, etc. for quick Time. (The translation of these words will be found on the last page of this Book.) The drum being an essentially rhythmical instrument, the player should always carefully watch the Conductor, who will beat time as shown in the following examples.

### **Adagio.**

### **Allegro vivace.**

### **Allegretto.**

### **Lento.**

### **Allegro.**

### **Six four time.**

### **Andante.**

### **Vivace.**

### **Three eight time.**

### **Moderato.**

**Maestoso.**

four beats

**Larghetto.**

three beats

three beats

7

## GRACE NOTES AND EMBELLISHMENTS.

*As written.*

*As played.*

*As written.*

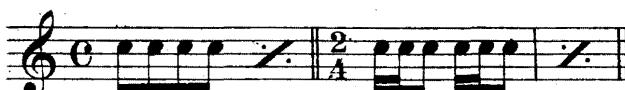
*As played.*

## ABBREVIATIONS.

Abbreviations are employed in written music, to avoid the repetition of identical bars or passages.

Thus instead of writing four quavers, a minim, marked with a thick line will indicate the same thing; or for or for or for etc.

Or instead of repeating an identical bar or passage, a sign, marked thus is used.



When two identical bars are repeated this sign is employed.

## VARIOUS EXAMPLES OF ABBREVIATIONS.

*As written.*

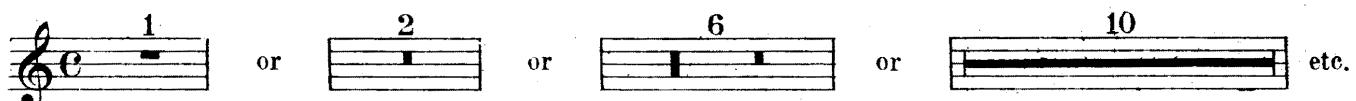
*As played.*

*Bis*

A Bar marked Bis should be played again.

RESTS.

When a composition requires a prolonged silence for any instrument, it is indicated by numbered rests.



Meaning that so many bars of the movement should be counted in silence.

## REPEATS.

When part of a movement is repeated and the last one, two or three bars require a different ending it is indicated thus.



(Prima volta or the first time.) (Seconda volta or the second time.) (Terzia volta or the third time.)

A piece which is to be repeated from the beginning is marked *D. C.* (Da Capa), if from a special place  $\frac{8}{8}$  *Dal Segno* (from the sign), and at whatever point the performance concludes, either the word *Fine* (End) or the sign of a pause is marked over a double bar



Sometimes when a piece is repeated, it goes from some definite point to the Coda or Finale, such places are marked with this sign ♩.

## DIFFERENT SHADES OF TONE.

**p** means: *piano*, soft.

**pp** means: *pianissimo*, very soft.

**f** means: *forte*, loud.

**ff** means: *fortissimo*, very loud.

**mf** means: *mezzoforte*, moderately loud.

*cres.* or mean: *crescendo*, increasing the sound.

*dim.* *decreas.* or mean: *diminuendo*, *decrescendo*, diminishing the sound.

**sf**, **rif** or **>** mean: *sforzando*, *rinforzando*, sharply accentuated.

**fp** means: *forte-piano*, loud and immediately soft again.

**pp** **ff** **pp** mean: to commence very softly increase the sound to the loudest and diminish it again to the strength of the commencement.

## THE SIDE DRUM.

The Side Drum most commonly used is of the Regulation Pattern, composed as follows. A brass shell 15 inches in diameter, the top and bottom being covered with vellum stretched on flesh 'hoops. These are fastened to the shell by broad wooden hoops and regulated by six rods and brass screw nuts placed round the shell. The vellum on the top side where the drum is beaten is called the batter head and the bottom the snare head. Across the snare head are placed the snares which consist of four or six pieces of catgut.

The Side Drum has (like other instruments) to be tuned to a certain pitch, in order to make its sound agreeable to the ear. The tuning is done by turning the nuts which are placed on the rods; but this must be done systematically, first take one nut and give it two turns, then cross to the one opposite also giving it two turns, then the next, after which cross again, and so on.

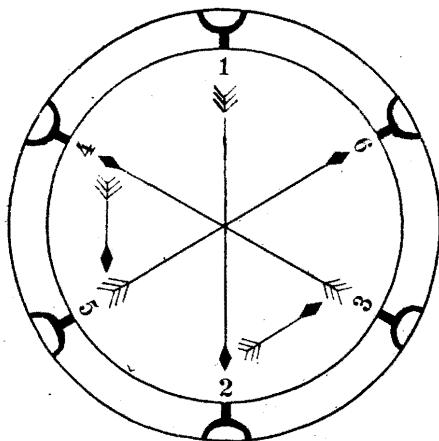
The diagram attached shows how it should be done.

This screwing must be repeated, till the drum has the right tension, the sole test of which is the ear of the player. The turning should be carefully studied as a deal of attention is required. If screwed too tightly a tubby sound will be produced and if on the contrary the tension is insufficient a jarring sound will be the result.

After use the nuts should be unscrewed in the manner indicated in the diagram before referred to, otherwise the vellum will become overstretched.

The Side Drum is played by beating on the batter head with two sticks. The sticks are made of hard wood, cocoawood or ebony being usually employed.

For practise, instead of the Side Drum, an excellent substitute is found in an invention styled the silent Drum consisting of a pad of india rubber. This will considerably reduce the noise and at the same time prevent injury to the drum.



## INSTRUCTIONS.

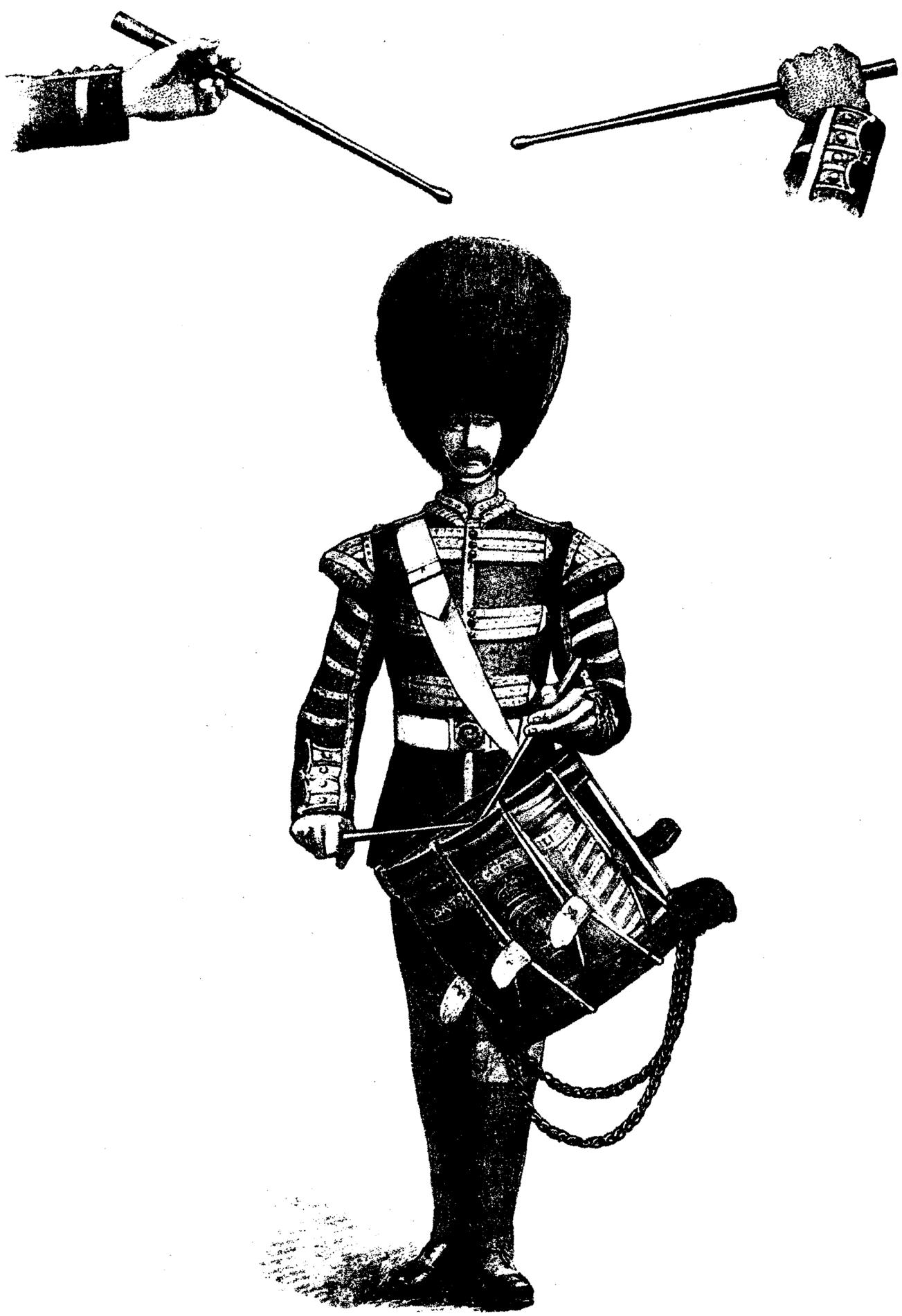
The Side Drum can be played in a sitting or standing position. The standing position is preferable, besides being the only one practicable in military service. The performer should stand upright, but quite at ease. The left heel is placed in the hollow of the right foot. The head and shoulders slightly thrown back.—

The carriage belt on which the drum is hung, is slung on the right shoulder, the head and left arm passing through it. The Ring, Hook or Swivel attached at the end, is brought a little to the front of the body and the drum is fastened to it, the whole resting on the left thigh. The right hand Stick is grasped with the whole hand, about two inches from the butt end, the thumb well under.

The left hand stick is held between the thumb and forefinger, the butt end lying in the hollow. Commencing from the butt end it will then pass between the second and third fingers and rest on the first joint of the third finger. The ends of the fingers will slightly bend towards the palm of the hand, the butt end of the stick projecting two inches untouched.

The right elbow is kept almost close to the body, the left is slightly raised, so that the knob of the stick touches the drum head.

It must be observed that beating the drum should be done by the wrist of each hand and not too much by the arms, which make the beating stiff. The wrists are the means of making the sticks dance with elasticity. (See figures on next page.)



The music for the Side Drum is usually written in the Treble clef in the third space.



But it frequently occurs that its music is written together with the Bass Drum part, both parts being then written in the Bass clef, the Bass drum part with down strokes and the Side drum part with up strokes.



It does not matter however on what line or space the

music is written, as the Side drum produces only one sound, the chief item being its rhythm.

## THE ROLL.

The Roll is the Key to all Beats on the Side drum and unless it is properly practised and executed the pupil will never become a good drummer. The long roll should be studied first. It takes a long time to acquire properly, therefore great perseverance and patience are necessary but with a firm resolution it can be done, and the pupil will be amply rewarded for the time spent over it.

To practise the Long Roll, the pupil stands as already instructed, (see figure III) then very slowly strikes two taps in the centre of the drum, first with the left hand stick, and then with the right hand, repeating the strokes successively and alternately, and at the same time keeping them slow and even.

In beginning the lesson the hands are brought nearly level with the forehead, the knob of the stick slightly elevated, the back of the right hand, when lifted turning towards the face.

First study very slowly and increase by degrees in speed.

Do not strike one stick heavier than the other.

Do not allow the sticks to come in contact with each other.

Strike in the centre without looking down on the drum.

Every roll commences with the left hand stick.

Should the roll become uneven, stop, and commence again.

When the Roll is practised slowly, it is called the Open Roll, (Drummers in the British service term it "Daddy Mammy" as it resembles the accents of those words.) When done quickly, it is called the Close Roll.

### OPEN AND CLOSE.

The letter *L.* under a note indicates that the beats are to be made with the left hand and *R.* with the right hand. To facilitate reading, the notes for the left hand are marked with down strokes and for the right hand with up strokes in the earlier exercises.

## THE FIRST EXERCISES.

Practise strictly in time and make every beat even.

### Maestoso.

1.

2.

3.

The roll open and close is represented thus.

A musical staff starting with a treble clef and a 'C' key signature. The staff consists of 16 eighth notes. The first 10 notes are grouped by vertical bar lines. The last 6 notes are grouped by horizontal bar lines. A large bracket covers the entire 16 notes. An arrow points to the right at the end of the staff.

The roll is written in this way  the shake, or trillo  placed over any note indicates it to be a Roll, but its duration must be equivalent to the value of the note.

A roll of six bars in common time. Count four in the bar.

## **EXERCISE TO OPEN, CLOSE AND OPEN AGAIN.**

## THE SEVEN STROKE ROLL

is one most frequently used. It should like the other rolls be practised slowly first. Not being a Hand to Hand roll it should always commence with the left hand.

### THE FIVE STROKE ROLL

also called from "Hand to Hand," because the first five commence with the left hand, and the next five with the right hand.

The same written  
abbreviated:

### THE SIX STROKE ROLL.

The same written  
abbreviated:

### THE EIGHT STROKE ROLL.

(From Hand to Hand.)

The same written  
abbreviated:

### THE NINE STROKE ROLL.

(From Hand to Hand.)

The same written  
abbreviated:

### THE TEN STROKE ROLL.

The same written  
abbreviated:

### THE ELEVEN STROKE ROLL.

The same written  
abbreviated:

These Beats also should be carefully practised as they give great facility in execution.

## STUDIES TO PREVIOUS BEATS.

1.

2.

3.

## THE SAME EXERCISE WRITTEN ABBREVIATED.

4.

5.

6.

abbreviated.

7.

or

abbreviated.

8.

abbreviated.

9.

The long Roll has a certain length. When the long roll commences softly and finishes loud, the finishing note should be well accentuated.

When the long roll commences loud and finishes soft, the two sticks should from *p* part gradually move towards the hoop, but rolling all the time and concluding the Roll almost inaudibly.

12.

fff      ff      f      *mf*      p      pp      ppp      pppp

## VARIOUS WAYS OF WRITING THE ROLL.

Musical score for the first movement of Beethoven's Violin Concerto in D major, Op. 61, No. 1. The score consists of four staves. The top staff shows melodic lines labeled 'a', 'b', and 'c' with dynamics ff, mf, and p respectively. The second staff shows melodic lines labeled 'd', 'e', and 'f'. The third staff shows rhythmic patterns labeled 'g' and 'h'. The bottom staff shows rhythmic patterns labeled 'i'.

## THE OPEN FLAM.

The grace note or single Appoggiatura, should be heard very distinctly before the principal note, although played much softer than the principal. The latter should be delivered with a slight sforzando. It should sound like.

THE CLOSE FLAM.

(From Hand to Hand.)

2. First, left and right - then right and left hand - sounding Fla!

A musical score for 'The Star-Spangled Banner' featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. The vocal line consists of eighth-note patterns, primarily consisting of eighth-note pairs. The piano accompaniment is indicated by a bass staff with eighth-note patterns. The lyrics are written below the notes.

*L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R.*

## RIGHT HAND CLOSE FLAM.

- ### **3 Preferable in rapid passages.**

R.L. R.L. R.L. R.L.      R.L. R.L. R.L. R.L.      R.L. R.L. R.L. R.L.      R.L. R.L. R.L.

### LEFT HAND CLOSE FLAM

4.

2

4

L.R. L.R. L.R. L.R.    L.R. L.R. L.R. L.R.    L.R. L.R. L.R. L.R.    L.R. L.R. L.R.

## **EXERCISES ON VARIOUS FLAMS.**

5.

R.L.R.L.R.L.    R.L.R.L.R.L.    R.L.R.L.R.L.    R.L.R.L.R.L.    R.L.R.L.R.L.    R.

6.

L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L.    L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L. L.R. R.L.

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7.

FLAM AND STROKE. (From Hand to Hand.)

8.

FLAM AND FEINT. (From Hand to Hand.)

9. Tap the Semiquaver very softly.

FEINT AND FLAM.

10.

OTHER STUDIES.

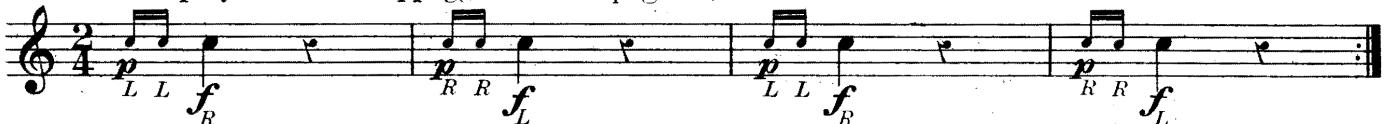
11.

12.



### THE OPEN DRAG. (From Hand to Hand.)

16. How to play the double appoggiatura (*see page 10*)



### THE CLOSE DRAG. (From Hand to Hand.)

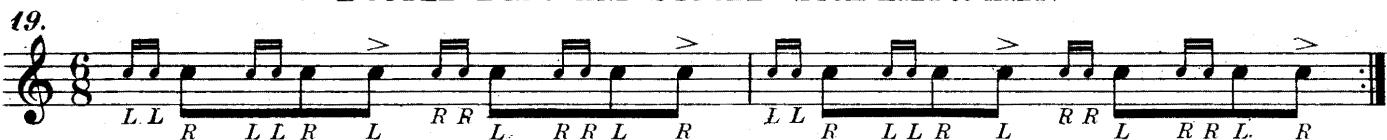
17. Is similar to the open Drag.



### DRAG AND STROKE. (From Hand to Hand.)



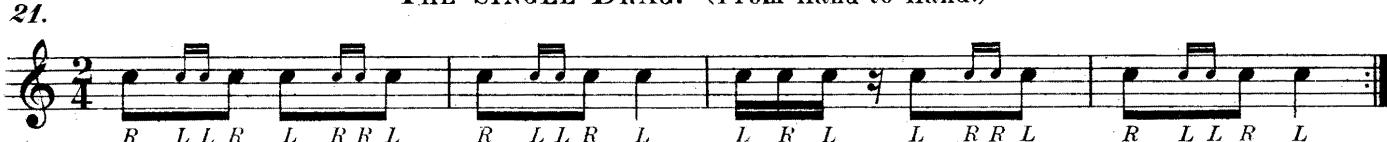
### DOUBLE DRAG AND STROKE. (From Hand to Hand.)



### DRAG AND FLAM. (From Hand to Hand.)



### THE SINGLE DRAG. (From Hand to Hand.)



### THE DOUBLE DRAG. (From Hand to Hand.)



### FOUR STROKE ROUGH.

23. Each note is given with a separate stroke.

&gt;) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: L, R, L, R."/&gt;

### FIVE STROKE.

24.

>) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: L, L, R, R, L; L, L, R, R, L; L, L, R, R, L; L, L, R, R, L."/>

### THE SINGLE PARADIDDLE. (From Hand to Hand.)

25. This kind of beating is very essential when in a quick movement the notes have to be delivered *staccato*.

&gt;) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L; R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L; R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L; R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L."/&gt;

### FLAM PARADIDDLE. (From Hand to Hand.)

26.

>) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: L, R, L, R, R; R, L, R, L, L; L, R, L, R, R; R, L, R, L, L."/>

### STROKE PARADIDDLE. (From Hand to Hand.)

27.

>) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L; R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L; R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L; R, L, R, R, L, R, L, L."/>

### DRAG PARADIDDLE. (From Hand to Hand.)

28.

>) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: L, L, R, L, R, R; R, R, L, R, L, L; L, L, R, L, R, R; R, R, L, R, L, L."/>

### STROKE AND DRAG PARADIDDLE. (From Hand to Hand.)

29.

>) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: R, L, L, R, L, R, R; L, R, R, L, R, L, L; R, L, L, R, L, R, R; L, R, R, L, R, L, L."/>

### STROKE, FLAM AND DRAG PARADIDDLE. (From Hand to Hand.)

30.

>) and followed by a vertical dash ('). The notes are grouped by vertical bars. Below each note is a letter indicating the stroke: L, R, L, L, L, R; R, L, R, R, R, R; R, L, R, R, R, L; L, R, L, L, L."/>

## VARIOUS EXERCISES.

## 1. Andante.

Musical score for Exercise 1, Andante. The score is in common time (C). It features three staves of music. The first staff begins with a forte dynamic (f) and includes a fermata over the second note. The second staff begins with an eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. The third staff concludes with a half note.

## 2. Allegretto.

Musical score for Exercise 2, Allegretto. The score is in common time (C). It features four staves of music. The first staff shows a continuous eighth-note pattern. The second staff features a sixteenth-note pattern. The third staff contains a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. The fourth staff concludes with a half note.

## 3. Maestoso.

Musical score for Exercise 3, Maestoso. The score is in common time (C). It features five staves of music. The first staff shows a continuous eighth-note pattern. The second staff features a sixteenth-note pattern. The third staff contains a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. The fourth staff concludes with a half note. The fifth staff ends with a trill (tr) over the last note.

## 4. Allegro.



## 5. Allegretto.

Musical score for section 5, Allegretto. The score consists of five staves of music for a single instrument. The first staff is in common time (indicated by 'c') and has six measures. The second staff is in common time and has four measures. The third staff is in common time and has five measures. The fourth staff is in common time and has four measures. The fifth staff is in common time and has four measures.

## 6. Allegro.

Musical score for section 6, Allegro. The score consists of five staves of music for a single instrument. The first staff is in common time (indicated by 'c') and has six measures. The second staff is in common time and has four measures. The third staff is in common time and has five measures. The fourth staff is in common time and has four measures. The fifth staff is in common time and has four measures.

## 7. Allegretto.



## 8. Moderato.



## 9. Bolero.



## 10 Allegretto.



## 11 Allegro.



## 12 Scherzando.



## 13. Allegretto.

Musical score for section 13, Allegretto, consisting of ten staves of music for a single instrument. The music is in 2/4 time, treble clef, and includes various dynamics such as *tr*, *p*, and *f*. The score features eighth-note patterns, sixteenth-note patterns, and occasional eighth-note grace notes.

## 14. Andante.

Musical score for section 14, Andante, consisting of four staves of music for a single instrument. The music is in 3/4 time, treble clef, and includes dynamics *p* and *tr*. The score features eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note patterns.

## 15. Lento.



## 16. Marciale.



## 17. Maestoso.



## OTHER EFFECTS.

Several other effects are obtained on the Side Drum, for instance striking the two sticks together, or rather striking with the right stick on the left one. Also striking with one or both sticks on the hoop, or having a Paradiddle or Roll on the hoop. Such effects are always specially indicated in the Drum parts.

### MARCH.

#### Marcia.

18.

### POLKA.

The whole with both sticks on the hoop.

19.

### AN EFFECTIVE ROLL ON THE HOOP.

The notes with down strokes are played on the Drum and the notes with up strokes are played on the Hoop, with both hands as marked.

20.

The Roll must be heard quite distinctly, while the other notes must be played sharply accentuated. Should be practised very slowly at first.

## THE MUFFLED DRUM.

The sound of the Side Drum can be made dismal and dull by putting a cloth between the Snares and vellum which effect is used for funeral marches. The greater the number of Drums the more effective it is.

### THE DEAD MARCH.

(All the Drums muffled.) The top line is the melody of the March.

Grave.

Melody.

Side Drum.

Bass Drum.

Various calls from the British military service will now follow. The top line, being the melody, will generally be played on the Fife.

**VARIOUS CALLS.**

**THE REVEILLE.**  
OR  
**THE ROUSE AT DAYBREAK.**

Signal Strokes of the Side Drums



Double quick time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

**TUNE PLAYED TO THE INTRODUCTORY ROLLS.**

Marching in slow time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

**SCOTCH REVEILLE.**

Marching in quick time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

1st time.

Drums. {

2nd time.

Musical score for measures 8-11 of the first section. The score consists of three staves. The top staff has a treble clef, the middle staff has a bass clef, and the bottom staff has an alto clef. The key signature is one sharp. Measure 8 starts with eighth-note pairs in the top staff. Measures 9-11 show sixteenth-note patterns with grace notes. Measure 11 ends with a dynamic instruction "tr".

Musical score for measures 8-11 of the second section. The staves and key signature remain the same. The patterns continue from the previous section, featuring eighth-note pairs in measure 8, followed by sixteenth-note patterns with grace notes in measures 9-11.

Melody. {

Drums. { After the 1<sup>st</sup>  
& 2<sup>nd</sup> times. {

*As many times as convenient*

D. C.

## FINALE.

Double Quick time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

## OFFICERS MESS DRESSING CALL.

Quick march time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

The musical score consists of five systems of music. The first system shows the Melody and Drums parts. The Melody part has a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The Drums part has a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The second system continues with the Melody and Drums parts. The third system continues with the Melody and Drums parts. The fourth system continues with the Melody and Drums parts. The fifth system continues with the Melody and Drums parts. Measure numbers are present at the beginning of each system.

## BREAKFAST AND DINNER CALL.

Quick time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

The musical score consists of three systems of music. The first system shows the Melody and Drums parts. The Melody part has a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The Drums part has a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The second system continues with the Melody and Drums parts. The third system continues with the Melody and Drums parts. Measure numbers are present at the beginning of each system.

## THE DRUMMERS CALL.

Quick march time.

*8*

Melody. { 

Drums. { 

*8*

{ 

## SERGEANTS, OR ORDERLIES FOR COMPANIES CALL.

Drums without Fifes. { 

## NON C. OFFICERS OR SERGEANTS AND COPORALS CALL.

Drums without Fifes. { 

## Quick march time. TO ARMS CALL.

*8*

Melody. { 

Drums. { 

*8*

{ 

*D.C.*

## COMMENCE FIRING.

Drum without Fifes. { 

## CEASE FIRING.

Drum without Fifes. { 

*To be repeated until firing ceases.*

## PIQUET CALL.

Quick march time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

## RECRUITING CALL.

Quick march time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

## THE SCHOOL CALL.

Quick time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

## CHURCH CALL.

Quick march time.

Melody. {

Solo Drum. {

All the Drums. {

All the Drums together. {

## MEAT CALL.

Slow march time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

## THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Slow time.

Melody. {

Drums. {

## ACCESSORIES

played in connection with the Side Drum in the orchestra.

It occurs frequently that accessories are introduced for special effects in the orchestra and are as a rule allotted to the performers on the Side and Bass Drums. They are generally introduced when the Drums have rests and are always specially marked in the part.

The names of some such accessories are: The Tambourine, Triangle, Castanets, Pop Guns, Sledge Bells, Whips, Whistles, Stamping sticks, Glockenspiel; &c. also instruments which imitate the Cuckoo and other singing Birds. Most of these instruments are so easy to handle, that it is scarcely necessary to write about them, but to give a general idea, some examples of orchestral parts are given below.

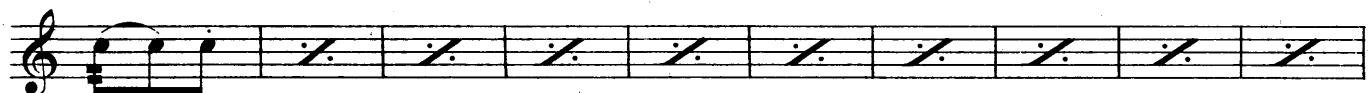
## ORCHESTRAL STUDIES.

**Allegretto.**

Tambourin.



**SPANISH DANCE.**



## CUCKOO AND CRICKET POLKA.

Polka.

**Cricket.** { *2*      *tr tr tr tr*      *2*

**Cuckoo.** { *1*      *f*      *-*      *-*      *2*

**Cuckoo.** *2* ♫ *go to Coda.*      *7*      *1.*      *2.*      *2*

**Trio.**      **Cricket.**

**Cricket.** *2 1 2*      *2*      *1*      *1*

**Coda.** *1*      *8*      *D. C.*

**Cricket.** *2*      *f*

**Cuckoo.** *2*

## OVERTURE "MARTHA."

SIDE DRUM.

**FLOTOW.**

**Andante.** 3 3 26

**Larghetto.** 9 21 *ff* rit.

**Allegro vivace.** 8 45 6 6

**Meno mosso.** 17 1 2 3 4 5 6

*p* Tambourine Solo.

7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

17 18 19 20 21 22 23 15 et cetera

## MARCH FROM FAUST.

GOUNOD.

Musical score for "Allegro di marcia." by GOUNOD. The score consists of six staves of music. The first four staves are in common time (indicated by a 'C') and the last two are in 12/8 time (indicated by a '12/8'). The key signature is one sharp (F#). The dynamics include *p*, *ppp*, *ff*, and *f*. The tempo markings are "Allegro di marcia." at the beginning and "Tempo marciale." in the middle. The score features various rhythmic patterns, including eighth-note groups and sixteenth-note groups.

## OVERTURE "LA GAZZA LADRA."

**Maestoso marziale.**

ROSSINI.

*SOLO.*

The musical score consists of ten staves of music for a solo instrument. The first staff begins with a forte dynamic (ff) and a bass clef. Subsequent staves show various rhythmic patterns, dynamics (including ff, f, p, cresc., and ff), and time signatures (C, 3, 2). The score concludes with a dynamic crescendo (cres.) followed by ff. Measures are numbered from 1 to 24 above the staff.

**Allegro.**

A. THOMAS.

**Allegro moderato.**

## THE KADI.

The musical score consists of three staves of music. The top staff is in 6/8 time, featuring sixteenth-note patterns and dynamics ff, dim., and p. The middle staff continues the sixteenth-note patterns. The bottom staff concludes the piece with a dynamic ff.

## OVERTURE "FRA DIAVOLO."

**Allegro maestoso.**

AUBER.

*SOLO.*

*poco a poco*      *dim.*

*pp*

*p*      *ff*

*p*

*1*

*Quicker.*

*1*

## OVERTURE "RIENZI."

**Molto sostenuto e marcato.**

R. WAGNER.

*SOLO.* *tr*      *tr*      *tr*      *tr*

*Allegro energico.*      *ff*      *3*

*ff*      *3*

*Più stretto.*

*tr*      *2*      *3*      *4*

*5*      *6*      *7*      *8*      *9*      *10*      *11*      *12*      *13*      *14*      *15*      *16*

*2*      *tr*      *tr*

*ff*      *f*

*1*      *1*      *ir*

## OVERTURE "TANCREDI."

### **Andante marcato.**

ROSSINI.

The image shows a page of sheet music for piano, consisting of ten staves of musical notation. The music is in common time and uses a treble clef. The dynamics and performance instructions include:

- Measure 1: **f**
- Measure 5: **pp**
- Measure 8: **Allegro.**
- Measure 12: **f**
- Measure 13: **ff**
- Measure 1: **pp** *poco a poco*
- Measure 1: *crescendo*
- Measure 1: *cres.*
- Measure 20: **pp** *poco a poco cres.*
- Measure 1: **f**
- Measure 1: **ff**

## OVERTURE "STRADELLA."

45

**Andante.** 16 Tympani Solo. Side Drum. FLOTOW.

**Allegro vivace.** Tympani. Side Drum. 1

18 pp ff 15 pp 1 2 8 4 5 Triangle.

Drum. 1 ff 47 Tympani. pp cres. 15

Drum. 1 ff 1 ff 1 ff 15

Triangle. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14

15 16 17 18 19 10

Più lento e maestoso. Drum. p ff 3 3 Più mosso.

SOLO.



## OVERTURE "LE CHALET."

A. ADAM.

**Allegro.**

2      SOLO. 1      2      3      4      5

*ppp*

6      7

*cres.*

*ff*

49      Triangle. 1      1      1      1      1      1      1      1

*pp piu animato*

Side Drum.

3      1      3      1      3

*ff*

3

## CORONATION MARCH "THE PROPHET."

Tempo di marzia maestoso.

MEYERBEER.

Prayer.  
SOLO.

For two Side Drums.

unis (together)

1st Drum.

2nd Drum.

## FUNERALMARCH "GÖTTERDÄMMERUNG."

R. WAGNER.

Very slow.

## L'AFRICAIN.

For two Side Drums.

MEYERBEER.

1st                            2nd                            1st                            2nd

*ff*      *pp*      *ff*

1st both      1st      2nd

*ff*

*f*

*p*      *dim.*      *p*

## THE BRITISH GRENADIER'S MARCH.

Quicker march time.

Melody. {

Drum. {

## THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.

Maestoso.

Melody. {

1st time *p* 2nd time *f*

Drum. {

1st time *p* 2nd time *f*

1.      2.

1.      2.

## THE BASS DRUM.

The Bass Drum in the orchestra is as a rule played or rather beaten together with the Cymbals. One Cymbal is fastened on the left hoop, while the other is held in the left hand and struck on that which is fastened to the drum. The stroke should always be made sideways which makes the Cymbals vibrate more, never straight down. The stick is held in the right hand and beaten on the batter head. It should be understood, that Cymbals and Drum are always beaten together, unless otherwise marked in the Part. The same Accessories as for the Side Drum are introduced in the Bass Drum parts.

MARCH.

The Side Drum and Bass Drum parts are here written together. The notes with up strokes in the 3<sup>rd</sup> space are for the Side Drum, and the notes in the 2<sup>nd</sup> space with down strokes are for the Bass Drum.

*f*

*p* Without Cymbals      *f*      *p*      *f*

*f* together.

Triangle.

Cymbals only.

S. Drum.      *p* *sf*      *ff*      *f* together.

\**f* With stick on Cymbal.      *p* Without Cymbals.

\*With stick on Cymbal it is always meant to beat with the stick on the Cymbal, held by a leather strap in the left hand.

# A LIST OF THE PRINCIPAL WORDS USED IN MODERN MUSIC

With their Abbreviations and Explanations.

<i>A</i>	to, in, or at; <i>a tempo</i> in time.	<i>Meno</i>	Less.
<i>Accelerando</i>	Gradually increasing the speed.	<i>Mezzo</i>	Half.
<i>Adagio</i>	Very slow.	<i>Minore</i>	Minor Key.
<i>Ad libitum</i>	As the performer pleases; not in strict time.	<i>Moderato</i>	Moderately. <i>Allegro moderato</i> , moderately quick.
<i>Agitato</i>	Restless with agitation.	<i>Molto</i>	Much.
<i>Al. or Alla</i>	To or in the style of a March.	<i>Morendo</i>	Dying away.
<i>Alla Marcia</i>	In the style of a March.	<i>Mosso</i>	Moved. <i>Più mosso</i> , quicker.
<i>Allegretto</i>	Moderately quick.	<i>Moto</i>	Motion. <i>Con moto</i> , with animation.
<i>Allegro</i>	Quick and lively.	<i>Non</i>	Not.
<i>Andante</i>	In moderately slow time.	<i>Obbligato</i>	An indispensable part.
<i>Andantino</i>	A little less slow than <i>Andante</i> .	<i>Opus, or Op.</i>	A work.
<i>Amoroso</i>	Affectionately.	<i>Ottava, or 8va</i>	To be played an Octave higher.
<i>Anima, con}</i>	With animation.	<i>Pause</i>	The sign indicating stoppage.
<i>Animato</i>		<i>Perdendosi</i>	Dying away.
<i>A piacere</i>	At pleasure.	<i>Pesante</i>	Heavily.
<i>Appassionato</i>	Impassioned.	<i>Pianissimo or pp.</i>	As soft as possible.
<i>Arpeggio</i>	Separating or breaking the notes of a chord.	<i>Piano or p.</i>	Soft.
<i>Assai</i>	Very.	<i>Più</i>	More.
<i>A tempo</i>	In time.	<i>Più tosto</i>	Quicker.
<i>Attacca</i>	Proceed at once to the following movement.	<i>Poco or un poco</i>	A little.
<i>Barcarolle</i>	A boating song.	<i>Poco a poco</i>	Gradually, by degrees.
<i>Ben</i>	Well. <i>Ben marcato</i> , well marked.	<i>Poi</i>	Then, afterwards.
<i>Bis</i>	Twice.	<i>Prestissimo</i>	As quick as possible.
<i>Bravura</i>	Brilliant execution.	<i>Presto</i>	Very quick.
<i>Brillante</i>	Gay, rapid, brilliant.	<i>Primo or 1mo</i>	The first.
<i>Brio, con</i>	With much spirit.	<i>Perdendosi</i>	Losing itself, dying away.
<i>Cadenza</i>	A passage introduced by way of embellishment.	<i>Pomposo</i>	Pompous, grand.
<i>Calando</i>	Gradually softer and slower.	<i>Quartetto</i>	A piece for four performers.
<i>Cantabile</i>	In a singing style.	<i>Quasi</i>	As if, similar to.
<i>Canzonetta</i>	A short song or Air.	<i>Quintetto</i>	A piece for five performers.
<i>Capriccio</i>		<i>Rallentando or rall.</i>	Gradually slower.
<i>Caprice</i>	A composition of irregular construction.	<i>Ritardando or rit.</i>	Slackening speed.
<i>Cavatina</i>	An Italian Air.	<i>Replica</i>	Repetition, <i>Senza replica</i> , without repeats.
<i>Chord</i>	A combination of two or more sounds.	<i>Rinforzando</i>	With emphasis.
<i>Coda</i>	A supplement at the end of a composition.	<i>Risoluto</i>	Resolutely, bold.
<i>Col or con</i>	With.	<i>Ritenuto</i>	Retarding the time.
<i>Crescendo or cres.</i>	Gradually louder.	<i>Scherzando</i>	Playfully.
<i>Da or dal</i>	From.	<i>Secondo or 2do</i>	The second.
<i>Da Capo, or D. C.</i>	From the beginning.	<i>Seconda volta</i>	The second time.
<i>Dal Segno</i>	From the sign	<i>Semplice</i>	Simply.
<i>Decrescendo or decres.</i>	Decreasing in strength.	<i>Sempre</i>	Always.
<i>Diminuendo or dim.</i>	Gradually softer.	<i>Senza</i>	Without. <i>Senza sordino</i> , without mute.
<i>Dolce or dol.</i>	Softly, sweetly.	<i>Simile</i>	The same.
<i>Duetto or duo</i>	A piece for two performers.	<i>Sino</i>	As far as.
<i>E</i>	And.	<i>Smorzando</i>	Diminishing the sound.
<i>Energico</i>	With energy.	<i>Solo</i>	For one performer only. <i>Soli</i> , for all.
<i>Espressivo</i>	With expression.	<i>Sordino</i>	Mute. <i>Con sordino</i> , with the mute.
<i>Fine or Il Fine</i>	The end.	<i>Sostenuto</i>	Sustained.
<i>Forte or f.</i>	Loud.	<i>Sotto</i>	Under. <i>Sotto voce</i> , in a subdued tone.
<i>Fortissimo or ff.</i>	Very loud.	<i>Spirito spiritoso</i>	Spirit, spirited.
<i>Forzando or fz&gt;</i>	Accentuate the note.	<i>Staccato</i>	Detached.
<i>Forza</i>	Force of tone.	<i>Stretto</i>	An increase of speed.
<i>Fuoco, con</i>	With fire.	<i>Tacet</i>	Silent.
<i>Furioso</i>	Furiously.	<i>Thema</i>	The subject of melody.
<i>Gracioso</i>	Graceful.	<i>Tempo</i>	Time. <i>Tempo primo</i> , the same time as at the commencement.
<i>Giocoso</i>	Joyously.	<i>Tenuto or ten.</i>	Held for the full value.
<i>Giusto</i>	Just, exact.	<i>Tranquillo</i>	Quietly.
<i>Grave</i>	Very slow and solemn.	<i>Tremolando</i>	Trembling, rapid movement.
<i>Gusto</i>	Taste.	<i>Tremolo</i>	
<i>Harmonie</i>	A combination of musical sounds.	<i>Trio</i>	A piece for three performers.
<i>Key note</i>	The first degree of the Scale.	<i>Tropp</i>	Too much. <i>Allegro ma non troppo</i> , quick, but not too quick.
<i>Larghetto</i>	Slow, but not so slow as <i>Largo</i> .	<i>Tutti</i>	All, all the instruments.
<i>Largo</i>	Broad and slow.	<i>Un</i>	A, one.
<i>Legato</i>	Smoothly, the reverse of <i>Staccato</i> .	<i>Unisono</i>	In unison.
<i>Leggiero</i>	Lightly.	<i>Una corda</i>	On one string.
<i>Lento</i>	Slow.	<i>Veloce</i>	Quick.
<i>L'istesso tempo</i>	The same time.	<i>Vivace</i>	With vivacity.
<i>Loco</i>	In place. Play as written, no longer an octave higher or lower.	<i>Vivo</i>	Lively.
<i>Ma</i>	But. <i>Ma non troppo</i> but not too much.	<i>Variatione</i>	Variation of a melody.
<i>Maestoso</i>	Majestically.	<i>Volkslied</i>	A national song.
<i>Maggiore</i>	Major Key.	<i>Voce</i>	The voice.
<i>Marcato</i>	Marked.	<i>Volti Subito or V. S.</i>	Turn over quickly.
<i>Mancando</i>	Dying away.		

# REAL DRUMMERS' DRUMS

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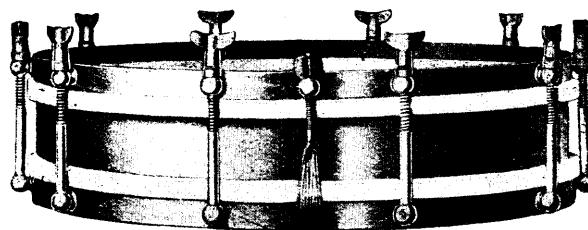
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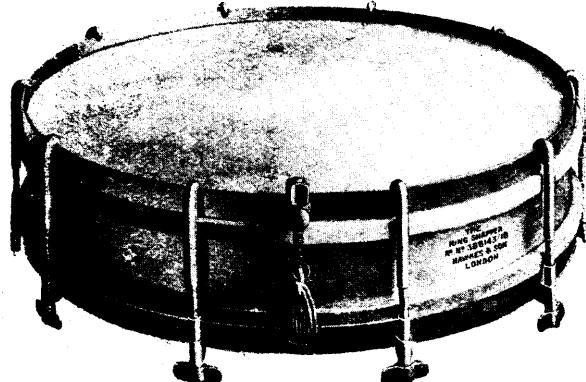
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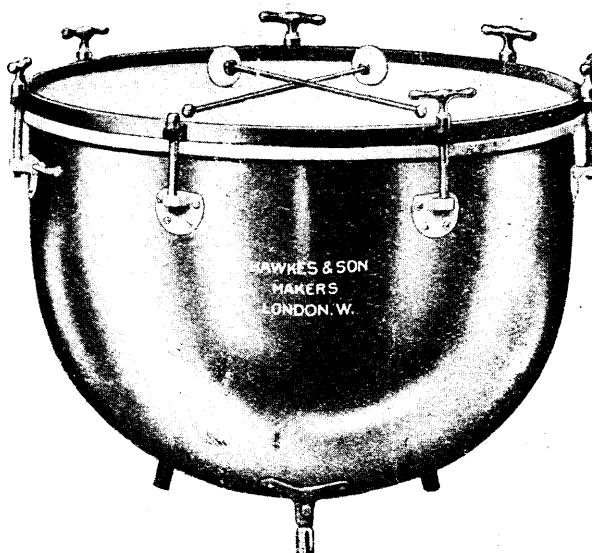
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