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## TONIC SOL-FA MUSIC COURSE

## FOR SCHOOLS.

STAFF NOTATION SUPPLEMENT то BOOK III.

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## PREFACE.

The Tonic Sol-fa Music Course is prepared especially for the use of schools. The exercises are carefully graded according to the steps of the Tonic Sol-fa Method.

The purpose of the Staff Supplement is to enable the Tonic Sol-fa pupils to apply their knowledge of music to the Staff Notation.
This Book should not be taken up until the corresponding work in Book III. has been accomplished. The more thoroughly music itself is first understood, the more easily and rapidly will the pupils learn to use the Staff Notation.

The Fourth Step develops simple transition ; that is, changing the key by one remove, sharp or flat, from any given key. This supplement shows the same thing, with new exercises, on the staff.

As far as Ex. 31, only "cadence transitions," or very brief changes of key, are introduced. The later exercises contain "extended transitions," and in them the extent of the new key is marked out, with the "bridge-notes" for sol-faing in each key according to the perfect method. In a few of the exercises the pupils are left to determine what bridge-notes they are to take, and sometimes into what key they are passing.

The graded exercises in Rhythm, at the end, will help to cultivate the pupils' rhythmic sense, and will make them familiar with a great many rhythmic combinations. The Solfeggios for sight-singing are intended to promote readiness in singing at sight music which contains simple changes of key.

In preparing the exercises, the leading aim has been to make them progressive in the order of musical development ; but care has also been taken to select good and appropriate tunes for school use.

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## STAFF-NOTATION SUPPLEMENT TO BOOK III.

## FOURTH STEP.

To recognize on the staff transition to the next sharp or flat key.

## VOICE TRAINING EXERCISES FOR DAILY PRACTICE.

Note.-These exercises can be sung as written by all voices. For lower voices alone, they can be taken in C sharp, C, B, and B-flat. For higher voices alone, in E-flat, E, and F. Let them be sung softly, but clearly, with jaw easily dropped, throat relaxed, and tongue lying flat in the mouth.


Coo,coo,coo,etc.


Coo,coo,coo,etc.
Loh,lah,or lay.


To illustrate the sharpened Fourth-fe.
IMPERFECT SOLFAING.

11.


12. SOLFEGGIOS FOR S. C.



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13.
(2) (2)





## MUSIC, SWEET MUSIC.



HASTE THEE, NYMPH.


Sport, that wrink-led care de-rides, Andlaugh-ter, hold-ing both his sides.

SONG OF WELCOME.


1. Voic - es blend - ing, we - come send - ing, Glad com - pan -ions here we greet;
2. Bur-dens light - en, pleas - ares bright-en, Who a - mong us can be sad ?

$\begin{array}{rlrl}9=2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0\end{array}$
All are sing - ing, mu - sic ring - ing, Hap - by voices here we meet, And None will sor-row for the mor - row, When all else a-round is glad, And $8=$ $\mathrm{A}= \pm$ nought of sad-ness, on - ly glad-ness, Sweetest mu - sic fills the air; paths of du - ty fill'd with beau - ty, Bright the sky that shines a - bove;


All re-peat-ing words of greet-ing, Love and joy are ev-'ry-where. Driv-ing trou - ble, joy we dou-ble; Earth be-neath is fill'd with love.

18.

THE FOOT TRAVELLER.
Franz Abt.

of my mind, An - oth - er trav'lling mate may find; He can - not go with me, He scowland groan, And 0 - ver oth-ers' sins make moan; I'd rath-er trudge a - lone, I'd sunshine bright, And nev - er peeps be-hind for night, That is the man for me, That
 can-not go with me. Hur-rah,hur-rah, Tra la la la la, Hur-rah, hur-rah,Tra rath - er trudge a - lone.
is the man for me.

19.

FRAGRANT AIR, EVERYWHERE.


1. Fra-grant air,
2. Wood so wide,
ev - erywhere, blue the sky $a$ - bove; Oh how sweet, on light feet, ver-dant pride, thou'rt my dearest home; Song and sound all a-round



round a-bout to rove, Fra-grant air, call me forth to roam, Wood so wide, $m f$
ev - ry-where, blue the sky a - bove; ver-dant pride, thou'rt my dear- est home;

 Oh how sweet, on light feet, round a-bout to rove. Zeph-yrs play with balm-y flow-ers, Song and sound all a-round call me forth to roam. Fill'd with joy and ad-mi-ra-tion


and how charming -ly Mer - ry birds in ver-dant bowers tune their mel-o - dy.
thus I on-ward rove,
Prais-ing loud the Lord's cre-a-tion, and His boundless love.

3. Oh, see the mer - ry farm-er's boy, He tramps the meadows through, And swings his hoe in
4. The farmer's boy is blithe and gay, By morn-ing, noon, or night; In song or glee or 46

care-less joy, While dashing off the dew. The mer - ry birds on branches high, They noun - de - lay, He's whistling with de - light. His mer - ry heart is full of glee, And
 trill their notes of glee; The boy, he gives a gay re-ply, And whistlescheeri - by. . . o - ver - full of fun; Oh, hear him whistling mer-ri-ly, Until the day is gone.


## Melody to be whistled with vocal accompaniment.



To illustrate the flattened Seventh- ta.
IMPERFECT SOLFAING.





## Flotow.

Abridged from the Chorus in "Martha."


Come where flow'rs are fling - ing Beau - ty o'er the meadows gay, Where glad Rep. Come where skies are smiling, Where the mer - ry foun-tains play, Come, thy (9) birds are singeing. Free from care, the livelong day were
birds are sing-ing, Free from care, the live-long day. Where thro' light and shadow, Streamlets care be-guil-ing, Keep with nature hol - i - day.

gen-tly murmur as they stray, $O$ - yer field and meadow, Fairy footsteps gai-ly lead the way.


Come, come, thy care be - guil-ing, Keep with na- tare hod - i - day, Oh, come, come where $f>p$, $f>p$ $\begin{array}{lll}-90 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0\end{array}$
pleas-ure fond -ry lingers, Where the gen-tle woodland Fay Weaves with mag-ic fingers
Q
(9)

Wreaths to crown the brow of May, to crown the brow of May, love - ly May, love - by 8 A
 May. Come where pleas - ore lin-gers, Where the gentle wood-land Fay


## HOMER.

29. 

ROUND IN THREE PARTS.
ER=6
Seven great towns of Greece, 'tis said, Claim'd Ho - mer's birth when

he was dead, 'Thro which a - live he begg'd his bread.
30.

OH, SMOOTHLY GLIDES.
B.
ROUND.
ROUND.
31.

SOLFEGGIO FOR S. C.
B.


> B.


1. Gen - the ray of sun-lightgleam-ing From the port - ald of the sky, 2. Like to thine is love's sweet mi - sion, On life's dai - by path to shine;


With ce - les - taal glo - ry beam - ing, Full of light, and life, and joy; Us to give a hap - by vic - ion Of still bright - er days di - vine.


Key G.
${ }^{r} \mathbf{S}_{1}$


Gild - ing av - 'ry hill and moun - tain, Smil - ing on their rug - ged sides, Love will soothe the sick man's pil-low, Love will light the poor man's day,


Cheer-ing av - 'ry spark-ling foun-tain, While its spark-ling wa - ter glides, Love will gild time's roll - ing bill - low, As it bears us on our way.


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## 33.

Words by A. J. Foxwell.
WHEN EARLY MORN.



## $\frac{2}{2}==\frac{\pi}{2}$


imp Key E.


| life | and | light | a | new, | Should | drow - sy | sloth | o'er |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| rig - | or | of | the | will; | But, | start - ing | up | from |
| glad | and | thank | ful | songs; | Throw | wood, and | field, | and |
| ac - | tin, while | we | may; | We'll | find | in | toil | a |


34.

HAPPY LAND, THY LENGTHENING STORY.
Words by John Guard.
Music by Mendelssohn.


1. Hap - by land, thy length'ning story Fame shall sound with trumpet voice,
2. Com-ing each, as each was need-ed, For the land they loved so well,
3. Tho' thy foe in fiercest might On thy shores may yet be crowding,

'ml Key E-flat.
Com-ing ra - es shall re - joice In the re - cord of thy glo-ry.
Fall - ing where their fa-thers fell, Each by one as true suc-ceed-ed.
Tho' dis - tress - es black as night
Dark-ly all the land be shrouding,


> Mar - tyr saints, and he - roes brave, Life-blood free - ly for thee gave, God be thank'd, whose grace and power Nerv'd them for the dread -ful hour, God shall arm thee for the fight, God shall send thee heav'n-ly light,


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## A SWALLOW SONG.

Words by Kate L. Brown, for this work.
B.

(Q)
(Q)
3. O swal-low, hap - py swal-low, I too would fly a - way; With-in this dear home

fol-low That ai - ry flight with you! A-mong the ro-sy cloud - lets You fear-less float a -
follow To lands more fair than these, Where golden summer reigneth, Where skies are always
${ }^{\mathrm{t}} \mathrm{I}_{1}$

val-ley I would notal-ways stay : Some inward voice is urg-ing, Thou,too,mustsingand

rise; Go,join thy joy ous comrades,Swift cleaving summer skies,Swift cleaving summer skies.


## A BIRD IS SWEETLY SINGING.

From Curwen's German Two-Part Songs.
Allegretto.


1. A bird is sweet - by
2. The brook, in joy-ous
3. A bu - gle note is
4. From .bu - gle, bird, and
sing - ing With - in the leaf - y
wood;
ram - ble, Thro' grass - y cor - ert flows;
swell - ing A - long the for - est glade;
wa - ter, We hear the mes - sage clear-

${ }^{\mathrm{C}}{ }^{-} \mathrm{I}^{-}$


It prat-tles as it goes.
Of cheer that Spring has made.
Re - joice while Spring is here."
${ }^{d} \mathbf{S}_{1}$


$O$ truth, $O$ truth, and bow to thee, and bow to thee. To thee we Shall hap-py hours em-ploy, shall hap-py hours em- ploy, And stormy


COC: Our hom - age full . and free, Our hom - age full and free. No more the world . . an noy, No more the world an - noy.

free.
noy.

## FROM THY THRONE.

39. 

Melody by Gluck.


1. From Thy throne in heav - en bending, Hear us, Fa - ther, while we pray; 2. On our un-known path di - rect us, Still sup - ply our dai - ly need;



On Thy grace a - lone de - pend-ing, Tread we life's un-cer - tain way. Arm us, Lord, and still pro - tect us, When to con - flict Thou dost lead.


## ALL GOOD-NIGHT.




From a Vocal Dance by Julies Otto.


1. $\{$ Spring is com - ing, Spring is com - ing, Float-ing on the west - ern breeze,
2. $\{$ Birds are sing - ing, Birds are sing - ing, Gai - ly sing - ing in the trees,
3. $\{$ Bright-ly tint - ed, bright-ly tint - ed, Forth the ten - der flow - ers peep, win - ter's sleep,


- dolce. $p$

Come then, maid - ens, to the woods a - way, to the woods a - way, All the fair earth cloth'd in beau - ty seems, cloth'd in beau - ty seems,

to the woods a - way, Where the glad birds chant their car - old, cloth'd in beau - ty seems, As it feels the wee - come sun - ny,



## DULCE DOMUM.*

42. 

Tune attributed to John Reading, 17th Century.


Come, com -pan-ions, join your voi - ces,Hearts with pleas - are bound - ing, Con - ci-na-nus, O so - da - les! E - ja -quid si -le - mus? (8)


Sing we the noble lay, Sweet song of hole - i -day, Joys of home, sweet home re-sound-ing,
No-bi-le can-ti-cum, dul-ce me - los, Dom-um, dom-um re - so-ne-mus,


Home, sweet home, with iv - 'ry pleas-ure, Home, with av - 'ry bless-ing crown'd, Dom - um, dom -um! dud - ce dom-um! Dul-ce dom -um re - so - ne -mus,


* This is sung annually by the Winchester (Eng.) college boys, at the commencement of the long vacation.


## EXERCISES IN RHYTHM.

1. 

$$
\dagger \text { Observe the proper breathing places. }
$$



3.

4.

5.


7.

8.
J. G.

 (a la la la la la la la la la la la $\dagger$ la la la la la la. roam, Each gallant soldier's heart will swell with love to friends at home.

$$
9 . \quad=96
$$

EQ 2 : 2
$E$ E $C=0$
10.
$\mathrm{E} \mathrm{E}_{2}^{2} \mathrm{e}^{2}=96$.


12.
 13.

14.

Abt.

15.


O'er the wave his ra-dianceflies, O'er the wave, O'er the wave his radiance flies.

16.
 $\dagger$

17.


18.
 At whose bright presence darkness
flies . . . . . . . . . . a - way.
20.
$=66$.
21.


Like fai - ry elves who night - ly, Tra
$\dagger$

la la la, When moonbeams glim-mer brightly, The er - ry chorus sing.
22.
$E(9)$
$E(920$ Challot. Oh, lis-ten, listen, la-dies, lis-ten, la-dies gay, Nohaughty feat of arms we tell.

## EXERCISES FOR SIGHT SINGING

1. 

IMPERFECT SOLFAING.
EQ e: el: 2.

3.
 fe

4.


5.


6.









10.




12. Notice "passing transitions" in the last eight measures.





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