

9

Fl. I  
Ob.  
Cl. I *p*  
Bsn.  
  
Yum. But, fierce and bold, In fi - ery gold, He glo - ries all ef - ful - gent. I mean to rule the earth,  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

13

Fl. I  
Ob.  
Cl. I  
Bsn.  
  
Yum. As he the sky— We real - ly know our worth, The sun and I!  
Vlns. *cresc.*  
Vla. *cresc.*  
Cel. *cresc.*  
D.B. *cresc.*

*dim.*  
*dim.*  
*dim.*  
*dim.*  
*dim.*

16

Fl. I

Ob.

Cl. I

Bsn.

Yum.

I mean to rule the earth, As he the sky— We real - ly know our worth, The sun and I!

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

rall.

*a tempo*

*p*

*mf*

*sost.*

*p*

*mf*

*p*

*sost.*

*p*

*mf*

*p*

*sost.*

*p*

20

Fl. I

Ob.

Cl. I

Bsn.

Yum.

Ob - serve his flame, That pla - cid dame, The moon's Cel - es - tial High - ness; There's not a trace Up - on her face Of dif - fi - dence or shy - ness:

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

*div.*

*div.*

*div.*

24

Fl. I  
Ob.  
Cl. I  
Bsn.  
  
Yum.

She bor - rows light That, through the night, Man - kind may all ac - claim her! And, truth to tell, She lights up well, So I, for one, don't blame her.

Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

28

Fl. I  
Ob.  
Cl. I  
Bsn.  
  
Yum.

Ah, pray make no mis - take, We are not shy; We're ve - ry wide a - wake, The moon and I!

Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

33

rall.

*a tempo*

Fl. I  
Ob.  
Cl. I  
Bsn.  
  
Yum. Ah, pray make no mis - take, We are not shy; We're ve - ry wide a - wake, The moon and I!  
  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

*Enter PITTI-SING and PEEP-BO.*

**YUM.** Yes, everything seems to smile upon me. I am to be married to-day to the man I love best, and I believe I am the very happiest girl in Japan!

**PEEP.** The happiest girl indeed, for she is indeed to be envied who has attained happiness in all but perfection.

**YUM.** In "all but" perfection?

**PEEP.** Well, dear, it can't be denied that the fact that your husband is beheaded in a month is, in its way, a drawback. It does seem to take the top off it, you know.

**PITTI.** I don't know about that. It all depends!

**PEEP.** At all events, he will find it a drawback.

**PITTI.** Not necessarily. Bless you, it all depends!

**YUM.** (*in tears.*) I think it very indelicate of you to refer to such a subject on such a day. If my married happiness is to be — to be —

**PEEP.** Cut short.

**YUM.** Well, cut short — in a month, can't you let me forget it? (*Weeping.*)

*Enter NANKI-POO, followed by PISH-TUSH.*

- NANKI.** Yum-Yum in tears — and on her wedding morn!
- YUM.** (*sobbing.*) They've been reminding me that in a month you're to be beheaded! (*Bursts into tears.*)
- PITTI.** Yes, we've been reminding her that you're to be beheaded! (*Bursts into tears.*)
- PEEP.** It's quite true, you know, you are to be beheaded! (*Bursts into tears.*)
- NANKI.** (*aside.*) Humph! Now, some bridegrooms would be depressed by this sort of thing! (*Aloud.*) A month? Well, what's a month? Bah! These divisions of time are purely arbitrary. Who says twenty-four hours make a day?
- PITTI.** There's a popular impression to that effect.
- NANKI.** Then we'll efface it. We'll call each second a minute — each minute an hour — each hour a day — and each day a year. At that rate we've about thirty years of married happiness before us!
- PEEP.** And, at that rate, this interview has already lasted four hours and three-quarters!
- Exit PEEP-BO.*
- YUM.** (*still sobbing.*) Yes, how time flies when one is thoroughly enjoying oneself!
- NANKI.** That's the way to look at it! Don't let's be downhearted! There's a silver lining to every cloud!
- YUM.** Certainly. Let's — let's be perfectly happy! (*Almost in tears.*)
- PISH.** By all means. Let's — let's thoroughly enjoy ourselves.
- PITTI.** It's — it's absurd to cry! (*Trying to force a laugh.*)
- YUM.** Quite ridiculous! (*Trying to laugh.*)

(*All break into a forced and melancholy laugh.*)

### No. 3 — MADRIGAL (Yum-Yum, Pitti-Sing, Nanki-Poo, and Pish-Tush).

*Allegretto con spirito.*

Oboe  
Clarinet  
Bassoon  
Yum-Yum  
Pitti-Sing  
Nanki-Poo  
Pish-Tush  
Violins  
Viola  
Cello & Double Bass

1. Bright - ly dawns our wed - ding day; Joy - ous the hour we give thee  
2. Let us dry the rea - dy tear, Though the hours are sure - ly  
Joy - ous the hour we give thee  
Though the hours are sure - ly  
Joy - ous the hour we give thee  
Though the hours are sure - ly  
Joy - ous the hour we give thee  
Though the hours are sure - ly

*senza sord.*  
*p*  
*p*  
*p*  
*Cello*  
*p*

9

Ob.  
Cl.  
Bsn.  
Yum.  
Pitti.  
Nanki.  
Pish.  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

greet - ing! Whi - ther, whi - ther art thou fleet - ing? Fic - kle mo - ment, pri - thee stay!  
near, Till - the mo - ment, pri - thee stay!  
near!

16

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Yum.

Pitti.

Nanki.

Pish.

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

Though the toc - sin sound, ere  
This the close - of ev - ry

I  
Plea - sures - come, if - sor - rows - fol - low: Though the toc - sin sound, ere  
I to - day, and - thou to - mor - row: Though the close - of ev - ry

Though the toc - sin sound, ere  
This the close - of ev - ry

What though mor - tal - joys be hol - low?  
All must sip the cup of sor - row?

Though the toc - sin sound, ere  
This the close - of ev - ry

*mf*

23

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Yum.

Pitti.

Nanki.

Pish.

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

long, song,  
Though This the toc - sin sound, ere long, song,  
long, song, Ding dong! Ding

f  
sf

long, song, Ding dong! Ding dong! Ding

31

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Yum.

dong! { Yet un - til the sha - dows fall O - ver one and o - ver - all? } Sing a mer - ry mad - ri gal, Sing a

What though sol - emn sha - dows fall Soon - er, la - ter, o - ver - all? Sing a

Pitti.

Nanki.

Pish.

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

38

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Yum.

mer - ry mad - ri gal, Sing a mer - ry mad - ri gal, Fa la, Fa la, Fa

Pitti.

Nanki.

Pish.

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

44

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Yum. *la la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la, Fa*

Pitti. *ff la, Fa la, Fa la la la, Fa*

Nanki. *ff = la la la la, Fa la la la, Fa*

Pish. *ff la, Fa la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, Fa la, Fa*

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

51

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Yum. *p la la la, Fa la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, la. la.*

Pitti. *p la la la, Fa la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, la. la.*

Nanki. *p la la la, Fa la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, la. la.*

Pish. *p la la la, Fa la, Fa la la, Fa la la, Fa la la la, Fa la la la, la. la.*

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel. *pp*

D.B.

*Exeunt PITTI-SING and PISH-TUSH.*

*The Mikado, Act II / 169*

**NANKI-POO** embraces **YUM-YUM**. Enter **KO-KO**. **NANKI-POO** releases **YUM-YUM**.

**Ko.** Go on — don't mind me.

**NANKI.** I'm afraid we're distressing you.

**Ko.** Never mind, I must get used to it. Only please do it by degrees. Begin by putting your arm round her waist. (**NANKI-POO** does so.) There, let me get used to that first.

**YUM.** Oh, wouldn't you like to retire? It must pain you to see us so affectionate together!

**Ko.** No, I must learn to bear it! Now oblige me by allowing her head to rest on your shoulder.

**NANKI.** Like that? (*He does so. KO-KO much affected.*)

**Ko.** I am much obliged to you. Now — kiss her! (*He does so. KO-KO writhes with anguish.*) Thank you — it's simple torture!

**YUM.** Come, come, bear up. After all, it's only for a month.

**Ko.** No. It's no use deluding oneself with false hopes.

**NANKI.** {  
**YUM.** { What do you mean?

**Ko.** (*To YUM-YUM.*) My child — my poor child! (*Aside.*) How shall I break it to her? (*Aloud.*) My little bride that was to have been —

**YUM.** (*delighted.*) Was to have been?

**Ko.** Yes, you never can be mine!

**NANKI.** {  
**YUM.** { What!  
                          { I'm so glad!

**Ko.** I've just ascertained that, by the Mikado's law, when a married man is beheaded his wife is buried alive.

**NANKI.** {  
**YUM.** { Buried alive!

**Ko.** Buried alive. It's a most unpleasant death.

**NANKI.** But whom did you get that from?

**Ko.** Oh, from Pooh-Bah. He's my Solicitor.

**YUM.** But he may be mistaken!

**Ko.** So I thought; so I consulted the Attorney-General, the Lord Chief Justice, the Master of the Rolls, the Judge Ordinary, and the Lord Chancellor. They're all of the same opinion. Never knew such unanimity on a point of law in my life!

**NANKI.** But stop a bit! This law has never been put in force.

**Ko.** Not yet. You see, flirting is the only crime punishable with decapitation, and married men never flirt.

**NANKI.** Of course, they don't! I quite forgot that! Well, I suppose I may take it that my dream of happiness is at an end!

**YUM.** Darling — I don't want to appear selfish, and I love you with all my heart — I don't suppose I shall ever love anybody else half as much — but when I agreed to marry you — my own — I had no idea — pet — that I should have to be buried alive in a month!

**NANKI.** Nor I! It's the very first I've heard of it!

**YUM.** It — it makes a difference, doesn't it?

**NANKI.** It does make a difference, of course.

**YUM.** You see — burial alive — it's such a stuffy death!

**NANKI.** I call it a beast of a death.

**YUM.** You see my difficulty, don't you?

**NANKI.** Yes, and I see my own. If I insist on your carrying out your promise, I doom you to a hideous death; if I release you, you marry Ko-Ko at once!

#### No. 4 — TRIO (Yum-Yum, Nanki-Poo, and Ko-Ko).

*Allegro vivace.*

The musical score for "No. 4 — TRIO (Yum-Yum, Nanki-Poo, and Ko-Ko)." The score is in 2/4 time with a key signature of three sharps. The instrumentation includes Flutes, Oboe, Clarinets (with a dynamic marking "in A"), Bassoon, Horns in F, Yum-Yum (vocal part), Violins, Viola, Cello, and Double Bass. The vocal line for Yum-Yum begins with "Here's a how d'ye do!" followed by "If I mar - ry you, When your time has". The score shows various dynamics like *f*, *p*, and *I.*

10

Fls.

Ob.

Cls. I.

Bsn.

Hns.

Yum. come to pe - rish, Then the maid - en whom you che - rish Must be slaug - tered too! Here's a how d'ye do! Here's a how d'ye do!

Vlns.

Vla.

unis.

Cel. D.B.

19

Fls.

Ob. p

Cls. p

Bsn. p

Hns.

Nanki. Here's a pret - ty mess! In a month, or less, I must die with - out a wed - ding!

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel. D.B.

28

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Nanki.

Let the bit - ter tears I'm shed - ding Wit - ness my dis - tress, Herc's a pret - ty mess! Herc's a pret - ty mess!

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

36

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Ko.

Here's a state of things! To her life she clings! Mat - ri - mo - ni - al de - vo - tion Does - n't seem to

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

44

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Yum.

Nanki.

Ko.

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

With a

With a

With a

suit her no - tion— Bu - ri - al it brings! Here's a state of things! Here's a state of things! With a

Cello

53

I.

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Yum.

Nanki.

Ko.

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

pas - sion that's in - tense I wor - ship and a - - dore, But the laws of com - mon - sense We ought - n't to ig - - nore. If

pas - sion that's in - tense I wor - ship and a - - dore, But the laws of com - mon - sense We ought - n't to ig - - nore. If

pas - sion that's in - tense I wor - ship and a - - dore, But the laws of com - mon - sense We ought - n't to ig - - nore. If

p

p

p

unis.

61

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Yum.

what he says is true, 'Tis death to mar - ry you! Here's a pret - ty state of things! Here's a pret - ty how d'ye do!

Nanki.

what he says is true, 'Tis death to mar - ry you! Here's a pret - ty state of things! Here's a pret - ty how d'ye do!

Ko.

what he says is true, 'Tis death to mar - ry you! Here's a pret - ty state of things! Here's a pret - ty how d'ye do!

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

*p*

69

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Yum.

Here's a pret - ty state of things! a pret - ty state of things! Here's a how d'ye do!

Nanki.

Here's a pret - ty state of things! a pret - ty state of things! Here's a how d'ye do!

Ko.

Here's a pret - ty state of things! a pret - ty state of things! Here's a how d'ye do!

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

*f*

*a 2*

*f*

*a 2*

*f*

*f*

*f*

*cresc.*

*cresc.*

*f*

*f*

*cresc.*

*f*

77 a 2

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Yum.

For if what he says is true, I can - not, can - not mar - ry you! Here's a pret - - ty, pret - - ty state of

Nanki.

For if what he says is true, I can - not, can - not mar - ry you! Here's a pret - - ty, pret - - ty state of

Ko.

For if what he says is true, I can - not, can - not mar - ry you! Here's a pret - - ty, pret - - ty state of

Vlns.

Vla.

unis.

Cel. D.B.

*stringendo*

85

Fls. sf

Ob. sf

Cls. sf

Bsn. sf

Hns. ff

Yum. things!

Nanki. things!

Ko. things!

Vlns. sf

Vla. sf

Cel. D.B. sf

ff

Spoken. Here's a pretty how d'ye do!

Spoken. Here's a pretty how d'ye do!

Spoken. Here's a pretty how d'ye do!

*Exit YUM-YUM.*

**Ko.** (*going up to NANKI-Poo.*) My poor boy, I'm really very sorry for you.

**NANKI.** Thanks, old fellow. I'm sure you are.

**Ko.** You see I'm quite helpless.

**NANKI.** I quite see that.

**Ko.** I can't conceive anything more distressing than to have one's marriage broken off at the last moment. But you shan't be disappointed of a wedding — you shall come to mine.

**NANKI.** It's awfully kind of you, but that's impossible.

**Ko.** Why so?

**NANKI.** To-day I die.

**Ko.** What do you mean?

**NANKI.** I can't live without Yum-Yum. This afternoon I perform the Happy Despatch.

**Ko.** No, no — pardon me — I can't allow that.

**NANKI.** Why not?

**Ko.** Why, hang it all, you're under contract to die by the hand of the Public Executioner in a month's time! If you kill yourself, what's to become of me? Why, I shall have to be executed in your place!

**NANKI.** It would certainly seem so!

*Enter POOH-BAH.*

**Ko.** Now then, Lord Mayor, what is it?

**POOH.** The Mikado and his suite are approaching the city, and will be here in ten minutes.

**Ko.** The Mikado! He's coming to see whether his orders have been carried out! (*To NANKI-Poo.*) Now look here, you know — this is getting serious — a bargain's a bargain, and you really mustn't frustrate the ends of justice by committing suicide. As a man of honour and a gentleman, you are bound to die ignominiously by the hands of the Public Executioner.

**NANKI.** Very well, then — behead me.

**Ko.** What, now?

**NANKI.** Certainly; at once.

**POOH.** Chop it off! Chop it off!

**Ko.** My good sir, I don't go about prepared to execute gentlemen at a moment's notice. Why, I never even killed a blue-bottle!

**Pooh.** Still, as Lord High Executioner —

**Ko.** My good sir, as Lord High Executioner, I've got to behead him in a month. I'm not ready yet. I don't know how it's done. I'm going to take lessons. I mean to begin with a guinea pig, and work my way though the animal kingdom till I come to a Second Trombone. Why, you don't suppose that, as a humane man, I'd have accepted the post of Lord High Executioner if I hadn't thought the duties were purely nominal? I can't kill you — I can't kill anything! I can't kill anybody! (*Weeps.*)

**Nanki.** Come my poor fellow, we all have unpleasant duties to discharge at times; after all, what is it? If I don't mind, why should you? Remember, sooner or later it must be done.

**Ko.** (*springing up suddenly.*) Must it? I'm not so sure about that!

**Nanki.** What do you mean?

**Ko.** Why should I kill you when making an affidavit that you've been executed will do just as well? Here are plenty of witnesses — the Lord Chief Justice, Lord High Admiral, Commander-in-Chief, Secretary of State for the Home Department, First Lord of the Treasury, and Chief Commissioner of Police.

**Nanki.** But where are they?

**Ko.** There they are. They'll all swear to it — won't you? (*To Pooh-BAH.*)

**Pooh.** Am I to understand that all of us high Officers of State are required to perjure ourselves to ensure your safety?

**Ko.** Why not? You'll be grossly insulted, as usual.

**Pooh.** Will the insult be cash down, or at a date?

**Ko.** It will be a ready-money transaction.

**Pooh.** (*Aside.*) Well, it will be a useful discipline. (*Aloud.*) Very good. Choose your fiction, and I'll endorse it! (*Aside.*) Ha! ha! Family Pride, how do you like that, my buck?

**Nanki.** But I tell you that life without Yum-Yum —

**Ko.** Oh, Yum-Yum, Yum-Yum! Bother Yum-Yum! Here, Commissionnaire (*to Pooh-BAH*), go and fetch Yum-Yum. (*Exit Pooh-BAH.*) Take Yum-Yum and marry Yum-Yum, only go away and never come back again. (*Enter Pooh-BAH with YUM-YUM.*) Here she is. Yum-Yum, are you particularly busy?

**Yum.** Not particularly.

**Ko.** You've five minutes to spare?

**YUM.** Yes.

**Ko.** Then go along with his Grace the Archbishop of Titipu; he'll marry you at once.

**YUM.** But if I'm to be buried alive?

**Ko.** Now, don't ask any questions, but do as I tell you, and Nanki-Poo will explain all.  
(*Music begins — see below.*)

**NANKI.** But one moment —

**Ko.** Not for worlds. Here comes the Mikado, no doubt to ascertain whether I've obeyed his decree, and if he finds you alive I shall have the greatest difficulty in persuading him that I've beheaded you. (*Exeunt NANKI-POO and YUM-YUM, followed by POOH-BAH.*) Close thing that, for here he comes!

*Exit Ko-Ko.*

*Music begins at cue “Nanki-Poo will explain all”, dialogue continues through the first twelve bars. CHORUS enter, followed by MIKADO with KATISHA, at bar 13.*

### No. 5 — ENTRANCE OF MIKADO AND KATISHA.

*Allegro moderato.*

The musical score consists of ten staves of music. From top to bottom, the instruments are: Flutes, Oboe, Clarinets, Bassoon, Horns in F, Trumpets in B♭, Trombones, Bass Drum, Violins, Viola, and Cello & Double Bass. The score is in common time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The dynamics are primarily *p* (pianissimo) and *pp* (pianississimo). The bass drum has a dynamic of *p*. The violins play eighth-note patterns, while the other instruments provide harmonic support with sustained notes or eighth-note chords. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines.

*Enter procession, heralding MIKADO, with KATISHA.*

13

Fls.  
Ob.  
Cls.  
Bsn.  
Hns.  
Tpts.  
Tbns.  
Bass  
Drum  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

*f*

25 a 2

Fls.  
Ob.  
Cls.  
Bsn.  
Hns.  
Tpts.  
Tbns.  
C  
H  
O  
R  
U  
S  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

*f*

Mi - ya sa - ma, mi - ya sa - ma, On n'm - ma no ma - yé ni Pi - ra - Pi - ra su - ru no wa Nan gia - na To - ko ton - ya - ré

*f*

35 a 2

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns. Bass Drum C H O R U S ton - ya - ré na? Vlns. f Vla. Cel. D.B. f

Mi - ya sa - ma, mi - ya sa - ma, On n'm - ma no

46 a 2

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns. C H O R U S ma - yé ni Pi - ra - Pi - ra su - ru no wa Nan - gia - na Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

To - ko ton - ya - ré ton - ya - ré na?

55

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn. *f*

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Bass Drum *f* *p*

Mik.

Vlns. *f* *p*

Vla. *f* *p*

Cel. D.B. *f* *p*

66

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Kat.

Mik.

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel. D.B.

And I'm his daughter-in-law clect! He'll marry his son (He's on - ly got one) To his man O - be - dience I ex - pect; I'm the Em - poror of Ja - pan—

75

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Kat.

daugh - ter - in - law e - lect!

Mik.

My mo - rals have been dec - lared Par - tic - u - lar - ly cor - rect—

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

81

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Kat.

noth - ing at all, com - pared With those of his daugh - ter - in - law e - lect!

Bow— Bow— To his daugh - ter - in - law e - lect!

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

89

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns. Tri. C H O R U S  
Bow— Bow— To his daugh - ter - in - law e - - lect!

Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

98

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns. Mik. Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

In a fa-ther-ly kind of way I go - vern each tribe and sect, All cheer-ful-ly own my sway— Ex - cept his daugh - ter - in - law e - lect! As

Cello unis.

Katisha.

107

Fls.  
Ob.  
Cls.  
Bsn.  
  
Hns.  
Tpts.  
Tbns.  
  
Kat.  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

Mikado. Kat.  
tough as a bone, With a will of her own, Is his daugh - ter - in - law e - lect! My na - ture is love and light, My free - dom from all de - fect— Is

115

Fls.  
Ob.  
Cls.  
Bsn.  
  
Hns.  
Tpts.  
Tbns.  
  
Kat.  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

in - sig - ni - fi - cant quite, Com - pared with his daugh - ter - in - law e - lect! Bow— Bow— To his daugh - ter - in - law e - lect!

div.  
div.

123

Fls. Ob. Cts. Bsn.

Hns. Tpts. Tbns.

Tri.

C  
H  
O  
R  
U  
S

Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

*Bow— Bow— To his daugh - ter - in - law c - lect!*

*Attacca No. 6*

## No. 6 — SONG (Mikado and Chorus).

*Allegro vivace.*

(a 2)

ff

(in A)

ff

ff

ff

ff

f

A more hu-mane Mi - ka - do ne-ver Did in Ja - pan ex - ist, To

pizz.

pizz.

pizz.

pizz.

pizz.

pizz.

pizz.

unis.

p

Cello

pizz.

9

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Mik.

no - bod - y sec - ond, I'm cer - tain ly reck - oned A true phi - lan - thro - pist. It is my ver - y hu - mane en - dea - vour To make, to some ex - tent, Each c - vil liv - er A

arco

pizz.

arco

arco

pizz.

arco

Cello arco

pizz.

unis. arco

18

*rall.*                            *a tempo*

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Mik.

run - ning ri - ver Of harm - less mer - ri - ment! My ob - ject all sub - lime I shall a - chieve in time— To let the pun - ish - ment  
*dolce*

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

26

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Mik.

fit the crime— The pun - ish - ment fit the crime; And make each mal - con - tent Un - wil - ling - ly rep - re - sent A

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

33

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns. B.D. Cym. Mik.

source of in no - cent mer - ri - ment, Of in - no - cent mer - ri - ment!

Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

*ff* *ff* *ff* *f*

1. All

41

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns. Mik.

pro - sy dull so - ci - e - ty sin - ners Who chat ter and bleat and bore, Are sent to hear ser - mons From mys - ti - cal Ger - mans Who preach from ten till  
ad - ver - tis - ing quack who wea - ries With tales of count - less cures His teeth, I've en - act - ed, Shall all be ex - tract - ed, By ter - ri - fied a - ma -

Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

*p* *p*

48

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns.

Mik. Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

four. The a - ma - teur te - nor, whose vo - cal vil-lain-ies All de - sire to shirk, Shall, du - ring off - hours, Ex - hi - bit his po - wers To  
 teurs. The mu - sic - hall sin - ger at - tends a se - ries Of mass - es and fugues and "ops" By Bach, in - ter - wo - ven With Spohr and Beet - ho - ven, At

55

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns.

Mik. Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

Ma - dame Tus - saud's wax - work. The la - dy who dyes a che - mi - cal yel - low Or stains her grey - hair puce, Or pin - ches her fig - ger, Is  
 clas - si - cal Mon - day Pops. The bil - liard sharp whom a - ny - one catch - es, His doom's ex - treme - ly hard - He's made to dwell In a

62

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Mik.

blacked like a nig - ger With per - ma - nent wal - - - nut juice. The i - diot who, in rail - - - way car - ria - ges,  
dun - - - geon cell On a spot that's al - - - ways barred. And there he plays ex - tra - va - gant match - es In

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

67

rall.

a...

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

Mik.

Scrib - bles on win - dow - panes, We on ly suf - fer To ride on a buf - fer In Par - - lia - men - t'ry trains! } My  
fit - - - less fin - - ger - stalls, On a cloth un - true, With a twis - - ted cue And el - lip - ti - cal bil - liard balls! }

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.  
D.B.

73 ...tempo

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn. *p*

Hns. *p*

Tpts.

Tbns.

B.D. Cym. *pp*

Mik. ob - ject all sub - lime I shall ach - ieve in time— To let the pun - ish - ment fit the crime— The pun - ish - ment fit the

Vlns. *p* div.

Vla. *p* div.

Cel. *p*

D.B. *p*

80 a 2

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

B.D. Cym.

Mik. crime; And make each mal - con - tent Un - wil - ling - ly rep - re - sent A source of in - no - cent mer - ri - ment, Of

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel. unis.

D.B.

87

Fls. *mf*

Ob. *mf*

Cls. a 2 *f*

Bsn. *f*

Hns. *mf*

Tpts. *p*

Tbns. *p*

B.D. Cym. *mf*

Mik. *mf*  
in - no - cent mer - ri - ment!

**C H O R U S**  
His ob ject all sub - lime He will ach - ieve in time— To let the pun - ish - ment  
*f*

Vlns. *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Cel. *mf*

D.B. *mf*

94

Fls.

Ob.

Cls. a 2

Bsn.

Hns.

Tpts.

Tbns.

B.D.  
Cym.

**C  
H  
O  
R  
U  
S**

fit the crime— The pun - ish - ment fit the crime; And make each mal - con - tent Un - wil - ling - ly rep - re - sent A

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

101

Fls. Ob. Cls. Bsn. Hns. Tpts. Tbns. B.D. Cym. CHORUS source of in - no - cent mer ri - ment, Of in - no - cent mer - ri - ment!

Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

Mikado.  
2. The

*Enter POOH-BAH, KO-KO, and PITTI-SING. All kneel.*  
*(POOH-BAH hands a paper to KO-KO.)*

**Ko.** I am honoured in being permitted to welcome your Majesty. I guess the object of your Majesty's visit — your wishes have been attended to. The execution has taken place.

**Mik.** Oh, you've had an execution, have you?

**Ko.** Yes. The Coroner has just handed me his certificate.

**Pooh.** I am the Coroner. (*KO-KO hands certificate to MIKADO.*)

**Mik.** And this is the certificate of his death. (*Reads.*) "At Titipu, in the presence of the Lord Chancellor, Lord Chief Justice, Attorney-General, Secretary of State for the Home Department, Lord Mayor, and Groom of the Second Floor Front—"

**Pooh.** They were all present, your Majesty. I counted them myself.

**Mik.** Very good house. I wish I'd been in time for the performance.

**Ko.** A tough fellow he was, too — a man of gigantic strength. His struggles were terrific. It was really a remarkable scene.

**Mik.** Describe it.

## No. 7 — TRIO AND CHORUS (Pitti-Sing, Ko-Ko, Pooh-Bah, and Chorus).

*Allegretto comodo.*

Flutes  
Oboe  
Clarinetts  
Bassoon  
Horns in F  
Trumpets in B  
(1st verse only)  
Trombones  
(1st verse only)  
Bass Drum  
(3rd verse only)  
Ko-Ko  
Violins  
Viola  
Cello & Double Bass

1. The cri - mi - nal cried as he dropped him down, In a state of wild a - larm— With a fright - ful, fran - tic,

9

Fls.  
Ob.  
Cls.  
Bsn.  
Hns.  
Tpts.  
Tbns.  
Ko.  
Vlns.  
Vla.  
Cel.  
D.B.

fear - ful frown, I bared my big right arm.— I seized him by his lit - tle pig - tail, And on his knees fell he, As he

16

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

I.

Ko.

squirmed and strug - gled, And gur - gled and gug - gled, I drew my snick - er - snee! my snick - er - snee! Oh,

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel. D.B.

22

Fl. I  
Pic.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Ko.

nev - er shall I For - get the cry, Or the shreik that shreik - èd he, As I gnashed my teeth, When from its sheath I drew my snick - er -

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel.

D.B.

29

I.

Fls. f

Ob. f

Cls. f

Bsn. f

Hns. f

Ko. f

snee! — C H O R U S We know him well, He can - not tell Un - true or ground - less tales — He al - ways tries To

Vlns. f

Vla. f

Cel. f

D.B. f

35

I.

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Pitti-Sing.  
C H O R U S ut - ter lies, And ev - 'ry time he fails! — 2. He shi - vered and shook as he gave the sign For the stroke he did - n't de - serve; When

Vlns. p

Vla. p

Cel. p

D.B. p

42

Fls.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Pitti.

all of a sud - den his eye met mine, And it seemed to brace his nerve;— For he nod - ded his head and kissed his hand, And he whis - tled an air,— did

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel. D.B.

49

Fl. I  
Picc.

Ob.

Cls.

Bsn.

Hns.

Pitti.

he, As the sa - bre true Cut clean - ly through His cer - vi - cal ver - te - bræ, his ver - te - bræ! When a

Vlns.

Vla.

Cel. D.B.

56

Fls. Ob. Cts. Bsn.

Hns. Pitti.

Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

man's a - fraid, A beau - ti - ful maid Is a cheer - ing sight to see;— And it's oh,— I'm glad That mo - ment sad Was soothed by sight of

63

L f

Fls. Ob. Cts. Bsn.

Hns. Pitti.

C H O R U S

Vlns. Vla. Cel. D.B.

I  
mc!  
Her ter ri - ble tale You can't as - sail, With truth it quite a - grees:— Her taste ex - act For fault - less fact A -