Mothers of Democracy

by: Frank Panella

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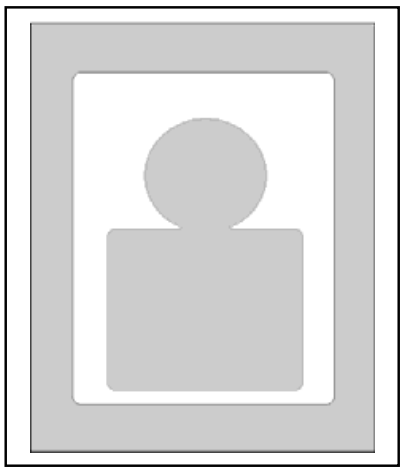

Panella, Frank A.

DOB: 1878 (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania)
DOD: 1953 (Crafton, Pennsylvania)

Frank A. Panella was known as the March King of Pittsburgh (Pennsylvania). As a youth, he played clarinet in a number of the city's theater orchestras and bands and later for the Arthur Pryor Band, the Pittsburgh Festival Orchestra, and the Pittsburg Symphony Orchestra. He also conducted a number of area bands including the Grand Army Band, Boys Brigade Band, and Westinghouse Air Brake Company Band. He was known as the "March King of Pittsburgh."

He influenced many students through his teaching at the University of Pittsburgh. During the World War I, both Frank and his brother Louis were instructors at the U.S. Army School of Music.

While he wrote hundreds of songs, he is best known for his 1915 arrangement of "The Old Gray Mare" and his World War II march *Raspberry.*[1]

Mothers of Democracy (march) was published in 1919 by Panella Music Company (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania). There is no dedication to the march and it was arranged by Panella. This is one of Frank Panella's popular marches. "Mothers of Democracy," a patriotic organization for women in the Pittsburgh area, raised enormous sums of money in support of the American participation in WWI.

Program note researched by Marcus L. Neiman
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Additional information on either the composer or composition would be welcomed. Please send information to
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[1] Smith, Norman E. (1986), *Program note press* (Louisiana), p. 323.

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D♭ Piccolo

MARCH

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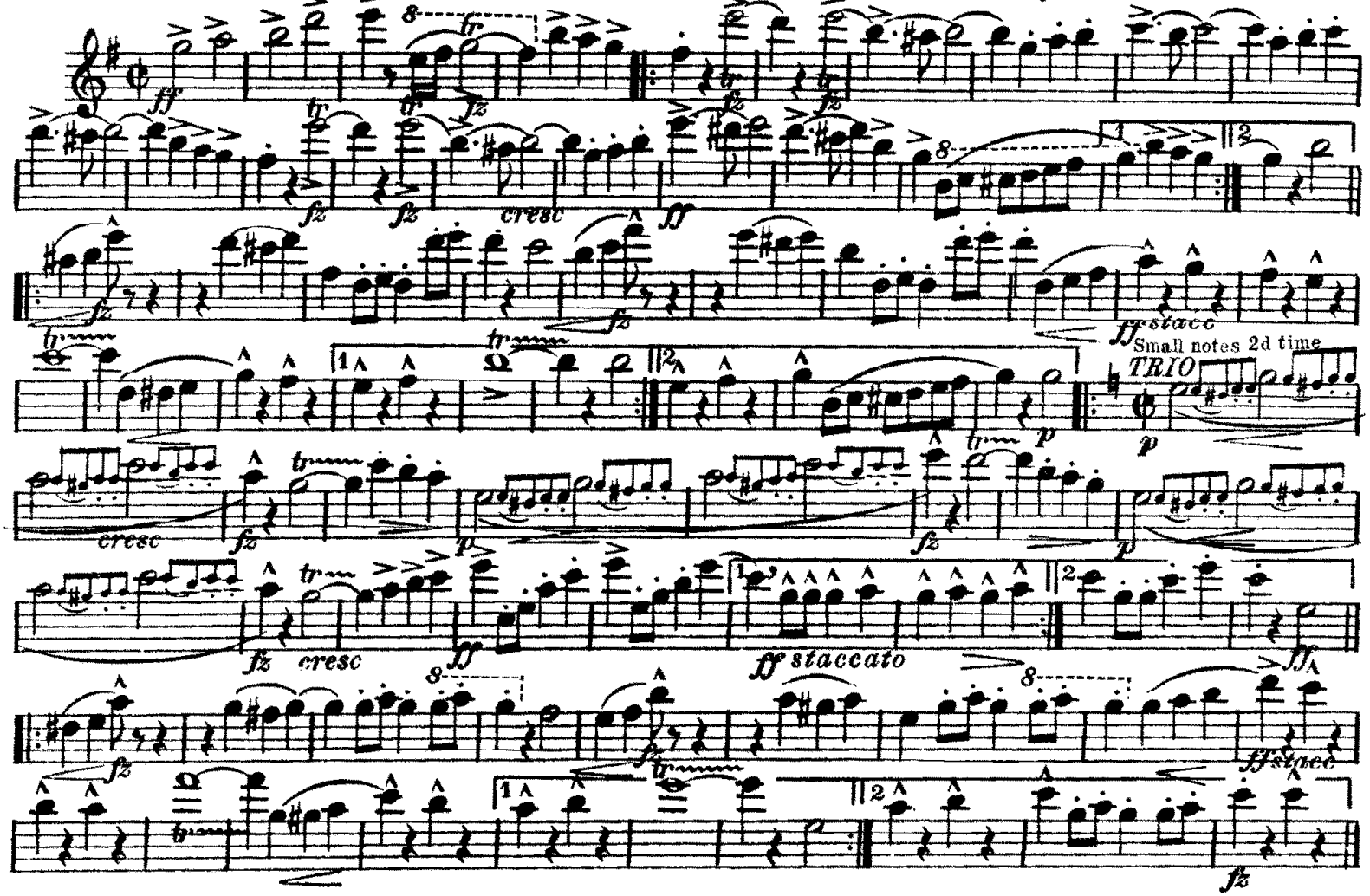

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Piccolo in C

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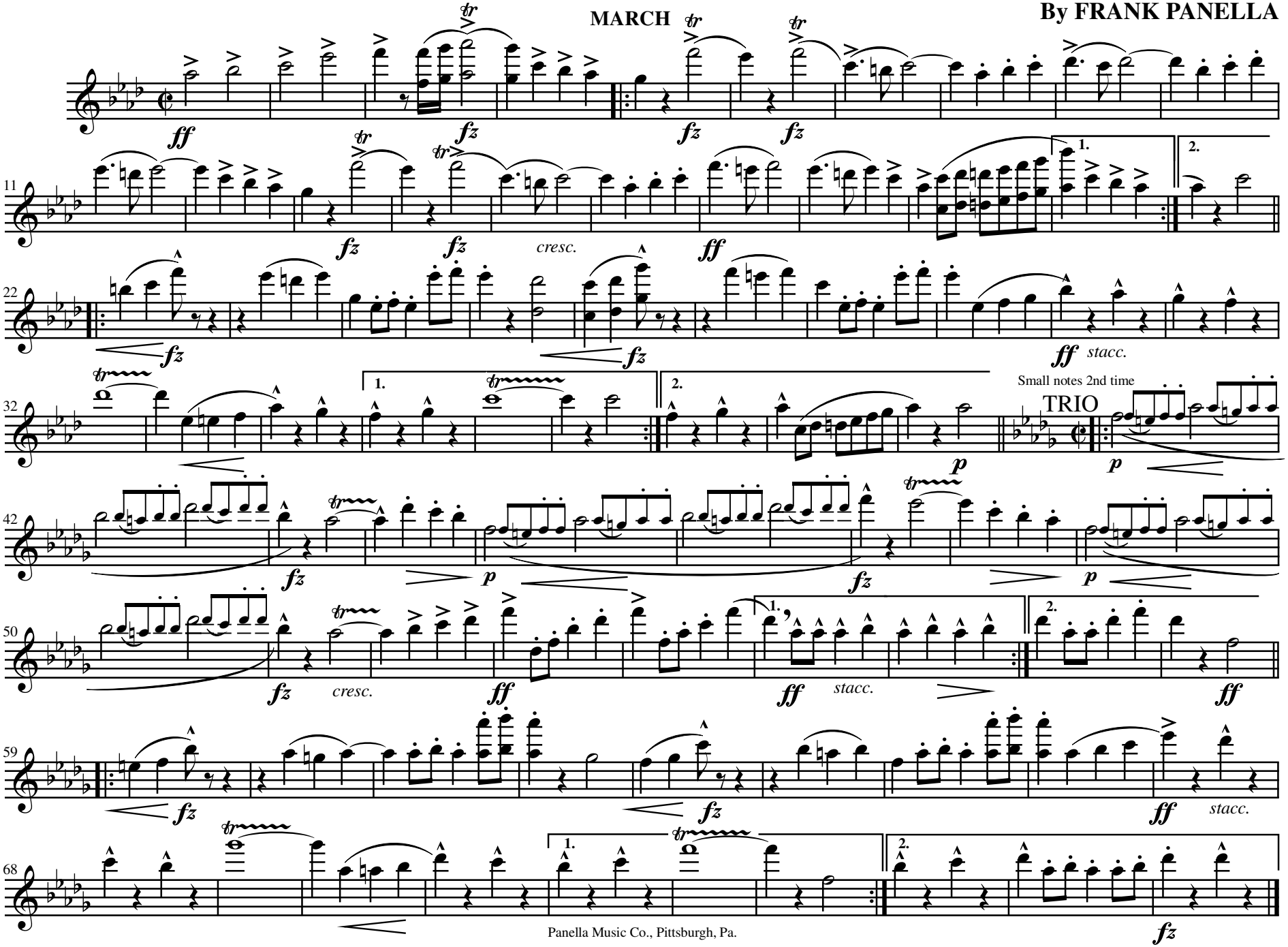

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Oboes

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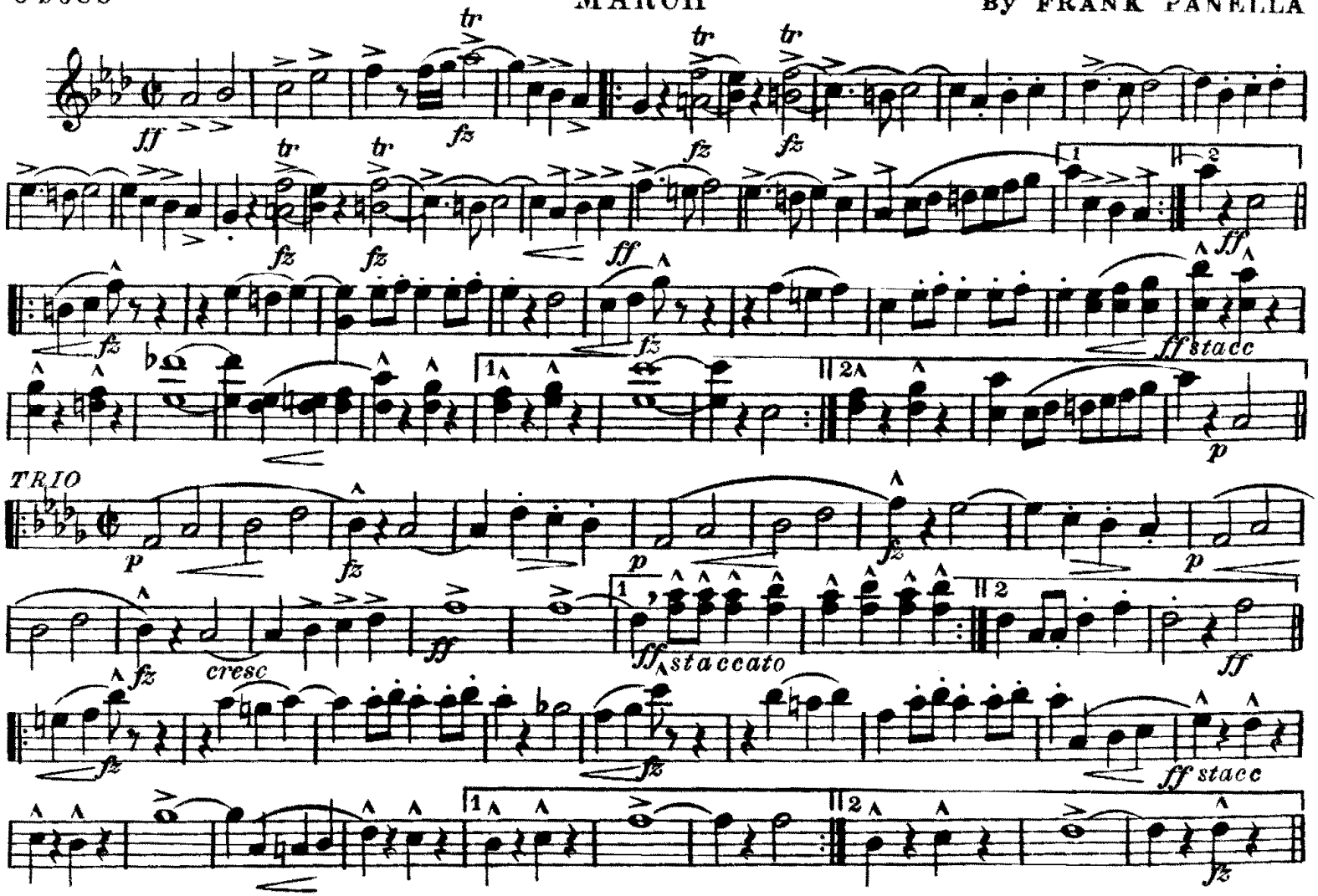

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Eb Clarinet

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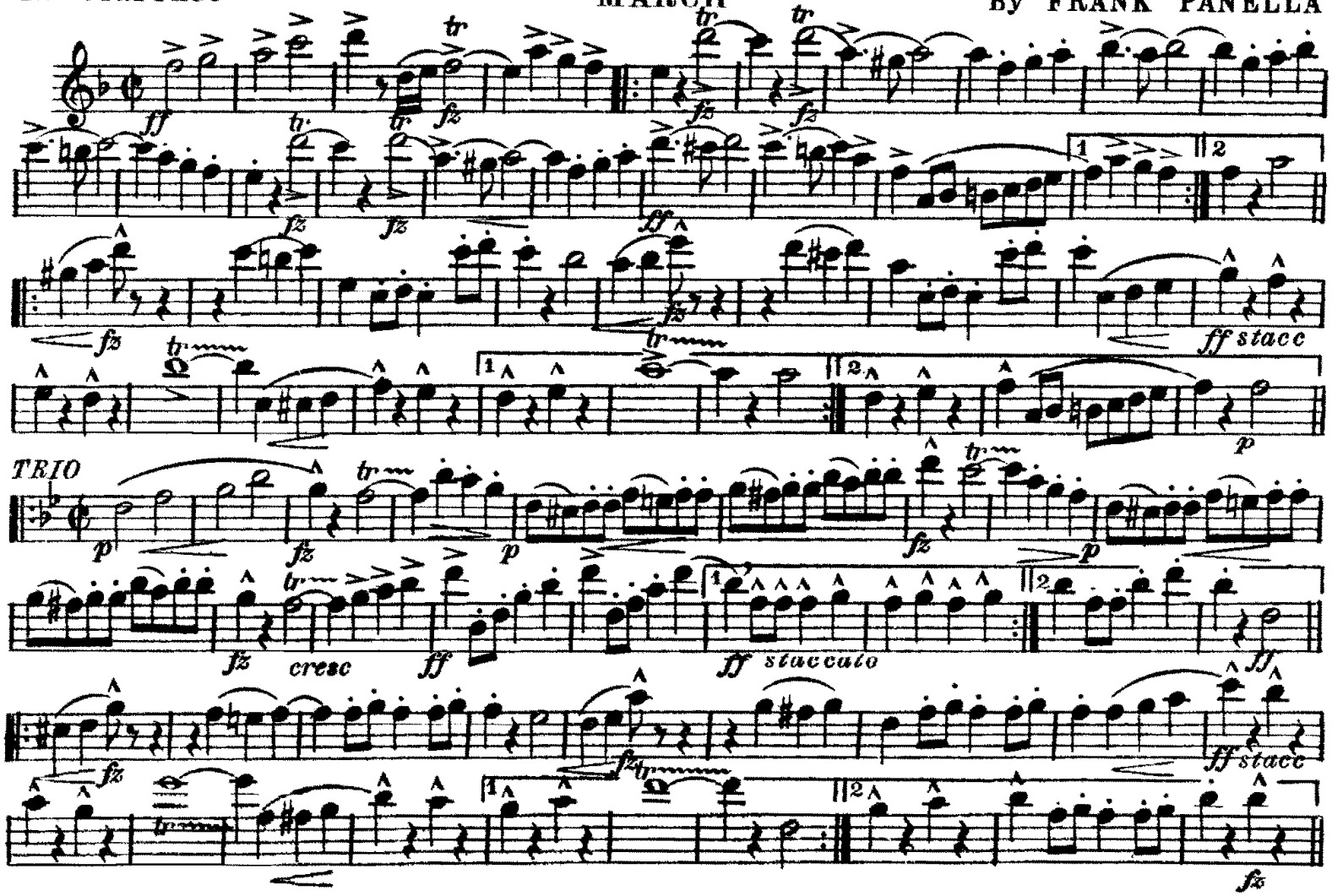

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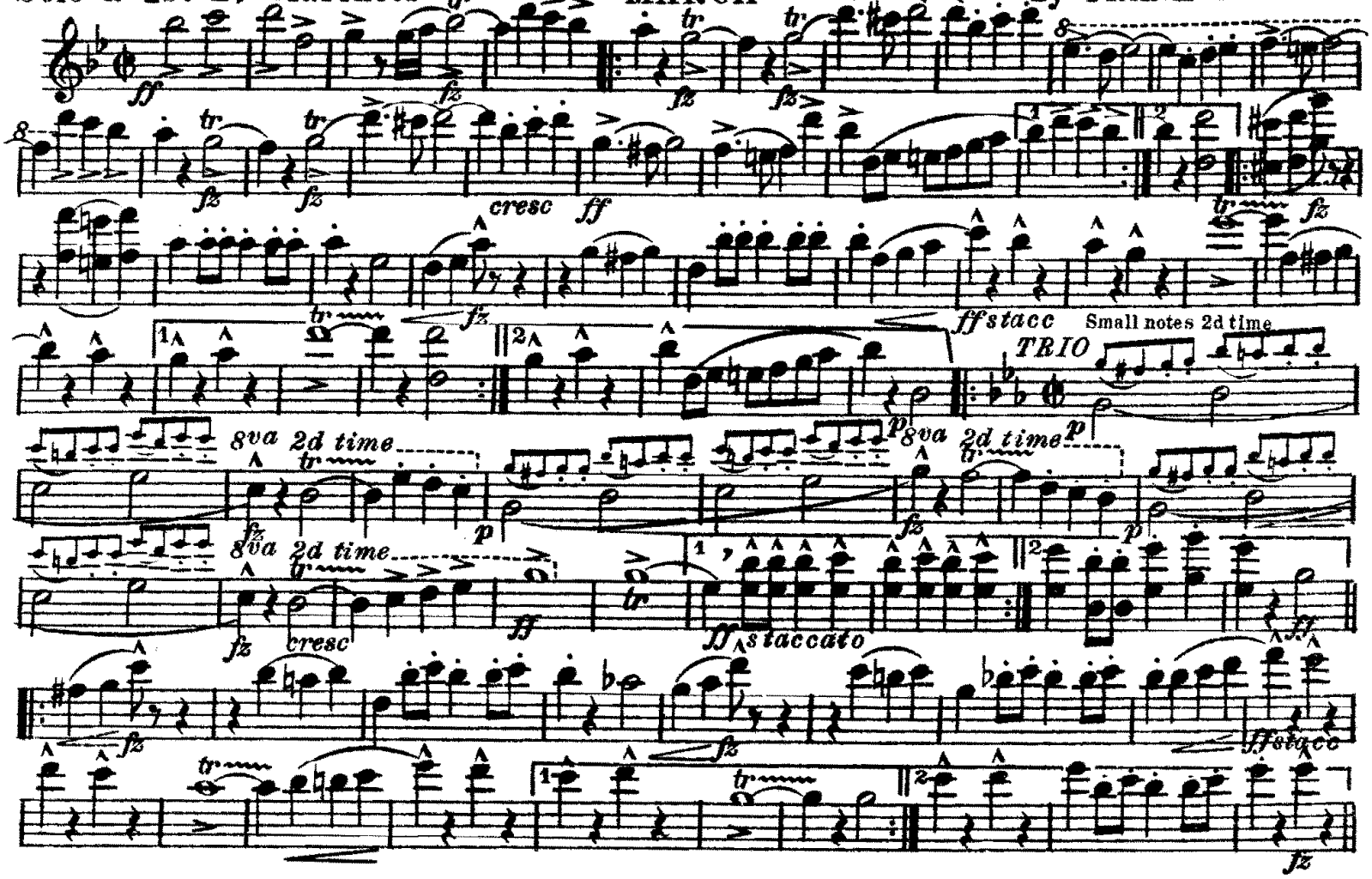
Solo & 1st B♭ Clarinets — MARCH — By FRANK PANELLA



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2d B♭ Clarinet

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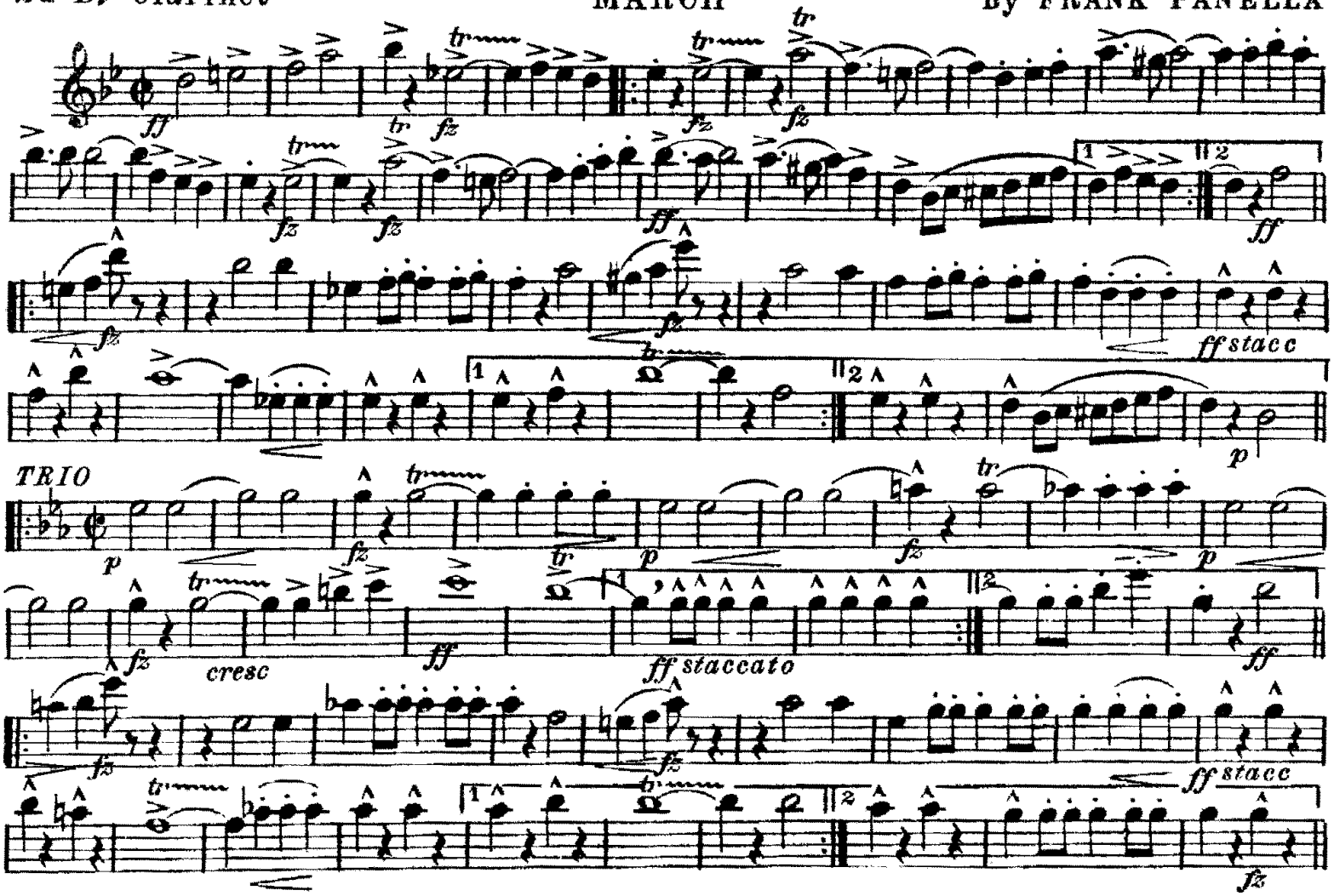

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3d B♭ Clarinet

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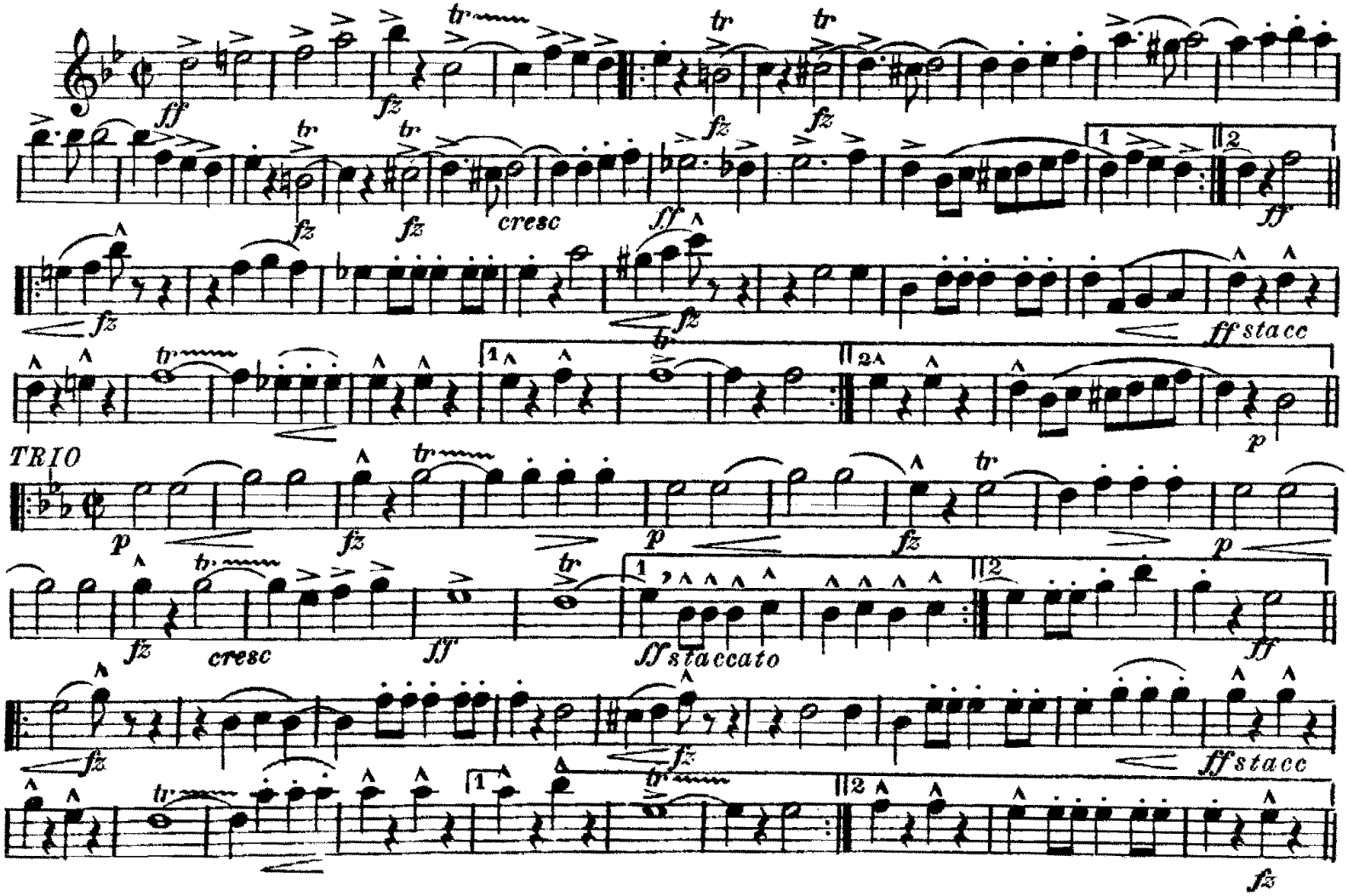

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Bass Clarinet

MARCH

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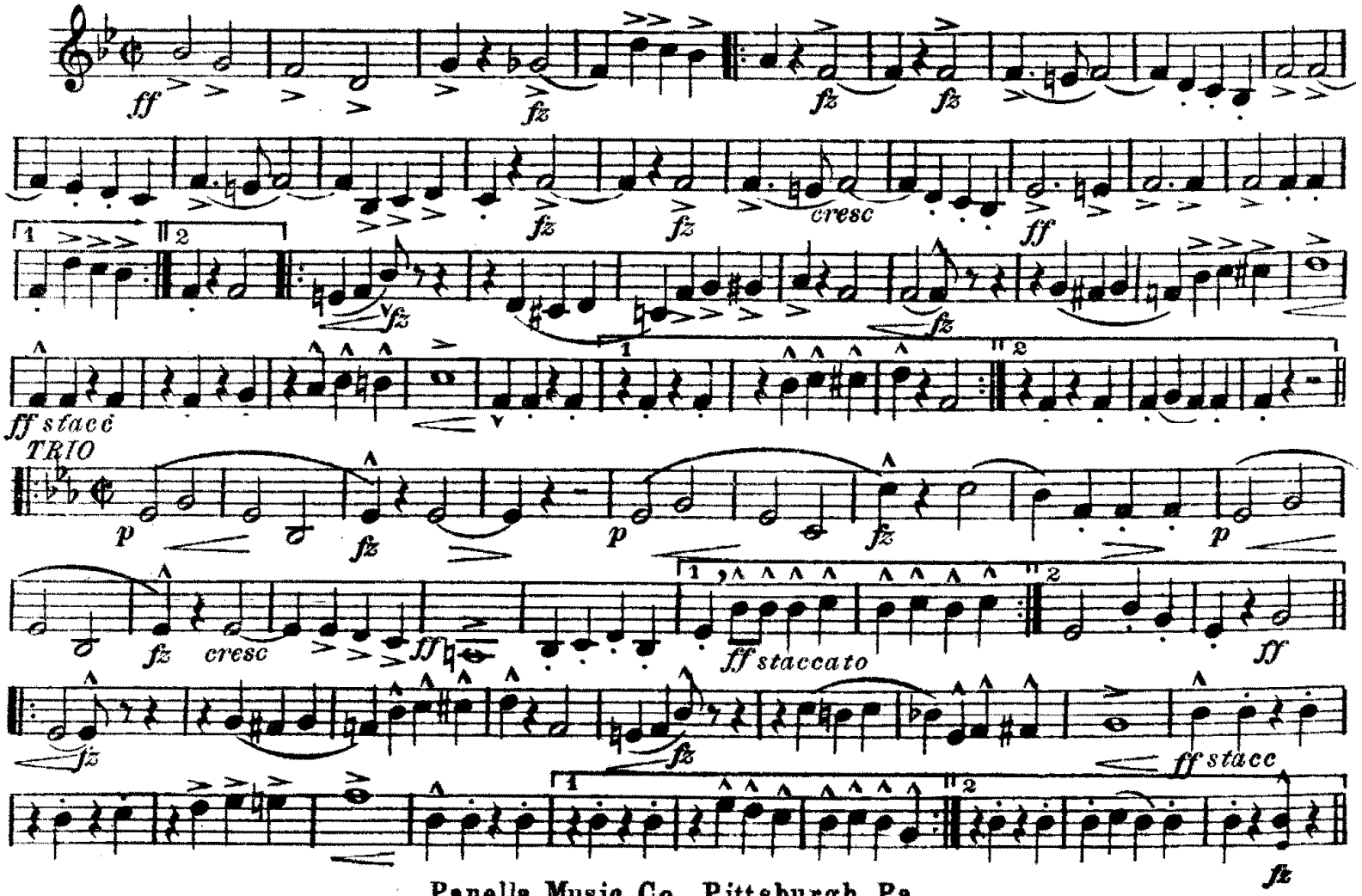

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Bassoons

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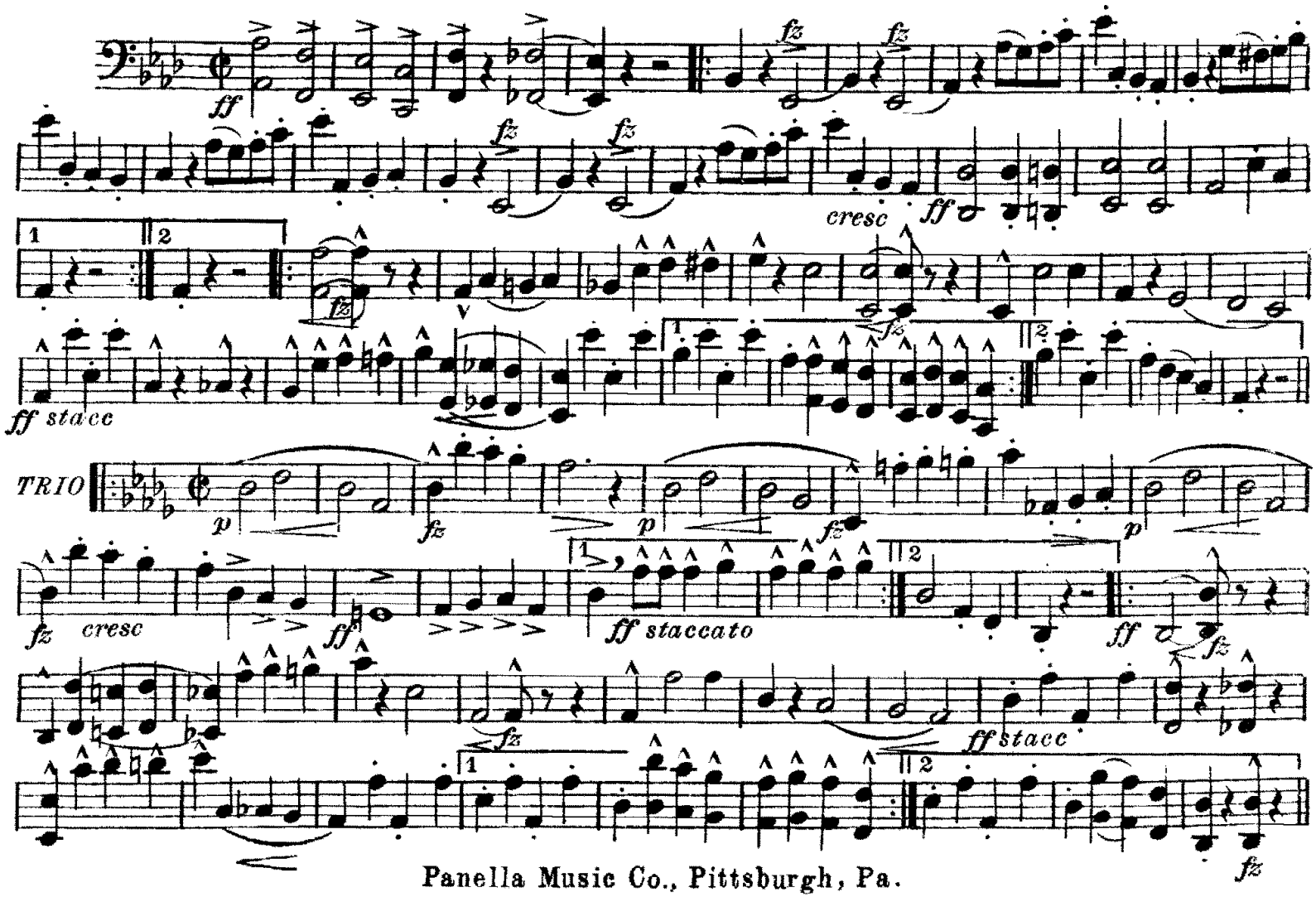

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Soprano Saxophone

MARCH

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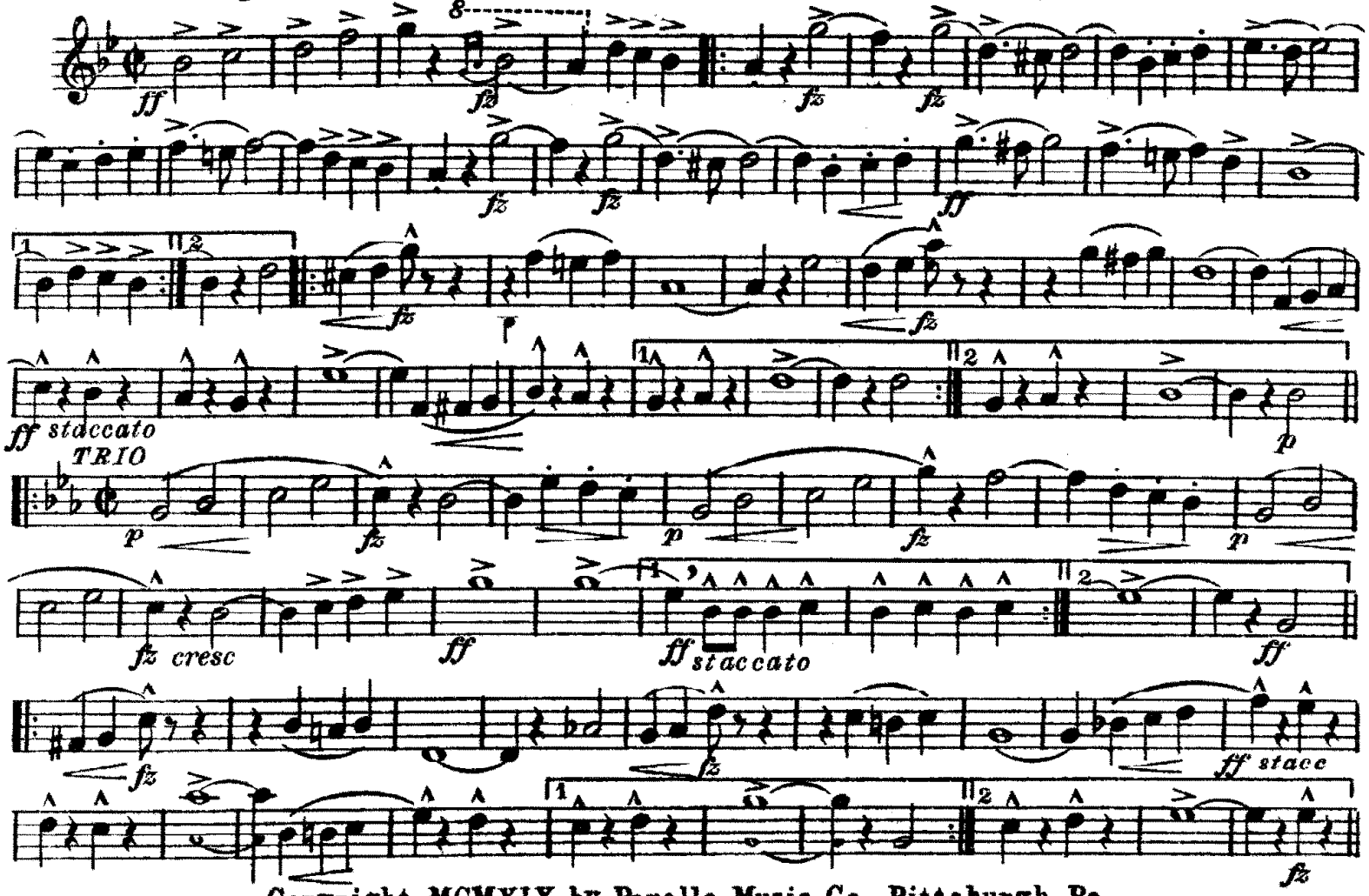

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E♭ Alto Saxophone

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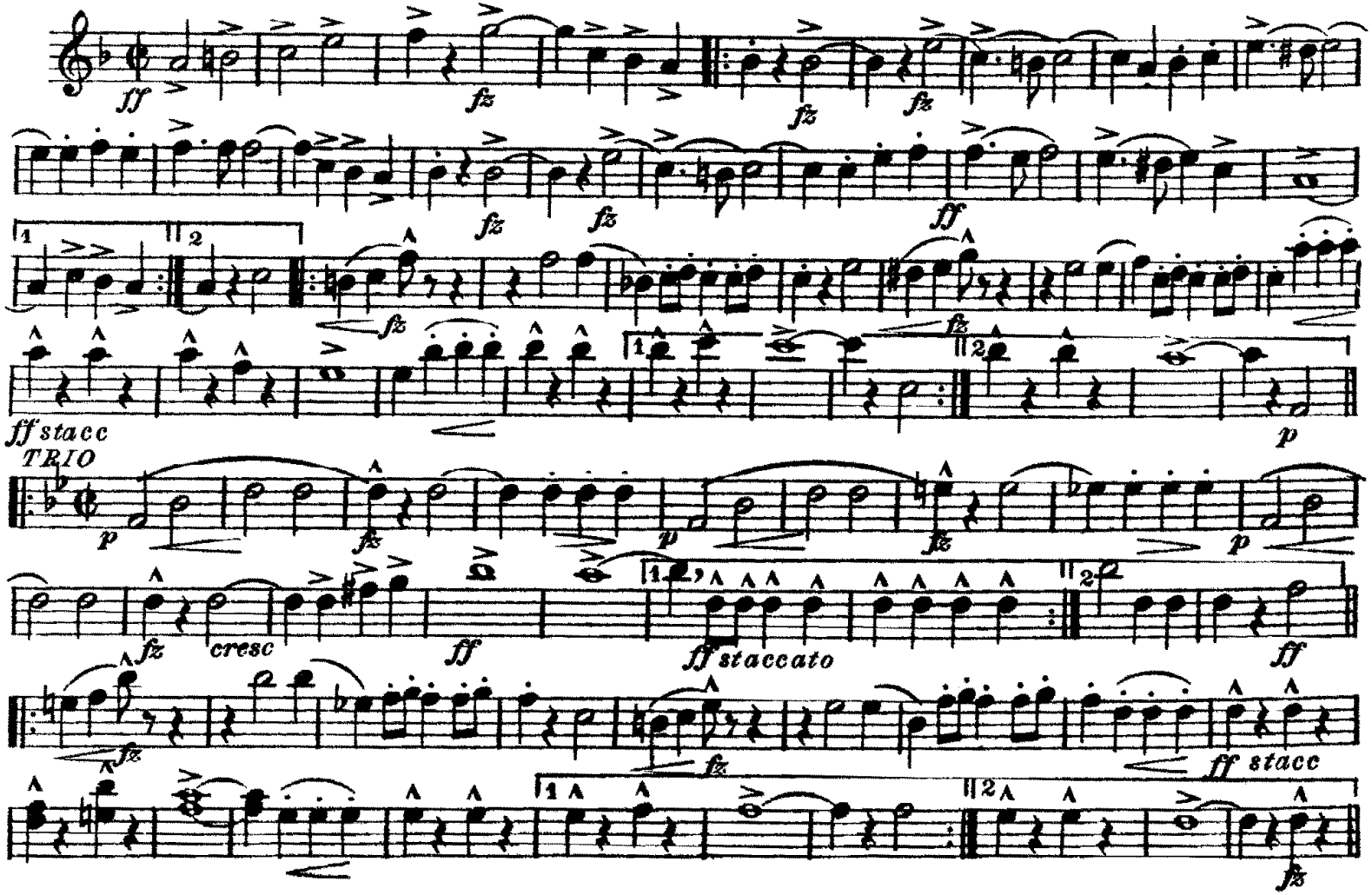

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Tenor Saxophone

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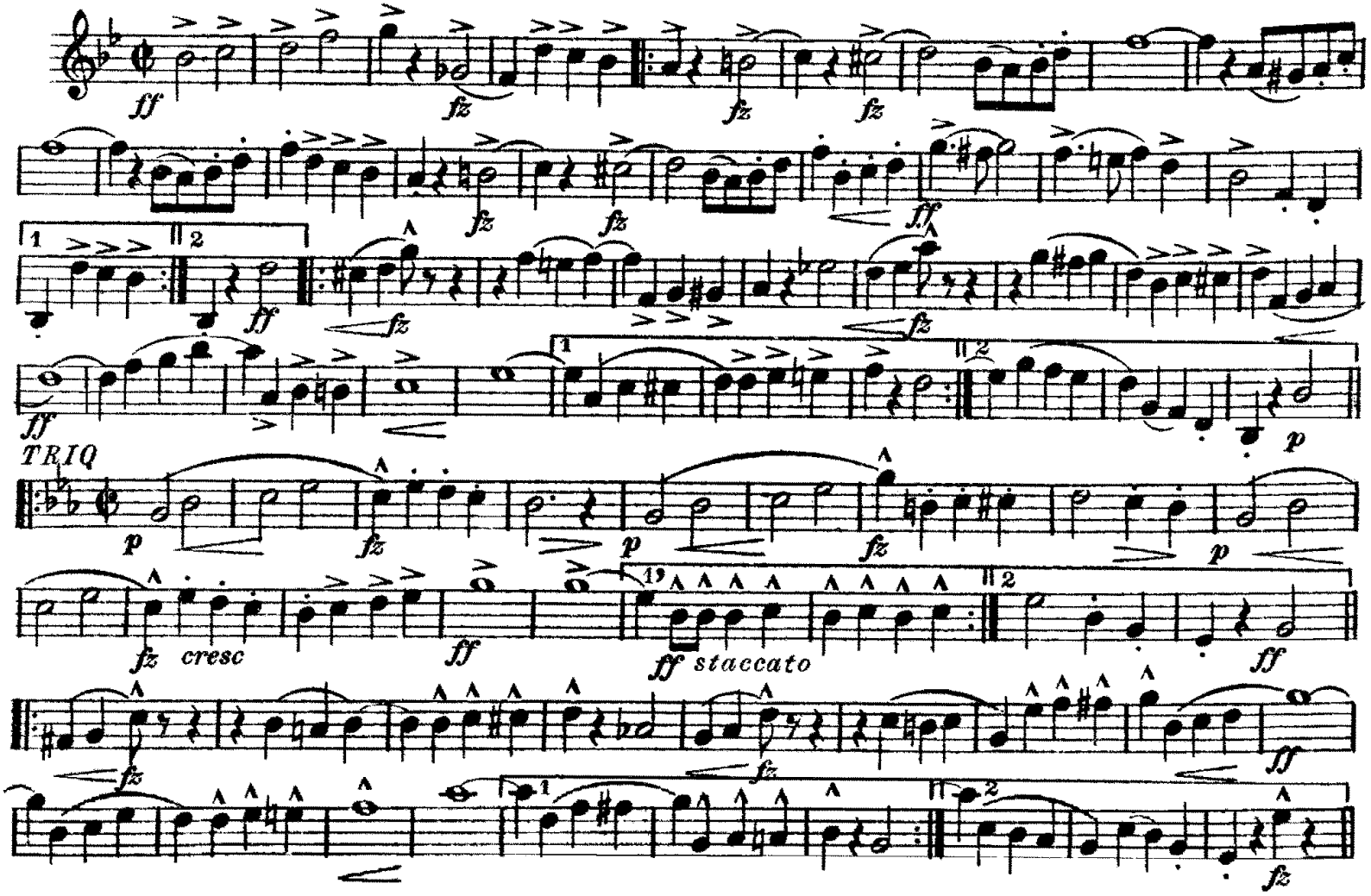

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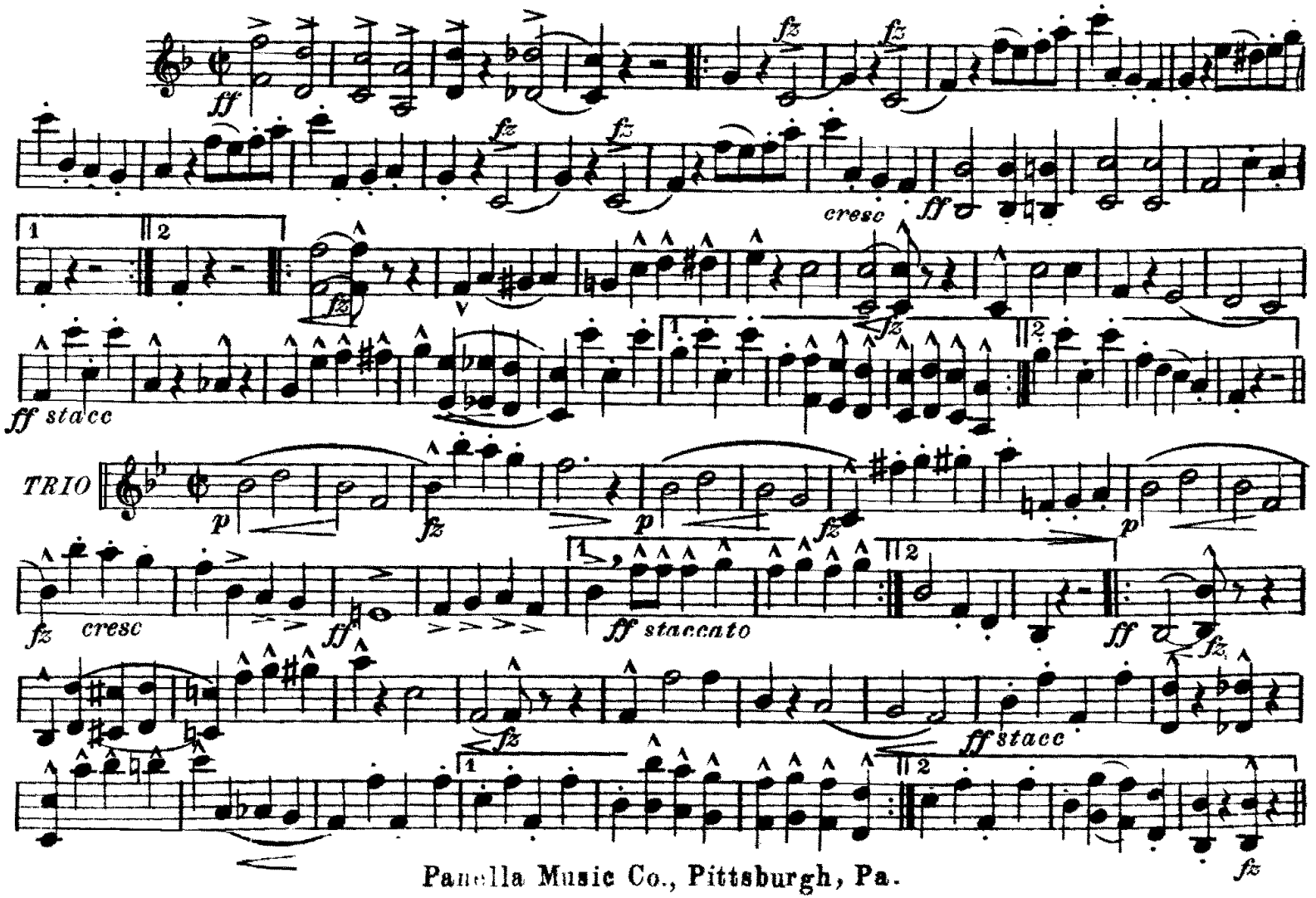
Baritone Saxophone — MARCH — By FRANK PANELLA



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Solo B♭ Cornet
(Soprano Saxophone)

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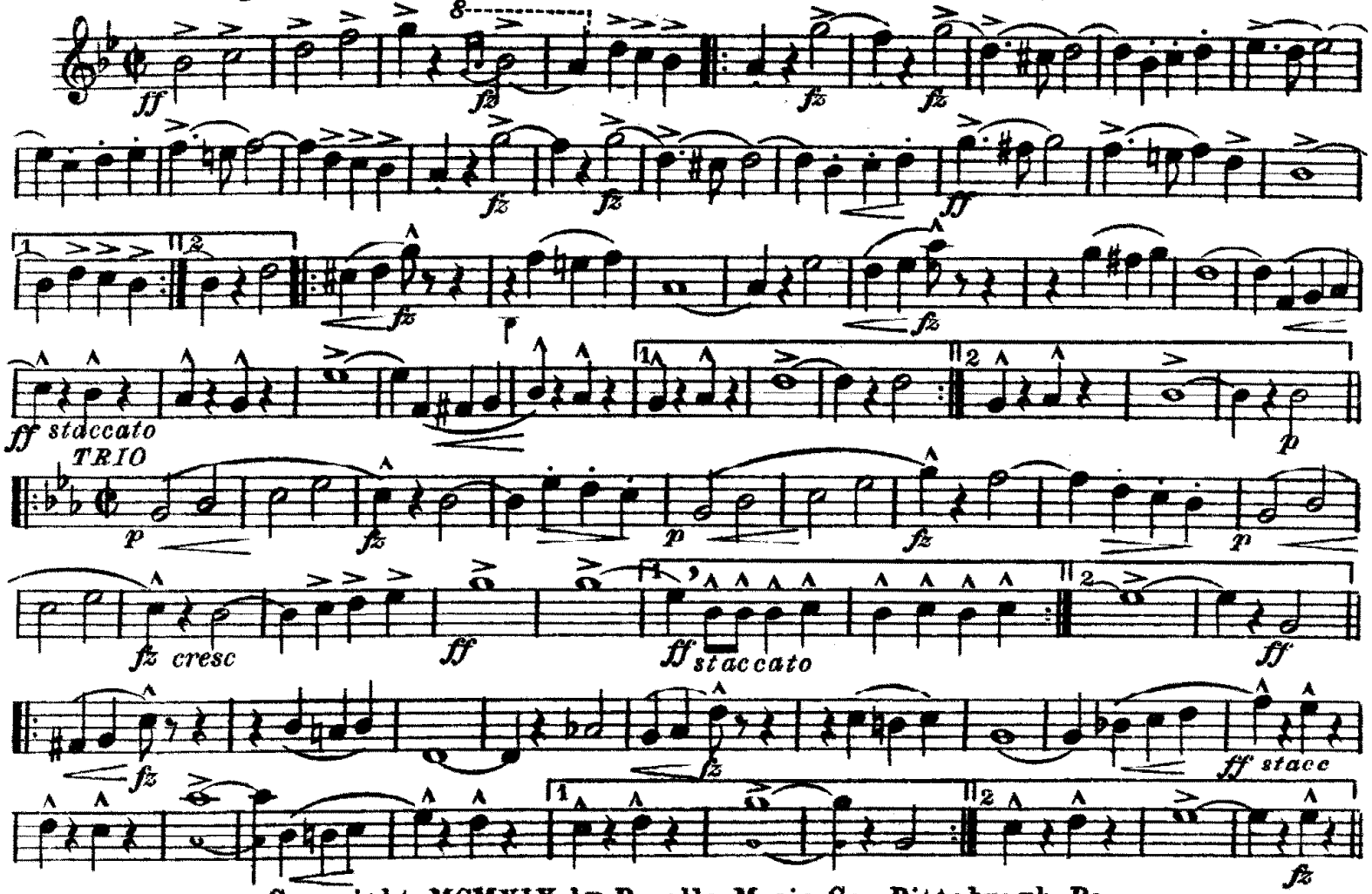

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1st B♭ Cornet

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MOTHERS OF DEMOCRACY

2d & 3d B♭ Cornets

MARCH

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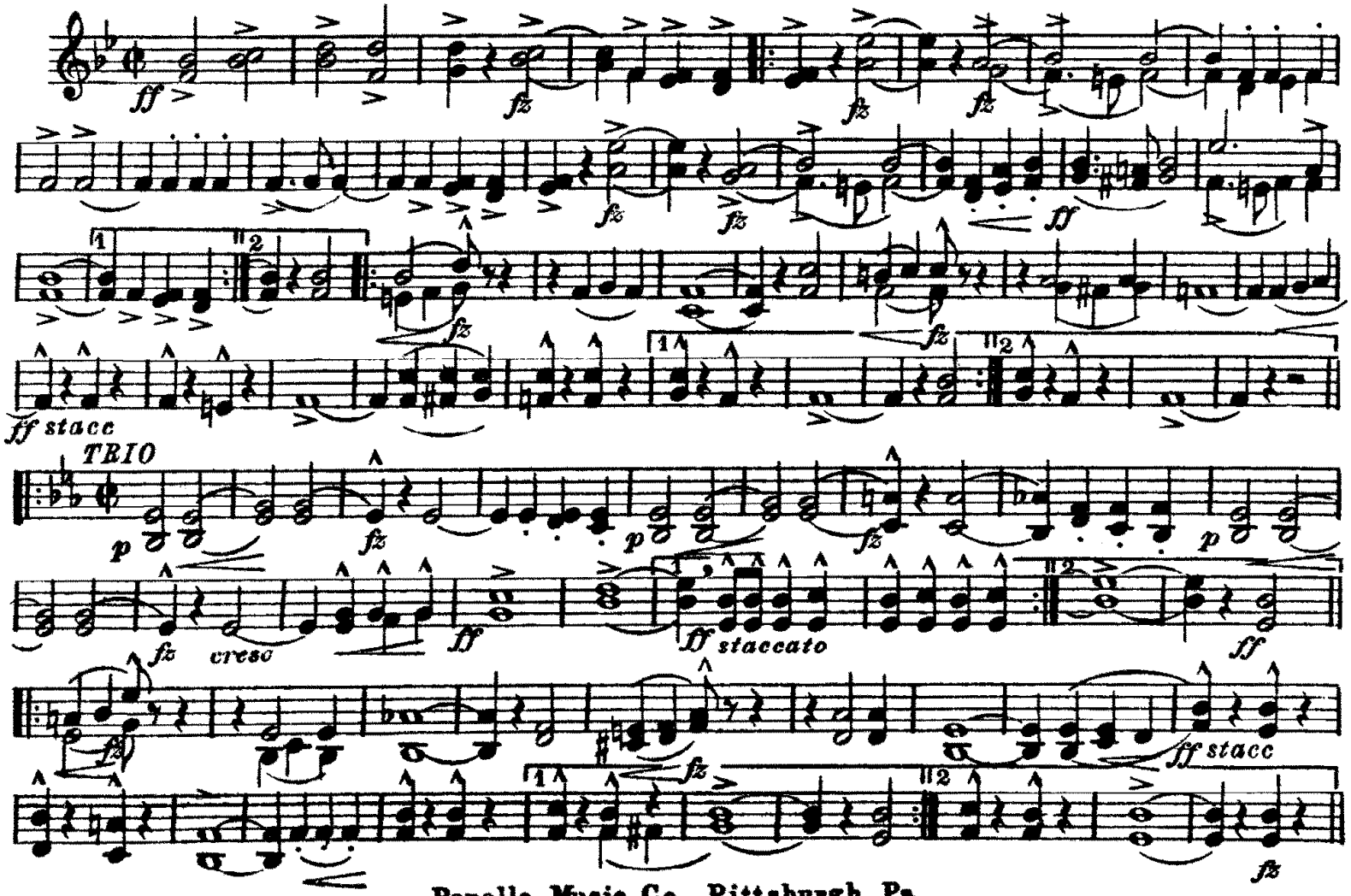

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1st & 2d E♭ Horns

MARCH

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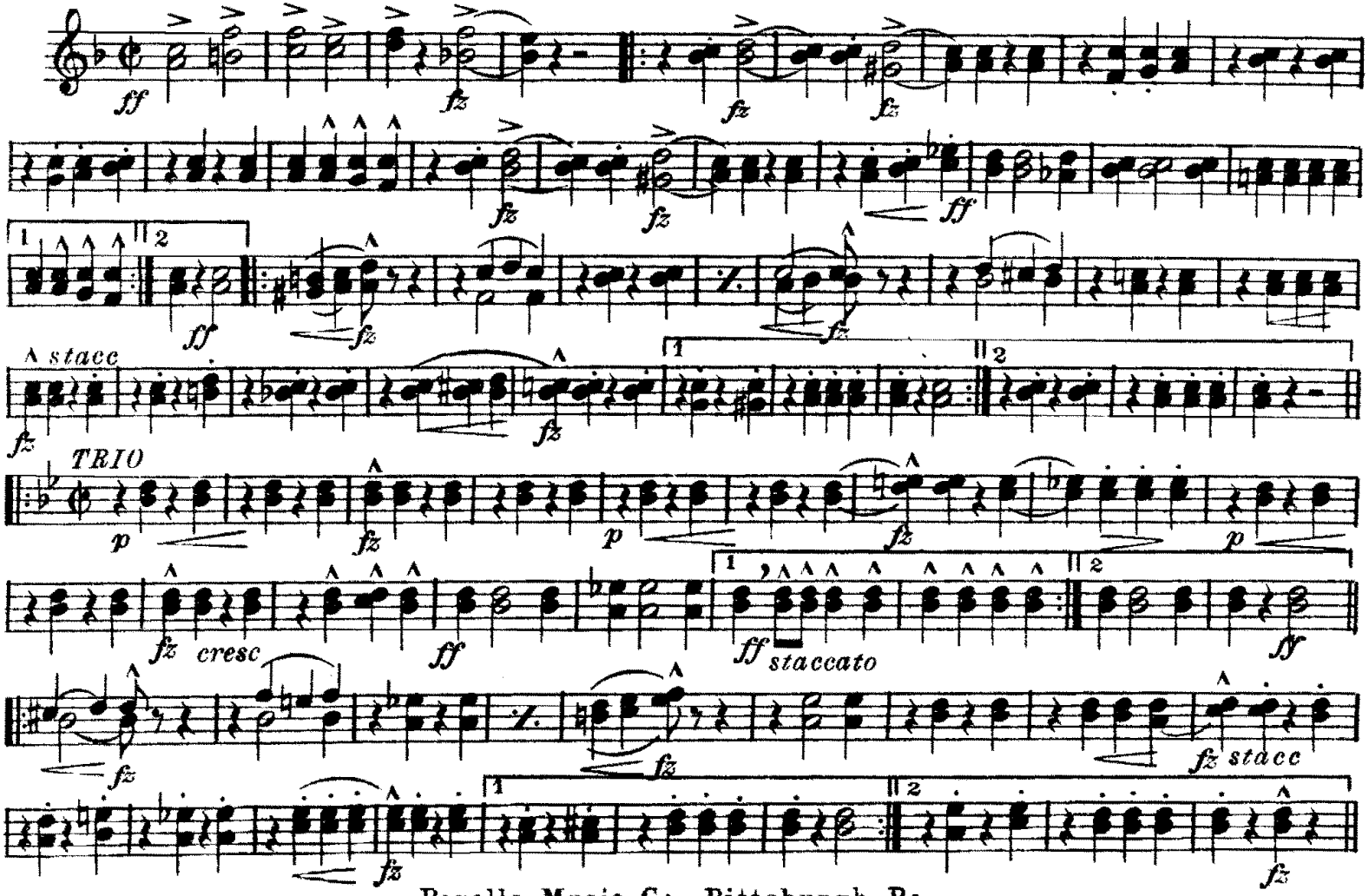

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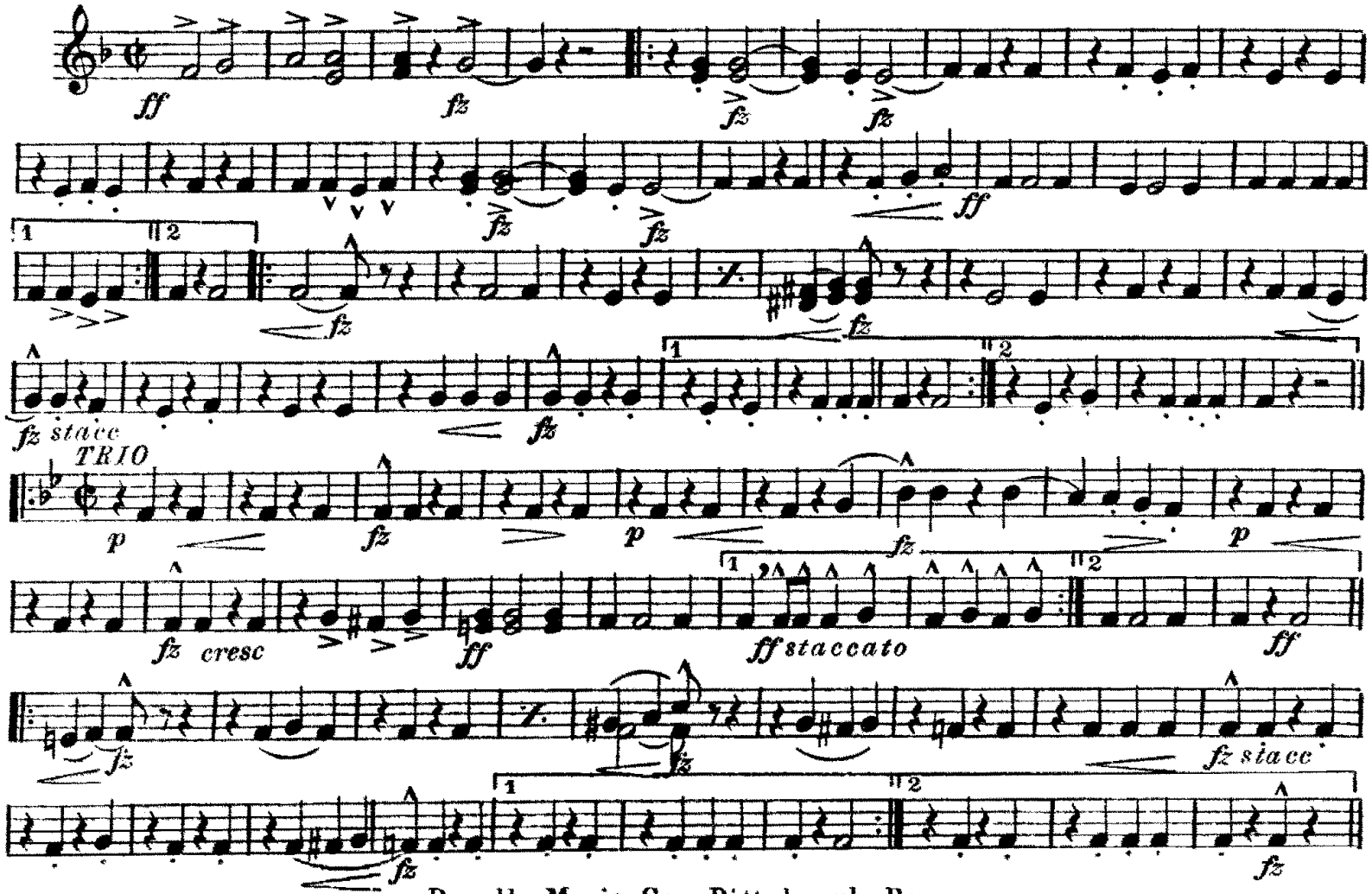
3d & 4th E♭ Horns — MARCH — By FRANK PANELLA



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1st & 2nd Horns in F

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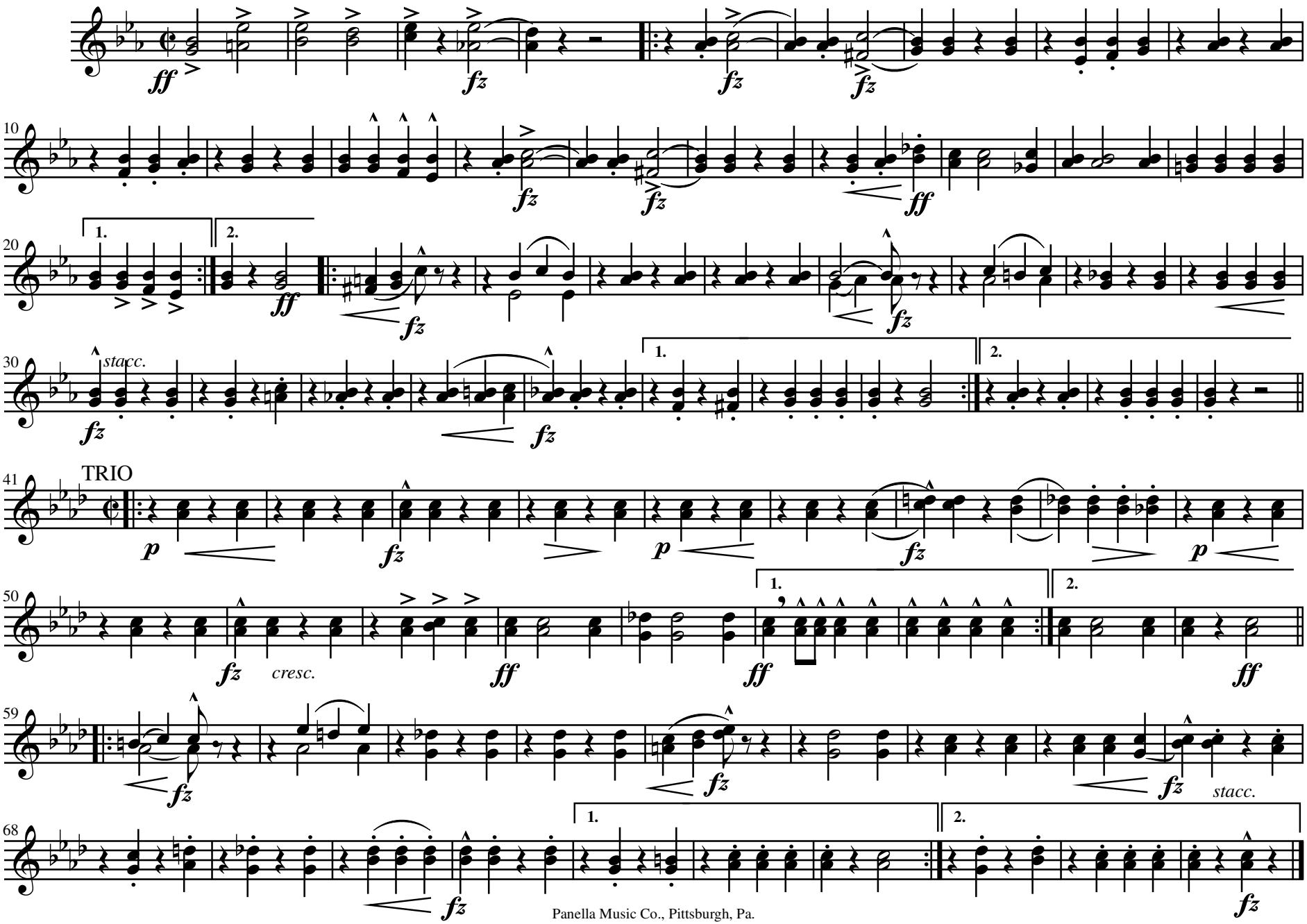

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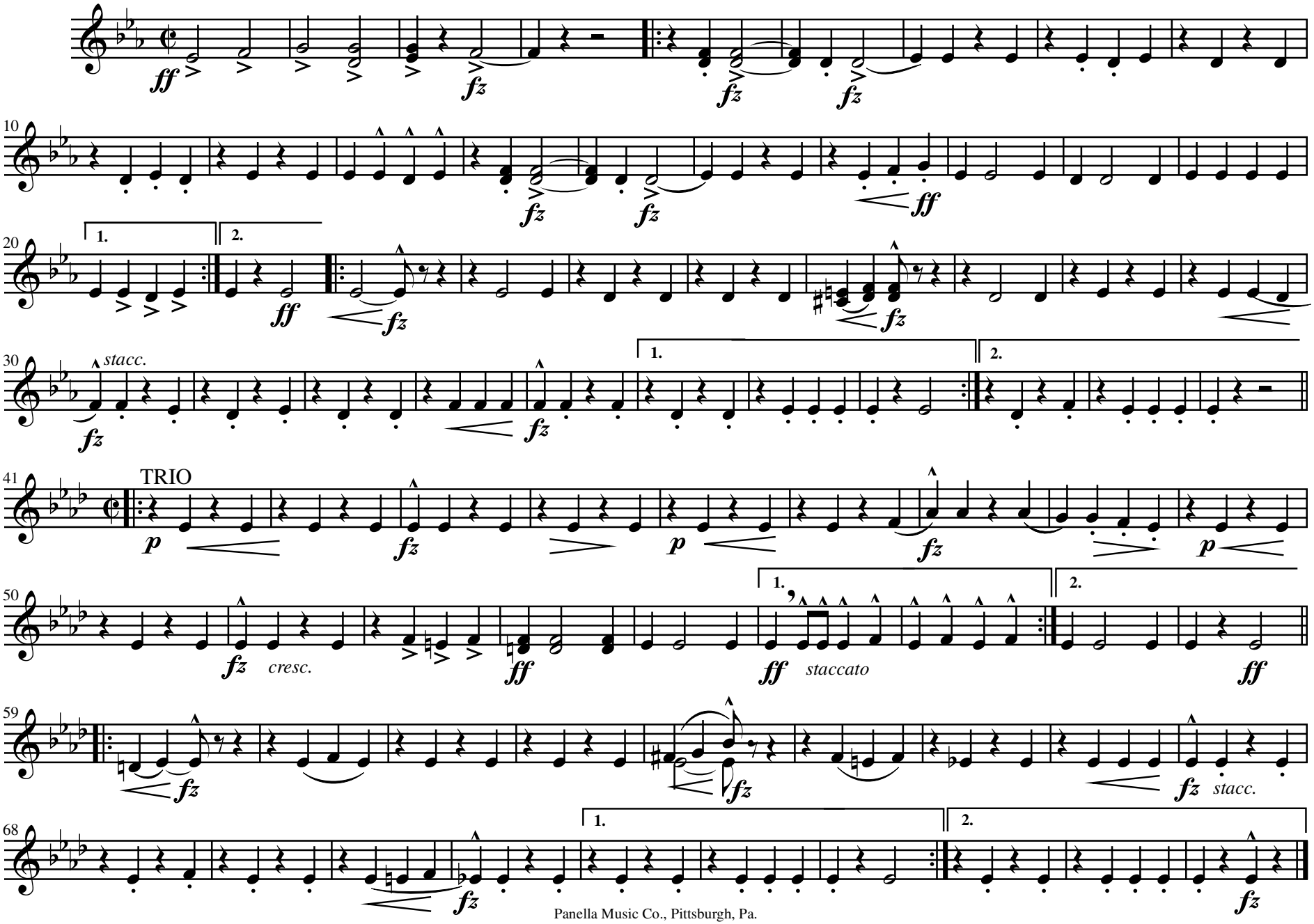

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1st & 2d Tenors

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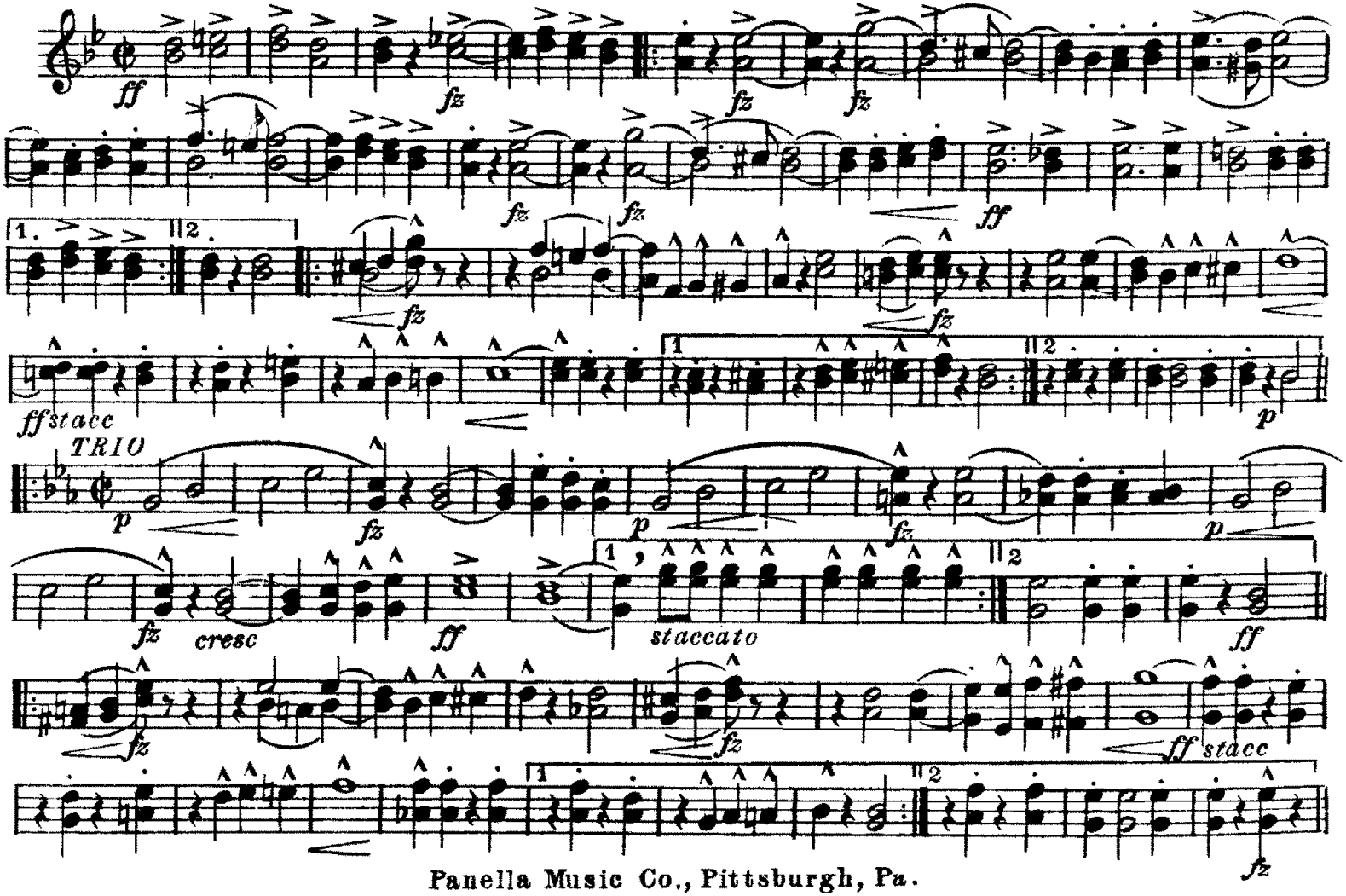

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1st Trombone

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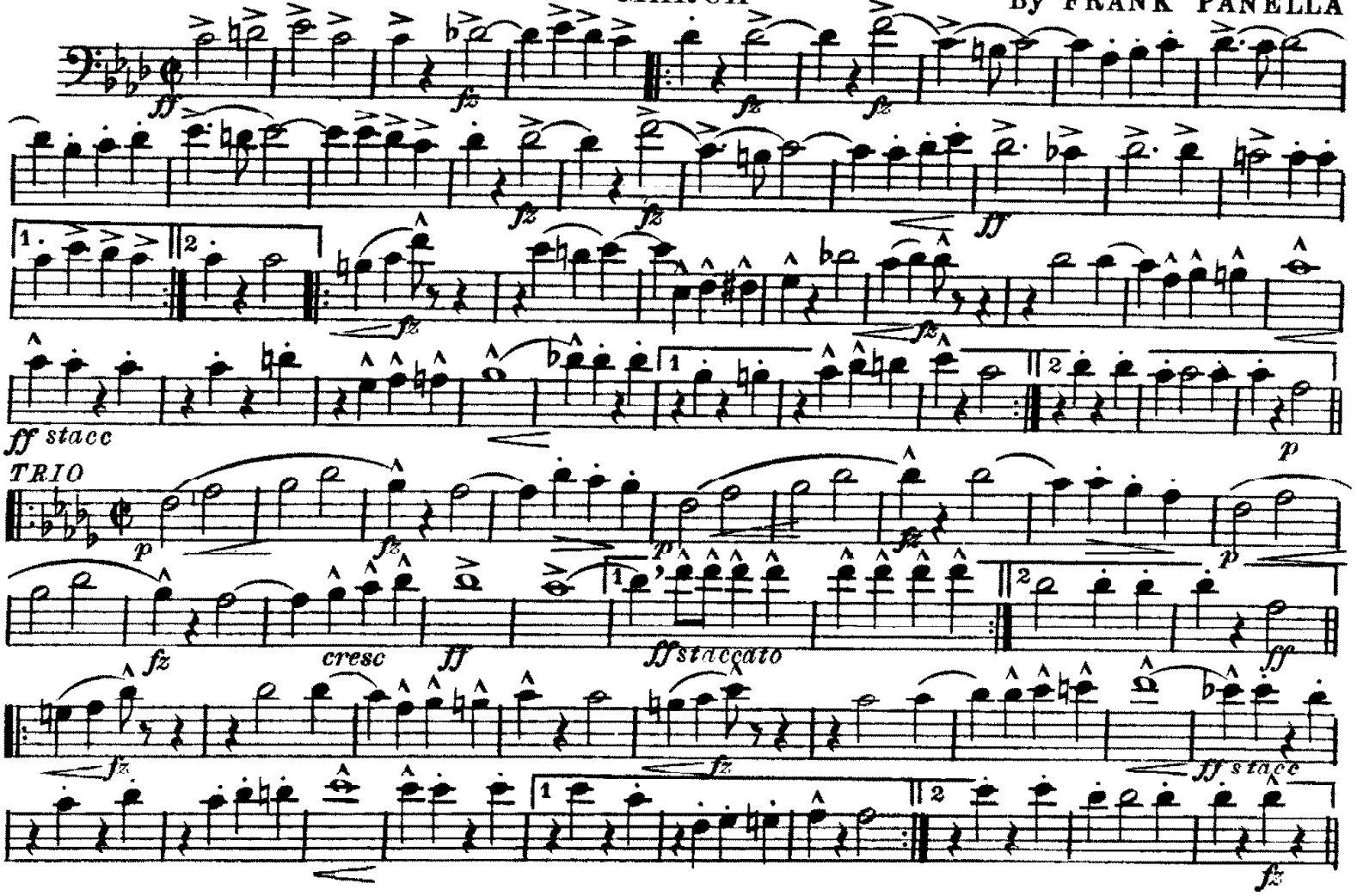

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2d Trombone

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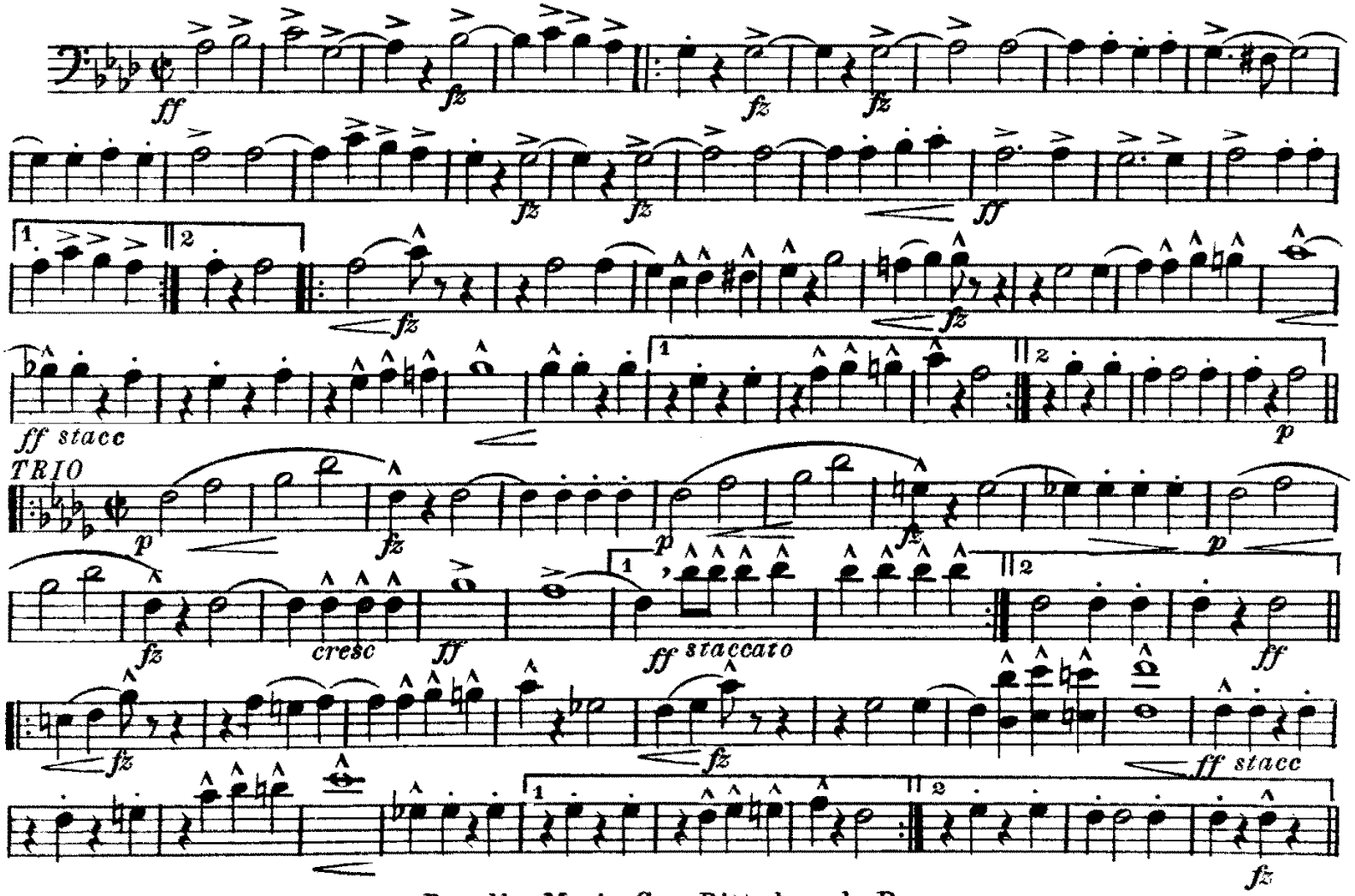

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3d Trombone

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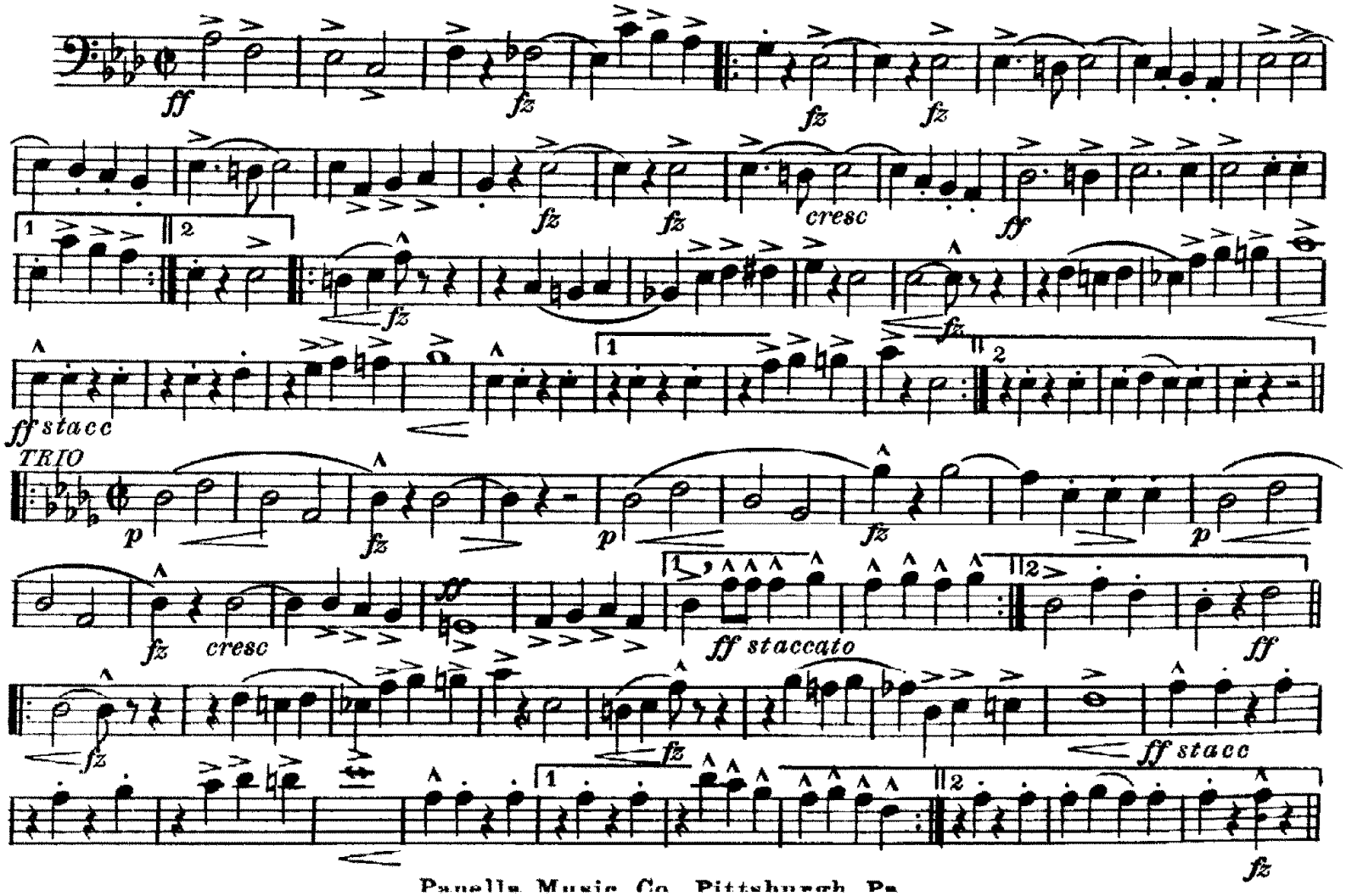

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3d Trombone or Bass Clarinet

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MARCH

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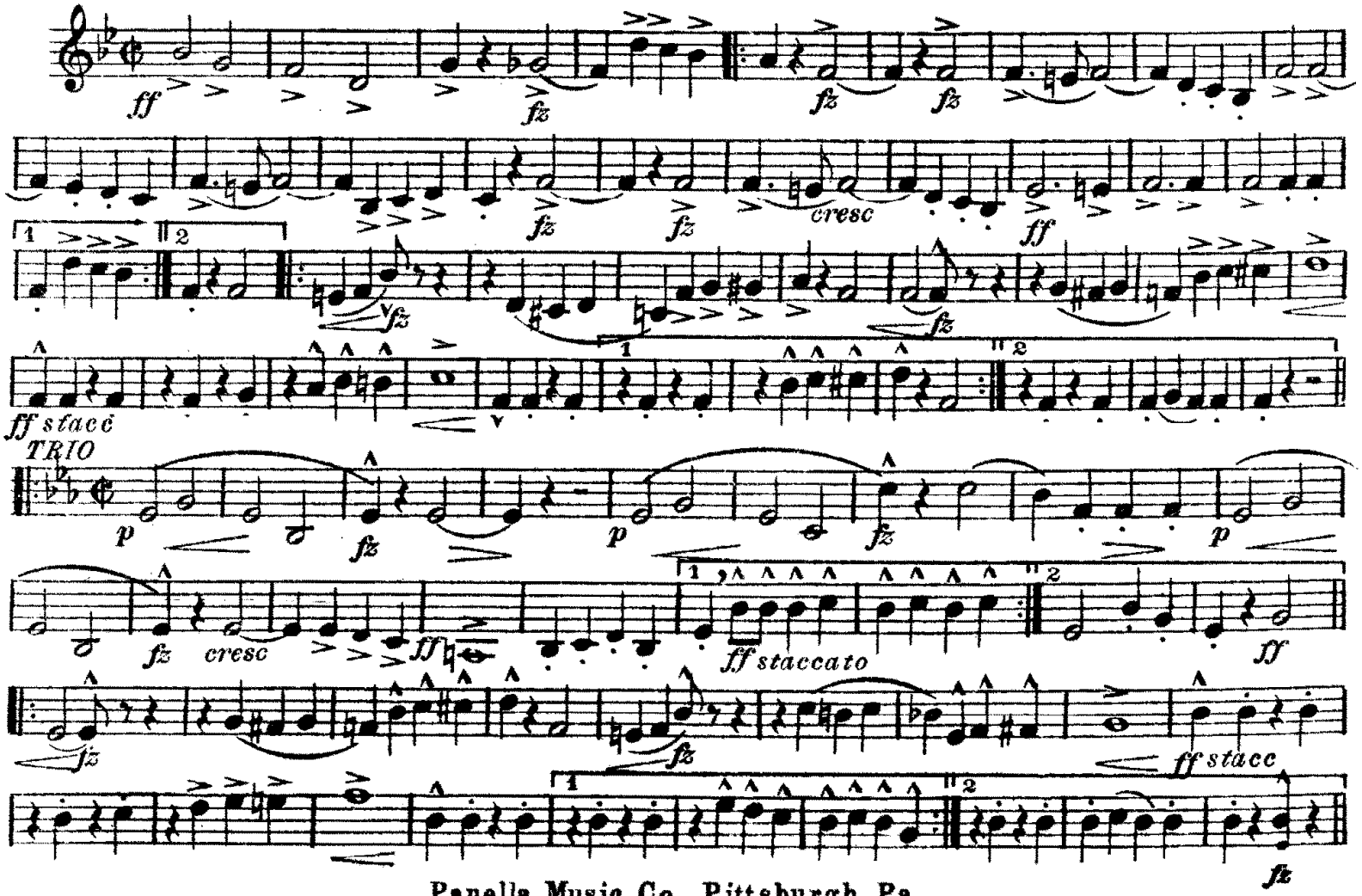

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MOTHERS OF DEMOCRACY

Baritone

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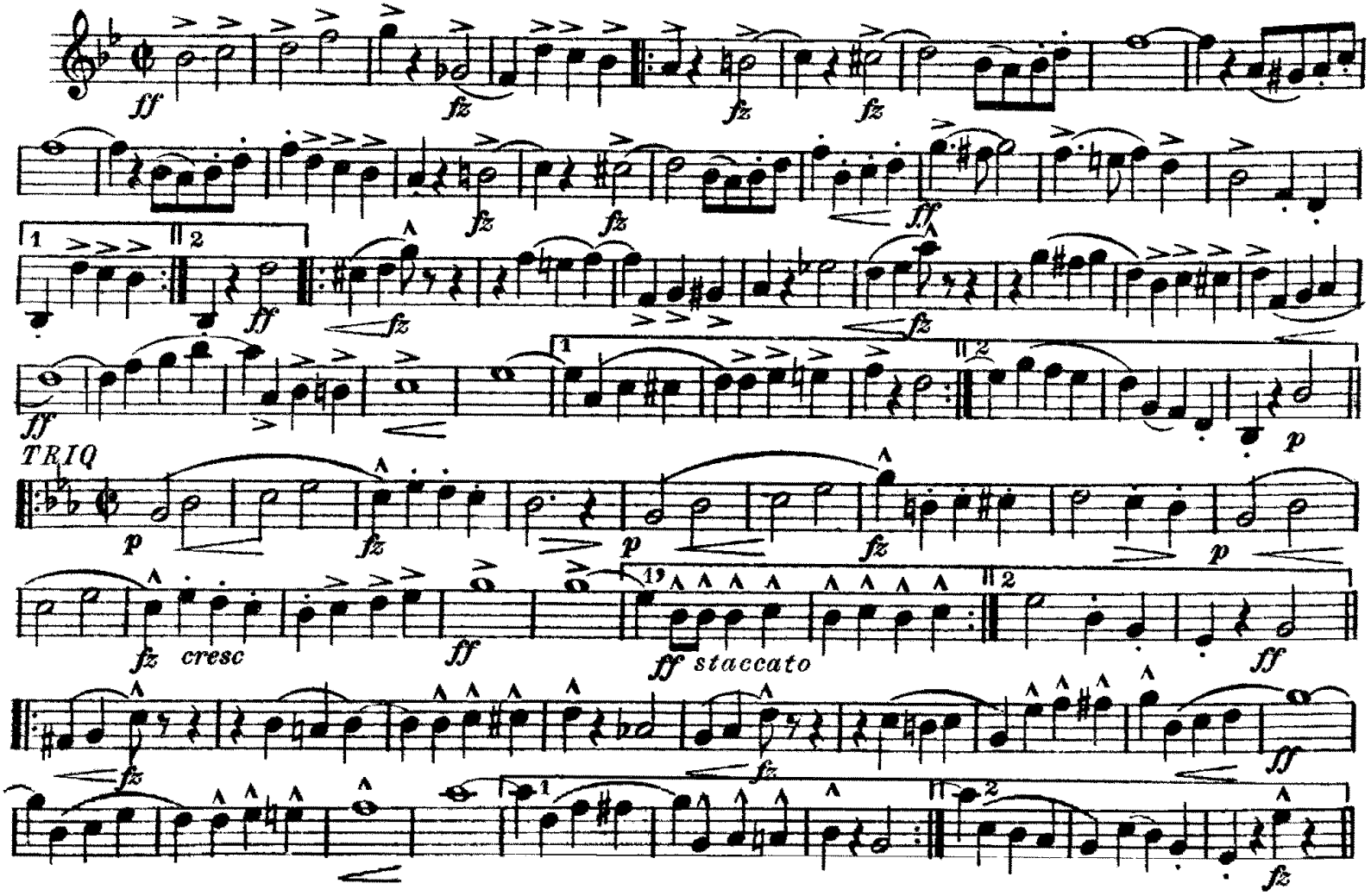

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Baritone

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ff *fz* *fz* *fz* *fz* *fz* *ff* *ff* *fz* *fz* *ff* *p*

TRIO

p *fz* *p* *fz* *p* *fz* cresc *ff* *ff* staccato *ff* *fz* *fz* *ff* *fz*

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Basses

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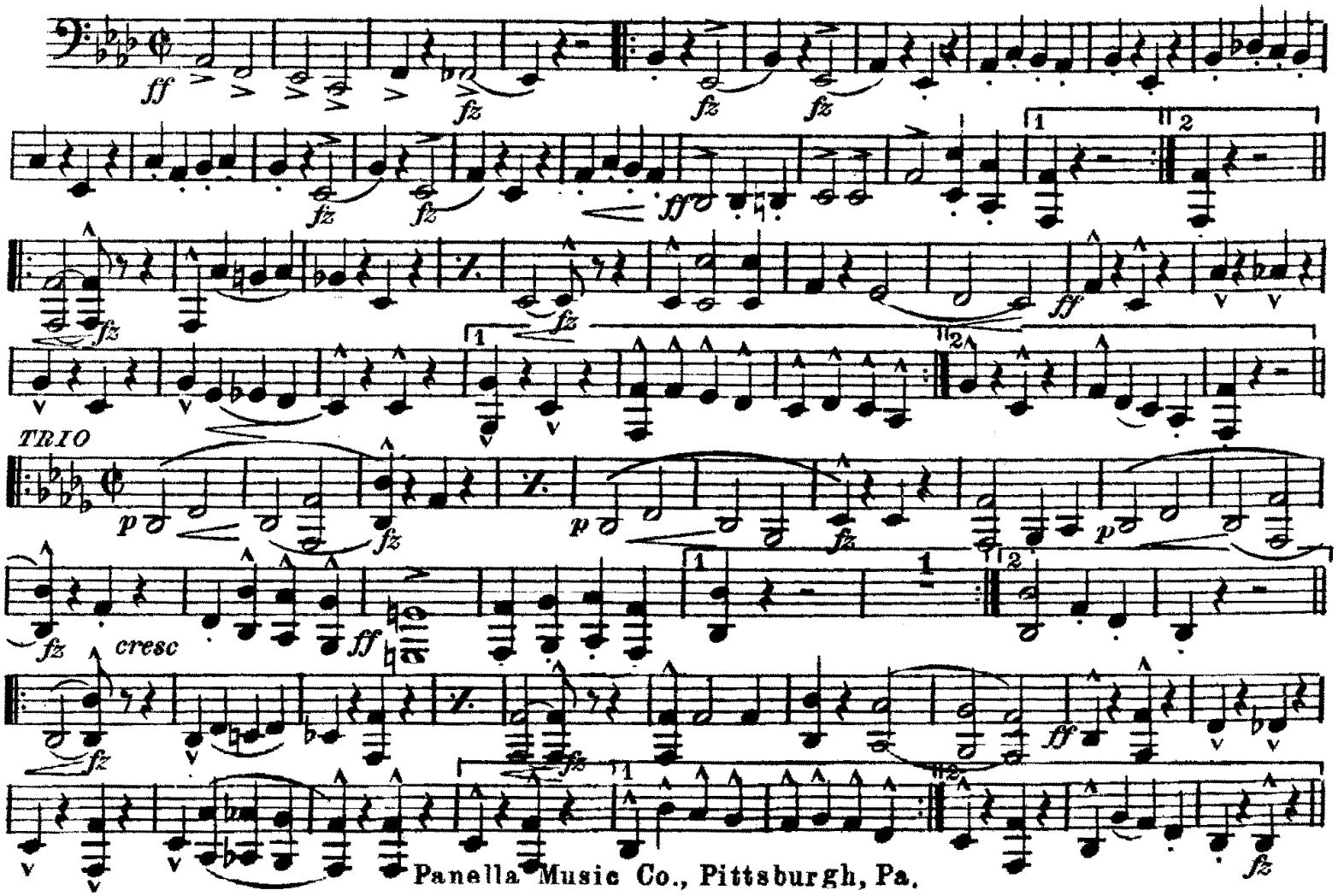

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Drums

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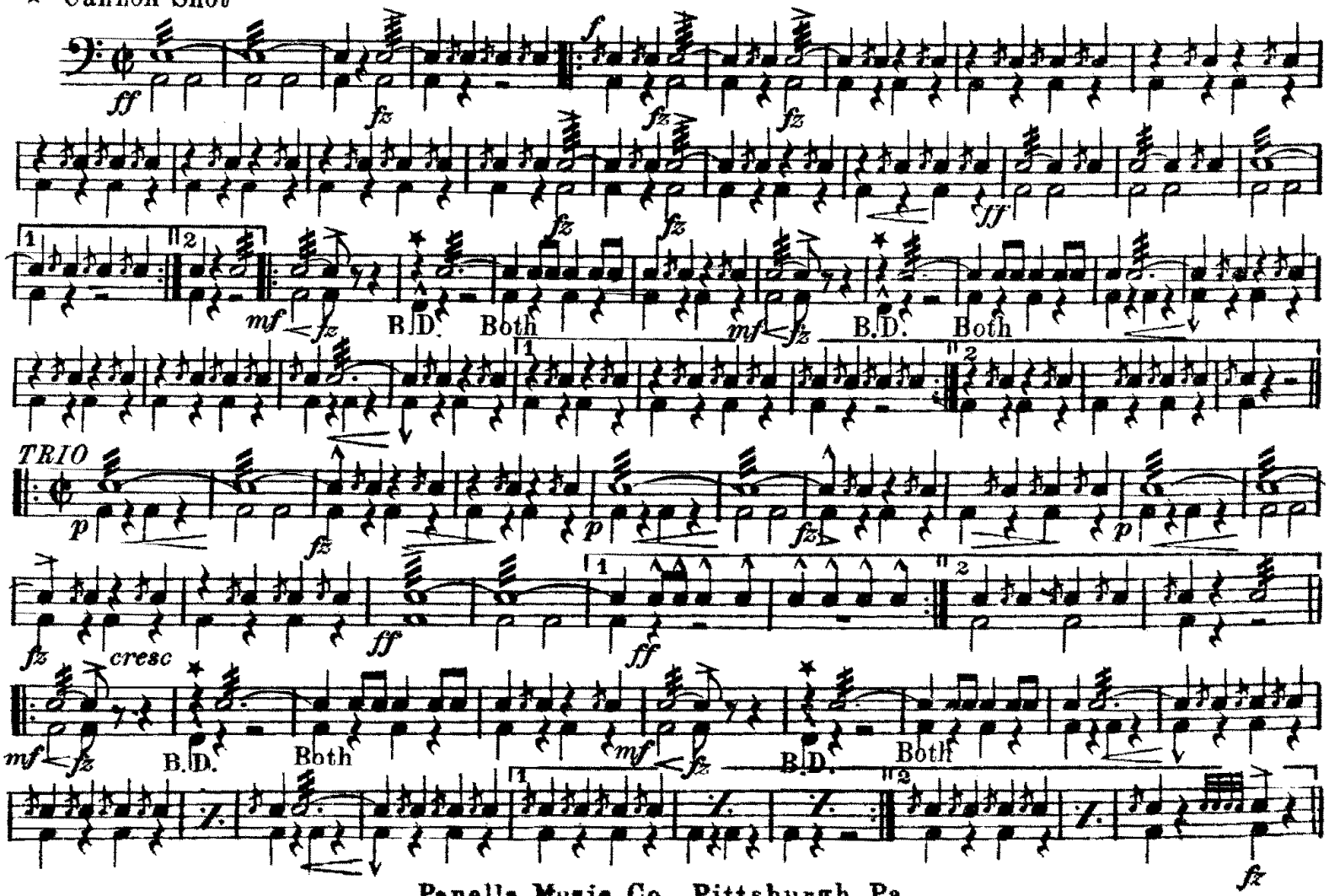

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