

The Sussex Mummers' Christmas Carol

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violin 1 has 2 up beats first

Piano

measures 1-7

mp

Detailed description: This system contains measures 1 through 7. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The dynamic is marked *mp* (mezzo-piano).

8

Pno.

measures 8-14

mp *p*

Detailed description: This system contains measures 8 through 14. The piano part continues with the melody and bass line. The dynamic starts at *mp* and changes to *p* (piano) in measure 14.

15

Pno.

measures 15-21

sub.p *mp* *mf* *pp*

slow off **First speed**

Detailed description: This system contains measures 15 through 21. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The dynamic starts at *sub.p* (sub-piano), changes to *mp* in measure 18, *mf* in measure 20, and *pp* in measure 21. The tempo markings **slow off** and **First speed** are placed above the staff.

22

Pno.

measures 22-28

p

Detailed description: This system contains measures 22 through 28. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The dynamic is marked *p* (piano). A triplet of eighth notes is marked with a '3' and a bracket in measure 28.

29

Pno.

measures 29-35

Don't drag at all **Gradually slacken**

Detailed description: This system contains measures 29 through 35. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The tempo markings **Don't drag at all** and **Gradually slacken** are placed above the staff.

36

Pno.

measures 36-42

Slower **hold back** **Very Slowly**

Detailed description: This system contains measures 36 through 42. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The tempo markings **Slower**, **hold back**, and **Very Slowly** are placed above the staff. The piece concludes with a final chord in measure 42.