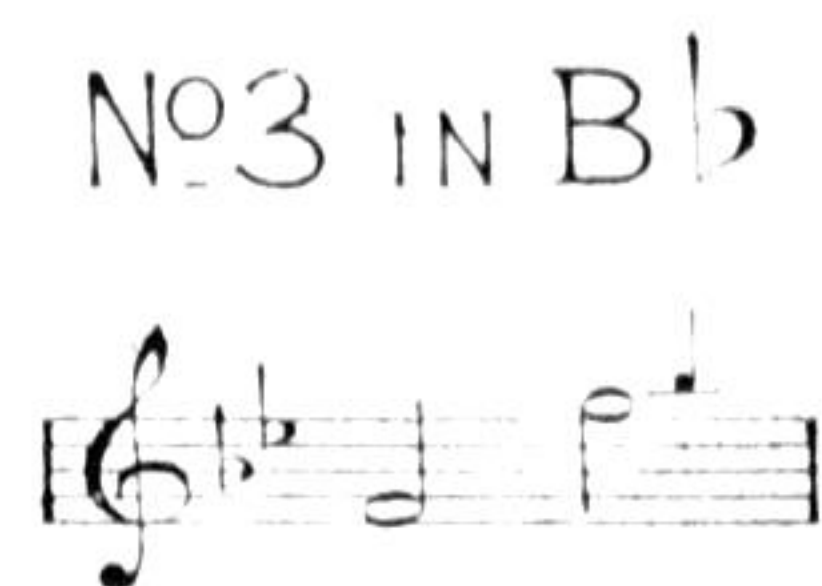
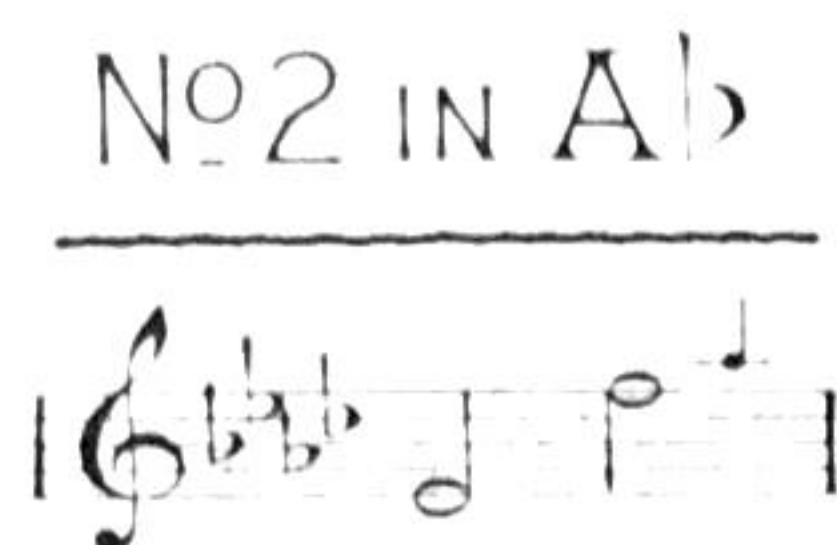
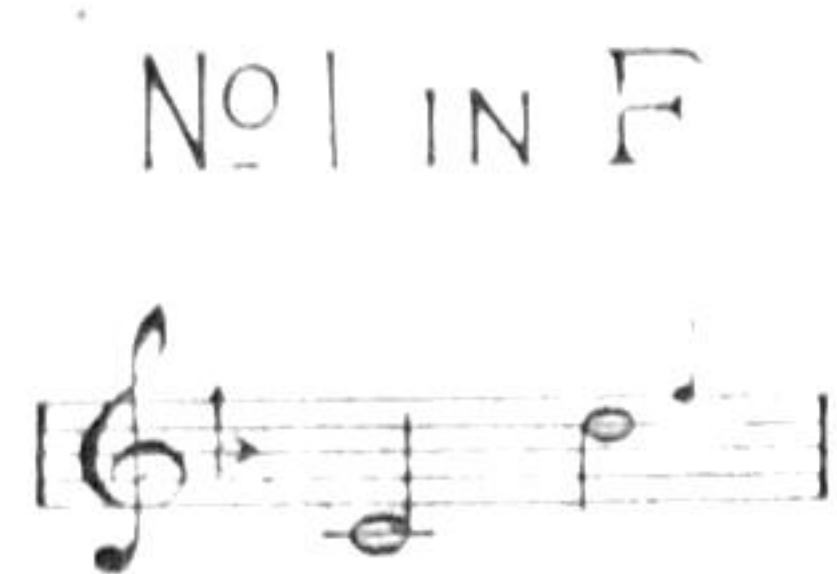




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The Lord God planted a garden
In the first white days of the world;
And set there an angel warden,
In a garment of light enfurled.

So near to the peace of Heaven,
The hawk might nest with the wren;
For there in the cool of the even,
God walked with the first of men.

And I dream that these garden closes,
With their shade and their sun-flecked sod,
And their lilies and bowers of roses.
Were laid by the hand of God.

The kiss of the sun for pardon,
The song of the birds for mirth —
One is nearer God's heart in a garden
Than anywhere else on earth.

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