

**david sawer**

**from morning to midnight**

**an opera in seven scenes**

**libretto by the composer after the play  
*von morgens bis mitternachts* by georg kaiser**

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The opera should be performed without an interval.

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## Characters

Lady	soprano
Daughter (plays piano) / Girl 1 / Prostitute	soprano
Salvation Army Girl	soprano
Wife / Girl 2 / Salvation Army Officer	mezzo soprano
Mother / Girl 3	contralto
Cashier	tenor
Gentleman 1 / Racing Cyclist	tenor
Gentleman 2 / First Guest	tenor
Manager / Gentleman 3 / Second Guest / Family Man	baritone
Gentleman 4 / Waiter	baritone
Fat Man / Gentleman 5 / Third Guest / Thief	bass
Non-singing:	
Clerk, Messenger Boy, Porter, Man, Maidservant (Scene 1)	
Bellboy (Scene 2)	
Racing Cyclists, Ambulance Crew (Scene 5)	
Policeman (speaking - Scene 7)	
Chorus (SATB)	

## Instrumentation

3 flutes (1 d. alto flute, 2 & 3 d. piccolo & alto flute)  
2 oboes (2 d. cor anglais)  
3 clarinets in Bb (2 d. bass clarinet & clarinet in A, 3 d. Eb clarinet)  
2 bassoons (2 d. contrabassoon)

4 horns in F  
3 trumpets in Bb (1 & 3 d. trumpet in C)  
3 trombones  
tuba

timpani

### percussion (4 players)

player 1: 2 bongos (2 different pitches), small tomtom, bass drum, cowbell, spring coil, small maraca, pair of castanets (mounted), small ratchet, rute

player 2: glockenspiel, set of tuned crotales, large triangle, pair of agogos (2 different pitches), cowbell, pair of finger cymbals, 3 Chinese temple blocks, whip, vibraslap, lion's roar, large metal saucepan, washboard, police whistle

player 3: pair of claves, 2 woodblocks (2 different pitches), log drum, medium triangle, hi-hat, pair of clashed cymbals, tambourine (with skin), sistrum, antique cymbal (B), pair of finger cymbals, small metal chain, large metal baking tray

player 4: xylophone, vibraphone, tubular bells, small triangle, sizzle cymbal, suspended cymbal, tambourine (jingles only), metal cabaca, tam tam, guiro, large ratchet, large set of bamboo wood chimes (suspended), 2 very large metal saucepan lids

shared instruments: ratchet, bongos, bass drum (players 1 & 2)  
suspended cymbal, tam tam, set of wood chimes (players 3 & 4)

harp

keyboard (sampler with piano, electric piano, celesta, electric organ, chamber organ, bicycle bells)

strings (14.12.10.8.6)

### **Extra players**

clarinet 4 in Bb (Scene 5 & 7)

trumpet 4 in Bb (Scene 5 & 7)

Bb euphonium (Scene 5 & 7)

tuba 2 (Scene 5 & 7)

percussion 5: Scene 3 (in pit): flexatone; Scene 5 (in wings): small side drum; Scene 7 (onstage): tambourine (jingles only)

percussion 6: Scene 5 (in wings): small side drum; Scene 7 (onstage): tambourine (with skin)

percussion 7: Scene 3 (in wings): wind machine; Scene 5 (offstage): tambourine (jingles only), tambourine (with skin), small pair of clashed cymbals, attached to small bass drum; Scene 7 (onstage): hi-hat, suspended cymbal, side drum, small bass drum (with foot pedal)

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## part one

### scene one

for john daszak

David Sawer

(1961)

*♩ = 96 calm, precise and mechanical*

Flute 1  
2

Oboe 1  
2

1 (B $\flat$ )

clarinet 2 (bass)  
*p sostenuto*

3 (B $\flat$ )

Bassoon 1  
2  
*p sostenuto*

1  
2  
*con sord.*

horn in F  
3  
*con sord.*

1  
2  
*con sord. (cup)*

trumpet in B $\flat$

1  
2  
*con sord. (cup)*

trombone  
3  
*con sord. (cup)*

tuba 1

spring coil castanets (mounted)  
1

whip  
2

percussion  
3

log drum  
4

metal cabaça  
guiro

harp  
B $\flat$  C $\flat$  D $\flat$  E $\flat$  F $\flat$  G $\flat$  A $\flat$

keyboard (celeste)

Interior of a small provincial bank. On the left, Cashier's counter and door marked 'Manager'; in the centre, door marked 'To the Strong Room'; on the right, entrance door with barrier, beside it a cane sofa and table with water carafe and glass. Behind a grille sit the Cashier and, at a desk, a Clerk, both writing. Fat Man sits on the sofa, wheezing; Messenger Boy stands at the counter; Porter at the entrance door.

*♩ = 96 calm, precise and mechanical*

violin 1 (div. 1 & 2)  
*p sostenuto*  
sul pont.  
*p sostenuto*  
sul pont.

violin 2  
*p sostenuto*  
sul pont.  
*p sostenuto*  
ord.  
*p*

viola  
*p sostenuto*  
sul pont.  
*p*  
ord.  
*p*

cello  
*p sostenuto*  
sul pont.  
*p*  
ord.  
*p*

double bass  
*p sostenuto*  
sul pont.  
*p sostenuto*  
ord.  
*p*

**A**

7

ob 1  
ca 2

2.

*p sostenuto*

1 (Bb)

*p sostenuto*

cl 2 (bass)

*p*

*p < mf*

*p sostenuto*

3 (Bb)

*p*

*p sostenuto*

bsn 1  
2

1.

*p*

*p sostenuto*

1.

*p*

cast

1.

*pp sempre*

perc  
log drum

3.

*soft stick*

*p < mf*

guito

4.

*scrape slowly*

*p <*

**A**

1 desk

*p*

*ord.*

*p*

vn 1 (div.)

*p*

*ord.*

*p*

vn 2

*sul pont.*

*p*

*ord.*

*p*

via

*sul pont.*

*p*

*ord.*

*p*

vc (div.)

*sul pont.*

*p*

*ord. (a)*

*p*

*ord. (a)*

*p*

ob

*(sul pont.)*

*p*

*ord. (a)*

*p*

*co) legno ben.*

*p*

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This page contains the musical score for measures 24 through 30. The instruments and parts are as follows:

- Flute 1 (Fl 1):** Measures 24-26 are rests. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- Oboe 1 (Ob 1):** Measures 24-26 are rests. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- Clarinet in Bb (Cl 1):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 are rests.
- Clarinet in Bass (Cl 2):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 are rests.
- Bassoon 3 (Bn 3):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G3, moving to A3, B3, and C4.
- Bassoon 1 (Bn 1):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 are rests.
- Spring Cymbal (Cym):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 are rests.
- Temple Blocks (Tm):** Measures 24-26 are rests. Measures 27-30 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes.
- Percussion (Perc):** Measures 24-26 are rests. Measures 27-30 are rests.
- Antenna Cymbal (Ant. Cym):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 are rests.
- Guitar (Guit):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G3, moving to A3, B3, and C4.
- Harpsichord (hp):** Measures 24-26 are rests. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- First Desk (1 desk):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- Violin 1 (div.) (vln 1):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- Violin 2 (vln 2):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- Viola (vln):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- Violoncello (div.) (vc):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5.
- Double Bass (db):** Measures 24-26 play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Measures 27-30 play a melodic line starting on G3, moving to A3, B3, and C4.

Performance markings include *p* (piano), *f* (forte), *pp* (pianissimo), *tr.* (trill), *whip*, *xylo.* (xylophone), *arco*, *col legno batt.* (col legno battuto), *sim.* (sordini), *L.H. pizz.* (left hand pizzicato), *div.* (divisi), *un.* (unison), and *damp*.

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fl 1

fl 2

ob 1

ob 2

1 (B♭)

cl 2 (bass)

3 (B♭)

bas 1

bas 2

spring coil

cast

1.

temple

blocks

2.

perc

ant. cym

3.

tri.

güiro

4.

xylo.

tr.

hp

damp

1 desk

vn 1 (div.)

col legno batt.

L.H. pizz.

vn 2

div.

col legno batt.

L.H. pizz. unis.

via

div.

col legno batt.

L.H. pizz.

vc (div.)

col legno batt.

arco

db

stim.

p

f

pp

mf

ff

dim.

acc.

rit.

tr.

whip

4/4

3/4

2/4

1/4

1/2

3/8

6/8

9/8

12/8

16/8

32/8

64/8

128/8

256/8

512/8

1024/8

2048/8

4096/8

8192/8

16384/8

32768/8

65536/8

131072/8

262144/8

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B

1 (B♭)

cl 2 (bass)

3 (B♭)

bsn 1  
2

tr 1  
2

tpi 1  
2

trb 1  
2

small maraca 1.

perc log drum 3.

metal cabaca 4.

col

1. 2. change to Harrison

secco

xyf. mod. hard sticks

Cashier raps on the counter; Messenger Boy quickly hands him a chit; Cashier writes, counts out the money

B

arco sul pont.

ban.

ban.

ban.

div. ban.

div. ban.

col legno ban.

col legno ban.

pizz.

pizz.

pizz.



65  $\text{♩} = 60$   $\text{♩} = 72$

ban

perc  
log drum

hp

B1 C1 (E1)

Lady opens the barrier with difficulty, smiling at the Fat Man

Fat Man pulls a face;

Cashier raps on the counter;

$\text{♩} = 60$   $\text{♩} = 72$  *express.*

vin 1

vin 2 (div.)

via

vc

db

ord.

sul tasto

div. arco

unil pizz. div. a 3

half the players

unil pizz. div. a 2

*mf* *p* *pp* *f* *sub.* *ff* *f* *sub.* *p* *f*

72

ob 1

ca 2

1 (B)

cl

2 (bass)

bsn 1

perc.  
glock

hp

cel

1. 2. 1.

*p* *mp* *f* *sub.* *p* *mf*

Lady makes a questioning gesture to the Fat Man;

Fat Man steps back;

Lady bows slightly and goes to the counter;

vin 1

vin 2 (div.)

via

vc (div.)

unil

arco half the players

unil pizz. div. a 3

unil

*p* *mf* *f* *sub.* *p* *mf* *mf*



83

fl 1

ob 1  
ca 2

1 (Bb)  
cl

2 (bass)

glock

hp

cel

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 83 through 88 for the woodwind and percussion sections. The instruments listed are Flute 1, Oboe 1/Cor Anglais 2, Clarinet in Bb, Bassoon 2, Glockenspiel, Harp, and Cello. The music features various dynamics such as *p*, *mp*, *mf*, and *f*, along with articulation marks like accents and slurs. The key signature has one flat (Bb).

Lady takes out the folded letter and pushes it across.      Cashier takes the folded letter, looks at it from all sides, and pushes it back      Lady unfolds the letter and hands it back.

vn 1

vn 2 (div.)

vla

vc

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 83 through 88 for the string section, including Violin 1, Violin 2 (divisi), Viola, and Violoncello. The music includes dynamic markings like *p*, *mf*, and *f*, and performance instructions such as *ord.* (ordine) and *sul pont.* (sul ponticello). The key signature has one flat (Bb).

89 poco rit. -----

1 (Bb)

cl 2 (bass)

3 (Bb)

bsn 1  
2

tn 1  
2

maraca

perc.

xylo

cel

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 89 through 94 for the woodwind and percussion sections. The instruments listed are Clarinet in Bb 1, Clarinet in Bb 2 (bass), Clarinet in Bb 3, Bassoon 1/2, Tenor Saxophone 1/2, Maraca, Percussion, and Xylophone. The music starts with a *poco rit.* (ritardando) marking and includes dynamics like *f* and *p*. The key signature has one flat (Bb).

Cashier glances at it and passes it to the Clerk;      Clerk stands up and goes with the letter through the door marked "Manager".      Cashier starts counting money;

poco rit. -----

vn 1

vn 2 (div.)

vla

vc

db

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 89 through 94 for the string and double bass sections, including Violin 1, Violin 2 (divisi), Viola, Violoncello, and Double Bass. The music includes dynamic markings like *p*, *mf*, and *f*, and performance instructions such as *pizz.* (pizzicato), *unis.* (unison), and *sul pont.* (sul ponticello). The key signature has one flat (Bb).



[E] J = 120

1 (E♭)  
cl.  
2 (bass)

1  
2

1  
2

1.  
maraca *pp*

2.  
ring. cym

perc

3.  
log drum *hard sticks* *p* *f*

4.  
tri metal cabaça (with triangle beater) *p*

hp

Manager

*over-pole*  
Glad men - ing. ma - dant

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Manager comes in with the letter in his hand; he is struck dumb by the sight of the Lady.

[E] J = 120

vin 1 (div.) *con sord.* *p*

vin 2 (div.) *con sord.* *p*

vin 2 (div.) *con sord.* *p*

vin 2 (div.) *con sord.* *p*

vin 2 (div.) *con sord.* *p*

vc (div.) *p* *f* *p*

vc (div.) *pizz.* *p* *f*

cb *p* *pizz.* *f*



5

fl. 1 *pp* — *ff*

2 (alto) *pp* — *ff*

ob. 1 *ff* — *p* — niente

1 (Bb) *ff* — *p* — niente

cl. 3 (Bb) *ff* — *p* — niente

hn 1 3 *ff* (uniss.) — *p* — niente

2 *f* — *p* — niente

1 (Bb) *ff* — *p* — niente

tpt 2 (Bb) *ff* — *p* — niente

tbn 3 *ff*

tba 1 *ff*

bongos 1. *ppp* — *f*

cowb. 2. *ppp* — *f*

hi-hat 3. wire brushes *ppp* — *f*

tub. b. 4. *ff*

hp *ff*

key. (pl.) *f*

vin 1 *ff* — *pp* — *pp* — *ff* — *ff* — *pp*

vin 2 *pp* — *ff* — *pp* — *ff* — *pp*

vla *ff* — *ff* — *pp*

cb. *ff* div. pizz.

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17

fl. 1 *pp < f* *pp < f* *pp < mf*

2 (alto) *pp < f* *pp < f* *pp < mf* *pp <*

ob. 1 *f* *f* *mf*

1 (B♭) *f* *f* *mf* *mf*

cl. 2 (bass) *pp < f*

3 (E♭) *f* *f* *mf* *mf*

trn 1 *f* *mf*

2 *f* *mf* *mf*

1 (B♭) *f* *mf*

2 (B♭) *f* *mf*

trn 1 2 *f* *dim poco a poco*

bongos 1 *ppp < mf* *ppp <*

cowb. 2 *ppp < mf* *ppp < mp*

hi-hat 3 *ppp < mf*

tub.b. 4 *f* *f* *mf* *mf*

hp *f* *mf* *G*

key (pl.) *f* *mf*

vin 1 *ff > pp* *pp < f* *pp < f* *pp <*

vin 2 *pp < f* *pp < f* *mf > pp* *mf > pp*

vla *ff > pp* *ff > pp* *pp < f* *pp < f* *pp <*

vc. *pp < f* *pp < f* *mf > pp* *mf > pp*

db. *f > pp*

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21

flute take flute

R. 2 (alto)

1 (Bb)

cl. 2 (bass)

3 (Eb)

bsn 1  
2

hn 1  
3

2

1 (Bb)

tp 2 (Bb)

1  
2

tb 1  
2

bongos

cowb.

hi-hat

tub.b.

hp

key. (pf.)

vin 1

vin 2

vla

vc.

cb.

*mf* *pp < mf* *mp* *mp* *p*

*f* *cresc.* *ff*

*mf* *mp* *mp* *mp* *f* *f*

*mf* *mp* *mp* *mp* *p*

*mp* *ppp < mp* *ppp < mp* *ppp < mp*

*ppp < mp* *ppp < mp* *ppp < mp*

*mf* *mp* *mp* *mp* *p*

*mp* *mp*

*mf* *pp < mf* *mp > pp* *pp < mf* *mp > pp* *mp > pp* *mp > pp* *pp < mp* *pp < mp* *pp < mp* *pp < mp* *pp < mp* *pp < mp*

*f* *dim.* *p*

*mf > pp* *pp < mf* *mp > pp* *mp > pp* *pp < mp* *mp > pp* *pp < mp* *pp < mp* *pp < mp*

div. *f* *div.*

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**A** poco a poco rit.

43

ff

ff

ob. 1  
unis. *espress.*  
*p* — *f* — *pp*

1 (Bb)  
ff

cl.  
3 (Eb)  
ff *p sub.* — *f* — *p*

1  
bsn  
*p* — *mf* — *pp*

2  
*p* — *mf* — *pp*  
take contra bassoon

1 (Bb)  
ff

tpt  
2 (Bb)  
ff

tbn 1  
*f* — *mf*  
con sord. (cup)

**A** poco a poco rit.

glock.  
ff

xylo.  
ff

harp  
ff *p* *mf*

key.  
(pf.)  
ff

**A** poco a poco rit.

con sord.

con sord.

con sord.

div.

div.

div.

div. (con sord.)

*pp* *poco* *pp* *pp* *mf* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp*

percussion

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A hotel room. Glass door at the back; on the left, Lady sitting at desk with telephone; on the right, sofa and armchair with table and newspapers. A Bellboy carries in a large flat object, wrapped in a dust sheet. Lady turns around.

$\text{♩} = 52$  frozen

The score is divided into several sections:

- Woodwinds:** Flute 1 & 2, Oboe 1 & 2, Clarinet 1 & 2, Bassoon 1 & 2. Includes markings like "blinding", "sudden cut off", "ff poss!", "sempre senza dim.", and "sim.".
- Brass:** Horns (F and C), Trumpets (C and Bb), Trombones (1, 2, 3), Tuba 1. Includes markings like "con sord.", "ppp", "fff", "pesante", and "1. 2. con sord. (straight)".
- Percussion:** Timpani, Bass Drum, Crotales, Tam-tam, Tubular Bells, Flexatone, Wind Machine. Includes markings like "soft sticks", "very hard sticks", "damp!", "damp subito!", "damp sub.l", and "very hard sticks (eg. xylo)".
- Other Instruments:** Harp (with chord voicings: D4 G4 B4, E4 F4 G4 A4), Keyboard (Celesta), and Tape.
- Chorus (off stage):** Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass. Includes a tempo marking  $\text{♩} = 52$  frozen.
- Violins and Viola:** Violin 1 & 2, Viola. Includes markings like "molto sul pont.", "calmo subito", "ppp senza espress.", and "ord. unis.".
- Double Bass:** Includes markings like "div.", "ppp", "pesante", and "p".

**Stage Action:**  
A snow-covered field. Tree with tangle of low-hanging branches; bright blue shadows cast by the midday sun. The cashier comes in backwards, shovelling snow with his hands, and covering his tracks.









22

fi.

3 (picc.)

ob.

1

2

1 (Bb)

cl.

2 (Bb)

ppp

ppp

hn 1

can sord.

ppp

glock.

2 (glock.)

tub. b.

4

RH: small hard stick

RH: sans der ferme

LH: hard mallet

ppp sempre

hp

key. (cel.)

Cashier

ppp

f

Oh!

vln 1

molto sul pont. div.

ppp

unis. ord.

p

molto sul pont. div.

ppp

vln 2

molto sul pont. div.

ppp

unis. ord.

p

molto sul pont. div.

ppp

via

molto sul pont.

ppp

ord.

p

molto sul pont.

ppp

vc.

molto sul pont.

ppp

ord. (a.)

p

molto sul pont.

ppp

ord. (a.)

p

molto sul pont.

ppp

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27

1

fi. 2 (alto) *alho fluta*  
*p dolce e semplice*

3 (picc.)

1  
ob.

2

1 (B $\flat$ )  
cl. 2 (B $\flat$ )  
3 (E $\flat$ )  
*p dolce e semplice*

1  
2  
3  
hn  
2. con sord.  
3. con sord.  
*pp* *fp* *niente* *ppp*

glock.

2

4  
tub. b.  
*poco f* LH. RH. *ppp sempre*

hp

key. (cel.)

Castier  
He stands upright.  
*dolce e espress*  
*sub. p*  
Oh! Oh! Oh!

vn 1  
vn 2  
vln  
vc.

*unis. ord.* *p* *molto div. sul pont.* *ppp* *unis. ord.* *p* *molto div. sul pont.* *ppp* *molto div. sul pont.* *ppp*

*ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp* *ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp* *ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp*

*ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp* *ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp* *ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp*

*ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp* *ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp* *ord.* *p* *molto sul pont.* *ppp*

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poco accel.

**B** ♩ = 66

1  
fl. 2 (alto)  
3 (picc.)  
1  
ob.  
2  
1 (B)  
cl. 2 (B)  
3 (E)

*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*  
*cresc. poco a poco*

*f dim.*  
*f dim.*  
*f dim.*  
*f dim.*  
*f dim.*  
*f dim.*  
*f dim.*  
*f dim.*  
*f dim.*

*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*

*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*

1  
2  
3  
4  
hn

*ppp*  
*ppp*  
*ppp*  
*ppp*

*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*  
*fp*

*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*  
*niente*

4. con sord. *pp*  
4. senza sord.

poco accel.

**B** ♩ = 66

glock.  
tub. b.  
hp  
key. (cel.)  
Cashier

*ppp*  
*ppp*  
*ppp*  
*ppp*

*poco f*  
*p*  
*f*  
*f*  
*f*

L.H.  
small triangle  
*p*  
*A<sub>1</sub>*

Oh! Oh! Oh!

poco accel.

**B** ♩ = 66

vin 1  
vin 2  
via  
vc.  
vc.

*unis. ord.*  
*ord.*  
*ord.*  
*ord.*  
*ord.*

*p*  
*p*  
*p*  
*p*  
*p*

*con sord.*  
*con sord.*  
*con sord.*  
*con sord.*  
*con sord.*

*div.*  
*div.*  
*div.*  
*div.*  
*div.*

*ppp*  
*ppp*  
*ppp*  
*ppp*  
*ppp*

*f*  
*f*  
*f*  
*f*  
*f*

*f p*  
*f p*  
*f p*  
*f p*  
*f p*

poco rit. ----- J = 56 misterioso

40

fl. 2 (alto) *pp* take flute

3 (picc.) *pp* take alto flute

ob. 1 *pp*

ob. 2 *pp*

1 (Bb) *ppp* *fp* niente *p*

cl. 2 (Bb) *ppp* *fp* niente *p* take bass clarinet

3 (Bb) *pp*

tn 1 *pp* *fp* niente 1. 2. senza sord.

tn 2 *pp < fp* niente

tn 3 *fp* niente 3. senza sord.

poco rit. ----- J = 56 misterioso

percussion

glock. *p*

tub. b. RH. *ppp* small triangle *p*

tp *p*

key. (cal.)

Cashier *p* Oh!

poco rit. ----- J = 56 misterioso

front 2 desks senza sord. *p* *p* *p*

gli altri *p* *p*

vin 1 *dim.* *pp* *p* *p*

front 2 desks *pp* *p* *p*

vin 2 *dim.* *pp* niente

front 2 desks senza sord. *p* *p*

gli altri *pp* *p*

vin 3 *dim.* *pp* *p*

vc. *f dim.* *pp* *p*

*f dim.* *pp* *p*

db. *f dim.* *pp* *p*

unis. *pp* *p*

