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A list of the principal words used in modern music will be found on the last page.

## RUDIMENTS OF MUSIC.

Before the student can commence to play on any instrument, it is necessary that he should be acquainted with the rudiments of notation.

The musical signs, which indicate the pitch and duration of a musical sound, are called Notes, and are figured thus: o do to the pitch and duration of a musical sound, are called Notes,

They are named after seven letters of the alphabet: C, D, E, F, G, A, B, and are written on, between, above or below five parallel lines \_\_\_\_\_\_ called the Stave. The names of the notes are determined by Clefs, placed on different lines.

Music for the French Horn is written in the Treble or G clefs, placed on the second line and for very low notes in the Bass or F clef, placed on the fourth.

The names of the notes on the five lines in the Treble clef are.

E G B D F

of the four spaces between the lines.

F A C E

of the two notes above and below the lines.

These eleven notes being too limited in range to indicate higher and deeper sounds, Ledger lines have to be added, above and below the stave.

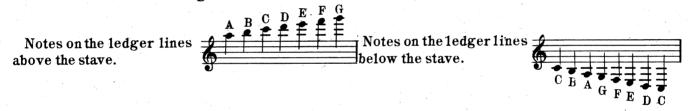
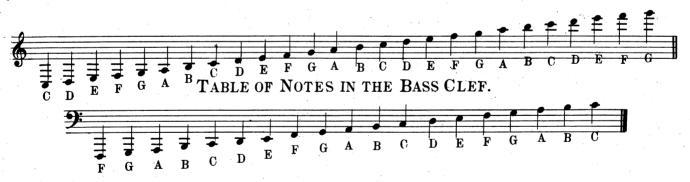


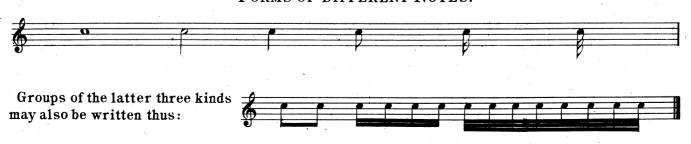
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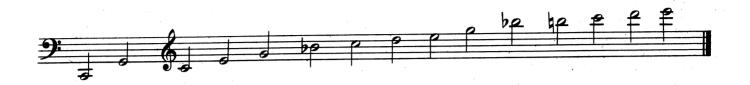
## DURATION OF NOTES.

Notes may be of longer or shorter duration, which is indicated by the form of each note.

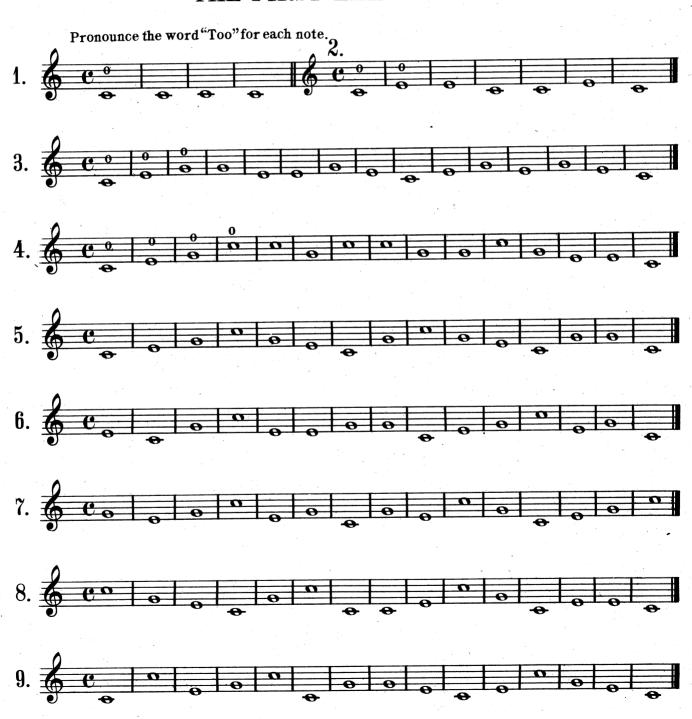
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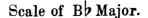


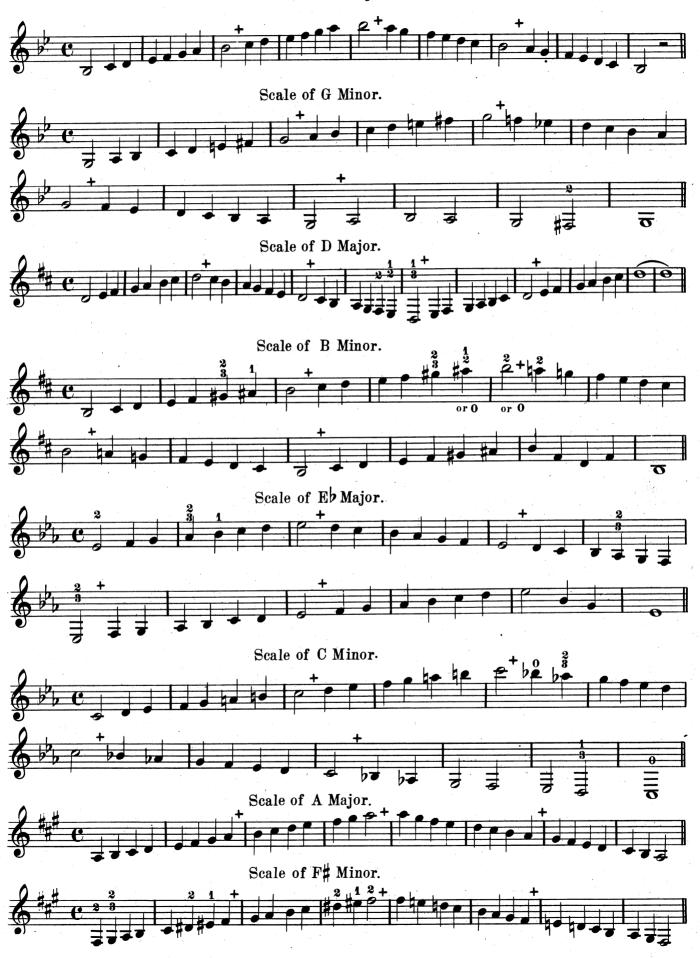
#### TABLE OF OPEN NOTES ON THE FRENCH HORN.



#### THE FIRST EXERCISES.











# APPENDIX. ORCHESTRAL STUDIES SELECTED BY Otto Langey.

