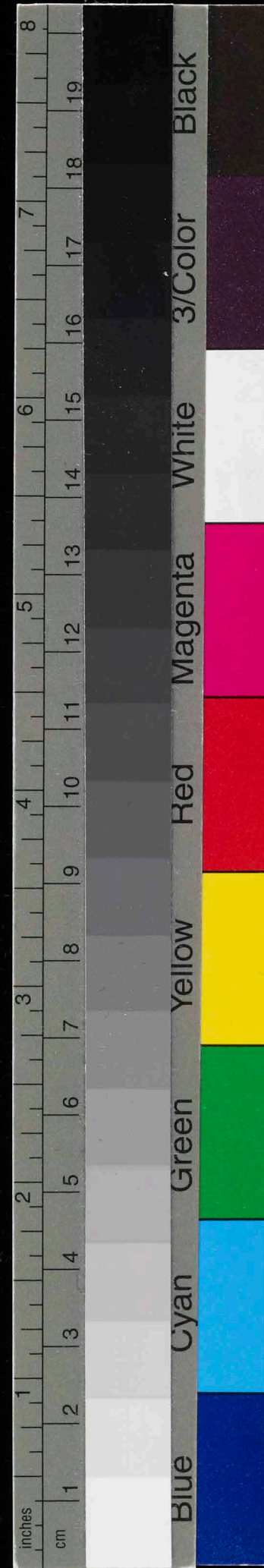
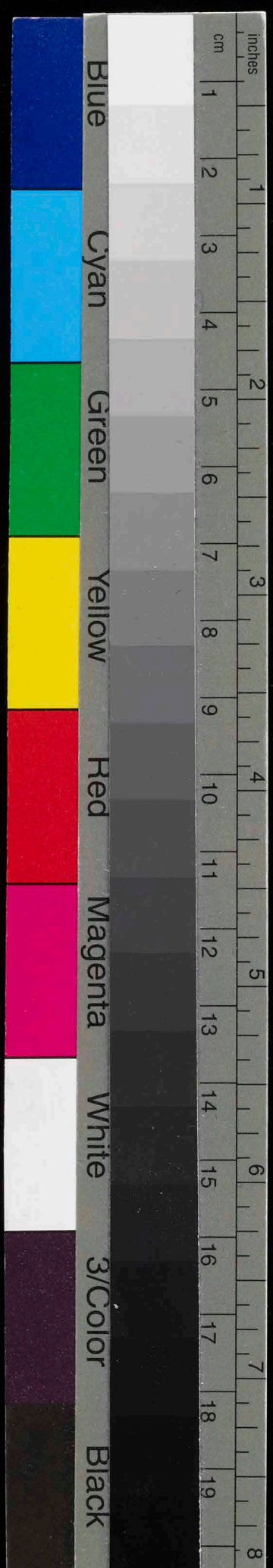


"a lesson from nature"

Song  
E. W. Hamilton









"a Elfson from nature"

To

"Alice in Wonderland"

words by R. Herrick

set to music by  
E. Hamilton

*moderato con espressione*

*pp*

*all*

*P*

*a tempo*

fair pledges of a fruitful tree

why do ye fall so fast your date is not so fast

*800*

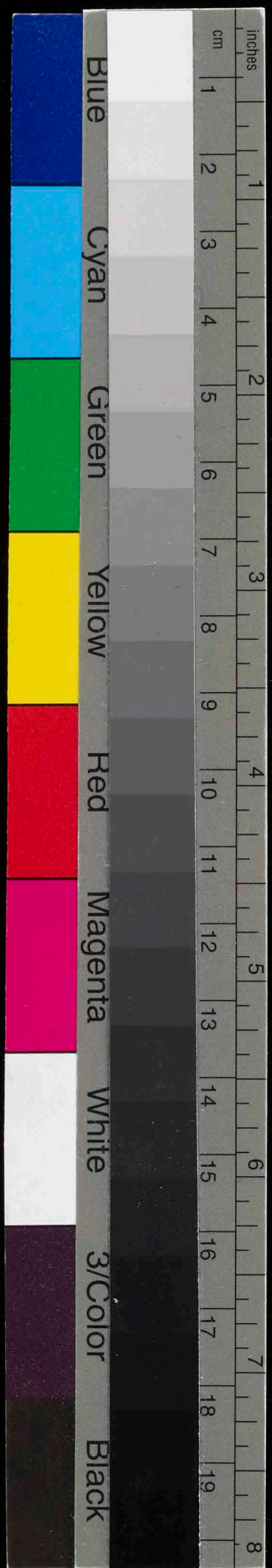


Handwritten musical score, first system. The vocal line (treble clef) begins with a whole rest, followed by the lyrics "But you may stay yet here a". The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand, both in a key with two sharps (F# and C#).

Handwritten musical score, second system. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "while But you may stay yet here a while". The piano accompaniment continues with a similar melodic and harmonic structure.

Handwritten musical score, third system. The vocal line has a whole rest followed by the lyrics "But ye may stay". The piano accompaniment features a more active bass line with many beamed sixteenth notes.

Handwritten musical score, fourth system. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "But ye may stay yet here a while and". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady melodic flow.





*rall. e dim.* *a tempo*

go at last

*guy*

*rall.* *a tempo*

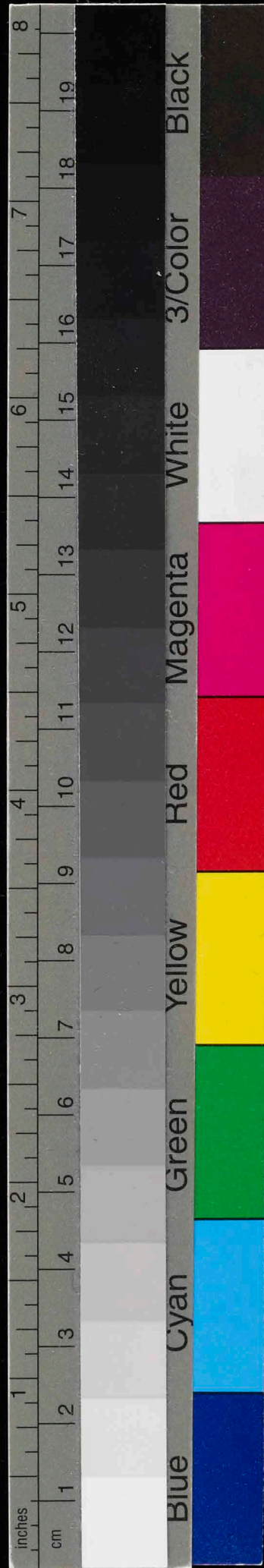
what were ye born to be an

*guy*

hour or half o' the light and so to bid good night

*guy*

'twas pity nature brought thee





forth was pity nature brought thee forth

*people* merely to show your

with merely to show your worth and

*rall. & dim.*  
lose you quite and lose you quite

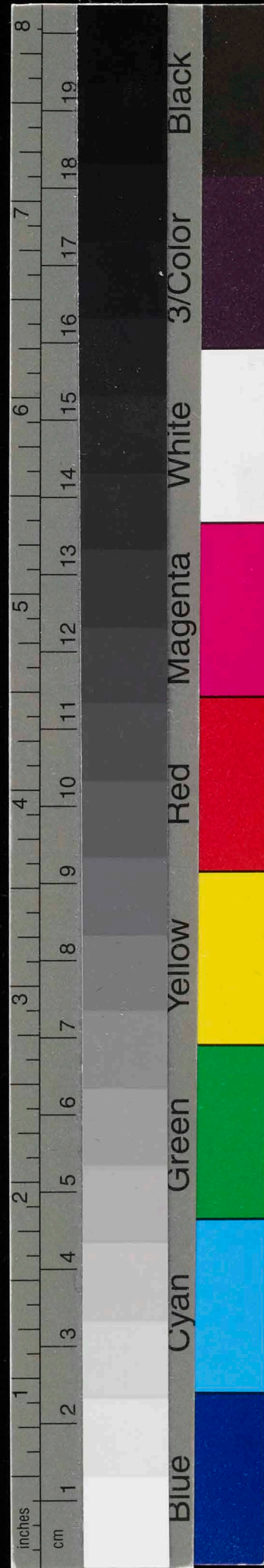


Handwritten musical score, first system. It features a treble and bass staff with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The music is written in a fluid, cursive style. The word "guy" is written in the bass staff.

Handwritten musical score, second system. It features a treble and bass staff with a key signature of two sharps. The lyrics "But ye are lovely leaves" are written above the treble staff. The word "over" is written in the bass staff.

Handwritten musical score, third system. It features a treble and bass staff with a key signature of two sharps. The lyrics "where we may read how soon things have their" are written above the treble staff. The word "crescdo" is written in the bass staff.

Handwritten musical score, fourth system. It features a treble and bass staff with a key signature of two sharps. The lyrics "how soon things have their" are written above the treble staff. The word "crescdo" is written in the bass staff.





end tho' nier so brave and after they have shewn their

pride after they have shewn their pride like you -

*dim. & rall. pp*  
while - they glide in to the grave  
*a tempo*

*pp* *pp*

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