

March

THE STARS and STRIPES FOREVER

(1896)

2nd B♭ Clarinet

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March Tempo.

ff *f* [*poco*] *leggiere* [*poco*] *p* *f* [*p*] [*f*] [*ff*] [*p*] *ff* *p*

7 13 17 22 30 37 43 49

TRIO.
[originally *8va*]

54

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63

72

81

88

94

100

106

112

120

128

136

ff

ff molto marc.

Grandioso
[lower notes 1st X]

1st X *dim.*
2nd X *cresc.*

[*p*]*ff*

1. 2.

ff

This musical score is for the 2nd B \flat Clarinet part of 'The Stars and Stripes Forever'. It consists of ten staves of music, numbered 63 to 136. The key signature has two flats (B \flat and E \flat), and the time signature is 2/4. The music features various musical notations including eighth notes, quarter notes, half notes, and full notes, often beamed together. There are several slurs and ties. Dynamic markings include *ff* (fortissimo) at measures 88, 100, and 136; *ff* molto marc. at measure 100; *dim.* (diminuendo) and *cresc.* (crescendo) at measure 106; and [*p*]*ff* at measure 106. A section starting at measure 106 is marked *Grandioso* [lower notes 1st X]. At measure 106, there are also markings for the first and second endings: 1st X *dim.* and 2nd X *cresc.*. The score ends with a first ending (marked 1.) and a second ending (marked 2.) at measure 136, both leading to a final double bar line.