

"In the Valley: un Bûcheron Songeur" musical score, 2000

MCC-00301

Finding Aid

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Title: "In the Valley: un Bûcheron Songeur" musical score

Creator/Collector: Roper, Harrison

Collection number: MCC-00301 Shelf list number: UM-301

Dates: 2000

Extent: 1 folder (.10 cubic feet)

Provenance: Material was acquired from Harrison Roper, 2000.

Language: English and French.

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Scope and content:

This collection consists of a full score composition by Harrison Roper of Houlton Maine, composed for the Northern Maine Chamber Orchestra and completed in March 2000. The

composition is "based partly on ballads from the Acadian Archives, University of Maine at Fort Kent." It is comprised of three movements: 1. First light--Sunrise--To work!--Sunset (Jour de naissant--lever de soleil--Au travail!--coucher de soleil); 2. A Tragedy (Complainte); 3. Healthy Youth, On a Really Fine Day (un Jour merveilleux--amusons-nous!). The entire performance lasts approximately 15 minutes; the composition was first performed on April 1, 2000. Some pages of the score have footnotes explaining the origins of particular sections of music.

Inventory:

Folder 1: "In the Valley: un Bûcheron Songeur." 46 p.