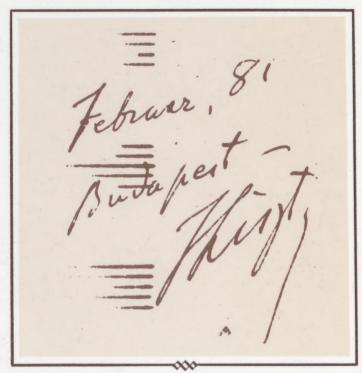
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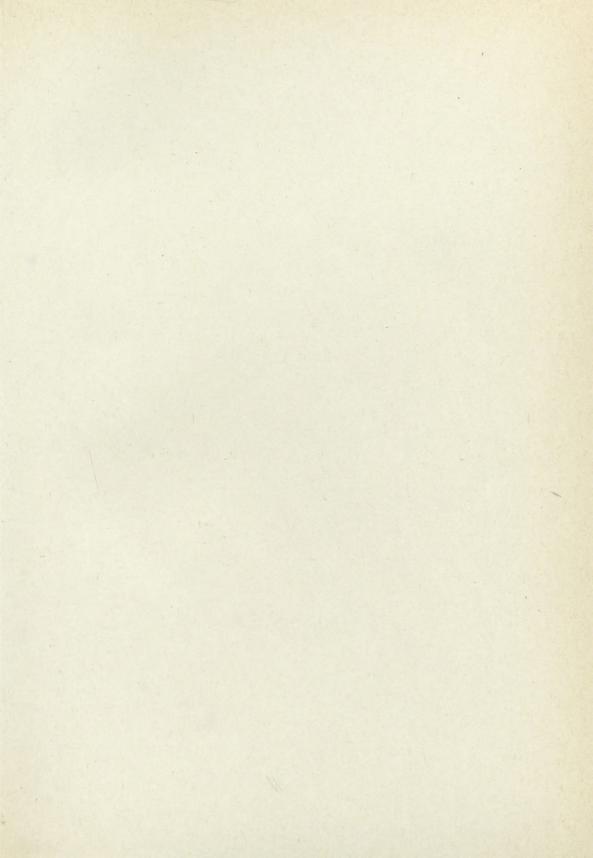
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The presentation of the material includes the philological data of the documents, their description and evaluation among the sources of the given composition as well as 73 music examples and 20 facsimile illustrations.







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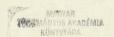
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PREFACE

The National Széchényi Library is Hungary's central library; thus its main task is to collect every kind of material of Hungarian interest, the so-called "hungarica". It was set up in 1802 by Count Ferenc Széchényi, an enlightened Hungarian magnate with patriotic sentiments. In 1808 when the Hungarian National Museum was founded by the same Count, the two institutions were united into one large organization within which the library functioned with the newly acquired name of "Széchényi Library of the National Museum". The two establishments were not separated until 1949. Since then, the library has been existing as an independent state-owned collection.

The Music Division of the Széchényi Library was organized in 1928. Above all, it is home to printed and manuscript music; in recent years all kinds of sound documents (records and tapes) have been added to the collection.² The Music Division took over a considerable number of Liszt's autograph manuscripts as well as manuscripts and printed music containing additions in Liszt's hand from the Department of Manuscripts, a section that had been established about fifty years earlier. The number of items has more than doubled in the intervening years. At the end of 1982 the National Széchényi Library listed the following music with Liszt's handwriting:

- (a) Liszt's compositions; autograph manuscripts: 47 items;
- (b) Liszt's compositions; manuscript copies with additions, corrections and title inscription in Liszt's own hand: 9 items;
- (c) Liszt's compositions; printed music with autograph additions in the music: 6 items;
 - (d) Liszt's additions in or to works by other composers: 5 items;

¹ Father of István Széchenyi, an eminent Hungarian politician in the 19th century; Liszt knew him personally and wrote the first piece of the set *Magyar történelmi arcképek* (Hungarian Historical Portraits) in his memory.

² The Széchényi Library had several musical compositions among its accessions in the first century of its existence. They were scattered among documents of many kinds, and when the holdings of the library increased significantly, it became necessary to assemble the various documents into special collections. This led to the establishment of the Department of Manuscripts in about 1876 which undertook the task of collecting manuscripts of music as well. The first autograph manuscripts by Liszt were registered there. For the history of the library and of the separate collections see the leaflet Az Országos Széchényi Könyvtár [The National Széchényi Library].

- (e) Liszt's compositions with the composer's autograph dedication but without any additions of his own in the music: 9 items;
- (f) Other printed music with Liszt's autograph inscription on the title page, but not personal dedications: 2 items;

Total: 78 items.

The National Széchényi Library, therefore, is the primary Hungarian public collection of Liszt's works and is among the most comprehensive of Liszt collections the world over.³

In 1940, Rezső Lavotta compiled and edited an author's catalogue of the music manuscripts kept in the Music Division as part of the series of catalogues published by the Library. Reflecting the situation at the time, this printed catalogue listed altogether 34 autograph manuscripts by Liszt. (One of them, the *Ave maris stella* with the call number Ms. mus. 1.825 is, in effect, a manuscript copy without additions by Liszt.)⁴ The autograph manuscripts acquired after 1940 are listed in the Music Division's catalogue. In keeping with present-day practice, this catalogue is more detailed and precise than Lavotta's printed catalogue. So that all the Liszt-related material of the collection might be in one common card catalogue, the autograph manuscripts Lavotta had listed were recatalogued in 1971/72. The work was carried out by the author of the present book, then on the staff of the Széchényi Library, and served as the inspiration for writing a comprehensive study about it.⁵

Let us examine the extent to which the best-known catalogues of Liszt's works have taken cognizance of the manuscript holdings of the Széchényi Library. In 1931, when Peter Raabe's standard two-volume work appeared, Lavotta's printed catalogue had not yet been published. Nevertheless, Raabe must have turned to his Hungarian colleagues for information, since the items kept in the National Széchényi Library of the National Museum (referred to as: Ungarisches Nationalmuseum in Budapest, abbr. U.N.M.) and in the library of the Academy of Music, Budapest (cited as: Königliche Franz Liszt Landes-Musikakademie in Budapest, M. A.) appear in his catalogue. Some minor inaccuracies seem to suggest that Raabe's data were not based on personal study. In the reprint of the book—edited by Felix Raabe in 1968—there is a supplementary part entitled "Zusätze", which contains some recent information on the Liszt holdings of the Széchényi

³ In addition to the autograph music manuscripts found in the National Széchényi Library, Liszt's manuscripts are held in the Liszt Museum of the Academy of Music, Budapest and in the library of the Institute for Musicology of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences. Manuscripts by Liszt are also found in other public collections and in private possession.

⁴ The HBa(mi) keeps another copy of the composition in an identical hand, one containing some additional remarks in Liszt's hand (cf. Eösze, No. 84). Consequently, the manuscript in the HBn may originate in circles closely connected with Liszt. Considerations of space prevent me from discussing this manuscript in the present book.

⁵ The first draft of the manuscript of this work was completed by 1975 and, according to the original publication plans, would have appeared in German. Owing to a delay in the publication and a change in language, it has been revised. This revised version contains all autograph manuscripts by Liszt that had been listed in the HBn by the end of 1982 and considers publications related to the material up to that point.

Library. The erroneous data of the first edition were, however, left for the most part unchanged, and recent acquisitions were only sporadically included.

The Hungarian data of Raabe's first edition were generally taken over without any alteration in *Grove's Dictionary of Music and Musicians* (5th edition, published in 1954), in which the catalogue of Liszt's works was compiled by Humphrey Searle. In the revised catalogue of *The New Grove* (1981) Searle refers to several further manuscripts in the Széchényi Library (HBn). His entries are, however, frequently incomplete and unreliable. Copyists' manuscripts approved by the composer and tantamount to autograph manuscripts are omitted even in cases where no other genuine source is available for a given composition. In addition, the locations of several manuscripts long in the possession of the Széchényi Library at the time the catalogue was revised, are listed as being in private collections.

The third widely-used catalogue of Liszt's works by J. I. Milstein does not give the locations of autograph sources.

In the present book we shall specifically indicate whether a manuscript is missing from Searle's or Raabe's revised catalogues, or if the information given in either of them is incorrect or incomplete in any respect.

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In this work I shall be discussing the autograph music manuscripts of Franz Liszt kept in the National Széchényi Library. These include manuscript copies, proofsheets and printed copies of his compositions to which the composer added, corrected or dedicated in his own hand. The present book also deals with music of other composers on which autograph additions made by Liszt are found. Not discussed, however, are Liszt's letters, and pictures and photographs with autograph dedications, although the latter are found in abundance in the Music Division of the National Széchényi Library.

The material has been classified as follows:

(i) Liszt's compositions. Autograph manuscripts, manuscript copies, proof-sheets or printed copies with additions or corrections in Liszt's own hand.

The wholly autograph manuscripts are grouped with those by Liszt's copyists and the printed copies. Fragments are not discussed separately. Some were meant as additions or perhaps variants; collated with other (printed or manuscript) copies they contribute to an overall view of the entire work (see the cadence written to the *Hungarian Rhapsody No. ii*, pp. 132–133). Another group of fragments may qualify as sketches (such as the section of the piano score of Berlioz's *Harold in Italy*, pp. 166–169). Other fragments were originally written as memorial leaves (for example, the melody of the *Magyar király-dal [Ungarisches Königslied]*, pp. 75–76), or for purposes which have not been identified yet (as in the case of the autograph manuscript containing four fragments, and subsequently entitled "Introduzione all'Orgia di Rossini", pp. 153–159).

The feature common to all this miscellaneous material is that it bears the mark of Liszt's hand in the music itself to some extent. This material is discussed in the sequence given in Searle's revised catalogue. For the sake of simplicity and of facilitating comparison, certain pieces discussed in the present volume in various

settings are dealt with conjointly (cf. the version for orchestra of the *Mephisto Waltz*, *No. 2*, S. 111 and its piano arrangement, S. 515, pp. 88–92). Whenever the composition itself figures in Searle's catalogue but the setting in the National Széchényi Library has not been provided with a separate number (see the reduction for piano duet of the orchestral version of the *Rákóczi March*, p. 126–128)° or whenever it varies significantly from the familiar version (such as the very first draft of the solo version of *Psalm cxxix*, pp. 40–41) the manuscript is discussed in the sequence of the known catalogue number but the figure itself is put in parentheses.

Concluding this group of manuscripts is a composition entirely missing in the catalogue of Liszt's works (i.e. *Stabat Mater* for piano, pp. 181–187) and an unidentified fragment (Ms. mus. 201, memorial leaf ["Gedenkblatt"] from 1840,

p. 187).7

(ii) Liszt's compositions. Printed or manuscript copies with the composer's autograph dedication.

This group includes scores without manuscript amendments or additions by Liszt in the music itself; only the dedication is in the composer's hand. As has been stated previously, all printed music containing autograph corrections has been placed among the items of Group (i), even if these corrections are of minor importance (for example the score of the oratorio Christus dedicated to János Richter, pp. 27–30).

The only piece by Liszt with no dedication but an autograph inscription in memory of a concert has also been included here (the piano arrangement of Schubert's *Trauermarsch*, pp. 199–200).

Again, the sequence within this category follows Searle's revised catalogue.

(iii) Liszt's corrections and manuscript notes in and to works by other composers. This group contains documents of rather different types. In two instances Liszt entered his own corrections into the manuscript of another composer (Ferenc Erkel: 1. Király-hymnus [1st King's Anthem], pp. 218–221 and Gyula Beliczay: Aquarellen, pp. 214–218). On one occasion he transformed the composition of another composer which was already in print (Kornél Ábrányi, sen.: Virág-dal [Chant des fleurs], pp. 201–214).8 In another case, Liszt's separate autograph fragment seems to be a supplement to another composer's work (Ms. mus. 4.049, pp. 221–223). And there are also two compositions with Liszt's manuscript additions not to the music but to the inner endpaper and the title-page, respectively (Ferenc Gaal: Vier Charakterstücke, pp. 224–225 and Paraphrases by four Russian composers, pp. 226–227).

⁶ Raabe's and Searle's catalogues (erroneously) claim that this reduction is not Liszt's own transcription and they give no separate catalogue number to the piano duet version, mentioning its existence at the orchestral version only.

⁷ When starting the present work, seven fragments of the HBn's holdings of Liszt's music manuscripts were completely unidentified. Two of these (Nos. 18 and 26 in this book) have been identified by dr. Zoltán Gárdonyi, one (No. 58) by Imre Sulyok. The present writer has identified three additional fragments (Nos. 28, 55 and 76).

⁸ Searle felt that Liszt transformed this piece so profoundly that he included *Virág-dal* as Liszt's own composition among his paraphrases under No. 383a. Because I do not find his procedure justified (for my reasons see the detailed discussion of the work), I have included the piece in Group (iii) instead of Group (i).

Preceding the full discussion of the material, a concise summary of the various items will be given in *tables*, based on the above classification. For Groups (i) and (ii) the table contains the catalogue numbers of Searle and Raabe (S.-No., R.-No., with the correction of incomplete or erroneous data found there,)⁹ the call number in the HBn, title, setting and other characteristics as well as any important additional remarks. In the case of Group (iii) the call number is followed by the name of the composer, the title of the work, the setting and the nature of the document (autograph, manuscript or printed copy), a short description of Liszt's additions and other essential remarks. The last column in the table contains, for all three groups, the number of the document in the present volume together with the page numbers on which a complete description is given.

For the sake of clarity, the detailed presentation of the documents has been arranged as follows:

Group (i)

1. S.-number, R.-number, call number.—Short title. 10

2. Philological data of the document. (Characterization of the manuscript: autograph, copyist's manuscript, printed copy. Title inscription. Signature, date. Script(s).—Number of folios. Pagination. Measurements.—Notes in (an) alien hand(s).—Provenance.¹¹—Facsimiles.)

3.(a) Most essential data pertaining to the composition (genesis, first edition, occasionally first performance, etc.).

(b) Comprehensive evaluation of the document.

If a work is available in the Széchényi Library in various settings or versions, there is a common comprehensive analysis of the composition preceding each description of an individual item. In such cases the various documents are presented in section 3.(a) only with data specific to the given setting or version.

4. Description. The contents of this section vary significantly, depending on the amount of information necessary for a discussion of the source. For instance, it can contain a description of the differences between the source and the printed edition; the most relevant corrections in the source which have a bearing on the genesis of the composition; the detailed presentation of a manuscript which is difficult to decipher, thereby supplementing the information given in section 2. If justified, section 4. may be omitted altogether (for example, if the source is available in facsimile in its entirety; if it compares favourably with the known form of the work and does not offer any new insights; if an in-depth analysis has already appeared elsewhere, etc.).

⁹ If there is no remark under the number in the table, the manuscript is listed correctly in the catalogue.

¹⁰ The title is generally given in the form found in Searle's catalogue, occasionally with pertinent additions.

¹¹ Particulars of provenance, such as date of purchase and names, are quoted from the HBn lists of accessions. I have not traced the provenance back to Liszt's time unless there are relevant data available. The word "unknown" in the category of provenance indicates that the music was either listed in the course of checking the stacks or that the list of accessions has been lost.

Group (ii)

1. S.-number, R.-number, call number.—Short title.

2. Philological data of the document. (Description of the publication or manuscript.—Description of the autograph dedication or inscription.—Provenance.)

3. Brief presentation of the relationship between Liszt and the person named in the dedication. Motives and circumstances of the dedication or inscription.

The statement of facts in this group is fairly concise. For a more detailed information, see my study "Liszt Ferenc és magyar kortársai az OSZK dedikált Liszt-zeneműveinek tükrében [Franz Liszt and his Hungarian contemporaries in the light of Liszt's dedicated compositions kept in the National Széchényi Library]", published in the 1973 year-book of the National Széchényi Library.

Group (iii)

1. Call number.—Composer and title of the work. Indication of Liszt's additions.

2. Philological data of the document. (Description of the publication or manuscript.—Description of Liszt's additions.—Provenance.)

3.(a) Most essential data relating to the composer proper and his work.

(b) Comprehensive evaluation of the document.

4. Description: a detailed enumeration of Liszt's additions.

In Groups (i) and (iii) 73 music examples and 19 facsimile pages serve to illustrate the text. In the music examples, taken from Liszt's manuscripts, his abbreviations, such as "bis" or numbers or letters for repeating measures have been written out in full, without any special reference. They are not mentioned in the text, either, unless the circumstances of origin of the manuscript or any other reasons make it necessary (for example, erroneous numbering in the "ossias" of the piano arrangement of the Schwanengesang cycle, p. 173, note 339). Measure numbers have been added to examples of music taken from printed sources throughout.

I offer my sincere thanks to Dr. István Kecskeméti, head of the Music Division of the National Széchényi Library until 1981. It was he who, together with his successors Róbert Murányi and Veronika Vavrinecz, and all the assistants in the collection, helped me in my work in every conceivable way. Grateful acknowledgement is due to Dr. Dezső Legány for supplying me with historical data, and for his guidance in general; to my musical advisers Dr. László Somfai and Imre Sulyok, for making useful suggestions concerning the arrangement of the present book as well as for checking and supplementing the data in it; and last but not least to Rena Mueller (New York), who has given me valuable advice first of all on the English translation, but on contents and formulation as well.

Finally, let me emphasize the informative character of the work. It will be the task of other musicologists to extensively elaborate, analyze, review and include the following material in a coherent manner into the overall achievements of Lisztresearch. Should the publication of data in the present work be of any help to them, it has reached its purpose.

Budapest, January 1983.

TABLES

(i) LISZT'S COMPOSITIONS

Autograph manuscripts, manuscript copies, proof-sheets or printed copies with additions or corrections in Liszt's own hand

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	Additional		Only the first half of the composition	Fragment of a leaf with correction for the vocal soloist's quartet		to the n for the vislaus (S. t used	Final version of the set- No. 8, ting with chorus, written pp. 42–4 to the oratorio <i>Stanis</i> - (togethe <i>laus</i> (S. 688). Based on a 6–7, ge printed copy of the solo mation: setting (S. 16/2)
	Description of the manuscript (title, setting, characteristics)	Christus. Oratorio — S., A., T., Bar., B., chorus, org., orch. — printed score with autograph corrections	Die heilige Cäcilia. Legend — mezzo- Only the first half of the No. 2, soprano, chorus ad lib., orch. — aut. composition pp. 30 score, incomplete	Missa solennis zur Einweihung der Ba- Fragment of a leaf with No. 3, silika in Gran — S., A., T., B., chorus, correction for the vocal pp. 33–34 orch. — autograph fragment	Hungarian Coronation Mass — S., A., T., B., chorus, orch. — manuscript score with autograph title-page and corrections	Psalm cxxix "De profundis". Introduc- Introduction tion — male vv., pf. — autograph, psalm, writte incomplete (?) 688), later not	Psalm cxxix "De profundis" — Bar, male vv., org. — printed score with autograph corrections and additions
	HBn call number	Ms. mus. 3.522	Ms. mus. 5.599	Ms. mus. 5.827	Ms. mus. 3.591	Ms. mus. 5.632	Ms. mus. 6.056
	Raabe's catalogue	4.78 not listed	480 not listed	484 not listed	487 not listed	(492a) not listed	492a not listed
	SNo., information in Searle's catalogue	3 not listed	5 not listed	9 not listed	11 not listed	(16/1) not listed	1/91

16/2, very first version, not listed	492b, very first version, not listed	Ms. mus. 4.809	Psalm exxix "De profundis" — B./A., Earlier than the printed pf./org. — autograph version (1880)		No. 6, pp. 40–41 (together with Nos. 7–8, general information: pp. 39–40)
19 listed: in J. Vallier's private collection	registered in the supplement: in J. Vallier's private collection	Ms. mus. 4.050	Hymne de l'enfant à son rèveil — female vv., harmonium — autograph	Earlier than the printed version (1865), with Italian words, without harp part	No. 9, pp. 44-48
53 not listed	534 listed: "Abschriften (teils Urschriften)"	Ms. mus. 14	Via Crucis — solo vv., chorus, pf. — autograph score and vocal score with some pages in a copyist's hand	Can be performed with- out voices, too. Bound together with S. 583	No. 10, pp. 49–55
listed as part of the Göllerich collec- tion (Linz)	509 listed: in Göllerich's collection	Ms. mus. 7.068/1a-c	In domum Domini ibimus — mixed vv., org., brass, drums — a) autograph vocal score; b) autograph score for instruments except org.; c) manuscript full score with autograph title and corrections	Autograph organ part see under No. 11/2	No. 11/1, pp. 56–59 (together with No. 11/2, general infor- mation: p. 56)
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87 listed: in Dr. Landshoff's collection	87 557/f listed: in Dr. Landshoff's collection collection	Ms. mus. 5.688	Weimars Volkslied — 3 equal vv. — autograph	Identical with the fac- simile edition of Licht & Meyer	No. 14, pp. 68–69
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See in this volume	No. 16, pp. 75–76 (together with No. 17, general information:	No. 18, pp. 84–85	No. 19, pp. 85-86	No. 20, pp. 86-87	No. 21, pp. 88–90 (together with No. 22, general informa- tion: p. 88)	No. 23, pp. 93–95	No. 24, i pp. 96–99	No. 25, pp. 99-100	No. 26, p. 100
Additional remarks	Bars 1–10 of the composition's basic melody (Rakôczi-Song); memorial leaf with Hungarian text	Memorial leaf; on the No. 18, other side Glinka's pp. 84-85 autograph	Corrections to an un- known manuscript	1st version without final No. 20, chorus pp. 86-8	1	T.	Slightly different from the printed version		
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HBn call number	Ms. mus. 1.210	Ms. mus. 264	Ms. mus. 5.600	Ms. mus. 260	Ms. mus. 4.972	Ms. mus. 25	Ms. mús. 24	Ms. mus. 5.035	Ms. mus. 26
RNo., information in Raabe's catalogue	(563) (636, 215, 345)	(415) not listed	421 not listed	425	428 not listed	467/b	2a/1	2a/7 not listed	3a/4 not listed
SNo., information in Searle's catalogue	(93) (340, 544, 626)	(98) not listed	104 not listed	108	111 not listed	132	137/1	137/7 not listed	140/4

158/2 not listed	10b/4 listed erroneously as 10b/5, 2nd version	Ms. mus. 18	Tre sonetti del Petrarca, No. 2: Sonetto Original version No. 47 — pf. — printed copy with autograph corrections	Original version	No. 27, pp. 100–105
164	64/1	Ms. mus. 27	Albumblatt (Feuille d'album) in E — pf. — autograph fragment	Closely related to S. 210 No. 28, (Valse melancolique), pp. 105–106 memorial leaf	No. 28, pp. 105–106
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203 not listed	79 autograph title-page and corrections not listed	Ms. mus. 273	Schlaflos, Frage und Antwort, nocturne — pf. — manuscript copy with auto- graph title-page and corrections		No. 31, pp. 108–109
225/2	45/2 listed erroneously as complete	Ms. mus. 21	Two Csárdás, No. 2. Csárdás obstiné — pf. — autograph	1	No. 32, pp. 109–111
233/a	56/a listed in the supplement: in dr. Frauenberger's collection	Ms. mus. 5.598	Siegesmarsch (Marche triomphale) — pf. — autograph	1	No. 33, pp. 111–112
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RNo., information in Raabe's catalogue	105b/13	106/1 autograph title-page and corrections not listed	106/2 autograph title-page and corrections not listed	106/2	244/15, antecedent of the 2nd version [it is incorrect to list this independent sym. setting of the Rákóczi March, arranged for pf., as 2nd version of the XVth Hungarian Rhapsody.]	106/18 listed in the supplement	106/19 listed in the supplement		632 not listed
SNo., information in Searle's catalogue	242/13 listed	244/1 not listed	244/2 not listed	244/2	antecedent of the 2nd version [ithis independent sym. setting of arranged for pf., as 2nd version garian Rhapsody.]	244/18	244/19	306a	336 not listed

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(635) not listed	640	449/1 not listed	449/2 not listed	449/4 not listed	224/1 not listed	234 not listed	277 autograph corrections not listed
(339) not listed	341	363/1	363/2	363/4	415/1 not listed	422	444 not listed

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Additional	1	Deleted part of a draft		in the same manuscript also the version for org. (S. 671)			Introduction and addition to the autograph in the Hung. State Opera House. Bound together with the arr. for pf. 4 hds., S. 626.
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Description of the copy	Cantico del Sol di San Francesco To Elek Hodoly d'Assisi — Bar., male vv., orch. — Pf. Budapest, March 18 score — Leipzig (1884), Kahnt	Septem sacramenta, responsories. No. To Károly Thern 3. Eucharistia — mixed vv., org./harm. Budapest, Jan. 1879 — Roma (1879), Manganelli	Chöre zu Herders Entfesseltem Pro- To Mrs. Lilla Bulyov-metheus — S., A., 2 T., 2 B., double szky-Szilâgyi — Budachorus, orch. — Pf. score — Leipzig pest, 3 March 1875 (1874), Kahnt	Rheinweinlied. Instrumented by Ká- To Károly Huber roly Huber — male vv., orch. — no place or date manuscript score [1885?]	Hunnenschlacht, sym. poem — orch. To János Végh score — Leipzig [1861], Breitkopf u. Budapest, Feb. 1879 Härtel	Trois odes funèbres, No. 3. Le To Ferenc Erkel - Triomphe funèbre du Tasse — orch. Budapest, Feb. 1878 score — Leipzig [1877], Breitkopf u.	Rakóczi March, sym. setting — ar- To Mrs. Krisz rangement for 2 pf. 4 hds. — Leipzig Festetics-Kubinyi [1871], Schuberth Pest, March 1871
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GROUP (i)

FRANZ LISZT'S COMPOSITIONS

Autograph manuscripts; manuscript copies, proof-sheets or printed copies with additions or corrections in Liszt's own hand

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1. S. 3 (R. 478) Christus, Oratorio. Ms. mus. 3.522

2. Score, first edition, with some corrections in Liszt's hand. The printed title-page¹ bears no autograph notations. Autograph dedication on the verso of the inner endpaper: "Hans Richter,² // in dankbarer Eriñerung seiner meisterhaften // Direction dieses Oratoriums, bei der Fest-Aufführung // in Pest, am Sontag, 9^{ten} November, 1873 // ergebenst // F. Liszt. // 19^{ten} Nov: 73, Pest." (dark brown ink). Autograph corrections: lead pencil.

173 ff. Printed pagination: 2-332. 33.5 × 27 cm.

Notes in a different hand: Vide-indications (brown pencil).

Provenance: unknown.

- 3. (a) The final version of the oratorio *Christus* was completed, after more than five years of work, in 1867. At first only certain parts of it were performed. The score, the piano reduction and the vocal and orchestral parts were printed in 1872 by Schuberth in Leipzig. The entire oratorio was performed in Weimar, under the direction of the composer, for the first time on 29 May 1873.
- (b) A copy of the score published by Schuberth in 1872 and kept in the HBn bears evidence of the Hungarian première of the work. This performance, which was actually the second full rendering of the oratorio, took place in Budapest on 9 November 1873 and was meant to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of Liszt's

1 "Christus // Oratorium // nach Texten aus der heiligen Schrift und der katholischen // Liturgie // für // Soli, Chor, Orgel und grosses Orchester // componirt // von // Franz Liszt. // . . . // LEIPZIG, J. SCHUBERTH C.° . . . " Plate no.: 4934.

² János (Hans) Richter (1843–1916) was an eminent conductor of Hungarian origin who spent most of his life abroad. Between September 1871 and April 1875 he was active in Pest as conductor of the National Theatre and of the Philharmonic Orchestra. During the same period he conducted several works by Liszt: apart from *Christus*, also *Hunnenschlacht*, *Loreley*, the first *Mephisto waltz*, the third *Schubert march*, *Mignon*, the piano concerto in E-flat major, *Mazeppa*, the *Harvesters' chorus* (*Schnitterchor*) from *Prometheus*. The peak of his conductor's career in Pest was the concert given on 10 March 1875 when he took the podium in a concert with Liszt and Wagner. (On the life and work of Richter see the articles by L. Koch and A. Németh. For a fuller description of the copy of the oratorio *Christus* dedicated to Richter and the relationship of Liszt and Richter, see *Eckhardt-L*, pp. 110–114.)

career.³ To give proof of his gratitude, Liszt presented Richter, the conductor of the performance with a dedicated score of the oratorio in a deluxe red, whole-leather binding ten days after the concert. In it he indicated some minor corrections and cuts as well.⁴

4. Apart from the dedication, the score contains the following manuscript additions, some of which may be attributed definitely and some presumably to Liszt:

Following the title-page is a second unnumbered folio, on the recto of which appears the enumeration of the movements with the heading "Inhalt des Oratoriums". The figures marking the 4th movement ("Hirtengesang an der Krippe") and the 7th movement ("Das Gebet: Pater noster") were put in parentheses in black pencil;

p. 10: at the 2nd bar, after the letter F (1st movement, bar 111) Liszt added the word Bis to the top and bottom staves of the score, indicating that he wanted to

have this bar repeated;

p. 29: in bars 5–3, preceding the double line (1st movement, bars 349–351), there is a correction in pencil in the flute part. It is presumably Liszt's handwriting, although the semibreves are not sufficiently characteristic for us to make the claim with absolute certainty;



p. 31: at the letter S (2nd movement, bar 51) there is a fermata above the first crotchet;

³ It was performed by the choir and orchestra of the National Theatre, the Budapest Liszt Society, the Music Lovers' Society of Pest and the Music Academy of Buda. According to a critique (in Athenaeum 1873/46, pp. 2944–2947) the Pest performance of Christus surpassed its première in Weimar. Liszt was extremely satisfied with it and wrote of Richter's unparalleled achievement ten years after the event as follows: "Seine meister-musterhafte Direktion verbleibt mir in bester Erinnerung, seit der 'Christus' Aufführung bei meinem 50-jährigen Künstlerjubiläum in Budapest." (Letter to János Batka, on 16 January 1885. Published by Orel, p. 30). For the detailed description of Liszt's jubilee celebrations in Budapest see the chapter "Egy ország ünnepe" [The Feast of a Nation] in: Legány-L., pp. 165–189.

⁴ On 19 November 1873, the day when Richter received Liszt's present, he was conducting a concert organized by the Music Lovers' Society of Pest in the Vigadó (*Legány-L.*, p. 272). Liszt must have taken this opportunity to present Richter with the score. It is unlikely that Liszt subsequently dedicated the score from which Richter had been conducting at the jubilee concert. On the other hand, Richter may have used this score later, since he conducted *Christus* on several occasions, among others in his last guest performance in Budapest on 8 April 1907 (see Koch, L. "Richter János...", p. 96). This volume has survived, as a matter of fact, in good condition. The only traces of use are on pp. 83–88, which have been

folded over because of a Vide indication.

p. 97: at the beginning of the section with 3 flats as key signature (5th movement, bar 204), the missing natural was added in front of the first note of VI. I in pencil. It is uncertain whether it is Liszt's handwriting or not;

p. 221: at the end of the 5th bar, after the letter D (11th movement, bar 69) Liszt indicated a cut, namely the omission of an interlude for orchestra. The continuation is to be found in the first bar on p. 229 (11th movement, bar 127). The composer entered some minor corrections both in bar 69 and in bar 127. In bar 69 he separated the low string parts which were engraved together: the Violoncell plays legato, arco while the C. B. plays pizzicato. The same applies to the continuation after the cut (Ex. 2) where, for the sake of a smooth transition, Liszt corrected the VI. and VIa parts; 5

Ex. 2



⁵ The "sempre pizz." added to bar 129 (in blue ink) is not definitely in Liszt's hand.

p. 237: in the bar after the entry of the mezzosoprano solo (12th movement, bar 29) there is a remark in pencil at the place where the 2 clarinets enter: "4 Viertel". The importance of this remark is the fact that printed in bar 21 of this movement with a "Molto legato" tempo indication there is the instruction: "(Alla breve taktieren)". The hasty script in pencil stems probably but not definitely from Liszt.⁶

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1. S. 5 (R. 480) Die heilige Cäcilia. Legend.

Ms. mus. 5.599

2. Autograph manuscript. Incomplete: contains only bars 1–156. Title inscription on p. 1: "Sainte Cécile." (dark brown ink). Signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: red-brown and lead pencils. 2 ff. Autograph [?] pagination: *1*–4 (red pencil and lead pencil). 35 × 27 cm. Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing)⁷ in 1972.

3. (a) Liszt completed the legend of St. Cecilia for mezzosoprano solo, mixed chorus *ad libitum*, with orchestral or piano (harmonium or harp) accompaniment to words by Mme Emile de Girardin⁸ in 1874. He prepared the piece for printing in November 1875. The score, piano reduction and choral parts were published by Kahnt of Leipzig in 1876. The piece was originally set to a French text; however, in print it appeared with French, Italian and German texts. On the title-page there is a picture of Stefano Maderna's statue of St. Cecilia. The dedication is to Lajos Haynald, archbishop of Kalocsa. In Hungary the work was first performed about

⁶ The two *Vide* indications in brown pencil that are definitely not in Liszt's hand mark the following cuts: from the letter C on p. 58 to the letter G on p. 62; after the last bar of the 1st stave on p. 82 (5th

movement, bar 54) a cut to the letter F on p. 88.

⁷ Schneider had advertised it as an unknown, early variant of the legend of St. Cecilia. After its acquisition by the HBn, it was determined that the manuscript contained fragments of two different compositions: ff. 1–2 are the beginning of the printed version of the *Legend* whereas on f. 3 there are autograph corrections to the symphonic poem *Hamlet* (S. 104). The latter is included as item No. 19 in the present book, pp. 85–86).

8 According to various sources it appears that Liszt had already been occupied with the musical

setting of this text much earlier. See Raabe II, p. 319 and the Supplement on p. 21.

9 LOM. p. 213.

¹⁰ Score: plate no.: 1900; a copy is kept in the HBn under Mus. pr. 7.279.; piano reduction plate no.: 1901; a copy in the HBn under Mus. pr. 10.852. The reprint of the piano reduction was published in 1971 (Westmead, Gregg). In the piano reduction the name of the poetess, née Delphine Gay, married to *Emile* de Girardin whose name she adopted, was erroneously printed as *Emilie* de Girardin.

¹¹ Liszt made the acquaintance of the Hungarian prelate Lajos Haynald (1816–1891) in 1856, on the occasion of the first performance of *Missa solennis*. During Haynald's stay in Rome (1864–1867) they became close friends which they remained until the end of Liszt's life. They entertained a lively correspondence, met frequently in Budapest, and Liszt was the archbishop's guest in Kalocsa several times. In one of his unpublished letters Liszt characterized his dignified friend and patron as follows:

two and a half years after its première in Weimar, on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of Haynald's enthronement as a bishop on 20 January 1878. 12

- (b) The incomplete autograph score kept in the HBn is essentially the final version of the work. Minor, rather insignificant divergences seem to suggest, however, that the printed version was based not on this (or not only on this) manuscript. The easily legible autograph score, which includes several minor corrections, contains a voice part with French words only. Because of the strikingly different rhythmic solutions, the Italian and German versions each had to be printed on a separate stave.¹³
- 4. The composition is based on a Gregorian melody which Liszt himself emphasized by a remark at the bottom of page 1 of the score: "Die liturgische Antiphona: »Canta[n]tibus organis Caecilia Domino decantabat« bietet diesem // Gesange einen beständigen, gleichsam goldnen Grund." The text printed in the first edition is less poetic but more informative: "Das Hauptmotiv ist dem gregorian. Gesang: Antiphona I. in Festa Sanctae Caeciliae entnommen." (In the same edition Liszt included the notation of the Gregorian melody used.)¹⁴

Differences between the manuscript and the printed version are as follows: bar 69, Vl. II: in all probability the part was erroneously printed. In the autograph manuscript the solution given below seems correct and fits in with the surrounding harmonies (Ex. 3):



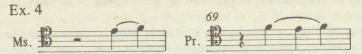
"Son goût pour la musique est chose exceptionelle chez les Evèques; les soins qu'ils donnent à la toison du troupeau les empêchant souvent d'entendre le bêlement des brebis. . . . Depuis une quinzaine d'années M⁸ Hay. me témoigne la plus amicale bienveillance. Je lui suis profondément reconnaissant . . . " (to Emile Ollivier in May 1878. Letter-book of 1877/78, HBn, ff. 148*–149*.)

12 The concert was organized by the Budapest Liszt Society for which Haynald acted as president. (For details of the activities of this choral society, which was devoted mainly to the performance of Liszt's works and existed between 1870 and the mid-1880s, see *Eckhardt-Lk*, pp. 128–129). In the concert Liszt played the piano accompaniment to the legend of St. Cecilia (see Sebestyén, E. *Liszt Ferenc*..., p. 162). The première in Weimar was given at the memorial service for Marie Moukhanoff-Kalergis on 17 June 1875.

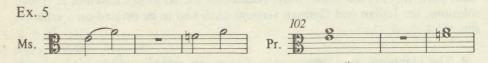
13 HBl holds a copy of the mezzosoprano part with text in three languages, with Liszt's title inscription and printing instructions (call number: Ms. mus. L. 4). The autograph manuscript of the mezzosoprano solo part and additional autograph sketches to the work are to be found in the Germanisches National-Museum in Nurenberg (see Gottwald, p. 172). For printing purposes, a copy of the score may also have been made. The numbers in red pencil entered into the score (presumably by Liszt) under the first bar of each staff may have been intended for the orientation of the copyist. They indicate the number of lines necessary for the given staff (in keeping with the variable setting). The autograph manuscript mentioned in Searle's catalogue is a sketch to a completely different Sancta Caecilia written by Liszt for alto voice with organ or harmonium accompaniment to Latin words. Its music is not identical with the antiphon to Cecilia entitled Cantantibus organis (S. 7) either, though their texts partly coincide.

14 Liszt used the text of the same antiphon, though not the melody, in the previously mentioned work Cantantibus organis (antiphon for the feast of St. Cecilia) written for alto solo, chorus and orchestra.

bar 69, Vlc.:

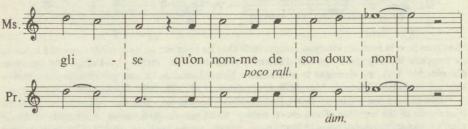


bars 102 and 104, Vla:



bars 115, 119, 122, mezzosoprano solo:





bar 154, VI. II and Vla, the quaver at the beginning of the bar:



In several instances notational deviations are found, such as the 3 flats, which appear after the section with no key signature in bar 129 in the manuscript, and in bar 127 in the printed version. (In bars 127-128 of the manuscript Liszt wrote out the accidentals in each case separately.) Frequently, certain notes in the manuscript are printed with their enharmonic counterparts.

Differences include minor rhythmic changes too. In addition, there are far more tempo indications and performing instructions in the printed copy than in the manuscript. However, the fermata above the rest at the end of bar 86 and the con grazia instruction in bars 87-88 of the mezzosoprano solo part ("avec elle on

mit...") did not appear in print.

The autograph manuscript ends at bar 156. (Note that this is before the entrance of the chorus.) The "Vide 12 Takte" inserted by Liszt to replace the 3 bars deleted from bar 22 onwards in the manuscript and supposed to be identical with bars 22-23 of the printed version¹⁵ must have been entered into the missing part of the manuscript.

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1. S. 9 (R. 484) Missa solennis zur Einweihung der Basilika in Gran. 16 Ms. mus. 5.827

2. Autograph fragment, corrections to the Gloria movement, 6 bars. Title inscription, signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. The bars were numbered in blue pencil.

1 f. No pagination. Supplement to an unidentified manuscript. In place of the title inscription appears: "Solo Stimen zu den Seiten 27, 28 (angefange[n...)]" (dark

brown ink). 17 5 × 7.5 cm.

Provenance: once in the possession of Mrs. Katalin Árkövy (née Hodoly)18; purchased from István Gáldi (Budapest) in 1961.

3. (a) Commissioned by the Hungarian bishop János Scitovszky, Liszt wrote his Missa solennis in 1855. Its première on 31 August 1856 in Esztergom (Gran) was

16 In Searle's revised catalogue the title of the work is given as Missa solemnis. As a matter of fact, Liszt used solennis, a form equally correct in Latin and for this reason it has also been retained here.

17 The ending of the word (and perhaps other words, too) is missing because the manuscript was

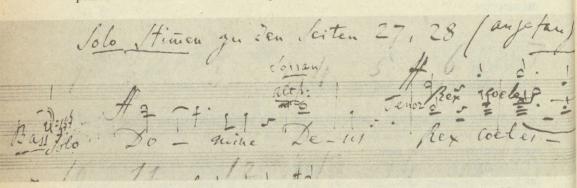
18 Mrs. Katalin Árkövy, née Hodoly (1851-1941) was a Hungarian pupil of Liszt. Apart from a fragment of the Missa solennis, the HBn purchased other Liszt documents as well from her estate, including a printed calling-card, an envelope Liszt addressed to her, and a printed copy of Liszt's Verdi transcriptions with dedication in the composer's hand. In connection with the latter more information on Mrs. Árkövy will be given in the discussion of Group (ii), No. 72 (pp. 199-200).

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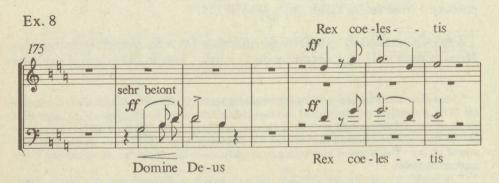
¹⁵ In the first draft Liszt omitted the second stanza of Mme. Girardin's poem. After the first stanza, in bar 23 he changed the key signature of two flats to four flats, which held throughout the entire third stanza. In the final version there is a second stanza as well: bars 23-31 of the work, with three sharps as key signature. The third stanza is identical with that in the manuscript; it is, however, given with five flats instead of four. This is simply a difference in notation, since the accidentals are written out at the appropriate places.

preceded by many difficulties.¹⁹ The first edition of the score (which is a piano reduction at the same time) appeared in 1859.²⁰

- (b) The fragment in the HBn was originally meant as a correction or supplement to some manuscript of the work which is no longer extant, a fact that is born out not only by the reference to pagination superceding the title but also by Liszt's numbering of the bars from 1 to 6.—This tiny proof-leaf was clipped at the bottom and the right side, so that no more than some 6 bars are left over. The fragment is the beginning of a section without key signature, from about the middle of the Gloria. It corresponds roughly to the section starting with bar 175 in the printed score, although with some deviations.
- 4. Differences between the analogous bars in the manuscript fragment and the printed edition can be examined by means of collating Facsimile 1 and Example 8.



Facs. 1: Missa solennis zur Einweihung der Basilika in Gran, autograph leaf with correction. Ms. mus. 5.827.



¹⁹ The well-known facts of the genesis and first performance will not be treated here. The collection of letters compiled and edited by Prahács is particularly rich in data and commentaries on this material (see the *Index* in *Pr.*, p. 474).

²⁰ The music was printed at the expense of the imperial court. The publisher's imprint is: "Viennae Austriacorum, Typis Caes. Reg. Status Officinae". Without plate number. One copy is kept in HBa(mi) under IV. 5983.

Hungarian Coronation Mass

Liszt wrote this mass for the coronation of Emperor Franz Josef of Austria and his wife, Empress Elisabeth, as King and Queen of Hungary. The coronation was held in the Mathias Church of Buda Castle on 8 June 1867; Liszt's mass was performed as part of the coronation ceremony.

In composing this piece Liszt paid heed to the requirements of the occasion. As he himself stated, the mass was short and easy; it was characterized by a blend of church and Hungarian national idioms.21 Owing to political factors, Hungarian musicians had carried on a strenuous fight until they were successful in having this work performed at the coronation, not the mass written by the choirmaster of the Hofkapelle of Vienna.22

At its première the mass consisted of six movements only. Liszt subsequently composed the Offertorium, after the first performance, and the Gradual as late as 1869.23 Later he made several arrangements of the Benedictus and Offertorium

movements.24

The score of the Hungarian Coronation Mass was first published in 1869 by Schuberth in Leipzig.25

1. S. 11 (R. 487) Hungarian Coronation Mass. Ms. mus. 3.591

2. Manuscript copy; score and piano reduction placed below it, with an autograph title-page and some corrections. On the title-page (f. 1^r) the autograph title and signature (presumably "F. Liszt") have been scratched out, only the autograph date of the first performance: "8 Juny 1867." has remained (dark brown ink). No place is given. Script of the copyist, J. N. Halács: 26 dark brown ink. Autograph corrections: blue pencil and dark brown ink.

21 Br. a. A., No. 47.

²³ Raabe II, pp. 321-322.

²⁵ Plate no.: 1803. A copy is kept in the HBn under Mus. pr. 7282.

²² Kornél Ábrányi senior (1822–1903), who witnessed the events, described them in his book A magyar zene a 19-ik században and devoted a whole chapter to this subject (pp. 338-343). He outlined the activities of the eight-member committee (Antal Augusz, Mátyás Engeszer, Ferenc Erkel, Károly Huber, Mihály Mosonyi, Ede Reményi, Pál Rosti, and Ábrányi himself) which "had set itself the target to move heaven and earth to prevent Hungarian art from suffering such an afflicting slight on the occasion of the coronation of the King of Hungary."

²⁴ Benedictus + Offertorium: pf. (S. 501), pf. 4 hds. (S. 581), vn.-org. (S. 678), vn.-pf. (S. 381). Only Benedictus, vn.-orch. (S. 362). Only Offertorium, org., harm. or pedal pf. (S. 667).

²⁶ The copyist put his signature on the double line in the stave of the piano reduction at the end of the work. Information on the life of the Hungarian composer János (Nepomuk) Halács (1838-19??) can be found in Ságh's Magyar Zenészeti Lexicon (p. 142). Halács, a musician who played several instruments,

40 ff. Pagination 1-79 (dark brown ink) from the copyist.²⁷ 38 × 27.5 cm. Notes in an unknown hand: performing instructions and dynamic marks (red pencil).28

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MESSE // von // FRANZ LISZT.

Provenance: unknown.

- 3. (a) From the evidence given in the memoirs of Ábrányi, two complete copies of the score of the Hungarian Coronation Mass were produced before the première in Buda. "Mosonyi, who was the most familiar with and infallible in reading Liszt's manuscript was to face the task of copying the manuscript in duplicate as soon as it arrived from Rome." At the end of May 1867 "the composer was presented with two fair copies of the score and parts which had been made earlier so that he could immediately meet the official request of the Court; otherwise he would certainly have been eliminated from the program owing to lack of time."29
- (b) According to Raabe, the copy of the score used at the première was preserved in the Wiener Hofkapelle. This copy is, however, not extant, 30 but on the authority of Ábrányi it would appear that it was Mosonyi's copy prepared from Liszt's autograph. The copy by Halács kept in the HBn, containing the same six movements performed at the première, is most likely the second score made in Pest. Halács must have made his clean copy of a fair manuscript (possibly of Mosonyi's copy), since in his neat, precise work only occasional corrections can be found. The score is in fairly good repair, and only notes in red pencil-not in Liszt's handsuggest that it was actually used. Mosonyi's copy may have been the conductor's score while the copy made by Halács may have served as the basis for writing out parts.31
 - 4. Liszt's corrections:
 - p. 3, bar 3 and p. 4, bar 1: in the 2 trumpets and the 2 tenor trombones parts the

was living in Pest from 1863 on, where he studied with Károly Thern and Viktor Feigler. The majority of his compositions were first performed by the ensemble of the Music Academy of Buda. The music collection of this institution was later transferred to the HBn, where several of Halács's original manuscripts, i.e. the lithographic sets of parts of his works, and, among others, the autograph score of his Rózsadal (Ms. mus. 4.301) written "for the centenary of Franz Liszt's birth (for the 22nd October 1911)" are also kept.

²⁷ The title-page bears no number.

²⁸ These notes substitute for the indications above the topmost stave of the score if they are missing in the vocal parts.

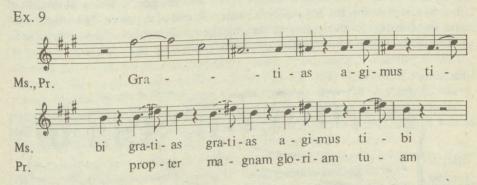
²⁹ Ábrányi-MZ pp. 340-341. It was only at the end of May that the Court decided to commission Liszt to write a mass, following a written request of Hungarian musicians addressed to the Empress Elisabeth. The composer was, however, not invited to attend the rehearsals or the première.

³⁰ The music holdings of the Wiener Hofkapelle are now in the AWn. Dr. Dezső Legány tried unsuccessfully to locate the copy in 1976.

^{31 &}quot;...once a copy was made, one had to arrange to have the instrumental and vocal parts copied so that-should the disposition of the highest imperial circles take a favourable turn-the Wiener Hofkapelle could not come forward with the objection that the wearisome and long work of copying was impossible to carry out due to shortness of time." in: Ábrányi-MZ, p. 340.

minor rhythmic amendment and the indication "Solo" (in brown ink) may be Liszt's;

p. 25, bars 2-8: Liszt entered the following text in blue pencil: "»propter magnam gloriam tuam«! (vergessen)", adding the four words which had been omitted from the text of the Gloria. Whether the composer himself forgot them or the omission resulted from an error of the copyist, cannot be determined. Liszt inserted the missing words at the second "gratias agimus tibi" (Ex. 9), and this passage was already printed with the correct text in the first edition of the score.



All other later additions to the score—few in number—are definitely not in Liszt's hand. The correction of this textual error seems, however, to suggest that Liszt thoroughly examined the copy before authenticating it with the autograph title inscription, his signature and the date.

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1. S. 501 (R. 192/1) Benedictus from the Hungarian Coronation Mass. For pf. Ms. mus. 276

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on f. 1r: "Benedictus — FLiszt." (blue pencil). Signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Additions and corrections: light brown ink, red pencil and blue pencil.

2 ff. 32 No pagination. 33.5×24.5 cm.

Provenance: purchased from Jacques Rosenthal (Munich) in 1911.

3. (a) The piano arrangement of the two movements-Offertorium and Benedictus—of the Hungarian Coronation Mass had been ready for the printer by the autumn of 1867.33 Nevertheless, it was only published by Schuberth of Leipzig in 1871.34

³² F. 2r is blank.

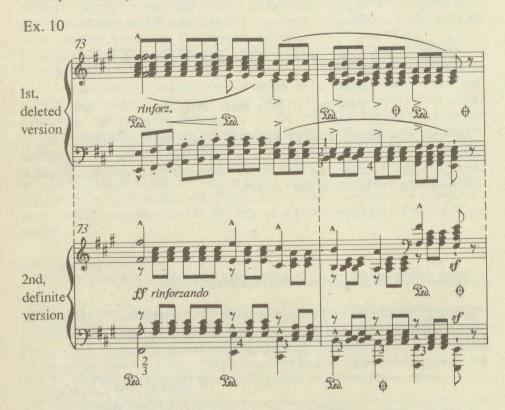
³³ Br. II, No. 60.

³⁴ Plate no.: 4840. One copy is in the HBn under ZR 488.

(b) The autograph manuscript in the possession of the HBn varies from the first edition in several minor details. It is unlikely that this autograph manuscript served as the engraver's copy since an extra copy had been made for that purpose.³⁵

4. There are no divergences between the HBn autograph and the printed edition in musical content. On the whole, the print is more abundantly supplied with fingerings, dynamic markings and performing instructions than the autograph manuscript which is, as a matter of fact, worked out in substantial detail.

In the autograph manuscript there are two major amendments in the composer's hand: Liszt crossed out bars 73–74 and 77–78 with red pencil. The final version of these bars is placed at the bottom of f. 2^r after the end of the piece. The amendment aims in both (analogous) cases at making the principal notes, the succession of which produces a pentatonic passage, more prominent (Ex. 10).



³⁵ The copy is to be found at the DWRgs in Weimar. The autograph manuscript and the engraver's copy of the Offertorium are also there (Raabe II, p. 277).

Psalm exxix (De profundis)

Liszt's Psalm cxxix, "De profundis" is extant in two vocal settings: bass or alto solo with piano or organ accompaniment (S. 16/2) and bass solo and male voices with organ accompaniment (S. 16/1). Both settings were written in the 1880s; thus De profundis represents Liszt's latest psalm setting.

The musical textures of the two settings are closely related, but not completely identical. Manuscript sources, the plate numbers of the printed editions and remarks in Liszt's correspondence relating to the work confirm that, contrary to the sequence given in the work-lists, the solo setting was written earlier. Liszt subsequently made the choral arrangement with the intention of inserting it into the oratorio Die Legende vom heiligen Stanislaus (S. 688). Liszt had meant this composition to be the Polish counterpart of Die Legende von der heiligen Elisabeth, a piece connected with Hungary.36 He worked on it, with varying intensity, from 1869 up to his death, mainly to please Carolyne Sayn-Wittgenstein, who was of Polish origin. The oratorio remained, nevertheless, fragmentary.³⁷

De profundis was to be the penultimate number of the oratorio, followed by Salve Polonia, the final chorus written earlier as a separate composition.38

Both settings of Psalm cxxix have survived in several autograph manuscripts and manuscript copies supervised by Liszt himself. They are kept at the DWRgs in Weimar, at the LC in Washington and in the HBn in Budapest. Psalm cxxix was published by C. F. Kahnt in Leipzig during Liszt's lifetime; the solo setting was printed in 1883 in 2 separate editions for bass and alto.39 The choral version appeared probably in 1886 as a supplement to the Neue Zeitschrift für Musik and also as a separate number.40

The various manuscripts and printed editions of the psalm have been collated

³⁷ Data referring to the oratorio are found in: Raabe II, p. 30; in the correspondence of Liszt and Marie Hohenlohe (*LMSW*, Nos. 108, 116, 130–131, 154–155, 157, 171–176, 179, 192–193, 195–198, 205); in: Göllerich, pp. 173-175, and in: Ramann-Lisztiana.

³⁸ Salve Polonia was originally conceived as an independent work for orchestra (S. 113); it was printed and performed in this form. The reduction for piano, two hands and four hands also appeared in print (S. 518 and 604). Cf. No. 58 of the present volume.

³⁹ These two editions differ only in the keys of the vocal part; the music is, however, identical (except for some notes in the final bars of the vocal parts). "Ausgabe für Bass", plate no.: 2592 is available in one copy in: HBl under 3745 with bluish-grey cover. "Ausgabe für Alt", plate no.: 2593; one copy is in: HBl under 3746 with green cover.

⁴⁰ In the catalogues, the precise date of this edition is missing. According to an unpublished letter by Göllerich, Liszt handed over the manuscript to Kahnt on 13 June 1886 (see Jerger, p. 294). Jerger's comment that this setting did, after all, not appear in print is mistaken. The plate number (2764) and the publisher's imprint ("C. F. Kahnts Nachfolger") support the assumption that the music must have been published in about 1886. The same plates must have been used for printing the NZM supplement (one copy in DWRz; old signature Dr. C 21*) and the separate edition (one copy in: HBl under 17.598). The only differences are in the title-pages and the following additional information on the separate edition: tempo indication at the beginning, the publisher's name at the bottom of the first page of music and the name of the printing house on the last page.

and analyzed by the present writer in a study published in SM.⁴¹ In that article an attempt was made to describe compositional changes and thus have an insight into the master's workshop. Consequently, the three manuscripts kept in the HBn will only be discussed in brief below.

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1. S. 16/2 (R. 492b), first version

Psalm exxix "De profundis". For B or deep A and pf. or org.

Ms.mus. 4.809

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "De profundis clamavi. // (Psalm 129.)" (dark brown ink). Signature on p. 6: "F. Liszt // Decembre 80 // (Villa d'Este" (dark brown ink). Script: dark brown and black ink. Corrections: blue and red pencils.

3 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-6 (blue pencil).42 33 × 24 cm.

Notes in an unknown hand (on p. 1): "(édité chez Kahnt)" (black pencil) and "comp. nov. 1881" (blue ball-point pen).

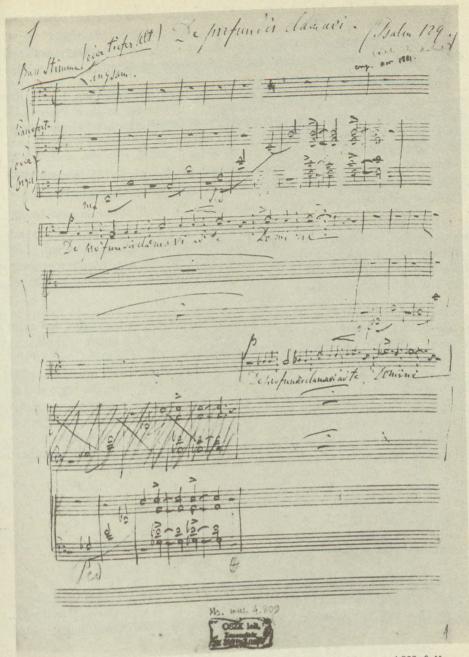
Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Stargardt (Marburg) in 1970.

- 3. (a) Based on evidence from Liszt's letters, the date of composition of the solo setting of *Psalm cxxix* was established as November 1881.⁴³ In his letter the composer must be referring to the final version of the solo setting which appeared in print later.
- (b) The manuscript in HBn is from a year earlier: the date, December 1880 is clearly legible. This manuscript must be the first draft and the very first version of the psalm. It is a finished composition which must have been meticulously revised and reworked before the finishing touches were added (as passages pasted over and revealed during restoration demonstrate). The manuscript varies from the 1883 printed form in several places: in certain instrumental passages, in some melodic and rhythmic solutions in the vocal part and, most of all, in the coda. These notwithstanding, it contains almost all essential elements of the published version.
- 4. In the study published in SM I have collated this first version with the other variants of the solo setting. In the Appendix to the same study the complete musical text of the earlier unpublished manuscript was given. Below is a facsimile of its first page (Facsimile 2).

⁴¹ Eckhardt, M. "Ein Spätwerk von Liszt: der 129. Psalm".

⁴² Passages pasted over and detached during restoration include papers measuring 21×22 cm on f. 1° , 22.5×23.5 cm on f. 2° and 22×22.5 cm on f. 3° . The corresponding library page numbering in pencil is 1–12.

⁴³ Br. VII, No. 354.



Facs. 2: Psalm cxxix, first version (1880), autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 4.809, f. 1^r.

1. (S. 16/1) (R. 492a)

Ms. mus. 5.632

Psalm cxxix "De profundis". Introduction. For male vv and pf.

2. Autograph manuscript, incomplete (?). Title inscription on f. 1^r: "De profundis // (Stanislas) // Schluss Nummer // Einleitung zu dem Psalm »De profundis« (gedruckt)" (black ink). Signature, place and date are missing. Script: black ink. Corrections: blue pencil.

2 ff. 44 Not numbered. 34.5 × 27 cm.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Stargardt (Marburg) in 1974. Facsimile: the complete work *in*: Eckhardt, M.: Ein Spätwerk von Liszt; der 129. Psalm, pp. 331–333.

- 3. (a) It was at the turn of 1882/1883 that Liszt decided to insert Psalm cxxix into the oratorio *St. Stanislaus*. ⁴⁵ Chronicles report that king Boleslaus, the villain of the work and known murderer of the bishop, retired to a convent to do penance there. Liszt had him sing the words of the penitential psalm, while his fellow monks are represented by the male chorus.
- (b) From the evidence in the manuscript in the HBn, we may infer that Liszt originally had wanted to use the earlier solo setting of the psalm without any alteration and only composed a choral introduction to it. The manuscript of this introduction is obviously a draft, with corrections and cancellations. Its last page seems to be unfinished, yet musically it would fit in perfectly with the beginning of the psalm. It is impossible for us to tell whether the introduction in the manuscript is complete or fragmentary. However, Liszt never used the somewhat theatrical music of the instrumental part of the introduction again. On the other hand, the choir's recitation on one single tone, already manifest in this manuscript, is a prominent compositional feature in the final draft of the choral setting as well.

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1. S. 16/1 (R. 492a)

Ms. mus. 6.056

Psalm cxxix. De profundis. For bar., male vv and org.

2. Autograph manuscript, supplement to a printed copy of the solo setting.⁴⁶ Title inscriptions include: f. 1^r: a printed title page; f. 2^r: "De p[rofundis]" (red ink); f. 4^r: Schluss des Oratoriums = // »S^t Stanislas«." (black ink), beside it the printed

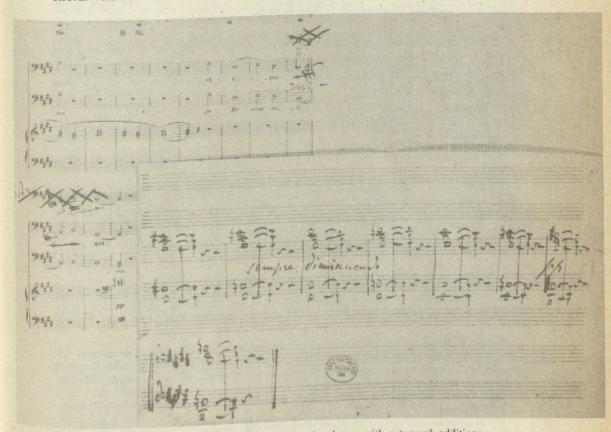
⁴⁴ F. 2' is blank; it contains only a later addition in pencil: "Manuskript v. Franz Liszt".

⁴⁵ Liszt put off completing the oratorio because of difficulties with the libretto and objections made by Carolyne Sayn-Wittgenstein who was not contented with the text, either. At the end of 1882 and the beginning of 1883 Marie Hohenlohe, who had been in correspondence with Liszt in the matter of the libretto, presented him with additional data on the subject (see *Ramann-Lisztiana*, p. 322).

⁴⁶ This copy is the "Ausgabe für Bass" (see the note 39 on p. 39.).

title: "PSALM 129. // 'De profundis'." Signature, place and date are missing. Script: black ink. Additions and corrections: blue and red pencils. 9 ff. Printed page numberings: 3–11. At the autograph insertions (ff. 1^v, 2^r–3^v, 7^{r–v}) references are made to the printed page numbers. 37 × 27 cm.⁴⁷ Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Stargardt (Marburg) in 1975. Earlier it had been in the possession of August Göllerich.^{47a}

- 3. (a) In order to incorporate Psalm cxxix into the oratorio St. Stanislas, Liszt constructed a new setting with choral passages and solo parts to be sung by soloists of the choir not only in the introduction but also at several other points in the composition.
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn is almost completely identical with the printed choral version of the Psalm. The only significant difference is the length of the



Facs. 3: Psalm cxxix, 2nd version with choir, printed copy with autograph additions.

Ms. mus. 6.056, f. 9^r.

late years.

⁴⁷ These figures represent the largest measurements of the document, including the insertions and pasted-over passages as well. The printed copy on which it was based measured 31.5 × 23.5 cm. pasted-over passages as well. The printed copy on which it was based measured 31.5 × 23.5 cm. pasted-over passages as well. The printed copy on which it was based measured 31.5 × 23.5 cm. pasted-over passages as well. The printed copy on which it was based measured 31.5 × 23.5 cm. pasted-over passages as well. The printed copy on which it was based measured 31.5 × 23.5 cm.

introduction: in the manuscript it is twice as long as that found in the printed version.⁴⁸

4. In the study in SM I have analyzed the music of the choral setting of the Psalm and touched on the principal phases of development and refinement as well as describing the composer's abandoned attempts at an introduction. Therefore, I restrict myself here to presenting the last page (f. 9') of the document on *Facsimile 3* (on p. 32). This is the printed page 11, with corrections and a manuscript passage, pasted over the last 6 bars, measuring 14×24.5 cm and containing the new conclusion of the psalm. 48a

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1. S. 19 (R. 508)

Ms. mus. 4.050

Hymne de l'enfant à son réveil. Italian version.

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "Hymne de l'enfant à son reveil. // (Harmonies religieuses et poétiques de Lamartine)" (dark brown ink). Signature on p. 11: "F. Liszt // Janvier 65—" (dark brown ink). Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: lead pencil.

6 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-11 (red pencil). 49 35 × 27 cm.

Bound in blue cloth. Pasted on the inner page of the binding is a photograph of Liszt from 1866. 50

Provenance: purchased from Richard Macnutt Ltd. (Tunbridge Wells, Kent) in 1966.51

Facsimile: pp. 1, 3, 11 and Liszt's photograph *in:* Kecskeméti, I.: Die Eigenschrift der italienischen Fassung der "Hymne de l'enfant" von F. Liszt, pp. 337, 339, 343 and 344.—Pp. 1, 3 and the photograph *in:* Kecskeméti, I.: Liszt Ferenc "Hymne de l'enfant" c. művének olasz autográf változata [The Italian Autograph Version of Franz Liszt's "Hymne de l'enfant"], pp. 299 and 303.

- 3. (a) Liszt had been working on this chorus for female voices based on Lamartine's poem for several decades before it was published. The first draft may date back to the mid-forties. 52 It is not known whether the incomplete French
- ⁴⁸ In all earlier versions the introduction occurred in direct succession, transposed by a minim at the second time. Owing to the increased size of the introduction of the choral setting and its enhanced importance, Liszt chose an opening a minim higher in the printed, finalized form of the work. In the HBn manuscript there is no trace of this shortening.
 - ^{48a} On its verso, the beginning of *Salve Polonia*, last number of the oratorio *Stanislaus* can be seen. ⁴⁹ F. 6^v is blank.
- ⁵⁰ The measurements are 32×25 cm. In the bottom right-hand corner there is a reproduction in facsimile of the photographer's signature: "Erwin Hanfstaengl // Paris 1866." It shows Liszt in his *abbé* vestments. For the reproduction and a full description of the photograph see the articles by I. Kecskeméti mentioned in the section "Facsimile".
- ⁵¹ The manuscript is probably identical to the copy which was, according to Searle, in the private collection of John Vallier (London).
- ⁵² In a letter asking Peter Cornelius to make the German translation of the text, Liszt wrote in 1874: "Vor Jahren sang ich im Innersten diese Hymne an meine drei Kinder: Sie erinnern sich ihrer..." (Br. II,

autograph⁵³ containing the last 72 bars of the work originate in this period or later. i.e. the beginning of the sixties. Liszt must have reworked the latter manuscript which accounts for the existence of a complete autograph manuscript with French text, dated 1862.54 The idea of making an arrangement of the work in Italian must date from Liszt's Roman days, beginning at about the same time. A manuscript copy of the entire composition55 survives, too, based probably on the undated. incomplete French autograph. An unknown person later attempted to include an Italian text into this copyist's manuscript, but the translation was incomplete. unsuited to the music and lacked the poetic quality. Liszt tried to correct it: nevertheless, many of the above problems have not been resolved. In 1865 Liszt prepared a new autograph of the complete Italian version, and this is Ms. mus. 4.050 of HBn. This version differs from the former Italian copy in several details. such as the adaptation of the text, and sometimes even in the music itself. Nevertheless, the above-named manuscript copy with the imperfect Italian text evidently served as the example for the HBn autograph. The three-part women's choir was accompanied by only one instrumental part, harmonium or piano in all

The composition received its final form in 1874.56 In the course of rearranging it. Liszt gave greater emphasis to the instrumental accompaniment: he composed an ad libitum harp part, in addition to the other accompaniment. The autograph manuscript of this harp part has survived.57 However, the whereabouts of the manuscript of the revised score are unknown.—The final version, dedicated to the Budapest Liszt Society, was printed in 1875 by Táborszky and Parsch in Budapest with French, German and Hungarian texts. 58

(b) As stated above, the 1865 autograph manuscript with Italian text survives in the HBn. It is clear that Liszt was dissatisfied with the translation, a fact born out by the following remarks in the manuscript: p. 3, above bars 25-28 appears: "NB (pour ces 10 mesures il faudrait quatre ou six // Vers plus conformes au texte original)"; p. 5, above bars 50-54: "(NB Pour ces // seize mesures, il faudrait d'autres vers plus conformes au texte original!)"; p. 9, above bars 102-107: "(Ici aussi il vaudrait mieux trouver d'autres vers! et réserver ceux-ci pour le Solo qui suit.)" The Italian translation contains several repetitions, but some important verses of Lamartine's poem are completely missing. 59

No. 148). A piano version of the same piece was published as No. 6 of Harmonies poétiques et religieuses (S. 173, R. 14) as early as 1853.

⁵³ DWRgs Ms. C 13.

⁵⁴ DWRgs Ms. C 20. 55 DWRgs Ms. S 14.

⁵⁶ LOM, p. 124.

⁵⁷ DWRgs Ms. S 14a.

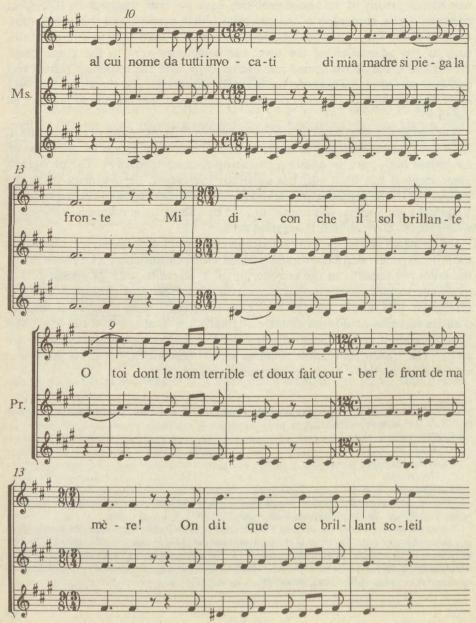
⁵⁸ Score, parts, accompaniment for harmonium or piano and harp were published. Plate no. of the score: T. & P. 522. One copy is in the HBn under Z. 32.287.

⁵⁹ For the comparison of the original French poem and its Italian translation see Kecskeméti's articles mentioned earlier. The script of the anonymous writer of the Italian text only appears in the text adaptation in the manuscript at Weimar, Ms. S 14. The unknown translator wrote 6 stanzas of his translation on a separate folio which forms, together with a pen-and-ink caricature in an unidentified hand, appendices b-c of the same manuscript.

4. The structure of the Italian version does not differ significantly from the trilingual printed form. The length of certain sections is, however, not entirely the same, but the form at large is unchanged. In particular, the interludes are lengthened in the final version.

Minor rhythmic and melodic divergences in the vocal parts are mainly due to text-related problems. Conforming to the requirements of prosody, Liszt changed the time signatures frequently, shifting them from one place to another. A representative example is shown on *Example 11*.

Ex. 11



The example also shows that the lowest voice of the harmony, i.e. the alto part, is different in some instances in the manuscript and the printed versions. Moreover, in the Italian manuscript version there is no example of *divisi* in the alto part, which can be found in bars 17 and 21 of the printed version.

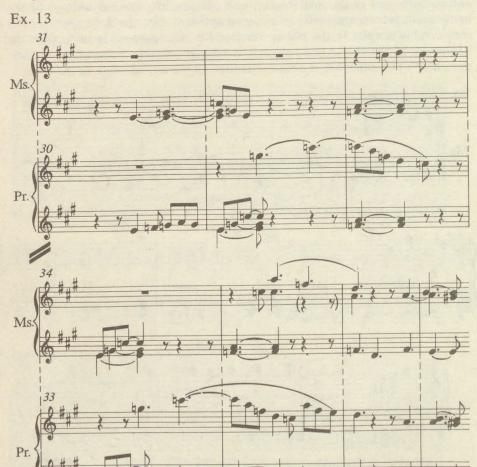
Divergences in the accompaniment are more substantial. If we disregard the ad libitum harp part of the final version and compare the musical textures of the harmonium accompaniments, it becomes apparent that the accompaniment is considerably simpler in the Italian version. Its main purpose is to support the harmonies of the chorus and, as such, it seldom contains independent melodic elements. 60 The difference is already manifest in the introduction of the piece.



⁶⁰ Kecskeméti supposes that in the haste imposed by a specific performance, Liszt did not work out in full the accompaniment in the Italian version. In our view, this seems to be unlikely, as the accompaniment is similar in all manuscripts of the late sixties.

While the introduction of the Italian version consists only of the alternation of two broken chords, that of the final version forecasts the opening melody of the chorus.

In another typical section of the accompaniment shown below, the corresponding bars are harmonically identical, but the harmonium part enjoys a much greater independence in the final printed version.



The instrumental accompaniment comes most strikingly into prominence at the beginning of the section in 4/4 (bar 81 of the printed edition). Here the interlude was expanded from 2 to 6 bars, emphasizing the appearance of the new section. The postlude was augmented from a single chord to 6 bars.

1. S. 53, 583 (R. 534, 339) Via Crucis. Ms. mus. 14

2. Autograph manuscript with some pages in a copyist's hand (ff. 14^{r-v}, 34^r).

(a) ff. 1^v-18^v: score for soli, mixed voices with piano accompaniment, or for piano solo. Title inscription on f. 2^r: "Via crucis" (red pencil). Signature on f. 18^v is: "Decembre // 78 FL." (heliotrope ink).

(b) ff. 20^r-24^v: vocal score. Title inscription on f. 20^r (in black ink): "Canto." Dedication: "(Für den Regens Chori — // Engesser)" (heliotrope ink). Signature

on f. 24v: "FL." (heliotrope ink).

(c) ff. 25^v-49^r: piano score for four hands. Title inscription on f. 25^v: "Via Crucis

// Pianoforte à 4 mains" (blue pencil). Without signature. 62

Script: black ink. Additions: heliotrope ink. Corrections: red and blue pencils. 49 ff. 63 Autograph pagination:

(a) 1-4, I-XXI (red and blue pencils);

(b) 1-9 (blue pencil);

(c) 1–28 (red and blue pencil, black ink). The autograph pagination is not always continuous, 24.5 × 32 cm. ⁶⁴

Notes in an unknown hand on f. 1^r include: erroneous title inscriptions, 65 indication of provenance (black ink and black pencil).

Provenance: "A Liszt-hagyatékból a régiségtár útján került a Mus. Kéziratgyűjteményébe." [The Manuscript Collection of the Museum received it from Liszt's estate through the department of antiquities.]⁶⁶

Facsimile: f. 9r in: NLE I/10, p. XX.

⁶¹ Mátyás Engeszer (Engesser, Engesszer) (1812–1885), choirmaster and composer, was a dedicated follower of Liszt. It was he who, together with his wife (the singer Katalin Marsch), founded the Budapest Liszt Society in 1870. Engeszer was choirmaster and organist of the City Parish Church and of the Church of the Franciscan Monks in Pest and performed several of Liszt's works in these churches. For unknown reasons *Via Crucis* was, however, not performed. The première given in the City Parish Church of Pest in 1929 was conducted by one of Engeszer's successors, Arthur Harmat.

 62 Instead of a signature, the letters L. D [Laus Deo] were placed after the concluding bar. The same

mark occurs on f. 3', at the conclusion of the first movement of the score.

⁶³ The library's stamped foliation was carried out before restoration. The separated pasted-over passages were not renumbered. Therefore, in the present discussion, reference is made to the foliation before restoration.

⁶⁴ These measurements represent the mean dimensions of the volume, from which there are considerable deviations. The most representative sizes are 22 × 30 cm, on paper of a light shade of different quality (ff. 4, 30, 33, 37 and 39) and 32.5 × 24 cm, folded (ff. 45–48). Space does not permit the enumeration of the other—individual—differences and the measurements of the pasted-over passages.

⁶⁵ In ink: "Liszt Ferencz: Krisztus Oratoriuma. (Vegyes karra, Orgona kísérettel.)" [Franz Liszt's Oratorio Christus. (For mixed voices with organ accompaniment.)] Corrected in pencil to: "Passiovázlata. Hans Pohl frankfurti zeneigazgató szerint a 'Christus' vázlata." [His "draft of the Passion. According to Hans Pohl, music director of Frankfort, the draft of 'Christus' ".]

⁶⁶ This refers to Liszt's estate in the HBl. It is not known when and why this manuscript was transferred to the HBn, while its counterpart, a principally autograph organ score of similar configuration, is still kept in the HBl (call number: Ms. mus. L. 3).

3. (a) By the beginning of the 1870s Liszt had been working on the composition of *Via Crucis*. The first complete draft for chorus, soli and organ was, however, not sketched out until the autumn of 1878. In December 1878 Liszt revised this work and made settings for piano two-hands and four-hands, respectively, which could be performed separately. The revision of the score with organ accompaniment, carried out at the beginning of 1879, resulted in a transformation of the work to be performed on organ solo, too. This version was the basis for a yet another score which contained all performing possibilities, with the exception of the setting for piano four hands, i.e. chorus and soli with piano or organ accompaniment, and organ or piano only. He carried out minor changes in this copy as well, then signed the whole on 26 February 1879.⁶⁷ Although he sought to have this work printed and performed, this was not done in his life-time.⁶⁸

The score was first published in volume V/7 of the GA. The editor, Philipp Wolfrum, used the fair copy kept in Weimar as the basis for the edition. The new Hungarian publication, ⁶⁹ edited by Imre Sulyok, is similarly based on this copy. The piano solo version was first printed in Volume I/10 of the *NLE*. The setting for

piano four hands has thus far not been published.

(b) The manuscript in the HBn represents the second stage in the compositional genesis of the work: it was made in December 1878 in Budapest. It is a draft with numerous corrections, pasted over passages and insertions. The three parts of the manuscript are bound together into a composite volume: the three different

arrangements are clearly separate entities.

The first unit of the composite volume (ff. 1\subseteq-18\subseteq) may be called a piano score: except for the opening movement, all the vocal parts appear with a piano accompaniment. In the first movement, however, Liszt used some manuscript pages from the version with organ accompaniment (which is to be considered as the basic version), since the organ part could be performed without alterations on the piano. He erased the word "Orgel" at the beginning of the movement and replaced it by "Pianoforte". Within the movement, however, the original instrument designations were left unchanged.

From the evidence of the HBn manuscript, it is obvious that Liszt intended ita Crucis to be a work that could be performed by voices and accompaniment as well as by a solo instrument only. In several movements of the first unit of Ms. mus. 14, the vocal parts were notated not in separate staves, but in the right and left hand staves of the piano. Besides, Liszt provided them with fingering, whenever necessary. However, the vocal part remained on a separate stave at the outcry "Jesus cadet" in Stations iii, vii and ix, at the "Crucifige" in unison in Station xi and

68 Along with several minor church works, Liszt offered it for publication to Pustet of Regensburg

(Br. VIII, No. 446), who rejected the offer (Br. VII, No. 423).

⁶⁷ Full documentation concerning the compositional genesis can be found in the preface to Vol. I/10 of the *NLE*, pp. XVIII–XIX written by Imre Sulyok and Imre Mező.

⁶⁹ Budapest 1968, Editio Musica; the same also in a joint edition with Eulenburg. This latter edition contains Liszt's preface to the work, his poetic vision of hearing *Via Crucis* performed with the accompaniment of an immense harmonium in the Colosseum of Rome, where the blood of so many martyrs had been shed.

at several vocal passages in Station xii. (These passages are printed in the piano solo edition of the *NLE*, too, with a separate vocal part, but it is emphasized that the part is to be played since it forms an integral component of the music.) Liszt himself referred to the first and third unit of the HBn manuscript as "piano arrangements" in a remark entered upon the organ score of *Via Crucis*.⁷⁰

The second unit of the HBn manuscript (ff. 20^r–24^v), the *vocal score*, contains all solo and chorus sections without accompaniment, in a form completely identical with that of the piano score. The only exception is the sentence "Eli, Eli, lamma sabachtani" inserted subsequently into the baritone solo part of Station xii, for which the text only was included in the vocal score; the music is missing. The designation of instrument in those few bars that were given for purposes of the singers' orientation is organ in each case.

The fact that Liszt made a separate vocal score ("for the choirmaster Engesser") at this stage of composition, clearly demonstrates that he had a specific

performance in mind.

The third unit of the manuscript (ff. 25^v-49^r), the setting for *piano four-hands*, was intended as a purely instrumental rendering, but even in this manuscript Liszt reserved a separate stave for the vocal parts at certain sections (mostly in the same passages as in the piano score, and additionally in the second half of the final movement, at the chords of "Ave Crux"). *Facsimile 4* (on p. 52) shows such a detail.

Although the language of the vocal parts is Latin throughout, Liszt gave a French title to the various movements in all three manuscript sections. In the piano score, a German translation was also added to the hymn "Vexilla regis" and at the

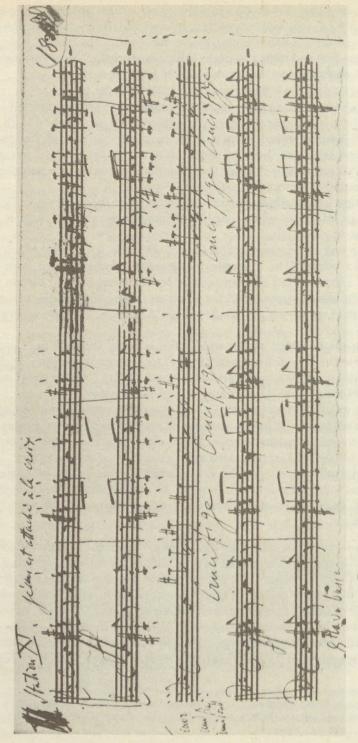
beginning of the chorus "O crux ave ..." of the opening movement.

It is evident that Liszt was working simultaneously on the different settings of *Via Crucis*. The settings for piano two-hands and piano four-hands are closely related. F. 7° (now erased and pasted over) in the manuscript of the setting for piano two-hands, and f. 8° (which Liszt could use and erased only the notes *Imo tacet*, *2do tacet* etc.) had originally belonged to the setting for piano four-hands. In the piano duet version, Liszt wrote the music of Station i (f. 28°) on the blank side of a music paper, containing a deleted version of the setting for piano two-hands (now f. 28°) of the same music.

4. In the following discussion, we shall confine ourselves to describing some parts of the manuscript which appeared in print differently or were not printed at all.

Station vi (S^{re} Véronique): in this movement the chorus sings the chorale "O Haupt voll Blut und Wunden" in Liszt's harmonization. After its conclusion Liszt inserted one of Bach's famous harmonizations of the same chorale. In the setting for two-hands he wrote it in personally, supplying it with fingerings and the following title inscription (on f. 8^r): "O Haupt voll Blut und Wunden // (Wenn ich einmal soll scheiden —) // aus der Matthäus Passion // von J. S Bach. // 1729." — In

⁷⁰ This remark is to be found on the organ score of the HBI: "NB. Die Clavier arrangements 2 und 4 händig, sind an mehreren Stellen nach dieser Orgel partitur, zu corrigiren." This instruction applies evidently to the manuscripts in the HBn, since on f. I^r of this volume the following can be read: "Nach der Orgel Abschrift // zu corrigiren."



Facs. 4: Via Crucis, autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 14, f. 39' (Station xi, for pf. 4 hds.).

the manuscript of the setting for four hands the same chorale is extant in a copyist's hand, with the title inscription by Liszt (f. 34°). However, this Bach chorale does not appear in the vocal score, nor is it present in the printed versions made on the basis of the fair copy.⁷¹

At the end of Station x (Jésus est dépouillé de ses vêtements), at the bottom of folio 10° of the score, appears in Liszt's hand: "(Durch Mitleid // wissend — — // Parsifal — // Wagner."

At the beginning of Station xii (Jésus meurt sur la croix) Liszt added the text of the baritone solo part, "Eli, Eli . . ." to the opening of the movement. This passage has survived in both the piano solo and the piano duet version in two forms: one valid (ff. 11^r and 40^r) and one crossed out and thus invalidated (ff. 11^v and 40^v). Example 14a shows the valid form: Example 14b presents the invalidated version.



⁷¹ For information on Bach's influence on the chorale settings in Via Crucis and Liszt's infinite admiration for the St. Matthew Passion, see the preface by Wolfrum in GA V/7, p. VI.



The musical setting of the words "Consummatum est" in the continuation of the movement (f. 13^r in the piano score, f. 22^v of the vocal score and f. 42^r in the setting for four hands) varies from the printed form. *Example 15* shows the differences of the manuscript version and the print.

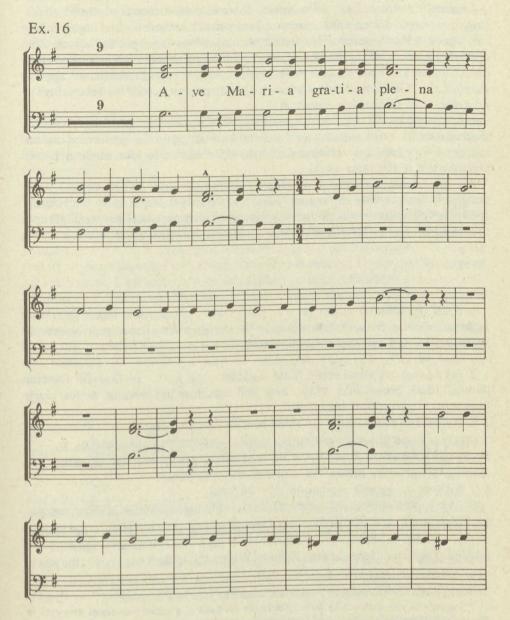




The movement closes with the chorale "O Traurigkeit, o Herzeleid" in Liszt's harmonization. In the score it has been preserved in a copyist's hand (f. 14^{r-v}); the instrumental introduction on f. 13^v and the postlude as well as the text are in Liszt's hand.⁷² Liszt also wrote: "(A Charfreitag)" next to the title of the chorale, but this inscription was later deleted.

⁷² Both chorales incorporated into *Via Crucis* ("O Haupt voll Blut und Wunden" and "O Traurigkeit") are present in an identical form in Liszt's 11-piece chorale collection, which originated in the late 1870s. The series is included in volume I/10 of the *NLE*.

Sketches of a choral work, entitled *Ave Maria* appear on the verso of a paste-over containing the hymn *Vexilla regis*. This material is the beginning of Liszt's cycle *Rosario* for mixed choir and organ or harmonium (S. 56, R. 527) composed at about the same time (Ex. 16). The final version is in 6/8 and its harmonization also differs from the sketch.



In domum Domini ibimus (Zum Haus des Herrn ziehen wir)

Liszt set one single line of Psalm cxxi for a four-part chorus of mixed voices singing mostly in unison, for 2 trumpets, 2 trombones, kettledrum and organ. In the catalogues of Raabe and Searle the date of composition is not precisely given. The most they disclose is that this is a late work; according to Searle it was written after 1880. Göllerich claimed that the work had been written years earlier than Wagner's *Parsifal*, the "Glockenmotiv" of which is already present here. 73 However, there is no evidence of Göllerich's statement.

Liszt composed the organ accompaniment of *In domum Domini ibimus* so that by slightly altering and expanding the final bars it could be performed as an independent piece, one which he entitled "prelude". He also made a piano arrangement of the same work.

All the source materials (autograph manuscripts and revised copies) were previously the property of August Göllerich; they were acquired by the HBn in 1980. The following discussion is divided into two sections: vocal setting (11/1) and the various manuscripts of the prelude for piano or organ (11/2).

11/1

- 1. S. 57 (R. 509) Ms. mus. 7.068/1a-c In domum Domini ibimus. (Zum Haus des Herrn ziehen wir.) For mixed voices with brass, kettledrum and organ accompaniment.
- 2. (a) Autograph vocal score. Title inscription on f. 1^r: "In Domum Domini ibimus" (dark brown ink). Place, date and signature are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: blue pencil.
- 2 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-4 (blue pencil). 35 × 26.5 cm.
- (b) Autograph short score without organ part: "2 Trompetten // in Es // 2 Posaunen // Paucken // Es, b." Title inscription, place, date and signature are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: blue pencil.
- 1 f. Without autograph pagination. 35 × 26.5 cm.
- (c) A complete copy of the score with autograph title inscription and corrections. Title inscription on f. 1^r: "In Domum Domini ibimus // "Zum Haus // des Herrn, ziehen wir" Psalm, 121 // V. 1." (dark brown ink). Place, date and signature are missing. The script of the copyist, Wilhelm Weber, ⁷⁴ is in dark brown ink, the text is

⁷³ Göllerich, p. 23. The music of Parsifal was written between 1876 and 1882.

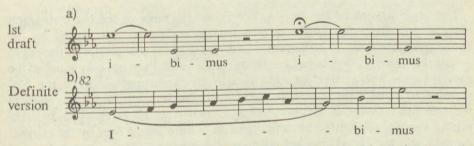
⁷⁴ The copyist was identified by Rena Mueller on the basis of a signed manuscript preserved in Bayreuth. Wilhelm Weber was one of Liszt's major copyists during this period. The manuscript of "Schlaflos" in the HBn (see No. 31 in the present book, pp. 108–109) and the fair copies of the piano reductions for 2 and 4 hands of the Bülow-Marsch in HBl are also in his hand.

in red ink. Autograph corrections: dark brown ink, red and blue pencils. 10 ff. Autograph pagination: 1–19 (blue pencil). 75 33 × 25.5 cm. Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Schneider (Tutzing) in 1980.

Earlier it had been in the possession of August Göllerich (Linz).

- 3. (a) On the evidence of the manuscript, this is undoubtedly a late work that was neither performed nor printed during the composer's lifetime. The hymn was first performed under Göllerich in the Catholic Church of Bayreuth in 1892, on the 6th anniversary of Liszt's death. ⁷⁶ Göllerich used the surviving manuscripts. Later he also put one copy at Philipp Wolfrum's disposal for editing the full score in Volume V/5 of the *GA* in 1918.
- (b) Of the extant manuscripts, Weber's copy (c), revised by Liszt, agrees with the final, printed form. By comparing the autograph manuscripts (a–b) and the corrections in the copy, we can reconstruct the compositional process that led to the final version.
- 4. In the *vocal score* (a) Liszt wrote the music on three staves despite the fact that the four parts of the mixed chorus sing essentially in unison up to bar 63. A practical rationale for this may lie in the use of different clefs, since the parts are grouped as: S + A, T, B. (The tenor part is left empty in several instances to indicate that its notes are identical with those of the female chorus.) Under the first stave of the vocal score, Liszt added the necessary instrumental indications in blue pencil: "Trompetten, Posaunen, Paucken—Orgel." There are no tempo or dynamic markings in the vocal score. Apart from several minor corrections, the most significant alteration occurs in the closing passage beginning with bar 82. Originally, it was 14 bars long, but Liszt reduced the passage to 12 bars, omitting and replacing the downward leap of an octave (Example 17a) as seen on Example 17b.

Ex. 17



The short score (b) of a single folio containing the brass and kettledrum parts is also written on three staves. One stave is reserved for the trumpets, trombones and kettledrum. The stave of the latter is blank on the entire verso of the folio. (The first

⁷⁵ Some of the figures vary quite significantly from Liszt's usual way of writing while others are characteristic of his hand. The pagination may be partly autograph.

⁷⁶ Göllerich, p. 23.

blank bar is bar 42 of the printed edition, whereas it is only bar 41 in the manuscript, as the rest in bar 32, where the brass instruments and the kettledrum have nothing to play, has been omitted, due probably to a scribal error!) This manuscript does not have tempo marks, but there are dynamic signs and performing instructions throughout. Although the autograph manuscript contains several sections which were deleted and written over, it does not incorporate the longer version of the final bars that Liszt later removed from the vocal score. This seems to indicate that the vocal score is of earlier origin.

There is only one significant change from the final version:



The copyist prepared the *full score* (c) on the basis of the two autograph manuscripts. In its fair copy, he included an organ part, too, based on the autograph manuscript to be discussed under 11/2 as the manuscript of the organ setting that can be performed as a separate piece as well. Liszt not only supplied the copyist's score with a title inscription but corrected and supplemented it, too. For example, he wrote in the kettledrum part from bar 41 onwards, which was blank in the instrumental score, as we have already noted. On pp. 17–18. (bars 80–89 in the printed version) the kettledrum and organ parts were pasted over by the copyist; since it is still completely attached, we do not know what had been corrected at that point. The most significant visible corrections are in the brass parts about bar 32 where Liszt erroneously left out, as stated above, a whole bar rest, and in bars 37–41 where Liszt made the alterations shown in *Example 18*.

Apart from the minor discrepancies listed below, Wolfrum's edition in the GA fully agrees with the copy of the score revised by Liszt:

bar 11, organ: a fff indication in the manuscript;

bar 12, brass: a ff indication in the manuscript; bar 21, organ: contains not only ff but also sempre ff e legato; bars 49-52, kettledrum: all notes are staccato.

11/2

1. S. 505, 671 (R. 178, 395) Ms. mus. 7.068/2a-b In domum Domini ibimus. (Zum Haus des Herrn ziehen wir.) Prelude for pf. or org.

2. (a) Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on f. 1^r: "Zur Kirche! // Präludium«. // En français // »À l'Église — // Prélude. // FL." (black ink, crossed out in red pencil); on f. 3^r: "Kirchliches Präludium // (Prélude d'Eglise) // F. Liszt" (black ink, crossed out in black and red pencils and corrected to:) "Zur Kirche // (À l'Eglise)" (black pencil, the French title is crossed out in blue pencil). Place and date are missing. Script: dark brown and red ink. Corrections: red, blue and black pencils.

4 ff. Autograph pagination on ff. 1-2: 1-4 (ink and black pencil). The separate folios

3 and 4 bear no autograph pagination. 33 × 26.5 cm.

(b) A copy with autograph title inscription and corrections. Title inscription on f. 1^r: "In domum Domini, ibimus. // (Zum Haus des Herrn // ziehen w[ir)] // À l'église // Prélude pour // Orgue // für Orgel. // (oder // Pianoforte) F. Liszt." (dark brown ink; the French text is crossed out in red). Place and date are missing. Script of the copyist, Wilhelm Weber: dark brown ink. Autograph corrections: dark brown ink, red and blue pencils.

6 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-10 (blue pencil). ⁷⁷ F. 6 (an autograph proof sheet) is not paginated; f. 6 is blank. 35×26.5 cm (ff. 1–4); 33×25.5 cm (ff. 5–6).

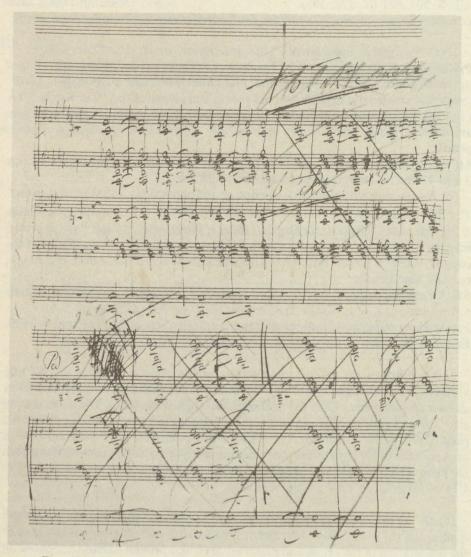
Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Schneider (Tutzing) in 1980. Earlier it had been in the possession of August Göllerich (Linz).

- 3. (a) Although the extant organ setting of the prelude contains several title variants, it nevertheless agrees with the music of the organ accompaniment of *In domum Domini ibimus*. Only the final section is slightly modified. The piano setting also corresponds to this version, apart from differences resulting from the peculiarities of the instrument. The organ setting published by Göllerich in 1908 as an Appendix to his book *Franz Liszt* was based on the manuscript containing both the piano and the organ arrangements. The piano setting was published in Volume I/17 of the *NLE* in 1983 for the first time.
- (b) Of all the manuscripts in the HBn, it is the heavily corrected autograph manuscript (a) which shows best the meticulous care and refinement Liszt gave to the preparation of the organ and piano settings. The printed editions are based on the copyist's manuscript (b) corrected by the composer.

 In the autograph manuscript (a) the two staves of the "Pianoforte" and the

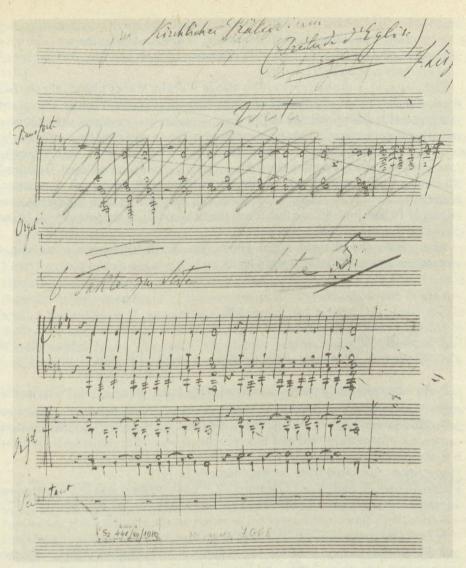
⁷⁷ The page numbering may be partly autograph (see the note 75 on p. 57).

three staves of the "Orgel" are placed above each other. The first draft seems to suggest that the piece was only 49 bars long, and would have originally ended on p. 3 (see the double bar line and the fermata on *Facsimile 5a*, 2^r of the autograph). If this assumption proves right, it is not excluded, either, that the instrumental draft antedated the vocal arrangement. Liszt wanted to enlarge this version later; see his indication "6 Takte mehr". He wrote these 6 bars on the bottom part of 3^r (see on *Facsimile 5b*, p. 61, the bars without cancellation). 78



Facs. 5/a: *In domum Domini ibimus*, prelude for pf. or org., autograph mauscript. Ms. mus. 7.068/2a, f. 2^f.

⁷⁸ The inscription of these 6 bars shows traces of subsequent corrections. In ink: "6 Takte zu Seite", in red pencil: "Schluss // zur Seite 3", the figure 3 corrected to 5 in blue pencil.



Facs. 5/b: *In domum Domini ibimus*, prelude for pf. or org., autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 7.068/2a, f. 3^r.

When, however, Liszt sketched out "6 Takte zu Seite [3]" at the bottom of f. 3^r, he decided to extended the size of the prelude substantially. Consequently, he continued the manuscript on f. 3^r, went on to the middle of f. 4^r and then, with the instruction "Weiter Seite 4", he referred back to the continuation on the top of f. 2^r (p. 4). There are further amendments here: the closing section was crossed out with two kinds of pencils, red and blue. At the bottom of f. 2^r appears the instruction in blue pencil: "Vide 12 Schlus[s] Takte". These final bars (16 in number and not 12)

⁷⁹ Liszt inserted the figure 12 later.

are to be found at the bottom of f. 4^r. Here Liszt sketched out the simple setting that also occurs in the accompaniment of the vocal *In domum Domini ibimus*. (The only difference being that the last 4 bars are not repeated there and thus the number of the final bars is actually 12 only.)

The copyist's manuscript (b) is also in Wilhelm Weber's hand, like the full score. On its title page a line of text has been scratched out under the extant autograph title inscription. As in (b), the two staves for the piano and the three staves for the organ are placed above each other. The copyist must have received the composition at an early stage of the genesis: on p. 5, from bar 40 ff. he completely rewrote the music after pasting blank Ms. paper over the extant material. He copied the closing section on pp. 9–10 from the final variant of the autograph manuscript. Nevertheless, later Liszt crossed out the last 12 bars and wrote a completely new ending of 14 bars on f. 6^r, one that forms the final ending of the solo version of the piece.

Apart from the changes noted above, the manuscript bears some minor corrections and additions in Liszt's hand.

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1. S. 68 (R. 538) Ms. mus. 261 Zur Säkularfeier Beethovens. (2nd Beethoven cantata.) Pf. score.

2. An incomplete autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "Clavierauszug —" (dark brown ink), on p. 4: "Clavierauszug" (black pencil). Signature on p. 7: "26 Janvier // 70 — // Villa d'Este // FLiszt." (dark brown ink). Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: red and blue pencils.

6 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-7 (red pencil).80 42.5 × 29 cm.

Provenance: purchased from Sophie Menter⁸¹ in 1911.

Facsimile: pp. 1 and 7 in: Gárdonyi, Z.: Liszt Ferenc második Beethoven-kantátájához (Zu Liszts zweiter Beethoven-Kantate), pp. 48-49.

3. (a) Liszt composed the 2nd Beethoven cantata to a text by Adolf Stern and Ferdinand Gregorovius for the centenary of Beethoven's birth. Its first performance was given during the Tonkünstler-Versammlung organized by the Allgemeiner Deutscher Musikverein in Weimar on 29 May 1870. The Hungarian

⁸⁰ The first and last blank folios do not bear the library's foliation; the autograph pagination covers only pages which have music on them. After p. 3 there is a blank page which is not numbered; pagination continues on a new part of the manuscript that has a new title inscription, page numbers "4–7" and, in addition, letters in pencil (A-D) for purposes of distinction.

⁸¹ Sophie Menter (1846–1918) was one of Liszt's favourite female pupils, and one of the most eminent. She sold the HBn the incomplete autograph manuscript of the 2nd Beethoven cantata together with the autograph score of the Faust Symphony. (For the correspondence in connection with the selling, see Isoz K. Zenei levelek [Musical Letters], Nos. 993–997. On Menter, see also Prahács M. "Liszts letztes Klavierkonzert".) Owing to a misprint, the description of the two manuscripts (Ms. mus. 261 and 260) in Lavotta's catalogue is confused. The mistakenly listed manuscript was identified by László Somfai in the course of his study of the manuscript of the Faust Symphony.

première of the cantata was on 16 December 1870; what lent this event importance was Liszt's personal conducting of this important concert. 82 The score and piano reduction of the cantata were published by Kahnt in Leipzig⁸³ in the year of jubilee. 1870

(b) Liszt called the manuscript in the HBn a piano reduction ("Clavierauszug"). which meant, in this case, a reduction only of the orchestral parts. Thus the vocal parts do not appear separately, nor are they worked into the piano setting. (In the a cappella passages only the appropriate number of rests have been written out.) However, remarks concerning instrumentation are found in several places, for orientation and proper intonation. (Liszt may have omitted the vocal parts in the manuscript because the vocal sections could be engraved directly from the score when the piano reduction was printed.)

The 2nd Beethoven cantata consists of an introduction (the third, "Andante cantabile" movement of Beethoven's B flat major piano trio, Op. 97, scored by Liszt) followed by two sections (in Liszt's own composition). The manuscript in the HBn contains only the first of these two sections incompletely (i.e. from bar 35 on to the end).84 The whereabouts of the manuscript of the missing 34 bars of the first section are unknown.85 According to Gárdonyi, the manuscript of the second section of the cantata may be identical with the incomplete manuscript listed by Kinsky in the Heyer Catalogue, the present whereabouts of which are also unknown.86

4. It is improbable that the HBn manuscript served as a direct source for printing. as an engraver's fair copy was made, based on the autograph manuscript of the piano reduction. 87 When compared with the printed piano reduction, there are only relatively few minor discrepancies:

82 The concert became a focus of a national cause. The jubilee celebrations of Beethoven's birth were scheduled simultaneously for Vienna and Pest. However, Liszt participated only in the Pest concert (Br. VI, No. 251). The Hungarian hope of bringing Liszt back to his native country permanently, was given fresh impetus by this concert. It was felt that the establishment of proper musical institutions was a means toward this end (Zenészeti Lapok, 18 Dec. 1870, pp. 138-139). It became full reality in 1875 when the Academy of Music, Budapest was founded.

83 Score: plate no.: 1360; a copy is kept in the HBn under ZR 135; piano reduction without plate number; a copy is held in HBa(mi) under 602.159 (it contains some notes in Liszt's hand and the

Hungarian translation written in by Kornél Ábrányi, senior).

84 Liszt signed and dated the manuscript at this point. Gárdonyi believes that Liszt added the closing section of the work to the manuscript only after January 1870. This reasoning appears to be correct. since, according to correspondence, Liszt was still busy working on the 2nd Beethoven Cantata in February 1870 (Br. a. Gi., No. 28, Br. a. A., No. 65).

85 The missing part of the manuscript could not have been very extensive since it takes up no more than two and a half pages in the printed piano reduction. The introduction is not included in the piano reduction. Liszt indicated its opening and closing bars only. A manuscript of the introduction in a copyist's hand is preserved in Rome, Istituto d'Archeologia (see Eősze, No. 49).

86 Kinsky, G. Katalog ..., No. 1587. (Cited in: Gárdonyi Z. "Liszt Ferenc második Beethoven-

kantátájához", p. 47, Note 9).

87 "Abschrift des Kl.-Ausz. in der Bibliothek des Allgemeinen Deutschen Musikvereins (im L.-M.)" Raabe II, p. 334.

bar 48, 3rd bar unit: the "Hörner" part in the manuscript, written with small notes on a separate stave, begins 4 bars later than in the printed version;

bar 101: above the stave for the piano, right hand, there is a note in the manuscript: "Clarinett", which has not been printed;

bar 115:

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bars 134-136: in the manuscript there are only two bars with rests instead of three:

bar 187:

Ex. 20



bars 202–205: these four bars are marked in the manuscript with a single rest with fermata;

bar 206: in the manuscript "Sehr langsam" appears as the tempo indication instead of Maestoso assai;

bars 314-315: in the manuscript the rest covers one bar only;

bar 451: from the middle of the bar onwards there is a "Horn" part written on a separate stave with small notes in the manuscript which extends over the next two bars:

bar 459: the designation of instruments of the small-note part is: "Harfe // und Blas // Instrumente";

bars 475-479: in the manuscript there are only 2 bars of rest instead of 5;

bar 480: the tempo indication in the manuscript is: "etwas bewegter aber sehr ruhig";

bars 510 and 514: in the manuscript the last chord of the preceding bar is repeated at the beginning of the bar with one crotchet value. The printed version has a rest here;





bar 524: the manuscript contains the tempo indication "Sehr langsam (Tempo des Chorals)" instead of Largo maestoso;

bars 526-527: the same chords that are to be played broken in bars 530-531, have been provided with arpeggio signs in the manuscript here as well. These arpeggio signs are missing (evidently by mistake) in the printed edition.

On the whole, the manuscript has far fewer tempo and dynamic marks and fingering than the printed edition.

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1. S. 72/1 (R. 542/1)

Rheinweinlied. For male vv. and pf.

Ms. mus. 7.443

- 2. First edition score with autograph corrections. Written across the printed titlepage: 88 "Ich bitte den mir freundschaftlich gewogenen // Capellmeister, Carl Huber, 89 Dirigent des // nächsten ungarischen Landes // Musik und Gesang Fest in // Miskolcz, dieses "Rheinweinlied" // zum Gebrauch des // Miskolczer Fests zu // instrumentiren, // ergebenst F. Liszt 30^{ten} Juni // 84. Weimar." (brownish black ink). Autograph corrections: purple and brownish black ink.
- 5 ff. Printed pagination: 2-9.90 23.5 × 25 cm.

A script in an unknown hand: purple ink.

Provenance: purchased from Mrs Kázmér Molnár (Budapest) of Jenő Hubay's estate in 1982.91

- 3. (a) The *Rheinweinlied* is one of Liszt's early choruses for male voices. It was written about 1841 and was first performed in Jena on 30 November 1841.92 The
- 88 Printed title-page: "Vierstimmige Männergesänge componirt von Franz Liszt. № 1. Rheinweinlied. Text von Herwegh. № 2. Studentenlied aus Göthe's Faust. № 3. Reiterlied, 1° Version. Text von Herwegh. № 4. i. 2° Version. —— № 1. —— Mainz, Antwerpen und Brüssel bei B. Schott's Söhnen." Plate no.: 7045.1.
- 8º Károly Huber (1828–1885) Hungarian violinist, composer and choral conductor, violin teacher at the Budapest Academy of Music from 1884 onwards.

90 The print was trimmed and the page number 2 was cut off.

⁹¹ Jenő Hubay (1858–1937) was an outstanding Hungarian violinist, teacher and composer, son of Károly Huber. With Liszt's assistance at the outset, he had a brilliant career. Between 1920 and 1934 he was director of the Budapest Academy of Music.

⁹² Corr. L-Ag. II, p. 183. French journalists attacked Liszt for having set the German poet's patriotic verse before the first public performance; see two of his unpublished letters originating in the summer of

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first edition was issued by Schott in 1843 as the first item of a series of four Liszt choruses for male voices published for the benefit of the Mozart-Stiftung. It appears that the work was not reissued in Liszt's life-time. In Hungary the work was published with Hungarian words as *Rajna-bordal* by János Goll as No. 94 in the third part of an anthology of male voice choruses entitled *Apollo* in 1892.⁹³

(b) The HBn holds a copy of the first edition sent by Liszt through Ábrányi⁹⁴ to Károly Huber, the principal choirmaster of the Hungarian Choral Society, on 30 June 1884 for orchestration for the national song fest to be held in Miskolc between 6 and 11 August. The *Rheinweinlied* had been chosen as one of the pieces to be jointly performed by the participating choruses of the festival.⁹⁵

Prior to handing over the composition, Liszt made some changes in the work, which Huber took into consideration when preparing the instrumentation (see No. 66 in the present book, pp. 192–193). At the festival in Miskolc the *Rheinweinlied* was sung twice by all the choruses attending: on 9 August 1884 at the theatre and

on 10 August in the court-yard of the town-hall.

4. Liszt's amendments in the printed music include:

bar 16, piano, left hand: the note F is erased;

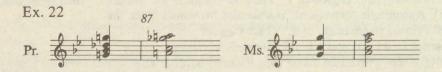
bar 26, piano, last chord: f subsequently added;

bar 28, piano, first chord: p subsequently added;

bars 30-31: corrected notes both in the 2nd tenor part and the piano accompaniment (see Facsimile 6 on p. 67);

bars 58—59: the same alterations in the 2nd tenor part as in bars 30–31. (The piano accompaniment is different here and has not been changed);

bars 86-87: the previously listed alterations in the 2nd tenor part; the change in the piano accompaniment is shown on Example 22.

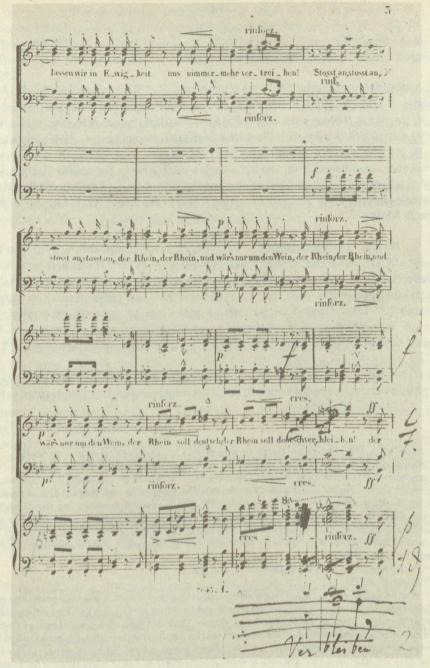


^{1841 (}Versailles, Bibliothèque Municipale, Collection Rodouan, Liszt 1–2. Mentioned *in:* Hamburger K. *Liszt Ferenc*, 2nd edition, pp. 361–362).

⁹³ One copy is kept in the HBn under Z. 24.073.

⁹⁴ See Liszt's letter to Ábrányi, dated 1st July 1884, Weimar, in HBl, Ep. L. 167. First part of the letter printed in Pr. No. 551, second part in *Br*. II. No. 345.

⁹⁵ The Hungarian Choral Society functioning since 1867 was regularly organizing national song festivals in which several choruses participated. On these occasions there were always joint choral performances for which Liszt's compositions were frequently chosen (see *Eckhardt-Lk*, pp. 124–125). A fuller treatment of the Miskolc song festival can be found *in: Ábrányi—OMD*, Chapter XIV, pp. 251–269.



Facs. 6: Rheinweinlied, printed copy with autograph corrections. Ms. mus. 7.443, f. 2^r.

1. S. 87 (R. 557f) Weimar's Volkslied. For 3 vv., F major. Ms. mus. 5.688

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on f. 1": "Weimar's Volks Lied — // 3 stimig — // Sopran und Alt — // (oder Tenor und Bass) // [on the right:] gedichtet von P. Cornelius // componirt von // F. Liszt —" (dark brown ink). Signature on f. 1": "FLiszt" (dark brown ink). Place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. 2 ff. (f. 2"-" blank). No pagination. 26.5 × 34 cm.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing) in

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing) in 1974. Earlier (1931) it had been in the possession of dr. L. Landshoff (Berlin). Facsimile edition: Zwei Terzette komponiert von Franz Liszt, Nr. 1. Leipzig [1887],

Licht & Meyer.97

- 3. (a) Weimar's Volkslied is one of Liszt's occasional compositions written at the request of Carl Alexander, Grand Duke of Weimar in 1857. 98 It was first performed at the ceremonial laying of the foundation stone of the Carl August memorial in Weimar on 3 September 1857, and enjoyed two additional performances on 4 and 5 September. 99 Liszt wanted to publish as many varied scorings as possible to promote its performance by various ensembles. Later rearrangements of the musical texture of the composition also aimed at enhancing its popularity. 100
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn is a three-part version of the work that can be sung by any chorus of equal voices without accompaniment. It contains three verses

⁹⁶ Raabe II, p. 339. (The datum that is no longer valid has also been taken over by Searle.)

⁹⁷ Along with *Weimar's Volkslied*, another of Liszt's easy three-part choruses for equal voices was also printed in that facsimile edition (*Mit klingendem Spiel*, S. 89). On the decorated title-page bearing the initials "C. A." (the monogram of Carl Alexander or perhaps of Carl August, Grand Duke of Weimar) the two works are indicated as "ungedruckt". No. 2 appeared, however, in a school-book in 1860 (see *Raabe* II, p. 339). István Kecskeméti was kind enough to call my attention to this rare print (a microfilm sent from Weimar with copious documentation by Gotthold Sobe). The call number of the copy in the DWRgs is Ms. F 15^b and 16. (The double call number covers a single copy containing the facsimile of both works.)

⁹⁸ Carl Alexander's letter of request: Br. L-CA, No. 41.

⁹⁹ Raabe II, p. 339.

¹⁰⁰ It was Kühn of Weimar who first published four arrangements in 1857 (for male voices and wind band or piano; for voice and piano; for piano solo and for piano duet). Later the same publisher also issued a "Populäre Ausgabe" for four-part male chorus. Then, in a joint edition with Leede of Leipzig, Kühn had three additional settings of the work printed (for four-part male chorus with piano ad libitum; for piano solo and for mixed voices with piano ad libitum arranged by B. Sulze). These later editions are shorter than the original version and vary in many other respects as well. An arrangement for organ or harmonium have also appeared in the joint edition of Kühn and Leede, and a three-part version for equal voices was printed in a song-book (see Note 102 on p. 69). We also know about three unpublished versions in the DWRgs (Ms. F 15°: for four-part male chorus; Ms. R 3: for four male voices and organ; Ms. Z 9: for trumpet solo and four horns); in addition, partly unpublished autograph manuscripts can be found in the Germanisches National-Museum in Nuremberg (Gottwald, p. 169).

of the original five-verse song notated in treble clef; the key is F major. ¹⁰¹ Liszt's reasons for shortening the piece become clear from the note on f. 1^r: "<u>NB.</u> für eine populäre Herausgabe // des Weimarer Volks Lied ist es // zweckmässig dasselbe auf 3 Strophen // zu beschränken — // FL." The shortened version includes verses 1–2 and 5.

Although the manuscript was prepared for printing purposes (which is evident not only from the reference to "populäre Herausgabe" but also from indications in the music of the manuscript such as "(Im Stiche—keine Abkürzung!)"), to our knowledge the music was not engraved. The three-part version for equal voices that appeared in contemporary song-books, varies significantly from this manuscript both in key (E major) and in the music itself.¹⁰²

This version of *Weimar's Volkslied* was reproduced and printed in facsimile after Liszt's death. ¹⁰³ The facsimile is of very good quality and therefore we have dispensed with a full description of this small manuscript.

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1. S. 90/9 (R. 560/9) Ms. mus. 6.684 Lied des Frühlings (Saatengrün). For male vv. 1st version.

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription in an unknown hand on f. 1^r: "Lied des Frühlings. Gedicht von Uhland." (black pencil). Signature, place and date are missing. Script: brownish black ink, black pencil.

2 ff. No pagination. 32 × 23.5 cm.

Notes in an unknown hand: title inscription and the addition of the missing song text in bars 23–33 (black pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Stargardt (Marburg) in 1979. In 1931 it was in the possession of the Marchese della Valle di Casanova (Pallanza). 104

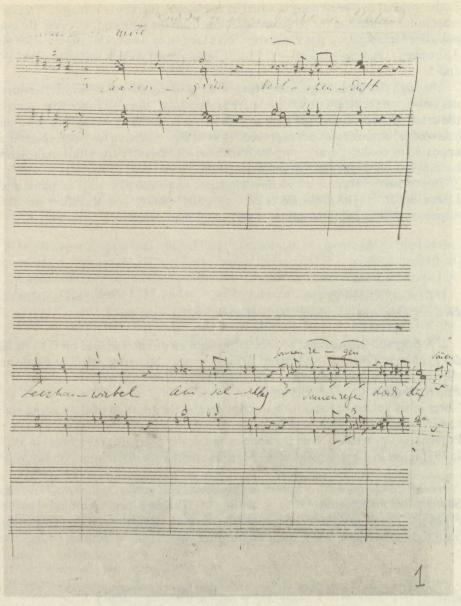
3. (a) This choral work is known under several title variants: Lied des Frühlings, Saatengrün, Frühlingstag. It is a setting of Uhland's poem entitled Lob des Frühlings. The exact date of composition is unknown: Raabe placed it on the 1840s; Searle assigned it to c. 1845, without, however, specifically stating his source. The

¹⁰¹ The keys of the various choral versions according to Raabe's catalogue of works are: R. 557a: E major; 557b: F major; 557c: E major; 557d: F major or E flat major; 557e: E major.

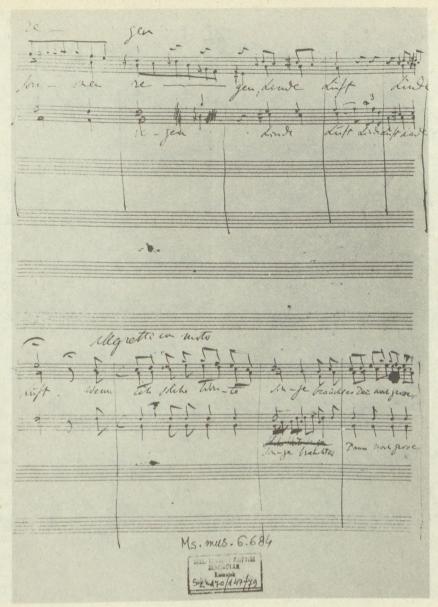
¹⁰² No. 32 in: Gottschalg—Bräunlich—Müllerhartung: Vaterländisches Liederbuch, Vol. IV, Weimar, Böhlau, pp. 49–50. With three verses; musically it shows greater relationship with the later, joint Kühn-Leede editions.

103 The date of publication (1887) is given in a letter of the publisher Hans Licht dated 14 February 1890, included as folio No. 32 of the manuscript volume entitled "In welchen Verlagen erschienen Liszts Werke?" and kept in the DWRz, call number L 466. The volume is a collation of Lina Ramann's correspondence, carried on after the composer's death with Liszt's publishers, concerning the publication dates of Liszt's works. Licht also stated that Liszt's two published autograph manuscripts were then in A. W. Gottschalg's possession.

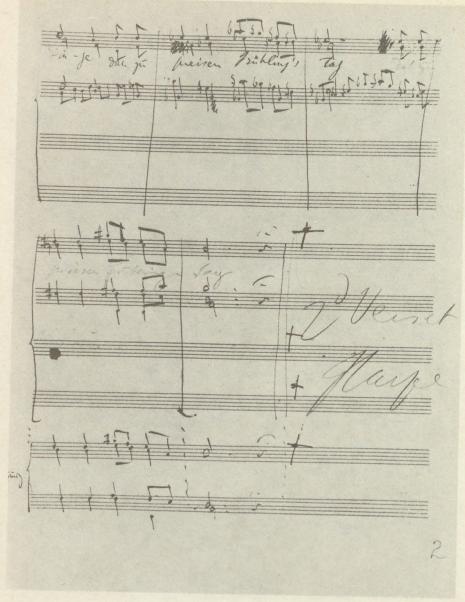
104 Raabe II, p. 340. (The data that is no longer valid has also been taken over by Searle.)



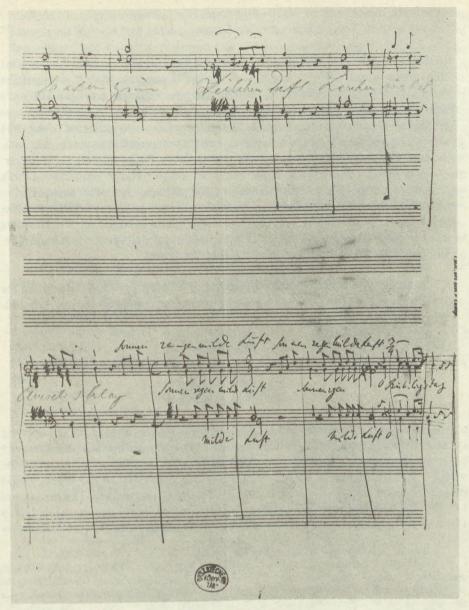
Facs. 7/a: Lied des Frühlings (Saatengrün), first version, autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 6.684, 1°.



Facs. 7/b: Lied des Frühlings..., 1v.



Facs. 7/c: Lied des Frühlings..., 2^r.



Facs. 7/d: Lied des Frühlings..., 2v.

piece was first printed as item No. 9 of the series Für Männergesang issued by Kahnt of Leipzig in 1861. There it bears the title Saatengrün, the first word of the poem. 105

- (b) The source is markedly different from the final printed version. The imprint on the music paper ("Cöln, bei Eck & Comp.") suggests that it was written in the first half of the forties. ¹⁰⁶ In the HBn manuscript Liszt arranged Uhland's poem for four male voices. The sole instance where the set of performers was extended to five parts occurs in bars 24–25, but there Liszt also indicated a four-part solution. Liszt apparently wanted to provide an accompaniment to the choral parts, for he entered a double stave beneath the choral staves. He left this blank, however, in the end. After bar 25 on f. 2^r the note "2^d Vers et Harpe" indicates Liszt's intention to compose a harp accompaniment and perhaps to set other verses. ¹⁰⁷ No accompaniment appeared in the final printed form, nor have any additional texts been inserted. ¹⁰⁸ The initially four-part work requires an enlarged set of performers to sing five parts after the first section. The key of this printed version is A major, i.e. a major second lower than that of the HBn manuscript.
- 4. The manuscript is shown in full on *Facsimile 7a-d*, pp. 71-73. A collation of the manuscript with the final printed version appears in: Eckhardt-Lz, pp. 135-140.

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Magyar király-dal (Ungarisches Königslied)

Magyar király-dal [Hungarian King's Song] was written in 1883 for the opening of the Budapest Opera House in the autumn of 1884. The authorities objected to its being performed on this occasion, claiming that the revolutionary spirit of the Rákóczi song, based on a Kurutz melody and incorporated in the work, would offend the royal couple who were to attend the opening ceremony. The occasional text by Kornél Ábrányi Jr., loyal in its sentiments, was also translated into German, 109 and Liszt took particular care to arrange for its publication by

¹⁰⁵ Plate no.: 781. One copy is kept in HBl under 3701.

¹⁰⁶ Liszt kept in close touch with the music publisher Eck & Lefèbre of Cologne (particularly with Joseph Maria Lefèbre) between 1840 and 1845 when he visited and gave concerts in the towns along the Rhine each year. For a while Lefèbre belonged to Liszt's closest circle of friends. The composer dedicated the *Rheinweinlied* to him (see Nos. 13 and 66 in this book).

¹⁰⁷ It is not certain whether the note in black pencil is in Liszt's hand or not. "2^d Vers" can impossibly be the continuation of *Lob des Frühlings*, since Uhland's small poem, item No. 5 of the *Frühlingslieder* series consists of two three-verse stanzas together which Liszt completely elaborated in the composition. The note may refer to another poem of the series.

¹⁰⁸ When enumerating the manuscripts, Raabe's catalogue lists a copy of the work with piano accompaniment (in the possession of the DWRgs). This has, however, not been printed. On the other hand, a setting for female voices appeared which is not definitely Liszt's own arrangement. (See *Raabe II*, p. 340.)

¹⁰⁹ Kornél Ábrányi, junior (1849–1913) was a writer and journalist, son of Kornél Ábrányi senior. The German translation was made by László Neugebauer.

Táborszky well in advance of the planned first performance. However, the Hungarian King's Song was not allowed to be produced on the opening day, September 1884. Liszt's correspondence, the newspaper coverage of the events and the memoirs of the contemporaries alike clearly demonstrate the problems Liszt encountered with this piece. 110

Conceived as a popular piece, the work can be performed by choruses of varied composition without accompaniment or accompanied by piano or orchestra. It can be played on piano, two hands or four hands, or sung by baritone solo with piano or orchestral accompaniment. Táborszky printed the diverse settings in the year 1884.111

The première was given in Pozsony (Pressburg, today Bratislava) on 21 December 1884. 112 The Opera of Budapest first performed the composition on 25 March 1885, 113

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1. (S. 93, 340, 544, 626) (R. 563, 636, 215, 345)114 Ms. mus. 1.210 Magyar király-dal. (Ungarisches Königslied.) For 1 v.

2. Autograph fragment: bars 1-10 of the principal melody ("Rákóczi song") of the work; memorial leaf. Title inscription on f. 1": "Magyar Király-dal. // (Egy régi magyar dallam után.)"115 (black ink). Signed on f. Ir: "Mint Magyar hazámnak hű fia // Liszt Ferencz"116 (black ink). The place and date are missing. Script: in black

1 f.117 No pagination, 13.5 × 24 cm.

Provenance: unknown.

110 The most conclusive document in this matter is Liszt's letter of 21 September 1884 directed to the Intendant of the Opera, Baron Frigves Podmaniczky before the opening and issued in the evening edition of the Pester Lloyd on 27 September 1884 (Br. II, No. 349). In his book on Hungarian musical history Kornél Ábrányi, senior devoted an entire chapter to the subject (Ábrányi-MZ, pp. 437-442).

The work appeared with German and Hungarian title-page variants. The editions with the plate numbers 930-933 had probably been printed before, since they came out with the inscription on the title page: "Zur Eröffnung des neuen königlich ungarischen Opernhauses." The editions printed with the plate numbers 945-949 do not carry this inscription any more.

112 The Pressburger Liedertafel was conducted by Ferdinand Kitzinger (see Pressburger Zeitung, 14, 20, 21, 22 and 28 December 1884. The date of the première, given on p. 45 in Orel as 21 November 1884, is

a misprint.)

113 Pr., p. 465. 114 In view of the fact that the manuscript contains the principal melody common to all miscellaneous arrangements, it seemed reasonable to enumerate all four catalogue numbers.

115 The translation of the Hungarian title runs as: "Hungarian King's Song. After an old Hungarian

116 In English: "As a true son of my Hungarian father-land Liszt Ferencz." The same text in German survives in Liszt's hand, together with two other slips of paper (Pr. No. 544a-c), in an envelope addressed to Táborszky. Liszt must have sent this slip of paper to Táborszky in order to have a Hungarian translation made before notating the memorial leaf. The postmark on the envelope bears the date Weimar, 30 April 1884. In all probability, the slips were not in this envelope at the outset and do not bear the same date.

117 Liszt's name was entered on the blank verso later in indelible pencil, along with illegible words in

blue pencil. The manuscript was laminated by the restorers of the HBn.

Facsimile: first printed in: *Magyar Salon*, Vol. IV, March 1886, p. 566. Later it was often reproduced, e.g. in: KVF, p. 188, picture No. 2.

3. (a) Liszt took the principal melody used in the *Hungarian King's Song* from István Bartalus' collection entitled *Magyar Orpheus [Hungarian Orpheus]*. ¹¹⁸ According to Ábrányi, Liszt declared that it was "a befitting melody for the tune of a King's Anthem, simple, noble and animated, [---] only the text has to be changed for the desired aim and the whole piece needs a homogeneous structure." ¹¹⁹

Liszt had already used the melody of the *Rákóczi song* (though not in the form published by Bartalus) some decades earlier. In No. 10 of *Magyar dallok* (S. 242/10) he arranged the same melody that was widely known and sung in Hungary from the 18th century onwards, certain elements of which played an essential role in the development of the instrumental version of the *Rákóczi March*. 120

Kornél Ábrányi senior wrote an article entitled Liszt Ferencről [On Franz Liszt] in the March 1886 issue of the illustrated magazine "Magyar Salon" [Hungarian Salon] and requested Liszt to send him some lines for purposes of illustration. In his article Ábrányi treated the compositional genesis of the Hungarian King's Song, among other things. Thus it is understandable that Liszt's choice fell on this melody. The memorial leaf was written explicitly for that article, a fact born out by a remark in another of Ábrányi's articles published immediately after Liszt's death.¹²¹

By virtue of its Hungarian title inscription and dedication, this manuscript, which is not significant from a musical point of view, is considered an especially valuable item of the HBn collection. 122

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1. S. 544. 626 (R. 215, 345) Ms. mus. 352 Magyar király-dal. (Ungarisches Königslied.) For pf. 2 and 4 hands.

2. Autograph manuscript. Both arrangements are incomplete. Title inscription on f. 1^r: "Ungarisches Königs Lied.—// nach einer alten Weise. // Ausgabe für Piano forte // zu 4 Händen" (in dark brown ink); on f. 3^r: "24 Einleitungs Takte // Ergänzungs Blätter." (black ink). Signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown and black ink. Corrections: purple ink, blue and red pencils.

119 Zenelap, 1886/8, p. 64.

121 Ábrányi, K. "Liszt Ferencz magyar szelleme". [Franz Liszt's Hungarian Mentality.]

¹²² For a fuller discussion of the memorial leaf, see Eckhardt-L pp. 125-128.

¹¹⁸ Bartalus, István: Magyar Orpheus. Vegyes tartalmú zenegyűjtemény, XVIII–XIX. század [Hungarian Orpheus. Music Collection of Miscellaneous Contents from the 18th–19th Centuries] (Pest 1869, Rózsavölgyi). One copy is found in the HBa(mi) under 6534. The opening words of the Rákóczi Song are "Hajh Rákóczi, Bercsényi, Bezerédi..."

¹²⁰ The different versions of the Rákóczi Song and March are shown with numerous music examples in: Szabolcsi, B. A magyar zenetörténet kézikönyve, pp. 64–65, 102–109 which appears on pp. 146–147, 168–175 in the English edition [A Concise History of Hungarian Music]. See also Domokos, M. "A Rákóczi-nóta családfája" [The Genealogy of the Rákóczi Song].

4 ff. 123 Autograph pagination on ff. 1–2: 1–4 (blue pencil), corrected to 2–5 (red pencil); on ff. 3–4: 1–3 (blue pencil). 35.5×27 cm.

Note in an unknown hand on f. 1': "NB??" (black pencil, erased by Liszt in blue pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Karl Ernst (Berlin) in 1913.

- 3. (a) Liszt sent the arrangement for piano two hands of the Hungarian King's song to his publisher first.¹²⁴ The arrangement for piano two hands appeared in print first, followed by the arrangement for four hands.¹²⁵
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn contains the piano arrangements, but both are incomplete. The manuscript is extremely difficult to read, because of the large number of corrections, pasted-over passages, *Vide*-indications and other references. The arrangement for four hands is unfinished. The manuscript section including the arrangement for two hands was intended, as shown by the title inscription "Ergänzungs Blätter", to supplement another manuscript now kept in the Commemorative Museum of the Hungarian State Opera House in Budapest. 126

 In some places the manuscript varies significantly from the printed editions.
- 4. The arrangement for piano four hands occupies the first half of the manuscript. It starts with the indication: "Vide 8 Anfangs Takte." The eight initial bars Liszt referred to are found on top of f. 3^r, at the beginning of the arrangement for two hands, under a pasted-over passage now detached. These eight bars represent the first draft of the introduction for both the arrangement for piano, two hands and for piano duet (Example 23).



 $^{^{123}}$ A paper measuring 14×26.5 cm was glued on f. 3^{r} , then detached in the course of restoration. It was not given a separate number at the earlier stamped foliation. F. 4^{v} is blank except for a pasted-over excerpt from the printed auction catalogue of the second-hand bookshop selling the manuscript.

126 Accession number: 72.40.38. The manuscript in the Opera covers four folios and in conjunction

 ¹²⁴ Br. II, No. 328.
 125 For piano two hands, plate no. T. és P. 930—one copy of it is available in the HBn (call number Z
 44.560). For piano four hands, plate no. T. és P. 931—one copy is kept in the HBn (call number Mus. pr. 15.286).

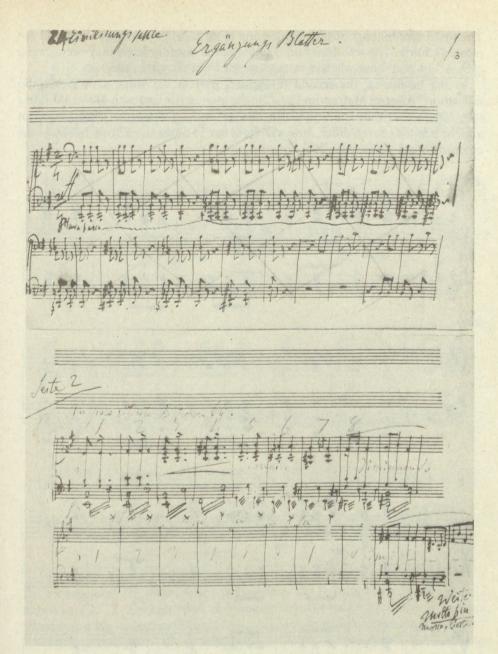


Later Liszt wrote a longer introduction of 24 bars in the place of these 8 bars. He referred to it with an instruction in red pencil on f. 1^r, at the beginning of the piano duet arrangement: "Vi[d]e 24 Einleitungs Takte—". The solution was also placed on f. 3^r, pasted in above the original "8 Anfangs Takte." It is to be played by a single performer (the Secondo) (see *Facsimile 8* on p. 79).

It appears from the facsimile that Liszt also erased this solution in red pencil, and printed a third introduction that does not figure in the manuscript under discussion. This completely lacks the pedal b and the chromatic passage in the left hand, while repeating the "Kurutsian" leap of a fourth instead (Ex. 24).



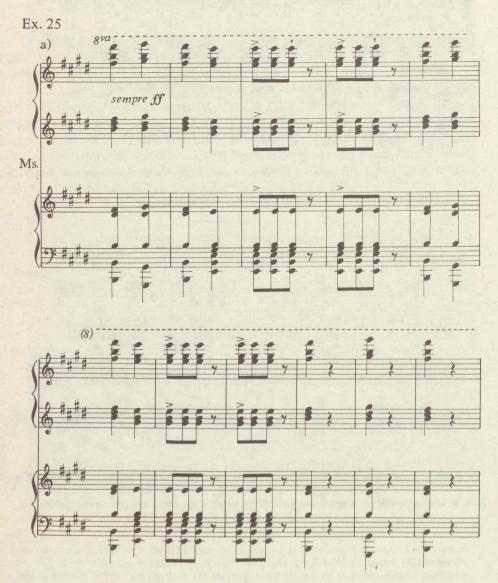
with the "Ergänzungs Blätter" in the HBn adds up to a full piano solo arrangement, although it is not in complete agreement with the printed form. Raabe's catalogue erroneously states that HBl keeps an original manuscript of the work (R. 215). On the other hand, there is an additional folio of the vocal setting in the Commemorative Museum of the State Opera, and several manuscript fragments can be found in HBa(mi) (see Eckhardt-Lz).

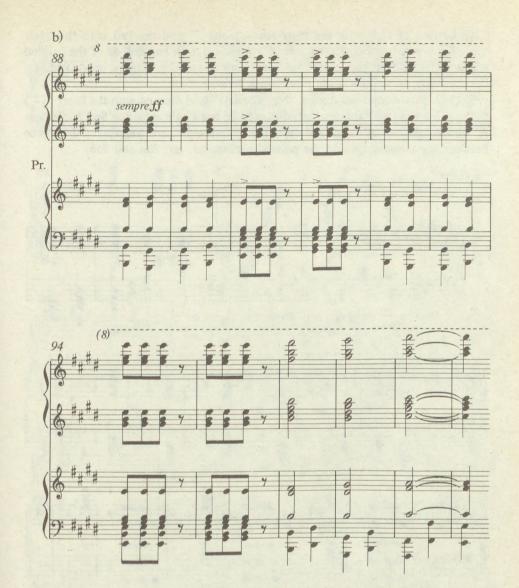


Facs. 8: Magyar király-dal (Ungarisches Königslied), for pf. 4 hds. and 2 hds., autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 352, f. 3'.

The first (minore) part of the composition is identical in the manuscript and the printed edition. The sole deviation is found in the last four bars; they occur in the manuscript only once whereas in the printed form they are repeated.

At the beginning, the second (maggiore) part of the work with the tempo indication "Allegro, Metronom 120 \checkmark " in the manuscript and with *Molto più mosso* (\checkmark = 120) in the printed edition is also identical in the two sources. The manuscript and the printed edition differ, however, from bar 35 onward, i.e. from bar 88 of the complete work (Examples 25a-b).





The arrangement for piano four hands ends at the bottom of f. 2^v with the bars shown in Ex. 25. Though Liszt gave instruction for its continuation by adding "Weiter // 4 Bis // (halber Blatt[)]" —this section is, nevertheless, missing.

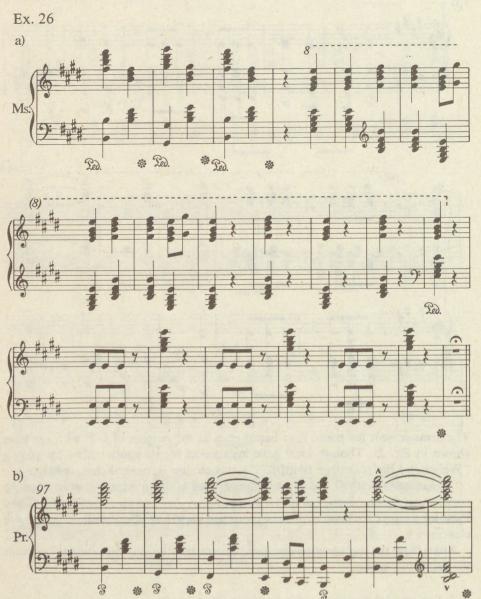
"Ergänzungs Blätter", the two additional folios of the manuscript, were meant to supplement the manuscript of the arrangement for piano two hands. When these leaves are correlated with the manuscript kept in the Opera, all references are clear.

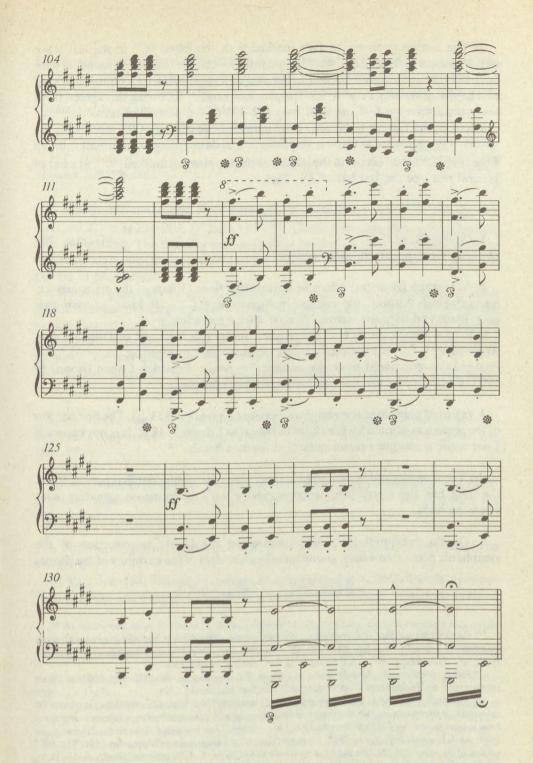
Apart from the introduction discussed earlier, the "Ergänzungs Blätter" contain the following music:

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¹²⁷ Liszt amended the figure 4 to 5 in the remark with red pencil.

- 1) Bottom of f. 3^r with the inscription "Seite 2" and marked with the letter "B": Un poco ritenuto, Metronom 66": identical with bars 30–49 of the printed edition. The last four bars of this part also occur a second time in the printed edition (bars 50–53), as well as in the piano duet version.
- 2) On f. 3° (with the inscription "Nach Seite 3" and marked with the letter "C") the music agrees with the printed edition from bar 89 through bar 96. While bars 97–98 are harmonically identical, from bar 99 onwards there is a marked difference between the manuscript and the printed version (cf. Ex. 26a and 26b).





3) The continuation of the part marked with the letter "C" in the last stave of f. 3^{v} and the first stave of f. 4^{r} : "Tempo primo, Metronom 88" is identical with bars 137-151 of the printed edition. The sole difference is the metronome marking of the printed version, i.e. = 92. The part immediately following this agrees, from the second stave on f. 4^{r} on, with bars 152-171 of the printed edition.

There are no further notations. Liszt indicated the ending of the work with the words "Piu mosso // Da Capo // von Seite 2, // 3, dann // Ergänzungsblatt // bis zu Fine // \bigcirc ||". "Fine" occurs in the middle of the supplement marked "C", at a bar of general rest (see the last bar of Ex. 26a).

18

1. (S. 98) (R. 415)

Orpheus. Sym. poem. Pf. arrangement.

Ms. mus. 264

2. Autograph fragment: 4 bars of the introduction, 11 bars of the main subject; memorial leaf. Without title inscription. Signature on f. 2^v; "F. Liszt" (dark brown ink). Place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink.

2 ff. F. 1^r is blank; on ff. 1^v–2^r there is an autograph fragment of Glinka's *Jota Aragonesa*; 128 f. 2^v is Liszt's autograph. Without page numbering. 25.5×33.5 cm. Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900. Earlier it had been in Sándor Pozsonyi's collection.

- 3. (a) Liszt composed the symphonic poem *Orpheus* in 1853–54. The first edition of the score was printed by Breitkopf & Härtel in Leipzig in 1856. It is not known if Liszt made a complete piano reduction for two hands.¹²⁹
- (b) The manuscript is a memorial leaf prepared for an unidentified person. ¹³⁰ At the final bar the word "etc" appears, along with an immense signature with sweeping lines.
- 4. On the memorial leaf Liszt compressed the 14-bar introduction of the symphonic poem into 4 bars, giving thereby an extract of the harmony of the chords



128 Glinka's manuscript also resembles a memorial leaf. After the last bar of the autograph score fragment of some 16 bars, the word "etc.", title, date and signature can be read: "1re ouverture Espagnole (Jota Aragonesa) // S.P.bourg le 22 avril 1852. // Michel Glinka."

129 Raabe mentions F. Spiro's piano reduction for two hands; the HBl also holds a piano

transcription by Tausig from Liszt's estate (call number: Ms. mus. L. 52).

130 Although Liszt and Glinka were personally acquainted and mutually respectful, it cannot be assumed that they wrote the two fragments on the same occasion. Liszt's manuscript definitely originates from a later period. In 1852 *Orpheus* had not been written. Liszt last met Glinka in St. Petersburg in 1843; he did not visit Russia in 1852. Liszt performed *Jota aragonesa* in Weimar in 1854. The 1857 edition of the score was dedicated to Liszt by the sister of Glinka, L. J. Shestakova. Glinka died in 1857, shortly before this dedication (see *Мильштейн* I, pp. 394–395 and *Milstein* I, pp. 389–390).

which were originally embellished with figurations for the harp. This is followed by the main subject of the symphonic poem bearing the tempo indication "Un poco più di moto" in the score; the memorial leaf in HBn has the tempo indication *Andante* only, at the very first bar.

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1. S. 104 (R. 421) Hamlet. Sym. poem. Ms. mus. 5.600

2. Autograph manuscript. Four fragments of the score: \underline{A} bars 176–194, \underline{B} bars 226–290, \underline{C} bars 299–305, \underline{D} bars 317–338. Title inscription, signature, place and date are missing. The music is written in dark brown ink. The letters marking the different fragments (from A to D) and the orientation letters ("Ziffern") (K, P and Q) are in blue pencil.

1 f. Without page numbering. "Korrekturblatt" for revision of a manuscript score with references to its page numbers. At the beginning of part \underline{A} appears: "Änderung in dem Quartett und Clarinetten Seite 22–23." At section \underline{B} "Posaunen und Pauken treten hinzu — Änderung auch im Fagott und Horn." can be read. At the end of section C is: "zurüſc]k Seite 30." 34.5×27 cm.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing) in 1972. 131

- 3. (a) *Hamlet* was written in 1858. The original manuscript score and the engraver's copy supervised by Liszt are in Weimar.¹³² The first edition appeared in 1861.¹³³
- (b) The manuscript in HBn apparently corrects and supplements a missing score, one that supersedes the autograph manuscript in Weimar but precedes the engraver's copy.¹³⁴
- 4. The four fragments contain only those sections of the full score that were to be corrected.
- A) Bars 176-194. Strings, two clarinets. (At this point in the full score there are bassoon, flute and oboe as well.) In the manuscript the Allegro, ironico marking of

¹³¹ As mentioned on p. 30 (Note 7), the second-hand bookshop identified the fragment incorrectly and sold it to the HBn as part of the manuscript of the legend *Die heilige Cäcilia*.

¹³² The incomplete autograph score in the DWRgs is Ms A 10^a; the printer's copy is listed as Ms A 10^b.

¹³³ The publisher was Breitkopf & Härtel, Leipzig. Plate no. 10.153. One copy is kept in the HBn (call number V 1187).

134 The page references of the HBn manuscript do not agree with the page numbers of the autograph score. When compared with the printer's copy, the page reference of fragment A is valid. However, bars 176–194 are completely identical in the printer's copy and in section A of the HBn "Korrekturblatt". Thus it is evident that the HBn "Korrekturblatt" was not intended to correct the printer's copy. The page reference at the end of fragment C is not related to the printer's copy. The autograph manuscript is so difficult to read that there must have existed a fair copy of the score out of which the printer's copy was made. The "Korrekturblatt" in HBn may have been prepared to correct that fair copy.

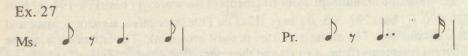
the printed score and the two pizzicato bass notes of quaver value in the cello in bars 176-177 and 184-185 and in the double bass in bars 181-182 and 188-189 are

missing.

B) Bars 226-290. Trombones and kettledrum. (Liszt alluded to changes in the bassoon and horn parts, too, but they were not included in the manuscript.) The manuscript lacks the direction *misterioso* of the trombone parts and the # in front of the F notes in bar 262 of the kettledrum part.

C) Bars 299-305. Strings. In bar 301 of the lower strings, the rhythm differs

slightly from the printed version (Ex. 27).



D) Bars 317-338. In the string parts the first six bars of this fragment agree note by note with bars 299-304 of fragment C. In the continuation all other instruments of the orchestra enter with the exception of the kettledrum. The piccolo part is not present in this manuscript.

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1. S. 108 (R. 425)

Ms. mus. 260

Eine Faust-Symphonie. 1st version (without final chorus).

2. Autograph score without title page. Title inscriptions at the beginning of the movements: "Faust—" (f. 1^r, dark brown ink); "Gretchen—" (f. 22^r, red-brown pencil); "Mephistopheles—" (f. 31^r, dark brown ink). Signed at the beginning and end of each movement with several letters *B* written next to each other. ¹³⁵ No place is given. Date on f. 46^r: "August angefangen. // 19 October Instrum: fertig." (dark brown ink). Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: dark-brown ink, red-brown and black pencils.

46 ff. 136 Autograph pagination per movement: 1-37 (black pencil), 1-17 (red-

brown pencil), 1-31 (black pencil). 137 41 × 33 cm.

135 In the fifties and sixties Liszt generally signed his manuscripts with a series of letters. B. Göllerich explains that Liszt took pleasure in calling himself the "intellectual twin-brother" of the Princess Carolyne Sayn-Wittgenstein, and said that the esoteric meaning of the Bs at the end of his manuscripts meant "Bon Boje benira bons bessons!" (The Good Lord will once bless the good twins!) (see Göllerich, p. 56). La Mara gives a similar explanation in Br. VI, No. 1 (note at the bottom of the page).

¹³⁶ When the stamped foliation in the library was made, the insertions and pasted-over passages of various sizes were not considered. (The paste-overs were detached during the restoration of 1960.) Similar items can be found in the following places: ff. 1^r and 1^v (2 slips), ff. 3^r, 3^v and 9^v (the entire folio), f. 11^r and between ff. 11^v and 12^r (with music on both sides). Blank pages: ff. 13^r, 19^v–21^v (interval between

movements), 30° (interval between movements).

¹³⁷ The corner of the last folio of the manuscript broke off; consequently, the second figure of the autograph page number is missing. The ending of the work and the date are on f. 46' (third movement, p. 31); they are followed by corrections to p. 27 of the movement to that point. It is thus clear that the autograph page numbers must have been 31 on f. 46' and 27 on f. 46'.

Notes in an unknown hand: in the first movement, on the recto of the unpaged halffolios inserted before ff. 11 and 12: "(Faust Symphonie)" (black pencil); in the third movement bar numbering, here and there indications for the lay-out of a copyist's manuscript (black pencil) and time signatures (blue pencil).

Provenance: purchased from Sophie Menter¹³⁸ in 1911.

Facsimiles: f. 1^t in: László-Mátéka Fr., p. 137, No. 221; the same in László-Mátéka Hung., p. 118 No. 226; f. 1^t, first draft, later pasted over, then detached again in: Hamburger-Beiträge, 5th illustration; f. 10^t in: Füssmann-Mátéka, p. 279, No. 310; f. 32^t in: The New Grove, Vol. 10, p. 44, 6th illustration.

- 3. (a) The compositional genesis of Liszt's Faust Symphony was treated by László Somfai in studies printed both in Hungarian and in German. When examining the genesis of the work, Somfai enumerated 18 sources, some of which are no longer extant. The most important of the surviving sources are, according to Somfai:
 - 1) sketches from the 1840s, DWRgs;
- 2) the first draft without final chorus preserved as autograph score and dating from 1854, HBn;
- 3) the autograph manuscript of the arrangement for two pianos written before May 1856, DWRgs;
 - 4) the piano reduction for two hands by Tausig dating from 1858, HBl;
- 5) Götze's copy of the score amended by Liszt from 1861, DWRgs. The latter is almost completely identical with the first edition published by Schuberth in Leipzig also in 1861.
- (b) The 1854 score in the HBn shows that Liszt had originally set the Faust Symphony for a relatively small orchestra (2 to 3 flutes, 2 oboes, 2 clarinets, 2 bassoons, 4 horns and strings). It was only later that the scoring of the Symphony was extended to include trumpets, trombones, percussion and harp as well. ¹⁴⁰ In his studies Somfai called attention to both remarkable structural solutions and other changes which may have been made for psychological—dramatic reasons.

The present version of the Faust Symphony without final chorus has not appeared in print yet.

4. Because of the size, numbers of corrections, and other considerations, a full description of the manuscript is beyond the scope and the aim of this book.¹⁴¹

¹³⁹ "Liszt Faust-szimfóniájának alakváltásai (1–2)" and "Die musikalischen Gestaltwandlungen der Faust-Symphonie von Liszt", respectively. The same *in: Hamburger-Beiträge*, pp. 292–324.

141 It would prove most profitable to reconstruct and publish the version without the final chorus for which the manuscript unambiguously provides information, despite the great number of corrections.

¹³⁸ It was acquired at the same time as the incomplete manuscript of the piano reduction of the 2nd Beethoven cantata; see Note 81 on p. 62.

¹⁴⁰ Rescoring implied substantial rearrangement at the same time. Somfai concluded that unless Raff's clean copy of the score made between October 1854 and January 1855 is rediscovered, there is no way of telling precisely how much Raff revised Liszt's music. The scoring instructions Liszt added to the autograph score at a later date are, however, of some assistance.

Second Mephisto Waltz

Four groups of compositions are listed among Liszt's works under the title *Mephisto Waltz*. The first and second *Mephisto Waltzes* are known in three different settings: for orchestra, piano two hands and piano four hands, whereas the third and fourth waltzes are in piano setting only.¹⁴²

The HBn holds two manuscripts of the Second Mephisto Waltz: one contains the

setting for orchestra and the other the piano version for two hands.

The Second Mephisto Waltz was originally written for orchestra late 1880—early 1881. 143 The settings for piano two hands and four hands were made in 1881 on the basis of the score. The orchestral work was first performed on 9 March 1881 in Budapest; the Philharmonic Orchestra was conducted by Sándor Erkel. 144 After the first performance Liszt thoroughly reworked the piece; he extended it and changed the ending radically. The printed edition was based on this revised version. All three settings of the Second Mephisto Waltz were published by Fürstner of Berlin in 1881. 145

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1. S. 111 (R. 428)
Second Mephisto Waltz. For orchestra.

Ms. mus. 4.972

2. Manuscript score with autograph title-page and corrections. Title-page: "F. Liszt. // 2^{ter} Mephisto Walzer, // Camille S' Saëns freundschaftlich gewidmet. // 3 Ausgaben: // 1– Partitur. // 2– Pianoforte zweihändig // 3. Pianoforte vierhändig." (dark brown ink). Signature on f. 23^r: "FLiszt // Mai. 81—" (dark brown ink). No place is given. Script of the copyist, Gyula Erkel: ^{145a} dark brown ink. Autograph corrections: dark brown and violet ink, blue and red pencils.

24 ff. (f. 24: "16 Schluss Takte," Liszt's autograph proof sheet, a later addition.) Page numbers in the copyist's hand: 1-43 (red-brown pencil, dark brown ink, black pencil). $146 34.5 \times 26$ cm. Proof sheet measurements: 33.5×25 cm.

¹⁴³ The date on the autograph score (DWRgs Ms A 25) is "Dezember-Januar (81) Villa d'Este F. Liszt".

146 The title-page and the proof sheet bear no page numbers.

¹⁴² First Mephisto Waltz (with the full title: Zwei Episoden aus Lenaus Faust, No. 2. Der Tanz in der Dorfschenke (Mephisto-Walzer): S. 110/2, 514/2, 599; Second Mephisto Waltz: S. 111, 515, 600; Third Mephisto Waltz: S. 216; Fourth Mephisto Waltz: S. 696, unfinished. A fourth Mephisto Waltz title variant has also appeared in the case of the Bagatelle ohne Tonart (S. 216a).

 ¹⁴⁴ Csuka, p. 17. Liszt's autograph dedications to the Philharmonic Society on the orchestral parts
 (p. 15) and to Sándor Erkel on the score (p. 16) were also reproduced in facsimile in his edition.
 145 Plate no.: F. 2176–2178.

^{145a} See Liszt's thanks for the perfect copy of the *Mephisto Waltz* score by Gyula Erkel, in a letter to Kornél Ábrányi, dated 22 May 1881 (*Br.* II. No. 278).

Printer's copy with the engraver's spacing of the music and the plate number of the first edition ("F 2176, Eigenthum von Adolph Fürstner") together with other notes pertaining to the edition (black and blue pencils). 147

Provenance: purchased from Richard Macnutt Ltd. (Tunbridge Wells, Kent) in

1970.

- 3. (a) See the general introduction.
- (b) The HBn manuscript served as the engraver's copy for the first edition. The stave and page layout of the manuscript agrees with that of the score published by Fürstner. 148 Liszt added the new version of the ending on a separate folio, after the printer's proofs had been finished. This is born out by a note in the composer's hand at the last eight bars of the manuscript score erased in red pencil: "16 andere Schluss Takte // auf // H, F. // H.- // den gedruckten // Correctur Bogen // angefügt." The title-inscription of the proof-sheet also refers to this: "16 Schluss Takte // (nach dem 2^{ten} Takt // der Seite 87.)" (The page number refers to the printer's proofs.)
- 4. In addition to the title page, the inner title inscription and some instructions to the engraver, ¹⁴⁹ Liszt added ties, expression and dynamic marks, and accent signs to the manuscript score. The metronome mark at the beginning of the work ("Metronome 92 ")¹⁵⁰, as well as the orientation letters are all in his hand.

Facsimile 8 (on p. 90) shows the first, rejected attempt at an ending found in the manuscript. It is not identical with the ending of the first version of the composition, but represents the first ending of the revision, composed after the première. This section is of special interest because, when compared with the final version on the "Correctur Bogen" (which is the same in the printed edition), it becomes clear that Liszt discarded a trite tonal ending and replaced it by the characteristic, "diabolical" tritone. The same interval (B-F) was already stressed at the opening of the work. 151

147 On the verso of the title-page appears in an unknown hand "Kopf // Zweiter Mephisto Walzer // von // Franz Liszt". The title "Zweiter Mephisto-Walzer" appears once more, in Liszt's hand, on the first page of music, together with the remark in another hand "bis 27 Aug fertig". At the bottom of the proofsheet, half-erased is "Liszt Schubert Marsch." (?)

No copy of it is available in Hungary; the DWRz put its microfilm at our disposal. The new critical edition of the score prepared by Imre Sulyok was published in 1975 (Editio Musica — Eulenburg). In addition to the first edition by Fürstner, this edition also drew on the printer's copy in the

HBn and the autograph score in the DWRgs as a source.

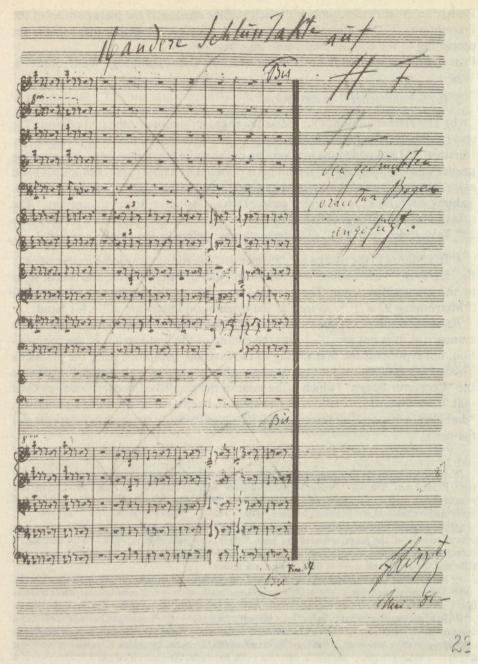
149 Such as the "NB. Triangel und Becken // auf eine Linie — stechen." on the first page of music.
150 The time signature is: 6/8 (2/4). The metronome mark refers to half a bar, that is, three quavers

(4).

151 In a letter written to Saint-Saëns, Liszt himself alluded to this B—F ending as having the effect of a question-mark, referring, in a symbolic context, to his life: "Personne plus que moi ne ressent la disproportion entre le bon vouloir et son résultat effectif dans mes compositions. Cependant je continue d'écrire—non sans fatigue—par besoin intime et vieille habitude. Viser haut n'est pas défendu: atteindre le but reste le point d'interrogation à peu près comme la terminaison de la valse méphistofélique sur si, fa



intervalles accusés dès les premières mesures du même morceau." ("Lettres inédites de Liszt à Saint-Saëns", p. 65, 6 December 1881.)



Facs. 9: Second Mephisto Waltz, for orch., manuscript copy with autograph corrections. Ms. mus. 4.972, f. 23' (the first, rejected ending of the revised version).

1. S. 515 (R. 182) Second Mephisto Waltz. For pf. Ms. mus. 5.093

2. Manuscript copy with autograph title-page and corrections. Title page: "F. Liszt // 2^{ter} Mephisto-Walzer. — // Camille S' Saëns freundschaftlichst gewidmet. // 3 Ausgaben: // 1 — Partitur // 2. Pianoforte, zweihändig // 3. Pianoforte vierhändig." (dark brown ink). Signed on p. 35: "FLiszt." (dark brown ink). Place and date are missing. Script of the copyist: dark brown ink. Autograph corrections: dark brown and red ink, red and blue pencils.

19 ff. Page numbering in the copyist's hand: 1-35 (dark brown ink). $152 32.5 \times 25.5$

cm

Printer's copy with the engraver's division of the music (black pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Theodore Front (Beverly Hills, USA) in 1971.

Facsimile: p. 22 in: NLE I/17, p. XIX.

3. (a) See the general introduction.

(b) In contrast to the score, this manuscript of the piano arrangement lacks both the publisher's name and the plate number. Nevertheless, the layout agrees with that of Fürstner's first edition of the piano arrangement¹⁵³ and confirms that this manuscript was used as the engraver's copy.

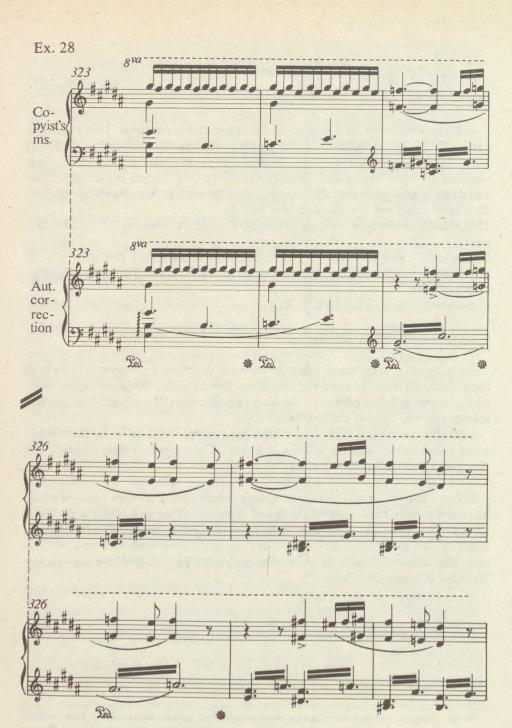
Liszt deleted the last eight bars of this manuscript—just as in the score—and wrote above them: "anderer Schluss, 16 Takte." The correction sheet on which this

new ending was notated is missing.

4. The title-page, inner title inscription, metronome mark (the last figure of which has subsequently been scratched out) and signature at the end of the work are in Liszt's hand, as well as several performing instructions, dynamic and pedal signs, fingering, ties and missing accidentals. In some cases some notes are corrected. The most important of these is on a slip of paper pasted over p. 22 of the manuscript, given on *Example 28* below.¹⁵⁴

The title-page, its blank verso and the blank verso of f. 19 have no page numbers. Page numbers are missing in some other places as well, because the corners of the manuscript have broken off. Pasted-over passages which were detached in restoration occur on p. 16 (5.5 × 10.5 cm) and on p. 22 (8 × 23 cm).

Plate no.: 2178. One copy is kept in HBl with the call number 28.587.
 The second slip pasted on p. 16 contains music identical to the copy underneath.



Ex. 28.

Second Mephisto Waltz, for pf. Autograph correction on p. 22 of the copyists manuscript, HBn Ms. mus. 5.093

1. S. 132 (R. 467/b)

Ms. mus. 25

Romance oubliée. (Vergessene Romanze.) For vl. and pf.

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on f. 1^v: "Vergessene Romanze // (Romance oubliée)" (dark brown ink). Signature on f. 2^v: "F. Liszt" (dark brown ink). Place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: red ink, blue and red pencils.

2 ff. 155 Without pagination. 24 × 31.5 cm. Note in an unknown hand on f. 1^r, under the title: "(Szentirmay Elemér tulajdona) // Liszt kézirata)" (black ink). 156 Provenance: bequest of Elemér Szentirmay, presented to the library in 1909 by his widow.

3. (a) Liszt wrote four settings of *Romance oubliée* simultaneously in 1880: for viola and piano, violin and piano, violoncello and piano, and piano solo. All settings were printed by the music publisher Arnold Simon (later Christian Bachmann) in Hannover in 1881.¹⁵⁷

The title refers to the genesis of the work. The composition was based on Liszt's romance for piano written in 1848 (S. 169). The publisher sent the long-forgotten manuscript to the aged master and requested permission to print it. Instead of returning the original work, Liszt made a new arrangement. Is

(b) In the HBn, the autograph manuscript of the violin-piano version varies slightly from the printed first edition. It is doubtful if the edition was based directly on this manuscript.¹⁶⁰

155 On f. Ir there is a detached slip of paper. Its measurements are 7.5 × 13.5 cm. It does not have

separate foliation.

Elemér Szentirmay (originally János Németh, 1836–1908) was one of the most famous composers of !!ungarian popular songs in the second half of the 19th century. Liszt and Szentirmay were well acquainted, a fact which is substantiated by the manuscript dedication of Szentirmay's most popular song ("Csak egy kislány . . .") to Liszt in 1877. This song was found in Liszt's estate (now in HBl, call number: 5672). Szentirmay gave a party in honour of Liszt (Fővárosi Lapok, 27 Febr. 1879); moreover, Ilona Ravasz (1851–1922), one of Liszt's favourite Hungarian pupils, was a niece of Szentirmay (see Kerényi Gy. Szentirmay Elemér és a magyar népzene [Elemér Szentirmay and Hungarian Folk Music], pp. 17–18, Note 23).

157 The plate numbers of the first edition were pf.: A. 167 S.; vla-pf.: A 168 S.; vl.-pf.: A 169 S.; vlc.-pf.: A. 170 S. One copy of each is in the HBn under the call number ZR 482 and in the HBl under the call numbers 3773, 3774, 3775 respectively. Christian Bachmann's reprint differs only in the data of the publisher's imprint, and lacks the letters beside the plate numbers. An arrangement for viola and

orchestra was also printed by Bachmann.

158 The romance itself is the arrangement of a much earlier song, "Oh pourquoi donc" (S. 301a)

written in about 1843 and printed in 1844. (Cf. Milstein II, p. 756, Note 148.)

159 The compositional genesis is printed on the verso of the title-page of Chr. Bachmann's edition (see the copy in the HBn, call number Mus. pr. 2452). In copies of A. Simon's edition that were later provided with Bachmann's own cover, the description was printed on a separate sheet attached to the verso of the title-page (see the copy in the HBn, call number ZR 482).

160 The meaning of the autograph note in red ink ("die obere Zeile leer lassen") beside the title is unclear. Apart from this note, the manuscript lacks any other similar instructions or the engraver's

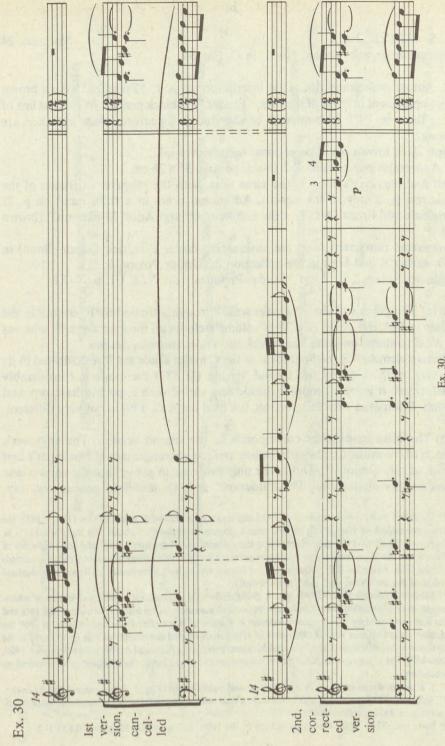
marks on the music.

4. Apart from some minor differences in slurring (e.g. in bars 25–26, 31–32), the violin part of the manuscript and of the first edition are identical. By contrast, the piano accompaniment deviates in some places. The most striking difference is that the manuscript lacks the quaver motion in the right hand in bars 72–73, 76–77, 80–81 (Ex. 29). (Since the violin part is identical in both sources, it is only written out once.)

Ex. 29



The study of the detached passage on p. 1 reveals that in the first draft the beginning of the section in 6/8 was preceded by a cadence in G major. In correcting the passage, Liszt omitted it and extended this section by three bars (Ex. 30).



Romance oubliée, for vl. and pf. 1st, cancelled draft and 2nd, corrected version of bars 14-19 in the autograph HBn Ms. mus. 25

1. S. 137/1 (R. 2a/1)

Ms. mus. 24

Vingt-quatre grandes études, No. 1, in C. For pf.

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "Preludes." (dark brown ink). Supplement in front of the title: "Etudes—" (black pencil). At the first line of music there is: "1°" (the number of the study). Signature, place and date are missing.

Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: light brown ink.

1 f. Autograph pagination: 1-2 (black pencil). 35 × 26 cm.

Draft and engraver's copy at the same time, with the engraver's division of the music (on p. 2 only, black pencil). Additional notes in a third hand on p. 2: "Originale von Franz Liszt."—"die Echtheit verbürgt Adolf Müller mp." (brown ink). 161

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900; earlier it had been in the collection of Sándor Pozsonyi. 162

Facsimile: Szilágyi, E.: Liszt "Etudes-Préludes"...; NLE I/1, p. X-XI.

3. (a) The genesis of the 12 Études was thoroughly treated by F. Busoni in the preface to Vol. II/1 of the GA. That volume includes all three versions, ¹⁶³ whereas the NLE contains only the final form, the *Transcendental Studies*.

Certain elements of the final form of the C major étude are foreshadowed in its first version (S. 136). In the second version (S. 137) the étude is considerably transformed: it is terser, more virtuosic and varied with regard to harmony and rhythm. Compared with this version, the final form (S. 139) is not very different.

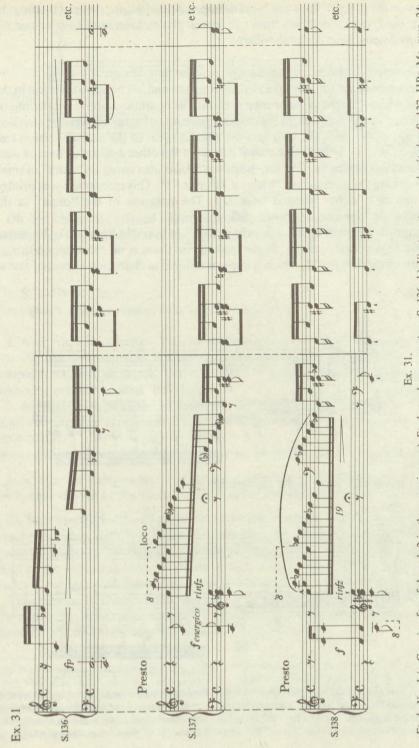
(b) The HBn manuscript corresponds to the second version. The engraver's division of the music agrees with the line and page arrangement of Haslinger's first edition of this version. 164 This is the only evidence to prove that the edition was based on this manuscript. The autograph, with its manifold corrections, nay,

161 Until this point it was not known that Liszt was acquainted with Adolf Müller (1801–1886), the Austrian conductor of Hungarian origin, once a popular composer of about 600 stage works. It is, however, very likely that the person certifying the authenticity of the manuscript and the conductor of the Theater an der Wien was one and the same person. (See Müller's autograph among the manuscripts kept in the HBn, Ms. mus. 272: "Romanze[...] aus der Operette: *Liebeszauber*". The script is identical with that of the certificate on Liszt's manuscript.)

162 Sándor Pozsonyi (18??–1899) was a Hungarian-born manuscript expert and collector whose collection of nearly 66,000 items (diplomas, important manuscripts on history, literature, the arts and music) was purchased by the antiquarian dealer F. Cohen of Bonn after Pozsonyi's death. In 1900 the Hungarian state acquired some 4,000 items of Hungarian-related documents of this collection for the Department of Manuscripts of the National Museum and for the National Archives (see *Századok* 1900, pp. 466–469). The autograph manuscripts of ten compositions by Liszt in the HBn were also acquired on this occasion.

¹⁶³ 1. Etude en douze exercices, S. 136, written and published in 1826; 2. Vingt-quatre grandes études, S. 137, written in 1837, printed in 1839; 3. Etudes d'exécution transcendante (Transcendental Studies), S. 139, written in 1851, printed in 1852.

¹⁶⁴ Plate no.: 7745-7746. One copy is kept in the HBn; call number: Mus. pr. 10.853/1-2.



Etude No. 1 in C major, for pf, bars 1-2 in three versions: a) Etude en douze exercices, S. 136; b) Vingt-quatre grandes études, S. 137, HBn Ms. mus. 24; c) Etudes d'exécution transcendante, S. 139

scribbles on the margin, does not give the impression of an engraver's fair copy. In addition, the first edition differs from it in several places. Liszt must have written his later amendments into the proof-sheets.¹⁶⁵

4. Differences between the manuscript and the first edition:

At the beginning of the work the rhythm for right and left hands is identical in the manuscript but different in the printed version. The figurations above the chromatic bass passage in the manuscript represent a transitional stage between the version drafted in Liszt's youth (S. 136) and the printed form of the second version (see Example 31 on p. 97). The same trends prevail in the other analogous bars as well.

From the last unit of bar 7 to the end of bar 8 Liszt also wrote an "ossia" in small notes, marking the manuscript "Piano a 7 8taves." ¹⁶⁶ This inscription was printed in the first edition but omitted from *GA*. The notation of the "ossia" in the manuscript and the printed edition differs slightly.

In the printed edition the chords in bars 10–11 of the right hand are to be played an octave higher than written. In the manuscript there is no reference to this.

In the manuscript, bar 13, which is improvisational in character, appeared first as follows:



Later Liszt corrected it in the manuscript:



165 Divergences between the engraver's copy and the final music text are not rare in Liszt's works. He rearranged even his already published compositions over and over again. Liszt himself was well aware of his "Verbesserungssucht" ('mania for improving'), a characteristic trait of his make-up as composer.
166 Hanns Neupert states that "From 1804 onwards the range of pianofortes was extended to six

Finally, it came out in print in the following way:



On the whole, the printed edition has a larger number of dynamic marks and performing instructions and applies accidentals more consistently than the manuscript.

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1. S. 137/7 (R. 2a/7)
Vingt-quatre grandes études, No. 7, in Eb. For pf.

Ms. mus. 5.035

7 Tid in the F. W.

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 55: "Nr 7" (dark brown ink). The title inscription proper is missing, as the manuscript was probably part of a complete set. No signature, place or date is given. Script: dark brown ink. Additions and corrections: heliotrope ink.

6 ff. Autograph pagination: 55-66 (dark brown ink). 35 × 26.5 cm.

Draft and engraver's copy at the same time with the engraver's spacing of the music (brown ink).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Stargardt (Marburg) in 1971.

- 3. (a) For the composition and the three versions of the études see p. 96. The third, final version of the étude in E flat major was designated "Eroica" (S. 139).
- (b) Page numbering 55-66 suggests that this manuscript of the E flat major étude was presumably detached from the complete set. Except for the previously discussed study in C major, the whereabouts of the manuscript of the remaining items of the set is unknown. It is not certain, either, that the manuscripts of the études C major and E flat major were part of a coherent set of manuscripts.¹⁶⁷

As in the case of the étude in C major, the draft was used as the engraver's copy. The manuscript is heavily corrected. Except for some dynamic and pedal signs, the engraver followed the numerous directions meticulously.

octaves and a half (C-f⁴) and reached seven octaves = 85 notes (A_2 -a⁴) by about 1823". (MGG, Vol. 7, p. 1105). Though in 1824, Liszt played on a piano with a range of seven octaves in Paris, it is not likely that such instruments had been widely and exclusively in use by the end of the 1830s. This accounts for Liszt's indicating the solution with a wider range as "ossia".

¹⁶⁷ The measurements of the two manuscripts agree, by and large, but the papers are different. The spacing of the music is probably in the hand of 2 different engravers.

4. Of the divergences between the manuscript and the first edition only one variant deserves mentioning:

Ex. 33

Ms. 57

Pr. 57

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1. S. 140/4 (R. 3a/4), 2nd version Ms. mus. 26 Études d'exécution transcendante d'après Paganini, No. 4, in E. For pf.

2. Autograph fragment covering bars 56–57; memorial leaf without title. Signature on f. 1^r: "F. Liszt." Place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. 1 f. No pagination. 8 × 12.5 cm, glued in the middle of a white sheet measuring 17.5 × 22.5 cm. 168

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900; earlier it had been in the possession of Sándor Pozsonyi.

- 3. (a) The set entitled Études d'exécution transcendante d'après Paganini (Bravourstudien nach Paganini's Capricen) is the antecedent of the great Paganini études (S. 141). They were written in 1838 and first published in 1840. The 4th caprice appeared in two versions; see both in Volume II/3 of the GA.
- (b) The HBn manuscript is an excerpt from the second version of the 4th caprice: it is a memorial leaf for an unspecified person. Liszt signed the leaf at the upperleft of the page. 169

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1. S. 158/2 (R. 10b/4)

Ms. mus. 18

Tre sonetti del Petrarca, original version. No. 2: Sonetto No. 47. For pf.

2. A copy of the first edition with autograph corrections. On the printed title-page¹⁷⁰ there are no corrections. Signature, place and date are not given. Autograph corrections: red-brown pencil, dark brown ink.¹⁷¹

168 The dates of Liszt's birth and death and his full name are written in German in black pencil at the bottom of the underlying sheet. The handwriting is not identified.

169 The fragment described by Lavotta simply as a "memorial leaf" (p. 116, 4th entry) was identified

by Zoltán Gárdonyi.

¹⁷⁰ The printed title-page reads: "3 // SONETTI DI PETRARCA. // Composti // per il Clavicembalo // da // FRANCESCO LISZT. // № [2.] // ... VIENNA, // presso Haslinger Vedova e Figlio." Copublishers: Ricordi, Latte. Plate no.: T. H. 10,092.

171 Some added fingerings and phrasing signs in ink are probably in Liszt's hand, but this cannot be

established definitely.

9 ff. Printed page numbers: $3-15.172 31 \times 23$ cm.

Notes in an unknown hand (on pp. 6-8, 11-12): instructions for the engraving

(black pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900: earlier it had been in the collection of Sándor Pozsonyi. Lina Ramann's certificate of the authenticity of Liszt's corrections was bound in front of the titlepage. 173

- 3. (a) The three pieces of Petrarca's Canzoniere were for Liszt a source of inspiration to write songs and piano works. According to recent research by Rena Mueller, the composition date of the Petrarca sonnets for piano falls between 1843 and 1845, 174 Liszt himself dates them for 1845 in a letter to Lina Ramann, 175 They were first published by Haslinger of Vienna in 1846 with the comprehensive title 3 Sonetti di Petrarca, but each sonnet was issued separately, i.e. in three books altogether. Their order is:
 - 1. Pace non trovo (sonnet No. 104);
 - 2. Benedetto sia (sonnet No. 47);
 - 3. I vidi in terra (sonnet No. 123).

After having revised the sonnets Liszt inserted them in the second year of Années de pèlerinage (Italie), first issued by Schott in 1858. Sonnet No. 47 is the fourth, sonnet No. 104 the fifth and sonnet No. 123 is the sixth item of the set.

The first version of the three sonnets can be studied in volume II/5, the second in Volume II/6 of the GA. Volume I/7 of the NLE includes the later version only. 176

(b) The present source is a first edition copy of the second sonnet in its first version. Liszt evidently planned a corrected new edition that did not appear in the end. (In the catalogues of his works it is not mentioned and we have failed to trace one copy in collections of any importance.)177 The variant in the Années de

172 The music was also foliated in the library. F. 1 is the certificate of authenticity bound in later: the music itself is on ff. 2-9. The two kinds of numbering are clearly seen on Facsimile 10a.

174 See Charnin Mueller, R., Review of Alan Walker, Franz Liszt, I, The Virtuoso Years 1811-1847, p.

175 Ramann-Lisztiana, p. 42.

176 In the Critical Notes of the volume (p. 125) the editors, Imre Sulyok and Imre Mező, mention the

copy held in the HBn. 177 It has been impossible to reconstruct which edition by Haslinger was used in Vol. II/5 of the GA as

¹⁷³ The text of the certificate (on f. 1'), authenticated with red stamp, is as follows: "Der hier angeschlossene Probedruck der 'Sonetti di Petrarca' von Franz Liszt, wurde mir für meine Autographen-Sammlung, von Carl Haslinger, dem Verleger and persönlichen Freunde des Componisten übergeben.— Sämmtliche Correkturen, die sich vorfinden, sind eigenhändig von Franz Liszt eingezeichnet, und so als Original-Handschrift aus der besten Schaffensperiode des Componisten unverändert belassen worden. Ramann mp." [The attached proof-sheets of Franz Liszt's 'Sonetti di Petrarca' were given to me for my collection of autograph manuscripts by Carl Haslinger, the composer's publisher and personal friend.-All corrections contained herein were written in in Franz Liszt's own hand and have thus been left unchanged as original manuscript from the composer's most creative period. Ramann m.p.] Contrary to Ramann's statement, the copy is not a proof-sheet but the first edition proper. (It is identical, for example, with the copy in the HBl, call number 17.632.)

a source of J. V. da Motta's edition. The musical text of sonnet No. 47 on pp. 53-60 of the volume does not agree exactly with Haslinger's first edition nor with the planned new edition prepared by I iszt in the

pèlerinage differs so significantly that it must be looked upon not as a new edition but as a new version.

4. Almost all pages of the printed music contain multiple corrections, including wrong notes. Dynamic signs and directions for performance, found surprisingly rarely in the first edition, were frequently added, and ties, marcato signs, fingerings and note tails were supplemented in many cases.

Below is a listing of musical changes not contained in the somewhat corrected

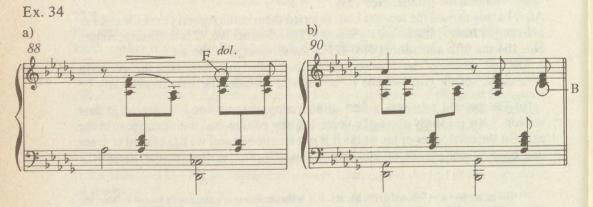
music text published in Volume II/5 of GA.178

Bar 53: the last group of the third progression engraved with small notes and made up of three semiquavers was extended to five (see the facsimile of p. 11, No. 10a in the present volume);

bar 56, last chord in the left hand: Liszt deleted the note b: "weg // mit H" (see

Facsimile 10b on p. 104);

bars 87 and 89: Liszt later inserted a note (f^1 and b flat, respectively) in each chord in the right hand (Examples 34a-b).



Of the subsequently added directions for performance the following must be mentioned:

at the end of bar 3: "poco rit.";

bars 24-25: "più appassionato";

bar 26: "rinfz.";

bar 28: rinforz. supplemented later by: "molto";

bars 32-36: "dolcissimo con intimo sentimento";

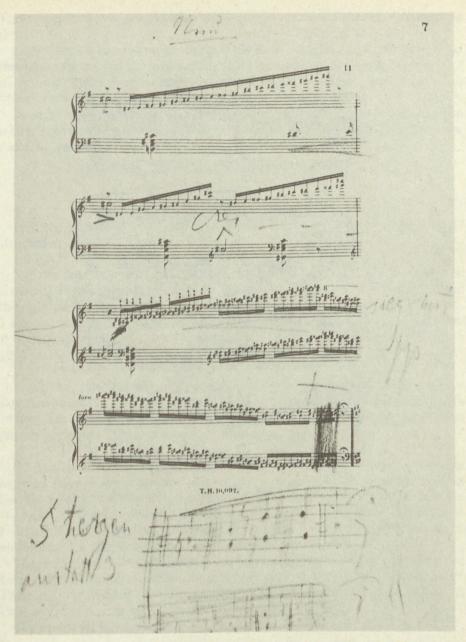
bar 44: "rinforz. assai" in the right hand; "marcato" in the left hand;

bar 47: "dolcissimo" at the passages with small notes in the right hand;

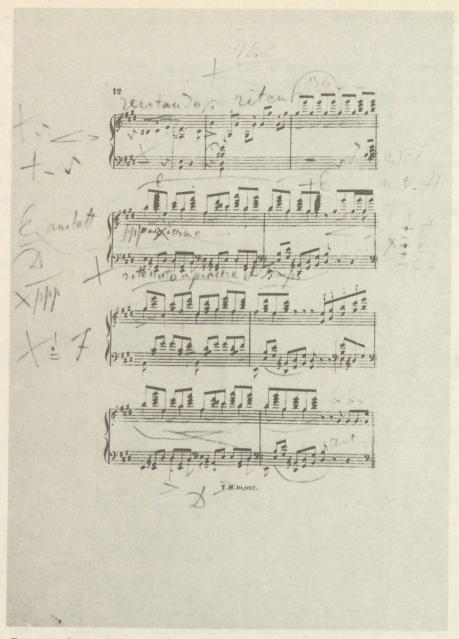
bar 63: "Tempo Imo sempre rubato".

HBn copy. When the GA version is compared with Haslinger's first edition, all changes can also be seen in Liszt's manuscript corrections. However, at least half of Liszt's corrections in the HBn copy are not found in the GA.

¹⁷⁸ The incomplete bar at the beginning of the "Andantino" section was not numbered separately.



Facs. 10/a: Sonetto del Petrarca No. 47, for pf., 1st version, printed copy with autograph corrections. Ms. mus. 18, p. 11.



Facs. 10/b: Sonetto del Petrarca No. 47. 1st version printed copy with autograph corrections.

Ms. mus. 18. p. 12.

These directions (and several other additions of minor importance) are missing in the GA.

Facsimiles 10a and 10b on pp. 103 and 104 show pages 11 and 12, which contain the most copious and decisive corrections. For a new edition these two pages of music ought to have been completely reengraved. (This is born out by the word "Neu" written in a different, unknown hand.)

In addition to the changes mentioned above, attention should be drawn to an interesting rhythm amendment in the first bar on p. 12: the added rest turns the recitative bar 54 to a bar in 5/4.

28

1. S. 164 (R. 64/1)

Albumblatt (Feuille d'album) in E. For pf.

Ms. mus. 27

2. Autograph fragment containing bars 1–11; memorial leaf. The title inscription is missing. Signature on f. 1' (on the left-hand side): "Viene // 25 Fevrier 1840", (on the right-hand side): "F. Liszt." Script: dark brown ink.

2 ff, of which only f. 1^r contains writing. Without page numbering. 13 × 16.5 cm. Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900; earlier it had been in the collection of Sándor Pozsonyi.

- 3. (a) The waltz melody in E major notated on the memorial leaf was first sketched out in the *Valse mélancolique* (S. 210, composed in 1839 and published in 1840). Liszt created the *Albumblatt* in E major (S. 164) by further developing this piece some time in 1840. It appeared in print in 1841.¹⁷⁹
- (b) The music on the memorial leaf in the HBn represents a transitional stage between Valse mélancolique and Albumblatt. It is, however, closer to the latter in that the waltz melody forms a coherent period interrupted only in the middle. (In the Valse mélancolique the melody appears in mosaic-like fragments, in a virtuosic setting.) The E pedal point connects it, on the other hand, with the Valse mélancolique as this element does not appear in the Albumblatt.

The intended recipient of this manuscript is unknown. The farewell concert of Liszt's 1839/40 concert tour had already been given in Vienna on 16 February. 180 There may have been occasion to present the memorial leaf privately on 25 February, but no concrete evidence for this is available.

The memorial leaf is shown on Facsimile 11.

¹⁷⁹ The first edition of Valse mélancolique was printed by Maurice Schlesinger in Paris, plate no.: M. S. 3197; a copy is kept in the HBn under call number ZR 57. Also published in Vol. II/10 of the GA (pp. 33–38). The Albumblatt in E major was first published in 1841. Some time later Schuberth of Leipzig issued it together with an Albumblatt in A minor (S. 167) as Deux feuilles d'album, plate no.: 1332; a copy is kept in the HBn, call number Mus. pr. 11.835. It has not been published in the GA but it was printed in Vol. 1/13 of the NLE.

¹⁸⁰ Corr. L-Ag. I, p. 386.



Facs. 11: Albumblatt (Feuille d'album) in E, for pf., autograph manuscript, memorial leaf. Ms. mus. 27

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1. S. 175/2 (R. 17/2) Ms. mus. 4.556 Légendes. No. 2. St. François de Paule marchant sur les flots. For pf.

- 2. Autograph manuscript. Fragment containing bars 54–63. Title inscription on the blank f. 1^v: "San Francesco (di Paula) // e San Francesco d'Assisi —" (red pencil). Signature, place and date are missing. Script: black ink. Additions (pedal and marcato signs): blue pencil.
- 1 f. No pagination. Correction or supplement to a missing manuscript. At the beginning: "nach Pag: 3." Reference to continuation at the last bar: "Segue Page 4." 17.5 × 22.5 cm; attached to an unruled white sheet measuring 34 × 22.5 cm. Provenance: unknown. It had been in the possession of Mihály Mosonyi. 181

¹⁸¹ This emerges from the text written on the underlying sheet: "Dr Franz von Liszt 1811. Componist, Clavirvirtuos. Aus dem Nachlasse Michael Mosonyi. 5." Mihály Mosonyi (original surname Brand) (1815–1870) was an eminent Hungarian composer and writer on music who met Liszt on the occasion of the first performance of the *Missa solennis* in 1856. Mosonyi's visit to Weimar (1857), his arrangement for piano four-hands of *Missa solennis* (1865), their correspondence, their mutual propagation of one another's works, as well as Liszt's numerous compositions related to Mosonyi (S. 194, 205/7, 417 etc.) all bear evidence of the friendship between the two composers.

- 3. (a) Liszt composed the two legends for piano at the beginning of the 1860s or in 1863 at the latest. They were first printed in 1866. The later editions (in Vol. II/9 of the *GA* as well as in Vol. I/10 of the *NLE*) are based on the first editions and do not contain any substantial deviations from them.
- (b) This manuscript contains a small fragment of the second legend, the beginning of the middle section without key signature. As its page number references bear out, it was made to be inserted in a manuscript which is no longer extant. Apart from some insignificant deviations, the music is identical with bars 54–63 of the printed edition.
- 4. Minor differences between the manuscript and the first edition include fingerings, pedal and accent signs which are generally more detailed in the printed edition. Sometimes they are, however, more abundant in the manuscript. The octave marking of bar 61 in the right hand extends over three additional notes in the printed edition (Ex. 35).





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1. S. 175/2 (R. 17/2) Ms. mus. 15 Légendes. No. 2. St. François de Paule marchant sur les flots. Simplified version. For pf.

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "F. Liszt — // Légendes. // № 2. St. François de Paule »Marchant sur les flots« // (Version facilitée) —". Signature on p. 6 is: "F. Liszt." No place and date are given. Script: brown ink.

4 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-6 (red pencil). 31 × 23.5 cm.

Engraver's copy with two kinds of engraving division (red and black pencils). ¹⁸³ On the blank recto of f. 4: H 4629 (the plate number of Heugel of Paris in black pencil). Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900; earlier it had been in the collection of Sándor Pozsonyi.

Facsimile: p. 1 in: Walker, after p. 144.

182 Pest, Rózsavölgyi (Vienne, J. N. Dunkl.) Plate no.: N. G. 1229–1230; a copy is kept in the HBn under call-number ZR 459, Koll. 1–2. The first French edition was published almost concurrently with it by Heugel in Paris. Plate no.: 4612.(1–2); a copy is to be found in HBl, call number 12.763. The two editions coincide musically, but show differences in performance instructions.

183 The two kinds of division do not correspond with each other. The markings in red pencil may

originate with the composer. The division in black pencil is evidently in the engraver's hand

- 3. (a) Liszt frequently simplified his technically more demanding works through the addition of ossias to the main text or the publication of a simplified version. In the case of the second legend, there are several simplifications to which J. V. da Motta referred in his preface to Vol. II/9 of the GA.¹⁸⁴
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn is a simplified variant containing the second legend in its entirety. It was to have been published by Heugel in Paris at about the same time as the first French edition of the original version of the legend. For unknown reasons the engraved plates were, however, melted down, and the piece in this simplified version never reached publication by Heugel. It was published by Editio Musica Budapest in 1976 only, edited by Imre Sulyok on the basis of the manuscript in the HBn. This version is also included in the Appendix to Vol. I/10 of the *NLE*.

Some simplifications in the form of *ossia* are also present in the first editions by Rózsavölgyi and Heugel, respectively, but these are not identical with the relevant sections of the *Version facilitée*.

4. On collating the original setting and the simplified version, changes can be found in almost each bar. The length of the compositions is not completely identical: the harder version is 169 bars in length, compared to the 156 bars of the simplified version. Nevertheless, the structure is evident throughout; the main changes affected the virtuosic filling-in material only. The reduction in length also resulted from the omission of such bars. 185

31

1. S. 203 (R. 79)
Schlaflos, Frage und Antwort, nocturne. For pf.

Ms. mus. 273

2. Manuscript copy with autograph title-page and corrections. Title-page (p. 1): "Schlaflos! // Frage und Antwort: // Nocturne für Pianoforte, // nach einem Gedicht von Toni Raab. 186 // Von F. Liszt." (brown ink). The signature, place and date are missing. Script of the copyist, Wilhelm Weber: 187 brown ink. Autograph corrections: brown and heliotrope ink.

4 ff. Pagination: 2-7 (blue pencil). 188 18 × 27 cm.

Provenance: purchased from Karl Wanka (Vienna) in 1911.

¹⁸⁵ With regard to the simplified setting, see also Imre Sulyok's preface in Hungarian, German and French to the first edition (publisher's number: Z. 7808).

186 Antonia (Toni, Tony) Raab (18??–1902), Austrian pianist was one of Liszt's favourite pupils; see Liszt's letters to her (e.g. Pr. No. 422). The poem on which the composition is based is not known.

187 For the copyist see Note 74 on p. 56.

¹⁸⁴ ["According to Professor Kellermann the reason for such changes lay in the pupils' small abilities making them incapable of rendering the original setting."] GA II/9, p. VI.

¹⁸⁸ The contemporary pagination is presumably not in Liszt's hand. The music later received the library's stamped foliation, but incorrectly: 1–3–2–4.

- 3. (a) Liszt wrote this work for piano in 1883, but it was first printed in Vol. II/9 of the GA in 1927 only. The sources used then were the manuscript copy in the HBn together with a copy in the possession of Gisela Göllerich, ¹⁸⁹ the widow of August Göllerich, which has since disappeared. As no other manuscript of the work survives, the editors of Vol. I/12 of NLE relied on the manuscript in the HBn and Vol. II/9 of the GA as their source.
- (b) In the HBn manuscript the copyist's script and Liszt's amendments and additions are clearly distinguishable. The entire title-page is in Liszt's hand; in addition, Liszt subsequently wrote in dynamic and tempo marks, ties and pedal signs. The variant with notes in large print in the first edition (i.e. the one without ossias) agrees with the manuscript under discussion.

32

1. S. 225/2 (R. 45/2) Two Csárdás, No. 2. Csárdás obstiné. For pf. Ms. mus. 21

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "Csardas obstiné. // (Hartnäckiger Csardas)." (dark brown ink). Signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Pedal instructions and directions for performance: heliotrope ink. Further additions and corrections: red, black and blue pencils. 5 ff. Autograph pagination: 1–10 (black pencil). 34.5 × 27 cm.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealers Gilhofer & Ranschburg (Vienna) in 1906.

Facsimile: p. 1 in: László-Mátéka Fr., cover and p. 204 (No. 340); the same in: László-Mátéka Hung., p. 168 (No. 344); p. 2 in: Walker, before p. 353.

- 3. (a) Csárdás obstiné is the second item of 2 Csárdás composed in 1884. Both works were first published by Táborszky and Parsch¹⁹⁰ in Budapest in 1886, the year of Liszt's death. Modern editions include the publication in LSP III as well as the 1980 edition by Editio Musica Budapest.¹⁹¹
- (b) HBn keeps the original manuscript of *Csárdás obstiné*. This manuscript could not have been the engraver's copy, since it differs from the first edition in several

100 The co-publishers were: Vienne, F. Wessely; Leipsic, F. Hofmeister. Plate no.: T. és P. 970-971. A

copy is kept in the HBn, call number ZR 511.

¹⁰¹ LSP is based exclusively on the first edition. The edition by Editio Musica Budapest (edited by Imre Sulyok and Imre Mező, Z. 8834) has also considered the autograph manuscript in the HBn.

¹⁸⁹ Mrs. Göllerich née Gizella Voigt (named Mrs. Jánosné Pászthory in her first marriage) (1858—after 1943), Hungarian pianist and teacher, was Liszt's talented pupil at the Academy of Music in Budapest. Numerous Liszt manuscripts had been in the possession of the Göllerich family; for a while this collection was deposited in the library of the Bruckner College of Music at Linz, then sold by auction. Before the auction Jerger had compiled and published a list of the manuscripts. The nocturne Schlaftos is not listed among them. Its whereabouts are unknown.

places, even if not always significantly. Additions and corrections in ink and pencil of various colours show that Liszt revised, corrected and modified his manuscript on several occasions.

4. The most essential deviations between the manuscript and the first edition include:

bars 149–152 (157–160), 163–164 and 167–172: in the manuscript there is a figured version of semiquaver movement beside the melody in the right hand. Liszt originally marked it as Ossia; later on he erased the simpler version and let this ossia stand as the final form. Nevertheless, the first edition contained the simpler solution and eliminated the figured one altogether. The enumerated bars were printed in the elaborate form, as finalized by Liszt, only in the 1980 Hungarian edition; which relied on the manuscript in the HBn as primary source;

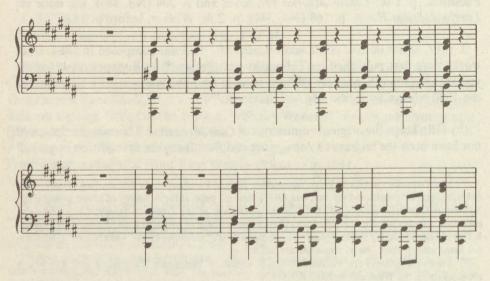
bars 240-244: the 8^{va} above the right hand in the printed edition is missing in the manuscript. The 8^{va} marking seems to be justified; it has also been retained in the new Hungarian edition;

bar 299: in the manuscript there is "sempre ff, staccato, e accelerando" as opposed to sempre ff e staccato in the first edition.

As regards staccato, marcato and pedal signs, minor deviations can be seen between the first edition and the manuscript. In particular, marcato signs are fewer and less consistently applied in the first edition than in the manuscript.

From bar 298 onwards Liszt completely erased the first version of the ending of the work on p. 9 of the manuscript and composed a new ending on p. $10.^{192}$ The first, similarly completed draft is clearly legible under the erasure in pencil (see Ex. 36).

Ex. 36



¹⁹² Liszt first attempted to notate a revised version on p. 9, but erased this one as well and wrote the final form on p. 10.



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1. S. 233a (R. 56a)
Siegesmarsch (Marche triomphale). For pf.

Ms. mus. 5.598

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "Siegesmarsch — // (Marche triomphale)" (blue pencil). Signature, date and place are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: red and blue pencils.

5 ff. 193 Autograph pagination: 1-9 (blue pencil). 35 × 27 cm.

Note in an unknown hand on p. 1: "Liszt, Franz von, (1811–1886)" (black pencil). Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing) in 1972; earlier it had been in private possession. 194

Facsimiles: the entire manuscript in: Kecskeméti, I.: Liszt Ferenc ismeretlen zongoradarabja [Franz Liszt's Unknown Piano Piece], pp. 348–367; p. 1 in: Kecskeméti, I.: Two Liszt discoveries. 1. An unknown piano piece, p. 647.

- 3. (a) The existence of this late piano piece (written according to the catalogues of Liszt's works in about 1870) was reported by August Göllerich. ¹⁹⁵ The composition was never printed and the location of the manuscript was unknown until 1968 when Felix Raabe reported its existence in the revised catalogue. At that time, the manuscript was in the possession of Dr. F. Frauenberger (Munich). ¹⁹⁶ It appears from Raabe's description that this was the manuscript later acquired by the HBn. The first to publish the entire work in a Hungarian study was István Kecskeméti; subsequently it was also printed separately by Editio Musica Budapest in 1978. ¹⁹⁷
- (b) On the evidence of Liszt's handwriting it is possible that the manuscript was written later than Raabe and Searle suggested. Liszt's strokes of the pen are slipshod, somewhat cramped. It is not always clear whether he intended to notate the note-heads on a line or between the lines; it is as if he could not see distinctly what he was writing. The layout of the manuscript resembles the *Ungarisches*

195 Göllerich, p. 288.

196 Raabe II, Supplement, p. 9.

¹⁹³ On p. 4 there was a pasted-over passage measuring 9.5 × 24 cm, later detached during the restoration in the HBn. As a consequence, the manuscript consists of 6 folios.

¹⁹⁴ The second-hand book-shop selling the manuscript did not disclose the name of the previous owner. For further information, see 3.(a).

¹⁹⁷ Edited by Márta Papp. Publisher's number: Z. 7811.

Königslied (1883–84), the Csárdás obstiné (1884) and the Hungarian Rhapsody No. xix (1885).—In his analysis of the work, Kecskeméti concluded that the manuscript was undoubtedly one of Liszt's later compositions, written in about 1870 or even later. In connection with the use of stars for pedalling, Winklhofer observed that Liszt did not apply these signs before 1882; as a result, the manuscript cannot originate from before that date. 198

The following autograph remark appears on the verso of the paste-over on p. 4: "auf 2 Zeilen stechen." 199

34-37

Rákóczi March Arrangements

The "representative Hungarian national march" of the 19th century evolved to its present form between 1809 and 1820, combining and absorbing numerous musical elements, such as Kurutz and verbunkos motives. ²⁰⁰ Liszt was preoccupied with the march throughout his life; he arranged it several times and played it frequently at his concerts.

In the table on pp. 113—114, all of Liszt's various arrangements of the Rákóczi march are listed along with their manuscripts in the HBn.

Zoltán Gárdonyi published an important short study in which he treated three of the four *Rákóczi march* arrangements found among Liszt's manuscripts in the HBn (Ms. mus. 16, 22 and 23), and established their dates of composition and defined their role in Liszt's œuvre. ²⁰¹ The present author described all four manuscripts in detail in a study published in both German and Hungarian. ²⁰²

¹⁹⁸ Winklhofer, p. 262.

¹⁹⁹ Kecskeméti believes the word "stechen", which was slightly blurred with glue, to mean "reduciren".

²⁰⁰ For the genesis, history and literature of the Rákóczi March see B. Szabolcsi's summary in the Zenei Lexikon [Lexicon of Music] III, pp. 180–182.

²⁰¹ Gárdonyi, Z. "A Rákóczi induló Liszt Ferenc három kéziratában".

²⁰² Eckhardt M. "Die Handschriften des Rákóczi-Marsches von Franz Liszt in der Széchényi Nationalbibliothek, Budapest", and "Liszt Rákóczi-indulójának kéziratai az Országos Széchényi Könyvtárban", respectively.

nuscript in the HBn Contemporary editions	1823: for piano. News in the press of a fantasy-like performance. 203 The music has not survived.	has no number of its own; 1839/40: for piano. Ms. mus. 22. The difficult version is complete; the printed. under 106/15b; in reality simplified version is incomplete. (Ms. mus. 16. an antecedent of 105b/13. Memorial leaf, 1841. Shows relationship with the simplified version.)	1847: "Magyar rhapsodiák—R[h]apsodies hongrersion only. Toises" 6th book. Haslinger, Vienna. Difficult and simplified versions.	1851: "Édition populaire", Kistner, Leipzig. (The same in 1852: "Comorn, Marche de Rakoczy", Wessel, Ashdown; Schuberth, Leipzig.) ²⁰⁴	1853: "Ungarische Rhapsodien—Rhapsodies
Arrangement; manuscript in the HBn	1823: for piano. News in the press of a fantasy-like The music has not survived.	1839/40: for piano. Ms. mus. 22. The difficult versior simplified version is incomplete Memorial leaf, 1841. Shows rela simplified version.)	1846/47: for piano. Ms. mus. 23. Difficult version only.	for piano.	1853: for piano.
Raabe-No. A	1823: J News ii The m	has no number of its own; 1839/40: for piano. mentioned incorrectly Ms. mus. 22. The difficult version is complete; the under 106/15b; in reality simplified version is incomplete. (Ms. mus. 16. an antecedent of 105b/13. Memorial leaf, 1841. Shows relationship with the simplified version.)	105b/13 1846/4 Ms. m	unlisted; mentioned in the 1851: for piano. supplements under 106/15.	
Searle-No.		(antecedent of 242/13)	242/13	244/15, first version	(244/15, first version—not 106/15a

²⁰³ Tudományos Gyűjtemény 1823. [Scientific Collection 1823]. VII. pp. 122–123. Cited in: Legány, D. A magyar zene krónikája [Chronicle of Hungarian Music], p. 262.

²⁰⁴ The two editions of 1852 are mentioned only by Searle in his earlier (1954) catalogue of Liszt's works published in Grove. I have not come across any copies of them.

lists as Hungarian Rhapsody No. xv (S. 244/15) the 1851 and 1871 editions that radically differ from the ²⁰⁵ Among the 19 Hungarian rhapsodies, this 1853 edition should be listed as No. xv, being the only Rákóczi March arrangement which was entitled by Liszt Ungarische Rhapsodie Nr. XV. However, Searle 1853 edition and are not called Hungarian rhapsodies. Searle totally omits the 1853 edition, but

mentions a HBn autograph of the 1851 version—a manuscript that does not exist in Budapest.

According to Winklhofer, the autograph of the 1851 simplified version of the Rakóczi March is in the collection of Mrs. Walter Rosen.

mentioned at 439.207 hands. hands. Edition für 2 Pianoforte zu vier Händen", Schu-	Searle-No. Raabe-No. Arrangement; manuscr antecedent of 244/15, logue ²⁰⁶ (antecedent of Ms. mus. 5.829, incomplete. 106/15b) 117 244/15, second version 106/15b 182?: for orchestra, piano red version. has no number of its own; 182?: for orchestra, simplified mentioned at 106/15b 1865/1870: for orchestra, red has no number of its own; 182?: for orchestra, simplified mentioned at 106/15b 1865/1870: for orchestra, red has no number of its own; 182?: for orchestra reductions	not listed in the catalogue ²⁰⁶ (antecedent of 106/15b) 439 106/15b has no number of its own; mentioned at 106/15b 310	not listed in the cata- 1863: for orchestra, piano reduction. First version. 106/15b) 1865: for orchestra, piano reduction. Second (final) la71: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, version. 1865: for orchestra, piano reduction. Second (final) la71: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, berth, Leipzig. 1871: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, berth, Leipzig. 1872: for orchestra, simplified piano reduction. 1871: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, berth, Leipzig. 1865/1870: for orchestra, reduction for piano duet. 1871: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, Edition für Pianoforte erleichtert", Schuberth, Leipzig. 1865/1870: for orchestra, reduction for piano duet. 1871: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, Edition für Pianoforte zu vier Händen", Schuberth, Leipzig. 1885/1870: for orchestra, reduction for piano duet. 1871: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, Edition für Pianoforte zu vier Händen", Schuberth, Leipzig. 1885/1870: "Rakoczy-Marsch für grosses Orchester, Edition für Pianoforte zu vier Händen", Schuberth, Leipzig.	Contemporary editions
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200 Raabe identified a HBn manuscript in connection with 106/15b. However, it cannot be identical with Ms. mus. 5.829 (dated 1863), which was in private hands at the time when Raabe compiled his catalogue. The HBn holds no other autograph manuscript of R. 106/15b.

207 Raabe doubts Liszt's authorship of the arrangement for two pianos. However, at the 1936 manuscript" was loaned by Countess Jánosné Zichy (Bartha-Cat. No. 76). Although the whereabouts of this manuscript are presently unknown, it is clear it once existed, if the description of the catalogue was precise. Liszt also mentioned that he was working on the version for two pianos (Br. VI, No. 264).—On the other hand, an arrangement exists for two pianos, eight hands (Leipzig 1871, Schuberth) made by August Horn. In addition, we know of Liszt having played the Rakóczi March for three hands with the exhibition held in commemoration of Liszt in Budapest, a "Rákóczi March for two pianos. Autograph left-handed pianist, Géza Zichy, on several occasions (cp. Zichy, G. Emlékeim, Vol. II, pp. 63-66 and Aus meinem Leben, Vol. II, pp. 57-64). 1. (S. 242/13) (R. 105b/13)²⁰⁸ *Rákóczi March*. For pf.

Ms. mus. 22

2. Autograph manuscript containing a complete difficult and an incomplete simplified version. Title inscription on f. 1': "Rakozy Marsch." on f. 3': "leichtere Version." Signature, place and date are missing. Autograph note on f. 4'': "Graben — 1122."209 Script: brown ink.

4 ff.²¹⁰ Without pagination. 27.5 × 40 cm.

Notes in an unknown hand: confused directions and numbering regarding the sequence of the parts (red-brown pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealers Gilhofer and Ranschburg (Vienna) in 1906.

Facsimiles: f. 1^r in: KVF, p. 197, second picture; f. 4^r in: Gárdonyi, Z.: A Rákóczinduló Liszt Ferenc három kéziratában [The Rákóczi March in Franz Liszt's Three Manuscripts], p. 34.

3. (a) During a concert tour of Hungary in 1839/40 Liszt was immensely successful in Pressburg and Pest with the virtuosic arrangement of the *Rákóczi march* made for this occasion.²¹¹ His performance was not entirely improvised since

²⁰⁹ Gárdonyi established that this referred to the address of the music publisher Diabelli (the former

Pennauer) in Vienna.

²¹⁰ The library's stamped foliation of the manuscript is wrong. The foliation was caused by the Roman numerals entered on the manuscript in red-brown pencil in an unknown hand. These numerals mark the beginning of the various formal sections in both the difficult and the simplified version. They were, however, not applied consecutively.—In the course of restoration the pages were correctly bound in the following order: 1–4–2–3. The difficult setting occupies the position up to the middle of f. 3^r where the simplified version continues without interruption.

²¹¹ Liszt gave account to Marie d'Agoult of the two most successful performances (given on 20 December 1839 in Pressburg and on 4 January 1840 in Pest). This is how he wrote of the *Rákóczi March*: "un air très populaire que je viens d'arranger à ma façon" (*Corr. L–Ag.* I, p. 340), "sorte de *Marseillaise*"

aristocratique hongroise" (ibid., p. 350).

²⁰⁸ As the table shows, Ms. mus. 22 is, in fact, a completely independent arrangement that did not figure in the catalogues in this capacity. The catalogue numbers in parentheses are given here because chronologically Ms. mus. 22 is closest in content to this arrangement.



Facs. 12: Rákóczi March, for pf., very first version (1839-40), autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 22, f. 17.

he had written down the arrangement and also wanted to publish it but was prevented from doing so by the censors.²¹²

(b) Gárdonyi identified Ms. mus. 22 in the HBn as the 1839/40 arrangement.²¹³ The manuscript contains two versions: a virtuosic, difficult setting in its entirety and an incomplete simplified version. The latter includes a complete *Marcia* passage and an incomplete *Trio*, but the reprise of *Marcia* is missing. The original inscription reads "andere Version" which Liszt later corrected to "leichtere Version".

The difficult arrangement was published in: Eckhardt, M.: Die Handschriften des Rákóczi-Marsches, pp. 357–371 in 1975. The simplified version has not yet appeared in print.

4. The difficult arrangement abounds in virtuosic solutions. Liszt's amendments aim mostly at simplifying the excessive technical demands. The notation is both meticulous (dynamic markings, fingering etc. are given in abundance) and superficial (accidentals are omitted, the change of key is not always indicated, etc.). These notational characteristics, which are common in many of Liszt's early manuscripts, are reproduced on Facsimile 12 (p. 116), the first page of the manuscript.

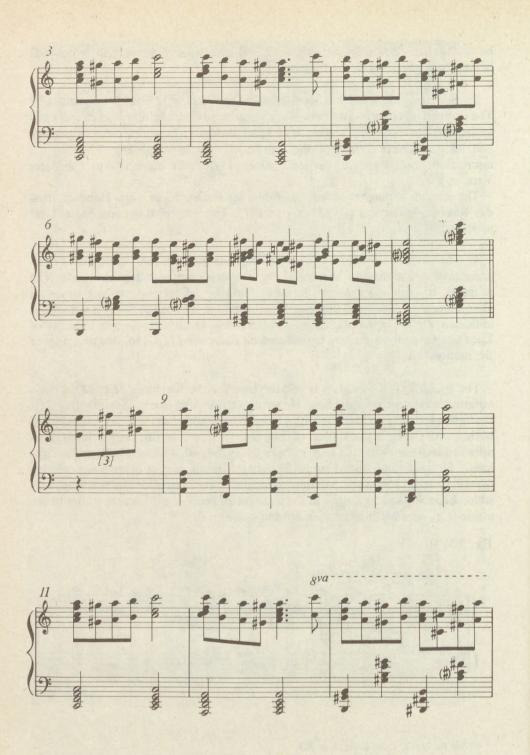
The simplified version is printed here for the first time (Ex. 37). Liszt's notation is extremely erratic here. He wrote a triplet sign in one case only (bar 25); the missing triplet and sextuplet signs have all been added as required. Liszt did not bother with the precise notation of long melody notes, in this respect his style of notation has been retained (e.g. in bars 18–19, 24, 40, 43 and 45–46 in the right hand). He sometimes added supperfluous accidentals, and at other times omitted them even when necessary. Missing accidentals have been added in brackets. Bars which Liszt marked by figures in the manuscript because of exact repetition of the music (e.g. bars 9–12) have been written out in full.

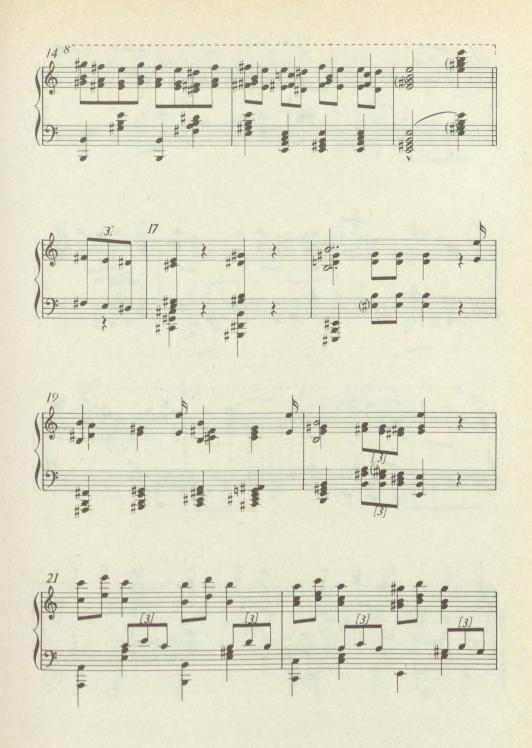
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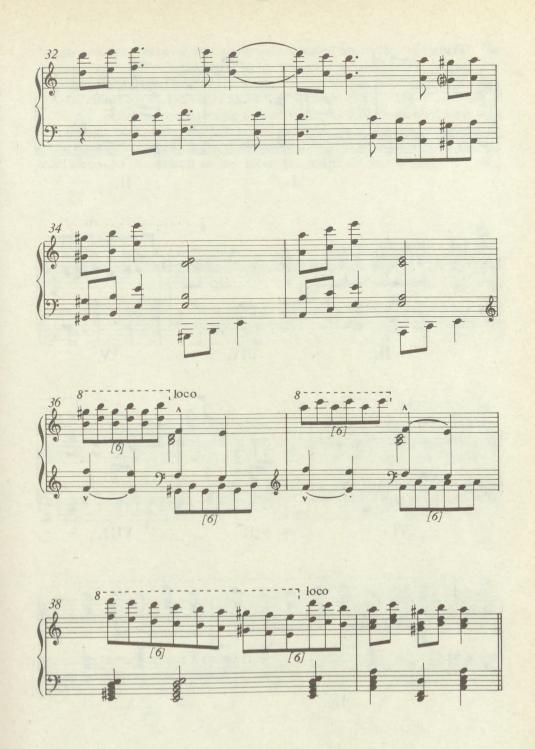
²¹² See Pr. No. 8, Corr. L-Ag. I, p. 363.

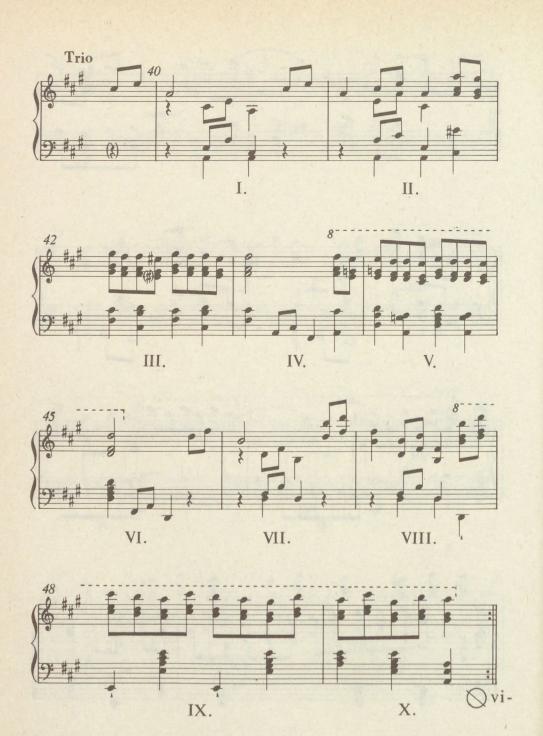
²¹³ Gárdonyi identified the manuscript on the strength of the stylistic features of the work, the handwriting, and the music paper used.











The manuscript breaks off at the normally repeated first period of the Trio. The Roman numerals I to X may refer to the return of the same music in the third, closing section of the Trio.

At the end of bar 49, Liszt later added the indication "\overline". The counterpart of it, "\overline" occurs at the beginning of the Trio of the difficult version. Liszt may have thought of repeating the first part of the Trio in a varied form, for which he would have borrowed 10 bars from the difficult version. The sign at the end of this small section of the difficult version shows the end of the Vide passage (Ex. 38).

Ex. 38 Trio



Because the music of the middle section of the Trio has not survived in the simplified version, we do not know whether Liszt intended an exact reprise of the *Marcia*, and whether he wished to conclude this version with a coda.

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1. (S. 242/13) (R. 105b/13)²¹⁴ *Rákóczi March*. For pf.

Ms. mus. 16

2. Autograph manuscript. Fragment, bars 1–8; memorial leaf. Without title inscription. Signature on 1^r: "13 Janv. 1841 // Bruxelles // FLiszt // pour Monsieur // Felix Bogaert."²¹⁵ Script: brown ink.

1 f. Without page number. 24 × 35 cm.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900; earlier it had been in the collection of Sándor Pozsonyi. Badly damaged: the signature and bars 2–3 and 7–8 are mutilated.²¹⁶

Facsimile: in: Szabolcsi, B.—Tóth, A.: Zenei Lexikon [Lexicon of Music], 1935, Vol. ii, before p. 39.

- 3. (a) After the sweeping success of his arrangement of the Rákóczi march at the end of 1839 and the beginning of 1840, Liszt repeatedly played it at his concerts abroad as a demonstration of his patriotic sentiments.
- (b) The Brussels memorial leaf contains the first 8 bars of the *Marcia* in an almost completely identical harmonization as that of the "Leichtere Version" of Ms. mus. 22.²¹⁷ Since the memorial leaf is dated 1841 and a similar setting of the march theme

²¹⁴ Musically this manuscript is most closely related to Ms. mus. 22, and thus the same catalogue number has been used for it.

²¹⁵ It is not possible to convincingly identify Bogaert. The name has not appeared anywhere else in connection with Liszt. In Volume I of Fétis's *Biographie universelle des musiciens*, there is a "Bogaerts P...C...", referring to a 19th century writer on music, and in Volume II of F. Pazdirek's *Universal-Handbuch der Musikliteratur* is a listing for a composer named "Bogaert Vanden P. C. F.", but the identities of neither can be substantiated with reference to Liszt.

²¹⁶ The memorial leaf shows traces of burning; it must have been damaged in 1956.

²¹⁷ On pp. 372–373 of Eckhardt, M. "Die Handschriften des Rákóczi-Marches ...", the memorial leaf and the first eight bars of the "Leichtere Version" of Ms. mus. 22 can be studied in comparison.

cannot be found in any of the later arrangements, Gárdonyi's assumption concerning the early (1839/40) genesis of Ms. mus. 22 (No. 34 in this book) is corroborated.

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1. S. 242/13 (R. 105b/13) Ms. mus. 23 Rákóczi March. No. 13 of the 21 Hungarian themes and rhapsodies. For pf.

2. Autograph manuscript without title inscription and signature. Date on p. 14: "Bey Carl Hasl[inger] // in Rhodaun [46]"²¹⁸ (brownish black ink). Script: brownish black ink. Corrections: black ink and pencil.

8 ff. Autograph pagination: 1–14 (black pencil).²¹⁹ 32×25.5 cm.—Bound in together with: "Erkel Ferencz: Rákóczi indulója. Emlékül Liszt Ferenczre. Zongorára alkalmazva." [Rákóczi March by Ferencz Erkel. In Memory of Franz Liszt. Arranged for Piano.] Third edition, Pest, without date, Wagner. 5 ff. The titlepage bears Liszt's portrait.²²⁰

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealers Gilhofer and Ranschburg (Vienna) in 1906.

Facsimile: the bottom part of f. 8° in: Gárdonyi, Z.: A Rákóczi-induló Liszt Ferenc három kéziratában [The Rákóczi March in Franz Liszt's Three Manuscripts], p. 34.

- 3. (a) Liszt's arrangement of the Rákóczi march was first published in 1847 as book vi (No. 13) of the series "Magyar Dallok—Magyar Rhapsodiák" [Hungarian Songs—Hungarian Rhapsodies].²²¹ Although the edition is dedicated to the six Hungarian aristocrats who presented Liszt with the famous sword of honour at his concert in the National Theatre of Pest on 4 January 1840, the printed arrangement is not identical with the one he played then. The edition also includes a simplified version entitled "Ungarische National-Melodie. (Erleichtert)".
- (b) Despite several minor differences between the manuscript and the printed edition, most of which are simply a matter of notation, the HBn manuscript Ms.

²¹⁸ The paper is brittle and of poor quality, and its edges have broken off. The date 66, given in the catalogue of the second-hand bookshop which sold the manuscript, is now completely missing. (See the cut-out portion of the printed auction catalogue glued to the inside of the cover). The date was presumably not clearly visible because it is listed in the *Bartha-Cat*. also as 1866 (No. 78). On the basis of the musical texture, 1846 seems a more reasonable date. In this year Liszt first played the new *Rákóczi March* arrangement in Hungary, one which was also printed a year later.

²¹⁹ The manuscript also has a stamped foliation. The second folio is the inserted "Correctur A, Seite

I"; consequently, it does not bear an autograph page number.

²²⁰ A facsimile of the title-page of this edition appears on p. 198 in KVF. The relations between the remarkable Hungarian composer, Ferenc Erkel, and Liszt are discussed on pp. 195–196 of this book. Erkel's Rákóczi March, written in the manner of Liszt, was first published after Liszt's Hungarian guest performances in early 1840. It resembles Liszt's arrangement in some way, but for the most part (particularly in form and virtuosic qualities) it is much simpler. Liszt did not welcome Erkel's publication, presumably because of the prohibition of his own planned edition (see Pr. No. 9).

²²¹ Published in Vienna, "chez Veuve Haslinger et Fils." Plate no.: 10.206. A copy is kept in the HBn,

call number: Mus. pr. 7.612.

mus. 23 agrees, for the most part, with the more difficult setting of the 1847 edition. The manuscript has relatively few directions for performance, dynamic markings or fingering. 222

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1. (S. 244/15, 2nd version) (R. 106/15b)²²³ Ms. mus. 5.829 Rákóczi March. Setting for sym. orch., arr. for pf., first version.

2. Autograph manuscript. Incomplete. Title inscription on f. 1^r: "Rakozy Marsch (Orchester-Version — // für das Pianoforte von FLiszt —" (blue pencil). Signature on f. 4^r: "Decembre // 63. — // Madonna del Rosario — // BBBBBB" (black ink).²²⁴ Script: black ink. Additions: light brown and heliotrope ink. Corrections: black, red and blue pencils.

4 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-2, 5 (blue pencil). Pp. 3-4 are missing, while pp. 6-8

are not paginated in the composer's hand. 28 × 38 cm.

Provenance: purchased from József Schell in 1958: it had originally been in Antal Augusz's estate.²²⁵

Facsimile: f. 4^v in: Eckhardt, M.: Die Handschriften des Rákóczi-Marsches ..., p. 380; the same in: Eckhardt, M.: Liszt Rákóczi-indulójának kéziratai ..., p. 179.

3. (a) Based on the authentic copy of the score, ²²⁶ Raabe's and Searle's catalogues ascribe the orchestral version of the *Rákóczi March* to 1865 and claim that it was written and first performed for the 1865 jubilee celebrations of the Nemzeti Zenede (National Conservatoire). ²²⁷ From the HBn manuscript it may be safely assumed that Liszt had already been working on the composition of an orchestral version in 1863; moreover, a piano reduction, too, was completed, since a manuscript signed and dated by Liszt has survived. In 1865 he rearranged this earlier version and this was the variant he later had printed.—In the orchestral version and its various piano reductions, a two-trio form (with trios in F major and

²²² For the most important differences, see Eckhardt, M. "Die Handschriften des Rákóczi Marsches...", pp. 374–377.

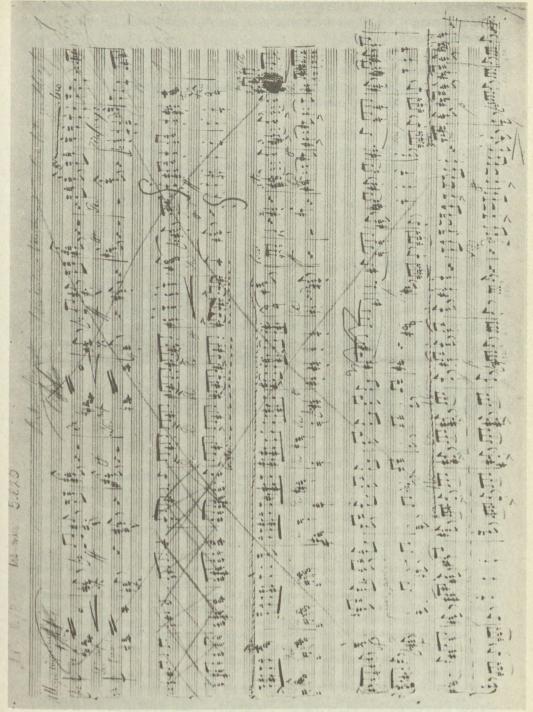
²²³ The catalogue numbers in parentheses have been included because Ms. mus. 5.829 can be considered to be the immediate antecedent of the arrangement marked by them.

²²⁴ For the meaning of the use of multiple letters B, see Note 135 on p. 86.

²²⁵ Antal Augusz (1807–1878) was Liszt's most devoted Hungarian friend. Between 1843 and 1848 he was subprefect of the county Tolna; between 1852 and 1859 president of the council of governor-general in Buda; and from 1853 onwards holder of the title of baron. An amateur musician, Augusz was a member of the delegation which presented Liszt with the sword of honour on 4 January 1840 and the translator of Liszt's words of acknowledgment into Hungarian. He had a major role in bringing about the performance of Liszt's *Missa'solennis*, the *Legend of St. Elisabeth*, and the *Coronation Mass*, as well as in establishing the Academy of Music in Budapest under Liszt's presidency in 1875. He entertained Liszt in his country-seat at Szekszárd on several occasions. Liszt's letters to Augusz are among the most significant and sincere displays of the composer's ideas and emotions.

²²⁶ DWRgs Ms P 10. Copied by "Carl Götze, Weimar, Mitte Juli, 1865". The undated autograph draft is also found in Weimar (Ms P 11).

²²⁷ The concert, the programme of which was made up of works by Hungarian composers, was conducted by Liszt on 17 August 1865 (see *Br.* III, No. 109 and *Br.* VI, No. 86).



Facs. 13: Rákóczi March, setting for sym. orch., arr. for pf., very first version (1863), autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 5.829, f. 17.

A major) took the place of the previous one-trio arrangement (Marcia in A minor, Trio in A major). Of all his arrangements of the *Rákóczi March*, Liszt liked this orchestral version the most.²²⁸

- (b) The manuscript in the HBn is the piano sketch or piano reduction of the first draft of the orchestral version, and contains numerous amendments, deletions, rejected and subsequently inserted sections.
- 4. The most decisive differences between the manuscript and Schuberth's first edition of 1871²²⁹ have been analyzed in the two studies listed under *Facsimile*. Below, the first page of the manuscript is shown in *Facsimile 13* on p. 127.

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1. S. 244/1 (R. 106/1) *Hungarian Rhapsodies*, No. i.²³⁰ For pf.

Ms. mus. 113/1

2. Manuscript copy with autograph title-page and corrections. Title-page: "F. Liszt. // Raphsodie [!] hongroise // pour // Piano — // dédiee [!] á [!] son ami E. Zerdahély [!]²³¹ // Leipzig // Barthold [!] Senff —" (black pencil, faded; it was restored in 1977). Signature, place and date are missing. The script of the copyist, Joachim Raff: ²³² light brown ink. Autograph corrections: light brown ink, black pencil.

10 ff. Autograph pagination: 1–15 (black pencil).²³³ 37.5 × 27.5 cm. Engraver's copy, with two kinds of spacing (black pencil).²³⁴

²²⁹ Plate no.: 4860. A copy is kept in the HBn under ZR 144.

²³⁰ We have provided the various items of the final set of the *Hungarian Rhapsodies* (S. 244, R. 106) with Roman numerals, unlike the listings found in the main Liszt catalogues. Liszt himself differentiated in this way the rhapsodies of the new, final set from the items of the *Magyar Dallok — Ungarische Nationalmelodien* and *Magyar Rhapsodiák — Rhapsodies hongroises* (S. 242–243, R. 105), which were only in part the antecedents of the later set. For a detailed description of relationships, see Gárdonyi, Z.

"Paralipomena zu den Ungarischen Rhapsodien von Franz Liszt".

²³¹ Ede Szerdahelyi (Zerdahely) (1820–1880) was a Hungarian pianist who left the country after having served a prison sentence for participation in the 1848/49 Hungarian War of Independence. Between January and July 1851 he was a guest of Liszt in Weimar, helping him maintain relations with some outstanding exiled Hungarian personages (see Lakatos, I. "Újabban talált Liszt-emlékek"; Szemző, P. "Liszt Ferenc rejtőző levele". On 13 June 1851 he suddenly left for London, and subsequently emigrated to the United States (see Ács, T. *Magyar úttörők...*, p. 134). On visiting his home-country in 1877, he called upon Liszt in his flat in Pest. For more detailed information on Szerdahelyi, see Ábrányi, K. "Januáriusi napok (1848–49)", and the chapter "Egy expedíció története" [The Story of an Expedition] in Életemből és emlékeimből by the same author.

²³² Joachim Raff (1822–1882), German composer of Swiss origin, who was one of Liszt's most

important assistants in orchestration and music copying in his early years in Weimar.

²³⁴ One of the spacings of the music may have been made by Liszt.

²²⁸ See his letter to Viktor Langer written on 25 August 1871 (Pr. No. 216).

²³³ Ff. 1^v, 9^v and 10^{r-v} are blank. Only the music pages bear autograph page numbers. The stamped foliation of the library (from 1 to 8) extends over the pages on which there is music.

Additional notes in an unknown hand: remarks concerning the edition on the titlepage (black pencil, dark brown ink); on p. 1, at the beginning of the work: "Rhapsodie hongroise" (dark brown ink).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer C. G. Boemer (Leipzig) in 1909.

Bound before the title-page: a description of the manuscript, a printed form filled in with data in hand, measuring 36.5×26.5 cm.

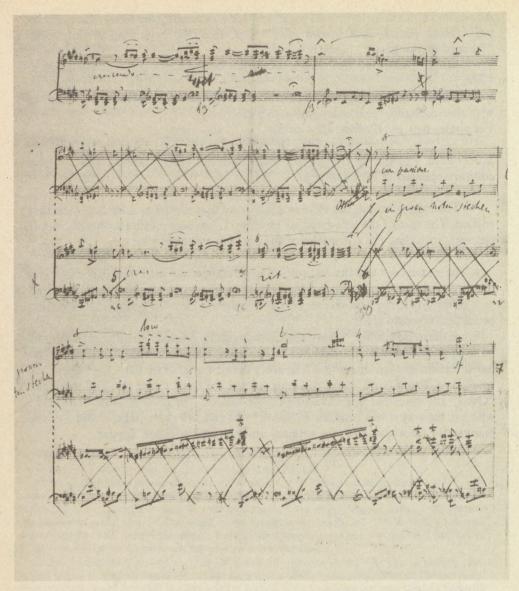
Facsimile: p. 1 in: Walker, after p. 208.

- 3. (a) No. i of the 19 Hungarian Rhapsodies was written about 1851. Its first edition appeared in the same year.
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn is a fair copy that served as a basis for the first edition. The text of the title-page, as given by Liszt, was printed with only minor changes, including the correction of the spelling mistakes.²³⁵
- 4. The manuscript and the first edition agree completely with regard to music and the directions for performance. However, in some places, especially in the second part of the work, the printed edition has a somewhat greater number of fingering, pedal and staccato signs.

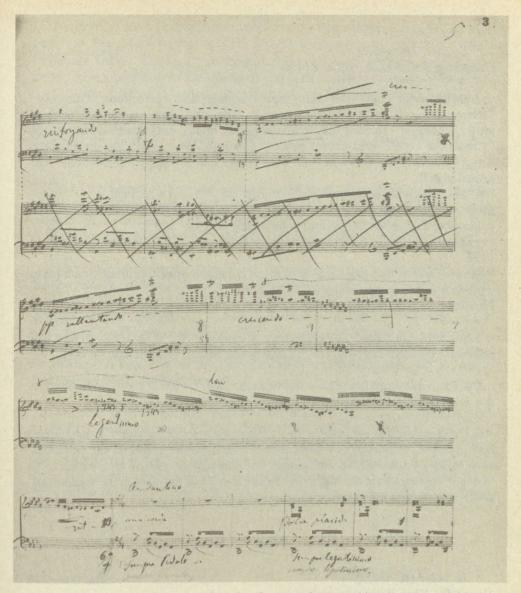
From the middle of bar 64 forward Liszt originally offered two different solutions notated on two staves. (In effect, the music differs only from bar 67 onwards.) The basic version written in normal size notes is one bar shorter than the "Ossia" in small type. From bar 67 on, Liszt later deleted the basic music text and made the "Ossia" the principal line, stressing in two places: "in grossen Noten stechen", which is the way it was printed. Facsimiles 14a and 14b show pages 4 and 5 of the manuscript on which both the original and the final solution appear.

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²³⁵ The text on the title-page reads: "A son ami // E. Zerdahely. // Rhapsodie hongroise // pour le Piano // par // Fr. Liszt. // I. // [...] Leipzig, chez Bartholf Senff. // Petersbourg, chez A. Büttner." Plate No.: 23, A copy is kept in the HBn, call number ZR 420, Koll. 1.



Facs. 14/a: *Hungarian Rhapsodies*, No. i, for pf., manuscript copy with autograph corrections. Ms. mus. 113/1, p. 4.



Facs. 14/b: *Hungarian Rhapsodies*, No. i, for pf., manuscript copy with autograph corrections. Ms. mus. 113/1, p. 5.

1. S. 244/2 (R. 106/2) Hungarian Rhapsodies, No. ii. For pf. Ms. mus. 113/2

2. Manuscript copy with autograph title-page and corrections. Title-page: "Rhapsodie — II —" (red-brown pencil). Title inscription on the first page of music: "Magyar" (brown ink, in the copyist's hand), erased and corrected to: "Rhapsodie — II." (red-brown pencil). Signature, place and date are missing. Script of the copyist, Joachim Raff: light brown ink. Autograph corrections: red-brown pencil.

8 ff. The copyist's pagination: 3-15 (brown ink). 236 33.5 × 26.5 cm.

Engraver's copy with instructions for the spacing of the music and remarks concerning the layout of the title-page (black pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer C. G. Boemer (Leipzig) in 1909.

Bound before the title-page: a description of the manuscript, a printed form filled in with data in hand, measuring 33.5×26.5 cm.

Facsimile: f. 1^r in: Walker, before p. 209.

- 3. (a) Liszt composed the Hungarian Rhapsody No. ii in 1847. It was first published by Senff and Ricordi in Leipzig and Milan, respectively, in 1851.
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn served as the basis for the first edition by Senff; it is a counterpart of the engraver's copy of Rhapsody No. i.
- 4. The first edition appeared with a longer title inscription than the manuscript and included, in addition, a dedication.²³⁷ In all other respects, the published version closely followed the manuscript. The only omission worth mentioning is the "Largo" written above the fourth bar before the end of the piece in the manuscript, which is not included in the print.

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1. S. 244/2 (R. 106/2) Hungarian Rhapsodies, No. ii. For pf. Ms. mus. 274

2. Autograph fragments of a cadenza and a new conclusion. Without title inscription. Signature on f. 1': "F. Liszt." Place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink.

²³⁶ Only the pages of music are paginated and provided with stamped foliation. F. 1^v is blank.
²³⁷ The text on the title-page reads: "Au Comte Ladislaus Teleky. // Rhapsodie hongroise // POUR
LE // PIANO // PAR // F. LISZT // II. // [...] Leipzig, chez Bartholf Senff. // Petersbourg, chez A.
Büttner." Plate No.: 26. A copy is kept in the HBn, call-number ZR 420, Koll. 2.

1 f. No pagination. Supplement and variant to the first edition with reference to its page numbers. At the beginning of the first fragment appears: "nach der ? // Seite 18 (letzter Takt) // Cadenza"; at the end: "weiter Seite 19 bis nach der ? // letzte Zeile." At the beginning of the second fragment the following appears: "Seite 19. // Anstatt den 4 Schluss Takten sollen folgende! // kräftigst gespielt werden."— 15 × 26 cm.

Provenance: purchased from Karl Wanka (Vienna) in 1911. Facsimile: the entire manuscript *in*: Vol I/3 of the *NLE*, pp. XVII–XVIII; f. 1^r *in*: *KVF*, p. 192, first plate.

- 3. (a) Liszt wrote two series of cadenzas to the *Hungarian Rhapsody* No. ii for his pupils Lina Schmalhausen and Tony Raab, respectively. Raabe listed these cadenzas in his catalogue and also mentioned them in Vol. II/12 of the GA. They were, however, not printed until included in Vol. I/3 of the NLE.²³⁸
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn contains the cadenza written for Tony Raab and the new ending. (Although Raab's name does not appear on it, we know that it was acquired by the library together with two other documents related with Raab: the nocturne entitled "Schlaflos . . .", and a letter written to Raab.)²³⁹ The manuscript is not dated. On the evidence of one of Liszt's letters written to his publisher in Pest, Táborszky, in March 1878, it is presumed that the manuscript dates from the end of the 1870s.²⁴⁰ It was at about this time that Tony Raab was a pupil of Liszt at the Academy of Music in Budapest.²⁴¹
- 4. The place of a cadenza was marked in the first edition already. At the bottom of p. 18 of the printed edition, Liszt concluded the "Friss" ("Friska") section of the work with a double line and a fermata over the bar-line. "Cadenza ad libitum" was printed above the last bar of the section, which is also the place where the first part of the HBn manuscript fits in. The second manuscript fragment of about 13 bars replaces the original printed 4-bar ending of the piece consisting of fortissimo chords.

²³⁹ For information concerning Tony Raab and the documents in question, see p. 108 and Note 186 ibid.

²⁴¹ Raab studied with Liszt in Budapest in the academic years 1876/77, 1877/78 and 1878/79 (Legány-LSt, p. 101).

²³⁸ According to the table of contents in vol. II/12 of the *GA*, the cadenzas ought to have appeared in the Supplement; no Supplement is, however, added either to the conclusion of *Rhapsody No. ii*, or to the end of the volume. In Vol. I/3 of the *NLE*, both cadenzas are published marked "Sch." and "R.", respectively, in small notes as footnotes to the main text (pp. 21–39).

²⁴⁰ "Wegen einer anzufertigenden Cadenz bedarf eine Minute die nicht unbekannte 2-te Rhapsodie für Klavier allein, (nicht partition) F. Liszt." (*Pr.* No. 365). The editors of the *NLE* (Zoltán Gárdonyi and István Szelényi) believe that the cadenzas for Schmalhausen were written in 1885; thus this letter probably refers to the cadences for Raab.

1. S. 244/18 (R. 106/18)

Hungarian Rhapsodies, No. xviii. For pf.

Ms. mus. 3.276

- 2. Autograph fragment, containing bars 93–147, i.e. the closing section of the work. Title inscription, signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Additions: red pencil.
- 1 f. Autograph letters A-B instead of pagination (red pencil). 26 × 25 cm. Provenance: purchased from dr. István Liebmann (Budapest) in 1962. Earlier it was in the possession of István Thomán. 242

Facsimile: page A in: Kecskeméti, I.: Unbekannte Eigenschrift der XVIII. Rhapsodie ..., p. 175.

3. (a) Liszt composed in 1885 the *Hungarian Rhapsody* No. xviii for the representative collection entitled *Magyar Zeneköltők Kiállítási Albuma* [Exhibition Album of Hungarian Composers], and it appeared in print in the same year. ²⁴³ This edition served as the basis of the later editions as well (Vol. II/12 of the GA) because the manuscript of the work was unknown until quite recently.

At present, several sections of the original manuscript of *Rhapsody* No. xviii are available. These manuscript fragments, which came into the possession of Hungarian public collections in the 1960s—1 folio into the HBn in 1962 and 3 folios into HBa(mi)—were included into and discussed in Vol. I/4 of the *NLE*.²⁴⁴

(b) The manuscript fragment in the HBn covers the last 55 bars, the "Poco più mosso" passage of the work, in essentially the same form as it was published in Magyar Zeneköltők Kiállítási Albuma. Some differences in notes as well as the lack

²⁴² István Thomán (1862–1940), noted Hungarian pianist and teacher, studied with Liszt at the Academy of Music in Budapest from 1882 on. He was the recipient of a Liszt scholarship in 1882/83 and 1884/85. Between 1888 and 1906 he was professor of piano at the Academy of Music. As one of the most excellent followers of Liszt's playing style and teaching principles, he educated a whole line of eminent Hungarian pianists, for example Bartók and Dohnányi. He presented the manuscript to Dr. Lieḥmann in 1936.

²⁴³ The album, which embraced compositions in various genres by 24 Hungarian composers, was edited by István Bartalus and published by Rózsavölgyi és Társa, Budapest. Plate no.: K. A. 1–155. Liszt's rhapsody is the first piece of the collection. The printed title reads: "Az országos magyar Kiállítás alkalmára. (Budapest 1885) 18^{tk} Magyar Rhapsodia — zongorára szerzé — Liszt Ferencz." [On the Occasion of the Hungarian National Exhibition. (Budapest 1885) 18th Hungarian Rhapsody — written for piano — by Franz Liszt.] A copy is kept in the HBn, call number Mus. pr. 8.153. For the description of the album, see Kecskeméti, I. "A századvég magyar zenéje".

²⁴⁴ The fragments marked C 577/1969 and C 574/1969/a were acquired by the HBa(mi) from the estate of Hungarian music historian Ervin Major (1901–1967). Facsimiles were reproduced in Vol. I/4 of the *NLE*, but the commentary can be amplified. There is a clear relationship between the manuscript fragment in the HBn and the fragments in HBa(mi). The last valid, uncancelled section of the manuscript in HBa(mi) extends through bar 92, whereas the manuscript in the HBn starts with the 93rd bar. The reference to pages A–B is present on the manuscript in HBa(mi) (see the words "Vide A, B" in the top left-hand corner of the facsimile published on p. XVI of Vol. I/4 of the *NLE*). For more information, see *Eckhardt-Lz*.

of a few expression marks and pedal signs suggest that if this manuscript was the engraver's copy; many minor amendments were entered onto the proof-sheets.

4. The differences between the manuscript and the first edition are specified in Kecskeméti's study, and thus they will not be treated here. *Facsimile 15* shows page *B*, the verso of the manuscript.



Facs. 15: Hungarian Rhapsodies, No. xviii, for pf., autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 3.276, p. B.

1. S. 244/19 (R. 106/19) Hungarian Rhapsodies, No. xix. For pf.

Ms. mus. 353

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on f. 1': "Ungarische Rhapsodie // (Nach Abranyi) // F. Liszt." (the title: dark brown ink, the composer's name: black pencil). Dedication, date and signature (written across f. 1r): "Dieses // Manuscript, // genehmigt // Fräulein // Lina Schmalhausen 245 // Budapest: // Februar 85 — // FL." (dark brown ink). Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: red ink, blue, red and black pencils.

11 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-19 (red pencil). 246 35.5 × 27 cm.

Provenance: purchased from Karl Ernst (Berlin) in 1913.

Facsimile: f. 1^r in: Milstein I, plate no. 68. A complete facsimile with a commentary by M. Eckhardt: Editio Musica, Budapest 1985.

- 3. (a) Liszt's Hungarian Rhapsody No. xix may have been written in early 1885. It used two melodies of the set Elegáns csárdások (Csárdás noble) by Kornél Ábrányi, senior.247 The date on the manuscript, February 1885, coincides with the information that Liszt played Rhapsody No. xix in the home of his friend, the Budapest music publisher Nándor Táborszky on 14 February 1885.248 The composition was first printed by Táborszky's firm in 1886.249
- (b) The HBn manuscript is a thoroughly elaborated draft. It contains numerous corrections, deletions, pasted-over passages, and additions. Liszt originally used white music paper with 10 staves to the page. He later inserted a first folio of

²⁴⁵ Lina Schmalhausen (1863–1928) was a German pianist, a pupil of Liszt and housekeeper at his flat in the Academy of Music in Budapest from 1881 on. In early 1886 she was the piano teacher of the graduating pupils of the music school called Budai Zeneakadémia [Music Academy of Buda]. During his last illness, Liszt asked her to come to Bayreuth where she attended him (in the company of Göllerich and Stradal) in the days preceding his death. In addition to the cadences of the Hungarian Rhapsody No. ii written for her and the manuscript of Rhapsody No. xix, there is also a printed dedication by Liszt to Schmalhausen on the 1883 edition of the Mephisto Polka.

²⁴⁶ The autograph pagination does not cover the inserted first folio and the last, blank page. For this

reason, only the stamped foliation is referred to in the present description.

²⁴⁷ Kornél Ábrányi, senior, was one of the most active organizers of Hungarian music life in the second half of the 19th century. He was the editor of Zenészeti Lapok and Zenészeti Közlöny [Musical Journal and Musical Gazette], a founder of the Hungarian Choral Society, professor and first secretary of the Academy of Music in Budapest, Liszt's friend, a proponent analyst of his works, and the translator of the texts of his compositions. His organizing and music writer activities are most well known, but his compositions were also popular in his time. His set of Elegáns csárdások [Elegant Czardas] was printed in six volumes between 1884 and 1886. The Lento of Liszt's Rhapsody No. xix is based on the first melody of Vol. 2 ("Kertem alatt . . ." [At the Far Side of my Garden]) while Vivace (Friska) is constructed of the motifs of Sarkantyú csárdás [Spur Czardas] published as the 6th melody of Vol. 3, a melody that is very popular today as well. Plate no.: T. & P. 920 and 927, respectively. A copy of each is held in the HBn with the call number Mus. pr. 11.686 and Z. 46.974.

²⁴⁸ Egyetértés [Agreement], 16 February 1885. (Information kindly supplied by Dezső Legány.) ²⁴⁹ The co-publishers were: "Vienne, F. Wessely; Leipsic, F. Hofmeister". Plate no.: T. & P. 974. A

copy is kept in the HBn under ZR 435.

greenish-grey colour with 12 staves to the page. In the first draft f. 2^r begins the work, on which the first autograph page number is written. Liszt pasted over the first half of the page with a paper measuring 15.5×25 cm, undetached, then crossed this out entirely with red and black pencils and notated the final version on a separate folio, the present f. 1^{r-v} . On the top of the erased f. 2^r there is an instruction in blue pencil: "Vide 2 Anfan[g]s Seiten—."

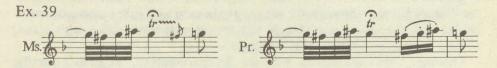
There are numerous corrections in the rest of the work as well. The final form of bars 234-241 appears on another slip of paper, measuring 12×24 cm (undetached), pasted over the first draft.

A collation of the manuscript and the first edition reveals only minor deviations.

4. Notable differences between the manuscript and the printed edition include the following:

Bar 28 of the first edition does not appear either in the rejected first draft, or in the final version in Liszt's hand. As a result, the bar numbers of the printed edition are not identical with those of the manuscript. (All bar numbers given here refer to the printed edition.)

Bar 31:



Bar 102:





Bars 172–285 and 286–399 are completely identical. In the manuscript Liszt marked the repetition with repeat signs only, closing with the following instruction: "(Die Wiederholung // ad libitum". In the first edition this repetition was written out, and no reference to the possibility of its being omitted was made. Vol. I/4 of the NLE is the first publication to indicate this possibility.

Apart from the deviations noted above, there are minor differences in the writing out or omission of pedal signs, slurs, accents and dynamic markings. The fingering in the manuscript was omitted from the first edition in several instances. Whenever it does appear, it always agrees with Liszt's notation in the manuscript.

1. S. 306a (R. —) Quand tu chantes bercée . . . Song for v. and pf.

Ms. mus. 5.108

2. Autograph manuscript. Without title inscription. Signature on p. 3: "F. Liszt // Paris // 28 Mai 184[?]."250 (dark brown ink). Script: dark brown ink.

2 ff. No autograph pagination. 251 26 × 20.5 cm.

Fragment of a keep-sake album with music. On p. 4 bars 1-15 of Alfredo Piatti's²⁵² song O ma Phillis appears, dated "Milano il 30 Novembre 1852". The signature and the dedication to the owner of the keep-sake album "all'amabilissima signora // Mathilde Juva Branca",253 appears there in Piatti's hand as well.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer H. Baron (London) in 1972. Facsimile: the entire work in: Kecskeméti, I.: Egy ismeretlen Liszt-dal, pp. 18-23; p. 1 in: Kecskeméti, I.: Two Liszt discoveries. 2. An unknown song, p. 744.

3. The existence of this song was unknown before the HBn acquired it. Kecskeméti, who was the first to report on this piece, stated that the text of the song originated from scene 5, act 1 of Victor Hugo's drama Marie Tudor. According to the stage direction of the work, the song had to be sung with guitar accompaniment behind the scene. Liszt set Hugo's text for an unspecified voice with piano accompaniment and notated it in treble clef.

Although Liszt's association with the Branca family254 has been generally known, we do not know the occasion for which the composer entered this song into the keep-sake album of Matilde Juva Branca. The situation is complicated by the fact that the date of the song can be read in two different ways. In his discussion of the document, Kecskeméti voted for 1849, as this seemed to him the most apparent transcription. There is, however, no evidence of Liszt's visiting Paris in May 1849: this period of his life is well-documented because of his relationship to the flight from Dresden of Wagner at this time. 255 Other opinions hold that the date is

251 The pagination in pencil was entered upon the music in the HBn.

²⁵² Alfredo Piatti (1822-1901) was an Italian cellist and composer who gave concerts with Liszt in 1843/44. Later, he was mostly active as a cello virtuoso in London. He had guest performances in Pest in

1858 and 1865 (see Zenei Lexikon III [Lexicon of Music III], p. 118).

²⁵³ Mathilde Juva (née Branca) was one of four talented daughters of a rich Milanese patron of art, Paolo Branca († 1852). The Brancas were in touch with almost all Italian musicians of distinction and with several foreign musicians as well. Rossini, who was the music teacher of the girls for a while, was fascinated by Mathilde's musicality and beautiful soprano. (See the memoirs of another of the Branca sisters: Branca, E. Felice Romani ed i più riputati maestri di musica del suo tempo.)

254 A copy of Emilia Branca's book mentioned in Note 266 is kept in the library of Liszt's estate in HBl with the following autograph dedication: "Al Celeberrimo F. Liszt ricordanza di antica amizia e fervida ammirazione offre in omaggio Emilia Branca Romani." (Call number K 98 (LH).) It èmerges from the book that Liszt visited the Brancas in their home in Milan in the winter of 1837/38 (pp.

²⁵⁰ The last figure of the date can be read as either 9 or 0.

²⁵⁵ After the failure of the Dresden uprising, Wagner took refuge with Liszt in Weimar where they were together between 13 and 15 May. Liszt travelled to Karlsruhe on 15 May and stayed there till 18

1840.²⁵⁶ This, however, is contradicted by a letter of Liszt to Marie d'Agoult, dated September 1842, in which he mentions the romance of *Marie Tudor*. He intended to set it into music, together with the choirs from Byron's *Manfred*, still in the autumn of the same year.^{257a} We do not know if he did realize this project (he began working on *Manfred* in February 1844 only),^{257b} but the date of composition cannot be earlier than 1842. The year 1840 would be improbable without this evidence, too, because Liszt was not in Paris on 28 May 1840, which is born out by two letters dated London, 27 and 29 May, respectively.²⁵⁸ Unless fresh evidence regarding the year 1849 emerges we must assume that the song in Matilde Juva Branca's keepsake album was entered with an erroneous date.

The song appears in facsimile reproduction and also with a transcription of all the music in Kecskeméti's study "Egy ismeretlen Liszt-dal" [An Unknown Song by Liszt]. It has not yet appeared as a separate edition.

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1. S. 336 (R. 632)

Verlassen. Song for mezzosoprano and pf.

Ms. mus. 6.140

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on f. 2^r: "Verlassen!", on f. 4^r: "Lied aus dem Schauspiel // »Irrwege« von Gustav Michell." Signature on f. 4^r: "28 Juli, // 80 — Weimar // FLiszt." (brownish-black ink). Script: brownish-black ink. 4 ff. Without pagination. 16.5 × 25 cm.

Notes in an other hand: A. W. Gottschalg's²⁵⁹ title inscription on f. 1^r: "Verlassen. // Lied v. G. Michell. // für // 1. Singst. mit Piano // v. // Dr. Franz v. Liszt. // Gottschalg"; an introduction for piano of 4 bars headed "Einleitung, comp. am 2. Aug. 80", also in Gottschalg's hand on f. 1^v.

May, but returned quickly to Weimar to arrange for Wagner's departure with a forged passport. Wagner fled on 19 May through Magdala to Switzerland; he caught sight of the Lake of Constance on the 28th, i.e. the day the manuscript is dated. In the meantime, Liszt published articles on *Tannhäuser* in two Paris journals (on 18 and 20 May) and wrote to Belloni, his former secretary, to stand by Wagner, should he decide to go to Paris. At the beginning of June, Wagner actually arrived in Paris, visited Liszt's mother and established contact with Belloni, all of which he informed Liszt in a letter. (Sources of the Wagner-related data are: Glasenapp, C. *Das Leben Richard Wagners*, Vol. 2; *Br. W-L*, Vol. 1.) If Liszt had personally travelled to Paris, there would have been no reason to have contacted Belloni by letter. Why is there no trace of his visit in the correspondence of either Wagner or Liszt? Why have Liszt's biographers omitted mentioning this visit when they have carefully recorded the three-day journey to Karlsruhe?

²⁵⁶ Based on an examination of Liszt's writing, Sharon Winklhofer holds the view that Liszt was generally writing the figure 9 quite differently than that shown on this manuscript. Recently Kecskeméti has also come to agree with his view.

^{257a} Corr. L-Ag. II, p. 219.

^{257b} Corr. L-A. II, p. 325.

²⁵⁸ Corr. L-Ag. I, pp. 443 and 446. In April 1840 Liszt was, in fact, in Paris but left France for England at the beginning of May and stayed there till the end of June.

²⁵⁹ Alexander Wilhelm Gottschalg (1827–1908), German organist, Kantor at Tiefurt near Weimar, a pupil, and later, a devoted friend of Liszt. He had a considerable collection of Liszt's manuscript and prix.ed music works. His book *Franz Liszt in Weimar und seine letzten Lebensjahre* is a valuable source for Liszt research.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing) in 1976.

Facsimile: f. 4^r in: Eckhardt-Lz, p. 133.

3. (a) Liszt wrote this song late in his life for an actress who was a poor singer. ²⁶⁰ The song actually puts very few demands on the voice of the singer; its range does not reach an octave. It was written on 28 July 1880; the bars of introduction were added some days later, on 2 August. This introduction has survived in Gottschalg's hand. Gottschalg mentioned in his diary that Liszt gave him the autograph manuscript of the song as a gift on 29 July. ²⁶¹ He made no remarks concerning the genesis of the introduction.

The song was published by Kahnt in Leipzig in the year 1880 as No. 56 of the series Gesammelte Lieder²⁶² and was subsequently included in Vol. VII/3 of the GA as well.

- (b) The manuscript in the HBn, together with the added introductory bars, served as the engraver's copy for the first edition. Nevertheless, some minor differences between the manuscript and the printed edition are visible.
- 4. The differences between the manuscript and the printed edition include: 263 bar 4: at the chords of the piano in the left hand there is a "p" in the autograph manuscript which was not printed;

bar 21: un poco agitato is the publisher's addition;

bar 50: "p" was not printed;

bars 51-52: "ritenuto" was not printed;

bar 53: "pp" was not printed.

Further differences include the positions of some slurs. All pedal signs, several dynamic markings, accent signs and slurs of the first edition were added to the music later, presumably in the course of proof-reading.

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A magyarok Istene (Ungarns Gott)

In February 1881 Liszt was inspired by Sándor Petőfi's poem entitled *A magyarok Istene* written in April 1848, i.e. during the Hungarian revolution. Liszt composed a song (S. 339), ²⁶⁴ and made various settings of the work simultaneously,

²⁶⁰ See Br. VII, No. 289.

²⁶¹ Gottschalg, p. 131.

²⁶² Plate no.: 3874a. A copy is held in HBl, call number 29.375.

²⁶³ The bar numbering agrees with the piano part. The recitative-like bars of the voice part, separated by broken bar-lines, have not been provided with separate bar numbers.

²⁶⁴ Liszt set to music the first one and a half stanzas of the eight-stanza poem in the original language (Hungarian) and in László Neugebauer's (1845–1919) German translation.

on which he reported to Princess Wittgenstein. ²⁶⁵ The song composed for baritone and *ad libitum* men's chorus with piano accompaniment, and its versions for piano, two hands and left hand only, were printed by Táborszky and Parsch in the same year. Táborszky also published the composer's organ or harmonium arrangement, as well as Géza Allaga's arrangement for cimbalom in 1882. ²⁶⁶ Liszt also scored the song for men's chorus and vind band in 1882; this arrangement has not yet appeared in print.

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1. (S. 339) (R. 635) Ms. mus. 7.444 A magyarok Istene (Ungarns Gott). Wind band accompaniment.

- 2. Autograph manuscript. Title-page, on f. 1^r: "Instrumentirung, zu // "A Magyarok Istene" // ("Ungarns Gott") // für das National Landes Gesang und Musikfestes in // Debreçin, [interpolated: (August 82)] geschrieben von // F. Liszt. // Zu Händen des leitenden Herrn General Secretärs, des // Debreçiner Musikfest[s], Cornel v. Abranyi, sein alter getreuer Freund // FLiszt. // 22 Juli, 82 Bayreuth." (violet ink). Title inscription on the first page of music, f. 2^r: "A Magyarok Istene", on the right-hand side: "Petőfi Sandor, // Liszt Ferencz." (violet ink). Script: violet ink. Signs of reference: red pencil.

 6 ff. Autograph pagination: 1–10 (red pencil). 267 17.5 × 27 cm.

 Provenance: purchased from Mrs. Kázmér Molnár (Budapest) from Jenő Hubay's estate in 1982.
- 3. (a) Earlier musicological literature makes no mention of a version of *A magyarok Istene* for baritone solo and men's chorus with wind band accompaniment in Liszt's own instrumentation, but a letter by Liszt to Ábrányi not only refers to its existence, but gives instructions (with musical quotations) for its performance as well.²⁶⁸
- (b) The title inscription of the manuscript in the HBn clearly reveals the purpose and occasion for which the instrumentation was made. As mentioned in connection with *Rheinweinlied*, the No. 13 above, the Hungarian Choral Society regularly organized song fests; among the compositions selected for joint choral performances were Liszt's works as well. ²⁶⁹ The Debrecen song fest was held between 16 and

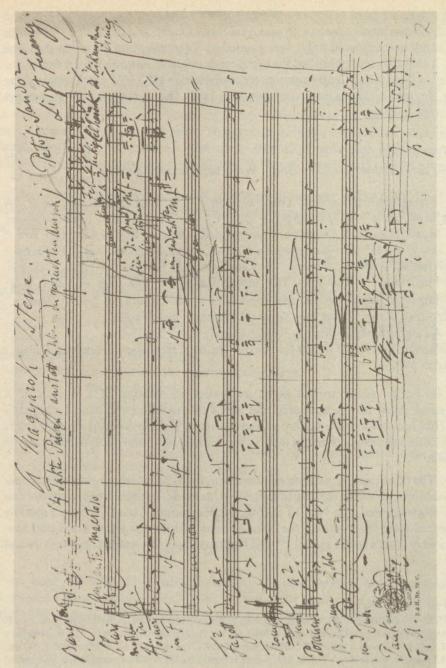
²⁶⁵ Br. VII, No. 309.

²⁶⁶ The editions include: (1) baritone solo, men's chorus, piano (S. 339, R. 635), plate No.: T. és P. 850. A copy is kept in the HBn, call number Mus. pr. 7.619). (2) piano two hands (S. 543, R. 214), plate No.: T. és P. 851. A copy is in the HBn, callnumber ZR 469. (3) piano left hand (mentioned at S. 543 and R. 214, respectively), plate no.: T. és P. 852. A copy is kept in the HBn, call number ZR 470. (4) organ or harmonium (S. 674, R. 339), plate no.: T. és P. 853. A copy is in HBl, call number 3906. (5) Géza Allaga's arrangement for cimbalom, plate no.: T. és P. 854. A copy is in HBl, call number 3905.

²⁶⁷ The title page and its blank verso are not paginated.

²⁶⁸ The letter, dated Bayreuth, 23 July, 1882 (HBl, Ep. L. 156) was published as *Br*. II, No. 303, with omission of the musical quotations, which were printed later in *Pr*. No. 504.

²⁶⁹ See Note 95 on p. 66.



Facs. 16: A magyarok Istene (Ungarns Gott), wind band accompaniment, autograph manuscript. Ms. mus. 7.444, f. 27

21 August 1882; Liszt's work was performed on 19 August in the theatre by Dávid Ney, soloist, a chorus of nearly 600 singers, and a 100-member orchestra, and in the court-yard of the Reformed College on 20 August.²⁷⁰ Although Liszt originally had sent the orchestral score to Ábrányi, the secretary-general of the Society, it came into the possession of Károly Huber, the conductor of the event, and remained in his collection after the performance. He bequeathed it to his son, Jenő Hubay.

4. Instrumentation: "Clarinetten in A" (on one stave), "Hörner in F" (on two staves), "2 Fagott' (on one stave), "Trompetten" (on one stave), "2 Tenor Posaunen" (on one stave), "Bass Posaune und Tuba" (on one stave), "Pauken F, A." Becken also appears on the 9th and 10th pages. Liszt wrote out only the beginning of the vocal part on the first page of music; thereafter he simply referred

to the printed edition.271

The entire wind band score was discussed, with superscribed vocal parts, in Róbert Árpád Murányi's study "Neue Liszt-Handschriften in der Széchényi Nationalbibliothek". The score of the wind band setting is 5 bars longer than the vocal-piano setting (S. 339) that is considered the basic version. The insertions come, according to the bar numbering of the vocal-piano version, after bar 2 (2 bars), after bar 50 (2 bars) and before the closing bar (1 bar). This accompaniment, when compared with the piano, reveals new musical features as well. The most striking is a trumpet counter melody in bars 17–26 of the score with the direction "Solo ben marcato, nobile". The accompaniment is marked by a greater rhythmic variety than the piano accompaniment, especially in the second half of the work.

Facsimile 16 shows the first page of music. In the upper right-hand corner the Hungarian form of the composer's signature can be seen. One can see the insertion of two bars (3–4) to the introduction which is thematic in character.

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1. S. 543 (R. 214)
A magyarok Istene (Ungarns Gott). For pf.

Ms. mus. 1.683

2. Autograph manuscript. Title inscription on p. 1: "A Magyarok Istene." (black ink). Signed on p. 8: "Februar, 81 // Budapest — // FLiszt." (black ink). Script: black ink. Corrections: red and blue pencils.

4 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-8 (red pencil). 22.5 × 30 cm.

Stitched with ribbon between pale green reps contemporary covers.

Provenance: purchased through Antal Jenő Molnár (Budapest) from Mrs. Bors (Pécs) in 1936.²⁷²

Facsimile: p. 1 in: NLE I/17, p. XX.

²⁷⁴ In the top left-hand corner of the second page of music appears: "Singstime. // (Baryton // weiter,

wie // gedruckt)".

²⁷⁰ The data are taken from Ábrányi-OMD, Chapter XIII, pp. 233-250. Dávid Ney senior (1842-1905) was an excellent Hungarian opera singer, a bass-baritone.

²⁷² In the list of accessions the name of J. A. Molnár was entered. He was kind enough to let us know

- 3. (a) See the general introduction.
- (b) The manuscript in the HBn contains the setting for piano, two hands. In spite of several corrections (scratched out, inserted and crossed out places) the music shows no significant deviations from the first edition.

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1. S. 341, 545 (R. 640, 194) Ave Maria.

Ms. mus. 202

2. Autograph manuscript. a) ff. 1^{r-v}: for piano or harmonium. Title inscription on f. 1^r: "Ave Maria." (purple ink). Signed on f. 1^v: "25^{ten} März — 81 // FL." (purple ink). b) ff. 3^{r-v}: for voice and piano or harmonium. Title inscription on f. 3^v: "Ave Mar[ia]" (purple ink). ²⁷³ Signature on f. 3^v: "24.-Mars // 81 — // Budapest // FL." (purple ink). Script: purple ink. Corrections (in b) only): blue pencil. 3 ff. ²⁷⁴ No pagination. 32 × 25.5 cm.

Notes in another hand: Karl Goepfart's certificate of the authenticity of the copy on f. 2^r (black ink); ²⁷⁵ notes in black pencil on ff. 1^r and 3^r. ²⁷⁶

Bound together with the first edition of the vocal version (Berlin 1906, Plotow, plate no.: G. 281 P.), p. 3.

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Leo Liepmanssohn (Berlin) in 1910.

Facsimile: f. 1^r in: Vol. I/12 of the NLE, p. XVIII.

3. (a) The vocal version of Liszt's late *Ave Maria* was written first, and the purely instrumental one followed it a day later, as the date on the manuscript in the HBn substantiates.

The composition did not appear in print in Liszt's lifetime. The vocal version was published—for a different voice but with the original instrumental accompaniment and his own instrumentation for small orchestra—by Karl Goepfart in 1906.²⁷⁷ The instrumental version was first printed in 1958.²⁷⁸

(b) Although the instrumental version was placed in front when the manuscript was bound, both the date and the appearance of the two manuscripts speak for the

that he was only an intermediary in the selling of the manuscript owned by a distant relation. He had, however, no knowledge of how Mrs. Bors had come into the possession of the autograph manuscript.

²⁷³ This title inscription has faded considerably.

²⁷⁴ F. 2° is blank. On f. 3° there is a detached, once pasted-over passage measuring 12.5 × 24 cm. ²⁷⁵ "Original-Manuscript // von // Meister Liszt. // Echtheit bestätigt // W.[eimar] Sept. 1905. K. Goepfart. // (Lisztianer von 1876–86.)" Karl Eduard Goepfart (1859–1942) was a German pianist, conductor and composer, and one of Liszt's pupils in Weimar.

²⁷⁶ On f. 1^r appears: "Diese Fassung ist ungedruckt"; on f. 3^r: "Original-Manuscript".

²⁷⁷ The following versions were printed: "Für hohe Stimme; Für Mittelstimme; Für tiefe Stimme im [the bound copy is also of this type]; Für tiefe Stimme im 9; Partitur; Orchesterstimmen; Einzelne Stimmen."

²⁷⁸ Five Liszt Discoveries for Piano Solo, ed. by Jack Werner. London 1958, Curwen. Plate no.: 5119.

primacy of the vocal version. While the manuscript of the vocal version contains numerous corrections, deletions and collettes, the instrumental version has relatively few. Both parts of the manuscript are drafts and at the same time final manuscripts intended for publication.

4. The following discussion reflects the chronological order of the manuscripts. In the *vocal version* the vocal part was notated in the violin clef.²⁷⁹ While Liszt did not specify what voice he was writing for, he defined the instrumental part accurately by adding "Pianoforte // oder // Harmonium"—and not "Orgel, Harmonium, oder Klavier" as Goepfart did in the first edition, a practice which has persisted in Liszt catalogues since 1906.

Though Goepfart must have had access to the HBn manuscript for his edition, he deviated from the autograph in several other minor points as well, mainly in the matter of expression marks.

Bar 1: Goepfart supplemented Liszt's "una corda" instruction by the words (Quasi Glockenläuten);

bar 3: in the accompaniment Goepfart prescribed sempre legato e p dynamics at the instrumental passage after the first entry of the vocal part. With Liszt this direction occurs in bar 6 only, at the interlude following the second entry of the vocal part; the accompaniment remain piano all through despite the ascending melody. Goepfart implied the contrary by writing "crescendo" at this place in the first edition for both the vocal part and the accompaniment;

bar 20: "ritenuto" was omitted in the first edition;

bars 31-32: "pp smorzando" is a later addition in the first edition.

Similarly, numerous accent signs and pedal markings and all "crescendo" and "diminuendo" signs in the vocal part applied in agreement with the rules of natural dynamics²⁸⁰ are Goepfart's additions.

Liszt's autograph corrections appear in the manuscript mainly from the middle section onwards. At the vocal solo "fructus ventris tui" (without accompaniment) Liszt experimented with several different rhythmic variants. After this unaccompanied part, he deleted 6 measures in the closing section of the work, and pasted over all the following bars, which had been merely sketched out. At the restoration this pasted-over slip of paper was detached, and the incomplete opening line of an *Ave Maria* composition in 6/8 time signature with a 6-sharp key signature, crossed out in red pencil, appeared on the verso, bearing the heading "in G dur zu // schreiben)".

The instrument designated in the *instrumental version* is "Pianoforte oder // Harmonium". Since the piece has been published in Vol. I/12 of the *NLE* on the basis of the autograph manuscript, its description can be omitted here.

²⁸⁰ Natural dynamics: melody moving upwards crescendo, moving downwards diminuendo.

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²⁷⁹ In Raabe's catalogue the incipit of the piece was given with the wrong key (*Raabe II*, p. 354) and was not corrected in the supplements of the reprint.

²⁸¹ The first edition and the catalogue of Liszt's works do not make mention of the possibility of performing the piece on harmonium. The first reference to it can be found in Vol. I/12 of the NLE.

²⁸² This does not hold for the first edition which contains several subsequently added directions for performance and fingering. In the *NLE* only "tre corde" in bar 11 and the pedal sign, as well as the slur in bar 14, have been added by analogy.

Schubert's Marches for orchestra

According to his correspondence, Liszt completed the arrangement of four of Schubert's marches for orchestra in late 1859 and early 1860.²⁸³ He used fragments of the following Schubert piano duets:

D. 818. Divertissement à la hongroise, Op. 54.

D. 819. Six grandes marches, Op. 40.

D. 886. Deux marches caractéristiques in C, Op. 121.

Liszt's four march arrangements for orchestra are:

S. 363/1. Marsch, B minor = D. 819/3.

S. 363/2. Trauermarsch, E flat minor = D. 819/5.

S. 363/3. Reitermarsch, C major = D. 886/1.

S. 363/4. Ungarischer Marsch, C minor = D. 818, second movement. 284

The original manuscript score of the first, second and fourth march arrangement are in the HBn. The location of the autograph manuscript of *Reitermarsch* is unknown.²⁸⁵

The Marches for orchestra were printed by Fürstner of Berlin in four books at the end of 1870 and the beginning of 1871.²⁸⁶ The reason for the delay was that Liszt's publisher Spina prevented their being published.²⁸⁷

The correspondence between Liszt and Gottschalg give substantial evidence concerning the preparation of the first edition. Prior to the autumn of 1870, Gottschalg had the scores in his possession. In September 1870 Liszt asked them

283 Br. I, Nos. 228 and 231. The orchestration was made for the Viennese conductor Johann von Herbeck.

²⁸⁴ Liszt had previously arranged all four Marches by Schubert for piano two-hands. The Ungarischer Marsch, written in 1838, was printed in 1840 as the second item of the series Mélodies hongroises d'après Schubert (S. 425). The remaining three marches, entitled Schuberts Märsche für das Pianoforte solo (S. 426), were printed in 1847 by Diabelli in Vienna. In the latter series, composed in 1846, the sequence of the marches is as follows: (1) Trauermarsch, (2) Marsch, B minor, (3) Reitermarsch.

²⁸⁵ In the New Grove Searle did not indicate that HBn holds only the autograph manuscripts of three marches of the series. In addition, he did not mention the existence of another autograph manuscript of

the fourth, Ungarischer Marsch in USWc (see Raabe II, Zusätze p. 19).

²⁸⁶ Plate no.: 192–195. The exact date of the first edition appears in none of the work-lists; according to Searle the series appeared after 1868. In dating the publication of the marches in late 1870 and early 1871, we rely on the following: (1) In *Deutsch-MVN* No. 192 is dated 1870. (The next dated entry for Fürstner is 265–269 = 1871.) (2) On 17 February 1871 Liszt informed the Princess Wittgenstein of his current work: this included "Marches de Schubert orchestrées" (see *Br.* VI, No. 264). The four marches may have been printed rapidly: the first at the end of 1870, the rest at the beginning of 1871. No complete series of the first edition of Liszt's *Schubert's Marches* is available in Hungary. For purposes of comparison a copy in DWRz (earlier call number: Dr. A 26) has been used, one that contains all four books bound together and was once in Gottschalg's possession.

²⁸⁷ Spina, the successor of Diabelli, had the publication right of Liszt's Schubert's Marches. Liszt asked him either to publish the orchestral version or to give permission to another publisher to issue them. Spina refused both proposals, see Br. I, No. 237 (dated: 9 July 1860). The letter also reveals that

the orchestral series consisted then of 3 pieces only.

back, in order to revise and correct them before sending them to press. 288 On 9 October he mailed the revised scores to Gottschalg, enclosing detailed instructions for the copyist who would prepare the engraver's manuscript (either Götze or Gottschalg as Liszt intended it). At the same time he expressed his readiness to make the piano reduction of the marches for two or four hands. 289

The manuscripts in the HBn are identical with the autograph scores described in Liszt's and Gottschalg's correspondence. Liszt's request to have an engraver's copy made was justified, since his own manuscripts of the marches were not fair copies. They contain numerous corrections and sections (mostly repetitions) only hinted at but not written out in full. As a result of this situation, they are overcrowded with explanations for the copyist.

Schubert's marches received radical transformation at Liszt's hand. They were not simply instrumented, but the whole musical texture was reworked. Liszt's arrangements are substantially more complex than the underlying original works, particularly in view of the formal treatment.²⁹⁰ The autograph manuscripts clearly reveal that this was the result of a long experimentation and renewed trials.

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1. S. 363/1 (R. 449/1)

Ms. mus. 5.601

Schubert: 4 Marches, for orch. No. 1 in B minor.

2. Autograph score. Title inscription on p. 1: "Marsch № 1." (brownish black ink), "Marsch—" (blue pencil). The title is supplemented by: "v. Franz Schubert, instrum. v. Franz Liszt. Autograph. // A. W. Gottschalg." (dark brown ink).²⁹¹ Signature, place and date are missing. Script: brownish black ink. Corrections: purple ink, blue and red pencils.²⁹²

6 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-12 (blue pencil). 293 Ff. 1-4: 35.5 × 27 cm, ff. 5-6:

 34×27 cm.

Provenance: purchased from Richard Macnutt Ltd. (Tunbridge Wells, Kent) in 1973; earlier it had been in the possession of the Fürstner family.

3. (a-b) See the general introduction.

²⁸⁸ It is possible that Liszt sent the scores to Gottschalg shortly after the orchestration was completed, in order to have copies made or for the purpose of mediating between himself and the publisher. For the letter requesting their return, see *Gottschalg*, pp. 92–93, No. 19.

²⁸⁹ Gottschalg, pp. 93–95, letter No. 20. Liszt actually set the orchestral marches for piano four hands for two of his Hungarian pupils, Vilmos and Lajos Thern (S. 632). The work differs considerably from

Schubert's original marches for four hands.

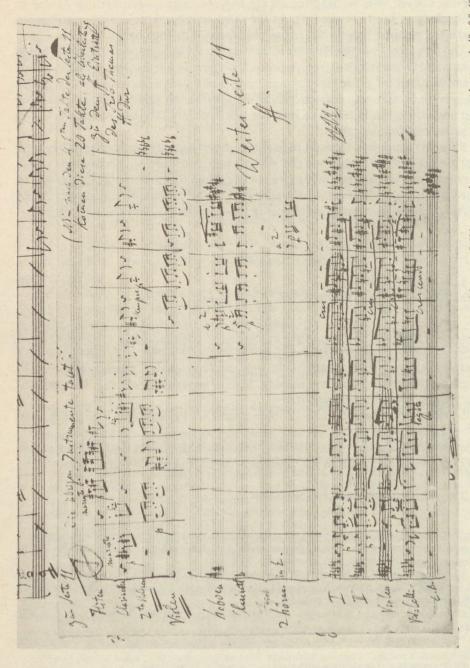
²⁹⁰ For more detailed information, see Eckhardt, M. "Liszts Bearbeitungen von Schuberts Märschen".

When revising the score, Liszt erased Gottschalg's supplement to the title inscription with blue pencil.

²⁹² Repetitions and orientation letters are written mainly in red pencil.

 293 The pasted-over passages (14.5 × 9 cm on p. 9 and 16.5 × 25 cm headed "zur Seite 11" on p. 12) used by Liszt for amendment and additions have not yet been detached.

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Facs. 17: Schubert: 4 Marches, for orch., No. 1 in B minor, autograph score. Ms. mus. 5.601, correction on a paste-over, bottom half of f. 6.

4. Musically, the manuscript fully agrees with the first printed edition. The composer's most significant amendment is found at the bridge passage preparing the coda. In Liszt's original conception the coda in B major, constructed of the main motif of the Trio, came immediately after the shortened reprise of the March in B minor (after four neutral bars, repeating mainly the note *F sharp*). However, later he inserted a longer bridge passage, reaching B major through E flat major first, then with a series of sequences moving upwards. This bridge passage is found at the very end of the manuscript, on a piece of paper pasted over the original. Liszt himself stated its function as follows: "(NB: nach den 4 1^{ten} Takte der Seite 11 // komen diese 20 Takte, als Überleitung // zu dem ff Eintritt // des Trio Themas // H dur.)" (see *Facsimile 17*).

Apart from some changes in instrumentation, all further amendments occur at those points in the work where Liszt departed from Schubert's treatment of the form: at the closing of the Trio and in the bridge passage preparing the reprise of the March, as well as in the B major coda concluding the work.

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1. S. 363/2 (R. 449/2)

Ms. mus. 4.870

Schubert: 4 Marches, for orch. No. 2. Trauermarsch.

2. Autograph score. On the title-page, f. 1^r: "Trauer Marsch // von Fr. Schubert // für Orchester von // FLiszt" (blue pencil); title inscription on f. 2^r: "Marcia funebre —" (blue pencil). The title is supplemented by: "v. Franz Schubert, instr. v. Franz Liszt. (Autograph v. Franz Liszt.) A. W. Gottschalg." (dark brown ink). ²⁹⁴ Signature, place and date are missing. At the end of the work, on f.8^r: "Fine // Amen! —" (dark brown ink). Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: in light brown and purple ink, blue and red pencils.

8 ff. Autograph pagination: 1–13 (blue pencil).²⁹⁵ 34.5 × 27 cm. Note in an unknown hand on the title-page: "2" (blue pencil).²⁹⁶ Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing) in 1970.

- 3. (a-b) See the general introduction.
- 4. Musically, the manuscript fully agrees with the first printed edition. The five-bar-introduction of the work with the heading "5 Einleitungs Takte" which Liszt wrote on the verso of the title-page was subsequently inserted to the front of the score. Liszt made two attempts before arriving at the final version: an introduction

²⁹⁵ The autograph pagination begins on f. 2^r; originally this was the first page of music. The title page and its verso, on which Liszt subsequently notated a short introduction, are not numbered.

²⁹⁴ Liszt erased Gottschalg's supplement to the title inscription from the word "Autograph" onward in red and blue pencil.

²⁹⁶ Although the figure was written in the same blue pencil as the autograph title-page, the possibility of its having been written by Liszt himself is but slight. The figure is probably the serial number of the march.

of three bars as well as an incomplete, deleted introduction of five bars are also to be

found on the verso of the title-page.

Liszt repeatedly corrected the bridge passage to the reprise of the March on f. $7^{\rm v}$ of the manuscript. The scale passage with augmented seconds in the strings and considered to be characteristically Hungarian by Liszt (Ex. 41) was not present in Schubert's original. Its first appearance in Liszt's arrangement occurred in the first half of the work, where it emerged in a different instrumentation and as an inner interpolation before the return of the opening period of the March.



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1. S. 363/4 (R. 449/4)
Schubert: 4 Marches, for orch. No. 4. Ungarischer Marsch.

Ms. mus. 4.869

2. Autograph score. Title-page in Gottschalg's hand, f. 1^r: "Marsch von Franz Schubert // instrumentirt // von //Franz Liszt. // Autograph v. Franz Liszt. // A. W. Gottschalg."²⁹⁷ Liszt's addition in front of the title: "Ungarischer", after the title: "№ 3." (red pencil).²⁹⁸ At the bottom of the title-page there is the plate number: 195 (blue pencil).²⁹⁹ Signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: brown and red ink, blue and red pencil.

6 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-10 (blue pencil).300 34 × 26.5 cm.

Note in an unknown hand on the title-page: "Manuscript № 4 hat Hr Dr Schweizer (Post) erhalten" (black pencil). 301

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Hans Schneider (Tutzing) in 1970.

- 3. (a-b) See the general introduction.
- 4. Musically, the manuscript fully agrees with the first printed edition. The Ungarischer Marsch has a more brilliant instrumentation than the three other

298 The figure (written under an illegible letter) does not agree with the serial number of the final order of the marches.

²⁹⁹ The figure is the plate number of the work in Fürstner's first edition.

301 This remark also seems to refer to the fact that the Ungarischer Marsch must originally have been

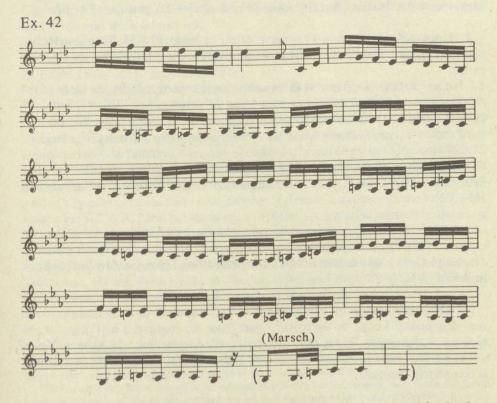
item No. 3 and not 4 of the series.

²⁹⁷ First, Gottschalg erroneously wrote "Reitermarsch" as title, then corrected it to "Marsch". Liszt erased Gottschalg's title inscription from the word "Autograph" onward in blue pencil.

³⁰⁰ The title-page and its blank verso do not bear autograph page numbers. However, the library's pagination (from 1 to 18) extends not only to the title-page and its verso but also to the pasted-over passages detached at restoration. They include slips of paper measuring 15.5×26 cm on p. 4 (according to the autograph pagination), 15.5×25.5 cm on p. 7, and 2×24 cm on p. 8.

marches. Because of a lack of space, Liszt notated the parts of the additional percussion instruments appearing in the coda, as well as the tambourine part entering at the orientation letter D, on a separate stave at the end of the score. Here it appears that Liszt had originally planned a "Pavillon chinois" part 302 which he later deleted.

The first large amendment comes at the bridge passage preparing the return of the March (at letter F) where the "characteristically Hungarian" augmented second appears again (see Ex. 42). Liszt used it specifically to modulate from A flat major (the key of the Trio) to C minor (the key of the March).



This amendment was added to the score later in a pasted-over passage. After having detached the slip of paper, it became apparent that Liszt had definitely intended to include a longer bridge passage here, but notated only a few motifs initially.

A similarly large amendment is found in the bridge passage preceding the coda in C major (in bar 5 before and bar 6 after letter I). The aim of the amendment was to prepare the coda properly.

In an unpublished letter to Eduard Lassen, dated 14 Febr. 1883, Liszt explains that the use of unusual instruments is not a simple straining for effect, to be blamed: "Pourquoi pas, si les effets trouvent leur raison d'être dans des causes valables?" He refers to the use of unusual instruments by Mozart and Beethoven (Glockenspiel in Zauberflöte, bass drum in the 9th Symphony), and states that he, on his part, would not shrink even from the use of a "pavillon chinois" (DWRgs, Liszt-Nachlaß 70/8, No. 6).

The closing of the work was redrafted several times. This is evident from the page on which Liszt provided the figure 9. Here, he crossed out a section of 18 bars that was only in sketch, and composed 9 other (fully orchestrated) bars as replacement. He deleted this section as well and wrote the final solution (13 bars) on p. 10. 303

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1. S. 415/1 (R. 224/1) Ms. mus. 5.831 Meyerbeer: Illustrations de L'Africaine, No. 1. Prière des matelots. For pf.

2. Autograph manuscript. Fragment: Ossia to bars 132–152. Title inscription, signature, place and date are missing. Script: black ink. Additions: brown ink, blue

pencil.

1 f. No pagination. Supplement to an unknown manuscript.³⁰⁴ In the place of the title inscription: "2 Zeilen Ossia zu Seite 8 und 9." (brown ink); "(Blatt // 8 und // 9 Bis)" (black ink). Other references: on f. 1^r, first stave: "Ossia // (Pag: 8)"; on f. 1^r, third stave: "(Ossia // Pag: 9"; on f. 1^v: "Fortsetzung der 2 Zeilen Ossia Pag. 9." 21 × 27 cm.

Printer's copy with the engraver's spacing of the music (black pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Stargardt (Marburg) in 1975. 305

- 3. (a) One of Liszt's late operatic paraphrases, based on material from two sections of Giacomo Meyerbeer's popular opera L'Africaine (Prière des matelots, Marche indienne), was written in 1865. The first edition was printed by Bote & Bock in Berlin in 1866.³⁰⁶
- (b) The short manuscript containing the *Ossia* was made as a supplement to the complete printer's copy of the work. Apart from the engraver's markings for the spacing of the music, this is born out by Liszt's instruction: "in kleinen Noten stechen". The music of the manuscript and of the *Ossia* published in the first edition is completely identical.

³⁰⁴ The whereabouts of the original manuscript are presently unknown. Only the closing section of the manuscript of No. 2. *Marche indienne* is known to be extant in USWc (see *Raabe II*, Zusätze p. 16).

³⁰⁶ Plate no.: B. 6883–6884. A copy is kept in the HBn (call number: Mus. pr. 13.604).

³⁰³ In the end Liszt found that the orchestral version of the *Ungarischer Marsch* was a real success. He often recommended this effective piece for performance to his friends instead of many other of his own compositions which were more difficult and demanded greater concentration. Thus he suggested it to be performed in the jubilee concert of the Pressburger Liedertafel on 21 December 1884 (Orel p. 29).

³⁰⁵ The auction catalogue announced it as an unidentified "Ergänzungsblatt". It was identified in the course of cataloguing in the HBn by Zsuzsanna A. Nemes.

1. S. 422 (R. 234) Ms. mus. 275

Rossini: La serenata e L'orgia, grande fantaisie sur des motifs des Soirées musicales. For pf.

2. Autograph fragment. Four sections containing 8 1/2, 5, 7 and 65 bars. Title inscription on f. 1^r (not in Liszt's hand): "Manoscritto di F. Liszt. // Introduze all' Orgia di Rossini" (dark brown ink). 307 Signature on f. 2^v: "Mit Frankel's // Cigarren[?] Begleitung // 11 Februar // Brün[n?] fürn[?] // ...[?]" (dark brown ink). 308 Script: dark brown ink.

2 ff. No pagination. 33 × 26 cm.

Notes in another hand: title inscription and "A Mad^{lle} Brisson // Alberti // Milano 22 Febb' 1857" (dark brown ink). 309

Provenance: purchased from Jacques Rosenthal (Munich) in 1911.

3. (a) Liszt arranged and rearranged items of Gioacchino Rossini's Soirées musicales (originally a set of vocal pieces) for piano several times. The first work completed was the fantasy arrangement of Serenata and Orgia in 1835/36 (S. 422, R. 234), followed by a second fantasy made from motifs of the pieces La pastorella dell'Alpi and Li marinari in the same year (S. 423, R. 235). In 1837 Liszt put together a set of 12 pieces of his earliest arrangements of Rossini's works with the title Soirées musicales (S. 424, R. 236). In this set the two pieces are included separately, Serenata as No. 10, Orgia as No. 11 and in an arrangement different from the previous fantasy.

The fantasy Serenata-Orgia (S. 422) was first published as Op. 8, No. 1 by Schott, Troupenas, Härtel, Trentsensky & Vieweg, Willis and Brandus in 1837.³¹⁰ Schott

also published the second, revised version of the fantasy later.311

307 The title is inaccurately given. This is clear from the fact that the manuscript in question is not a coherent one but contains four different sections. The lack of continuity is, in addition, born out by the remark "etc" put by the composer at the end of the first and third sections.

308 Liszt wrote this text at the end of the manuscript in a very hurried, slipshod way. In the dedication he erased the name of the person and perhaps his own signature to the point of illegibility. For the

contents of the text see 3.(b).

as follows: "dilettante passionné qui dévore toute ma musique" (Corr. L-Ag. I, p. 269). Count Alberti as follows: "dilettante passionné qui dévore toute ma musique" (Corr. L-Ag. I, p. 269). Count Alberti accompanied Liszt on his concert tour in late 1839 and early 1840 and visited with him Vienna, Pressburg and Raiding (Corr. L-Ag. I, p. 391).—Liszt wanted to dedicate No. 9 of book iii of Magyar Dallok [Hungarian Songs] (S. 242/9) to him, which the autograph manuscript in AEl confirms. This dedication did not appear in print. (On the manuscript, see Gárdonyi Z. "Eine unbekannte Liszt-Rhapsodie?)". The HBn manuscript must have been owned by Alberti who gave it away in 1857.

³¹⁰ For purposes of comparison Schott's first edition has been used, plate No.: 4724.1. A copy of it is kept in the AWn (call number: M. S. 40.687). A microfilm is to be found in HBa(mi) (call number

625.007).

311 The title-page agrees with that of the first edition, the only addition being: "Nouvelle édition, revue et corrigée par l'auteur." The plate number of the first edition was retained. A copy is kept in the HBn (call number ZR 73).

(b) The manuscript in the HBn contains those sections of the fantasy which are different in the second, revised edition of the works. This manuscript presumably is a draft of changes in the "Nouvelle édition". It was not made for engraving purposes since the sections are rather sketched than worked out, almost as a reminder (particularly section iv).

Because of the careless nature of the autograph text, it is impossible to determine the exact date, place and Liszt's intentions when writing down these four sections. Concerning the date of composition, Liszt's acquaintance with Count Alberti allows us to place it, in all probability, in 1840. The word "Brün" may well be the name of the well-known Moravian town (now Brno); Liszt gave a concert in Brünn on 11 February 1840. No person named "Frankel" is known to have been in Liszt's company in those days. The group of letters in front of "Begleitung", read as "Cigarren", raises the possibility that a humorous remark was intended.

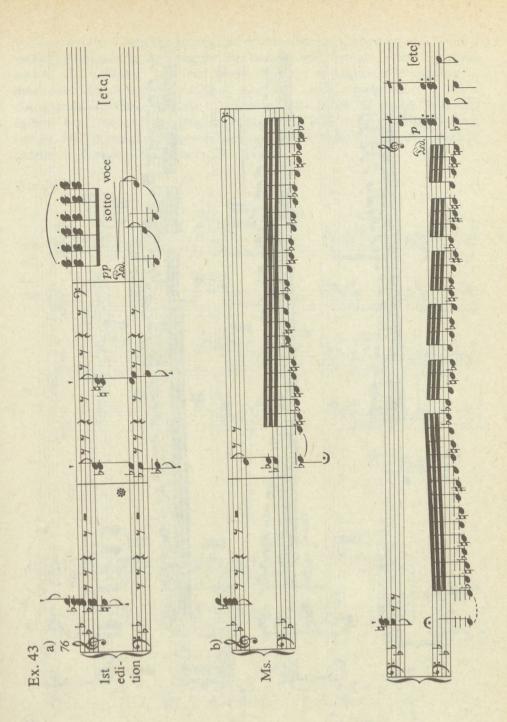
4. Section i: 8 bars, the 1st and 3rd double staves at the bottom of f. 1r of the manuscript. A bridge passage between the beginning "Presto fuocoso" of the fantasy and Rossini's Serenata melody. (In the first edition the Serenata followed "Presto fuocoso" without a bridge passage.) After 8 bars of transition which agree exactly with bars 24–31 of the "Nouvelle édition", Liszt notated the first half bar of the Serenata melody and referred to the continuation with "etc".

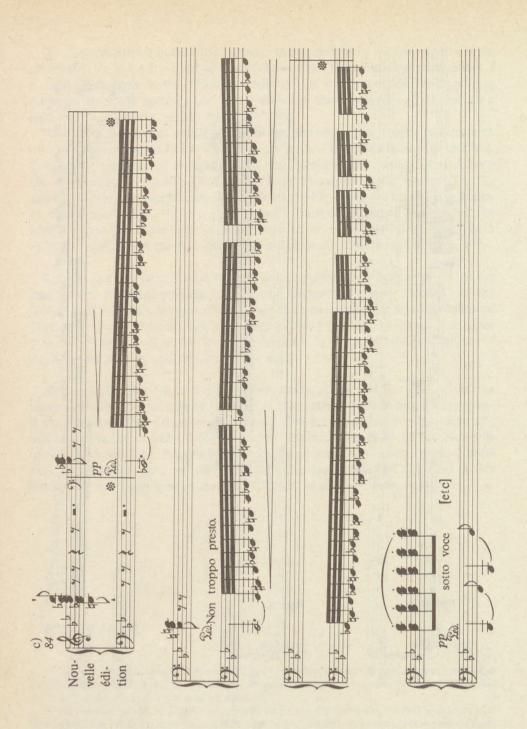
Section ii: the 4th and 5th double staves at the bottom of f. 1^r of the manuscript. Its original numbering was: II. It contains 5 bars ending the first large development section of the Serenata melody. This passage corresponds structurally and harmonically to bars 76–79 of the first edition and bars 84–89 of "Nouvelle édition", respectively. Because of its improvisational, virtuosic chromatic scale passages, it stands closer to the latter. (See Ex. 43a–c. The last two bars of this section are not given here as they are identical in all three sources.)

³¹² Liszt gave two concerts in Brünn on 10 and 11 February, in which he performed several Italian paraphrases and fantasies, but not the fantasy *Serenata-Orgia*. (See the chapter "Liszt in Mähren und Schlesien" in: Buchner, A. Franz Liszt in Böhmen).

³¹³ This person may be Ludwig August Frankl, Ritter von Hochwart (1810–1894), a German poet born in Bohemia, but this is conjecture. In 1851 Liszt's correspondence mentions a person named Frankl who moved in Weimar society and contributed articles to newspapers (see *Br.* IV, Nos. 70 and 84).

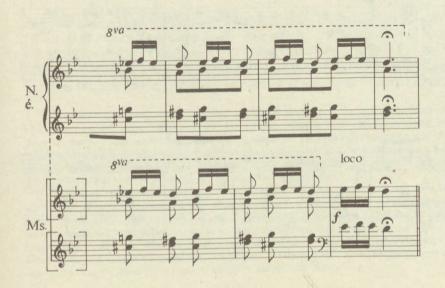
³¹⁴ A first reading produced "Gitarren Begleitung", but this has been rejected since it is a typical piano setting. Liszt generally wrote the word "cigar" ("Zigarre" in German, "cigare" in French) as "Cigarre". This may perhaps be a hint to a humorous private performance. (?)





Section iii: 7 bars, the 1st and 2nd double staves at the bottom of f. 1° of the manuscript preparing the D major half cadence with fermata of the Vivamente section of the fantasy inscribed Orgia. A series of sequences abounding in diminished chords and producing a chromatic melodic progression; it has a characteristic rhythmic formula. It agrees with bars 248-254 of the "Nouvelle édition" but shows an interesting shift of accent and some minor deviations from it (see Ex. 44). This series of sequences does not figure in the first edition where the half cadence in D major falls on bars 238-239.





Section iv: 65 bars taking up the 3rd and 4th double staves of f. 1° as well as the entire f. 2 of the manuscript. It contains the end of the closing section in 12/8 and the coda in 3/8, with the *Presto* tempo indication of the fantasy. It corresponds to bars 394–424 of the first edition (31 bars only) and to bars 414–478 of the "Nouvelle édition" (65 bars exactly). The difference in length results from the extension of the section in 3/8.

In the coda in 3/8 time a bridge passage comes before the appearance of the melody in both the HBn manuscript and the "Nouvelle édition" that was missing in the first edition. A further interesting deviation between the first edition and the two other sources is that while in the first edition the entire melody was in B-flat major, in the two other sources the first half period is in B-major while the second one reaches B-flat major, i.e. the key of the closing section of the work in the space of a minim (see Examples 45 a-c).





In the rest of the manuscript the coda first agrees with the corresponding bars of "Nouvelle édition". Bars 442–443 of the printed edition are twice repeated in the manuscript. From bar 460 onward several minor differences occur. The end of the work (from bar 471 onward) is not identical: whereas in the manuscript a B-flat major chord is repeated, chords in D-major and B-flat major alternate in the printed edition.³¹⁵

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1. S. 444 (R. 277) Ms. mus. 19 Wagner: "O du mein holder Abendstern", from Tannhäuser. For pf.

2. Manuscript copy with autograph corrections. Title-page in the copyist's hand: "Titel: // Ite Platte: 'O du mein holder Abendstern' // Praeludium und Romanze // aus R. Wagner's: // 'Tannhäuser' // für das Pianoforte // von // F. Lisst.[!] // 2te Platte: // Seiner Königlichen Hoheit // Carl Alexander // Erbgroßherzog von Sachsen-Weimar // in dankbarer Ergebenheit // gewidmet." (dark brown ink). 316

315 Although the fourth section of the autograph appears to be complete, Liszt wrote out, surprisingly enough, "etc," again after the last *B flat* sounding in threefold octave unison. It was only after this that he set the double bar and the date underneath. The only explanation for it is Liszt's haste, which is born out in the fourth section of the manuscript by several other occurrences as well (e.g. his marking the accompanying chords with letters: *F.B.F.B.*, the notation of rhythm in 3/4 time instead of 3/8 in some places and the reference to repeating bars with *Bis* or figures).

316 Carl Alexander, Grand Duke of Sachsen-Weimar (1818–1901) knew Liszt well when he was heir to the crown. Their correspondence, which was published by La Mara, began in 1845. After his accession to the throne in 1853, Carl Alexander established many institutions of art and culture; he was, however, unable to provide the financial means, or to create the appropriate atmosphere, for Liszt's grandiose musical ideas in Weimar. When Liszt left Weimar in 1861, their correspondence continued. In 1869 the Grand Duke put at Liszt's disposal the Hofgärtnerei, the home which served him in Weimar in his later years, and which became the repository of his estate after his death.

Autograph corrections in the title: "Recitativ" instead of "Praeludium"; "Liszt" instead of "Lisst" (light brown ink). Signature, place and date are missing. The script of the copyist, August Conradi: 317 dark brown ink. Autograph corrections: light brown and violet ink, black pencil. The song text entered by the copyist between the staves is in heliotrope ink.

4 ff. Autograph pagination: 2-7 (black pencil). 34 × 26.5 cm.

Printer's copy with the engraver's spacing of the music (black pencil). On the title page there is the publisher's number: "1656" (black and red-brown pencil, respectively) and the serial number of the 2nd edition: "Transcript \$ 5" (red-brown pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in

1900; earlier it had been in the collection of Sándor Pozsonyi.

3. (a) Liszt arranged this popular passage of Wagner's "Tannhäuser" for piano in 1849. The arrangement was published by Kistner in Leipzig in the same year. Kistner later issued a second edition with a new title page, otherwise unaltered. 319

(b) Though the original manuscript of the work has also survived, it is, nevertheless, most likely that this copy in the HBn with Liszt's amendations was used for the first edition. The wording on the title-page of the copy, the indication of plate number, and the stave and page division on the music pages, all of which fully agree with Kistner's edition, all seem to refer to it.

The printed music must have been repeatedly revised when preparing the second edition. The serial number, "Transcript \$ 5", in red-brown pencil, may have been entered on the engraver's copy on this occasion. The composition is listed as No. 5 on the title-page of the series made for the second edition.³²¹

³¹⁷ August Conradi (1821–1873) was a German conductor and composer, one of Liszt's most important copyists in the early Weimar years. His script on this copy in the HBn was identified by Rena Mueller.

³¹⁸ The title-page with decorative frame differs somewhat from that of the HBn manuscript: 'O du mein holder Abendstern' // RECITATIV U. ROMANZE // aus der Oper: // TANNHÄUSER // von // R. WAGNER // für das Pianoforte übertragen // von // FRANZ LISZT. // [...] Leipzig, bei Fr. Kistner. // 1656.'' The dedication was also printed. A copy is kept in the HBn (call number Z. 46.322).

319 This publication has a serial title: "Transcriptionen // für Pianoforte // von // FRANZ LISZT. [...]" On the title-page eight pieces are listed, of which "O du mein holder Abendstern" is the fifth. The plate number is also 1656. Since the last item on the title page of the series "№ 8. Der Asra, von Anton Rubinstein" was published in 1884 for the first time, this second edition of the *Tannhäuser* arrangement could not have preceded it. A copy is kept in the HBn, call number ZR 158.

³²⁰ The autograph manuscript was auctioned in New York in 1981 (see *Sotheby's Fine Books and Manuscripts*, Catalogue, November 24, 1981, No. 64), and according to the description, Liszt intended it to be the engraver's manuscript. A copy was, nevertheless, made for the engraver some time later. The

present location of the autograph manuscript is unknown.

³²¹ On the basis of the inscription "Transcript \$5", one could assume that this copy corrected by Liszt, was made not for the first but for the second edition. This would have been superfluous, since the music of the first edition, which contained no errors, could have been used. It is also possible that Kistner contemplated publishing Liszt's arrangements as series as early as 1849 (items 1–4 of the series which became *Transcriptionen* later, had all appeared by then), and that he marked this on the manuscript. There is, however, no definitive evidence for it, and the first edition bears no serial number.

4. Apart from the corrections and pagination on the title-page, the manuscript shows several fingerings, directions for performance, and pedal signs in Liszt's hand. All Ossias are Liszt's later additions. The first Ossia occurs at the last two bars of the Lento introduction and is to be performed when, after omitting the Recitativ, the Romanze follows immediately: "bey Hinweglassung des // Recitativ's springe man // zur Romanze 6/8. —" The second Ossia (in bars 29–34 of the Romanze) offers a technically easier solution for the performer.

In the majority, Liszt's instructions were carried out in print; thus both editions

by Kistner truly reflect the music of this manuscript.

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1. S. 454 (R. 287) Schlummerlied von C. M. von Weber mit Arabesken. For pf. Ms. mus. 17

2. Manuscript copy with autograph title-page, dedication, corrections and additions. Title-page, f. 1^r: "Weber's Schlumerlied // mit Arabesken // von // Fr. Liszt—" (black ink). Dedication on f. 1^r: "Seinem Freund Franz Kroll // gewidmet // FLiszt." (black ink). ³²² Place and date are missing. The script of the copyist, August Conradi: ³²³ black ink. Autograph corrections: black ink.

6 ff. 324 Copyist's pagination: 3-9.325 32 × 25 cm.

Printer's copy with the engraver's spacing of the music (black pencil).³²⁶ On the title-page the publisher's plate number: "1639" (red-brown pencil, semi-erased). Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900; earlier it had been in Sándor Pozsonyi's collection.

3. (a) Liszt made the piano arrangement of Weber's Schlummerlied in the castle of Prince Felix Lichnowsky at Krzyzanowitz on 13 April 1848, while awaiting the arrival of Princess Carolyne Sayn-Wittgenstein on her flight from Russia with her daughter, Marie.³²⁷ The composition was printed by Kistner in Leipzig and Richault in Paris in 1848.³²⁸

323 The copyist's person was identified by Rena Mueller.

325 On pp. 1-2 of the music there is no pagination in the copyist's hand.

326 Some additional notes in pencil are presumably also in the engraver's hand, such as the correction of note stems and the deciphering of Liszt's hurriedly written remark "besser eintheilen im Stich!", etc.

³²⁷ The date and circumstances of composition are clear from the autograph draft (DWRgs, Ms. U 40, dated "13 avril // Krziz.") and Liszt's letter written to Princess Wittgenstein (*Br.* VI, No. 63). The latter document also reveals that Liszt composed a song entitled *Schlummerlied* concurrently with his arrangement of Weber's *Schlummerlied* for piano. This song is, however, lost and does not appear in any catalogue.

328 For present purposes, Kistner's edition has been used, plate no.: 1639. A copy is kept in HBl (call

number 29.302).

³²² Franz Kroll (1820–1877) German pianist, teacher and composer, was Liszt's protégé and friend from about 1844 onwards. For details concerning their relationship, see Eckhardt M. "Párizsi Liszt-dokumentum 1849-ből" [Liszt Document of Paris from 1849], p. 80. (The document referred to in that article is Liszt's forgotten critique of Kroll's piano pieces *Esquisses* and the *Kleine Fantasiestücke* by Reinecke.)

 $^{^{324}}$ On ff. 4° and 5° are found autograph pasted-over passages measuring 13×24 and 16.5×24.5 cm, which have been detached during restoration, thus the manuscript presently consists of 8 folios. The library's stamped foliation (from 1 to 6) was carried out before the restoration.

(b) The HBn holds the printer's copy of the work. The engraver's markings in pencil fully agree with the stave and page division of Kistner's first edition.

It is interesting to note that while Lavotta took this manuscript as entirely autograph, Raabe, on the contrary, did not mention the numerous significant emendations to the copy in Liszt's hand.³²⁹ Liszt's emendations are, in fact, often hard to distinguish from the script of Conradi, because they both used an ink of identical colour. *Facsimile 18a* (on p. 163) shows fol. 3^r of the manuscript, bearing the following entries in Liszt's hand:

on the 1st stave: "lungo trillo, poco rit."; arpeggio signs, slurs and sextuplet markings;

on the 2nd stave: "simile, rit."; on the 3rd stave: "cres--";

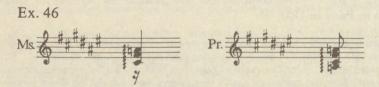
on the 4th stave: treble clef, all directions for performance and fingering. 330

Apart from the notes, everything in the manuscript is in Liszt's hand: title inscription, dedication, tempo and dynamic markings, and all other directions for performance. The two longer emendations to pages 6 and 7, on pasted-over slips of paper, clearly distinguishable from the copyist's handwriting, are entirely in Liszt's hand.

4. The music of the manuscript is practically identical to that of the first edition. On the first page of music, there are interesting directions for performance, which were, however, not printed: "Durchaus [inserted: Leise und] träumerisch vorzutragen. // Una corda". The continuation of the note, which was later crossed out, is found at the bottom of the page: "Das ganze Stück durchgängig piano zu spielen."

Minor deviations in the music include:

bar 46, right hand, 1st chord:



bar 80, right hand: the 4th-5th semiquavers of the scale passage were probably notated superficially in the manuscript;

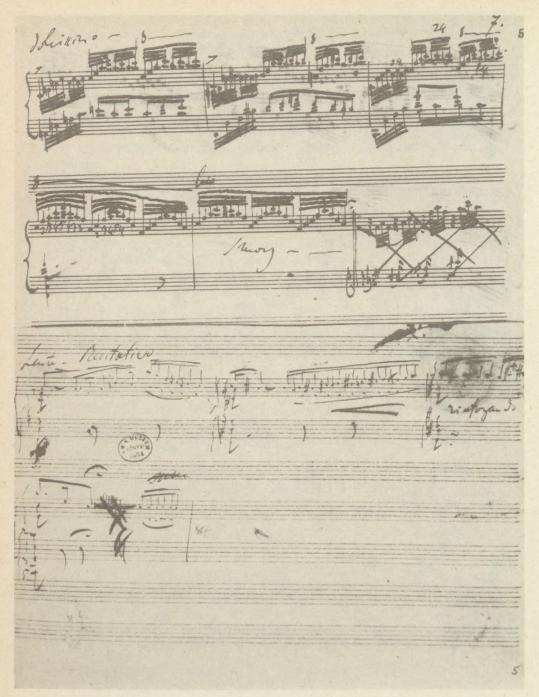
bar 81: at the end of the bar there was also a G sharp² in the first edition, which may have disappeared from the manuscript when the margin was trimmed. (The bar-line is also missing.) The instruction "rinforzando" was not printed;

329 Lavotta, p. 119, 3rd paragraph. Raabe II, p. 287: "Abschrift: U.N.-M."

³³⁰ The copyist used the draft Ms. U 40, surviving in DWRgs only in part. For distinguishing between the two kinds of handwriting, the use of the autograph manuscript in Weimar has been of great value. Liszt's notes are all missing in the draft.



Facs. 18/a: Schlummerlied von C. M. von Weber mit Arabesken, for pf., manuscript copy with autograph additions. Ms. mus. 17, p. 3.



Facs. 18/b: Schlummerlied von C. M. von Weber mit Arabesken, for pf., manuscript copy with autograph additions. Ms. mus. 17, p. 7.

bar 82: in the manuscript there is no smorz. in contrast to the printed edition. The changes in bars 80–82 of the printed edition (Example 47) can be compared with the last 3 bars of Facsimile 18b (on p. 164), fol. 5v (p. 7) of the manuscript.



As a result of restoration, the first draft under the pasted-over passages on pages 6 and 7 (ff. 4° and 5°, bars 70–74 and 79–82, respectively) are now visible. Liszt had originally meant to write virtuosic "sempre leggierissimo" passages in these sections, similar to the ones interrupting the smooth progression of the work in bars 49 and 53. Nevertheless, he had finally decided on slow, cantabile recitatives (the second is shown in *Facsimile 18b*). Although this later version with the recitatives appeared in print, the important direction "senza Tempo" in bar 70 was omitted.

1. S. 472 (R. 138) Ms. mus. 20

Berlioz: Harold en Italie. Symphony with viola part, pf. score.

2. Autograph manuscript. Fragment of a draft: bars 77–90 of the first movement (Harold aux montagnes). Title inscription, signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Corrections: heliotrope ink, black pencil.

1 f. Autograph pagination: 9–10 (red-brown pencil). 36 × 28 cm.

Note in an unknown hand: "Liszt" on f. 1' (black pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealer Friedrich Cohen (Bonn) in 1900; earlier it had been in the collection of Sándor Pozsonyi.

- 3. (a) Liszt made an arrangement for viola and piano of Berlioz's *Harold en Italie* (written for viola and orchestra) in 1836. It was not printed until some time between 1878/80.³³¹
- (b) The autograph page numbers (9–10) on the HBn manuscript show clearly that it was part of a complete manuscript from which it must have been detached. It contains the composer's first attempts, which he completely deleted after repeated corrections in black pencil. 332 The autograph of the piano score made by Liszt from Harold en Italie is preserved in West Berlin (DB). The paper, the pagination and the music itself bear out that the HBn manuscript had once been part of this autograph. The cancelled leaf has been replaced in the Berlin manuscript with a new leaf of a different paper. 332a
- 4. Although the HBn manuscript corresponds to bars 77–90 on pages 5 and 6 of the printed edition, the two settings are by no means identical. The manuscript draft shows that Liszt intended to write the viola solo on a separate stave, and a blank stave was maintained throughout. In spite of this, Liszt incorporated the musical material of the viola into the piano part which otherwise contained the orchestral reduction. In the bars in question there is a canon at the quarter-note between the solo viola and the orchestra, but because the music is so condensed in the piano part, the canon is lost. Liszt may have rejected these two pages of the draft for this reason.

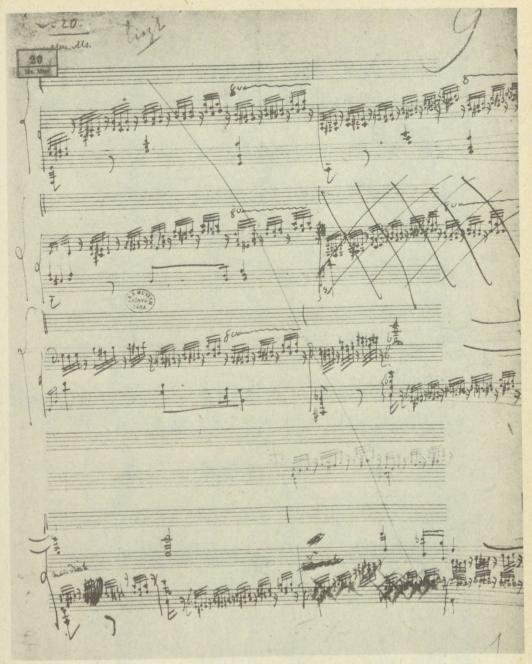
Liszt had already contemplated indicating the original instrumentation in the reduction when he was preparing the draft. Moreover, in one place he even notated the kettledrum part on a separate stave ("Timballes"), for the sake of a better layout, separated from the woodwind instruments. This separation was, however, not retained in the printed edition.

Facsimiles 19 a and b and Example 48 compare the fragment of the dismissed draft with the final printed version.

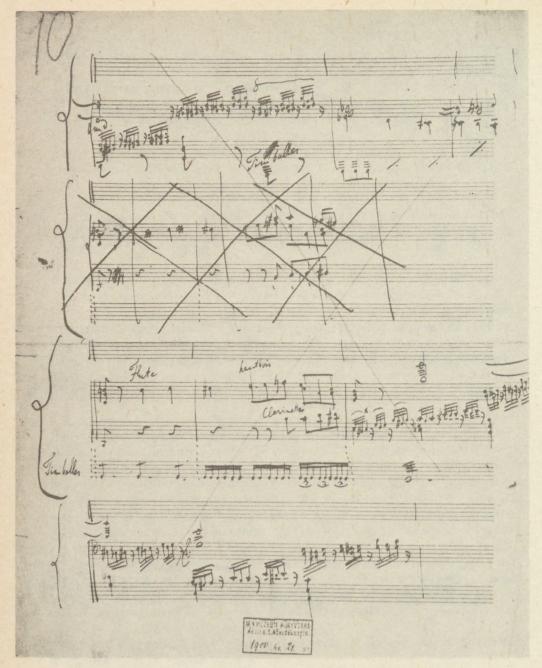
³³¹ The manuscript had been lost (see *Br*. II, No. 213) and was only found in 1877. The publishers were Brandus, Paris and Leuckart, Leipzig. For purposes of comparison the first edition by Brandus has been used, plate No.: B. et C^{ie}. 12,533. A copy is kept in the HBn (call number ZR 501).

³³² Lavotta listed the manuscript among the unidentified fragments (p. 116, 8th paragraph).

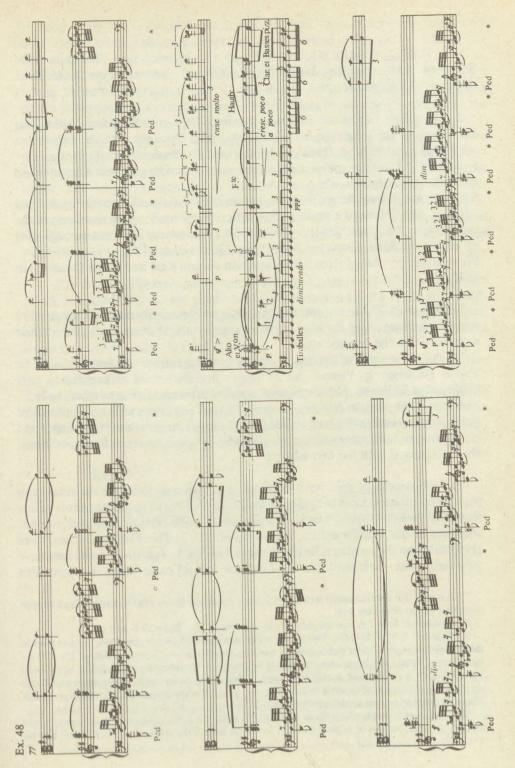
³³²a Information kindly supplied by the Berlioz expert Dr Paul Banks (London).



Facs. 19/a: Berlioz: Harold en Italie, pf. score, autograph draft, fragment. Ms. mus. 20, p. 9



Facs. 19/b: Berlioz: Harold en Italie, pf. score, autograph draft, fragment. Ms. mus. 20, p. 10



1. S. 560/1, 3, 5, 6 (R. 245/1, 3, 5, 6) Ms. mus. 5.094 Schubert: Schwanengesang. No. 1. Die Stadt. No. 3. Aufenthalt. No. 5. Abschied. No. 6. In der Ferne. For pf.

- 2. Autograph fragments: ossias to a printed copy. Without serial title. Title inscriptions of the songs: on f. 1^r: "Die Statd [!] // Ossia più // facile" (red-brown ink); on f. 2^r: "Abschied. Ossia" (grey ink); on f. 3^r: "In der Ferne, Lamentazion." (grey ink). 333 Signature, place and date are missing. Script: grey ink. Additions and corrections: red-brown ink.
- 3 ff. Autograph pagination: 1–2 (red-brown ink), 5–8 (black pencil). Pp. 3–4 are missing. Supplement to a printed copy with reference to its page numbers; at the beginning of *Die Stadt:* "Ossia 3te Seite 3te Zeile erster // Takt"; at the beginning of *Abschied:* "Seite 43 zweyte Zeile Ossia." 23.5 × 31 cm.³³⁴

Provenance: purchased from the antiquarian dealers Karl und Faber (Munich) in 1971.

3. (a) In 1838/39 Liszt arranged Schubert's posthumously published cycle of 19 songs *Schwanengesang* for piano. He arranged only 14 songs and altered their sequence from the original cycle.

The complete series of the *Schwanengesang* arrangements was first published by Tobias Haslinger in Vienna. All of Liszt's Schubert song arrangements were published in 26 books, with continuous serial numbers and plate numbers in 1839. Numbers 1–14 contain *Schwanengesang*.³³⁵ Similarly, the publisher Richault of Paris issued an early edition containing all 14 song arrangements.³³⁶ Haslinger and his successors later repeatedly reprinted and published the series in new editions, always identical with the first edition.

(b) The manuscript must have consisted of at least four folios (as the autograph pagination indicates), containing only the sections of the song arrangements with a simplified version marked Ossia—or a six-octave piano version. However, it is not complete in this respect either. The ossias of No. 2, Das Fischermädchen, were presumably on the missing folio (from the end of No. 3, Aufenthalt, some bars have survived); after Aufenthalt, No. 4, Am Meer, should come, since that song also

³³³ It is clear that the manuscript is incomplete, since *Aufenthalt* has no title inscription. The title must have been on the folio now lost.

³³⁴ One side of folio 1 is cut obliquely; its measurements are: 23.5 × 29.5-30.5 cm.

³³⁵ Plate no.: T. H. 7751–7764. This plate number indicates 1839 (rather than 1840, the date given in the catalogues) as the date of publication of these transcriptions (see *Deutsch-MVN*, p. 25). The copublishers of Tobias Haslinger were: "Paris, bei Schlesinger", "London, bei Cocks & C°." A complete copy of the set is to be found in HBl (call number 3958). (Additional items of the series include the arrangement of 12 pieces of the cycle *Winterreise*, Nos. 15–24; *Lob der Tränen*, No. 25; *Die Rose*, No. 26. The plate numbering runs continuously through 7776.)

³³⁶ Catalogues do not list this edition. Plate No.: R. 4181–4193. No. 7, Sérénade must have appeared separately earlier, because of its plate number: 3637 R. A copy of the entire series is in FPn, call number Vm⁷ 9879.

contains ossias. But in its stead, No. 5, Abschied, and No. 6, In der Ferne, follow. We do not know whether the manuscript had a continuation or not. In any case, the last bars of the last page coincide with the conclusion of In der Ferne.

Liszt's remarks (such as "die rechte hand[!] wie gedru[c]kt" on f. 1^r and "Die 5 letzten Takte wie gedru[c]kt" on f. 1^r etc.) clearly reveal that this manuscript was meant to supplement a printed copy. In other places the composer referred to the

unaltered sections with numbered, empty bars.

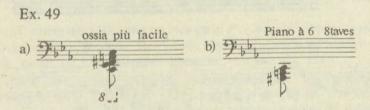
Haslinger's first edition of Liszt's Schwanengesang series (along with all known printed editions) contains the ossias in identical to those of the manuscript. But Liszt's page-number references cannot be linked with any of the editions listed above. The original manuscript of the Schwanengesang arrangements made for Haslinger has, however, survived and is now kept in the Wiener Stadtbibliothek. In the manuscript, the first 7 songs contain no ossias. Thus it is most likely that the HBn manuscript was an amendment to the Vienna autograph, and the page numbers refer to proof-sheets which are, however, no longer extant.

4. Die Stadt. The manuscript holds variants of bars 18–35 of the song. In bars 18–28, two kinds of ossia are given: a simplified version for the left hand marked "Ossia più facile" and the same simplified left-hand version for the older instrument of smaller range marked "Piano à 6 8taves". In bars 29–35, the manuscript has a single simplified version, but for 2 hands.

The differences between the ossias of the manuscript and of the printed edition

are as follows:

bars 18-25: the "Ossia più facile" solution of the manuscript does not appear in the printed edition; the latter contains only the six-octave piano version³³⁸ in an identical form with the manuscript. The two variants of the manuscript deviate here with a single chord appearing once in each bar of the section (see Ex. 49);



338 Haslinger's edition included a version for six-octave piano from bar 15 forward.

³³⁷ The autograph manuscript in Vienna was described by E. Hilmar in his study "Kritische Betrachtungen zu Liszts Transkriptionen von Liedern von Franz Schubert". Since he was unaware of the autograph with *ossias* in the HBn, he conjectured that they were not Liszt's work but Haslinger's later additions. In the same study he put forward the hypothesis that the various pieces of the cycle were not concurrently written, but some of them had already been completed by 1836—which is very probable.

Ex. 50





Aufenthalt. Pages 3 and 4 of the manuscript are missing, but they must have contained the last two bars (127 and 128) of the simplified version of the song only; bar 127 has a different rhythm from the printed edition:



Abschied. The manuscript comprises the simplified version of bars 130-167

of the song, identical with the printed edition.

A simplified version occurs in the printed edition in bars 109–129 as well, the music of which agrees with bars 59–79 of the basic version. As a result, Liszt deemed it unnecessary to write out this section in the manuscript in full. He alluded to his having numbered the relevant bars in the printed copy: "Diese 21 Takte // die hier als Ossia piu facile dienen // sind die nämlichen die ich // Seite 40 und 41 numerirt // habe."

In bar 155, where the right hand reaches up to c^4 , Liszt also notated a six-octave piano variant on the right-hand staff of the simplified version with small notes in lighter ink, which did not, however, appear in print (see Ex. 53).

At the end of the song Liszt added the following remark: "NB. Dieses Ossia hat Einen Takt mehr als im // Original". The same holds true for the printed edition.

In der Ferne, Lamentazion. The manuscript contains the music of the simplified version, bars 17–24 for the left hand only, and bars 25–27, 37–58 and 87–99 for 2 hands.³³⁹

Liszt erroneously numbered some of the empty bars of this song. He wrote bars 37–64 instead of 59–86 and bars 78–79 instead of bars 100–101. This is a result of his having overlooked bars 37–58, which he had already written out. In our description reference is, of course, made to the correct bar numbers.

On the whole, the manuscript and the printed edition coincide. Minor differences include the following:

bar 37: at the chords in the right hand there is a direction in the manuscript: "accentato assai". It did not appear in the printed edition;

bar 38, right hand:



In spite of the fact that Liszt wrote "Bis zum // Ende ohne // Veränderung" after bar 99, two additional ossias occur in the printed edition that are not in the manuscript.

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1. S. 577 (R. 291) Z 44.852 M. Wielhorsky: Ljubila ja (Autrefois), romance. For pf.

2. Printed copy with autograph notations, none of which occur on the printed title-page.³⁴⁰ Signature, date and place are missing. Autograph notations: black pencil.

5 ff. Printed pagination: 3-7.341 28.5 × 23 cm.342

Notes in another hand: "Varga Vilma" (signature of the one-time holder of the copy) on f. 1^r, directions for performance in German on ff. 3^v, 4^v (black pencil). Provenance: purchased from Mrs. Leblan (Budapest) in 1953; earlier it had been in the possession of Vilma Varga.³⁴³

340 "Любила я! // 'Autrefois!' // Romance // du Comte // MICHAEL WIELHORSKY // pour Piano par // François Liszt. // . . . // Berlin, Adolphe Fürstner."

³⁴¹ The music was later bound in boards. The paper cover constitutes presently f. 1', the first title-page of the copy differing from the title-page described only in lay-out (the text is identical). The printed page numbers refer to the music.

 342 These are the present measurements of the recently bound manuscript. It originally measured 28×22 cm.

343 Vilma Varga (1865–1950) Hungarian pianist and teacher, studied with Liszt at the Budapest Academy of Music in 1884/85 and 1885/86, though she was not a regular student there (see Legány-Lst., p. 102). Liszt was also on good terms with her father, the physician Ferenc Varga; he visited the family in their home in Rákospalota and even played the piano for them (Budapesti Hirlap, 10 March 1885). After Liszt's death Vilma Varga went to Vienna, where she came to know Brahms personally. She later married and abandoned active involvement with music at her husband's request. Following a divorce, she continued to practice her profession. (See Papp, V. Liszt Ferenc élő magyar tanítványai, pp. 97–113.) Her estate contained several items of Liszt memorabilia (see also Murányi, R. Á. "Unknown Liszt Relics", and "Ismeretlen Liszt-emlékek", respectively.) They are now in the Liszt Museum of the Budapest Academy of Music.

- 3. (a) Liszt arranged Count Wielhorsky's³⁴⁴ romance for piano in about 1843. The arrangement was first printed by Jürgenson in St. Petersburg in 1843.³⁴⁵
- (b) Vilma Varga's copy is of a later German edition, published by Fürstner in Berlin in about 1868/69. It contains some marks by Liszt in the music. Certain additional directions for performance in a different hand may have been entered by Vilma Varga herself.³⁴⁶

4. Liszt's marks comprise:

bar 12: "II = at" the beginning of the second stanza of the romance;

bar 17, right hand: a large marcato sign and fermata above the first chord. The marcato is also present in the printed edition but the fermata is missing. The note shows characteristic features of Liszt's handwriting in old age when his eyesight was failing;

bars 29 and 31, right hand: "pp" markings at the chords of the last three quavers (not definitely in Liszt's hand);

bar 19: the martellato wedge above the opening chord in the right hand of this cadence-like bar possibly originates with Liszt. In the same bar the two fermatas were later added and the quaver before the second fermata was corrected to a semiguaver, but none of these is by Liszt (see Ex. 55).



All the other notations are in a strange hand.347

344 Liszt became acquainted with Count Mikhail Yur'yevich Viyel'gorsky (Wielhorsky) (1788–1856) in the spring of 1839 in Rome. The erudite Count "discussed with Liszt matters of Russian literature and art, familiarized him with Russian folksongs and certain passages from his opera entitled 'Gipsies' [...] In 1842 and 1843 Liszt got on still closer terms with V. and was a regular visitor to his house. V. became his guide in the musical life of St. Petersburg. [...] He organized most of Liszt's concerts in St. Petersburg as well as the receptions and the banquets given in his honour. [...] As a token of his gratitude, Liszt made an arrangement of V.'s romance Ljubila ja which was very popular in those days (and which he came to know in St. Petersburg.) Мильштейн I, pp. 389–390 and Milstein I, pp. 384–385, respectively.

345 Plate no.: 13.603. A copy is kept in the DBds' Busoni Collection, Vol. 41, 8th work.

³⁴⁶ In the absence of any other evidence, the vendor's verbal communication had to be relied on concerning the origin of the notations.

347 They are: "schneller, laut" in bars 12–13; "leise" at the end of bars 24 and 26; "lauter" at the end of bars 28 and 30; marcato wedge over the last three chords of the right hand in bar 28 and the marcato

1. S. 604 (R. 330) Salve Polonia. For pf. 4 hds. Ms. mus. 6.534

- 2. Autograph fragment comprising bars 57–75 of the work. Title inscription, signature, place and date are missing. Script: black ink.³⁴⁸
 1 f. Autograph pagination: 5–6 (blue pencil). 33.5 × 26.5 cm.

 Provenance: acquired through exchange from HBl, of Károly (Carl) Goldmark's estate in 1978.³⁴⁹
- 3. (a) In his Salve Polonia, known in three instrumental arrangements (for orchestra, S. 113, R. 430; for piano, S. 518, R. 185; for piano four-hands, S. 604, R. 330) Liszt arranged one of the most popular Polish national melodies ("Boże coś Polskę"). It was written in 1863 but, according to some indirect evidence, the composer had already prepared sketches to this work back in 1850. 350 The definite version of the instrumental Salve Polonia was finished in February 1884 in Nuremberg. 351 As its content made it suitable to be inserted in the oratorio Die Legende vom heiligen Stanislaus, 352 Liszt gave the work the subtitle Interludium aus dem Oratorium Stanislaus when he had all three arrangements printed by Kahnt of Leipzig in 1884, the same year when the orchestral Salve Polonia was first performed in Weimar. 353 He intended to use the same music later for the closing number of the oratorio with baritone solo and choir. 354
- (b) The autograph fragment in the HBn was separated from a complete autograph manuscript of the version for piano four-hands, but not from the

sign in parentheses over the last chord of the right hand in bar 40. They may be Vilma Varga's notes and additions and thus may indirectly reflect Liszt's ideas on performance.

³⁴⁸ There are blurred violet blotches on both sides of the music paper which is possibly attributable to the fragment's being kept on another manuscript written in ink that became wet.

³⁴⁹ Károly Goldmark (1830–1915) was a notable composer of Hungarian origin. His descendants bequeathed an estate of considerable value to HBl on the condition that it be exhibited. The Goldmark memorial room was opened for the public in 1930 at the Academy of Music. The material exhibited there was later transferred as permanent deposit to the Helikon Library in Goldmark's hometown, Keszthely, which functioned as one of the departments of the HBn for a while. In 1978 the HBn became the official owner of Goldmark's estate and transferred it from the Hbl, in exchange for the estate of Eduard Liszt, junior. Goldmark's estate is now kept in the Music Division of the HBn in Budapest.

³⁵⁰ Raabe II, p. 307.

³⁵¹ See Ramann-Lisztiana, p. 246.

³⁵² The oratorio has already been discussed in connection with *Psalm cxxix*. See Nos. 6–8 in this volume.

³⁵³ The first performance on 25 May in a jubilee concert of the "Allgemeiner Deutscher Musikverein", with Liszt as conductor, was a great success (see *Ramann-Lisztiana*, pp. 246–247, 253).

³⁵⁴ A fragment can be found on a pasted-over slip of paper in the manuscript of *Psalm exxix* (No. 8 in the present volume). See Note 48a on p. 44.

manuscripts to be found in Weimar.³⁵⁵ There is no information concerning the circumstances under which it became Károly Goldmark's possession. Goldmark knew Liszt but did not belong to his close circle of friends.³⁵⁶ The music agrees completely with bars 57–75 of the printed music; directions for performance, dynamic marks, pedal signs and the majority of slurs are missing.

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1. S. 613 (R. 307) Weihnachtsbaum. For pf. 4 hds.

Ms. mus. 6.342

2. Autograph manuscript, incomplete at the end. Title-page, f. 1^r: "12 Clavierstücke, zumeist in leichter Spielart //—4 händig // Derselbe Titel wie für die // zweihändige Ausgabe — // 1^{tes} Heft // 1 // 2 // 3 // 4 // 2^{tes} Heft // 5 // 6 // 7 // 8 // 3^{tes} Heft // 9 // 10 // 11 // 12" (black ink). Title inscriptions of the various movements: f. 1^r: "I 'Psallite' Altes Weihnachtslied (Vieux Chant de Noël)"; f. 5^r: "II Wei[h]nachts Lied // nach einer alten Weise — // für Pianoforte zu 4 händen [!] // FLiszt."; f. 7^r: "III. // Die Hirten an der Krippe. // (Les bergers à la Crèche []] // (In dulce [!] jubilo)"; f. 10^r: "IV "Adeste Fideles" // (gleichsam als Marsch der heiligen drei Könige.)"; f. 14^r: "V. Scherzoso // (Man zündet die Kerzen des Baums an)"; f. 18^r: "VI // Carillon."; f. 22^r: "VII // Schlummerlied // (Berceuse)"; f. 26^r: "Altes provenzalisches Weih[n]achtslied // (Ancien Nöel [!] provençal)."; f. 28^r: "IX—Abendglocken. // (Cloches du soir)"; f 33^r: "X Ehemals // (Jadis) // à C. E."; 35^r f. 36^r: "XI // Ungarisch (Magyar) // À Kornel Abrányi"; f. 40^r: "XII // Mazurka —" (black ink, red and blue pencils). Place and date are missing. Script: black and purple ink, blue and red pencil.

43 ff. The autograph pagination of each section (at the top) and throughout (at the bottom) in blue and red pencil is complete. 31×24 cm.

Printer's copy with the engraver's spacing of the music and other notes in several places (black pencil).

Provenance: purchased from the Walter Ricke Musikantiquariat (Munich) in 1977. Facsimile: f. 5^r in: Eckhardt-Lz. p. 134.

3. (a) Liszt wrote the cycle entitled Weihnachtsbaum (Arbre de Noël), consisting of 19 pieces, at the end of 1875 and the beginning of 1876. 358 He had been

³⁵⁵ In the DWRgs, there is an autograph manuscript in oblong format dated 1863, call number Ms. B 3g, and a copy made for the engraver on the basis of this manuscript with Liszt's corrections and additions, probably dating from about 1883 (call number Ms. B 3g¹). Both manuscripts are complete. The "photographische Nachbildung einer anderen Urschrift mit anderer Einleitung", as mentioned in Raabe's catalogue, is not extant in the collection. This has been corroborated by Prof. Dr. Hans-Rudolf Jung in his kind reply to my inquiry.

³⁵⁶ On 11 January 1874, when excerpts from Goldmark's opera *Die Königin von Saba* were first performed in Vienna, Liszt (who also played in the same concert) warmly congratulated him. In addition, Goldmark once visited Liszt in his flat in Pest, and Liszt played on this occasion Goldmark's *Suite* op. 11 together with Nándor Plotényi (see Goldmark, K. *Erinnerungen aus meinem Leben*, pp. 113, 126).

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357 The initials "C. E." relate to Princess Carolyne Elisabeth Sayn-Wittgenstein.

358 LOM pp. 214 and 229.

preoccupied with the subject-matter as early as 1851, as material in his sketch-books in Weimar substantiates.³⁵⁹ Liszt originally set the items of the cycle for piano two hands, but almost simultaneously made a setting for four hands as well. The date at the end of the first draft of the setting for piano two hands is 19 January, that of the setting for four hands 30 January 1876.³⁶⁰ The two-hand setting was first printed by the Moscow publisher Gutheil.³⁶¹ However, this was not the definitive version of the composition. Later on, Liszt reworked both settings and established their final form by 1882, when the work was printed simultaneously by Fürstner in Berlin and Lucca in Milan.³⁶²

(b) The HBn holds the Fürstner printer's manuscript of the setting for four hands. All 12 pieces of the cycle are included; the last piece, *Mazurka*, which was supplemented by the title "Polnisch" in the printed edition, is, however, incomplete: the last 75 bars must have been lost.

The manuscript bears no serial title, only an allusion to the title of the setting for two hands. Liszt dedicated the entire cycle to his grand-daughter Daniela von Bülow, but this dedication is not present. Pieces X and XI bear a separate

dedication as well.363

The engraver followed Liszt's manuscript fairly exactly and with few deviations.

4. Differences between the manuscript and the first edition worth mentioning are as follows:

I: in the manuscript the f of bar 60 is missing;

II: the manuscript does not contain the main title O heilige Nacht!, but contains only the title which became the sub-title of the work in print. The text of the song written in the music shows divergences in two places:

Manuscript:

Print:

In Lüften sich schwingen der Hölle zu Spott.

Zu Lüften sich schwingen der Hölle zum Spott.

III: at the beginning of the Secondo part Liszt put fingerings in the manuscript that were omitted in the print (see Ex. 56).

360 See the preface to Vol. I/10 in the NLE, p. XII-XIII.

³⁶³ Daniela von Bülow (1860–1940), later the wife of Henry Thode, was the eldest child of Hans von

Bülow and Cosima Liszt.

³⁵⁹ See Ms. N 2 in the DWRgs, quoted by Winklhofer on p. 261.

³⁶¹ The exact date of the Russian publication is unknown; the editors of the *NLE* (I. Sulyok and I. Mező) place it between 1877 and 1881.

³⁶² The Italian publications (entitled *L'albero di natale*) are listed neither in Raabe's and Searle's catalogues, nor in the Preface of the *NLE*. There is a copy of the two-hand setting in IMc, call number: A–354–8; that of the four-hand setting *ibidem*, A–22–15–16 (in 3 volumes). The Fürstner edition of the four-hand setting in 3 volumes, with plate nos. F. 2213–2216 (H. 1), F. 2217–2220 (H. 2), F. 2221–2224 (H. 3) is kept in the HBn (call numbers: ZR 104, ZR 105 and Z 56.465).



Liszt indicated the rapid removal of the finger from the key, in order to avoid collision between the two performers, with a special sign: •). In print this became: +).

It is evident that in this part of the manuscript several of Liszt's pencil markings indicating repeated bars not written out but marked by figures only, were later removed. They were, however, in place when the engraver was working from the manuscript directly.

IV: no difference;

V: the first p direction for both players is a later addition. The mf in bar 19 of the Secondo part is present in the manuscript but was not printed;

VI: some pedalling signs and the inscription "senza Pedale" were added where

necessary;

VII: in bars 27–28 of the Secondo part, there is rest for the right hand in the manuscript and a counter-voice in the printed edition. Liszt may have entered this subsequent addition on the proof-sheets;

VIII: no difference;

IX: the direction for performance at the opening of the piece is "Andantino affettuoso" in the manuscript and Andante affettuoso in the printed edition;

X: no difference;

XI: Liszt's direction "eroic[o]" was printed as cresc. in bar 30 of the Primo part,

owing to a misreading and in spite of ff markings;

XII: the title "Mazurka" was increased in print to Polnisch. (Mazurka.) This movement is incomplete in the manuscript, the sign % in bar 13 is missing, though it is referred to on the last page of the manuscript.

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1. S. 675 (R. 406) Mus. pr. 10.830, Koll. 1.³⁶⁴ Nicolai: *Kirchliche Festouvertüre über den Choral 'Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott'*. For org. or ped. pf.

364 The composite volume consists of 7 parts. It was once in Gottschalg's collection; he labelled the bluish-grey stiff cover with the following inscription: "Fr. Liszt: 1) Kirchliche Fest-Ouverture 2) Transcriptionen für Orgel. A. W. Gottschalg." A facsimile of one of Liszt's letters is inside the cover: "Herrn Neufeld—Schr geehrter Herr, Bei dem vorzüglichen Virtuosen, Silotti machte ich in angenehmster Weise Bekanntschaft mit einem ihrer sehr lobenswerthen Flügel. Klang und Spielart sind vortrefflich. Freundlichst F. Liszt. August 85. Weimar." The composite volume was bound in 1974; the original hard-paper cover is now the inner title page of the volume. Parts 2–7 of the composite volume

2. Printed copy with autograph corrections. The printed title-page³⁶⁵ bears no autograph notations. Signature, place and date are missing. Script of the autograph corrections: black pencil, see Gottschalg's remark on p. 3: "NB. Die Bemerkungen mit schwarzem Bleistift sind von // Dr. Franz Liszt (1856 gemacht)."

6 ff. Printed pagination: 3-11. 31.5 × 25 cm. Other entries in Gottschalg's hand: signature on the title-page (grey ink); corrections in the music (blue, red and black

pencil).

To the verso of the title-page, a half-length portrait of Liszt is attached: a publicity

picture from Schuberth (Leipzig), dated 1884.

Provenance: purchased from the second-hand bookshop List & Francke (Leipzig) in 1914. Once it had been in the possession of Alexander Wilhelm Gottschalg. 366

- 3. (a) Liszt arranged Nicolai's Kirchliche Festouvertüre for organ in about 1852. The first edition was printed by Hofmeister of Leipzig in 1852.
- (b) Liszt and Gottschalg were presumably intent on preparing a new edition of the work, for which Liszt amended and supplemented this copy of the first edition (according to Gottschalg, in 1856). There is no other evidence as to whether the new edition was printed.
- 4. The printed edition had to be supplemented because it had no references to registration or to how to use the instrument, etc. According to Gottschalg, all the amendments in black pencil are Liszt's. However, on the basis of characteristic features of script and the nature of the amendments, this can be shown to be only partially true. The following notes are undoubtedly in Liszt's hand:

above bars 106-107, where the passage "Ein feste Burg" appears: "Choral // Knaben Stim[m]e";

³⁶⁵ "Kirchliche // Fest-Ouverture // über den Choral // 'Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott' // von // Otto Nicolai, // Op. 31. // für Orgel // oder Pedalflügel // gesetzt von // FRANZ LISZT. // [...] // LEIPZIG,

BEI FRIEDRICH HOFMEISTER. // London, bei Ewer & Co. // [...] // 4579."

contain certain pieces of Liszt's and Gottschalg's joint series entitled *Transcriptionen für Harmonium*, *Pedalffügel oder Orgel*. Nos. 1–3 of the series, three passages from Wagner's *Tannhäuser* (Nos. 1–2 arranged by Gottschalg, No. 3 by Liszt) were printed in one volume, the rest separately. Koll. 2, 3 and 4 all contain Nos. 1–3, Koll. 5 contains No. 4 (*Chor der jüngern Pilger*, 2. Bearbeitung von Liszt), Koll. 6 includes No. 5 (*Charakterstück "Schmerz im Glück" von Henselt*, arr. Gottschalg), and Koll. 7 contains No. 6 (*Gebet aus Rienzi*, arr. von Gottschalg). Koll. 4, in which the corrections may be in Liszt's hand, will be discussed in Note 369 on p. 181.

³⁶⁶ On A. W. Gottschalg, see Note 259 on p. 139. Liszt composed several of his organ works at Gottschalg's request, moreover, he dedicated four of his organ works (S. 658–659, 661, 673) to him. Liszt and Gottschalg jointly edited and published series such as *Transcriptionen* . . . mentioned earlier and *Repertorium für Orgel, Harmonium oder Pedal-Flügel*, in which are also included a great number of Liszt's works.

in bars 132-133 where the passage "Er hilft uns" appears: "Män[n]er und Knaben.": 367

in bars 178-179, at the imitation: "nicht schnell". The letters "l" and "r" in black pencil in the line of the pedal which denote the use of the right and left foot, respectively, are not Liszt's handwriting: the "r" is written differently. Besides, it is generally known that Liszt frequently turned to Gottschalg concerning the use of the pedal. 368 So these letters may originate with Gottschalg.

The notes in black pencil "ritardando" in bar 66, "a tempo" in bar 67 and "mit

Schweller" in bars 99-100 are definitely not in Liszt's hand.

In the case of fingerings, accent signs and slurs, it is particularly difficult to establish with whom they originated. This is not as important, since Liszt apparently went through the work with Gottschalg. Gottschalg's other notes refer mainly to registration. In a good many cases he added missing slurs, naturals, and he even corrected notes in one or two places.³⁶⁹

61

1. S. — (R. —)
Stabat Mater. For pf.

Ms. mus. 277

Autograph manuscript without title inscription. The text written in in bars 7-18 is: "Stabat Mater Dolorosa Juxta crucem // lacrymosa Dum pendebat Filius".
 Signature, date and place are missing. 370 Script: dark brown ink.
 ff. Autograph pagination: 1-2 (black pencil). 371 34 × 27 cm.

Note in an unknown hand: serial number of the second-hand book catalogue on f. 2^v (black pencil).

368 See Gottschalg, pp. 27-28.

370 My reading of the unclear group of letters in the place of the signature at the end of the work is

"Fin"

³⁶⁷ Liszt's references to boys and men's voices are presumably meant to inform the organist about the original setting (Nicolai's work was written for chorus, orchestra and organ), similar to the indications of certain exposed instruments of the orchestra in piano reductions.

Koll. 4 contains the first three pieces of the series *Transcriptionen*... published in one book, the third of which is Liszt's arrangement (*Chor der jüngeren Pilger*, 1. Bearbeitung, S. 676/1, R. 407/1). Owing to the few and not characteristic corrections (slurring, stems, the modifications of some held notes) in this copy of the first edition (Dresden 1863, Meser, without title-page, plate no. H. M. 703), it is not clear whether they are Liszt's or Gottschalg's work. The notation is similar to both their styles; keys or letters were not written. Apart from two minor exceptions, all corrections are found in Liszt's arrangement. The corrections of Koll. 4 seem to have been retained in manuscript. Koll. 2 is a later impression of the same edition, the title page of which already bears the number 5 of the series. Its music is, nevertheless, not corrected according to Koll. 4. For the sake of completeness it should be noted that Koll. 3 is the first proof-sheet for the same edition in which Gottschalg corrected several major mistakes. The first edition (including Koll. 4 as well) was already printed with Gottschalg's corrections.

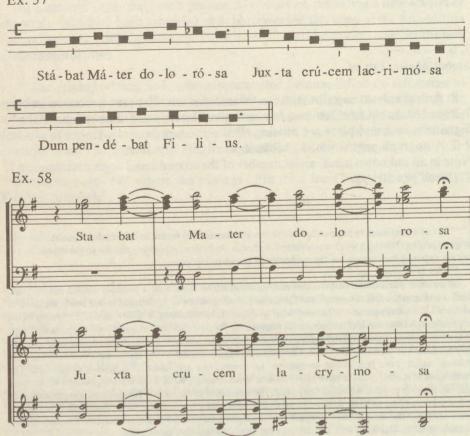
³⁷¹ The autograph pagination of pp. 3 and 4 was probably erased.

Provenance: purchased from Jacques Rosenthal (Munich) in 1911. Facsimile: f. 1^r in: *NLE* I/12, p. XVII.

3. This manuscript was listed in both Lavotta's and Raabe's catalogue (and later in Searle's initial work-list) as the piano paraphrasis of a section of the oratorio *Christus*. ³⁷² On comparing the music of the manuscript with the 12th movement of the third part of *Christus* (*Stabat Mater dolorosa*), it is clear that beyond the *Stabat Mater* melody, there is virtually no similarity between the two pieces. Since the melody is an original Gregorian hymn and not one composed by Liszt, this independent piano work should not be considered a paraphrase of *Christus*. Liszt also arranged the melody of the hymn *Stabat Mater* in *Via Crucis*, but in a different form from those previously mentioned (in Stations iii, vii and ix it occurs three times when Jesus falls).

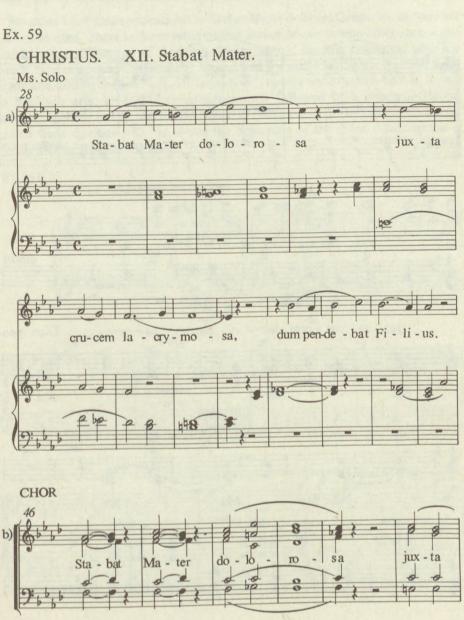
Examples 57-60 show the Gregorian melody, its arrangement in bars 7-8 of the piano work in the HBn, in *Christus* and in *Via Crucis*.

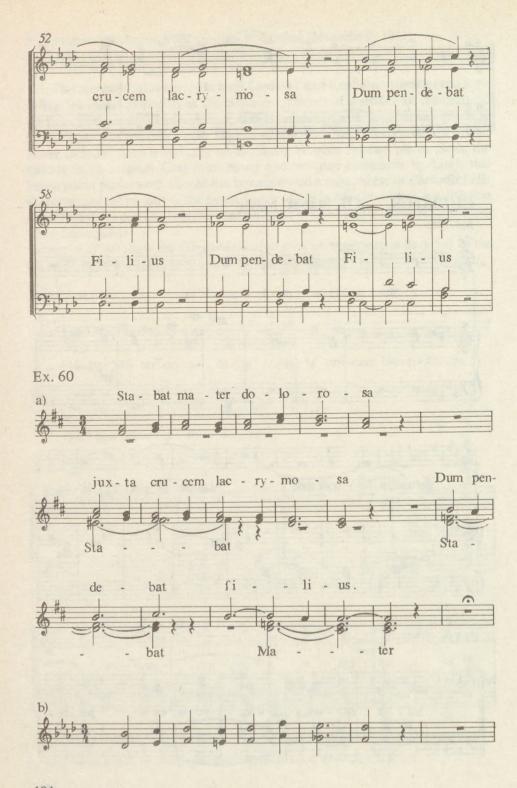




372 Lavotta, p. 188, 5th paragraph; Raabe II, pp. 317-318; Grove Vol. 5, p. 264.

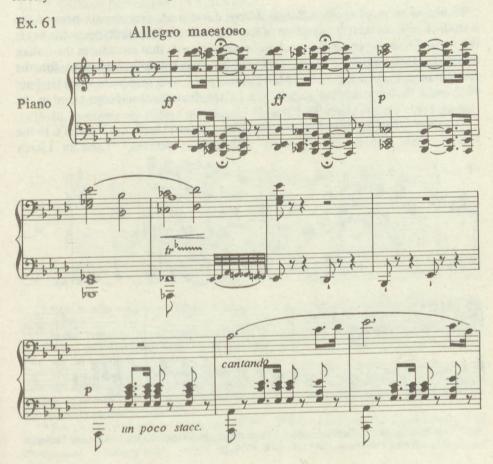








No other Liszt arrangements of the Stabat Mater dolorosa Gregorian melody are known to exist. There is, however, another Stabat Mater composition among the transcriptions: a section of Rossini's Stabat Mater, the aria beginning with the words "Cujus animam", that Liszt transcribed for piano (S. 553/1, R. 238/1), for organ and trombone (S. 679, R. 410) as well as for voice and organ (S. 682, R. 643a). In Rossini's aria, an eight-bar introduction is followed by a sweeping Italian melody, operatic in character, that bears no relationship to the Gregorian chant. Liszt's transcriptions—Ex. 61 shows the beginning of the piano transcription—closely follow Rossini's original.





In his piano piece entitled Stabat Mater, Liszt took over the six bars of the introduction from this transcription of Rossini's piece in its entirety; even the key is the same. The same grave, funereal sequence of chords that introduces the Italian aria in the transcription of Rossini's melody, but does not recur, is placed before the Gregorian melody in the Stabat Mater piano piece, and reappears twice (in bars 19–24 and 37–44) somewhat varied, as a bridge. Its influence is also heard in the closing Lento section (bars 98–101).

The rhythm and melody of these opening bars are not Liszt's but Rossini's. In the Rossini piece, the movement starts with unison octaves, 373 and in Liszt's



³⁷³ Rossini, Gioacchino. *Stabat Mater*. Ed. from the original MS.; first ed. by Luciano Tomerelli. London–Zurich etc., Eulenburg. Plate no.: E. E. 6074, pp. 25–26.

transcriptions for trombone or voice with organ accompaniment the beginning is similar (see Ex. 62).

Since Liszt's handwriting in Ms. mus. 277 is very similar to the autograph of the Rossini arrangement in Weimar dated 15 June 1847, we may presume that the piano

piece Stabat Mater was written in the same year.374

Liszt's Stabat Mater for piano was first published in full in Vol. I/12 of the NLE, edited by Imre Sulyok and Imre Mező in 1978, adhering strictly to the HBn autograph.375 A separate edition of Editio Musica, Budapest, is also available.

62

1. S. ? (R. ?) Unidentified fragment. For pf. Ms. mus. 201

2. Autograph memorial leaf. Without title inscription. Signature on f. 1^r, at the bottom: "Pesth 14 Janvier 1840. F. Liszt" (brown ink). Script: brown ink. 1 f.376 Without pagination. 13 × 20.5 cm.

Provenance: donated to the Library by Mrs. Zoltán Balogh from the estate of Pál Almási Balogh³⁷⁷ in 1879.

3. The only unidentified fragment presently in the HBn, and not a characteristic musical one; shown in Ex. 63. Liszt wrote these two bars for piano as a souvenir for an unknown person at the conclusion of this triumphant series of concerts in 1839/40, immediately before leaving for Győr. 378



374 Rena Mueller was kind enough to call my attention to the similar layout of the HBn and DWRgs manuscripts.

375 In their Preface (p. XI) the editors mention the German version of this study, which did not appear and in which the entire Stabat Mater was to have been published in facsimile. With the printing in the NLE, this has become superfluous.

376 The paper was ruled by hand. The verso is blank.

377 Pál Almási Balogh (1794-1867) was a Hungarian homoeopath, member of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences from 1831 on, and the author of several medical books. There is no evidence that he was personally connected with Liszt.

378 For Liszt's report of the end of his stay in Pest, see Corr. L-Ag. I, p. 355. On 14 January Liszt visited the monastery of the Franciscan friars; see Kilit Gasparich's account of the event in Társalkodó [Companion], 29 January 1840.

GROUP (ii)

FRANZ LISZT'S COMPOSITIONS

Printed or manuscript copies with the composer's autograph dedication

63

1. S. 4 (R. 479)

Ms. mus. 1.099

Cantico del Sol di San Francesco d'Assisi. Pf. score.

2. Printed copy: Cantico del Sol di San Francesco d'Assisi. Der Sonnen Hymnus des heiligen Franziskus von Assisi. Klavierauszug. Leipzig [1884], Kahnt (2617). Autograph dedication on the verso of the inner endpaper: "Herrn Rittmeister // Alexius Hodoly // mit herzlichem Dank. // für seinem [!] schönen // Vortrag dieses // »Cantico del Sol« // F. Liszt. // März, 85 — // Budapest." (black ink). Provenance: unknown.

3. This copy of Liszt's Cantico del Sol was dedicated to Elek Hodoly (1845—after 1896).

Hodoly graduated in medicine in 1867 and was then active as district veterinarian in Zemplén county. In May 1874 he was appointed first-rank regimental surgeon to the Pressburg battalion of the Hungarian territorial army. It is not known how long he held this high rank from which he derived the title "Rittmeister".

Though not a professional musician, Hodoly took active part in the social and artistic life of Pressburg.³ Since he had a nice baritone voice, he agreed to sing the demanding baritone solo part of Liszt's Cantico del Sol in a festival concert commemorating the 27th anniversary of the Preßburger Liedertafel on 21 December 1884. This concert had three of Liszt's works on the programme, among them Magyar király-dal [Hungarian King's Song], which had been refused by the Budapest Opera.⁴

Liszt was not present at the concert, although he attentively followed the preparations (as his correspondence with János Batka, a board member of the

² The data concerning Pressburg was kindly made available to us by the War History Museum in Budapest, based on the Registers of the Royal Hungarian Territorial Army, Gendarmerie and Cavalry.

⁴ The third work by Liszt was the *Ungarischer Marsch* (S. 363/4, R. 449/4) written on themes by

Schubert. For the entire programme, see Pressburger Zeitung, 21 December 1884.

¹ Szinnyei, J. Magyar írók.... Vol. 4, p. 938. (Hodoly was included in this book for having translated a German work on veterinary medicine into Hungarian, which was published in Sátoraljaújhely in 1875. Hodoly was still living when Szinnyei's volume appeared in 1896.)

³ Hodoly received words of appreciation from a fellow-citizen: "eine hervorragende Gestalt unserer Gesellschaft, ein ausgezeichnetes Mitglied unseres vaterländischen Offizierkorps, ein feinfühliger Kenner der Musik und warmer Freund der Künste nach jeder Richtung". (*Pressburger Zeitung*, 22 December 1884.)

choral society reveals). He only learned of Hodoly's achievement in reviews, and perhaps through the personal account of friends in Pressbourg, above all Batka. Reviews emphasized that Hodoly, despite an indisposition, mastered his task safely and with the proper interpretation. This is interesting because it was the first time in his life that he was accompanied by an orchestra.

Liszt first asked Batka to extend his thanks to the participants of the Pressburg concert, including Hodoly. Later on, he dedicated a copy of the first edition piano score of the *Cantico del Sol* to Hodoly in March 1885 to show his gratitude. 8

64

1. S. 52/3 (R. 530/3)

Septem sacramenta, responsories. No. 3. Eucharistia. For mixed vv. and org. or harm

2. Printed copy: Septem sacramenta. Responsoria cum organo vel harmonico concinenda. III. Eucharistia. Roma [1879], Autografia di P. Manganelli (P. 512. M.)⁹

Autograph dedication on the title-page: "Care Thern // freundschaftlich // FLiszt. // Januar 79 — Buda Pest." (in dark brown ink).

Provenance: presented to the library in 1964 by Prof. Viola Steinbauer-Thern (Vienna).

3. Károly Thern (1817–1886) composer, conductor and music teacher was an ardent Hungarian follower of Liszt. Thern was extremely popular in his time, mainly because of his incidental music and operas, but also because of his songs for contemporary plays about Hungarian village life and other popular art songs. (Liszt elaborated the best-known of these, the *Fóti dal* in his *Hungarian Rhapsody*, No. i.) Thern acquired fame both for his conducting (he was employed by the National Theatre of Pest in the forties, then by the Music Lovers' Association of Pest between 1868 and 1873) and as a music teacher (he was active in the National Conservatoire in Pest). Liszt also knew him well because his two sons, Vilmos and

⁵ János Batka, junior (1845–1917) was a descendant of an old Czech family of musicians. He was the municipal archivist in Pressburg, an amateur musician who was also active as a writer on music, publishing mainly in the *Pressburger Zeitung*. Orel discusses in length his friendship with Liszt, as well as his writings on Liszt. He also publishes Liszt's letters written to Batka.

⁶ The first unsigned review appeared in the 22 December 1884 issue of the *Pressburger Zeitung*. A detailed analysis of the concert was given by Batka in the 28 December issue of the same newspaper. Because of the excellent description of his works, Liszt suggested that this article be republished in newspapers in Pest, Leipzig and Berlin (*Orel*, pp. 29–30).

⁷ The date of the letter is 3 January 1885 (Orel, p. 29).

⁸ It is not possible to know whether they met personally on this occasion.

⁹ Raabe stresses that this work was only "autographiert, aber nicht herausgegeben" by Manganelli (*Raabe* II, p. 331). The lay-out of the music shows, however, that it must have been a regular edition. The title-page, printed in red and black, contains the title of all 7 responsories. The name of the lithographer, Luciani, is also given; moreover, the edition is provided with a plate number.

Lajos, both very talented pianists, were among his best pupils. The Thern brothers excelled mainly in performing works for two pianos; Liszt's compositions often featured on their programmes. Liszt repeatedly honoured their concerts with his presence; sometimes he also played the piano with one of them. It is known that Liszt was present and played the piano at a morning concert given in the home of the Therns.¹⁰

There is no concrete event or particular occasion in January 1879 that might have led Liszt to dedicate this copy of "Eucharistia" to Károly Thern. Because of their long-standing relationship, there is no need for any specific explanation. 11

65

1. S. 69 (R. 539)

Mus. pr. 3.846

Chöre zu Herders Entfesseltem Prometheus. Pf. score.

2. Printed copy: Chöre zu Herder's Entfesseltem Prometheus. Klavierauszug. Leipzig [1874], Kahnt (1711). Autograph dedication on the inner endpaper: "Frau Lilla von Bulyovsky, — // verehrungsvoll, und // dankbar // F. Liszt // 3^{ten} März, 1875 — // Budapest." (black ink).

Provenance: unknown.

3. Lilla Szilágyi (1833–1909), later the wife of the writer Gyula Bulyovszky, was one of the most celebrated Hungarian actresses of her time. At the age of 14 she already ranked among the top actresses of the National Theatre in Pest. After 1859 she took leading parts abroad, mostly on the German stage, and only returned to Hungary to make guest appearances.

In 1856 Mrs. Lilla Bulyovszky became acquainted with Liszt at the time of the Hungarian première of his Missa solennis. She remained an ardent Liszt enthusiast

for the rest of her life, as attested by their published correspondence.

The playbill pasted to the blank verso of the inner title-page in this copy of the *Prometheus Choruses* throws light on the motives for and circumstances of the dedication. Printed in Hungarian on one side and in German on the other, the playbill announces the performance of Liszt's *Chöre zu Herder's Entfesseltem Prometheus* in the so-called redout-room by the Budapest Liszt Choral Society on 3

¹⁰ An account of Liszt's visit on 30 November 1873 appears in: Legány-L., p. 186 of the Hungarian, pp. 221–2 of the English version. The Therns are mentioned by Legány in several other places; in this period of his life, Liszt maintained particularly close relations with them. Liszt also dedicated the piano score for four hands of Schubert's Marches to the Thern brothers (see Note 289 on p. 147).

12 Pr. Nos. 89-90, 112, 290; Br. a. L. III, No. 268.

¹¹ There is one additional note concerning the relationship between Thern and Liszt: in 1867, Rózsavölgyi of Pest published the transcription for piano duet of Liszt's *Rhapsody No. xv* (the *Rákóczi March*) arranged by "Réth N. Károly". The surname "Réth N." is an anagram for "Thern": the arrangement was made by Károly Thern. The explanation of the anagram is found in Ervin Major's card catalogue, HBa(mi).

March 1875. The introductory symphonic poem and the orchestral accompaniment was played by the composer and Antal Sipos¹³ on two pianos. The narrator was

Lilla Bulyovszky.

The *Prometheus Choruses* were completed by 1850 when, on the occasion of the unveiling of Herder's monument, Herder's play was staged in Weimar. In order to make Liszt's music suitable for concert performance, Richard Pohl wrote a connecting text. Pohl's text was translated into Hungarian by Kornél Ábrányi senior for the 1875 première in Pest, and was printed in a bilingual booklet. This booklet was bound into Lilla Bulyovszky's copy, after the table of contents on the first page.¹⁴

The dedicated piano score was bound in a deluxe red-leather binding ("Mehner V. könyvkötészetében, Pesten" [In V. Mehner's bindery in Pest]) prior to its presentation. As a result, Liszt's dedication is found on the inner endpaper inserted

during binding.15

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1. (S. 72/1) (R. 542/1) Ms. mus. 7.442 Rheinweinlied. For male vv. and orch. arranged by Károly Huber.

2. Manuscript score. Title inscription: "Rheinweinlied // von // Franz Liszt // Partitur" (black ink, supplemented later in black pencil by:) "Instrumentálta // Huber Károly."

Autograph dedication (written across the title-page): "Herrn Kapellmeister // Carl Huber mit verbindlichstem // Dank // F. Liszt" (blue pencil).

Provenance: purchased from Mrs. Kázmér Molnár (Budapest) out of Jenő Hubay's estate in 1982.

3. In the description of No. 13 of the present book, details were given concerning Liszt's outspoken request to Károly Huber about the instrumentation of his a capella chorus for male voices, Rheinweinlied, for the national song festival held in Miskolc in August 1884.¹⁶

The score in the HBn (call number Ms. mus. 7.442) was copied from Huber's original manuscript by Károly Kuncz, who signed his work on f. 17^r: "B. Pest 12/9

¹³ Antal Sipos (Siposs) (1839–1923) pianist, music teacher and composer, studied first with Károly Thern, then in 1858–59 with Liszt. In 1874 he founded a private music school in Budapest, many of the pupils of which continued their piano studies at the Academy of Music.

¹⁴ Szöveg Liszt Ferencz felszabadított Prometheusához ... [Text to Franz Liszt's Entfesseltem Prometheus]. The booklet also contains Liszt's preface (translated from French into German by Peter

Cornelius and into Hungarian, in all probability, by Kornél Ábrányi senior).

15 The music contains manuscript corrections in black ink (mainly pedalling signs and dynamic markings, but also the correction of some notes). They are not in Liszt's hand; we do not know with whom they originated or when they were entered, that is, before or after the presentation.

¹⁶ See p. 65–66. Instrumentation: 2 flutes, 2 oboes, 2 clarinets, 2 bassoons, 4 horns, 2 trumpets, 3 trombones, ophicleide, kettledrum, 1st and 2nd violin, viola, violoncello and double bass. Huber's autograph score is preserved in HBl (Ms. mus. L. 54).

1844 Kuncz Károly". The date is obviously mistaken, as the year can only be 1884.—It is clear that the copy was prepared after the performance, but it is not known when and how Liszt acquired it. Since the dedication written on the music is not dated either, we can only surmise that Liszt must have entered the lines of acknowledgement, evidently as a token of remembrance, on Huber's score some time in early 1885. In the 1884/1885 academic year Liszt stayed in Hungary between 29 January and 14 April 1885. At that time Károly Huber was already a fellow professor at the Academy of Music in Budapest where a department of violin had been established under the direction of Huber in the same academic year. 17

Huber's orchestration never appeared in print, and there is no evidence of its having been performed on any other occasion than the song festival in Miskolc.

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The next two items of music (V 1.188 and Ms. mus. 3.438) are grouped together since they are both dedicated to the same person: János Végh (and one of them to Mrs. Végh as well).

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1. S. 105 (R. 422) Hunnenschlacht. Sym. poem. V 1.188

2. Printed copy: Symphonische Dichtungen für grosses Orchester, 11. Hunnen-Schlacht. Partitur. Leipzig [1861], Breitkopf & Härtel (10160). Autograph dedication on the title-page: "J. von Végh — // freundschaftlich // FL. // Februar. 79 // Budapest." (dark brown ink).

Provenance: unknown.

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1. S. 597, (105), (106), 18 599/1-2 (R. 323, (422), (423), 325/1-2)

Ms. mus. 3.438 composite volume¹⁹

Sym. poems ii. (Hamlet, Hunnenschlacht, Die Ideale, Zwei Episoden aus Lenaus Faust). Transcriptions for pf. 4 hds.

¹⁷ See Eckhardt, M. "A Zeneakadémia Liszt Ferenc leveleiben", pp. 21 and 51.

19 Composite volume in deluxe red leather binding. In view of the fact that the dedication is written on

the inner endpaper of the volume, it must have been bound before dedication.

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Liszt but Bülow and Sgambati, respectively (*Raabe* II, pp. 302–303). In lacking separate numbers for these items, the catalogue numbers of the original orchestral setting are indicated in brackets. Liszt's unpublished letters prove that the transcriptions were his own work. (See letters No. 79 and 149 of the 1877/78 book of correspondence, HBn, ff. 32^v–33^v and 71^v–73^v, respectively).

2. Printed copy: Koll. 1-3 published in Leipzig [1875, 1877/78, 1875], Breitkopf & Härtel (13571, 14717, 13572); Koll. 4-5 published in Leipzig-New York 1862,

Schuberth (2791, 2839).

Title on the cover of the composite volume: "F. LISZT. // Symphonische Dichtungen // II." Autograph dedication on the inner endpaper of the volume: "A J. et Angélica // de Vegh, // en sincère amitié // F. Liszt // Février 78, // Budapest." (black ink).

Provenance: unknown.

3. The laconic dedication of these two volumes ("freundschaftlich" and "en sincère amitié") in no way shows that János Végh von Vereb (1845–1918) and his musically talented wife, Angéla Bezerédj, were among Liszt's closest friends in Budapest during his last years. Végh studied music with Károly Thern and Mihály Mosonyi, but decided to choose the career of a judge. However, he did not stop composing. Liszt had a high esteem for his piano duet, entitled Suite en forme de Valse, and arranged it for piano two hands. Végh transcribed several of Liszt's works for two pianos, eight hands, and his transcription of the Dante symphony particularly earned Liszt's approval. This transcription was also printed.

On 12 May 1881, Végh was appointed vice-president of the Academy of Music in Budapest to lighten the burden of the president, namely Liszt. Thus, on the management of academic affairs, Liszt and Végh became officially associated.

Their friendship was, however, not restricted to official duties. During his stays in Budapest, Liszt frequently spent his leisure hours with friends of whom he was particularly fond, playing whist, in conversation and participating in improvised music making. Apart from Polixéna Pulszky and the couple Vörös-Várkonyi, János and Angéla Végh were among his steady whist partners. Their intimate relationship is abundantly documented by János Végh's memoirs and Liszt's letters to Végh.²² The surviving part of the correspondence between Liszt and Végh dates from the 1880s. Their friendship must have begun earlier, a fact which is born out by the two dedicated copies kept in the HBn.²³

²¹ See Pr. No. 436.

²⁰ For Liszt's opinion, see *Pr.* No. 532. The catalogue numbers of the arrangement are: S. 430 and R. 263.

²² In his memoirs, entitled "Liszt Ferencröl" [On Franz Liszt], J. Végh cites excerpts from Liszt's letters written to him in the original language. In the publication "Ismeretlen Liszt-levelek" [Unknown Liszt Letters] (Muzsika, 1929/1–2, pp. 82–86), twenty of Liszt's letters to Végh are printed in Hungarian translation with the serial numbers 5–24. They were published by Prahács in the original language (except for letters No. 9, 20 and 22–24). (Pr. Nos. 436, 455, 470, 488, 494, 520, 523, 532, 534–535, 546–548, 568, 580.)

²³ Gyula Végh, János Végh's son, wrote on p. 22 of his article "Liszt Ferenc kiadatlan naplója" [Franz Liszt's Unpublished Diary] that the Véghs had a number of Liszt relics in their possession as late as 1930. "The diary[...] is not the only relic of the Master cherished as sacred in our family. Apart from some friendly letters, they also include music, the most valuable of which are the manuscript of my Father's Suite arranged for two pianos by Liszt [whereby Végh meant S. 430 but designated the setting erroneously] and two volumes of 'Symphonische Dichtungen' dedicated to my parents, etc.". The present whereabouts of the manuscript of the Suite, as well as those of the first volume of the Symphonische Dichtungen, are unknown.

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2. Printed copy: Le triomphe funèbre du Tasse. Épilogue du poème symphonique "Tasso", Lamento e trionfo pour grand orchestre. Leipzig 1877, Breitkopf & Härtel (14.686). Autograph dedication on the title page: "Meinem // verehrten Freund, // Franz Erkel — // treu ergebenst // FLiszt // Februar 78 — // Budapest." (black ink).

Provenance: purchased from dr. István Liebmann (Budapest) in 1962.

3. Much has been written about the relationship between Liszt and Ference Erkel,24 both truth and anecdote. Although the detailed discussion of this relationship is beyond the scope of the present book, Erkel's extraordinary importance in the history of Hungarian music justifies the enumeration of some authentic data on the occasion of describing the HBn score Le triomphe funèbre du Tasse, dedicated to Erkel.

4. January 1840: in a concert given in the National Theatre of Pest, Liszt performed the Rákóczi March in his own arrangement, with great success.25 2 February 1840: the journal Honművész reported that Erkel's Rákóczi March

(written as a souvenir, in the manner of Liszt) was printed.

27 January 1844: the National Theatre of Pest gave the first performance of Erkel's opera Hunyadi László. 17 May 1846: Liszt conducted the overture of the opera in Vienna.26 In 1847, Liszt made a piano transcription (S. 405, R. 160) of two excerpts from Hunyadi László (Swan-Song and March). 19 September 1856: Liszt wrote a letter to Erkel asking him to prepare the score of Hunyadi László with a German text for a planned première in Weimar.27 The performance never took place, because Erkel failed to send Liszt the required material owing to technical and financial difficulties.28

Summer 1856: preparations for performing Liszt's Missa solennis were disturbed by intrigues. As conductor of the orchestra of the National Theatre, participating in the performance, Erkel did his utmost to assure the smooth and successful première. 26-27 August: during the public rehearsals held in the ceremonial hall of the National Museum in Pest, Erkel acted as interpreter as Liszt conducted, and assisted him in his work. 31 August: the first performance in Esztergom. In one of their private conversations before the performance, Erkel suggested that Liszt

²⁴ Ferenc Erkel (1810-1893) was an outstanding Hungarian composer, conductor, pianist, music teacher, and the founder of the Hungarian opera, who devoted his whole life to the cause of the emerging independent Hungarian musical life. The most complete catalogue of his works has been excellently compiled by Dezső Legány (Legány-E.).

²⁵ See p. 115 and the note 211 ibid.

²⁶ Legány-E., p. 40.

²⁷ Pr. No. 88.

²⁸ A hypothesis in connection with this matter is put forward in Isoz, K. "Kisérletek Erkel Hunyadi Lászlójának párizsi színrehozatalára".

modify the closing section of the Gloria.²⁹ 21 November 1856: Liszt informed Erkel that he had succeeded in working through the appropriate section of the Gloria as

suggested.30

1853–1871: Erkel regularly gave concerts with the orchestra of the Philharmonic Society, comprised of members of the orchestra of the National Theatre under his direction. (Incidentally, it was Liszt's idea to establish this ensemble.)^{30a} Erkel frequently put Liszt's works on the programme.³¹ In the framework of the philharmonic concerts organized by Erkel, Liszt himself occasionally conducted the orchestra.³²

1872: Liszt completed his piano and orchestral work, respectively (S. 486, R. 158 and S. 353, R. 448) making use of the music of Béni Egressy's Szózat and Ferenc Erkel's Himnusz [National Anthem]. He had previously intended to elaborate Erkel's Himnusz in a symphonic work, as a letter from 1856 reveals, 33 but the plan did not materialize.

After a lengthy delay, the Academy of Music in Budapest opened its doors in the autumn of 1875, with Liszt as president and Erkel as director. Both taught pupils in the department of piano, often the same ones. 34 On the occasion of the inauguration, Liszt addressed a letter to Erkel stating that Erkel's direction seemed to him to be a guarantee that the new Academy would develop properly, and that he felt confident of their excellent cooperation. 35 In his opening speech, Erkel laid special emphasis on what Liszt's direct involvement meant, not only for the Hungarian students attending the Academy but also for all the Hungarian musical life. 36 It is because of Liszt's and Erkel's steadfastness, their identity of goals in matters of substance, despite certain difference of opinion, and their indomitable zeal (paying no heed to attacks from the press and the authorities) that the Academy of Music got beyond its initial difficulties and has grown to be one of Europe's best appreciated music education establishments. 37

We do not know of any event in early 1878 that is directly connected with the dedication of the score of the *Tasso epilogue*. The long "brotherhood in arms", some moments of which have just been described, provides a sufficient explanation

for the friendly tone of the dedication.38

30 Pr. No. 92.

30a See Eckhardt, M. "Liszt és a Doppler-testvérek".

32 For example, on the occasion of the Beethoven anniversary, see p. 63 and Note 82 ibid.

33 Pr. No. 92.

35 Br. VIII, No. 276.

³⁷ For information concerning the difficulties of the first two years of the Academy, as well as Erkel's and Liszt's efforts, see *Legány*, *D*. ibid.

³⁸ The friendship between Erkel and Liszt resulted in closer personal ties too. Liszt was the godfather of Erkel's son, Ferenc, who was born in the autumn of 1856 and died in 1863 (see *Pr.* No. 92, note 2).

²⁹ Lajos Érdy's recollection. Fabó B. Erkel Ferenc emlékkönyv 1, pp. 58-59.

^{31 1856:} Les préludes; 1857: Orpheus; 1865: Dante Symphony, first movement; Schubert-Liszt: March; 1866: Les préludes; 1867: Faust Symphony, "Gretchen" movement; 1869: Dante Symphony, Hungaria, Psalm cxxxvii. (Information from Csuka, in addition to Dezső Legány's collection of contemporary press-clippings.)

³⁴ See Legány-LSt, names printed in italics.

³⁶ Erkel's opening speech is quoted in Legány, D. "Erkel és Liszt zeneakadémiája (1875–1876)"; p. 248.

1. (S. 117) (R. 439) Ms. mus. 3.005 Rákóczi March. Setting for sym. orch., arr. for pf. 4 hds.

- 2. Printed copy: Rákóczy Marsch für grosses Orchester. Für 2 Pianoforte zu vier Händen. Leipzig [1871], Schuberth (4862). Autograph dedication on the title-page: "Madame la Comtesse Léo Festetics // respectueux homage // FLiszt // Mars 71 Pest." (black ink).
- 3. It may have been during his important concert tour in Hungary at the end of 1839 and the beginning of 1840 that Liszt made the acquaintance of Countess Festetics, née Krisztina Kubinyi. Liszt had earlier befriended her husband, the Hungarian magnate Leó Festetics (1800–1884), an active composer who played an important role in Hungarian musical life.³⁹ During his stay in Pest in 1839/40 Liszt enjoyed the hospitality of Count Festetics.⁴⁰

Beyond customary social contacts, no personal friendship is known to have existed between Liszt and the Countess Festetics. Liszt's relationship with Count Festetics was, on the other hand, very significant, and he considered the Count to be his closest friend in the 1840s. This is born out by the great number of letters written to him and their sincere, intimate tone, such as by the piano transcription of Festetics's *Spanish serenade* in 1846 (S. 487, R. 161), and by the printed dedication to Festetics of several of Liszt's compositions with a Hungarian theme.⁴¹

Count Festetics's relations with Liszt reflect the typical general attitude of the time. He praised Liszt as a piano virtuoso but attacked him as a composer, unable to comprehend Liszt's genius and epoch-making innovations. He even raised

39 See Liszt's letter dated Paris, 24 November 1839, Br. I, No. 22.

⁴⁰ The Count went to meet Liszt in Vienna and witnessed how the artist's journey turned into a veritable triumphal march.—For particulars of Liszt's Hungarian stay in relation to Festetics, see *Corr. L-Ag.* I, pp. 310, 329, 331, 342–343, 355–356. In one of his letters Liszt cursorily mentioned the Countess, too (*Corr. L-Ag.* I, p. 348).

⁴¹ It is commonly known that Liszt dedicated the first book of the set Magyar dallok — Magyar rhapsodiák (S. 242, R. 105), published by Haslinger, to Count Festetics, while the dedication of the sixth book (the Rákóczi March) embraced the six Hungarian magnates, among them Festetics, who presented him with the sword of honour in Pest on 4 January 1840. In musicological literature it is not known that some dedicated copies exist of the French edition (Paris, Bernard Latte, plate no.: B. L. 2832) of the first seven pieces of the same set, published with the title Album d'un voyageur, 3me année. Mélodies hongroises. The edition itself is mentioned in: Raabe II, pp. 244 and 262. The dedication, a facsimile of Liszt's handwriting, is as follows: "À Monsieur le Comte // Leo Festetics // vive reconnaissance // amitié devoué // F. Liszt." The first piece of the composite volume in the HBn, call number Mus. pr. 6.665 is such a dedicated, extremely rare, copy. The latter had previously been thought to be a copy with autograph dedication, because of the fact that the facsimile is of exceptionally good quality. My study "Liszt Ferenc és magyar kortársai" (Eckhardt-L pp. 102-105), also describes it as an authentic autograph. Since then I have succeeded in finding a copy in Paris with the same dedication, music published by Latte and containing items 2 and 4 of the set (FPn, Rés. 2464). Thus it is now clear that we are dealing with facsimiles in both cases. The manuscript dedication found on the second piece of the composite volume of the HBn (Marche hongroise d'après Schubert, Paris, Bernard Latte, plate No.: B. L. 2308) is also a facsimile: "À son excellent ami // le Général Prince // Felix Lichnowsky // FLiszt // Paris 27 Mars 1841."

difficulties when it came to having Liszt's works performed. Most of the complications and intrigues preceding the first performance of *Missa solennis* can be attributed to Festetics. ⁴²—In the disputes concerning the fate of the Academy of Music, Festetics played an equally negative role in the early 1870s: he feared that the establishment of a new institution of music education would diminish the prestige of his own "Színészeti Énektanoda" [Theatrical Singing School]. ⁴³

Liszt tried to maintain cordial relations with the Countess and Count Festetics in spite of the latter's conduct—so unworthy of a friend. Thus the dedication of this

music must also be considered as a sign of courtesy on Liszt's part.44

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1. S. 426/1 (R. 251/1) Schubert: 3 Marches, No. 1. Trauermarsch. For pf. ZR 36

2. Printed copy: Schubert's Märsche für das Pianoforte solo von Franz Liszt. (Nr. 1. Trauermarsch.) Wien 1847, Diabelli (D. et C. №. 8454). Autograph note on the title page: "1846. geschrieben, und am 26^{ten} März, in // dem Concert »zu Gunsten // »der Szegediner und Alfölder // »Überschwemten« // hier gespielt, von // F. Liszt. // Budapest. // 27^{ten} März // 79." (black ink).

Provenance: purchased from Béla Mátéka in 1962; earlier it was in the possession

of his father, Károly Matyéka.45

3. Of the series of floods which frequently visited Hungary in the 19th century, the great Szeged flood looms tragically large. The river Tisza flooded almost the entire town in March 1879. On hearing the news of the catastrophy many people were stirred, both in Hungary and abroad, and provided relief to the flood victims. However difficult it must have been at this time to Liszt to appear as pianist before the public, he could not refuse to help. Hardly more than two weeks after the catastrophy of Szeged, Liszt gave a concert in the Vigadó [Municipal Concert Hall] for the benefit of the flood victims. The hall was filled to capacity and there was a solemn, devout atmosphere. Of all the items on the programme, contemporary

⁴² For fuller particulars on this subject, see the letters *Pr.* Nos. 61, 74, 77, 81 and 87 as well as the commentaries to them.

⁴³ The relevant data are contained in Dezső Legány's three studies dealing with the Academy of Music: "A Zeneakadémia születése"; "Erkel és Liszt zeneakadémiája (1875–1876)"; "Erkel és Liszt zeneakadémiája (1876–1877)".

⁴⁴ The Festetics also kept up appearances: on Liszt's jubilee in 1873 they gave the composer a silver cup gilded on the inside, which is now in the possession of the Hungarian National Museum. (For its description, see Isoz, K. A Liszt Ferencz emlékkiállítás lajstroma, p. 32.)

45 The renowned Hungarian Liszt iconographer entered the data relating to provenance on the music

itself

46 See Liszt's account of the event to Princess Wittgenstein, Br. VII, No. 236.

⁴⁷ The entire programme of the concert is outlined in the commentary to *Br.* II, No. 244, in connection with the following lines of a letter to Otto Lessmann dated 23 March 1879: "Einliegendes Programm besagt Ihnen, dass trotz aller Müdigkeit, mein *invalides* Clavierspiel zur Abhülfe der Szegediner Nothleidenden noch in geringer Weise beiträgt."

reviews praised most Liszt's transcription for piano of Schubert's funeral march. 48 The financial success was also considerable: Liszt was able to raise more than 6.000 forints for the flood victims.49

There is no evidence as to for whom Liszt intended the Trauermarsch copy in the

HBn.

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1. S. 431-438 (R. 264-271) Verdi-Transcriptions. For pf.

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2. Printed copy: Trascrizioni per pianoforte su opere di G. Verdi per F. Liszt. Milano-Napoli etc. [1883], Ricordi.—The contents of the volume: 1) Miserere du Trovatore (S. 433, R. 266). 2) Ernani de Verdi (S. 432, R. 265). 3) Rigoletto de Verdi (S. 434, R. 267). 4) Don Carlos de Verdi (S. 435, R. 268). 5) Aida di G. Verdi. Danza Sacra e Duetto finale (S. 436, R. 269). 6) Réminiscences de Boccanegra de Verdi (S. 438, R. 271). 7) Agnus Dei de la Messe de Requiem de G. Verdi (S. 437, R. 270). 8) Salve Maria de l'opéra de Verdi Jérusalem (S. 431, R. 264). Publisher's number: 48767.50

Autograph dedication on the title-page: "Madame Catherine Arkövy - // très affectueux hommages // FLiszt. // Février 84" (violet ink).

Provenance: purchased from István Gáldi (Budapest) in 1961.51

3. Liszt dedicated this volume containing all his piano transcriptions and paraphrases of Verdi's works to his Hungarian pupil, Mrs. Árkövy née Katalin Hodoly (1851-1941). Katalin Hodoly was a pupil of Antal Sipos (a former Liszt pupil) in Budapest from 1870. At a students' concert in 1872 Liszt noticed how excellently she played the piano. Shortly after that she had great success performing Liszt's Rákóczi March, the version for two pianos, together with her teacher. Sipos. 52 In the spring of 1874, Katalin Hodoly appeared at one of the concerts of the Budapest Liszt Choral Society as Liszt's pupil.53 We ignore the duration of her studies with Liszt; her name did not figure in the official list of students of the Academy of Music which started work in 1875. In the 1877/78 and 1878/79 academic years she was professor of piano at the National Conservatoire in Budapest.⁵⁴ She presumably left the career of a musician when she married József

49 His account is found in Br. VII, No. 237.

51 It was acquired together with other Liszt relics which survived in Arkovy's estate (see item No. 3 of

this volume and Note 18 on p. 33).

53 Zenészeti Lapok, 10 May 1874, p. 16.

⁴⁸ Fővárosi Lapok, 28 March 1879 (No. 72), p. 348.

⁵⁰ Each work has a different plate number, which is identical to that of the separately published editions. The collected volume was compiled by making use of Ricordi's existing plates, since all the pieces had previously been published. S. 438 was first printed in 1883, and the collected volume appeared in the same year, according to the entry on the copy in the IMc (call number I-A-355-12).

⁵² For Katalin Hodoly's appearances, see Zenészeti Lapok, 4 February 1872, pp. 302-303 and 17 March, p. 396.—Further data on her career can be found in Ságh, pp. 149-150.

⁵⁴ Vajdafy, E.: A Nemzeti Zenede története, p. 151.

Árkövy, a professor of medicine.⁵⁵ From that time on she only maintained social contacts with musicians. Liszt continued to bestow attention on her, which is demonstrated by the 1884 dedication on the music in the HBn, and by a contemporary press report according to which Liszt attended one of the Árkövy's evening parties on 22 February 1885 and played the piano as well.⁵⁶

56 Egyetértés, 25 February 1885. A letter from 1881, Pr. No. 461 stands as additional documentation

of the cordial relations between Liszt and the Arkövys.

⁵⁵ József Árkövy (1851–1922), professor of dentistry and dental surgery, was the founder of the first institute for operative dentistry in Hungary. For his activities, see Morelli, G. "Árkövy József". On pp. 76–77 of the article, valuable information on Mrs. Árkövy can also be found.

GROUP (iii)

LISZT'S CORRECTIONS AND MANUSCRIPT NOTES IN AND TO WORKS BY OTHER COMPOSERS

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Ms. mus. 291 1. Corrections in a first-edition copy of Virág-dal (Chant des fleurs) by Kornél Ábrányi senior.1

2. Printed copy: Ábrányi Kornél: Virág-dal. Chant des Fleurs. Zongorára. 43. mű. [Flower Song. For pf. Op. 43.] Budapest. No date. Pirnitzer (P. 36 F.) 9 p.2 Liszt's corrections include:

(a) additions on a pasted-over paper and a separate folio in black ink: on f. 1v, an introduction of six and a half bars on a slip of paper measuring 15.5 × 25 cm, with the following text at the end: "weiter // Abranyi's // »Virag Dal. // (Chanson des fleurs)"; on f. 2, two bars on a pasted-over slip of paper measuring 6×6 cm; on f. 4^r, twelve bars of a bridge passage on a separately inserted folio measuring 30 × 25.5 cm, ending in: "Weiter Pag: 6 (letzte Zeile) Tempo primo"; on f. 5r, two bars on a pasted-over slip of paper measuring 5.5 × 7.5 cm;

(b) corrections (entered into the printed music text in blue and red pencils, black

ink).

An additional note in another hand on the title-page: "Meinem Freund // Josef Ságh³ als Zeichen // meiner herzlichsten // Ergebenheit diese Lisztcorrecturen // Toni Raab4 // Budapest 7/2 81."

Provenance: purchased from Norbert Dunkel (Budapest) in 1912.5

¹ The music now discussed appears as No. 383^a of Liszt's own compositions in Searle's catalogue printed in The New Grove. Notwithstanding, it is presented in this group among works by other

composers and not in Group (i). For the reasons, see column 4.

² Even though printed page numbers are present, Liszt's insertions also made stamped foliation necessary. F. 1 is the title-page, on the verso of which there is, on a pasted over slip of paper now detached, an addition by Liszt; ff. 2-3 are identical to the printed pages 3-6; on f. 4 there is an insertion by Liszt, with blank verso; ff. 5-6 are identical to the printed pages 7-9. F. 6 is blank. In the following, references are only made to the stamped foliation.

³ József Ságh (1852–1922) was a Hungarian music teacher and writer on music, a pupil and son-inlaw of Kornél Ábrányi senior. He was an ardent Liszt enthusiast who dedicated his Magyar zenészeti

⁴ For Antonia Raab, cp. Nos. 31 and 40 of this book.

⁵ Norbert Dunkel (1862-19??) was a concert manager and the son of Johann Nepomuk Dunkl (1832-1910), one of the proprietors of the music firm Rózsavölgyi in Budapest. Norbert Dunkel wrote a book on Liszt entitled Milyen volt Liszt Ferenc? which is in many respects superficial and reflects the troubled state of affairs that existed between Liszt and the Dunkls in the 1880s. Legány-L. refutes several allegations of this book.

3. (a) Kornél Ábrányi senior was a prolific composer, especially in view of the fact that much of his time was taken up as a writer on music, a newspaper editor, a music teacher and music organizer. In several of his letters Liszt praised some of Ábrányi's works, though the *Chant des fleurs* was not among them. Liszt was especially fond of *Deux nocturnes*, which appeared in 1880 and which Ábrányi dedicated to him.⁶

Contrary to the majority of Ábrányi's works, the *Chant des fleurs* is free from reminiscences of popular Hungarian songs; it fits in with the composer's "musical pictures" or "character sketches". Based on the opus number, the date of composition of the work is approximately the mid-1870s.

- (b) Liszt's numerous corrections lend this first edition copy in the HBn special significance. They were carried out for a favourite pupil of Liszt, Antonia (Tony) Raab, as born out by the note on the title-page, most probably on the occasion when the pianist put Ábrányi's piano work on her programme. According to preliminary programme announcements the concert should have taken place in Budapest on 14 March 1880; because of Raab's illness, this item of the programme was omitted and Marie Majewska, another Liszt pupil, replaced Raab. Without concrete evidence, the possibility cannot be ruled out that Raab played Chant des fleurs with Liszt's corrections on some other occasion.
- 4. It is of no small interest to scrutinize the extent to which Ábrányi's work was transformed through Liszt's intervention, all the more so because he inserted completely new musical texts at certain places. Nevertheless, one cannot justify including this better-formed and smoother-running composition rather than Ábrányi's original, among Liszt's own works as Searle did in *The New Grove* (S. 383a). Liszt made similar amendments in various works by other composers, and thus the range of "Liszt's compositions" could be extended almost to infinity. The fact is, however, that Liszt generally signed and provided with a title inscription all those arrangements he identified himself with, and saw to their being published. In the case of Ábrányi's *Chant des fleurs* there is neither a title inscription nor a signature in Liszt's hand; in the announcement of the concert programme it was listed exclusively as Ábrányi's composition and not a dual effort. It was no more than a friendly turn, a favour Liszt apparently did with pleasure, either for his old friend Ábrányi or his favourite pupil Raab.

⁶ For Liszt's letter of thanks for the dedication, see Pr. No. 439.

⁷ Ábrányi's works published by Rózsavölgyi were listed with opus numbers up to Op. 88 on the titlepage of a much later Rózsavölgyi edition (9th Magyar ábránd). In this list, Chant des fleurs had the opus number 44, i.e. one higher than the Pirnitzer edition. It is, however, known that 2 magyar dal [Two Hungarian Songs], Op. 45 were first performed as "new songs in popular style" in Budapest in 1877 (Fővárosi Lapok, 27 February 1877). Chant des fleurs could thus have been printed in 1876 for the first time. A new impression was later issued mostly unaltered, with changes only in the name of the publisher and the plate number, by Rózsavölgyi, who acquired the rights of publication in the late 1880s.

⁸ Raab was already a part of Liszt's circle in Budapest prior to the opening of the Academy of Music, i.e. at the end of 1873. She made her début with the *Eroice Etude* at the concert of the Liszt Society given on 5 January 1874 (*Legány-L*. p. 240). She frequently played at concerts in Hungary 1874.

[°] Legány-LSt., Note 3.

Since Chant des fleurs is not a widely-known and easily accessible composition, the entire work is presented here in the form that resulted from Liszt's amendments (Ex. 64). The recurring section A of the piece, with the internal form A-B-A-Coda, is not written out the second time it appears, since it deviates from the first identically marked section only in some minor directions for performance. Ábrányi's original solutions are given at the bottom of the page. Liszt's insertions have been marked by brackets in the music itself, which offers the possibility of studying Liszt's contribution to Ábrányi's work.



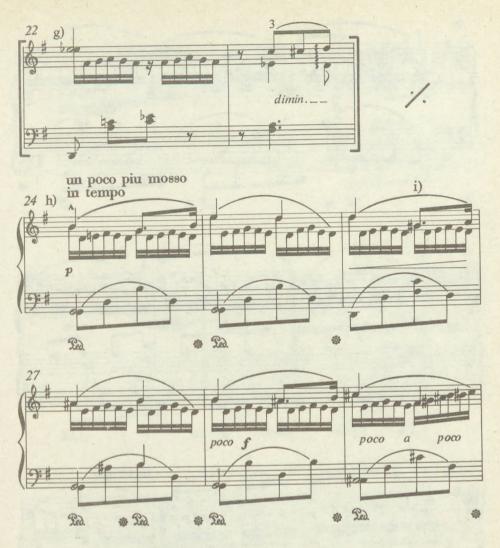
^a Bars 1-6 (the introduction) did not figure in Ábrányi's work. They are Liszt's autograph additions on a later inserted folio.

b The appogiatura preceding the first note in bar 8 is missing in Ábrányi's original.

^c The G sharp in the right hand of bar 9 was written by Abranyi as G.



d The appoggiaturas in bars 12 and 16 are missing in Ábrányi's original.
 e The portato signs in bar 19 are missing in Ábrányi's original.
 f The marcato wedge and rinforz. in bar 21 are missing in Ábrányi's original.



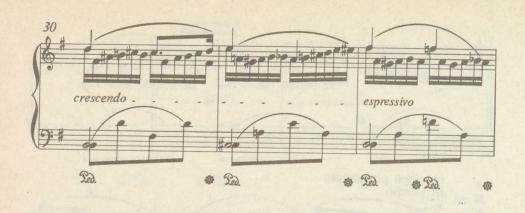
⁸ Bars 22-23 are Liszt's autograph additions on a pasted-over slip of paper. There is only one bar in Ábrányi's original:



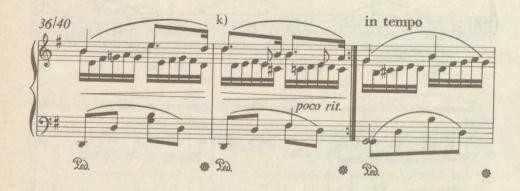
The left-hand part of Liszt's insertion in the recurring A section is:



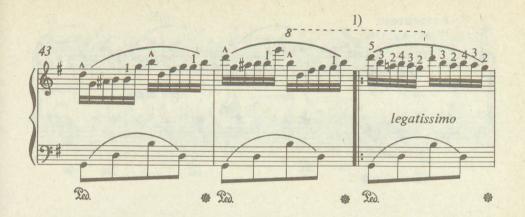
 $^{^{\}rm h}$ "un poco piu Mosso" is missing in Ábrányi's original; Liszt did not write it out, either, in the recurring section. $^{\rm i}$ The G sharp in the right hand of bar 26 was written by Ábrányi as G.

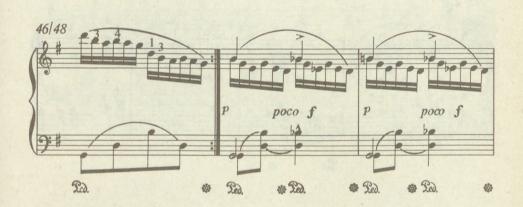


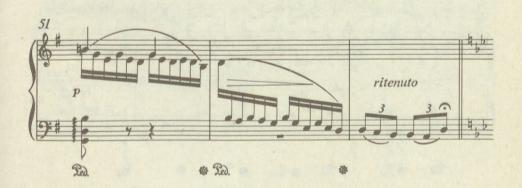




 ^j Bars 34-37 are not repeated in Ábrányi's original. Liszt's note is "Bis."
 ^k Liszt's remark in the recurring section is "2^{da} volta un poco rit."







¹ Bars 45-46 are not repeated in Ábrányi's original. Liszt's remark to these bars is "2mal Bis."







^m The direction for performance in bar 56 was printed as "con doulo". Liszt corrected the mistake.







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ⁿ The first minim in the left hand of bar 75 was G in Ábrányi's original; Liszt put it an octave lower.

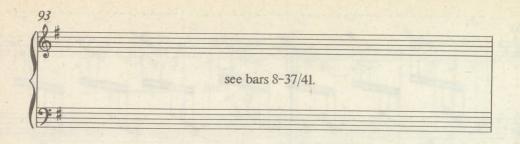


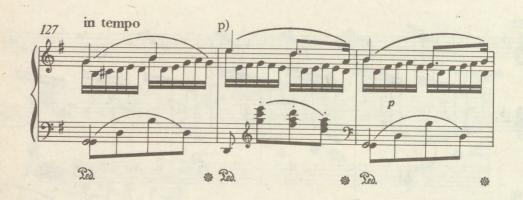


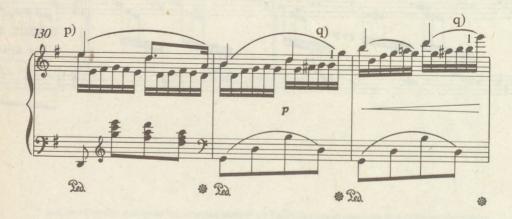
[°] Bars 80-91 (bridge passage to the recurring section) are Liszt's autograph additions on a subsequently inserted folio. In Ábrányi's original, there is only one bar in their place; Liszt crossed it out and wrote above it "Vide Pag // 6 Bis". Ábrányi's original:











^p The left-hand part of bars 128 and 130 in Ábrányi's original:



^q The fingering of bars 131-132 is missing in Ábrányi's original.



Bars 133-134 are not repeated in Ábrányi's original. Liszt's note is "Bis".
The right-hand part of bar 144 in Ábrányi's original is:

and there is no "ritenuto molto" direction.



¹ The right-hand part of bar 146 in Ábrányi's original is:



"The last bar is not repeated in Ábrányi's original. Liszt marked it by "Bis".

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1. Ms. mus. 5.736/A Corrections in the autograph manuscript of Gyula Beliczay's Aquarellen. 10

2. Title-page of the manuscript: "Aquarellen // 6 Skizzen für das Pianoforte // von // Julius v. Beliczay // 26tes Werk." Dated on ff. 2^r and 6^r: "29/IV 871"; on f. 9^r: "Pest 12/Dec 871". Script: black ink. 18 ff. 25.5 × 33 cm. Liszt's corrections are in black ink and light blue pencil. Provenance: it was listed as a present by Angéla Beliczay in 1974.

3. (a) Gyula Beliczay (1835–1893) was a Hungarian composer and writer on music who, after having spent twenty years in Vienna, returned to and settled in Pest permanently in May 1871, the year he composed *Aquarellen*. ¹² Beliczay had been personally acquainted with Liszt since 1865; in Pest they had met on more than one occasion. ¹³ Liszt appreciated Beliczay's craftmanship as a composer, but missed originality and boldness in his attractive works. ¹⁴

11 In the top right-hand corner of the title-page, there is a note: "Correkturen v. Liszt".

13 For details concerning their relationship, see the unsigned article "Beliczay Gyula" in Apollo

zeneműfolyóirat, IV (1875), No. 11, cover.

¹⁰ Zsuzsanna A. Nemes was kind enough to call to my attention this manuscript by Beliczay containing corrections in Liszt's hand.

¹² In Vienna, Beliczay studied engineering and music simultaneously and later followed both professions. On his return to Hungary he was first employed as an engineer, and then became professor of theory at the Academy of Music in Budapest. In 1891 he published a manual on the theory of music.

¹⁴ See Br. II, No. 51. (Cited by Prahács, M. in: "A Zeneművészeti Főiskola Liszt-hagyatéka", p. 477.

(b) The final form of the piano cycle Aquarellen (Op. 26) consists of seven movements. The manuscript Beliczay showed Liszt contains only six. Liszt's amendments are found in all six movements. In most instances they do not change the essence of the musical texture at all, they only improve its setting at the most or enrich the layout by adding pedalling signs and fingerings, and marking the use of the left and right hands. The most essential amendments occur in the third and fifth movements, in which by inserting some longer sections Liszt suggested changing the form, and thus achieved a smoother and more ingenious connection of the various sections (movements).

Beliczay took Liszt's advice, and Aquarellen was printed in the form Liszt amended them in about 1882/83.15

- 4. The detailed contents of the manuscript is as follows (the pages not enumerated underneath are blank):
- f. 1': title-page;
- ff. 1v-2r: first movement. Moderato, A major. Dated.
 - Bars 12-14 and 44-45 were amended by Liszt;
- ff. 2^v-3^r: second movement. Andante con moto (changed in print to "Andantino"), A minor. Contains Liszt's fingerings and several minor corrections;
- ff. 3^v-4^r: third movement. Allegretto, F major. At the end there is a one-bar "Zwischenspiel" (bridge passage to the fourth movement, to be rendered attaca) which was erased and replaced by Liszt's seven-bar bridge passage (see Facsimile 20);



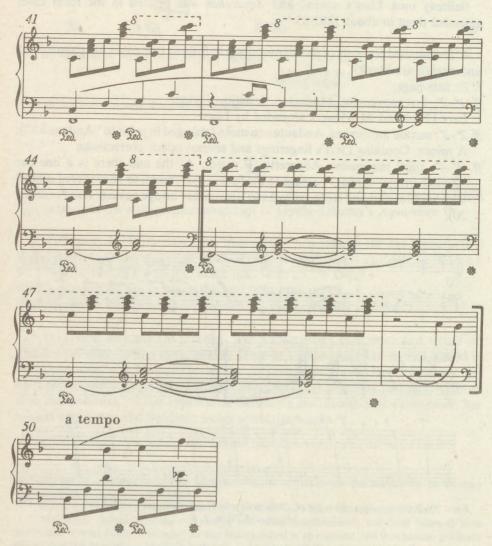
Facs. 20: Beliczay: Aquarellen, for pf., Beliczay's autograph manuscript with Liszt's amendments.

Ms. mus. 5.736/A, f. 4^r.

¹⁵ Leipzig, Breitkopf & Härtel, plate no.: 16202. One copy is to be found in the HBn, call number: Mus. pr. 874. The fair copy in the HBn, marked Ms. mus. 5.736/B must presumably have served as the engraver's copy, as it contained all seven pieces.

ff. 4°-5': fourth movement, first draft (different from the printed version). Andante, A major. At the end there is a four-bar "Zwischenspiel", Adagio (bridge passage to the fifth movement). Some fingerings and the markings l.h. are in Liszt's hand; ff. 5°-6': fifth movement. Allegretto grazioso, F major. It is dated and provided with a motto taken from Schiller's Wilhelm Tell. 16 It contains Liszt's pedal signs, several minor amendments, and insertions in three places (before the return of the theme, printed bars 35-36; in front of the beginning of the coda, printed bars 45-49, Ex. 65; at the end of the movement, printed bars 57-60).

Ex. 65

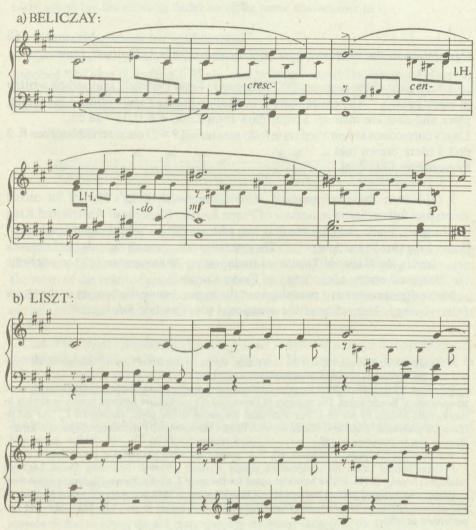


^{16 &}quot;Es lächelt der See, er ladet zum Bade, // der Knabe schlief am grünen Gestade."

(The part of the music example in brackets is Liszt's insertion. In Beliczay's original there was a fermata above the bar-line at the end of bar 44; then the music continued with bar 50);

ff. 7°-9°: fourth movement, second draft (this appeared at the end in print). Andante (in the printed edition Andante con moto), A major. It is dated and includes a number of musical corrections by Liszt; f. 8° is entirely Liszt's handwriting (see Ex. 66);

Ex. 66



f. 10°: bars 57-66 of the fourth movement notated without key signature instead of 3 sharps (starting from an identical note without accidentals!), with no corrections by Liszt;

- ff. 11'-12': sixth movement. Presto (Vivace in the printed edition), A major. Contains some minor additions by Liszt;
- ff. 13°-14": the fair copy of the first movement in which Liszt's amendments were taken over;
- ff. 15v-16': the fair copy of the first movement (an additional copy);
- ff. 17^v-18^r: the fair copy of the second movement in which Liszt's amendments were taken over.

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1. Ms. mus. 1.660 Corrections in the manuscript score of Ferenc Erkel's I. Király-Hymnus.

2. Title page of the manuscript: "Hymnus // Erkel Fer[enc]" (autograph written in black pencil). The entire score is in Sándor Erkel's handwriting. Signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. 4 ff. 33 × 26 cm. Liszt's corrections are on a separate folio measuring 9 × 27 cm inserted between ff. 2 and 3 (dark brown ink).

Provenance: unknown.

3. (a) Ferenc Erkel composed *I. Király-Hymnus* [I. King's Hymn] for mixed voices and full orchestra in honour of Franz Joseph, Emperor of Austria and King of Hungary, made clear by the first line of text: "Éljen soká Ferenc Józsefünk" [Long Live Our Franz Joseph]).²⁰ The première was given at the gala performance organized in the National Theatre of Budapest on 28 November 1873 to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the reign of Franz Joseph.²¹

Musically, the work is a paraphrase of the hymn closing the first act of the opera Dózsa György. The writer of the occasional text was Ede Szigligeti.²²

¹⁷ On top of the title-page appears the instruction, also in Ferenc Erkel's hand: "Alsogleich die Chor und dan die Orchester- // stimen ausschreiben".

¹⁸ Sándor Erkel (1846–1900) Hungarian conductor and composer, was the first and perhaps the most talented son of Ferenc Erkel. The majority of Ferenc Erkel's works have survived mostly or entirely in manuscripts written by his sons. For a detailed discussion of the topic, see Somfai L. "Az Erkel-kéziratok problémái" [Problems Connected with Erkel's Manuscripts]. Particulars relevant to *I. Király-Hymnus* can be found on p. 135.

¹⁹ F. 1^r is the title-page; 1^v is blank. Ff. 2^r-4^v contain the score paginated in pencil from 1 to 6.

²⁰ Erkel himself called his composition simply *Hymnus [Hymn]*. Following Dezső Legány's catalogue (*Legány-E*, No. 63) we have also opted for the name *I. Király-Hymnus* to distinguish it from the Hungarian national anthem composed to Kölcsey's poem in 1844 and generally called *Hymnus*, as well as from *Magyar király-himnusz [Hungarian Royal Anthem]* set to words by Mór Jókai and first performed in 1892.

²¹ A Hon, 29 November 1873, evening issue. (D. Legány's information.)

²² Somfai also pointed out the musical relationship between the *I. Király-Hymnus* and the opera *Dózsa György*, but his hypothesis concerning the composition date of the hymn (i.e. 1867, coronation ceremony) did not prove correct. (At the coronation Erkel's "Magyar Cantate" [Hungarian Cantata], Legány-E., No. 59 was played, which also closes with a hymn praising the king with words by Ede Szigligeti.)

(b) On the leaf of corrections inserted in the clear, neatly arranged score, Liszt suggested certain modifications, mostly in the parts of the chorus.

Liszt's familiarity with the music of the work goes back to 1867, when he heard it as part of *Dózsa György*. Newspaper reports record his having visited Erkel, listened to several excerpts from his opera, and "his asking for the score for some days to be able to study it more deeply." He must have attended the performance on 28 November 1873 when Erkel's revised work for the jubilee was given. Liszt asked for the score in order to make some corrections to it.

4. Liszt's suggestions for modification:

After the 14-bar orchestral introduction he suggested that an unisono section inscribed "2 Takte // Anfang // Tenor und // Bässe" should be inserted before the entry of the full chorus (Ex. 67). The insertion can be found on the verso of the music sheet added to the manuscript.



(Liszt's orthography of the Hungarian text is inaccurate.)

Liszt thought that there should be modifications in the mixed chorus parts, which should enter after these two bars. Liszt's entire redrafted chorus setting is written on the recto of the inserted music sheet without text. ²⁵ Example 68 shows both Liszt's and Erkel's chorus setting for purposes of comparison. Liszt also changed the bass of the orchestra in two bars; Erkel's bass part is included at the relevant section as well. ²⁶

One of the most astonishing changes in Liszt's manuscript is the disappearance of the diminished fifth (at the text "soká" [long]). This step is very characteristic in Erkel's piece and particularly predominant because of the sharp rhythm.

Liszt transformed the rhythm to one of the various figurations of the D-flatmajor chord each time it appears. Liszt's change may have been because of his desire to have the possibility of future motivic development (see the discussion of Ms. mus. 4.049, No. 76 of the present book).

²³ Zenészeti Lapok, 9 June 1867, p. 574.

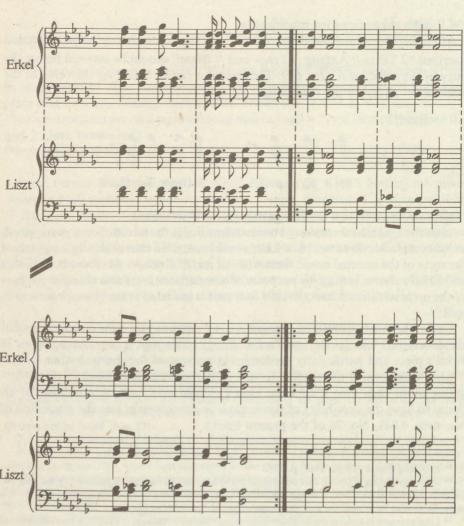
²⁴ Liszt was staying in Pest at that time; on 28 November he was received in audience by the king and on 29 November at the levée. Though there is no concrete evidence in the form of press reports, it is improbable that he missed the gala performance in the theatre (*Legány-L*, pp. 251–252).

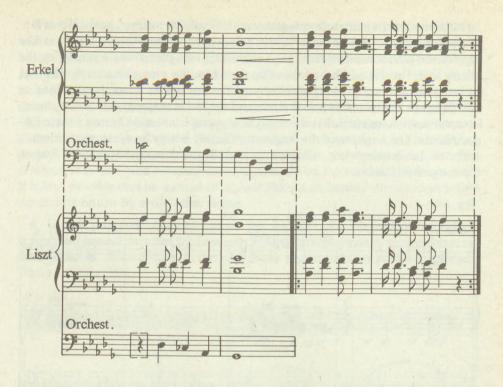
²⁵ Liszt's remark in front of the first bar on the recto, "Vide // 2 Anfangs // Takte", is also indicative of the fact that the two bars on the verso are the first in sequence, to be followed by the bars on the recto.

²⁶ The music example has been somewhat simplified for practical reasons. (1) The tenor parts written on separate staves in Erkel's original have been contracted with the bass line. (2) The repetition marked with *Bis* by Liszt has been replaced by repeat signs. (3) The first repetition, written out in full in Erkel's original because of differences in the text, has been indicated here with repeat signs.

It is apparent that Liszt's changes in the chorus setting aimed at simplification. Instead of the thickly woven texture consisting mostly of six parts, frequently coupled, he suggested (with some exceptions) a four-part setting. Moreover, at the words "A hir, szerencse, fény" [Fame, luck and glory] leading up to the climax, he wrote unisono parts to make the G-flat-major chord of almost an entire bar sound more powerful. In the last two bars Liszt suggested repetition. In Erkel's version this repetition is longer, covering the last six bars.

Ex. 68





Erkel's *I. Király-Hymnus* is accompanied by a large orchestra for the festival occasion. According to the original instrumentation, most of the percussion instruments stop playing when the chorus (and soon after the harp) enter. However, in bars 3–6 of the chorus section and its repetition, Liszt suggested the use of bell and bass drum.

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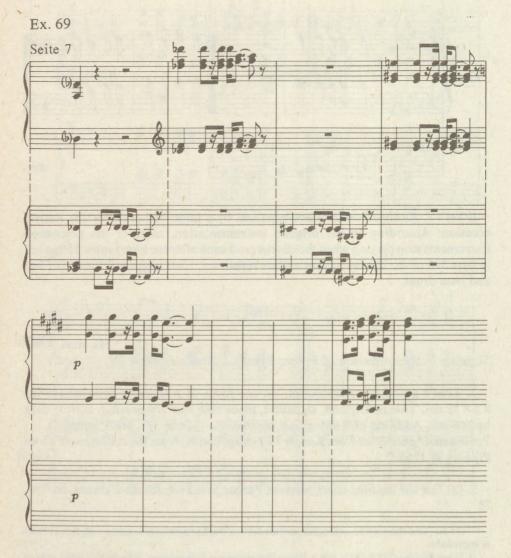
1. Ms. mus. 4.049 Sketches to the correction of Ferenc Erkel's I. Király-Hymnus [?]

- 2. Liszt's autograph manuscript, on the recto of a separate folio measuring 8.5×32 cm. Title inscription, signature, place and date are missing. Script: dark brown ink. Addition and autograph pagination: "(Seite 7)", black pencil.²⁷ Provenance: purchased from Károly Fáy (Nagymaros) from the collection of Tibor Pikéthy in 1966.²⁸
- 3. (a) For the detailed description of Ferenc Erkel's I. Király-Hymnus, see No. 75.

²⁸ Tibor Pikéthy (1884–1972) was a Hungarian composer and organist. Károly Fáy acted only as intermediary in the transaction.

²⁷ On the verso there is also an illegible, deleted draft in black pencil. Its connection with Erkel's work is improbable.

(b) While Erkel's manuscript, together with Liszt's corrections, presented as No. 75 in this volume was already in the possession of the HBn in 1934 (as the registration stamp testifies), this Liszt manuscript fragment was acquired by the library only in 1966. The relationship between the two documents was not immediately evident; striking similarity of the motives in Liszt's corrections to Erkel's hymn, the characteristic rhythm, and the D-flat major key of the beginning have, however, suggested that there might be some connection between these two documents. The notation of the fragment (Ex. 69) is very hasty, some accidentals seem to be missing (e.g. in bars 1 and 2 there may be Ab; in bar 4, C# is more plausible).



²⁹ These page numbers are probably in Liszt's hand.

When the page number "(Seite 7)", written in pencil on the fragment, is collated with the pagination in pencil on the manuscript of Erkel's work, 29 the fragment can be incorporated into Erkel's composition, the pagination of which runs from 1 to 6. Accordingly, the fragment should be page 7 at the end of the score. This is all the more feasible because of the instruction "Intrada D[al] S[egno]" at the end of Erkel's score, directing that the entire orchestral introduction as well as the phrase "Éljen soká Ferenc Józsefünk" [Long Live Our Franz Joseph] sung by the chorus (i. e. the first sixteen bars of the work) be repeated. Apparently, Liszt intended to prepare this return with an interesting harmonic series, the sketch-like elaboration of which is to be found (notated for two pianos?) on the recto of the fragment. It is also possible that he wanted to replace Erkel's orchestral introduction before the choir's return by some other music.

4. Let us juxtapose Example 68 on pp. 220–221, i.e. the section of Erkel's I. Király-Hymnus corrected by Liszt, and Liszt's bridge passage on the fragment just discussed (Ex. 69), and the sketch of the introductory bars of Erkel's "Intrada" (Ex. 70).



If it tallies with the facts that the bars shown in Example 69 above fit in with Erkel's I. Király-Hymnus, it also becomes clear why Liszt transformed Erkel's typical diminished-fifth leap into various figurations of the D-flat-major chord. The more neutral motives Liszt recommended lend themselves better to further development, a possibility Liszt made use of in the bars preparing the retransition. Besides, there are certain similarities between the downward fourth leaps of the retransition and Liszt's suggested two-bar insertion into Erkel's manuscript (Ex. 67).³¹

In the case of the largely indecipherable sketches on the verso of the fragment, there is apparently no connection with Erkel's work.³²

Ex. 71

Liszt crossed over and deleted all additional harmonies, notated on two staves. A comparison of these musical fragments with the second page of Erkel's score has not resulted in any concrete identification.

³⁰ It is likely that Liszt intended to transcribe Erkel's work for two pianos.

 $^{^{31}}$ This leap of a fourth appears in the fragment in diminished form: the accidentals in front of the notes a were intentionally omitted, since it happens twice.

³² The verso is paginated as "Seite 2." Out of the melody and harmony fragments in pencil only one section can be unambiguously transcribed:

1. Ms. mus. 168

Inscription on the original manuscript of Ferenc Gaal's Vier Character-Stücke.

2. Title page of the manuscript, f. 5^r: "Vier Character-Stücke // für das Pianoforte componirt und dem // Hochverehrten Meister: // D^r Franz von Liszt // achtungsvoll gewidmet // von // Franz Gaal op. 74. // Director am Conservatorium zu // M. Theresiopel. ³³ // 1. Consolation // beim Grabe R. Wagners. // Bayreuth // 2 Im Wald // Regensburg // 3 Ricordanza Erinnerung. // im Mozarteum // Salzburg. // 4 Nymphen-Tanz // München." (black ink). ³⁴ Signed on f. 14^r: "Maria Theresiopel 1885 am 27 märz[!] // F. Gaal." Script: black ink. 14 ff. ³⁵ 32 × 24.5 cm. Liszt's inscription on f. 4^v: "Vier angenehme, empfehlenswerthe // Clavierstücke, in bester Form: // bestens für die Widmung // dankend, // F. Liszt. // März, 85 — // Budapest." (brownish black ink).

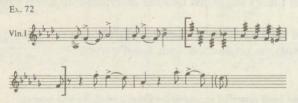
Ff. 1–2: a letter by Kornél Ábrányi senior to Ferenc Gaal, Pest, 29 March 1885. The following is to be read on the green silk reps binding in gilt letters: "AN HERRN // DR. FRANZ VON LISZT // VIER CHARACKTERSTÜCKE[!] //

für das Pianoforte // von // FRANZ GAAL."

Provenance: the town Szabadka (now Subotica) presented the manuscript to the library in 1909.

3. (a) Ferenc Gaal (Gaál), a Hungarian composer (1860–1906) studied with Kornél Ábrányi, senior and Sándor Nikolits at the Academy of Music in Budapest. In 1882 he settled in Szabadka, where he became the director of the town's music school. Among his compositions the best known were the piano pieces and the choruses for men's voices, but these remained on the average level of the compositional taste in the last part of the century. His Vier Character-Stücke,

Only one section on p. 2 of Erkel's score shows some similarity with the scale passage (see Ex. 72 on p. 224), and there is also no connection with Liszt's fragment in this case. Since the script on the verso of the fragment is somewhat different from the clearly legible bars on the verso, the drafts in pencil most probably have nothing to do with Erkel's work.



³³ Maria Theresiopel is the German name of the Hungarian town Szabadka (now Subotica in Jugoslavia).

³⁴ The arrangement of the titles cannot be precisely given in a running text. The main titles of items No. 1, 2, 3, 4, respectively are written in one line (Consolation, Im Wald—Ricordanza Erinnerung, Nymphen Tanz), while the additional parts of the titles are placed underneath in smaller type.

³⁵ A letter by Kornél Ábrányi, senior, is bound in the inner endpapers of the music in a deluxe greensilk reps binding. The manuscript was later provided with stamped foliation in the library. Thus Ábrányi's letter comprises ff. 1–2, and the book proper starts on f. 3. Music notation first appears on f. 5'; from f. 6' on it also bears autograph pagination running from 2 to 18. References are made exclusively to the stamped foliation, in order to avoid ambiguity.

dedicated to Liszt, was not printed in full; only the first item was published in 1885 as a supplement to *Pesti Napló* with the title "Tűnődés Wagner Richárd sírjánál" [Musing at Richard Wagner's Grave] in 1885.

(b) Ferenc Gaal must have been personally acquainted with Liszt at the Academy of Music, though being a student of composition only, he didn't study with Liszt.³⁶ A letter by Kornél Ábrányi senior explains how Liszt's recommendation and acknowledgement appeared on the original manuscript of *Vier Character-Stücke*. The letter, measuring 14.5 × 11.5 cm and written on a notepaper headed "ORSZÁGOS MAGYAR DALÁREGYESÜLET" [HUNGARIAN CHORAL SOCIETY], was bound in front of the music. The entire Hungarian letter is given here in English translation.

"To Mr. Ferenc Gaál in Szabadka. Pest 29/3 85 Dear Gaál,

Excuse me for the long delay in answering your letter and for the delay in acting on your request, but I think you will agree with the French, i.e. »it is never too late to mend«.—I am overburdened with work, my time and energy are constantly split, and on top of it all, maestro Liszt is not always as easy to get on with in these matters as one would wish. He looked for the manuscript for a long time before discovering it, as he is heaped with them by the quintal. And then I must tell you that he is not particularly enthusiastic about accepting music works dedicated to him or writing letters or even lines of recommendation of music in his own hand.—You can imagine, however, that my words and request still carry enough weight with him so that he does not refuse any of my requests, particularly if they are reasonable. This was the case with your compositions as well. You may consider yourself lucky for having been my pupil, moreover a favourite one, because it proved effective (as in Beyreuth[!]); besides, the musical genre pictures are also good and nice and he liked them, too. You may read it on the inner page of the manuscript and be proud of it.

And here comes the show-down!

It is certainly very unkind of you never to visit me whenever you come to Pest, and to contact me in writing in cases only when I can render you a service.

I mention this just tangentially, so that you will turn over a new life in the future. Thanks for the quartet for men's voices. It is an oev. [!] of good atmosphere.—Please let me know by return of mail who wrote the words of your songs to be published in the exhibition album I edited. Because it is already in the press. —

Your sincere friend Kornél Ábrányi."

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³⁶ Göllerich included Gaal among Liszt's pupils, but Legány omitted Gaal from his thoroughly documented list of pupils, since no Hungarian source of the time corroborated the point. (See *Legány-LSt*, p. 100.)

1. Mus. pr. 15.489 Inscription on the first edition copy of *Paraphrases* by four Russian composers (Borodin, Cui, Lyadov and Rimsky-Korsakov).

2. Printed сору: Бородин, Александр—Кюи, Цезарь—Лядов, Анатолий—Римский-Корсаков, Николай: Парафразы. 24 вариации и 14 пьесъ...—Paraphrases. 24 variations et 14 petites pièces pour piano sur le thême favori et obligé ... Hambourg — St. Pétersbourg — Leipzig 1878, Rahter — Büttner — Kistner (1936).

Liszt's note on the title-page: "executées par // 4 Whisteurs, // dont FLiszt // Budapest // 27 Janvier // 80." (black ink).

Provenance: the National Conservatoire (Budapest) presented it to the HBn in 1934.³⁷

3. (a) Four renowned Russian composers wrote a series of variations and small character pieces based on a short, eight-bar theme, that beginners can play on the piano by using one finger of both hands.³⁸ The pieces of the series were meant for two players at one piano. The "petit pianiste", the executor of the primo part, is playing throughout:



The paraphrase of this simple theme, i.e. the composition proper, is rendered by the secondo player. In the 13th character piece (Carillon) there is also a terzo part, which implies that three players (at one piano) are needed to perform it.

A first edition copy of *Paraphrases* was sent to Liszt by the composers themselves.³⁹ The witty series earned Liszt's approval: he considered it to be a

³⁷ The stamp and call number (8864) of the National Conservatoire are still clearly discernible on the title-page.

³⁹ The joint letter of the composers enclosed with the music was formulated by Stasov in French (*Milstein* II, pp. 749–750, Note 107. It was not mentioned in the first Russian edition.)

³⁸ The 24 variations with finale were written by Cui, Lyadov and Rimsky-Korsakov. The composers of the fourteen (along with the final piece actually fifteen) character pieces are Borodin: No. 2, *Polka*; No. 3, *Marche funèbre*; No. 12, *Requiem*.—Cui: No. 11, *Valse*.—Lyadov: No. 4, *Valse*; No. 6, *Galop*; No. 7, *Gigue*; No. 14, *Cortège triomphal*.—Rimsky-Korsakov: No. 5. *Berceuse*; No. 8, *Fughetta*: *B-A-C-H*; No. 9, *Tarantelle*; No. 10, *Menuet*; No. 13, *Carillon*; No. 14, *Fugue grotesque*. The "dedication" of the series on the title-page is "Dediés aux petits pianistes capables d'exécuter le thême avec un doigt de chaque main."

practical guide to the theory of composition.⁴⁰ He gave expression to this view not only in his letter of thanks directed to the composers but also verbally and in writing to others. In July 1880 Liszt himself wrote a short variation to be included in the new edition of the series.⁴¹

(b) In order to understand the meaning of the strange inscription on the copy in the HBn, it is necessary to know that Liszt was a passionate whist-player, especially in old age. This was already mentioned in connection with the music copies dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. Végh. 42 Végh himself was one of the "4 Whisteurs"; an entry in his memoirs gives a clear explanation for Liszt's inscription of 27 January 1880: "Annoyed as Liszt was when asked to play the piano in a large, mixed or formal society [...], he willingly sat down to the instrument without invitation in the circle of his intimate friends and gladly played for two, four or eight hands as the host pleased. Moreover, he even performed the magnificient variations by Borodin, Cui, Liadov and Rimsky-Korsakov (on the familiar theme [...], in which the bass player has a predominant role, whereas in the treble the above motive—played with two fingers—is repeated all through) with each member of the society, not exluding those who completely lacked any musical ability. For that matter, he concluded that this composition was a most perfect study in counterpoint that should be an essential teaching material in any educational establishment."43

⁴⁰ Br. II. No. 248.

⁴¹ Searle gave Liszt's variation the catalogue number 256, whereas Raabe registered it under 297 (Variations on "Chopsticks"). The new edition containing Liszt's insertion in facsimile was printed by two publishers (Hamburg 1880, Rahter; Leipzig 1893, Belaieff). Although it is only a small variation of a few bars, Liszt mentioned the Paraphrases with a greater emphasis than his other compositions with a Russian subject in a letter of 1885 (Br. II, No. 356).

⁴² See Nos. 67-68 of this book.

⁴³ Végh, János: "Liszt Ferencről" [On Franz Liszt], p. 76.

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

(For the translation of the Hungarian titles and the data of publication, cp. the BIBLIOGRAPHY. The names of the libraries are given according to the RISM system.)

Ábrányi-MZ Ábrányi, Kornél sen. A magyar zene a 19-ik században.

Ábrányi-OMD Ábrányi, Kornél sen. Az Országos Magyar Daláregyesület negyedszázados

története 1867-től 1892-ig.

AEl Austria, Burgenländisches Landesmuseum, Eisenstadt.

AWn Austria, Österreichisches Nationalbibliothek, Wien.

Bartha-Cat. Bartha, Dénes. Liszt Ferenc emlékkiállítás. Leíró lajstrom.

Bp. Budapest.

Br. I-VIII La Mara ed. Franz Liszts Briefe. I-VIII. Bd.

Br. a. A. Csapó, Vilmos ed. Liszt Ferenc levelei báró Augusz Antalhoz.

Br. a. Gi. Stern, Adolf ed. Franz Liszts Briefe an Carl Gille.

Br. a. L. I-III La Mara ed. Briefe hervorragender Zeitgenossen an Franz Liszt. I-III. Bd.

Br. L-CA La Mara ed. Briefwechsel zwischen Franz Liszt und Carl Alexander,

Großherzog von Sachsen-Weimar.

Br. W-L Kloss, Erich ed. Briefwechsel zwischen Wagner und Liszt.

Corr. L-Ag. I-II Ollivier, Daniel ed. Correspondance de Liszt et de la comtesse d'Agoult. I-II.

vol.

Csuka Csuka, Béla. Kilenc évtized a magyar zeneművészet szolgálatában. A

Filharmóniai Társaság emlékkönyve.

Eckhardt_L Eckhardt, Mária. "Liszt Ferenc és magyar kortársai az OSzK dedikált Liszt-

zeneműveinek tükrében."

Eckhardt, Mária. "Liszt kapcsolata korának hazai kórusmozgalmával."

Eckhardt-Lz Eckhardt, Mária. "Liszt-zeneműkéziratok az Országos Széchényi

Könyvtárban-új szerzemények, 1976-1979."

D. Deutsch, Otto Erich—Wakeling, Donald R. Schubert. Thematic Catalogue.

Deutsch-MVN Deutsch, Otto Erich. Musikverlagsnummern.

DB Staatsbibliothek Preussischer Kulturbesitz, West-Berlin.

DBds Deutsche Staatsbibliothek, Berlin.

DWRgs Deutschland, Nationale Forschungs- und Gedenkstätte der Klassischen

Deutschen Literatur, Goethe- und Schiller-Archiv, Weimar.

DWRz Deutschland, Nationale Forschungs- und Gedenkstätte der Klassischen

Deutschen Literatur, Zentralbibliothek der Deutschen Klassik, Weimar.

FPn France, Bibliothèque Nationale, Paris.

Füssmann-Mátéka Füssmann, Werner-Mátéka, Béla. Franz Liszt. Ein Künstlerleben in Wort und

Bild.

GA Franz Liszts Musikalische Werke. Hrsg. von der Franz-Liszt-Stiftung.

Leipzig, Breitkopf u. Härtel.

Gottschalg, Alexander Wilhelm. Franz Liszt in Weimar und seine letzten

Lebensjahre.

Gottwald Gottwald, Clytus. "Die Liszt-Autographe des Germanischen National-

museums in Nürnberg."

Göllerich, August. Franz Liszt.

Grove's Dictionary of Music and Musicians, 5th ed.

Hamburger-Beiträge Hamburger, Klára ed. Franz Liszt. Beiträge von ungarischen Autoren.

HBa(mi) Hungary, Institute for Musicology of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences,

Budapest.

HBI Hungary, Academy of Music (Ferenc Liszt High School of Music), Budapest.

HBn Hungary, National Széchényi Library, Budapest. (Országos Széchényi

Könyvtár.)

IMC Italy, Biblioteca del Conservatorio, Milano.

JAMS Journal of the American Musicological Society.

Jerger Jerger, Wilhelm. "Die Handschriften Franz Liszts aus dem Nachlaß von

August Göllerich in Linz."

KVF Keresztúry, Dezső—Vécsey, Jenő—Falvy, Zoltán. A magyar zenetörténet

képeskönyve.

Lavotta, Rezső. Kéziratos zeneművek.

László-Mátéka Fr. László, Zsigmond-Mátéka, Béla. Franz Liszt par l'image. László-Mátéka Hung. László, Zsigmond-Mátéka, Béla. Liszt Ferenc élete képekben.

Legány-E Legány, Dezső, Erkel Ferenc művei és korabeli történetük.

Legány, Dezső. Liszt Ferenc Magyarországon 1869–1873.

Legány-LSt Legány, Dezső. "Liszt Ferenc tanítványai a Zeneakadémián."

LMSW Hugo, Howard E. ed. The Letters of Franz Liszt to Marie zu Sayn-

Wittgenstein.

LOM Waters, Edward N. ed. The Letters of Franz Liszt to Olga von Meyendorff

1871-1886.

LSP Liszt Society Publications, London.

MGG Die Musik in Geschichte und Gegenswart.

Мильштейн I-II Мильштейн, Яков Исакович. Ф. Лист. I-II. том.

Milstejn I-II Milstejn, Jakov Iszakovics. Liszt. I-II. köt.

MZT I-III Magyar Zenetörténeti Tanulmányok. I-III.

New Grove The New Grove.

NLE Franz Liszt. Neue Ausgabe sämtlicher Werke. New Edition of the Complete

Works. Bp.—Kassel, Editio Musica—Bärenreiter.

NZM Neue Zeitschrift für Musik.

Orel, Dobroslav. František Liszt a Bratislava.

OSzK Országos Széchényi Könyvtár (National Széchényi Library), Budapest.

Pr. Prahács, Margit. Franz Liszt. Briefe aus ungarischen Sammlungen 1835–1886.

R. mark before the number in Raabe's catalogue of Liszt's works.

Raabe I-II Raabe, Peter. I. Liszts Leben.-II. Liszts Schaffen.

Ramann-Lisztiana Ramann, Lina. Lisztiana. Erinnerungen an Franz Liszt in Tagebuchblättern,

Briefen und Dokumenten aus den Jahren 1873-1886/87.

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Grove.

Ságh, József. Magyar Zenészeti Lexicon.

SM Studia Musicologica Academiae Scientiarum Hungaricae (journal)

USWc USA, Library of Congress, Washington.

Walker, Alan ed. Franz Liszt. The Man and his Music.

Winklhofer Winklhofer, Sharon. Review of "Liszt, Franz" by Humphrey Searle in The

New Grove.

ZD Zenetudományi Dolgozatok.

Zenei Lexikon I-III Szabolcsi, Bence-Tóth, Aladár. Zenei Lexikon. Rev., new edition, ed.

Bartha, Dénes and Tóth, Margit. Vols. I-III.

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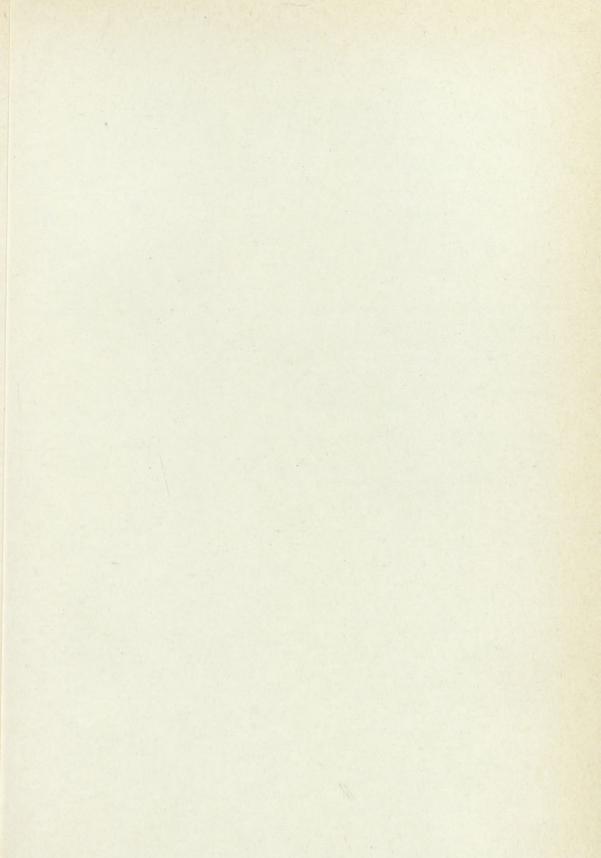
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