

The Vaqueros (entering)

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f *f* *f* *f* *ff*

8

Detailed description: This system contains the vocal and piano introduction. The vocal line is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 7/8 time signature. It features a melody with accents and a fermata. The piano accompaniment is in bass clef, starting with a series of chords and moving to a more rhythmic pattern. Dynamics include *f* and *ff*. A first ending bracket labeled '8' spans the final two measures of the piano part.

ff *ff*

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Detailed description: This system shows the piano accompaniment with a triplet figure. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower staff is in bass clef. Both parts feature a triplet of eighth notes. Dynamics are marked *ff*. A first ending bracket labeled '8' is present at the beginning of the system.

Detailed description: This system continues the piano accompaniment. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower staff is in bass clef. It features a triplet of eighth notes. Dynamics are marked *ff*.

Pico

f

P. Who dares the bronco wild de-fy? Who looks the mus-tang

fz molto marcato

P. in the eye? Fear - less and bold, their

P. mas - ter be - hold: Ai - é! With a leap from the

P. ground, To the sad-dle in a bound, And a-way! and a - way! Ai -

P.

é!

Tenor *ff*
Ai - é! Ai - é! ai - é!

Bass *ff*
Ai - é! Ai - é! ai - é!

ff *sf* *sf*

P.

See where the bull up - on his knees

P.

Snorts when his neck we tight-er squeeze; Wild are his

mf

P.

eyes! Fierce - ly he dies! Ai -

P. *é!*

Ai-é! ai - é! ai - é!

Ai-é! ai - é! ai - é!

ff

P. *rit.* *a tempo*

Va-que-ros, devils to dare! Va - que-ros,

(crack of whip)

rit. *a tempo*

p *fp*

P. *nev-er a care! Va - que-ros, read-y to fling Our*

P. *rit.* *a tempo*
 glove in the ring, mis a-mi - - gos! Far oer the me-sa we tear,

P. *rit.* *a tempo*
 Re - a-ta high in the air! Va-que-ros, Kings of the Plain, Un-

P. daunted we reign! Ai - é!

Soprano *rit.* *ff.*
 Va-que-ros, dev-ils to dare!_

Alto *rit.* *ff.*
 Va-que-ros, dev-ils to dare!_

Tenor *rit.* *ff.*
 Va-que-ros, dev-ils to dare!_

Bass *rit.* *ff.*
 Va-que-ros, dev-ils to dare!_

rit. *ff.*
 Va-que-ros, dev-ils to dare!_