Jabberwocky from *A Visit from the White Rabbit*

SAMPLE SCORE EXCERPT

(lazily)

so rest-ed he by the tum tum tree, and stood a while in thought.

(Not strictly coordinated with text)

and while in uffish thought he stood the Jab-ber-wock with eyes of flame came.

whiff-ling through the tul-gey wood and burb-led as it came

exhale loudly through horn stop air with tongue

half-valve low notes (indefinite pitch)
low (verbal) growl through horn  
low half-valve slurred to blasted low C  
low growl  
fluttertongue half-valve  

74  (wait for mouthpiece change)  
ONE TWO! ONE TWO! and through and through  

74  remove mouthpiece and replace backward on pipe  
blow air through horn with backward mouthpiece  

77  the vorpal blade went snickersnack!  
He left it dead and with its head he went galumphing back  
slow and clumsily  

77  (slow and serious)  
violeatly! replace mouthpiece  
dying low groan through horn (play)  

cresc.  

79  went galumphing back  
slow and clumsily  

84  And hast thou slain the jabberwock?  

84  mp  

88  Come to my arms, my beamish boy!  
Oh frabjous day, Cal-lou Cal-lay he