
THE MUSIC LOVER

double-basses and the drum carry one through the very heart of mystery; and the Lover of Music found himself intensely waiting for the great *Finale*. Now it comes, long-expected, surprising, victorious, sweeping all the instruments into its mighty current, pausing for a moment to take up the most delicate and mysterious melody of the *Scherzo* (changed as if by magic into something new and strange), and then moving on again, with hurrying, swelling tide, until it breaks in the swift-rolling, thunderous billows of immeasurable jubilation.