

THE PIONEER

taken from I Sing the Pioneer, by Arthur Guiterman

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Andante $\text{♩} = 56$

legato

poco accel.

$\text{♩} = 69$

4 *unis.*

Long years a - go I blazed a trail

7

Through love - ly woods un - known till then

11

And marked with cairns of splin - tered shale A moun - tain way for



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Piu Mosso ♩ = 80

15

oth - er men; For oth - er men who came and—

poco accel.

18

came: They trod the— path more plain to see, They gave— my trail an-oth - er's

22

name And no one speaks or knows of me.—— *rit.* The

rit.

26 B

trail runs high, the trail runs low

a tempo

28

Where wind-flowers dance or columbine; The scars are

a tempo

31

healed that long a-go My ax cut deep on birch and pine.

poco rit.

35 [C] Andante ♩ = 69

An - oth - er's name my trail may bear, But still I keep, in waste and

poco rit.

38 ♩ = 80 ♩ = 69

wood, My joy be - cause the trail is there, My peace be - cause the

poco rit.

42 ♩ = 80

trail is The trail is good. The trail is good. *rit.*

trail is good. *rit.*

trail is good. The trail is good. The trail is good. *rit.*

rit.