23. Air [Fairy]: And ever, ever, in a ring

And ever, ever, in a ring,
Like to the Garter’s circle, sing.

Recitative [Fairy]: In emerald tufts the motto write

"In emerald tufts the motto write,
"Of flowers purple, blue, and white;
"Like sapphire, pearl, embroidery,
"Buckled below fair knighthood's knee."*

Away, disperse; the white plumed train
Begin their march along the plain,
In solemn pomp from yonder hall;
Vanish, and attend my call!

Exeunt FAIRIES.

Manent the two PRINCIPAL FAIRIES.

24. Air (Second Fairy): Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air

*The lines within inverted commas are omitted in the representation’ (Source D).
Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air, And air fly, 

fly into fire, While we, in 

songs, to Arthur's chair Bear 

Vn 1 

Vn 2 

Second Fairy 

Bassi 

Second Fairy 

Bassi
Oberon's desire, bear, Oberon's desire!

Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air, And

Air fly, fly into fire,
While we, in songs, to Arthur's chair Bear

O - be - ron's de - sire, bear O - be - ron's de - sire!

Exeunt.
24. Air (Second Fairy): Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air
[Violin I]

Exeunt.
24. Air (Second Fairy): Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air
And ever, ever, in a ring
Like to the Garter's circle
sing.

23. Air [Fairy]: And ever, ever, in a ring

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24. Air (Second Fairy): Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air

Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air, And air fly, 

fly into fire, 

While we, in songs, to Arthur's chair Bear O-be ron's desire, bear, O-be ron's desire! Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air, And air fly, 

fly into fire, 

While we, in songs, to Arthur's chair Bear O-be ron's desire, bear O-be ron's desire!
And ever, ever, in a ring
Like to the Garter's circle
sing.

Melt earth to sea, sea flow to air

In emerald tufts the motto write,
"Of flowers purple, blue, and white;
Like sapphire, pearl, embroidery,
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Away, disperse; the white plumed train
Begin their march along the plain,
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Exeunt FAIRIES.

Recitative [Fairy]: In emerald tufts
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