

# THE CENTAURS

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# The Centaurs

James Stephens

Gerald Ginsburg

Voice

Piano

*f*

Voice

Pno.

4

Play-ing u-pon the hill three cen-taurs were! They lif - ted each a hoof! They

Voice

Pno.

7

*ff*

stared at me! And stamped the dust! They stamped the dust!

Voice

Pno.

10

*mf*

They snuffed u-pon the air! And all their move-ments had the fierce

14

Voice

glee of power and pride and lust!

Pno.

19

Voice

Of power and pride and lust!

Pno.

22

Voice

Then, with a shout, They tossed their heads, and wheeled, and

Pno.

25

Voice

gal - loped round, In fu-ri-ous bro-ther-hood!

Pno.

4 28

Voice

In fu-ri-ous bro-ther - hood! A - round,a-bout, They

Pno.

Ped. \*

32

Voice

charged, they swerved, they leaped!

Pno.

Ped.

8va

34

Voice

Then, bound on bound,

Pno.

ff

(8)

8va

37

Voice

They raced in - to the wood!

5

Pno.

15ma-7

(b)

mf

dim.

R.H.

40

Voice

Pno.

pp

gvb