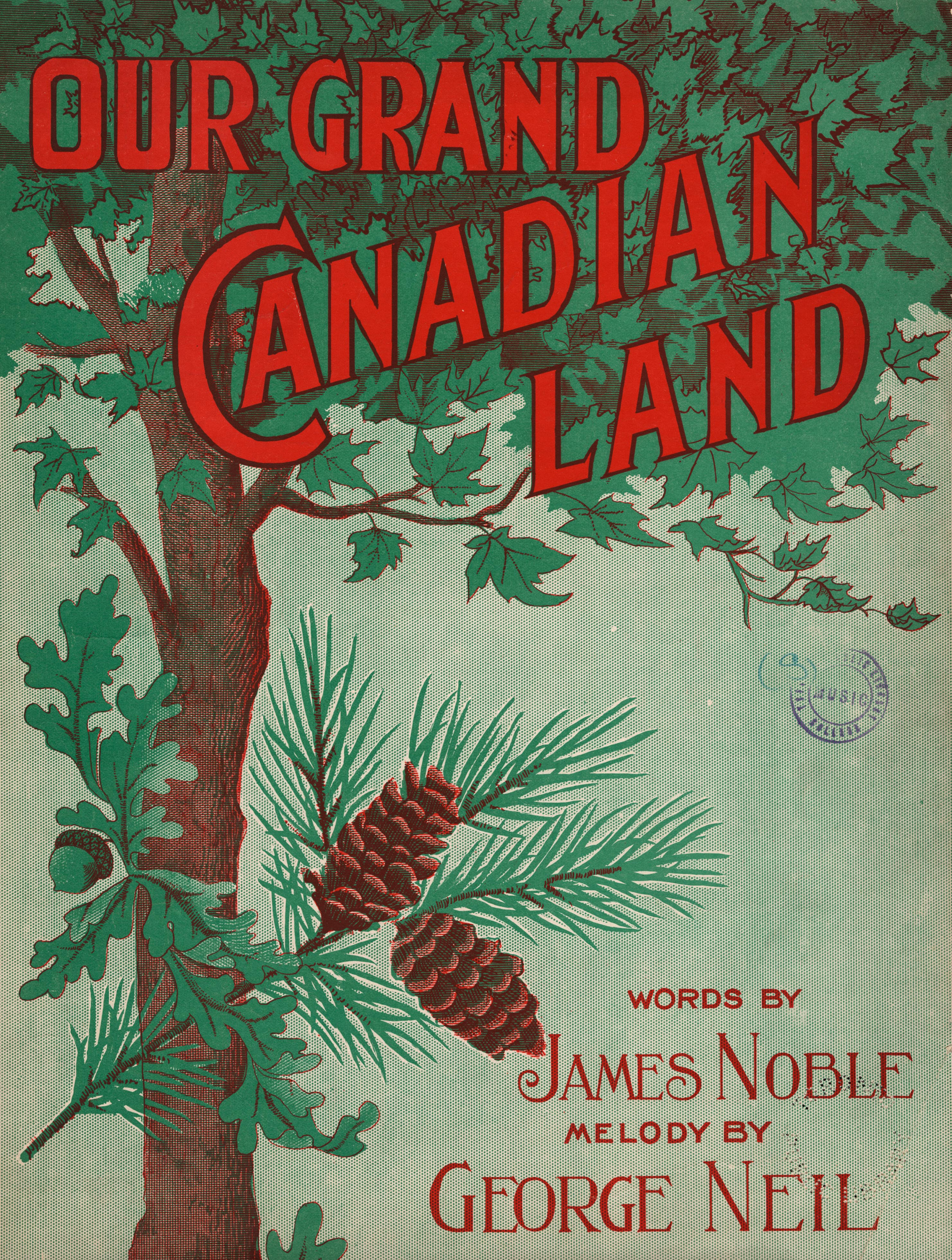




OUR GRAND CANADIAN LAND



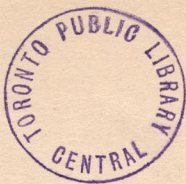
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OUR GRAND CANADIAN LAND

I love the grand Canadian land
Each mountain, lake and river
And where its stately forests stand
There I could live forever.

CHORUS—

Where Oak and Pine their leaves entwine
Around the Maple tree
The Maple leaf of Canada
The emblem of the free
The pride and joy of Canada
Our own dear native tree
The Maple leaf of Canada
The Maple leaf for me.

Though legends old are still untold
Her deeds scarce known to fame
The passing hours new traits unfold
That helps to raise her name.

While Oak, etc.

Each spreading plain bears golden grain
Each steep holds golden store
Her borders stretch from main to main
What need we ask for more.

While Oak, etc.

In summer heat and winter sleet,
In sunshine, snow or rain
She still retains each charm complete
While freedom swells the train.

And Oak, etc.

Long may the grand Canadian land
Retain these charms for me
And in the vanguard take her stand
'Mongst nations that are free.

And Oak, etc.

Then let us raise each voice in praise
Where'er our feet may roam
And sing of glorious future days
For our Canadian home.

Where Oak and Pine their leaves entwine
Around the Maple tree, etc.

Our Grand Canadian Land

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Marziale

The musical score is written for a vocal soloist and piano accompaniment. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo/style is marked 'Marziale'. The piano introduction features a series of chords in the right hand and a triplet of eighth notes in the left hand, marked with a forte (*ff*) dynamic. The vocal melody enters in the second measure with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The lyrics are arranged in three systems, with the piano accompaniment providing harmonic support throughout. The score concludes with a final chord in the piano part.

1. I love the grand Can - ad - ian land, Each
2. Each spread - ing plain bears gold - en grain, Each
3. Then let us raise each voice in praise Where

moun - tain, lake and riv - er, And where its state - ly
steep holds gold - en store, Her bor - ders stretch from
e'er our feet may roam, And sing of glo - rious

CHORUS

for - ests stand, There I could live for ev - er.
 main to main, What need we ask for more. Where
 fu - ture days, For our Can - ad - ian home.

dim. *pp*

oak and pine their leaves en - twine, A - round the ma - ple

tree, The ma - ple leaf of Can - a - da, The

cresc.

(S)

em - blem of the free; The pride and joy of

sf.

ff *dim.* *mf*

Can - a - da, Our own dear na - tive tree, The

ma - ple leaf of Can - a - da, The ma - ple leaf for me. —

cresc. *sf* *rall. colla voce*

