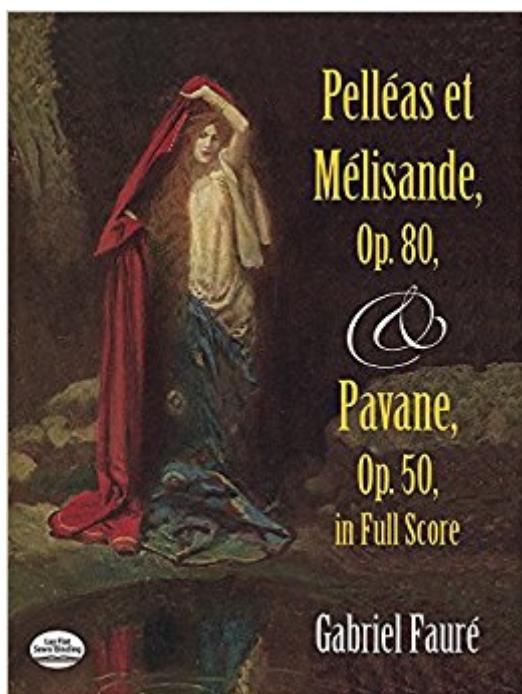


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Two of my favorite orchestral pieces by Faure and they had to be ruined by J. Hamelle & Cie., Paris, n.d. There are so many errors were found in *Pelleas et Melisande* that I've been trying to edit it myself. There are mistaked articulations, errors in the trumpet part, and the format is very strange. The rehearsal marks change from letters to numbers, the margins differ in size almost every page, and there are large black lines streaking down some pages that make it look like the edition had

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