

## Side for ARLEQUÍN

*Arlequín addresses first, his companion, El Capitán:*

**Arlequín:** Roaming the countryside that surrounds this city, the best part of it without a doubt, I believe without thinking we've come right to the hotel. What a creature of habit is man! And what a hard habit it is to feed yourself every day!

*Then he addresses the Hotel Manager who refuses to provide them with credit for a meal:*

**Arlequín:** Do you think money is everything in this base world? Do you count as nothing the tributes to your establishment we have sung high and low? I've even dedicated a sonnet to you and in it I celebrate your stewed partridges and your hare pies...! And as for the Capitán, be assured he would single-handedly defend the good name of your hotel against an army. Is this worth nothing? Everything has to be in hard cash!