

Ed's Tunebook

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This a collection of tunes transcribed, for the most part, the way that I play them, in the sets that I usually play them. I started this somewhere about 2012 as a way for me to learn to put something like this together, as well as getting some more practice transcribing tunes. Since then I've just kept adding to it, and experimenting with different methods of typesetting and publishing it. The music has always been written in abc. For most of its life the whole thing, table of contents and all was written in abc. For a short time I made a cover sheet, the table of contents and index with Scribus. I wanted to automate the table of contents and the index, so I went and learned LaTeX. So at this time the music is still all written in abc and made into a pdf with abcm2ps. The rest is written in LaTeX, with LaTeX inserting the music pages in between the table of contents and index. The tunebook and all the files I've used to create it can be found on Github.com. My username is edyother, and it's in the WrittenMusic repository.

The tunes and sets are in no particular order. The pages are formatted so that each page is a set that I put together or learned from someone else, and for that reason some of the tunes are repeated.

If you happen to catch any errors let me know, especially if I have incorrectly attributed a tune's composer.

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The Boys Of Ballycastle



Off to California



The Boys of Bluehill



A Polka



A Finnish Polka



Jessica's Polka

Mick Hanly



The Blarney Pilgrim



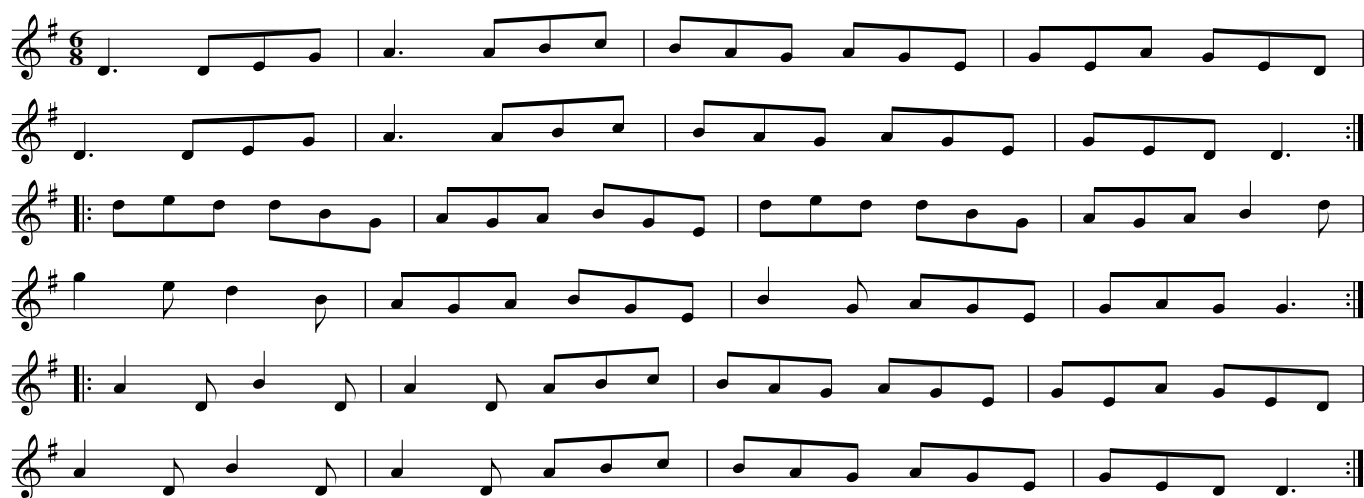
Garrett Barry's



Banish Misfortune



The Blarney Pilgrim



Garrett Barry's

In D Dorian, from Kevin Burke's playing



Banish Misfortune



The Yellow Tinker



Doonagore



The Fermoy Lasses



The Mason's Apron



Tam Lin

Davey Arthur



Master Crowley's



Julia Delaney



The Ships Are Sailing



The Star of Munster



Out on the Ocean



The Shandon Bells



The Connaughtman's Rambles



The Road to Lisdoonvarna



The Swallowtail Jig



The Fermoy Lasses



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The Kesh Jig



The Frost is All Over



Kitty Lie Over



Cunla



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The Walls of Liscarrol



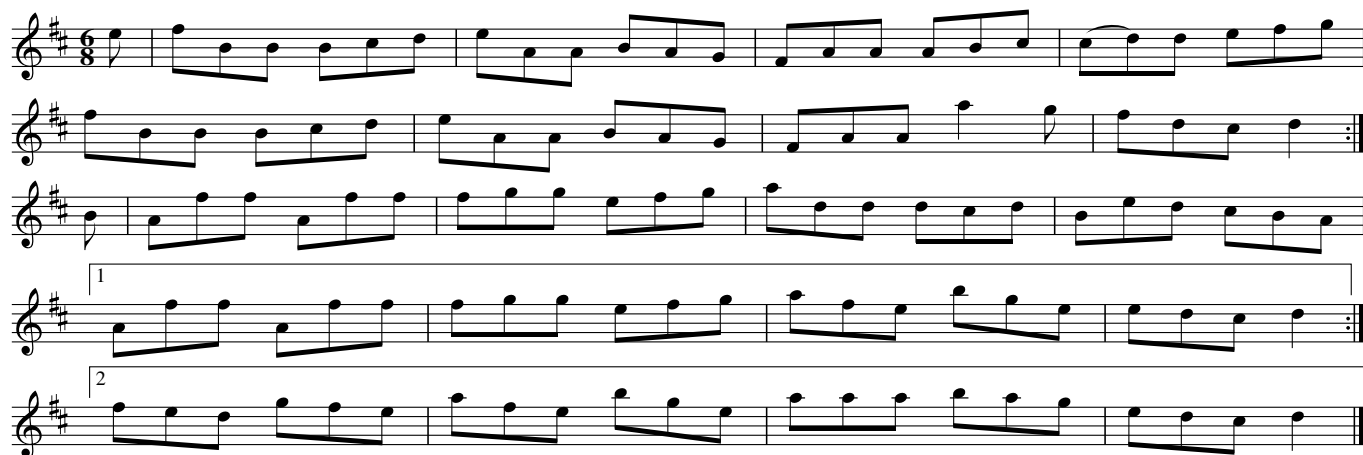
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Merrily Kissed the Quaker



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The Cliffs of Moher



Salt River Road



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Peggy Lettermore

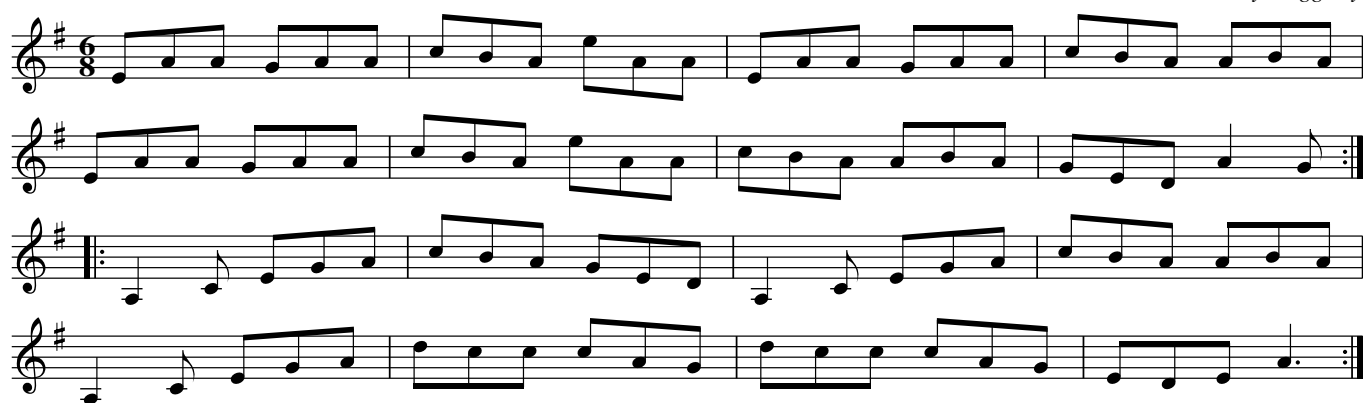


The Lilting Banshee



Coffee

Gary Haggerty



Tripping up the Stairs



Dinky's



The Ash Plant



Return to Milltown



The Worn Petticoat

Sheet music for 'The Worn Petticoat' in G major (one sharp) and 6/8 time. The piece consists of five staves. The first staff is the melody. The second staff has a first ending (marked '1') and a second ending (marked '2'). The third staff is the bass line. The fourth staff has a first ending (marked '1'). The fifth staff has a second ending (marked '2'). The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Tehan's Favorite

Sheet music for 'Tehan's Favorite' in G major (one sharp) and 6/8 time. The piece consists of five staves. The first staff is the melody. The second staff has a first ending (marked '1') and a second ending (marked '2'). The third staff is the bass line. The fourth staff has a first ending (marked '1'). The fifth staff has a second ending (marked '2'). The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Eileen O'Riordan's

Sheet music for 'Eileen O'Riordan's' in G major (one sharp) and 6/8 time. The piece consists of four staves. The first staff is the melody. The second staff has a first ending (marked '1') and a second ending (marked '2'). The third staff is the bass line. The fourth staff has a first ending (marked '1') and a second ending (marked '2'). The piece concludes with a double bar line.

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The Banshee



The Merry Blacksmith



The Hunter's Purse



Joe Cooley's

Joe Mills



Toss the Feathers



Drowsy Maggie



The Lark in the Morning



Bohola Jig



The Coach Road To Sligo

The Blackthorn Stick



Calliope House

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The Maid Behind The Bar



The Musical Priest



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Fred Finn's



Sailing Into Walpole's Marsh



The Drunken Landlady



Colonel Rodger's Favorite



The Happy Days of Youth



Miss Monaghan's



The Earl's Chair



The Bird in the Bush



Down the Hill



An Phis Fhliuch



The Butterfly



The Kid On The Mountain



Fisher's Hornpipe



The Staten Island Hornpipe



St Anne's Reel



Ballydesmond Polka #2



Ballydesmond Polka #3



Julia Clifford's



Drops of Brandy



Hardiman The Fiddler



A Fig For A Kiss



Learned from Tom McCann in Philly

First system of musical notation for 'Learned from Tom McCann in Philly'. It consists of five staves in 2/4 time, key of D major. The first staff contains four measures of eighth notes. The second staff contains four measures, ending with a repeat sign. The third staff contains four measures, starting with a repeat sign. The fourth staff contains four measures, with a first ending bracket over the last two measures. The fifth staff contains four measures, with a second ending bracket over the last two measures.

Learned from Tom McCann in Philly

Second system of musical notation for 'Learned from Tom McCann in Philly'. It consists of four staves in 2/4 time, key of D major. The first staff contains four measures of eighth notes. The second staff contains four measures, with first and second ending brackets over the last two measures. The third staff contains four measures, starting with a repeat sign. The fourth staff contains four measures, with first and second ending brackets over the last two measures.

John Egan's

Third system of musical notation for 'John Egan's'. It consists of four staves in 2/4 time, key of D major. The first staff contains four measures of eighth notes. The second staff contains four measures, ending with a repeat sign. The third staff contains four measures, starting with a repeat sign. The fourth staff contains four measures, ending with a repeat sign.

The Golden Gardens

Randal Bays



The Salmon's Leap

Randal Bays



John Brennan's



Father Kelly's



Father Tim's

*Eli Hickey
2021*



Bill Sullivan's



Britches Full of Stitches



The Pipe On The Hob #1



The Pipe On The Hob #2



Tatter Jack Walsh



Jimmy Ward's



The Concertina Reel



The Mountain Road



The Dunmore Lassies



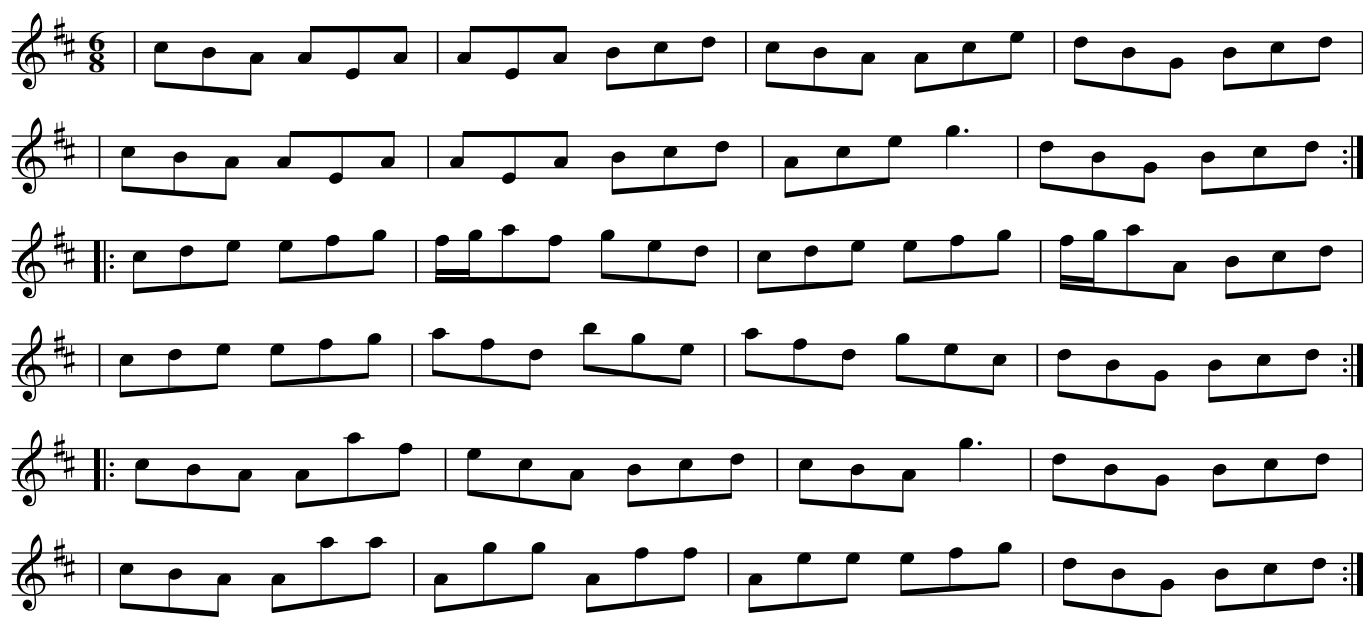
Tatter Jack Walsh



Tobin's Favorite



Mooncoin



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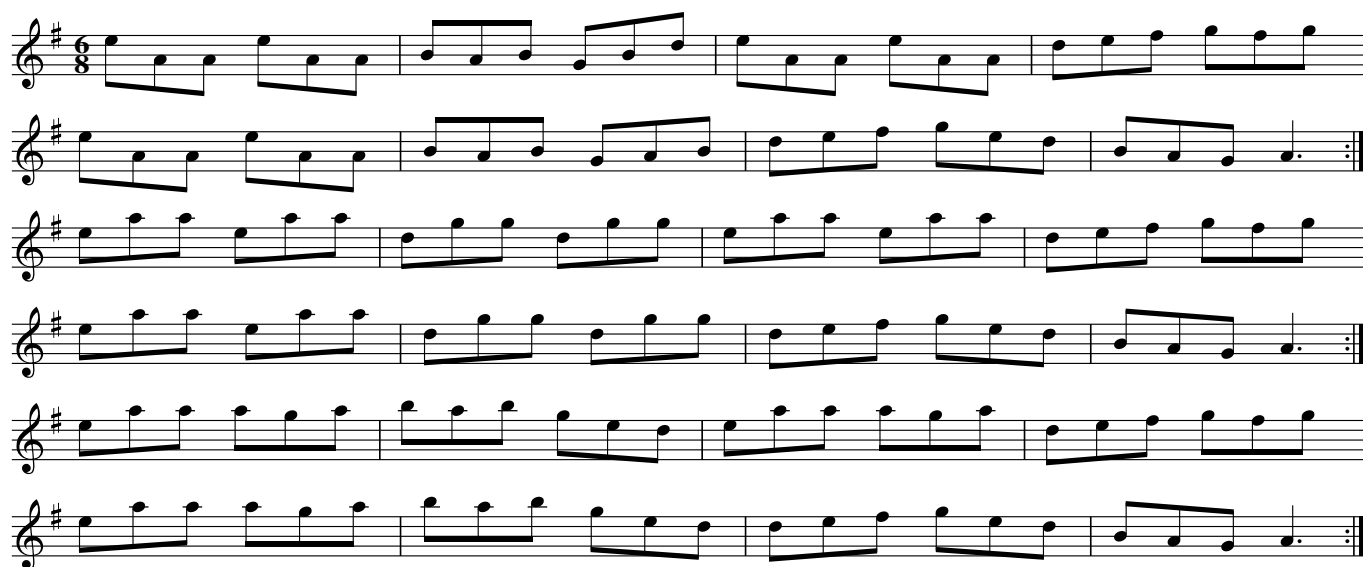
Haste to the Wedding



Fifty Cent Piece



Three Little Drummers



When Sick is it Tea You Want?



The Rakish Paddy



The Old Bush



Chief O'Neill's Favorite



The Belfast Hornpipe

The Sweeps



Montebello, Reel de

Richard Forest



Evit Gabriel



Montreal, Reel de



The Freize Britches



Lucy Farr's



Bill Malley's



Kilnamona



The Roosky Polka



The Church St Polka



The Happy Polka



Come Back Paddy Reilly



Gan Ainm



The Humors of Ballylaughlin



Donnybrook Fair
The Joy of my Life



The Rambling Pitchfork



The Kilashandra Lasses



Shoe the Donkey



Sonny's Mazurka



Mickey Dalton's #3

Mickey Dalton



The Kerry Polka



Sweeney's Polka

Traditional



Young Tom Ennis



The Rakes of Kildare



Jimmy Ward's



The Butterfly



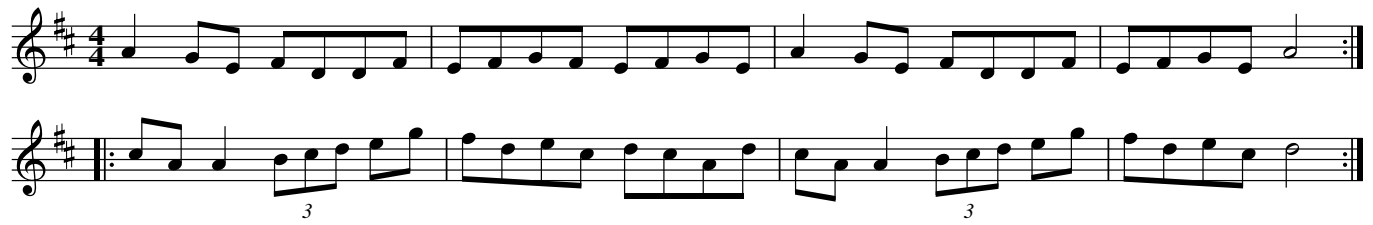
The Snowy Path



The Foxhunter's Jig



The Yellow Cow
Mother and Child



O'Connel's Trip to Parliment



O'Mahoney's



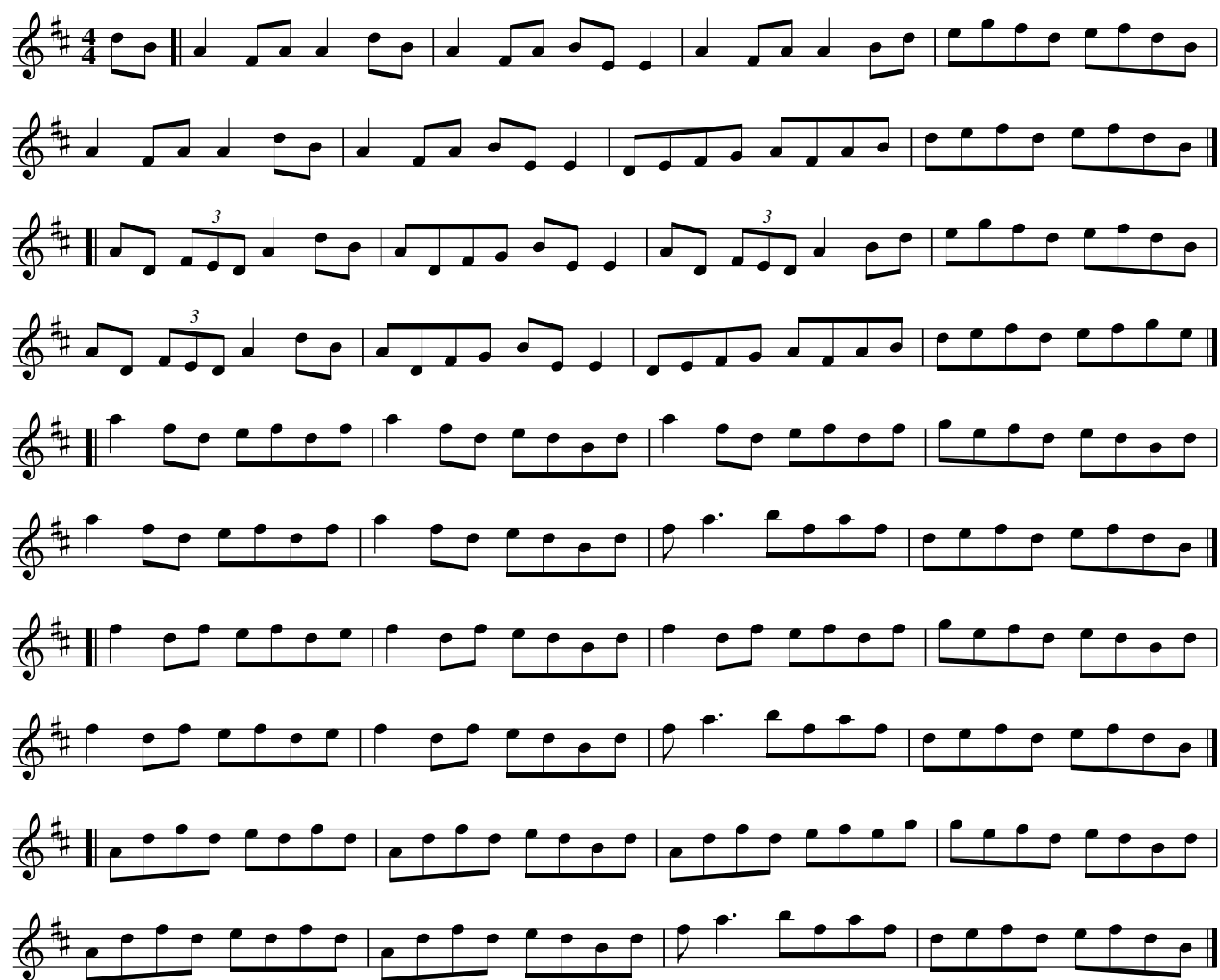
The Stack of Barley



Bantry Bay



The Bucks of Oranmore



The Torn Jacket



Devaney's Goat



Come West Along the Road



Cronin's Hornpipe



The Little Stack of Wheat



Johnny Will You Marry me Some Say the Devil is Dead



Catharsis

Amy Cann

Four staves of music in B-flat major, 4/4 time. The first staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns. The second staff contains 12 measures, with a repeat sign at the end and two endings labeled 1 and 2. The third staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns. The fourth staff contains 12 measures, with a repeat sign at the end and two endings labeled 1 and 2.

The Wizard's Walk

Jay Unger

Six staves of music in D major, 4/4 time. The first staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns. The second staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns. The third staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns. The fourth staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns. The fifth staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns. The sixth staff contains 12 measures of eighth-note patterns.

Ballydesmond Polka #1



Ballydesmond Polka #2



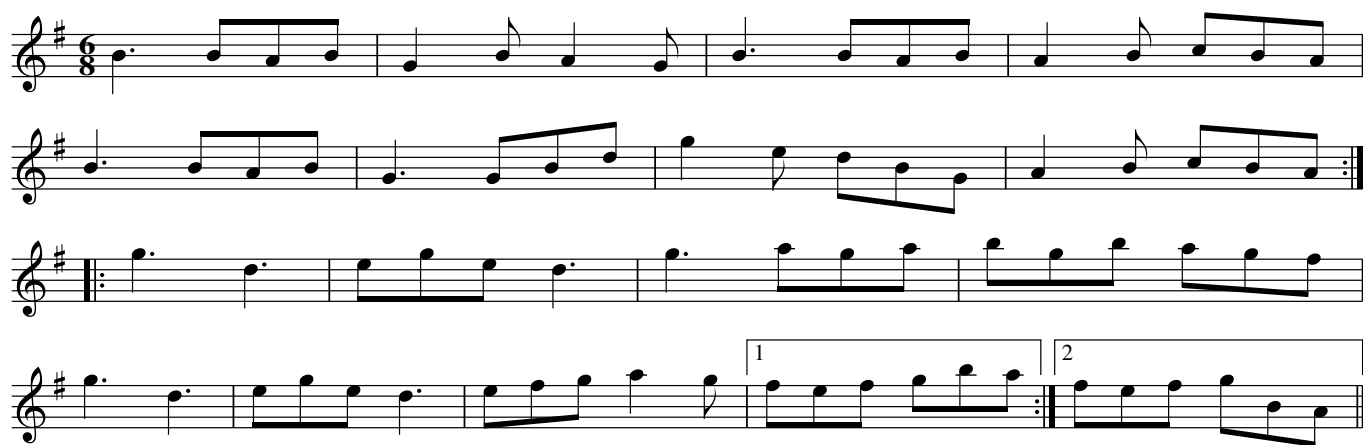
Ballydesmond Polka #3



The Star Above the Garter



The Lisheen Slide



The Blackthorn Stick



The Coach Road To Sligo

The Blackthorn Stick



Calliope House

Dave Richardson



Willie Coleman's



The Old Favorite



O'Carolán's Welcome



The Humors of Whiskey



An Phis Fhliuch



The Rakes of Mallow



The Kerry Polka



John Ryan's Polka



Gander in the Pratie Hole



The Humors of Glendart



Tá an Coileach Ag Fógairt an Lae



Moll Ha'penny



Poll Ha'penny



Bohola Jig



The Rose in the Heather



The Sporting Pitchfork



The Rambling Pitchfork



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