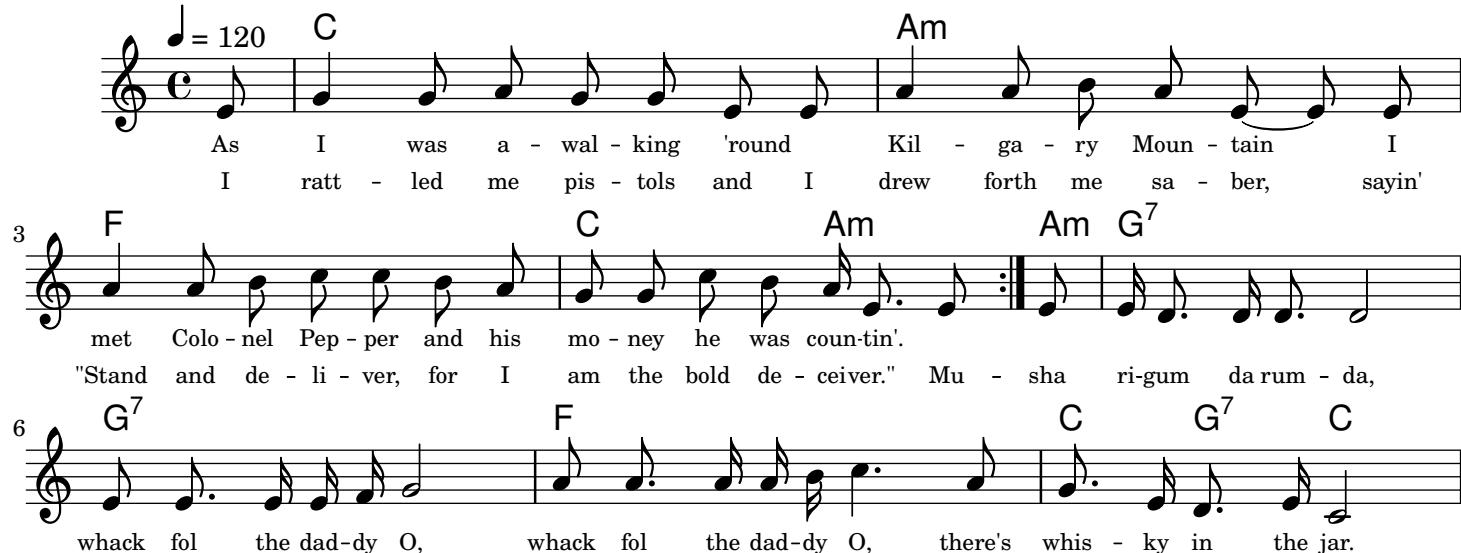


Whiskey in the Jar

Traditional Irish



A musical score for "Whiskey in the Jar" in common time. The key signature changes throughout the piece. The vocal line includes lyrics such as "As I was a-wal-king 'round Kil-ga-ry Moun-tain I", "I ratt-led me pis-tols and I drew forth me sa-ber, sayin'", "met Colo-nel Pep-per and his mo-ne-y he was coun-tin'.", and "Stand and de-li-ver, for I am the bold de-ceiver." The score also includes instrumental parts for "Mu-sha ri-gum da rum-da", "whack fol the dad-dy O," and "there's whis-ky in the jar". Chords indicated above the staff include C, Am, G7, F, C, G7, and C.

2. The shining golden coins did look so bright and jolly,
I took 'em with me home and gave 'em to my Molly;
she promised and she vowed that she never would deceive me,
but the devil's in the women and they never can be easy.
3. When I was awakened between six and seven,
the guards were all around me in numbers odd and even;
I flew my pistols, but alas, I was mistaken,
for Molly'd drawn my pistols and a prisoner I was taken.
4. They put me in jail without judge or writin',
for robbing Colonel Pepper in Kilgary Mountain,
but they didn't take my fists so I knocked the sentry down,
and bid a fond farewell to the jail in Slaigo town.
5. Now, some take delight in fishin' and bowlin',
and others take delight in their carriages a-rollin',
but I take delight in the juice of the barley,
and courtin' pretty girls in the mornin' so early.