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LA DONNE E MOBILE

Voice. 

KEY Ab. { La donne é mob.il.e,
m :m :m | s ,f :r :- }

Piano 



That sounds like Greek to me, For a fire-man in me you see, In our lo-cal.i.ty.

{ r :r :r | f ,m :d :d d | m :r :d | d ,t :t :- | r :d :l, | l, ,s :s, : ||




THE OLD BRIGADE



I am the chief of the fire bri-gade, One of its no-ble crew;

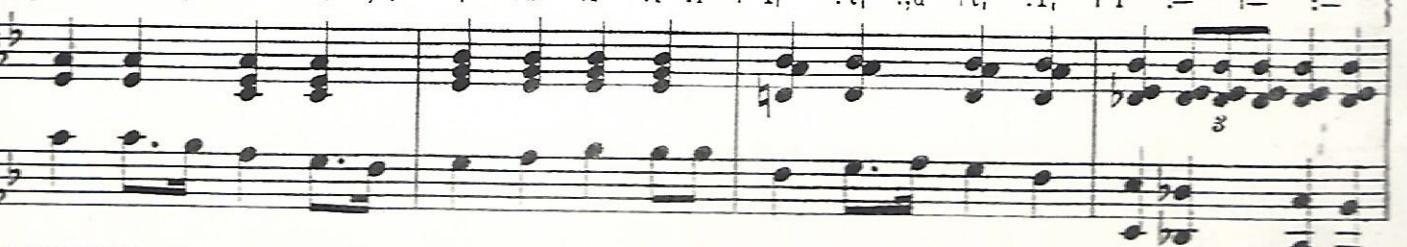
{ |m :m ,r | d :t, ,l, | s, :- ,m, | s, :- | s, :t, ,l, | s, :s, | l, :- | s, :- }





We take on fires be they great or small If a post-card we get from you.

{ |m :m ,r | d :t, ,l, | t, :d | r :r r | l, :t, ,d | t, :l, | r :- | - :- }



Watch us when we try to start the en - - gine, See the dri-ver cranks and twists and

ld .,s, :m, .,s, ld .,t, :d .,r ld :- ld :- lm .,d :s, .,d lm .,r :d .,r }

turns, When our hel-mets we find we jump up be-hind, And we're

lm :- | - :m .m | m :f .,s lf :- .f | r :m .,f lm :d .,de }

THE ARROW AND THE SONG.

off to the "land o' burns." We shot like an ar-row

lr :l, .,f lr :- .d ld :- | - :s, ld :d .d ld .d :-

Slow

in - to the square, There was a fire we knew not where,

ld :t, .l, lt, :- | - .t, :d .de lr :t, | l, .s, :s, | :

Said a police - man then, "That's the road, you must

:d .d ld :d .r | m :- | :m .,m | f :- | :m .r

JOHN PEEL.

fol - low it." Now the dri - ver of our en - gine was old John Peel, He sa

|m .r :d Eb |tm :- .f || s .,s :s .,s |m :m .,f |s :s |m :m .r

"Hold on lads, if a jolt you feel, It's on - ly the p'lice-man with his

|f :f |r :r .,m |f :f |r :m |d :d .,d |d' .,d' :d' .,d'

head in the wheel, But we can't take it out till the morn - ing." We

|t :l .,l |s :f .,m |l :f .r |d :t, .t, |r :- |d :s ||

A TAVERN IN THE TOWN

heard that a tavern in the town (in the town) Was slowly but surely burning
 { s : s . s | l . s : f e . s | m : s . s | s : - . s | s : s . s | l . s : f e . s }

down (burning down) So we hung our helmets on a weeping willow tree, And I
 { r : s . s | s . f : m . r | d : m | s . s : d' . d' | r' . d' : t . d' | l : l . l }

cried "Now lads, just come with me. (Come with me). There's a fire, so we must brave it, There's good
 { t : - . t | t . s : l . t | d' : d . d | d : s . s | f . t : t . t | t . s : f . r }

liquor, we must save it, And remember that the best of men must start. (must start.) So
 { d . d' : d' . d' | d' . s : m . d | t , . t : t . t | t . s : l . t | d' : l | s : f ||

"DRINK TO ME ONLY."

drink with me, on - ly, on - ly this once, For it's "on the house" this time."

{ m : m : m | f :- : f | s : f : m | r : m : f | s : d : f | m :- : r | d :- :- }

"EXCELSIOR"

The shades of night were fall - ing fast, The fire was rag - ing in full blast,

{ : m : m . m | m :- . l : se . l | d' :- : m | f , m : f , m : l , m | m : r :- }

tremolo

I stumbled down the cel - lar stair And found my first lieu - ten - ant there. Many brave

{ . m : ba . se : l . t | d' , t : l ^{Key C.} | d' | d' :- . t : r' . d' | t , l : s :- || d' : s : d' }

ALLAN WATER

hearts were a - sleep in the deep, So be - ware, be - ware! We sent

{ t : s : t | r : m : r | f : m : f | s :- :- | s :- :- | d' :- :- | :- : m , s }

Al - an for the wa - ter, We knew it must be near, 'Cos the land - lord's pret - ty
 {d' :- .m' :r' .,t | d' :s :s | l :- .t :d'm'r' | d' :t :s .,d' | m' :- .d' :r' .,t }

MEN OF HARLECH.

daughter Used to "strengthen" all the beer. We left the land-lord and his daughter,
 {d' :se :se .se | l .,l :r' :t | d' ^{Key F:} d's || d :- .t, | l, :t, | d :r | m :d }

Fixed the hose, turned on the wa - ter, It did - n't come out as it ought - er, The nozzle was - n't
 {f :m | r :d | t, :l, | t, :s, .s, | d :- .t, | l, :t, | d :r | m :l .l | s .m :- | r :- .m }

MARY OF ARGYLE.

there! I re - mem - ber telling Horace That nozzle needs re - pair, And he'd left it at the
 {d :- l :m .,f || s :- .m | r :d | l, :d | - :m | r :- .l | s :f | m :- | m :f | s :- .m | r :d }

THE KEEL ROW.

oil-shop So we had_n't got it there. So we all formed a long row, A

{l,d :- ld :r |m,d :- |m :r |d :- | :s ,f || m :d ,m lf :r ,f }

strong row, a "bon" row, To pass the buckets to and fro With wa-ter from the well. We

{m :d ,m |r .t, :s, .s, |m ,m :d ..m lf ..f :r ,f |m ,d :r ,t, fd :s, }

THE SONG THAT REACHED MY HEART.

stood 'midst that might_y throng, We fought the flames all night, When

{m :m .m |r :r |d :- | :d |s :s |f :f |m :- | :d }

Slow

morn_ing broke we were choked with smoke, And our voi_ces "black and white."

{l :l |s :d .d |f :f |m :d .d |m :m |r :d |s :- | : || }

JOHN BROWN'S BODY

Key C. { f s , s : s , f | m , s : d' , r' | m' , m' : m' , r' | d' :- d' | l , l : l , t

noz-zle from the oil-shop, me and you, And we'll run the en-gine back a-gain and

{ d' , d' : d' , l | s , l : s , f | m : m . m | s , s : s , f | m , s : d' , r' }

get some pet-rol too, So we all went driv-ing home.

{ m' , m' : m' , r' | d' : d' , d' | r' : r' | d' : t | d' :- ||

VILLAGE BLACKSMITH.

Key F. And we { d s , : s , }

raced on mad-ly past the church, For we had no oth-er choice, Our eyes were dimmed, our

{ d : d | m : d | s :- r | r : d . t , | l , :- l , | d : l , | m :- | :- : m s | m :- m | s s }

tremolo

Key D.

throats were parched, And we heard our dri - ver's voice. Puffing, snorting, sor - rowing

{ l : - . l | s : - . s , s | l : - . l | t : l . t | d' : - | - : - | d' : s | l a : f | m : - . d | d : -

THE ASH GROVE.

On - ward and on he goes. ^{Key C.} The crash came at last, we were flung off the

{ l a : f . , f | d : l a | s : - : f s || d' : s : m | d : r : m | f : l : r' }

en - gine, I woke with a start and a bump on my head, My wife said "Now

{ t : s : s | d' : s : m | f : s : l | s : d' : t | d' : : s | d' : s : m }

dar - ling, just climb off the wardrobe, And take off your helmet and come back to bed."

{ d : r : m | f : l : r' | d' : s : s | d' : s : m | f : s : l | s : m : r' | d' : - : }

rall.