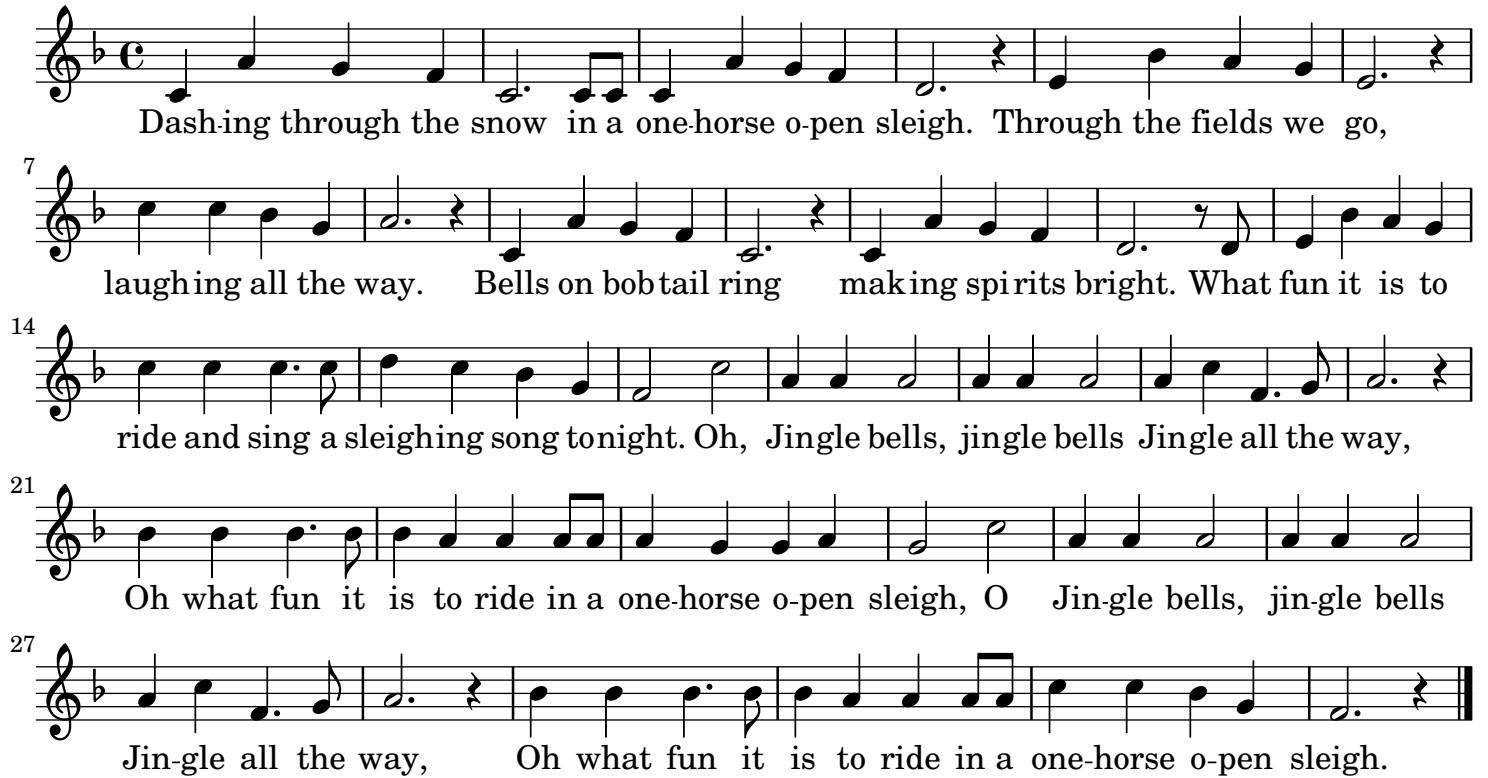


Jingle Bells

John Pierpoint, 1859



The musical score for "Jingle Bells" is written on five staves of music. Each staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a common time signature (C). The melody is simple and repetitive, with lyrics written below the notes. The lyrics are: "Dashing through the snow in a one-horse o-pen sleigh. Through the fields we go, laughing all the way. Bells on bobtail ring making spirits bright. What fun it is to ride and sing a sleighing song tonight. Oh, Jingle bells, jingle bells Jingle all the way, Oh what fun it is to ride in a one-horse o-pen sleigh, O Jin-gle bells, jin-gle bells Jin-gle all the way, Oh what fun it is to ride in a one-horse o-pen sleigh." The score includes measure numbers 7, 14, 21, and 27.

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Oh what fun it is to ride in a one-horse o-pen sleigh, O Jin-gle bells, jin-gle bells
Jin-gle all the way, Oh what fun it is to ride in a one-horse o-pen sleigh.

Dashing through the snow
In a onehorse open sleigh.
Through the fields we go,
Laughing all the way.
Bells on bobtail ring,
Making spirits bright.
What fun it is to ride and sing
A sleighing song tonight.
Oh, Jingle bells, Jingle bells
Jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride
In a onehorse open sleigh,
O Jingle bells, jingle bells
Jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride
In a onehorse open sleigh.