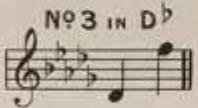
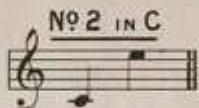
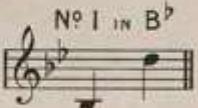


*every boy good fellow.*

Dedicated to Lieut.-Gen. Sir R.S.S. Baden Powell, C.B.



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# The Boy Scouts



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Moderate

PIANO

*mf*

## VERSE I

*p*

There's a gallant growing com-pa-ny that flies the Un-ion Jack, Boys of

Britain who are learning to be men; Have you met them on an out-ing, they are

on-ly play-ing, scouting But they do a bit of busi-ness now and then.

*a piacere*

*cello voce*

## REFRAIN

The sheet music consists of four staves. The top two staves are for the voice, with the first staff in G major and the second in C major. The bottom two staves are for the piano. The lyrics are:

For the heart of the Scout beats warm and the word of the Scout rings  
true, And he'll lend a helping hand to the poorest in the land, And  
do it with a smile, and whistle too.

The piano part includes dynamic markings like *mf* and measures with triplets indicated by a '3' over a bracket.



## VERSE 2

*p*

They are ral - ly - ing in thousands where the ends of Em . pire meet; They are

*p*

prom.ising they'll always be pre - pare; And they're stud - y - ing the ways he - roes

*#f* *p*

*a piacére*

walked in oth - er days— Scouts of England, who a thou sand dan . gers shared.

*#f* *p* *colla voce*

## REFRAIN

The musical score consists of four staves of music. The top staff features a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a tempo marking of *f*. The lyrics for this section are: "For the heart of the Scout beats warm and the word of the Scout rings true, And he'll lend a helping hand to the poorest in the land, And do it with a smile, and whistle too." The second staff has a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The third staff also has a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The fourth staff has a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The music concludes with a final section marked *8va*.

## THE BOY SCOUTS.

There's a gallant growing company that flies the Union Jack,  
Boys of Britain who are learning to be men;  
Have you met them on an outing, they are only playing scouting,  
But they do a bit of business now and then.

*Refrain :*

For the heart of the Scout beats warm and the word of the  
Scout rings true,  
And he'll lend a helping hand to the poorest in the land,  
And do it with a smile, and whistle too.

They are rallying in thousands where the ends of Empire meet;  
They are promising they'll always be prepared;  
And they're studying the ways heroes walked in other days—  
Scouts of England, who a thousand dangers shared.

*Refrain :*

For the heart of the Scout beats warm, etc., etc.

O'er rock and forest spreading roam the scouting troops afar,  
Where broad Canada's green maples flourish free,  
By New Zealand's silver stream, where Australian myrtles gleam,  
By the Kopje and the wide Veldt's grassy sea.

*Refrain :*

For the Scout is a friend to all, from the cot or the lordly hall,  
For his truth and honour & fame he will always play the game,  
And ever ready be at duty's call.

Hush! Listen! Who goes there? There are whispers in the air,  
There's a foe would take Old England by surprise;  
But the Scouts are standing steady, they'll be men before he's  
ready.  
They are watching with a thousand-thousand eyes.

*Refrain :*

For the heart of the Scout beats warm, and the word of the  
Scout rings true,  
Though he doesn't want to fight he will keep his honour  
bright,  
In trust for King, and trust for country too.

