

Hi! Ho! The Rattlin' Bog

Three-part Mixed Chorus with Descant*, Piano, and Optional Small Percussion
(Slide Whistle, Ratchet, Wood Block, Cow Bell)

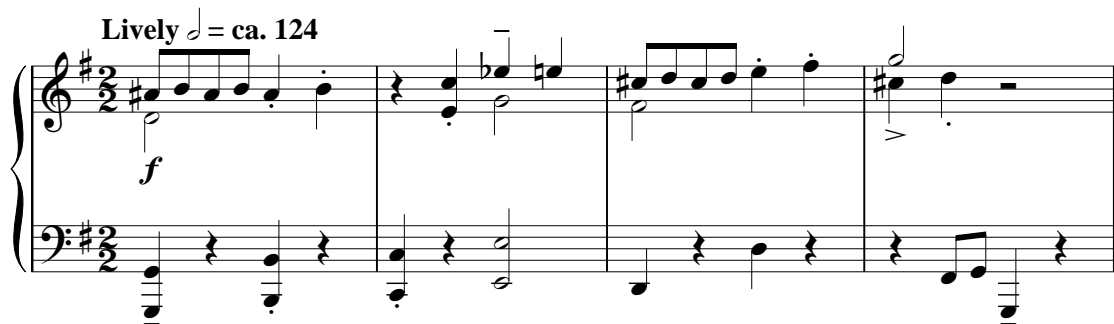
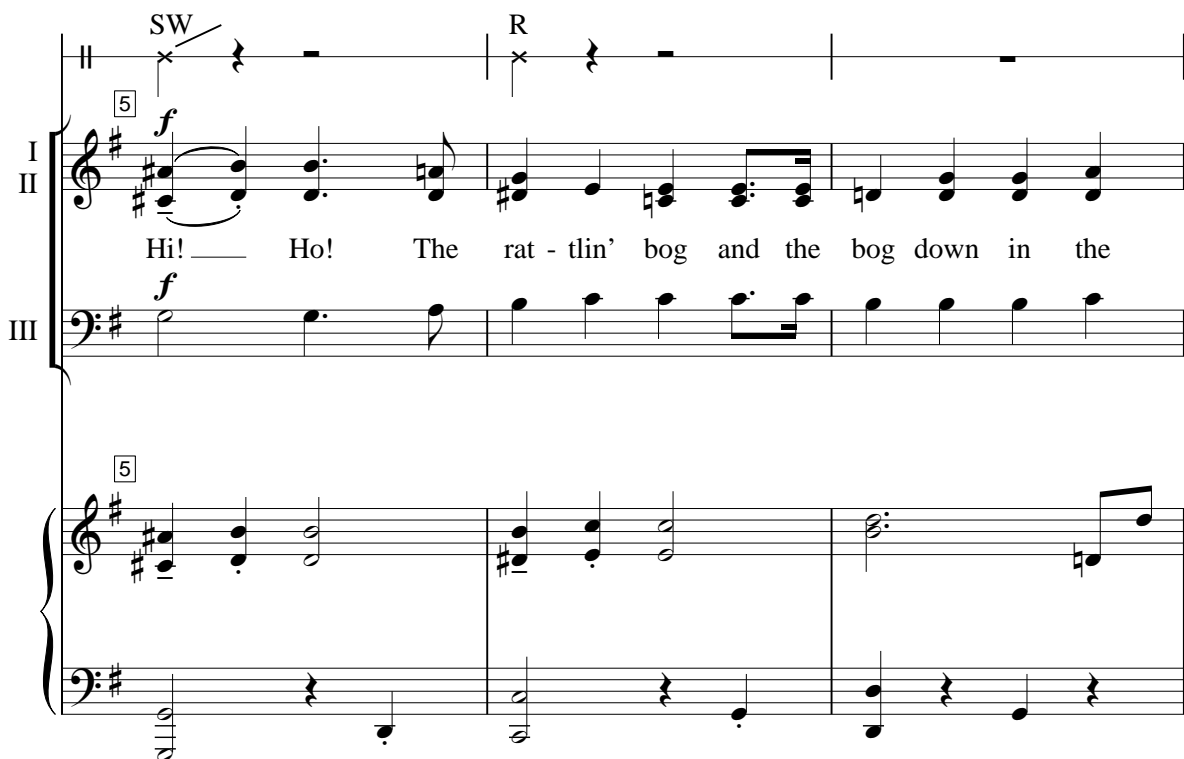
Trad., alt.

Irish Accumulative Variant
Arranged by Linda Spevacek-Avery

Ranges:



Lively ♩ = ca. 124

SW R

I **f**

II **f**

III **f**

Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the

Duration: approx. 2:10

*Also available for Two-part with Descant (15/1536H).

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WB SW R

I
II
III

val - ley - O. Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the

CB

I
II
III

bog down in the val - ley - O. 1. Now

unis. mf

15

I
II
III

in this bog there was a tree, a rare tree, a rat-tlin' tree. The

mf

15

I
II

tree in the bog, and the bog down in the val - ley - O.

III

SW

R

22 *f*

I
II

Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the

III

22 *f*

WB

SW

R

I
II

val - ley - O. Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the

III

CB

I
II
III

bog down in the val - ley - O.

mf

2. Now

32

I
II
III

unis. mf

The

32 on this tree there was a limb, a rare limb, a rat-tlin' limb.

simile

I
II
III

limb on the tree, the tree in the bog, and the bog down in the

SW WB R

I
II

40 *f* *melody*

val - ley - O. Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the

III

40 *f* Hi! Ho!

WB SW WB

I
II

bog down in the val - ley - O. Hi! Ho! The

III

Hi! Ho! Hi!

R CB

I
II

rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the val - ley - O.

III

Ho!

unis. mf 50

I
II
III

3. Now on this limb there was a branch, *mf*
a

mf 50

I
II
III

The branch on the limb, the
rare branch, a rat - tlin' branch.

I
II
III

limb on the tree, the tree in the bog, and the bog down in the

SW WB R

I
II

59 *f*

val - ley - O. Hi! — Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the

III

59 *f*

WB SW WB

I
II

bog down in the val - ley - O. Hi! — Ho! The

III

R CB

I
II

rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the val - ley - O. —

III

mf

69 *unis. mf*

mf a

4. Now on this branch there was a nest,

69

simile

rare nest, a rat - tlin' nest. The nest on the branch, the

branch on the limb, the limb on the tree, the

I
II

tree in the bog, and the bog down in the val - ley - O.

III

SW WB R

79 *f* Hi! Ho!

I
II
f melody
Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the

III

79 *f*

WB SW WB R

Hi! Ho! Hi! Ho!

I
II
val - ley - O. Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the

III

CB

I
II
III

bog down in the valley - O.

mf

I
II
III

unis. mf [89]

5. Now in this nest there was an egg, *mf*

a

[89]

I
II
III

The egg in the nest, the

rare egg, a rat - tlin' egg.

I
II

nest on the branch, the branch on the limb, the limb on the tree, the

III

I
II

tree in the bog, and the bog down in the val - ley - O.

III

f *mf*

SW WB R

100 *f*

Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the

100 *f*

WB SW WB R

I
II

val - ley - O. Hi! Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the

III

CB

I
II

bog down in the val - ley - O.

III

unis. mf 110

I
II

6. Now in this egg there was a bird, a

III

110

I
II
III

rare bird, a rat - tlin' bird. The bird in the egg, the

I
II
III

the nest on the branch, the
egg in the nest, the branch on the limb,

I
II
III

limb on the tree, and the bog down in the
the tree in the bog, and the bog down in the

SW WB R

122 Descant *f*

Hi! Ho! —

I
II

val - ley - O. Hi! — Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the

III

val - ley - O.

122 *ff*

Detailed description: This system contains the first system of music. At the top, there are three measures of a drum line with notes labeled SW, WB, and R. Below this is a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature. It features a 'Descant' starting at measure 122, marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The vocal parts are arranged in three staves: I (Soprano), II (Alto), and III (Bass). The lyrics for the vocal parts are 'val - ley - O. Hi! — Ho! The rat - tlin' bog and the bog down in the'. The piano accompaniment is shown in a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) with a forte (*ff*) dynamic. The piano part includes a '122' marking in a box.

WB SW WB R WB WB WB WB

Hi! Ho! Hi! Ho! —

I
II

val - ley - O. Hi! — Ho! The rat - tlin bog, —

III

f

Detailed description: This system contains the second system of music. At the top, there are four measures of a drum line with notes labeled WB, SW, WB, R, WB, WB, WB, WB. Below this is a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature. It features a melodic line with a long note held over from the previous system. The vocal parts are arranged in three staves: I (Soprano), II (Alto), and III (Bass). The lyrics for the vocal parts are 'Hi! Ho! Hi! Ho! —' and 'val - ley - O. Hi! — Ho! The rat - tlin bog, —'. The piano accompaniment is shown in a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) with a forte (*f*) dynamic.