

The Civil War

Arranged by JAMES D. PLOYHAR (ASCAP)

INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 4 Flute/Piccolo
- 2 Oboe
- 2 Bassoon
- 3 1st B Clarinet
- 3 2nd B_b Clarinet
- 3 3rd B_b Clarinet
- 1 E♭ Alto Clarinet
- 2 B_b Bass Clarinet
- 2 1st El Alto Saxophone
- 2 2nd Eb Alto Saxophone
- 1 B, Tenor Saxophone
- 1 E♭ Baritone Saxophone
- 3 1st B_b Trumpet
- 3 2nd Bb Trumpet
- 3 3rd B) Trumpet

- 1 1st F Horn
- 1 2nd F Horn
- 2 3rd and 4th F Horn
- 2 1st Trombone
- 2 2nd Trombone
- 2 3rd Trombone
- 2 Baritone
- 1 Baritone Treble Clef
- 4 Tuba
- 1 Mallet Percussion (Chimes)
- 1 Timpani
- 4 Percussion

(Snare Drum, Bass Drum, Suspended Cymbal, Crash Cymbal)

PROGRAM NOTES

The Battle Cry of Freedom (George F. Root)

This rousing tune was popular in the North during the Civil War.

Tenting Tonight (Walter Kittredge)

Written during the Civil War by a Northerner who had been rejected by the Union Army for physical reasons, this song became so popular that it was sung by both sides.

The Bonnie Blue Flag (Henry McCarthy and Valentine Vousden)

The blue flag with the single star was the flag of South Carolina, the first state to secede from the Union in the war between the states. The song became the national anthem of the Confederacy. It is reported that a Union general threatened to punish any of his men heard singing or whistling it.

When Johnny Comes Marching Home (Louis Lambert)

Louis Lambert (nom de plume for Patrick S. Gilmore) composed this melody during the Civil War. He was famous as a band leader and promoter of festivals and jubilees.

Dixie (Dan D. Emmett)

This song is generally called the most popular of the songs of the South. It soon became a favorite all over the land. It was taken up by the people, sung upon streets and soon carried to the battlefields, where it became the great inspirational song of the Southern Army.

Battle Hymn of the Republic (Julia Ward Howe and William Steffe)

Recently, a writer said of this great hymn, "Unlike many of the songs of the Civil War, it contains nothing sectional, nothing personal, nothing of a temporary character. Written with intense feeling, the words seem to burn and glow when our own emotions are aroused."





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DIXIE — DAN D. EMMETT Arranged by JAMES D. PLOYHAR A.S.C.A.P. C Flute (C Piccolo) Oboe Bb Clarinets Eb Alto Clarinet Bb Bass Clarinet Bassoon Eb Alto Saxophones Bb Tenor Saxophone Eb Baritone Saxophone Andante (J=80) Bb Trumpets Horns in F Ma Trombones Baritone Tuba Chimes Mallet Percussion Timpani Snare Drum Susp. Cym Cymbals bring out Bass Drum

















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