

# THE ONE HORSE OPEN SLEIGH.

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Allegro.

PIANO

The musical score consists of five staves of music. The first staff is for the piano, showing a steady bass line and occasional harmonic chords. The subsequent four staves are for a vocal part, each containing two lines of lyrics. The vocal parts are written in a treble clef, and the music is in common time with a key signature of one flat. The lyrics describe a winter scene with a horse-drawn sleigh, including mentions of Miss Fan-nie, bells on the sleigh, and a fall into a drift bank.

1. Dashing thro' the snow, In a one horse open sleigh, — O'er the hills we  
2. A day or two a - go I thought I'd take a ride, And soon Miss Fan-nie

go, — Laughing all the way; Bells on bob tail ring, — Making spirits  
Bright Was seat-ed by my side, The horse was lean and lank; Mis-for-tune seemd his

bright, — Oh what sport to ride and sing A sleighing song to night.  
lot. He got in - to a drift-ed bank. And we, we got up - sot.

*CHORUS.*

SOP:

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

Piano

Jingle bells, Jingle bells, Jingle all the way; Oh! what joy it

Jingle bells, Jingle bells, Jingle all the way; Oh! what joy it

is to ride In a one horse o - pen sleigh. Jingle bells, Jingle bells,

is to ride In a one horse o - pen sleigh. Jingle bells, Jingle bells,

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Jingle all the way.      Oh! what joy it is to ride In a one horse o-pen sleigh.

Jingle all the way.      Oh! what joy it is to ride In a one horse o-pen - sleigh.

3.

A day or two ago,  
The story I must tell  
I went out on the snow  
And on my back I fell;  
A gent was riding by  
In a one horse open sleigh,  
He laughed as there I sprawling lie,  
But quickly drove away.

4.

Now the ground is white  
Go it while you're young,  
Take the girls to night  
And sing this sleighing song;  
Just get a bob tailed bay  
Two forty as his speed.  
Hitch him to an open sleigh  
And crack, you'll take the lead.