

Schaefer's Schottische

Australia, NSW, Forbes

The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. It consists of four staves of music. The first staff begins with a D chord and contains a triplet of eighth notes. The second staff continues the melody with a G chord and another triplet. The third staff features a sequence of chords: A7, D, Bm, A7, and D7, with triplets in the final two measures. The fourth staff concludes the piece with chords D, A7, D, (Bm), Em, and D, also including triplets. The piece ends with a double bar line.

Rhythm: Schottische

Source: collected by Harry Schaefer, Forbes NSW (1879-1954)

The Schaefer Manuscripts, Rob Willis Collection, National Library of Australia

Tune converted to abc by John Furlonger

History: Harry wrote his collection of tunes in several exercise books. These manuscripts are held in the Rob Willis Collection, by the NLA