

for Grammar Voices 2017 (Auckland Grammar School)

Song of the Gumfield

for treble voices (optional), tenor, baritone and bass, and piano duet

music: David Hamilton (2017)
text: William Satchell (1860-1942)

♩ = 66 Strongly rhythmic

Unison voices

Piano (primo)

Piano (secondo)

f

f

In the

Ped.



5

Unison

slight-ed blight-ed North, where the gi-ant kau-ris grow, and the earth is bare and bar-ren where the

Pno. (pr.)

Pno. (sec.)

8va

8va

Ped.

8

Unison

bush-bee used to hum, when the luck we've fol-lowed's fail- ing and our friends are out of hail- ing, and it's

Pno. (pr.)

Pno. (sec.)

8^{va}

Reo.

11

Tr.

get-ting nar-row sail-ing by the rocks of King-dom Come ah—

T.

get-ting nar-row sail-ing by the rocks of King-dom Come There's a way of fight-ing woe,

Bar.

get-ting nar-row sail-ing by the rocks of King-dom Come There's a way of fight-ing woe,

B.

get-ting nar-row sail-ing by the rocks of King-dom Come There's a way of fight-ing woe,

Pno. (pr.)

Pno. (sec.)

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

Reo.

14

Tr. ah—

T. squar-ing store- bills as you go, in the trade of dig-ging gum, and the new- chum and the scum,

Bar. squar-ing store- bills as you go, in the trade of dig-ging gum, and the new- chum and the scum,

B. squar-ing store- bills as you go, in the trade of dig-ging gum, and the new- chum and the scum,

Pno. (pr.)

Pno. (sec.)

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Tr. and the scour-ing of the slum, and the law-yer and the doc-tor, and the deaf and halt and dumb,

T. and the scour-ing of the slum, and the law-yer and the doc-tor, and the deaf and halt and dumb,

Bar. and the scour-ing of the slum, and the law-yer and the doc-tor, and the deaf and halt and dumb,

B. and the scour-ing of the slum, and the law-yer and the doc-tor, and the deaf and halt and dumb,

Pno. (pr.)

Pno. (sec.)