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Battle-Song.

"Hark! how the rolling drum is calling."

In memory of Conscription Day June 5, 1917

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Con spirito

Hark! how the rol-ling drum So cal-ling loy-al hearts to come! There's death for some and
Hark! from the plain be-fore, some rif-le's crack and can-non's roar, and bul-lets scream as

vic-to-ry for some, But all must ans-wer to the cal-ling! Care not for com-ard life, But
mes-sengers of war, and here and there the men are fal-ling! One thought of those that pray To

bid good bye to maiden or to wife And march with the drum and the fife, to
guard you through all pe-ril of to-day, Then think but to fight and to slay, and

win or fall!
for-ward, all!

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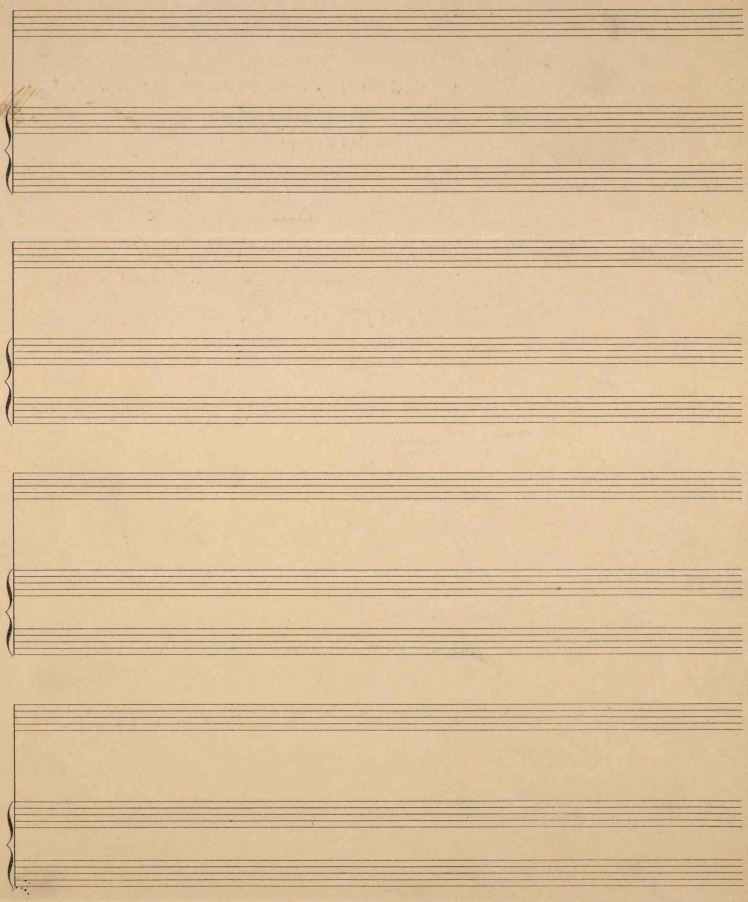

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