

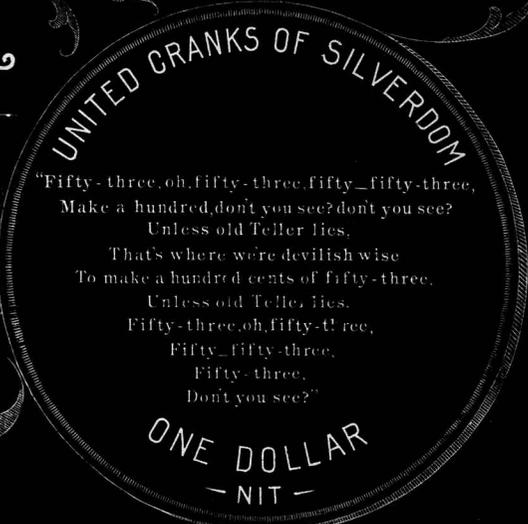
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Musical notation for the first system, including piano and bass staves with dynamics like *mf* and *f*.

mf SOLO.

1. One and one were two, And just two more made
2. Our fa - thers were too slow, They liked the Rule of
3. Fling our chal - lenge far, Bill Bry - an bids us
4. "Loose the sil - ver flood!" Just hear that wel - come

Musical notation for the second system, including piano and bass staves with lyrics and dynamics like *mf*.

four; E'en so our fa - thers knew In sim - ple days of yore, When
Three; They knew no road to go So sure as hon - es - ty; They
so; Has not our sil - ver star A rich - ly yel - low glow? Don't
cry! "In sil - ver or in blood We fain would march knee - high!" When

Musical notation for the third system, including piano and bass staves with lyrics.

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CHORUS.

p *mf* *three*
pp
 Fif - ty - three, oh, fif - ty - three, fif - ty, fif - ty - three, fif - ty - three

p *mf* *three*
pp

mf
 Make a hun - dred, don't you see? don't you see? Un -

mf

molto cresc.
 less old Tel - ler lies, That's where we're devil - ish wise To make a

molto cresc.

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hun-dred cents of fif - ty - three Un - less old Tel - ler lies. Fif - ty - three, oh,

ff poco rall. p a tempo.

ff colla voce. pp a tempo. p

mf f ff

fif - ty - three, fif - ty, fif - ty - three! Fif - ty - three, don't you see?

D.S.

5.

Arithmetic must go!
 Let other nations hold
 To ways so plaguey slow,
 And take the pesky gold!
 Let'm reckon, just for fun,
 That one time one is one;
 Let'm reckon, just for fun,
 That one time one is one;
 But we know otherwise,
 Unless old Teller lies
 Exactly fifty-three
 Is a hundred, don't you see?

6.

One dollar formerly,
 A hundred cents was just;
 But now 'tis fifty-three —
 "Free silver or we bust!"
 Let'm reckon, just for fun,
 That one time one is one;
 Let'm reckon, just for fun,
 That one time one is one;
 We know quite otherwise,
 Unless old Teller lies
 Exactly Fifty-three
 Is a hundred, don't you see?

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