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Moderato

dim. rall.

Key C

As down by Brockagh cor - ner one morn - ing I did stay
 "O Bar - ney dear, be of good cheer, I'll tell you what we'll do: The

C F Fm C

met an - other reb - el lad who this to me did say I bear
 loy - al - ists have plen - ty, al - tho' we have but few. I'll

C F Am Dm D9 G D7 C

or - ders from the cap - tain to as - semble at Drum - bar. But
 wire to Stran - or - lar be - fore we march so far. And we'll

C F Am Dm D9 G E7 Am F

how are we to reach Dun - gloe with - out a mo - tor car?"
 give the boys a jol - ly ride on Johnston's mo - tor car."

C Dm C C7 F Fm C

When But

Johnston got the wi - re he soon pulled on his shoes: He
 when he reached the Reelin' bridge he met some reb - els there He

C F Fm C

says" This case is ur - gent, there is no time to lose."
 knew the game was up with him as at them he did stare He

C F Am Dm D9 G D7 C

i s . s : 1, t. d | r'. r': m'. r', d | t . s : t . r' | d : - . 1, t

wore a fan - cy car - tor hat and on his breast a star, You could
says "I've got a per - mit for travel - ling here so far." "You can

C F Am Dm D9 G E7 Am F

d d . d : 1 . f | s . s : m . d, | f . m : d, . d, | d, : - . .

hear the din going thro' Glen - fin of Johns - ton's mo - tor car. D.C.
keep your Eng - lish per - mit but we want your mo - tor car".

C Dm C C7 F Fm C

"What will my loyal comrades say when I get to Drumboe
 "To say my car was commandeered by rebels for Dungloe?"
 "We'll give you a receipt for her, its signed by Captain Maher:
 And when Ireland's free, then we will see to Johnston's moter car."

They put the car in motion, they filled her to the brim
 With guns and bayonets shining while Johnston he did grin.
 When Barney waved a Sinn Fein flag she shot off like a star
 And they gave three cheers for liberty on Johnston's motor car.

When the loyal crew they heard the news, it grieved their hearts
 full sore
 They swore they'd have reprisals before they would give o'er.
 In vain they searched through Glenties, the Rosses, and Kilcar,
 While the I.R.A their flags displayed on Johnston's motor car.