

## The Sergeant

Musical score for "The Sergeant" in G major, 3/4 time. The score consists of three staves. The first staff has a G chord above it. The second staff has G, D7, G, C, D7, and G chords above it, with "chorus" written above the G chord. The third staff has a G chord above it. The music is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The melody is a simple, rhythmic tune with a chorus section marked by repeat signs.

1. Down in yonder bushes young Mary lay a-sleeping  
When all of a sudden the sergeant came a-creeping.  
**Chorus:**  
With a whack-fol-a-riddle-die-do  
and a whack-fol-a-riddle-day.
2. A few months went by and Mary, she grew bolder  
And wished that the sergeant would come and do it over.  
**Chorus:**  
With a ...
3. A few months went by and Mary she grew fatter  
and all of the neighbors were wondering who'd been at her  
**Chorus:**  
With a ...
4. A few months went by and Mary burst asunder  
And out popped a little sergeant with a regimental number  
**Chorus:**  
And a ...
5. Now all you fair maidens be sure to keep from under  
The spell of the sergeant your virtue he will plunder  
**Chorus:**  
With his ...

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I haven't been able to find out anything about this song so far.  
I learned it from Oscar Brand.