

1. New Feet

Text: Carl Sandburg

(From *Shenandoah in Cornhuskers*)

Douglas Wagoner (ASCAP)

$\text{♩} = 120$
Crisp and energetic

Soprano
Emp - ty bat-tle-fields

Alto
Emp - ty bat-tle-fields

Tenor
Emp-ty bat-tle-fields

Bass
Emp-ty bat-tle-fields

Piano
f *mf* *f* *mf*

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Emp-ty bat - tle - fields

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms Hmmm

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Emp-ty bat - tle - fields

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Emp-ty bat - tle - fields

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms Hmmm

f *fp*

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mf Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms

mf Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms

mf Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms grass crawls ov - er old gun wheels wheels ov - er

mf Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms grass crawls ov - er old gun wheels *mp* the

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grass crawls ov - er old gun wheels

mf Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms

wheels grass crawls ov - er emp - ty bat-tle-field emp - ty bat-tle-fields emp - ty

16

mp grass crawls o - ver

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan - toms keep grass crawls o - ver old gun

mf Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep *mp* grass crawls o - ver o - ver old gun

emp - ty keep their phan-toms grass crawls o - ver o - ver old gun

mf *p* *mp* *mp*

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f *mp* *f*

wheels grass crawls o - ver grass crawls o - ver old gun wheels

f *mp* *f*

wheels grass crawls o - ver grass crawls o - ver old gun wheels

f *mf* *f*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms grass grass crawls o - ver old gun emp - ty bat-tle-fields emp - ty bat-tle-fields

f *mp* *f*

wheels grass crawls o - ver old gun emp - ty bat-tle-fields emp - ty bat-tle-fields

f *mp* *f*

24 *ff* $\text{♩} = 72$ **Supple and flowing** *p* *mf* *mf*

wheels And a nod-ding Can-a-da Can-a-da this - tle flings a pur - ple flings a

wheels And a nod-ding Can-a-da Can-a-da this - tle flings a pur - ple flings a

⁸ *ff* *p* *mf* *mf*

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields emp - ty And a nod - ding nod - ding this - tle flings a pur - ple

ff *mf* *mf*

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields emp - ty nod - ding this - tle this-tle flings a pur - ple

$\text{♩} = 72$ **Supple and flowing** *p* *mf* *mf*

29 *mf* *mf*

pur - ple in - to Sum-mer's south - west wind. And a nod-ding Can a -

pur - ple in - to Sum-mer's south - west wind. And a nod-ding Can a -

mp *mf*

pur - ple in - to south - west And a nod-ding Can - a - da And a nod-ding

mp *mf*

pur - ple in - to south - west wind And a nod-ding Can - a - da

mp *mf* *mf*

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da Can-a-da thi - stle Can-a-da this - tle flings a pur - ple in - to Sum-mer's

da Can-a-da thi - stle Can-a-da this - tle flings a pur - ple in - to Sum

8 Can-a-da Can - a - da this - tle flings a pur - ple in - to Sum

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields keep their Can - a - da this - tle flings a pur - ple in in - to Sum the

mf *f* *f* *mf* *mf* *f* *f* *mf*

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— south - west wind. south-west wind.

Sum-mer's south - west south-west wind.

8 Sum-mer's south - west Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms south-west wind.

Sum - mer's south - west wind. south-west wind.

fp *p* *fp* *accel.* *mf* *p* *fp* *accel.* *mf* *p* *mp*

40 $\text{♩} = 120$

f *mf*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms

f *mf*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms

f *mf*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms

f *mf*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan - toms

f *mf* *f* *mf*

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f *fp* *f*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms keep their phan-toms hmmm

f *fp* *f*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms keep their phan-toms hmmm

f *fp* *f*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep

f *fp* *f* *mf*

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep phan-toms keep their phan-toms

f *f* *f*

46 ♩ = 90 **Dark and ominous**

p

The this - tle wrap - - - ping a

p

The this - tle wrap - - - ping a

p

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields

♩ = 90 **Dark and ominous**

p

RH

8^{vb}

49 *mf*

root in the rust of a bay - o - net

mf

root in the rust of a bay - o - net

p

Emp - ty bat - tle fields emp - ty emp-ty

f

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle-fields Emp - ty bat-tle emp-ty

RH

LH

(8)

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$\text{♩} = 80$ $\text{♩} = 132$ **Molten and glowing**

f *f* *mp*

Ah! Reach-ing a blos - som reach-ing a blos - som in the rust of

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bat-tle fields Reach a blos - som reach-ing a blos - som in the rust of

bat-tle fields Reach a blos - som reach-ing a blos - som blos-som in the rust of

$\text{♩} = 80$ $\text{♩} = 132$ **Molten and glowing**

f *f* *mp*

[illegible]

64 *p* *f* *As before*

(emp - ty emp - ty emp - ty) Emp-ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms grass crawls o-ver old gun wheels

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mf Emp-ty bat-tle fields Emp-ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms grass o-ver old gun wheels

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms grass crawls o - ver

mf *p* *f* *As before* *ff*

68 *ff* *f*

Ah! grass crawls o - ver old gun

Ah! grass crawls o - ver o - ver old gun

Ah! grass crawls o - ver old gun grass crawls o - ver old gun o - ver old gun

Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan-toms grass crawls o - ver old gun grass crawls o - ver old gun

mf *p* *f*

72 *ff*

wheels wheels keep their phan-toms

ff

wheels wheels keep emp-ty bat-tle fields their phan-toms

ff

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields Emp-ty bat-tle-fields Emp-ty bat-tle-fields emp-ty keep their phan-toms

ff

Emp-ty bat-tle-fields Emp-ty bat-tle-fields Emp-ty bat-tle-fields emp-ty keep their emp-ty bat-tle phan-toms

ff *f mp* *f mp* *f*

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grass crawls grass crawls o - ver old gun wheels Emp - ty bat-tle-fields keep their phan - toms

grass crawls old gun wheels Ah!

grass grass crawls o - ver the crawls old gun wheels Ah!

grass crawls old gun wheels Ah!

f mp *f mp* *f*

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the fields (emp - ty emp - ty emp - ty fields)

phan-toms the fields (emp - ty emp - ty emp - ty fields)

phan-toms the fields Hmmm

phan-toms fields Emp-ty bat-tle-fields

mf *ff* *mp* *p*

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