

Snare

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(Juba Clark's Army 2/4)

The snare drum notation is written on a single staff with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The time signature is 2/4. The piece consists of four lines of music, each containing several measures of rhythmic patterns. The notation includes various note values (quarter, eighth, and sixteenth notes), rests, and dynamic markings. The patterns are often grouped with brackets and labeled with numbers indicating the number of measures in the phrase: 7, 15, and 3. The first line starts with a double bar line and a 2/4 time signature. The second line begins with a repeat sign. The third line starts with a repeat sign and a double bar line. The fourth line begins with a repeat sign. The piece concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.

Line 1: 7-measure phrase (L R L R L), 7-measure phrase (R L R L R L), 3-measure triplet (RLRR L), 7-measure phrase (R L R L).

Line 2: 7-measure phrase (RL R), 7-measure phrase (L R L R L), 7-measure phrase (RL R), 7-measure phrase (L R L R L), 7-measure phrase (R L R).

Line 3: 15-measure phrase (L R L), 15-measure phrase (R L), 3-measure triplet (R L R R L), 3-measure triplet (R L RLRR L).

Line 4: 15-measure phrase (R L), 7-measure phrase (R L), 7-measure phrase (RL R), 7-measure phrase (L R L), 7-measure phrase (R L R L).