

A Drop of Nelsons Blood (Traditional) 4/4 Time

Now adapted for the Banbury Hobby Horse Procession!

Everybody sings the chorus

First line of each verse is sung by leader or ad hoc volunteer so have a think about some horsey funnies that will fit.

Chorus (All sing) Count in: 1,2,3

So we'll **[Dm]** roll-I-I the old chariot along

And we'll **[C]** roll-I-I the old chariot along.

So we'll **[Dm]** roll-I-I the old chariot along

And we'll **[C]** all hang on be-**[Dm]** hind!

First Verse: (Leader first line)

A **[Dm]** trot down the road wouldn't do us any harm

A **[C]** trot down the road wouldn't do us any harm

A **[Dm]** trot down the road wouldn't do us any harm

And we'll **[C]** all hang on be-**[Dm]** hind.

Chorus:

Then sing a few (3 or 4) more verses and choruses. Here are a few suggestions

A good set of shoes wouldn't do us any harm

A nice warm stable wouldn't do us any harm

A bellyful of oats wouldn't do us any harm

A roll in the clover wouldn't do us any harm

A gallop with the fillies wouldn't do us any harm

A lady on a white horse wouldn't do us any harm.

A ukulele workshop wouldn't do **you** any harm

*Etc. Make your own up but not too risqué (there will be ladies present!....Ladies, this does not give you free **rein**, as it were!).*

Ending: (Leader first line)

[Dm] finishing this song wouldn't do us any harm

[C] finishing this song wouldn't do us any harm

[Dm] finishing this song wouldn't do us any harm

So we're **[C]** going to end it **[Dm]** now!