Late-eighteenth/early-nineteenth century tunes

space precludes the inclusion of all the tunes mentioned in chapters 2 and 3. The following tunes are among the more 'popular' and most were to be found in numerous collections across the country. The tunes are arranged in the order in which they are first mentioned.

As noted in the main text, there was no fixed version of each tune. As noted in the main text, some tunes had multiple names (e.g. 'Brighton Camp' or 'The Girl I Left Behind Me') and also varied in terms of notation. Others (e.g. 'Cheshire Rolling Hornpipe') had versions in different keys and time signatures. How these tunes were played at the time is unknowable, but it is unlikely that most performances matched the later reconstructions, in television plays and films, which feature musicians of considerable skill! The tunes are as follows.

Shepherd's Hey



King Charles of Sweden



Pease upon a Trencher



Planxty John O'Connor

Turlough O'Carolan



Sir Roger de Coverley



Packington's Pound



Sellenger's Round



Nancy Dawson



Soldiers Joy



Brighton Camp (aka The Girl I left Behind Me)



The Flowers of Edinburgh



The Irish Washerwoman



The Rakes of Mallow



Off She Goes



White Cockade



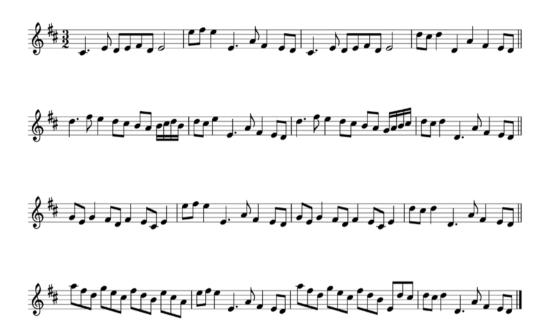
The Downfall of Paris



Haste to the Wedding



John of the Greeny Cheshire Way



Cheshire Rolling Hornpipe



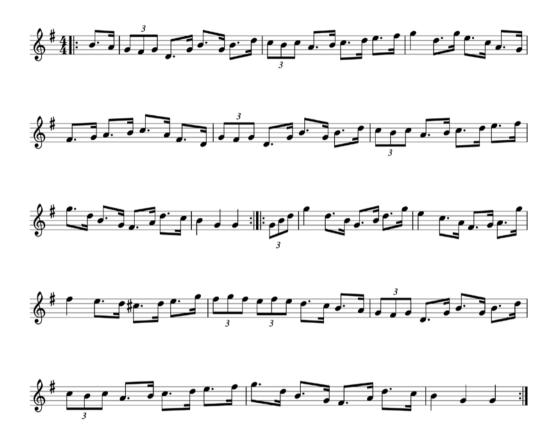
Cheshire Rolling Hornpipe



The Trumpet Hornpipe



The Friendly Visit



Tripping Upstairs



Rollicking Irishman or Yorkshire Lasses

