

Prettiest Flower of All (The)  
The Prettiest Little Song of All

*F Belasco, (pub c.1885)*

D A7 A7 D  
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D G A7 D  
D Em A7 D

*Rhythm: Schottische*

*Source: collected from John McKinnon, Ecklin South, Vic  
John Meredith Collection, NLA; Bib ID 2052309*

*Notes: Older versions:*

- *Kerr's v.2 No 361, (c.1883) as "The Elk's Festival"*
- *Craig's Empire Coll. of Hornpipes, No 12 (c.1910) as "Elk's Hornpipe"*

*Other versions collected in Australia:*

- *By Rob Willis, from Cecil Chapman, Nulla Nulla, NSW as "Sam Chapman's Schottische"*
- *Harry Schaefer MS, NLA, as "Elk's Festival"*
- *by John Meredith from Russel Teagh, Warners Bay, NSW, as "The Prettiest Song of All", see Folk Songs of Australia, Vol 2, p119*