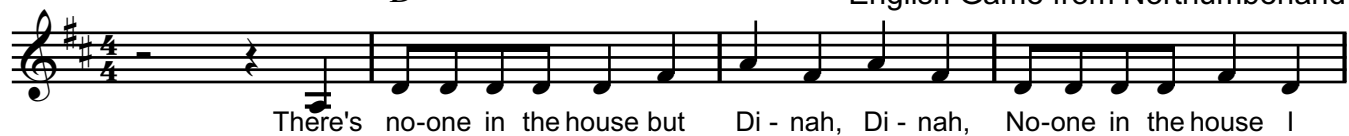


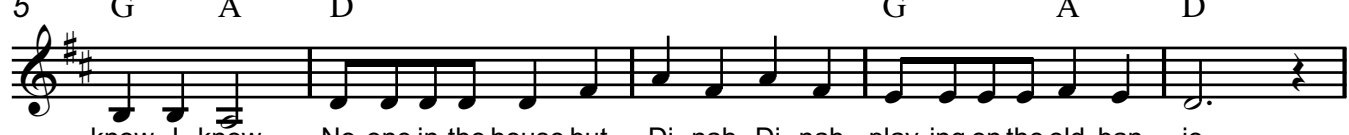
Dinah!

D English Game from Northumberland



There's no-one in the house but Di - nah, Di - nah, No-one in the house I

5 G A D G A D



know, I know. No-one in the house but Di - nah, Di - nah, play-ing on the old ban - jo.

Everyone is in a ring except one who is blindfolded in the middle.
At the end of the song she goes up to someone and guesses her name,
taking her place if right.

Or you can do it to the Oranges and Lemons game, with an arch. I have done it
as a way to divide a large group up, or bring a class into the hall, by having a line
which is 'sorted' through 'gates' with teachers or pupils in a line lifting their arms
for children to be directed into different areas. this is very popular!

If I am playing the accordion or piano I will raise the pitch of the song as we go
through the game:

easy keys in singable range: start with D (G A), then E (A B); F (Bb C); G (C D).

This game is from Northumberland but I think the music is American - works well
with a strong back beat.