

THE FARMER'S BOY

Vaughan Williams notes:- This is the first half the tune which is printed with music, tune by William Paxton. For the rest of the words of this song see Mrs Charles White RVW MS VOL 2/33.

The sun had set behind yon hill across the dreary moor
When weary and lame a boy there came into a farmer's door

The farmers boy

The sun had set behind yon hill a-cross the dreary moor when
weary and lame a boy there came unto a farmer's do - or un-
- to a farmers door

The image shows three staves of handwritten musical notation in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is written on a five-line staff. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff contains the first line of the song. The second staff contains the second line. The third staff contains the third line and ends with a double bar line. The lyrics are: 'The sun had set behind yon hill a-cross the dreary moor when weary and lame a boy there came unto a farmer's do - or un- - to a farmers door'.