

Dedicated to the Ball Players of the United States

THE GRAND OLD GAME OF BASE BALL

Words and Music by
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Strict March time

VOICE

PIANO

ff

There's a game you've all heard
Don't you hear the gong, it's

mf cresc. *mf cresc.*

tell of, It's a game they all speak well of— There's noth - ing like it,
ring - ing, Now its one to one, first in - ning, Two runs soon put the

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 2/4 time signature. The tempo is marked 'Strict March time'. The piano part starts with a forte (*ff*) dynamic. The voice part enters with the lyrics 'There's a game you've all heard / Don't you hear the gong, it's'. The piano accompaniment features a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes. The score includes dynamic markings such as *mf cresc.* and *mf cresc.*. The lyrics continue with 'tell of, It's a game they all speak well of— There's noth - ing like it, / ring - ing, Now its one to one, first in - ning, Two runs soon put the'.