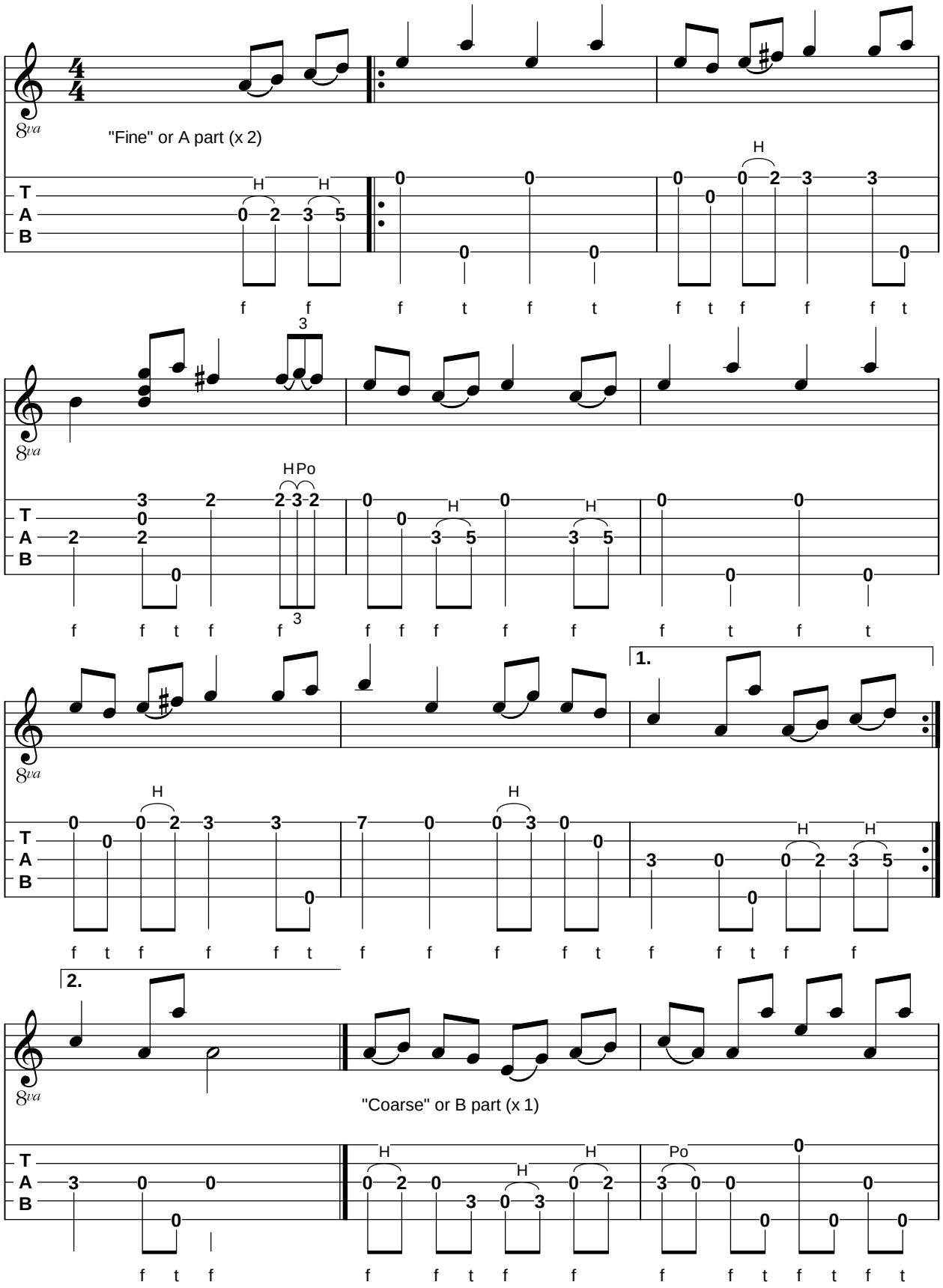
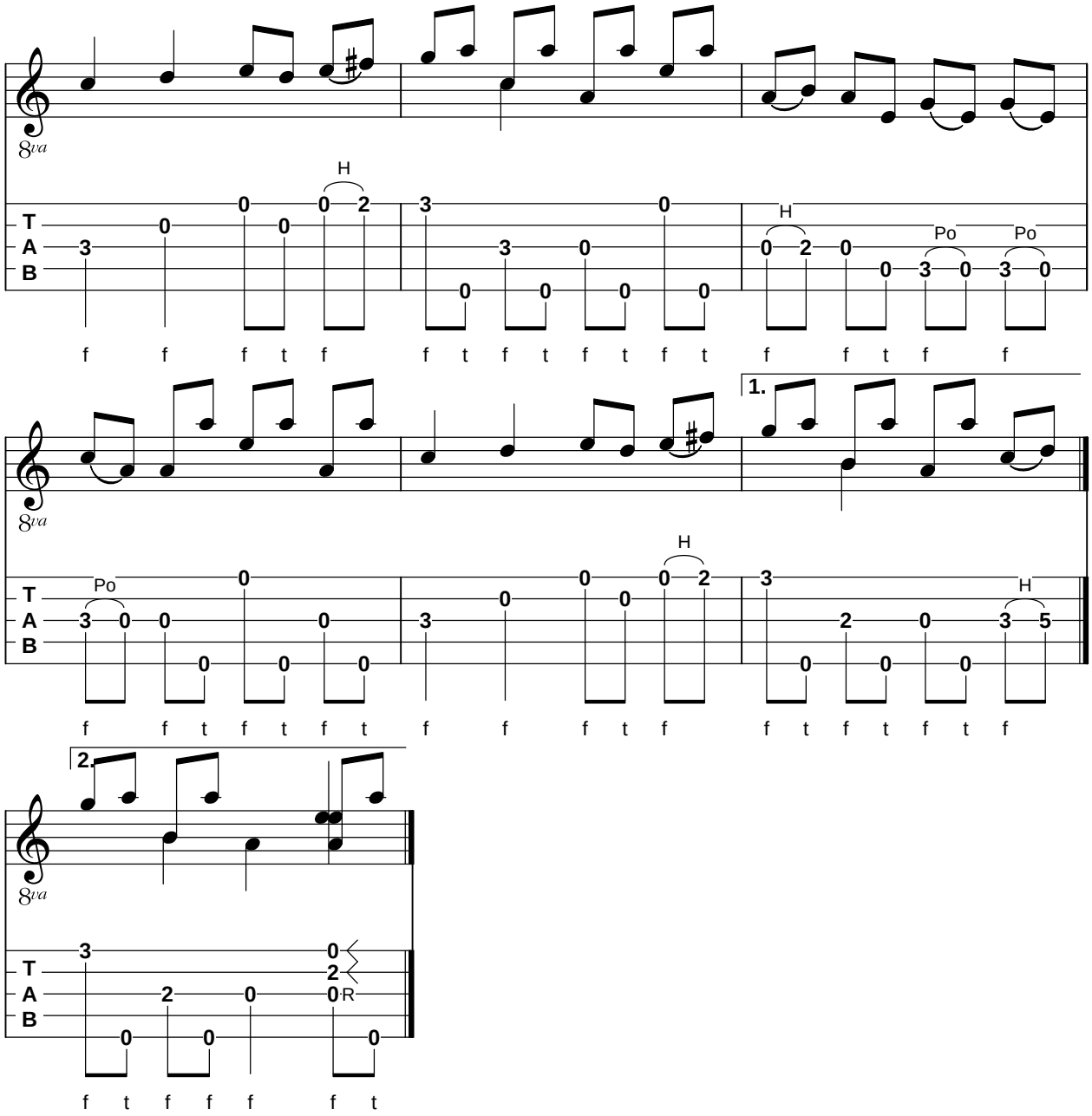
Santa Anna'sRetreat

(traditional)

Arranged by Rob Quinlan

Sawmill tuning gDGCD capo 2





A number of Irish immigrants to Texas decided to side with Catholic Mexico rather than the largely Protestant U.S. during the Mexican-American War (1846-1848). Apparently this tune was played by the San Patricio (Irish) Brigade of Santa Anna's army after being defeated by the U.S. Army.