

Give My Regards to Broadway George Cohan (1904)

Give my regards to Broadway,
Remember me to Herald Square.
Tell all the gang, at Forty-second Street
That I will soon be there.
Whisper of how I'm yearning
To mingle with the old-time throng;
Give my regards to old Broadway
And say that I'll be there, e'er long.

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He's a Yankee Doodle Dandy
A Yankee Doodle do or die
A real live nephew of our Uncle Sam
Born on the Fourth of July

I'm a Yankee Doodle sweetheart
(Give my regards to Broadway)
He's my Yankee Doodle joy
(Remember me to Herald Square)
Yankee Doodle came to London just to ride the ponies
He is that Yankee Doodle Boy
Yankee Doodle went to town just to ride a pony
He is that Yankee Doodle..... Boy

George M. Cohan was America's first show business superstar, known coast to coast as a successful actor, singer, dancer, playwright, composer, librettist, director and producer. Once known as "The Man Who Owned Broadway," most of his work is forgotten today - - aside from a few of his songs and the film bio *Yankee Doodle Dandy*.

From variety and vaudeville through the first glory years of Broadway musical comedy, Cohan played a vital role in the development of this art form.