

Key: A maj.

♩ = 90

Grubb Springs

(sometimes spelled Grub Springs)

Traditional old-time

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A

5

B

9

13

Notes:

* Adding Sophie's low A is easier in AEae tuning (fiddle fingering 0+3), but can be done in standard tuning too (1+4).

** Measures 1, 3 and 5 are essentially the same; three (of many) variations are shown here.

Play them differently from each other if you like, or just vary the way you play them from one time to another.

+ Or instead of the triplet in mea. 9 and 13, start the next measure's D note early, maybe with a slide.

++ Or meas. 10 could be played more like meas 12, e.g.:

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There are places called Grubb Springs in (at least) Boone County Arkansas and near Tupelo, Mississippi.