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# ON EMANCIPATION DAY

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MUSIC BY  
**Will Marion Cook**

*Dewey*

**March  
and  
March  
Song**



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**Dark Town**  
**Who Dat Say Chicken**  
**Lovers Lane**  
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Moderato.

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*mf* *fz*

Voice.

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Streets — are  
(Vamp till ready.) Heah — um

*p* *p*

gay, On — de way, All — de al - leys  
cry, My — ph my, When — de 'ces - sion

done — turned out. Mis - - tah Giles Wid — Miss  
shows — its head. Maj - - ors brown Rid - - in'

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Liles make a fig - ure wid out doubt.  
down on cart hos - ses decked in red.

Hyeah dey come, Lord dat drum In de  
Teeth lak pearls, greet The girls stand - - in'

black ban' holds de sway. 'cept de brass  
dere lak dusk - - y storms. Oh! my pet

Give it sass on E - man - ci - pa - tion day.  
What a set. of ow - da - cious U - ni - forms.



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Lord but he is gay coons dressed up lak Mas - que - rad - - -

ers, Por - ters armed lak rude in - va - - - ders

When dey hear dem ragtime tunes Whitefokstry to pass fo' coons on E - -

man-ci - pa - tion day. 1. day. 2.



# TRY THESE ON YOUR PIANO

PLEASE LET ME SLEEP.

"TELL ME THAT BEAUTIFUL STORY."

Words by R. C. McPHERSON. Music by JAMES T. BRYAN.

Please go 'way and let me sleep, Don't dis-turb my slum-ber deep.

*mf Slow.*

I would rath-er sleep than eat; For sleep to me... is such a treat, treat, treat, I

nev-er had a dream so nice, Thought I was in Par-a-dise,

Wak-in' up makes me feel cheap, So please let me sleep..... sleep.....

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Words by ARTHUR J. LAMB Music by ALBERT VON TILZER.

once a-gain, Tell me of love and its glo-

ry, tho' I know it is in vain. Your mem'ry is always be-

fore me, with joy my soul to fill, So tell me that

beau-ti-ful sto-ry, say that you love me still.

*marcato*

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I just can't help from loving that man

Words by STERLING and BRYAN. Music by HARRY VON TILZER.

CHORUS.

I just can't help from lov-in' that man, He takes me driv-in' on his mov-in' van, He's

fur-nishin' a flat up-on the 'stal-ment plan, He's pick-in' up the fur-ai-ture when

ev-er he can, Last night he brought his hon-ey gal a brand new wheel, His

says to-mor-row night he'll have an au-to-mo-bile, He has such tak-in' ways he took my

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THE MANSION OF ACHING HEARTS.

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CHORUS.

She lives in a man-sion of ach-ing

hearts, She's one of a rest-less throng, The

dia-monds that glit-ter a-round her throat, They

speak both of sor-row and song; The

*poco rrit.*

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