

WALK, JAW BONE.

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Moderato.

1. In Car - o - line, whar I was born, I

f *p*

This system contains the first two staves of music. The vocal line is in the upper staff, and the piano accompaniment is in the lower staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 2/4. The tempo is marked 'Moderato'. The first measure of the vocal line is followed by a rest for three measures, then the lyrics '1. In Car - o - line, whar I was born, I'. The piano accompaniment features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes in the right hand and quarter notes in the left hand. Dynamics include a forte (*f*) section and a piano (*p*) section.

husk de wood, an' I chop de corn, A roast-ed ear to de house I bring, But de dri-ver cotch me and he sing:

This system contains the next two staves of music. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'husk de wood, an' I chop de corn, A roast-ed ear to de house I bring, But de dri-ver cotch me and he sing:'. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The system ends with a double bar line.

CHORUS.

Walk, jaw bone, Jen-ny come a-long, In come Sal-ly wid de bootees on, Walk, jaw bone, Jen-ny, come a-long,

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This system contains the first two staves of the chorus. The vocal line begins with the lyrics 'Walk, jaw bone, Jen-ny come a-long, In come Sal-ly wid de bootees on, Walk, jaw bone, Jen-ny, come a-long,'. The piano accompaniment features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes in the right hand and quarter notes in the left hand. The dynamic is marked forte (*f*).

In come Sal-ly wid de boot - ees on.

This system contains the final two staves of music. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'In come Sal-ly wid de boot - ees on.'. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The system ends with a double bar line.

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| <p>2. De corn de driver from me rob,
An' he make me eat de cob;
I chaw de cob until my gums
Stick out like Carolina plums.
Walk, jaw bone, &c.</p> <p>3. Dey fasten me up under de barn,
Dey feed me dar on leaves ob corn;
It tickled my digestion so,
Dat I catch de cholero-phoby, oh.
Walk, jaw bone, &c.</p> <p>4. Dey made me a scar-crow in de field,
And a buzzard come to get his meal,
But in his face I blowed my bref,
An' he was a case for ole Jim Death.
Walk, jaw bone, &c.</p> | <p>5. Next come a hungry eagle down,
Oh! goah thinks I, dis nig's done drown;
But he winked an' cried "I see de bird ob de free
And won't eat de meat ob slabery."
Walk, jaw bone, &c.</p> <p>6. Next come a weasel for my juice,
An' he gnawed till he untied me loose,
An' den I made off wid a quick salarum,
An' lef' him be widout a dram.
Walk, jaw bone, &c.</p> <p>7. Den down de bank I see'd a ship,
I slide down dar on de bone ob my hip;
I crossed de drink an' yare I am,
If I go back dar, I'll be damn!
Walk, jaw bone, &c.</p> |
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JIM CRACK CORN.

1. When I was young I used to wait On mas - sa, and hand him de plate; Pass down de bot - tle when

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he get dry, And brush a - way de blue - tail fly. Jim crack corn, I don't care.

Jim crack corn, I don't care, Jim crack corn, I don't care, Ole mas - sa gone a - way.

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| <p>2. Den arter dinner massa sleep,
He bid dis niggarr vigil keep;
An' when he gwine to shut his eye,
He tell me watch de blue-tail fly.
Jim crack corn, &c.</p> <p>3. An' when he ride in de artemnoon,
I follow wid a hickory broom;
De poney being berry shy,
When bitten by de blue-tail fly.
Jim crack corn, &c.</p> <p>4. One day he rode around de farm,
De flies so numerous dey did swarm;
One chance to bite him on the thigh,
De debble take dat blue-tail fly.
Jim crack corn, &c.</p> | <p>5. De poney run, he jump an' pitch,
An' tumble massa in de ditch;
He died, an' de jury wonder'd why
De verdic, was de blue-tail fly.
Jim crack corn, &c.</p> <p>6. Dey laid 'im under a 'simmon tree,
His epitaph am dar to see:
"Beneath dis stone I'm forced to lie,
All by de means ob de blue-tail fly."
Jim crack corn, &c.</p> <p>7. Ole massa gone, now let 'im rest
Dey say all tings am for de best
I neber forget till de day I die,
Ole massa an' dat blue-tail fly.
Jim crack corn, &c.</p> |
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